

The Baird Star.

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

VOLUME NO. 32.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1919.

NO. 18.

Just Received From the Eastern Markets

a shipment of the latest assortment of Liberty Satin, Wash Satin, Pussy Willow Silk, Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Fancy Shirting and Plaid Silks

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FUR RENT.—Bed rooms, Mrs. Mary Scoggins, Baird, Texas. 13-1t

DISTRICT COURT

Court has been in session again this week.

RAIN AGAIN

Several showers and damp soggy days past week.

CALLAHAN COUNTY BOYS HONORED

Raymond W. Foy has been selected to attend the University at Montpellier on the Mediterranean Sea, and Royce Gilliland to attend the University of Paris. These boys were selected out of hundreds of others for special training. Both boys were students at Simmons College up to the time they entered the army.

Royce Gilliland enlisted in the Abilene company in the summer of 1917, now Hdq. Co., 142d Infantry, 36th Division. He was in the heavy fighting of the Argonne Forest and went over the top the first time Oct. 8th and was in to the end of the fighting Nov. 11th. The 142d Infantry suffered a loss of 30 per cent in the month of fighting, but Royce came through without a scratch.

Raymond Foy entered the army last spring, being assigned to the 141st Infantry at Camp Bowie. Soon after he entered the army he was offered the opportunity of entering an officers training school, but refused. His regiment was the first to leave Camp Bowie for France and sailed from Newport News, but owing to measles breaking out in his Company, he with all exposed to the disease were landed at Halifax, Nova Scotia and later they returned to New York and sailed for France in August or September last year. At the port in France he was offered a place in Q. M. Department but refused it saying he had come to France to fight. "Very well," said the officer, "to the front you shall go" and he was sent to the 110th Infantry, 28th Pennsylvania Division, Shock Troops. He went into action sometime in September and saw the end somewhere near Sedan. He has never seen any of his old command since he left it at Halifax last July. These two boys have had some thrilling experiences in the real hard fighting with the infantry, the boys that saw the real thing and no doubt can tell many interesting stories of war and other incidents of their trip.

It is a distinctive honor these boys have had conferred on them, as only a limited number of men were selected among the American troops in France to attend these schools. Royce Gilliland and only one other boy from Hdq. Co. 142 Infantry received the appointment.

NOTICE

Beginning on April 1st, the T. & P. Freight office opens at 8:30 a. m. and closes at 4:30 p. m. The Express office opens at 8 a. m. and closes at 5 p. m.

CAPT. W. C. POWELL DEAD.

Capt. W. C. Powell, one of the pioneer settlers of Callahan County, died at his home in Dallas Monday morning, March 31st, 1919, about 2 o'clock. Capt. Powell was a member of the engineer corps that located the T. & P. road through this section near forty years ago and afterwards located at Baird where he lived until he moved to Dallas last year. He is survived by his wife, four sons and four daughters: W. C. Jr., Louis, Frank and Burr, Mrs. W. J. Powell and Misses Daisy, Lillie and Cuthbert, all of whom were present at his funeral.

Dr. R. G. and T. E. Powell, C. B. Snyder, L. M. Hadley of Baird and Robert Macdonald of Virginia old friends of the deceased attended the funeral and were appointed honorary pallbearers. The funeral was held at the Episcopal Church, and burial was made in Oakland Cemetery, Tuesday afternoon. Bishop Garrett conducted the funeral service.

Capt. Powell was a soldier in the Confederate army and surrendered with Gen. Lee at Appomattox in 1865. He was an honorable, upright man and it is with sadness that we have to record his death for we have known him intimately for more than a generation. Peace to his memory.

TWO HALF BROTHERS, WORLD WAR VETERANS, MEET HERE BY CHANCE

Two half-brothers who are world war veterans met by chance on Main Street in Fort Worth Tuesday morning.

Sergeant James T. Allison, Second Engineers of the Second Division, was one and Walter W. Causey, Company A. One Hundred and Eleventh Ammunition Train, the other. They both have seen service in France.

Allison wears the Croix de Guerre for saving a comrade who had been wounded. Ten days after winning the honor, he was badly injured with shrapnel and spent nine months in a hospital. Recently he was discharged at Fort Sam Houston. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Causey, live at Cross Plains.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

LOST, EMERY WHEEL—By mistake a small Emery wheel was placed in the wrong car (a Ford) in Baird about Wednesday, March 26th. Please return to C. L. Dicky, Baird, Texas, 18-2tp.

Miss Clara Neely is visiting relatives at Gorman this week.

OIL NEWS

Our special reporter is again so busy we could not get him to write up the oil dope but got a little news on the side. The report is that parties out at Putnam will open up the Kemp & Kell well and see what it really is.

Drilling has been resumed on the Cortwell well.

Material on ground for the Dawkins shallow test well.

One of our oil men sold 20 acres of land near the Putnam well this week at a profit of 106 dollars per acre.

MARCH WEATHER REPORT

Rain fall for March 47.8 inches. Average temperature at sunrise 40 degrees, noon 49 degrees.

M. R. Hailey.

DIED IN FRANCE

Mrs. W. L. Lambert, of Lubbock, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. McWhorter, on the Bayou, received notice a few days ago of the death of her son, Lester Lambert in France. Lester belonged to the Infantry and went to France last summer and some months ago his parents were notified that he had been wounded, but never heard anything more from him. They took the matter up with the War Department and also asked the Red Cross to investigate the case and a few ago they received notice from the Red Cross that their son had died of wounds and his name is given in the casualty list in today's Star-Telegram. Another name is added to the list of many thousands of our boys who have given their lives for their county, far away from home and loved ones. We tender sincere sympathy to the parents, brothers and sisters in their sorrow.

Sigal Theatre

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PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING APRIL 5

SATURDAY—Gladys Leslie in "The Mating" a Drama of "Sunshine and Shadow" also a Big V. Comedy.

MONDAY—Norma Talmage in a select picture "Ghosts of Yesterday" a stirring drama in which love overcomes the empty glitter of Cabaret life. Also a Mutt and Jeff Comedy.

TUESDAY—Gladys Rockwell in "Kultur" Who Started the War? Also a 2 Reel Big V. Comedy

WEDNESDAY—William S. Hart in "The Disciple" a wonderful story of the West

THURSDAY—Mae Murray in "Danger, Go Slow" a remarkable adventure of a girl burglar. Also a two reel Jester Comedy.

FRIDAY—Eddie Polo in the 6th Episode of "The Lure of the Circus" Also a two reel L-ko Comedy

"Fools and Fires" and Charlie Chaplin

SATURDAY—Harry Moray in "The King of Diamonds" also Big V. Comedy

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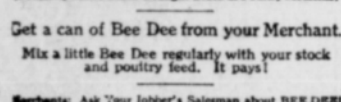


Oskaloosa, Iowa.—"For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done a such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."

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Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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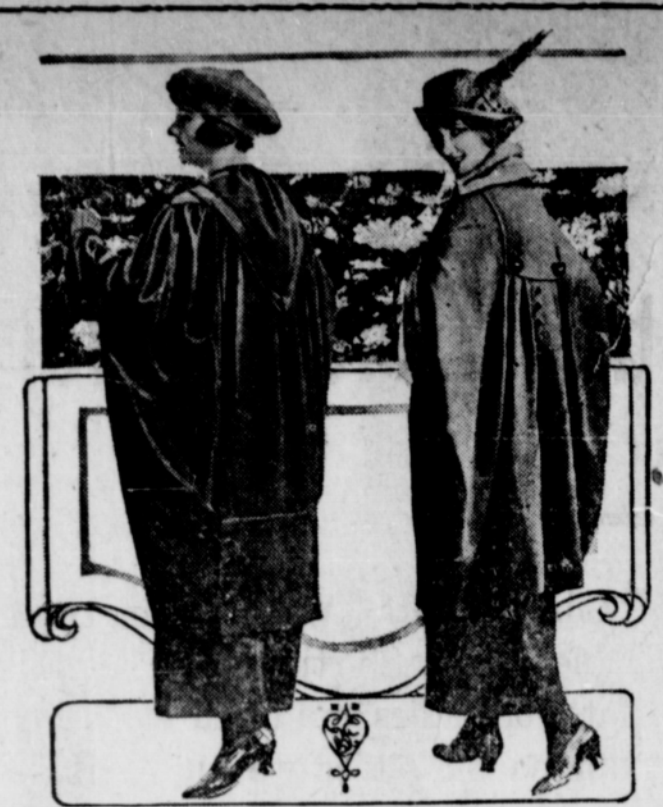
The milk of human kindness would be a good deal richer if it weren't skimmed so often.

Weak and Miserable?
Does the least exertion tire you out? Feel "blue" and worried and have daily backache, lameness, headache, dizziness and kidney irregularities? Sick kidneys are often to blame for this unhappy state. You must act quickly to prevent more serious trouble. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy recommended everywhere by grateful users.

A Texas Case
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Capes and More Capes



Designers are still turning out wraps that are the result of combining two distinctly different styles into one garment. This is an idea carried over from winter into spring wraps, and so long as it holds there is no chance of exhausting the endless variety of cape-coats, cape-dolmans and all other sorts of capes that make a refreshing digression from coats. There is variety enough to suit the taste of every individual in wraps as in all other spring clothes, and nearly all of them are graceful and practical.

