

The Baird Star.

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

VOLUME NO. 29.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1916.

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HENDRICK-CARTER MEETING

The meeting will begin tonight, Friday, June, 30th in place of Sunday, July 2nd as announced in cards and on another page of this issue. In other words the meeting starts two days ahead of schedule time at tabernacle, west of Court House, where the Neal meeting was held last year.

The co-operation of all Christian in town is solicited and the public generally invited to attend the services.

Rev. Hendrick and A. E. Carter are both well and favorably known in Baird where they held a meeting about four years ago. Rev. Hendrick is one of the most popular evangelists in Texas. We never after the meeting heard anyone speak of Rev. Hendrick, except in terms of praise.

The singing will be in charge of Mr. Carter, and that means good singing, as all know who heard him at the former meeting.

Committees Revival Meeting:
Methodist Church.

General Chairman, W. E. Gilliland
Tabernacle, W. R. Ely, Chm., J. H. Grimes, R. Phillips, M. G. Farmer, E. Boland.

Finance and Entertainment, J. W. Turner, Chm., H. W. Ross, J. F. Boren.

Personal Work, T. E. Powell, Chm
Ira Clements, Mrs. H. W. Ross, Mrs. B. L. Boydston, Mrs. J. C. Barringer.

Ushers, George Carter, Chm., Ira Clements, M. H. Hancock, James Ross, W. S. Hinds.

Music, C. L. Baum, Chm., J. W. Turner, Miss Willie Floyd, Mrs. E. M. Wristen.

Presbyterian Church.
General Chairman, F. E. Alvord.
Tabernacle, Joe Alexander, Chm.
Virgil Jones, Lee Estes, J. S. Hart,
Harry Ebert.

Personal Workers, J. L. Lea, Chm

E. B. Mullican.
Ladies Division, Mrs. G. M. Hall, Chm., Mrs. E. C. Fulton, Mrs. M. Franklin, Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Mrs. John Estes.

Finance and Entertainment, L. M. Hadley, Chm., E. C. Fulton, J. J. Price, Roy Jackson, C. E. Walker
Ushers, S. E. Settle, Chm., J. J. Peebles, Albro Wilson, Fred Alvord, Perry Gilliland, Irvin Faust.
Music, H. D. Hart, Chm., Miss Lora Franklin, Mrs. H. D. Driskill, Miss Helen Walker, James Rbndeau.

CHRISTIAN MEETING POSTPONED

THE STAR has been requested to announce that the meeting announced to begin at the Church of Christ on July 12 has been postponed until a future date, following the close of the Union Meeting. Notice of the date of the meeting will be given through THE STAR.

SCHOLASTIC CENSUS ROLLS APPROVED

State Supt. Daughy advises Co. Supt. Settle that the scholastic census rolls for Callahan County school district have been approved. The enumerations in rural districts total 1980 scholastics, and independent districts as follows: Baird 570; Clyde 395; Cross Plains 324; Cottonwood 180; making an enrollment of 3476 pupils in the county for the next term. There were 3300 scholastics last term.

Approaching Marriage Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Evalyne Hermania, to Max William Levi of Cincinnati, Ohio. The wedding to take place in August in Cincinnati.

Will Cutbirth shipped a car-load of hogs, Wednesday.

THE CLEAN UP CONTEST

Owing to the many misunderstandings in regard to the Clean Up Contest of May 23d, and to the fact that so few of those entering the contest fulfilled the requirements, regulating it, it has been very difficult for the Committees to decide who really deserved the prizes, but they have finally decided that Harold Foy, in District No. 1, Loraine Cox, in District No. 2; Willie Hammonds in District No. 3; and Emma Lou Jones, in District No. 4, were the most deserving of those contesting for the district prizes. Some of the cleanest places had to be passed by, as their names were not on the list of contestants. In the opinion of all the committees no one was entitled to the prize of \$5.00 for the cleanest place in the whole town, and no one competed for the prize for the largest pile of trash, so that money will be reserved to offer on prizes at some future time, when we hope more interest and enthusiasm will be displayed. The League feels very much disappointed and discouraged over the lack of interest taken in the Clean Up Contest. We are working solely in the interest of Baird and think we should have the hearty co-operation of every man, woman and child in town.

Civic League.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Program for Sunday, July 2,
Topic, How to make Ours an Ideal Nation, 1 Peter 2:1-10.
Song. Prayer. Song.
Leader, Miss Annie Steed.
Abolish Hypocrisy, Is. 1:10-17—
Miss Louise Faust,
National Cleaning, Ezek. 36:25-31
Mr. Jack Peebles
Song.
Clean Rulers, Dan. 2:46-49, Mr. Mullican.
Song. Benediction.

MONTHLY MAGAZINE SECTION

July 7, 1916.
The Toiler In the Valley.—
Greater Love Hath No Man Than This.
Army Life On The Texas Frontier.—By H. H. McConnell.
Indian Raids In Texas.—By E. L. Deaton, A Texas Pioneer.
Historical El Paso Del Norte.—
Where the Sixth Century Greets the Twentieth Century.—By W. N. Beard.
A. & M. College Department.—
Edited by the Director and Staff of the A. & M. College, College Station, Texas.
Modern Homes.—Plan 1050"
Aeroplane Bungalow.
Texas Farm News.—Purely News of the Farm and the Ranch.
Stories For The Boys And Girls.—
"Noah and the Ark", and Other Stories.
"Women's Department.—July Fashion Letter, Fashion Patterns and Housekeeping Helps.

OPLIN' PICNIC JULY 8th

THE STAR is requested to announce that there will be a basket picnic at Oplin, Saturday, July 8th.

FOR SALE—My residence in West Baird, 6 rooms and bath and good out building, good storm cellar and underground cistern.
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WHEAT THRASHING BEGINS

Hadley Bros, thrashed 17 bushels to the acre, about 1500 bushels.

E. L. Finley thrashed 1000 bushels of wheat from 50 acres, 20 bushels per acre. B. L. Boydston says these two crops graded No. 2 and better and tested out 61 to 63 lbs to the bushel; the best wheat, he says that was ever raised in the county. These are the two first crops reported.

NOT WITHDRAWN

Mr. Q. J. Johnson of Cottonwood who wrote us a letter last week announcing his withdrawal as a candidate for District Clerk, phoned us early Friday morning not to publish the letter, but we had gone to press at our regular time Thursday evening.

The following letter from Mr. Johnson explains itself:
Cottonwood, Tex., June 26, 1916
To the Voters of Callahan County:

I issued a statement in last weeks paper that I had withdrawn from the race for District Clerk. But I hereby state that I am still in the race and expect to be until the people put me out.

Yours to serve,
Q. J. Johnson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

Sunday, June 25, 1916.
Methodist Sunday School.
Number present - 101
Collection - \$2.66
Baptist Sunday School.
Number present - 161
Collection - \$3.53
Presbyterian Sunday School
Number present - 140
Collection - \$4.17
Church of Christ Sunday School.
Number present - 89
Collection - \$3.65
Number of Chapters read - 650
Total Attendance - 491
Total Collection - \$14.01
Bethlehem Sunday School.
Attendance - 68
Collection - \$.75

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eastham gave a surprise party on June 21, in honor of their little daughter Bessie Paulines 8th birthday. After several games were played by the little girls, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Sallie Ebert, Louise Alvord, Lena Sue Faust, Louise Bell, Audrey Mae Mitchel, Lillie and Millie Morrison, Pansy Harris, Opal Williams, Edith Hammons, Francis Iona and A. T. Vestal Jr., J. R. Black Jr. Agnes and Bessie Pauline Eastham.

L. A. Blakley and family and Tom Tod Price from Crooked Creek, spent Monday in Baird.

MEXICAN SITUATION

Troops are being rushed to the border and shortly there will be not less than one hundred and fifty thousand troops on guard there.

