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FIFTIETH YEAR

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1937

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CALLAHAN EXCEEDS RED CROSS QUOTA FOR FLOOD SUFFERERS

Callahan county has gone over the county quota in raising funds for flood sufferers, the total amount given yesterday at noon being \$382.63. This fund does not include what has been raised at Cross Plains, which is a branch of the Callahan county Red Cross Chapter and funds were sent in direct, but the amount of contributed will be enclosed in the county quota which was \$325.00.

The following is a list of names of contributors:

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Meeting In Clyde Condemns Actions Of Pension Chiefs

Attendants at a mass meeting held in Clyde Monday adopted unanimously resolutions condemning recent actions of the state old age assistance commission.

The resolutions, signed by R. B. Campbell, chairman, and A. H. Morrison, secretary, of the meeting follow:

"Whereas, the old age assistance commission did in the month of January, 1937, terminate the lawful allowance of many of our aged people, including those who were more than 80 years of age, physically unable to work and with no means of support, and that such action was taken without any warning or information, and further, that this notification came to those affected about the middle of January when their monthly accounts were being made including groceries and other necessary expenses;

Therefore, we, the citizens of Clyde and surrounding territory in mass meeting assembled on the first day of February, 1937, do hereby adopt the following resolution:

Resolved, that we condemn such action as arbitrary, unjust, undemocratic, and out of harmony with our boasted American freedom.

Resolved further, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the governor, one to the old age commission, one to our legislators, and one to the press, and that we ask them to take steps to relieve this outrageous injustice that has been done to our aged and infirm.

JACK SCOTT RECOVERING FROM ILLNESS

Jack Scott, editor of the Cross Plains Review is again able to assume his duties at the helm of the Review after an illness of several weeks.

Elliott Bryant held down the job during Mr. Scott's illness.

Co. H. D. Council Met January 26th.

The County H. D. Council met in the county court room January 26 at 2 p. m.

Committees for the year were appointed by Mrs. Dudley, the chairman. The finance committee includes Mrs. E. J. Barton, Chairman; Mrs. Al Young; Mrs. Steve Tarrant. Exhibition committee: Mrs. Gann, Chairman; Mrs. Russell and Mrs. B. F. McCaw. Yearbook committee Mrs. John Robinson, Chairman; Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. Walker. Expansion committee: Mrs. Ed Henderson, chairman; Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Arrowood. Education committee: Mrs. Eva Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Young, Mrs. S. Shanks, Mrs. McIntosh, Mrs. Gunn Mrs. Yarbrough, Miss Strahan and Mrs. Jarrett.

When 75 Austin youths working on National Youth Administration work projects were asked why they left school, 35 said family was unable to afford, 17 were need ed at home, 10 were not interested in further school work, 1 got behind in class, 3 disliked school, and 5 graduated. M. Johnson, Mr. Sutphen, Luther Maner, Mrs. Cliff Hill, Miss Lotie Ruth Higgins, W. H. Boatwright, W. J. Hornsby, W. D. Boydston. A. C. Forrester, C. V. Jones, H. Schwartz, W. P. Brightwell, H. G. Newcomb, Jack Ashlock, T. P. Bearden, J. H. Grimes, Mrs. O. W. Grimes, Mrs. Ruby E. Jones, R. C. Wristen, Dr. V. E. Hill, A. B. Hutchison, Thelma White, H. S. Fuell, J. L. McKnight, S. L. McElroy, E. G. Hampton, S. J. Bains, B. C. Miller, E. H. Williams, W. W. Phillips, Mrs. Will McCoy.

E. D. Harris, Former Resident of Baird, Died At Mingus

E. D. Harris, a former resident of Baird, died at his home in Mingus Saturday, Jan. 30. The remains were carried to Lewisville, Texas for burial, funeral services being held at 2 p. m. Sunday.

Mr. Harris was an engineer in the service of the Texas & Pacific Ry. for 25 years or more. He suffered a stroke of paralysis seven years ago and has been confined to his room most of the time since.

Following the stroke, he spent some time in the company hospital at Marshall but later was brought back to his home at Mingus.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris lived for several years in Baird where they have many friends.

Callahan Co. Club Met Yesterday

The Callahan County Club met at 12:15 p. m. Thursday in its regular meeting. Pursuant to a special invitation, R. P. Stephenson of Eula was a guest of the Club and made an interesting talk upon topics of interest and a report of general conditions of his community; B. H. Freeland, Commissioner of Cottonwood was also a guest of the Club, and one new member, Mr. Newcomb, was taken into the Club.

L. B. Lewis, County Judge, made a talk in which he explained House Bill No. 158, which proposes to remit to the counties General Fund State Taxes for a period of five years to be used by the county for soil conservation and road work. Forty-two counties have been receiving and are now receiving the benefits of state taxes, some counties for more than 30 years, and the bill provides such privilege to all counties.

The subject was discussed by many members of the Club, and a resolution was passed recommending that such taxes be remitted to all counties, or that if not remitted, that all counties pay on equal basis.

Griggs Hospital News

Don, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of McCamey entered the hospital Wednesday night suffering from asthma and bronchial complications.

Mr. and Mrs. George Yeaman of Oplin brought their little 5 year old boy to the hospital Wednesday. The child is suffering from brain leison with complications and is in a critical condition.

Marion, 15 year of son of Bob Swinson of Baird who underwent an emergency appendix operation Tuesday is doing nicely.

Patsy Mae, little seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Willborn of Oplin is a pneumonia patient. Rosemary, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Tatum of Baird was able to leave the hospital Monday following an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Bob Darby, who underwent major surgery a few days ago, is doing nicely.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, a surgical patient is convalescing. Mrs. Ernest Windham left the hospital Wednesday following a tonsilectomy.

Mrs. W. B. Griggs, mother of Dr. R. L. Griggs, has not been quite so well the past few days. R. L. Griggs, Jr. is improving nicely and expects to be able to be up in a short time.

E. P. Sullivan, of Big Spring, T. & P. fireman, who was a patient for several days, was able to leave the hospital yesterday. Mr. Sullivan was in a serious condition for a time, suffering from acute nephritis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gillit Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gillit kept open house anniversary Sunday afternoon in an automobile crash, died Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the Hendrick Memorial hospital, Abilene, where he was carried following the accident which happened on the highway east of the Abilene airport at 2:30 Sunday afternoon as Mr. Hornbeck was enroute home from Hawley where he was a driller with Ungren & Frazier.

Rain was falling and pavement was slick, which is believed to have caused the accident. The car struck a culvert, seriously injuring him. A California tourist was first to reach the scene of the accident and carried Mr. Hornbeck back to the hospital where he lingered until Tuesday morning, never regaining consciousness.

The body was brought to the Wylie Funeral Home, Baird, in a Wylie ambulance and remained there until 12 o'clock Wednesday when it was carried to Oplin for burial, funeral services being held at the Church of Christ, the rites being conducted by J. Eddie Weems. Burial was made in the Oplin cemetery.

Mr. Hornbeck is survived by his wife, the former Miss Johnnie McIntyre of Oplin and two children, twin boy and girl about two years of age, also his mother, Mrs. J. W. Hornbeck of Fort Worth; three brothers, E. J. of Wink; Harry Hornbeck of Kilgore, and R. E. of Fort Worth; and four sisters, Mrs. L. V. Boggess of Gladewater, and Mrs. C. T. Bates, Mrs. R. Anderson and Mrs. W. M. Johnson all of Fort Worth.

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H. E. Shubert, T & P Ry. Engineer, Died

H. E. Shubert, engineer with the T. & P. Ry Company, died at his home in El Paso Saturday, death resulting from double pneumonia.

Mr. Shubert has been in the employ of the Texas & Pacific Ry. for the past 45 years. He first ran into Baird as a fireman out of Big Spring, later as an engineer. He was transferred to the El Paso run some years ago.

WITH BAIRD BAPTISTS

Another fine Sunday morning service Sunday.

One month has passed of my 12th year. Next Sunday we will start another month. Let's make it a good one. Come to Sunday School and stay for the sermon. Come back to the B.T.U. and stay for the night preaching.

Now for our Sunday night service we are having a special service. Friday the 5th is the 100th anniversary of D. L. Moody and all over the country churches are having memorial services celebrating this centennial.

At the Baptist church Sunday night we are to have such a service all the churches are invited to join with us. A suitable program will be arranged and we shall endeavor to honor the memory of this Chief of all modern Evangelism.

We invite everyone to attend and urge them to accept the invitation. We need to and want to make this a great hour in favor of evangelism in our town and community.

Mrs. V. E. Hill and W. B. Atchison will have charge of the musical program. Miss Viola Boatwright will give a sketch of the life of Dr. Moody. Lay Evangelism by Rev. J. A. Scoggins and scripture John 3:16 by Rev. J. R. Mayes.

Joe R. Mayes

Girls working in National Youth Administration sewing rooms have developed a serious pride in their work, showing a marked improvement in skill and a corresponding increase in production. A. W. Brisbin, assistant district supervisor of the Waco district, has reported to Lyndon B. Johnson, state director.

The Ruth Class of Baptist S. S. will have a cooked food sale and serve sandwiches, coffee, hot chocolate, cake and pies Saturday, Feb. 6 in the Bell Shoe Shop building. Mrs. R. P. Odom of Cross Plains was in Baird yesterday on business.

E. H. Hornbeck Fatally Injured In Auto Crash Sunday

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Denton H. D. Club

The Jolly Workers Club met Feb. 1, 1937, in the home of Mrs. E. J. Kendrick.

Mrs. E. J. Barton presided for the business session. A short program on Holidays was given with Annie Mae McIntosh as leader. Mrs. Kendrick gave the life of Abraham Lincoln; Mrs. E. J. Barton gave the life of George Washington following with the poem, 'Truthful George'. The group then sang 'America' for the closing song.

Fourteen regular members were present and one new member, Miss Helen Minix.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. T. N. Minix Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1937. All members are requested to be there.

Old Landmark Torn Down Here

W. L. Johnson of Big Spring has had his residence in Baird torn down and the lumber hauled to Big Spring where he will build a modern home adjoining his residence on Bell Street in Big Spring.

Leslie Cooke has the contract for tearing down the old house and building the new one in Big Spring and left Tuesday for that city to begin work. He was accompanied by C. E. Bradford, A. f. Vestal and Ed Lambert.

The house was formerly the B. W. Vaughn home and was built by Mr. Vaughn in 1888. Maj. W. K. Davis of Admiral, Tom W. King of Baird built the house, which was painted and papered by J. H. Huffman.

The house was originally a 5-room one story building but was later rebuilt and a second story added.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn moved from Admiral to their new home in Baird where Mr. Vaughn was engaged in business for years. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn, Maj. Davis, Tom King, and J. H. Huffman who were among the early residents of Callahan county, are now dead.

FREE DENTAL CLINIC TO BE HELD FOR CALLAHAN SCHOOL CHILDREN

Mississippi Refugees Visiting In Baird

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morris of Lake Cormorant, Miss., have come to Texas to stay until the River quits misbehaving. Mrs. Morris is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Irving Farrar of this city.

