

The Baird Star.

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

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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1919.

NO. 23.

SPRINGTIME IS HERE

House cleaning is at hand. Let us sell you a Rug before the War Tax goes into effect. We have on hand Art Squares, Fiber and Congoleum Rugs.

LADIES' WEAR

We have a nice line of Ladies' Skirts, Waists and Dresses, and we also carry the noted Munsing Underwear for Men, Ladies and Children.

A nice line of Silk Hose.

SPECIAL PRICES

One Lot of Coat Suits at - - \$10.00
One Lot of Coat Suits at - - 6.50
One Lot of Palm Beach Coat Suits - 5.00

See our Bargain Counter of Hose



Stores at Baird, Clyde, Cross Plains and Denton

We Close our Store at 7:00 P. M.

B. L. BOYDSTUN

The Place Where Most People Trade



BAIRD, TEXAS

FOUND—Gold bar pin, "Mother" engraved thereon. Owner can get same by calling at this office and paying 20. cts for this notice.

Horses For Sale—One pair bay horses, weight 2480 lbs. 16 hands 1 inch high. S. E. Webb, Rt 1, Baird. 22-4tp.

Callahan county boys are coming home from overseas every few days. Rob Walker, Carl West, Oliver Clare Will Berry, Willie Black, Jessie Miller and L. O. Cox arrived home the past week. Jim Terry, Claude Flores and Louis Jones arrived in New York the past week and are expected home soon.

TELEPHONE MUDDLE

On May 1st the Home Telephone Company sent out notices of a raise of 50 cents per phone, beginning with May.

A mass meeting of patrons of the local exchange was called at the Court House Saturday evening to protest against the increased rate. There was a large crowd present. W. R. Ely was elected chairman and Geo. B. Scott, secretary. T. P. Bearden, Manager of the Home Telephone Company, was invited to be present, but did not attend the meeting.

It was decided by the patrons present that they would not pay the increased rate. A move was started to raise money to organize a Stock Company and within a short time \$8,000. was subscribed, some of the wealthiest men in the county agreeing to take stock in the new company.

The ground for complaint by patrons, as we understand it is that the Company increased the rate last year 50 cents per phone, and also demanded payment monthly in advance and both propositions were acceded to by the patrons without much protest. Now within a year another raise of 50 cts. per phone comes with only two days notice.

Quite a number have signed an agreement to discontinue the service regardless of what the outcome may be and some have taken out their phones. We hear that considerable opposition to the raise in rates is made at Clyde, Putnam and other places in the county. While the patrons rather expected a raise last year they did not expect a second one to come so soon and some say that to accept this raise means another raise shortly and that they had as well quit now. That is the talk and some of it is rather vigorous. We did not attend the mass meeting nor have we taken any part in the scrap, which promises to be lively. Only a word of counsel: let us settle the muddle, if possible, without having two phone systems, which will injure, not help the town, owners or patrons.

GOOD RAIN

Good rains have fallen practically all over west Texas, the past week.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Lawrence, of Abilene, will preach at the Christian Church, Sunday, May 11th, morning and night.

TO CLEAN UP CEMETERY

I request all who are in any way interested in cleaning up the cemetery to meet there at 1 o'clock, Saturday, May 17th for the purpose of cleaning off their own lots and others that have been neglected. I will give \$1.00 each to the two little boys having the cleanest lot and \$1. each to the two little girls bringing the largest crowd to work. I ask that at least one person from each home in Baird give as much as two hour's work toward cleaning the Cemetery on Saturday afternoon, May 17th. Our cemetery is very much in need of cleaning up, and without help we can do very little. Let everybody help and see what we can do towards our cemetery in better condition.

Mrs. L. P. Murphy.

EASTERN STAR MEETING

The Eastern Star Chapter will meet in regular session Tuesday night, May 13th. The annual election of officers will be held at this time and all members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Louie Holmes, W. M.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all for the many deeds of kindness and words of sympathy that was given us during the illness and loss of our darling mother, also for the many beautiful floral offering. Words cannot express our thanks for your help in this sad hour. May God's richest blessings rest upon all is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Chisenhall
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott
Mrs. W. B. Scott

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL AT PUTNAM.

Bro. J. Kerby Bently will begin a meeting on the 4th Sunday in June at Putnam Christian Church, continuing indefinitely. Bro. Bently is one of the best of preachers. Remember the time: Fourth Sunday in June.

The Putnam Christian Church.

NOTICE, HORSEMEN

My Steeldust Polo horse will stand the season at my place 8 miles south of Baird. Teller Blakley. 19-4tp

WEDDINGS

Mr. I. B. Cupp, County Farm Agent, of Baird, and Miss Sophia Winters, of Stephenville, were married Sunday and arrived in Baird the first of the week. This was quite a surprise to Mr. Cupp's many friends here and all extend congratulations and good wishes to him and his bride.

Mr. Clifton Brown and Miss Prudence Wristen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wristen, of Baird, gave their friends quite a surprise Wednesday by going to Clyde, where they were married by Rev. Kidd, pastor of the Methodist Church at that place. Mr. Brown has recently received his discharge from the U. S. Navy in which he served during the war.

We wish the young people a long and happy life.

METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Sunday School 10 a. m. "Go to Sunday School."

Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.

We have some good news to announce Sunday morning, something, you will want to hear. Be sure and come.

We had no service last Sunday evening on account of the rain, so we will preach next Sunday night the sermon that was announced for last Sunday night.

Subject, "The Bible."
You have a cordial invitation to be present.

The Centenary drive will be on next week for the securing of our quota in cash and pledges. You have been thoroughly informed as to the importance of this great movement and the world needs at this time. You know the amount expected to be secured from this charge so please be prepared to make your pledge when called upon, or better still if you will call the Pastor or Chairman of the Committee and give them your pledge.

S. L. Culwell.

FOR SALE

Bronze Turkeys and eggs. Phone, 78. W. J. Leverett, Rt. 1, Baird, Texas. 22-2t-adv.

BOY DROWNED IN TANK

Lelan Parnell, age 13 years, stepson of M. W. Whitlock, was drowned in the John Hancock tank, north of town last Sunday evening. In company with Irwin Corn, son of Sheriff Corn, and Brannon Curry, son of T. A. Curry, boys about his own age, Lelan went to the tank to go in swimming and Lelan evidently took the cramp soon after going into the water. The boys tried to rescue him but could not and ran for help. T. A. Curry, J. H. Grimes, and W. V. Wall were the first to reach the tank and soon found the body. Dr. Griggs had been summoned and did everything possible to resuscitate him, but life was extinct.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. L. Culwell, pastor of the Methodist Church, at the residence Monday afternoon and the remains were interred in Ross Cemetery.

Lelan was an intelligent, handsome and manly boy. We tender sincere sympathy to the parents and other relatives in this hour of sorrow.

COTTONSEED FOR SALE—Inquire at Terrell's Drug Store. 15-1f

NOTICE

Dr. JNO. W. SIMMONS

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MONDAY, MAY 19th
IN BAIRD

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EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT
AND FITTING GLASSES

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Where Music and Pictures are of the Best

PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING MAY 10.

SATURDAY, May 10th---Harry Moray in

"Hoarded Assets"

(Vitagraph)

Big V. Comedy

MONDAY---Norma Talmage in

"DeLuxe Annie"

It was a Saturday Evening Post story, a pronounced success on the stage, now a Select Picture

Big V Special Comedy

TUESDAY---Jane and Katherine Lee in

"Tell it to The Marines"

(Fox)

Mutt and Jeff Comedy

WEDNESDAY---

Wm. S. Hart

THURSDAY---

"Every Mother's Son"

(Wm. Fox Special)

FRIDAY---Henry B. Walthall in

"And A Still Small Voice"

Eddie Polo in

"The Lure of the Circus"

SATURDAY---Program will be announced later.

Children 4 years old and over must have tickets

Calomel Today! Sick Tomorrow! I Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone

Don't take nasty, dangerous calomel when bilious, constipated, headachy. Listen to me!

Calomel makes you sick; you lose a day's work. Calomel is quicksilver and it sllivates; calomel injures your liver.

If you are bilious, feel lazy, sluggish and all knocked out, if your bowels are constipated and your head aches or stomach is sour, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone instead of using sickening, sllivating calomel. Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and bowels regular. You will feel like working. You'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Your druggist or dealer sells you a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a

few cents under my personal guarantee that it will clean your sluggish liver better than nasty calomel; it won't make you sick and you can eat anything you want without being sllivated. Your druggist guarantees that each spoonful will start your liver, clean your bowels and straighten you up by morning or you get your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tasting and doesn't gripe or cramp or make them sick.

I am selling millions of bottles of Dodson's Liver Tone to people who have found that this pleasant, vegetable liver medicine takes the place of dangerous calomel. Buy one bottle on my sound, reliable guarantee. Ask your druggist about me.—Adv.

WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

For MALARIA, CHILLS and FEVER.

SOLD FOR 50 YEARS.
ALSO A FINE GENERAL STRENGTHENING TONIC. Sold by All Drug Stores.

All Written by Women.

An Indiana teachers' federation has, to some of the male members' chagrin, a woman for its president. Of course some of them try to show their superiority—particularly one, who the other day was arguing that women knew so little about parliamentary drill that they were not fitted for the positions of superior officers.

The young woman listened, smiled and then said, "Well, I'm willing to learn." Magnanimously the man offered to buy her a book on the subject. They entered a book store, made known their request, and the clerk laid down on the counter before them four books, saying that they were the only books on the subject she had. They began to examine them and lo—all four were written by women.—Indianapolis Star.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Couldn't Shout.

While Zenobia, the new maid, was taking her first lesson on arranging the dining table, some one in the basement kitchen put something upon the dumbwaiter below.

"What is that noise?" asked Zenobia quickly.

"Why, that's the dumbwaiter!" responded the mistress.

"Well," said Zenobia, he's a scratchin' to get out."

Great and Small Things.

We are too fond of our own will. We want to be doing what we fancy mighty things; but the great point is, to do small things, when called to do them, in a right spirit.—R. Cecil.