In the picture a cape appears, gathered to a short plait yoke and having small, set-in sleeves, or openings for the arms, to distinguish it from a cape unalloyed with any other wrap. It has a flat, hood effect at the back, with a little braid trimming and a long tassel that points with pride to its value as a finish. This cape is narrowed at the bottom by folding it into a box plait, fastened down with bone buttons; this is in keeping with the narrow skirts of this season.

The other wrap pictured is much like a dolman. Small cloth-covered buttons and large fancy ones are cleverly placed on it, for the smaller ones appear to fasten down box plaits that form a square yoke. This is one of a few models that are shorter in the back than in front. The collar and sleeve openings are faced with a heavy weave in silk in a contrasting color. Duvetyn and velours in navy and black, with facings in beige silk, make the handsomest of these wraps.

Sport Clothes to Welcome Summer



Of all the clothes with which women are preparing to welcome the coming summer, and the boys overseas who will return with it, those in the sport class, prove the most satisfying. Good times and prosperity are written all over them. They are of various degrees of richness as to materials and of wonderful excellence in design. Nothing expresses the woman of today quite so well as these smart and informal things in which she is well enough dressed for all the happenings of a summer's day.

Certain of the new weaves in silks have opened new worlds for the designers of sport clothes to conquer. These designers are gazing down alluring vistas which the looms are treating for them and the unfolding of sport styles is growing more and more interesting. An outfit that may be accepted as a standard of smartness is pictured here. It is made up of a skirt of bronzed satin, white with rings in turquoise blue in widely scattered groups thrown upon it. The sweater of turquoise knitted silk has some new features that will hold the attention. It is one of those soft, rough, loosely-knitted affairs that lead the procession of new sweater styles. It is open part way down the front and a scarf that crosses at the front and is carried round the waist to tie in the back, is a part of it. Cuffs, waist and shoulders are adjusted closely to the figure by a change in the stitch, which is different from that used in the body of the sweater. A pretty, high-necked blouse, with a "racked" front, fastening with small

pearl buttons, is of the right degree of daintiness to bear the skirt and sweater company. It is of fine voile and there is a narrow band of black ribbon about the neck, one of those pretty, sparkling, little finishing touches that make this outfit adorable. High white canvas shoes and a brimmed hat with big, flexible crown are details of the costume that match it in character. They are to be carefully selected when the matter of sport clothes is considered, otherwise they can spoil the play.

Julie Bottinckley
For Boudoir Wear.
Rich oriental colorings are especially effective in the development of garments for boudoir wear, regardless of the texture of the material used. Frequently many layers of chiffon in bright and contrasting colors are laid one over the other so as to give the finished garment sufficient thickness or "body" and at the same time produce a rainbow or iridescent color scheme. These very sheer materials are so easily handled that a woman who has a well developed artistic sense, but is really a very poor seamstress, may easily produce a real sartorial masterpiece. Printed silk voile is a material that lends itself particularly well to garments of the negligee type, as it requires no trimming. Skillful draping can accomplish any desired result.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR APRIL 6

GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY.

LESSON TEXTS—Genesis 1:1, 2; Psalms 103:1-4; Matthew 6:24-34
GOLDEN TEXT—Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.—Matthew 6:9
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Deuteronomy 4:4, 5; Psalms 145:1-2; Isaiah 61:3; Matthew 23:35-38; John 4:24; 1 John 4:7-10
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Heavenly Father's care for his children.
JUNIOR TOPIC—God our Creator and Father.
INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—What we owe to our Father in Heaven.

I. God the Creator (Gen 1:1, 27).
God was before all things. God the uncaused cause is the cause of all things. "Before the mountain was brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God." (Psalm 90:2). The universe came into being by the will and act of the personal being called God. In verse one is enunciated the sublime philosophy of every right life. In the beginning of all science and philosophy—God; in the beginning of every life—God; in the beginning of every year—God; in the beginning of every day—God; in the beginning of every business—God; in the beginning of every thought, plan and human relationship—God. Conviction as to this sets one free from the false philosophy of the age. Man himself is a creation of God, not an evolution. Man was created in the likeness and image of God. This precludes the foolish idea that man ascended from and through a brute. He came into being by a special creative act of God, having been preceded by a special council of the Godhead (Gen. 1:26, 27). Those who believe this record repudiate the Darwinian theory of man's origin as not only a human vagary, but a vicious philosophy inspired by the devil. When man came forth from the Creator's hands he was neither a savage nor a baby; he possessed the powers of a mature man. As an example of the maturity of his intellect, he named the animals as they passed before him.

II. God the Preserver (Psalms 103:1-14).
All created things would perish were it not for the preserving mercies of God. It embraces the following gracious beneficial acts: 1. Forgives all iniquities (v. 3). Pardon is the prime necessity if moral things are to be preserved. 2. Healeth all diseases (v. 3). This refers to the healing of the body and the soul. Renovation of man's moral nature is necessary. 3. Redeemeth the life from destruction (v. 4). Redemption implies the payment of all demands against the debtor. God in Christ performs the part which the individual failed to perform, and crowns him with the full right of citizenship in his kingdom. 4. "Satisfieth thy mouth" (v. 5). This means that God satisfies all legitimate desires and thus the youth is renewed. The original capacities are restored to their native vigor. 5. Executeth righteousness and judgment (vv. 6-14). The wrongs of life are righted and thus man is relieved of the burdens which they entail. He extends his pity toward us.

III. God Our Father (Matt. 6:24-34).
Christ came to reveal the Father. The subjects of the kingdom will love him as a child loves its father.

1. Undivided affection (v. 24). The child of the heavenly Father makes the unequivocal choice between God and the world, for unless God has the first place he has no place.

2. Not anxious about food and clothing (vv. 25-32). (1) It is useless (v. 27). Anxiety can bring nothing. "My God will supply all our needs" (Phil. 4:19). (2) It shows distrust of the Father (vv. 28-30). In the measure that one is anxious about these things he shows his lack of faith in the ability and love of God. If we would please God we must come to him in faith (Heb. 11:6). The birds and flowers shame us in this (vv. 26-28). (3) It is heathenish (v. 32). We do not wonder that those who are ignorant of God should manifest anxiety, but for his children to do so is to play the heathen. He knows that we have need of temporal things and if he cares for the flowers and birds he will surely not allow his children to suffer.

3. He diligently seeks the kingdom of God (vv. 33, 34). He subordinates temporal things to things of the spirit. This shows the right relationship that a child of God is to sustain to secular affairs. This does not mean that a child of God does not exercise proper forethought in making a support for himself and family. The warning is not against legitimate forethought but against worldly worry.

Forgetfulness of Self.
A true perception of the Gospel is the entire forgetfulness of self, utter absence of any pretension, and the complete and entire refusal to accept the world's praise or judgment.—General ("Chinese") Gordon.

He Who Loves God.
One who loves God truly asks no other compensation than God himself for if he should demand something else, it would be the prize that he loved, and not God.—Bernard of Clairvaux.

A Sheriff in Tennessee must be a man of brawn & vigor

Mr. B. W. D. Barnes, of Warren County, Measures up to Requirements.

HIS LIFE A STIRRING ONE
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The Brighter Side.
"The floorwalker reported me for inattention and I've been banished to the hardware department."
"Don't let that bother you, son. Although the hardware department may lack distraction, it's much easier to sell a suburbanite a hoe than it is to sell a lady of fashion a pair of gloves."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Mean Hint.
He—You don't catch my ideas.
She—I'm sorry, but I broke my nut butterly net.
Naturally.
"Jim was keyed up to the highest pitch the other night."
"What was the matter?"
"He was locked out."



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Whoopie!
"Heigh-ho" cried the spirited nag, as he found his bridle on the barn floor and proceeded to smush the snaffle to smithereens. "I should say I've done my bit."

The Family League.
Knicker—Is Jones the boss?
Bocker—No, his wife and children make six votes to his one.

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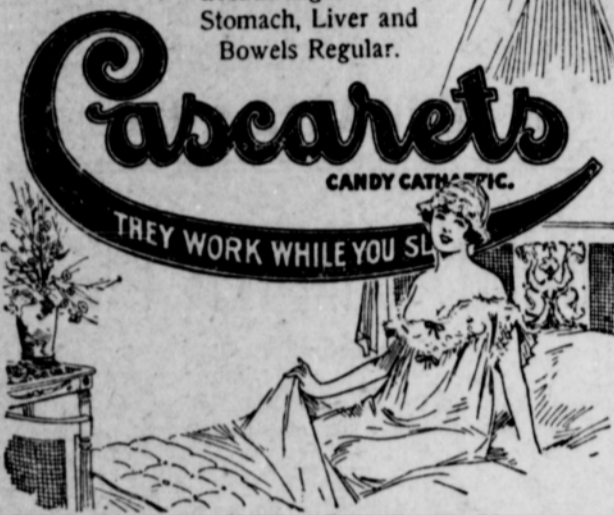
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"Talk about fishin'," says the old colonel. "I have hooked all kinds, but never until last Tuesday did I hook one of the 'old settlers'—one of the critters that helped to stake out the lake. Maybe he weren't game! He ran under the boat, turned flip-flops and went through all of the stunts of the fish tribe. Well, after about two and one-half hours I landed him. He was about four feet eight inches long and weighed 28 pounds and three ounces. Took him right over to the point to show him to the boys, and we decided we'd hold a little banquet the next night and eat the old cuss up. Well, when we sat down to table and I started to carve up that fish, do you know what? Anywhere I cut I struck right into a fish hook. He'd been hooked by everybody, and had swallowed the hook. That fish was just plumb full of tackle. I whittled and haggled away for a time, but finally gave it up for a bad job."

