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SANDS ATTEND LEGION BARBECUE AND PICNIC FRIDAY



Photo by C. C. Price, Tahoka, Texas

estimated at from 5000 to 6000 people attended the American Barbecue and Picnic in Tahoka Friday of last week. The event was pronounced a great success from every viewpoint, and hundreds of people were heard to express their appreciation of the efficiency in which the affair was successfully carried out by the local post of the Legion.

After the ball games, the crowd assembled at the rodeo grounds immediately west of the park. There were something like 335 automobiles parked in a circle around the rodeo grounds.

First came the goat roping. Tom Standre, of Plainview, won first; time 10 seconds. Oscar Sumner, of Tahoka, second, with second loop; time 20 seconds.

In the wild cow roping contest Tom Standre, Plainview, Texas, won 1st; time 24 seconds. Gray Anderson, 2nd time 28 seconds.

Calf roping: Tom Standre, Plainview, 1st. Oscar Sumner, Tahoka, second. Virgil Mitchell, third.

Wild steer riding: Concho Bill, 1st; Marvin Garrett, 2nd.

Bronco riding: Marvin Garrett, 1st; Floyd, 2nd.

Concho Bill from Concho, entertained the crowd with some trick riding on a wild steer, and it was indeed entertaining, for he rode forwards, backwards, and all over that steer before he had finished.

Then came the main event of the afternoon, the riding of the 1200-pound black horse, known as "Easy Money." Virgil Cooper, of Lamesa, rode this horse and won the \$25.00 offered by the Legion for a rider. Although the horse pitched hard and fast, Cooper seemed to set in the saddle with all the ease and grace of an experienced bronc peeler.

The band contest was next in order, which took place on the court house lawn. Four bands entered the contest: Lamesa, Lorenzo, Slaton and Brownfield. The Legion had offered \$75.00 and \$25.00 first and second prizes for the best band. Lorenzo carried off first prize, while Lamesa took second money. Slaton and Brownfield had splendid bands and many were the compliments heard on the selections rendered by these organizations during the day. The music was instrumental in making the program a huge success.

Only one accident occurred during the day, which was very much regretted. The nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Flemming, residing 11 miles east, was run down by an automobile near the Guaranty State Bank building. The car was driven by a lady. It is later learned that the girl was seriously injured internally. It is hoped that her injuries will not result fatally. It is a wonder that more accidents did not occur owing to the jam in traffic on the principal streets.

This celebration tendered by the Marion G. Bradley Post of the American Legion will long be remembered by the thousands in attendance, and also, it left a good impression in the minds of the visitors that Tahoka entertained them royally every minute of their stay here.

Although Tahoka does not give a picnic and barbecue very often, it has long since been learned that she never does anything by halves, and the barbecue only served to prove this assertion.

Tahoka is proud of her Legion men and is every willing and ready to back them up with the coin of the realm in celebrations of this kind. Bees and cash was donated liberally by the citizens of the county. It was all freely given and all are willing to give the Legion all the credit for the success of the occasion and their untiring efforts were appreciated. Dancing was enjoyed Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights by the younger people on the large dance pavilion erected for this purpose. A special jazz orchestra was secured for the occasion.

"Tech" Locating Board Arrived on the Plains Tuesday



S. B. COWELL,
Chairman State Board of Control
and Chairman of Locating Board.



W. R. NABOURS,
Secretary of Locating Board



S. M. N. MARRS,
State Superintendent of Public
Instruction.



DR. W. B. BIZZELL,
President Agricultural and
Mechanical College of Texas.

The legislative board, composed of Dr. W. S. Sutton, acting president of the State University; Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the A. & M. College; Dr. F. M. Bralley, president of the C. I. A.; Dr. S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent of Public Education and Chairman S. B. Cowell of the State Board of Control, with Hon. W. R. Nabours as secretary, to select a site for the location of the Texas Technological College, provided for in an act passed by the regular session of the Legislature last winter, arrived on the South Plains at Wilson last Tuesday, which town is one of the thirty-seven applicants in west Texas, and the only town in Lynn county making a bid for the school.

The committee also visited Lubbock Tuesday afternoon and night. Some five hundred citizens of Lubbock met the committee at Wilson, and accompanied them to Lubbock, going via Slaton, where they stopped for a few minutes. A rally was held at Lubbock Tuesday evening in the Methodist Church and over 1200 persons who were boosters for Lubbock, attended the meeting. Many good the committee the main reasons why

Lubbock should have the college. The locating committee were in speeches were made. Mayor Percy Spencer delivered the opening address and in a few well chosen words gave Crosbyton and Spur Wednesday; Thursday at Floydada and Plainview; Friday at Tulia and Amarillo. From Amarillo they go to Claude Saturday

afternoon and then to Memphis to spend Sunday, finishing their inspection tour by visiting Quanah and Vernon the 6th and 7th of August.

The act creating the new school is the culmination of a demand on the part of West Texas for several years for an A. & M. school to be located at some suitable point north of the 29th

parallel and west of the 98th meridian, a compromise being effected by combining the teaching the technology and textile engineering, all of which means that in addition to the teaching of the arts and sciences, such as are taught in colleges of the first-class, agricultural pursuits and domestic husbandry and home economics, there must also be taught all branches of textile engineering, the chemistry of materials the technique of weaving, dying, tanning and the doing of all other things necessary for the manufacture of raw materials into finished products.

Within what portion of Texas, as described in the act, there is a demand and need for an institution of this kind more than any other section of the United States.

Just where the board will locate the school no one yet knows. It is hoped that the college will be located above the cap, where it will really be in west Texas proper.

It is stated that the board will make their decision within fifteen days.

Many Lynn County people attended the Tech meeting at Lubbock Tuesday.



DR. F. M. BRALLEY,
President College of Industrial
Arts, Denton.



DR. WILLIAM S. SUTTON,
Acting President University of
Texas.

CHURCH OF CHRIST MEETINGS

O'Donnell, Magnolia and Tahoka

Evangelist Chas. W. Watkins is now in a meeting with the Church of Christ at O'Donnell, to continue to August 8th.

Meeting with the Church of Christ at Magnolia will begin Saturday night August 11th, to continue to Sunday the 19th, and the Tahoka Church of Christ will begin its annual protracted meeting on Sunday night, August 19th, to continue over the 26th. Bro. Watkins will do the preaching in all the meetings. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

COMMITTEE

T. J. McCormock came in from California the first of this week.

Dr. J. R. Singleton, made a business trip to Snyder this week.

Miss Edith Waters of Lubbock was the guest of Miss Juanita Haynes Friday.

Miss Dovie Coltenback returned Sunday from Austin where she attended the Texas University the past two months.

Miss Grace Leedy, who teaches art in Kansas City is spending a few weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Leedy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Stevens, of Weed, N. M., arrived here Saturday enroute to Okmulga, Okla. They were accompanied by J. V. Dyer, east of town. They expect to visit at various points in Oklahoma during the next two weeks.

G. W. Farsyth, of Coolee, Texas, this week purchased through the West Texas Real Estate Co., of Tahoka, 200 acres of fine farm land southeast of town. Mr. Farsyth states that he will move on this land not later than January 1st and become a permanent citizen of Lynn county.

POST MAN IS KILLED IN AUTO WRECK FRIDAY

HEAD NEARLY SEVERED FROM BODY AS CAR DRIVEN BY A WOMAN PLUNGES THRU BARBED WIRE FENCE.

Lubbock, July 28.—J. M. Weatherford, Post City, is dead, Mrs. Grace Stahl is in a sanitarium here not expected to live, Miss Eugene Jackson, a young woman, and M. T. Mitchell are slightly injured as a result of an automobile accident on the Lubbock-Tahoka road midway between here and Tahoka Friday night.