CAPUDINE—

It gives quick relief from Headaches of all kinds, including sick or nervous Headaches and Headaches caused from heat, cold, gripe or stomach troubles. Trial bottle 10 cts. Larger sizes also—IT'S LIQUID.—adv.

Handicapped.

"I thought you were going in for gardening?"
"I meant to do so. But my wife is one of those terribly particular women. I bought a fine outfit of nice new garden implements, but she made a fuss every time I took them out and got them muddy."

The prices of cotton and linen have been doubted by the war. Lengthen their service by using Red Cross Ball Blue in the laundry. All grocers, 5c.

Push and Go.

"Here, boy," said the wealthy motorist, "I want some petrol, and get a move on. You will never get anywhere in the world unless you have push. Push is essential. When I was young I pushed, and that is what got me where I am."

"Well, governor," said the boy, "I reckon you'll have to push again, 'cause we ain't got a drop of petrol in the place."—Boston Transcript.

A single application of Roman Eye Balsam on going to bed will prove its merit for inflammations of the eyes, external and internal. Adv.

Ideal Situation.

"Marriage," said the female lecturer on women's rights, "should be a business contract, with the husband and wife equal members of the firm."

"Yes'm," remarked the meek little man. "That's just the way it is at our house. I am the senior partner in the firm and my wife is the buyer."

When a woman wants to drive anything out of the house, she "shoes" it. A man usually boots it.



Constipated Children Gladly Take

"California Syrup of Figs"

For the Liver and Bowels

Tell your druggist you want genuine "California Syrup of Figs." Full directions and dose for babies and children of all ages who are constipated, bilious, feverish, tongue-coated, or full of cold, are plainly printed on the bottle. Look for the name "California" and accept no other "Fig Syrup."

NATION-WIDE CAMPAIGN TO ERADICATE TUBERCULOSIS FROM OUR DAIRY HERDS



Holsteins at United States Soldiers' Home, Washington, D. C.—First Herd to Be Accredited Tuberculosis Free.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is hard to find any better food than good milk, yet if the milk used in the daily diet is not good it is a constant source of danger. If the milk is produced by cows that have tuberculosis—and there are thousands of them in this country—and is not pasteurized, the germs of the dreaded disease may be transmitted to humans. This is the reason consumers as well as producers of milk should be deeply interested in and give their support to what the United States department of agriculture is doing to stamp out tuberculosis in dairy cattle.

The plan is to certify officially all herds the owners of which have complied with specified requirements which show beyond doubt that the animals are free from tuberculosis. In December, 1917, the plan was adopted jointly by the live stock sanitary officials of all the states in the Union and by the federal department. It consists of giving the tuberculin test to every animal in the herd at least twice a year, at the end of which time, if all the animals are found free from the disease, the herd is accredited tuberculosis free.

Plan Gains Wide Interest.

The idea and advantages of accredited herds of cattle found to be free from tuberculosis gained wide publicity and popularity among cattle breeders from the start. They appreciate the fact that a certificate of approval indorsed by the state in which the herd belongs, and found indorsed by the government, gives prospective purchasers confidence that the animals are free from the disease and they are in consequence willing to pay a considerable advance in price for such animals.

During the first half year the plan has been in operation, 296 herds, comprising 9,284 cattle, were fully accredited as free from tuberculosis, and 1,462 herds having 35,053 cattle passed one successful test in preparation for certification. In addition, 4,622 herds, both purebred and grade, totaling 98,002 animals, were under supervision for the eradication of tuberculosis. Each month a large number of additional herds are taken under supervision.

Many States Co-operating.

Tuberculosis eradication work is now

being carried on in more than 40 states in co-operation with the state live stock sanitary officials and stock owners. Joint agreements between the state and the federal department of agriculture governing the application for the tuberculin test, and the handling of the herd, are forwarded to each owner interested in having his herd freed of the disease, or in having it accepted as officially accredited.

It has been found by very careful experiments and practical work that tuberculosis cannot be detected to any great extent among animals by a physical examination. Herds which seem apparently healthy may be extensively affected with tuberculosis. The most reliable method for definitely determining whether tuberculosis exists is the tuberculin test applied by a trained operator. Tuberculin, while it is the most accurate diagnostic agency known to science, is safe only in the hands of a trained and skillful operator who is acquainted with its limitations and with the symptoms it produces in the animals to which it is applied.

All Purebred Herds to Be Tested.

It is proposed to carry on the accredited herd plan until practically all purebred herds of cattle in the United States are under state and federal supervision for the eradication of tuberculosis. Thus it will be possible for the owner in one state to purchase cattle in another state with the assurance that he will receive animals that may be introduced into his herd with perfect safety, so far as tuberculosis is concerned. Under former conditions, many such animals proved to be a menace in place of an asset.

In addition to the accredited herd plan, the eradication of tuberculosis from live stock will be carried on in circumscribed areas comprising one or more counties. The disease will be eliminated from cattle and swine in such areas, and the campaign extended until it takes in entire states.

In order that the work may progress satisfactorily, it is necessary that live-stock owners co-operate to the fullest extent. The success of the movement for eradicating tuberculosis rests upon the live stock owners of the country to a greater degree than on any other force; whenever they are ready and willing to "get behind" the work, success is bound to follow.

ARGUMENT STARTED A BOY IN HOG RAISING

Wanted to Convince Neighbor Could Make Big Gains.

Cheap Cost of Production Due to Three Things—High Protein Content of Concentrates, Good Health and Sanitation.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

An argument with a neighbor caused Samuel Evans of Clay county, Indiana, to join a pig club in order that he might prove his point that a pig could make an average daily gain of over one pound. He won his point with a good margin, for his pig gained on an average of two pounds a day for a period of 92 days, and as a result of his experience Samuel has acquired the necessary knowledge to enable him to start in the hog-raising business along the right lines. He says: "I learned that if a boy wants something decidedly interesting he should by all means get a pig and get into the game (meaning a pig club). When the contest is over he will say that he has learned something that he never knew before and probably will never forget, because he has learned it by experience."

Samuel's pig, which was a Duroc-Jersey, weighed 58 pounds at the beginning of the contest and 243 at the end. It gained 184 pounds in 92 days, or two pounds a day. The cost of food was \$9.30, or 5 cents a pound gain. The value of the pig at the end of the contest was \$46.17, the profit being \$28.87.

"On account of the hot weather," the boy says, "I kept my pig a few days after the contest ended, and when I butchered him he weighed 267 pounds on foot and 227½ pounds when dressed. He dressed out 85 per cent. I received 25 cents a pound, which made me a total of \$56.87.

"I figured that the cheap cost of the production was due to three things: First, the high protein content of the

concentrates; second, good health of the pig, due to great variety of feed and sanitary conditions of the lot and sleeping quarters; third, the pig consumed a large amount of forage, such as rape, thus reducing the amount of high-priced feeds."

FATTEN BEEF CATTLE CHEAP

Farmer Who Raises His Own Feed Has Decided Advantage Over Professional Feeder.

One of the chief advantages of feeding a small number of animals is that of getting a better class of feeders. The farmer who makes beef from his own corn, which he grows on his own land and under ordinary favorable conditions, can fatten beef cattle cheaper than any professional feeder in the business.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

Give the brood sow comfortable housing and dry bedding.

Special care should be given the fattening lambs as soon as they are weaned.

In figuring barn room required for mature beef cattle allow about 25 square feet per head.

Look after the shoulders of the working stock to keep them from getting in bad condition.

Even at \$30 per ton, alfalfa is still relatively cheap and cattle feeders should not hesitate to use it at that price.

Oats, rye, barley and a good many other crops, too numerous to mention, furnish ideal grazing for hogs, cattle and sheep.

Summer shade and winter sunshine are alike necessary to the stock. One good reason for a few shade trees in the pasture.

Healthy Babies Laugh and Play

Health in babyhood comes from proper digestion—by regulating the stomach and causing the bowels to move as they should.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP

The Infants' and Children's Regulator

for this purpose produces most remarkable and gratifying results. Best of all children's remedies to relieve constipation, flatulency, wind colic, diarrhoea, and other disorders.

This health giving preparation is purely vegetable—contains no opiates, narcotics or alcohol—just an agreeable, highly beneficial and potent remedy, made of the very best harmless ingredients obtainable, as the formula below shows—

Senna, Rhubarb, Sodium Citrate, Sodium Bicarbonate, Oil of Anise, Fennel, Caraway, Glycerine, Sugar Syrup

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It's the early picnicker that catches the pneumonia.

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A Cleveland man carried a lucky penny till it wore a hole in his pocket through which he lost a \$10 gold piece.

What is "Spring Fever"? It is simply low vitality, a lack of energy caused by impurities in the blood. GROVER TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 50c.

Some women marry for a home, and then very seldom stay in it after they get it.

No ugly, grimy streaks on the clothes when Red Cross Ball Blue is used. Good bluing gets good results. All grocers carry it—5c.

"DER TAG" IN SPECIAL HONOR

One Place, at Least, Where Kultur Evidently is Appreciated at Its Real Worth.

Armev—I heard they held a shellabration in hades in honor of Germany on the day the armistice was signed.

Barney—So? Please give the details.

Armev—Well, Mr. Satan presided in the capacity of roastmaster.

Barney—Indeed? What did he say?

Armev—In his speech he informed the company that he had that day sent a telegram of congratulation to the kaiser, advising him that even if the place in the sun were wanting, he could furnish a substitute.

Barney—And how did the banquet conclude?

Armev—The whole company gave three rocks and a salamander, and drank the health of Wilhelm.—Cartoon Magazine.

Clergy Asserts Itself.

Clergymen in Great Britain may strike for higher wages. At a recent conference of the Southwell diocese at Derby, the bishop delivered ultimatum to certain missionaries who asked that a minister be appointed for their churches. The bishop has refused to assign pastors for the parishes until they have assured him they will have a house and adequate food. Eight of the parishes of the diocese recently were combined into one.

The question of poor church wages has kept many aspirants to the ministry from being ordained and the church hierarchy has been asked not to establish any more \$1,000 a year parishes.