It does not seem possible to avoid war. Carranza agreed to release the 23 negro troops taken in the battle last week barely in time to prevent a declaration of war by the United States. Intervention now or later is inevitable. Some believe President Wilson will accept any kind of a promise from Carranza to avoid war, but we do not believe it. Another Vera Cruz fiasco will not set well with the American people nor help, but on the contrary make matters worse in Mexico. The idea with the American people is to settle the question with the Mexican bandits once for all as we have started. To stop now with the job incomplete would likely prove disastrous to Wilson's chance for reelection, besides make matters much worse in Mexico and on the border. Disagreeable as intervention in Mexico is to most Americans, maybe postponed, but not abandoned and now is the time to do it. It maybe a fifty year job, but if started the American people know how to finish it and the finish is likely to end with the stars and stripes in Mexico forever. The people of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are tired of "watchful waiting."

AN APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE OF BAIRD

On account of the many people who use the water for other purposes than those under the City Ordinance regulating the use of same, thereby depriving many of our citizens from even drinking water, and taking into consideration the many dangers that might occur from fire when every drop might have to be used, and believing in the watch word of "Preparedness" we appeal to you earnestly and kindly to stop the waste of water for irrigation purposes, and help us and those who do not get the benefit of same.

H. Schwartz, Mayor
W. L. Ashton, Water Supt.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. J. R. Hart entertained Wednesday evening, June 28th, from 4 to 6 o'clock in honor of her little daughter, Anita. Quite a crowd of her little friends were present and the hours were pleasantly spent.

NOTICE, PROTRACTED MEETING

The protracted meeting announced for Elder T. W. Phillips to begin at the Church of Christ July 12th has been postponed to Sunday, July 16, on account of the Hendrick-Carter meeting that begins to-night. By agreement the Hendrick-Carter meeting will close not later than Sunday night, July 16th. This agreement was reached Wednesday among official members of the three churches concerned, viz; Presbyterian, Methodist and Christian in order to avoid conflict in dates of the two meetings.

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PIANO INSTRUCTION

I will teach piano in Baird and will appreciate your patronage. After September 1st my studio will be at Mrs. Harry Ebert's residence near the school building.

Lora Franklin

ADMIRAL NEWS

June 27, 1916.—We had a good shower last night with a good deal of wind but no serious damage done. Bro. R. H. Williams, of Abilene, filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hazel, Mr. Grover Miller and Miss Annie Boen, of Rowden, Misses Kate and Blanche Tatum, Mr. Wince Hearn and Mr. West, of Belle Plaine attended church here Sunday night. Come again young people, we are glad to have you.

Miss Sophie Walker was the guest of Miss Essie Walker, of Baird Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Beasley is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gussie Jones, of Baird this week.

Mrs. Noah Anderson, of Moran, was a pleasant visitor at the home of Mrs. Donnie Wright yesterday afternoon.

R. J. Harris is dipping his cattle today to try to keep down the fever. We learn that Clark Smith has lost several with the fever already.

We believe everybody has their grain cut and shocked and waiting for the thrasher to make its appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Black and little son, J. R. Jr., Mrs. Sallie Eastham and children and Mrs. Lorena Price, of Baird, were the guests of Mrs. Black Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Crutchfield returned home Friday after spending several days with her son, George Crutchfield and family at Baird.

Mrs. Willie Boen, of Rowden, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mattie Black a few days last week.

Rob Walker has returned from Oplin with a new buggy, we wonder what Rob want's with a buggy. "Dottie Dimple."

Try El Mate. Holmes. 19-1f

WILL SPEAK FOR FERGUSON

State Senator T. H. McGregor will speak at Baird, Friday, July 7th at 8 p. m. at the Court House.

Drink El Mate. 19-1f

E. L. Finley is shipping his wheat this week.

W. K. Boatwright, of Deep Creek, was in town yesterday.

Murry Harris spent a few days with his family the past week.

John Healep, of Upper Deep Creek, was in town the first of the week.

Magazines.—I will appreciate your orders for all magazines. I especially want your orders for The Ladies' Home Journal, Pictorial Review and Woman's Home Companion, but I can get you any other magazines you want. Phone 8 or see me at THE STAR office—Miss John Gilliland

NOTICE, BREEDERS.

Registered trotting and saddle horse, Cheltingham, will make the season at my ranch, 8 miles east of Baird. Price \$8.00 insurance. 17-1f. E. L. Finley.

MANY WOMEN NEED HELP

Women are as much inclined to kidney trouble as are men, but too often make the mistake of thinking that a certain amount of pain and torture is their lot and cannot be avoided. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief from backache, pains in sides and muscles, stiff, sore, aching joints, and bladder ailments.

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LESSON FOR JULY 2

PAUL AT THESSALONICA AND BEREIA.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 17:1-15 (cf. I Thess. 2:1-12).
GOLDEN TEXT—Him did God exalt with his right hand to be a prince and a Savior.—Acts 3:31.

To place a modern war map by the side of the ancient one will help to make the places Paul visited more real. In both of the events of this lesson reference is made to the reading and use of the Scriptures, and teachers should use that to emphasize the reading of the Bible by both old and young. There is real patriotism as well as safety and a liberal education in Bible study. Paul reached Thessalonica about twenty years after the establishment of the Christian church, remained perhaps five or six months and then went on to Berea. Modern Saloniki has been since the Roman days of Thessalonica an important center, thriving and prosperous of later years till the recent Balkan-Turkish war.

I. At Thessalonica (vv. 1-9) (1) Reasoning (vv. 1-5) (a) The place. On this second journey Silas and Timothy (v. 14) were Paul's companions. Recently driven from Philippi (I Thess. 2:1-2) they at once repaired to the synagogue upon reaching the city, knowing that there they could gain a foothold with both Jew and Gentile. It was Paul's usual means (v. 2 Am. R. V.). Doubtless during the two weeks the disciples used every opportunity for discussion. Paul made use of the Sabbath day of assembly although Christians met on the first day of the week for their own distinctive service (Acts 20:7). He also reasoned from the Scriptures which the Jews so highly revered. The best agent for doing personal work is the word of God (Eph. 6:17; Jer. 23:29; Jas. 1:18; I Pet. 1:23). (2) The method. Paul employed three. (a) He reasoned that Christ must suffer. Why? (See Isa. 53:6; Math. 26:28; Heb. 9:22; John 19:36). Paul had only the Old Testament. We have also the New to bring to our aid. (b) That "Christ must rise from the dead"—like Peter at Pentecost. Paul proved this from the Old Testament. If we will allow the Holy Spirit to "open the Scriptures" to us we will find things new and old and exclaim that whereas "once I was blind now I see." (c) He "alleged and affirmed" (set forth), e. g. gave testimony that "this Jesus whom I proclaim unto you is the Christ." Paul knew that the historical Jesus was the glorified Christ, for he had met him "in the way" to Damascus. Paul's manner of life in the city as he lived and preached Jesus was much that it contributed greatly to his success. His "manner of life was blameless" (Acts 26:4); he supported himself (I Thess. 2:9; II Thess. 3:8). (2) Reception (v. 6-10). At first these men were received as from God by large numbers (v. 4). See I Thess. 1:6-10). But the gospel then as now causes divisions. Not all professed followers of God know or accept the gospel. Paul's success aroused the envy of the Jews just as every successful servant is envied by those of lesser light. The charge brought against Paul and Silas (v. 6) was in large measure true, and it was a good testimony and tribute to their effectiveness. It was also in accord with Christ's prophecy. (Math. 10:34; Luke 12:53). It is the business of the gospel to accomplish just such results. We need more of such as shall turn the wrong side down and the right side up. These men were accused of "saying that there is another King, one Jesus."

II. At Berea. (v. 10-15). The disciples' departure by night was an act of prudence (Math. 10:23), and Paul continued his great interest in the converts he had left. See the two letters addressed to that church. Reaching Berea Paul began as usual to preach Jesus first of all to the Jews. The citizens of Berea were "more noble" and have continued to this day as a great inspiration to Bible students (witness the Berean series of lesson helps). (1) They "received the word with readiness of mind." There was a hunger for spiritual food and they partook of it with a relish. Some receive truth under compulsion while others hunger for it. (See I Thess. 1:7; 3:10). (2) "Searched" (examined) the Scriptures daily. (2) Each day they sought the mind of God.