"What did you do with him?"
"Sold him for old iron."—M. L. Granger, in Judge.

False Economy.
A long walk will give you a fine appetite.
"That's the reason I'm sitting still," replied Mr. Growcher. "I can't afford a fine appetite."



Beware of the man who doesn't look you in the eye—and the female who does.
Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills contain nothing but vegetable ingredients, which act gently as a tonic and purgative. Adv.
MIGHT EXTEND HUMAN LIFE
World Waits on Invention That Will Conserve the Vital Energy in the Body.
A thing does not have to move to be alive. A farmer out West recently found some corn that had been in the family attic 70 years. He planted it and it grew and yielded a crop.
A few years ago wheat which had been locked in an Egyptian tomb for 3,000 years was taken out, planted—and grew.
That wheat had been motionless for 39 centuries, but the life germ in each grain lived on.
If a body could lie motionless it, too, might live for centuries. Movement brings death. Gradually the hard-working and abused machine wears out.
The scientists now have what they call the energy theory of life—that all living things (men, animals, plants, trees) receive energy from the sun; that in moving and dying they release the energy, which immediately returns to its source, the sun.
Is there some way, on a system like insulating electric wires, that we can keep our energy in our bodies, so as to double the average length of human life?—Toledo News-Bee.

Had Done His Share.
Councilman—I've come to see, sir, if you will subscribe anything to the town cemetery.
Old Resident—Good gracious! I've already subscribed three wives.—London Tit-Bits.

Texas News

The \$500,000 road bond issue carried in Franklin county.

Three precincts in Kaufman county have just voted a total of \$1,450,000 in highway bonds.

The Retail Merchants' Association of Texas will hold its annual convention in Taylor, May 19, 20 and 21.

The League of Texas Municipalities will hold its seventh annual convention at Sweetwater on May 14-15.

The annual conference of the fifth district of Texas, Congress of Mothers, will be held in Boerne on April 29-30.

Excellent prospects are for a large wheat crop throughout the state as a result of the rains of the last several days.

Over \$12,400,000 worth of new business buildings are being constructed or planned at the present time in Fort Worth.

A meeting of the Southwestern Industrial League will be held in Dallas Monday, April 7, when sugar rate adjustment will be taken up.

Twelve thousand acres of Edwards county ranch land have been acquired under oil lease by Major Stern of Albuquerque, N. M., who will put down several test wells.

The Texas Refiners' Association was organized a few days ago at Fort Worth, when representatives of thirty-one independent refining companies were in attendance.

Lamb county has voted \$50,000 road bonds. The highway parallels the Santa Fe. Construction work on the proposed Ozark trail from the Hale county line will begin immediately.

For years Mathis has been in the midst of a great honey producing district; the bee men just now are very busy caring for the heavy honey flow gathered from the hincache, chapparral and catclaw. Wild flowers of all description are in abundance also.

Formal application was made this week to the Texas railroad commission by Missouri, Kansas & Texas officials for an order approving and registering \$1,850,000 of first mortgage gold notes, bearing 6 per cent interest, of the San Antonio Belt & Terminal Railway Company.

Fannin county road bonds aggregating \$180,000 were approved Friday by the attorney general's department. There are four issues in the following districts: No. 23, \$70,000; No. 24, \$40,000; No. 25, \$40,000, and No. 26, \$30,000. All are payable in 40 years, with 10-year option, and bear 5 per cent interest.

The Texas railroad commission this week gave notice of a hearing on April 8 of petitions filed by citizens of Bryan on the Houston & Texas Central, and Smithville on the Katy, asking that adequate freight depot facilities for proper handling and protection of freight shipments be maintained at those stations.

A quantity of oak staves which have been accumulating at the port of Texas City for the past year now number 1,500,000. To transport these staves by rail required 247 cars. The staves have been shipped to Texas City and placed in warehouses from Shreveport, La., and are to be shipped to France, where they will be made into wine casks. The French auxiliary schooner, Commandant Challes, is expected at Texas City soon for the first cargo.

The new \$100,000 administration research building of the Texas agricultural experiment station at Agricultural and Mechanical College was occupied this week by members of the station staff. The building has been in course of construction for more than two years, but was greatly delayed owing to the war.

Since the movement was started in 1914, fifteen reclamation districts in North Texas have constructed levees which have reclaimed more than 100,000 acres of rich farm land. The fifteen districts which have completed their projects have issued a total of \$2,018,000 in bonds, the money to be expended in levee and drainage work.

Fifty-one Boys' Agricultural Clubs, with an aggregate membership of 987 boys, have been organized in Tarrant county. The clubs with their membership are as follows: Pig clubs, 365; corn clubs, 92; cotton clubs, 73; peanut clubs, 156; sheep clubs, 22; baby beef clubs, 46; dairy calf clubs, 56; potato clubs, 60; grain sorghum clubs, 52; small grain clubs, 23; miscellaneous clubs, 42.

The attorney general's department of Texas has just rendered an opinion covering the following points: 1. The board of water engineers has jurisdiction over water projects in the hands of receivers, but its findings must be enforced in the courts appointing such receiver. 2. An appropriator, under the act of 1895, has a right to divert water from one watershed to another. 3. The board of water engineers does not have the power to grant a preferential use to one appropriator as against another, there being no adjudication of priorities.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Drop Freezone on a touchy corn, then lift that corn off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! No humbug! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

Romantic Girls Are Costly.

Dick—Do you like romantic girls, Harry?
Harry—I don't. When you make a hole in your salary buying them expensive flowers they tear them apart, repeating: "He loves me—he loves me not."—Person's Weekly.

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.
It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.
Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.
Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.
However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

The Contrast.

"My dear, the coal and flour are all out."
"Can't help it, Maria; I'm all in."

Watch Cuticura Improve Your Skin. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. It is wonderful sometimes what Cuticura will do for poor complexions, dandruff, itching and red rough hands.—Adv.

There's only one person worse than a gossip and that's the person who doesn't know any.

"O Happy Day" sang the laundress as she hung the snowy wash on the line. It was a "happy day" because she used Red Cross Ball Blue.

No matter how early a man finds out he made a fool of himself some woman knew it first.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

Get a Small Bottle! Freshen Your Scalp! Stop Falling Hair! Remove Dandruff! Grow Lots of Wavy, Glossy, Beautiful Hair—You Can!



"DANDERINE" GROWS HAIR

Besides doubling the beauty of your hair at once, you will shortly find new hair, fine and downy at first, but really new hair growing all over the scalp. Costs little.

A Fixed Listener.

She—Look at that sour-faced old maid who has been sitting in one place trying to find out what the couples coming near her are saying. Isn't she a regular sport-spoiling wallflower?
He—I would call her rather a rubber plant.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

It's all right for a man to leave his better half if he leaves her plenty.

The blush of a queen is a royal flush.

The Cause.

"So the play failed because of the weakness of its love interest."
"Yes; another case of heart failure."

INFLUENZA—

Do not neglect an aching, Grippy cold—it may develop into Influenza.

Take CAPUDINE at once. It's liquid—Quick relief. Trial bottle 10c—two doses. Larger sizes also.—Adv.

Bringing the Wrinkles.

"Time, after all, is the great vaudeville artist." "The old fellow is a headliner all right."

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GIBBY'S FAWCETT'S BEST CHILL TONIC gives regularity for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a general strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or devour the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

Sometimes a fellow calls making a lot of darned foul mistakes getting experience.

A friend in need is almost a twentieth century rarity.

There's a rich, satisfying, old-time flavor to The Original POSTUM CEREAL

that no substitute can ever equal.

A healthful drink that leaves no trace of harm, a beverage grateful to the stomach, that never upsets nerves, heart or digestion as does sometimes coffee.

Boil just like coffee

Boil thoroughly (15 minutes after boiling begins) make it rich and dark and you have something that makes your meal doubly enjoyable.

"There's a Reason"

At Grocers—two sizes 15c & 25c.

The Tongue Test

Put a little alum on the end of your tongue and you will have the reason why alum baking powder should not be used in food.

England and France forbid the sale of baking powder containing alum.

You can tell whether baking powder contains alum by reading the label

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Made from Cream of Tartar derived from Grapes
Contains No Alum—Leaves No Bitter Taste

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Six months in advance .80
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W. E. GILLILAND,
Editor and Proprietor.