Just 10 miles up the river from the Morris home, people were already being moved when the Morris' left for Texas the night of Jan. 26. Incidentally, the road they traveled that night was covered with water the next morning. When asked if she was scared, Mrs. Morris said, "No. Nobody else was scared, so I wasn't either. Lake Cormorant is comparatively safe but we would sit up until 3 a. m. listening to radio reports and every little while we would go and take a look at the river. We lived just across the road from the levee. Water had already covered the old levee and was rising on the new one, built in 1927. The people there are more afraid of exposure and its deadly results than they are of the water. They are so used to seeing the river rise that it caused very little excitement at first. Many people, when told to 'get out or the river would get them' would calmly reply, 'Well, it never has yet.'

One refugee whom Mrs. Morris talked to in a bus station was not convinced that he was really in danger until the water rose shoulder high. Then carrying his six-year-old son on his shoulders, he waded through the water to safety. The little boy seemed as unexcited as if this were an everyday occurrence, Mrs. Morris said. A guard came to the same station where the Morris' were waiting for a bus and reported that an old man who had only two armloads of wood left refused to leave his home, although his home was covering the first floor, so the guards moved him to the second floor.

These two cases represent the general attitude the people are accustomed to, taking toward 'Old Man River.'

But farther down the river people were shaken into excited action as news of the tremendous damage farther up caused them to realize their very real danger, and refugees were filling the Memphis relief station, as they came from miles around. Very few were as calm as the father and son who waded through shoulder-high water.

Some volunteers who Mrs. Morris talked to had been on duty so long that their feet were swollen until they were unable to remove their shoes. So utterly exhausted were they that they fell asleep in practically any position—sitting up, lying on the floor—any place available where they could snatch a few minutes of rest. Memphis hospitals had reported 20 flood babies when Mrs. Morris left. Some had been introduced to a very insecure world—on rafts. Water covered the highways and poles had to be driven on each side of the highway so the driver could see where the road was.

A local girl, listening to Mrs. Morris, said, "Gee, I'd give \$10.00 to see that." "Yes," replied Mrs. Morris, "and when those waves began lapping at your feet, you'd give \$100 to get out." Mrs. Morris added that the flood region was no place for morbid sightseers. None of the purely curious were allowed to go. Those who did go were immediately drafted in the relief work.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris plan to stay in Texas for a month or two, or until danger of a disease epidemic is past.

Friday, Feb. 12, is Abraham Lincoln's birthday which as a holiday will be observed by The First National Bank of Baird which will not be open for business on that day.

This year for the first time, a dentist has been added to the State Health Department of Texas. Upon request of the Director of Dental Health, the members of the Texas Dental Society are co-operating by giving their services for free examination to every school child in the State where this is desired and requested by the school superintendents. This program is fully endorsed by State Superintendent of Education, L. A. Woods.

Clinic in Callahan County will be in progress soon conducted by the dentists of this county, who are Dr. M. C. McGowen and Dr. V. E. Hill, Baird and Dr. J. H. McGowen of Cross Plains. Dr. M. C. McGowen of Baird is chairman of the Callahan County Clinic.

\$94,429,120 For Texas Relief During 1936

Expenditure of \$94,429,120 provided relief and work relief in Texas during 1936, according to H. P. Drought, state director of the National Emergency Council.

Mr. Drought based his statements on an official report by the President of the United States to Congress regarding expenditures under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 and 1936. From April 8, 1935 to December 31, 1936, Works Program expenditures of \$150,804,968 in Texas were reported. Total allocations by the President to Texas during this period were \$188,460,374.

During the week ended December 12, 1936, employment was provided on the Works Program for 120,929 residents of Texas, of which 77,336 were employed by the Works Progress Administration 22,198 by the Civilian Conservation Corps, and 21,395 by other Federal agencies.

The \$150,804,968 was expended for the following general types of work: highways, roads and streets, \$39,508,312; public buildings, \$9,827,760; housing projects, \$296,443; public recreational facilities, \$8,938,342; conservation work, \$23,746,063; electric, water and sewage systems, \$3,883,942; transportation facilities, \$309,159; educational projects, \$8,380,148; miscellaneous projects, \$12,532,066; administrative expenses, \$4,906,349; rural resettlement and direct relief, \$12,598,696; grants to states for relief, \$25,876,689.

These expenditures, classified by object of expenditure, reveal that \$54,384,368 was spent for personal services; \$12,173,007 for supplies and materials; \$2,651,127 for rent; \$1,553,779 for construction, maintenance and repair, and \$59,695,436 in grants mainly for direct relief. In addition, \$653,985 was spent in the purchase of land; \$12,926,766 was purchased, and smaller amounts were expended in the purchase of equipment and in the payment of employees' accident compensation.

In the United States and its territories the cost of financing the Works Program from April through December, 1936, amounted to \$1,672,394,306 and during the calendar year for 1936, to \$3,310,821,141.

EASTERN STAR MEETING

Callahan Chapter O.E.S. will meet Tuesday night, Feb. 9th, in regular session. All members are urged to be present as plans for the O. E. S. School of Instruction to be held in Baird March 23rd. Mrs. L. B. Lewis, W.M., Myrtle Boydston, Sec.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

services atetain SHRDLU UU Rev. Willis P. Gerhart of Abilene will hold services at the Episcopal Chapel of the Lord's Prayer, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. FOR RENT—Bedroom. Private entrance. Meals served. Mrs. E. C. Preitz, Baird.

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A Typical Reducing Diet
 THERE is so much being said and written about overweight that the average individual may wonder whether or not overweight can always be reduced to normal by simply cutting down on food, without having to exercise or use gland extracts.

Now it can be said definitely that while every overweight individual can have his or her weight reduced by simply cutting down on food, there are some who get only part way down to normal and then lose no more weight unless they take more exercise or use some gland extract.

The vast majority of cases, however, and they are due to overeating, can be reduced to normal weight by cutting down on the food intake and increasing the exercise; no gland extract—thyroid or pituitary—is needed.

The thought then for every case of overweight, at first anyway, is to go on a reducing or a reduction diet. And the thought behind every reduction diet is not that the amount of food eaten will be all that the body will need for its work, but, because the reduced or reduction diet does not supply the body's needs, the body itself has to supply some food and so gives up some of the fat that it has stored. By asking the body to supply some of this food or fuel—a little every day of its stored up fat—the weight of the body gradually and daily becomes less. The amount of weight lost daily may not be more than three or four ounces but when this 3 or 4 ounces is multiplied by 7 (week) or 30 (months) it means a loss of 1½ to 2 pounds each week, or 6 to 8 pounds each month.

Regular Foods Needed.
 Thus when a physician makes out or prescribes a reducing diet for a patient he makes sure that there will be enough of the foods used daily that are needed to do the regular or routine work of the body—for the work of digestion, breathing, the beating of the heart, the circulation of the blood, the getting rid of wastes and other work—and then letting the stored fat in the body be used up for any exercise the body does, if it is only sitting or walking around the house or doing hard muscular work.

The physician is careful in arranging the diet that "enough" of each kind of food—proteins, starches, fats, liquids, minerals and vitamins—is provided. The only difference, generally speaking, is that the "amount" of food is less.

Meat and fish must form a part of the daily menu as proteins are needed by the body to build and repair worn tissues. A typical reducing diet as arranged by Katherine Mitchell Thoma, director of dietetics, Michael Reese hospital, Chicago, is as follows:
 Breakfast—orange or apple or ½ grapefruit or ½ cantaloupe or one serving fresh strawberries; choice of roll or thin slice of bread; 1 egg boiled or poached; 1 glass skim milk or tea or coffee. For noon and evening meal each (that is twice these amounts should be taken daily): clear stock soup and vegetables; large serving of salad composed of any of the following—head lettuce, tomatoes, string beans, cabbage, beets, celery, carrots. Use mineral oil as a dressing; 1 thin slice of bread or ½ potato; choice of lean beef, roast or steak, lean veal, lean lamb, white meat of chicken, white fish, 2 eggs; choice of 2 servings of either asparagus, brussels sprouts, cabbage, spinach, string beans, cauliflower, sauerkraut, or one serving of either beets, carrots, turnips, squash, peas; choice of fruit for breakfast.

Treating a Boil.
 Some of the disastrous results following the squeezing of a boil to get out the "core" are known to every physician, and patients are always warned that the boil should be allowed to "point" before any opening should be made, if at all.

The treatment of a boil is by heat; hot compresses if possible, or what is now being used to a great extent, the hot magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts) dressing. The "dry" form of magnesium sulphate is used which contains 12 per cent less water than the usual "crystal" form with which we are all familiar. This is mixed with glycerine to form a thick paste, put on gauze, and applied directly to the boil. The paste absorbs moisture, so should be kept well covered between applications. This paste can be left on for several hours. To increase heat and action of the magnesium sulphate a hot water bag can be placed on top of the dressing.

When the boil points and is ready to open, a sharp toothpick, which has been dipped in carbolic acid is gently bored or drilled into the center of the boil. A magnesium sulphate dressing applied directly to the boil helps the pus to drain out of the boil.

Jud Bears Terrifying Sound.
 For a long time he lay there blinking his eyes. What made that strange sound? It had seemed odd, familiar, and yet he couldn't quite place it.

OL' JAKE PAYS OFF

Giant Pine Snake Returns Friendship of Aged Hermit Who Saved Its Life.



Ol' Jake, the pine snake, came through a crack in the floor and immediately gave battle to the rattlesnake, while Jud looked on with horror.

By WILLIAM HORNE
IN READING the headlines of North Carolina's newspapers not so long ago you may have seen: "Recluse of Dismal Swamps Held Captive of Deadly Diamond Backs Until Rescued by Pet Snake."

But this short, two-inch item that gave mention to the harrowing experience of one Jud Baker, aged hermit of the Drummonds Lake district of Dismal Swamps, did not touch the colorful side of this strange drama that depicted, strange to say, the character of a snake. It was more than a year ago when Jud Baker first saw the six-foot pine snake he later named "Ol' Jake."

Jud had just paddled his bateau from across the lake to the landing a few yards down from his cabin. As he stepped on to the bank a darting form whirled upward on glistening wings from the bushes that bordered the opening. Jud turned and looked. It was the fluttering form of an enormous snake hawk. It came back down again into the bushes with a crash, seemed to struggle there a moment, then strove to take the air again.

Puzzled, Jud went to the edge of the bushes to investigate. He found the big bird of prey hovering a few feet from the ground, wings beating the air powerfully, and in its sharp talons was a pine snake.

Hawk Is Snake's Equal.
 The reptile's torso writhed about the roots of a tree, the snake hawk doing its utmost to tear the hold away and lift it into the air.
 Now, the pine snake is a powerful constrictor, and one snap from its mighty jaws can almost sever a man's wrist. No reptile in all the wilds can conquer it in combat, and the steel-like muscles of its glistening body can crush the bones of a wildcat or a dog.

But the snake hawk is its equal in swiftness and in strength, and in all outdoors the only living thing that it fears.

True, the snake hawk does not immediately kill the snake with claws or beak. Instead, it flies to an enormous height, releases the prey and lets it crash to its death far below, where it eats it at leisure.
 Jud Baker knew this, and with a stick he drove the hawk away and captured the snake and took it with him to his cabin. The rippling skin of the snake was torn in a dozen places. Blood oozed from deep lacerations where the snake hawk's talons had torn in.