Much of our present day Bible study is interesting and enlightening, but is not energizing nor evangelistic because it looks upon the Bible merely as literature.

We need to study the Bible as did

the Bereans to know love and obey Jesus as our Savior and King.

We need to study it as our guide and counsel through life.

Those who "believed" as the result of such preaching and study were well grounded (I Thess. 3:10).

After several weeks of such blessed ministry the Thessalonian Jews interfered, "stirring up and troubling the multitude" (v. 14 Am. R. V.), and Paul again moved on, this time to Athens in Greece while Silas and Timothy remained for a further ministry in Berea.

WHAT IS YOUR WIFE WORTH?

Wisconsin Professor Has Tried to Estimate Uxorial Value in Dollars and Cents

A Wisconsin professor of home economics has made an exact estimate of what a wife is worth to her husband in dollars and cents, says the Indianapolis Star. It is asserted that she should be credited with earning the difference between the cost of raw material and the finished product that she turns out.

Just what this is he can learn by estimating food items; for example, by noting the difference between the cost of a barrel of flour and the cost of bakers' loaves made from the contents of such a barrel. A more direct method, however, is by hiring a housekeeper to do the cooking and dress-making and other labors performed by the wife. Unfortunately this is seldom done until the wife has gone to heaven, so that she falls to benefit by the husband's discovery.

There is reason to believe, however, that no wife who holds herself in due respect will accept this so-called scientific estimate of her value to the family. She knows very well that she is worth more in actual money than the difference between the raw materials and the finished products and that if she were paid what she really earns, her compensation would include that of teacher, nurse, seamstress, laundress, cook, housemaid and general utility person.

Of course, few husbands can afford to put the services of their wives on this purely commercial basis, and unfortunately, few wives have any thought of demanding it. The most of them, there is reason to believe, are entirely satisfied when they are sure that their husbands like him of whom Solomon wrote, value them far above rubies—so far that no thought of cross commercialism is involved.

Marine Study.

That the distinctly American sailing ship has disappeared from the high seas is evidenced in the fact that only 50 per cent of the force of the United States marines on duty at Guantanamo, Cuba, could tell the names of the seven masts, at an examination recently held there. There are now no seven-masted schooners flying the American flag. The Thomas W. Lawson was the last of these. Fore, main, mizzen, pusher, driver, jigger, and spanker are the names in order, running fore and aft, of a seven masted ship.—Army and Navy Journal.

Keeping Water Cool.

On sailing ships drinking water is still cooled by hoisting a jug wrapped in damp cloths to the mast-head. The idea of dampness and coolness are associated with "The Spring House on the Farm" and "The Old Oaken Bucket" for the same reason, but it was not until the eighteenth century that it came to be understood that evaporation, or gaseous expansion, reduced the temperature of things near by because the heat by which the evaporation was accomplished had to be withdrawn from the surrounding objects.

Wife's Christian Name.

A big, elderly English farmer called on a solicitor and said he'd like to make his will. "I'll leave my brass to the wife," he said; "we've been married 20 years." The solicitor prepared to receive particulars. "What's your wife's Christian name?" he asked. The farmer scratched his head, thought, scratched his head again. No, he couldn't remember. Hanged if he knew at all. The solicitor thought of a ruse. "Walk to that door," he suggested, "and call upstairs as if you're calling her." The farmer did so. He called out, "Missus!"

Canadian Stone Highway.

A stone highway, to cost \$600,000, is to be built from Ottawa, Canada, 60 miles south to the St. Lawrence river international boundary. It is stated that the road is to be built as a memorial to the late J. P. Whitney, premier of Ontario.

All-Year-Round Roads.

Good roads help small towns; railroads build up the great cities, but all-the-year-round roads turn the stream of wealth, travel and business back towards the rural centers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTICE.—All announcements, State, District and County Offices, \$10.00; County Commissioner, \$5.00; Precinct Offices, \$2.50. Cash must be paid in advance in every instance. No deviation from this rule.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July:

District Offices

For District Judge, 42 Judicial Dist.

F. S. Bell,
of Callahan County
D. K. Scott
of Eastland County
Joe Burkett
of Eastland County

For District Attorney:

N. N. Rosenquest
of Breckenridge
W. J. Cunningham
of Abilene

For Representative 108 District, Callahan and Eastland Counties:

R. G. Powell
of Callahan Co.
D. J. Neill
of Eastland County

For Representative 110 District, Callahan and Brown Counties:

J. F. Cartwright
of Brown Co.
H. P. Taylor
of Brown County

County Offices

For County Judge:

J. R. (Bob) Black
of Baird
M. C. Council
of Clyde
W. R. Ely
re-election

For County Clerk:

Chas. Nordyke,
re-election.

For Tax Collector:

Gene Melton
re-election

For District Clerk:

Q. J. Johnson
of Cottonwood
A. R. (Lennie) Day
re-election

For Tax Assessor:

M. G. (Melvin) Farmer
re-election

For Superintendent Public Schools:

S. Ernest Settle
re-election

For Sheriff:

J. A. Moore
re-election

For County Attorney:

R. L. (Roscoe) Surles
J. Rupert Jackson

For County Treasurer:

W. P. Ramsey
re-election.

Commissioner Precinct No. 1.:

G. H. Brame
A. E. Kendrick

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2.:

H. Windham

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 4.

H. Windham

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Baird, Texas

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FOR CARRIZAL MASSACRE AND NOTIFIES WASHINGTON.

HE BEGINS WAR ON AMERICANS

President Wilson Lays Facts Before Congressional Leaders and Demands of Carranza Statement of Policy Toward This Nation.

In a note made public at Washington Sunday Carranza accepts full responsibility for the Carrizal massacre and states that he ordered it and will stand by it. In brief, this government is informed that the first chief of Mexico has begun war against American forces in his country.

This note was handed Secretary of State Lansing late Saturday by the Mexican ambassador-designate, Senor Arredondo, and the president and Mr. Lansing considered it in conference Sunday and then made public the text, together with the reply.

Note, transmitted to James Lind Rodgers, American special representative at Mexico City, demands of Carranza an early statement of the policy he intends pursuing toward the United States.

President Wilson called in ranking Democratic and Republican members of senate and house committees on foreign affairs and laid the facts before them, especially Carranza's latest note and the reply.

Senator Stone said mediation and the military difficulties of the situation were not discussed.

NO NEW TEXAS COMPANIES NOW

STATE HAS ALREADY FURNISHED ITS QUOTA OF UNITS.

Adjutant General Hutchings said favorable action cannot be had on the numerous applications to his department for officers' commissions and authority to organize new militia companies, as Texas has already furnished her units for the brigade.

He said what is needed is recruits for the brigade to bring it to full war strength, and that the scores of men who are applying should see the nearest recruiting officers.

Captain Boyd Among Dead.

Complete disorganization of the two American troops that were engaged at Carrizal with Carranza's men and the practical annihilation of those in the fight was indicated in a report from General Pershing to General Funston. Total number of men in the two troops was eighty-four and twenty-seven have returned. Later information was that all had been accounted for with exception of twenty-one. One member of Troop C, who was in the thick of the fight, says Captain Charles T. Boyd was shot in an arm and shoulder, but led his men in a charge against some Mexicans entrenched behind ditches across the road leading to the main portion of Carrizal. Just before getting to the trenches Captain Boyd fell mortally wounded. The trooper says he was with him when he died. Lieut. Henry Adair took Boyd's place. The trooper says Troop C drove the Mexicans through Carrizal and that Lieut. Adair was slain. Stories of survivors conflict as to opening of hostilities.

Not Yet Designated.

A temporary arsenal has been established at Fort Worth by the war department. Sixteen carloads of ammunition consigned to the port of New York for the allies was requisitioned at Shamokin, Pa., by United States army officers, rerouted to Buffalo to be forwarded from there to Fort Worth and stored. War department said this action had not been taken, but it was a possibility.

Peace Appeal by Pope.

