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Jury Discharged Without Verdict In Bell Murder Trial

As this is written late Wednesday afternoon, the jury in the Leonard Bell case, in which the defendant is charged with murder, is still out. The case went to trial Monday morning and went to the jury about 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The jury has been out more than 24 hours, and while nothing is positively known as to how the jury stands, yet the surmises are that it is badly divided and will not likely reach a verdict. Either a verdict, in all probability, will have been rendered or the jury discharged without having reached a verdict before this paper is off the press.

Although both the defendant and the deceased were negroes, yet this case excited quite a wide-spread interest, and a large crowd including many ladies was present to hear the trial. A jury was secured about the middle of the afternoon Monday. The case was concluded about eleven o'clock Tuesday morning.

As much as there is a probability of another trial of the case, the News refrains from publishing any of the money advanced on the trial. The defendant claimed, however, that he was in self-defence.

The Court gave a very comprehensive charge, instructing the jury as to the law of murder, manslaughter, self-defence, and the suspended sentence, and issues raised by the evidence. The jury was listened to by the crowd with almost breathless interest. A few negroes occupied a space back of the court room, and no doubt felt a more personal interest in the outcome of the case than white folks.

The State was represented by District Attorney Gordon B. McGuire of Dallas, and the defendant by Judge Cookhart of this city.

The Jury was discharged at six o'clock Wednesday evening, having agreed upon a verdict. It will necessarily be continued at the next term of court.

FREE EMPLOYMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR COMMISSIONER

Several persons have been solicited by several of the county commissioners of No. 2 of Lynn county, I am placing my name before the said precinct as a candidate for office.

I have resided here ever since in the Draw community. I am a native Texan, having been born in Milan county. I am 45 years old, have taught school in Lynn county and at Borden county. I now teach in the first grade. I also hold a diploma from Commercial College as a bookkeeper. I own my home and am engaged in farming. I would like to be elected as your commissioner. I promise to practice the same in the management of the affairs that I do in my own business.

The pressing demands of my work, I will not be able to appear in person. I will ask those who do not know me to investigate my standing in the community in which I live, and if you feel good, please leave my ballot in the July primary election.

I can add but little to the announcement for commissioner. It is known that he bears a reputation for honesty and integrity among his neighbors to know him best. His educational qualifications are above the ordinary, and will no doubt make an efficient commissioner.

Light add, for the benefit of those who have not seen the announcement at Precinct No. 2 corner three precincts of the court house, and the northeast quarter of the Grassland being in the territory. Mr. Wells of the court house is serving as commissioner.

FRUIT SLIGHTLY DAMAGED BY FREEZE

Saturday night a cold wind swooped down from the north and sent the thermometer down with a rapidity that almost exceeded the speed limit. Sunday morning all exposed water surfaces were covered with a thick coat of ice, which did not thaw in many places during the entire day. It was one of the most disagreeable "spells" of the winter. Many fruit trees were in full bloom and it seemed as if the fruit crop would surely be utterly destroyed, but to the surprise of every one only slight damage to the crop seems to have resulted.

The weather has been cold and disagreeable ever since, and Wednesday morning a fine mist of rain began falling. It is to be hoped that the rainfall will be considerable before the skies clear up.

RURAL ROUTE EXTENDED

Postmaster D. A. Parkhurst has been advised by the Post Master General's Department at Washington that rural route No. 1 out of Tahoka has been extended so as to give better service and better service inclusive to about 100 families. The length of the route has been increased from 31.4 miles to 30.6 miles. The people living along this new route as well as the people of Tahoka generally appreciate this extended service and are thankful to Mr. Parkhurst for his successful efforts in obtaining this improved service.

MAN CHARGED WITH INCEST KILLS SELF

J. A. Kidd 55, took his own life yesterday morning at Floydada. Kidd was held in jail at Floydada on a charge of incest on his 20-year-old daughter. He had just been released on \$1,500 bond and went to the Boren hardware store where he bought a single barrel, 12-gauge shotgun from Mr. Harris, together with a box of shells, stating that he wanted to kill some dogs. On his way home he entered an old maize shed and pulling the trigger of the gun with a piece of balling wire, instantly ended his life. The muzzle of the gun was pressed against his breast and the gun discharged.

Kidd had been billed by the grand jury of Floyd county, which convened this week. His son, Jesse, 16, is now being held in the Floyd county jail on a similar charge and another son, Jessie, 19, is held in the Plainview jail, having been transferred here by Sheriff J. A. Grigsby to prevent communication with his father.

Kidd's wife has been dead about five years. He has several children. District Attorney Charles Clements is attending the session of district court in Floyd county. In the absence of Judge R. C. Joiner, who has gone to Mount Pleasant with Mrs. Joiner, Judge Don Culton of Tulla, is presiding over district court.

A few civil cases have been tried in district court there this week. Plainview Herald

CROSBYTON MAN FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

The News calls the attention of its readers to the announcement of Parke N. Dalton of Crosbyton for the office of District Attorney.

Mr. Dalton is a young man, having been engaged in the practice of law for less than five years, but in that brief period of time he has gained a reputation as an able and painstaking lawyer that many an older man in the profession would like to enjoy.

Personally this writer never met Mr. Dalton until he called at the News office one day last week, but we had heard much about him. He impresses one as being a young man of fine character and ability, and we feel confident that if he is elected to this position he will make a record that the entire district will be proud of.

Mr. Dalton was reared principally at Plainview. After serving in the World War, he located at Crosbyton for the practice of his profession, where he still resides. Thus far he has no opponent, and it is not thought that he will have one. The News predicts for Mr. Dalton a brilliant future.

Tahoka High School Beauty



MISS WILMA BRASHEAR, one of the most popular girls in Tahoka, has been voted the honor of being the most beautiful girl in Tahoka High school.

TAHOKA REPRESENTATIVES IN STOCK JUDGING CONTESTS SOON TO BE SELE

Seven Young Men Trying to Make the Team of Three

As the time for the West Texas and the State contests draw near, the boys in the vocational agriculture classes of Tahoka High School are working harder than ever to "make" the team which on April 4-5 goes to Canyon for the West Texas Stockjudging contest, and to College Station on April 21 for the state contest.

Seven have been picked by the agriculture teacher, Prof. J. A. Stark, from the twenty-two agriculture students now in attendance, the choice having been made on account of the average high grades made by these seven in workouts since the first of January.

Becoming a member of a stockjudging team depends not only upon the student's ability to recognize a good animal but also upon his ability to tell why the animal is a good one—or to "give reasons". In giving reasons the students uses the very best English at his command, and in order to do this he must be complete master of himself while talking before the judge. Self-reliance, too, is learned by the student judge, for he is forbidden to talk to anyone until after his reasons are given, and has his own judgment upon which to depend.

According to J. A. Stark, coach, it is going to be an extremely difficult task to pick out the three who will compose the team of three. Jess Key, Charles Nelms, Frank Larkin, W. T. Bovell, Sam Floyd, Leo Floyd, and Lee Roy Knight, the above mentioned seven, are all good students in stockjudging. Each will have an equal opportunity during the next three weeks to "show his stuff". The obligation of representing Tahoka in a state-wide contest will fall upon three of these young men. It is no small obligation, and such responsibility is seldom felt by high school students.