Miss Jackson was driving a practically new sport model six-cylinder car when she came upon an unexpected turn. She lost control of the car, which plunged off the embankment, through a wire fence and turned over two and a half times, coming to rest upside down, with three of the party pinned under it.

Weatherford's head was completely severed from his body by a wire as the car hurled through the fence. Mrs. Stahl is internally injured and is suffering from cuts and bruises.

According to reports, Miss Jackson, Mrs. Stahl and Weatherford were in the car when it started from here, Mitchell being picked up after his car had broken down on the road.

Jim Batto and family, of Lorenzo, spent Friday in Tahoka.

Sheriff Cooksey, of Lamesa, Dawson County, was among the visitors in our city last Friday.

GEORGE M. HILL DIED AT SAN ANGELO SATURDAY

We are in receipt of information to the effect that George M. Hill, of San Angelo died there last Saturday and was buried at Merkel, the home of his parents, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Hill at one time resided in Lubbock, having been employed on the Avalanche a number of years ago, as reporter, and later was owner of the Tahoka Informer, a branch publication of the Avalanche.

In recent years he has resided in San Angelo, operating a job printing establishment there.

A dispatch from Merkel, under date of Sunday says:

"The remains of Geo. M. Hill arrived here Sunday morning over the Texas & Pacific from San Angelo, at which place he died Saturday morning. The funeral was held from the Methodist church at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. C. M. Hays, pastor of the church conducting the services. Burial immediately followed in the Rose Hill cemetery under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge.

"Mr. Hill was a printer and was well known throughout this district. He is survived by a wife and several children."—Lubbock Avalanche.

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Kitchen, of Post, passed thru Tahoka Friday enroute to Brownfield. The doctor is a skilled veterinarian and has a large practice all over the western portion of the State.

NEW FIRE SIREN

The city of Tahoka has recently attached to the motor fire truck, a siren whistle, which can be distinctly heard for many blocks. The citizenship of Tahoka are hereby warned that when this whistle is sounded, a fire is somewhere abouts, and we have been asked to tell the people to please stay off the streets with vehicles, for the fire truck surely has the right-of-way when a fire breaks out.

FARM LABOR UNION PICNIC AT BROWNFIELD

A Farm Labor Union Picnic will be held at Brownfield, tomorrow, (Saturday) and the following program will be rendered:

Farmers parade at 10 A. M., ending at the band stand on the court house lawn.

Band music.

Welcome address by Major Joe J. McGowan.

Response by E. W. McGee.

11 A. M.—Public address by L. L. Rhodes.

12:00 Noon. Farmers Union Basket Picnic on Courthouse lawn.

1:00 P. M. Band Concert.

2:30—Addresses by invited speakers. Athletic contests and races on the public square.

Mrs. W. E. Taylor and children, accompanied by Miss Beulah Lowe, left early Monday overland for a months vacation in Fort Worth, Comanche and other towns in that portion of the State. Miss Lowe is an employe in the law offices of Judge G. E. Lockhart of this city.

J. B. Ray and family returned the last week from an overland trip to the mountains of New Mexico. Mr. Ray reported quite a change in climate in the mountains from the South Plains, requiring heavy blankets at night.

H. A. Johnson, better known as "Hackberry Slim", from anywhere, was in town Monday distributing literature advertising the Cowboy's picnic and big basket picnic at Lamesa, August 17th and 18th. "Slim" has charge of the rodeo part of the reunion and promises to put on a show worth the money. There will be two big days and two big nights at Lamesa on the above dates. Read the advertisement announcing this event in the News.

Read the News for news.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH AT WILSON

The Methodist people in and around Wilson, are building a nice little church. They gave a working last Thursday July, 26, there were a good working crowd accepted the invitation and quite a lot of work was done that day. The ladies served dinner. It was a very enjoyable day for all.

We invite everyone to attend S. S. and preaching services at our church in Wilson.

A MEMBER

Letterheads, bill heads, statements, envelopes, cards, circulars, notes, or any other kind of printing promptly and neatly done at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Edwards, and Mr. Walter Edwards and daughter, Miss Ethel Lou, left Tuesday morning in their cars for Tahoka where they will visit various relatives and friends in that section. Mr. Barnard accompanied them as far as Abilene.—Crawford Advance.

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STILL CAPTURED NEAR SLATON BY COUNTY OFFICER

Sheriff Bud Johnston, accompanied by County Attorney Owen McWhorter and Ranger Ed Russell of Matador, were called to Slaton Wednesday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Tom Abel. Deputy Abel made a raid on a farm home near Slaton at eight o'clock Wednesday morning and had taken into his custody the occupant of the farm, Harmon Bachman, who he arrested while in the act of making whiskey.

According to the officer Bachman's still was located in a tent which was adjoining the house, and was in operation at the time the arrest was made. The officer captured the alleged bootlegger, the still and ten one-half gallon jars of whiskey, all of which were brought to Lubbock by Sheriff Johnston and the members of his party.

The alleged bootlegger was lodged in jail awaiting action of the grand jury and the court.

The only statement he made to the officers was that he was "making a little whiskey for his own use."

The still is one of the most complete that has been captured in this territory, however it was not as large, as its capacity is estimated at ten gallons. The brass worm was fastened in a five gallon galvanized tank, which, when full of water, served as a cooler to condense the steam from the cooker into liquid.

The plumbing about the still appeared to have been done by an experienced copper worker.—Lubbock Avalanche.

JETER-HOLLY

Sunday evening just before the preaching hour, Mr. N. D. Jeter and Miss Della Holly, were united in marriage by Rev. H. S. Hatchett, while seated in their car in front of the Baptist Church.

These young people have a host of friends who wish them a long and happy wedded life.

P. H. (Pat) Northcriss was a Post visitor Saturday.

The News is equipped to handle any kind of job printing. Call on us.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sanders of Lamesa, spent Friday and Saturday in Tahoka.

Rev. J. E. Eldridge, pastor of the Methodist Church at O'Donnell, was in Tahoka Monday.

Rev. J. T. Howell, editor of the Tahoka Methodist and E. S. Davis motored to Post and return Saturday.

Dr. W. N. Lemon, of Brownfield, was a business visitor in Tahoka Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor, of Crosbyton, were guests over Sunday of his brother W. S. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Roquomore, and daughter returned Monday from Ranger and Cisco, where they spent several weeks. Mr. Roquomore is manager of the Planters Gin Co., in Tahoka.

J. E. Ketter returned Friday from Kansas City and St. Jo, Mo., where he went with two cars of cattle which he sold on the market. The steers and cows were in fine condition, and Mr. Ketter stated brought him \$22.50 and \$35.00 per head.

The News failed to mention the return recently of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Redwine and family from a six weeks tour in the mountains of Colorado. They reported seeing lots of country enroute to and from the western states, but none appeared to them as does the great South Plains, and more especially Tahoka and Lynn County.

Messrs. G. H. Yates and D. T. Yates, accompanied by their families, are guests this week of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Yates in West Tahoka. Their mother has been quite ill and they made the trip here to attend her bedside. The former Mr. Yates resides at Alpine, Texas and the latter is a citizen of Valentine, Texas. They traveled overland to Tahoka.

WHO OWNS THE SANTA FE RAILWAY?

"The ownership of the Santa Fe is widely distributed," says W. B. Storey, president of the Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Co. The stockholders own and manage the property. Each share has an equal voice in all meetings of the company.

"There were 64,643 stockholders on December 31, 1922. Of these 29,820 were men and 29,235 were women. The balance was made up of firms, estates, and institutions, including 122 insurance companies, 108 educational institutions, 93 religious organizations, and 89 hospitals and charitable bodies.