Debs friends are trying to make a martyr and a hero out of him but without much success. Just remember that while our boys were crossing the ocean by the hundreds of thousands to fight the Huns in France Eugene Debs was doing all he could to hinder and obstruct war preparations at home. If the Debses and I. W. W.'s had had their way our boys would have been left without food and ammunition supplies to meet the Huns after reaching France. Debs mistook liberty for license to abuse his government in time of war, and this is where he made a mistake

The new time caused considerable confusion at some of the Sunday Schools in Baird last Sunday. Many overlooked the fact that the new time went into effect at 2 a. m. Sunday morning. We hope congress will repeal this law because it makes near two hours difference between sun time and legal time at Baird. Standard time is 50 minutes ahead of sun time at Baird, then to tack on an hour to that calls for Sunday School at 8:10 in place of 10 a. m. sun time. Baird is near the west boundary line of the 15th degree zone, which makes so much difference in standard time at Baird. The east line of this zone and sun time and standard time are the same, but when it is 10 o'clock a. m. 14 degrees east of us it is 10 o'clock at Baird or about 9:10, legal time adds an hour to this. Do you understand, I expect not, very few do.

Gov. Hobby vetoed the bill permitting returning soldiers to vote without paying a poll tax. From a strictly legal standpoint the governor is right, because the constitution makes no provision for anyone voting without paying a poll tax, but many ask this question: "Why did Gov. Hobby approve the law last year permitting the women to vote in the primary that was clearly unconstitutional, yet disapproved the law allowing the soldiers to vote without paying a poll tax. The editor of THE STAR is not a lawyer and of course liable to err like all laymen in construing the law but this thought occurs to us: If the constitution permits the passage of laws controlling the actions of political parties in nominating candidates for office, then the legislature certainly had no right to confer the right of suffrage upon anyone not allowed a vote under the constitution; but if we assume that the legislature has no right to pass laws regulating the acts of political parties, which is possibly correct, then the women suffrage bill last year was unconstitutional along with that part of the Terrell law regulating primary election. So we see that no matter how we view the law allowing the women to vote in the primary it is certainly unconstitutional, yet Gov. Hobby approved it. Why did Hobby approve an unconstitutional law for the women and veto an unconstitutional law allowing our returning soldier boys to vote who were absent in France or elsewhere and had no opportunity to pay their poll tax? Let Gov. Hobby and his friends explain why he discriminated against our soldiers in the army and favored the women, who under the constitution had no right to vote in a primary or elsewhere. Was it because the women's vote was needed to defeat Ferguson, and the fear that a majority of the returning soldiers

might vote against prohibition in May? No matter what the motive in signing the woman suffrage bill last year the soldiers are not likely to forget this first veto of Gov. Hobby.

NEW JUDICIAL DISTRICT

The legislature created a new judicial district out of the old 42d District, making one new district, the 88th out of Eastland County. This leaves four counties: Callahan, Taylor, Shackelford and Stephens in the old 42d District. Judge Joe Burkett will be the Judge in the new district and Harry Tom King of Abilene has been appointed District Judge by Gov. Hobby in the old district, to fill out Judge Burkett's unexpired term. W. J. Cunningham we presume will remain District Attorney of the old district.

IONA SCHOOL CLOSURES

The Iona school taught by Misses Louie Anderson and Eva Reed closed Friday March 28. The ladies of the community brought picnic dinners and spread together and all enjoyed a nice dinner.

After dinner a short program was rendered and promotion cards given out. Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant entertained with a party, which was enjoyed by all present.

EULA LOCALS

March, 3.—Well Uncle Billie as we are having plenty of rain we can't keep from feeling like we are going to make something this year. I was talking to W. P. Miller this morning, he said he came to this country in '84 and he never saw wheat look better in his life and you hear that everywhere you go. We may make a good corn crop, my won't it be fine if we can ship some of this feed back we have been buying the last 20 years. Oats may be cheap, but that will be all right then old Ball and Emma can get a gallon instead of a half gallon. The good part of it is, every county is getting rain. Let her come.

A great many have planted Maize, I really think when the sun shines and the ground gets warm, then plant and soon have a stand up.

Dalton Farrar has returned home from France. Dalton was gone from home 22 months. He was in some awful hard runs, but came out in good shape.

Cecil Harris also has returned, he to is looking fine. We are glad to see the boys coming home.

Well as news is scarce, will ring off with best regards to The Star force and all her readers.

"Patsie."

PUBLIC RELATIONS

I quote below resolutions adopted by the Bangor Chamber of Commerce, Bangor, Maine. I would like you to arrange for the publication of this resolution in all the local papers possible. I think it would also be well for you to address a personal letter to the Secretary of your Chamber of Commerce, incorporating in your letter this resolution:

"Whereas, The Bangor Chamber of Commerce feels that the country is facing a grave situation in regard to public utilities.

And whereas they feel that all citizens are vitally interested in the well-being of the public utilities.

And whereas they feel that on their organization and on similar organizations throughout this entire country rests a grave responsibility in this regard.

Now Therefore be it Resolved: That the Bangor Chamber of Commerce realizing that their duty is to study the question both in the State of Maine and elsewhere, desires to make known to their members and to the citizens of this community the result of their study.

That as a result of that study the Bangor Chamber of Commerce finds that a substantial part of the funds of the savings banks is invested in bonds of public utilities; that the depositors of Mutual Savings Banks are in reality part owners of every

such investment. That the same is true of the Life Insurance Companies both as to investment and ownership. That the present and future well-being of every community is directly dependent upon the successful running and further development of the Public Utilities operating in their locality. That every such community should be anxious to see that the conditions under which such Public Utilities are operating are such as to allow the Companies sufficient revenue to properly protect the public from accidents, to keep their lines in good condition to render efficient service to the public, to make further needed developments, and to safely guard the property ownership of the investing public.

That the Bangor Chamber of Commerce feels that a much graver responsibility rests with the Public Service Commissions; that their sworn duty is to see that the Public Utilities are properly and efficiently run; that they are responsible for the credit, continuity and general well-being of the Public Utilities. That every Public Service Commission should be upheld and backed where they have recognized such responsibility. That where Commissions have not so recognized this duty the public should insist that they do.

The Bangor Chamber of Commerce urges every Board of Trade in the State of Maine to start at once a study of this question, to urge the National Chamber of Commerce at Washington to give space in 'The Nation's Business' to this question, to ask the National Chamber of Commerce to urge every member of the National Association to study this question and to make known through publicity in the same channels the result of this study.

The Bangor Chamber of Commerce also urges the Bangor Rotary Club to take this up with their National Association in the same manner. The Bangor Chamber of Commerce feels that an intelligent study of this question by the business men of the country, with a campaign of publicity as to the result of this study will aid greatly in solving rightly this very grave problem."

Sidney G. Vigo.

ELABORATE CEREMONIAL PLANNED BY FORT WORTH SHRINERS AT NEW MOSQUE APRIL 11, 1919

Fort Worth, Texas, March 31.—It is not generally known over the large State of Texas that there is located at Fort Worth one of the best clubhouses in the State in the Mosque on Lake Worth, which is the home of Moslah Temple Shrine, and has just opened up the spring and summer season of 1919.

The Mosque is ideally situated on the most prominent point overlooking Lake Worth, which is the largest body of water in captivity and has boating, bathing, sleeping, restaurant and all other amusements which are to be found at such a clubhouse situated on such a large body of water.

Sleeping quarters have also been provided at the Mosque and can be taken advantage of by the Nobles of Moslah and visiting Nobles from other Temples, during the summer season, and Nobles in this vicinity can do no better than spend the week-end at the Mosque, as well as their vacations, as there are ample facilities and privileges at the Mosque in keeping with a summer resort and clubhouse and it hopes that the Nobility will take full advantage of the opportunity.

There will be several ceremonials held at this clubhouse during the year and the next one will be on April 11, at which time there will be taken over the hot sands of the desert in the neighborhood of 300 Novices.

That the people at large may have an idea of just what will happen on Friday, April 11th, at the next ceremonial, the following program has been arranged: Novices will register from 8 to 12 in the morning. Visiting ladies will also register at the Metropolitan Hotel during the same hours, and will be given a matinee party in the afternoon and lunch after the matinee at the Banquet Room, Masonic Hall, Second and Main Streets.

The grand parade will start from Second and Main Streets at 1 o'clock and immediately afterwards go to the Mosque for the ceremonial.

The ceremonial will start at 3

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From date order is received to Dec.

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Daily With Sunday, 7 days a week.

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MISS JOHN GILLILAND

Phone No. 8. Baird, Texas.

SALE OF REGISTERED STOCK.

50 head of Registered Hereford Bulls and some good Registered Heifers for sale, sired by my Woodrow Wilson bull; Famous Point Comfort Bull, 18th; Dixie Bull, the 26th. Run in age from 12 to 18 months. Can seen be anytime at my Ranch 4 miles southwest of Moran, on Deep Creek. Ed Hayden, Moran, Texas.

o'clock and immediately afterwards lunch will be served.

From 8 to 9 p. m. there will be an old-fashioned square dance in the ball room with Mayor "Bill" Davis calling and the music will be furnished by old fiddlers.

From 9 to 12 the Grand Ball will be held.

From the above it will be seen that there will be plenty to interest everyone on April 11 and suitable entertainment will be furnished all during the season: Get ready and go to Moslah's Mosque.

