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FIFTY-FIRST YEAR

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Second Acid Treatment Increases Production in Flores Well

Third acidization is planned today for the Woodley Petroleum company No. 1. Jack M. Flores, deep Callahan county wildcat southeast of Baird, which is showing as the possible opener of a new Ellenburger lime, lower Ordovician, producing area.

Operators believe part of the deep pay encountered at 4,323-33 feet may have been sealed off by the application of mud pressure and cementing of seven inch casing. Second treatment, with 2,000 gallons, indicated an increase in the gas and oil quantity, the well having made a 40-barrel flow and swabbed six barrels immediately after the th fluid was unloaded. Owners estimated the test had been increased to about 70 barrels per day.

The deep test is near the center of a shallow 650-foot sand pool and is located 660 feet from the south and east lines of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 149-BBB&C survey.

Phillips Petroleum company No. 1 B. P. Cozart, eastern Callahan county deep wildcat near Scranton, was cementing eight-inch casing above the Caddo lime in an attempt to shut off gas and oil rising behind pipe from one of the upper structures. Exact depth of the test was not learned. It also is located near the Eastland county line, in Matilda Cherry survey. It also seeks production from the Ordovician.

Near Eastland county's new Ordovician producing area opened by the Hickok No. 1 Van Farmer Chastain No. 1 Weddington found a quarter million feet of gas in the Ranger lime and drilled a head past 3,818 feet. Located north of Eastland, it will also seek the Ellenburger pay found in the Van Farmer discovery.

Hickok's second well offsetting the discovery was drilling Tuesday past 3,050 feet.

Tots Wristen Moves To Terrell Building

Sam (Tots) Wristen has moved his grocery store to the Terrell building on the corner just across the street south of Holmes Drug Store.

A new front with show windows has been put in and the building newly furnished inside and furnished with all new shelving, counters, etc which gives Mr. Wristen one of the most modern and up to date grocery stores in the city. They moved in Saturday and Sunday and were open for business as usual Monday morning; but are planning a formal opening for Saturday Jan. 15th. See their ad in this issue.

New County Agent Takes Up Duties

Ross H. Brison, new county agent, succeeding Ross B. Jenkins assumed his duties the first of the new year.

Mr. Jenkins and family left Monday for Johnson City, where Mr. Jenkins will assume his duties as county agent of Blanco county.

The Star extends a hearty welcome to Mr. Brison and family and says au revoir, but not good bye to Ross Jenkins and family, who leave many warm friends in Callahan County.

DELPHIAN CLUB WILL MEET TUESDAY

The Delphian Club will meet Tuesday Jan. 11, 1938 at 3:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Frank Bearden.

Each member will please have his own Roll Call on "Health Hints in the Home."

Geo. D. Russell and W. J. Russell of Clint visited relatives in Baird during the holidays and went on a hunt to South Texas accompanied by F. E. Mitchell and B. F. Russell.

Fred Short Dies From Injuries Received In Car Wreck

W. F. Short, deputy sheriff, at Putnam, died at the Griggs hospital Sunday morning, death resulting from injuries received in an automobile crash on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 26th.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Putnam Monday afternoon at 2:30 with Rev. J. A. Scoggins of Loraine, former pastor of the Methodist Church at Baird, conducting the rites assisted by Rev. Morris pastor of the Putnam Church. Burial was made in the Putnam cemetery with the Masonic order conducting the burial service.

Mr. Short was born Nov. 26, 1888 and spent his early boyhood days in Wise county. He has been a resident of Putnam for several years, serving as deputy sheriff also as special officer for the Ranchmen Protective Association of Callahan, Taylor and Shackelford Counties.

At the time of his death he was foreman on the Jane Hall ranch at Rowden. Mr. Short is survived by his wife.

Injuries which resulted in Mr. Short's death were received in an automobile crash near the Hughes Filling Station on the highway ten miles east of Baird when Mr. Short traveling east, met a truck coming west, when a tire blew out on the truck, causing it to swing to the left running into Mr. Short's car wrecking both cars and throwing Mr. Short through the windshield a piece of glass penetrating his neck. He was brought to the Griggs hospital for treatment, but little hope for him was held from the first. Others injured were, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wooten of San Angelo, Miss Mabel Festivan and nieces Virginia and Dolores Festivan. Miss Mabel Festivan was the most seriously injured of those riding in the truck; she suffered a badly crushed hip. She was brought to the Griggs hospital also and on Monday morning was carried to St. Josephs hospital, Fort Worth in a Wylie ambulance.

Kennedy-Varner Marriage Announced

Announcement has been made of the marriage on December 24, of Marie Kennedy, daughter of Mrs. F. E. Kennedy of Cisco, to Dr. R. W. Varner, Abilene physician, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Varner, of Baird.

The ceremony was performed in the home of Dr. Thomas W. Brabham, president of McMurry College, with Dr. Brabham reading the ceremony.

For her wedding, the bride chose a navy blue suit, with matching accessories.

Mrs. Varner is a graduate of Cisco High School and attended Abilene Christian College.

Dr. Varner is a graduate of Baird High School. His pre-medical work was done in Texas Tech at Lubbock. He graduated from Baylor Medical College at Dallas where he was a member of Theta Kappa Psi Medical Fraternity.

Dr. Varner interned in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene and in Maryland General Hospital at Baltimore. He is college physician and instructor of health education in McMurry College.

After a wedding trip to Corpus Christi, San Antonio, and Austin, they will be at home at 1901 Walnut St., Abilene.

EPISCOPAL SERVICE

Evening Prayer and Sermon by Rev. Willis P. Gerhart will be held at the Episcopal Chapel of the Lord's Prayer Sunday afternoon, January 9th at 3:30 o'clock.

There will be no services Sunday, January 16th as Convocation meets in Abilene.

Mrs. H. Windham Pioneer Buried At Tecumseh

Mrs. H. Windham, 73, a resident of the Tecumseh community since 1879, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Thompson near Novice, Coleman county, Friday morning, Dec. 31, at 4 o'clock. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church at Oplin Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the rites being conducted by Rev. Dick Bright, pioneer Baptist minister of that community, who has been a close friend of the family for many years, assisted by Rev. Luther Kirk, former Methodist pastor of Oplin and Rev. Culwell, Methodist pastor of Tuscola.

A large crowd many relatives and old friends attended the funeral and followed the remains to the Tecumseh cemetery where burial was made in the Windham burial plot beside the graves of her husband, H. 'Tod' Windham and their youngest son Robert.

Pall Bearers were: Albert Betcher, Bill Steakley, John Stone Owen Casey, Henry Preston and Otis Morton.

Flower Girls were: Lucy Casey Juanita Thompson, Ernestine Crawford, Claude Lee Looney, Bernice Steakley and Billie McIntyre.

Mrs. Windham, whose maiden name was Lenora Connell, was born November 1, 1864 in McCullough County. She came to Callahan county in 1879 to visit her sister, the late Mrs. J. F. Barton, who lived in the Tecumseh community. It was here that she met Tod Windham, then a young ranchman to whom she was married Sept. 28, 1880.

They established their home on the Windham ranch on Pecan Bayou where they built a nice rock house where they lived until 1888, when they moved to Tecumseh to be near a school. It was there that Mr. Windham died on December 4, 1927. Later the family moved to Oplin where they have resided since.

Mrs. Windham's health began to fail about a year ago and for the past several months she has been at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thompson at Novice. For the past three months her family knew there was no hope for her recovery. Her children were untiring in the devotion to her doing everything possible to relieve her suffering.

Mrs. Windham was a most kindly woman, always happiest when she could do some kindness for someone and while she had a large family of her own to care for, she had room in her heart and home for others as was proven at the funeral Saturday when Frank Powell of Breckenridge, joined the family in their last tribute to their mother whom Mr. Powell, as a motherless boy many years ago, shared their home with them and has always loved Mrs. Windham as a mother. The Windham home was a typical West Texas home where hospitality reigned and all were made welcome.

Mrs. Windham is survived by six sons and three daughters, Eli Windham, of Redding, Calif.; Willis of Brownwood; Tom of Tucson, Arizona; Forrest of Garner, Texas; Grover of Dudley and Hilary of Oplin; Mrs. Ada Thompson of Novice; Mrs. Eula Preslar of Eastland and Mrs. Myrtle McIntyre of Tuscola. Robert, the youngest child died March 26, 1907.

She is also survived by twenty two grandchildren and five great grandchildren and two sisters, Miss Lou Connell of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Ella Puckett, of Amarillo.

All of the children were with their mother in her last illness and attended the funeral except Eli Windham of California and Tom Windham of Arizona who were unable to come.

Political Pot Begins Boiling

The political race is on in Callahan County. C. R. Nordyke, candidate for sheriff being the first to announce.

J. W. Hammons of Baird, candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; Mrs. Will McCoy, candidate for County Treasurer; Mrs. S. E. Settle, candidate for County Clerk.

So far paying of poll taxes is rather light; however, as the time limit draws near, we are confident the total poll tax payments will be about as usual. Poll Taxes cost only \$1.75 per person. Of this \$1.00 goes to the school fund 50 cents to the State General Fund and 25 cents to the County Jury Fund.

Pay your poll tax as you will have occasion not only to use it in the primary election and general election; but also in the city election, district and county school trustee elections.

This calendar outlines high-points of the political year 1938: January 31—Last day to pay poll tax.

June 6—Last day for state and district candidates to file for office.

June 15—Last day for county and precinct candidates to file for office.

June 20—Candidates will draw for places on the ballot.

July 23—First Primary.

July 30—Canvass of first Primary results.

August 27—Run-off primary.

November 8—General Election.

J. Rupert Jackson, Jr., has been elected Democratic County Chairman, succeeding his father, J. Rupert Jackson, deceased.

Tahoko Man Takes Wild Auto Ride

J. Bark Cowan of Tahoko, who took a wild automobile ride on the highway near the Mexia bridge Sunday morning escaped with a slightly skinned nose and a few bruises about the face.

Mr. Cowan was traveling east in a light sedan when the car left the highway rumbling across the creek and into a high line post, which was splintered, broken and a 66.00 volt line wire broken which cut off the power at Baird for a half hour. Cowan was brought to the Griggs hospital in the Wylie ambulance where his injuries were treated. Cowan was charged with driving a car while drunk and was released Wednesday under a \$500 bond.

All Members of T. E. Powell Family At Home For Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Powell had all their children at home during the holidays. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gray Powell and little daughter, of Beaumont. Mr. and Mrs. Mason Cooper, Keerville; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dubberly and sons of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Evans and son of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Powell and little daughter of Abilene; Miss Ada Powell of Washington, D. C. Misses Jean and Jessie Powell, Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Powell of Long Beach, Calif., were also guests in the Powell home during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Powell left Tuesday for their home in California. Miss Ada Powell left Monday for Washington.

B. T. U MEETING AT PUTNAM SUNDAY, JAN. 9TH.

We will have a meeting of the East Zone B. T. U. next Sunday Jan. 9 at 2:30 p. m. to 4 p. m. at Putnam.

This zone consists of the Churches at Dressy, Cross Plains, Cottonwood, Admiral, Atwell, Seranton and Putnam. Putnam will have the program.