For days afterward Jud Baker thought his snake would die. The live mice and frogs he placed inside the improvised cage were left untouched; the snake lay prone and motionless.
Ol' Jake Moves In.
 But with passing days came improvement, and after two weeks the big reptile crawled about in his cage.

One night he escaped through a crack in the door. He disappeared, and Jud saw nothing of him for a month. But then he came back again—and stayed.
 From then on he made his home there with the old recluse. He became a pet. He would crawl on to Jud Baker's dining table while the man ate his meals; he would coil on his bunk and sleep through the long hot days of summer.

It was during the month of March that he disappeared. Days passed, and finally Jud decided he had either strayed off and found a mate and had forgotten or a snake hawk had at last captured him. Jud searched for his strange pet, but never found him, so he finally gave up.

It was two months after Ol' Jake had disappeared, when the first warm days of summer came to Drummonds Lake, that Jud Baker opened his eyes one morning to a strange sound at the little window just above his bunk.
Jud Bears Terrifying Sound.
 For a long time he lay there blinking his eyes. What made that strange sound? It had seemed odd, familiar, and yet he couldn't quite place it.
 Then suddenly it came again. And Jud Baker's form stiffened, the hair on his scalp prickling. It was the

Going to the Party?



WHERE is the party? At Mrs. Smith's on Walnut street and it looks awfully much as though the principals were caught by the candid camera. Luckily, however, they're perfectly groomed for their parts:

Introducing Janet.
 Janet in her jumper (Pattern 1996) is asking Mother which glassware to use. Her plaid blouse in taffeta makes her feel very dressed up. Mother chose this style because the many possibilities for change make it a wardrobe rather than a dress and she knew it would be easy-to-make. Your own little girl may have this same ensemble in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12, and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1½ yards of 39 inch material for the jumper and 1½ yards for the blouse.

Mother, the Hostess.
 Mother is the perfect hostess, calm and assured, because she knows her all-occasion frock with its sprightly crisp apron (Pattern 1290) is becoming and appropriate. For house wear she made up this model in print. She is wearing here the crepe version and knows that it will be delightful for later on in cool black and white. It comes in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, and 46. The dress and apron in size 38 require 5½ yards of 39 inch material. The apron alone requires 1½ yards.

Guest Just Arriving.
 The guest just arriving is wearing her trigest Sew-Your-Own. She likes it because the puffed shoulders and swing skirt make her hips look smaller. The collar is young and the sleeves stylish. This frock is especially chic in silk crepe alpaca or one of the lovely new prints. For your own daytime distinction, then, why not make up Pattern 1205? It is available in sizes 14, 16, 18, and 20 (32 to 42 bust). Size 16 requires 4½ yards of 39 inch material. One ball of yarn required for trimming as pictured.

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 Send for the Barbara Bell Spring and Summer Pattern Book. Make yourself attractive, practical and becoming clothes, selecting designs from the Barbara Bell well-planned, easy-to-make patterns. Interesting and exclusive fashions for little children and the difficult junior age; slenderizing, well-cut patterns for the mature figure; afternoon dresses for the most particular young women and matrons and other patterns. Interesting and exclusive to be found in the Barbara Bell Pattern Book. Send 15 cents today for your copy.
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Life's Ups and Downs
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The two powers which in my opinion constitute a wise man are those of bearing and forbearing.—Epictetus.

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Liberty and Obligation
There is one thing diviner than duty, namely, the bond of obligation transmitted into liberty.—W. R. Alger.

Why Laxatives Fail In Stubborn Constipation

Twelve to 24 hours is too long to wait when relief from clogged bowels and constipation is needed, for then enormous quantities of bacteria accumulate, causing gas, indigestion and many restless, sleepless nights. If you want REAL, QUICK RELIEF, take a liquid compound such as Adierika.

Independence
Independence is one of the most marked qualities of human beings.—John C. Merriam.

Strength During MIDDLE LIFE

Strength is extra-important for women going through the change of life. Then the body needs the very best nourishment to fortify it against the changes that are taking place. In such cases, Cardui has proved helpful to many women.

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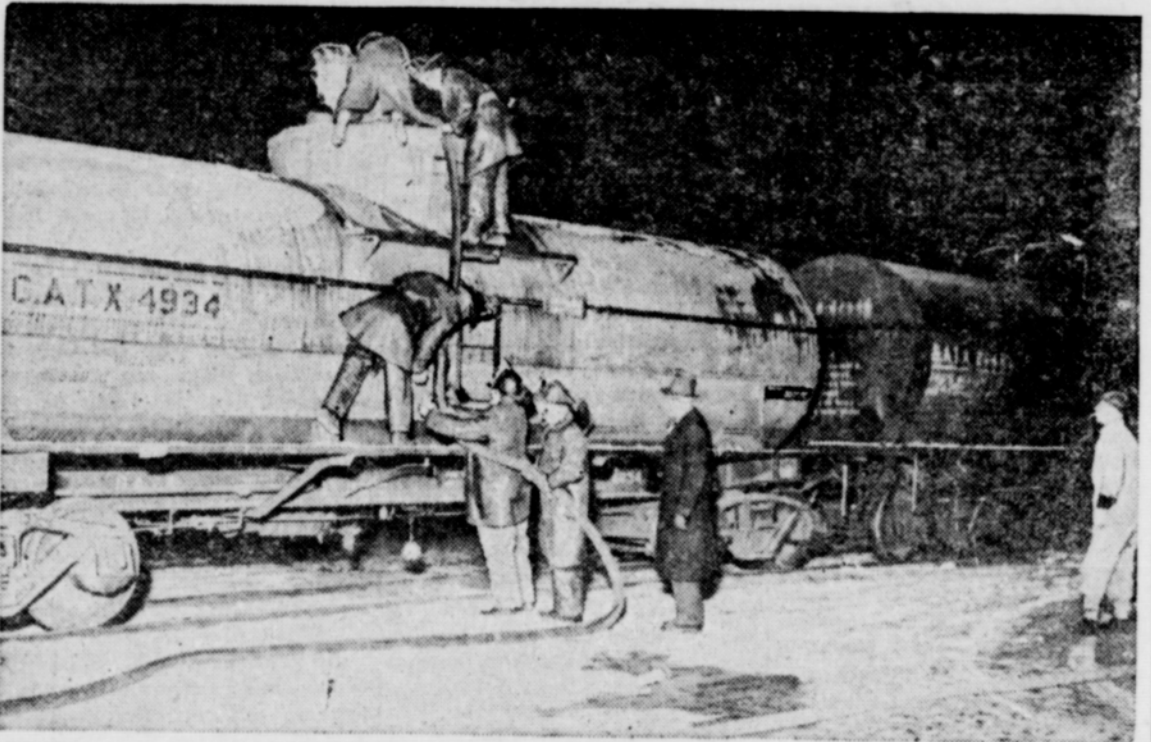
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Ohio and Mississippi Valleys Devastated by Flood



1—Flood refugees load their possessions aboard a truck prior to fleeing to higher ground. 2—Cat is marooned on a second story window ledge as Ohio river flood waters rise. 3—Flood sufferers at Portsmouth, Ohio, are fed by boatmen who row about streets, handing bread to refugees above the water line.

Tank Cars of Drinking Water for Flood Sufferers



Tank cars, normally milk cars, are shown being loaded with water in Chicago and started southward to the flood scoured sufferers in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys where water was so contaminated that it was unsafe for human consumption.

Coast Guard Rescues Flood Victims



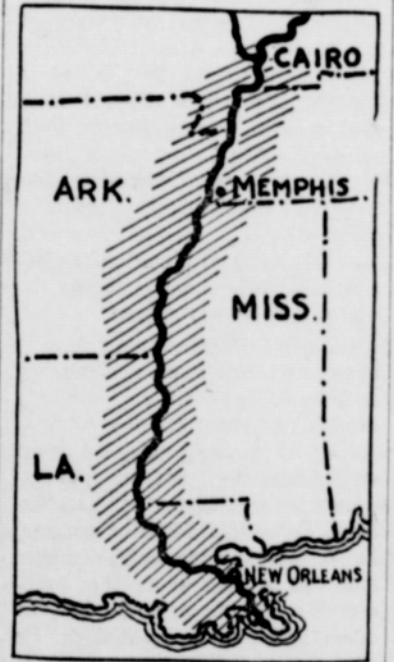
Flood victims in coast guard boats shown arriving at Jeffersonville, Ind., across the river from Louisville, Ky., where they were placed on refugee trains and taken to safety further north. Floods on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers were the worst in the history of the country.

Orphans of the Flood Find Refuge



Refugee children from the flooded districts of northern and eastern Arkansas are shown asleep on the floor of a railroad station following their rescue. With millions of acres of farm land under water and countless cities inundated, the Ohio and Mississippi valleys experienced the most devastating flood in history.

EVACUATION AREA



Map showing 100-mile wide strip along the Mississippi river from Cairo, Ill., to New Orleans which the War department ordered evacuated of all people in the most disastrous flood in the nation's history.

HEADS FLOOD RELIEF



Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator who has directed the work of more than 50,000 federal relief workers in the flood area. Besides rescue and first aid work, the toolers have begun the task of rehabilitation—a job which it is estimated will confront Ohio and Mississippi river cities for several months to come.

UNCOMMON AMERICANS

By Elmo Scott Watson Western Newspaper Union

'Mother of Thanksgiving'

OF COURSE, we all know we owe the observance of Thanksgiving to the Pilgrim forefathers. But if it hadn't been for the persistence of a woman editor the chances are that it would still be only a New England festival instead of a nationwide holiday celebrated in all states on the last Thursday in November.

Sara Josepha Hale was her name and she was the editor of Godey's Lady's Book, the most popular woman's magazine of the Nineteenth century. She was born in New Hampshire in 1788, and like all New Englanders, the celebration of Thanksgiving, even though its observance was not a regular event, was very dear to her.

But it was not until 1846 that she began her campaign through the column's of Godey's Lady's Book, of which she became editor in 1828. Early each spring she began writing letters to governors of all states and territories asking their assistance in making the last Thursday in November, which had been Washington's choice for the first Thanksgiving Day, set aside by Presidential proclamation.

Being thus the 'Mother of Thanksgiving' was not, however, Mrs. Hale's only claim to distinction. She was the author of that famous poem, 'Mary Had a Little Lamb'; she was the first to advocate women teachers in public schools; she started the first day nursery; she founded the first society for the advancement of women's wages, and her demands that housekeeping be given the dignity of a profession put the term 'domestic science' in our language.

Prisoner of War

IN THE year 1758 there was born to an English family, then living in Ireland, a son who was to bear the name of John Whistler. Before he became of age young John ran away from home and enlisted in the British army. In 1777 he was sent to America with troops who were to serve under General Burgoyne and when 'Gentleman Johnny's' expedition ended in disaster at Saratoga, young John Whistler was a prisoner of war.

