

The Baird Star.

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

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"SCRATCHERS" CHALLENGED

To Show Cause Why They Can Violate Their Solemn Party Obligation In November

V. B. Harris of Quitman, in a recent issue of The Dallas News, declares that it is a little amusing, if not otherwise interesting, to note the unseemly haste and the acrimonious spirit with which a number of disappointed and disgruntled politicians, calling themselves Democrats, and who participated in the recent Democratic primaries, now see proper to broadcast, throughout the public prints, their mugwumpery by announcing their determination to bolt the Democratic party by "scratching" the Democratic nominee for Governor.

By a fantastic sort of causticity they are seeking to justify their threatened violation of their solemn party obligation, voluntarily assumed at the late run-off primary election.

Without urging any newly discovered derogatory fact, without suggesting any act of fraud or corruption, they are now assuming that a vote for Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, though conceded to be a good, intelligent, cultured, capable and Christian woman, would be a vote cast against the highest interest of this State.

Thus camouflaging a tug of conscience, they do not hesitate to proclaim that these suddenly aroused monitors of theirs constrain them to repudiate the Democratic nomination for Governor, and to seek service and solace in the Republican camp, or under the banner of some political buccaneer who is willing to become the leader of mugwumps and the disgruntled.

What species of consciences are these which seem to have recently found lodgment in the bosoms of these bolting, so-called Democrats? Can't vote for "Ma," though she was declared to be the nominee, by an overwhelming majority at one of the fairest primary elections ever held in the great State of Texas! Can't vote for Mrs. Ferguson simply because she is the wife of James E. Ferguson and has been faithful to her nuptial vows, loves her home and her children and craves to perpetuate the good name of her family!

Can't vote for this native-born daughter of Texas, who comes from good pioneer stock; who was educated in Texas schools, amidst a typical Texas environment; who, from her earliest infancy, has breathed only a Texas atmosphere; who holds dear the traditions, and who glories in the history of her native State; whose whole being, like every other true Texan's, stirs with State pride and glows with patriotic emotion when she remembers the service and the sacrifice that hallowed and glorified the Alamo, Goliad and San Jacinto!

Oh! the Hon. Thomas B. Love, Doctor Rosser, Doctor Seiceman and others, who have been leaders or officials in the organized Democracy, who have ever, until now, preached party loyalty, where did you get these Klan-doped consciences that are

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THREE BIG DAYS FOR BAIRDITES CARELESSNESS IS CONVICTED

The Callahan County Agricultural, Stock And Poultry Exhibit An Unqualified Success

With the limited space at the command of The Star this week, it is impossible to more than give the bare—but most important details—a partial list of the prize winners in the late Callahan County Agricultural, Stock and Poultry Exhibit, and these are not complete, the poultry and others being "continued in our next."

It was a tremendous success, and The Star congratulates its promoters, from President Thomas E. Powell, Secretary Fred L. Wristen and Treasurer James C. Asbury on down. The following were the awards made in the Textile Department:

Best specimen of knitting, Mrs. John Crawford, first prize; Miss Jennie Harris, second.

Best crochet collection: Miss Georgie Sikes, first prize; Mrs. Eula Tallaman, second.

Best specimen of crochet: Miss Thelma White, first prize; Mrs. Frank Hinds, second.

Best collection of tatting: Mrs. Ava Harris.

Best specimen of tatting: Mrs. C. G. Bloom, first prize; Mrs. Frank Dyer, second.

Best handmade quilt: Miss Sue Hornsby, first prize; Miss Jennie Harris, second.

Best specimen of applique: Mrs. W. B. Walls, first prize; Mrs. Lanham Stokes, second.

Best specimen of cross stitch work: Miss Ruby Sikes, first prize; Mrs. S. E. Jones, second.

Best collection of white embroidery: Mrs. Earl Hall, first prize; Mrs. Aaron Bell, second.

Best specimen of white embroidery: Mrs. Homer Driskill, first prize; Miss Leota Powell, second.

Best collection of colored embroidery: Mrs. G. L. Albin, first prize; Miss Lillian Breechen, second.

Best specimen of colored embroidery: Miss Vada White, first prize; Mrs. Lanham Stokes, second.

Best specimen of fancy work: Mrs. A. R. Hayes, first prize; Mrs. W. H. Berry, second.

Best made doll dress by a girl under 12 years: Lucy Bell Mitchell, first prize; Estelle McIntosh, second.

Best piece of embroidery by a girl under 12 years of age: Dorothy Mae Scott, first prize; Louise Jones, second.

Best toy or wooden article made by a boy under 12 years of age: Alton E. Hornsby, first prize.

Best three buttonholes: Mrs. A. J. Brooks, first prize.

Best set of three handmade handkerchiefs: Mrs. Homer Driskill, first prize; Mrs. Eula Tallaman, second.

Best piece of handmade work by a girl six years old: Marjorie Hart, first prize.

In the Farm Products Department there was such a multitude of exhibits that it tired one's eyes to even give each a passing glance.

For the best individual farm exhibit the first prize went to J. A. Derryberry, the second to Buck Gary, and the third to T. S. Gaines.

Gilbert Hines took the first prize for the best peck of wheat and John Asbury the second.

In the oats class, for the best peck, the winners were also Messrs. Hines and Asbury.

The one prize in the barley class, for the best peck, went to John Asbury.

In the maize class, for the best ten heads, C. A. Neubauer took first honors and Aaron Bell second.

T. S. Gaines won first prize for the ten best heads of kaffir corn, and L. J. Sikes got second.

J. A. Derryberry had the ten best ears of corn and Albro Wilson the second best.

Buck Gary won first prize for the best ten ears corn on stalk, and Tom French took second honors, while Buck Gary got the first prize for the best bundle of millet.

The first prize for the two best stalks of cotton went to Gilbert Hines and C. A. Neubauer got second honors.

For best peck of Porto Rico yams, J. F. Browning took first prize and a second went to him for a peck of Doolley yams.

Best beets: first prize, Buck Gary, who also got first honors for best carrots. Best tomatoes: first, W. B. Hicks; second, T. S. Gaines. Miss Flora Jones got first prize for the best egg plants, and A. C. Ivy first for the best kershaw. The prize for the largest pumpkins went to T. S. Gaines and he also got first for the largest watermelon, Buck Gary taking second honors.

Mrs. T. S. Gaines drew first prize for best sweet peppers, and Arthur Walker the second. For the best individual display of fruit L. A. Childress was awarded the first prize, and L. J. Sikes and Mrs. Louis Hall drew down first and second prizes respectively for the best plate of apples. Mrs. Teague and Mrs. Helen Pearce were awarded first and second honors for the best plate of peaches.

Callahan County housewives excel in the preparation of pickles, preserves, canned fruits and vegetables, and in the making and baking of bread, biscuits, pies and cake. Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, who had charge of this department, proudly called the attention of visitors to Mrs. T. S. Gaines' 57 exhibits and Mrs. J. H. Hughes' 42 entries and furnished the following list of awards:

Best display of canned fruit: Mrs. T. S. Gaines, first prize; Mrs. Louis Hall, second.

Best single jar of canned fruit: Mrs. Albro Wilson, first prize; Mrs. F. M. Coats, second.

Best display of canned vegetables: Mrs. T. S. Gaines, first; Mrs. J. H. Hughes, second.

Best single jar canned vegetables: Mrs. W. J. Leverett, first; Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, second.

Best display of preserves: Mrs. T. S. Gaines, first; Mrs. J. H. Hughes, second.

Best single jar preserves: Mrs. C. V. Tabor, first; Mrs. M. L. Hays, second.

Best display of jelly: Mrs. J. H. Hughes first; Mrs. T. S. Gaines, second.

Best single glass jelly: Mrs. W. I. Capps, first; Mrs. H. M. Bailey, second.

Best display of pickles and relishes: Mrs. T. S. Gaines, first; Mrs. J. H. Hughes, second.

Best single jar pickles and relishes: Mrs. C. V. Tabor, first prize; Miss Myrtle Boydston, second.

Best peach pickles: Mrs. M. L. Hays, first prize; Mrs. C. V. Tabor, second.

Best loaf light bread: Mrs. Louis Hall, first prize; Miss Myrtle Boydston, second.

Best six biscuits: Mrs. Ace Hickman, first; Miss Gladys Gillett, second.

Best yellow loaf cake: Mrs. Ray Clemmer, first.

Best angel food cake: Mrs. Louis Hall, first; Mrs. H. M. Bailey, second.

Best layer cake: Mrs. Louis Hall, first.

Best two crust pie: Mrs. Bob Cutbirth, first.

Best single crust pie: Mrs. S. E. Jones, first.

