



## Baird to Have Trades Day and Free Rodeo Mon. Apr. 8

### J. B. Walker Died In Oklahoma Tuesday

J. B. Walker, well known pioneer cowman of Callahan county, died in Erick, Oklahoma Tuesday morning at 6:45 following an illness of only a few days. He was taken ill Thursday at the Davis ranch near Texola. His condition became serious later and he was carried to a hospital in Erick. His brother and sister, J. P. Walker and Miss Susie Walker were notified and Miss Susie and her nephews, Less and Vernon Walker left at once for his bedside, but he was unconscious when they reached there and never rallied.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker of Whittenberg and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Walker of Shamrock were also at their uncle's bedside when death came.

The remains were brought overland to the home of J. P. Walker, reaching here about five o'clock Wednesday morning and at one o'clock was carried to Admiral the old home of the deceased for burial. Funeral services were held in the Baptist church there the rites being conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church of Baird. Following the services the Odd Fellows of which order deceased had been a member for more than 40 years, took charge and interred the remains in the family plot in Admiral cemetery with his father, mother two brothers and other relatives. Many friends and relatives were present to pay a last tribute of love and respect.

J. B. Walker was a native of Mississippi, being born at Independence, on Sept. 8, 1855. He came to Callahan county with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Walker in 1877. The family established a home in the Admiral community where members of the family have since resided.

J. B. Walker followed the life of a cowman. He took his first job when in his early twenties, with John Merchant, pioneer ranchman where he worked for several years. He later worked for Sam Cutbirth another pioneer cowman and drove the Cutbirth cattle to Presidio county in 1886 when due to a continued draught many cattle were driven from this county to that section. He spent about ten years in West Texas and later worked as a line rider on the Seven Heart ranch which was owned by Jim and Bill Edwards and Kelly Kendall.

In 1894 he went with the late O. P. Jones, of this county with a herd of cattle to Greer county taking a small bunch of his own cattle. He continued with Mr. Jones until the latter sold his ranch interests in Greer Co. to Champ and Ed Davis of Erick Oklahoma and continued to work with Davis Bros. until his death. He owned some cattle and land in that section, also a farm at Admiral.

Mr. Walker was a typical cowman and spent most of his life in the great open spaces. His was truly "a home on the range", but he has ridden the last round-up and reached the end of the trail of a long, useful and happy life.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Erick Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and many of his old friends from Mobeetie, Shamrock, Texola and other places attended the services.

Mr. Walker is survived by his only sister, Miss Susie Walker to whom he was devoted, and one brother, J. P. Walker, also a number of nieces and nephews, among them, Rob and Less Walker and Mrs. Sim Smith of Denton; Mrs. L. L. Ford, Mrs. Ben Ross and Charlie Walker of Baird. Three brothers, Bob his twin brother, John and F. L. Walker, preceded him in death.

Mr. Walker was here Christmas on his usual annual visit and seemed to be in his usual good health and his death came as a great shock to his relatives here.

W. O. Wylie, undertakers of Baird were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Active pall bearers were members of the Odd Fellows. Honorary pall bearers were: H. A. McWhorter, W. G. Bowls, B. L. Boydston, Joe Mitchell, Jesse Hart and H. Schwartz.

### County Council Organized For Co.

A County Council of Parent and Teachers was organized at a meeting held in Baird, Friday March 29. Mrs. W. B. Gunn, Vice-President of 1st District of State Federation of Parent-Teachers Association presided for the meeting.

Mrs. Ace Hickman of Baird was elected President, Mrs. Harvey Hayes of Clyde Vice-President, Mrs. R. L. Clinton Putnam Secretary and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough of Union Treasurer.

Others attending the session were Mrs. L. C. Cash, Pioneer, Mrs. Norman Finley, Baird, Mrs. T. J. Collins Clyde, Mrs. D. P. Hollis, Clyde, Mrs. H. W. Smith Baird, Mrs. Chas. Coats, Baird, Mrs. J. F. Boren, Baird, Mrs. B. L. Russell Jr. Baird, Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough, Baird, Mrs. Corn, Baird, Mrs. N. M. George, Baird, Mrs. E. E. Saunderman of Putnam, Mrs. E. N. Hull, Putnam, Mrs. M. A. Burnam, Putnam, Mrs. Olaf South, Clyde, Mrs. W. B. Barton, Clyde, Mrs. D. S. Mc Gee, Baird, Mrs. J. H. Hughes, Baird and Master Louis Gunn of Pioneer.

The next meeting will be held at Baird High School Auditorium, Friday May 26 at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program is being planned.

### Emergency Crop Loans

Field Supervisor Murrah Nolte of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas, states that applications for emergency crop loans and feed loans are now being received by the Callahan County Loan Committee, with officers located at Baird, Texas.

In accordance with the Act of Congress authorizing the loans, and regulations issued by Governor W. I. Myers of the Farm Credit Administration, loans will be made only to farmers who are unable to obtain elsewhere seed, fertilizers, supplies, feed or the necessary credit to purchase such items. Loans will not be made to applicants who can obtain credit in the amount needed from any other source including the production credit association.

Any farmer who has the necessary security should apply to the production credit association first. If the association is unable to make him a loan in the amount needed the farmer will receive a statement to that effect and will be considered eligible to apply for a loan from the emergency fund.

The regulations provide that the largest loan to one farmer this year is \$500 and the minimum \$10, but no loan may be made in an amount greater than is actually needed to cover the cash cost of purchasing seed, fertilizers, supplies, feed, etc. Loans will be made for the purpose of growing and harvesting crops, for summer fallowing, for purchasing feed for livestock; but not for the purpose of purchasing livestock or machinery, or for the payment of debts or taxes.

Loans will be made only to applicants who are cooperating with the Production Control Program of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

As in the past, the security for an emergency crop or feed loan will consist of a first lien on the crop financed or on the livestock to be fed. A tenant must also give a first lien by getting the landowner to waive his claim in favor of the crop lien; but the landowner is in no way obligated for repayment of his tenant's loan.

Checks in payment of approval loans will be issued by the Regional Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Dallas, Texas; and not by the field supervisor or the loan committee.

### EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Rev. Willis P. Gerhart will hold services at Episcopal Chapel of the Lord's Prayer Sunday April 7th. Holy Communion and Sermon. Subject, "Blessed is the Man."

NOTICE Don't forget the Post office Box Sale by the Presbyterian Ladies April 6 in the K of P building (down stairs) Box sale begins at 3 o'clock.

### T. B. Testing Program

Oplin, Monday night, 7 p m., April 8, 1935.  
Dudley, Wednesday, 4 p m., April 10, 1935.  
Denton, Wednesday night, 7 p m., April 10, 1935.  
Rowden, Friday night, 7 p m., April 12, 1935.

This meeting to be called by order of Commissioner, Grover E. Clare to sound out the opinion of the cattle producers as to whether they want to take advantage of the Federal aid on the T. B. Testing Program.

The Commissioners want a frank opinion from the majority as to what action to take.

I will meet with Mr. Clare and we will try to answer any question anyone might care to ask relative to this program.

ROSS B. JENKINS, Co. Agt.

### Miss Mildred Woodard Died Saturday

Miss Martha Mildred Woodard, 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Woodard, died at the family home in Baird Saturday, March 30, at 12:45, following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Admiral Sunday afternoon conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church of Baird, and interment made in the Admiral cemetery.

Miss Woodard was born at Admiral on July 31, 1921. She is survived by her parents, two brothers and three sisters, Thurman, Vincent, Bernice, Minnie and Winnie Woodard, also her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fulton.

### Manton Warren Died Here Tuesday

Charles Manton Warren, of Belle Plain who has been ill for several months, died at the Griggs hospital Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The remains were carried to the Wylie funeral parlor and prepared for burial and at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon were carried to Belle Plain where funeral services were held at the Methodist church, the rites being conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church of Baird, and interment made in the Belle Plain cemetery.

Manton Warren was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Warren of the Burnt Branch community where he was born Nov. 5, 1895. He was married to Miss Ethel Cheek of Belle Plain on June 20, 1922, who survives him. He is also survived by his parents, three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Harry, Baird Rt 1; Richard, of Dressy, and Homer of Cross Plains. The sisters are Mrs. Herndon Durhm of Lubbock; Mrs. Annie Haddock of Arizona and Miss Velma Warren of Burnt Branch.

Manton Warren was a veteran of the World War, serving in a motor truck company in Baltimore, Maryland.

### Two School Trustees To Be Elected Here Tomorrow

Two Trustees are to be elected by the Baird Independent School District tomorrow.

The present board is composed of R. F. Mayfield, president of the board Roy D. Williams, secretary; Colonel Dyer, E. Cooke, Fred Hollingshead, Bill Work and O. L. Black. Mr. Mayfield and Mr. Black are the members whose time expires.

All names of candidates for trustees must be filed with Mr. Williams, the secretary by 4 o'clock this, Friday afternoon, so ticket can be printed. Up to a late hour yesterday afternoon three names had been filed. They are: John Bryant of the old Iona district which is now consolidated with the Baird district, Lloyd Hughes and R. F. Mayfield. All are good men and will make good trustees. Mr. Mayfield has served on the board for several years and has made a splendid trustee and both Mr. Bryant and Mr. Hughes are known to favor good schools in every particular and would make good trustees.

The people of Baird School District should take more interest in their school which is an individual responsibility of every citizen. Show your interest in your school by voting for your preference as to who your trustees shall be.

The election will be held at the City Hall with Sam I. Smith as presiding officer.

The qualifications for voting in the trustee election is the same as required in other elections.

### DELPHIAN CHAPTER

The Delphian Chapter met Tuesday March 26 with Miss Virginia Rice hostess. Fourteen members answered roll call with noted Texas composers. The Chapter responded to the Music students loan. The Chapter was favored with two vocal numbers by Mrs. Ernest Olds of Abilene. The following program was given:

Early history and beginning of music in Texas—Mrs. Brightwell  
Biographical sketch of David Harum, William Marsh and Jeanette Tillet—Mrs. W. L. Ray.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

A large crowd saw the beautiful picture, "Son of Man", Wednesday Evening. May the memory of the life it depicted linger long in our minds.

A committee is panning music for our Easter program.

Services Sunday morning and evening. Let us all be on our places on time. We dismissed our services last Sunday and enjoyed the Hardin-Simmons quartet with our friends at the Baptist Church. It was a rare treat.  
P. E. Yarbrough

Baird's First Trades Day and Free Rodeo of the Spring season will be held Monday, April 8, 1935.

The committee on arrangements, O. A. Wooten, chairman; W. B. Jones, A. B. Hutchison and Raleigh Ray, have all plans made for a big day and a big crowd is expected.

The parade starts at 1:30 p. m. and will be a good one. Mr. Wooten sent an invitation to the McMurry Drum Corps to take part in the parade and yesterday he received a telegram from Miss Willie Mae Christopher, sponsor, accepting the invitation that thirty-one of the girls would be present. Other features will be added.

Oran Warren, manager of the Rodeo says he has all his stock in good condition and a splendid program is promised.

This Trades Day and Free Rodeo is sponsored by the business and professional people of Baird—almost unanimously and promises to be a big business booster. Come join the crowd in Baird Monday.

### Baird Will Go To Dist. Meet At Breckenridge

Baird High School will be well represented to day and Saturday at the District Track and Field Meet in Breckenridge.

Literary contestants will meet today. In the High School division, Rebecca Stuart will represent Baird in Junior High Declamation. Beryl Owen will enter the Extemporaneous Speaking contest. Crawford Hughes and Bernice Robinson will represent the school in spelling. Randall Jackson and Leland Jackson compose the Debate team which will enter the meet.

The following track boys will enter the meet: Horace Cook, who will probably throw the javelin, discuss, shot and run the high hurdles; Bill Austin, who will compete in the 220 yd. dash, 220 yd. low hurdles, pole vault, and will also run a lap of the mile relay; Pearce Flores, who will run the 220 low hurdles, a lap of the relay, and also the pole vault and high jump; Jackie Street will enter the 880 yd dash and the mile relay; Bernie Bryant who will compete in the 440 yd. dash, 100 yd. dash, and anchor man on the relay team. 'Hookarm' Barret will run the 880, Mayo Fowler will enter the 220 yd low hurdles and 220 yd. dash. Harold Alexander will represent the school in high jumps. Doyle Chrisman is expected to enter the 880 Tennis finals are to-day with Mary Alice Lawrence and Bobby Griggs playing for Baird in doubles.

### P. E. T. Members Entertain in E. W. Havens Home

Members of the P. E. T. club entertained at dinner Saturday evening in the home of their sponsor, Mrs. E. W. Havens. Green and white, club colors, were featured in decorations for the dinner table where an elaborate menu of baked chicken and accessories salads and sweets was served.