STUDEBAKER CARS FOR SALE—

16tf See Alford & Green

STOCK FOR SALE—Several mules

and a good mare for sale. Inquire at Terrell's Drug Store. 15-tf.

Reefers "More Eggs" makes your hens lay, get a package from Mrs. W. L. Henry. 10

See L. W. Green if you want to insure your property in town or county. 16tf

SEED FOR SALE.—Peanuts, Black

Eyed Peas, June Corn, Red Top Cane. S. E. Webb, 16-4tp Rt. 1 Baird, Texas.

EGGS FOR SETTING.—Thoroughbred

S. C. White Leghorn eggs for setting, 75 cents 15 eggs. 17-tf Mrs. W. L. Henry, Phone, 140.

METHODIST SERVICES.

We will have with us Sunday Rev. J. G. Miller of Abilene, Presiding Elder of the Abilene District. He will preach both morning and evening. You will hear a good sermon if you fail to hear him. Qt. Conference Sunday Afternoon.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

All services by the new time. Watch your clock and not the sun. You are cordially invited to worship with us. S. L. Colwell.

SERVICE CAR.—Day phone 100,

night phone 94. 16-tf. Ben Sigal.

GOATS FOR SALE—27 grown goats

and 13 kids, good wool goats See G. C. Cagleby, 9 miles South of Baird, P. O. Baird, Tex. 18-2tp.

We call the attention of the readers of THE STAR to the new ads in this issue. N. O. Burson, Tailor has an ad on last page and James Bros., agents for the Dodge car, have an ad on local page.

Mr. Thos. J. Gladson, lawyer of Cross Plains, was a pleasant caller at THE STAR office Monday. Mr. Gladson has recently located at Cross Plains and came in Monday to attend to some legal matters. He had his name placed on our subscription list.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland and Miss Norma Lee Lones returned Wednesday morning from Shreveport, La. where they have been attending the bedside of their niece, Miss Ruth Leonard, who has been seriously ill for several weeks. Mrs. Copeland left on the Sunshine Special for her home in Big Springs. Miss Ruth's many friends here will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her illness.

Men's and Boys' FURNISHINGS

"We Can Save You Money"

H. SCHWARTZ & CO.

HOME LUMBER CO.

ALL HOME PEOPLE

We carry a full stock of Lumber, Shingles and Builder's Supplies. See us before you buy anything in this line.

W. M. COFFMAN, Manager

Fashionable Millinery

I have just received a sew shipment of Ladies, Misses and Children's Hats and will be glad to have you call and see my line of Millinery

MISS ADDIE DAY
At THE COMADOT

Groceries and Fresh Meats

We carry a full line of staple and fancy groceries and are prepared to supply you with the best. We also carry a full supply of Fresh Meats, which makes it very convenient to order your groceries and meats at the same time. Prompt attention given all orders

E. M. WRISTEN

Phones 4 and 26 Prompt Delivery

RESPONSIBILITY

You are largely responsible for your success or failure in life. True success is not a matter of accident, but is attained only through perseverance and earnest effort.

A Bank Account will make you more successful.

The First National Bank

The Old Established Bank. Organized 1884.

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J. F. Dyer, President. Henry James, Vice President.
W. S. Hinds, Cashier. Bob Norell, Asst. Cashier.
W. A. Hinds Tom Windham I. B. Cutbirth.

NEW SPRING GOODS

Our new goods for Spring are coming in every day. Here you will find the best of the season's earliest styles carefully selected. We have a beautiful showing of

Ladies' Spring Suits
Ladies Coats and Capes
Silk and Serge Dresses
Skirts and Waists

In addition to these we have a nice line of piece goods in Silks, Crepe de Chines, etc. Dry Goods Shoes, etc.

MY STORE

H. SCHWARTZ, Prop.

"The Store of Service"

BAIRD

TEXAS

PERSONALS

Mrs. Sam Hart spent Monday in Cisco with her son, Lonnie, who is working there.

Mrs. Dwight L. Purdy has returned from Bristow, Okla., where she has been visiting relatives.

See my new Spring and Summer Samples just arrived. N. O. Burson Fine Tailoring 18-1

Mrs. W. T. Hensley and Mrs. Frank Parker and daughter, Miss Nellie, spent Wednesday in Abilene.

Mrs. R. L. Alexander and children and Raymond Reed spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Alexander, at Breckenridge.

Mrs. Witherspoon and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Witherspoon left this morning for Fort Worth to visit relatives.

Gersid Babb, of Sweetwater, who has recently received his discharge from the Army visited his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Gilliland here last Friday.

Virgil Jones, of Baird and Henry Jones of Eula, went to Dallas last Saturday to attend the bedside of their mother, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Witherspoon, of Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. Witherspoon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Witherspoon, and his sister, Mrs. G. M. Hall.

CAR FOR SALE—Chevrolet car in good condition for sale. Would trade for town lots. Ring 45. 18-1 A. K. Kavanaugh

F. T. Scott, of San Angelo, is visiting his son Geo. B. Scott, and family. Mr. Scott is a former citizen of this county and is always a welcome visitor.

Before you order that suit see my display, N. O. Burson Tailor. 18

Charles Mills who has been working at Ranger since his discharge from the army, spent a few days here the first of the week with his father, C. M. Mills and family.

Rev. K. S. Van Zandt, pastor of the Methodist Church at May, Tex., preached at the Methodist Church here last Sunday at 11 o'clock and at night. He is an able, earnest preacher.

LOST—A sack of flour off my wagon in Baird, Thursday evening March 27th somewhere in west or northwest part of town. Finder notify R. G. Dickerson, Rt. 1, Box 33, Baird, Texas. 18-1 tp.

400 New Patterns on display. N. O. Burson, Tailor. 18

Mrs. J. A. Scott returned home Tuesday from Long Beach, Calif., where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Chisenhall, for the past two months. Mrs. Scott is delighted with her trip to California.

Mrs. W. L. Kingston, of Toyahvale, Texas, spent a few days in Baird this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilliland. Mrs. Kingston is enroute home from Dallas, where she attended the Cattlemen's Convention.

Mr. Poe received a card from his son, Corporal Poe saying that he had landed at New York from France on March 23d. Yesterday they received a phone message from him that he was at Fort Worth and would be home next week. Claude Poe belonged to the 144 Infantry, 36th Division and was wounded in the desperate fighting in the Argonne early in October. The card from him last week was the first news his parents had received from him in three months, while he was in a hospital recovering from his wounds.

PREMIUM Aluminum Ware

Have just received a shipment of Premium Aluminum ware, in your Coupons and get your share. Come early and get your choice of this beautiful ware.

THE COMAD

W. D. BOYDSTON

MANAGER

FURNITURE

I have purchased Geo. B. Scott's stock of furniture and have moved same to my store, side Market Street. Spring time is now. House cleaning will be the order of the day. My stock of Furniture, Rugs, Hardware, etc. when things of this kind are needed.

R. L. ALEXANDER

DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL Business College

ABILENE, TEXAS
 Only well-known Business College in West Texas. Thousands of firms nearer our Employment Department than any other. Money-back contract guarantees position. Catalogue FREE

NOTICE TO KNITTERS.

The Red Cross Chapter at Baird have some sweater thread on hand now which we must have knit into sweaters and stockings for the refugee children of Belgium and other destitute countries, and ask all who will to come to the hall on Friday afternoon, or call at the Home Telephone-office any time and get this thread. Mrs. T. P. Bearden



KRYPTOK GLASSES
 THE INVISIBLE BIFOCALS

Fit by
C. E. Walker

the Optician who stays here 365 days in each year. With Holmes Drug Co.

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R. G. POWELL
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R. L. GRIGGS
 Physician and Surgeon
 Local Surgeon Texas & Pacific Ry. Co.
 Calls answered day or night. Office
 Phone No. 279. Res. phone No. 181
 Baird, Texas.

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 DENTIST
 Office Up-stairs, Telephone Bldg
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City Bakery

We can furnish you the very best Bread, Rolls, etc. We use the best the market affords

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REMIT BY CHECK

and you will both add dignity to your business and save money as well. Besides, there is safety in a check. Its loss or destruction does not mean the loss of the money. Its receipt can never be denied. We shall be glad to have you as one of our depositors.

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ISM HAS FOLLOWING

ERNMENT ATTEMPTING RULE OF LAW AND UNIMPAIRED.

ARE EXECUTED

a Clash With French in Hungary and Roumania Take 350 Prisoners.

The Hungarian government delegation to Berlin a treaty of alliance with the former allies.

McKenzen's army to reorganize along German lines now numbers

plunge of Budapest continues with show that the reign is undisturbed. The quiet since the first there was much of jewelry shops looting. It is reported executed by the communistic ideas so violent.

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100,000,000 Bond Issue.

War Finance corpora- ing \$200,000,000 are now gh. Federal Reserve gment banks. The be issued under the oration act, will be ations of \$1,000, will ear with interest at dly semi-annually, and ly free from taxes. h reference to the agreed upon.

Treasury Certificates.

State Treasurer gested an addi- of state funds in States treasury cer- total of \$8,200,000 o invested. The cer- y per cent annum and e on Aug. 5, 1919, and xt May. If the state these certificates are ny time at par and

Substituted Remedies.