DISTRICT COURT BUSY THIS WEEK

The case of T. H. Lively vs. J. E. Ketter et al. was on trial in the district court Wednesday. This is a civil suit for damages for the alleged unlawful conversion or some mules belonging to plaintiff and mortgaged to defendant.

A forgery case was set for trial Thursday.

Many jurors, witnesses, and mere spectators have been upon attendance of the court from various parts of the county this week.

FIRE ON SPADE RANCH BURNED 25 SECTIONS

Olton, Texas, March 4.—A prairie fire, starting in the northwest corner of the Spaderanch, and covering an area of something like 25 sections of land, swept everything before it Monday. The strong west wind drove it in an easterly direction. The fire divided the head fire going down the draw, and the back fire edging east and north, toward Olton. Fire fighters kept the blaze from reaching the homes of Wicker, Beckner, Hooper, Eby and McLains, which were in much danger. The fire did untold damage to the grazing section. During the fire a great many wolves, coyotes and rabbits were driven from cover. Origin of the fire is unknown, but supposed to be from a camp fire or carelessness with matches.

MRS. W. H. DAVIDSON DIES

After a lingering illness of several weeks, Mrs. W. H. Davidson of the Lynn community died last Saturday morning soon after 5 o'clock. About six weeks prior to her death she had undergone a serious operation and had been confined in the Lubbock Sanitarium for treatment ever since.

Funeral services were conducted at the Westview Methodist Church in the Lynn community, of which she was a devoted member, the Rev. Johnson of Wilson, her pastor, conducting the services. The remains were interred Saturday afternoon in the Tahoka cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Mrs. Davidson left surviving her the husband, W. H. Davidson, and three small children, the youngest of whom was but seven weeks old.

The News joins many friends in expressing condolence to the bereaved family and relatives.

MRS. E. E. CALLAWAY ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

The Bridge Club was delightfully entertained on Thursday afternoon, February 28, at the home of Mrs. E. E. Callaway.

A number of interesting games were played, Mrs. Frank Walton winning high score.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames L. E. Turrentine, Oscar Roberts, W. B. Slaton, Paul Miller, Frank Walton, B. H. Robinson, Jack Alley, A. L. Lockwood, W. O. Thomas, Henderson, Joe Bush, and J. K. Callaway.

BOOST YOUR HOME TOWN!

New Hotel Under Construction

WORK ON NEW HOTEL BEGAN HERE TUESDAY BY ST. CLAIR

On Tuesday Messrs. F. C. Hairston and H. V. Richards began the work of remodeling the St. Clair Hotel and of erecting a large annex there to adjoining the old building on the West.

The old building will be remodeled throughout and converted into a stucco structure. The Annex will likewise be a stucco building. The Annex alone will contain twenty rooms, which will make the hostelry a forty room building. It will be furnished with baths and hot and cold water throughout, and when completed the St. Clair will be a handsome, commodious structure.

Tahoka has long needed better hotel facilities, and especially during the last fall and winter the demands of the travelling public far exceeded the hotel facilities of the city. This excellent new structure, together with the Hatcher Rooming House now under construction, will serve to relieve the immediate needs of the public. Tahoka has lost much for lack of proper hotel accommodations, and our entire citizenship are delighted that these accommodations are to be supplied by the two new structures now in process of construction.

PABST CASE REVERSED

The Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin rendered an opinion last week reversing the case of the State of Texas vs. Charles Pabst et al. appealed to that court from the district court of Lynn county.

This case was tried here about a year ago upon an indictment charging Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pabst with the unlawful manufacture of intoxicating liquor. They were convicted and a penalty of one year in the penitentiary was assessed by the jury. An appeal was promptly taken but the case was not reached on the docket of higher court until recently. The case is remanded for another trial in the district court here, but a trial can not be had at the present term.

BEN KING PLUNGES IN

Ben King has been standing on the bank watching the murky waters of the political stream for some time unable to make up his mind whether to take a swim or not. A few days ago he decided to plunge in, and in he went. It's the sheriff's office he is after, as will appear from a reference this week to our announcement column. Now that he is in, Ben declares that the water's fine. He wants all his friends, new and old, to help him make the landing over on the other side.

Mr. King made the race two years ago, and he made a creditable showing too. He believes in the old slogan "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

Wilbarger county has the honor of being Mr. King's native county, but before little Ben was large enough to know much about soil fertility, climate, etc., his parents decided that the Plains were the coming section of Texas, and they removed to Floyd county, bringing Ben along with them of course. There Ben spent his boyhood and his youth, but even before reaching manhood's estate he discovered that Lynn county was the best county on the plains, and so he came here with his parents nineteen years ago.

"What has been your occupation since coming to Lynn county?" was asked. "I have done everything", he declared. "I even served two terms as city marshal of Tahoka, and was elected for a third term", he admitted. Then he became inebriated with the oil fever, resigned the office of city marshal and went to the oil fields for a spell. But no man who has lived on the Plains can stay away long, so King came back. He has been here ever since and doesn't want to go anywhere else. He wants to be sheriff, though. He will tell you all about it before the election. He has had experience as a peace officer, and his friends believe that he would make a dandy good sheriff. We ask for him your thoughtful consideration.

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L. NATHAN INSTANTLY KILLED, SIX SHOTS FROM ARMY AUTOMATIC PISTOL TAKING EFFECT IN HIS BODY

POST, March 6.—L. Nathan, merchant of the city, was instantly killed on the street here this morning about 9:30 in an attack made upon him by Monte Bridges. Six shots from a 45-caliber army automatic took effect in his body. According to those witnessing the scene, the shots were fired in rapid succession, three of which struck Nathan before he fell, the other three being fired after he was on the ground.

The first three shots, fired from a distance of about fifteen feet, took effect in and around the heart of Nathan, the others striking him in the abdomen and about the shoulders. It is said that Bridges then made another attack on Nathan, beating him with the unloaded gun.

Nathan was proprietor and manager of Nathan Dry Goods Company, of this city. Bridges is a young fellow about 25 years of age.

Bridges immediately surrendered to local officers, waived examining trial and was released on bond of \$10,000 to await the action of the grand jury which convenes about March 17th. He has made no statement.

The trouble arose, it is said, over an 18-year-old girl who has been in the employ of the Nathan Dry Goods Company, and who is a cousin of Bridges, who made the attack on Nathan. Miss Fay Davis, the young lady mysteriously disappeared from her home here about ten days ago, since which time no one has seen or heard of her until she returned this morning in such condition that local physicians, who are attending her fear that she will not live. She is suffering with a severe attack of blood poisoning according to physicians.

Bridges has been away from Post for the past three weeks, and his father going away together. They returned here last Monday.

The body of Nathan was taken in charge by the Davis-Mason Undertaking Company, here and will be shipped to Eagle Lake, Texas, his former home, tomorrow, where funeral arrangements have been made.

Later: Advices have been received to the effect that Miss Davis died as a result of her condition, within a day or two after the homicide.

HAYNES AGAIN IN NEWSPAPER BUSINESS

R. B. Haynes has done just what everybody was expecting. He has broken into the newspaper business again. Last week he effected a deal by which he became the owner of the Hockley County News published at Levelland and the Cochran county News to be published at the new county seat of Cochran county as soon as the same is established at an election to be held on March 21. These papers were established a few weeks ago by James L. Dow, President of the Avalanche Publishing Company of Lubbock.

Last week No. 6 of volume 1 of the Hockley county News came to our sanctum, with the name of R. B. Haynes at the masthead as editor and publisher. It is a four-page, six column paper and is chock full of advertisements and good reading matter.