It seems queer that an intelligence office should supply stupid servants.

Get Clean Milk

Old methods of clipping cows left too much hair on udders and flanks. Cows that had been clipped to barn and yard during winter gathered dirt that endangered purity of milk. Leading milk producers use the Stewart No. 1 Ball Bearing Clipping machine—removes the dirty hair from udders and flanks. Also clips horses. \$9.75. Send \$2.00 and pay balance on arrival.

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His Reception.

"Brother, I am a disciple of the New Freedom," announced a bewhiskered and unwashed gent, approaching the fence over which Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, Ark., was comfortably draped.

"Say you—p'tu!—are?'"nonchalant, returned Mr. Johnson.

"Yes! We bolsheviks believe in the rule of the proletariat. The rich must divide their ill-gotten hoards with us. We will take by force—"

"Hi, Runt!" called the householder to one of his numerous progeny. "Skin into the house and fetch me my gun. I'm going to divide the buckshot in it with this yer hairy cuss, and—Well, I'll be dogged, if he ain't mighty nigh to the bend of the road, already!"—Kansas City Star.

Diamonds in United States.

Diamond cutting in the United States dates back to 1873. In that year \$176,426 worth of rough stones were imported. Importations remained at low figures until 1913, when they reached a value of \$2,517,750. They rose steadily during the war from \$3,151,633 in 1914, and \$3,358,180 in 1915, to \$11,448,129 in 1916, \$11,717,175 in 1917 and \$12,928,010 in the first eight months of 1918. These values represent rough diamonds and illustrate the rapid growth of the cutting industry in this country.

Daily Thought.

When tillage begins, other arts follow. The farmers, therefore, are the founders of human civilization.—Daniel Webster.

A clumsy ballplayer, like lightning, never strikes twice in the same place.

Postum First Found Favor In the Small Communities

then in the cities, then in the nation's great metropolitan centers, until today it is demanded everywhere, and sold everywhere, as America's greatest health drink for table use. You can get from your grocer

The Original POSTUM CEREAL

Boil it just like coffee—15 minutes after boiling begins.

It doubles the enjoyment of the meal with its rich, invigorating flavor; and, unlike coffee, it never upsets nerves, stomach or heart. Children as well as grown folks can drink Postum freely.

"There's a Reason"

Two Sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

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



"DANDERINE" GROWS HAIR

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

Being Sociable. Cashier (to colored depositor)—John, I'm glad to see you recognize the value of thrift. John Washington—"Tain't dat, boss—I jus' been over to de other bank an' jined, an' now I want to jine yours." Cartoons Magazine.

When people begin to be happy with what they have there'll be more happiness than there now is.

Economical. "Why don't you try cooking with electricity?" "Because we want to keep down current expenses."

Don't Be Misled By the Size of the Package It's the "Kick" That Counts

Buy Calumet Baking Powder—highest quality made—yet sold at a moderate price.

You get a full pound can (16-ounces) for 30-cents.

Also packed in one-quarter and one-half pound sizes.

Any one of these sizes will go as far as a can twice as large of most any other brand.

You Save When You Buy It You Save When You Use It

One trial will satisfy you beyond any doubt that Calumet s-p-e-l-l-s ECONOMY.

Don't be misled into buying other powders because the can is larger or you are getting more.

It may cost a little more than the cheap or "Big Can" powders, but it usually goes twice as far.

CALUMET has twice the ordinary raising force—you use only half as much as is ordinarily required.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Copyright, 1919, by Western Newspaper Union.

LESSON FOR MAY 11.

SIN AND ITS CONSEQUENCES.

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 3:1-24. GOLDEN TEXT—The wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Rom. 6:23.

DEVOTIONAL READING—Psalms 51:1-13. ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Rom. 1:18-23; James 1:13.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Discovering Our Heavenly Father. JUNIOR TOPIC—How Disobedience Separates Us From God. INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Destructive Power of Sin. SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The Nature and Results of Sin.

An outlook upon the world proves that man is not what he should be. Then, too, apart from gospel influence there is no sign of improvement. The only way of accounting for the discrepancy between what man is and what he should be is by the Fall. This is the way that the Bible accounts for it. The introduction of sin is the answer.

I. The Temptation (Gen 3:1-6). Man possessed a free will, in the exercise of which he turned away from God and his commandment. This was done at the instance of the devil working through the serpent. He did not appear as he really was, but in disguise. The method employed was (1) finding the woman while alone; (2) insinuating doubt into her mind as to God's word and love. At his suggestion she began to believe that God did not mean what he said, and that he was unkind in placing restrictions upon them. In this the devil slandered God, even accusing the Almighty of jealousy and fraud. (3) Appeal to innocent appetite. (4) She gazed upon the fruit which God had forbidden. Looking soon began lust. (5) She lusted after that which God had forbidden. That which God has forbidden should not be looked at lest the flesh should lust for it.

II. The Fall (3:6-8). From lusting to indulgence was a short step. This act of disobedience has brought on all the world's woe and misery. Eve not only disobeyed, but involved Adam in her sin. Aspiring to be gods, they became the slaves of sin. They came to know good and evil, but by sad experience. They knew sin without the power to free themselves from it.

III. The Consequences of the Fall (3:9-24).

1. The disturbed relationship with God (v. 9, 10). The familiar intercourse which man enjoyed with the Almighty was marred and broken by sin. Sin makes life intolerable in the divine presence. Adam and Eve not only hid from God's presence, but Adam began to make excuses and even laid the blame on God.

2. The serpent was degraded and henceforth became a type of sin and Satan (v. 14; cf. Num. 21:9; John 3:14; Rev. 12:9). This doom was pronounced without trial. In the case of man it was not so.

3. The undying enmity between the two seeds (v. 15; cf. John 8:40-45; Matt. 23:33). The antagonism thus begun reached its climax in the crucifixion of Christ. Satan's seed has been ever since endeavoring to destroy the Lord's work and his workers.

4. The ultimate victory of the woman's seed (v. 15). Satan bruised the woman's seed; bruised his heel, but finally the stroke was made which crushed the serpent's head (John 12:31; Heb. 2:14; 1 John 3:8). This was the first gleam of the glorious light of the gospel of Christ. The victory was

Gospel Offers Life.

The Gospel offers a man life. Never offer men a thimbleful of Gospel. Do not offer them merely peace, or merely rest, or merely safety; tell them how Christ came to give men a more abundant life than they have—a life abundant in love, and therefore abundant in salvation for themselves and large in enterprise for the alleviation and redemption of the world.

A Prayer.

Guide us, O Lord, by thy wise counsel which thou art never wont to withhold from the simple in heart, and give to us the light which thou dost always pour into eyes that are looking for it. We pray thee for thy gracious help, beseeching thee to give to us some message which may prove its origin by touching our hearts and constraining our wills, and leading us nearer to thyself.

Exercise Is Necessary.

If a man does not exercise his arm he develops no biceps muscle; and if a man does not exercise his soul he acquires no muscle in his soul, no strength of character, no vigor of moral fiber, no beauty of spiritual growth.—Henry Drummond.

Sermon Crowded Out.

Go to that little church of yours and quit your hankering for the fine music and singing and pomp and splendor of the large churches in the city. By the time they get through with their preludes and interludes and melodies there won't be much time for a sermon.

"CALLUS CORNS" LIFT RIGHT OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers.



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Criticism.

Billy Sunday tells with gusto of the subtle criticism a pretty Philadelphia girl once passed on his informal preaching methods.

The revivalist halted at the end of an impassioned Philadelphia harangue, rolled down his sleeves, put on his coat and said:

"And now, dear friends, are there any questions?"

"All the congregation was silent except the pretty girl. She asked from her front pew:

"May I smoke?"

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has been a household remedy all over the civilized world for more than half a century for constipation, intestinal troubles, torpid liver and the generally depressed feeling that accompanies such disorders. It is a most valuable remedy for indigestion or nervous dyspepsia and liver trouble, bringing on headache, coming up of food, palpitation of heart, and many other symptoms. A few doses of August Flower will relieve you. It is a gentle laxative. Ask your druggist. Sold in all civilized countries.—Adv.

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When Money is a Curse.

It is only when money is cheapened to worthlessness for some, and made impossibly dear to others, that it becomes a curse. In short, it is a curse only in such foolish social conditions that life itself is a curse.—George Bernard Shaw.

Dr. Pierce's Peppermint Pellets put an end to sick and bilious headaches, constipation, dizziness and indigestion. "Ginn house." Adv.

If some people were to think twice before speaking they would never say anything.

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

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An acid-stomach cannot digest food properly. Instead, the food sours and ferments and, passing into the intestines, becomes a breeding place for countless millions of deadly germs—toxic poisons they are called. These poisons are absorbed into the system and cause untold misery. So, you see, it is just acid-stomach, nothing else—that makes so many people weak, listless and unfit; saps their strength and energy; robs them of their vigor and vitality. Biliousness, bad liver, nervousness, blinding, splitting headaches, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica—these and many other still more serious ailments often are traced to the common source—an acid-stomach.

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Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. B. CRUMLING, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

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W. E. GILLILAND,
Editor and Proprietor.

SPECIAL SESSION, LEGISLATURE.

Soldier bill passed. All discharged soldiers and sailors can vote this year without payment of a poll tax. Public opinion, when aroused, can make governors and lawmakers see light where all was darkness before—this case, for instance.

All who do not buy bonds are not slackers; but every person who is able to buy bonds and does not, is a slacker.

Many a soldier sacrificed a good salary to enter the army and had to make real sacrifices financially while risking his life for his country. Some who stayed at home got the benefit of inflated war salaries and imagine they have made great sacrifices when they buy a few dollars in bonds. Such have made no sacrifice at all. They were wading in velvet at home, while our soldiers were wading the nasty mud in France. Most wage earners have done well in buying bonds, better than most large property owners in proportion to financial ability, but lots of people could have done more, and will have to do more if Callahan county raises her quota of bonds.