Mrs. H. A. Lones Died At Tyler Tuesday

Mrs. H. A. Lones, longtime resident of Baird, died Saturday morning at the home of her daughter Mrs. W. J. Bowler in Tyler. The remains were brought back to Baird Sunday morning and funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the rites being conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. A. Walker. Burial was made in the family plot in Ross Cemetery beside her husband who died July 4, 1923, as result of injuries received in an automobile crash, and her eldest son, Charlie Lones who died a few months ago.

Pall Bearers were: Larmer Henry, Fred Estes, S. L. McElroy, Bill Hatchett, Jim McFarlane and Frank Bearden. The funeral procession was led by "Little Robert" Estes on horseback. This being a request made by Mrs. Lones sometime ago. "Little Robert" was a special friend of "Granny Lones" as Mrs. Lones liked to be called by her young friends who were many as she was always specially interested in young people and endeared herself to them by her loving and lovable disposition.

Mrs. Lones had been in ill health for many years and some years ago suffered a stroke of paralysis, making it necessary to walk with crutches, but this did not hinder her in going about as usual attending Church, the Eastern Star and fraternal meeting regularly and visiting with her children and friends. Accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Kershner she had gone to Tyler to visit her daughter and son, Mrs. Bowler and Selman Lones, intending to go on to Shreveport, La. to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ben N. Leonard, but she suffered a stroke of paralysis which caused her death.

Mrs. Lones and family came to Baird some fifty-years ago. Mr. Lones being employed in the construction department of the Texas and Pacific Ry. Co. The Lones family hold considerable property in Callahan County including ranch and oil interests.

Mrs. Lones is survived by four daughters and two sons: Mrs. B. N. Leonard, Shreveport; Mrs. J. R. Copeland, Big Spring; Mrs. Nettie Kershner, Baird and Mrs. W. J. Bowler, Tyler; Selman Lones, Tyler and John Lones, Big Spring ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Lones whose maiden name was Marie Gaudin was born Aug. 1, 1856, in Knoxville, Tenn.

Members of the family out of town attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Copeland, Big Spring; Mrs. B. N. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leonard, Shreveport, La., Mr. and Mrs. Selman Lones, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bowler Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. John Lones and children, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gwautney, Sherman; Mrs. Calvin DeVault, Madrid, Okla. Out of town friends, were: Mrs. H. H. Squyers, Mrs. J. D. Stamper, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. R. N. Ralph, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Chas Nolan and daughter, Marlin, Dallas; Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramsey, Abilene; Leiland Beamer, Brownwood, C. B. Snyder, Moran; Felix Raines, Abilene.

Wylie Funeral Home were in charge of funeral arrangements.

THE WEDNESDAY CLUB

The Wednesday Club met in the home of Miss Grimes. Sixteen members answered Roll Call about Peace. Mrs. White and Mrs. Russell were speakers of the afternoon; after which a business session was held. Reports were given by all officers present and officers were re-elected for next year.

We were happy to welcome Miss Price as a new member.

Baird Postoffice Advances To Second Class

Postal receipts set a new all time high for December, as well as for the entire year, reaching an increase of 12 per cent for 1937, sufficient to elevate the office to second class.

Receipts during 1937 were \$9,592.82, as compared with \$8,584 in 1936, according to Miss John Gilliland postmaster. When receipts reached \$9,411.77 they automatically put Baird in the second class listing, effective July 1, 1938.

This is the second time the Baird postoffice has been elevated to second class; the first time being in 1926 under M. J. Holmes, then postmaster and held the classification until 1932 when receipts fell off and the office was reduced to third class.

Citizens of Baird hailed with delight Baird's promotion to second-class standing. Probably efforts will be made by the city and the Callahan County club to secure an adequate federal structure for Baird.

Baird could have free delivery if sidewalks were improved, according to Miss Gilliland. It is hoped efforts will be made this year to build sidewalks in the resident section.

C. N. F. L. A. To Hold Annual Stockholders Meeting

Plans are being completed for the 1938 Annual Stockholders' Meeting of the Citizens National Farm Loan Association of Clyde, Texas, on January 11, 1938 at 10:00 A. M., according to M. H. Perkins, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association, who said that this meeting would be one of the most important in the history of the Association. The meeting will be held at the Methodist Church in Clyde.

Members of the Association will review the progress of their own cooperative credit institution and hear the reports of its officers. According to Mr. Perkins, the Citizens National Farm Loan Association has made Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner Loans amounting to more than \$2,250,000.00 since its organization in 1917.

Directors of the Association will be elected at the meeting. Mr. Perkins said, Two directors will be elected for terms of three years each, two for two-year terms, and one for a one-year term.

The Citizens National Farm Loan Association makes available farm mortgage loans for a variety of purposes including refinancing of existing indebtedness, repairs and improvements to farm buildings and the purchase of farm or ranch land.

The rate of interest charged by Federal Land Bank is 4 per cent per annum with small amount of principal payable each year over a period of from 20 to 34 1-2 years, while the Land Bank Commissioner is making loans at 5 per cent over a period of years from 10 to 20 years.

Speakers for the occasion have been invited and invitations have been mailed to each member.

Sam Gilliland Moves To New Location

Sam Gilliland has moved his business to his building just vacated by Tots Wristen grocery.

The front is being fitted for a show room where the Electro-lux Bendix Washing Machines and other household equipment will be displayed. The tin and plumbing work shop being located in the rear of the building.

Mrs. M. L. Teeple Long Time Resident Passed Away Monday

Mrs. Mary Louisa Teeple, 84, one of the earliest residents of Baird living here since 1880, died at 1 A. M. Monday, Dec. 27th, following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at the Episcopal chapel of the Lords Prayer Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Willis P. Gerhart, conducting the rites. Pall Bearers were: R. L. Elliott, Howard Farmer, George Crutchfield, R. M. Warren, Warren Hooker and Frank Estes.

Burial was made in Ross Cemetery beside the grave of her husband Wm. Teeple who died some years ago.

Mrs. Teeple is survived by one son and two daughters, Addison Teeple of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Arthur Yonge of Abilene and Mrs. W. E. Lowe of DeLeon and a number of grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Addison Teeple, Mrs. Yonge and Mrs. Lowe were with their mother in her last illness.

Mrs. Teeple was born in Stockholm Sweden, July 13, 1843. She came to America when a young lady. She was married to Mr. Teeple in Kansas and came to Baird when the town was first established in 1880 and has resided here continuously since, living in the home they first built in Baird.

Mrs. Teeple possessed a lovable personality and notwithstanding, her advanced age was keenly interested in the affairs of life and up until a few months ago lived alone and did all her house work and managed her business affairs. Since her health failed, her daughter, Mrs. Yonge has been with her.

Other relatives and friends here to attend the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Moore, Judge and Mrs. Phillips Yonge, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robertson of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yonge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayes, Abilene, and Walter Lowe, of De Leon.

GARDEN CLUB WILL HOLD FIRST MEETING OF YEAR

The Old Fashioned Garden Club will hold its first meeting of the new year, Tuesday, January 11th, at the Presbyterian Church at nine o'clock in the morning.

The subject for the day is Trees.

The following numbers will be given:

Trees, Mrs. Boren.
Plant Flowering Trees, Mrs. Norrell.
Evergreens, Mrs. R. F. Jones.
Song, "Trees" by Joyce Kilmer, Mrs. George.

City-County Hospital Is Baird Goal

There is some indication that we may secure a City-County Hospital. That we need one, there is no doubt in any one's mind, and that there is a move under way to secure the hospital is evident as our citizenship is becoming more and more interested in the proposition.

A plan drawn for the proposed institution has been shown county officials. The structure would cost \$15,99, be one story and oblong.

It is thought the proposed hospital will be discussed at a meeting of the City Council as soon as Mayor H. Schwartz, now confined to his home with illness, can meet with the body. County officials also seem interested.

We understand that the County spends approximately \$200.00 per month for hospitalization of county patients, so it would seem that a City-County hospital would be a saving to the county.

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DEAR DORIS DENE: I am afraid I am the type of wife known as unreasonably jealous. Perhaps I have always been suspicious because I was attractive when I was young and I knew how many men were willing to cheat on their wives for my sake.

ANSWER—As a matter of fact I doubt very much whether you were quite so besieged with attentions from married men as you imagined you were. Perhaps two husbands out of all those you knew showed signs of being ready to make love to you but that wasn't a staggering proportion of the harried male population.

Actually men on the whole don't run to infidelity as much as they're supposed to. Given an average happy home and a nice wife and a promising job and a fair amount of interests, no man really wants to bother getting himself tangled up in some unfortunate relationship.

But when a possessive woman insists that her man shall make her his chief interest in life, she's on the way to trouble. When she won't let him have his game of golf and his evenings of bridge and his business dinners then she's cutting him away from all the normal outlets which make him appreciate his home and his spouse.

Also she's surrounding him with an atmosphere of possessive love which would be enough to turn any man's head. Most normal everyday men don't go about all day thinking up broods darkly on thoughts of illicit love.

But when the poor male is constantly reminded of how likely it is that he will be unfaithful—when he's accused of misdeeds which haven't occurred to him—when he is kept busy persuading his wife that he loves her and her alone— isn't it only natural that infidelities should come to seem a more normal part of life to him than they otherwise would have?

Get over all your notions about your husband, G. E. M. He is probably not attractive enough to do all the heart-breaking you accuse him of.

DEAR DORIS DENE: We are two girls in love with the same boy. We are both willing to give him up for each other's sake. We are such devoted friends that no man could ever come between us—but of course we would each like to marry him if it were the right thing to do.

ANSWER—And all the time apparently, the poor man hasn't a word to say about the arrangements. Surely by this time he must have formed an opinion of his own as to which of you two charmers would do. Wouldn't it be better to let him make his confession of love to one of you—before casting lots as to which girl gets the prize?

If T. gives up the boy in order to be loyal to B. she may be doing herself and the man she loves an incalculable wrong. B. may never have suited the hero of the piece. He may never have dreamed of her in connection with marriage. What right, therefore, has T. to consign romance to oblivion, in favor of friendship? Her gesture of self-sacrifice will not help B.'s cause, if Romeo hasn't already chosen her.

Let the hero choose his own bride. It may take a good deal of character for you two girls to remain friends under the circumstances but if your standard of friendship is so high, you should be able to weather this storm.

A CHRISTIAN BACHELOR: Thanks for your letter. Sorry I can't reprint it but I am afraid it might hurt the feelings of some of those who need help desperately—and who cannot altogether be blamed if their interests seem to be selfish.

SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL By Carter Field

FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT



Washington.—Most New Dealers are predicting a revival of the wages and hours legislation bill sometime this winter or spring, and in a form in keeping with the Roosevelt objectives. But at the moment it is very difficult to see how this is going to be done.

The difficulties are not technical—actually the new bill would start out with an enormous advantage so far as parliamentary procedure is concerned. But the trouble is to find some formula for government control of wages and hours, or rather government banning of too small wages and too long hours, on which enough members of the house could agree to obtain a majority.

The majority which was apparent for the bill just a few weeks back, and which forced the bill out of the rules committee pigeonhole, was fictitious. It was a simple log-rolling proposition, under which a number of enthusiastic farm relief advocates traded their signatures to the discharge petition, plus the promise of their votes, in order to prevent a bloc movement of the Northern wages and hours advocates against their farm bill.