"The average holding of stock," said Mr. Storey, "was 55.4 shares per name. The holdings run from one share upwards. 14,583 held five shares or less; 26,335 held from six to twenty shares; 12,938 held from twenty-one to one hundred shares; and only 4,409 held over one hundred shares.

Santa Fe stock is of two kinds, viz. preferred and common. Outstanding December 31st last there were 1,241,737 shares preferred stock and 2,270,525 shares common: total 3,512,262 shares.

"Preferred stock is limited to 5 per cent dividends. The remaining earnings are available for common stock dividends. For twenty-five years dividends on preferred stock have been paid and for the last twenty-three years not below 5 per cent. Dividends on common stock began in 1901 and since 1909 have not been below 6 per cent. Every year since the organization in 1896 something has been added to surplus.

"The number of stockholders in Santa Fe states," said Mr. Storey, "is steadily increasing. In 1910 there were 1,792 stockholders in these states while in 1922 the number had grown to 7,831.

"The bondholders are also deeply interested in the Santa Fe," continued Mr. Storey, "even though they have no share in the ownership or management. The bondholders are loaners of money, the bonds representing a mortgage on the property to insure payment of the money loaned.

The Santa Fe had outstanding December 31, 1922, in round numbers \$287,000,000.00 of bonds," said Mr. Storey. "These bonds are owned by many individuals and organizations. Insurance companies hold bonds to the amount of \$78,042,000; savings banks \$18,707,000.00; charitable institutions \$9,781,000.00; corporations \$51,339,000.00; and individuals \$129,196,000.00. The number of bondholders is about 32,000." A. M. HOVE.

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During its history with a territorial form of government, the District of Columbia had two governors. Governor Cook and Governor Shepherd. President Grant appointed Governor Shepherd and stood by the governor in all the furious attacks made upon him in the stormy political strife that prevailed in the District of Columbia when the people had the vote.

The attacks upon Governor Shepherd became so fierce that he left the District after congress had killed the territorial form of government and established the present form; three commissioners appointed by the President; a District of Columbia committee, in both house and senate, was created and passes upon appropriations, schools and all matters pertaining to the government of the District and the city of Washington. There is no city in which the people of North, South, East and West meet and commingle as they do in Washington. Every accent in speech, and the colloquialisms of every state are heard there. Practically every nationality and country of the world is represented in Washington in the 34 embassies and legations of foreign countries. But Washington is distinctly an American city in the make-up of its population. Practically all the officials, government clerks and employees are American-born and come from every state.—Exchange.

Wires Too Fine for Sight.
Tungsten, the metal from which modern electric filaments are made, can be drawn into wire so fine as to be invisible to the naked eye except when held against the sun. A pierced diamond serves as a die to spin this cobweb metal which, in spite of its almost impalpable fineness, is strong enough to bear up a pair of ordinary desk shears. Wire of this sort is used chiefly as fuse in delicate electrical experiments, where the least excess of current would destroy intricate and costly apparatus.

Tungsten cannot be successfully bent and shaped cold. Because of this peculiarity, the cone-shaped filaments for certain types of lamps are made by winding the tungsten wire around a slender steel mandrel, or core, and after fixing it with heat, dissolving away the steel, leaving the shaped filament as it appears in the finished lamp.

MILK COW WANTED. SEE OR PHONE J. A. STARK

SOUGHT TO PRESERVE SOUL

Ancient Egyptians Had Firm Belief That Another Life Followed the Mortal Career.

When a person of importance died in ancient Egypt the embalming process was soon started. An incision was made with a stone knife—for some reason, metal knives were never used—and the viscera were drawn out. The brains, too, were removed. The organs were preserved in jars, which were inclosed in a box and put into the tomb with the mummy.

Strong embalming fluids were poured into the body, which was then steeped in natron and left for 70 days. After this it was washed and bound with strips of the finest flax, strong gum being used to secure the wrappings.

The mummy was first placed in a wooden coffin. The later was deposited in another coffin, which in turn was enclosed in a third, shaped in the form of a human being.

The idea was that the soul was free to wander through the abodes of the dead for a period of about 10,000 years, after which it was supposed to return and look for its earthly body. Transmigration was imagined to have taken place if the body decayed or was disturbed.

The elaborate precautions taken to preserve the dead in those far-off days arose from humble beginnings dating back thousands of years, when the dead were dried in the sun and placed in a vault containing a few flint instruments and a pot or two of food for sustenance of the departed's soul on its journey.

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THE SUCCESSFUL GUNS OR THE FAILURES?

WHO MAKES A HABIT OF KNOCKING HIS HOME PAPER?
THE BUSH MAN? OR THE LOAFER?

WHO SENDS HIS PRINTING ORDERS OUT OF TOWN?
THE HOME TOWN BOOSTER? OR THE BURGISH GUY?

WHO'S MAKING OUR TOWN A GOOD PLACE TO LIVE?
WELL, IT AN'T THE BUSH MAN OR THE LOAFER OR THE BURGISH GUY.

Who's Who?

DESCRIPTION OF TAHOKA AND LYNN COUNTY, TEX. TAHOKA

THE SMALLEST TOWN IN TEXAS TO HAVE
PAVED STREETS.

TAHOKA, with a population of 1500 people, boasts of being the smallest town in the State with paved streets, which consists of 20 blocks of BRICK pavement, protected by a thick coat of Asphalt and gravel.

TAHOKA has a \$110,000.00 Court House, which would cost if built today, \$150,000.00, it being erected in the year 1916, which was before building material advanced so high.

TAHOKA has two banks with sufficient capital to help develop the County in any reasonable way.

TAHOKA Light and Water system is municipally owned and is valued at \$50,000.00, with an additional power unit being installed at a cost of \$10,000.00.

TAHOKA High School with an enrollment of more than 400 pupils, is affiliated with the University of Texas; our graduates can enter the University without examination.

TAHOKA churches, are represented by the Baptist, Methodist, Christians, Primitive Baptist and Presbyterians.

TAHOKA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will gladly furnish any additional information desired about the town and various communities upon request. Call the president—Day phone, No. 35; Night phone, No. 38; or the Secretary—Day phone, No. 22; Night phone, No. 88. No trouble to answer questions.

LYNN COUNTY

LYNN COUNTY, KNOWN THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AS "THE AXLE OF THE SOUTH PLAINS", jumped from a population of 17 people in 1900 to 1700 people in 1910; and from 1910 it jumped from 1700 people to 4700 people in 1920. We now have over 10,000 people in the county, which are mostly farmers and stock farmers.

SOIL

LYNN COUNTY soil runs from almost black sandy loam to chocolate loam, there being quite a lot of cat claw in some sections of the county. 16,086 bales of cotton was ginned in the county in 1922.

WATER

LYNN COUNTY water is the best on the South Plains and may be had in abundance from a depth of 20 to 120 feet.

MINERALS

LYNN COUNTY contains various minerals. Investigations and tests have been made and the alkali lakes are found to contain valuable deposits of Potash, Magnesia and salt, which have not been developed. A bulletin containing the results of tests, accompanied by a number of interesting and instructive charts can be obtained by applying to Dr. J. A. Udden, Director of the Bureau of Economic Geology and Technological University of Texas, Austin, Texas. The price of the Bulletin is 40c.

T— ITEMS

Here I come after an absence of two or three weeks. Health in this community is good.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blaylock are entertaining a new daughter at their home.

Miss Edna Simpson of Tahoka was mingling with our young folks Sunday.

Scott Poe's father and mother visited him last week. Mrs. Poe and children visited in Tahoka last week.

Bro. Eldridge held our protracted meeting at T— last week. Had a good meeting, three conversions and three additions to the church.

Bro. Curry will begin a protracted meeting at T— beginning Saturday night before the third Sunday in August.

Mr. Caton and family from Jones county visited his sister Mrs. G. W. Short.