A wireless dispatch from Rome to London stated that Pope Benedict had appealed to President Wilson and to General Carranza to use their earnest endeavors to avert war.

Bridges Guarded.

All of the Texas and Pacific railway bridges in Abilene section are guarded.

Sun Time for Saloons.

Sun time governs in application of the 9:30 o'clock Texas saloon closing law and not standard or railroad time. The fifth court of civil appeals, at Dallas, held in a decision in connection with a mandamus application by J. O. Walker of Dallas asking reinstatement of a license be required of State Comptroller H. B. Terrell. This ruling reverses a decision of Forty-fourth district court, holding standard

time governs, and the case goes back to that court. Sun time is twenty-seven and a half minutes later than standard time. Comptroller Terrell, who was at Dallas Saturday, when the decision was handed down, said that he would carry the matter to the supreme court at once. In reply to some Dallas saloonists who asked if sun time was in effect he answered that pending final action it was not, and violation of standard time violation would result in prosecution.

LONE STAR NEWS IN FEW WORDS

HAPPENINGS OF MAJOR AND MINOR IMPORTANCE NOTED.

PARAGRAPHS HERE PRESENTED

That Relate to Matters of Present and Likewise the Future Placed in Type and Embracing Various Portions of the Commonwealth.

Itasca is to have a sewer system.

East Side fire station at Paris is to be rebuilt at once.

Recruiting offices have been opened at Hillsboro and Mineral Wells.

About fifteen pedigreed dogs were poisoned the past few days at Dallas.

Six schoolhouses are being built in Dallas county and eight more are to follow.

Pyrotone Chemical company of Dallas is a new concern. Capital stock \$20,000.

Deep Tillage Tractor company, Dallas, capital stock \$10,000, has been chartered.

Attorney general's department has approved a \$100,000 sewer bond issue for Greenville.

Large tomato shipments are being made from Jacksonville and other east Texas points.

Hill County Fair association will hold its annual entertainment at Hillsboro Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6.

J. B. Lair of Anna, Collin county, fell from his plow and was dead when reached; heart failure.

Brady is to have a three-story brick sanitarium of thirty rooms. Contract for construction has been let.

Ground has been broken for Church of Christ building at Paris. It is to be of hollow tile construction.

Main streets of Stephenville are to be improved, \$10,000 having been appropriated by the city officials.

First carload of Henderson county peaches for the season, shipped from Athens, brought around \$1 a bushel.

Mrs. Rosa B. Fletcher, aged sixty-nine years, a resident for forty years of Grayson county, died at Sherman.

The wife of Representative Gregg, who has been seriously ill in a Rochester (Minn.) sanitarium, has greatly improved.

Attorney general's department has approved three issues of Red River county good road district bonds aggregating \$87,000.

Waco city commission has passed an ordinance that wholesale liquor establishments remain closed between 9:30 p. m. and 6 a. m.

At cost of \$5,000 a modern one-story garage, double-decked, with concrete floor and ladies' rest room, is to be at once erected at Ennis.

New mill of the Texas Portland Cement company at Houston was opened Tuesday with guests present from several cities of the state.

Paris \$40,000 schoolhouse bonds and \$10,000 for a sewage disposal plant were filed with the attorney general's department for approval.

An automobile census of Dallas is being taken by the chamber of commerce of that city for the organization's statistical department.

After a long illness, Rev. Joseph Allenbach, thirty-five years old, a Roman Catholic priest, died at Dallas. Interment was at New Orleans.

An unknown white man was found dead on the Houston and Texas Central railway right of way two miles south of Ennis; natural causes.

T. D. Langham, a prominent citizen of Agua Dulce, Nueces county, was so badly injured by a runaway mule team that death resulted in half an hour.

County school superintendents' institute will be held in the hall of the house of representatives, Austin, July 25-28. There are 130 county superintendents and 120 ex-officio.

A Mexican with two aerial bombs in his possession was arrested at San Antonio by secret service agents. He

admitted he invented the bombs and offered them to Carranza.

In Justice Hayworth's court, Gainesville, a Cooke county citizen was fined \$25 and costs for kissing the wife of another man. Total amount, promptly paid, lacked 5 cents of being \$50.

Over 2,000 cattle have been dipped in the concrete vat at Maxdale, in the western part of Bell county, and ticks practically eliminated in that section. Like reports are received from other Bell county vats.

Senator Sheppard offered an amendment to the fortifications bill calling for a survey of the erosions on Galveston island to establish the cost of protective works for the property of the government.

Lola Marian, eight years old, was brutally and criminally assaulted at Waxahachie. Her father, P. H. Marian, proprietor of a mattress factory, was arrested and taken to Dallas to prevent lynching.

Government board of harbor engineers has disapproved the proposed harbor improvements at Harbor City. Lieutenant Colonel Rich investigated and said the improvement was at this time not worth making and the board approved his report.

Minnie Nance, nine years old, the daughter of J. C. Nance of Leon Junction, McLennan county, was killed by a Cotton Belt railway train at that place. President F. H. Britton and other officials of the road were on the train en route to Waco.

About 250 farmers of the state and a number of visitors from other states attended at Dallas the regular quarterly meeting of the Northeast Texas District Farmers' union. President D. E. Lyday of Ravenna presided and interesting topics were discussed.

Texas Abstractors' association met in annual convention at Austin. W. E. Forgy of Archer City was elected president. Waco is next convention city. A committee will endeavor to have a special course for abstractors inaugurated at University of Texas.

Mose Campbell, a resident of Dallas forty years and one of the leading negroes of that city and fourteen years porter of a bank, fell on a sidewalk and expired in an ambulance while being conveyed to the emergency hospital. Death was due to a hemorrhage.

Bodies of C. H. Luedtke and wife were found in their home at Taylor. On the bed beside his mother's corpse was her baby boy crying bitterly. She had been shot twice and a shotgun lay on the bed. The man's windpipe and his neck arteries severed. A knife was found.

At Georgetown Captain and Mrs. W. P. Dever celebrated their golden wedding. They were married at Brenham. They have reared a large family and are hale and hearty. Many remembrances were sent them from various sections of the state. Captain Dever was a member of Terry's Texas rangers.

A Mexican general has offered to deliver the scalp of the slayer of Jarvis D. Harp, the Crockett county sheep man, slain some time ago by a Mexican herder, for \$350. He says the latter is now at his home, seventy miles south of the Rio Grande river, and it is impossible to deliver him alive.

H. G. Wright of near Mexia has three-eighths of acre in strawberries, off of which he has raised \$325 worth of berries, besides what his family has used. His first berries brought 20 cents per quart, the next 17 1/2 and the least price 15. Mr. Wright also sells vegetables. His cotton is a side line.

Bowie county grand jury, which has adjourned, returned thirty-five true bills, thirty-two of which charge felonies and three misdemeanors. Report states bootlegging has been stamped all over the county except in Texarkana, "and it is small there compared with what it has been in times past." Fourteen of the true bills were for this offense.

Largest inheritance tax ever collected in Falls county and one of largest ever paid in the state, was that paid County Judge F. S. Heffner, by B. J. Linthicum, executor of the estate of the late B. C. Clark of Marlin and amounting to \$20,934.45. Except one cent, allowed the county tax collector as his fee, all the money goes to the state of Texas.

In Justice Kellum's court at Taylor James Knox, a negro, pleaded guilty to attempted criminal assault upon a Bohemian girl eighteen years old while employed on her father's farm, south of town. He was remanded to jail at Georgetown to await grand jury action. While the examining trial was in progress boosters for the old settlers' reunion, held at Thornedale this week, passed along discharging cannon firecrackers. The negro bought it mob coming after him.

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SUBMISSION

The question of submission will be voted on in the Democratic Primary in July. The pros tell us to vote submission and "settle" the issue. Voting for submission will not settle the issue. Texas has voted on submission three times, and state wide prohibition once in the last six years, so voting for submission does not settle the issue. The best way to settle the prohibition issue, and the pro agitation for two years, at least, is for the Democrats to vote it down and there is every indication that they will, just as they did two years ago.

