

THE FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS

Recently the Federal Government, as part of its drouth relief program in various sections of the country, advanced four months Federal road money, with the request that work be started as soon as possible so as to relieve and give employment to farmers in the damaged areas. The American Farm Bureau Federation is urging State Farm Bureau officials to co-operate in every manner with the state highway departments in seeing that proper localities and individuals receive needed aid.

This will tide many families over a slack period and prevent or alleviate much suffering. Every farm and every community in the sections to which money has been advanced will benefit from stimulated road construction. Long after the drouth has been forgotten, the roads will be arteries of commerce, bringing prosperity to a multitude of farms.

Another encouraging announcement came last month from the Department of Agriculture, which stated that the counties of the United States improved 45,481 miles of local and county roads in 1929, at a cost of more than \$800,000,000.

When a majority of farms are served by water-proof surfaced, year-round farm-to-market roads, we will have taken a long step toward the solution of agricultural problems.

Century of Railroad's

The year 1930 marks the 100th anniversary of the first regularly operated steam railroad in the Ohio, which in 1830 was only 13 miles long. Other construction under way brought the total for country to 23 miles in that year.

By 1840 the mileage had increased to 2,818 and extensions were made with increasing rapidity during the succeeding years. When the railroad was 50 years old, in 1880, the United States had 93,671 miles.

The ten years between 1880 and 1890 was the greatest period of railroad building. American roads built during that decade totalled 71,983 miles. The greatest railroad was reached in 1916, when 254,251 miles were in operation.

Since 1916, owing to the abandonment of a number of unprofitable short lines, the mileage has been actually reduced, being now about 249,300 miles. At present new construction is almost entirely limited to adding a second, third or even fourth track to existing lines.

One of the most striking developments in railroading has been the increase in the size of locomotives. From a weight of less than five tons 100 years ago, they have been built larger and larger until today many passenger locomotives weigh 150 tons or more, while those used in freight transportation range as high as 220 tons or more. A few of the special types, exceed 400 tons.

With the growing competition of the automobile, truck and airplane, it is impossible to predict what the next century of railroading may bring forth. It is safe to predict, however, that for heavy freight transportation the railroad will hold first place for many years to come.

Confidence Needed

Some periods of business depression in this country have been called "partly psychological." And there have been occasions when boom times have been termed as "psychological" condition.

Whether "psychological" or whatever, when business is good people have confidence in the future and are willing to take risks that they would not otherwise take.

Confidence is the very heart of American business, down to the smallest transaction.

When people deposit money in the bank, they have confidence in the institution and believe that it will be able to pay whenever the money is demanded.

When the man accepts a check from another, he has confidence in the man whom he is dealing with.

With confidence gone, the whole business structure of the country crumbles to earth.

Confidence moves mountains; drives away pessimism; enlarges the vision of the future. It is the first ingredient of progress.

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DO YOU KNOW WHY --- Lots of People Don't Practice What They Preach?

Drawn for this paper By Fisher



"Smokey" Allen Pays Home Folks a Visit

Russell Allen, former Abilene Eagle halfback of all-district proportions, is spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Allen, 1840 South Eighth. "Smokey" is a freshman at the University of Texas and is making good with freshman gridsters. He is playing safety for the first time in his career, and allows as how the Longhorn first string is plenty tough. The ex-Eagle has picked up several pounds in weight. Russell Allen is a former pupil of the Oplin High School.

Abilene Reporter

Prospects for a new postoffice building at Graham began to take definite shape last week with the final selection of a site and its approval by a United States postoffice inspector, says The Graham Leader, the oldest newspaper published in Northwest Texas. The publication was established August 16th, 1876.

BLEEDING GUMS HEALED

The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists often report the successful use of Leto's Protrition Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will return money if it fails. —Wheeler's

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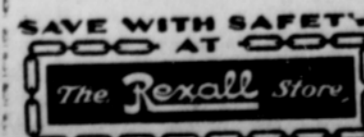


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throat will be kept so clean that you will be successful in avoiding colds this winter. And of course your breath will always be pure and sweet. Sold only at Rexall Drug Stores

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The simple mixture of glycerin, buckthorn bark, saline, etc., (Adierika) acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, relieving constipation in 2 hours! Brings out poisons you never thought were in your system. Let Adierika give your stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and see how good you feel. City Pharmacy No. 2.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all of my land is posted and all persons are requested to not trespass or hunt and fish upon same. Trespasser will be prosecuted.
Tom Windham.

POSTED

My pastures on Clear Creek are posted. No camping, fishing or hunting or trespassing in these pastures. All permits are revoked. H. A. McWhorter. 02-12-

JUST KIDS—The Haircut!

By Ad Carol



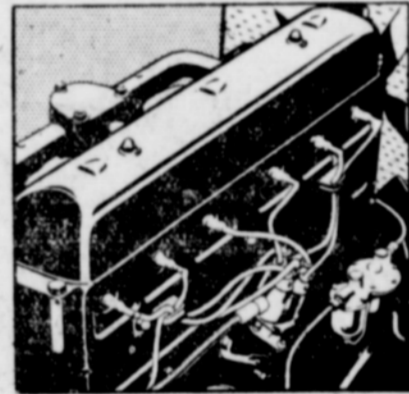
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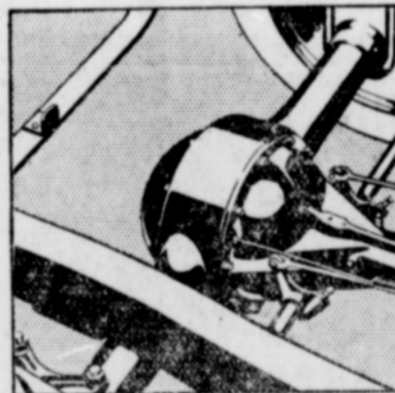
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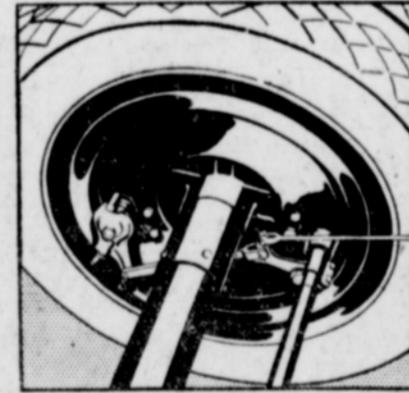
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NEW FULLY ENCLOSED BRAKES

To every man who buys trucks, there are certain features in the new 1½-ton Chevrolet that recommend it especially for modern hauling.