Governor Hobby bill No. 255 and it a on June 18. Ac- Hoffman, food and y, this bill will entop the sale of all remedies, as well of.

Influenza.

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Plan is Opposed.

asures to pre- land in Call- the "picture ch Japanese States, were ator James efore a joint senate and eadment of and stated ing into ss are be- or.

MEXICO GIVES LAND GRANT TO JAPANESE

POSSIBILITY OF INTERNATIONAL CONTRVRSY DENIED BY MEXICAN SECRETARY.

Mexico City.—That Japanese corporations have been granted concessions to exploit agricultural lands in Lower California was the statement made by General Amado Aguirre, undersecretary of development and agriculture.

The affirmation was made, however, that the concessions were fully authorized by the provisions of the Mexican constitution regarding the area and position of the territory in relation to the ocean shore and the frontier line.

There was nothing in the concessions, it was asserted by the undersecretary, that might possibly lead to difficulty as far as the Monroe doctrine was concerned.

Reports that there is possibility of international controversy over the granting of the concessions to the Japanese were said to be absurd by General Amado Aguirre in an interview in which he said the action was equal. At that time he would not admit the concessions had been granted. The Japanese legation here denied it had any official knowledge of the action.

HOUSTON GETS FEDERAL RESERVE BANK BRANCH

BRANCH AUTHORIZED ON CONDITION ALL BANKS IN DISTRICT CO-OPERATE.

Washington.—The federal reserve board has granted the application of the bankers of Houston for authority to establish in that city a branch of the federal reserve bank.

The present bank at Dallas has already indicated its approval of the application. A committee of Houston bankers presented the application to the reserve board and urged favorable action upon the application.

The board authorized the establishment of the branch on the condition that the state banks in the Houston district not already members of the reserve system co-operate with the branch bank and come into the federal reserve system. The Houston committee left for home confident that a sufficient number of the state banks would co-operate to make the organization of the branch a certainty.

Sleeping Sickness Invades Louisiana.

New Orleans, La.—With announcement of three cases of sleeping sickness, or lethargic encephalitic in New Orleans and eleven in the state, Dr. Oscar Dowling, president of the state health board, declared that at the meeting of the state board an ordinance would be promulgated requiring physicians to report cases. Cases outside of New Orleans are Shreveport one, Richland Parish two, Arnaudville one, Livingston one, Keanerette one, Colfax one and Thibodeaux one.

Fifteen Men Hurt in Explosion.

Washington.—Fifteen men, including a number of enlisted men of the army, were injured by an explosion at the ordnance proving grounds at Aberdeen, Md. Reports to the war department said the original explosion was started by a fire of undetermined origin in a shed in which 240 millimeter bombs were being loaded and the concussion was transmitted to other sheds, with resulting losses estimated at \$50,000.

Will Discuss Danzig With Germans.

Amsterdam.—In response to Germany's note on the subject of Danzig, Marshall Foch has offered to give personally at Spa to a German plenipotentiary fully empowered, to decide within twenty-four hours full particulars and required guarantees concerning the landing of General Haller's troops. The German government, according to Berlin advices, has decided to send Mathias Erzberger as plenipotentiary to meet Marshal Foch.

One Thousand Men Laid Off.

Orange, Texas.—As a result of orders issued by the Emergency Fleet corporation curtailing the construction of wooden ships, about 1,000 men have been laid off at the national shipyard here.

\$6,000 Secured in Hold-Up.

Marian, Ark.—Frisco train No. 561, en route from St. Louis to Memphis, was held up between this city and Bridge Junction recently by three masked men, who escaped with about \$6,000 in cash.

American Railroad Troops to Russia.

Archangel.—The first detachment of American railroad troops, destined for work on the Murman railway, have arrived on the Murman coast. Other detachments are expected to follow soon.

New Loan on Easy Payments.

Washington.—Terms of payment in the new Victory Liberty loan just announced are the most liberal ever offered by the government. Deferred payments may be extended over a period of six months, from May 10 to Nov. 11. Secretary Glass announced that 10 per cent of subscriptions would be due with application May 10, 10 per cent on July 15, and four subsequent installments of 20 per cent each on Aug. 12, Sept. 9, Oct. 7 and Nov. 11, 1919.

GERMANS NOW FEAR LOSS OF DANZIG

ADVISE PASSAGE FOR TROOPS AS DEMANDED NOT REQUIRED BY ARMISTICE TERMS.

GUARANTEES ARE REQUESTED

Note States Refusal to Let Poles Land Would Be Regarded as Breach of Armistice.

Berlin.—General Nudant, representing Marshal Foch, has submitted a note to the German government demanding a passage through Danzig for the Polish division under General Haller which are a part of the allied army and permission for their further march to Poland to maintain order. The note added that any refusal would be regarded as a breach of the armistice.

The government, after exhaustive deliberations by the party leaders, laid down its standpoint in a note of reply which asserts that, according to the armistice treaty, it was only obliged to grant the allies free access to the Vistula to maintain order in territories of the former Russian empire. In concluding the treaty, the government declared, it proceeded in any case from the standpoint that there could be no question of Polish troops.

The note then refers to incidents during the journey of Ignace Jan Padrewski, the Polish premier, "who, grossly violating the hospitality accorded him on German soil, gave the signal for revolt and civil war and who, when he was in Danzig in December, 1918, said 'If the Polish divisions from France and Italy should be in Danzig then Danzig and all West Prussia would be Polish.'"

Proceeding, the note refers to numerous demonstrations by the German majority in West Prussia, who wish to resist Polish attacks by force, and says that by such civil warfare the German eastern front will be endangered.

In conclusion the communication asks for information as to the composition and strength of General Haller's army, the date of its landing and transit of Poland and what guarantees are given that General Haller's army, or a portion of it, will not participate in Polish demonstrations or a possible insurrection of the Polish minority.

Wants Texas Trains Restored.

Austin, Texas.—With the railroad commission the war is over and movements of troops and munitions no longer congest the railroads and require abolition of numerous trains. The commission has issued notice of hearing Tuesday, April 8, to consider the matter of requiring the restoration of all passenger trains on pre-war basis on the M., K. & T., Texas & Pacific and I. & G. N. railroads. Not only that, but to resume the usual methods of operation.

German Dyes and Chemicals Shut Out.

Washington.—German hopes of reconquering American markets have received another blow. Users of dyes, chemicals, fertilizers and other products originated by German science were notified by the alien property custodian that importations from Germany hereafter would be subject to prosecution as infringements of patents licensed under the trading with the enemy act for use by American manufacturers.

Food Lifts German Peace Hopes.

Berlin.—With the arrival of the first American food ship and the conference of German financial experts at Weimar preparatory to going to Versailles Germany seems to feel that peace is nearer than at any other time.

Seeks Rehearing Before Court.

Washington.—The supreme court has been asked to rehear the case of Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader whose conviction under the espionage act was affirmed by the court on March 10.

Change Name of Association.

St. Louis, Mo.—The National American Woman's Suffrage association will become the League of Women Voters following the national convention of the association in February, 1920.

League to Meet at Sweetwater.

Austin, Texas.—An interesting program is being prepared for the annual session of the Texas League of Municipalities, which will meet this year at Sweetwater on May 14 and 15.

5,500 Americans Still Among Missing.

Washington.—General Pershing has reported to the war department that there are still 5,500 officers and men of the expeditionary forces listed as missing.

Cotton Conference April 10.

Memphis, Tenn.—Announcement has been made that April 10 had been fixed as the date for a conference here of cotton planters, bankers and representatives of southern business interests with state and federal officials to consider the formation of a cotton exporting corporation along lines recently suggested by Gov. W. P. S. Harding of the federal reserve board. The date was fixed after telegraphic correspondence with Mr. Harding and others.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS COVENANT DRAFTED

MONROE DOCTRINE AND JAPANESE RACE EQUALITY AMENDMENTS OMITTED.

Paris.—Containing neither any reference to the Monroe doctrine nor the Japanese proposal for the recognition of equality of races, the draft of the covenant of the league of nations is now in the hands of the special drafting committee.

The draft was completed early in the week at a sitting of the full commission, and the covenant is expected to be ready in completed form next week. The two amendments around which has centered the greatest interest and much divergence of opinion, however, may be offered either in the council of ten or to the plenary peace conference, to which the covenant must go for final action.

Among other amendments adopted was one directly recognizing the principle of woman suffrage, in that it provides that the offices of the league are open to women as well as to men.

The much discussed question as to the policy of the withdrawal from membership in the league of nations was settled by an amendment permitting withdrawal on two years' notice, but not until such nation has filled out its international obligations.

Art X of the covenant, to which the Monroe doctrine amendment would apply, stands in its original form. President Wilson having reserved for the present the amendment which had been prepared as expressing the views of the American delegation. It is now explained that it was not the exact text, but only the general form of the text, which was given to the press and that hence criticism must be withheld for the present.

Careful soundings are being taken to ascertain the reception that is likely to be given this amendment by other delegations. If unfriendly sentiment develops or the pressing of other and obnoxious amendments is threatened as a consequence upon the Monroe doctrine it is said the amendment may be altogether withheld.

The language of the mandatory article has been changed so as to make it clear that no nation shall be obliged to act as a mandatory.