Before the end of the Revolution he was sent back to England as an exchanged prisoner and soon afterwards he was discharged from the army. Then he fell in love with the daughter of one of his father's friends, eloped with her, came to America a second time and settled down at Hagerstown, Md. But he could not be content with civilian life for long. So in 1791 this soldier who had worn the scarlet uniform of Old England put on the nondescript uniform of a lieutenant adjutant in the levies which made up a part of the army of the new republic.

From that time on he served continuously on the Northwestern frontier under St. Clair, Wayne and the others who were campaigning against the hostile Indians. By 1797 he had won a captaincy and in 1803 he was stationed at Detroit. Then orders were given to build a fort at the foot of Lake Michigan and establish a garrison there with Whistler as commandant. Accordingly he built the post which was named Fort Dearborn and thus he became the 'father of Chicago.'

For nine years Whistler ruled at Fort Dearborn and then he was ordered back to Detroit. At the outbreak of the War of 1812 he was serving there on the staff of General Hull and when that flustered officer, without attempting resistance, surrendered his post to the British army which swooped down upon La. Whistler again became a prisoner of war.

So his was the unique distinction of having been a British officer who surrendered to a victorious American army and then an American officer who surrendered to a victorious British army. That alone would make him an 'uncommon American' even if he hadn't been the 'Father of Chicago' and the man whose grandson became one of the greatest of all American artists.—James Abbott McNeill Whistler.

Delight a Child With These



are Sambo of the checkered overalls, and Mammy, in apron and kerchief. In pattern 5247 you will find a transfer pattern for a doll about 14 inches high; patterns for making the clothes; directions for making doll and clothes; material requirements. To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 W. Fourteenth St., New York, N. Y. Write plainly your name, address and pattern number.

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How to Ease a Cold Quickly



Get Quick-Acting, Quick-Dissolving Bayer Aspirin. Take 2 Tablets

The modern way to ease a cold is this: Two Bayer Aspirin tablets the moment you feel a cold coming on. Then repeat, if necessary, according to instructions in the box.

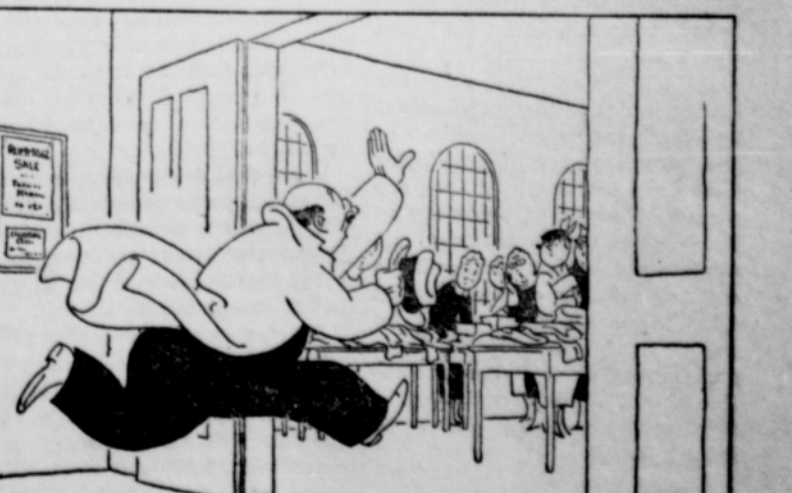
At the same time, if you have a sore throat, crush and dissolve three BAYER Aspirin tablets in 1/2 glass of water. And gargle with this mixture twice.

The Bayer Aspirin you take internally will act to combat the fever and pains which usually accompany colds. The gargle will provide almost instant relief from rawness and pain, acting like a local anesthetic on the irritated membrane of your throat.

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SUBURBAN HEIGHTS

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



FRED PERLEY 'THREW THE ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE INTO CONFUSION WHEN HE DISCOVERED THAT THE LADY WHO HAD COME AROUND COLLECTING FOR HIM HAD SOMEHOW INCLUDED HIS DRESS SUIT WHICH HE HAD LEFT IN THE HALL READY FOR THE CLEANERS' (Copyright, 1937 by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

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J. J. Taylor Succeeds Dr. Dealey as Editor of Dallas News

J. J. Taylor, member of the editorial staff of The Dallas News for the last thirty-three years and editor of the State Press column since 1908, Tuesday was named editor in chief of The Dallas News and allied publications.

William B. Ruggles, former sports editor of The News and editorial writer since 1926, was appointed associate editor in chief of publications in the same announcement by the management.

The clarity and force of Dr. Taylor's editorial writings in Clarksville brought him State-wide fame. In 1904 he joined the organization of The News, first serving as Sunday editor.

Dr. Taylor enjoys perhaps the largest circle of personal friends and acquaintances among active newspapermen in Texas. He joined the Texas Press Association as early as 1893 and ever since has been a leader in that professional body.

As associate editor in chief, Mr. Ruggles brings a rich and varied experience in newspaper work and public service. Born at Austin, March 7, 1891, he was educated at Austin public schools and the University of Texas.

gal training. He served as sports editor of the Houston Post from 1910 until 1915. After a brief connection with the Houston Chronicle he became sports editor of the Galveston News in June, 1916.

LISTEN FOLKS

By Jim Ferguson

Muscle or Mind-Which?

The University of Texas has purchased themselves a new Bible. However, it is not a spiritual Bible, but it is a muscle bible. This new addition to the University curriculum is not recommended for any religious advancement or study but on the contrary it has for its main purpose the development of the physical ability of the male species.

The University football squad having a low record of games won decided to make a change, and get a new coach to learn the Texas University steers how to get in the running hereafter and bring home some of the bacon-occasionally at least.

After looking the available over, the Regents of the University on the advice of the Athletic Council has hired an old timer in pigskin contests from Nebraska and his name is Dana X. Bible. His salary is to be \$15,000.00 a year or \$1,250.00 a month, and his contract calls for a 10 year job. The university people and most of the students think the Regents have made a good trade, and it appears like they may look at Dan Bible more than they will look at the Moses and the Savior Bible. It remains of course to be seen whether Bible is a good buy financially, but there is no doubt but what he has made a good horse swap of Nebraska for Texas.

It must be an awful hard job to learn these football youngsters anything when they have to get a \$15,000 man to teach them how to tackle each other in a seemingly fiendish desire to butt each other's brains out and kick the liver and lights out of each other. The Regents can get all the professors and educational experts they want or need to teach the student body Latin and Greek and Geometry and Trigonometry and Astronomy and Chemistry and all the other higher branches and sciences for five or six thousand dollars year. Why they only pay the President of the University \$8,000.00 a year. I wonder what it all means. Whither are we drifting? Does this 100 per cent difference in pay mean that we are drifting to a condition where muscle will triumph over mind? Does it mean that the physical attributes of our rising generation will supersede mental attainment? After all, shall we hope to witness the triumph of mind over matter or matter over mind-Which shall it be?

If physical development is to be our major purpose, then the \$15,000.00 coach is all right. If mental development is our ambition, then a \$15,000.00 coach is all wrong, and it should not be allowed.

The Governor gets \$12,000.00 a year, the Attorney General gets \$10,000.00, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court gets \$8,000.00, and other higher Court Judges get around \$6,000.00, and if there is any good reason why a football star should get \$15,000.00 a year, then we are willing to be shown why a mighty good reason.

I like to see the football contest. It is great sport, though at all times dangerous. The great amount

of time devoted to the game raises the question of whether the football craze is not being carried too far. If it is, then high financial inducement should not be resorted to to perpetuate the game.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS, JR. Special Correspondent

Austin.-Settling down to serious business for the first time the legislature this week attacked the ever-present tax-raising problem by plunging its taxation and revenue committee into a full schedule of hearings on taxation bills. Headed by Alf Roark, the committee of 21 members-by far the most influential in the house-includes a heavy majority of youthful members, many first-termers, and no representative from either Houston or Dallas, largest tax paying communities in Texas. It is described as being overwhelmingly friendly to Gov. Allred, and favorable to many of his tax recommendations.

REVENUE SOURCES

Scheduled for early hearings were three groups of bills, representing the most probable sources of whatever additional revenue the 45th legislature will raise. First on the list is the franchise tax measure by Herman Jones of Wise county. Theoretically, this bill is a tax on corporations for the right to do business in Texas. Actually, it is a combined tax on corporate income and property. It levies a 5 per cent tax on the net income of corporations, or, alternately, a tax of one-tenth of one per cent of the gross assets, which ever yields the greater sum.

This is the application of the tax principle which Gov. Allred recommended in his first message, which he supported with glaring examples of how some large corporations are doing business in Texas at negligible cost for the privilege. Opponents claim the corporations, particularly some 15,000 small ones in Texas, cannot stand the tax, in view of the recent heavy levies by the federal government for social security purposes. Many protests already have been received from owners of both large and small incorporated businesses by legislators, and it is regarded as likely the rates in the original bill will be slashed considerably if it is finally passed. Jones estimates his bill will raise \$12,000,000, and lobbyists estimates range upward to \$20,000,000.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Next most probably source of revenue is a series of bills increasing taxes on oil, sulphur and natural gas. Ten cents a barrel on oil, instead of the present 2 1/4 cents (or 2 3/4 per cent on oil over \$1 a barrel), and \$2 a ton, instead of the present \$1.03 on sulphur, are the maximum rates proposed. Few believe the oil levy will be hiked to anything like the 10 cent figure. Already, higher oil tax proposals have evoked acrimonious debate in the senate, with Holbrook and Davis reading the campaign speeches of Gov. Allred, made last summer, in which he declared for no new taxes, and only "reasonable" increase in the oil tax.

INCOME AND SALES TAXES

The third group-and the one least likely of adoption in any form-includes Petsch's bill for a 2 cent sales tax, with the proceeds going to pay a \$15 pension to everybody over 65; and a state income tax bill, modeled after the federal measure, and beginning at one per cent for the first \$1000 of income, and increasing to 7 per cent on all over \$11,000.

SENATE BALANCE-WHEEL

The house, with its 73 new members and its extreme youth, appears likely to accept the additional demands of Gov. Allred at or near face value, and act accordingly, at this early stage. But the long three-months' grind may develop a rift in the apparently happy line-up, particularly when a showdown comes on the pension question. On two preliminary votes that may be regarded as a determination to liberalize pensions, and the governor has already warned that he will veto such legislation. Toward that situation, those who hope to keep down taxes look hopefully. But they are placing more reliance on the conservatism of the senate. Oil, sulphur and corporation representatives are expecting some tax increases, but they

expect the senate to pare down to rates substantially from the house proposals.

SENTIMENT CHANGING?

Some observers here also profess to see among the people of the state, too, a growing sentiment to cease emergency expediency of tax money, and get the state government back on a normal basis. Echoing this sentiment is a recent editorial in a representative small-town newspaper, written by H. D. Meister of the Yoakum Herald. He says he is going to oppose any candidate for office, or for re-election to office, who gives his support to measures that will in any wise materially increase taxes or governmental expenses. It is up to the people of Texas to demand retrenchment and if they get together and take a firm stand along this line they will get it. Otherwise, the orgy of spending will continue until such time as it will be impossible for anyone to remain in business or give employment to anyone. Now is the time for the voter to get in touch with his member in the legislature and express his demands for less spending.