The rear axle is larger, heavier and more durable. The rear brakes are larger, and all four brakes are completely enclosed. Chevrolet's 50-horsepower valve-in-head six-cylinder engine combines modern performance with unexcelled economy.

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BAIRD, TEXAS

**Donations Made For
Simmons Music School**

Creation of a music foundation that will provide \$16,000 annually to be awarded in scholarships to talented piano students of Texas was announced here, this week by authorities of Simmons University. The bequest will be known as the John Sebastian Bach Foundation. The donor of the fund wished his name to be withheld.

Each of the 252 counties in the state will be asked to hold a contest and select the most promising young pianist, who will receive a \$30 scholarship at Simmons University and who will be eligible to compete for the higher scholarships.

At the fall opening of Simmons in September these 252 county winners will compete here and five scholarships of \$200 will be awarded to winners in five districts of the state. The Garner plan of division will be followed in creating these districts.

Prof. Irl Allison of the Simmons piano department has been named as director of the foundation. He says that plans for the county and sectional contests will be completed and announced at an early date.

**One Duty Remains For
Moody Before Relinquishing Post**

There is one traditional duty of office Gov. Dan Moody has yet to perform.

That is to sit for an oil portrait to go into the capitol corridors, at the foot of the list of presidents and governors of Texas.

His portrait will be placed at the left of that of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, his predecessor in office.

Moody's picture will be placed on a panel in the third-floor rotunda of the capitol. There for several years the picture of Gov. W. P. Hobby rested in solitude. Then the picture was put up in the first panel of the third-floor group. Gov. Moody and Neff's pictures intervene between those of the husband and wife who were governors.

SAFETY RULES

The State Department issues the following instructions of safety and requests that they be taught school children. "It is frequently the custom of children to walk down the highway to school. Many of them walk on the right side of the road—with the traffic. This is dangerous. Pupils should be taught to walk on the left side of the road—facing the traffic."

MORE FOR A DOLLAR

Various surveys, conducted in different parts of the nation, show that the purchasing power of the dollar is steadily increasing.

Last year commodity prices ranged from 15 to 40 per cent higher than today's level. As a consequence, the average income, from the standpoint of what it will buy, is appreciably greater than it was a year ago, but if the trend toward rising taxes of all kinds continues, the tax collector, not the public, will be the principal beneficiary of deeling price levels.

**TOLD HE MUST DIE
MAN FINDS LIFE IN
CRAZY WATER**

**DEPUTY SHERIFF WANTS
WORLD TO KNOW HIS
CRAZY STORY**

In the year 1923 I was living at Altus, Okla. I was confined to my bed with a complication of diseases. It was diagnosed by different ones as Bright's disease, Paralysis, Neuritis, Rheumatism and dead liver.

When it was decided to take me to Mineral Wells, the doctors did not believe that I would live to get there, and the doctors in Mineral Wells when I arrived did not think that there was any chance for me to recover.

I drank Crazy Water for four months and was, so far as I can tell, completely well. I gained 94 pounds in weight, and took a job as deputy sheriff which necessitated my being on my feet from eight to twelve hours every day, and oftentimes doing a lot of night work.

Crazy Water certainly pulled me out of the grave.

Geo. Hensley,
Granite, Okla.

The Kerr County Commissioners' Court at the regular October term Monday passed upon a petition asking that a \$375,000 bond issue for highway construction be submitted to the voters at the earliest possible date according to The Kerrville Mountain Sun.

A total of 858 bales of cotton had been ginned up to Thursday of last week at Bangs, according to the Gazette.

CALIFORNIA LETTER

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rock up there is written, "The Top of The World." I think it must have been, for I had never been so near up among the stars before. But just as I was in a good way of congratulating myself upon keeping company with the stars, we began to descend on the other side, and peering far down into the awful abyss of about 2000 feet below, I saw this writing on a huge rock of many tons, "Where Will You Spend Eternity?" I didn't want to look in that direction any further, because it looked mighty ugly down that way, and I didn't feel like forming any better acquaintance in that direction, (you know what I mean,) so I turned my eyes upward, and saw this lettering "Jesus Saves." This made me feel better, so I said "Mr. Motorman, don't you think it would be a good idea to slow down your speed on these sharp curves and turns?" "Can't do it, Dad, I'm running on schedule, and have to make my 45 per hour." I sank back into my seat to take a noonday nap, but couldn't sleep for thinking of the awful chasm below and the dizzy heights above; so I raised up, and tried to brace up, and said, "Mr. Motorman, I guess we've passed over the worst haven't we?" "No, no, Dad, wait till we get over in California and we will have some sure enough thrills." It was now late in the evening and I told him to let me be asleep when we got there—and so I was. When I awoke he told me we had passed all of the thrills; he told me they had a little diminutive fellow that used to make that run and he would turn these sharp curves so fast till he was scaring all the pleasure out of the passengers till the company took him off and put him back in Texas where there were no mountains. Those drivers seem to know where every gravel is lying in their run on the road. But I can't describe it—you just have to see it for yourself. But I am mighty glad it didn't thunder while I was crossing the mountains in Arizona—it might have jarred down some of those overhanging, loose, million ton rocks half a mile above me. And thus we sped along with thrill after thrill and sight after sight till we reach San Diego—with all the mountains left behind us, and a good wide road of 130 miles, close up beside the seashore, to Los Angeles. It was my first view of the great Pacific, and I was greatly delighted at watching go over to the big stadium, the largest in the world, where they play foot-

another for these 130 miles. Arriving at Los Angeles, I called a taxi to take me to Dorman's, and was surprised at the vast extent of territory the city covers—more territory than any other city in the whole world—practically all of Southern California is within its bounds. They have a saying there that when you get out of Los Angeles, you are out of California. All the surrounding cities and towns are part of it, and connected up with it by an endless network of city buildings and homes. They are really in L. A. but some of them are under a different municipality.