Mr. R. T. Bohannon Wilson visited D. M. Estes and G. W. Short on Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Mrs. D. M. Estes and son James L. made a trip to Canyon Friday to meet Winnie and Della Ferguson who have been attending school at Clarendon this summer.

Grandmother Estes is visiting in Tula for a short time.

Almost all of us took in the barbecue at Tahoka Friday. Sure had lots of good eating and a good time.

W. L. Kuykendall and children Kay, Ethel and Tula goes on a trip to San Antonio, then to the coast.

Some of us have about laid by our crops by waiting for the harvest.

L. L. Rhodes will speak at Tahoka August, 6th; in the District Court room at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is invited to come and hear one of Texas' greatest speakers.

REPORTER

W. E. Hammonds of Crowell spent a short while here this week visiting in the Lockhart home.

Judge Cunningham, prominent lawyer passed through here Wednesday on his way to New Mexico.

Van Swofford came in Wednesday from Ponca City, Okla., for a few days with his family at this place.

Ray W. Allen manager of the Rix Furniture and Undertaking store at this place is on the sick list this week. We hope he will be able to return to his work at an early date.

Miss Kimball Ray of Sweetwater, and Malcolm, Jr. Dubbins, of Roscoe, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stewart in north Tahoka.

Miss Verlan Weatherford, of Alamogordo, New Mex., visited with her cousin Miss Inez Weatherford, a few days last week.

Mrs. J. D. Brown and daughter, of Bera Blanco are visiting her sisters Mesdames S. W. Sanford and J. S. Weatherford.

G. W. Hickerson and family are out of town visiting their son Joe at Graham.

W. D. Nevells, E. A. Moore and families motored to Crosbyton Sunday where they visited with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Henderson has been confined to her room for several days with fever.

G. H. James of Hale Center was here Saturday and Sunday visiting in the homes of A. L. Jones and S. B. Goodrich.

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a portion of beef you may want we can supply you with satisfaction. Chops, steaks and roasts of fresh and tender beef await your inspection here in the "spotless market."

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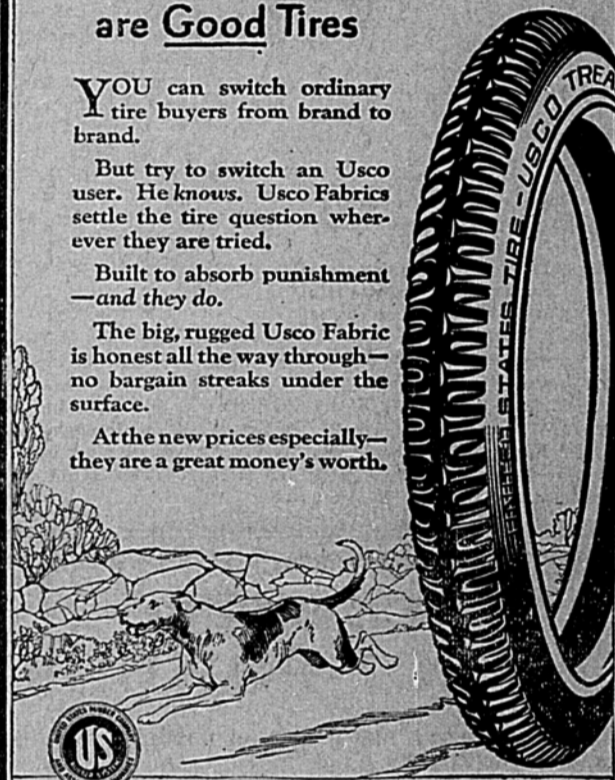
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C. A. BURRUS, Secretary, Lubbock, Texas.

Mrs. E. R. Sorrels and Tommie of Chilton, were the guests of Dr. J. R. Singleton and family.

LOCAL REAL ESTATE CO. SEND THE NEWS TO OUT-OF-TOWN PARTIES

The West Texas Real Estate Co., of Tahoka, have recently order the News sent to the following parties residing in various parts of the state: Mr. Reasonover, J. W. Collins, Bill Cook, J. K. McCall, J. K. Callaway.

The West Texas Real Estate Co., are real boosters for Lynn County, and believe in advertising this section all that it is possible to do so and sending the News to the above parties each week keeps them in constant touch with this immediate section of the South Plains.

TAHOKA 4; NEW HOME 3

The New Home base ball team came to Tahoka yesterday for a game with the locals. Tahoka did not play her regular lineup, but the boys managed to carry off the big end of the score, 4 to 3.

REPAIRING

When you break your watch, don't throw it away. Bring it to me and I will make it as good as new at a reasonable price. WORK GUARANTEED.

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LOOKING FORWARD

WHEN YOU ARE ONE OF THE FEW WHO DID NOT BEGIN LAST YEAR FOR A SUMMER VACATION, WHY NOT START RIGHT NOW TO SAVE FOR NEXT SUMMER AND THEN WHEN VACATION TIME ARRIVES YOU WILL BE ABLE TO COME HERE AND DRAW OUT A BIG SUM FOR A TRIP OR TO SPEND IT ANYWAY YOU LIKE. IF YOU MAY WISH TO DEPOSIT WILL START YOU THIS CONVENIENT METHOD OF SAVING, AND WE WILL HELP BY ADDING INTEREST EVERY FEW MONTHS ON THE TOTAL OF YOUR ACCOUNT.

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WHY NOT HAVE A BAND?

This question is asked almost daily by some citizen. And why can't Tahoka have a band? The answer is this, if we can arrange some permanent way in which to insure the salary for a competent instructor, Tahoka can have as good a band as their is in the west. There is plenty of good talent in and around Tahoka, the majority of whom have had experience along this line. A good band does not require such a big outlay of money, and the returns to the town are twofold; and at the same time it is of great value to the player. There is no good reason why our town cannot have a band, if someone would interest themselves in the proposition and take the lead on the proposition.

If you want more folk to come to Lynn County to make their homes we must let them know what a wonderful country we have and extend to them a cordial invitation to come and look our lands and excellent crops over. They generally stay.

The News was favored with a fraternal visit from Editor J. W. Smith and Son, J. W. Jr., of the Lamesa Reporter last Friday. These gentlemen are livewire boosters for their home town and county, and the Reporter

is one of the most interesting papers reaching our desk. The Smith's are members of Lamesa's crack sixty-five piece band, and are real musicians as well as newspaper men of the first rank.

John Evans brought to this office Monday several stalks of cotton, which was an average of his crop, consisting of 160 acres. Mr. Evans resides 10 miles north of Tahoka. He has a fine stand and will make on an average of one-half bale to the acre.

The greater portion of Lynn county has received a goodly amount of moisture, although a general rain would be appreciated at this time, according to statements made by various farmers over the county.

Congressman Marvin Jones, of Amarillo, was a Tahoka visitor for a few hours Friday afternoon. He was one of the principal speakers on the Legion program during the barbecue and basket picnic. He was kept busy shaking hands and meeting his many close friends from over this section.

STOPPED HIS PAPER

Two weeks ago a man stopped his paper. We suppose he is wondering how it happened that the Slatonite came out last week. Some boy-cott, believe me. We also venture the assertion that this particular man and his family are reading the paper just the same. Yet his neighbor pays for it—Slaton Slatonite.

We had this to happen with the News not many weeks since, Donald, but we're still doing business at the same old stand. Of course we want the good will of all fair-minded people, but this bird who stopped his paper, will never hurt our business or reputation one way or the other. Yes, he too, borrows his neighbors or kinsman's paper every week and scans its columns with an eagle eye to see what's going on. We're glad that these kind of folks are few in number in the Lynn County section. If they were too thick, we'd probably hunt new territory.

Newspapers are the greatest medium of publicity for the communities in which they are published. The press should have the unqualified support of the citizenship through subscriptions and advertising not because of any charity but because of good business.