Just before the coalition was made it appeared that both bills were doomed. The Southern members, through their strength on the rules committee, had been able to pigeonhole the wage-hour bill at the preceding regular session. This was the surprise of the legislative year, but what really fooled everyone was that this strength persisted. So it looked as though the bill would stay pigeonholed.

Weakness of the farm bill forced the coalition, and then it looked as though both bills were sure of passage, though neither was strong enough to stand alone.

There's the Rub

With that strange episode now history, the new picture is: How can the men who want a wages and hours bill agree on something strong enough to stand alone?

No compromise so far has been reached on any of the important difficulties. For example, who is to administer the law. William Green and his friends in the American Federation of Labor do not trust the idea of a board. They fear that President Roosevelt would appoint another group as friendly to C. I. O. as they think the national labor relations board is. Neither the A. F. of L. nor the C. I. O. is enthusiastic about entrusting administration to the Department of Labor.

But there enters another complication. Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins is distinctly unpopular on Capitol Hill. There are quite a few members of the house who would not vote for any bill, on final passage, which gave Secretary Perkins this added power. Particularly bitter in this group are a few Southerners who still resent an unfortunate remark the secretary made in her first year in office, to the broad general effect that a bigger market for shoes could be built up for Northern factories if so many people in the South would stop going barefoot!

But for eleven months, or until the congressional election of 1938, this wage-hour bill will continue to have a tremendous technical advantage. It has passed the senate. That passage holds until the present congress dies. Nothing changes between sessions. So it is not a question ever of beating a filibuster. It is merely a question of writing a bill which 218 members of the house and 49 senators would rather vote for than against.

The Case of "Jimmie"

There has been a lot of joshing about President Roosevelt's training up his elder son to take his place. "My Little Boy Jimmie," as the President introduced him back in 1932 from the rear platform of his campaign train, has steadily been moving into the public eye ever since. In that campaign Jimmy was used as a mouthpiece for a great many things which "Papa" did not want to say at the time. For example, he predicted the speediness with which beer would return if his father should be elected.

Then it was James who entangled his father with James M. Curley, then mayor of Boston and one of Jimmie's very good customers in the insurance business. It looked for several years as though this alliance of Curley and young Roosevelt were going to march down through the years. It appeared as though Curley would step from the governor's chair, when he got tired of that office, into the senate, and that James would become governor of the Bay state.

This idea of James Roosevelt's running for governor of Massachusetts still persists. It would be a logical stepping stone. Friends insist that Jimmie would like it very much. Meanwhile the objectionable alliance with Curley has been terminated. The split between the Roosevelts and Curley became, apparently, irreconcilable when the President, during a campaign swing through the Bay state in the closing days of the 1936 campaign, failed to mention Curley's name, though

Curley was on the Democratic ticket with the President, and was at the time governor of the state.

As to Curley

It is impossible ever to estimate the extent of the effect of any particular thing in politics. There are too many complications. But enthusiastic Roosevelt fans believe Curley would have been elected had the President supported him with anything like the ardor that Curley had shown for F. D. R. in 1932, or since. And naturally, while the Curley following does not go this far, it is extremely bitter over the "ingratitude."

Which is very interesting, because Jimmie brought Curley into his father's campaign in 1932, sat in with Curley on Massachusetts patronage—to the great indignation of the two Democratic senators, David I. Walsh and Marcus A. Coolidge—and then is generally suspected of being the cause, though he had not intended to be, of the split! For there are many who think that the prime reason for bringing Jimmie to Washington was not to train him up for the presidency later on, helpful as this training might be, but to get him out of the trouble his father feared he was getting into in Massachusetts. And part of this trouble was his association with Curley. It was suspected by some of the President's advisers that Curley had made it appear too easy to Jimmie to capitalize political friendships in writing insurance. Especially, as for some reason there is less attempt to camouflage that sort of thing in Massachusetts than in some other states.

But there is little doubt as to what is going on right now. The President is putting more and more power into Jimmie's hands.

Farley vs. LaGuardia

Friends of James A. Farley are telling the big politician that he can easily be elected governor of New York in November even if the Republicans should nominate Fiorello H. LaGuardia. Incidentally their arguments are rather interesting in view of the thumping majority that LaGuardia piled up in the recent New York mayoralty election.

Time is one of the important elements. They insist that when the gubernatorial election is held LaGuardia will still have three more years to serve as mayor under the term to which he was elected last month. Yet the term he may be seeking as governor would be for only two years.

So many of the New York City voters who thought he made a good mayor in his last term, and who voted for him to have four more years rather than to turn the city over to the Democratic bosses, will think it would be poor strategy for them to help send him to Albany.

It is also contended that scores of thousands of New Yorkers who thought LaGuardia should be continued as mayor would oppose the idea of the mayor becoming President of the United States. On this point the illustration of Alfred E. Smith is used. Smith was elected governor in 1918, was beaten in the Harding landslide of 1920, came back in 1922, weathered the Coolidge 1924 Republican landslide comfortably, and was re-elected triumphantly in 1926. Yet more than 100,000 New Yorkers who had voted for him for governor at his lowest ebbs, and several times that number who had voted for him in his good years, refused to vote for him for President. It should be borne in mind here that in 1922 Smith was at the flood-tide of his strength.

Other Angles

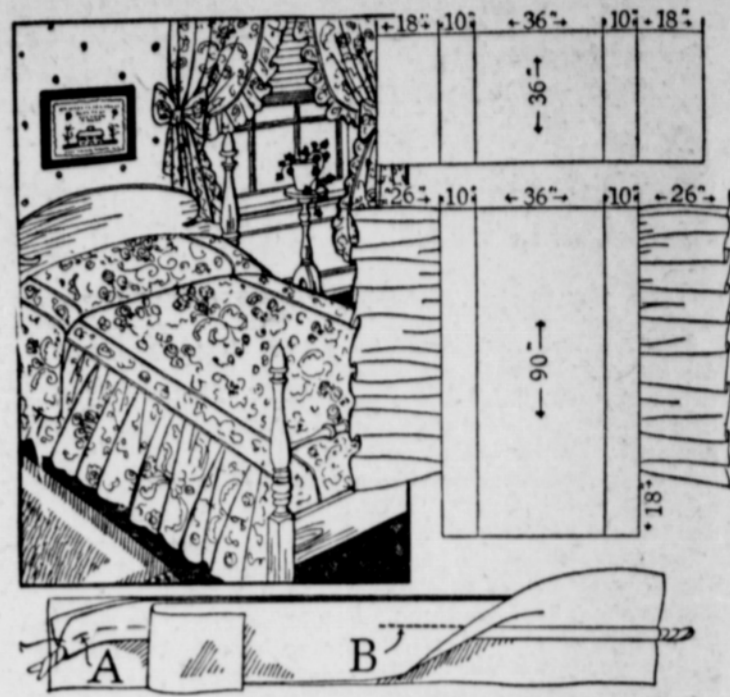
Which would seem ample proof that plenty of people will vote for a good public servant for some offices, but will not necessarily support the same man for President.

There is another angle, involving Tammany, which is not so well understood in the country as it is in New York City. Tammany, at the recent mayoralty election, was sulking. It had been beaten in the primary. Control of the Democratic party in New York City had been taken over by the outlying bosses, those of Brooklyn, Queens, the Bronx. Many Tammany leaders were sore—were not at all displeased with seeing the men who had ousted them from control take a licking from LaGuardia.

Farley is a master compromiser and pacifier. His friends do not doubt that the full strength of all the Democratic organizations in the greater city would be thrown behind him in a gubernatorial race. Also, Farley has never relaxed his grip on the upstate New York Democratic organization. He built that organization in the period from 1923 on. It could be depended on to do its utmost for him. But there are a good many upstate Republican leaders who would not want to aid LaGuardia in his presidential ambitions. They would not be averse to see Farley polishing him off, and thus clearing the way to the nomination of "their kind" of Republican.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



Making a Chintz Bed Spread With Corded Seams.

WOULD you like to make a chintz bedspread to match your curtains? Of course, such a spread must have seams in it, for most chintzes are only 36 inches wide, while the average double bed is about 54 inches wide. But seams need not detract from the beauty of the spread.

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"Quotations"

It is some commendation that we have avoided to characterize any person without long experience.—Swift.

A wise man sees as much as he ought, not as much as he can.—Montaigne.

Love is but another name for that inscrutable presence by which the soul is connected with humanity.—W. G. Simms.

Delay is cowardice and doubt despair.—Whitehead.

The generous heart should scorn a pleasure which gives others pain.—Thompson.

Either I will find a way, or I will make one.—Sir Philip Sidney.

Sermonless Church

The Chapel of the Ascension near the Marble Arch in London is believed to be the only Christian church that is used exclusively for meditation and prayer. Although open every day of the year from morning until dusk, no sermons are ever preached and no hymns are sung within its walls.—Collier's Weekly.

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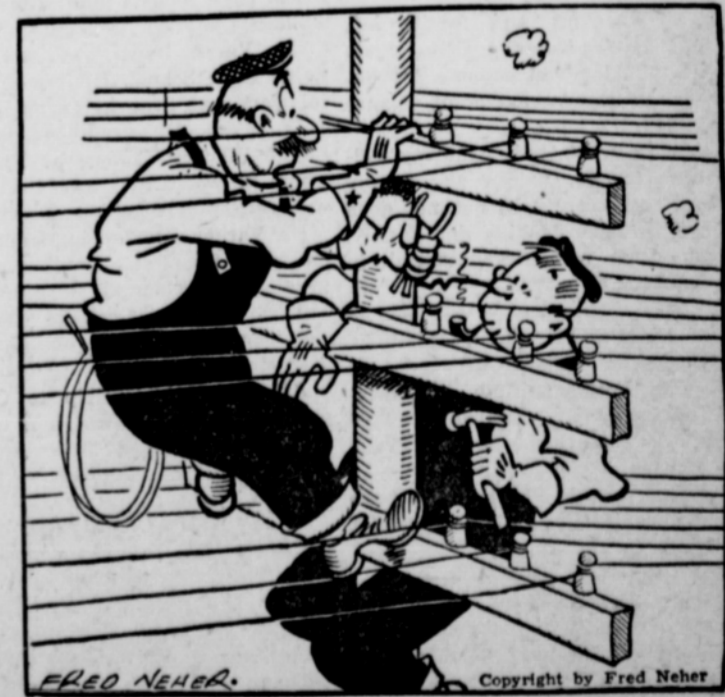
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Bear With Others If thou wilt thyself be borne with, bear also with another.—Thomas a Kempis.

Prefer Hate There are few who would not rather be hated than laughed at.—Sydney Smith.

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher



"Believe me, Bill, what you need is exercise."

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Favorite Recipe of the Week

Vegetable Fondue a Pleasing Entree

VEGETABLE fondue is a delicate entree and one which can be easily made and is bound to please the family. To make the preparation extra simple start with a can of mixed vegetables. It may be one canned especially for salads or soup. Drain the liquid from the vegetables, but do not throw it away as it contains good food value. Chop the vegetables rather fine, or mash, whichever seems easier to do.

A little suspicion of freshly grated onion is good to add to the vegetables if the family likes the flavor, and surely they do.

Vegetable Fondue.

- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup soft bread crumbs
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon grated onion
- Few grains cayenne
- No. 2 can mixed vegetables
- 3 eggs

Scald milk in double boiler, add bread, butter, cayenne and salt. Remove from the fire and add the onion and mixed vegetables. Beat in the egg yolks and fold in the egg whites which have been beaten until stiff. Pour the mixture into a greased baking dish and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) until it is firm in the center, or about 40 minutes. When the fondue is done the mixture will not adhere to a silver knife when inserted in the center. Serves 4-6.

Crisp bacon and spiced peaches would be good to serve with the fondue. The peaches come all spiced in cans, too, so they do not mean extra labor.

MARJORIE H. BLACK

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FAVORITE OF THE SOUTH

Calm Tempers

The moderation of fortunate people comes from the calm which good fortune gives to their tempers.—Rochefoucauld.



A hungry dog and a thirsty horse take no heed of blows.



Cattle Kingdom

By **ALAN LEMAY**

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

"Seems to me," he said, "that's a whole lot different from what you were saying just a little while ago."

"I wasn't able to believe my own eyes, I guess. I wasn't able to get over the 'settled-up' idea that eastern people have. Nobody but westerners will ever be able to understand our dry land. They'll never believe that a country can be over-settled—and yet have nothing in it but coyotes and jackrabbits and half a dozen poor cows to the mile."

He noticed that she called it "our dry land," now.

"And so—?"

"I'm going to stay with my brand, until there isn't one bit of the 94 left. After all, I'm my father's daughter. The country is part of me, bred in."

"I know how you feel," he said slowly. "But—it isn't as if you could really do anything here, now."

"I'll be able to keep you informed of what's happening here, at least. I hardly think Val Douglas would take much interest in that, left to himself. But it isn't that. It's simply—I can't always run away from everything. I've run away from too many things, and sometimes afterward I've been sorry."

He could understand that, but it surprised him to find her looking at things in that way. He had to respect her for it, but it didn't make the set-up any easier for him. "I suppose there isn't anything I can do," he admitted regretfully. "You've already shown me that when you set out to do a thing, you'll do it in spite of all hell and the drought."

"Wouldn't you rather have me that way?"

"I don't know as I could ever bring myself to want you any different than you are."

He made a cigarette, and lit it, and gloomily studied its smoke. He was thinking that it was pretty near too much to ask of a man to go off on a long trail, the way things were here, and leave this child—

Suddenly he realized that this girl was not any longer a child. He had not known that he had always before seen her as a child, until now he saw her as something else. Her face had a color that was like a child's color, clear and lovely, but its contours no longer suggested a little girl. It was a quiet face, thoughtful and awake, and somehow competent looking; and her eyes, looking into that distance beyond the walls, were looking into the future—understandingly, even somberly, but unafraid.

He wondered why he had not realized before how changed she was. Every movement she made, every pose she took, was different from what he had seen in the girl he had made love to two years before. Two years ago Marian Dunn would not have been able to lounge relaxed upon his bunk in pajamas and an Indian blanket, thinking about the factors of range war, and the business affairs of men; she would have been nervously conscious then of the fact that the man she was with loved her—would have worried about what he would do or say.

This girl did not worry, but steadily faced the situation in which they found themselves.

He looked away from her, unable any longer to think of murder clues or cow mortgages while she was in his eyes. He fixed his gaze upon his thrown-down gunbelt and tried to think of what he must do. Bitterly he was blaming himself that he could not see through this killing case; for he had a persistent hunch that everything necessary for solution was in his hands. He blamed only himself that he must now take a long trail to discover what might be obvious, here and now, to a more brilliant deduction.

He tried to set his mind to the factors he had discussed with Coffee, in one more supreme effort to short-cut the case, but his mind would not work for him. Even with his eyes upon a saddle or a gun he could still see nothing but the girl—every glint of light in the loose bush of her hair, the slim cordings of a wrist, the resting look of a hand that lay palm up upon the blanket.

It was impossible for him not to wonder if things between them might not have been different had he never known her two years before. At all, but could have started over again now, to win her in a new way. Then it occurred to him that it was a waste of time to be looking at a gun or a saddle blanket, trying to think, when he might be looking at her. Perhaps it would be a long time before he would see her again; perhaps he would never see her again at all.

So now he let murder and cows and money slide into the lost shadows, and he turned to her; and as he did so he found that her eyes were on his face. They looked at each other steadily, while the moments passed.

If he had held her eyes so long two years ago she would have flushed

and looked away, but she did not look away now. Her eyes looked lazy, but not sleepy; they were as darkly blue as a night sky, but he found them unreadable at first. Then after a moment or two he recognized that she was not thinking about murder clues.

All at once he knew that there was no barrier between them any more at all, and had not been any for a long time, except the barrier put there by his old defeat. And he knew now that he had never failed at all, but that the years had worked for him in ways he would not have guessed.

He said slowly, "I was the one who was a fool."

He never knew what move he made that brought her into his arms. With the barrier gone from between them at last they found themselves in each other's arms as naturally, as unhurriedly, as inevitably as the dry land takes up the rare rains; and his heart lifted up like the April grass of the dry ranges, when the snow-lock melts off and is forgotten as if it had

never been. His hungry mouth found an answering quiver in her lips; and for a while, under the spell of the gentle warmth that he had thought would never be his, he no longer worried about what might happen to the cow kingdom of Horse Dunn.

Presently she said, "Two years ago it was my fault. But last night in the hills it was yours. If you had only put your hands on me then—but you had to stand with a face like granite, and eyes like death in the foothills—"

"I know that—now."

"I don't know how I'm going to let you go. So many things—anything—can happen before we're together again."

"But we have this hour, now."

"Nothing can ever rob us of that!"

Each was seeing a person he had never seen before. He was still whipcord and braided leather, the saddle man who could hold his own in the upheaval of markets and the shifting games of the financiers; but all the barbed and dour hardness of him was gone, so that in the arms of this girl it was as if he were reborn. And in the girl he had hidden steel of the life he had not been able to bend seemed melted, and the curve of her body within his arm was a surrender without reserve.

They did not know how long they lay together on the bunk that for the time was not his, but theirs, in that lonely and deserted house; and he learned here that she was neither east nor west, but all woman.

A harsh, taut strain that had held them for days seemed to slacken and go out of the night, as if guns and cattle were unimportant things; and in that hour that was theirs alone, one bitterness went out of the world forever. It was not a surprise, but a consummation, when presently he found that she was asleep.

He picked her up and carried her to her own room, and put her in her own bed; and she smiled faintly in her sleep as he kissed her eyes. Then he walked out of the house, by a different door than the one where Coffee sat, and stood listening to the still night.

Then, while his mind was entirely away from hatred and violence for the first time in a week, something in the back of his mind found the answer, and all in a moment he saw through the tangle that had roped the 94. He knew suddenly not only who had killed Flagg at Short Creek, but why Flagg had had more than a hunch that he was riding into death; he knew why Marian had been fired on; and he knew how he could prove, inevitably and inescapably, who had killed Bob Flagg—and the taut strain of range war

came back into the night, turning him cold.

Wheeler walked around the house to where Old Man Coffee still sat. As far as the naked eye could observe Old Man Coffee had not changed his position; he could sit like a rock or an Indian hours on end, as if this were his natural way of living out his life. Wheeler sat down slowly and stiffly on the step beside the old man; he ran his hands over his face, shook his head like a fighter trying to clear away the effects of a killing right cross.

Coffee did not speak and for a little while Wheeler also sat silent, trying to compute how much he wished to say. "Coffee," he said at last, "I see it. I see it all."

Coffee took his pipe out of his mouth and looked at Wheeler. "All what?"

"I know who fired on Marian."

"Hell, son, you had that figured out last time I seen you, two hours ago." Coffee glanced at the stars which he used as a clock. "Two hours and fifteen minutes," he corrected himself.

"I had the wrong reason," Wheeler said; "this time I know. And knowing that, I know now why Bob Flagg had foretold that he was near his end. And I can prove it all."

Old Man Coffee started to say, "You sound like you was full of—" but he hesitated and studied Billy Wheeler sidelong through the thin dark. "Answer me one thing, son," he said at last. "What was the thing that showed you the killer trail?"

"It was two things, Coffee," Wheeler said; "not one. Two kind of trivial-looking things, that I knew and then forgot. But as soon as I saw the meaning of one of them, right away I saw the meaning of the other. Like as if the two clues were tied together by the neck. Coffee, Marian doesn't know a thing in the world about this. But the first thing that came to me was something I remembered that she said. You remember after—"

"Stop," said Old Man Coffee.

So sharply had the old man commanded him that Wheeler at first thought Coffee was listening to some distant sound. "What's the matter?"

"I've heard enough."

"Then," said Billy Wheeler, "you know the answer too?"

"I've kind of suspected it these many days. I didn't know for sure until today."

"Do you think anyone else knows?"

"Son, I'm virtually certain that no one in the world knows but you and me."

"You must have come at it differently than I did, Coffee."

"Different than you," Coffee agreed. "God knows how you come at it. I don't want to know. In a minute now I'm going to say no more. But nobody else in the Red Rock could have found it out except maybe Cayuse Cayetano—and he's dead."

They sat silent for a little time.

"What's the next move?" Wheeler presently asked.

"Until you spoke," Coffee said, "I knew what my next move was going to be. My next move was going to be out. But now that you've come onto the right trail, I guess maybe it's kind of up to me to stand by a little while, until I see what you do."

Something in Old Man Coffee's voice bothered Wheeler. "You mean we're not working together, then?"

"Seems like we might not be, son. I'm an old man; and I long ago learned that sometimes it's a good idea to leave sleeping dogs lie."

"You mean, you'd have been willing to pull out of this case and leave it unsolved forever?"

Old Man Coffee drew half a dozen slow puffs on his pipe before he

answered. "The first murder case I worked on," he said at last, "was a long time ago. Sometimes I think that one first case was the misfortune of my life. Because it gave me a kind of a reputation in a small way, so that ever since then I've been called in on such, from time to time, over and over again. Man hunting isn't a pretty job, Billy, nor anything a man would care to turn his hand to more than once, if he could get out of it. But I've always worked hard and honestly on my case where I once set my hand. And now that I'm old I figure to keep my mouth shut if I can't see where clearing up a mystery will serve no proper end."

"Take this case, here. Do you think that solving this crime can possibly come under the head of helping any living person, or preserving the peace? You know better than that. You know as well as I do that the minute the answer is made known the guns will crack out, and good boys that's got nothing to do with either side will be throwing lead into each other's guts."

"You think Horse Dunn will take to the guns?"

"Of course he'll take to the guns! You know him well enough to know that. The guns will be talking before ever the thing is proved."

"The proof ought to be easy enough."

"I got no doubt of that. I see at least one way of proof and maybe you see more. But what I'm telling you is this, son—think what you're doing before you raise this lid. Don't raise it unless you think you'd rather see what will come of it, in place of what we already got."

The moon was gone, and they sat in the chill blackness before dawn; but it seemed to Wheeler that the night was no darker than his mood. "I thought of all that," he said. "I thought of all that the moment it came to me. And first off, I thought like you. But now—I'm not so sure. Sometimes it seems like there's something unsound at the bottom of any plan that calls for just hiding our heads."

"Then I'll give you your answer," said Old Man Coffee abruptly. "I'll give you the whole thing, once and for all, in four words. Think of the girl."