Hockley and Cochran counties are said to be two of the best counties on the plains. There has been little development in these counties yet, but there is every evidence that a period of marvelous development is just now beginning. A railroad westward from Lubbock through these two counties is now being agitated by Lubbock business men. As soon as this road is built, development of these counties will proceed with rapidity greater perhaps than any county on the plains has yet experienced. Mr. Haynes is there on the ground floor with his newspapers, and it occurs to us that he has a good proposition.

Much success to you, Bob. All your numerous Lynn county friends will wish you a full measure of prosperity in your new adventure.

Mrs. Haynes and Juanita will remain in Tahoka until the close of the present term of school, after which they will join Mr. Haynes at Levelland.

Tahoka's progressive business men all have ads in the News.

T. H. S. WEEKLY ROUNDUP

MARY LINK, Editor

Stockjudging Team Pays Two Visits to Lubbock County

On Saturday of the past two weeks the Agricultural boys, who are doing extra work out of school, in order to become members of Tahoka's stock-judging team, have made trips to the Bowles Hereford Ranch east of Lubbock and to the Massingale Dairy south of Slaton. Beautiful herds of Herefords and Holsteins were found at these places, respectively, and all the boys were amply repaid for the long trips and for the hardships of facing a raging storm of wind and ice. Livestock owners in and around Tahoka have given splendid support to the boys by lending the use of their horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, and poultry to the boys for judging. The more practice received the more efficient judges we can have. Therefore, the boys have gone far afield for all available material. But still more practice is needed, and more stock is being looked for every day in order to complete the course of training. A trip to Lamesa is being planned for the latter part of this week, the county agent there having invited the Tahoka boys to go down into Dawson county for today's workout.

SOPHOMORES

The cooking class was visited Friday by a demonstrator of a steam-pressure cooker. The girls seemed to enjoy his visit thoroughly, even if they did have to wash all the dishes that he soiled.

The Sophomores have been having quite a bit of fun out of watching the Barney Google-Spark Plug race. It seems that Barney Google has made more money for the Annual than Spark Plug has, but then think how much higher in the animal kingdom a man stands than a horse.

The Juniors visited us after recess Friday afternoon. Miss Windsor entertained us by playing several splendid selections on the Victrola.

The English class has been quite busy the past few days writing, in our own words, the different parables from the Bible.

Something surely must be going to happen; for two whole days last week there was not a single pupil tardy. Mrs. Tunnell said that she was about to get ready to faint, but she was revived Wednesday, for there were about three tardies.

Freshman Dots

We are all glad to see the sun shining this morning. It was thought by some Saturday that their "Budding Noses" might get frozen coming to school Monday morning, so that they would not "bloom" this spring, therefore we are glad today is warm and beautiful.

Misses Audrey and Lois Stevens were absent from School Friday and Monday on account of sickness. We hope to have them back with us again soon.

Miss Euna Treadway is also absent, being on the sick list this week.

Lillie Mae appeared this morning with a new coat on. Some say it just "died".

Rufus has a skinned nose this morning. Oh, ye rolling pin!

Leta wrote the "Dots" last week during the absence of the reporter. English is getting more interesting, every day in every way, and we are getting worse and worse. We are now studying "good use".

It has been said by Mr. Peebles that he has a real good temper. We think so too. If he did not he would organize a Four O'Clock Club, the leading members of which would be "Freshmen".

Miss Floyce Sherrod, a respected member of the Freshman class, motored to Glenrose last Sunday, returning Wednesday. She reports a very enjoyable trip. She was back at school Thursday, telling her friends of her most enjoyable journey.

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"Sleep that knits up the ravell'd sieve of care,
The death of each day's life, sore labor's bath,
Balm of hurt minds, great nature's second course,
Chief nourisher in life's feast."
—Macbeth.

Man can live longer without food than without sleep. There are many recorded instances where men have gone for forty or more days without food and have recovered from the experience. I do not know the maximum number of days that a man can go without sleep, but it is far short of forty. The expert workmen who line the great digesters in paper mills must often work for sixty hours without more sleep than they can snatch during the time that new material is being brought in to them, never more than ten minutes at a time. Surgeons and doctors sometimes work continuously for fifty or sixty hours at a time after great battles. These men are always exhausted after such periods of work and sleep excessively long periods in order to get back to normal. It is probable that a man who was not working could go without sleep for a longer period; but it seems to be the general testimony of those who have been kept awake for as much as sixty hours, by third degree methods, that by that time they are willing to confess to any crime or do anything else to get sleep.

The virtues of sleep as a "balm of hurt" minds is sung by Shakespeare in the "Tempest" as follows:

It seldom visits sorrow; when it doth it is a comforter.

Young expressed much the same thought in the lines:

Tired nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep!
He, like the world, his ready visit pays
Where fortune smiles—the wretched he forsakes.

While the ancients described Somnus, the god of sleep, as the gentlest of the gods, "the tranquilizer of minds and soother of care-worn hearts," Sir Phillip Sidney sang of sleep as:

The balmy place of wit, the balm of woe;
The poor man's wealth, the prisoner's release.

Mrs. Browning refers to the Psalmist's exaltation of sleep:

Of all the thoughts of God that are borne inward into souls afar,
Along the Psalmist's music deep,
Now tell me if that any is,
For gift of grace surpassing this—
He giveth His beloved sleep.

Scientists try every now and then to find some substitute for sleep. Just as they search for the secret of eternal youth and for perpetual motion. Instead of begrudging the third of our lives that we must spend in sleep, however, it seems much more to the purpose to try to live more intensively during the two-thirds of our lives that we are awake.

TAHOKA HIGH DEFEATS MIDWAY IN CLOSE GAME

On Friday afternoon the Midway basket ball girls drove to the local court, and a game with Tahoka was played, the final score being 7 to 6 in favor of the Tahoka girls.

The game started a little after 4, with Mrs. Hansford Tunnell as referee; and the first two minutes were marked with an opening victory for Tahoka.

During the game Tahoka fouled four times and Midway two times. The fouls were for overguarding. The first third ended in a score of 2 and 2, while the second third ended in a score of 3 and 4 in favor of Midway.

The last third opened with new enthusiasm and speed, and both sides seemed to be just beginning to really play. The Midway girls put up a good opposition but lost in the third. The Midway girls hope to meet the Tahoka girls at a later date on their own court, as this was their first defeat of the season.

The line-up for Tahoka was as follows: Floyd and Slover, guards; Davis and Walker, centers; Jones and Draper, forwards.

The Midway girls were: Brower and Forsythe, centers; Cannon and Crawford, guards; and Autrey and Bounds, forwards.

A game between the Midway boys and a Tahoka Junior team followed. The Tahoka girls beat Post, 7 to 4, Wednesday afternoon, and were also victors in a game with South Ward Thursday afternoon, the score being 11 to 6.

H. P. Straton was a visitor of Tahoka Tuesday and Wednesday.

Hon. C. E. Mays, a prominent Sweet water attorney, was here this week representing a client in the district court.

Judge G. E. and Mrs. Lockhart and little daughter Ernestine spent last week-end in Snyder, the guests of his brother, J. G. Lockhart, and family

PARKE N. DALTON ANNOUNCES FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

To the people of Tahoka and Lynn County:

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate in the Democratic primary in July, for District Attorney of the 72nd. Judicial District, to succeed Honorable Gordon B. McGuire of Lamesa, who I understand will not seek re-election.