Little Misses Patty and Dorothy Estes sang two numbers, "Flirtation Walk" and "June in January"; Dorothy Estes gave a reading and Louise Carter was presented in acrobatic numbers and a tap dance. Dancing and games were late evening diversion.

Luva Ince, Magdalene Jones, Gwendolyn Ground, Blanche Varner, Nancy Taif, Pauline Jones, Anita Stiles, club members, and Mrs. Havens were hostesses to the following: Arthur Waldrop of Abilene, Hollis Collins, Buell Everett, Alvin Hespel of Putnam, Clarence Hammons, Baird, Merwin Eager and Charles Schulze of Clyde and Mr. Haven.

### STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

A Chevrolet coupe stolen from Ben Marshall at Cross Plains Tuesday night of last week was recovered Monday at Brady by Sheriff Edwards department. An arrest was made on highway 191 about ten miles south of Baird Monday, which led to the recovery of the car.

# TRADES DAY and FREE RODEO BAIRD Monday April 8 Sponsored by

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- Clarence Nurdyke
- Joe Mitchell

# News Review of Current Events the World Over

## Anglo-German Conversations Disappointing, Simon Reports; Hitler's Demands Include Return of Colonies, Air and Naval Parity, and Minimum Army of 500,000.

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FOREIGN SECRETARY SIMON returned to England from his historic talks with Chancellor Hitler, and reported to the cabinet that Germany is seeking return of the colonies she lost in the war and a greatly increased navy. He said that Hitler admits Germany's air force equals that of Britain. Prime Minister MacDonald then called on King George to whom he gave a preliminary report of Simon's talks, which have been described as "disappointing."

Hitler made a bold play for Anglo-German understanding, declaring both nations should unite to defend western civilization against Communism and the colored races. Briefly, his demands were:

First—Germany must have an army with a minimum of 36 divisions—500,000 men—as decreed.

Second—Germany wants parity in the air with Britain. Hitler admitted that Germany now possesses equality with Britain. Hitler stressed the danger to which Germany is exposed in the air. He declared that Russia is using Czechoslovakia as a European air base. He demanded return of certain Czechoslovak territory and repatriation of 3,500,000 German residents there.

Third—Hitler wants a navy equal to one-third of the British fleet, which is tantamount to 400,000 tons. The British admiralty is opposed to such a ratio and Germany has been invited to bilateral naval discussions in London.

Fourth—Germany wants return of her former colonies. Little encouragement was given Hitler on this score.

Fifth—Hitler refused to have anything to do with an eastern pact, though he is willing to enter non-aggression pacts with Germany's neighbors, as he did with Poland.

Sixth—Hitler is prepared to sign a pact of noninterference in the affairs of Austria, but only if it means noninterference by all powers.

In Berlin demonstrators howled their resentment at death sentences imposed by Lithuania on four Nazis, and only stout police resistance kept the mob from the Lithuanian delegation itself. The four were convicted when a Lithuanian military court trying 126 Nazis for an asserted plot to start an armed uprising in Memel, former German territory, found them guilty. Eighty-seven others were sent to prison.

As Capt. Anthony Eden, British arms expert, begins his conferences with Soviet officials, observers believe the Russians will marshal every resource to convince Eden that the only safe course for the rest of the world is to bring sufficient pressure on Germany to induce her to accept the eastern security pact. The official press continues to stress that the rearmament of Germany threatens Russia, and that the conflict growing out of any German attack would spread all over Europe and Asia. This is but a confirmation of Litvinoff's contention that "peace is indivisible." League of Nations circles predict that France, Russia and Czechoslovakia will conclude an eastern pact as an answer to Hitler's new conscript army. Whether any effort will be made to bring Great Britain into this, is not known.

CONSIDERABLY mutilated, the administration's \$4,850,000,000 work relief bill finally got through the senate by a vote of 68 to 16, and was returned to the house later, to be adjusted in conference. The senators accepted an amendment by Senator Thomas of Oklahoma for a currency expansion of \$375,000,000 through the issuance of silver certificates at the \$1.29 an ounce monetary value of the treasury's silver stocks instead of the present practice of using the purchase value of the silver.

Later the Thomas amendment was stricken out after congressional conferees had dined for forty-eight hours. Members of the silver bloc asserted they would not stand in the measure's path, although Thomas had declared he would filibuster against any attempts to strike out the amendment. Besides eliminating the silver inflation plan, the conference modified the Russell labor compromise amendment to provide that the President shall pre-determine the rate of wages on public buildings to be constructed, and this rate will be submitted to contractors for bids. An amendment providing that all officers and employees receiving more than \$5,000 a year will have to be appointed by the President and confirmed by the senate was modified. It now provides that any new administrator or member of any central board will be appointed by the President with the consent of the senate.

Among the senate changes approved were the allocation of the fund to eight general types of projects; continuation of the federal relief administration one year; extension of the Civilian Conservation corps two years from March 31; continuation of PWA two years from June 16; the George

amendment to make funds available in the discretion of the President to administer the agricultural adjustment act; the Russell amendment to authorize farm loans to share croppers, tenant farmers and farm laborers for land purchase.

One day Harry L. Hopkins was reported lazing in the Florida sun and thinking up ways he would spend billions as administrator of the work relief fund. The next day, rumors were that Rexford G. Tugwell was to be nominated for the "biggest spender in history." Later reports from the national capital were that nobody but the President would be the big boss in the program. You can take your choice, but it seems likely that the latter is true. Senatorial discontent over the methods used by the two others mentioned will probably eliminate them from consideration. This strategy has been successful in the past. When a house group became too highly incensed at Public Works Administrator Harold Ickes, they were quieted with assurance that the President would have complete control of the work relief program, and the furore died out. Mr. Roosevelt will be the nominal head of the program, but he would not be expected to handle every detail. He must delegate authority, and it is highly probable that everyone will not be entirely satisfied.

JAPAN steps out of the League of Nations and flanked by her single avowed ally, Manchukuo, she faces the world as the self-chosen preserver of peace in the Orient.

Japan's action is the culmination of a series of events started February 24, 1933, when Yosuke Matsukata led the entire Japanese delegation in a walk out from the league assembly. Shortly after, Japan gave formal notice of her withdrawal from the league because the assembly had censured Japanese aggression in Manchuria. She has advised other powers that she considers herself guardian of peace in eastern Asia, and that outside assistance is neither desired nor invited. In addition, Japan has embarked on an armament policy marked by denunciation of the Washington naval treaty, demands for naval parity with Great Britain and the United States, and armed forces "sufficient to defend, but inadequate to attack."

With considerable ceremony the Soviet government transferred to Japan full ownership of the Chinese Eastern railway and thus ceased to be an opposing factor in the Japanese occupation of Manchuria. In the official residence of Foreign Minister Koki Hirota in Tokyo the sale agreement and general protocol were signed and the bargain was clinched by the payment by Japan of 23,333,000 yen to the Soviet ambassador. The yen is currently quoted at about 27.8 cents. Japan's vigorous reply to British protests over the alleged Manchukuo oil monopoly reflects development of the "Asia for Asiatics" plan announced some time ago. Japan denied that treaty provisions have been violated by the so-called monopoly. With the deal for the Soviet Russia interest in the Chinese Eastern railroad completed and Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations, Japanese penetration of Asia is expected to go forward under the strong leadership of Koki Hirota, foreign minister. Developments during the next few months will be highly important. The tense European situation will keep the western powers busy chasing peace and security in both the east and the west. Japan insists she will act alone, and rumors of a military alliance with Germany were scouted. The Japanese army, the note intimated, is ready to repel Soviet interference at any time.

REPLACEMENT of the AAA's system of crop control is seen as a future potentiality of a new organization established at the Department of Agriculture under Rexford G. Tugwell. The organization consolidates federal agencies dealing with soil erosion, and Tugwell is expected to direct the expenditure of about a billion dollars in public works funds on the public land program. At present plans call for retirement of millions of acres of marginal lands now contributing to surpluses, which experts contend will prove a more effective way of dealing with overproduction than AAA's policy of taxing commodities for acreage slashes. The latter is meeting increased opposition, due to rising living costs and increasing competition from foreign producers. There will probably be little immediate change in crop control plans, since the Tugwell program will require considerable time before it can be operated effectively.

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Why make taxpayers pay the two billions to "bond clippers" when it is not necessary?

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## BRISBANE THIS WEEK

Busy Dictators  
Hitler, Peace Angel  
Lie Test for Hauptmann?  
All Heard the Moans

Europe's dictators borrow ideas from each other. Mussolini, perhaps unconsciously, copied Riezeni, who ended violently. Hitler saw how well Mussolini's idea worked and adopted it. Dolfuss tried it in Vienna, ended badly.



Arthur Brisbane

Kemal Pasha has made a success of it thus far in Turkey, throwing sultans overboard, Mohammed, the fez, veils for women also.

Kemal says, "If Hitler can defy the league and kick over the Versailles treaty, so can I." He will fortify the Dardanelles, in spite of the treaty that created a neutral zone adjoining the narrow water passage that separates Europe from Asia, at Constantinople.

Hitler, turning with a rapidity that would startle any worm, now declares himself guardian angel of Europe, offering to start a world peace guaranteed to last 20 years. That would depend on Japan and Russia.

There is a scientific test for lying. Try as he may to control himself, a man lying undergoes physical and psychological changes that a certain scientific apparatus reproduces in a "graph" when the lying begins.

Mrs. Hauptmann, her husband sentenced to death for kidnaping the Lindbergh baby, suggests that her husband be subjected to the "lie test," adding, "he would be freed instantly."

He could not be "freed instantly" because the law does not yet recognize the "lie test" as conclusive, but the experiment would be interesting. The framing of questions, which should be put in fewest possible words and as startlingly as possible, would be important.

New Jersey's Attorney General Wilentz, who brought about the conviction, would be the man to frame the questions.

Consider the principal of the Schaff Junior High school at Parma, Ohio. That principal, having decided to beat five boys caught smoking in the school

building, using his microphone, ordered all classes and all noise stopped throughout the school while the five boys were "padded" near the microphone for the whole school to hear.

The story goes, "Startled students next heard the 'Whack! Whack!' of the paddles and the moans of the culprits."

A girl baby two weeks old, smiling, pretty, dressed in pink and white, found abandoned in a New York hallway, was taken to the Foundling hospital, a sort of "pound" for lost children.

If a good-looking chow, Boston bull or Irish wolfhound two weeks old had been found, there would be a thousand only too glad to take and care for it. Our alleged cousins the chimpanzees could hardly believe that.

There are miracles of various kinds, even in healing leprosy. It can be done, as the Bible shows, by supernatural power. It can be done by science. Jacintho Moura, Portuguese chemist, in Rio de Janeiro, smashed a finger, and while suffering acute pain accidentally dipped the finger in a liquid vegetable extract that he was preparing. This vegetable liquid, obtained from a wild Brazilian plant, mixed with chalmogra oil, according to Dr. Fernando Terra, director of the Rio de Janeiro hospital, has already cured 17 lepers.

Some accidents are valuable. The injured finger showed the way to an important cure.

At Kovno, Lithuania, four Nazis are sentenced to death on the gallows for plotting to separate Memel from Lithuania. Mr. Hitler, deeply grieved by the fate of four Nazis, is said to have protested to Sir John Simon, although it is not clear what that Britisher could do about it. The opinions of two ladies whose heads were recently chopped off, by order of Chancellor Hitler, would be interesting, but will never be known. Once the head is chopped expression of opinion ceases.

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# Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted  
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Washington. — The President has placed Donald R. Richberg, his closest adviser, in the job as head of the National Recovery administration. Mr. Richberg will be chairman of the National Industrial Recovery board which has now been enlarged to the number of seven, and it is proposed that this group, divided between labor and capital representation, will guide the policies and programs as well as the enforcement of NRA.

It may be that Mr. Richberg's appointment should be given only passing notice. Political appointments in Washington are many and the addition of one more normally would not attract attention. It appears, however, that in this particular instance considerable significance should be attached to the appointment. It will have repercussions in more ways than one.

This brings us to the question of the future NRA. As we all know NRA legislation in the house and senate is encountering rough sailing. There are so many different ideas being put forward about the principle of NRA that this far it has been exceedingly difficult to reconcile them. Since the present national industrial recovery act expires by limitation of law on June 16, congress faces the necessity of enactment of new legislation or allowing the present law to die and the codes under it to fall apart.

Selection of Mr. Richberg on the basis of these facts then would seem to indicate that Mr. Roosevelt had picked his best soldier to fight the battle; that Mr. Richberg, being eyes and ears for Mr. Roosevelt, would be the individual to guide the President in choice of policy and that his most trusted adviser would be the man to put forward details of the proposed NRA extension legislation. The undercurrent of gossip around Washington, however, indicates something else.