He took a couple of drags on his pipe. "Forget Horse Dunn, and the cattle, and the money, and the range. Forget even the good fighting boys, here on the 94—Tulare and Steve Hurley and Val Douglas—they'll fight while they can hold up their guns. And Gil Baker, he'll be in it if he has to drag a broken leg into the street. But forget all them. And think what this here head-on smash between the 94 and all of the rest of the range is going to mean to the girl."

Wheeler sat silent for a long time. At last, needing to be alone, he got up and walked off into the dark, leaving Old Man Coffee with the darkness and his pipe. He went out and he sat on the corral, and he was thinking about Horse Dunn and the cow kingdom of the 94; but mostly he was thinking about the girl who had at last taken him into her heart, now at the end. He could never think about anything any more except in terms of its effect upon her.

He had an hour to come to his decision there before the first pale, reddish light of the dawn showed at the edge of the world; and it was the hardest hour of his life, because he knew that he held in his hands the future of them all. More than once he turned to Coffee's easier way. But as a gray light began to come slowly across the 94 he thought he knew what he must do.

He went in and rapped on Marian's door; and when she called to him sleepily he went in and stood beside her bed. "You and I are going to inspiration," he told her.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Seventy Varieties of Birds Around Crater Lake in Oregon, Bulletin Says

The abundant life is shared by a wide variety of birds finding headquarters in the sanctuary at Crater Lake National park in Oregon. There are more than seventy varieties in the park. Bird notes are heard continually, according to a news bulletin issued by the park service.

The Eagle Craggs have furnished nesting places for the golden eagle and the American bald eagle; Liao Rock is the home of falcons. Ospreys have been seen and the horned owl forages nightly. California gulls visit the park and black cormorants are known to have nested and raised their young on the lake. There are ravens and half a dozen varieties of hawks. Canvasback and golden-eyed ducks frequent the lake and the Sierra grouse the timberlands. Clark's crow, the camp robber, and California, crested and gray jays make their presence known on the trails

and around the camp grounds. Smaller birds frequently seen are the mountain bluebird, Townsend solitaire, Sierra junco, pine siskin, creosote nuthatch, chickadee and grosbeak. There are golden and ruby-crowned kinglets, robins, wrens, wood and green-tailed towhees, purple and rose finches, chipping and other sparrows, several varieties of thrushes, and five varieties of warblers. Occasionally a hummingbird is seen.

The most noticeable of the small birds of the park is the Western tanager, a brilliant streak of gold as it flits in the dark foliage, and equally remarkable in coloring when it rests on twig or branch, where its red head, yellow body, and black wings with yellow bars are unmistakable. The sweetest singer in the park is the hermit thrush—shy, difficult to locate, but making its presence known by beautiful song.

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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS, JR.

Austin—Gov. Allred's luncheon with President Roosevelt in Washington and his conferences with Vice President Garner and Attorney General Cummings brought a revival of the Federal Judgeship talk in Austin this week. There was also a rumor that the Texas governor who has something of a reputation as a "trust buster" himself—as the instigator of the anti-trust suit against major oil companies in Texas four years ago—might be enlisted in the pending anti-monopoly drive which the New Deal chieftains are cooking up in Washington. But close friends of the Governor insisted he wouldn't be interested in an appointment as special assistant attorney general or anything less than the judgeship. These friends professed to believe that Allred's chances for the Federal judiciary were excellent after his visit with Roosevelt and Garner. If the regular session of Congress passes a judiciary bill providing for additional judges with one for Texas as included observers here believe the appointments will be made immediately. Should Allred receive one of these coveted posts it is regarded as virtually a certainty he will resign as Governor, and let Lt. Gov. Walter Woodall finish out his unexpired term.

ALLRED MIGHT STEP OUT

Woodall, meanwhile, is campaigning for State Attorney General and would continue his race for that office even should he fill out Allred's term. If he should get to serve six months or so as Governor it should give him an almost unbeatable position against the large field of candidates, and prospective candidates for Attorney General.

Incidentally, if Allred had good luck in Washington with his bid for the judgeship, the lobbyists here feel sure there will be no more special sessions of the 45th legislature. Allred couldn't help his bid for the judgeship with another session, and a political session at this time might do him considerable damage. Woodall it is believed would favor letting the state's problems remain in status quo, calling no session and letting the new governor tackle the situation at the regular session in January, a year hence.

CROWLEY ANNOUNCES

One of the strangest political announcements in Texas' history this week carried in its wake a lot of comment—some sarcastic, some humorous, virtually none serious. The announcement was that of Carl Crowley, former Ft. Worth lawyer who is now solicitor general for the Postoffice Department. Crowley declared he didn't believe the people of Texas were satisfied to choose between Col. Ernest O. Thompson and Bill McCraw in picking their next governor, and so, if neither Gov. Allred nor Jim Ferguson decided to make the race he (Crowley) would enter the race. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram in Crowley's home city carried a facetious editorial which is being read and re-read all over Texas as one of the finest bits of sarcasm published in years. The editorial wound up with a prediction that Crowley and Clarence Farmer, the pensions-for-everybody candidate from Tarrant, would wage a might struggle in their home county. Meanwhile, campaign machinery of Thompson and McCraw was being oiled and organization work is under way. Formal announcement probably will be made in late January by Thompson, and in February, after he returns from court hearings in the East on the Green estate tax litigation by McCraw. There was every evidence here to bear out the prediction made many months ago in this column, that Thompson and McCraw would be the only important candidates for Governor this year.

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C. R. Nordyke Announces For Sheriff

Clarence Nordyke, deputy sheriff, announces this week as a candidate for Sheriff, to succeed Sheriff Robert L. Edwards, who will not be a candidate for reelection.

Mr. Nordyke is a native of Callahan County, born on the Nardyke farm near Cottonwood, where he was reared. Mr. Nordyke has been a deputy under Sheriff Edwards for the past seven years. Three years as deputy sheriff at Putnam. Four years ago Mr. Nordyke was promoted to chief deputy and moved to Baird. He is considered one of the most popular and efficient peace officers in this section, where by his close attention to his duties but ever mindful of the rights of others he has won the esteem and confidence of all.

Sheriff Edwards who is serving his fourth term as sheriff has made one of the best sheriff's Callahan Co. ever had. He will retire from office with a record any one would be proud of. Sheriff Edwards will retire to look after his ranch interest.

See Mr. Nordyke's card to the citizens of the county.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

In announcing my candidacy for the sheriff's office of Callahan County, I wish to state that I have served the past seven years as deputy sheriff, the last four years of this time I have served as first deputy, during these four years I have had charge of the books of this office also have assisted in practically all criminal and civil cases that have come to this office and I feel that I am qualified in every duty of the office to give you such service as I think the citizenship of this county is entitled to.

Having been born and reared in this county I have served the public for some fourteen years and I feel that you know the type of citizenship that I have tried to represent. I am grateful indeed for my position and have tried to take advantage of every opportunity to improve my work, and I am only asking for a promotion such as you might think would be merited by, and in line for your own son or friend, were they in my position. I like the work and am interested in all its phases.

If I should be elected to the office of sheriff, I will endeavor to give faithful and careful attention to those duties that come to a sheriff. I will work hard on the job. I feel that I am qualified and competent to fill all the duties of the office, and assure you no one will appreciate your support and influence any more than I.

C. R. Nordyke

J. W. Hammons Announces For Commissioner of Precinct No. One

J. W. Hammons of Baird announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1

Political Announcements

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

- C. R. Nordyke.
- For Commissioner Pre No. One: J. W. Hammons.
- For County Treasurer: Mrs. Will McCoy.
- For County Clerk: Mrs. S. E. Settle.

Mr. Hammons has served in this office before and was faithful and efficient in the discharge of his official duties. He seeks the office on his qualification. See his announcement below.

TO THE CITIZENS OF PRCT. 1 CALLAHAN COUNTY

After due consideration of all matters concerning the discharge of the duties of Commissioner, and bearing in mind the many solicitations that I have had to again make the race for Commissioner for Precinct No. 1, and being mindful of the many favors that have been bestowed upon me in the past by the electorate, I have hesitated to again enter the race for this very important office.

However, so many of my friends have requested me to enter the race, and being as I am, so strongly in favor of Economy. I firmly believe that we could materially reduce the expenses of the county, thereby bringing a decided reduction in our tax-rate; therefore I have decided to again enter the race for this important office and since I have served you in this capacity on a previous occasion, I feel that you will agree that I am qualified for the proper discharge of the duties of this office. I shall endeavor to see as many of you as possible between now and the July Primary, but in the meantime, I want you and each of you to consider this my personal request for your support and influence in my behalf in my race for Commissioner for Precinct No. 1 of Callahan County.

J. W. Hammons

Mrs. Will McCoy Announces For County Treasurer

Mrs. Will McCoy's announcement for reelection to the office of County Treasurer will be found in this issue.

Mrs. McCoy has served the citizens of Callahan county faithfully and efficiently as County Treasurer and seeks reelection on her past record and merits. See her announcement below.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

In announcing for reelection for County Treasurer, I am sincerely grateful for your confidence and trust in me in the past. It has been a real pleasure to serve you also a means of support for myself and three children. My appreciation for this honor I have tried to express in honest, courteous and efficient service.

The various Financial Programs during the past few years has added many extra duties to the County Treasurer's office some of which have been rather complicated requiring much time and study in order to handle intelligently. I feel that my experience through these distressing times has qualified me to give you better service, if I may have the opportunity of further serving you.

The vote and influence of every person in Callahan County will be highly appreciated.

Mrs. Will McCoy

Mrs. S. E. Settle Announces For County Clerk

Mrs. S. E. Settle announces this week as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Clerk which she is now serving her first term.

Mrs. Settle is as capable and courteous in the discharge of her official duties as her husband, the lamented S. E. Settle, who perhaps had more close friends than any one person in Callahan County. Mrs. Settle seeks the office on her merits and qualifications. See her announcement below.

TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

I wish to express my appreciation to you for your kindness in

OFFICERS

- TOM WINDHAM, President
- HENRY JAMES, Vice-President
- ACE HICKMAN, Vice-President
- A. R. KELTON, Vice-President
- BOB NORRELL, Cashier
- HOWARD E. FARMER, Asst. Cashier
- C. V. JONES, Asst. Cashier

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The First National Bank, of Baird, Texas

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1937

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$155,470.85
State Warrants and other securities	40,700.77
Banking House and Fixtures	6,837.00
Other Real Estate	6,651.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,850.00
Other Assets	797.31

CASH:

U. S. Bonds and U. S. Obligations	\$382,832.44
State of Texas and Other Bonds	61,935.47
Bills of Exchange	12,921.21
Cash and Due From Banks	561,431.43

TOTAL \$1,231,427.48

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus, Profits and Reserves	33,428.13
DEPOSITS	1,147,999.35



TOTAL \$1,231,427.48

The Above Statement is Correct. BOB NORRELL, Cashier.

electing me County Clerk at the Democratic Primaries of 1936. During the time I have served I have put forth every effort to familiarize myself with the intricate details of keeping and zealously looking after the records and many different phases of the office of County Clerk, striving always to serve you efficiently and courteously. The salary paid me for this work has been used for maintaining myself and my family; and I assure you that I feel indebted to you for enabling me to do my part towards my family. I am hereby announcing for re-election and in asking you, as voters, to re-elect me to this important office, I want to assure you that I will continue to attend to the duties of the office in such a manner as to meet with your satisfaction and approval, if I may again have your consideration and support.