THE STAR man has gone through two state-wide prohibition campaigns three submission campaigns, including this one, and six county campaigns and all but one in the last fourteen years.

We are not hunting any more prohibition fights, though we have been on the winning side in six of the ten elections in this county in the last fourteen years. Yet we do not want any more. Callahan county is dry and we have accept the results cheerfully, but favor letting other counties settle the question for themselves, as Callahan and other dry counties settled it. The pros have carried about as many counties as they can and the only reason for the demand for a state-wide election is a desire to force prohibition upon counties that do not want it.

Another thing; if submission carries, it means about thirteen months of prohibition agitation. We do not believe state-wide prohibition will carry if submitted. Personally we do not care whether it does or not, though we are opposed to the principle, because we believe it is wrong, yet we believe in temperance, even total abstinence, but we do not have much faith in temperance enforced by law. We dislike to go through a state prohibition campaign because of the strife and ill feeling they always engender. Let us disappoint the Anti Saloon League by refusing them submission and give Texas a rest for two more years on prohibition. The paid officers of the Anti Saloon League are about the only ones working for a prohibition election next year.

At the last election 1911 the League yelled fraud and spent much of the time of the Legislature investigating alleged frauds, but failed to prove any material allegation, but they thought they had manufactured enough prohibition dope to carry the next election, so in 1914 they appealed to the Democrats for submission and to their surprise lost by a good majority. The effort of the Anti Saloon League, a concern that admits members of all parties, to control the Democratic State Convention so aroused prohibition Democrats that they defeated the League program to elect Tom Love, national committeeman and to send strictly a pro delegation to the National Convention. This action of the Anti Saloon League leaders ought to, and we believe will defeat submission this year by a larger majority than they defeated it in 1914. Vote down submission and let the A. S. L. leaders go to work like the balance of us.

Col. Roosevelt is preparing a 3000 word, 42-centimeter blast at the Wilson administration, and allying himself shoulder to shoulder with Judge Hughes. The Democrats will ave time by praying that the rocks hide their diminished heads.—Los Angeles (Calif.) Times.

The Democrats are not scared of the Colonel's old blunderbus. He busted his gun when he busted the Republican party four years ago. All the Democrats will have to do to answer anything Colonel Roosevelt may say in behalf of the Republican party now, is to select some choice paragraphs from his speeches against the standpat Republicans four years ago. Let the Colonel turn loose his 42 centimeter blast when he gets ready. The Democrats are ready to return the fire with the Colcnel's own ammunition.

PUTTING AMERICA SECOND

The Nashville Banner doesn't like the Democratic party's Americanism plank. It accuses President Wilson of writing it because the class of people at whom it is directed "are not supporting him for re-election."

Doubtless, the Banner is correct in surmising that anti-Americans are not supporting Woodrow Wilson. But the Banner goes farther than this. It sees in the Americanism plank a pronouncement against "civil and religious liberty, free speech and the freedom of the press."

It proceeds: "Whither are we drifting and what is to be said when the President of this great republic and the titular head of the great Democratic party, evidently moved by political considerations, deliberately casts this wholesome provision of the constitution and vital principle of the Democratic party aside?"

The Ammericanism plank clearly labels itself. "This is an issue of patrots," it reads. "To taint it with partisanship would be to defile it."

It seems that if there was any dodging of the Americanism issue among the big parties that held their conventions this month, it was on the part of the Republican and Progressive parties. The Democratic party came out squarely against any hyphenated organization that directed its fire against the officials of the United States government because they had stood for America first.

The esteemed Nashville Banner is an extraordinary student of the United States constitution if it can find where the peoples of alien lands, transplanted to America, are guaranteed the nurishment of the interests of their own respective countries before Americans are guaranteed the protection of their own interests.

The foreign-born American citizen who in his heart is a good American can find nothing to offend in the Americanism plank of the Democratic party. The plank is not general in its terms as are the intended Americanism planks of the Republican and Progressive platform. They are aimed at every alliance of whatsoever people that do not stand first for the land of adoption.—Ft. Worth Star Telegram.

DEEP CREEK NOTES

Our grain is all cut, this week we will thrash
And good things to eat like light-bread and hash
Crackers and soup and some pies and some cakes
The best that a good farmers wife ever bakes.
Mr. Finley is the first and it sounds mighty sweet,
For he gives us the best on the market to eat
Now for the cook you can say what you will

She is as good as there and its Mrs. Lunsford Hill,
John Boatwright is next and he gives us the stuff
Mighty good for the fellow that has work that is tough
From there we will go just yet I can't say
But anywhere that the fellow can furnish us hay
I think Bob Beck gets a thresher this week
But don't think it will come on this part of the creek
Some farmers this year will hold all their grain
A good idea if the stuff is protected from rain
Will close now just a few lines to my friend
You think of this verse and your trouble will end
It is easy enough to be pleasant when life moves along like a song
But the man worth while is the one with a smile when every thing goes dead wrong.
—Star Staff Poet.

ROWDEN NEWS

June 27, 1916.—Summer time is now with us and the threshing machines are heard in our land.

Everyone is as busy as bees hoeing cotton and planting June corn.

Quite a number of Rowden people attended the singing at Belle Plaine Sunday, all report a nice time, and plenty of good things to eat.

Joe Jones and Miss Della Eubanks visited at Mr. G. W. Millers Sunday evening.

Miss Nina Brownlee, who is teaching a class in music in Rowden, visited homefolks in Cottonwood, Saturday and Sunday. Miss Ester Miller accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boen attended the singing at Belle Plaine Sunday.

Grandma West who has been suffering from a broken rib, is reported improving nicely.

J. T. Stewart and family and Mrs. Norban Sikes and children visited relatives in Eula Saturday and Sunday.

Grandma Gibb left Thursday for Colorado City, to visit her daughter, Mrs Will Burks.

Miss Annye Boen is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Black; in Admiral this week.

Mrs. E. C. Pretz visited Mrs. Jessie Gibbs Sunday evening.

Miss Una Taylor, of Potosi, returned home Saturday after a months visit with relatives in Rowden.

Miss Annye and Vera Miller spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Grover Gibb.

Miss Rachel Mauldin visited at the home of G. W. Millers, Tuesday. J. T. Stewart made a business trip to Cross Plaine, Monday.


Another fine rain Monday night. "XX."

EASTERN STAR

Callahan Chapter No. 242 O. E. S. met in regular session Tuesday June 13, and installed the following officers for the ensuing year.

- W. M.—Miss Vida Gilliland.
- P.—Dr. Virgil Hill.
- A. M.—Mrs. Louise Holmes.
- Secy.—Mrs. Nora Percy.
- Treasurer.—Mrs. Mollie Surles.
- Conductress.—Mrs. Lola Dunlap.
- A. Con.—Mrs. Cookie Griggs.
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- Chaplain.—Miss Lula Farmer.
- Warder.—Mrs. Alice Terry.
- Sentinal.—Mr. J. W. Farmer.
- Adah.—Miss Mattie Scott.
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For that which you treasure she will defend, and loud as the guns may roll, she'll stand in the breach to the very end and then she will fight with her soul. A woman's heart I'd rather trust, for love in the keeping of such a place will grow as the blossoms grow.—Exchange.

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WILL YOU BE MISSED?

Some of these days, you who are reading this editorial, are going to die and pass on to your reward—whatever that reward may be.

But will you leave a void behind? Will you be missed?

The Creator has ordained that man must carve out his own career in this world, and when he journeys to the great unknown he leaves behind him a record founded upon his own acts.

You may leave behind you a wife, or children, or other dependents. As you deal by them in life, so will their grief be gauged and tempered at your death.

Will they miss you?

In this town you have friends, and business associates, and perhaps many other acquaintances. They know you as you are, as you have been for these many years. They have judged you living and they will judge you dead.

In the banks, and the stores, and the offices, and out upon the farms and ranches are people who have known you in the past and who know you today. As you have been, so you are known to them now.

Will they miss you?