Has Praise for Camp at Brest.

Paris.—Joseph Daniels, the American secretary of the navy, with party, has reached Paris from Brest. The secretary will remain in Paris about five days, during which time he will discuss the naval lessons of the war with French, British and Italian naval authorities. He will visit Italy and parts of the fighting frontier in France. The secretary said he has inspected the American military camp at Brest and added: "I can see no reason for criticism of this camp, but more to praise than any camp I have visited in the United States. What they have done there will thrill Americans who take pride in big achievements."

Fort Worth Gets I. O. O. F. Meeting.

Dallas.—Fort Worth has been chosen as the meeting place for the eightieth grand lodge session, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in 1920. Hillsboro put up a plucky fight for the next annual session, but Fort Worth was on hand with a hundred or more members and carried away the prize.

20 Below Four Miles in Air.

Americus, Ga.—Two aviators at Southern Field ascended three miles, 3,160 feet and encountered a temperature of 20 degrees below zero—so cold that they were forced to give up their efforts to reach a four-mile elevation. The ground temperature was 60 degrees.

German U-Boat to be at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo.—Assurance has been received from the office of the secretary of the navy that one of the German submarines being brought to this country would be sent up the Mississippi river to St. Louis for the Victory Liberty loan campaign.

Wants to Build Ships in Brazil.

Rio Janeiro.—Domenico da Gama, minister of foreign affairs, has received an offer from a New York corporation to build a shipyard in Brazil for the construction of concrete vessels.

Ready to Finance Export Operations.

Washington.—The government's \$1,000,000,000 fund for financing foreign trade soon will be opened to American exporters through loans from the War Finance corporation.

Bavaria Will Not Furnish Troops.

Zurich.—The Bavarian minister of foreign affairs has informed the German government that Bavaria will not furnish troops for the empire.

Arranging for Good Roads Convention.

Mineral Wells, Texas.—All details for the seventh annual convention of the United States good roads exhibit and third annual convention of the Bankhead National Highway association have been worked out, according to announcement made by J. A. Rountree, director general of these organizations. Delegates living east of Texas are requested to purchase round trip tourists' tickets. This is the only rate that can be secured for the convention.

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The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

A friendship that makes the least noise is very often the most useful, for which reason I should prefer a prudent friend to a zealous one.—Addison.

SOMETHING FOR DINNER.

A good way to use any leftover fish such as cooked haddock is to make

Fish Croquettes.

Cook one-half tablespoonful of chopped shallot, two tablespoonfuls of red pepper, each finely chopped, with three tablespoonfuls of butter, five minutes. Add one-third of a cup of flour mixed with three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of paprika and stir until well blended; then pour over one-half cupful of milk and one-half cupful of cream. Bring to the boiling point, add one and three-fourths cupfuls of flaked fish and spread on a plate to cool. Shape, dip in crumbs and egg and fry in deep fat.

Peach Tapioca.—Drain one can of peaches, sprinkle with one-fourth cupful of powdered sugar and let stand one hour; soak one cupful of pearl tapioca in cold water to cover. To the peach syrup add enough boiling water to make three cupfuls, heat to the boiling point, add the soaked tapioca, one-half cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt and cook until transparent. Line a pudding dish with the peaches, fill with tapioca, and bake in moderate oven thirty minutes. Cool and serve with cream and sugar.

Potato Salad.—Cut boiled potatoes in one-half inch cubes; there should be one and one-half cupfuls. Add three hard cooked eggs chopped, one and one-half tablespoonfuls of chopped pimento and one-half tablespoonful of chopped onion. Moisten with cream salad dressing and serve on lettuce.

Chocolate Souffle.—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, and three-fourths of a cupful of milk. Bring to the boiling point. Melt one and one-half squares of chocolate, add one-third of a cupful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of hot water; stir until smooth. Combine mixtures and add the yolks of three eggs beaten thick; then add one-half teaspoonful of vanilla and the whites of three eggs beaten stiff. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven thirty minutes.

Quick Dinner Biscuits.—Mix and sift one and one-half cupfuls of pastry flour, three and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder and three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt. Work in three tablespoonfuls of lard, add one-third of a cupful each of water and milk. Drop by spoonfuls in hot buttered iron pan and bake in a hot oven fifteen minutes.

The firmest friendships have been formed in mutual adversity, as iron is most strongly united by the fiercest flame.—Colton.

SPRING GREENS.

The early spring greens that are found in various localities are what is needed to purify the blood, furnish a tonic and otherwise get the system in good working order.

In the South, the poke is a common spring green and is cooked as one does asparagus. Dock leaves, mustard, barrel, are all palatable when served in salads or as greens.

Dandelion greens are growing in popularity for canning for winter use. They must be canned when very tender, as we like them for greens. Wash and thoroughly clean them, then let them simmer in boiling water to cover for five minutes, then drain and pack as closely as possible in a mason jar, adding a teaspoonful of salt to a quart of the greens. Fill the can with boiling water and screw down the top which has been furnished with a good rubber, not tight but close enough so that the lid may be lifted without coming off. Set into a boiler of boiling water and boil for two hours, then remove the can and seal perfectly tight.

Beet tops when young may be canned for winter use, adding a few of the small beets as one does when serving them as greens. These are processed in the same manner as the dandelions. A housewife may put up a can or two of greens quite often, just preparing a few more than is needed for the table and process them in a kettle instead of a boiler. Spinach and Swiss chard grow so easily in the home garden and while it is crisp and tender a few cans may be put away for the winter. A good combination that is recommended for young children is spinach, a carrot or two in the can, one onion and a stalk or two of celery, canned as usual. A few spoonfuls of this mixture put through a puree strainer and added to a small dish of broth is a rich and nourishing food for children, giving the elements needed to build up bone and muscle.

Water cress is another valuable vegetable rich in mineral salts, a good blood purifier in the spring. Serve it with French dressing or as a garnish for lamb chops.

"The time is coming when no young person of either sex will be considered well educated who is not conversant with the composition of food-stuffs and their uses in the body, and who does not know why cleanliness is ranked next to godliness."

OCCASIONAL DISHES.

For a dainty dessert to follow a dinner which has not been too substantial try

French Cream Puffs.—Put one-fourth cupful of butter and one-half cupful boiling water in a saucepan, bring to boiling point. Add one-half cupful of flour all at once and stir vigorously. Remove from the fire, add two unwhipped eggs, one at a time. Drop by spoonfuls on a buttered sheet slapping as nearly circular as possible. Bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven. Cool, split and fill with whipped cream. Serve with hot chocolate sauce.

Emergency Soup.—Dissolve two and one-half teaspoonfuls of beef extract in three cupfuls of boiling water. Add three tablespoonfuls of milk gradually, to one and one-half tablespoonfuls of flour; mix until smooth. Add to the first mixture, stirring constantly until the boiling point is reached, then boil three minutes; add three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt, a few grains of pepper, and cayenne and three-fourths of a cupful of cream. Celery salt, onion salt or parsley may be added to vary the flavor.

Napoli Spaghetti.—Cut four slices of bacon in small pieces and fry. Add one sliced onion, one-half a can of tomatoes, one-half a box of tomato paste, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper, one-fourth teaspoonful of nutmeg, a few grains of cayenne and a bit of bay leaf. Bring gradually to the boiling point and let simmer fifty minutes. Pour over one-fourth of a pound of cooked spaghetti, and let stand ten minutes. Serve hot.

Mushrooms on Toast.—Cut stale bread in slices and shape with a round cutter, then fry in butter. Cook two cupfuls of cut-up mushrooms in two tablespoonfuls of butter five minutes. Cook one tablespoonful of butter with a half teaspoonful of shallot chopped, three minutes; season with paprika, salt and pepper. Arrange the mushrooms on the rounds of bread, pour over the tomato puree and sprinkle with chopped parsley.

Fame is a scentless sunflower, With gaudy crown of gold; But friendship is the breathing rose, With sweets in every fold.—O. W. Holmes.

MORE GOOD THINGS.

Chicken is the favorite meat of the majority of people, but even chicken loses its charm if always served in the same way.

Baltimore Chicken.—Cut chicken in pieces, season with salt, roll in flour, egg crumbs and fry in butter until tender. Fry five minutes, three tablespoonfuls of butter and one tablespoonful each of chopped ham, carrot and onion; add three tablespoonfuls of flour, one-half cupful of tomatoes, one cupful of chicken stock, two cloves, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth teaspoonful of pepper and one-fourth teaspoonful of paprika. Simmer ten minutes, rub through a sieve, add two tablespoonfuls of fruit juice and cook five minutes. Pour sauce around the chicken and serve.

Lemon Pie.—Mix one cupful of sugar and three tablespoonfuls of flour; add three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, the yolks of two eggs slightly beaten, one cupful of milk, one tablespoonful of melted butter and lightly fold in the stiffly beaten whites with a pinch of salt. Bake in one crust.

Escalloped Tomatoes.—Remove the whole tomatoes from a quart can. Season with salt, pepper onion juice and a teaspoonful of sugar. Cover the bottom of a baking dish with half a cupful of crumbed and buttered bread; cover with tomatoes then with more crumbs. Bake in a hot oven until the crumbs are brown.