I was born and reared in this immediate section of Texas, and have been engaged in the practice of law at Crosbyton for more than four years.

A thorough investigation and due consideration of my qualifications to perform the duties of this very important office will be greatly appreciated, and if you see fit by your vote to make me your District Attorney, I will during my term of office, devote my entire time and best efforts to a strict, fair and impartial enforcement of the criminal laws of the state, and will ever endeavor to create and maintain in the public mind that respect and reverence for the laws, so essential to the progress and happiness of our people.

Most sincerely yours
Parke N. Dalton

DISTRICT LEAGUE HAS INTERESTING MEETING

The meeting of the Epworth League of the Lubbock district, which met in the Methodist Church here last Saturday and Sunday proved to be a most interesting affair. Although delegations from Lubbock and Post failed to arrive and some whose names appeared on the program were absent, yet the program as rendered was very profitable and enjoyable to all present.

The welcome address was delivered at 7:45 Saturday evening by the local pastor, Rev. J. T. Howell; response by C. T. Watson of Lamesa. After some interesting discussions, the visitors were chaperoned to "The Limit," where refreshments were

served.

On Sunday afternoon, the discussions were very helpful and interesting. Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene failed to appear, however, on account of illness. His place was very happily filled by Rev. J. W. Watson of Lamesa.

Delegations were present from Dawson, Terry, Gaines, and Lynn counties, there being about sixty visitors.

The next district meeting of the League will be held at Brownfield sometime next fall.

Mr. Touchstone of the law firm of Thomas, Milam and Touchstone of Dallas was here Saturday looking after the interests of a client in a case pending in the district court.

Mrs. Roy Dobbins and little daughter Martha Jane spent several days here the guests of Mrs. G. M. Stewart, returning to their home at Roscoe on Monday.

ANDREWS-SHOPE

Thursday afternoon Mr. L. E. Andrews and Miss Edna Shope, both of Lamesa, appeared at the Lynn county court house in search of a county clerk and a justice of peace. Happy Smith furnished them with the desired papers and they soon found the accommodating Judge, I. P. Metcalf. He performed the solemn ceremony in his usual impressive manner, and the happy young couple returned to their home town, Lamesa, where they expect to reside. May they ever have peaceful seas over which to sail their matrimonial boat.

REVIVAL BEGINS AT LYNN CHAPEL

Rev. Allie Irick and wife Emma Irick will begin a revival meeting at Lynn Chapel, ten miles northeast of Tahoka, on Friday night of this week, to continue for ten days. They cordially invite everybody to attend these services.

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A prominent housewife of this section, writes the following letter: OXO BURNER AND LAMP CO., AMARILLO, TEXAS

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The lamps will speak for themselves. They are really cheaper than the others, and I can certainly say a good word for your product.

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Morse, La.—Mrs. L. P. Cardui, school-teacher here for many years, recently told a visitor of her interesting experience with Cardui.

"Just before my... on," said Mrs. Lambert, "my arms, hands, head—my body seemed to be in one... pain. I would grow so... that I could not hold a cup... hand. My husband would... to hold my coffee for... drink. Last fall I was in... bad condition that I had... about three days in bed... month. It seemed to me... was on my last go-round... Then one day, said Mrs. Cardui, she happened to read... Cardui and the experience... some women who had... helped by it. "I felt that... might help me if I tried it."

The Development of the Railway Net in Texas

By WALTER SPLAWN
Railroad Commissioner of Texas

III.
The second source of State aid consisted of land grants. Beginning with there was a brief period of special grants to railroads. By the Acts of these Acts, when a company completed 5 miles or more of road it received 8 sections of land for every mile of road that had been finished. In 1854, a law was passed providing that whenever a company had completed 35 miles of road acceptable should be entitled to receive 16 sections of land for each mile of road completed. The act was continued in 1859. Under it 40 new companies were chartered, but only nine sufficient mileage to obtain land in the state. The statute also provided that the roads should sell the land within a given period of time. In 1860 the Harrisburg line sold 1,669 acres, donated to it by the state for an average price of \$18c per acre for the total sum of \$106,800. The civil war checked railway construction and not until 1870 was it resumed to an appreciable extent. That year 1,000 miles were built. In 1860 1,000 miles were built. In 1861 1,000 miles were built. In 1862 1,000 miles were built. In 1863 1,000 miles were built. In 1864 1,000 miles were built. In 1865 1,000 miles were built. In 1866 1,000 miles were built. In 1867 1,000 miles were built. In 1868 1,000 miles were built. In 1869 1,000 miles were built. In 1870 1,000 miles were built. In 1871 1,000 miles were built. In 1872 1,000 miles were built. In 1873 1,000 miles were built. In 1874 1,000 miles were built. In 1875 1,000 miles were built. In 1876 1,000 miles were built. In 1877 1,000 miles were built. In 1878 1,000 miles were built. In 1879 1,000 miles were built. In 1880 1,000 miles were built. In 1881 1,000 miles were built. In 1882 1,000 miles were built. In 1883 1,000 miles were built. In 1884 1,000 miles were built. In 1885 1,000 miles were built. In 1886 1,000 miles were built. In 1887 1,000 miles were built. In 1888 1,000 miles were built. In 1889 1,000 miles were built. In 1890 1,000 miles were built. In 1891 1,000 miles were built. In 1892 1,000 miles were built. In 1893 1,000 miles were built. In 1894 1,000 miles were built. In 1895 1,000 miles were built. In 1896 1,000 miles were built. In 1897 1,000 miles were built. In 1898 1,000 miles were built. In 1899 1,000 miles were built. In 1900 1,000 miles were built. In 1901 1,000 miles were built. In 1902 1,000 miles were built. In 1903 1,000 miles were built. In 1904 1,000 miles were built. In 1905 1,000 miles were built. In 1906 1,000 miles were built. In 1907 1,000 miles were built. In 1908 1,000 miles were built. In 1909 1,000 miles were built. In 1910 1,000 miles were built. In 1911 1,000 miles were built. In 1912 1,000 miles were built. In 1913 1,000 miles were built. In 1914 1,000 miles were built. In 1915 1,000 miles were built. In 1916 1,000 miles were built. In 1917 1,000 miles were built. In 1918 1,000 miles were built. In 1919 1,000 miles were built. In 1920 1,000 miles were built. In 1921 1,000 miles were built. In 1922 1,000 miles were built. In 1923 1,000 miles were built. In 1924 1,000 miles were built.



WALTER SPLAWN

with the sum total, and were important in defraying preliminary expenses. Stock subscriptions were perhaps less important than before the Civil War, because of the difficulty of paying for the stock. There was no longer slave labor which could be exchanged for stock. City and county bonds were a fairly important source of revenue. The following were some of the issues for the benefit of railroad construction.
April 30, 1873, Tyler voted \$50,000.00 of bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Great Northern.
February 12, 1874, Sherman voted \$34,000.00 in bonds for the benefit of the Texas & Pacific.
April 24, 1874, Dallas voted \$64,000.00 of bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Texas Central.
In 1872, Smith county voted \$20,000.00 of bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Great Northern.
In 1875, Galveston county voted \$500,000.00 of bonds for the benefit of the Santa Fe.
It is doubtful if as much as \$1,500,000.00 was secured in this way before a Legislature passed a law forbidding use of municipal credit for the benefit of railway construction.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE RAILWAY NET IN TEXAS (Con'd)

Walter Splawn, Railroad Commissioner of Texas, requires how this vast performance accomplished in a new sparsely settled area as was the case in 1870 till 1890. The sources were much the same as before the Civil War, but differing in details. Individual gifts could be negligible, as compared

ARE AT WORK ON RAIL EXTENSION

Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield, the trustees in the Railroad from Lubbock to Cochran S. B. Bardwell, local manager at Post, were yesterday and met with another of the trustees. The trustees are having to do with necessary bonus were an effort to secure the parties having large land in Cochran County. Mr. Duggan left for Austin Sunday.

of optimism over the road is evident among working on it. However, owners of lands that have not signed the Lubbock Avalanche.

