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Over 42,000 Bales Ginned In County

LYNN LEADS AT SEASON'S END

Lubbock Is Close Second; Government Report Shows Almost Final Returns

The government report of cotton ginnings, in Texas of the 1925 crop prior to March 20, 1926, still shows Lynn county in the lead of all plains counties. Lubbock stands a rather close second. All other plains counties are far in the rear. Lynn county stands well up toward the front of all west Texas counties, there being only six that exceeded her in cotton production in 1925. The report for all the leading cotton raising counties in west Texas and the counties contiguous to Lynn is as follows:

Runnells	71,288
Jones	71,272
Hall	60,281
Taylor	55,969
Wilbarger	49,978
Haskell	48,905
Lynn	42,189
El Paso	42,007
Collingsworth	40,125
Mitchell	39,874
Box	38,582
Lubbock	38,017
Coleman	37,465
Childress	33,481
Hardeman	33,462
Fisher	31,296
Cottle	29,552
Crosby	27,032
Nolan	26,918
Wesley	26,629
Scurry	25,040
Donley	24,789
Dawson	24,594
Dickens	22,926
Wichita	21,131
Motley	19,499
Hale	19,062
Howard	18,524
Garza	13,048
Terry	11,675
Lamb	11,388

The total crop in the state is 4,097,009 against 4,850,956 in 1924.

Half Inch Rain Fell Here Saturday

Rain amounting to .52 of an inch fell in Tahoka late Saturday afternoon and night. Farmers residing east of town think that the precipitation was heavier in that direction than it was in town. It was apparently lighter west of town. The entire county and in fact the entire south plains was covered, however, as well as other parts of Texas. On March 3, the rainfall here amounted to .40 of an inch, bringing the total for the month up to .92 of an inch. This is very unusual, as rain rarely ever falls here in March. There was no rainfall in February but the precipitation in the form of snow which fell in January is estimated at .85 of an inch.

The rain Saturday put the soil in very fine condition for plowing. In fact, it was already in fairly good condition and possibly two-thirds of the lands in cultivation had already been broken and prepared for planting. This unusual rainfall in March has had the effect of making farmers and business men feel very hopeful as to this year's crop.

Speight Buys Lots On West Side

Thomas H. Speight has confidence in the future of Tahoka. This was proven last week when he invested some of his hard-earned cash in a business lot on the west side of the square. The lot purchased lies immediately north of the building recently vacated by the Club Cafe and now occupied by the Welch Grocery, and H. M. Larkin is the seller. Mr. Speight says that some time in the future he expects to erect a building on this lot but even if he should not do so he thinks that business property in Tahoka will steadily advance in value and that his purchase was a splendid investment whether he ever builds or not.

"Dad" Has Fiddle 192 Years Old

made in 1734 and is therefore 192 years old. "Dad" sent it down to the Star-Telegram Saturday, which "Dad" Dunning is the owner of an old fiddle. This instrument was staged a contest for the oldest fiddle in the state. We do not know how many fiddles there are in the state as old as this one but we surmise that they are few. We do not have the history of this fiddle, but a little calculation will show that it was more than 40 years old when grandpa rang the Independence bell in Philadelphia in 1776. George Washington was only two years old when this fiddle was manufactured. It has lived through all the history of this country. It might have done service at many a colonial ball before the Revolution. When the swains were making merry over the inauguration of the first President, it was hoary with age. When the Civil War broke out it had passed the century and a quarter mark. This is some fiddle that "Dad" has and it is still capable of making the most enchanting and lively music.

SILICA BEDS FOUND HERE

New York Geologist Inspects Large Deposit of Mineral Found On Nance Farm

A gentleman giving his name as Wright and representing himself to be a mining geologist, whose home is in New York but whose temporary headquarters are in Houston, Texas, showed up in Tahoka on Wednesday last week for the purpose of making some investigations of mineral deposits which had been found on the farm of J. B. Nance six miles south of Tahoka. Mr. Nance accompanied him to the farm and he made investigations at five different points scattered over the farm. In each instance a silica bed was found at a shallow depth, and upon leaving Mr. Wright remarked to Mr. Nance that the latter would hear from him. He took quite a quantity of the silica with him.

Sometime ago Mr. Nance sent samples of this silica to Washington D. C. He also took samples to Amarillo, where geologists pronounced it to be finest specimen of silica they had ever seen. It is used in making glass and queen ware and is very valuable. It seems to exist in large quantities on Mr. Nance's farm and may become a valuable product.

P. T. A. Has An Enthusiastic Session

The Parent-Teachers Association had their regular meeting in the High School Auditorium Tuesday afternoon. They report that it was the most enthusiastic meeting which the club has ever had. The picture went to Miss Seroyer's room for having the most mothers present. One of the features of the program was a fire drill given by the pupils of the third grade, led by Miss Seroyer.

A fine little reading entitled "Boosting" was given by Helen Applewhite. Mr. Nelson explained how it happened that our school bonds were not approved. Plans for the next meeting were announced, as will be found elsewhere in this paper, and it was also planned to have a "Carnival" and give the play, "The District Skule" at an early date.

W. G. Birley, J. D. Liles, E. J. Hendrix and Mr. Keltner left Monday morning in one of Mr. Briley's Chevrolets for Oklahoma City to attend a meeting of Chevrolet agents at that place. They phoned back Tuesday morning that they reached that burg at 10 o'clock Monday night. They are expected home about tonight. (Thursday)

MAY GRADE ENTIRE HIGHWAY

Proposition Made County By Lubbock District Highway Supervisor For Work

Last week we stated that Mr. Fields, the highway supervisor of the Lubbock district, had proposed to repair an engine belonging to the county at an estimated expense of \$1900.00 and use the same in grading the highway east from Tahoka provided he might be permitted to use the engine in other counties when not needed in this county. We have been advised that these do not state the proposition accurately. He proposes to grade highway No. 9 from the Terry county line through the county east to Garza county line and also the Wilson Road from Tahoka through Wilson to the Lubbock county line if that should be designated as a state highway, provided the State Highway Department might be allowed the privilege of using the engine in other counties when not needed in this county, but subject to the demand of the commissioners of this county at any time they might wish to use it.