Judge Otis Bowyer Writes Of Early History

The House of State at the Centennial is a noble and impressive monument to the heroes of Texas. Among the rest appears the name of Governor Bell for whom Bell county was named and who has had near relatives in Callahan county almost from its organization. Judge F. S. Bell, district attorney for so many years, reared his family in the county and together with his wife and several children, lies buried in the Baird cemetery, was his nephew, Judge Alden Bell, one time Mayor of Baird, Presidential Elector and member of the Legislature was also a nephew, who getting a special dispensation from the Secretary of War, entered the World War after he was fifty years of age, went into the trenches as a private, engaged in battle at the front, was gassed and came home after the war with trench feet. Mrs. Otis Bowyer, his niece, still resides in the county. He had several great nephews born and brought up in Callahan county, who were volunteers in the World War, namely: Lieutenant Eugene Carter Bell, killed in France, Hubard McDonald Bell, died in camp, Farley Storow Bell, soldier in France and Otis Bowyer, Jr., who trained with a company of regulars, was made a sharp-shooter for his company, was selected and placed in an officer's training camp where he was when the war closed.

Governor Bell's whole life was heroic and he left an unblemished record in the civil and military affairs of Texas. Coming to Texas as a young man he went straight to the front and participated in the battle of San Jacinto. Later as captain of rangers, he fought Indians and out-laws and was an officer in the Mexican War. Being a dead shot, he often acted as sharp-shooter. He was also a skilled rider, could go at full speed and pick up a live pig from the ground and resume his seat in the saddle. In civil affairs he became governor and a member of congress.

He was not above fighting a duel, if the occasion arose, as his fine dueling pistols, said to have been presented by Sam Houston, and now in possession of his great nephew, Bowyer Bell, attest. That was the way gentlemen settled their difficulties in that day.

And this brings to mind a famous duel which took place in California in 1850 between James Calhoun Smith, a first cousin of Governor Bell and a son of Wm. Smith, twice governor of Virginia and Major General in the Confederate Army and U. S. Senator Broderick of that state. The duel took place in the presence of 5,000 people and Smith's father was one of them. Broderick asked permission to retain his watch and Smith assented. In the exchange of shots, Smith struck the watch four times and cut the chain with the fifth shot. One shot went partly through the watch and wounded Broderick in the abdomen. Smith was untouched. The watch was hung up in a public place in Sacramento, where the duel was fought.

Broderick was afterwards killed in a duel with Judge Terry and Judge Terry was shot down in recent years, unarmed, by a guard placed over Judge Field of the U. S. Supreme Court.

County Agent's Column

Hogs Aid 4-H Boy To Attend A. & M. College

Durward Varner, one of the first 4-H boys who enrolled in the fall of 1933, makes an interesting report about his achievement. Durward says, "During the Fall of 1933 I worked and made enough money to purchase five pigs. I fed these pigs out during the Fall of 1933 and the Spring of 1934 and cleared \$10 a piece. With this money I bought a sow with eight pigs five days old which cost me \$40. I bought feed with the other \$10. During the summer of 1935, at your suggestion, I borrowed \$60 from the bank and bought a supply of barley at 35 cents a bushel and corn for 40 cents and fed out this bunch of hogs along with four shoats that I bought for \$26. One hog that I bought for \$10, after keeping for two weeks, I sold for \$22. After two months I sold the four shoats for \$60, the sow for \$25. and in December I sold the eight pigs for \$50. Thru the summer months, therefore, I cleared \$88 the only cost being a little labor which I couldn't have sold for anything at that time. Therefore, I started two years ago, borrowed \$60 and sold out for \$258. That was enough to start me into Texas A. & M. I believe that other 4-H Club boys can do as well or better than I did with my hog project and I believe that the farmers at Cottonwood could well afford to think more seriously of hog production. Your friend very truly, Durward Varner."

The county agent has been very proud of Durward ever since his acquaintance in the fall of 1933 and has had many enjoyable hours in his company, especially while enroute to the Short Courses held annually at A. & M. College. Boys like Durward are bound to go places and it is the belief of the county agent that the 4-H Club work has helped Durward to make up his mind to attend college.

Some 15 farmers met at the home of J. G. Barton, who lives 2 miles south and one west from Dudley, to inspect his trench silos. Mr. Barton told the group that he didn't have much faith in the silos but decided to build one as an experiment. As he finished filling the first one the first hard frost had killed all remaining feed and he saw that he would soon lose its value. He then built his second silo and filled it with the frost bitten hegar. Mr. Barton said when the heavy sleet was on last week he opened one of his trenches and was surprised to find the feed in a better condition than when he put it in the silo. His sheep liked it so well that they stood at the fence and bleated for more. Another surprising result was that his cows increased their milk production during the very coldest of the weather.

Mr. Barton's two trenches are 60 feet long, 8 feet wide and 4 feet deep. They hold about 46 tons. Mr. Barton says he plans to put practically all his feed in trench silos from now on. Many of his neighbors have become sold also because of his accomplishment. Mr. Barton says, "This is the finest thing I have ever found for a farmer and it is so cheap and easy to have." He further stated that it took an experienced stacker to put up a good stack but anybody could lay bundles of feed and cut the binds into a trench silo.

Watermelon Meeting Called Feb. 12 At Cottonwood

All farmers who wish to join in the newly formed Cottonwood-Cross Plains watermelon growers association are invited by President Varner to meet in Cottonwood Friday night, Feb. 12, to perfect the organization and to find out how many bushels of seed and what variety of melons will be grown. Many of the Atwell members have pledged from two to five acres and members around Cottonwood are expecting to swell the acreage to, at least, one hundred this year. By this means truckers will be glad to visit the area for that large an acreage will insure a prompt loading any time they come down.

Marvin Rutland Oplin 4-H Club President

The first Oplin 4-H Club to be organized Tuesday, January 26, and elected Marvin Rutland president, Charley Tom Straley vice-pres., Troy Mask secretary, and Avlon Barton, reporter. The Club elected Chas. D. Straley as club leader and Professor Bill Taylor as local sponsor. At the end of the

month the club enrollment was 30 members. Almost every member was in attendance at Baird Jan. 25 at the Farmer-4-H special meet. Superintendent Barrington said that boys who complete their records and receive approval on their work from the county agent will be granted one-fourth credit toward graduation from high school. Secretary Troy Mask says, "We are out to make all demonstrations profitable and this club a winner."

Cottonwood Agricultural Association Forms Melon Pool

At the regular monthly meeting of the Cottonwood Agricultural Association held Monday night, Feb. 1st., and presided over by President H. S. Varner a movement was launched and subscribed to by some 20 growers present to grow watermelons this year. It was pointed out by Steve Foster that even as dry as the summer was the past year he netted \$40 per acre from his watermelons. Steve says he plants his melons in checks of 20 feet each. Forty acres or more were pooled at the meeting and many farmers that will enter the pool were hindered from being in attendance because of the unusually cold weather that night. Thirty-five or more men and women were present and heard Mr. Varner explain the watermelon movement and also reports that the West Texas Utilities Company were planning a survey to see if as many as four per mile could be obtained for a power line to reach into Cottonwood.

The Strahan brothers have demonstrated that watermelons grow successfully at Cottonwood and no reason is seen why the Cottonwood-Cross Plains sandy sections could not rival the sister neighborhood of De Leon in the production of this crop that comes at a time when farmers are in dire need of a cash crop.

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On Nov. 6, 1936, the death angel visited the Griggs hospital, Baird, and took from us our dear Donald. His death has brought a sorrow that only time and God can console.

Just at 1 o'clock Friday morning Nov. 6 his spirit took its flight to a land that is fairer than day. He was 20 years, 6 months and 8 days old.

On Friday afternoon at 3:35 o'clock the remains were carried to Admiral and there in the family plot, beneath a bank of beautiful flowers, he was laid to rest.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Royce Gilliland of Baird. Special songs were "Rock of Ages" and "Does Jesus Care?"

Donald, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Dunlap was born at Belle Plaines, spending his entire life in that community and since a very small boy had attended Sunday School and church regularly at place.

Only those who were with him can know how he suffered during his two weeks' illness, but he was so patient and bore up bravely through it all. Knowing that all was being done for him, that loving hands and tender hearts would do.

And as he so quietly and peacefully fell asleep in Jesus, we know his suffering was not in vain.

May God help us to be brave as that dear one.

It is very hard for us to give up our loved ones, yet they are not ours but God's. He only gave them to us to love and we should remember he only calls his own.

We should also remember that God is good, no matter how we are made to suffer. In it all his will in acting for our good whether we understand it or not and some day, sometime, we'll understand it all and see then fully that "all things work together for good to them who love the Lord."

Donald was of such a sweet and lovable character, always so thoughtful of others, always so cheerful and making those around him happy.

Oh, how we shall always miss his bright eyes and sweet smiling face. His ringing laughter shall never be forgotten by those who loved him.

When just a child he sent rays of sunshine across the pathway of those he knew.

His life was filled with gladness and joy. No child could be more obedient to the wishes of parents, nor considerate of the happiness of loved ones and friends than he.

Our hearts are sad, our home is lonely without him, but his mission on earth has been filled. The Angels in Heaven rejoice that he is with them.

We are so thankful for the few precious short years of his life among us and we are better far having known him. If that should have been denied us, we would never have known these precious sweet memories.

He is another link in that chain of loved ones which draws us nearer to Heaven. God help us to live to meet him, together with our other loved ones in that beautiful mansion above.

Now we all some time gather home and try so hard to be brave. But oh, Dear Donald, how we miss you while you are sleeping in your grave.

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Personal

Mrs. Frank Wilson and son of Big Spring spent the past week with their aunt, Mrs. Marie Lones.

Mrs. Cecil West and children of Big Spring are visiting Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowlus.

R. P. Stephenson of Eula was in Baird yesterday. Mr. Stephenson was a guest of the Callahan County Club at luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Abel have moved to a farm near Breckenridge. The Star will go to them each week to keep them in touch with happenings in the old home county.

J. M. Sparks of Cottonwood was a pleasant visitor at The Star office Saturday. Mr. Sparks is a younger member of the Sparks family who lived in Brown and later in Callahan county in an early day.

Mrs. Alex Ogilvy of Anson who underwent major surgery at the Sealey hospital, Santa Anna, Saturday, is reported doing as well as could be expected. Mr. Ogilvy and Mrs. W. G. Bowlus, mother of Mrs. Ogilvy, are at her bedside.

COUNTY H. D. NEWS
Vida Moore, H. D. Agent

A Reliable Tomato
The Porter tomato is an excellent example of the fact that it pays to select varieties to suit the locality," says Mrs. H. G. Whitehorn, Home Food Supply Co. operator for the Cross Plains Home Demonstration club.

"Last year during the drought I had the Porter tomato growing along side other varieties and it made tomatoes while the others burned up. I even had chow-chow tomatoes in the fall," added Mrs. Whitehorn.

Keeping Accounts is Good Business
"I wish that every woman in the county would keep house hold accounts for just one year. I kept a detailed record of all our expenses last year and it certainly pays," Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough told the Union H. D. Club recently. Mrs. Yarbrough was Home Food Supply demonstrator in 1935 and Wardrobe Cooperator in 1936.