HOUSE SEES ADAMS SAWYER

cold and disagreeable yesterday and Saturday "Quincy Adams Sawyer with a large and use. Of Tahoka appreciate class pictures that bringing to the Star.

BOX SUPPER AT EDITH SUCCESS

The box supper at Edith Friday night was quite a successful affair, the sum of \$74.10 being the proceeds of the evening. The proceeds are to be placed in a fund to be used for the purchase of school furniture and a organ for the community.

Several candidates were there and made their announcements. Altogether, it was a most pleasant occasion.

Judge C. S. Perkins of Sweetwater is here this week attending district court.

Attorneys W. W. Campbell, R. L. Douglas, and Fred Pearce of Lubbock were here Monday in attendance upon the district court.

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MISS ANGELINA

By PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR
When de fiddle gits to singin' out
A ol' Vaguinny reel,
An' you 'mence to feel a ticklin' in
Yo' toe an' in yo' heel;
Ef you t'ink you got religion an'
You wants to keep it, too,
You jes' bettah te ka hint an' git
Yo'self clean out o'view,
Case de time is mighty temptin'
When de chune is in de swing,
Fu' a darcy, saint or sinner man,
To cut de pigeon-wing.
An' you couldn't he'p from dancin'
Ef yo feot was boun' wif twine,
When Angelina Johnson comes
A-wingin' down de line.

Don't you know Miss Angelina?
She's de da'lin of de place.
W'y dey ain't no high-toned lady
Wif sich manna's an' sich grace.
She kin move across de cabin,
Wif its planks all rough and wo'
Jes' the same's ef she was dancin'
On ol' mistus' ballroom flo'.
Fact is, you do' see no cabin—
Evaht'ing you see look grand,
An' dat one ol' squeaky fiddle
Soun' to you jes' lak a ban';
Cotton britches look lak broadclof
An' a linsy dress look fine.
When Angelina Johnson comes
A-swingin' down de line.

Some folks say dat dancin's sinful,
An' de blessed Lawd, dey say,
Gwire to punish us fu' steppin',
W'en we hyeah de music play.
But I tell you I don't b'lieve it,
Fu' de Lawd is wise an' good,
An' he made de banjo's metal
An' he made de music in dem,
So I don' quite t'ink he'll keef
Ef our feet keeps time a little
To de melodies we hyeah.
W'y, dey's some'n downright holy
In de way our faces shine,
When Angelina Johnson comes
A-swingin' down de line.

Angelina steps so gentle,
Angelina bows so low,
An' she lif' huh sku't so dainty
Dat huh shoetop skacely show;
An' dem teef o' huh'n a shinin',
Ez she tek you by de han'—
Go way, people, d'aint another
Sich a lady in de lan'!
When she's movin' thoo de figgers
Er a dancin' by huh's'e,f,
Folks jes' stan' stock-still a-sta'in,
An' dey mos' night hol's dey bref;
An' de young mens, dey's a-saying,
"I'se gwine mek dat damsel mine,"
When Angelina Johnson comes
A-swingin' down de line.

John Bond, of Abilene, sheriff of Taylor county, was here Monday as a witness in a civil suit.

GAME WARDEN GIVES AWAY BOB WHITES

D. K. Taylor, state game warden, who is now looking after the game laws in this section of the state, this week received 23 Bob Whites from old Mexico, one having died in transit, and he is distributing them among people who promise to care for and protect them for a period of two years. The State of Texas purchases these birds at a cost of about \$2.00 each and furnishes them to the applicants free of charge. The purpose is to restock the state with these valuable birds. Mr. Taylor delivered some of this shipment here. some at Lamesa and some at Post.

Mr. Taylor is organizing protective associations at Post, Lamesa, and Tahoka, and will organize other at other points. The members of the associations provide a fund, deposited in some bank, to be used principally as rewards for the conviction of persons killing game or catchoing fish out of season. There are 35 members of the association at Post. The lists at Tahoka and Lamesa have not been completed yet.

YOUNG-WILSON

Judge I. P. Metcalf has made another young couple happy. Late Wednesday evening of last week, Mr. Lum Young and Miss Edna Wilson, two fine young people of the New Home community, drove down to Tahoka and procured the proper credentials from the county clerk, and were then piloted to the home of Judge I. P. Metcalf, who solemnly pronounced the words that made these two young people husband and wife. They will make their home, we understand, in the New Home community. May they find many flowers along their pathway.

The family of J. J. Masingale arrived Sunday from their former home at Killen. Mr. Masingale came out a couple of months ago and liked the town and country so well that he decided to remain. He has entered the plumbing business here.



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MRS. HILL'S MOTHER DIES

Mrs. E. I. Hill, wife of the editor, was called to Temple Sunday morning by the death of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Evetts, which occurred early Sunday morning.

This good woman was unknown to most of our readers, and yet in a sense she was not unknown to any person who has had a kindhearted, home-loving, old-fashioned Southern mother. Oh, that our country were full of mothers of her fine type.

C. D. Keever of Lubbock was here Friday meeting old-time friends and looking for prospective purchasers of Studebaker cars, for which he is an agent.

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OUT THAT COUNTY FAIR

BY GEO. E. HALLIDAY

Lynn county should be busy and working for the 1924 fair in Tahoka and that a Chamber of Commerce is for a better and larger fair representing the Chamber of Commerce should be that leader.

Everyone seems ready to boost Lynn county, to boost the fair, to work for the fair; everyone seems to think there should be a leader, and to think very positively that the Chamber of Commerce should be that leader.

Suggestive quotations from those interviewed are given below. The reporter called to see several others, but they were out. However it is believed that we are giving sufficient suggestions to start the ball rolling for a bigger and better fair and a better advertised Lynn county.

"Get the co-operation of the farmers and we'll have as good a fair here as anywhere. To get the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce of Wilson, Tahoka, and Donnell should cooperate. It is a county fair, and we should have a County Chamber of Commerce and invite the farmers to become members. Let the farmers in for say, a dollar a year and the town people according to business, for from one dollar to ten dollars," Judge Elliott.

"The county agent will be able to help the fair greatly. The Chamber of Commerce ought to get behind it and get the farmers to co-operate with them," - E. L. Deavers.

"Now is the time to get started to work on it, if we are to have a fair. Last year we started too late. What the town needs more than anything else is a Chamber of Commerce. I believe that if we had that, the fair would be easy. With a Chamber of Commerce we would have somebody to sponsor such movements," - J. K. Applewhite.

"More exhibits; more enthusiasm," Uncle Ben Rogers.