We know men in Baird who have not been able to buy a new suit of clothes for themselves in the past three years, they are working partly on borrowed capital at 10 per cent, and have borrowed money at 6 per cent to buy bonds. It requires real sacrifice to buy bonds under such conditions. Some people with thousands of acres of land seem to think they have made a great sacrifice for the government when they buy a thousand dollar bond, while perhaps some of their neighbors have bought \$50. or \$100. worth of bonds at a greater sacrifice than it would have cost the rich man had he bought twenty thousand in place of one thousand in bonds.

Germany should be compelled to pay France and Belgium enough to restore the country and factories they destroyed, but it is a physical impossibility for any government on earth to pay all the cost of the war estimated as high as 250 billion dollars. Germany deserves no pity for the way they treated France and Belgium, but what is the use of expecting them to pay more than they can pay? In demanding too much France and Belgium may lose all, but we hope not. It is not reasonable to expect England and the United States to maintain a large army in Europe to force Germany to pay a larger sum than they feel that they are able to pay. If they refuse to agree to the peace terms submitted to them, then the only way to collect the indemnity claimed by the allies would be to send an army of a million or more troops into Germany and that would be uncertain even if the allies agreed to do this, and it is certain that the people of the United States will never consent to an indefinite occupation of Germany or any other European country by American troops. We want to see the thing wound up and our boys sent home, but do not expect them to come until Germany accepts the peace terms. All the talk of Germany balking is believed to be stage play to frighten the allies to let them off more easily. We hope to see Germany compelled to pay every farthing they are able to pay, but see no use in demanding more than they can pay.

BLANTON REPLIES TO GOMPERS' STATEMENT

Claims Labor Officials Responsible For Holding Soldiers in Camps

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene, who was in Dallas yesterday, gave out the following statement for publication in reply to one made by Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor:

"At Mineral Wells I asserted that labor unionism, Socialism and Bolshevism were working hand in hand, and were practically identical in that they all fostered disregard of laws, force and anarchy. I notice Sunday's press features an answer from Samuel Gompers wherein he merely asserts that I confess an utter incapacity of understanding the plainest proposition of right, justice, freedom and democracy.

"As this issue thus formed affects vitally 110,000,000 people, I urge publication of the following undeniable facts, forming part of the basis for my assertion:

"1. Comparing Mr. Gompers' democracy with my own, he represents 3,000,000 men whose slogan is 'For ourselves only,' while I have deeply at heart the welfare and interest equally, not only of Mr. Gompers' 3,000,000 union men, but also of the other 107,000,000 people of the United States.

"2. In war, with soldiers fighting in trenches knee deep in mud, the four great brotherhoods forced Director McAdoo to pay them \$700,000,000 raises; through later threats they have forced Director Hines to pay them \$65,000,000 additional increase, all of which has come out of the pockets of the people through increase of freight and passenger rates and abominable service.

"3. The unions have forced Director Burleson to allow them the raise demanded for all telegraph employees, and will shortly force him to accede to the demands of telephone operators, and the people will again suffer with poorer service and higher cost.

"4. Although demanding and obtaining industrial exemptions relieving them from fighting in France at \$33 per month, unions have forced wage schedules up to \$1 per hour, with time and a half for overtime, collecting \$11 per day for ten hours' work, and the Department of labor certifies that during the war, from April 6, 1917, to Nov. 11, 1918, there were 6,000 strikes by unions, averaging eighteen days' duration, and on critical occasions President Wilson was forced to command them to return to work.

"5. When Congress proposed to make the 240,000 Government clerks drawing salaries up to \$2,500 work eight hours per day during the war, before they received the \$120 bonus demand, Mr. Gompers said that it was damnable, and through threats of Marching on the Capitol, and crippling the Government by walking out, unions forced the President to veto the law, and thus they got their \$120 bonus and continue to work only seven hours, and upon Mr. Gompers' demand Congress lately allowed said 240,000 employees a bonus of \$240, while the temporary war workers in Washington not afflicted with Mr. Gompers do not get it. Said 240,000 employees are allowed thirty days' vacation on full pay, thirty days additional on doctor's certificate on full pay, all fifty-two Sundays, every legal holiday, half holiday each Saturday during summer, and on all special occasions.

"6. When General Crowder said it would be unnecessary to draft the 18-year-old boys, as he was going to make all men either work or fight, Mr. Gompers refused to let the work or fight order apply to organized labor, and thus forced 670,000 18-year-old boys to be drafted. In Texas and elsewhere Mr. Gompers has threatened that he will never permit wartime wages schedules to be reduced, and because of his assertion that speedy demobilization would have a tendency to reduce same, we find 500,000 soldiers in our camps here absolutely idle, held without reason, costing millions per day, simply because Mr. Gompers is

against speedy demobilization.

"7. While the Bolshevik Lenin threatens that unless we release the convicted traitor and murderer, Mooney, Mr. Gompers unions threaten a disastrous strike unless we comply with Lenin's demand.

"8. Likewise, Lenin, from Russia, demands that Debs be released, and unions again threaten strikes unless we comply.

"9. Forty-five States have ratified national prohibition, which is made a part of the fundamental law of the land, yet Mr. Gompers unions threaten a Nation-wide strike on July 1 against the Constitution. The 175 unions in Chicago are demanding of Congress the repeal of prohibition.

"10. Since March 11, unions in Washington have paid barkers \$25 per week to picket the Raleigh Hotel there, telling good mothers and daughters who enter that they are not decent, if they enter the Raleigh Hotel, where scabs are employed. Every tailor shop in Washington is now so picketed, because demands made by unions were not met. With Mr. Gompers all men are scabs who are not union men.

"The Washington School Board lately suspended one of its teachers for teaching Bolshevism. The unions there are demanding the rescission of this action, because this teacher belongs to the union.

"Let the people decide between my democracy and that of Mr. Gompers, whose American Federation has threatened to put out of Congress every Representative who has disobeyed Mr. Gompers, and replace them with men holding union cards.

—THOMAS L. BLANTON.

NOTICE, GUARDIANSHIP

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

You are hereby commanded to be published in The Baird Star, a newspaper regularly published in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, for three consecutive issues before the return day hereof a true copy of the following citation:

The State of Texas:

To all persons interested in the welfare and estate of Brover Arrowood, Roy Arrowood, Minors, Mrs. Willie Arrowood has filed in the County Court of Callahan Co., Tex. an application for Guardianship upon the persons and estate of said Minors, which application will be heard at the next regular term of said court, commencing on the First Monday in June, A. D. 1919, the same being the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare and estate of said Minors, may appear and contest application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the First day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 6th day of May A. D. 1919.

Chas. Nordyke, Clerk,
County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Writ now in my hands.

G. H. Corn, Sheriff,
Callahan County, Texas,
23-3t-adv.

NOTICE, GUARDIANSHIP

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

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of Carl Brown, Alfred Brown, Willis Brown, Antonio Brown, Minors, by causing to be published in The Baird Star, a Newspaper regularly published in Callahan County, Texas, for three consecutive issues before the return day hereof, a True Copy of the within Citation, to appear at the Court House thereof, on the 1st Monday in June A. D. 1919, the same being the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919, and contest if they see proper to do so, the application of

Ida Brown which has been filed in said Court for the Guardianship of the persons and estate of said Carl Brown et al.

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

Witness Chas. Nordyke, Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Baird this the 1st day of May A. D. 1919. Chas. Nordyke, Clerk,
County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Citation now in my hands. G. H. Corn, Sheriff,
23-3 Callahan County, Texas.

NOTICE, GUARDIANSHIP

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

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of Nolan Broadfoot, a minor, by causing to be published in The Baird Star, a Newspaper regularly published in Callahan County, Texas, for three consecutive issues before the return day hereof, a True Copy of the within Citation, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, on the 1st Monday in June A. D. 1919, the same being the 2nd day of June A. D. 1919, and contest, if they see proper to do so, the application of Lizzie Broadfoot, which has been filed in said Court, for the Guardianship of person and Estate of said Nolan Broadfoot.

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

Witness Chas. Nordyke, Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Baird, this the 1st day of May A. D. 1919. Chas. Nordyke, Clerk,
County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

I hereby certify, that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original citation now in my hands. G. H. Corn, Sheriff,
Callahan County, Texas,
23-3t-adv.

NOTICE, OIL LEASE

In The County Court Of Callahan County, Texas. No. 343.

Estate of Beulah Bryant et al. Minors Lula Bryant, Guardian.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in some newspaper published in Callahan County, for one week before the return day hereof, the following Citation:

The State of Texas, County of Callahan: In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, May 2nd, 1919.

Known Ye, that Lula Bryant, Guardian of the estate of Beulah Bryant, Blanche Bryant, Faye Bryant, Bertha Bryant, minors having on the 1st day of May, 1919 filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, her application to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the following described land belonging to your applicant and said minors described as follows: An undivided interest in 49 acres off of the West end of the S. 1-2 of the N. E. 1-4 Section No. 65 B. B. & C. R. R. Co. Survey.

Now, Therefore, these are to notify you, and each of you, who are interested in said estate to be and personally appear at the Court House in the City of Baird, in Callahan County, Texas, on the 14 day of May A. D. 1919, and then and there show cause why said application should not be granted.

Herein fail not, but of this Writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1919. Chas. Nordyke, Clerk,
County Court, Callahan County, Texas. 23-1t-adv.

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PERSONALS

Lyte Hearn, of San Angelo, is in Baird for a few days.

Miss Leta Moore, of Tyler, is visiting Mrs. Verna Miller.

Mrs. Ed Lambert returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives at Mingus.

Mrs. J. W. Powell of Ballinger and her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Wear, of Gainville, are the guests of Mrs. A. M. Miller, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Page, of Dallas, visited Mrs. Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conner this week.

Mrs. W. B. Scott, who came here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. L. W. Scott, left Monday for her home.

Uncle "Juan" Aiken was in town this week on business. We are sorry to see our old friend somewhat under the weather and hope that he gets better as the weather gets warm.

Mrs. Lowe, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. A. D. Grounds, for the past few weeks, returned to her home at Merkel, Wednesday.