A detailed account of all clothing, food, household operating expenses, insurance and incidentals was kept of the Yarbrough family. In the course of the report, Mrs. Yarbrough asked the club what they would guess was the greatest item of expense. Answer that included everything from clothes to gasoline were given. "Incidentals got the most of our money," was the surprising reply. "That is why it pays to know where your money goes, sometimes it is not where you think it does," added Mrs. Yarbrough.

Select The Right Variety
"The variety of vegetables planted may mean the success or failure of a garden," Mrs. Jeff Clark, told the Cross Plains H. D. Club recently. Mrs. Clark was Home Food Supply demonstrator in 1936.

"When buying seed for the garden one should take the Extension bulletin 'Gardening' with them so as not to make a mistake with any variety. The type of soil, section of the country, climatic conditions and planting seasons have all been recommended and this bulletin is a dependable guide," Mrs. Clark concluded.

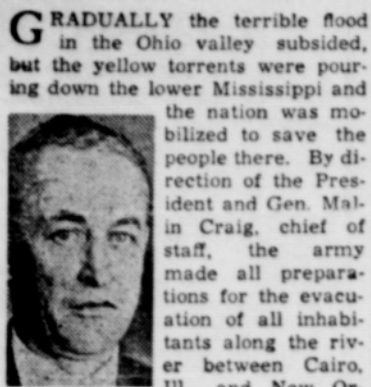
Remember The Orchard

Every family in this club should grow all the fruit and berries that their family requires and then have some for sale, and it can be done," Mrs. H. D. Lovelady Home Food Supply Cooperator for the Atwell H. D. Club, told the club at a recent meeting.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Disastrous Flood Moves Down the Mississippi—Mass Evacuation Prepared—Secretary Perkins Moves to Compel General Motors Strike Parley.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
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General Malin Craig

GRADUALLY the terrible flood in the Ohio valley subsided, but the yellow torrents were pouring down the lower Mississippi and the nation was mobilized to save the people there. By direction of the President and Gen. Malin Craig, chief of staff, the army made all preparations for the evacuation of all inhabitants along the river between Cairo, Ill., and New Orleans. The details for this mass movement were worked out to the last point by commanding officers in the region and thousands of motor trucks and railroad flat cars were collected. Headquarters for the evacuation were set up at Jackson, Miss.

Lieut. Col. Eugene Reybold, district engineer at Memphis, ordered the prompt delivery of 5,000,000 bulwark sacks for the erection of sand-bag bulwarks, 15 cars of lumber, 210 outdoor motorboats, 300 small boats, 300 life jackets, and 1,500 lanterns.

The secretary of war authorized the use of not only regular army troops but also members of the Civilian Conservation corps, the National Guard, and the Red Cross.

General Craig said that if the billion dollar levee system, erected after the great 1927 flood, failed to hold, about the same area affected then would be inundated. Many thousands of people already had been removed from homes along the Mississippi, but cities like Memphis and Vicksburg, being on high ground, were believed to be safe.

At New Orleans river experts refused to admit danger of a super-flood along the lower reaches of the river. But Secretary of War Woodring in Washington had reports from engineers which said the levee system on the lower Mississippi probably would not be able to withstand the present flood when it reaches its crest.

At this writing the effects of the flood may be thus summarized: Homeless, nearly a million. Dead, probably more than 500, including 200 in Louisville. Damage, conservatively estimated at more than \$400,000,000.

leader of the senate, she asked the prompt passage of a bill empowering her department to subpoena persons and papers in connection with investigations of strikes. To the press Miss Perkins said that once she had this power she would summon Sloan to a meeting with Lewis in Washington; but she was not sure she could compel him to negotiate a strike settlement.

Sloan had posted in all General Motors plants a denial that the corporation was responsible for the breakdown of negotiations and was "shirking our moral responsibilities." He reiterated his refusal to treat with the union so long as the sit-down strikers held the plants, and continued with a promise to employees:

"We shall demand that your rights and our rights be protected" against "a small minority who have seized certain plants and are holding them as ransom to enforce their demands."

"I say to you once more, have no fear. Do not be misled. General Motors will never let you down. You will not have to pay tribute for the privilege of working in a General Motors plant."

Sloan contends that more than 100,000 G. M. employees have expressed a desire to return to work. Lewis scoffs at this claim but will not countenance the holding of an election to determine whether his unions command the majority necessary to constitute them the sole collective bargaining agency. The federal labor relations board could order such an election but it has not intervened, and probably will not.

Governor Murphy of Michigan had not modified his refusal to permit the National Guardsmen stationed in Flint to be utilized in carrying out a judicial order that the plants be vacated by the sit-down strikers.

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Movie • Radio

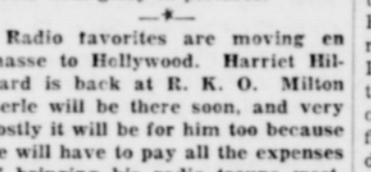
By VIRGINIA VALE

INFLUENCED to a great extent by thousands of letters from fans, Norma Shearer has definitely decided to make more pictures. From New York, where she went to visit Helen Hayes, she telephoned the studio that she would come back soon ready to begin preparatory work on "Marie Antoinette." She chose this story in preference to any other because she had discussed every detail of its production with her husband before his death. Actual date of production depends on Charles Laughlin, because she is determined to have him in the cast and he is under contract to make several pictures in England. It is good to know that we will be seeing Norma on the screen again.

The most encouraging and sympathetic audience any girl ever had while making a film was Alice Marble's when she tried out recently. Carole Lombard was right there on the sidelines making suggestions and cheering. Some people might think that Alice Marble won enough glory in tennis tournaments for one young girl, but Carole thinks it would be nicer for her to get in the big earnings that come with glory in pictures.

Radio favorites are moving en masse to Hollywood. Harriet Hilliard is back at R. K. O. Milton Berle will be there soon, and very costly it will be for him too because he will have to pay all the expenses of bringing his radio troupe west. And soon Fred Allen will move his broadcasting activities to Hollywood, so that he can make another picture for Twentieth Century-Fox. He will be in "Sally, Irene and Mary," a new version of an old picture which launched Constance Bennett and Joan Crawford on their screen careers.

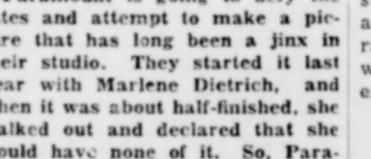
Those august personages at National Broadcasting company's artists' service have put a new artist under contract and they are fairly swamped with mail asking about her. She is Minnie, the singing mouse, who appeared on the National Barn Dance program, and who will probably be star of a program of her own soon. Minnie was trained by W. W. Lichty, a veterinarian of Woodstock, Ill., who noticed that when he was playing the piano, one of the mice he raises for experimental purposes tried to follow the tune.



Carole Lombard

Paramount is going to defy the fates and attempt to make a picture that has long been a jinx in their studio. They started it last year with Marlene Dietrich, and when it was about half-finished, she walked out and declared that she would have none of it. So, Paramount engaged Margaret Sullivan to replace her, and then little Sullivan tripped over a cable and fractured her arm. Paramount still likes the story, once called "Hotel Imperial" and then "I Loved a Soldier" and also they like very much a young Viennese actress named Franciska Gaal, so they are going to attempt to make it with her.

George Cukor, who will direct "Gone With the Wind," is determined to cast some girl who is not very well known in pictures in the lead. One faction at the studio wants Tallulah Bankhead, whose tests have shown her to be a brilliant actress, but too old for the early part of the story. Others want Margaret Sullivan. But by far the most promising candidate is a very young and vivid actress on the New York stage named Louise Platt.



Margaret Sullivan

ODDS AND ENDS—The MGM studio is busily pairing off their stars, but just professionally, trying to achieve a combination as sure as the box-office as Gary Cooper and Jean Arthur have proved to be. They are going to try Jean Harlow with Robert Taylor, Joan Crawford with William Powell... Both Warner Brothers and Paramount are trying to get Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence to do their nine short plays, that are Broadway's biggest hits, as screen shorts. But a radio sponsor is toping their every bid... Portia Pia Hoop always maneuvers an invitation to spend Sunday away from home, because that is the day her husband Fred Allen, writes his radio script and he doesn't like to be disturbed

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Keep Up Fight on Power Trust

President Against Compromising With Private Interests; Navy Wants Blimps

By EARL GODWIN

WASHINGTON.—Those who know what's going on in Washington immediately recognized in one sentence in the President's inaugural address a signal to stop compromising with the private power interests and to go straight to a policy of complete utilization of available water power for public use. That sentence was the one in which the President described the nation, faced with a decision, hearing three voices—one of them the voice of comfort, which advised tarrying awhile.

Just prior to the inaugural ceremonies Dr. Arthur Morgan of the Tennessee Valley authority, one of the great anti-power trust idealists, apparently listened to the voice of comfort—because he counseled the government to stop fighting the private power interests and begin to compromise with them in the matter of distribution of power. The Tennessee Valley's great use of the Tennessee river as a power producer under government control has been the so-called power trust's greatest nightmare. There is no doubt it has tamed some of the most ferocious of the private power magnates. It has made for lower rates in many sections, and has built up a standard of government control of a natural resource which is about to be copied in other sections of the country where there is vast water power to be utilized for electricity, flood control, irrigation, drought prevention and relief, etc.

Dr. Morgan's plea for a cessation of hostilities against the private power interests did not find favor with David A. Lilienthal, director of TVA's electrical program, and the affair caused the thing that Roosevelt hates—a split in the ranks. It came just before the President took office for the second time; and was the immediate cause of the appointment of a board of five thorough-going New Dealers to determine a national power policy that will stick and be utilized wherever the government takes over a water power area—such as Bonneville dam on the Columbia river. As it is to be a New Deal policy it is going to be an extremely liberal one—with a plan for the widest possible use of power resources for continued public use at the lowest possible rates.

These power commissioners include the three toughest musketeers that any power magnate ever had to face—Secretary Ickes of the Department of the Interior; Morris L. Cooke, rural electrification administrator; and Frank McNinch, chairman of the federal power commission. There are two others—not so widely known—but in this trio the President has chosen the three completely unrelenting proponents of the public's rights in the domain of natural resources and power. They are depended on to produce a formula which the government will follow in the matter of using streams for public power. Not by any means to determine a set of rates, but to establish a policy which will give the public the widest possible use of power resources.

LIGHTER-THAN-AIR CRAFT. There is a silvery, cigar-shaped airship which sails 'round and 'round and 'round the city of Washington to show congressmen and naval officers that a rigid, dirigible lighter-than-air ship is a safe and practicable craft. It has been sailing around Washington with ceaseless persistence ever since the disastrous crack-up of the "Akron".

I well remember the determination in President Roosevelt's voice as he told the newspaper correspondents the day of the last dirigible disaster: "This government is through spending millions of dollars on these lighter-than-air craft." They cost us about eight million dollars apiece, and it is a sad but nevertheless true commentary on the navy that those gallant gentlemen in blue have never really learned the art of skipping through the clouds the way the Germans have—notably Hugo Eckener, the bluff commander of the latest German sky-ship, the Von Hindenburg.