Now, since we are in the city, suppose we take a walk down to Exposition Park where we see the most beautiful trees, lawns, and flowers—and in the sunken garden, an endless variety of roses from every nation in the world: Come along and go with us, Bessie—you'll enjoy it—we'll stay all day, and take Lena, Dorman's wife, along for a guide—she knows all the "ins and outs" of the whole city. Let's go in the Museum, first, and take a look at the thousands of skeletons, many of them of mammoth size like the elephant that is 13 feet tall, and with tusks 12 feet long and 10 inches in diameter—and thousands of other prehistoric animals, reptiles, fish, mummies of human bodies, petrified bodies, old Indian and Chinese gods, queer weapons of war—in fact, every imaginable oddity to be seen in the world. Many of these skeletons are dug up out of the earth right here in the natural oil and tarpit, here in the city, which Lena and I visited with much interest. Scientists say that millions of years ago the pit was covered with a sheet of water, and when the animals would go to drink, many of them began to sink as if in quicksand, and being unable to extricate themselves, sank on down and were preserved in the tar. The tar is very thick and stiff, and is constantly bubbling up through apertures in the ground all over the place. I examined many of them by pushing a stick down in them, but found no bottom. We saw pool after pool of tar standing in great holes where an excavation had been made. It was an interesting place to visit and gives one much to think about. But look at the watch Bessie! 3:00 P. M. and haven't made a start on the sights in this place even am—listen! the town clock just outside is tolling off 3:00 P. M. now—let's go over to the big stadium, the largest in the world, where they play foot-

ball and pull off the big events, seating 105,000 people and costing several million dollars to build. My! My! what a place! biggest I ever saw. We won't have time to see but very little of the agricultural building—Lena has got to get home before dark to have supper for us; but will take a look at some of that grape fruit as large as my head, and peaches that weigh over a pound (but not good much,) and specimens too numerous to mention, of every kind of fruit, vegetable, and field product to be found—it is a most wonderful display to be seen every day of the year—and all free of charge. No use paying out money to see shows in L. A.—too much free stuff the year round. But I must quit trying to describe—I can't do it. Let me just briefly mention some of the places I visited: Beginning with Exposition Park, we go on to Wilmington, the L. A. harbor, San Pedro, Anaheim, Irvin Park 40 miles out, Fullerton, old Sanfer-nado Mission 151 years old, 40 miles out, Venice, Long Beach, Santimonia, Ocean Park, The Palisades, Glendale, Pasadena Park, Elysian Park, where Hickman delivered the mutilated body of little Marian Parker to her father for the \$1500.00 of ransom money—passed right over the spot—then on to Hollywood, Hollywood Bowl, Suicide Bridge 176 feet high—to the top of the 35 stories \$4,000,000.00 City Hall built quakeproof. We get a grand view from here, but I can't see half of the city—nor from any other point—covers too much territory. Then on to Gay's lion farm with 176 of them—he raises them to sell to large cities like Paris, Berlin, New York, London and etc. He has one lion that has already earned \$70,000.00 in the movies—they are very obedient to their keepers commands—Ruth Elders first husband is their keeper and I saw him make them do many wonderful things. From here we go to Lincoln Park where they have every kind of wild beast, and where old Mary, the big gorilla, sits up in her big house cage and incessantly smokes her cigar and throws kisses at the men as they pass her door—provided they are good looking men. Did she throw a kiss at me? No, bless you, old Mary was looking out for a finer looking and better specimen of humanity than I am—I was looking for her to hail me, but she passed me up to my great disappointment and humiliation. She had about 300 monkeys of all kinds were scattered all around her and I spent

much time among them, telling Lena I felt more at home with the monkeys than with my own kith and kin. Anyway, they came nearly making me believe I was their near second cousin, Ha! ha! What do you think about it, Bessie?

We visited Long Beach, Venice and Santa Monica several times. The playgrounds of Long Beach and Venice are as large as all of Weslaco. I think all the carnivals of the world must have been hatched out here—one endless routine of hundreds of thousands of people playing all sorts of games, tricks, and what-not—curio shops, dance halls, cafes etc., with-out end. They are strung out up and down the beach for 20 miles bathing in the water, some lying out on the hot sand with backs turned up, trying to get a sun blister and tan, and some far out swimming and riding the waves—tens of thousands of them—rich and poor, high and low, the society and unsociety, the refined and unrefined, of saint and sinner—all on a level at the beach having fun and frolic. All this for health—blister in the hot sun today for health, and buy patient medicine tomorrow to cure the blister—the medicine shops are having a fat time. They all have a little colored rag around their waist they call a bathing suit, but not much suit about it—it takes more clothes than that to make a suit. All nations are represented at the grand swim and sun tanning except the negro—he was already black enough, and seemed to be proud of his color, with all the white folks doing their best to color up like him—but not one negro did I see with a bathing suit on, among these tens of thousands of bathers. As I looked up and down that 20 miles of shore line of human beings, it made me think of Jacob's bunch of ring-streaked and striped cattle, only a thousand times greater in number—just to think—I was there on several different occasions and not a single person did I see that was in the least way intoxicated—nor did I hear one harsh or ugly word spoken by anyone. So much for prohibition! but do you reckon we ought to prohibit the bathing suit too? Kenan Kendrick's youngest daughter, Edna is a beautiful girl, and her husband is quite handsome—they are well mated—his given name is Milton, but I can't recall his sir name. Dorman and Lena were with us. For 30 miles out, we passed thousands of acres of orange

groves, lemons, grapefruit, figs, apricots, prunes, peaches, grapes, pears, apples, walnuts, etc. Much of it extended high up on the mountainside, so green and fresh—all subirrigated from a great dam 250 miles far to the north—beautiful in the extreme to look upon. The park itself is private property—it is an old Indian camp, situated far back in the fastness of the mountains with their tall perpendicular heights closing in on either side. There are limped mountain streams, with a few fish, running through it—there is a dense growth of very large and tall old time water Oak trees, pines, etc. all over the place, and just a little further on, the growth is so dense till you can scarcely see the sun overhead—this part has never been touched by the hand of man, but is left in its virgin state. In the other part, there are thousands of picnickers, boating, ball games, a big dance pavillion with an orchestra to make the music—with a hundred couples dancing at once—and all this on Sunday! And away out in the country! Lena and I stood and watched them for a few minutes while the rest of the bunch walked on—I finally said "let's get away from here, Lena, before some other of the bunch comes along and catches us in here"—so we "skedaddled and got." I don't think Sherman's Army could ever have found a bunch of mules hid away in a place like that. But it was grand and glorious, if it was on Sunday, and we all felt like we had at least one more laurel each, added to our experience.