In the first instance, Mr. Richberg is in bad with organized labor, and he has shown no disposition lately to make peace despite the fact that he was for years the representative of railway labor unions. Mr. Richberg it was who clashed with General Johnson and who is regarded, therefore, as indirectly responsible for General Johnson's resignation as national recovery administrator. The new chairman thus goes into his job with threatening clouds on several sides.

It will not be forgotten, either, that such vaillant campaigners as Senator Carter Glass and Senator Borah, not to mention the alleged progressive, Senator Nye, are waiting for the NRA legislation in the senate. Mr. Richberg's hide will look to them the same as any other hide. It is just possible, therefore, as some observers have suggested, that Mr. Richberg may have been put out as the lamb on the sacrificial altar.

Indeed, color is lent to this supposition by the fact that Mr. Roosevelt has taken little direct interest in promoting legislation extending the life of NRA. Thus far he has said that he desired to have the extension granted, but he has not turned on the steam as he is equipped to do, and as he has done for bills that were personal hobbies with him. It is made to appear, therefore, that perhaps there will be a disintegration of NRA as such and that the functions desired by the administration to be retained will be parceled out, some to the federal trade commission, some to the Labor department, and others of lesser consequence scattered elsewhere.

While we are discussing legislation, it may be well to consider what is being done about the program of extending credit to home owners in cities and towns through the machinery of the home loan board. The house has passed a bill which will increase by two billion, eight hundred million dollars the amount of funds available for loans of this type by the Home Owners' Loan corporation. This sum was approximately a billion dollars more than the home loan board thought was necessary, but the sight or thought of so much money starting the members of the house on something like a riot, so they made ample funds available.

From reports filtering through to Washington, I think there can be no question but what the home loan system has been of help in thousands of cases. Undoubtedly availability of government money in this matter has saved unnumbered home owners from loss of their property where short-sighted mortgage holders have insisted upon undue curtailment or absolute repayment of the borrowed money. Extension of the system probably has resulted also in reduction of general interest rates by private lenders of capital. If they wanted their money to work at all, they had to meet the principle of government loans is sound in normal times is another horse. Time alone can tell. The activity of congress, especially in the house, indicates that there is a demand of some kind or other for these loans in preference to private capital and that necessarily must be considered as an influential factor.

As the legislation increasing the lend-

ing power of the Home Owners Loan corporation has progressed, however, I have taken occasion to inquire into operations of the corporation which is wholly government owned. From all I can learn it stands out as the finest illustration of what politicians can do in the way of building political machines that I have seen in a score of years in the National Capital.

It will be remembered that upon creation of the board former Representative "Seaboard Bill" Stephenson of South Carolina was named chairman. Mr. Stephenson, being more honest about politics than many others, announced unequivocally that appointments were going to be made on a political basis. He created quite a furore and finally found himself sidetracked.

For a time here in Washington have heard little about politics in the home loan system. It has developed, however, that politics was not dead, but sleeping.

The loan corporation in carrying out the idea or policy of decentralization did some very peculiar things, according to well authenticated reports. Actually, I am told, some young men without previous practical experience or training were supplied with copies of the home loan act, given a ticket and ordered to the hinterland to open designated regional offices. Shortly thereafter out of the thousands of employees in the home office of the loan corporation individuals were called into the office of the directing heads and were ordered to go to one or the other of the newly opened establishments. They were told at the same time that their salaries would be reduced. In addition, I am reliably informed, hundreds of them have suffered further salary reductions since they have been on their new jobs.

While all of this has been going on, the corporation set up a board of four members in the headquarters before which remaining employees in the Washington office have been called for examination. This board was announced as for the purpose of determining which of the employees should be retained. They wanted to be fair about it and wanted to keep on the payroll such of the employees as were unable to get along without the jobs they were holding. It seems, however, that that board has become an inquisitorial body absolutely without precedent in the character of examination to which it subjects the employees. The result is that few, if any, of the employees of the loan corporation entertain any belief that they can stay on their jobs with any feeling of safety.

For example, one man's experience is quoted. He was asked whether he had money in the bank, and he had none. He was asked whether any of his people were on the relief rolls, and they were not. Numerous other questions, such as the rate he paid for his board and room and the cost of his laundry were put to him. He then was asked if he carried life insurance, and his answer that he did apparently was wrong. Although he was not told directly, the inference of questions put to him was that he could live two months if he cashed in his life insurance policy. At any rate he was dismissed.

But this is not all. Included in the bill which increases the amount of funds that may be loaned by the corporation is a line of legislation that will have the effect of expanding politics in the organization. Written into that bill are instructions that the corporation shall recall to Washington all of those employees who were dispatched to new jobs in the regional, state or district offices. Of course, no one can say yet authoritatively that when these workers are recalled they will be dismissed here. That, however, obviously is the result.

Senator Gore of Oklahoma placed in the Congressional Record recently a telegram he had received and his reply to it that illustrates better than any recent incident how much courage is required by a national legislator to withstand the pressure from home. The occasion was consideration in the senate of the public works bill. The telegram received by the senator was signed by Joe A. Brown, the mayor of Hartshorne, Okla., and C. B. Lindsay, mayor of Halleysville, Okla. It follows:

"Several thousand Pittsburgh county unemployed people assembled in convention demand you support President Roosevelt's four billion dollar relief measure. If you vote against measure, sentiment is, you stay out of this county next senatorial race."

The following is the senator's reply: "This will acknowledge your exceedingly diplomatic and hospitable telegram. It shows how the dole spoils the soul. Your telegram intimates that your votes are for sale. Much as I value votes I am not in the market. I cannot consent to buy votes with the taxpayer as well as the unemployed. I shall discharge both. None but the bully resorts to threats and none but the coward yields to them."

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# Says WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS.—Well all I know is just what I read, either in the papers or in the mail. The other day I went

"Popping Off" about holding companies. Now as a matter of fact I don't know a thing about a "Holding Company."

I had read naturally that there was graft and inflated values in the forming of a lot of them. Then when I read Mr. Roosevelt's tirade against them, I say to myself, well

here is a man that must know what he is talking about. He is not given to just having it in for a legitimate enterprise. So as Congress had been pretty good that day and done nothing, why that left me nothing to yap about, so seeing the Presidents headline about em, why I said, a holding company is like a fellow handing the other fellow the swag while they search you.

Well I didn't figure that little half witted remark would upset the whole holding company business. But I forgot that a remark generally hurts in proportion to its truth. If it's so untrue as to be ridiculous why nobody pays any attention to it. And on the other hand I don't want to get any remark that will be so true that it hurts, I mean really hurts. So I was in wrong both ways. Now I don't know what it is, but right or wrong, there must be some little teeny weeny bit of underground connivance connected with the idea of holding companies, or is there?

Now be honest. In a straight forward legitimate business, a farm, a store, a little manufacturing concern, or any business, what makes the holding company necessary? Don't it have something to do with shifting the responsibility over to another company that are liable only for so much? Now maby it dont. I dont know. Anyhow I got some fine sensible and fair letters from real people that had confidence in the companies. Of course 99 out of a hundred were working for one, or had stock in em, but anyhow it showed a spirit of fair play. They felt that I was wrong, and I am sure that I didnt know enough about em to know if I was or not.

Now you will say well what did you pop off when you didnt know what you were talking about. Well if you are going to stop that, why America would be speechless. There is not any of us real sure of what we are yapping about. You see here is something that any of us that write have found out, if we write or say something that agrees with you, why then we become quite

a smart guy in your estimator. But if we should write or say something that dont agree with your idea of the same subject, then we become a "Menace" and should be eliminated from the public prints. So we are only good as long as we agree with you. But a lot of these were mighty fair.

Here they are: "This is a fan letter, and also a matter of life and death. You have hurt me and many more but I know its unintentional. I work for the West Penn Power Co, as good people as any one ever worked for, so give us a fair deal. Dan Winslow, Pittsburg, Pa."

York Nebraska R. A. Graham. "My faith in my company who employ me is unshaken."

Frank Dinwiddie Walker, Philadelphia. "I work with the United Gas and Improvement Co, a group which you and I would be glad to own as a family."

A gentleman named J E Mann, N. Y. "Shoemaker stick to your last. You are supposed to be a comedian. Stay one." Henry Boenning, investment bonds, Philadelphia. "Suppose your money is in tax exempt securities." No its in a few acres of Cal land which is worth about one tenth of what I paid for it.

Here is one headed "Roosevelts Democratic Clown. How do you know how a thief passes money to an accomplice unless you have been one or the other?" No name. He was afraid I would sue him. I wouldnt. He may be right.

J R Lowe, Duluth, Minn. "Were you serious Bill, or just kidding? Its serious business with a lot of us."

Olin Tomlinson, 525 Lexington Ave N Y says I was too hard on em, and maby Olin was right. R R Morgan, Le Jolla Cal (there is pretty near a neighbor) he says there is a great many women who have stock in them and that it would destroy that. Now I dont think Roosevelt wanted to destroy anybody's stock. Anyhow I hope he dont. That wouldnt be right. Everybody I imagine is in sympathy with the stock holders.

And the last one is from Mr Notting ham from Duluth Minn, who wants me to give it more study. And they are fair Nobody wants to shoot me. Its too complicated for me to learn about. I will stay with the Senate. I know those guys backwards, cause thats the way they are generally going. So take up your holding company squabbles with Roosevelt, and lay off me, and thanks for your friendly criticism.

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# When Worlds Collide

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## CHAPTER X—Continued

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Tony looked at the breach of the tube and nodded.

"Journeying through space we will be a rocket that can be fired from both ends and from all around the sides of both ends?"

"Even although the side firing is of less intensity. We have twenty stern vents and twenty forward, you see, and twelve around the circumference at each end." Hendron smiled.

"It is very beautiful, our ship; and according to the laws of physics, by the release of more power, it will navigate space as surely as it hopped from the ground, when we required it to. We'll leave this world, Tony; and, I believe, we'll land upon Bronson Beta."

Tony stared at him: "And we'll live afterward?"

"Why not?" Hendron returned again. "We can count upon vegetation on Bronson Beta, almost surely. No, surely, I should say. Higher forms of life must have been annihilated by the cold; but the spores of vegetation could survive."

"We know too little about the lower temperatures; but what we have discovered indicates that the germinating power of micro-organisms and spores should be preserved at lower temperatures for much longer periods than at our ordinary temperatures."

"At least!" Tony caught up his words. "You will not deny, then, that there may be a possibility of higher life surviving or capable of being revived—too?"

Hendron shook his head. "I have seen too many incredible things occur, Tony," he replied, "to deny any possibility—particularly under conditions of which no one on this world has had any experience. But I do not expect it. I do expect vegetation, especially vegetation that grows from spores."

"In the early days on this world, the great majority of plants did not reproduce by seeds, but by the far more resistant spores, which have survived as the method of reproduction of many varieties. So we will count upon a native flora which, undoubtedly, will appear very strange to us. Of course, as you know, we are taking across with us our own seeds and our own spores."

"I know," said Tony, "and even our own insects, too."

"Exactly. You've been talking with Keppler, I see. I put that problem entirely up to Keppler."

"Our first and most necessary unit for self-preservation proved to be the common honey bee, to secure pollination of flowering plants, trees and so on. Keppler says that of some twenty thousand nectar insects, this one species pollinates more than all the rest put together. The honey bee would take care of practically all of this work, as his range is tremendous. There are a few plants—Keppler tells me—such as red clover, which he cannot work on; but his cousin the bumblebee, with his longer proboscis, could attend to them. So, first and foremost among living things, we bring bees."

"We also take ants," Hendron went on, "especially the common little brown variety, to ventilate, drain and work the soil; and, as you have observed, Tony, angeworms also."

"Since we are going to take with us fish eggs to hatch into fish over there, we have to take mayflies. Their larvae, in addition to providing food for the fish, are necessary to keep the inland waters from becoming choked with algae and the lower water plants."

"In the whole of the Lepidoptera there is not, Kepler says, one necessary or even useful species; but for sheer beauty's sake—and because they take small space—we will take six butterflies and at least the Luna moth."

"And we must take one of the reputed scourges of the earth."

"What?" said Tony.

"The grasshopper—the locust. Such an insect will be vitally necessary to keep the greenery from choking our new earth; and the one best suited for this job is, paradoxically enough, one of mankind's oldest scourges, the grasshopper. He is an omnivorous feeder and would keep the greenery in check—after he got his start. Our first problem may be that he will not multiply fast enough; and then that he will multiply too fast. So to keep him in check, and also the butterfly and the moth, we will take parasite flies. We will have to have these—two or three of the dozen common Tachinidae have been chosen."

"We are bringing along vials of mushroom and other fungi spores. Otherwise vegetation would fall down, never disintegrate, and pile up till everything was choked. A vial the size of your thumb holds several billion spores of assorted fungi—in case the spores of the fungi of Bronson Beta have not survived. They are absolutely essential."