In the house of darkened windows where sweet-toned music soothes the tired brain and the minister tells of the ways of a better life, are many people who know you for your acts and your deeds, for that which you have performed or have left undone.

Will they miss you?

In our homes are many little children who know you, who have passed you on the streets, who, perchance, may have been greeted with

a kindly smile or with a frown. They will remember you.

But will they miss you?

Even your faithful animals or pets know you as you are and as you have been to them.

Will they miss you?

There is no place you may go no point of the compass to which you may turn, but what people have known you or will know you, and by all of these you will be judged when you have passed away.

As you shape your career in life, so do you write the record by which you will be known after death.

Your family, your associates, your acquaintances, even your dumb brutes will remember you after you have passed on.

But will you be missed?—Kerrville Sun.

WHAT CHILDREN NEED NOW.

In spite of the best care mothers can give them this weather brings sickness to many children. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of a severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. It is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." It stops lagrippe coughs.

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GET ACQUAINTED WITH YOURSELF.

Robert Burdett, in a talk to young men, said: "Get away from the crowd for a while and think. Stand on one side and let the world run by, while you get acquainted with yourself and see what kind of a fellow you are. Ask yourself hard questions about yourself. Ascertain,

from original sources, if you are really the manner of man you say are; and if you are always honest; if you always tell the square, perfect truth in business details; if your life is as good and upright at 11 o'clock at night as at noon; if you are as good a temperance man on a fishing excursion as you are on a Sunday school picnic; if you are as good when you go to the city as you are home; if, in short, you are really the sort of man your father hopes you are and your sweetheart believes you are. Get on intimate terms with yourself, my boy, and, believe me, every time you come out of one of these private interviews you will be a stronger, better, purer man. Don't forget this, and it will do you good."—Exchange

AFTER LAGRIPPE—WHAT?

F. G. Prevo, Bedford, Ind., writes: "An attack of lagrippe left me with a severe cough. I tried everything. I got so thin it looked as if I never would get well. Finally, two bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar cured me. I am now well and back to my normal weight." A reliable remedy for coughs, colds, croup.

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OBITUARY.

This community was saddened because of the death of T. H. Branscum on Sunday morning, Jan. 23, 1916, at the home of J. A. Tunnell, his uncle. Deceased came from Indiana, Okla. to spend the holidays with his uncle and family, whom he made his home with in his childhood days, and whom he had not seen for eighteen years.

He contracted pneumonia on his way here and took his bed the next day after he came. With all that medicine skill and loving hands could do was of no avail and after four weeks he passed away and was laid to rest in the Oplin cemetery.

His genial nature and kind words won him many friends.

For the past year he has made his home with his brothers J. W. and G. N. Branscum of Indianola, Okla., who were with him when he died. He leaves four brothers and a host of relatives and friends who will greatly miss him.

Deceased was born in Bell Co, Tex, in 1870. He has many warm friends in South Texas, where he spent several years of his life, who will be grieved to learn of his death. But we must bow in submission to the God who doeth all things well.

By a Friend

We once heard a farmer remark that "no matter how much he made, those fellows at town would take a pencil no longer than his finger and figure him out of it in a few minutes." Although spoken partly in jest, such a spirit prevents healthy co-operation between the farmer and the business man without which no community can hope to become prosperous and remain so. The path of the average business man lacks a great deal of being strewn with roses all the way. Taken as a whole, it is a very small per cent of men who enter business that make a success and very few of these become independent or accumulate anything like a fortune. And if you will examine closely, you will find that the few who have attained real success have traveled the road of hard work and close application to business. This road is open to every man, whether merchants, banker, farmer or laborer and it is a road that is never so crowded but there is room for more. —Cisco Round-Up

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The Star Job Office is prepared to do Commercial Printing of all kind: Letter Heads, Envelopes, Bill Heads, Statements, Checks, Receipts, Notes, Deeds, Mortgages, Visiting Cards, Candidates Cards, Wedding Stationery. Prompt and careful attention given all orders. I sincerely appreciate the patronage given me in the past and respectfully solicit your future patronage.

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PROGRAM CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Sunday, Feby. 13th 6:15.
 Subject: Consecration of Influence
 Lesson: Hebrews 10:19-25
 Leader: Mrs. E. C. Fulton.
 Song. Prayer. Song.
 Scripture Reading and Talk by President.
 Song.
 Reading and Talks:
 1. Matt. 5: 13-16.—F. E. Alvord.
 2. 2d Cor. 9: 1-7.—H. D. Hart.
 3. 2d Timothy 1: 5-3: 15-17.—Miss Ruth Peebles.
 Song.
 4. Acts 20: 28-35.—Miss Annie Steed.
 5. John 14: 1-9.—Miss Werdna Dinwiddie.
 6. Hebrew 11: 1-6.—Rev. Peebles.
 Song. Benediction.

THIS MAY INTEREST YOU.

If you suffer with pains in your back or side, stiff and sore muscles or joints, or rheumatic aches, or have symptoms of kidney trouble such as puffy swellings under the eyes or sleep disturbing bladder ailments, you should know that Foley Kidney Pills have benefited thousands in like condition.
 9-4t Holmes Drug Co.

There is a considerable amount of sickness in town mostly among the children. Some cases of grip among the older people but we believe most of them have recovered. Grandpa

Gist had a right severe spell of grip, but we are glad to see him up again. Little Jacky Scott, son of George Scott, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but the fever left him a few days ago and while very weak is thought to be improving. All of Will Cutbirth's children are sick with pneumonia. The fever has a tendency to go high in all these cases. We never believed pneumonia was contagious and ordinarily may not be, but the fact that it runs through some families indicates that under certain conditions it is contagious. Parents should use every precaution to keep their children healthy so they can resist disease.

Ranch country that dark and cold Sunday night, landed at Little John Aikens, who piloted him through. The Dr. and John seem to be goers who stop not for darkness, wind or weather. Will send for them when we get sick or ailing, for as physicians they are a team by themselves.
 Pomp Payne, the overseer of this division of the Cross Plains and Baird roads, tells me if the county will meet him half way he will grade drain and put in first-class condition the road from the Aiken corner to the turn east of Squire Duncan's place on the Cross Plains road. If Com. Houston can possibly see his

way clear it will be of great benefit to the citizenship of these parts, besides it is badly needed and should be attended to at once. Strike while the iron is hot.
 Fritz made us a pleasant call on Wednesday, which we highly appreciate.
 One of Nuff Arvin's boys is quite sick at the Nick Brightwell ranch, so it's reported.
 Walton Wagner was out yesterday working on the phone line and purposes getting it in good condition.
 Jack Aiken and son have again sold their livery business at Cross Plains to Capt. Night.
 "Juan."
 The remainder of this letter will appear next week.—Editor

BURNT BRANCH CULLINGS.

Feb. 7th.—"Juan" has to draw on the Prohibition party for good material with which to run his whims and fancies. To wit: he is supporting Blanton and Bell respectfully for Congress and District Judge. "Consistency thou art a jewel."—That solicitous friend of mine.
 Blanton and Bell are good prohibitionists and never drink booze in any shape, form or fashion. You and others are prohibitionists and kill lots of the stuff for medical purposes, as a matter of course and all in the name of God and humanity. In your case also "consistency thou art a jewel." See.
 Pomp Payne, road overseer, has his crew at work this damp weather and is doing some good work. Finish up as you go, Pomp, and put it in substantial shape if you dont get but 10 feet to the man. Well done work is the only kind worth a blame on roads.
 We are sorry to report Mrs. J. H. Warren very sick.
 Louis Boydston was out on his farm Sunday.
 Burnt Branch was well represented in the chicken car. It is reported this outfit "drapped" something over a \$1000.00 in the Cross Plains country. Good.
 "Juan's" weekly letter arrived too late for publication this week.—Star Being so very weak accounts for its nonarrival doubtless.
 Dr. Payne started for the Johnson

PROGRAMME

Callahan County Teachers' Debating League

To Be Held At

Baird, Texas, Friday, February 18, 1916, 8 O'clock P. M.