Dorman and I went out to Angelus Temple one night to hear Almee preach. I heard more good, old time, solid religion preached than I've heard before in a long time. She's a great preacher, and some orator and singer; and while she puts on a big show—the biggest I ever saw—it is full of the spirit and power—she gets results. Almee is no respecter of persons in her church—the rich and poor, high and low, regardless of race or color receives the same, kind consideration within her portals. She illustrates many of her points on the screen, and in many vivid ways. For instance to make a lasting impression upon her audience, while speaking of what happened at the resurrection, she had an earthquake right there in the Temple that shook that great structure from center to circumference—all the lights went out and it was as dark as

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The Blessing Of Hard Times

Dallas News.

Hard times are prevalent all over the civilized world. The Far East is hard hit, and Australia is not at all happy. India has on its hunger belt, and Soviet standards of living are endured, but not enjoyed. Practically every European Nation is suffering from unemployment, higher living costs and lowered wages. Starvation is avoided by many only through the aid of governmental doles. In the United States itself there is much suffering from unemployment and among farming families of drought-stricken areas. Texas has its share of misery, but on the whole is not so badly off as many other parts of the United States.

If Governments were managed with real intelligence, preparation would be made in times of plenty for lean years when they come. But at any rate hard times have a sobering effect and cause men to think over situations and to plan out remedies.

Some of these The News has consistently advocated, such as more cotton on fewer acres, the terracing of farming lands, diversification and dairying, the use of certified seeds, the grading of produce for marketing purposes and the like. What is needed, however, is a definite program, carefully thought out and sponsored by practical experts in their several fields. Such a program would promptly be taken up by the press of the State, the coming Legislature would be only too glad to pass needed legislation, and the energies of the several Chambers of Commerce, backed by banking and loan interests, would put through into practice the fulfillment of the program, each in its own community.

What Texas needs is united action in respect to its agricultural, grazing and industrial interests. These are not rivals. Each prospers best when the others prosper. Nor does any large section of the State grow at the expense of another. What benefits Texas in the long run is good for all parts of Texas. When the farms prosper the cities grow and their growth is helpful to rural Texas.

The present economic situation should result in a definite plan to build up the farming interests of the State, that rural population may have better opportunities for larger incomes than the present meager pitances that usually fall to their lot. Industries should be developed in Texas so as to keep within the State a large share of the enormous sums that now go northward for manufactured goods, many of which should be made in Texas. Political reorganization and practical systems of education would expedite progressive movements in the State, and should go hand in hand with economic improvement.

Hard times can be made a blessing to the people of Texas if they result in retrenchment, greater thrift, a deeper insight into the real needs of the State, and careful plans for putting the State on the high road to prosperity. Texas is too wealthy inherently to live on Poverty Row, when Comfort Avenue is just around the corner.

A perfect pump will lift water 34 feet at sea level, but the practical limit is 22 feet. At 5,000 feet elevation the water lift is reduced to about 10 feet.

A Grave Stone of Universal Design

A grave stone of unusual design has been placed in the Ross Cemetery, at the grave of the late W. E. Gilliland, who founded the Baird Star near 43 years ago and edited the paper up to the time of his death some two years ago.

Two imposing stones, from the Star office were used in the grave stone, one a large stone of native limestone which was made for Rust and Lotz, when they established the Callahan County Clarendon, at Belle Plains in 1880. The stone was taken from the rock quarries near Belle Plains, where was secured all the stone used to build the rock building of that little western town, which at that time was the county seat of Callahan County. The stone was cut and polished by Tom Russell, the stone mason, who did much of the rock work in Belle Plains at that time.

This stone was with printing equipment which Mr. Gilliland secured when he bought the plant of the Callahan County Clarendon in Nov., 1887, at which time he established the Baird Star, the stone has been used as an imposing stone for fifty years.

This stone was embedded in a base of concrete which covers the grave. On top of this stone was placed a smaller imposing stone of marble which was a part of the equipment bought by Mr. Gilliland when he established the Tecumseh Banner, in September 1886, at Tecumseh, where he lived for four years, manager of the general mercantile establishment of J. D. Windham and Sons, at that place. On this stone is engraved the following:

William Eli Gilliland, born in Washington County, Texas, November 28, 1848.

Established the Tecumseh Banner September 4, 1886.

Established the Baird Star, December 8, 1887.

"He served his day and generation well and now rests from his labors"

On the west side of this stone is placed a marker of Texas granite, on which is engraved the name dates and the Masonic emblem.

To reinforce the concrete base of this marker iron bars—roller cores and frame from the old Prouty printing press on which The Baird Star was printed for thirty-nine years, were used. The old press was replaced by a modern press in 1927, the old press being broken up and put into the concrete foundation on which the new press was placed.

As we think back over the years gone by and think of the countless millions of lines of type that have been made into forms on these imposing stones to be printed into the pages of the old Callahan County Clarendon, the little Tecumseh Banner and later The Baird Star, it brings to mind many interesting events in the history of Callahan County in the past fifty years, which as news items were "made up" on these stones.

This grave marker was made by Sam L. Dryden and Son, Monument dealers of Abilene, the work being personally supervised by Mr. Sam L. Dryden, and the Gilliland family are well pleased with the work. Dryden and Son have placed many of the beautiful memorials in Ross Cemetery. Among those more recently placed is the beautiful memorials at the graves of J. H. Terrell, Judge and Mrs. J. T. Hammons and Otho B. Lidia.