Best bar lye soap, cooked: Mrs. Than Warren, first; Mrs. J. H. Hughes, second.

Best bar lye soap, uncooked: Mrs. Ace Hickman; Unknown, second.

Because of lack of space, the awards for other exhibits will appear in next week's Star.

And Sentenced By Judge Leroy Sanders To Exile—"A Man Without A Country!"

Fifty-two years ago last night Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicked over the lamp in the frame stable where that hard-working daughter of the Emerald Isle was drawing the lactical fluid from the aforesaid bovine's udder, and as a result of that tiny flame the City of Chicago was almost totally destroyed.

The Federal and the State Governments have, by legislative enactment set aside this direful anniversary as "Fire Prevention Day," and yesterday, in the Baird Public School and in all other schools, all over the country, bright boys and girls enacted a little play, prepared by the National Board of Underwriters, and sanctioned by proclamation of His Excellency Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, and His Excellency, Pat M. Neff, Governor of the Sovereign State of Texas, emphasizing the too common danger, from lack of proper precautions in guarding against dangerous fire risks and disregard of the dangers of spontaneous combustion in or about the American home. This was the cast of characters:

Judge: Leroy Sanders.

Clerk: Clarence Sutphen.

District Attorney: Raymond Jones.

Counsel for the Defense: A. T. Vestal.

Court Bailiff: S. J. Greenrock.

Foreman of the Jury: Howard Stephens.

These were the accused prisoners:

Kerosene: Aline Crstehfield.

Gas: Thelma Lois Boatwright.

Lightning: Erma Deil Berry.

Electricity: Frances Tyler.

Bonfire: Dorothy Mae Scott.

Rubbish: Josie Lois Ivy.

Spontaneous Combustion: Mildred Terry.

Cigarette: Stephen Warren.

Match: Clifford Costes.

Defective Chimney: Glenn McGowen.

Gasoline: Grace Jackson.

In regular order the prisoners above enumerated were arraigned and all plead an alibi: "Carelessness."

Whereupon the learned Judge immediately ordered the arrest of "Carelessness," and the Major Criminal was dragged into Court.

This arch criminal, little Miss Willella Henaley, was haled to the bar; admitted that as a representative of the whole American people, she was guilty as charged.

Whereupon the jury promptly found her guilty, as charged, and the learned Judge promptly imposed this sentence:

"You are hereby condemned to be forever exiled from America, and you shall forever wander impotently up and down the earth, like 'The Man Without a Country!'"

The new First Grade teacher, Miss Polly Lyle, of Detroit, Texas, succeeding Miss Lone M. Lettre of Opalin, who was obliged to resign her position on account of nervous breakdown, arrived in Baird today to take up her duties. She is a graduate of Baylor, has had previous teaching experience and comes highly recommended as a primary educator.

PEOPLES MAKING TEST CLOSE IN TO BAIRD

L. D. Prewitt is rigging up for an offset to the Hugh Moore, No. 1.

J. B. Morrison has a 56-barrel well on the B. E. Rutherford farm.

Grady Lyda is drilling a well on the Mrs. Fannie Moore farm.

Ford Driskill et al, setting casing at 350 feet on the Wheeler No. 1.

Byron-Union Oil Co. has resumed drilling on the Hennessy.

Kleiner Bros. have made locations for four wells on the Mrs. Lou Prewitt farm.

Sirmans Oil Co. is rigging up on S. M. Davis farm.

Homer Peoples has made a location for a shallow test on the H. W. Ross home place, just north of Baird.

MADAME M. D. OLIPHANT'S BEAUTIFUL STYLE SHOW

Madame M. D. Oliphant most beautifully and successfully staged a living demonstration of women's fashions last Friday night at the Signal Theatre, when she chaperoned her 1924-25 Parisian-designed Fall and Winter Style Show.

Professor Harold Wristen furnished the fitting incidental music and her pretty, nimble-toed little daughter, Dollie, rendered her inimitable "Butterfly Dance."

The vibrantly alive mannequins were the Misses Pearl Cleveland, Vera Bell Elliott, Freda West, Maggie Walker, Faye Bryant, Vada White, Gladys Eastham and Mesdames T. J. Hadley and Beulah Alphin.

BAIRD FOOTBALL ELEVEN MEETS ALBANY TODAY

Baird's footballers will lock horns with the Albany gridiron devotees this evening on the Baird grounds. They defeated this eleven last year and hope to do it today. In last Friday's game with Roscoe on Baird's field, our boys lost, the score being 13 to 6.

Encourage the boys with your presence and "roots" on the side lines this evening. They have put up good fights in every game they have played so far, and you'll get your money's worth. They need both your financial and moral support to inject them with the pep that wins.

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in Paragraphs

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO ALL

Short Chronicle of Past Occurrences
Throughout the Union and Our
Colonies—News From Europe
That Will Interest.

DOMESTIC

Operations at Cape Cod Canal for 1923 resulted in a net surplus of \$278,460.

Sir Joshua Reynolds, the artist, although a shy bachelor, was very fond of children.

The Hawaiian Islands produced a pineapple crop valued at \$29,000,000 last year.

It is estimated that in twenty years there will be 30,000,000 automobiles in use in the United States.

Lady Holly, White Leghorn pullet owned by George Rayzor, who operates the Glen Cove Poultry Farm a short distance Southeast of Denton has completed her pullet year of laying. During the year she laid 304 eggs.

The first American professor so honored, Prof. Julius Goebel, head of the department of German at the University of Illinois, has received word of his election to membership in the Berlin Academy of Sciences, which was founded in 1700 by Leibniz, the famous German scholar.

Lieutenant David Rittenhouse, United States navy, flying in a navy seaplane, averaged 227½ miles an hour for 30 minutes, exceeding his own previous world's record by more than 50 miles. Lieutenant R. K. Jones, in charge of the flight, said that Rittenhouse had at one time attained a speed of 242½ miles an hour.

The Morris pasture near Coleman, Texas, is to be used by the State as a game preserve and arrangements are being made to stock the premises with deer, wild turkey, pheasants, quails and prairie chickens. This preserve will consist of 85,000 acres and will be the largest in the state.

Motor vehicles in Wisconsin today are worth more than twice as much as all of the cattle in the famous dairy state. Latest official estimates show that motor propelled vehicles now registered are worth \$250,000,000. Agriculturists say that the State has 3,075,000 head of cattle with a total value of \$120,000,000.

Twenty-nine hundred cases of Scotch whiskey, valued at \$175,000, passed the twelve-mile limit recently outward bound. The Scotch, which had been in bond in this country for ten years, was shipped back to its distillers aboard the White Star Liner Adriatic, because of the difficulty of disposing of it in New York.

Sarah Washington, an old-time slavery negro woman, who was reputed to have been 120 years old, died at the home of her granddaughter in Paris, Texas. She was born in Georgia and was sold to a man in Louisiana. She was freed before she came to Texas. She claimed to have seen the stars fall twice.

"Say it with brakes!" Motorists of Kansas' metropolis have been given polite invitations by police to line up their cars on Washington Boulevard in order that brake experts might determine how many automobiles were being operated without effective stopping devices. Police records show that nearly 90 per cent of automobile accidents are caused by defective brakes.

WASHINGTON

Mrs. Norman McMillan Adams, daughter of John W. Davis, will start a "victory vote drive" for her father at once to continue through until election, the Democratic national committee has announced. She will direct the drive from New York and Washington.

President Coolidge considers the selection of Theodore Roosevelt as the Republican candidate for Governor of New York a very strong nomination, he told friends after Mr. Roosevelt had called twice at the White House, once to present his resignation as Assistant Secretary of the Navy and again to pose for pictures with the President.

Comptroller of the Currency Daves has approved the application of the Bank of Wylie, Texas, for a charter.

The United States has received the first payment for expenses incurred by the American Army of Occupation, Belgium has paid \$9,000,000 out of \$25,000,000 received from Germany.

Major Joseph H. Earle, United States Army, retired, has been called to active duty effective Oct. 15 detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Texas Military College, Terrell. Major Earle is now at Greenville, S. C.

President Calvin Coolidge has turned over to Attorney General Stone for investigation the charges of the Law Enforcement League of Philadelphia that there is "political corruption all down the line in Pennsylvania by Federal officeholders."

Deportation of aliens convicted of violating the prohibition and narcotic laws will be proposed along with some other immigration legislation at the next session of Congress, chairman Johnson of the House Immigration Committee announced recently.

Trial of the civil action against the Sinclair Oil Properties in connection with naval oil leases, originally scheduled for Oct. 7, has been postponed until Jan. 6, 1925. Postponement was taken on motion of Government oil counsel Atlee Pomerene and Owen J. Roberts. Their request was granted in New York.