1. Invocation Rev. L. O. Cox
2. High School Chorus:
 - a. "Baird's Marching Song" Adopted.
 - b. "My Own United States" Edwards.
3. Piano Duett—Misses Cora Nell Boydston and Septima Smith,
4. Reading, "Bobbie Shafter" Anonymous
 Miss Mary Tisdale
5. Quartett—"Kentucky Babe"
 Messers Switzer, Holland, Baum and Parks.
6. "Bonnie Sweet Bess" Giebert
 Miss Lily Reeves
7. Debate: "Resolved that the Sixty-fourth Congress, in its legislation on preparedness, should follow closely President Wilson's program.
 Affirmative—N. S. Holland and C. C. Wright.
 Negative—J. Temple Peters and John Campbell.
8. High School Chorus, "Flowers that Bloom in Spring" Sullivan
9. Decision of Judges.

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Saturday, Feb., 12th

"Diamond From the Sky"

24th Episode

Tuesday Night, Feb., 15th

"The Goddess"

8th CHAPTER

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Dry Goods

Millinery

Dr. R. G. Powell spent Wednesday in Eastland.

Miss Myrtle Boydston spent a few days in Dallas this week.

Little Bessie Eastham is visiting relatives in Admiral.

Miss Jeffie Lambert and little Dona Carter are spending this week with Mrs. Lunsford Hill at the Finley ranch.

Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones were up from Clear Creek Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Barringer is visiting relatives in Dallas and Rockwall.

Little Gladys Eastham has returned from Admiral where she spent a few days with relatives.

Miss Jean Lambert returned Sunday from the Bayou where she spent several days with relatives.

Mrs. Capps and Mrs. McPherson, of Big Springs, spent Tuesday in Baird the guests of Mrs. Lewis Hall and Mrs. J. R. Craven.

I want to trade for or buy a good saddle. Phone 11, C. B. Holmes 28

Misses Bertha and Beulah Ray have gone to San Angelo, where they will visit their uncle, Mr. James Johnson and family.

Charles Caylor left Wednesday for his home at Fort Worth after spending a week or more with his uncle, Eee Estes and family.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and daughter, Miss Ellen, and Miss Nell Price have returned from a visit with Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Miss Florene Cornett, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. N. H. Pratt for several days, left Wednesday for her home at El Paso.

Mrs. Chas. Powell, of El Paso and Mrs. B. Nelson, of Big Springs, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. N. H. Pratt, have returned to their home.

Mr. Louis Merchant and sister, Miss Aden, of Falfurrias, Tex, were the guests of Geo. B. Scott and family Sunday. They left Monday to visit J. B. Cutbirth and family who are spending a few weeks on their ranch.

Mrs. A. B. C. Dinwiddie and little daughter Rachel, left Thursday morning for her home at Hugo Okla., after spending two weeks with friends in Baird. Mrs. Dinwiddie has a host of friends here who were glad to see her again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore who have been visiting Mrs. Moore parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Yarbro, the past few weeks left for Austin and other points where they will visit before returning to their home at Blanco.

Card of Thanks

I sincerely thank the Civic League for awarding me one of the prizes in the Clean-up Contest.

Emma Lou Jones

I thank the ladies of the Civic League for awarding me one of the prizes in the Clean-up Contest.

Willie Hammons

Card of Thanks

Holly Grove No. 570, Woodman Circle wish to thank all who so kindly furnished automobiles to take members of the Grove to Admiral on Decoration day.

SAM GILLILAND ON THE STUMP.

S. H. Gilliland made his appearance on the political stump in Texas when he introduced to a Coleman audience last Saturday his old friend Judge Joe A. Adkins, candidate for Congress. Mr. Gilliland and Judge Adkins were school chums back in 1884, when they attended the old Add-Ran College at Thorp Springs. —Coleman Democrat-Voice.

Cane Seed—For sale by John Hancock, Baird, Texas. 14tf

J. B. Romine, who was hurt in the wreck of the Sunshine Special near Putnam on June 17, was taken to the T. & P. Hospital at Mars hall last Sunday. He was right painfully hurt about the left shoulder and back and has not been able to be up since the wreck. Dr. R. L. Griggs accompanied him to Marshall.

Walker, the Jeweler and Optician, fixes watches and clocks and all kinds of jewelry. 28-tf.

Mrs. J. R. Craven, who was seriously hurt in the wreck of the Sunshine Special some two weeks ago and has since been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hall, is improving and accompanied by Mrs. Hall, left yesterday evening for her home at Big Springs. Mr. Craven and two little sons went home Monday.

Mr. A. W. Buchhannan, Special District Agent of the Extension Department of the A. & M. College, in the interest of the Demonstration work, spent several hours in Baird yesterday. It is hoped to have the Commissioners Court take up the question at the August term. The Federal government will pay part of the expense, and if the county will agree to assist in the work, Mr. Buchhannan says they will send a man to this county that will do us a great deal of good. We hope to see this county have a Farm Demonstrator by another season at least. The sooner the better.



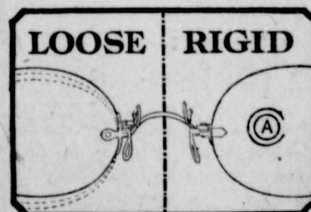
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There was a considerable electric and wind storm at Baird and over the county Monday night. A light rain fell. The only damage done, so far as heard from, in this county, was the large barn of Walter Williams between Putnam and Cottonwood was wrecked by the wind. Quite a number of phones in town were put out of commission by the lightning, but no serious damage was done.

Have your eyes properly fitted by Walker, the Optician with Holmes Drug Co. 29-tf.

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

BURNT BRANCH CULLINGS

The Dallas News, that knows it all, gives a recipe to kill chiggers: "Bathe well in water with salaratus or soda, desolved." I'll tell you what beats that: Bathe often in lukewarm water and old-fashioned lye soap, and I'll guarantee results, besides, I don't charge you for this prescription.

The Pros Anti Saloon League and the whole push like to tore in twain recently at a meeting of the "afore-said and the same" at Ft. Worth. One fellow said "Dr. Barton's speech was good for a bunch of Methodist preachers, but no good for we lawyers." Another, "If Bill Poindexter isn't a Pro turn him out, but I'll tell you for your own good you had better let out the job. Dr. Barton closed by the remark, "the only reason there is an open saloon in Texas today is because the Pros are not organized. And to cap the climax Kalamity Bonner says "If you red nosed Pros quit siding up to the barroom counter there would not be an open saloon in Texas in six months. "Great men disagree" you know, but I'll be blamed if I don't think Kay is right.

Attended church Sunday and was entertained by a good sermon by Mr. Williamson, a young Presbyterian divine.

Met Mrs. James Warren, who we are glad to report so much improved in general health.

"Juan" and wife took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne and were royally entertained.

We have a new Methodist preacher at Burnt Branch, the third for this year.

Met Hon. Mahaffy, candidate for District Judge, at Cross Plains Saturday making things hot.

Gen. Booth says he never saw "Juan" with a pair of britches or a coat that fit. What the devil do you know about fitting duds.

In writing of harvesting 120 acres of grain by Ed Odom in 6 days, forgot to say "and rested on the seventh Ed never pushes the ox in the ditch

Congregations small on Sunday owing to the hard harvest of the past week and which is about done. Now for the peas, June corn, cane and other stuff. They say June corn does better planted in July. Lets break a little patch for turnips and general fall garden, it will pay well, and assist in mortgage lifting.

Who says Trades day at the Terminal, as autos, buggies, hacks, wagons and other conveyances proceed thitherward. "Slim Jim" will give us a big write up of the occasion doubtless as the chief is absent.

July is almost here, do you suppose the aspirants have their political fences in shape.

Received a nice complimentary letter from Gov. Jim Ferguson, old friendships sake. Now laugh, goldurn you. Jim is all O. K., and the only thing they attempt to use against him is high taxation, and a lot of fellows don't know or give a cuss, that it was all caused by previous administrations, and in an especial manner Tom Campbell. And in his own language "the deception sought to be practiced on me by the Sterling Strong, Tom Campbell and Tom Love combination under the plea of "low taxes." But the people are coming alive to the issue and will reelect our Jim.