Navy Day

October is Navy Day, the one day in the year in which has been set apart to better acquaint the American people with their Navy, its wonderful history, its peacetime missions, and its ships and men. It is particularly fitting that the birthday of President Theodore Roosevelt has been designated for annual commemoration as Navy Day, for it was during his administration that the Navy received that impetus which resulted in the United States taking its proper position in the front rank of nations.

In order to fittingly celebrate the occasion, the entire United States Fleet is divided, and ships, singly and in groups, are sent to all seaports. Flags are flown from every masthead. Parades of bluejackets march the streets ashore. Holiday is declared. All ships are thrown open for inspection by their shareholders, the American people, and the Navy is "at home."

The country-wide celebration of Navy Day is under the auspices of that group of patriotic citizens, the Navy League of the United States who, with President Roosevelt, believe, "The United States Navy is the surest guarantor of peace, which this country possesses." But the Navy is not only an instrument of war; it is a powerful influence for peace; it is a pioneer in many industrial developments; and its effect on our national life, both international and domestic, is so great that even estimation fails. October 27th is an appropriate date

"Join Red Cross," Urges Vice President Curtis

America's prominent citizens join in urging all men and women to become members of the Red Cross during the period of the annual roll call from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day.

The Honorable Charles Curtis, Vice President of the United States, says: "The American Red Cross is in a position to and does more to relieve those stricken by misfortune than any other organization in the world. Its splendid work has done much to bring a friendly feeling in all parts of the world for the people of our country because they sustain the American Red Cross. This wonderful organization is entitled to the liberal support of our people."

The Honorable Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, says: "No one can predict when or where disaster may occur or acute emergency arise. The American Red Cross represents our community insurance against such misfortunes. The organization stands ready at all times to render speedy relief to any stricken area in our own country or to assist in the relief of disaster in foreign countries. The Red Cross is the agency which carries on when emergency has disrupted customary modes and means of life in a community."

for Navy Day for another reason—for on that date in 1775, the first resolution to authorize American warships was introduced in Continental Congress. Since that time the United States Fleet has had many changes; it has decreased at times and has expanded at times; public opinion and disarmament conference have resulted in fleet reduction; wars have resulted in large building programs—but withal, we now have a Navy of which we may well be proud, and we shall retain the firm conviction that regardless of the task set before it, in peace or in war, the Navy will merit the simple praise, well expressed in two words, "Well done!"

Sees Governor A "Hired Hand"

Col. Bill Talbot's ideas of the duties of the Governor of Texas are defined in these terms.

"The Governor, according to my conception of the duties, is a hired hand working for the best interests of his state, and not for any political aggrandizement, nor for any added honor to an already full life. We have unemployment, shortage of crops, ruinous prices and in some sections of our state a severe drought. It seems to me that the question of partnership, of personal animosities and political expediencies should be submerged below the needs of our people at the present time."

Denton Public School Opens

The Denton Public School opened of 129. There will probably be 150 Monday Oct., 20, with an enrollment or more enrolled within the next few days.

Incliment weather prevented Bro. Dodson, of Baird, from being present to give an address.

Mr. South made a short talk at the end of which he introduced the other teachers. Several patrons were present at the occasion. The teachers for the term are: Supt. Olaf G. South, Prin. Leslie Suggs, 5th and 6th grades Miss Edna Turner, 3rd and 4th grades Miss Maude Jolly, 1st and 2nd grades Mrs. Olaf G. South.

A good year is anticipated.

Has Returned To Albany

Mrs. Gilmore Smith came in the past week from Virginia. She has come back to make Albany her permanent home. Has purchased a lot up there on the old Orphanage site, and will build a home there. It was

fitting that she would get somewhere close to her old time associations—The Reynold's Presbyterian Orphanage. This institution was founded by Dr. and Mrs. Gilmore Smith, and administered to it for some ten years, or more. For several years, Dr. and Mrs. Smith were in charge of the Davis Childs Orphanage in Virginia. Since the death of Dr. Smith has had charge of this orphanage. Now she has come back to the old homestead to be among her friends, and be close to her daughter, Mrs. Frank Whitney. Albany News.

There are one hundred thousand stars, although only about two thousand are visible to the naked eyes.

The inflation of a dollar will continue with the inflation of the tire.

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"Under the new one-meter rate an electric range will be appreciated more than ever, and is no longer a luxury.

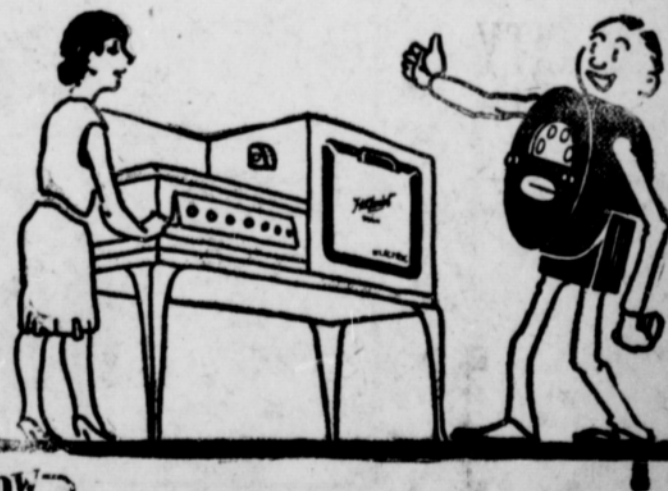
"I have some more important messages for you, so meet me here next week."