Miss Katie Dugan and Mrs. Cazeaux of Clyde, were in Baird Monday and Mrs. Cazeaux's little daughter, Olive, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smartt, of Admiral left Saturday night on No. 6, Mrs. Smartt going to Marshall to visit her grand-daughter, Mrs. Albert Julian, Mr. Smartt going as far as Fort Worth with her.

Mrs. D. L. Purdy left last Saturday for Brisco, Okla. to meet her husband, who has returned from France. After a few days visit with relatives there, will visit Mrs. Purdy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sigal, here.

Jim Scott, who was called here some three weeks ago by the illness of his mother, who died last week, left Wednesday for his home in Indiana. His little son, Jimmie, remained and will go with his aunt, Mrs. W. D. Chisenhall, to her home at Long Beach, California.

WANTED.—Sewing, mending, washing and ironing, See, 23.4tp.adv. Mrs. John Morrison.

Seed For Sale.—Black Eyed Peas, Peanuts, June Corn, Red Top Cane, S. E. Webb, Rt. 1, Baird. 22-4tp

SERVICE CAR.—Day phone 100, night phone 94. Ben Sigal. 16-1f.

OIL NEWS. Little change; will have full detailed report, next week.

CONVOCATION OF CHURCHMEN AT ABILENE

The Ninth Annual Convocation of the Episcopal Church in the District of North Texas will meet this year at Abilene on May 11th, 12th and 13th.

This will be a very important meeting, for the world is upon the threshold of a new era, and the Episcopal Church must do her part for the progress and well-being of society. There will come before this Convocation, measures for the extension of the Gospel, the strengthening of Christian ideals, the promoting of Christian education and the advancement of social welfare.

The Right Reverend Clinton S. Quinn, of Houston, Bishop of Texas, will preach morning and evening on Sunday.

On Monday night a representative of the General Board of Missions will tell about the nation-wide campaign which the Episcopal Church is inaugurating, which will enlist every organization in the Church, with the material, intellectual, and spiritual resources of its membership, and which should result in stimulating the spiritual life not only of Episcopalians, but of all Christians.

The Womens Auxiliary of the District will hold its annual meeting on the days of Convocation. It is the womens missionary society of the Episcopal Church. Mrs. Clinton S. Quinn, of Houston, and Miss Minnie Taylor, of Waco will be present and address the Auxiliary on subjects of particular interest.

The Right Reverend Edward A. Temple, Bishop of North Texas, will preside in the House of Convocation, and Mrs. E. G. Batjer, of Abilene, will preside in the meetings of the Womens Auxiliary.

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TREATY WILL GO TO GERMANS THIS WEEK

PLENARY SESSION OF CONFERENCE CALLED AT ONCE TO ACT ON FINAL ISSUES.

ITALIAN DELEGATES RETURN

Unofficial Report From Paris Says Question Regarding Fiume is Satisfactorily Settled.

Paris.—The announcement that Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino, the leading Italian delegates to the peace conference, had left Rome for Paris, and the further news that the Belgian crown council had given its assent to the signing of the peace treaty by the Belgian delegates, regardless of the unsatisfactoriness to Belgium of the financial arrangements, have resulted in relieving the embarrassments of the peace conference.

These developments had the effect of producing a call for a plenary session of the conference to be held at once for the purpose of laying the peace treaty before all the participating nations. The treaty will then be handed to the German plenipotentiaries.

The information regarding Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino came from the Italian ambassador in Paris. He transmitted it to the French foreign ministry, which immediately informed the heads of the allied and associated governments. The Italian representatives will reach Paris Wednesday and will be in conference with the heads of the allied and associated governments. It now appears that the question regarding Fiume has been settled in full agreement with the Italian government on the basis that Fiume shall remain an autonomous port for two years, when it will be assigned to Italy.

State Corporation to Finance Cotton.

Austin, Texas.—George Waverley Briggs, commissioner of insurance and banking, has returned from Dallas, where he attended a conference of bankers looking to a proper and legal financing of the cotton crop. Mr. Briggs believes that an adequate, workable and acceptable plan has been devised, and looks to the special session of the legislature to put it into operation. According to the proposed plan the legislature would authorize the formation of corporations to lend credit.

Preparations Being Made for Flight.

Dallas.—Although it is generally understood that the aviation recruiting trip from Love field to Boston will start Friday, army officers in charge of the cross-country drive for recruits are manifesting a reticence concerning the definite date of departure, which refuses to be broken by insistent queries from many sources. It is known that the pilots for the trip have been selected and assigned to the machines they will operate.

Property Assessment Tax Fees Fixed.

Austin, Texas.—The attorney general's department has given an opinion that the county tax collector and the county clerk are each entitled to the fee of \$1 provided in Article 76991, revised statutes, on each tract of land assessed to the same person for each year taxes are delinquent, no matter whether the tracts are assessed separately or included in one assessment, unless the lands are improved city, or town lots.

Special Session Expected to Be Short.

Austin, Texas.—Owing to the pressing business at this time of year and the added fact that another called session of the legislature probably will be had about the middle of June, the present called session will not be of long duration.

Leaps from Plane in Parachute.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Jean Ors, a French airplane expert, leaped in a parachute from a flying machine 1,000 feet in the air, speeding at a mile a minute over the flying field in Cresco, and landed safely within the inclosure.

Capture of Budapest Deferred.

Vienna.—It is said in allied circles that the commanders of the Czech, Serbian and Roumanian troops have decided not to occupy Budapest, confining their operations to an encirclement of the Hungarian capital.

Early Meeting of Congress Intimated.

Washington.—Intimation that a special session of congress will be called by President Wilson to meet about June 1 is contained in confidential dispatches received in Washington from Paris.

Sunday, May 11, as "Mothers' Day."

Austin, Texas.—Governor Hobby has issued his proclamation designating Sunday, May 11, as "Mothers' Day" and calling on all Texans to reverently observe it.

130,000 Pounds of Wool.

Waco, Texas.—A total of four carloads of wool, approximately 130,000 pounds, will be assembled here on June 1, this representing the clip of McLennan and adjacent counties.

108,000 Students in U. S. Army Schools.

Washington.—There are 209,000 students on the rolls of the American army educational institutions, according to a cable report from Raymond Fosdick, chairman of the commission on training camp activities.

LEGISLATURE MEETS IN SPECIAL SESSION

PROMPT ACTION TOWARD ENACTMENT OF SOLDIERS' VOTING LAW IS TAKEN.

GOV. HOBBY SUBMITS MATTER

The Soldiers' Vote Bill Will No Doubt Be Passed Within the Present Week.

Austin, Texas.—The Texas legislature has convened in special session with a bare quorum in each house, and all indications are that the session will be a short one.

The governor's first message submitted only the subject of allowing discharged soldiers and sailors to vote without the payment of poll tax.

A senate caucus, with only two opposing votes, adopted a resolution asking the governor to submit only the soldier vote question. Representative John Davis secured 67 signatures of house members to a resolution asking that only the soldier vote and the Blue Ridge prison farm questions be submitted. However, some of the signers made reservations that they do not favor submission of the prison farm subject at this time.

Speaking of the house R. E. Thomason said that he had no information as to how long the session would last, and he appointed a minimum number of employes upon the assumption that the session will be short.

A second message from the governor asked the appointment of a committee to investigate the advisability of the Blue Ridge prison farm. This message explained that while the governor favored purchasing the property, the act passed by the last session which requires that the legislature approve purchases of land for the prison system would be in effect before negotiations could be completed. The message also asked legislation based upon the report of this committee. However, some of the members of the house favor the appointment of the committee with instructions to report back to the session in June.

The governor's message concerning the soldiers' vote opens the whole election law up for amendments, and specifically requests that the law be so framed that none but men discharged from the military service and those now exempted be allowed to vote without the payment of a poll tax.

Council of Three Confers With Japs.

Paris.—Before the meeting of the council of three President Wilson received Baron Makino, head of the Japanese mission and Viscount Chinda, his colleague. Their conference lasted nearly an hour. Presumably the question of Kiaochow was under discussion. The council at the beginning of its session received a committee from the Belgian cabinet and gave it a hearing regarding the question of indemnities.

Alderdice Named President Pro Tem.

Austin, Texas.—When the roll was called in the senate chamber it was necessary to wait several minutes until enough absentees arrived to make a quorum. Senator J. M. Alderdice of Waxahachie was nominated by Senator Gibson as president pro tem and after the nomination had been seconded by nearly all of his colleagues, he was unanimously elected.

Vote for a Short Session.

Austin, Texas.—By a vote of 80 to 26, the house has gone on record in favor of a short session, transacting only such business as is submitted by the governor and leaving consideration of the general appropriations bill until another called session expected to meet June 17.

Declares Child Labor Tax Void.

Greensboro, N. C.—The child labor section of the war revenue bill, placing a prohibitive tax on products of child labor entering interstate commerce, has been declared unconstitutional by Federal Judge James E. Boyd.

Blue Ridge Farm Matter Up.

Austin, Texas.—Governor Hobby formally submitted the Blue Ridge farm matter to the legislature in a message in which he urged a complete investigation of the situation by the joint committee of the house and senate.

City Hall at Bronsville Wrecked.

Bronsville, Pa.—An explosion, believed to have been caused by a bomb, has wrecked the municipal building. A score of persons, trapped in the basement of the building, were rescued by firemen.

Editors Will Meet at San Antonio.

Richardson, Texas.—The Texas Press association will hold its fortieth annual convention in San Antonio June 12-14.

Gustave Landauer Is Shot.

London.—Gustave Landauer, minister of enlightenment of the Bavarian soviet government, who recently fled from Munich, has been shot by government troops at Bamberg.

Tendered Place as Highway Engineer.

Austin, Texas.—The State highway commissioner has tendered the position of state highway engineer to R. J. Windrow of Waco and Mr. Windrow has accepted. Official announcement has not been made by the commission.

SOME DISCORD HEARD IN PEACE CIRCLES

BELGIUM REPORTED TO BE DISPLEASED WITH TERMS AS TO TERRITORIAL AIMS.