Hongroise Potatoes.—Parboil three cupfuls of half-inch cubes of potatoes three minutes and drain. Add one-third of a cupful of butter and cook on the back part of the range until slightly brown. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add a few drops of onion juice, two tablespoonfuls of flour and pour on gradually one cupful of hot milk. Season with salt and paprika, then add one egg yolk. Pour the sauce over the potatoes and sprinkle with finely chopped parsley.

Lemon Cream Sherbet.—Mix one and one-half cupfuls of sugar with three-fourths cupful of lemon juice, add two cupfuls of milk and two cupfuls of Lait cream, a few grains of salt. Freeze as usual. A little grated rind may be cooked in a tablespoonful or two of water and added for a higher flavor if desired.

Any fruit juice with a bit of lemon juice to add zest with thin cream or top milk, makes a fine sherbet. Grape juice is especially fine.

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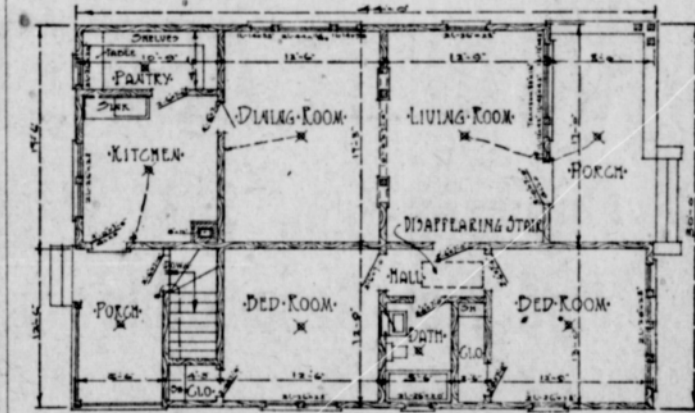
Planning a home now is much like buying a Liberty bond—it is not only a patriotic duty, but it is the best investment any man with a family can make. The government is urging everyone to build so that the labor of the country that has been released through



the cessation of hostilities may be employed. At the same time, buying a home means providing against the future, which is worth while, no matter what sacrifices have to be made.

But leaving out the considerations of patriotism and being provident, there are advantages in owning a home that more than balance any slight privation that is required to secure it. The home owner is the best man in his community. He is stable and is regarded as a real part of the life of his home town. He is the substantial man of the neighborhood in which he lives, not merely a floater, who has no ties to bind him to the social and business life that is around him.

Buying a home might be compared with going in swimming for the first time in the season. The initial plunge is dreaded; but after it has been made, how invigorating and satisfying is the water. Making up the mind to buy a house is the hardest part of becoming



Floor Plan of Five-Room Bungalow.

the owner of one. When the initial payment is made and the owner has taken possession, he is repaid for his action so many times that he cannot understand why he had not taken the plunge before.

A home is within the easy reach of every man who has any sort of a standing in his community. Banks would rather loan money to the home builder of their town than to almost any other individual.

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The modern bungalow is an exemplification of this idea. "A small house with a great many large rooms in it" always has been the ideal of the housekeeper. While this is obviously impossible, the bungalow comes near to realizing this ideal. There are few rooms but they are large and being all on the same floor give an idea of spaciousness.

The accompanying illustration shows a five-room bungalow of the latest design. It will suit the requirements of a small family; has not a large number of rooms to be taken care of, and provides for every modern convenience and comfort. The bungalow is suitable for any community, city, town or country.

The accompanying floor plan shows how conveniently the rooms are arranged and the comforts that have been provided. The house contains five rooms, living room, dining room, kitchen and two bedrooms and bath.

The plan also provides for a basement under the whole house.

Outdoor Sitting Room.

The house is 30 by 44 feet, including the front porch projection. The living room is 12 feet 9 inches, by 17 feet. Opening off it is the front porch, 5 by 17 feet. This can easily be screened in the summer, and makes a commodious outdoor sitting room. To the rear of the living room is the dining room, 12 feet 6 inches by 17 feet. Back of the dining room is the kitchen, 10 by 11 feet. One end is cut off for the pantry, while a door at the other leads to the back porch, 6 feet 6 inches by 12 feet.

A door from the living room leads into a hall, at each end of which are bedrooms, while the bath is in the center. The front bedroom is 12 feet 9 inches by 13 feet and extends to a line with the front of the porch, making an exceptionally attractive sleeping room. The back bedroom is 12 feet 6 inches by 12 feet 9 inches. A good-sized closet adjoins each bedroom.

The basement is divided into two sections, one 17 feet 3 inches, by 27 feet, and the other 12 feet 9 inches, by 25 feet. In the larger of the two basement rooms is the chimney, so located that it rises through one corner of the kitchen.

This bungalow is economical in all ways, cost of construction, cost of upkeep and if modern conveniences are installed will make an exceptionally comfortable home—a house that has

everything that the word "home" implies.

Plans May Be Altered.

The plans for this bungalow are susceptible to almost any change that the home builder desires. While no provision is made for a fireplace, one can easily be added. Also it may be that the lot is so located that a different exposure is wanted. In this case, the plans may be reversed and the living and dining rooms and kitchen placed where the bedrooms are.

Consultation with the local builder and lumber dealer will quickly reveal the cost of this bungalow. Also valuable advice as to the kinds of materials and equipment to be used in this bungalow can be secured from them.

As was said at the beginning, owning a home is the best investment a man who is at the head of a family can make. And the person who decides to make that investment will find the banks, the real estate men and the

DAIRY



FREE HERD OF TUBERCULOSIS

Satisfactory Progress in Plan of Eradication Made During First Year of Work.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The tuberculosis-free accredited herd plan, inaugurated in December, 1917, and worked out in co-operation with the bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture, was slightly changed at the twenty-second annual meeting of the United States Live Stock Sanitary association held at Chicago in December. It was agreed to strike out the word "purebred" so



Although Apparently Healthy These Animals Are Positive Reactors to the Tuberculin Test.

as to admit to certification grade herds in addition to registered cattle.

The annual conference between representatives of the United States Live Stock Sanitary association and the Purebred Cattle Breeders' association resulted in the further indorsement of the tuberculosis eradication campaign and a recommendation that the work be extended as rapidly as possible.

The accredited-herd plan is to test cattle with tuberculin at the request of the owner, eliminate any reacting animals either by slaughter or by following prescribed sanitary measures, repeat the test at prescribed intervals, and list as tuberculosis-free accredited herds all herds entitled to that distinction.

Very satisfactory progress has been made during the first year of the work, and prospects for the future are bright. During the year 296 herds, comprising 9,284 cattle, have been fully "accredited" as free from tuberculosis, and 1,462 herds, having 35,062 cattle, passed one successful test in preparation for certification. In addition 4,622 herds, both purebred and grade, totaling 98,002 animals, have been under supervision for the eradication of tuberculosis. Each month additional herds are added to the list.

HEIFERS DROP FIRST CALF

According to Experiment Carried out at Maryland College Thirty Months Is Best Age.

About thirty months was found to be the best age for Ayrshire heifers to drop their first calf, according to an experiment carried out at the Maryland Agricultural college. If the calves were dropped six months earlier, the milk flow was lessened considerably, but if dropped six months later the decrease was slight. This will vary for the breeds according to size; the smaller the breed type, the shorter the time. Eckles of Minnesota found that this variation would be three to five months which would bring the minimum age for Jerseys and Guernseys about twenty-five months and for Holsteins, thirty months. This is for well-developed animals.

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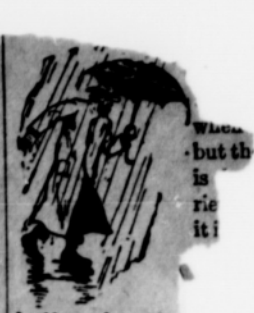
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CLEANLINESS IS IMPORTANT

Cows Should Be Milked in Small-Top or Covered Pail and All Utensils Sterilized.

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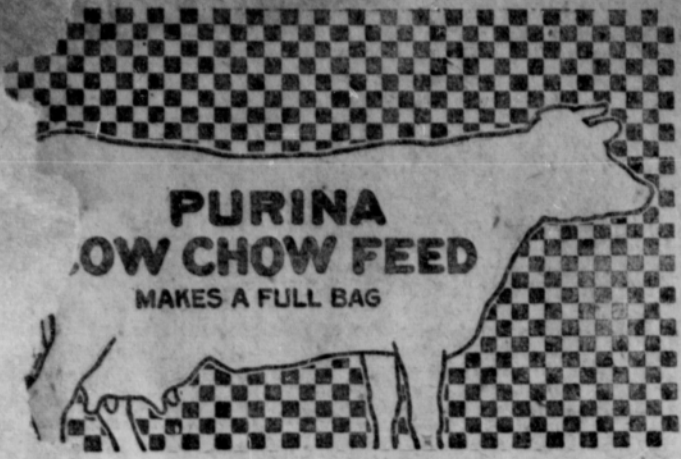
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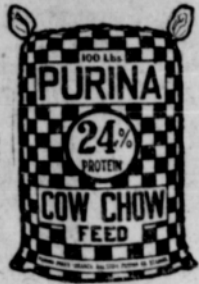
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