"Also, we are taking bottles of stagnant pond water and another of seawater containing our micro-organisms such as diatoms, plankton, unicellular plants and animals which form the basis of our own biotic economy and would supplement, or replace, such life on the other globe."

"About animals—" Hendron halted. "Yes, about animals," Tony urged. "There is, naturally, still discussion. Our space is so limited, and there is most tremendous competition. Birds offer a somewhat simpler problem."

"The matter of dogs and cats is the most difficult," Hendron said, closing the subject. Air pumps murmured somewhere within the ship, which

seemed half-alive. Electric generators hummed, and from somewhere came the high note of one of the electronic engines. Tony left Hendron and went from the ship.

That night the emigrants from the earth gathered again in the dining hall. Hendron addressed them, outlining the general final preparations, which were augmented by specific, printed instructions to meet such contingencies as could be foreseen.

After the meeting, the crowd moved outdoors and stood awhile, looking at the Bronson Bodies. As in their former approach their size had increased in diametric proportion during the last few days and nights, and they now dominated the heavens, Alpha eclipsed by Beta, which rushed toward the earth ahead of it, in the same position as that held by a planet in transit across the face of the sun. The spectacle was one of weird beauty, and one calculated to strike terror in the bravest. Bronson Alpha looked like the rising moon, except that it was much larger than any moon had ever seemed to be.

Already the desolate and wounded surface of man's world was stirring to their approach. Slight earthquake shocks were felt from time to time, and the very winds seemed to be moving in a consciousness of the awful cataclysm that was drawing near. All over the world, the tides—unnaturally absent since the shattering of the moon—rose again and licked up the sides of the fresh, raw shores; the people who huddled on mountains and prairie plateaus that night knew instinctively that this was indeed the end.

Tony sought out Eve. "Come walk with me," he said.

"I'd like to. It's so strange to wait, with everything done that matters. For it's all done, Tony; everything that we're to take with us has been prepared and put in place."

Tony was excited and on edge, with nerves which he tried to quiet and could not.

"Do you suppose," he said, "there'll be other ships starting from this side of the world tomorrow night and

from the other side, the evening after?"

"Father doesn't know. When the radios were working well, months ago, he broadcast the knowledge of David's metal. It must have become obtainable from volcanic eruptions in other places. But we've no real news of any one else ready to start. One thing is certain. No party can count upon the arrival of any other. Each crew has to assume that it may be the only one that gets across to Bronson Beta."

"And d—n lucky if it lands, too," agreed Tony.

"The English, Father thinks, surely have preserved enough organization to build and equip one ship, and the French, the Germans and Italians ought to do the same. Then there are the Russians and the Japanese at least with the potential ability to do it. There's a chance in Australia and another in South Africa—Lord Rhondin would head any party there, Father thinks."

"Any one else?"

"A possibility in Argentina, and China."

"That makes twelve, counting our two."

"Possibilities, that's all. Of course, we know nothing about them. Father guesses that if twelve are trying, perhaps five may get ships out into space."

"What five?" demanded Tony.

"He did not name them."

"Five into space beyond the attraction of the world."

"The world won't be left then, Tony," Eve reminded him.

"Right. Funny how one keeps forgetting that, isn't it? So there'll be no place for them to drop back to, if they miss Bronson Beta. They just stay—out there in space—in their rocket until—"

They were off by themselves now, and Tony drew her nearer to him. She neither encouraged nor resisted him. He tightened his arm about her, and felt her softness and warmth against him. For a moment more she remained motionless, neutral; then suddenly her hands were on his arms, clasping him, clinging to him. Her body became tense, thrilling, and as he bent, her lips burned on his.

She drew back a little, and at last

he let her. In silence he kissed her again; then her lips, close to his, said: "Farewell to earth, Tony!"

"Yes," he said, quivering. "Yes; I suppose this is our last sure night."

"No; we leave tonight, Tony."

"Tonight? I thought it was tomorrow."

"No; Father feared the last night—if any one knew it in advance. So he said tomorrow; but all his calculations make it tonight."

"How soon, Eve?"

"In an hour, dear. You'll hear the bugles. He deceived even you."

"And Dave?" asked Tony jealously. Dave Ransdell now was his great friend. Dave was to be in command, except as to scientific matters, of the party in the second ship; Tony was himself second only to Hendron on the first ship; and Tony had no jealousy of Dave for that. Moreover, Eve was to travel in the ship with her father and Tony; if he was saved, so would she be! And Dave might, without them, be lost. Tony had told himself that he had conquered his jealousy of Dave; but here it still held him.

"No," said Eve. "Father told Dave tomorrow, too. But we leave the earth tonight."

"So tomorrow," said Tony, "tomorrow we may be ourselves, with yesterday's seven thousand years." He held her again as he thought of his hour—the last hour of which he could be sure.

"Come away," he said. "Come farther away from—"

"From what, Tony?"

"From everybody else." And he drew her on. He led her, indeed, toward the edge of the encampment, where the wires that protected it

knitted a barrier. And there, holding her, he heard and she heard a child crying.

There were no children in the encampment. There never had been. No one with little children had been chosen. But here was a child.

Eve called to the child, and it ceased crying; so Eve had to call again for a response that would guide her to it in the dark.

There were two children, together and alone. They were three and four years old, it appeared. They knew their names—Dan and Dorothy. They called for "Papa." Papa, it appeared, had brought them there in the dark and gone away. Papa had told them to stay there, and somebody would come.

Eve had her arms between the wires, and the children clung to her hands while they talked. Now Tony lifted them over the wires; and Eve took them in her arms. The little girl asked if she was "Mamma." Mamma, it appeared, had gone away a long time ago.

"Months ago only," Eve interpreted for Tony, "or they wouldn't remember her."

"Yes. Probably in the destruction of the First Passage," Tony said; and they both understood that the mother must be dead.

"He brought them here to us," Eve said; and Tony understood that, too. It was plain enough: Some father, who had heard of the camp and the Space Ships, had brought his children here and left them—going away, asking nothing for himself.

Clear and loud in the night a bugle blew; and Tony and Eve both started. "Gabriel's horn," muttered Tony. "The last trump!"

"Father advanced the time," returned Eve. "He decided to give a few minutes more of warning; or else he fooled me, too."

"You are carrying that child?" asked Tony. Eve had the little girl.

"Yes," said Eve. "You are carrying the boy?"

"Yes," said Tony. "Rules or no rules; necessities or no necessities, if we can take sheep and goats I guess we can take these two."

"I guess so," said Eve; and she strode strongly beside him into the

edge of illumination as the great floodlights blazed out.

The buildings were all alight; and everybody was bustling. The loading of the two Arks long ago had been completed. The passengers ran back and forth, calling, crying, shaking hands, embracing one another.

They were all to go; every one in sight was billeted on the Space Ships; but some would be on one ship, some on the other. Would they meet again—on Bronson Beta? Would either ship get there?

Tony, hurrying to his station, appreciated how wisely Hendron had acted in deceiving them all—even himself—as to the night. Here he was, second in command of the first Space Ship, carrying a strange child in contravention of all orders. The chief commander's daughter also carried a child.

No one stopped them. Not Hendron himself. It was the last hour on earth, and men's minds were rocking.

The bugles blew again; and Tony, depositing the boy with Eve, set about his business of checking the personnel of his ship. Three hundred yards away Dave Ransdell checked the personnel of his larger party.

A third time the bugles blew. Tony completed his check of crew and passengers. Thrice he blew his whistle.

From off to the right, where the second ship lay, Dave Ransdell's shrill signal answered.

"Close valves and locks!" There was no one on the ground. No one! All checked and tallied, thrice over. Yet as Tony left the last lock open to gaze out again and listen, he heard a faint cry. The father of the children!

Could he take him, too? One man more? Of course they could make it. Tony withheld the final signal.

The voice was faint and far away, and in its thin notes could be detected the vibrations of tense anxiety. It came from where the airplane field lay. Presently he made out syllables, but not their meaning.

"Hello," he yelled mightily. "Who is it?"

Back came the thin shout reply: "C'est moi, Duquesne! Attendez!"

Tony's mind translated: "It's I, Duquesne! Wait!"

On the opposite side of the flying field a lone human figure struggled into the rays of the floor lights. It was the figure of a short fat man running clumsily, waving his arms and pausing at intervals to shout. Duquesne! The name had a familiar sound. Then Tony remembered. Duquesne was the French scientist in charge of building the French Space Ship that had been reported to him by James long ago.

He turned to the attendants at the airlock.

"Get Hendron," he said. "Tell him Duquesne is here alone." He operated the winch which moved the stairway back to the hull of the ship.

The short fat man trotted across the field, stopping frequently to gesticulate and shout: "Attendez! C'est moi, Duquesne!"

At last he scrambled up the steps of the concrete foundations to the ship. He rushed across the platform and arrived at the airlock. He wore the remnants of a khaki uniform which did not fit him. Protruding from the breast pocket of the tunic was the butt of a revolver. He was black-haired, black-eyed and big-nosed. When he began to speak brokenly, he first swore in French and then said in English: "I am Duquesne! The great Duquesne! The celebrated Duquesne! The famous Duquesne. The French physicist, me, Duquesne. This I take for the ship of Cole Endron—yes? Then, so I am here. Tell him I have come from France in three months, running a steamboat by myself almost, flying across this foul country with my plane, which it is broken down near what was Milwaukee, and to here I have walked by myself alone these many days. You are going now, yes? Tell him to go. Tell him Duquesne is here. Tell him I leave those pigs, those dogs, those cows, those onions, who would build such a foolish ship as they will break their necks in. I knew this Endron ship would fly, so I have come to it. Bah! They are stupid, my French colleagues. More suitable for the motormen of trams than for flyers in the outer space."

At that instant Hendron arrived at the top of the spiral staircase. He rushed forward with his eyes alight. "Duquesne! By G—d, Duquesne! I'm delighted. You're in the nick of time. In forty minutes we would have been away from here."

Duquesne gripped Hendron's hand, and skipped around him as if he were playing a child's game. With his free fist he smote upon his breast; he shouted so that the entire chamber reverberated: "Am I a fool that you should have to tell me what hour was set for your departure? Have I no brains? Do I know nothing about astronomy? Have I never studied physics? Idiots, charming friends, glorious Americans, fools! Have I no brain? Can I not anticipate? Here I am."

Suddenly he let go of Hendron's hand and stopped dancing. He bowed very gravely, first to Hendron, then to Tony, then to the crew. "Gentlemen," he said, "let's be going. Let's be on our way."

Hendron turned to Tony, who in reaction burst into a paroxysm of laughter. For an instant the French scientist looked deeply wounded; then suddenly he began to laugh. "I am ridiculous, am I not?" he shouted. He roared with laughter. He rocked with it.

"What about the ships that were being built in other countries in Europe?" Hendron asked him.

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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### Lesson for April 7 THE HEAVENLY FATHER

LESSON TEXT—John 14:8-24. GOLDEN TEXT—Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him. Psalm 103:12.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Heavenly Father. JUNIOR TOPIC—The Heavenly Father.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Why We Call God Father. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Fatherhood of God.

The aim in the lessons of this quarter is to place before the pupils of the Sunday school some of the great doctrines of the Christian faith, as set forth in God's Word, with their practical application to the common relations of life.

1. Who is the Heavenly Father (Gen. 1:1).

He is the almighty God who created the universe (Ps. 90:2). He was before all things. God is the infinite and perfect Spirit in whom we live and move and have our being. He is omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent. He was not only before all things, but the cause of all things.

2. What the Heavenly Father Does. 1. He created the universe (Gen. 1:1; cf. vv. 26, 27). The universe came into being by the will and act of the personal Being called God. Man himself is a creation of God.

2. He has provided salvation for lost men (1 John 4:9). He gave his only Son, that whosoever believeth in him might live through him (John 3:16).

3. He preserves us (Ps. 103:1-14). The preserving mercy of God embraces the following gracious beneficent acts:

a. He forgives all our iniquities (v. 2). This he is able to do because of the righteous provision he made for sin in the atonement wrought out by Jesus Christ.

b. He heals all our diseases (v. 3). This healing refers to the body and the soul. He first renovates man's moral nature and then his physical nature.

c. He redeems the life from destruction (v. 4). Redemption implies the payment of all demands against the debtor.

d. He satisfies the mouth (v. 5). God satisfies all legitimate desires, so that youth is renewed like the eagle's. In redemption man's original capacities are restored to their native vigour.

e. He executes righteousness and judgment (vv. 6-12). The wrongs of life are righted and man is thus relieved of the burdens which they entail.

f. He pities his children (vv. 13, 14). The pity of an earthly father is but a faint suggestion of the sympathetic compassion of the heavenly Father.

4. He chastens his children (Heb. 12:5-11).

a. The fact (vv. 5, 6). Every one who is God's spiritual child experiences chastening, an unmistakable evidence of sonship.

b. How it should be received (vv. 6-8). It is the token of his love (v. 6). c. The purpose of (vv. 9-11). It is to bring the child into subjection to induce reverence (v. 9). It is to produce holiness (v. 10). It is to develop fruits of righteousness (v. 11).