Mrs. S. E. Settle

About Town

With Otto B. Grate

Now that the new year has been properly hip hoorayed and Auld Lang Syne we can settle back to normal and take another hey ride around the home village.

Best news of the week to Baird Cinema fans should be "Second Honey Moon" coming Sunday and Monday to the Plaza. The stars are Lorretta Young and Tyrone Power with a supporting cast that includes Claire Trevor, Stuart Irwin, and Majorie Weaver. Marjorie Weaver is the new sensation who rings up a score that calls for stardom, and Tyrone Power, you know has currently become the fly in the Robert Taylor ointment—and what a fly. He is everything the press agents claim for Taylor and puts himself over minus the latters collar add technique.

Tuesday and Wednesday will not be bargain nights. Manager Pawket plans to spring a new one on his patrons, and though I don't get the hang of it, he says he is going to give away a job (nice work if you can get it). At any rate it promises to be entertainment along a different line. Sunday and Monday week will give you a chance to decide for yourself whether you like Astaire straight or with Ginger. Damsel-in Distress is the name of the new vehicle that stars Fred without his former dancing partner. Gracie Allen, George Burns, Ray Noble help out the comedy and Joan Fontain is the heart throb.

Come and gone with the holidays were Norman and Kenneth George, Judson Atchison, J. C. McGee, Catherine James, Maxine Williams, Johnnie Mae Hughes, Kay McCoy, Beryl Owens, Susie Lee Smith, Betty Wheeler, Buddy Hart, Beatrice Hickman, Randall Jackson, Billie Harris, Alvin and Doyle Chrisman, Ida Louise Fetterley, Clifton Hill, Billie Harris, Bland Bounds, Leland Jackson, Thaxton McGowan, Greer Holmes, Dan Mitchell Laverne Mitchell; let me see, I think that about sums it up.

I hope Youve missed them, I certainly have, and hope it will be good news to you that the biographical feature of your around town column is to start anew with

the new year. Here's number one.

Mrs. J. A. (Andrew) Jackson came to Callahan county in 1876 with her parents, who settled on Deep Creek. Mrs. Jackson was born in Palo Pinto and moved to West Texas while she was a very little girl. Her home was first in Coleman but a few years later the family moved to Callahan. Mrs. Jackson married her husband in 1880 and they moved to Vigo, now known as Chautauqua, and built their home.

Those were the times, Mrs. Jackson says, when neighbors were neighbors and everyone was in for a good time. They weren't as hard to please either as they are today. All that was needed for and evenings entertainment was for some one to send out the word that they were pushing back the furniture for a dance and for everyone to come, and if I'm not far from wrong, Mrs. Jackson "pushed back the furniture" as man times as anyone. People came from far and wide to her parties and had the time of their lives. If it was an occasion when supper was to be served the neighbors helped and by the time the guests arrived there was enough turkey, pies and cakes to feed the community. The music was furnished by local musicians; always in demand were Jim White Alf Manning, and W. K. Boatwright.

Though these days are gone and only to be recalled through the lane of memory, Mrs. Jackson retains her love of a good time, and as she so ably put it, "I enjoy life. While I have two legs that will hold me up I'm going to go, while I have two eyes I am going to see, because when they lay me down for the last time it will be for a long time." If that isn't the right attitude then will you please let me know when a better one is found? There is little wonder that Baird values Mrs. Jackson as one of its citizens and boasts of the fact that she was among the first who helped make it the town it is.

Political Notice

The rate on Political Announcements are as follows:

- All District Offices, \$10.00.
- All County Offices, including County Judge, Sheriff, County Clerk, Tax Assessor-Collector, County Superintendent, Treasurer and County Commissioner, \$10 each.

County Attorney and District Clerk, \$5; Constable and Justice of the Peace, \$2.50 each.

All Candidates for office and friends of Candidates who desire to promote political campaigns, will be asked to pay cash for announcements and other forms of advertising pertaining to politics run in The Star. This announcement is published to prevent embarrassment to either candidate or publisher.

This policy is a rule with practically all newspapers and The Star is in line with the majority in making this request. All announcements should be complete when handed in for publication and additional statements for publication during the campaign will be charged for at the regular rate.

Griggs Hospital News

Miss Bessie Mae Browning is a patient suffering from gastric ulcer was given a blood transfusion Wednesday afternoon.

Joe Vines who was operated for appendicitis and hernia Wednesday is resting well at his time.

Mrs. Walter Jones of Rowden was a surgical patient Monday.

Daniel, 5 year old son of Hicks Bryson, of Colorado who has been suffering from bronchial pneumonia and acute nephritis is improving and was carried to the home of his grand father at Oplin yesterday.

Marilyn baby girl of Jack Gilliland who was a patient last week suffering from acute nephritis is improving and has been carried home.

B. H. Freeland Cottonwood is a medical patient.

Pete Brooks of Oplin was an X-ray patient the past week.

J. G. Austin of Baird, who was operated for appendicitis, Monday of last week was moved to his home a few days ago.

We have stored near, Baird, one baby grand piano, one small studio upright and a good practice piano, will sell for amount against them rather than ship. For information, write G. H. Jackson, credit manager, 1101, Elm St. Dallas, Texas.

GUARANTEED SORE-THROAT RELIEF!

If one bottle of Anesthesia-Mop, our new sore-throat mop fails to relieve sore-throat-The purchase price will be cheerfully refunded 5-12t. CITY PHARMACY.

Announcing— BARGAIN DAYS (Now Until December 31st) Fort Worth STAR-TELEGRAM

For a short time the mail subscription price per year has been reduced from \$10.00 Daily and Sunday to \$7.45. From \$8.00 Daily Without Sunday to \$6.45.

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Personal

Miss Crystal Jackson, of Fort Worth spent the holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Allman are visiting relatives in Wingate Texas.

Bill Haworth of Fort Worth visited Bland Bounds during the holidays.

Dr. G. A. Hamlett of Lubbock visited relatives and friends in Baird during the holidays.

Mrs. Thelma Cowan and Miss Hulene Brown of Dallas spent the holidays with home folks in Baird.

Rev. R. A. Walker will fill his regular appointments at the Presbyterian Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton and daughter Helen spent Christmas with relatives in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Story have returned to their home in Tulsa Okla. after spending Christmas with his sister Mrs. J. L. Allman

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols are visiting Mrs. Nichols grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright in Mission Texas.

Mrs. F. E. Neel who spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allman has returned to her home in Prague, Okla.

Mrs. Geo. Page and little daughter Elaine, of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Pages parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Connor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Graves and little daughter Marjorie of Anson spent Christmas day with Mrs. Graves parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and little son George Jr. of San Benito visited relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. W. J. Cook and Mrs. Frank Estes were called to Sweetwater Tuesday by the serious illness of Mrs. Cooks mother.

Mrs. S. F. Russell, of Cisco visited her son and daughter, B. F. Russell and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell and families during the holidays.

Judge Otis Bowyer and Mayor H. Schwartz, who have been ill for the past three weeks are reported improving.

LOST—Thursday night somewhere in Baird, small yellow gold Lady Bulova wristwatch with black band. Received as a Christmas present. Please return to The Star office and collect suitable reward.

Subscription Bargain Rates Still Good

The Stars subscription bargain rates are still good and will be until midnight, Monday, Jan. 31. The rate is \$1.00 in Callahan county and \$1.50 outside the county. Saving 50 cents to our subscribers. All subscribers who are in arrears must take care of their account if they want to continue reading the paper.

We have tried always to be lenient with our subscribers and a number of times have "wiped the slate clean" on subscriptions accounts to enable our subscribers to continue taking the paper, but we cannot do it this time as news print has advanced about 20 per cent, effective Jan. 1st and we ask that subscribers be prompt in paying subscriptions as with the increased cost of paper as well as other things necessary in running a newspaper makes it impossible for us to continue sending the paper when no effort has been made to pay subscriptions.

We try always to give our readers news while it is news and we sincerely appreciate the co-operation we have had from our subscribers, many of whom have never been in arrears since becoming subscribers, some of them have been on the list for the past 50 years.

Please be prompt with your subscriptions account. This is election year and you will want your home paper, and we want you on our subscription list. When you come in to pay taxes bring along your subscription dollar, also. It is our earnest desire to give you a good weekly paper but we must have your help.

Mrs. Mary Guyton of Putnam and nephew, Eddie Doucet, of San Mateo, California who is spending the holidays with his aunt were Baird visitors Tues.

Mrs. Georgie Lusby returned Friday from Grapevine, where she spent the holidays with her son, Wendell Fraser and family. She also visited her brother, H. H. Gregory and family in Fort Worth

Mesdames Frank Walker, Earl Frazier, Bean Roberson, Tom Utley, A. C. Anderson and Mrs. Trott, of Strawn were guests of Mrs. Ormes, head nurse at Griggs hospital during the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haley and daughter Errolene of Big Spring Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogivy and children of Odessa spent Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowlius.

Miss Avanel Webb, a student in Draughons Business College, Abilene spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Webb in the Midway Community.

Mrs. Chas. Roe Kieley and daughters Colleen and Patsy of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gee and children of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Work, of Abilene visited their father B. L. Boydston and other relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. James Ross, who has been a patient in the Hendricks Memorial hospital Abilene for resetting of her leg broken in a car wreck some weeks ago is improving and was brought home yesterday afternoon.

F. W. Miller who was seriously injured in an automobile wreck near Clyde some three weeks ago and has since been a patient in the Griggs hospital has recovered sufficiently to leave for his home in Baltimore Maryland. Mrs. Miller who was also slightly injured in the crash accompanied him also her sister who came from Baltimore to be with them.

Dr. W. S. Hamlet, was called last week to the bedside of Mrs. Hamlett who was visiting her son Dr. Earl Hamlett in Memphis Tenn. Mrs. Hamlett who was suffering with pneumonia is reported improving and is expected to return home today possibly.

FOR RENT—South-east bedroom private entrance, garage. See or call Mrs. Will McCoy at courthouse or residence, Phone 106, 51t

WOOD—Dead mesquite or oak wood. \$3.50 per cord sawed stove length. Jack Benson. 51p

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Callahan.

To Those Indebted To Or Holding Claims Against The Estate of J. Rupert Jackson, Deceased; The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of J. Rupert Jackson, deceased, late of Callahan County, Texas, by L. B. Lewis, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 17 day of November, 1937 hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within time prescribed by law at the office of Jackson Abstract Co., in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, where he received his mail. This the 6th day of January, 1938 J. Rupert Jackson, Jr., Administrator of the Estate of J. Rupert Jackson, deceased.

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 Wet Wash.....3c per pound
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 There are more than 30 peaks in Colorado which exceed an elevation of 14,000 feet.

Four States Commonwealths
 Four states designate themselves as commonwealths, rather than states: Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Kentucky.

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MAY WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU THAT MADE THIS POSSIBLE. MAY WE MERIT YOUR PATRONAGE IN 1938

SPECIALS, Fri. & Sat., JAN 7-8

APPLES FINE FOR SCHOOL	DOZ.	15c
LETTUCE NICE HEADS	2 FOR	9c
CELERY NICE BUNCH ttt		10c
NEW POTATOES	3 LBS.	14c
SUGAR PURE CANE Cloth Bag	10 LBS.	52c
EARLY RISER—Ground Fresh		
COFFEE at time of purchase	LB.	17c
TOMATO JUICE So Called Gallons		43c
PURE RIBBON CANE SYRUP	GAL.	59c
FLOUR RED and WHITE	48 LBS.	\$1.79
JELLY 4 FRUIT FLAVORS	5 LB. TIN	45c
HOMINY	TALL CAN	5c

OUR BEEF AND PORK IS ALL FRESH HOME KILLED—TASTE THE DIFFERENCE.