The reported plan of the administration to promote John K. Robinson to the rank of rear admiral on the permanent list has brought forth a sharp rebuke from the Democratic National Committee. In the event Robinson is promoted, said the committee, there will be a further investigation into his part in the leasing of the naval oil reserves to Doheny and Sinclair made by former secretaries Fall and Denby.

A campaign of education among business men and shippers is being conducted by G. Franklin Ream, secretary of the American Economic Institute, with headquarters in Chicago and Washington, against enactment of the Howells-Barkley bill pending in Congress, which bill has for its purpose abolition of the Railroad Labor Board and substituting a new method for settlement of railroad disputes.

Government ownership of railroads and other public utilities, as advocated by Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, would be a change "in our social, economic and political principles that would react to revolutionize our government itself," and would lead to a breakdown of democracy, Secretary of Commerce Hoover declared in a radio address in Washington recently.

Whether the Volstead act and the eighteenth amendment apply jointly or separately to the Philippine Islands is a question which the Federal Courts ultimately will have to pass upon. The Philippine Department of Justice has given its opinion that neither the law nor the amendment applies to the islands, while the Department of Justice in Washington contends that the amendment prohibits the carriage of liquor for beverage purposes by ships sailing to Philippine ports.

FOREIGN

Sir Alfred Louis Bower has been elected Lord Mayor of London for the ensuing year.

More than 50,000 people are now employed in the diamond polishing establishments of Amsterdam, Netherlands.

Although no opium is grown within a long distance of Shanghai, the city is one of the biggest drug markets in China.

Research laboratories as an experimental air station on the historic island of Nisida, or Nesis Island, in the Bay of Naples, will be constructed by the Italian Government in an effort to check aviation fatalities.

The dirigible ZR-3, which was soon to have started on her Trans-Atlantic trip to Lakehurst, N. J., has developed unexpected trouble, according to a Friedrichshafen dispatch. This will necessitate postponement of the start.

Considerable dissatisfaction has been aroused in Athens by the decision of the Conference of Ambassadors allotting to Albania fourteen villages of the debatable zone which Greeks claim are not only ethnologically Greek but also essential to Greece for strategic, economic and communication reasons.

The Pope recently granted an audience to Jackie Coogan, the American child moving picture star who is visiting Europe. The pontiff was highly amused, especially when the youngster, admiring the splendor of the Vatican, suggested that the apostolic palace and St. Peter's square would make a fine setting for a movie.

MORE CATTLE IS FOUND INFECTED

1,100 MORE HEAD IN AREA ABOUT
HOUSTON ARE ORDERED
SLAUGHTERED.

SEES NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

100,000 Head of Cattle, 250,000 Head
of Lambs Can Be Moved From
the Border Country.

Houston, Texas.—Following the finding of infected cattle in a herd on the Booth & Herder ranch, adjoining the three ranches where 1,900 head of cattle were slaughtered, the government experts from the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington who are in charge of the fight to stamp out the foot and mouth disease in Harris County ordered the slaughtering of 1,100 more cattle that have been pastured on open ranges adjoining the infected area.

Under orders from Dr. Marion Imes, chief of the staff of Government and State experts here, workmen, inspectors and rangers labored all day Sunday slaughtering and burying the animals in trenches prepared previously for such an emergency as this.

At the same time Dr. Imes gave out a statement that the new outbreak has been expected by officials since the first infection was found and that there was no cause for alarm. The cattle that were found infected have been watched closely by the inspectors, as they have been pastured on the open range territory adjacent to the herds which were destroyed last week.

As a preventive measure against further spread of the disease, the 1,100 cattle were ordered disposed of and not because of any infection found except in the case of the Booth & Herder herd, Dr. Imes said.

The other herds which were slain were owned by E. D. Singletary, John Milby and O. H. Lamb.

Representatives from the Del Rio and other cattle and sheep sections of the State have been in Houston trying to make arrangements for a meeting to be held within a few days in St. Louis or some other suitable city, between the Texas authorities and the officials from the various adjoining States which now have a quarantine against cattle shipments from Texas.

It is hoped by the ranchmen that some arrangement can be made at once, whereby over 100,000 head of cattle and 250,000 head of lambs can be moved from the border country, where they are now awaiting shipment.

The markets are depending on the movement of these cattle to the North and East as soon as possible and because of the fact that the distance from the infected area to the border country is greater than the distance to many of the States which have placed an embargo on the movement of Texas live stock, the shippers expect to get favorable action on their plea to lift the quarantine from all sections of the State except the immediate territory surrounding the infected areas.

REFERENCE TO WILSON CHEERED IN BERLIN

Ovation Comes at Memorial Meeting
for Dead in the World War.

Berlin.—Prolonged cheering interrupted a reference by Paul Loebe, former president of the Reichstag, to the late President Wilson as "the father of the League of Nations" at a memorial meeting for the war dead held in the Reichstag Building under the auspices of the World Peace Congress. German pacifists, liberals and Socialists punctuated with approving nods and handclapping Herr Loebe's designation of President Wilson as an idealist, a far-sighted statesman and the initiator of a new era.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen of Norway, just arrived from the Geneva meeting, declared that the dawn for Europe is beginning as the outgrowth of the work accomplished by the League of Nations meeting.

Mrs. Frederick Pethick Lawrence of London, the second English speaker ever heard in the Reichstag Building, paid a tribute to the Quakers as the exponents of practical pacifism.

The German audience was unusually generous in its applause of the Belgian Senator, Henri La Fontaine, who pleaded for the removal of the tariff barriers to supplement the League of Nations' disarmament plans, and of the French Senator, Ferdinand Buisson, who paid tribute to the war dead of all nations as having died in the belief that their country was right.

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BAIRD, TEXAS

Railroad Incomes Lower in 1924.
New York.—Net operating income of class one railroads in August amounted to \$95,415,300 compared with \$98,934,000 in August last year, a decrease of \$3,518,700. Net for July this year was \$74,088,000. Operating revenues for August totaled \$508,394,000, a decrease of \$56,234,000 under the same month of 1923. Operating expenses were reduced \$53,853,900. For the first eight months of 1924 net operating income aggregated \$561,059,355, against \$630,715,546 for the same period last year.

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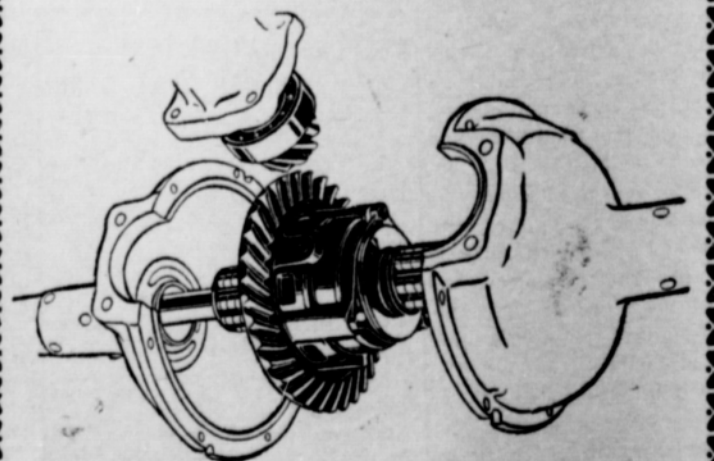
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IT PAYS TO USE GOOD SEED WHEAT

By H. M. Bainer, Director,
The Southwestern Wheat Improvement Association.

Even though Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Texas have just harvested a big wheat crop, good authority has conservatively estimated that, through the use of better seed alone, the total yield could easily have been increased 25,000,000 bushels. This is equivalent to an additional profit of 125,000,000, as good seed costs very little more than ordinary seed. In fact, if better seed had been sown, thereby improving the quality of the crop and eliminating smut, rye and mixtures, the increase in value would easily have been twice this amount.

Mr. A. H. Leidigh, agronomist of the Texas Experiment Station, says: "Through the use of superior varieties of seed wheat in Northwest Texas, during recent years, large increases in yields have been secured. Had this kind of seed been uniformly sown last fall, in the place of a lot of country-run mixtures, the profits to Panhandle farmers this year would have been increased thousands upon thousands of dollars.

"Central-North Texas is known by the mixed wheat it grows; pure seed is almost unknown. The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has repeatedly tested the mixtures grown, as well as graded versus ungraded seed, and has found that the yield can be greatly improved through pure seed. The Station is ready to recommend and help locate seed of certain pure wheats for sowing in this part of the state."



Country-run seed can be greatly improved by cleaning.