Paris.—Aside from discussion by the council of three of minor articles of the peace treaty, in peace conference circles things are rather quiet. Likewise at Versailles, where the German delegates are awaiting the pleasure of delegates of the allied and associated governments to hand them the terms of peace, there are no extraordinary happenings.

With the controversy between Italy and the council of three still unsettled and the Chinese delegation reported to be disposed to protest against the award of Kiau-Chau to the Japanese, Belgium now is declared to be dissatisfied with the terms of the peace treaty as regards her territorial desires in Germany.

Apparently no great attempts are being made by the council of three to bring about a reconciliation in ideas with the Italian delegates. The French ambassador to Italy, however, has conferred at length with Premier Orlando regarding the situation, and the development of events in Paris since the Italians quit the French capital and returned to Rome.

The soviet movement in central Europe seemingly is fast approaching its downfall. Munich, seat of the Bavarian soviet, which was known to be surrounded by government forces of Premier Hoffman, is reported unofficially to have been recaptured. In Hungary the forces of King Ferdinand of Roumania, with the monarch at their head, are about to enter Budapest, while Bela Kuhn, foreign minister in the Hungarian soviet, continues to make overtures for a cessation of hostilities by Roumania and also by the Czechoslovaks and Jugo-Slavs.

Advices from Moscow assert that the Anarchist government in Russia has sent an ultimatum to Roumania demanding the evacuation of Bessarabia. Forty-eight hours have been given the Roumanians to comply.

Will Fly From Texas to Boston.

New York.—Seven De Haviland model airplanes, each containing four 400-horsepower Liberty motors, will compose the squadron commanded by Major Tom C. MacCanley in the proposed flight from Dallas to Boston, according to information received at the headquarters of the air service. The flyers will move in formation as far as proves possible, and may make stops at different cities and towns in accordance with requests, if landing fields are suitable.

Soviet Control Is Overthrown.

Berlin.—Communist leaders are fleeing from Munich as the situation there caused by the advance of the Bavarian government troops becomes worse. According to reports Herr Lendauer minister of popular enlightenment, has disappeared and was followed by Herr Fechenbach, former secretary of the late Premier Eisner. Fechenbach was arrested at Ulm later. The military preparations of the communists, it is reported, are suffering from lack of coal.

Increased Wire Rates Held Illegal.

Albany, N. Y.—Supreme Court Justice Ridd has upheld the contention of the public service commission, second district, that increased rates by the New York Telephone company and the Western Union Telegraph company and proposed increased rates by the New York Telephone company were illegal and unlawful and issued injunction orders preventing enforcement of the increases, which were ordered by the postmaster general.

Pool Hall Law Not Enforced.

Austin, Texas.—The attorney general's department has been advised that the temporary restraining order issued by the federal court recently against executive and police officials of the state to prevent them from enforcing the pool room law, is sufficient to restrain them entirely until the disposition of the case. The order applies to the attorney general's department and all municipal, county and auxiliary officials.

U. S. Crew at Trepassey Bay.

St. Johns, N. F.—The United States navy became a real factor in the contest for trans-Atlantic flight honors when the minelayer Aroostook, flying the Stars and Stripes, dropped anchor in British waters at Trepassey bay. It has on board the crew of the naval air station, which will be maintained as the base for the American flying boats.

Drummond's Salary to Be \$25,000.

Paris.—The salary of Sir Eric Drummond, secretary of the league of nations, is to be \$25,000 yearly, with a similar amount for the expenses of the office, including the clerical staff.

Belgians Ask Advance Payment.

Paris.—The Belgians have asked the council of three for a first advance of 2,000,000,000 francs for their share of the German indemnity, according to French circles.

Naval Police Force Necessary.

London.—A large naval international police force will be necessary under the league of nations plan immediately after peace is declared, in the opinion of Josephus Daniels, American secretary of the navy.

HOLD FIRST SESSION OF PEACE CONGRESS

PALE AND SHOWING DEEP EMOTION, GERMANS PRESENT THEIR PAPERS.

M. CAMBON RECEIVED THEM

Precedent is Not Followed in That Germans Did Not Walk to Meeting Place, but Rode in Auto.

Versailles.—The German plenipotentiaries of the peace congress have presented their credentials at the first session, which lasted barely five minutes. It was the first step in the peace negotiations. The German credentials were presented to representatives of the allies and the United States.

Pale and almost fainting from emotion, Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the German foreign secretary and the head of the delegation, passed through what evidently was one of the bitterest moments of his life. He was barely able to sustain himself through the brief ceremony and reach the waiting automobile which had brought him to the gathering.

The meeting took place in the room of the Trianon Hotel, previously used for the sessions of the supreme military council. Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, on entering was accompanied by Herr Landsberg, Professor Schuecking and two secretaries, and waiting for him the allied representatives were grouped around Jules Cambon, the former French ambassador to Berlin, who is chairman of the commission.

Other members of the allied party included Henry White of the United States, Lord Harding, Great Britain, and Ambassador Matsui, Japan.

M. Cambon immediately addressed Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, saying that he was chairman of the commission entrusted by the allied powers to receive and examine the credentials of the German delegates as the first step in a conference which, it was hoped, would lead to peace.

"Here are ours," continued M. Cambon, extending as he spoke the formal credentials of the allied commission as plenipotentiaries to the congress. Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau surrendered the German credentials with even a less formal address, his emotion being too great to enable him to deliver an extended discourse.

MAY DAY RIOTING AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

ONE MAN IS KILLED, ELEVEN POLICEMEN SHOT OR BEATEN AND MANY PERSONS HURT.

Cleveland, Ohio.—An unidentified man was killed by a detective's bullet, 11 policemen were shot or badly beaten and about 100 persons wounded, many seriously, in general rioting which brought a dramatic finale to a socialist May day demonstration here. About 30 persons, seriously injured, are in hospitals while scores of others including women, were trampled by rioters and clubbed by police.

Socialist headquarters were totally wrecked by angry civilians, bent on putting an end to the demonstration. The rioting was general in the public square and several prominent thoroughfares. Socialists and sympathizers at the public square were ridden down by mounted policemen and soldiers in army tanks and trucks aided in dispersing them.

Sixty of the rioters were arrested. A score were found to be armed, the police say. Several hundred rioters threatened police headquarters when C. E. Ruthenberg, socialist candidate for mayor, was arrested and for more than an hour the entire downtown section of the city was a seething mass of socialist demonstrators, police, civilians and soldiers.

Dozens of shots were fired in the public square, where more than 20,000 socialists and sympathizers assembled for a May day rally and to protest against the conviction of Eugene V. Debs and Thomas J. Mooney.

Tax on Cold Drinks Effective.

Dallas.—Stamp taxes on perfumes and patent medicines, and special taxes on soft drinks are now effective. The local office of the internal revenue department has announced that the stamps can be secured from them by the dealers at any time, and within the next few days blanks for the daily reports of the soda water dealers will be distributed. The stamp tax on perfumes and patent medicines must be paid by the consumer the dealer being required to make report on sales.

Former Congressman Gregg Dead.

Palestine, Texas.—Alexander White Gregg, former congressman from this district, died at a local sanitarium following an operation in which his right leg was amputated at the knee.

State Increases Pledge for Bonds.

Austin, Texas.—The state of Texas has purchased an additional \$4,400 of Victory loan bonds, making the total purchase of these bonds to date by the state \$10,800.

Ralph Soape Secretary to Governor.

Austin, Texas.—Ralph Soape has entered upon the discharge of his duties as private secretary to Gov. Hobby, having been appointed to succeed Maj. John D. McCall, who resigned to enter the practice of law.

WRIGLEY'S

Advertisement for Wrigley's chewing gum. Features a large '5' and text: '5 long-lasting bars in each package. The biggest value in refreshment you can possibly buy. A BENEFIT to teeth, breath, appetite and digestion. The price is 5 cents. The Flavor Lasts. Includes images of various Wrigley's gum packs like Spearmint, Doublemint, and Juicy Fruit.

And Then He Quit.

A French officer was trying to learn the English language. The following is his version of our mother tongue: "When I discovered that I was quick I was fast; that if I was tied I was fast, and if I spent too freely I was fast, I was discouraged. But when I came across the sentence 'The first shall be last and the last shall be first,' I gave it up."

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of kidneys are usually indicated by stiff lame backs and other wrenching pains, which are nature's signals for help! Here's the remedy. When you feel the first twinges of pain or experience any of these symptoms, get busy at once. Go to your druggist and get a box of the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, imported fresh every month from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Pleasant and easy to take, they instantly attack the poisonous germs clogging your system and bring quick relief. For over two hundred years they have been helping the sick. Why not try them? Sold everywhere by reliable druggists in sealed packages. Three sizes. Money back if they do not help you. Ask for "GOLD MEDAL" and be sure the name "GOLD MEDAL" is on the box.—Adv.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

"I thought," said the boy's mother, "that I told you I wanted you to stay where I could put my hand on you." "I didn't know," he whimpered, "that you wanted me to git across yer knee an' stay there."

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On Being Cheerful.

You find yourself refreshed by the presence of cheerful people? Why not make earnest effort to confer that pleasure on others?—Lydia Maria Child.

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"Pa, where are those dark-looking clouds going to?" "To thunder, my son!"—Cartoons Magazine.

A girl doesn't trouble herself much about a man's future if he comes with a present or two.

Supreme Law.

The children in the neighborhood organized a club and were enthusiastic about it. "Tell me about your laws and by-laws," I said to one of the members. "Oh," he replied, "we only have one law, and that is to serve refreshments at every meeting."

IT'S NO SECRET

Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Includes an illustration of a woman and text: 'whereshe got her color. Many women, perhaps your neighbor, will tell you that she got her wonderful color, her vivacious spirits, her strength and health by taking a "temperance" tonic, known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.'

Probably no man in America was ever better qualified to successfully treat the diseases peculiar to women than Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. The cases that come to him run into many thousands, giving him an experience that rarely comes to any one man. Dr. Pierce found that in nearly every case there were certain vegetable growths which rarely failed to give prompt relief in those feminine disorders from which so many women suffer. He combined these roots and herbs into a temperance medicine that he called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is sold in both liquid and tablet form by druggists everywhere. A weakly, sickly, backache, headache, nervous, despondent woman, with regular or irregular pains—with feminine disorders that come in youth or middle age—is pretty sure to find in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the exact remedy that her condition calls for.