FRESH PURE SAUSAGE	2 LBS.	45c
SALT PORK No. 1 GRADE	LB.	15c
PLENTY of MEAT FRESH PORK RIBS	Lb.	20c
STEAK GOOD AND TENDER	2 LBS.	33c
BEEF ROAST FED BEEF	LB.	16c
FRESH LIVER BEEF or PORK	3 LBS.	35c

RED & WHITE

The Giant's Causeway
 The Giant's Causeway is a line of three perpendicular cliffs on the northeastern coast of Ireland. According to legend they were built by giants. The three cliffs are formed of vertical basalt columns and called the Little Causeway, the Middle Causeway and the Grand Causeway. The last has a width of nearly 120 feet and extends about 500 feet into the sea.
Inevitable Work
 Work is the inevitable condition of human life, the true source of human welfare.
Conquering Fate
 Those who await no gifts from chance have conquered fate.

SPECIALS

For Friday and Saturday, Jan. 7-g
 48 Lb. Minimax FLOUR guaranteed \$1.50
 5 Lb. MEAL, Blue Bird 12c
 8 Lbs. SHORTENING 85c
 10 Lbs. SUGAR 54c
 1 Lb. Bliss COFFEE 23c

3 Cans No. 2 CORN
 3 Cans No. SPINACH
 3 Cans No. 2 ENGLISH PEAS
 3 Cans No. 2 TOMATOES
 3 Cans No. 2 KRAUT
for 25

MARKET SPECIALS
 Deckes Cerro- Sliced BACON 25c
 Chuck ROAST choice baby beef 17c
 LOIN or T-BONE 25c
 Pure PORK SAUSAGE 20c
 Parkey Oleomargaine 1 grade 17c
 BOLANGA 15c

ALLEN CASH GROCERY

Wake Island
 Wake island is a small coral formation in the Pacific ocean, belonging to the United States; in latitude 19 degrees north, longitude, 166 degrees, 31 minutes east; about 2,000 miles west of Honolulu and 1,300 miles east of Guam. It is nearly in a direct line between those places, and is in the course of vessels sailing from the United States and Hawaii to China and the Philippines. An aviation base was established there by the Pan-American Airways in 1935-36. It was discovered in 1796, charted by Captain Wilkes in 1841, formally occupied July 4, 1898.

PAY CASH—AND SAVE

FLOUR, Five Roses, 48 Lbs.	\$1.39
PRUNES, Lb.	5c
APRICOTS, 2 Lbs.	29c
SUPER SUDS with glass plate	19c
SALT PORK, Lb.	19c
APPLES, Jonathan, Dozen	9c
ORANGES, Texas Fine Fruit, Doz.	21c
POTATOES, 10 Lbs.	19c

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Harp Family Hold Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Harp, pioneer residents of Baird, had all their children home Christmas, the first time all have been at home at the same time in seven years. The children are: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harp, of Grand Junction, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charnel Harp and children Durane and Judy of Cheyenne, Wells, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ramsey, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Jones; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harville and children, Mary Lillian and C. J., Jr., Baird; Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Harville and children Shelba and Adaline, Oplin.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY ANNOUNCES CONTEST WINNERS

Dr. Clarence E. Gilmore, of Paris is announced as first grand prize winner in the Lone Star Gas System photograph contest which closed December 18. His award is \$100. George I. Fetzer of Dallas received second award of \$75; Mrs. Ruby F. Clements, of Fort Worth, third with \$50; and Mrs. J. D. Coulter of Bowie, fourth with \$25.

Announcement of the grand prize award is made this week by the gas company through an advertisement appearing in this issue of the paper.

A complete list of winners of weekly \$10 awards made during the contest is also given in the gas system's advertisement. A total of 100 \$10 prizes was given by the company, ten each week during the contest, which opened October 11, for ten ten best pictures submitted.

McKinley's Favorite Hymn
 President McKinley's favorite hymn was "Lead, Kindly Light." It was sung at the funeral service in Canton and also at the services held at the Capitol in Washington. The hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," was played by the Marine Band at the services at the Capitol.

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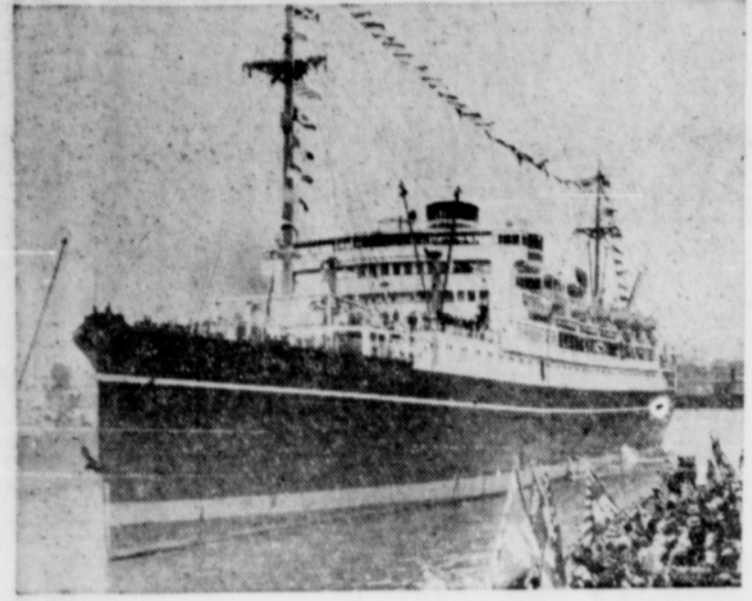
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News Review of Current Events

30,000 LOSE THEIR JOBS

General Motors Reduces Its Working Force . . . President May Ask for Additional Warships

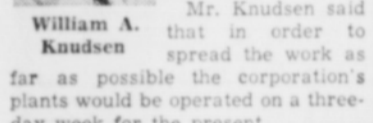


This is the Japanese liner Tatsuta Maru which was raided by custom agents just before she sailed from San Francisco for the Far East.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Auto Workers Let Out

GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION starts off the New Year by reducing its working force by approximately 30,000 in its various plants in the United States.



Mr. Knudsen said that in order to spread the work as far as possible the corporation's plants would be operated on a three-day week for the present.

"The corporation has kept its men employed up to very recently by reducing the hours given per man in order to help the general economic situation in the communities where plants are located."

In making his announcement at a press conference, the General Motors head said that in his opinion one of the main reasons for the current business recession was the fact that the price level rose too fast in the spring of 1937 and that the nation could not digest it.

Commenting on the bad news about General Motors, Senator Van Nuys of Indiana declared that congress should act immediately to restore business confidence.

At the same time the Navy department announced the departure of four American cruisers to Australia. The asserted purpose of this is to participate in the celebration of the sesquicentennial of the Australian commonwealth.

Under the Constitution the President is commander in chief of the army and navy and has, therefore, a very specific duty to safeguard the defense of national interests.

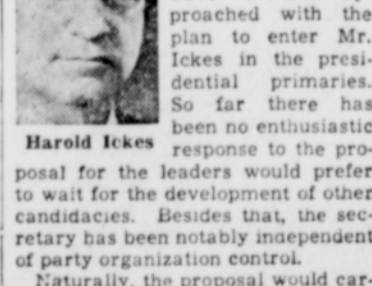
President's position, said, "We must be prepared to lick hell out of anyone jeopardizing our safety."

Dodd Leaves Berlin WILLIAM E. DODD, who resigned as ambassador to Germany, and Mrs. Dodd sailed from Hamburg for the United States.

THE Irish Free State went out of existence as its new constitution went into effect, and now its 26 counties are officially known as Eire in Gaelic and Ireland in English.

THIRTY-SIX men, convicted in the mine bombing conspiracy case in Illinois, were sentenced by Federal Judge C. G. Brigley at Springfield to four years imprisonment and fines of \$20,000 each.

FROM Chicago comes the interesting news that friends of Secretary of the Interior Ickes have started a small boom for him as the favorite son candidate of Illinois for the presidential nomination in 1940.



NATURALLY, the proposal would carry no weight unless President Roosevelt makes it plain that he will follow tradition and refuse a third term.

Unemployment Grows ACCORDING to the Works Progress Administration, 2,000,000 persons have lost their jobs since September 1 and 1,000,000 more may be out of work by the end of February.

What Irvin S. Cobb Thinks about Magazine Solicitors.

HOUSTON, TEX.—What has become of all the struggling collegians, ranging in age up to fifty-five, who used to solicit magazine subscriptions so they could spend another semester at dear old Bushwah?

But our consolation was that we'd aided all those earnest undergraduates to complete the education for which they panted as the hart panteth after the waterbrook.

Can it be that the gallant army packed the campuses until vast numbers got crushed in the jam? Or is it that many of them are getting too old to travel around? Lately there has been an unaccountable falling-off in the business.

P. S.—I have on hand a complete file for 1935 of the Northwestern Bee Raiser which I would like to trade for a ukulele.

Matriarchy's Approach. SOME inspired philosopher—and not a woman either—declares that within a century women will dominate every imaginable field of human endeavor.

ON ONE stretch of road down here—and it is not a main-traveled highway and this not exactly the tourist season—I saw cars bearing license tags of nine separate states, ranging from New Hampshire and Florida to Utah and Oregon.

Like most evil things, sectionalism and parochial prejudices and with Vermont neighbor to Virginia and the Dakotas talking it over with the Carolinas, there's seed being sown which inevitably must sprout a finer yield of Americanism than any our land ever produced—if only we keep the tares of communism and the chaff of snobbery out of the crop.

What price, then, the wearers of the black shirts and the white sheets; the parlor pinks, the yellow internationalists and the red flag wavers?

Freedom of the Press. DICTATORS invariably cancel freedom of the press and curb freedom of education. Otherwise, they fail.

Although he uttered the words over 250 years ago, Governor Berkeley of Virginia spoke for all the breed of political tyrants when he said: "I thank God there are no free schools, nor printing, for learning has brought disobedience and heresy into the world, and printing has divulged them."

Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

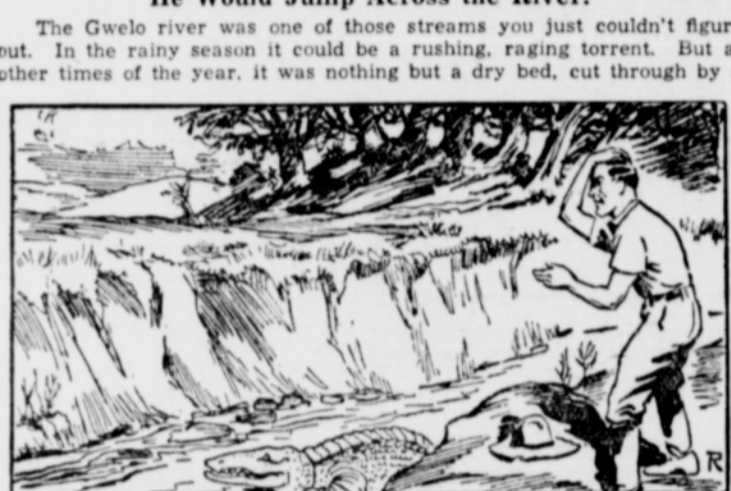
HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

"John Dunker's Jump"

HELLO, EVERYBODY: Well, by golly, today we have with us a guy who has chased old lady Adventure in some of the farthest corners of the globe.