5. He cares for his children (Matt. 6:11, 25). The child of God who has come to know his heavenly Father as the almighty Creator and Preserver, whose very essential being is love, will trust the Father for daily bread without anxiety or fear.

III. The Heavenly Father Revealed in Jesus Christ (John 14:8, 9).

The supreme purpose of the coming of the Son of God was to reveal God (John 1:8). Only a being of God's essential nature could reveal him. Jesus Christ became man in order that he might reveal God to man. Only the one who knows Jesus Christ knows God.

IV. How Men Come to Know God as the Father (John 3:3-6).

It is through regeneration. The new birth is absolutely essential to a knowledge of God as the Father. We are children of God by faith in Jesus Christ (Gal. 3:26).

V. Our Responsibility to the Heavenly Father (Matt. 6:24-34).

The true child who has come to know his Father

1. Will give him undivided affection (v. 24). The child of God makes the unequivocal choice between the heavenly Father and the world.

2. He will not be anxious about food and clothing, as stated above.

3. He will diligently seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness (vv. 33, 34). He will subordinate temporal things to the things of the Spirit. This is not a warning against legitimate forethought but against anxious worry.

Fight Your Habits

The most truly religious thing that a man can do is to fight his way through habits and deficiencies, and back to pure, manlike elements in his nature, which are the ineffaceable traces of the Divine workmanship, and alone really worth fighting for.—Weiss.

Immortality

When, by nobler culture, by purer experience, by breathing the air of a higher duty, vitality at length creeps into the soul, the instincts of immortality will wake within us.

## FRECKLES DISAPPEAR IN 5 TO 10 DAYS



### Wonder cream wipes away blackheads—dull, dingy skin

Here is one proven beauty-aid that works the right way in clearing away freckles, blackheads, blemishes, and restoring smooth, clear, lovely skin. It is famous NADINOLA Cream, tested and trusted for nearly two generations. All you do is this: (1) At bedtime spread a thin film of Nadinola Cream over your face—no massaging, no rubbing. (2) Leave on while you sleep. (3) Watch daily improvement—usually in 5 to 10 days you will see a marvelous transformation. Freckles, blackheads disappear; dull, coarsened skin becomes creamy-white, satiny-smooth, lovely! Fine results positively guaranteed. All toilet counters, only 50c. Or write NADINOLA, Box 36, Paris, Tenn.

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## WOMEN WHO ARE RUNDOWN

Mrs. C. A. Herring of 839 N. Owens Ave., Tulsa, Okla., said: "I was all rundown, felt irritable, and suffered from headaches. I had scarcely enough strength to do my work. Less than one bottle of Dr. Fiero's Favorite Prescription was all that I needed to take to restore my health." Sold by druggists. New size, tablets 50 cts., liquid \$1.00. Large size, tablets or liquid, \$1.35.

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Why let him cry when an application of Cuticura Ointment will quickly soothe that irritation. Cuticura Ointment is a helpful friend to millions of babies throughout the world. It is gentle in action and promotes healing.

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If your kidneys function badly and you have a lame, aching back, with attacks of dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, swollen feet and ankles, rheumatic pains... use Doan's Pills. Doan's are especially for poorly functioning kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended the country over. Ask your neighbor!

## DOAN'S PILLS

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## County Agent News

ROSS B. JENKINS  
County Agent

### CERTIFIED SWEET POTATO PLANTS

Many sweet potato growers have asked what Porto Rico certified plants will cost per 1000 and in answer to that question a portion of a letter from Joe Justiss will answer fully. Quote "I can deliver Porto Rico plants in 5000 or more lots to Baird for \$1.50 per 1000 for the State Certified and the State approved for \$1.25. I can deliver trailer loads at a better price.

"I have found the hill selected seed to be an improvement to any in an experiment last year. I have only disease free plants. They will not be ready for delivery before May as I have just finished bedding 500 bushels Yours very truly,

(Signed) Joe Justiss.

This office is much interested in seeing the Sweet Potato come back into its own in Callahan County and in order to assist growers in ordering plants will accept orders from all interested parties who sign a request for same and it may be found that enough orders will accumulate to get the trailer load rate. Any interested should drop a line to the county agent's office and state their needs.

### WHEAT MEASURING STARTED

Wheat land is being measured in time this year. Three supervisors went into the field Wednesday and hope to

be through measuring measuring in 6 days.

W. R. Williams of Clyde, Claude M. Morse of Oplin and Norrell Long of Cross Plains are the wheat supervisors from Callahan and have their commissions from the State Wheat Board

Twenty-five second wheat payments on either 1933 compliance or the 1934 1st payment was received and distribution began Wednesday. About \$625 was being given out by N. M. George Treasurer of the Callahan Wheat Growers Association.

### MORE CERTIFICATE POOL CHECKS

There were 30 certificate owners who were not included in the first batch of checks received on the Bank head Pool checks but 18 of this number received the 2 cent advance on Tuesday. That leaves but 12 more to receive the first advance. No time has been given out from Washington as to when the remainder of the money will be paid above the 2 cent first advance. It has been reported that 80 per cent of all certificates pooled were sold. If that be true, there will be something like 1 more cent per lb. to be paid less the necessary expenses of handling the pool. Any unused or unsold certificates will be returned to the original owners for use this year. Any unused certificate will be valid for this year's use.

### COTTON VOLUNTARY SIGN UP COMPLETE

The supplemental cotton form that was to be signed by every 1934-35 signer to state whether 25 or 35 per cent was to be cut has been executed and the County committee composed of Aaron McKee of Clyde, chairman, V. F. Jones, Baird, and Steve Foster, Atwell, report that most every cotton grower in the county has signed the new 1935 only contract

The county committee a very busy getting these contracts in form to be sent to the State Review Board.

The committeemen were roundly complimented on getting the job done so quickly this year. They signed the entire county in 8 days this year while it took 3 months last year. This speed has been accomplished by good organization and by requiring each grower to sign the contract with his respective committeeman rather than go to Baird for that purpose.

FOR LEASE—57 1-2 acre tract, fenced adjoining Cottonwood, for lease. Apply to Otis Bowyer 13-1f Baird, Texas



### —SPECIAL—

Monday and Tuesday of each week Shampoo, Set and Dry for 50cts For the first week in April Our \$2.50 Permanent for only \$1.95

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Oil Method, Natural Soft and Lasting Olive Oil Soapless Shampoo and Set 75c

We have a full line of Marie Tomlins Cosmetics

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### NOTICE WITH REGARDS TO REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

On mid-night of April 1st, was the dead line for registering your car, without paying a 20 per cent penalty. Also for driving your car on any High way, rural, public or any road maintained by the County or State, with any license plates displayed other than the present year (1935).

It is the duty of my department to see that this law is enforced. Therefore I am asking the cooperation of the people of this county to see that you have the proper license plates on your car before driving same on the road.

You will remember the money paid in for the registration of automobiles is to be spent in this County each year for the upkeep of our lattered roads, as this county gets to keep the principal part of the registration fee paid in. You should remember this when you go to register your car and register your car in the county in which you live. It is a violation of the law to register your car in any other county than your home county, punishable with a fine up to \$200.00.

I am expecting the cooperation of the people regarding this matter, as we have had in the past. Any reports coming to this office will be investigated at once.

Respectfully yours,

R. L. EDWARDS, Sheriff.  
Callahan County, Texas.

### MRS. ACE HICKMAN HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY CLUB

The following program was given Search for Water Roll Call, Current Events The available supply of moisture, Mrs. Driskill. Well making and windmills, Mrs. Ivey.

Irrigation, Mrs. Blackburn. Dry Farming, Mrs. Coats. Salads, mints and coffee were served to the members and the following guests: Mrs. Boren, Mrs. George, Mrs. Finley and Mrs. H F Foy Mrs. Hickman let the ladies watch Betty Jean and her guests with her birthday party. She blew out the eight candles on the big white cake and all enjoyed ice cream, cake and Easter flowers. Her guests were: Betty Gay Lydia, Betty Foy Latimer, Carol Jarvis, and Lee Ivey, Jr., Ross Finley Gladys Coats and Betty Jean.

### JUNIOR WEDNESDAY CLUB

The Junior Wednesday Club met April 3rd with Miss Leota Alexander as hostess in the home of Mrs. Ted Lamar. The following program was given:

Art And The Aesthetic Experience Roll Call, Current Events General Conception of Beauty and Art, Mrs. Cutbirth. Character of Simple Lines and Forms, Mrs. Darby. Leader, Miss Warren.

### NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th. day April, 1935 I will offer for sale at the Jim Hobbs place 3 1-2 miles South-west of Clyde, in Callahan County, Texas, about thirty head of cattle, consisting of milk cows, yearlings and other cattle. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids. These cattle are cattle owned by Jim Stallings, and against which I hold a chattel mortgage.

W. B. Hallman

## LET Want Ads

Notice I am standing a real Perchem Stallion at my place 6 miles south of Clyde. It will pay you to look him over. I also have red top cane seed for sale. Ernest Ham Rt. 2 Clyde 17-4tp

Alexander's Improved Cottonseed, ginned on private gin, recleaned and sacked. \$1.25 per bushel at Diamond Ranch, F W Alexander, Albany, Texas 16-8t

WANT TO BUY at reasonable price, small place near Baird, just over city limits H. M. Gary, Baird St. Rt 1 Good sized, 3 year old horse and medium, 5 year old mule for sale. Also have fresh milk goats and pigs. N. M. George 17-1tp

STRAYED OF STOLEN 1 horse mule 15 hands high, 1,000 lbs, white nose, branded (arrow U) on left hind quarter; 1 mare mule, 15 hands high, 1100 lbs, solid brown, limps in right front foot. Notify John E. Walker, Clyde, Texas, Rt. 1 17-1tp

APARTMENT—Two or three room downstairs apartment for rent. All modern conveniences and every thing furnished. Mrs. J H Terrell

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Clyde and Abilene.

### CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely thank everyone for the many kindnesses shown us in the death of our brother and uncle, J B Walker. We especially wish to thank members of the Woodmen Circle Rebekahs, Pythian Sisters, Sunshine Club, Pythian Sister Booster Club and Odd Fellows. We also thank all for the beautiful flowers.

Sincerely,  
Susie Walker  
J. P. Walker  
Neices and Nephews

### Preachers Hair Tonic

Don't worry about Gray Hair or be embarrassed with Dandruff; Preachers Hair Tonic positively corrects these ailments. Thousands satisfied customers. Holmes Drug Company, Baird, Texas. 17-1f.

### MASONIC NOTICE

Regular stated meeting of Baird Lodge No. 522, A. F. & A. M, Saturday, April 16, 1935 at 7:30 p. m. Members are urged to attend Bro. W. A. Stevenson, of Hardin-Simmons University, will speak to the Lodge on early Masonic History. Visitors cordially invited.

W. E. Melton, Jr., W. M

### BABY CHICKS. CUSTOM HATCHING

We now have Baby Chicks each Wednesday. All heavy breeds, \$7, hundred Leghorns and assorted, \$6.50. Have a few started chicks each week, reasonable. CLYDE HATCHERY, CLYDE TEXAS. 13-4tp.

FORT WORTH STAR TELEGRAM—Delivered twice daily, Morning, evening, Sunday, Tom Warren, Agent.

### LAUNDRY

Call Phone No. 131 Will call Monday, Wednesday and Friday, of each week.

### Abilene Laundry Co.

JACK HAYS, Representative  
Baird, Texas

### ABILENE NEWS-REPORTER

Distributed twice daily in Baird. See me or phone No. 100 for delivery of paper. Cliff Johnson.

FARMERS AND STOCKMEN who are eligible, and have the proper security desiring to finance their operation with cheap money may do so through the Coleman Production Credit Association. Applications for Callahan County must be made through M. H Perkins, Clyde Texas. 6-1f

checks COLDS and FEVER first day HEADACHES in 30 minutes  
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worth of New Automobiles Sold in Callahan in March—Alone. A Five years record broken and the Famous V-8 Ford leads in sales, as it does on all the highways and by ways.