"Now is the time to start it. I am in favor of a fair. I'm ready to kick in with my part. I think it ought to be made permanent. Send exhibits to Lubbock and Dallas every year— it's fine advertising," - H. M. Anthony.

"Co-operation. Everybody go in together and we'll have a fine fair can't do it without co-operation, either," - W. L. Knight.

"Organize a stock company to handle the fair, and incorporate. Charge an entrance fee at the gate to take care of the expenses. In the past the expenses has been too heavy on just the business men of Tahoka. The fair is for the interest of the whole county; by organizing a stock

company the burden would be distributed and the fair made better," - A. L. Lockwood.

"First thing we need to do here is to revive the Chamber of Commerce—need it badly. Get the right men behind it; hire a paid secretary," - Ross Ketner.

"Get enthusiasm going. When people go to plant, get them to plant for the fair. H. B. Emanuel and I have varieties of seed to grow fair products—the fair at Post solicited us to do it. That's the way to get things, meet with the people and tell them what you want," - Buck Briley.

"I favor a stock company for the fair. Put it on a sound financial basis to assure success," - Chester Connolly.

"Before we can have a fair here to do any good we'll have to work up a community interest, get more competition between the different communities, and award better prizes. The farm demonstration agent will probably work up clubs that will take an interest in and improve the exhibits at the fair," - W. O. Thomas.

"We should have a permanent place to hold the fair; it would probably be well to send someone to surrounding towns that have fairs

and get some new ideas; and the Chamber of Commerce ought to get together and appoint a committee that would get to work and go to looking after the matter," - H. M. Larkin.

"People did not take enough interest in the fair last year. Magnolia and Edith were the only communities represented and there were only two individual farm exhibits, but both good ones. Buy a lot, put up fair buildings, organize a stock company, and charge a gate fee to pay expenses," - Claude Wells.

"I favor a permanent place for the fair," - R. H. Turner.

"Boost it and work at it. You can keep boosting a fair and building it up and soon have a fair that everyone will be interested in and that will be the equal of any held by other counties," - W. J. McNeilly.

"Get together; get a committee to work; get started on something definite," - Jack Reaves.

"The main thing we need to improve the fair is to get agricultural products to display—they were lacking last year," - W. C. Wells.

"Get awake—that's what we need. Get the products earlier; don't wait until after the crops are all gathered

and the products sold before getting the people to select for the fair. Get the booths ready earlier," - Hall Robinson.

Mail order houses are not helping Lynn county grow.

BOOST YOUR HOME TOWN!

E. R. Allen this week began the construction of a splendid brick veneer residence in North Tahoka. The estimated cost of the building is \$10,000.

T. J. Bovell left Sunday for Fort Worth to see the Fat Stock Show and also to visit his father, who resides near that city.

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B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

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 Introduction; Leader
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 (1) World Forces
 (2) Great Teaching Force
 Velma Jones
 (3) Factors in Social Programs
 (4) Spiritual Forces
 Eva Deak
 2. My Church as a Channel of Blessing—Neva Deak
 3. If We Do this We Shall have to Train Ourselves for Church Membership.—Beatrice Sullivan
 4. Skill Essential to Success
 Eleanor Barker
 5. How shall we train Ourselves?
 (1) The life we live
 (2) The Sword of the spirit
 Jewel Minor
 (3) Learn to do by Doing
 (4) Our Training Courses
 Floyce Sherou
 6. Some Rewards of Good Work
 Pearle Moore
 Reporter
 Jewel Minor
 Everyone be present and on time at 7:00 o'clock sharp, as we are going to reorganize the B. Y. P. U. and get ready to start real work soon.

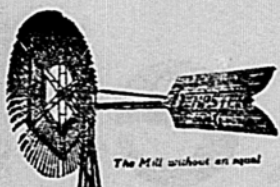
Japs Growing Head Lettuce

The three Japs and their several Mexican employees, who have leased irrigated land east of Plainview, have already set out about thirty acres in head lettuce, and about five acres in miscellaneous vegetables. They have also leased seven acres more and will have forty-two acres of stuff in. They have their land in dandy shape and the planting is also satisfactory. They expect to double crop the lettuce land and will follow it with celery in the summer.
 The land is being irrigated this week.
 —Plainview News.

JOHNSTON- CANNON

Another wedding occurred in the office of the county clerk last Saturday afternoon. The contracting parties were Mr. Luther Johnston and Miss Vada Cannon, both of the Redwine community. Judge I. P. Metcalf performed the marriage ceremony. This popular young couple will make their home in the Redwine community. The News joins a host of friends in extending congratulations.

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In our announcement column this week will be found the name of W. P. Hamlett of Wilson as candidate for re-election to the office of public weigher of Precinct No. 2.
 Mr. Hamlett has held this office for two terms with almost perfect satisfaction to the people of that precinct. When he first became public weigher the cotton production in the vicinity of Wilson was not large and the office was one of minor importance, but during the last four years new land has been placed in cultivation and the cotton acreage increased to such an extent that the cotton crop has now assumed large proportions. More than 3700 bales were weighed at the Wilson yard the past year, and with an average yield the town should receive 5,000 or 6,000 bales the coming season. The office, therefore, has become one of considerable importance and responsibility.
 Mr. Hamlett has been a resident of Wilson for about nine years. He is well and favorably known to the citizenship of all that portion of the county, and they are familiar with his record of industry, efficiency, and devotion to duty. He solicits your support upon the record that he has made, and he will probably see each of you in person before the July Primary.

W. B. Edwards, who accompanied his wife to Temple a few weeks ago to place her in a sanitarium, spent last week-end here. They expect to be in Temple several weeks but will return to their home in the Three Lakes community as soon as the condition of Mrs. Edwards will make it advisable.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZED
 AT EDITH**

Bob Parris was in the News office Tuesday and left the information that a Union Sunday School was organized at Edith last Sunday afternoon. W. C. Gordon was elected

Superintendent. The school will open at 2:30 each Sunday afternoon, and everybody is cordially invited to be present and take part.

**OUR OLDEST SUBSCRIBER
 VISITS NEWS OFFICE**

J. V. Dyer dropped into the News office the other day and paid his subscription for another year. Nothing unusual about that. But Mr. Dyer informs us that he has been a subscriber to the paper since its very first number, issued more than 20 years ago. He has read every issue since. Moreover, a long time ago he formed the habit of coming in and paying up on March 4. He missed it a day or two this time but expects to be in on the dot next year. Mr. Dyer is believed to be the oldest subscriber, not in point of age but as a subscriber.
 It is interesting, too, to hear Mr. Dyer converse about some of his early experiences and about the wonderful changes that he has seen in Lynn county. And although the frost of many winters has whitened his hair, yet he is still young in strength and spirit-- not only young but progressive. He is this year trying out a new method of raising oats. He has planted a small patch in rows, three feet apart, and expects to plow and cultivate them just as he would any other row crop. He read of some farmer who did this successfully somewhere last year, and Mr. Dyer has a desire to test it out for himself. His friends will watch the experiment with interest.

BEN KING TO THE VOTERS

Ben King has authorized the News to publish the following statement:
 I am this week making my announcement and asking the support of the people for sheriff and tax collector of Lynn county.
 I moved to Lynn county in 1905 and have resided in the county continuously since. I can always be found on every issue that comes before the people. This is not the first time that I have come before the voters,

as I served as marshal and tax collector of the City of Tahoka for a term of four years and was elected for the third term and resigned. I have been connected with the people of Lynn county in a business way until most of them know me. I promise that if elected I will give my time to the interests of the people and the enforcement of the law without fear or favor toward anyone. I believe that my business connections and previous experience as an officer fully qualifies me to look after the interests of the people. I will appreciate anything that you can do for me and respectfully ask that you give me due consideration before casting your ballot for sheriff and tax collector.