GOVERNMENT ADVICE FOR DAIRY FARMERS AT STATE FAIR

In connection with the State Fair dairy products display and competition during the State Fair at Dallas, Oct. 11-26, the United States Government will maintain a most interesting and instructive exhibit, of great benefit to dairy farmers.

These exhibits will include pictures and various illustrations, together with free information and advice on every phase of the dairy industry, from the method of improving milk quality to the proper rationing of dairy cattle, their care and upkeep, pasture management and other particulars.

Boys and girls attending the farm club encampments, will be particularly interested in the "dairy calf club" work fostered by the government, which will be fully explained.

Polite Police to Help Visitors at State Fair

You can come to the State Fair of Texas, at Dallas, Oct. 11-26, in your "flivver" or your five thousand dollar limousine, secure in the knowledge that traffic cops won't bother you, but will help you in every way to observe and understand the "big town" traffic signals.

Police Chief Trammel has given just such instructions to the traffic squad.

The order was inspired by the high compliment paid the local police by a man from Charlotte, N. C., recently. He got mixed up on the red and green lights, but said a big policeman, instead of "bawling him out," was as polite as a basket of chips and as friendly as if he had been the Carolina man's long lost brother.

Houdini at State Fair
Harry Houdini, the "mystery man" who extricates himself from any and all sorts of difficult positions, will appear at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Sunday, Oct. 12, before the grand stand.

"EDITORS" DAY AT STATE FAIR OCT. 11

Saturday, Oct. 11, opening day, will be Press Day at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas this year.

Heretofore Press Day at the Fair has usually been on the first Monday, and therefore the date for 1921 is rather a departure from custom. The new designation was made at the request of officials of the Texas Press Association, and plans are under way by State Fair officials, to entertain the "press gang" in proper fashion.

Among the big features of opening day will be the Sewanee-A. & M. football game in the athletic stadium and the "Olmsted Trophy," as the big event on the day's racing card.

Flying Flivver Will Be Exhibit At State Fair

A flying flivver will be a big attraction at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11-26, according to announcement.

Fair officials have closed with a former aviation officer, who has perfected a helicopter attachment for an automobile, which actually lifts the machine from the ground, as it runs along, at the will of the operator. Highly successful tests have been made at San Antonio and also at the State Fair grounds. The inventor is Lieut. Henry Toneray of Brown, Texas. He will also make night flights in an illuminated plane.

CUBAN WAR VETERANS TO REUNITE AT STATE FAIR

Veterans of the Cuban campaign of the late nineties are to hold a reunion at the State Fair of Texas, on Sunday, Oct. 19, this year. George A. Lake, who was a member of Troop L, U. S. Volunteers, asked for the reservation of that day as "U. S. Volunteers day," and said many members of the old "First Texas Cavalry, U. S. Volunteers" were expected to attend the reunion.

TALES OF THE OLD FRONTIER

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

THAT TERRIBLE "LONG KNIFE SQUAW"

AMONG the pioneers who crossed the Appalachians to seek new homes in the West at the close of the Revolution was a man named John Merrill, who settled in what is now Nelson county, Kentucky. That country was still as much a "Dark and Bloody Ground" as it had been when Daniel Boone first visited it and the fear of an Indian attack ever hovered over the isolated cabins of the settlers and their stockaded forts. But Nelson was the type of man not easily daunted and he was fortunate in having for his mate a woman of remarkable strength and courage.

One evening in 1787 Merrill was aroused by the barking of his dog and when he opened the door to see what was the trouble he fell with his arm and leg broken by the bullets of a band of seven Indians. As he dropped to the floor he cried to his wife to close the door.

Then the savages attacked the planks with their tomahawks and soon made a hole large enough for one of their number to crawl through. Mrs. Merrill immediately seized an ax and with this weapon she killed the first intruder. He had scarcely rolled to one side when another entered to meet the same fate, as did a third. A fourth, unwarned by the fate of his fellows, was the next victim and by this time the Indians realized the futility of further attempts.

The three survivors then climbed to the roof of the cabin with the intention of gaining entrance by dropping down through the huge chimney. But Mrs. Merrill was as resourceful as she was brave. She seized a featherbed, ripped it open and threw it upon the smoldering coals in the fireplace. Instantly a cloud of smoke surged up the chimney and two of the Indians, blinded and choking, dropped to the hearth nearly insensible. As they lay

there gasping for breath the pioneer woman sprang upon them with her ax and they joined their brothers on the journey to the Happy Hunting Grounds.

The sole survivor of the war party should have been convinced by now that this cabin was "bad medicine." But he evidently wasn't. He crawled through the broken door and sprang at the white woman. There was no time to swing the ax for a deadly blow. As the savage seized her, she drew the keen edge of the ax across his face, laying the flesh open to the bone.

This was too much for the warrior. With a howl of pain he ran from the cabin and bounded into the woods. And when he returned to the Indian town of Chillicothe he told his people—not without admiration—how the terrible "long-knife squaw" had defeated his war party with nothing but an ax.

Further concentration of American naval craft at Shanghai was reported to the Navy Department by Admiral Thomas Washington, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic fleet, as a precautionary measure growing out of the threatened civil war between Chinese factions.

Nephews and nieces of Uncle Sam used \$50,000,000 worth of envelopes to carry on their correspondence last year, the Census Bureau reported. A total of 135 establishments were kept busy manufacturing these envelopes. One of these factories was located in Texas.

The Texas Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Dealers' Association, with headquarters at Fort Worth and without capital stock, has been granted a charter. Its purpose is to bring about closer relationship between the producer, distributor and consumer, thereby developing the fruit and vegetable industry in Texas.

Two communications have been addressed to the Peking Government by the British, Japanese, French and American diplomatic officials in Peking, warning that Government "in the most solemn manner" of its inescapable obligation to prevent loss of foreign life and property as a result of the fighting in and about Shanghai.



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The General Election on Tuesday, November 4, is more important than the Runoff Primary, when the Ku Klux Klan was finally routed—yes, routed, but not defeated.

Klan leaders and sympathizers are now moving heaven and earth to elect Dr. Butte, the Republican nominee for Governor. Make no mistake. The Klan was defeated in the last election, but if they can elect Dr. Butte they will have completely outwitted the Democrats of Texas.

We do not believe that the Klan leaders can induce enough Klansmen to bolt to endanger the election of the Democratic nominee for Governor, but if the Democrats go to sleep or become indifferent the mugwumps may succeed. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty and is also the price of party success.

The Ku Klux Klan is just as much an issue now as it was before both Democratic primaries.

People who tell you that the Klan issue was settled in the primaries are either deceived themselves or are trying to deceive the public.

The Ku Klux and their apologists are rallying to the support of the Republican nominee for Governor and, if his election should occur, would be hailed all over the United States not only as a Republican victory, but also as a Klan victory.

The Republican party in Texas was the first political party, two years ago, to condemn the Klan, followed by a denunciation of that party in Texas this year. The Democratic Convention this year had the nerve to denounce the hooded order. Dr. Butte, the Republican nominee for Governor is toadying to the Klan vote, and Republicans, as well as Democrats know it.

We do not see how any Democrat—even a Klansman—can vote for a Republican nominee for Governor of Texas. We can understand how a Democrat would feel that he could not conscientiously vote for Mrs. Ferguson or some other nominee for a State office and not vote, but to deliberately vote for a Republican nominee for Governor, is deliberate treason to the party and you cannot figure it out any other way.

Of course any one has a right to change their political opinions and vote for whom they please, but no voter has any moral right to vote in a primary and then vote for the opposing candidate.

All this rot about Dr. Butte being a good Independent Democrat is political bunk and, besides, it is false. Dr. Butte is a Republican and stands with the Republican Party on all

issues. If a Democrat wanted to turn Republican he should have done so before the Democratic primary or stayed out.

EDITOR OF ABILENE TIMES
HAS HIS WIRES CROSSED

It seems that there will be no bolting in the Democratic party this year. Practically all of the voters who were in the habit of bolting were on the winning side this time.—Abilene Times.

Well, how about National Committeeman Tom Love; Louis Blaylock, Mayor of Dallas, elected as a Democrat; General Felix Robertson, father of the defeated candidate for Governor, and the redoubtable Zeke Marvin, Grand Dragon of the Ku Klux Klan of the Imperial Province of Texas, in the Invisible Empire? If the Times will note the editorial page of The Dallas News, that great Public Forum of Texas, it will find these, with a lot of lesser lights have thrown dust in the air and cried: "To your tents! oh, Israel!" But the Texas Democrat will go marching on to victory for the State and National ticket, just as though those men had never existed. Not all the bolters were on the losing side this year, but they won't do any more harm than the bolters in 1922.—The Baird Star.