WHY LYNN COUNTY SHOULD HOLD FAIR

In nearly every progressive county we can now find a County Fair at some time during the Fall. Many communities within counties have local fairs, and then go together for a County fair. Not only are these fairs good trade builders for the town putting them on, but the whole county is benefitted. In the first place, the county is advertised among her sister counties as one which is wide-awake and progressive. Secondly, farmers from one side of the county get acquainted with their neighbor farmers on the other side of the county. They see what the other fellows have done in the way of growing pigs and pullets, and find out how they managed to get such fine crops of feed. But right here is where many good farmers feel like cussing themselves. "I have better stuff than that at home, and I sure wish now I'd brought it; reckon I could've taken a few of these prizes myself!" Such expressions are woefully common when the Fair is ABOUT OVER.

Lynn County has the crops, the stock, and the ability in every way to have a cracking good County Fair. Let's begin giving the colts a little attention and halter training; the pigs a little more slop, and the calves a little grain with their milk. Begin watching out for good heads of maize. It takes only ten heads to make a sample for show purposes. Store away that big watermelon and his yellow cousin, the pumpkin. Even canned fruit and vegetables have a place in the fair. Besides the latter, of course the ladies have their sewing exhibits, etc.

What do you say? Let's go!
J. A. STARK,
Agriculture Department, Tahoka High Schools.

SOME GREEDY PEOPLE

Speaking of a private picnic near Brownfield the past week, the Herald of that city has the following to say with regard to greedy people. The same thing occurred during the Legion barbecue and picnic in Tahoka last Friday. Read what the Herald says about it: "There was a decided difference in this crowd and the one assembled here July 4th. You have often heard of the 'wooly west' but in no time in its history have we had bad mannered people out here. These were all old timers here and each seemed to want the other fellow to be served first. Not so July 4th. These 'wampuses'—I believe that was what Mr. Suddy termed bad mannered people—almost ran over each other on the 4th. Some of them carried off enough beef in pots and pans to last their families several days, and pies and whole cakes were snatched away from women who preparing to cut them. These people did not come from west of the 98th, but east of it. And such pigs need to be guarded away from tables with shot guns like a bunch of convicts. That's about all such birds would respect."

A GOOD FAIR WILL HELP ANY COMMUNITY

A good county fair will help any community. Fairs are for everybody and each and every citizen should contribute to their success. We should look upon them as our fairs. They are just as good and big as we make them. When we go to our Fairs and say, "I can beat that," we indict ourselves for neglect of duty. Don't let's stand off and scoff. Fairs are a good thing. Let's help them along. If we contribute to our church, patronize our school, or deposit in our bank, we take more interest and pride in these institutions, and we become better citizens by doing so. It is the same with fairs when we exhibit at them and thus contribute to their success.

If no plans have been made for a community fair in your section, why not see your neighbors, your school committee, your county agent, and your local merchants and bankers and arrange for one. Then call on everybody in the neighborhood to send at least one exhibit.—The Progressive Farmer.

14-YEAR-OLD SON OF MR. AND MRS. E. E. McMANIS INJURED SWIMMING

The fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McManis, residing in the north portion of Lynn county, was injured last Thursday while in swimming. A large gash was cut in the calf of his leg when he came in contact with a barbed wire in the tank. He was brought to Tahoka and placed under the care of a physician. It required fourteen stitches to close the wound.

Misses Lula and Lillian Henry of Slaton were the week end guests of Misses Ollie and Don Clinton.

Miss Amanda Eastland returned to her home in Brownwood Monday after a few days visit with Misses Era and Ida Small.

BIG FRENCH "75" IN PARADE HERE FRIDAY

One of the main attractions in the business mens. parade during the Legion barbecue and picnic Friday, was a famous French "75", which was loaned the local post by the Lubbock Legion. The appearance of the gun in the parade caused a great deal of comment by the thousands that had the privilege of viewing it from the sidelines. This type of gun was the most famous calibre used during the late world war, according to statements made by the local Legion men. It shoots a three-inch shell a distance of from three and one-half to four miles.

The local American Legion deeply appreciated the loan of this gun from the Lubbock commandry, and feel that it was largely instrumental in making the parade the success that it was.

C. W. WITCHER FILLS SPEAKING DATES HERE

C. W. Witcher, of Fort Worth, Tex., spoke on the courthouse lawn in Tahoka Saturday and Monday nights. Mr. Witcher's addresses were against the Knights' of the Ku Klu Klan. It is estimated more than one thousand persons heard his address Monday evening. He engaged in a debate with Rev. Chism, who spoke in favor of the Klan before a large audience in Post City Saturday afternoon.

AMERICAN LEGION EXTENDS THANKS TO LOCAL PEOPLE

To the Citizens of Tahoka and Lynn County:- We express our appreciation and thanks, to those who so liberally donated money, beeves, baskets and many other things to make our recent Picnic and barbecue a success. We feel that without your co-operation, it would not have been a success. Again, let us thank you.
AMERICAN LEGION POST, No. 250
TAHOKA, TEXAS.

BOOTLEGGERS SHOW GOOD SPEED AT LAMESA

Sheriff Cooksey and Deputy Sheriff Walter Henderson chased some gentlemen out of town last week and gave them such a hot chase that they threw several quarts of whiskey all of which broke except one that happened to land in a mud hole. It happened about 12 o'clock at night and the bootleggers were in a high powered car and the officers in a Ford, and they outstepped the officers easily.—Lamesa Reporter.

LUBBOCK GIRL'S LOCKS CLIPPED BY ROBBER

Lubbock, Texas, July 28.—Lubbock was visited by a curl robber last night when the residence of G. E. Warlick was entered by an intruding robber between 10:30 and 11 o'clock, who succeeded in clipping half of the curly hair from the head of Reba, a beautiful fourteen-year-old girl, before her screams awoke her father. The young girl was frightened by the intruder endeavoring to turn her head over so he could clip the other side of her hair. Her father followed the trail of the intruder but was unable to catch sight of him.

Congressman Marvin Jones returned Saturday from Tahoka, where he delivered an address at an American Legion picnic Friday. He said that cotton was in splendid shape in the South Plains.—Amarillo Daily News.

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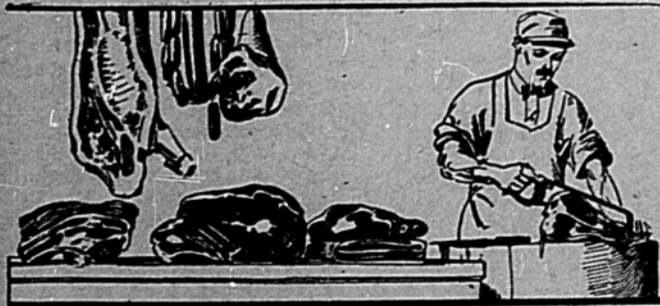
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By Phebe K. Warner