Of course there is this to be said for the Germans: they have built and had experience with 120 huge dirigible balloons, while we have had only three. The Germans seem to prove that they have the infinite capacity for the unceasing painstaking care necessary to run these ships safely and avoid the disastrous storms, and to have every pin point on the ship in perfect working order.

Captain Eckener came to Washington on his first flight on the Von Hindenburg and had a talk with the President. He did not divulge what was discussed, but I have since learned that he wanted the President to permit him to carry mail between this country and Germany. The President is reported to have told him to wait until he had run the Von Hindenburg for a year or so, and had established himself on a sure-fire schedule with-

out disasters, and then come in again. Meanwhile the silvery blimp spoke of continues on its way 'round and 'round Washington, taking congressmen and others for skyrides to indoctrinate official Washington with the knowledge of how safe and easy a dirigible balloon may be when managed properly. There is a restive feeling among business men who could build one of these ships. Washington is conscious of pressure being applied to resume interest in these big lighter-than-air craft. The navy will not admit it is lickered by any means, and Rear Admiral Arthur B. Cook, chief of the bureau of aeronautics of the navy, asks the President to let him buy or build two big airships, one about a quarter as large as the Von Hindenburg, which is approximately 900 feet long and holds 7,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

The matter is of extreme importance to the Post Office department, which is straining at the leash in an effort to hurry up a regular established transatlantic airmail service. The Hindenburg now crosses the ocean in thirty-six hours or less, and is promising to beat that time by several hours. It will beat the fastest steamer by days, and if the element of chance disaster is largely removed by skill in handling as well as in building, this generation of Americans is soon going to see a letter mailed in New York on Saturday night delivered in London on Monday morning.

Here's what happened: Senator Harry Byrd of Virginia, a Democrat who has been off the New Deal reservation ever since the New Deal started, promised in the senate before the political campaign got so hot, to make a thorough investigation of government expenses. The senate appointed a committee with Byrd at its head, and authorized the expenditure of money to make an investigation and report on wastefulness and overlapping bureaus. So also the house of representatives. Head watchdog of the Treasury in the house is the chairman of the appropriations committee—James Buchanan, a congressman of long service from Texas. Long service on the money spending committee has made a thorough-going "no" man out of him. Instead of becoming lush and generous with millions at his command, Buchanan grows tighter and tighter as the passing years see larger and larger governmental demands. The house gave its economy hero authorization to form a committee and bring in its own report on how to save money.

There was a great hullabaloo over these determinations; so much congressional noise that few people attended to the bare statement from the White House that the President had appointed a committee to bring in a plan of economy in management. But the President's committee, of which I have previously written, went straight to work.

Senator Byrd's committee of senators took the senate money and went out and hired the Brookings institute, a well known organization established for economic research, to make a study and report. The house committee just forgot the whole business, and the only thing it produced at all was a sort of skim-milk rewrite of some sort of the stuff the senate had already found out.

The President's committee of practical gentlemen caught everybody off first base by coming in with a complete report which was given national publicity.

A HUMAN DRAMA When the last act is written in the story which tells the fate of the government's vast control over navigable streams and flood control projects, the human drama will have been supplied by the contrasting figures of Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war in the Wilson cabinet, and Huston Thompson, former assistant attorney general in the Wilson administration, also a member of the first federal trade commission of the Wilson era. Once those two men stood side by side defending the government's policy of control over navigable streams—so that private power interests could not astray portions of a navigable river for the sake of a power dam.

Today, with the government's right over those streams at stake in a water power case in federal court at Roanoke, Virginia, we find Newton Baker representing the Appalachian Power Co., attacking the constitutionality of the federal water power act. Opposing him is Huston Thompson, counsel for the government—facing the man who crusaded more than any other man of his day in the fight for governmental control of streams.

The case has been argued and will reach the Supreme court in about a year.

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"The Light of the World Is Jesus!" Who does not remember with what delight we as children sang "Come to the light, 'tis shining for thee... The Light of the world is Jesus." How precious was the truth that thus flooded our souls. Jesus was the light, and just as the sunlight shed its glory on an awakening world at dawn, so he shed abroad the light of God in the hearts of men. The writer of these lessons pens these words with the prayer that as this portion of God's Holy Word is studied and taught, the light may break forth on many a soul caught in the bewilderment of this dark world.

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Free! Four letters, but what depth of meaning! Chains have fallen off, prison doors are open. The one who was bound is free.

But here we are concerned with an even more important liberty, the freedom of the soul. Many there are who boast of their independence but who are naught but slaves. Jesus said, "Whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin" (John 8:34), not its master.

How shall they be freed? Note three things in these verses. (1) A condition, "If ye continue in my word." This means not only a profession of faith but a daily appropriation and realization of his truth in life. (2) A promise, "Ye shall know the truth." The philosophies of men profess to be a seeking after truth but how few there are who look to the one place where it can be found—in Jesus Christ. (3) A result, "The truth shall make you free." Truth always sets free. Men are enslaved because, as in some foreign lands, they have not had the opportunity to learn the truth (we have failed to send it) or because they have rejected it.

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This is one of the most instructive passages in Scripture. A man born blind is seen by Jesus. His disciples note his intent and begin to theorize on a theological question. They had learned so little of the compassionate spirit of Jesus that they saw in this blighted life only an illustration of a theological theory. May God help us that we may never be so blind.

Jesus goes at once to work. He was in the world to do the works of God. He and the Father always work. Let us follow his blessed example. "The King's business requires haste." Let us work "while it is day, the night cometh when no man can work."

By a loving and gracious act, Jesus stirs in the heart of the man that faith which causes him to go, to wash, and, glory to God, he sees!

Such a personal experience of the divine power of the Son of God leaves no doubt in the man's mind that the one who caused him to see "is a prophet." All of a man's doubts concerning the deity of Jesus Christ disappear when he becomes his Saviour.

Read the remainder of the chapter and note how this man's faith is victorious in the face of trials, persecution, and even of excommunication; for outside the temple he met Jesus and takes him as his Lord. As Dr. Scroggie puts it, "His excommunication was a promotion. He went from the synagogue to the Saviour."

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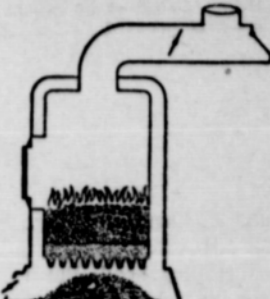
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Home Heating Hints

By John Barclay Heating Expert

Keep Furnace Ashpit Clean—Get Better Heat, Prevent Costly Repairs

SOMETIMES we are prone to grow careless and get the idea that all a furnace ashpit is for is to receive ashes as they come from the grates. As a matter of fact, however, receiving the ashes is but one of three important things an ashpit does. Besides holding ashes, it performs the very



necessary function of receiving air from the cellar and helping distribute it uniformly throughout the fuel bed.

Those things being true, it is dangerous to neglect keeping the ashpit clean. Accumulated ashes will cut off incoming air circulation and hamper the complete combustion of fuel, creating troublesome clinkers. An ashpit that is choked up with ashes is quite liable to overheat the grates, resulting in their warping or breaking. This, of course, means an expense in replacing the damaged grates.

So, I say again, don't take chances. Keep the ashpit cleaned out. Take a few minutes every day to remove the dead ashes.

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The Evil of Suspicion He that lives in perpetual suspicion lives the life of a sentinel—of a sentinel never relieved, whose business is to look out for and expect an enemy, which is an evil not very far short of perishing by him.—Young.

DON'T RUB YOUR EYES

Rubbing your eyes grinds invisible particles of dust and dirt into the delicate tissues, making the irritation just that much worse. A much better way, as thousands have discovered, is to use a little Murine in each eye—night and morning. Murine can be depended on to relieve eye irritation because it is a reliable eye preparation containing 7 active ingredients of known value in caring for the eye. In use for 40 years. Ask for Murine at your drug store.

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Black-Draught costs less than most other laxatives.

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A GOOD LAXATIVE

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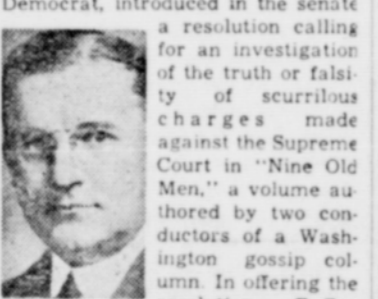
Don't be a three-quarter wife! Take LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND and Go "Smiling Through."

Cincinnati, Louisville, Portsmouth, Frankfort and Evansville were the worst sufferers; but every city, town and village along the Ohio and its tributaries shared in the disaster. Fires broke out in the Mill Creek district of Cincinnati and destroyed property valued at \$1,500,000 before the flames could be controlled. Throughout the entire region transportation was crippled, pure water and fuel supplies were shut off or greatly reduced, and outbreaks of typhoid and pneumonia were threatened. In Louisville the light and power plant was forced to shut down.

In Frankfort, Ky., the state reformatory was flooded and the prisoners were removed to other quarters with the aid of troops. The convicts took advantage of the emergency to start a riot and about a dozen were killed. All of southern Indiana was placed under martial law by Governor Townsend.

Forty thousand employees of General Motors returned to part time work in reopened plants in Michigan and Indiana, and were un-molested by the strikers. But the deadlock was not broken, and the sit-down strikers continued to occupy the plants they had "kidnaped." President Alfred P. Sloan Jr., of General Motors had refused the invitation of Secretary of Labor Perkins to meet John L. Lewis, chief of the striking unions, while the strikers were still in forcible possession of plants, and President Roosevelt ominously termed this refusal "a very unfortunate decision on his part," intimating, also, that there was a prospect of labor legislation unfavorable to the corporation and to employers generally.

Sloan persisting in his attitude, Secretary Perkins started a move for legislation that would compel him to meet Lewis. In identical letters to Speaker Bankhead and Senator Joe Robinson, majority



Sen. Guffey

MAYBE it was just a promotion stunt for the book, but Senator Joseph F. Guffey of Pennsylvania, Democrat, introduced in the senate a resolution calling for an investigation of the truth or falsity of scurrilous charges made against the Supreme Court in "Nine Old Men," a volume authored by two conductors of a Washington gossip column. In offering the resolution Guffey made a bitter attack on the Supreme Court, saying: "The President of the United States, with his characteristic frankness and courage, has opened for debate the most troublesome problem which we must solve if we are to continue a democracy."

"That problem is—whether the Supreme Court will permit congress, the legislative branch of our government, which was equally trusted with the Supreme Court by the framers of the Constitution, to perform its duties in making democracy workable and effective."

The senate heard Guffey's speech in silence and referred his resolution to the judiciary committee.

ARTIFICIAL scarcity of farm products is abandoned as a policy for the time being by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace. He said in Washington that the two drought years of 1934 and 1936 have brought more thought on farm production consumers and farmers than ever before. While a year or two of normal weather would tumble wheat prices, if full acreage is planted, the time has come for a lifting of the restrictions, he said.