The McDermett outfit began the thrash today. Three more outfits are said to be headed this way. The Coats boys passed with a new machine, northward bound and will work north of Burnt Branch toward Turkey Creek.

Jack Aiken and wife are with their

son John and family, especially the granddaughter.

The thrasher moved into the hail belt the first of the week. The grain being wet they thrashed 3 little crops, moving west to the Odom neighborhood. Grain is better than anticipated so far and will make an average yield. There is about another weeks thrashing in these parts.

J. B. Cutbirth and family are at the ranch looking after grain interests and boosting "Fritz."

The Cris Parsons outfit is at the McDermett ranch now and will work westward.

Learn the Bayou grain crop is light on most places, but some good crops.

Wheat is better than a dollar at the Terminal, oats beats 35 cents and still climbing.

I learn my old friend John Walker's crop at Admiral was badly damaged by hail. John like myself is out of luck, but lets live in hopes if we die in despair.

The speech of Jim Ferguson at Waco strikes the keynote and shows who is responsible for the high taxation of which candidate Morris complains. It shows a deficiency to be met and Ferguson met it, that's all.

The machines seem to be getting on slowly. Don't know if it is the condition of the grain or a general breakdown in the blamed outfit. If they get a good half days run all is nappy.

Odom and other have an outfit that would eat and feed an ordinary man out of house and home, but it is the devil on the dear women folks.

The blamdest sight you ever saw is a fat fellow working around a thrashing machine.

Yes as Uncle Bill says vote for Morrow for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court as against Harper who helped to oust that grand old vet of the lost cause as Chief Justice that spotless jurist, W. L. Davidson.

Uncle Bill wants the Bayou bridged on the Coleman road. If not, why not?

Thanks to Uncle Jimmie for his kind invitation to attend the Cottonwood picnic on the 20th. Yes I will be there and make the speech of my life to some good looking widow.

Thanks to the good Lord, Uncle John is only going to visit at Plainview, not to move.

"Jusn."

COTTONWOOD LOCALS

June 27, 1916.—Another shower last night though light, we are persuaded the crops will be benefited wonderfully. Some grain will probably be a little damaged but not materially.

We have quite a scourge of what is commonly termed fever among the cattle, and some are losing some fine milk cows.

Last night Grady Respass lost a fine jersey cow from this dread disease.

One week ago to day was clean up day in Cross Plains. The business houses all closed and the citizens of the town in order to show their loyalty to the town, and its ordinances went fishing.

Say, we desire to say something more about home conditions, you see there is but one of the boys at home and he was as ignorant about dispossessing a dead cow of her hide, as I would be about being president of the U. S. The family, (shame on them) contended that we should skin that cow. Now we are not adopted to such menial work as that,

being a literary man, news correspondent you know, and again a cow never dies in the shade in summer time, nor in the sunshine in winter and this one was no exception to the general rule. So we donned a pair of our cast off pants and a very ancient shirt and these being somewhat compromising to our refine tastes, but armed with a butcher knife, we went after that pelt, and after an hour of very arduous labor come off victorious.

Our berries have all gone but the very early peaches spliced the time and now the next early peaches are ripe and we are fareing like lords, and the young chickens are getting almost ready to be sacrificed, but Prof. Varner is laying for them and confound him he will get them, save a few for the preachers when the meeting begins.

T. F. Kelly a Confederate Veteran and an inmate of the Confederate Home, is visiting in Cottonwood the guest of J. T. Respass. Mr. Kelly was a long time resident of the Galveston country and was a trucker there. He experienced the horrors of the Galveston flood in September, 1900. At that time he crawled from his home to a neighboring house and dragged his wife, he and his wife however overlived that, but since that time Mrs. Kelly has departed this life and Mr. Kelly is now forlone and alone and making his home at the Confederate Home. Mr. Kelly has friends in a large portion of the country and has some enjoyment on furlough visiting his friends, your Uncle Jimmie being one of that number.

Now Uncle Billie we have written under very adverse circumstances this morning, you see our feelings were very much shuffled, having to engage in the humiliating exercise of having to work, while at work we were not permitted to "Keno," but now we are bound to take advantage of the liberty to "Keno."

"Uncle Jimmie."

CEDAR GROVE ITEMS

After a nice shower and quite an electric storm, I will try to contribute my little mite.

Will say things are moving at a lively rate everyone has plenty of work trying to be ready for the thrasher by July 1st.

Mrs. Hargrove made a quick trip to Putnam one day last week.

Mrs. M. E. Gary is visiting at Tom Garys.

Mr. Oscar Harvell visited his sister last week.

Mr. Addison McWhorter and family of Oplin, visited Mr. S. W. McWhorter Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. L. Harper and wife attended church at Zion Hill last Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Lovell visited at Joe Jmarts Sunday.

Mr. Woodie Thompson visited homefolks last Sunday.

Mr. Claud Edwards visited Mr. Chathams last Sunday Mrs. Earl Jobe visited at Claud Jobes.

Mr. Walter and Ervin Jones, of Admiral, also Mr. Trulove attended Sunday School at Cedar Grove Sunday.

Bro. T. H. Davis failed to fill his appointment at Cedar Grove last Sunday, was called elsewhere.

A bunch of girls visited at Emma Hargroves last Sunday, they report a pleasant day and a good time.

Miss Ethel Sikes went to the Cross Plains country last Saturday, returning Sunday evening.

Our clever mail carrier, Mr. Walls surprised us Monday, coming much earlier, riding in a new car.

George Weeks has two binders cutting his grain.

Capt. Smith said there had been a large grey horse in his crop, but when last heard of was in Mr. McWhorters field.

Mrs. Jim Heslep came near being bitten by a rattlesnake Saturday evening. She was taking clothes off the line and he gave

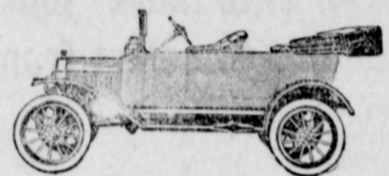
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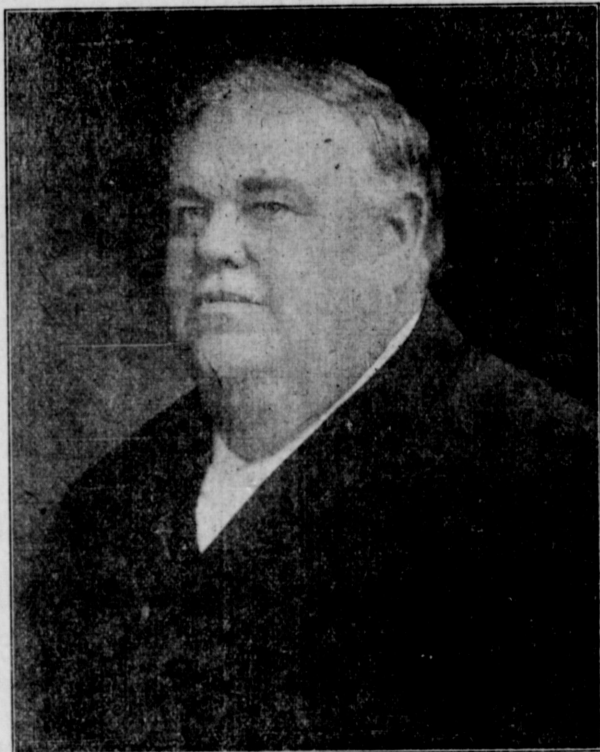
Laundry Basket leaves Monday and Wednesday; returns Wednesday and Saturday.

We miss you much, you ought to know it.
Just hunt up that old rusty pen,
And let us hear from you again,
My ink is bad my pen is worse,
So I'll not write another verse.
"M. E."

alarm, she called for help. Jim got the dirt shovel and put him out of business, he had ten rattles and was an ugly reptile.
Oh do come back our dear Star
Poet.

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