H. A. Mitchell of Winters and a prominent citizen of Runnells county was here the first of the week looking after property interest and visiting his friend L. H. Moore, who resides near O' Donnell. Mr. Mitchell has long been the owner of a tract of land out northwest of Tahoka, and he likes Lynn county.

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H. C. Hines of Tullia was here the past few days visiting his brother, G. H. Hines, and other relatives in Lynn county.

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E McCORMICK, Editor

WILSON, TEXAS MAR. 13, 1924

McCORMICK SEVERELY BURNED IN STOVE EXPLOSION

McCormick was badly burned yesterday when a gas stove exploded in the cafe. His hands were burned and his face was not badly enough to disfigure. He was taken to the Lullwater hospital for treatment. His wounds will soon heal and he is permitted to return home.

IMPORTANT FACTS

"Patriotic", "Be an American", "for the colors", and many sessions were heard daily. Americans were patriotic and gave time, money and to our government. When the war was over, the victory won, and the boys came home, the general public had a sigh of relief and respect "the good old times" war. The government did not call for more money; the Old Glory" no longer called for salutes or bared heads. It does not mean that America is still patriotic. The word has now a new and deeper meaning. The patriot is the citizen of his country, but not only his fellow countrymen but to be able to serve his country.

The patriot sees the need for citizens, he sees that the boy who goes through life without an education, so he is enthusiastic and better schools, and learning conditions so that even a child will have a chance to receive a thorough education. As there is an educated class of educated class, our society is benefited. One part will be ignorant. This latter class is dependent and at the mercy of the other. Under such conditions, our Republic is not ideal. It is our ideal to have a school which every person is entitled to. It respects to every other person would not have one part dependent upon another for the necessities of life. Government is "A government for the people, and by the people." By this we mean to have a part, and an

equal part, in government. But the person who is uneducated has not an equal chance with those who are educated, he can not understand so fully the problems that must be solved, he is easily influenced and prejudiced by some one who really has a broader knowledge, and there is a chance that his ignorance may cause him to be led to do the wrong thing, on account of his being made to see the question in a false light.

So we see how necessary an education is from that standpoint. Then we may correctly say that the patriotic American of tomorrow will be an educated American. For, as we have said, our ideal patriot sees the value of education in a light that has never been seen before. The country is awaking to the fact that heretofore our best educational systems have been very deficient, and everywhere we hear discussions and lectures and read articles in all the magazines which bear upon the subject.

As our ideal patriots establish ideal schools, our government will become more and more ideal.

M. Hembree

Senior Report

Last Thursday afternoon the Juniors and Seniors made a canvas of the county insisting on people coming to the mass meeting which would be held in the Auditorium Friday at 2:30. Mr. Lynn West was a business visitor in Lubbock Saturday. We are studying prisms in Solid Geometry and find it very hard to learn but interesting. We think this class will produce at least one great geometer as some of the students are showing wonderful work in this subject. In Spanish we are progressing fairly well. It will not be long before we will be hiring all Spaniards on his ranch as he will be more competent to speak their language than the English language. Loyd Huffaker was absent from school last Thursday. He and his mother visited in Lamesa. In the subscription contest for "The Country Gentleman" the Barney Googles are glad to report their side ahead. On Monday night the T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church of Slaton presented a play in the High School Auditorium, entitled "Sophonra's Wedding". A large

crowd was present and half of the proceeds go to the Baptist Church here.

Junior Report

Veneta May is absent from school this week with the measles. The teachers and school children of the Wilson school were really distressed last week because it was talked very seriously of cutting the school short a month. The board of trustees found that if the school was run nine months something over one thousand dollars would have to be raised and the question was, how is this money to be raised? So the parents and trustees met in the school auditorium last Friday at 2:30 P. M. for the purpose of discussing plans to raise sufficient funds to run the school nine months. If we had secured State Aid money would have been plentiful but we did not and "Where there's a will there's a way" so we found it. Last Thursday the high school was divided into two sections, the Barney Googles and the Spark Plug, and each section is getting as many subscriptions for the Country Gentleman as possible. The section that gets the most subscriptions is going to be entertained by the other sections at the school building next Friday night. The purpose of this is to increase our library and seating fund as fifty per cent of the money for subscriptions goes for that purpose. The ladies of the Baptist church from Slaton put on a play entitled "Sophonra's Wedding", in our auditorium Monday night, the tenth. We were disappointed last Thursday when we heard that Lorenzo, that was coming Friday with a play, could not be here because of sickness.

Freshman Report

Last Thursday morning Mr. Martin representing the Curtis Publishing company, visited our school. As a result of visit the high school is divided into two divisions: "The Barney Googles" and "The Spark Plugs". These folks are selling the Country Gentleman at one dollar a year. One half of this money goes to the library and seat fund. Come on Barney Googles! We are very glad to have Theopha Richards back in school again. She says the measles are worse than they are thought to be.

Seventh Grade

Our history is very interesting. We have just finished studying the civil war. Everyone seems to have re-

newed their interest since we took up this great war. Soon we will study the "Reconstruction Period", and are sure this will be very interesting too. We are fixing our spelling note books for exhibition at the fair. We studied Texas government, in civics, before Christmas, and now we are studying Federal government. They are both very interesting. Fifth and Sixth Grades Report The fifth and sixth grades are improving in every way. The honor roll is increasing, and all pupils are doing better. Unusual interest is being shown in drawing. The map books are progressing nicely and the bird and flower books are very interesting. We yet have a few cases of measles. The following are absent: Charlie Huffaker, Fannie Bird, Silas Crump, Maxine and Catherine Terrell.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY

(The following theme was written by a pupil of the Wilson High School.)

James Whitcomb Riley was born in the little town of Greenfield which is located about twenty miles from Indianapolis. His father was Ruben Riley, who was an attorney and one of the leading citizens of his part of the state. James Riley was sent to Public Schools in Greenfield but he was not a boy who took readily to books. Mathematics he could never grasp and his only interest seemed to be in reading. He had natural talent for this. He was always a dreamer and in Autumn and Spring when the weather was favorable to outdoor life it was impossible for his parents to keep him in school. He would run away and spend the day rambling along the streams or through the woods listening to the birds and enjoying nature. Although he was always full of pranks, young Riley was a favorite among all the people of Greenfield. He began writing verses when he was very young. He says the first one he remembers writing was a four line comic valentine for which he also drew a picture. The elder Riley had no patience with his sons ideas, and being a practical