- These Registrations were taken from Callahan Co. Tax Collectors' records
- 3-1-35 Dick Young, Baird, Wooten Motor Company '35 V-8 Coupe
  - 3-1-35 J. G. Wiler, Cross Plains, Calhoun Motor Company '35 Plymouth
  - 3-2-35 W. S. Ramsey, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-3-35 M. W. Edwards, Clyde, Texas, Ray Motor Co. '35 Chevrolet Coupe
  - 3-3-35 R. F. Mayfield, Baird, Ray Motor Company, '35 Chevrolet Sedan
  - 3-4-35 Arcadia Ref. Co., Cross Plains, McAdams Mo Co. '35 V-8 Truck
  - 3-4-35 Arcadia Ref. Co. Cross Plains, McAdams Mo. Co. '35 V-8 Picup
  - 3-3-35 Drew Beams, Baird, Wooten Motor Company '35 V-8 Truck
  - 3-5-35 W. R. Cook, Clyde, Wooten Motor Company '35 V-8 Fordor
  - 3-4-35 J. B. Pitzer, Baird, Wooten Motor Company, '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-6-35 J. C. Behm, Baird, Wooten Motor Company '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-6-35 Don Farrell, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co. '35 V-8 Truck
  - 3-7-35 W. M. Weiler, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co., '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-8-35 Jesse McAdams, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co. '35 V-8 Fordor
  - 3-9-35 Jessie McIntosh, Clyde, Ray Motor Company '35 Chevrolet Coupe
  - 3-9-35 Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Fordor
  - 3-12-35 Kyle Ellington, Baird, Wooten Motor Co., '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-12-35 Kyle Ellington, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-13-35 V. D. Reaves, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-13-35 Farris Bennett, Baird, Allison Motor Co. '35 Dodge Pickup
  - 3-15-35 Anderson Brewery Oil Corp. Cisco, Wooten Mo. Co. '35 V-8 Truck
  - 3-16-35 R. L. Edwards, Baird, Ray Motor Co. '35 Chevrolet Coach
  - 3-16-35 Capital Bldg. Loan Asso., Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-18-35 Ross B. Jenkins, Baird, Wooten Motor Co., '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-18-35 Capital Oil Corp., Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Fordor
  - 3-18-35 B. R. Blankenship, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Fordor
  - 3-20-35 Jess Willbanks, Baird, Ray Motor Co. '35 Chevrolet Coupe
  - 3-20-35 W. H. Bryant, Baird, Ray Motor Co. '35 Chevrolet Sedan
  - 3-22-35 Mrs. Sue Murphey, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Touring Sed.
  - 3-23-35 M. A. Witherspoon, Baird, Ray Motor Co. '35 ChevroletM Coach
  - 3-26-35 W. L. Coffey, Sr., Baird, Wooten Motor Co '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-26-35 Cecil Eager, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-27-35 D. A. Tessier, Clyde, Mayberry Motor Co., '35 V-8 Delux Tudor
  - 3-30-35 J. J. Caldwell, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Coupe
  - 3-30-35 P. L. Norrell, Baird, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor
  - 3-30-35 Miss Rena Ball, Putnam, Wooten Motor Co. '35 V-8 Tudor

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BAIRD, TEXAS

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LETTUCE, Ice Berg	Head	4c
CORN FLAKES	Pkg.	9c
MEAL	20 Lb. Sack	59c
CARNATION MILK	7 Small Cans	25c
Saltine Flakes	2 lb. box.	33c
SALTINE FLAKES	2 Lb. Box	33c
PINTO BEANS	Lb.	9c
Sanwich Spread or Salad Dressing Qt.		30c
STEAK, round or T BONE	Lb.	20c
STEAK good and tender	2 Lbs.	25c
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Marvelous new tonic helps to restore balance of white and red blood corpuscles and drive out blood impurities.

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TUESDAY—April 9  
Matinee Starts at 1 P. M.

One Hundred And Fifty  
Reasons Again why you should  
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HAROLD BELL WRIGHT'S  
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In a ride you'll never forget!



—COMING—  
"Living On Velvet"  
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"I HAVEN'T HAD  
A COLD IN  
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"In the old days I used to dread the coming of Winter. I was always fighting colds—feeling about half alive—trying to work with my body aching and every nerve on edge.  
Then a friend told me about McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets with their marvelous vitamins A and D. I started to take them five years ago and I haven't had a cold since that time.  
"McCoy's" tablets put new life in folks; build up resistance so anyone can laugh at cold germs. They make weak, skiny people strong, steady-nerved and vigorous. They're wonderful!  
Get the genuine McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets from your druggist today. Don't waste money on imitations. Ask for McCoy's."

Fitting Tribute to a Loved One

The fitting tribute to one whom you have loved is a monument of permanence and grace; a stone that will go down through the years marking the last resting place of one whose name you respect and honor.

Early Spring months are the months to order and have placed headstones and markers. To place your order now will allow sufficient time your working out design and have ready for placing when warm days arrive.



SAM L. DRYDEN & SON  
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Jordon of Oplink were in Baird yesterday

L L Ford left Friday for his farm near Hargraves, New Mexico.

Miss Mae Eastham of Admiral is visiting her brother, O E Eastham and family.

Miss Dorothy Burks of Olney spent the past week end with her sister Miss Mabel Burks

Miss Iva Nelle Bockman spent Saturday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E Bockman at Eula

Miss Adelle Bockman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr and Mrs Colonel Dyer and family

Norman Finley, county director, and Robert Estes, inspector for the Coleman Production Association attended a meeting of that organization in Coleman Monday.

Miss Lua James who has a position in the office of the collector of internal revenue, Dallas, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. S. T. James and family

Mr. and Mrs F L Foster spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Throckmorton. Little Miss Gloria Eubanks accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O E Eastham, Miss Agnes and Master Dickey Eastham, Mrs L. L Ford and daughters, Doris, Ruth and Catherine, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. G Johnson in Snyder

R. F. Mayfield and Miss Josephine Hamlett spent Wednesday in Dallas buying ladies spring ready to wear and milinery for Mayfield's and the Bonnett Box, which they now have on display.

Bill Melton, L. W. Jester, Archie Sargent and Dave Short went over to Abilene last Wednesday evening to attend the ceremony conferring the Masters Degree. Archie says the degree work was excellent.

A. P. Martin of Tulia, Texas came in the first of last week for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Sophie Hill He left for Brownwood Friday morning to attend the County Judges and Commissioners Association. Mrs. Hill accompanied him to Brownwood.

J. J Ryals of Floyd county, was a visitor in Baird Tuesday when enroute to Stephenville for a visit with relatives there Mr. Ryals was a former resident of Callahan county, living here more than 50 years ago. Mr: Ryals says he helped to build the Texas and Pacific Railroad through Baird being with the grading crew. He also worked for Charlie Hammer and Odom Brothers pioneer ranchman at Belle Plain for a while later going to Weatherford where he worked for some time.

Something is wrong. My use to be customers, for some cause have quit me You get no better material, no better job, no better price elsewhere I appeal to your better judgment to tell me your reason for not giving me your work. This is Edd, the one leg guy, talking E B Mills Shoe Shop, Baird 16-2t

For Sale, Ten Thousand Burkett Pecan Trees

Burkett Pecans, 3-4 ft, 50 cts 4-5 ft, 75 cts; 5-6 ft, \$1; 6-7 ft, \$1.25; Carmen Grapes, \$7 per hundred Black Spanish, 10 cts each, \$1 per hundred; Apples, Peaches, Frost proof Plums and Prunes, never get killed by late freezes, No. 2 cans of Turnips and Tops, Mustard and Carrots, \$1 per dozen, J. H. Burkett-Clyde Nursery Clyde, Texas, Heeling ground on highway. 4-tf

Chickens--Turkeys

Give them Star-Sulphurous-Compound in drinking water regular. Use as directed and it will keep them free of germs and worms that cause diseases. Also free of blood-sucking lice, mites, fleas and blue-bugs that sap their vitality and we will guarantee you to have healthy, good egg-producing fowls and strong, healthy baby chicks at a very small cost or your money refunded.

For Sale by  
HOLMES DRUG COMPANY  
BAIRD, TEXAS

THE 1935 Air Flow  
Coiffure,

The 1935 Air Flow Coiffure, was originated by Mr. Scoggins, of Scoggins Beauty Shop, of Abilene, Texas.

He demonstrated this formal hair-dresses at the SOUTH WEST BEAUTY AND TRADE SHOW, in El Paso, Texas last month. The Southern Beauty Shop magazine of Atlanta, Ga. will feature this unusual style in the April issue.

Mr. Scoggins is nationally known as a Hair Stylist and is considered an be Guest Artist at the Russell Mornings Show in Lubbock, Texas. Demonstrations and lectures on several Beauty Show programs this year; April 9, 10, 11 in New Orleans at the National Hair Dressers Convention and April 22, 23, 24 Mr Scoggins will be Guest Artist on the Russell Morrison Show in Lubbock, Texas.

The Modern Beauty Shop magazine recently featured a Permanent Wave article, on Childrens Permanent Waving, by Mr. Scoggins.

His Shop is featuring the Machineless Wave this season which leaves the hair soft and more natural looking. The price of this wave on the Croquignole has been reduced from \$10.00 to \$6.50. The Machine waves range in price from \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$6.50.

Mrs. Leotis Meadows who formerly operated a Shop in Baird, Texas, has been added to his staff of Operators, making nine operators to serve you, when in Abilene, make a visit to his Shop 2nd door east of Queen Theatre.

Miss Mabel Burks, local manager for the Leach Store here will go to Olney Sunday where she will spend next week helping to move the Leach store to their new and enlarged quarters. Miss Lyndall McClendon will be in charge of the Leach store here during Miss Burks absence.

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Tour Europe this summer with the WORLD'S FAMOUS COWBOY BAND (Hardin-Simmons University). \$520.00 from Fort Worth. Write for booklet. G. B. SANDEFER, Manager Abilene, Texas



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Evalyn Barton

DRESSY CLUB NEWS

The How do you do song by Joe Frank Farrell opened the program of the Dressy community H D. Club, at the home of Mrs. Frank Spencer Thursday of last week

A house wife's revelation one to another by Mrs. C D Baird. In the beautiful garden of prayer sung by Mrs Norrell Long. Club songs and quilt work completed the program.

Next meeting to be with Miss Kalola Cavanaugh April 11.

A refreshment plate of mixed ham with hot buns, potato chips, pecan pie topped with cream and coffee was served to eighteen members and Mmes C. M. Garret, George Baum, W O Spencer and Miss Celesta Freeman.

O. A. Wooten, manager, Wooten Motor Company, local Ford dealer, returned yesterday from Dallas, and while there he was told that he holds

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Loans and Discounts.....\$196,892.26	Capital.....\$50,000.00
Callahan County Warrants, City of Baird Warrants, School Warrants and other Securities.....12,960.63	Surplus and Profits.....17,621.82
Banking House and Fixtures.....7,700.00	Circulation.....25,000.00
Other Real Estate.....7,000.00	DEPOSITS.....\$778,358.34
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....2,250.00	
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation.....25,000.00	
Due From U. S. Treasurer.....1,250.00	
Federal Deposit Insurance Fund.....1,343.64	
Cotton.....78.00	
Other Assets (First State Bank Contract).....60,111.63	
CASH:	
U. S. Bonds and	
U. S. Obligations.....\$152,401.18	
State, County, Municipal & District Bonds.....10,145.77	
Bills of Exchange.....3,150.35	
Cash and	
Due From Banks.....390,696.70	
<b>TOTAL.....\$870,980.16</b>	<b>TOTAL.....\$870,980.16</b>

The above Statement is correct.

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## Uncommon Sense

By John Blake  
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Unless you really want to know the "whys" of things, you may go through kindergarten, school and college, and at the end of your days you will be lucky if you are able to do more than earn a bare living.

Obviously we were intended by the Creator to be curious.

It is because of the able, wondering people who have gone before you that you are not chasing wild animals around with a stone hammer, so that you can eat their flesh and make clothing out of their hides.

All the good teachers I ever had had were men and women who, when I pined them with questions, told me to go and find out for myself.

The best any teacher or professor can do is to awaken the curiosity of those in their care.

Once start them wondering about the "whys" and they will do the rest.

It was not so many years ago that the people of the earth took it for granted that apples on a tree, when they ripened, should fall down and not up.

Then Isaac Newton came along, looked at the same kind of apples on the same kind of trees that had been growing for ages, and inquired of himself why this should be.

So the attraction of gravitation was discovered, and out of that discovery grew the science of physics.

It constantly occurs to me that we of this generation are fortunate in the date of our birth.

We came into the world in a thinking and an inquiring age.

The intelligent people all over the world are not satisfied to know that apples fall, that the sun shines, that water runs down hill.

They demand to know the reasons. And as they discover them one by one they pass them on to those who don't want to take the trouble to think.

Always there are problems to think out, always there is work on hand, always there are opportunities to prod others into a realization of how much is to be done, and how much can be done.

Today the scientists are outstripping all other groups of people.

But presently the men and women who are working to reduce poverty, to put an end to crime, and to increase opportunity in the world will have their innings.

You and I have seen a great advancement in thought, a great spread of education.

We shall see much more of these things in our life times, if we use our eyes and ears as knowledge scouts, and our mind to put into use the information that they bring to us.

Not long ago I was shown a copy of a newspaper published before the Civil war.

A scant third of it was news.