When the above squib was written by the editor of the Times he had in mind some of the men who bolted the party in 1922, and who were very active in the present campaign, among them being J. W. Bailey, O. B. Colquitt, Jas. E. Ferguson, Barry Miller, Ma Ferguson, W. E. Gilliland, et al. Just "pour it on them" Brother Gilliland, we have no objection, but you well remember that old saying about consistency and the jewel.—Abilene Times.

Why do you place W. E. Gilliland among those who bolted the party nominee in 1922? It is not true. We never voted for a Republican nominee nor an Independent candidate with a Republican Party endorsement in 1922 or at any other time! Is that plain enough?

We have a number of Republican friends in the County and have frequently voted for a Republican for a City office or for School Trustee, because we considered them the best men for the office, and no nominations were made by any party.

Baird is overwhelmingly Democratic, about ten to one, yet the President of the School Board, L. L. Blackburn, who is a Republican, has held the office for years and is the best one we ever had, not excepting the writer, who served in that capacity years ago, and we always vote for Mr. Blackburn. Why? Because we consider him the best man for the place, and we have kept politics out of our City and School elections in Baird.

THE PARTY PLEDGE

Editor Butler, of the Clyde Enterprise, declares that Professor Butte is a high-toned Christian gentleman, and it would be a pleasure to vote for him, but also says that he (Butler) went into the primary and intimates that he will keep his pledge.

But say, Brother Butler, why is it so distasteful for you to vote for Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, a noble Christian woman and a Prohibitionist all her life? Christ never taught that kind of a doctrine, did he?—The Baird Star.

The Enterprise has refrained from saying anything whatever, either for or against Mrs. Ferguson. We readily grant that she is a noble, Christian mother and a life-long Prohibitionist. Granting all of the above, there is something else to be considered. We had not purposed saying a word against Mrs. Ferguson, but, inasmuch as the question has been raised by The Star The Enterprise will make a brief reply.

In our candid opinion Mrs. Ferguson is not competent to be Governor of Texas. The average Justice of the Peace is more competent to administer the affairs of state than is Mrs. Ferguson. That is why we don't want to vote for her. We feel that she will call on her husband for a great deal of advice (really he would be Governor) and that's what is "distasteful" to us.

On the other hand, Dr. Butte is a high-toned, honorable, Christian gentleman, fully capable of being Governor of this great State. That's why it "would be a great pleasure for us to vote for him." The only thing against Dr. Butte is that he is a Republican.

The Enterprise hasn't fully determined yet that it will support the nominee of the primary.—Clyde En-

terprise.

The only question now before the people who voted in the primary is the party pledge: Is it binding or merely a scrap of printed paper?

Those who voted in the primary are morally bound to vote for the nominees, and at the very least not to vote against them, if they can not conscientiously vote for them.

The argument Editor Butler uses to excuse his non-compliance with his party pledge, is no excuse at all, because the party passed upon that and every other issue that Editor Butler and others could use to defeat Mrs. Ferguson, and they were snowed under by one hundred thousand majority.

Too bad! but, of course, they did not expect it, or perhaps they would not have voted and consequently could have voted for Butte, Beut or Andy Gump, without violating this pledge. But they went in, got scored and now they are for Doctor Butte, a man they never heard of before he was yanked from obscurity by R. B. Creager, Zeke Marvin and others.

He may be all they claim for him, but he is totally without experience in official life. Talk about Mrs. Ferguson not being as competent as the average Justice of the Peace for Governor! How about Dr. Butte? The average Justice of the Peace knows more than Dr. Butte, because he has never practiced law, as we understand it, and the average Justice of the Peace would know more about the duties of Governor than he.

If Butte is elected, Creager, Marvin and Tom Love will perhaps be the power behind the throne. On the other hand, James E. Ferguson, one of the best posted men in Texas today, will advise his wife on important questions, and our prediction is that, if elected, she will make one of the best Governors Texas ever had, all the enemies of Jim Ferguson to the contrary.

The incentive to make good will be an impelling force with both of them, and they will succeed, if given a fair chance.

Editor Butler spills the beans when he says Ferguson will advise his wife (in fact will be Governor). The people heard that Klan argument all during the summer and responded by nominating Mrs. Ferguson, as they will respond by electing her Governor, unless they succeed in keeping her name off the Democratic ballots; but we believe all efforts will fail in the courts, as they failed before the people, and will fail to defeat her in November.

Butte and his Democratic butters will be the worst busted bunch of political orphans ever corralled in Texas after the election. The idea of Democrats who voted in the primary debating whether they will vote for the nominee of their party for Governor or for the Republican nominee is a new thing, if Solomon did say that there was nothing new under the sun.

Solomon died three thousand years before the Texas Ku Klux Klan was born, and he never heard of it and could not know the baleful influence of a secret political party, that could warp the minds and distort the judgment of good men outside the party, to say nothing of those inside.

A BUSTED BUTTE

"Butte or Bust!" is said to be the Klan slogan, recently adopted at State Imperial Headquarters, over to Dallas, with the idea of "anything to beat Mrs. M. A. Ferguson for Governor!"

Yes, and when "Ma" has finished that job of spanking that crowd with the old-time Democratic slipper in the General Election, they'll be so darn sore from Butte up and Butte down, that a bed sheet stretched around their carcasses will be as un-

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NOTICE TAXPAYERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

Suit will be filed on all Delinquent Taxes for the year 1923 on the first day of November. Taxpayers will save further costs and attorney fees by paying the same to the Tax Collector before that date.

B. F. Russell,
County Attorney.
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Report cards for the first month of 1924-25 Baird Public School year have been issued and are in the hands of parents. All averages below 75 per cent are written in red ink, and Superintendent J. F. Boren requests parents to examine these cards carefully, see that they are returned to the teachers promptly and hereafter exercise such careful supervision over their children's home studies that the red ink bottles on the teacher's desks will remain tightly corked the balance of the school year.

There is a tremendous interest manifested in the "back to the soil" movement in the Baird Public School this year. There are over one hundred entrants in the study of agriculture this term.

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PERSONALS

Mike Hughes, his son, Everett and wife, returned last week from an auto trip to Illinois.

Miss Pauline Lampe of Arlington, was the last week-end guest of her kin-people, the Oscar Nitschkes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sargent have returned from their annual trip to the Great Lakes, near the Canadian line.

Woodin Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ray, has matriculated at Baylor College, where he will specialize in pharmacy.

The Redwine-Stanley-Phillips Corporation lost "Black Beauty," one of their most valuable wolf hounds Wednesday night — black tongue.

The Baird High School students have accepted an invitation to attend the revival services at the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, tonight, in a body, and the School Choral Club will furnish the music.

The cowardly whelp who would poison the pet dog and playmate of a little child is so contemptible that there are not approbrious epithets enough in the English language to describe him. May the vengeance of He who marks even the fall of a sparrow descend upon him.

The following relatives and friends were here last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. W. B. Griggs: Mrs. M. J. Miller and daughters, Misses May, Pearl and Ida Lillian, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Jackson and Mrs. Gus Rocquemore Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hickman, Sweetwater; Dr. Linz Ramsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Scott, of Cross Plains; Miss Mary Miller, P. G. Hatchett, Abilene; Miss Georgia Sikes, Clyde; R. J. Harris, Admiral.

MRS. MAE MAHON DIED MONDAY

Mrs. Maggie Mae Mahon, wife W. R. Mahon, and daughter of John Flores, died Monday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Willie Barnhill. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. C. Andrews, assisted by Rev. D. P. Henderlit, at Mrs. Barnhill's residence Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and the body taken to Belle Plaine and buried by the side of her mother.

Mrs. Mahon has been in ill health for several years and has spent the past three years in San Antonio for the benefit of her health, but she realized that the grim reaper was not far away and wanted to come home and be with her loved ones. Mrs. Barnhill went to San Antonio after her and on Tuesday of last week she reached home.

Mrs. Mahon was born at Belle Plaine on May 23, 1888. She is survived by her husband and little daughter, Mary Nell, also her father and three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Willie Barnhill and Jack Flores of Baird; Mrs. Kate Young, of Tulsa; Mrs. Maud Benham, of Cisco and Claud Flores, of Los Angeles, California. All were here to attend the funeral except Claude Flores.

OLD FASHIONED LOVE FEAST AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. J. Mayhew requests The Star to say that an old-fashioned Love Feast will be held next Sunday at the Sunday School hour, in place of Sunday School, at the Methodist Church.

Every member of the Church is requested to be present. Not many have ever attended a service of this kind. Come on time—10 o'clock a. m.—as the doors will be closed when the service begins.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us in the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, W. B. Griggs. We also thank the members of the Masonic Lodge and those who sent so many beautiful flowers.
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J. I. Boog-Scott, chairman of the state sanitary live stock commission has wired Fair officials modifying the former order as affecting the Fair.