And Remember—You Can Make Your Own Average Rate

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2nd rate 7c

Low rate 4c or 3c



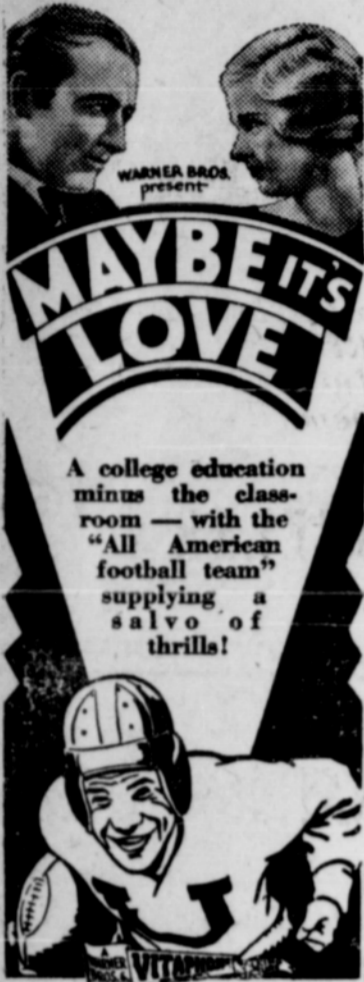
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Sun. Mon. Oct. 26-27



with
JOE E. BROWN

A. A. Carter, living on Clyde Rt. 2, was a Baird visitor on Thursday of last week.

UNION SCHOOL NEWS

Still it rains. The community is all smiles over such good rains. The grain is looking fine. We had no school last Monday, on account of the heavy rains. School is going fine. The ball teams have been organized. Jessie Simmons is captain for the boys. The new shelves have been built for the library and the reading tables will soon be in. We hope to have a new water system, as soon as the new "bubblers" arrive.

We are glad to welcome Clyde Thorp and Durwood Allen back in school. They have been going to Putnam. Clinton Abernathy started to school last Monday.

Mr. Rankin has been on the sick list, but is able to be out to-day.

The "Negro Minstrel" went over big. They will put it on at Scranton, Friday night, if it is pretty weather.

Don't miss P. T. A. Friday night. A very interesting program has been arranged. We are to have visitors with us. Let's give them a welcome. The P. T. A. and the school will sponsor a community Hallowe'en Party. Let's all co-operate and make it a good time for the children.

We are sorry to lose Verba Eubank. She has gone home with a sister and will attend school at Blanket.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin spent last week-end in Lubbock.

Miss Ledger visited her sister in Post.

Miss Hearne spent the week-end with her parents in Eastland.

Mr. Moore had his father, mother and brother over the week-end.

Mrs. Jim Yarbrough, Mrs. Jerald Carter and Miss Holmes were shopping in Abilene last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grisham have as their guest, Mrs. Otis Grisham, of Sweetwater.

Mrs. W. T. Wheeler returned last Saturday from Putnam where she visited Mrs. E. F. Brittain, in company with Mrs. Brittain Mrs. Wheeler went to Strawn to spend a day with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tucker, former residents of Putnam. Mrs. Tucker has been confined to her bed since June by illness.

PERSONALS

Jessie McIntosh, of the Denton community, was a Baird visitor Tuesday night.

Mrs. S. I. Smith and children, visited Mr. Smith's brother, W. C. Smith, of Rockwall, Texas, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kilgore, of the Kilgore Jewelry Co., Abilene, were Baird visitors a few days ago. They have an ad in this issue, read it.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander, Miss Leota and Billy Frank, spent the day in Cisco Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kimmell.

Little L. W., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIntosh, spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McIntosh, at Clyde.

Mrs. S. I. Smith, and children, Susie Lee and Irby, spent last Saturday and Sunday in Dallas attending the State Fair.

R. J. Harris accompanied by his daughter, Miss Jennie Harris, of Adminal, was in Baird Wednesday afternoon.

B. L. Boydston returned Wednesday from a trip over the plains country and is rather favorably impressed with the country he saw on the trip.

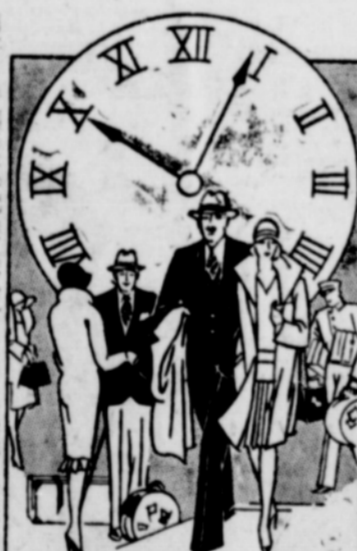
Mr. and Mrs. Eulys Johnson, of Oplin, were in Baird Thursday of last week. They were pleasant visitors at the Star office, where they enrolled as a subscriber to the Star.

Miss Ethel Taylor, of Rowden, returned Tuesday from Barslow, where she spent the past two months with her sister, Mrs. Verne Crawford.

Mr. W. W. Walker, of Dallas, spent Tuesday night with his son, Robert Walker, returning Wednesday morning to Mineral Wells, where he is spending the week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Dodson returned the latter part of last week from a visit with their son, A. C. Dodson, at Snyder. They also visited their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Youngblood, in Jal, New Mexico.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, of Rolla, Missouri, arrived Wednesday morning on a short visit with Mrs. Clarence West and other Baird friends. She will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Max Brundage in Hamlin, leaving there for Chicago for a visit with her sister. Mrs. Smith has been visiting friends in Van Horn and Monahans. Mrs. Smith formally lived here and her friends are delighted to see her again.



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Mesdames B. L. Russell Jr., Bill Work, Ashby White, Corinne Driskell, and Miss Myrtle Boydston visited the Fair at Dallas Saturday. Miss Boydston went on to Rockwall to visit a few days while the others visited Mrs. Chas. Roe Kelly, in Fort Worth, returning home Monday.

Claude Flores returned last Thursday evening from Boston Mass., where he attended the Annual Convention of the National American Legion. He went with the party of twenty-two from Texas, headed by Ernest Cox, State Commander of Texas. The party visited New York, Washington and Arlington, where they placed a beautiful wreath on the grave of America's Unknown Soldier, State State Commander Cox and Mr. Flores were snapped by the press a number of times in their Texas Cowboy regalia, big boots spurs etc. Underneath the snapshot in the daily press was the following: Ernest Cox, State Commander of Texas, and Claude Flores, of Baird, Texas, two stalwart representatives from the distant Lone Star State.