The remainder consisted of opinions of the newspaper's editors, or of prominent people, or of long letters to the editor, written by very dull people who obviously had a deep belief in their own ability.

The newspaper reader of today would be astonished if he found that kind of a sheet on his doorstep.

Most of the news would be old, sometimes a week, sometimes six months.

There would be no pictures, no tidings at all of great catastrophes, news of which would not reach the town or city of publication for weeks to come.

The newspaper that you are reading now may be a great metropolitan publication, or it may be a smaller paper out in a town of a few thousand people.

Put it will tell you what is going on all over the world.

It will be your eyes and ears while you are sitting at the breakfast table.

It may differ with you in politics, but it will tell you as much about what your political party is doing as it does about what its own party is doing.

Reporters today are trained to state facts briefly and succinctly, to write the news so you will know what is actually happening, and why.

Today the newspapers which do not favor the administration give as much news about it as the organs which, in their editorial columns, strongly approve of what is going on in Washington.

And in a town so small that it has only a weekly, you can still get the news without prejudice.

I believe that more men and women are sending their children to college because they, and the children as well, read what the colleges are doing, and how much they do for the young people committed to their care.

I believe that in almost every department of modern life the newspaper is a great and growing factor.

Moreover I am certain that every man and woman who reads a modern newspaper every day will increase his intelligence, and become more and more a factor for good in the world.

I am not rooting for any given paper. I have worked and written for many of them.

But I am for them. Without them this country would never have grown so rapidly, and would never have been governed so wisely.

## Stage Set for Epic Struggle

Plan to Take Profits Out of War; Fantastic Pension Scheme

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON.—The stage is now set for one of the epic struggles of history. In the words of Roosevelt "The time has now come to take the profits out of war."

After years of the ravaging of the world by wars, this government is getting up out of the slough of old time thought and is going to make war unprofitable to the great array of munitions makers who make unbelievable profits out of killing people. . . "Death Merchants" they are called.

Congress will try earnestly at this session to formulate a plan whereby, if this country ever enters another war, to take over the business of making guns, ships, ammunitions and other essentials of death-dealing, to prevent a small group of manufacturers from growing rich thereby. The details are unbelievably extensive; but the principle of the thing is to draft the "Death Merchants" just as men were drafted in the World war. Profitless wars will aid in ridding the world of such scourges.

There is no reason why the du Ponts and the big ship builders should take millions of dollars on war, while hundreds of thousands of boys should be drafted in the name of their country to be moved forward to die in the front line trenches—paid for at a dollar a day.

A senate committee, headed by Senator Gerald Nye of North Dakota, has been examining the war profits of the munitions makers. In addition President Roosevelt has a secret report from Bernard Baruch containing a plan for drafting the country's resources in case of a war. That report now rests in the State department. Meantime the senate is about to receive a "profitless war" plan from the Nye committee. It will have dramatic interest, especially in view of the war plans now coming forth out of Europe.

It has been shown by witnesses before the Nye committee that the munitions makers, the ship builders, the powder and shell makers, have made literally billions of dollars for themselves in war time. When you think of Eugene Grace, for instance, making a personal profit of over a million and a half dollars, out of his job as president of the Bethlehem Steel works in the World war; and contrast that to the misery and sorrow visited upon the boys in the army and navy, there seems to be no reason why Mr. Grace and the rest of the munitions makers should look upon the death-merchandising business as an opportunity for piling up huge bank accounts for themselves.

### SELFISHNESS PROVEN

Mr. Grace is now used as Exhibit A to prove that munitions makers are selfish. He testified before the Nye munitions committee that he saw no reason why he should not be paid a truck load of money in the way of a bonus in war time, in addition to his salary of \$12,000 a year. He could understand and appreciate a personal bonus of a million and a half for himself; but he was bull-headed in his opposition to a bonus for the boys in the army and navy. That sort of a bonus shocked and grieved his soul, because it is a bonus which may be paid for (if it eventuates) out of large slices in the way of taxes on his own princely personal bonus.

Grace's testimony shocked the nation. Even the most conservative newspapers jumped on Grace. One conservative New York paper criticized Grace in a leading editorial which sounded almost like a communist screed. Members of congress have delivered speeches in which they pointed to him and other munitions makers as prime breeders of discontent in this country. I quote from one of them, whose speech lies before me as I write—Representative Charles Faddis of Pennsylvania:

"The attitude" said Faddis "of Eugene C. Grace . . . is more dangerous to this nation than is all of the communistic propaganda emanating from Soviet Russia. In one breath he upheld the privilege of him and his class to extract from his nation in time of war excessive profits with which to pay ridiculously large bonuses and fat dividends; but he objected to the men who were in the danger zone asking for the one-third thousandth part of what he received. . . . The nation to him is bounded by the fences of the Bethlehem Steel works, guarded by his private police force. Here he is king and every human consideration is secondary to the making of steel."

### SPIES STIR UP STRIFE

It has been shown that the industrial leaders who make fortunes out of war are responsible for a network of spies and fixers who rush hither and yon across the face of the world stirring up strife and dissension between the nations and then selling them the arms and ammunitions with which to kill millions of soldiers who have no real interest in the rotten business. They cheat their government by keeping up the prices of steel and other materials; they oppose every effort to let the government build its own ships and run its own factories. Right now the wellspring of the opposition

to the New Deal is in a coterie of munition makers who have financed a well organized movement to tear down the New Deal and elect a President and a congress of the reactionary type.

The Liberty league is the name of the organization which has entered the field to smear the New Deal. It presumes to be a nation-wide protest against the Rooseveltian policies, but it is not. Instead, it is a group paid for by the du Ponts, as shown by the official reports of contributions. It is subsidized by du Pont money for two years to come. It is headed by J. P. Shouse, former Democratic national executive committee chairman, who was also the head of the association against the prohibition amendment and a shrewd politician of the Bourbon type. The real animus behind Shouse's participation in the repeal movement was the fact that prohibition contained many political progressives; men who wanted reforms of all sorts, and the munitions makers want no reforms. The du Ponts financed the wet movement, paying Shouse \$40,000 or \$50,000 a year and they have salted his new anti New Deal organization with enough real money to pay him about the same money to smear progress for the next two years. He has a plausible argument; he defends the Constitution, puts on a sad face and says the trend is away from the old ideals. But his belief in the Constitution is the sort that springs from the pig iron industry. Human welfare appears to be remote from his thoughts.

The Liberty league, intelligent, forceful and fashionable, believes in balancing the budget regardless, I think, of human misery, or social equality. Its immediate associates are people of wealth, who traipse around Washington and New York cocktail parties, and who think the world has come to an end when a dividend has to be reduced. It is a true offspring of the "Death Merchant" class from which it is lineally descended; and when it offers a panacea for all our economic woes, smearing and criticizing the humane and progressive policies of this administration, it should be remembered that the well springs of its output are in Wilmington, Del., headquarters of the igxpressibly rich and selfish du Ponts—the head and fore front of the munitions makers of the country.

### "GET-RICH-QUICK" SCHEME

The most fantastic of the get-rich-quick schemes before congress is found in the McGroarty bill embodying a Dr. F. E. Townsend's plan to establish Utopia by a huge tax on all sales, which will raise a vast amount of money to be distributed at the rate of \$200 monthly to everyone sixty years or older. These oldsters, in turn, are required to spend all their \$200 in the month they get it. This is supposed to create such a flood of cash that the United States will be overwhelmed with everlasting prosperity.

The scheme has no more sense to it than a plan to raise yourself by the bootstraps; but thousands of people believe in it; think it is a part of the New Deal and have organized in such numbers that in some states they could defeat a congressman who votes against it. Dr. F. E. Townsend of Long Beach, Calif., father of the scheme, was almost unheard of outside his own town a year ago; but today he has a large section of congress by the short hair and his old age pension scheme at \$200 monthly has almost driven congress to hysteria. Congress knows it can't work; but thousands of people want their congressmen to vote for it and will defeat some of those who refuse.

The bill incorporating the idea provides:

"Immediately after the passage of this act the secretary of the treasury shall authorize all . . . banks . . . to credit to each properly identified pensioner, the first day of each month in the sum of \$200, and said banks shall be reimbursed by the United States treasury for the amounts so credited. . . ."

All you would have to do at the age of sixty would be to walk up to the bank and collect.

But let's see how it works out. Townsend says it will cost the country from \$1,500,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000 a month; \$18,000,000,000 to \$24,000,000,000 yearly, which is several times as much as the whole government costs, plus the emergency relief and public works.

But Doctor Townsend says a tax on all sales and transactions will raise the money and not burden anyone.

Let us look into this.

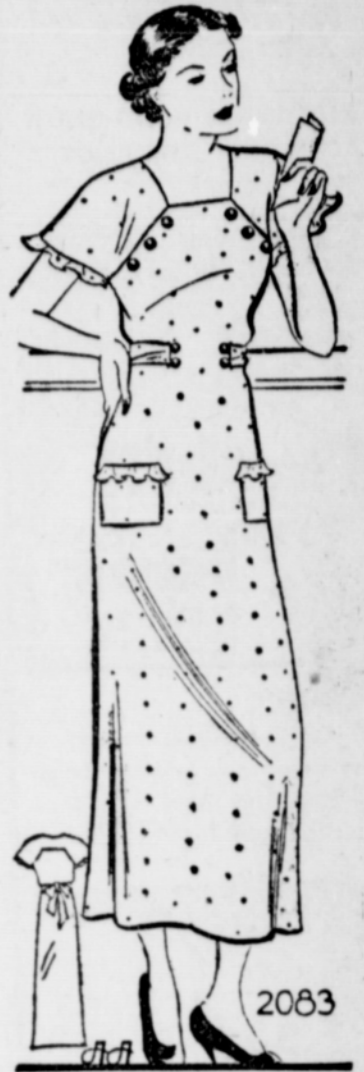
Our biggest sales were in 1929 when we did \$50,000,000,000 worth of business; and since then business hasn't been so good. But let's try to raise Townsend's pension for his oldsters on the 1929 business. Let's take the lowest Townsend estimate of \$18,000,000,000 a year for his pension. To raise that amount on \$50,000,000,000 business is equivalent to putting an \$18 tax on every \$5 worth of business. Isn't that rather appalling?

It means that you pay \$68 for every \$50 worth of food or clothes or anything else; your \$68 is worth only \$50; your \$50 is worth only about \$32. It would be a wage cut of about 30 per cent for wage earners, and because of that and every other false idea in the scheme there would be an expansion of our currency that would be ruinous.

It would impoverish millions of people with homes to buy and families to raise. In fact everyone with a fixed income would be fattened out as if a steam roller had struck him.

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Rastus—How am yo' suah dat was de worstest yo' evah bin scared?

Sambo—"Cause de farmer grab me by de shoulder an' he say: "White boy, what yo' doin' here?"—Toronto Globe.

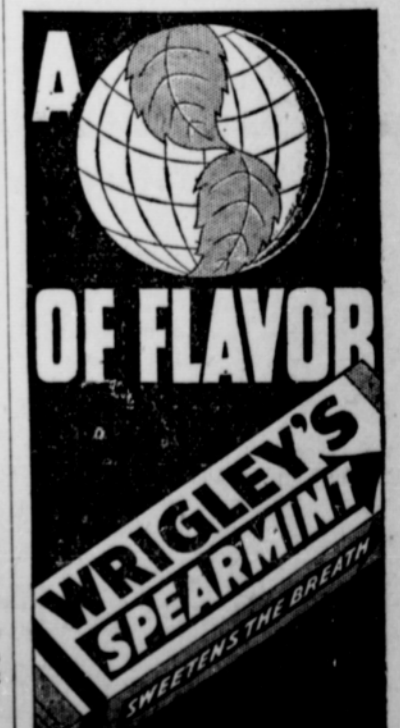
### Early Aversion

Small Joan, saying her prayers, had asked blessings on her parents and various other members of the family, at her mother's suggestion. "Now ask God to make you a good girl," her mother added.

"Please make me a good girl, Lord," Joan continued, "but not too fat, please, not too fat."—Exchange.

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# SABERS IN THE SEA

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

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Every year, when the nights begin to lengthen and the great outdoors loses its lure, my old friend Cassidy turns up and proffers a request, for ten dollars, more if he thinks I look good natured. So I was not surprised when I heard the familiar "Hey Bo!" behind me, and turning about beheld him standing in the door and regarding me appraisingly. "Just a couple of vees," he said, as I swung around in my chair, "just something to keep the wolf off the brownstone front till I find another lay. Me an' hard luck has been pullin' around as usual, but everything will be O K soon. I'd of been all right now if I'd of been able to guess what a fish was likely to do. But I don't believe anybody can do that, not even the fish himself. An'

ain't I got to eat while I'm thinkin' up some new way to get the eggs an' bacon?" "Tell me more," I said, with no movement toward my pocket. "It was this way. I was down to one of them summer resorts south of the big town, conductin' a game of chance, but it seems that there's a prejudice down that way against loadin' dice an' markin' cards. Pretty soon I got a invitation from the chief of police to mosey along to some other resort before he felt it his duty to provide me with an iron room for a few months. It's bad luck to talk back to one of them fellers, an' I dusted out to another shore place that as yet had not enjoyed the pleasure of my acquaintance, an' where my reputation hadn't been spread abroad in high an' low society.