Advertisement for Why Bald So Young. Includes an illustration of a man's face and text: 'Why Bald So Young Rub Dandruff and Itching with Cuticura Ointment Shampoo With Cuticura Soap'.

An Alibi. Leave it to the Irish to squirm out of tight situations. This one was before Judge Richardson and along with other testimony it was stated that he called the arresting officer names. "Shure, Judge, an' I did nothin' o' the kind," protested Pat. "An' I sid was that one of us should be in the zoo."—Los Angeles Times.

Yes, Rose, every race is a sure thing, but the majority of girls bet the wrong way.

Advertisement for When Your Eyes Need Care. Includes text: 'When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy'.

The KITCHEN CABINET

How your trumpets, daffodils; Someone's tripping o'er the hills. Flowers awaken, birds all sing. Welcome to the gladome spring.

GOOD EATINGS.

The old-fashioned dishes may be supplanted for a time by up-to-date and fancy dishes, but the old things still hold place and we go back to them with renewed pleasure.

Graham Pudding.—To one and one-half cupfuls of graham flour, add one cupful of sweet milk, one cupful of molasses, one teaspoonful of soda, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of melted butter, one egg and one-half cupful of stoned and chopped raisins. Mix and steam three hours. Serve with a hot egg sauce or any favorite sauce.

Creole Soup.—Chop one small turnip, one onion and one carrot. Cook these with two tablespoonfuls of rice, a pint of tomato, two tablespoonfuls of salt and two cupfuls of water. When the vegetables are tender, rub through a colander. Add a tablespoonful of butter or sweet drippings and serve hot.

Prune Fluff.—Wash two cupfuls of prunes and cover with cold water; let stand overnight, drain and to the water (two-thirds of a cupful) add one-half cupful of corn meal; cook, stirring constantly until the water is absorbed, add a half teaspoonful of salt, then a cupful of milk and cook one hour in a double boiler. Remove the pits from the prunes, put through a colander, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and an egg white beaten stiff. Serve the mush with the prune fluff, with cream and sugar.

Indian Pudding.—Heat three cupfuls of milk to scalding, then stir in one-half cupful of corn meal that has been mixed with one cupful of cold milk; add one-half a teaspoonful of salt, the same of cinnamon, one-fourth cupful of brown sugar, one beaten egg and bake in a moderate oven. Suet may be added to this pudding as well as raisins, making a much richer dish.

Baked Beans with Sausages.—Parboil one quart of navy beans after soaking them overnight. When the skins crack place them in the bean pot, adding three tablespoonfuls of molasses, and salt to taste. Bake all day. One hour before serving place link sausages over the top and let them cook uncovered.

Three things to love—courage, gentleness and affection.
Three things to hate—cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude.
Three things to admire—character, intellect and dignity.

RAISIN DISHES.

As raisins are about three-fourths sugar they may be used in many combinations with a saving of sugar. Besides adding flavor to the dish in which it is served, the raisin also has medicinal value.

A handful of finely minced raisins added to any cookie mixture will improve the cookies and the same added to a fruit salad makes a very pleasing addition.

The praises of raisin bread have been so often expressed that it is not necessary to mention its food value and wholesomeness.

Raisin Rolls.—Sift two cupfuls of flour into a bowl, add one-half teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder; put in half a cupful of shortening, two tablespoonfuls of sirup and three-fourths of a cupful of milk. Mix and roll out to one-half inch in thickness, sprinkle with two tablespoonfuls of sugar mixed with one teaspoonful of cinnamon and one cupful of seedless raisins. Roll up as cinnamon rolls, cut in slices, lay in a greased baking pan and bake in a moderate oven. Serve while hot.

Raisin Sauce.—Mix together two tablespoonfuls of cornstarch with one-fourth of a cupful of water, add one-half cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of butter, one cupful of seedless raisins and one and one-half cupfuls of hot water. Bring to the boiling point and simmer for fifteen minutes. Add a tablespoonful of lemon juice or flavoring.

Raisin Pancakes.—Beat three eggs, add two cupfuls of buttermilk, a teaspoonful of soda and one of salt, one teaspoonful of baking powder and two cupfuls of flour with one cupful of raisins. The eggs are better beaten, separating the yolks and whites, adding the whites last. Serve with maple sirup.

One Advantage.

Aunt Nancy had seen for the first time one of those modern esthetic dances where the party of the first part doesn't seem to care much for dress and can do all of her dancing in less space than is required to tell about it.

"Well," said auntie, who had something good to say about everything, "there's one great advantage I see about 'em. There ain't much danger of folks gettin' their toes stepped on."

Wall not for precious chances passed away;
Weep not for golden ages on the wane;
Each night I burn the records of the day;
At sunrise every soul is born again.

SOME SIMPLE PUDDINGS WITH SAUCES.

A good pudding which may be served hot for dinner and also serve for cake the next day is the cottage pudding.

Bake it in a sheet and serve the squares of hot cake with a vinegar sauce. The remainder of the cake not eaten may be covered with any frosting desired.

To prepare the cake, cream two tablespoonfuls of butter or other sweet fat with salt, and a cup of sugar until well mixed; add an unbeaten egg and beat the mixture well before adding a half cupful of milk alternately (small amounts at a time) with one and three-fourths cupfuls of sifted flour with a teaspoonful of baking powder. Beat well to incorporate as much air into the batter as possible and bake in a small dripping pan.

Wheatless War Pudding.—Take one cupful of grated raw potato, the same of grated carrot, one teaspoonful each of soda and cinnamon and one-fourth teaspoonful of cloves, one-half cupful of molasses, two tablespoonfuls of corn starch and one-half cupful of raisins and one-fourth of a cupful of chopped nuts. Mix and steam two and one-half hours. Serve with

Maple Sugar Hard Sauce.—Take one-third of a cupful of butter or vegetable fat, one cupful of grated maple sugar, one-half tablespoonful of vanilla and a tablespoonful of hot milk. Cream the fat and sugar well, then add flavoring and the hot milk very slowly to prevent curdling.

Steamed Ginger Pudding.—Mix one-third of a cup of shortening, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, two beaten eggs, one cupful of milk, two and one-half cupfuls of barley flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, pinch of salt, one-fourth of a cupful of chopped Canton ginger, one tablespoonful of the ginger sirup. Steam one and one-half hours and serve with whipped cream flavored with the ginger sirup.

If you sigh about your trouble,
It grows double every day;
If you smile about your trouble,
It's a bubble blown away.
—D. Bancroft

WHAT TO EAT.

It is well to remember that the common foods cooked uncommonly well and served in an attractive form satisfy the taste of the average person. Food that is underseasoned and served carelessly no matter how rich the combination, loses half its appeal.

Calf's Liver with Celery and Rice.—Cook the liver with enough water to cover, adding a slice of onion and a stalk of celery with a spray of parsley. Cook until well done. Put through the meat grinder, using the coarsest knife. Arrange in a buttered baking dish a layer of well-cooked rice, one of diced celery cooked, one of liver, seasoning each layer well and adding a few spoonfuls of gravy to moisten. Pour over some of the broth in which the liver was cooked and cook until well thickened. Cover with buttered bread crumbs and bake until brown.

Flank Steak Birds.—Cut flank steak into inch-wide strips and pound to a uniform thickness. Spread with onion, seasoned bread dressing and add a bit of bacon or salt pork. Roll each strip carefully and skewer with a toothpick. Brown in a little hot fat, roll in flour and add a pint of water or broth. Simmer for an hour or more and just before serving add a few tablespoonfuls of cream to the gravy. Remove the skewers and serve.

Baked Lima Beans.—Soak dried lima beans over night. Parboil and pour cold water over them. Rub off the skins, add water to cover and cook until tender but unbroken. Mix a can of tomatoes with the beans, add catsup to season, salt and pepper, and put into a baking dish. Cover the top with little bits of butter and bake until well done.

Nellie Maxwell

Fooled You, Eh?

Aunt—Willie, I never saw such a boy for cake. Is there any kind you don't like?

Willie—Yes'm; I don't care much for a cake of yeast.

The Place to Find 'Em.

"The ex-kaiser will be tried by a jury of his peers."

"Then he'll have to be tried by the Huns. You can't find his peers anywhere else."

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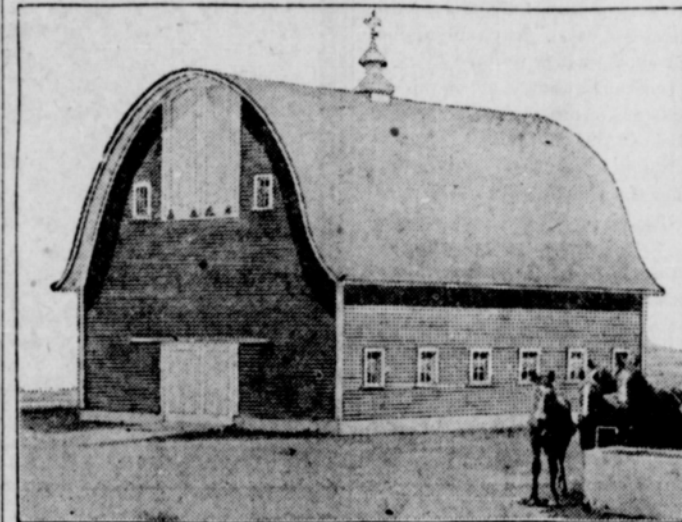
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Interior Arrangement Combines All Features and Allows for All Equipment Necessary in Proper Care of Stock.

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The barn on a modern farm is something more than a house for the live stock and their feed. By choosing a style of architecture for the barn design that conforms to that of the other buildings or that adds to the general appearance of the farm group, the owner derives a great deal of satisfaction from such a new structure. Beautiful, graceful lines of the building, combined with its utilitarian value, have brought the gothic barn in great favor during the last 20 years.