Dr. Hunt Will Preach

At the Methodist Church next Sunday at 10:50 A. M. Dr. J. W. Hunt, of McMurray College will preach. Let everybody come. Dr. Hunt is not coming to raise money for McMurray but is coming to preach us a good sermon. Don't miss hearing him. At 7:30 P. M. the pastor will preach on "Columbus or all things are possible to him that believeth". Come to "The church of the glad hand" next Sunday. You are cordially invited.

Rev. B. W. Dodson, D. D. pastor.

NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC

We have added a complete line of groceries to our market, which will be quite a convenience to you as you will now be able to get your fresh meats, groceries, fruits and vegetables at one place. Our stock is not so large but is selected with great care and is always fresh. Phone us your wants in this line and we are sure we can please you in both the

quality of merchandise and service. We will be glad to have you call in and look over our stock, and we most surely will appreciate your patronage in the future as we have in the past. We deliver.
Northington's Market.

Think On These Things
Selected by Bro. Andrews
WHOLESOME MEDITATION

SELF CORRECTION FIRST THEN OTHERS

"Why beholdest thou the MOTE that is in thy BROTHER'S EYE, but considerest NOT THE BEAM that is IN THINE OWN EYE? Or how wilt thou say to thy brother, LET ME PULL OUT THE MOTE OUT OF THINE EYE; and, behold, A BEAM IS IN THINE OWN EYE? Thou hypocrite, first CAST OUT THE BEAM OUT OF THINE OWN EYE; and THEN shalt THOU see CLEARLY TO CAST OUT THE MOTE OUT OF THY BROTHER'S EYE."
Jesus.

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71st ANNIVERSARY FOODSALE

SEVENTY-ONE YEARS OLD ON OCTOBER 20TH, A&P, GROWN HALE AND HEARTY AS PRESIDING GENIUS OF ECONOMY, CELEBRATES ITS ANNIVERSARY FITTINGLY WITH A WEEK OF VERY SPECIAL PRICES.

SPECIALS

STANDARD QUALITY TOMATOES	3 No2 cans	25c
DEL MONTE PEARS	2 No2 cans	37c
SHREDDED WHEAT	2 pkgs.	19c
DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE (crushed)	2 No2 cans	43c
LUX SOAP FLAKES	large pkg.	23c
N. B. C. PREMIUM SODA CRACKERS	1lb. pkg.	16c
DEL MONTE TOMATOES	2 No2 cans	25c
N. B. C. SNOW PEAKS	pound	19c
P. & G. OR CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP	10 bars	32c
CAMAY SOAP	3 bars	20c
WARLDORF TOILET PAPER	4 rolls	19c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER	3 cans	20c
POPULAR FOODS AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES		
BRER RABBIT SYRUP	1 gal can	79c
KARO RED LABEL SYRUP	1/2 gal can	42c
MOTHER'S ALUMINUM WARE OATS	pkg.	27c
QUAKER OATS	small pkg.	10c
FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST	cake	3c
PALMOLIVE SOAP	3 cakes	20c
SUPERSUDS BEADS OF SOAP	3 small pkgs.	25c
LIFEBUOY HEALTH SOAP	2 cakes	15c
HERSHEY'S COCOA	1/2 lb can	13c
KRAFT MALTED MILK	1 lb can	39c
NUCOA NUTMARGARINE	pound	21c
CIGARETTES (popular brands)	2 pkgs.	25c
FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES		
216 JONOTHAN APPLES	doz.	17c
BANANAS	lb.	4c
CABBAGE	5 lbs.	10c
POTATOES	10 lbs.	20c
100 GRAPEFRUIT	each	5c

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PUTNAM
Mrs. J. S. Yeager

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker were visitors in Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Grisham, of the Colony community, was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague, Friday.

Mrs. Charles Brandon was a visitor in Abilene on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Van Knight, formally Miss Gwenn Clements, of Dallas, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shackelford through the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cunningham and Miss Willie Kennedy attended the funeral of Rueben Short at Cisco on Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Fox made a business trip to Cisco on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook made a business trip to Dallas Thursday returning on Friday.

W. L. Yeager and small son, Claude, of the Dothan community, were visitors in Putnam Thursday.

Milton Heslep is reported on the sick list this week.

Miss Willie Morris King and Clinton King have both been on the sick list this week but are able to attend classes in school again.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wingo and children left Friday for a visit of a few days in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Harris, of Albany, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott through the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Kirkpatrick and J. O. Kirkpatrick, visited home folks in Campbell, Texas, through the week-end.

Rev. Brogdon, of Ft Worth, student in the Baptist Siminary, who has recently returned from a trip to the Holy Land made a very interesting talk at the Baptist church on Wednesday evening.

Miss Esther Weed, of the Hart community, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Willie Morris King, Thursday. J. S. Yeager and Charley Anderson, of Abilene, made a business trip to Rising Star, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. R. Francisco and little son, Reed, of Cross Plains, were the guests of relatives in Putnam for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony spent the week-end in Lawn, where they were guests of friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Finley, of the Finley ranch near Putnam, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams Sunday.

C. T. Elliott, of Dallas spent Thursday in Putnam the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

L. L. Bartine arrived from McCamey Friday and will spend a few days here visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eubank and daughter, Mary Lou, visited in Ft. Worth the last of the week.

R. F. Weeb, Supt. of the Putnam schools, visited with home folks at Miles through the week-end.

George Herring, of Wink, spent the week-end in Putnam visiting among old friends here. He has just returned from a visit to his old home in Mississippi.

Bernice Andrews, of Baird, was transacting business in Putnam Saturday and taking in the sights of the rodeo.

Miss Rena Ball, teacher in the grades of the Putnam schools, spent the week-end in Abilene, the guest of her parents.

L. D. Harwell, of Abilene, formally of this place, was a visitor in Putnam on Thursday of this week.

Vernon Sandlin, of Cross Plains, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Sandlin, Sunday.

The Putnam "Panthers" played against the Rising Star High School football team at Rising Star Friday afternoon. The game resulted in a score of 38-0 in favor of Rising Star.

Miss Hazel McMillan, of the Humble Station, was hostess at a party for the young people of the town in her home on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker were guests of relatives at Pioneer for a few days this week.