"In the year immediately ahead, I feel that farmers should think primarily of their duty to consumers," Wallace said. "I think that in the coming year it is wise for us to produce as much as we can. We should, of course, divert a certain amount of corn and cotton acreage to soil conserving crops, because that will make for greater long time productivity of our farm land."

"But for the most part, let's fill up the storage bins this year. It is good policy to vary the plans for storage of crops in the soil according to the state of supplies in the granary above the ground."



A. P. Sloan



THE GARDEN MURDER CASE By S.S. VAN DINE

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Synopsis: Philo Vance, famous detective, and John F. X. Markham, district attorney for New York county, are dining in Vance's apartment when Vance receives an anonymous telephone message...

"I'm dashed grateful for the corroboration," Vance murmured. "Are you sure you pressed the button?" Garden asked Vance. "It's damned funny. That system hasn't failed in six years. Wait a minute..."

CHAPTER IV—Continued

"That's the general impression," he returned blandly. "You're not psychic—are you? I didn't mention how Swift died, but the fact is, he did die by a revolver shot..."



"I Say, Stop This Nonsense," He Admonished Her Sternly.

A sudden change seemed to have come over her. Her eyes dimmed, and tears sprang into them. "But you don't understand," she protested, in a broken voice. "I'm to blame for this tragedy—it wasn't the race. If it hadn't been for me Woody would be alive now..."

"Frightfully sorry, Vance," apologized Garden. "The mater is a dowager. Not accustomed to taking orders. And she resents it. She'd probably have spent the day in bed, if Doc Siefert hadn't firmly told her not to get up..."

The Rogues' Gallery GEORGE ADE With a New Modern Fable



He had come up to the Seat of Learning with a paper Suit Case. The other Lad in this plain Narrative was a Blue Blood.

By GEORGE ADE

IT HAPPENED that in the tall-grass Brain Hatchery known as Atwater College the class of 1900, commonly called Naughty-Naught, contained two Striplings who were quite dissimilar.

that he has garnered a nifty Total of Two Hundred Thousand Bucks. Furthermore, he is all girded up to muscle in on new and gigantic Enterprises promising dandy Returns to Organizers who are bold and confident and ruthless.

Household Questions

Pastry made with too much water is tough and hard. Use only enough water to hold the ingredients together, mix quickly, roll and handle as little as possible.

If You Have a Child ASK YOUR DOCTOR THIS



Ask Him Before Giving Your Child an Unknown Remedy. Practically any doctor you ask will warn: 'Don't give your child unknown remedies without asking your doctor first.'

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Men's Wool Coats Grey Wool Zipper Coats for Men. With Belted Back. \$3.50 values for \$1.98	Ladies' Wool Skirts Good style Ladies' Skirts Colors brown, black and navy. \$3.00 values for \$1.49	WASH DRESSES One Rack Ladies' Wash Dresses. Values to \$1.95 priced at \$1.00	LADIES' HATS A few Ladies' Winter Felts left. \$1.95 to \$3.95 Values reduced to 49c	LADIES' COATS All Ladies Coats grouped in 3 prices \$3.95 \$4.95 \$7.95	COTTON BATTS Long Staple Pure White Cotton Batts, regular Comfort size. Per roll 49c
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 room well located residence in Cisco. Clear for farm or land. See Earl Johnson at Earl Johnson Motor Co., Baird, Texas.

FOR SALE—12 Registered Hereford yearling Bulls, Anxiety 4th breeding. Have been creep fed and are in splendid condition but not still fattened. Reasonably priced. Prefer to sell in one group. Owen Ranch, St. Rt. 2, Baird, Texas.

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WANTED—Truck driving job or any kind of work. Dependable and efficient. See Buck Sprouse Cottonwood, Texas.

STOCKMEN SAVE! One-half of your screw-worm control bill by using Red Steer Screw Worm Killer and Fly Smear. City Pharmacy.

DON'T SCRATCH! Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve any form of itch or eczema, ringworm or other itching skin irritation or your money will be refunded. Large jar 50c at City Pharmacy.

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4% interest through Federal Land Bank and supplemented Land Bank—foreclosed farms and other real estate for sale; small down payment and easy terms on balance, with cheap rate of interest. See or write M. H. PERKINS Sec.-Treas., Citizens N.F.L.A., Clyde, Texas.

SORE THROAT TONSILITIS Instantly relieved with Anesthesia Mop, the wonderful new sore throat remedy. A real mop that relieves pain and kills infection. Positive relief guaranteed or money refunded by City Pharmacy.

WANTED! All Poultrymen in Baird Trade Territory to use M & L Mineral for worming your Chickens and Turkeys. A Flock treatment and a sure shot for worms, fully guaranteed. Sold only at Holmes Drug Co., Baird, Texas.

FOR SALE—Five brick business buildings at Putnam, Texas. All occupied and in first class condition. Location best. Address Box 36, Putnam, Texas.

WANTED—Place as housekeeper or companion for elderly people. Will go anywhere. Mrs. Mollie Connell, Rt. 2, Clyde.

When in need of the very best help for general house work, paper hanging or anything, call 37 for Mrs. Benson or Mrs. Ivey.

BABY CHICKS And HATCHING We have the finest grade of English White Leghorn, and Brown Leghorns at \$6.50 per hundred. Reds, Barred and White Rocks, S. Wyandottes, Buff Minorcas, \$7.25. Buff Orpingtons \$7.50. White Minorcas \$8.00. Bring your Hatching on Saturdays and Mondays. Clyde Hatchery, Clyde, Texas.

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Eula Locals

J. Well, how is everybody? We are all having a rain today and I am sure it is a welcome visitor. A good rain will be fine on who sowed oats and to those who want to sow soon. We can always use a wet winter, both farmers and ranchmen. We hope we won't have such a hot and dry summer. I saw many water wagons last summer.

Looking over last week's Star I saw so many names that have moved away. Some of them were Elden Boydston, Victor B. Gilbert, W. R. Ely and many others. These boys are my very best friends. Boys, when you read The Star think of an old friend you have at Eula. I hope some time to make my good friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Evans of Clovis, N. M., a visit.

Evan Barton was in Eula Thursday evening looking over our new school house. We are proud of our new school house and invite everybody to come out and see what we have. We think Eula is one among the best farming districts in the county.

Admiral News

Rev. Ross Respess of Cottonwood, Rev. Tierce of Clyde and a preacher from Abilene held a series of meetings here last week on "God's Plan" as titling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanson of Abilene returned to their home Friday after spending 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Higgins and children of Denton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Higgins Sun. Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Chatham of Baird spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins.

daughters of Baird, Mrs. Virgie Dunlap of Baird spent Sunday in the home of Grannie Saunders who is ill. We hope for "Grannie" a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith were Abilene visitors one day last week. Vernon Walker and Willie Higgins were visiting in the Admiral Community Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whittle, Miss Esther Varner, Earnestine Higgins and Jo Ruth Arvin of Baird spent Saturday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Higgins and two children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mance Abel of Breckenridge. The H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Herbert Summers Wednesday, Jan. 27. Miss Moore was present with 13 members and one visitor. Miss Moore gave a delightful talk on the year books, after which refreshments of cocoa cheese sandwiches and wafers was passed. Our next meeting will be Feb. 10th in the home of Mrs. Rob Walker.

Turkey Creek News

"Rainbow"

We have been having some snow and some rain, although we had a grand time at our little church last Sunday. We had two good sermons, some good singing and a big dinner.

We have Sunday school every Sunday and preaching every second and fourth Sundays. Our singing class is progressing nicely which is every second Sunday.

We had a nice little shower Sunday and think it will help small grain. It is pretty cold at this writing. If this don't land in the waste basket, we will come again sometime.

FOR SALE—Leaf mole for flower beds. Sold in any quantity See or phone E. S. Benson. Phone 37, Baird.

Tecumseh News

Hello everybody. How do you like this rain? I think we were needing a rain and we hope every one is pleased with it. If we get the rain we are almost sure of good crops and that's what we are all looking forward to.

We have some new neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Head moved on the Burleson place last week. We welcome these people and hope they like our community.

We still have some "Flu" in our midst. Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Keele and Dale Crawford, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford, all were better at last report and we hope they will soon be well again.

Mrs. Annie Stevenson visited Mrs. Alice Tunnell last Sunday. Mrs. B. B. Smith from Winters came down yesterday and took her dad and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tunnell, home with her for a few days' visit.

Mr. Emmet Price from Putnam is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Smith.

Mrs. Iren Swan from Lamesa, Texas visited Mrs. Elbert Crawford last week.

The young people enjoyed a music party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Allen last week. Mrs. Lewis and son Harold took Mr. E. A. Hodges to the Doctor at Clyde Saturday. Some days Mr. Hodges seems better than others he isn't so well. We hope this Doctor can give him relief.

Mr. Dolph Hodges and daughter Yvonne were visitors in Abilene Saturday.

FOR RENT—Garage, good condition. See Mrs. Price McFarlane, 4 blocks west of main st.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Callahan. Whereas, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the 104th. District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on the 1st. day of January, A. D. 1937, wherein W. L. Lilly is Plaintiff, and E. P. Campbell and George Pennington, jointly and severally are Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of Two Hundred Eighty and no/100 (\$280.00) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1937, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of E. P. Campbell and George Pennington, jointly and severally in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: The east 40 acres of the following described 81.98 tract or parcel of land out of the northern portion of survey Number 104, B.B.B. & C.R.R. Co. lands, said tract of land described by field notes as follows: BEGINNING at a stone corner in the north boundary line of said section 194 B.B.B. & C.R.R. Co. lands, 745.7 feet west of the middle point of the north line of said section; Thence east with the N. B. line of said section 745.6 feet stk. for corner on the N. B. line of said section; Thence S. 5 deg. 45' west 1064 ft. to stk. for corner; Thence N. 84 deg. 15' W. 583 ft. stk. for corner; Thence S. 5 deg. 45' W. 229 ft.; Thence N. 84 deg. 15' W. 458 ft.; Thence S. 5 deg. 45' W. 213 ft.; Thence N. 84 deg. 15' W. 918 ft. to stk. on center line of said section running north

and south in all 1330 ft. to stk. in E. B. line of T. & P. Ry. Co. Right of Way; Thence N. 7 deg. W. 429 ft.; Thence N. 8 deg. W. 315 ft.; Thence N. 30 deg. W. 455 ft.; Thence N. 224 ft. to the place of beginning containing 40 acres, more or less, which said lease also includes; Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in Block No. 9.

Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in Block 10, and Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in Block 11, all in Newlon's Addition to the town of Baird in Callahan County, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$280.00 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

R. L. Edwards, Sheriff, Callahan County, Texas. By C. R. Nordyke, Deputy 8-3t

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN, TO THE CREDITORS OF W. B. BARRETT: You are hereby notified that W. B. Barrett, of the City of Baird, County of Callahan, and State of Texas, on the 2nd day of February, 1937, executed a deed of assignment conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of his creditors and that the undersigned has accepted the said trust and has duly qualified as required by law. All creditors consenting to said assignment must within four months after this notice, make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and within six months from the time of the first publication of this notice, file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Baird, Texas, in Callahan County, which is also his post office address.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of February, 1937. 8-3t B. F. Russell, Assignee

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