"Havin' a little money an' plenty of time while I was waitin' for somethin' to barge in an' make my fortune for me, I got a bayman to take me out swordfishin' one afternoon. I'm always willing to try anything once, an' since I seen a feller ketchin' a swordfish in a newsy reel I sort of hankered to try it. The guy that took me out knowed where the swordfish was parked, an' inside of an hour I'd hooked one of them. While I was fightin' him an' noticin' how he worked, an' how fast he was on his fins the idea come to me. "Right away I put out my line, but this time I told the boatman not to kill the fish when I got him alongside, but to run the boat ashore towin' him along behind, which he done. When he got in we hitched up to a pier the fisherman had in his back yard an' I went up to town an' had some printin' done. It looked to me at the time as the surest fire graft I had ever thought out, an' I was nervous for fear somebody was already workin' it along shore.

"The next morning me an' the fisherman built us a pen by the side of the dock—a pen about twenty yards square, an' we plopped our fish into it. Then we built us another pen, went out an' caught us another fish, and put him into it.

"After that I got busy distributin' my printin' an' inside of ten days there wasn't no talk in that town about anythin' but the big sword fish fight that was comin' off. They was crowds down to the place from breakfast time to sundown, sizin' up the fish an' considerin' their p'int, an' when some of the women's organizations began crusadin' to have the fight stopped on the ground of it's bein' brutal an' inhumane. I knew the show would go over with a wow. Of course there was a little trouble at first with some of the town officials, but when they come down to see what was doin' I tipped them off to the fish that was sure to win, on account of his weight an' form an' they just went back and got their money ready to bet.

"Of course I set the date back now an' then so as to give the news a

chance to get out around the countryside so we would have a good audience. The only thing I was afraid of was city reporters, but a big story had broke in Philadelphia a couple of days before, an' only the local correspondents was around. They was nice friendly boys, an' tickled to pieces with gettin' a good yarn an' it never seemed to enter their minds that I was givin' the show just to improve the breed of swordfish. Their papers circulated mostly in the farmin' towns 'round about, an' that was the kind of circulation I was lookin' for. You don't want mean suspicious city folks at a show of that kind. You want the sort that is used to takin' a lickin' now an' then, an' gets to like it, if they can get a run for their money.

"I didn't know nothin' about how to feed fish to make 'em game, but I got a half dozen barrels of herring or mackerel or whatever was the cheap fish around there, an' divided 'em up between our gladiators. I divided 'em up so's the one that we caught first, which was the fastest an' meanest lookin', had just enough to keep him in condition an' hungry, while the other one got all he could eat, an' didn't want to do much after dinner but lay on the bottom an' dream pleasant dreams. He was havin' the time of his life, an' I don't believe you could of chased him out of the place with a pike pole.

"When the day of the fight come around there was people swarmin' in with cars from back forty miles, an' others chuggin' up in a regular circus parade of motor boats. We'd had a temporary platform built out over-lookin' the pen where the battle was to come off, an' before the gate was opened to let the two fish together in the arena there was boys sellin' space on the roofs of every house along shore. An' what kind of spoiled my enjoyment of the overcoat pocket full of bills I'd collected, was lookin' at a big ferry boat some crook had chartered an' anchored about a hundred yards away where all his passengers, an' there must have been two hundred of 'em, could get a better view of the comin' scrap than any of our customers could get. That made a lot of complaints, but I told everybody that the ferryboat was an official craft sent down by the state authorities to see that

everything was above board, and of course you couldn't keep officials from bringin' their friends along.

"Just at noon we run up the flag that announced that the fight was to start, an' ten minutes afterward we opened the alleys that led into the arena from the two pens. I had one eye on a little motor boat I'd chartered an' kept tied to the dock near me so if anything should go wrong I wouldn't have to stay there an' make it right, an' the other eye on the feller who was my bettin' commissioner. I expected to see the fight last about six or eight minutes, which would be time enough for the half fed fish to run the other so full of holes that he'd be too leaky to float more than a minute.

"But a feller that ain't brought up with swordfish don't know nothin' about 'em. My little lithe wiry feller that I'd bet my roll on made one dash for the arena, swims a lap around it, sees the big loggy fish he could of killed in one jab, an' what does he do but jump clear over the net around the fightin' ring an' light out for blue water as fast as he could leg it.

"I turned around to find my stakeholder an' tell him to jump into the motor boat but he was a quarter of a mile out to sea an' goin' like a streak. The only reason I didn't feller him was because the crowd whose money he'd lit out with seemed to hold me responsible. What do you think of that?"

"Yeah. I spent a couple of weeks in the hoosegow, an' when they let me out they had to take me in the night to the town limits so the citizens couldn't reason with me about that money. You see I'd pointed out the wrong fish by mistake to the chief of police, an' he won on him an' thought I'd done him a favor. That's why I only served two weeks. Him an' the police judge fixed it up between them an' divided a pretty good pot.

"No. I ain't got no game I'm startin'. All I want's that ten spot. I guess I'm slowin' up at my job, an' I'm goin' to see if runnin' straight is as good a graft as some of them preachers say it is."

### Dogs in Yokes

Yokes similar to those farmers use to prevent cows from jumping fences are now being attached to dogs to keep them from running away. The yoke is fastened about the neck and can be adjusted so it does not interfere with the animal when it walks or trots, but begins bumping his legs when he starts to run. It is useful in training dogs to obey commands, and the animal soon learns to stop when ordered, after which the yoke can be discarded.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

### It All Depends

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### FEASTING HALL USED BY STONE AGE MEN FOUND

A feasting hall used by men in the dim ages before history began has been found outside the entrance of Whangaroa Harbour, New Zealand. G. Fleming and L. Frear, both of Whangaroa, noticed a small crevice in a rock wall along the coast. They forced their way through into a rapidly widening cavern, as big as a dance hall. The floor of the cavern was covered to a depth of some inches with the dust of ages and the remains of past inhabitants. Although there were many skeletons, the cavern was apparently not used as a regular burial place. There were cooking and sleeping places and many signs of feasting. Bones of fish, birds, animals and human beings were mingled, and there were also what appeared to be bones of the extinct moa, a bird often 14 feet tall. Wooden fishhooks with shell-tipped barbs were found. It is by no means certain that the skeletons are those of Maoris, in view of the curling reddish hair found on some of the skulls. The Maori invariably has black, rather straight hair. If the skeletons are not those of Maoris, they must be those of the mythical people who inhabited New Zealand long before the coming of the Maori.

### Post Office Classes

The class of a post office is determined by the receipts. Those taking in \$40,000 or more annually are made first class; between \$8,000 and \$40,000 are second class; \$1,500 to \$8,000 are third class, while the fourth class take in less than \$1,500. There are 1,122 first class, 3,425 second class, 10,485 third class and 32,675 fourth class post offices in the United States.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong. No alcohol. Sold by druggists in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

### All Have Weakness

Every man has some weakness and he doesn't want it harped on.

### FIND 'EM EVERYWHERE

All subscribe to the Golden Rule; but there are chiselers of that, too



### make your garden A SHOW-PLACE

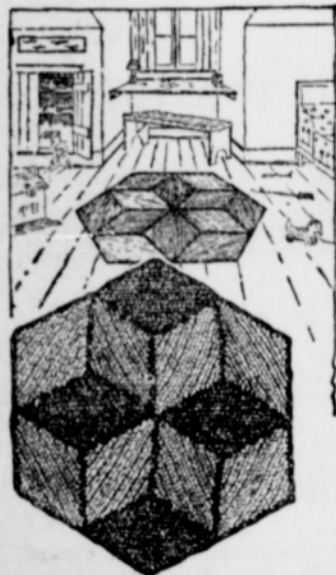
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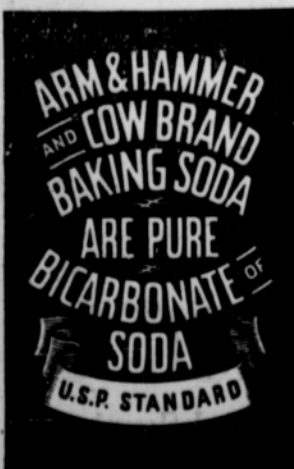
This is another rug design that our readers will recognize as taken from the "Cubes and Stars" quilt design that is possibly a hundred years old. This rug measures thirty inches and requires about two pounds of material to crochet. It is made up of 12 diamonds and slip stitched together to form a star or blocks, depending on the way the color scheme is worked out. It is always an interesting rug to study (count the cubes) and well adapted for a child's room.

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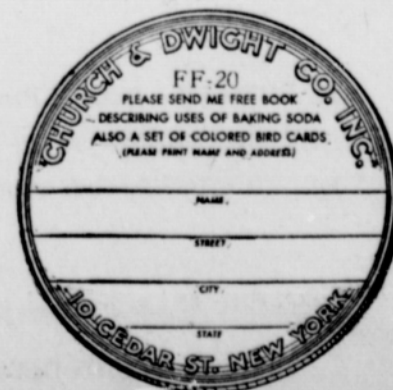
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# JONES DRY GOODS

### Griggs Hospital News

Mrs. Sam Buchanan, of Belle Plain was a medical patient.

Miss Gladys Suggs, living south west of Clyde underwent major surgery Sunday.

Mrs. June Montgomery and Mrs. Nora Hearn, tourists were patients Monday and Tuesday for treatment of injuries received when their car turned over near Dothan.

Bill Cargal, who has been a patient

for the past two weeks for treatment of injuries received when thrown from a horse was able to leave the hospital Saturday.

Warren Smith of Admiral is a medical patient.

Mrs. Roscoe Higgins of Baird was operated on for appendicitis Friday night of last week.

Woodrow Parks of Novice, a surgical patient the past week is convalescing and will go home in a few days.

Lillie Faye Mann, 8 year old daughter of Charlie Mann, Clyde, Catherine Barr, 2 year old daughter of L W Barr of Eula, were tonsilectomy patients Tuesday.

Eugene Blankenship, thirteen year old son of G G Blankenship of Baird and Jack Mc Gough of Clyde, were

tonsilectomy patients last Friday.

Mrs. J T Watts of Baird, underwent major surgery Tuesday night.

Audrey Hawley, 10 year old daughter of Clark Hawley, hitch-hikers, was a patient Monday for treatment of appendicitis. The child's condition improved and they were given transportation to Fort Worth.

Theet Jones, 10 year old son of Andrew Jones, Eula, was patient Sunday or adjustment of a fractured fore arm.

Albreto Lucio of Oplin was a patient Saturday for adjustment of broken ribs.

### B. T. U. NOTES

The B. T. U. met in regular session Sunday evening with 13 present. We had a good program and also a good one at 2:30 Sunday evening. We urge every young person into come each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ludie Jo Mayes, Reporter.

### PROGRAM AT CLYDE BAPTIST CHURCH

April 17, at 2:30 P. M.

His Church, The Champion of Justice

Songs and Prayer.

Devotional, Col. 3:11, Putnam BTU Roll Call, Business, Announcements Song, Quartet from Sr. Union, Clyde The Church and Racial Justice,

Mrs. W. B. Barton Reading, Letha Rogers Song, Duet from Inter, Union, Clyde "Christianity and Social Reform"

Catherine Mullican Piano Solo, Lucie Barton "Christianity and Childhood"

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### WITH BAIRD BAPTIST

Sunday was one of our best days, our Mexican people were present at the Morning service and Bro Albert gave report of the work and his son

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### DOAN'S PILLS

Daniel came into the church.

We are glad indeed of the work being done among the Mexicans. We have received and baptised 12 into our church and are expecting others soon.

The afternoon B T U service was splendid. I was not permitted to be there on account of a funeral at Admiral, but those present say it was excellent.

Sunday night was surely splendid. We were so delighted to have the boys come and sing for us. Their message was great, the entertainment just fine so we not only enjoyed it, but were profited by it. We want them to come again.

Next Sunday is our regular Mission Sunday and we want every one to bring some special offering for Missions. Also we will observe the Lords Supper at the eleven o'clock hour. Let every one be there to enjoy and profit by the service.

Our meeting time will soon be here—the Third Sunday in this month just two weeks from next Sunday. Let us all be getting ready.

Next Sunday afternoon we go to Clyde for an Associational B T U Program. Let's all go.

JOE R. MAYES.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the good people of Baird for their kindnesses to us in the ill-

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Ford Truck	1926 Model
Chevrolet Coupe	1926 Model
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