John didn't class the Boer war as an adventure, though. The yarn he craves into the Adventurers' club with happened after that mixup was all over. After John's regiment was paid off and disbanded, he went up to Bulawayo—went broke there and, hearing of a job up in Gwelo, a hundred and fifteen miles to the north, trekked up there on foot.

The Gwelo river was one of those streams you just couldn't figure out. In the rainy season it could be a rushing, raging torrent. But at other times of the year, it was nothing but a dry bed, cut through by a



The "Tree Trunk" Had Its Jaws Wide Open.

little trickle of water that a man could jump over. It ran down to the Zambesi, one of the biggest rivers in Africa, and it was usually full of crocodiles, and queer fish, and other strange and awesome denizens of the African waters.

The place where John worked was on one side of the Gwelo and the corral where the horses were kept was on the other. In the rainy season, when the river was high, you had to go long, long, over the bridge, to get to the horses, but in the dry season, John used to save time by going straight across.

He raced down the bank, made his running jump, and landed on the dead tree as usual, but there was something about that tree trunk that wasn't as it should be. It felt peculiar when John landed on it. And it seemed to him that the doggone thing moved a bit when he lit.

What John saw from the top of the bank sort of amazed him, at first. But his amazement soon gave way to another sort of feeling altogether. The first thing he noticed was that he hadn't crossed the river in his usual place at all. The tree trunk he usually stepped on was lying near the bank ten or fifteen yards downstream. In his preoccupation, he had crossed the river in the wrong place.

Well, that's what gave him the shock of his life. When he turned to look from the top of the bank, the first thing he noticed was that that tree trunk had started out of the water after him. It had its jaws wide open, that tree trunk did, and it had a couple of beady little eyes that seemed to be registering disappointment over the fact that it had just missed a juicy morsel as had ever jumped right smack at it.

Yep—you're right. That tree trunk was a full-grown, MAN-EATING CROCODILE!

"How did I feel then?" says John. "Well, at that moment, every experience I'd ever had in my life faded right into insignificance."

Standard Gauge R. R. Track The standard gauge of railroad track in the United States, that is, the distance between the inside of the heads of the rails, is 4 feet 8 1/2 inches.

The Language of Christ The language used by Christ was the Aramaic, a dialect of northern Syria. The Israelites were much in contact with Aramaean populations, and some words from that tongue became incorporated into the Hebrew at an early date.

Improved Uniform International LESSON

Lesson for January 9 PREPARING FOR A LIFE OF SERVICE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 1:1-13. GOLDEN TEXT—Prepare ye the way of the Lord.—Mark 1:3. PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus Was Baptized.

"The beginning of the Gospel of Jesus Christ"—what an interesting expression! Did it not begin back before the foundation of the world? Yes, for the death of Christ was no mere afterthought in God's plan. But now we have the coming into the world of the One who was the Lamb slain from before the world's founding.

I. The Herald of Christ (vv. 1-8). The prophets had pointed forward to the coming of Christ. John the Baptist, of whom our Lord said that there was not a greater among the prophets, now appears to proclaim his presence and prepare the way for him.

John was a unique personality, admirably fitted to proclaim a stern message of repentance to a decadent age. Let us not put aside or ridicule strangely clad and unusual folk who have a word for us from God.

"Repent"—that was his message from the Lord. America needs that message today. The Christian doctrine of repentance has been set aside by some because they dislike its convicting power, and by others through theological readjustment. It needs re-affirmation.

II. The Baptism of Christ (vv. 9-11). The account in Mark is brief but it brings before us the fact that the sinless Son of God thus identified his holy self with sinful humanity which he had come to save.

III. The Temptation of Christ (vv. 12, 13). As a final preparation for and an intimation of what would be met in his ministry the Holy Spirit led our Lord into the wilderness to be tempted of Satan.

We recall as we consider the temptation of Jesus, that he was without sin, that there was no fallen nature in him to which Satan could appeal. The temptation or testing of Jesus was therefore along Messianic lines, but the principles both of temptation and victory are similar to those of our own experience.

The Devil has only three real temptations to present, "the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life" (I John 2:16). These he used with Jesus as he tempted him to make food for his hungry body, to look at the kingdoms of this earth and attain them by a wrong method, and to presume on God's grace by throwing himself from the pinnacle of the temple.

Victory came through the use of God's Word. We need to learn that lesson and not attempt to defeat Satan with any man-made weapons of will-power, logic, or culture. Jesus was certain of victory. He is our victory. Learn to know him as Saviour and Lord. Study God's Word and learn how to use it in spiritual conflict. Yield to the Holy Spirit. Victory lies that way, and nowhere else.

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Methodist Church

With eighteen members present the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met for its first social and pledge meeting of the new year with Mrs. Brice Jones Monday. Year books were distributed and signed by all members, the total quota being realized.

After a social hour a light menu was served by the hostesses, Mesdames Jones, Henderson and Sutherland, consisting of sandwiches, fruit cake topped with cream and hot coffee.

The following officers have been chosen for the ensuing year. They were duly and formally installed by the pastor Rev. Hamilton Wright at the evening service Sunday.

President, Mrs. W. A. Fetterly; vice-president, Mrs. Hamilton Wright; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ace Hickman; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Bob Norrell; Local and Conference Treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Hutchison; Superintendent of Mission Study, Mrs. V. E. Hill; Superintendent of Christian Social Relations, Mrs. Lua James; Agent and Publicity of World Outlook, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds; Secretary of Child Work, Mrs. Elliot; Superintendent of Baby Division, Mrs. I. Corn; Superintendent of Supplies, Mrs. Brice Jones.

Sixteen officers and teachers and 89 pupils were present at Sunday School Sunday, with a collection of \$5.75. The attendance was 10 more than at the same time last year. However, the aftermath of the holidays kept down attendance. Let's make it 140 next Sunday. Night attendance was good.

A feature Sunday morning was the choir. It was composed almost entirely of young men and women a good indication.

At the evening hour the pastor installed the officers of the W. M. S.

Remember the Waco Orphanage if you have not given your offering do so at once. Sunday January 9 has been set apart as Mc Murry College Day—Education day. Also remember subscriptions to the Southwestern Advocate are now due.

Stewards and their wives appreciate the entertainment and refreshments given at the last meeting of the board of stewards in the basement of the church. W. A. Fetterly, chairman of the board of stewards, was leader, and his family served the good things.

The pastor attended a retreat of 32 itinerant ministers of the Abilene District at First Church Tuesday. The retreat began at 10 a. m. and closed at 4. The entire time was given to prayer, fasting and discussion of spiritual hopes in the Aldersgate Campaign now being waged throughout Southern Methodism.

The pastor especially urges those who have been irregular in attendance to start the New Year right by coming to the services. Temporal prosperity, according to Roger W. Babson, noted statistician and economist, cannot return until the people return to God and spiritual things. Are you doing your part for economic and religious recovery? Especially does the pastor cordially invite railroad men to the services. Himself an old "rail," he appreciates, sympathizes and loves the men of the rail.

The Men's Class at the church invites all men not now attending elsewhere to be with us Sunday. Ace Hickman brings a clear elucidation of the lesson and the roundtable discussion by members makes the hour very interesting, instructive and spiritual.

Well, the pastor and his family certainly are in love with Baird and its people. We want to serve. We are here for Christian and social service.

On Baird Campus

Wheels of learning started turning this week in the Baird Schools after ten days of Christmas vacation, and if they were slightly rusty from the holidays it wasn't at all noticeable.

Grammar school upper grades are agog with prospects of the football banquet scheduled for Friday. Started some three years ago this custom of the Juniors of topping off their football season with a banquet has become the highlight of the semester for the fifth, sixth, and seventh grades. This year's affair will be held in the Quality Cafe.

One important improvement effected in the Grammar school over the holidays is the lighting system installed in the Grammar school. The High School has all ways had lights but they are a new and welcome thing to the lower grades.

Not in the same line with installation of electricity (though he is a live wire and an improvement the boys say) is the new Coach who takes Mr. Rundell's place. Coach Bill White will see his first week of duty in the new position this week and from all reports he is both satisfied and satisfactory.

The home economics classes in the High school are completing

this semesters work and preparing for the style show scheduled sometime in January.

Also due in January is the stage play "The Nervous Wreck" presentation has been delayed until new scenery can be obtained but the play ought to be worth waiting for.

Baptist Association Program, Jan. 11

The Callahan Baptist Association Workers Conference will meet with the Clyde Baptist Church January 11, 1938 at 10:00 A. M.

10:00 A. M.—Devotional Song and Praise Service, led by Rev. J. S. Tierce.

10:15—"How, or the Manner in which, a Christian should face this New Year", by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, Baird.

10:45, A. M.—"The Work that God has for His People To Do," by Rev. F. A. Hollis, Putnam.

11:15, A. M.—Special Music.

11:20, A. M.—"God's Plan for Supporting His Work", Rev. C. A. Powell, Abilene.

NOON

1:00, P. M.—Devotional Song and Prayer Service, led by Rev. Ross Respass.

1:15, P. M.—Report on Lued-

ers Baptist Encampment.

1:30, P. M.—Board Meeting with Reports and a Round Table Discussion of our work.

2:45, P. M.—Inspirational Address, by Rev. Tidwell, Pastor of the Potosi Baptist Church.

A Blind March

When Washington made that famous march southward in 1781, from New York to confront Cornwallis at Yorktown, his army consisted of 2,000 Continentals and 4,000 Frenchmen, and none save Washington and the French commander, Rochambeau, knew when they started out where they were going.

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With Baird Baptist

We are into the new year now and all are urged to get at their duties. Let's all make good hands for our master this year. You know one likes to work for one who pays well and is easy on the hands, well there is no one who pays so well and who is so fine to the workers as does our Lord.

We will have our Sunday school at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, preaching at 11 and 7:30 and the B. T. U. at 6:30 P. M. there is a place for every one and every one is needed and every one needs just what they can get at our church. We not only offer but will give in full measure, good old time singing and pure old fashioned gospel preaching, and you will find at our church a most sincere and hearty welcome why not come? I will preach next Sunday on the Perfect Plan of God, now you think you know what I am going to say, but I will fool you, if you will come and hear it and it is not different to what you expected I will give you a purity, yes sir, this is a new one full of thought and pep come get boy it is for you.

We are to get at the new parsonage now and get this preacher and his family out of the weather, well not exactly out of the weather, for it is a lot better shelter than some have, but all are agreed that something is badly in need of being done and that is our first big job for this year.

I will preach at Midway Sunday afternoon and I am asking everyone out that way to be present we might have something special and if any one is out they will miss it. I am of the opinion that we will have something out of the usual this time. I can not tell you what it is you will just have to come and see and hear for yourself.

Looking and hoping for a nice big good new year all the way thru I am and ever shall be a friend to this old world full of suffering creatures made in Gods image but marred and broken by sin and Satan.

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