Frank Warner and daughter, Mrs. Buck Hughes, entertained the listeners over radio station K. F. Y. O. at Abile, with a program on Wednesday of this week.

Coach Hodges, of the Putnam schools, visited his parents at Sweetwater, through the week-end.

Joe Neuman, former resident of Putnam but now of Abilene was transacting business in Putnam on Friday of this week.

C. M. Grisham made a business trip to Abilene, Monday.

Jim Patton and Miss Ethel Patton, of Jacksonville, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker the first of the week.

Mrs. W. E. Pruett is having her home in North Putnam repapered this week.

Duward Elliott, visited home folks in Putnam for a few days the past week.

Master Robert Estes, of Baird, and James Clark, of Putnam, added a new feature to the rodeo program in Put-

nam Saturday by riding calves.

Mrs. Grady Pruet and son, Royce, left Thursday for Dallas where they spent the week-end as guests of relatives and visited the State Fair, returning Sunday.

Miss Maymie Coppenger spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her mother at Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and family attended the funeral of their relative, R. A. Short, in Cisco on Thursday.

The Boy Scouts of Putnam held a meeting on Friday evening for the purpose of taking in a new member, Clinton King.

Friends of R. A. Short from Putnam who attended the funeral at Cisco on Thursday were: Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell and children, Mrs. H. Culwell, Mrs. John Cook, Mrs. J. E. Green, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Black and children, Mrs. C. C. King, Mrs. L. B. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Culwell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pratt and family left for Ralls, Texas, Friday where they will make their future home. Putnam regrets exceedingly to lose this most excellent family from our midst but wish them much prosperity and happiness in their new home.

Mrs. Homer Pruett entertained the "42" Club on Thursday evening, Oct. 16. Miss Bettie Mobely won high score for the members and Mesdames J. F. Cunningham, Pete King and Miss Lois Kennedy tied for the guests. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Mabel Carrico, W. A. Wallace, C. C. Rutell, F. P. Shackelford, J. F. Cunningham, Pete King, Misses Willie and Lois Kennedy, Eva Moore, Bettie Mobely and Vella Sandlin.

The Night Hawk Bridge Club met with Mrs. E. H. Williams on Friday evening Oct. 17. The four tables of members enjoyed a very snappy game from the start to the finish. Miss Willie Kennedy won high score and Mrs. R. D. Williams second high. A delicious refreshment course was served the following: Mesdames L. B. Williams, J. F. Cunningham, R. D. Williams, A. J. Frazier, W. A. Wallace, E. C. Waddell, Misses Lura Boyd, Bertha Guggolz, Lois Reece, Francis McIntosh, Willie Kennedy and Lois Kennedy.

The P. T. A. met at the school building on Thursday afternoon at three thirty with twenty members present. The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. C. K. Peek. Following the roll call and reading of the minutes was a short program given by the fifth grade pupils. A song "Way back When," by the room. A reading "Mammy's Chile" by Willie May Stephens, and a reading "Pa's Clothes" by Joyce Bray were much enjoyed. The business session was opened by a discussion on the adoption of a Constitution. This was followed by a discussion of plans for a Halloween entertainment. Other matters of business was discussed in which it was decided that a part of the money in the treasury will be used to purchase magazines for the

school library. The next meeting will be on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 30 at 3:30. All parents are cordially invited to be present.

LAUNDRY OPENS

I am again opening my Laundry, which on account of sickness has been closed for the past 18 months. I am in debt and must have work. I will also bake pies and cakes. Please place order day before wanted.

I sincerely thank all for the patronage given me in the past and will appreciate a renewal of your patronage.

Sincerely,
Mrs. L. P. Murphy.

Cholera Found In Coleman Turkeys

Coleman county turkeys are suffering with cholera according to a statement by County Farm Agent C. V. Robinson, who urges immediate vaccination.

Several days ago Mr. Robinson sent a turkey to the Live Stock Sanitary Commission in Fort Worth to make sure he had diagnosed the disease correctly. The following day he received a message stating the bird was suffering with cholera and he was advised to begin vaccinating at once. Since that time he says, he has vaccinated more than 500 turkeys and others are being vaccinated. He has been handicapped to some extent by failure to secure sufficient vaccine.

WANT ADS

FOR RENT: Two Furnished Apartments in Duplex House. See or phone, R. E. Hall. Phone 324. 45-1f

WANTED: To buy a good milk cow. See or phone Joe Alexander Phone 166 Baird. 47-1f

APARTMENT: Two rooms furnished all modern conveniences. See or phone Mrs. Lee Estes. Phone 234. 44-1f

FOR RENT: 4 room furnished house, all conveniences. See Mrs. Cora Work. Phone 36. 45-2tp

APARTMENTS: Two Furnished Apartments. All modern conveniences. See or phone Mrs. H. Schwartz. Phone 248. 38-1f

For Rent—Residence 4 rooms, hall and bath, newly papered throughout. Rent reasonable, see Tom B. Hadley. 38-1f

Cottage for Rent—Suitable for couple or small family. Garage. See Otis Boyver.

FOR SALE—Nice residence suitable for large family or for two apartments. All modern conveniences. See H. Schwartz.

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<p>Dress Gingham 32in Dress Gingham in Fancy Plaids and Checks 8c</p>	<p>Cotton Blankets Cotton Blankets, size 66x80 good weight, colors, Tan and Grey. \$1.95 Values for \$1.29</p>	<p>Hand-Made Gowns Womens' Gowns, made of good quality. Underwear Muslin, Hand-Made, and Colored Hand Embroidered Designs. Regular 79c Value for 49c</p>
<p>Sheeting 9-4 Pepperell and Premium Sheeting, Bleached and Brown 34c</p>	<p>Men's Overalls Pool Brand 220 Weight Denims in Blue and Express Stripes. Union Made. A wonderful garment for \$1.09</p>	<p>Boy's Lumber Jacks Wool Lumber Jacks in Fancy Patterns, Size 6 to 16 \$1.98</p>
<p>Ladies' Outing Gowns In Solid Colors, White, Pink and Lt. Blue, and Fancy Patterns 89c</p>		

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