...a great day for America...
 ...great day when William and...
 ...Yale were founded. It was...
 ...long step forward toward the...
 ...education when Smith's...
 ...and Welleale opened their...
 ...the girls and women of Ameri...
 ...human being can measure the...
 ...these colleges have been to...
 ...the world since their ori...
 ...three hundred years have...
 ...since Harvard, the oldest col...
 ...the United States was founde...
 ...for men. More than two hun...
 ...before the public school...
 ...the children became a...
 ...strange, doesn't it, that our...
 ...founded colleges for men...
 ...before they ever thought...
 ...public school for all the children?
 ...how those old boys of the 17th...
 ...centuries ever entered col...
 ...a diploma from an ac...
 ...high school or entrance exam...
 ...Wonder where and how they...
 ...prepared to enter college in...
 ...? Wonder why they did not...
 ...the public school first? Were...
 ...the children in those days? Must...
 ...or where would the men...
 ...come from? It takes a world of...
 ...to make a world of men and...
 ...But suppose somebody had...
 ...of building a public school...
 ...hundred years ago, who would...
 ...it? How could they have...
 ...teachers without a college to...
 ...? You ever studied the develop...
 ...of every educational movement?
 ...that they all move backward?
 ...down from the top to...
 ...the bottom? Suppose we will...
 ...the very bottom in education...
 ...start up all together? From...
 ...few great colleges our national...
 ...of education has branched out...
 ...and out and taken root in...
 ...colleges and district colleges...
 ...and colleges, and even private...
 ...for a more select few. And at...
 ...seventy-five years ago...
 ...thought out a way to try to...
 ...all the children and planned...
 ...public school. The free public...
 ...was planned to reach all the...
 ...and so far seems to be next to...
 ...great step in education. But...
 ...to reach all the people. Be...
 ...many had passed the school...
 ...the free school was cre...
 ...then it took so long to build...
 ...schools to reach all the chil...
 ...another generation or more...
 ...before there were enough...
 ...to go around. And sometimes...
 ...and girls were needed so...
 ...home that they were not sent...
 ...And, anyway, nobody had...
 ...their children to a free school...
 ...they wanted to. If they thought...
 ...children were worth more to...
 ...of school than the school...
 ...worth to their children they...
 ...up them out. But while mil...
 ...boys and girls all over the...
 ...out in the fields helping to...
 ...crops that fed the people...
 ...up the country so that more...
 ...could be built all over the...
 ...thers who had had the ad...
 ...of the earlier colleges were...
 ...not more education and more...
 ...for everybody to learn.
 ...day about ten years ago...
 ...got an idea into his head

something like this: "Of what earth...
 ...ly good is all this scientific knowl...
 ...doing locked up in the cold storage...
 ...cell of college professors' brains? Why...
 ...not plan a way to get the knowl...
 ...that has actually been discovered and...
 ...proven to be true into circulation?
 ...Why not get it to functioning out i...
 ...the homes and the fields and the fa...
 ...ctories of the nation and for the good...
 ...of the people who are paying the bills...
 ...and building the colleges and develop...
 ...ing the country which makes all pro...
 ...gress possible?"
 ...Bright idea! And somebody must...
 ...have patted himself on his own head...
 ...and said, "Let's do it!" It must be a...
 ...glorious sensation to become conscious...
 ...that you are the mother of a new...
 ...thought even if you are a man. It is...
 ...no small thing to become the mother...
 ...of a new thought. Sometimes it results...
 ...in even more pain than the natural...
 ...road to motherhood. Then to nurture...
 ...a new thought and keep it growing...
 ...and "rear it up" to maturity and mar...
 ...ket it for the good of the world is a...
 ...greater task than rearing a sure...
 ...enough child. But it can be done and...
 ...it has been done and this we believe...
 ...is the latest and the greatest step for...
 ...ward in the realm of education that...
 ...America has ever known. And what...
 ...is it?
 ...It is the Extension Service plan of...
 ...education. The plan by which the...
 ...Federal Government, the State gov...
 ...ernment and the county government...
 ...all work together to bring the very...
 ...best and latest in practical, useful...
 ...economic education out to the people...
 ...A plan of education that can be ap...
 ...plied right where it is taught; where...
 ...the farm itself is the scientific laboratory...
 ...where the experiments are tried and...
 ...the owner of the farm and his family...
 ...are the students who are getting the...
 ...full benefit of the education they...
 ...are making possible for the whole nation...
 ...No expensive school house needed. No...
 ...long list of faculty members. No en...
 ...trance examinations. No high school...
 ...requirements. No final examinations...
 ...to scare the life out of you. All the...
 ...government asks of any county is to...
 ...pay part of the salary of one man as...
 ...an instructor for the boys and men...
 ...and one woman to direct the work of...
 ...the women and girls. The same teacher...
 ...in such schools may superintend a...
 ...thousand pupils and students alone...
 ...We see where the county agent in Red...
 ...River County, Texas, has one thou...
 ...sand boys in his clubs and they held...
 ...their annual encampment last Friday...
 ...and Saturday at Clarksville. When...
 ...you were a boy you never heard of...
 ...any encampment but a camp meeting...
 ...did you? Well that is what this was...
 ...only it was made up of boys instead...
 ...of preachers and the director was...
 ...county farm agent instead of the pre...
 ...siding elder and they talked farming...
 ...instead of religion and all the boys...
 ...in the county belonged to the same...
 ...denomination - FARMERS. But we...
 ...must stop after saying we believe...
 ...the Extension Service in Education...
 ...for boys and girls, men and women...
 ...is the greatest plan of the ages and...
 ...stages in education because it has...
 ...finally brought the best in education...
 ...down to the last one of us no matter...
 ...who we are or where we live. And it...
 ...looks like education has at last...
 ...struck the bottom and now we are...
 ...ready to all begin to climb the hill...
 ...of life together.

THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

MAGNOLIA ITEMS

A light shower of rain visited this community last Friday night which was highly appreciated.
 The meeting at Central closed last Sunday night with a good success.
 W. G. Briley and family, B. J. E-mannell and family left Monday for the White Mountains where they will spend a few days.
 Quite a number from here enjoyed the picnic at Tahoka last Friday.
 Mrs. W. E. Gadberry and children visited in the home of J. E. Young Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamilton attended church at O'Donnell Sunday.
 J. B. Ray and family have returned home from a trip to the White Mountains.
 R. B. McCord and family left last Monday for Carlsbad, N. M. where he will visit his brother.
 Miss Minnie Foster has returned home from where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. J. B. Ray.
 Mr. J. E. Morgan has purchased a Ford car.

CORRESPONDENT

NOTICE!

This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted and everybody is forbidden to hunt, fish or any way trespass on our property. GREEN & LUMSDEN, 93

J. K. Houston and family, of Clovis, N. Mex., passed thru Tahoka Monday afternoon enroute home from an overland trip in South Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE By owner-
 Lots 13-14-15-16-Block 20 Tahoka.
 (4tp) S. F. KING, Slaton, Texas.

LAMESA BANKER ACCIDENT- LY KILLS SELF WITH GUN

Lamesa, Texas, July 31.—W. B. Looney, prominent insurance man and a director of the First State Bank of Lamesa, accidentally shot and killed himself this morning while taking a gun out of his car.

The accident occurred in Big Spring. Mr. Looney and a party of friends were enroute to the Concho river on a fishing trip, and it was just after they had stopped their car at Big Spring that the accident occurred.

Mr. Looney has figured conspicuously in the development of Lamesa and surrounding country, and the entire population is grieved at his untimely death.

15 HUNDREDTHS RAINFALL

Again the News is able to report a light rainfall in Tahoka and portions of Lynn County. Last Friday night a slow sprinkle fell throughout the evening, measuring 15 hundredths of an inch. The fall was heavier to the south and southeast of Tahoka, it is learned. Many of the lakes are at the present time full of water in this vicinity.

D. M. Keltner and son, Jim T., of Ada, Okla., were prospecting in Tahoka the first of the week. They are in the wholesale grocery business in Ada. They were very favorably impressed with this immediate section of the South Plains and will in all probability purchase land in the vicinity of Tahoka. Through the courtesy of the West Texas Real Estate Co., of Tahoka, they will become regular readers of the News, beginning with this issue.

Prof. H. C. Zornes and Wm. Russell, prominent teachers of Brownfield spent Monday in Tahoka looking after business interests. Prof. Zornes was formerly superintendent of schools here, and Prof. Russell was for many years postmaster at Slaton before going to Brownfield.