"This is your authority to hold poultry show and dog show," Mr. Scott has telegraphed secretary Stratton.

Modification of the order means that no department of the State Fair except the live stock division, will in the least be affected, Mr. Stratton said.

The poultry show will be held Oct. 11 to Oct. 20 inclusive and more than 5,000 fine birds have been entered.

On Oct. 20 the poultry building will be vacated by poultrymen, and turned over to the Kennel Club for its show, Oct. 24, 25 and 26, the last three days of the Fair. One big feature of this year's kennel show, will be more than a hundred fine dogs.

As has been previously announced the full thirteen-day racing program will be carried out. Entries of more than 250 fine horses for the four stake events and the six daily races carded are already in hand.

"Toyo," the nightly fireworks spectacle; "The Passing Parade of 1924," the big musical production; twenty big hippodrome acts before the grand stand; night airplane flights, and various other specialties, form a part of the gigantic amusement program to be carried out at this year's Fair.

Work done by the destitute children of the Near East, whom the society is endeavoring to aid, will be shown in an exhibit at the State Fair of Texas by the Near East Relief Society. It is said the exhibit will contain some exquisite rugs and other handwork of that character.

DRIVE TO FAIR; COPS WILL AID VISITORS

Visitors to the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11-26 this year, may come in their "flivvers" or their Flats, as the case may be, secure in the knowledge that all will be accorded the same courtesy by local traffic policemen.

The testimony of a recent visitor from Charlotte, N. C., brought a statement from Police Chief Trammel.

James Hardwick is the Charlotte man. He drove into Dallas recently and ran up against the red and blue traffic lights.

"I've never seen a city where the officers were more courteous and friendly," he declared. "When I drove into town my first impression was of kindly treatment. A big traffic officer came to my rescue when he saw I was a stranger, and quickly put me to rights as to the signal system."

Police Chief Trammel says it's going to be that way during the State Fair, too, whether a fellow is riding in a flivver or a five thousand dollar limousine.

MANY SPECIAL DAYS AT STATE FAIR WITH MAXIMUM OF INTEREST

Special days thus far designated at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11-26, are many, and the maximum of interest for a great variety of people seems assured from the list.

The designations are as follows: Saturday, Oct. 11—A. & M. College Day, Press Day.

Sunday, Oct. 12—"Houdini" Day; Texas Society of Magicians' Day.

Monday, Oct. 13—Manufacturers' and Wholesale Merchants.

Tuesday, Oct. 14—Dallas Day, Elks Day; Texas Druggists; Texas Bee Keepers; Epworth League.

Wednesday, Oct. 15—Cattlemen; Hunt County; Baby Chick Association; Swinebreeders; Fine Arts.

Thursday, Oct. 16—West Texas Chamber of Commerce; Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association; Texas Realtors; Collin County Pure Bred Live Stock Association; Texas Jersey Cattle Club; Oil Men; W. C. T. U.

Friday, Oct. 17—Children's Day; High School Day.

Saturday, Oct. 18—All College Day; University of Texas Day; Traveling Men; Poultrymen; Texas Commercial Executives.

Sunday, Oct. 19—Texas Congress of Mothers; Veterans Day; "Tell Me This" Club; International Day.

Monday, Oct. 20—Ginners; G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps.

Tuesday, Oct. 21—Confederate Day; Holstein Breeders; Mozart Choral Club.

Wednesday, Oct. 22—Texas League of Municipalities.

Thursday, Oct. 23—Clarendon Day; Parker County Day.

Friday, Oct. 24—R. O. T. C. Day; Texas Kennel Club Day.

Saturday, Oct. 25—S. M. U. Day; "Fun Fest" Night.

Sunday, Oct. 26—Closing Day.

MANY COUNTIES TO SHOW PRODUCTS AT STATE FAIR

Counties which have been assigned exhibit space in the new Agricultural building at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11-26 inclusive:

Baylor, Brown, Childress, Crosby, Dallam, Eastland, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Haskell, Howard, Lubbock, Lynn, Midland, Mitchell, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Terry, Wilbarger, Dawson, Donley, Lamb, Lee (N. M.), Dickens, Hartley, Hemphill, Atascosa, Gillespie, San Saba, Zavalla, Collin, Ellis, Hill, Harrison, Smith, Henderson, Wood, Gregg, Colorado and Matagorda.

MANY BOYS AND GIRLS COMING TO STATE FAIR CLUB ENCAMPMENTS

The full capacity of the great dormitory building, which is 420, will be required for the farm club boys and girls who will go to the annual club encampment during the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11-26, according to S. C. Evans, of A. & M. College, who will be in charge.

At Dallas, Mr. Evans has already inspected the dormitory building, and pronounced it in first class condition, in every way. It has been repainted inside and outside, and thoroughly renovated.

Usually there are some 300 girls at their annual encampment. This year fully 400 are expected.

The boys' encampment will be from Oct. 14 to Oct. 16, inclusive, and the girls' encampment, Oct. 20-22. Miss M. Helen Higgins and a corps of assistants, will be in charge of the girls.

PLANS ALL MADE FOR BIG COLLEGE EVENT AT STATE FAIR, OCT. 18

All-Collegiate Circus and Queen's Coronation at 8 P. M. in Stadium.

Mrs. John Priestly Hart, widely known throughout Texas and the southwest as a dancing instructor and producer, will direct the prologue to be given in connection with the All-College Queen in the athletic stadium at the State Fair of Texas, at 8 o'clock on the night of Saturday, Oct. 18, according to announcement by Jordan E. Ownby, director of the coronation ceremony.

Entries for the All-Collegiate circus have come from many colleges and universities outside of Texas, and most of the "stunts" and acts have been built along suggestions made by professional artists.

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In Austria, radio is used to catch automobile speeders. Police cars furnished with transmitting and receiving sets patrol the roads ready to give chase to any reckless driver or pass on word to the next police car so that a trap may be set.

The German Cabinet has forwarded instructions to the German delegation at Geneva regarding Germany's stand on the Japanese dispute. The Cabinet also instructed the delegation regarding the question of Germany's entrance into the League.

Bear Mangles Baby.

Chico, Cal.—Georgia Pepper, 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Hazel Pepper, was crushed to death and mangled by a pet bear while her mother looked on helplessly. The child and the bear had been comrades since little Georgia was a baby. Mrs. Pepper told the coroner. Mrs. Pepper heard the child scream and saw it crushed in the powerful claws of the animal. She ran to her daughter's assistance, but she could not stop the bear. A neighbor beat the bear.

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SENATOR BROOKHART ASSAILS PRESIDENT

Iowa Draws Line of Demarkation Between Executive's Record and Own Position.

Emmettsburg, Iowa. — Senator Smith W. Brookhart, storm center in Iowa politics since his election two years ago and who early this week denounced Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential candidate, formally opened his campaign for re-election here with an address, in which he attacked President Coolidge and machine party leaders. Replying to reports that he would support the presidential candidacy of Robert M. La Follette, he said he never had a thought of leaving the Republican party.

The Republican party, Senator Brookhart charged, has strayed from the ideals of its founders while the "machine organization," he declared had refused to recognize the will of the people.

Referring particularly to his own difference with leaders of his party, Senator Brookhart said that, although he had been nominated "by 200,000 Republicans without a machine and without money" and was "opposed by Wall Street's money and by the President's power," his nomination had never been recognized by President Coolidge as the voice of Republicanism in Iowa.

Senator Brookhart declared Republican leaders refused him favor because he had differed on so many occasions from the national administration, naming a dozen issues over which he had opposed the ideas of President Coolidge. The ship subsidy, repeal of the Esch-Cummins law, Mellon tax reduction, soldiers' bonus, farm relief proposals and Muscle Shoals were some of these issues the Senator said.

"I belong to the farm bloc; the President belongs to the Wall Street bloc," he declared as the "machine President Coolidge as the 'machine Republican candidate."

"I have never had a thought of leaving the Republican party," the Senator said by way of reply to reports that he would leave the party to support the presidential candidacy of Robert M. La Follette.

"My whole soul is wrapped up in the principles of Lincoln, Roosevelt, and Kenyon. I will fight any leaders who seek to divert the party from these great purposes.

"Issue has now arisen in Iowa as to whether the principle of the Republican party shall be determined by the voters themselves or by a small group of crooked and irresponsible dictators set up by the Nonpartisan League of Wall Street. This group has assailed me with renewed and vitriolic venom, and I, therefore, wish to restate my position and to reform the lines for a finish fight to oust this gang from the control of the Republican party."