Herewith is illustrated a gothic barn that will be a notable addition to any farm building group. And besides its attractive appearance, this barn is designed so that its interior arrangement



will combine all the features and allow for all the equipment that have been found to be necessary in the proper care of live stock and to do the work required to care for the animals.

The building is 30 by 40 feet, of wood construction, set on a concrete foundation. The stable floor is also of concrete, which permits of a driveway and gutter, the latter being one of the prime necessities in keeping the live stock housed in a clean building.

The floor plan given shows one use of the space in the barn. This arrangement, however, may be changed to suit the needs of the owner, whatever they may be. It is equally possible, of course, to increase the length of the barn, the width being ample for all practical purposes, and to make over the interior arrangement to provide for either horses or cattle.

It also should be understood that in getting the artistic roof lines there is

necessary to health and productivity of cows as food. A water system carrying water to each stall also saves much labor.

Along either side of the barn are windows spaced so that the interior of the stable floor is well lighted and will get plenty of sunshine. The latter is a great germ killer and goes far toward making the building sanitary. For this reason many dairymen prefer to face the animals in, so that the sunshine hits the gutter. It also has been noticed that cows in a field invariably graze with the sun at their backs.

This is an exceptionally good barn design. It is so large that it costs a great amount of money, but is large enough to supply the needs of the average farm.

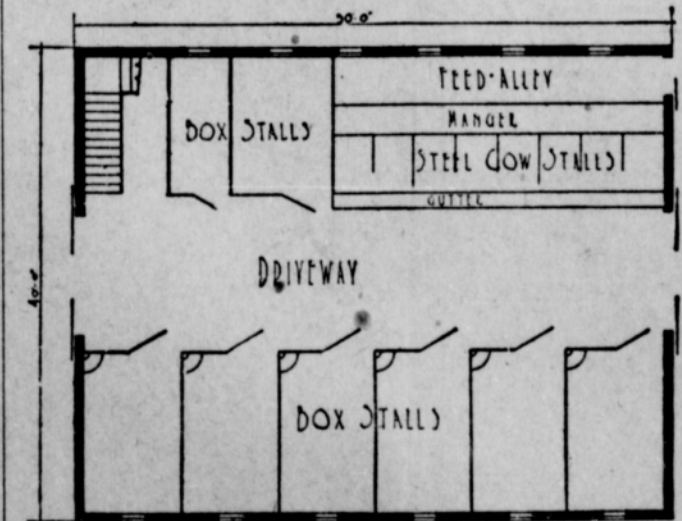
Every individual who needs buildings, whether they be a home, a barn, a granary, a business or manufacturing building, is urged by the government, and all others who have the welfare of the country at heart, to build now. Recent investigations of the cost of building materials have shown that the increase in prices of lumber, cement and all the other things that go into a building have increased far less than any other commodity. And furthermore, it has been determined by the United States department of labor, after a careful survey of conditions, that there is no probability that these costs will be decreased within the next few years. Reconstruction demands in Europe, coupled with a shortage of supply, make it seem certain that building materials will remain at the present price level.

There is a profit-making side of owning good farm buildings that the government officials also are bringing to the attention of the farmers of the country. Never in the history of the United States have the prices of food-stuffs been so high. Grain of all kinds brings double the price it did only a

few years ago; live stock prices have increased in proportion.

While it is true that the cost of producing grain and of feeding and fattening live stock for the market have also risen, they have not gone up in proportion to the price obtained for the farm products. The fact that labor costs are high makes it all the more essential that the farm crops and farm stock should be housed in buildings where the work can be performed with the least amount of effort. Saving a couple of hours a day in caring for the live stock is a worth-while saving.

Building a modern barn at this time is not only a patriotic thing to do, but it is good business. Grain and cows are too valuable to be housed in any building that does not keep the former from the weather and the raids of rats and other animals, and the latter in a healthy and productive condition.



Arrangement of Gothic Barn.

no waste of materials, the architect having worked out this plan with the idea of economy in materials foremost in mind. The heavy arches necessary to support the roof have been provided with little more material than is used in the ordinary barn.

There are more arguments for building now than against it, and a careful consideration of both will convince the progressive business farmer that better farm buildings mean better crops and better live stock.

There is an added advantage in building such a barn as the one shown here. There is the satisfaction that comes to every farm owner in having his buildings of such a type that they will command the admiration of his neighbors.

The floor plan given is for eight cows and a like number of horses. However, it is an easy matter to make this a model dairy barn by facing the animals in and putting litter alleys and gutters on either side. The driveway through the center of the building is of exceptional value, as it allows the owner to drive into the barn with feed, eliminating the necessity of carrying it in by hand.

By the ventilator shown on the roof of this structure it will be seen that the architect has provided a system of ventilation, without which no modern barn is complete. Fresh air and fresh water—plenty of both—are as

Charity Begins at Home. Katherine had gone with her mother to take some rolls and soup to one of mother's friends who was moving into the neighborhood. The friend was voicing her gratitude for the gifts when Katherine said: "Mother," she asked, anxiously, "are you sure you left some of these rolls and soup at home for ourselves?"

Texas News

A modern sulphur plant is in operation at Matagorda.

Texas is at present experiencing a shortage of school teachers.

Road bonds to the amount of \$1,169,000 were authorized by Hill County voters in a recent election, as follows: Hillsboro district, \$810,000; Itasca district, \$359,000.

The Rosedale Independent School District, incorporating 22,000 acres eight miles northwest of Beaumont, created by a recent legislative act, has just voted in a special election to construct a modern school building.

What is believed to be the largest tarpon ever caught on the gulf coast by a woman was landed in seventy minutes in Brazos de Santiago Pass, off Point Isabel Friday by Mrs. F. E. Scobey of San Antonio. The fish measured 6 feet 5 1/2 inches.

Road building in Bexar County will depend largely upon the outcome of a bond election, which has been set for May 31. It is proposed to issue bonds in the sum of \$1,500,000, of which \$1,000,000 would be applied to state roads and \$500,000 to branch roads.

A proposed new banking law, prepared at the recent convention of the Master Bakers' Association of Texas at San Antonio, was discussed at a conference held in Austin Friday between State Health Officer C. W. Goddard and a special committee of the master bakers.

The attorney general has approved the charter of the Republic Insurance Company of Dallas, which has a capital stock of \$1,000,000 and which proposes to consolidate and absorb the Austin Fire, the Commonwealth Fire and the International Fire Insurance Companies, all Texas concerns and all having headquarters at Dallas.

A cotton financing corporation with a capital of not less than \$1,000,000 was discussed in Dallas at a conference of about one hundred bankers from North and Central Texas, and while final action was not taken, a committee of seven was appointed to devise the most logical plan of financing this year's Texas cotton crop. This committee is to report later at another conference.

The state fire insurance commission of Texas has completed its tabulation of 1918 results from operation of stock fire companies licensed to do business in Texas and the aggregate business is the best in Texas since 1913. The companies assumed a net liability in 1918 of \$973,333,318 and collected net premiums of \$14,544,938; net losses \$7,352,899, and the loss ratio was 50.5 per cent.

The new state board of health at its first quarterly session at Austin announced the following appointments: Assistant state health officer, Dr. Oscar Davis of Anderson; state registrar of vital statistics, Dr. M. E. Parker, Navasota; engineer, V. M. Ehlers; bacteriologist, Dr. G. M. Graham; director of bureau of venereal diseases, Dr. H. C. Hall; director of bureau of rural sanitation, Dr. P. W. Covington; bookkeeper, Miss Susie Barton of Holland.

The money having been made available for the construction of the Freeport end of the state highway to Rosenberg the commissioners have begun construction on the Quintana section, which has been cleared and is being graded toward Freeport. It is expected the construction of this road will require one year's work to give the different soil formations ample time to settle for satisfactory foundation upon which to place the treated ballast.

In the District Court at Belton Judge F. M. Spann has ordered the clerk to issue a writ of mandamus directing all election judges in Bell, Mills and Lampasas Counties to receive and count the votes of discharged soldiers as qualified voters in the election to be held May 24. This was done in response to a petition, filed by Harry Shanklin and Frank La Prie, discharged soldiers.

The attorney general's department is advised that the temporary restraining order granted by the Federal Court against the attorney general of Texas, certain district and county attorneys, sheriffs, city marshals, constables and citizens of Texas, restraining them not only in their official and individual capacity, but as representatives of their respective classes, from enforcing of attempting to enforce the law known as the "pool hall law," is sufficient to restrain enforcement or attempting to enforce said pool hall law until the question of whether or not an interlocutory injunction shall be granted is decided by the Federal court.

The largest treasury warrant issued in Texas was issued Friday by State Treasurer John W. B. was for \$1,000,000, being a

from the general revenue fund available school fund and under act of the regular session of the Thirty-Sixth Legislature for transfer of funds to available school fund per capita in support of the schools of the state.

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You are hereby commanded to have published in some newspaper published in Callahan County for one week before the return day hereof following citation:

The State of Texas, County of Callahan. In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, May 7, A. D. 1919.

Known ye that R. H. Seale, Guardian of the Estate of Ellamoor Seale, a minor, having on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1919, filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, his application to lease for oil and gas development the following described land belonging to said minor, laying and being situated in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit: An undivided 1-20 interest in 660 acres in the North-east part of the North-east corner of said survey: Thence West 2199 varas: Thence South 1694 varas: Thence East 2199 varas: Thence North 1694 varas to the place of beginning and containing 660 acres more or less.

Now, therefore, these are to notify you, who are interested in the welfare of said minor to be and personally appear at the Court House in the city of Baird, in Callahan County, Texas, at 2 o'clock on Saturday the 17th day of May, 1919, and then and there show cause why said application should not be granted.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 7th day of May, A. D. 1919.

Chas. Nordyke, Clerk,
County Court of Callahan County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original citation now in my hands.

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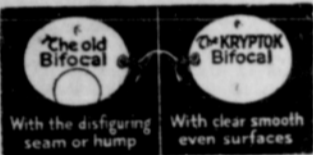
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