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Lamesa, Aug. 17 & 18

THE ENTIRE TOWN WILL BE ARRAYED IN GALA ATTIRE, MINGLING IN THE JOYOUS SPIRITS OF FRONTIER DAYS.

EVERY AVAILABLE ATTRACTION WILL BE ON HAND, TO AMUSE BOTH BIG LITTLE, OLD AND YOUNG.

LIBERAL CASH PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY EACH DAY.

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Misses Flora, Lois and Enetia Goodrich and brothers Floyd and Raymond visited with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Henson at Lockney a few days the first of the week.

W. M. Waldrip and family recently returned from an overland trip to Johnson County, Texas. They are prominent citizens in the T-Bar community. Mr. Waldrip says the South Plains still looks good to him.

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INTERESTING LETTER FROM THE ATLANTIC

Below is a letter from Frank E. Burkhalter of Nashville, Tenn.; to his brother H. P. Burkhalter at Grassland On Board the Cunard R. M. S. "Berengaria", Sunday, Somewhere on the Atlantic.

H. P. Burkhalter, Post. Texas.

This is our sixth day at sea and there has not been the least semblance of roughness, so far, and as we are due to land at Southampton, England, late Monday, the indications are we will make the whole trip across without anyone on board getting the least seasick. It has been a beautiful journey, so far. The sea is a vast expanse of level blue just as far as we can see in every direction, the scenery changing slightly from time to time as the sun shines or hides behind a cloud, the moon comes out at night, a passing ship tooms up on the horizon, a school of porpoises appears to play in the waters about us, or an occasional whale comes to the surface to blow out his nostrils in protest against being disturbed. We have seen no sharks so far.

Our boat came out of New York on time Tuesday morning and was escorted down the harbor by a small vessel containing a detachment of New York police and a band which serenaded us as we came out; its last selection being "There Is No Place Like Home." Although I am traveling second class our staterooms are well equipped, our dining room is elegant, an orchestra plays through our meals, and our general service everywhere is as good as could be desired. While all the meals are abundant there is a special service of beef tea or bouillon and crackers on the decks at 11 each morning and of regular hot tea, bread and butter sandwiches and cake at 4:30 in the afternoon. I am not eating extra heavily at meals, nor do I take the tea, and though I am getting a fine rest I do not think I have gained any weight yet. I am feeling fine as a result of the rest, however, and if I do not gain any weight on the trip I'm sure I'll be in better position to gain when I get back home.

The weather has been delightful, cool enough to be very stimulating and refreshing, yet warm enough to enable us to sit on the decks any time of the day or early evening by slipping on wraps and using our steamer rugs. We are now a good deal further north than we have been, as we dipped considerably south for the first two or three days in order to avoid contact with the icebergs. The melting of the icebergs to the north of us caused a dense fog for several hours, and during that time the boat slowed down considerably and blew the fog whistle almost constantly as a warning to any other ships that might be in this vicinity. We now have fair weather and are making good time. Our average per day will be something in excess of 500 miles, our best day being 582, the best the ship ever made going east, when a day has only 23 hours, due to the change in time.

There are about 70 persons in the Armstrong party of which I'm a member and all of them are congenial. I break away from the party at London next Saturday in order to go to Stockholm early and will have to spend next Sunday on the boat also. We had Sunday School on the deck this morning for our party and prayer meeting there Wednesday night. Tonight Dr. Truett will preach in the dining room after supper. So we are not neglecting our religious life although there are a number of irreligious forces manifest on the ship. We attended a Church of England service after Sunday School this morning.

There are a number of games on the boat, including bull board, something similar to pitching dollars; quirts, similar to pitching horse shoes and shuffle deck, something similar to croquet. I have tried several of them and enjoy shuffle deck more than any of the others. The library has plenty of magazines and books available, and there are lots of comfortable lounging chairs, but I brought my own reading matter with me and prefer doing my reading on the deck in the open air, where I have a good steamer chair.

Early Saturday morning we passed the Homeric, the boat on which I am to sail from Cherbourg, France for New York, August 15. It's a good looking vessel, only about two-thirds the size of the Berengaria, on which I am going over. The Berengaria is over 900 feet long and has every modern convenience including a gymnasium, swimming pool and cold storage facilities for storing food supplies for 3,000 people for a week or ten days. There is a possibility we will make the trip in a little more than six days if the weather remains good.

I have changed my plans for sight-seeing after I leave Stockholm. Instead of going into Germany and Switzerland, as I had planned, I'm going into Norway, which is nearly as pretty as Switzerland, because it adjoins Sweden on the west; and then

visit briefly Belgium, Holland and France. I'll thus get the most attractive parts of Northern Europe this time and trust to the future to bring me an opportunity to see Italy and Switzerland, the charming sections of countries in Southern Europe.

P. S. We are now nearing the French coast, where we stop early Monday, and will cross over to England in time to land Monday afternoon, I hope. Will write you again soon. With best wishes.

FRANK E. BURKHALTER.

THEORIES AS TO DIAMONDS

Many Causes Put Forward for the Breaking of the Hardest Stone Known to Exist.

Much attention has been given to the question of the origin of the numerous broken fragments of diamonds found in the Kimberly mines. One hypothesis is that these fragments owe their condition to violent eruptive outbursts that shattered the rocks in which they occur. Another common belief is that certain classes of diamonds frequently break spontaneously. One authority states that light brown, smoky diamonds often crack on exposure to the dry air, but they will remain intact if kept in a moist place. In accordance with this notion there is a popular story of South African diamonds being sent to England inside potatoes.

Another authority seems to attribute the fractures to the sudden lowering of pressure in the space surrounding diamonds and speaks of consequent explosion. He states that he has met persons who have heard of the bursting of smoky diamonds, but none who ever witnessed this phenomenon with his own eyes.

This idea of the bursting of diamonds is of great antiquity. Albertus Magnus says that a diamond immersed in the fresh, warm blood of a goat will burst, especially if that animal had previously browsed on parsley or drunk wine. Pliny vouchsafes a similar notion. The majority of modern authorities believe that, in most cases, the breaking of diamonds has been due to the energy exerted by the mineral inclusions which they so often contain. These are most frequently garnet, but sometimes zircon, ilmenite, iron pyrites and possibly chrysolite. The thermal expansion of nearly all crystals, except those of the beryl family, at ordinary temperatures is much greater than that of the diamond. If the same is true under intense conditions of heat and temperature, differences in the rate of expansion and contraction of the diamond and its inclusion would account for the shattering.—Washington Star.

WATERWAY NOT NEW IDEA

Project of Connecting the Oceans Through Canal Across America Is Ancient One.

As early as 1522—seven years before the Panama canal project was first talked about—Gil Gonzales D'Alva explored Nicaragua in an effort to find a natural waterway or to select a route for a possible canal. In 1550 Antonio Galvao, a Portuguese navigator, proposed four routes for a canal across the isthmus—one by Lake Nicaragua and the San Juan river. The latter route was surveyed for the Spanish government in 1781, by Don Manuel Galisteo. About fifty years later John Bailey, an American, mapped out the route, and in 1872 the American government became interested. President Grant particularly favored a Nicaraguan canal. A company was formed and a construction expedition actually arrived on the scene, but the firm went into the hands of receivers.

The French started the Panama canal scheme, but because of rotten politics at home and yellow fever on the isthmus, it ended in dismal failure for them. The United States bought out the French interests and dug the Panama canal, but only after it had waged a strenuous battle against disease in Panama and reclaimed that country to health and sanitation.

Suggestion for Painters.

Painters have painted the first long pants, the first step, the first love, the first snow, the first violets and the first dance. But no one has ever painted the first shave.

The first shave is a dramatic and profound adventure. Sometimes it is for the sake of a girl and sometimes it is undertaken out of a growing admiration for the sandpaper on father's cheek.