DAVIS URGES U. S. TO BE IN LEAGUE MEET

Speaking at Princeton, He Favors Participation in Disarmament Session.

Princeton, N. J.—Speaking in the former home town of Woodrow Wilson, John W. Davis, Democratic presidential nominee, made a vigorous address in favor of American participation in the disarmament conference which European statesmen consider calling next June.

"I am not willing that the United States should stand alone outside of the diplomatic circles of the world," he said. "If I am President at that time this Nation will be represented in the disarmament conference in 1925. All the Nations of the world but his own have followed Woodrow Wilson's ideals.

"Entrance into the League would be of no use unless it represented the judgment of the people of this country," said Mr. Davis, "and I have made my position on that subject perfectly clear."

Bond Election Carried at Italy, Italy, Texas.—The road bond election held here recently carried by a majority of over 3 to 1. This was a surprise locally, as it was thought the opposition was much stronger.

Holds Evelyn Married. New York.—Supreme Court Justice O'Malley set aside the divorce obtained last June by Virgil James Mountain from Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry K. Thaw. Justice O'Malley decreed the case must be tried again.

French Surgeon Dies. Paris.—Benjamin Auguste Broca, member of the Academy of Medicine and famous French surgeon, is dead.

FIFTH ASSEMBLY LEAGUE OF NATIONS ENDS ITS LABORS

Insist, However, All Economic Problems Be Decided Upon International Basis.

Geneva.—The fifth assembly of the League of Nations ended its labors by unanimously adopting a resolution recommending that all States accept the protocol of arbitration and security.

The memorable debate before the league, which closed with the adoption of the resolution, ended on the dramatic note of a woman's plea that war be forever banished because "its first victim is always the child."

The speaker was Mrs. Helen Swanwick of Great Britain, the last of the delegates to mount the rostrum before the voting. Women the world over, she declared, abhorred vengeance and detested war.

"You men," Mrs. Swanwick declared, "must act for the dumb millions of the world. You must see to it that the security you have promised in the past will this time be different." Raising her arms in dramatic appeal, she cried: "Remember that when you take up arms against one another, my brothers, that the first victim is always the child."

Apart from the elaboration of the protocol for the peaceful settlement of international disputes, the outstanding feature of the sessions was the insistence of the delegates that economic problems, popularly regarded as belonging exclusively to the domestic jurisdiction of States, must be solved on an international basis, if all causes of war should really be removed. This insistence was voiced by several speakers, especially those representing France. It is implied in the protocol itself and for a time dominated the discussions of the European jurists as they strove to fashion a pact which would not unduly alarm all nations which jealously guarded the doctrine of State rights.

The idea behind the Government, as explained by the jurists is that the League of Nations, having decided to outlaw all war, must logically turn its attention to all possible causes of conflict and endeavor to eradicate them. Fed by the growing spirit of internationalism, as a complement to nationalism and State sovereignty, the jurists contend that world opinion now demands that certain vital problems affecting the world as a whole, such as immigration and equitable distribution of raw materials, can no longer be left to the exclusive control of any State or States, but must be examined with a view to their equitable settlement to the best interests of all so that economic causes of war may be eliminated.

FRANCE SEES WAY TO PAY U. S. DEBT

Will Refund in Exchange for Moratorium Before Payment Begins.

Washington.—Out of the recent informal opening of the French debt question a definite plan of settlement has materialized, with official sanction, through which France will refund her debt in the near future in exchange for an eight to twelve-year moratorium before payment begins.

The plan has grown out of discussion between French and American officials who were seeking to find some way to proceed to refunding arrangements without embarrassing France at a time when she needs money. It is understood to have the approval of both the Herriot ministry and the Poincare opposition group. Approval of Congress must be obtained before the plan is binding.

The plan was revealed by an unquestioned authority who is in close touch with both ends. Secretary of State Hughes declined either to affirm or deny the existence of an agreement.

The French debt, amounting to approximately \$4,500,000,000, is the largest of the war obligations still unfunded. It is increasing \$24,000,000 a month through interest. The only direct payment that France has made since the war was one of \$64,000,000, which was arranged by the balancing of French debts resulting from the occupation of the American army against the French balance due the United States.

ROOSEVELTS HITS DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Points to Republican Record and Charges Smith Administration With Extravagance.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Theodore Roosevelt, in accepting the Republican gubernatorial nomination, pledged himself to strive for less expensive, better and cleaner state government; reaffirmed his opposition to any organization, "whether it be the Ku Klux Klan or some other group," when it endeavors to create "false distinctions between American and American" and asserted that as Governor he would do everything in his power to secure legislation for enforcing the Volstead Act.

The nominee arraigned the Democratic party, both nationally and in New York State, as insincere and asserted that the Democratic national convention had been guilty of "vote trucking" both in its foreign platform and in its selection of Governor Bryan as the vice presidential candidate, "to gain his brother's support for the ticket." He charged Gov. Smith's administration with extravagance and said he would endeavor to rearrange taxation on more scientific plans.

Col. Roosevelt spoke on the veranda of his residence in the picturesque cove neck section of Oyster Bay, about a mile from historic Sagamore Hill, his father's home. A large part of his audience consisted of Oyster Bay folk who have known him all his life and who were intimates of his father. Thus this Long Island town which in the past has been the scene of important gatherings and where the former president is buried, found itself once more in a Roosevelt campaign.

The nominee's address, which followed the official notification speech of Col. William J. Donovan of Buffalo, commander of the 165th Infantry in the World War, recited the accomplishments of the national administration. The Republican party, he said, had blocked the efforts of the Democrats to "deliver this country to the troubled diplomacy of war-racked Europe."

"How has the Republican party accomplished this great feat?" Col. Roosevelt asked. "We have married common sense to idealism. That is the secret of our success. Our heads may be in the clouds, but our feet are on the earth. We have stood for equality of opportunity for all our people in the full sense of the word. Our leader at Washington personifies these ideals of our party."

The Democratic party, he continued, is "broadcasting the reputed shortcomings of the Republicans," coupling these statements "with windy promises for an unrealistic Utopia."

"We have one irrefutable answer which they can not get behind," he said. "That answer is 'Look at the record.' It is one of actual achievement." He then spoke of the budget act, the tariff and the armament conference.

"That is the record of our party nationally," he said, "and it is along this line that we will work in our State. We will perform, not simply promise. With the Republican party it is works, not words."

He charged the Democrats with using "words to cloak their meaning and simply for the purpose of capturing votes." Their national platform on foreign relations, he said, was phrased so as "to catch the pro-leaguers" and to "make the anti-leaguers feel they are safe."

FARM LOAN BODY ELECTS J. L. ROSS

Not One Foreclosure Necessary in West Texas Territory.

Sweetwater, Texas.—The Central West Texas district of the National Farm Loan Association has a spotless record, in that not a foreclosure has been necessary in this district. It was declared at the first annual convention of the secretaries and treasurers of the district held here recently.

Permanent organization of the district officers was effected with the election of J. L. Ross of Sweetwater as president and Miss Otis Flowers of Big Spring, secretary. Officials, directors and appraisers of the Federal Land Bank of Houston attended. The delegates were guests of the Sweetwater Club for luncheon.

Sell Cotton in Field.

Paris, Texas.—N. B. Crawford of the Post Oak Community, northeast of Blossom, reports that some tenant farmers there have sold their cotton in the field and gone west to pick cotton, with the intention of returning.

AS USUAL LAWRENCE PRACTICES ORIGINALITY

If there ever was a man born who possessed a more distinct and original individuality than The Star's good friend W. Lawrence Bowlus, this writer has never met him. Lawrence always does things differently and does them well. He is progressive, unique in his methods and he imitates no man. Videlicet:

For months and months people have surmised and gossiped and imagined, but they never guessed the truth, as the following "notice," handed in yesterday by Lawrence himself, will testify:

"The time: June 27th, 1924, at 6:05 p. m. The place: Baptist parsonage, at Anson, Texas. The Rev. R. B. DeWeese, officiating. Miss Elsie Johnson & W. L. Bowlus, 'tied-up.' At home in West Baird."

AIR SHIP SHENANDOAH SAILS OVER BAIRD CITY

The great naval airship Shenandoah, passed over Baird yesterday at about 1:45 p. m., on its way to Tacoma, Washington.

The first stop after leaving Lakehurst, New Jersey, Tuesday, was at Fort Worth, Wednesday night, when the great ship anchored to the mooring mast, 160 feet high, and took on a supply of helium gas at the only plant of the kind in the world.

The next stop will be at San Diego, California, which place they expect to reach some time this evening. The ship is 680 feet long, propelled by five gasoline engines of 300 horse power each. Only three of the propellers were turning when the ship passed over Baird.