man, desired that his son should be practical also. So he decided that James should study law, and consequently he was soon provided with a set of law books and installed at the desk in his father's office. This work did not appeal to young Riley. He wanted to leave Greenfield and see the world. He was ambitious to become either an artist, a writer, or an actor, and there was small chance of his ambitions being fulfilled as long as he remained in his native village. Day after day his mind was filled with these things and finally his chance came. A medicine show which travelled by wagon stopped at Greenfield and the disappointed law student was offered a job with them. As this would give him a chance to see a great deal of the country he lost no time in accepting the offer. His law books were forgotten and he left Greenfield on the Medicine show. He soon learned that his new life was one of hardships. Money was scarce and there were times when there was a shortage of food. But the enthusiasm of young Riley did not diminish and he remained with the show for another season. Then he returned to Greenfield. It was at this time that his career as a sign painter began. His artistic talent stood him in good stead in this trade and he was soon considered an expert with the paint brush. With several other sign painters he toured the country painting signs and advertisements for the merchants in the towns through which he passed. During this time he was writing constantly, and had made up his mind that his real mission in life was to become a poet. After painting signs for three seasons Mr. Riley was offered city editorship of a newspaper in Anderson. This was the chance for which he had been looking, and the offer was eagerly accepted. The young poet's ambitions did not end with his own paper he besieged editors of eastern maga-

zines with manuscripts, which were invariably returned with polite notes of rejection. Comparing his work with that which was being published month after month he made up his mind that it was only because his name was obscure that his works were not accepted. Since Riley and his friends were all fond of a practical joke he soon wrote a poem in exact imitation of Edgar Allen Poe. He sent it to Konkomo Indiana with the initials E. A. P. signed to it and it was accepted as Poe's work. When the secret was known Riley lost his position as city editor. Discouraged he returned once more to Greenfield. A little later he was employed to contribute a daily column of verse to the Indianapolis Journal. While working for the Journal he wrote twelve Poems in dialect. These attracted wide spread attention and were later privately printed in a little volume under the title "The Old Swimmin' Hole and 'Leven more Poems." Mr. Riley continued writing for the Journal for some time, and his work was also in constant demand by the magazines. He found it necessary eventually to sever his newspaper connections in order to have more time to devote to his own private work and then he joined forces with "Bill" Nye for a tour of the United States. When he returned he wrote his work as an author really began. "The Raggedy man" "Out to Old Aunt Marys" "The bear story" and "The Happy Little Cripple" are the best known of any of his poems. They won for him the hearts of the children. They loved him because he understood them. He had the power to raise the simple human sentiment's to the highest power. He always spoke of the beautiful and the good as he found it in everyday life. All this gave reality beauty and joy to otherwise prosaic lives. We are thankful today for the life of this poet and for what it has given to our world.

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Miss Glenn Miles gave a closing recital at the auditorium of the High School Building Tuesday evening. The program consisted of vocal selections rendered by her pupils interspersed with a number of piano numbers. The Recital proved to be most successful and an enjoyable affair. The program follows:

- Piano—(a) Hunting Song ----- Gurlitt
- (b) Rustle of Leaves ----- Read
- Helen Anthony.
- Voice—(a) My Gipsy Love ----- Galbraith
- (b) Highland Joy ----- Stickles
- (c) Sweet Little Woman O' Mine ----- Bartlett
- N. A. Stuart
- Voice—(a) Lassie O' Mine ----- Walt
- Miss Sargent.
- Part Song—(a) Wayside Roses ----- Ferris
- Misses Sargents, Lee and Ketner.
- Voice—(a) Values ----- Vanderpool
- (b) Smilin' Through ----- Penn
- Miss Price
- Piano (a) Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms (Left hand) ----- Nero
- (b) Curious Story ----- Heller
- Willie Lois Nevel.
- Voice—(a) I Know a Lovely Garden, ----- D' Hardelot.
- (b) The Lilac Tree ----- Gartlan.
- Miss Collenbeck.
- Quartette—(a) All Through the Nite ----- Welch Folk Song
- (b) Mighty Lak' a Rose ----- Nevin
- Miss Miles, Mrs. Caveness, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Peeples.
- Voice—(a) Until ----- Sanderson
- (b) I Love You Truly ----- Jacobs-Bond
- Mrs. Tunnell.
- Piano—(a) Tale of Killarney ----- Dutton
- Willie Lois Nevel.
- Quartette—(a) Now the Day is Over ----- Barnby
- (b) Kentucky Babe ----- Geibel
- Miss Miles, Mrs. Caveness Messers Stuart and Peeples
- Voice—(a) Star Eyes ----- Speaks
- (b) Can't Yo' Heah Me Calling Caroline ----- Caro Roma
- Miss Ketner.
- Voice—(a) My Laddie ----- Thayer
- (b) Little Mother O' Mine ----- Burleigh
- Mrs. Taylor.
- Piano—(a) Cradle Song ----- Neidlinger
- (b) Celeste ----- Kern
- Willie Lois Nevel.
- Voice—(a) Give a Man a Horse He Can Ride ----- O'Hara
- (b) Little Town Near-By ----- Turner-Maley
- (c) Big Bass Viol ----- Bohannon.
- Mr. Peeples.

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Fort Sam Houston Texas, (Special) The commanding General announced that Brig. Gen. George LeR. Irwin will command the Citizens' Military Training Camp to be held at Ft. Sill Oklahoma, August 1st. to 31.

Applications will be received from all young men of good character between the ages of 17 and 24 and should be sent to the C. M. T. C. Officer Fort Sam Houston, Texas, who will furnish all desired information. The Government will pay all transportation and other necessary expenses of students. Athletics and sports will feature the camp to be held at Fort Sill.

C. L. Peeples of Idalou left for his home Monday after a visit here with his brother, Prof. C. E. Peeples.

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For Sale:- 20 acres land two and one-half miles north of Tahoka at \$400.00 cash. Also have 320 acres 14 miles west of Tahoka, one half mile from Brownfield and Tahoka road, 1 mile from school, patented land \$25.00 per acre. For further information write Box 142, Moran, Texas, or see R. P. Weathers at First National Bank, Tahoka, Texas.

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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY: Parke N. Dalton.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE George E. Halliday H. W. Calaway

FOR SHERIFF: Marshall Simpson A. M. Sullivan W. M. (Bill) Thompson A. L. Nettles Ben King

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: L. C. Heath

FOR COUNTY CLERK: W. E. (Happy) Smith

FOR TAX ASSESSOR Albert L. Curry J. S. Weatherford

FOR COUNTY TREASURER (re-election) Mrs. Zoe Lowrey

FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER: E. Lam W. P. Bussell T. R. Cathcart J. R. Parris W. M. Lee R. C. WOOD

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Specialists say that when a tuberculosis victim is hemorrhaging, there is nothing better for him than the company of another victim who has hemorrhaged and recovered. If the latter assures the sufferer that he himself once suffered just as severely or worse and got over it, the assurance does more good than any medicine that can be given. The sympathy of one who has survived the same suffering allays the victim's terrors, calms his nerves and allows nature a chance to exert her healing influence.

It is much the same with all our ills, whether mental, physical or psychical. The presence of some one else who has suffered the same sort of ill and survived it brings us courage. Such presence assures us that we are not singled out by fate for special torment.

According to the oriental tale, a young mother once came to Buddha, carrying her dead baby in her arms. She told him how the child had been bitten by a serpent, and how it had grown pale and quiet soon afterward. Her neighbors had told her the child was dead, but she refused to believe them. She called upon the great teacher to heal her child and to restore the color to his cheeks. Buddha, to keep her from distraction, told her that if she would bring him a measure of black mustard seed from a house where no "father, mother, child or slave hath died," things would be well.

The next day the woman returned without the seed. She told him she had searched everywhere in vain. Everywhere she went they had black mustard seed, and all were willing to give her a measure of it; but in every house some one had died. Then Buddha gently told her she had found

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