It is also secret. With father's brush and soap the face is lathered behind closed doors and with father's razor the countenance is harrowed, raked and scraped. Disappointment is great that there is no loud, rasping sound as the down is harvested. One young man, now known to his few friends as a modest, manly and simple-spoken citizen, went so far as to shave his forehead on this occasion long ago.

Vienna Police Camera.

Some months ago, in Vienna, I saw a very ingenious photographic camera, invented by the official photographer to the police of that city. When taking the photograph of the scene of a crime the camera superimposed a scale upon the plate in such a way that a scale plan was no longer necessary, since the scale showed the exact distance in centimeters of every object in the field from the camera and from every other object. The invention had been in use in Vienna for some time, but it was unknown to any other force.—Sir Basil Thomson in the Saturday Evening Post.

Milton's Comeback.
No one has ever called John Milton a wit, yet the great poet could on occasion say a snappy thing, as an old letter, recently discovered, shows. Charles II desired to meet Milton, and when he did he made the bitter remark, "God hath punished you for your malice toward my father by taking away your eyesight."
"Aye," said Milton, "but before I lost my eyes I had a good head."—Boston Post.

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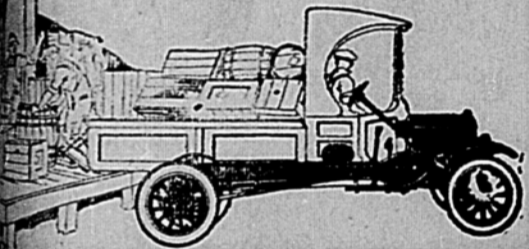
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Lee Woodall Claimed by Death

In the death of Lee Woodall, familiarly known to his many friends as Uncle Lee, at his home three miles north of Big Spring, shortly after noon, Tuesday, July 25th, Howard County lost a beloved and esteemed citizen. He had been ill the past three months or more due to the infirmities of old age. He was aged 81 years, 4 months and 11 days.

Mr. Woodall had made his home in Howard County the past eighteen years, having moved his family here from Bell County, and was a substantial citizen and a good friend and neighbor. He had a big heart and would never turn down an appeal for aid and many friends mourn the death of a man beloved by all who knew him.

He served with honor throughout the Civil War with the Confederate army and carried the scars of battle with him to the grave. He was a member of Company K of the 17th Regiment of Mississippi. He was seriously wounded at the battle of Chickamauga, and never fully recovered from the effects of that wound.

He was a true and faithful member of the Masonic fraternity and had been a member of that brotherhood for more than fifty-four years.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Willey at the graveside in Masonic Cemetery, 5 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon.

He is survived by his wife, four sons, Arthur and Hosea Woodall of Hidalgo, Texas, John Woodall of Norman, Okla.; and five grand children, Jessie Sharman of Tahoka, John Sharman of Roscoe, W. P. Sharman, of Panhandle, Mrs. J. W. Ziler of El Paso and Mrs. Wm. Powell of Sweetwater, and to these who mourn for their loved one is extended the deep sympathy of their many friends throughout this county.—Big Spring Herald.

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Over Scheme by Which Painter Shut Out Undesirable Visitor From His Studio.

A laughable story is ascribed to the artist and wit, Mr. Oliver Herford, by his associate, Mr. Edward Simmons, the painter. Mr. Simmons says that one day while he was enjoying a very agreeable call at Mr. Herford's studio their conversation was interrupted by a peculiar knocking at the door—three loud peremptory knocks at intervals of a second or two and then two more in quick succession.

Mr. Herford at once put his finger on his lip and motioned to his caller to be perfectly quiet. Neither man spoke or stirred while the curious knock was twice repeated. Then they heard the retreating footsteps of the knocker passing down the hall.

Then Mr. Herford relaxed his attitude of silent tension and smiled.

"That was Blank," he said, "a thoroughly good and well-meaning fellow, but a most frightful bore. I've stood all the calls I can from him. So I told him that I had given special knocks to all my most intimate friends in order that I might know when they called and let them in at times when I should be unwilling to be disturbed by less congenial callers. Blank was saying only the other night that I must have been out a good deal lately. He hasn't got in to see me since I assigned him his knock"—Youth's Companion.

HOLY CITY TO MANY SECTS

Jerusalem Held a Sacred Spot by Others Than Followers Precepts of the Christ.

We were in the outskirts of Jerusalem before we realized it. We turned a corner in the road, and there before us rose the city, set upon a hill in its narrow, noisome alleys, its tortuous lanes, its dim beams, its four-square houses with their brown mud walls, rising on the hillside, one above another, like chairs in an amphitheater. It resembles many another oriental city. But above the flat-roofed dwellings rise scores of imposing buildings in brick and stone, churches, convents, monasteries, hospices, mosques, and synagogues, representing the religious devotion of Protestant and Catholic, Latin and Greek, Copt and Armenian, Moslem and Jew. For it must be remembered that Jerusalem is the Holy city of the Hebrews and of the Mohammedans no less than of the Christians, for here Solomon reared the temple and on its site stands the great mosque of Omar, the third holiest place in the Moslem world.—Harper's Magazine.

BIG FAMILIES

The Ormsby quadruplets, who became nationally famous as dime museum attractions in 1902, still are living. It is said by authorities that this is the only case of all four members of a quadruple birth surviving into their maturity.

Their mother, Mrs. Josephine K. Ormsby, is farming at the outskirts of Chicago.

She was 26 years old when she married Clark Ormsby, plumber, in 1894. Her children came as follows:

- 1895—A boy.
- 1896—Twins.
- 1897—A girl.
- 1898—Twins.
- 1899—Triplets.
- 1900—A boy.
- 1901—Quadruplets.

Fourteen children in seven years! The quadruplets consisting of three sons and a daughter. They packed the dime museums for a couple of years and thereby brought considerable wealth to their mother.

The birth of a baby girl to Mrs. Mary J. Barton of Kellyville, N. M., recently made her the mother of 20 children at the age of 45.

You don't often hear of such big families in our generation. In grandfathers day, a family of 20 children would not have attracted much attention, for a perusal of the average family Bible will disclose that five or six children were considered a small family in the Civil War times, and, while offspring totaled 20 occasionally, 12 to 17 children were not at all uncommon.

Big families are getting fewer as the years slip by. The mother of 20 children is almost as much of a curiosity in 1923 as the Ormsby quadruplets were in 1901.

There'd be plenty of 20-children families, however, if the economic pinch was not quite so tight, though Lemuel Barton, farmer-father of the big New England family, says he finds it as easy to take care of 20 as 5.

Proudly he points out that if every family had 20 children our communities would have a great increase in population. They certainly would. There are about 20 million families in America, and if each had 20 children our population would be around 440 millions—four times as big as it is now. However, we'll have that population, and more in time.—Clipped.

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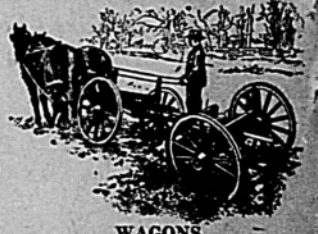
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The young people have decided to meet at the church next Sunday evening, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of reorganizing the local Epworth League, and you are invited to meet with them, and have part in their work.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist Church I expect to pay my respects to the Modern Dance, and those responsible for the dance platform during the American Legion Picnic. I would be glad for every one "interested" to hear me first-hand, so you will not have to base your criticisms on hear-say reports. I bear no man any ill-will, nor shall I do so, but I will speak so you cannot help understanding.

J. T. HOWELL, Pastor.

I. S. Doak and family returned the past week from an overland trip to mountains in New Mexico. "Slats" stated it was a hard matter to keep warm in that high altitude, requiring several blankets and a camp fire at the door of his tent. They report quite a pleasant trip.



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