The Shenandoah, according to J. D. Dallas, the photographer, who took a splendid picture of the great ship, as she sailed over Baird, estimates the height over town at one half mile.

The ship was first seen by watchers in the east part of town, when it must have been at least fifteen miles away. The people lined the streets to see what is said to be one of the greatest airships in the world.

C. V. MARTIN DIES AT TACOMA, WASHINGTON

Mr. C. V. Martin of Tacoma, Washington, a former Putnam business man, but for several years of Tacoma, Washington, died at his home in that city, Sunday, September 7th, aged 61.

He was stricken the Sunday previous with paralysis of the left side, while driving his car enroute to Spannaway Park. He was accompanied by his wife and a friend, Mr. Blunt.

The latter summoned a physician, an ambulance was secured, and the stricken man was removed to the Tacoma General Hospital, where he received the best attention trained skill could give.

His daughter, Miss Maud Martin, of Fort Worth, was summoned and was at his bedside when he died. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Effie Martin, 721 South 27th Street, Tacoma, his two daughters, Miss Maud of Fort Worth and Mrs. Ione Surles of Cisco and a son, Chandos, of Spring Lake, Texas.

The deceased moved to Texas from Roodhouse, Illinois, some 38 years ago and was a citizen of our neighboring town, Putnam for some 34 years, where he had many friends, who will regret to hear of his death.

On account of bad health Mr. Martin, on the advice of his physician, moved to the Pacific coast several years ago, and has since made his home at Tacoma.

He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the funeral was held at the Mellinger Undertaking Parlor, at 3:30 p. m., Wednesday, September 10th, under the auspices of that order, interment being made in Tacoma Cemetery.

"SCRATCHERS" CHALLENGED

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driving you into an effort to excite mutiny and rebellion in the ranks of our Texas Democratic hosts?

Your effort will be futile in Texas, but it will tend to give hope and comfort to our traditional National political adversaries and fill with amazement and discouragement our National Democratic forces under that gallant leader, John W. Davis.

Where were those fine, tender, sensitized consciences on the twenty-third day of August, when you walked up to the polls, called for a ballot and pledged your sacred honor that you would support the nominee of that primary for Governor?

If you did not intend to abide by the promise unless your man should be victorious, then when did stultification of conscience take place? If you honestly intended to be true to the promise, then what has happened since that, in good conscience, would release you from that voluntary obligation?

SOME EXCUSES FOR VOTING FOR PROFESSOR BUTTE

"I can't vote for Ferguson because he bolted the ticket and cursed the Democratic Party!"

But, my dear sir, Jim Ferguson is not the nominee.

"I can't vote for Ferguson, but will vote for George Butte, a Christian gentleman and a Prohibitionist," says another.

Well, Mrs. Miriam Amanda Ferguson, the Democratic nominee for Governor, is a Christian woman and a teetotaler all her life.

If those who contemplate violating their primary pledge by voting for the Republican, hand-picked nominee for Governor are real Christians, they should read especially the 15th Psalm and other passages in the Bible, about the sacredness of a pledge.

While no human law can punish one for violating a promise, how about the moral law? You cannot dodge that. We cannot understand how any real Christian can go into a primary election, pledge themselves to support the nominee and then come out in the press publicly and proclaim to the world that they are not legally nor morally bound to support the nominees made at that primary.

Why is not a party pledge as binding as one's church vows? The courts cannot force one to keep his church vows any more than they can force one to keep a party pledge, therefore one is justified in violating one or both.

That is the example any Christian, man or woman, who made a party pledge, are giving the public. If Christians are not bound by the moral law, they are not bound by any law. We do not believe any real Christian will so far violate their party pledge as to vote against any nominee made in a primary in which they voted.

Circumstances might justify one in refusing to vote for a nominee, but—stop right there. If one votes against their party ticket or any part of it, after voting in a primary, they violate God's moral law and we do not care what fine spun theories one may use to justify themselves.

Now, the question before the house is this: Has one who has no regard for a promise, solemnly made, a right to call themselves a Christian? That must be settled by each individual voter, regardless of whether they are Christians or not.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Callahan.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable District Court, of Comanche County, Texas, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1924, by J. H. Reese, Clerk of Court, for the sum of \$8735.48, with interest from the 4th day of August, A. D. 1924, at the rate of [6] six per cent per annum, and costs of suit under a judgment rendered by said court in favor of Lewis Moore in a certain cause in said court No. 7621 and styled Lewis Moore vs J. H. Holdeman, and placed in my hands for service, I, C. E. Bray, as Sheriff of Callahan County, State of Texas, did on the 9th day of October A. D. 1924, levy on the following described real estate situated in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:

First Tract: NE 1-4 of the SW quarter of survey No. 2277; west 1-2 of the N 1-2 of the NW 1-4 survey No. 2277; the south 1-2 of the NW quarter of survey No. 2277.

Second Tract: The east 1-2 of the NW quarter of survey No. 2276; the W. 1-2 of the S. E. 1-4 of survey No. 2276; the SW 1-4 of Survey No. 2276.

Third Tract: The east 60 acres of the south 115 acres of the S 1-2 survey No. 2279.

Fourth Tract: All that tract in survey No. 2278, for starting point the NW corner of survey No. 2278; thence S. 1475.8 feet for the NW corner of the tract herein conveyed; thence S along W boundary line of said survey 1424.34 feet to point for the SW corner of this tract; Thence E parallel with the S boundary line of this survey 687.9 feet for the SE corner, of this tract; Thence N parallel with the E boundary line of survey 2278, 1424.34 feet to point for the NE corner of this tract; Thence W parallel with the N boundary line of this survey, 687.9 feet to the place of beginning, containing 21 acres more or less.

Fifth Tract: The leasehold estate and all right, title and interest, and being the interest reserved by J. H. Holdeman in an assignment of an oil and gas lease to M. C. McDonald, dated April 2, 1924, and recorded April 10, 1924, in Vol. 95 at page 11, covering 20 acres herein below described:

To determine the boundary line of 20 acres herein conveyed. Begin at the south-west corner of survey 2269, Thence N along the W line of said survey 672 vrs to a corner being the SW corner of a certain 60 acres assigned by J. H. Holdeman and F. J. Kuhlmeire to M. B. Heist. Thence E approximately 2800.14 feet along boundary line between N 1-2 and the S. 1-2 of survey 2269, said point being the SE corner of said 60 acres and being SW corner of 20 acres herein conveyed. Thence N 933.38 feet to a point for the NW corner of said 20 acres, this north and south line to be the boundary line between said 60 acres and this 20 acres. Thence E 933.38 feet to a point for the NE corner of said 20 acres. Thence S parallel with the W boundary of this 20 acre tract 933.38 feet to a point for the SE corner of said 20 acres. Thence west 933.38 feet to the beginning of this 20 acre tract.

All of the above described land and premises located in Texas Emigration & Land Company's Survey and levied upon as the property of the defendant J. H. Holdeman, and on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1924, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Callahan County, in the State of Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above real estate, right, title and leasehold estate as above described, at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said J. H. Holdeman, and in compliance with the law, I hereby give this notice in the English language once each week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said date of sale in The Baird Star, a newspaper published in Callahan County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this the 9th day of October, A. D. 1924.

C. E. Bray, Sheriff Callahan Co. Texas

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Callahan

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 8 of Callahan County on the 4th day of October 1924, by the Justice of the Peace thereof, in the case of Borealis Oil Company versus J. W. Angell et al. No. 56 and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in November 1924, it being the Fourth day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County, in the City of Baird, the following described property to-wit:

All the right, title and interest of J. W. Angell, same being an undivided one-half interest in and to a certain oil and gas lease executed by J. H. Ogle and Roxie Ogle to L. D. Embrey and J. W. Angell, of date March 1, 1924, covering the following described land in Callahan County, Texas to-wit: 160 acres out of south one-half of the T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 2974, and 40 acres adjoining, being the west half of the south-west one-fourth of T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 2297, and containing 200 acres more or less, said lease being recorded in Vol. 93, Page 444, Deed Records of Callahan County, to which reference is here made, levied on as the property

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Given under my hand, this 9th day of October 1924.

C. E. Bray, Sheriff Callahan Co., Texas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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

You are hereby commanded to summon James C. Wood by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the 4th Monday in October, A. D. 1924, the same being the 27th day of October, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 3280, wherein Lizzie Wood is plaintiff and James C. Wood is defendant said petition being a suit of divorce and an annulment of marriage contract, and for grounds alleging three years abandonment.

Herein fail not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 3d day of September, A. A. D. 1924.

[Seal] Mrs. Kate Hearn, Clerk District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

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