The engine in question, we are informed, is now out of repair and in its present condition is worth not exceeding \$500.00. Mr. Fields proposes to repair it without any expense whatever to Lynn county but at an estimated expense of \$1900.00 to the state. This proposition must be acted upon by the commissioners' court before it becomes operative but it seems so fair that Messrs. Fairles, McGonagill, and Williams who interviewed Mr. Fields about the matter felt very confident that the court will accept it. This highway running east and west through the county has had very little work done on it during the last year and it greatly needs grading. It is to be hoped that an agreement in the matter may be reached at an early date and work on this highway begun.

Hansford Co. Couple Is Married Here

A couple of young people giving their names as Ralph Ward and Miss Estelle Parnell appeared at the office of Happy Smith early Monday morning and called for a marriage license. Their request was granted and thereupon they proceeded to the office of Judge I. P. Metcalf, where they were made husband and wife. They facetiously told the Judge that they had come all the way from Spearman, where they reside, just to get him to tie the knot. He tied it good and fast all right. Spearman is in Hansford county, possibly 250 miles from Tahoka, Hansford being in the north tier of counties of the Panhandle. Just what prompted them to come this distance to get married was unexplained, unless in truth the fame of the marrying squire had reached them and they felt that it would be a bit romantic to make the trip all the way to Tahoka to have him start them out together along the flowery path of matrimonial bliss.

Noted Poet and Lecturer Coming

The last number of the Lyceum course being given by the American Legion boys will be presented at the Star Theatre on Thursday night, April 1. Marshall Louis Mertins, poet, author, lecturer, entertainer, will deliver one of his famous lectures, among which are "The Gold at the Rainbow's End", "Excess Baggage" and others scarcely less widely known. Mr. Mertins promises to give you a bushel of fun as well as philosophy.

A special picture will also be shown, a Universal Jewel, with Mary Phibbin, in "The Gaiety Girl. This is an opportunity to have an hour or two of fun and entertainment such as will not be presented often. The American Legion Boys will appreciate it if you will come, and you will appreciate it after you come.

Robt. H. King of the Security State Bank is in Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Whitewright this week on business.

COUNTY MEET IS NEXT WEEK

Students' Meeting Will Be At Wilson; Local Declamation Contests Held

The county interscholastic contests will be held at Wilson on Friday and Saturday of next week. Contests will be held in debating, declamation, extemporaneous speaking, spelling, arithmetic, and music memory. All the field and track events will also be held.

Supt. R. E. Key of Wilson is the Director-General. Supt. Rickard of O'Donnell is the director of debate, Prof. Edwards of O'Donnell is director of Athletics, Supt. Nelson of Tahoka is the director of Arithmetic. We failed to get the information as to who is director of declamation and other contests.

All the schools of the county, both the town and the rural schools, will participate in these contests. All visitors will be entertained by the people of Wilson and beds will be furnished those who are compelled or desire to remain over night.

The winners in these contests will participate in the district contests to be held at Lubbock about two weeks later, and the winners in the district contests will go to the state contests at Austin.

The try-out contests to determine who should represent Tahoka in the county contests in declamation was held in the high school auditorium last Friday night. The winners are as follows:

- Senior Boys
 First place Clifton Jonak
 Second place Lawrence Sanford
 Senior Girls
 First place Mabel Draper
 Second place Alice Small
 Junior Boys
 First place Paul Miller
 Second _____
 Junior Girls
 First Kathryn Poer
 Second Lucile Slaton
 Of the above winners, Paul Miller and Kathryn Poer represented the Tahoka school and were winners in the county contest last year. It is thought that they have a fine chance to win again this year. In fact, every one of the Tahoka contestants possibly has a good chance to win.

The purpose of these contests, as stated by Supt. Nelson, is to give an outlet for the initiative of individual students and to create a wholesome spirit of co-operation and friendly sympathy among the various schools. These contests will be very spirited and communities of the county, and entertaining and it is hoped that many Tahoka people will attend them.

FLOYD-SLOVER

Sam H. Floyd and Miss Marthie Slover of the South Ward community were married at the Methodist parsonage Saturday night, Rev. Jno. E. Eldridge, the pastor, officiating.

These are popular young people of their community as well as in Tahoka. Both have been students of the High School here and have many friends who wish them a world of happiness in the days to come.

MARSHALL LOUIS MERTINS



Louis Mertins is known as "The Poet of the Commonplace." His poems sing of the woods, the fields, the flowers and the birds. They sing of the sower that goes forth to sow and the fisherman beside the sea shore.

School Election Is Declared Invalid

Allen Sells Gin To Lubbock Men

E. R. Allen of this city last week sold his splendid gin plant in Tahoka to parties at Lubbock, whose names we are not yet at liberty to disclose. Deeds and papers have not yet passed but the deal is considered as closed.

Mr. Allen and family will remain in Tahoka for the remainder of the school year. Mr. Allen says that they are then going fishing and doesn't know just exactly where they will turn up. Mr. Allen thinks it probable, however, that they will locate in Denton next fall. He is burning no bridges behind him, however, for he says that he does not intend to make any immediate investments and may finally decide to come back to Tahoka to reside. Their idea in going to Denton is that his daughter Mary may enter one of the state schools at that place. Many friends here are hoping that they will finally land back in Tahoka for keeps.

FROST GETS OIL LEASES

Will Drill Wildcat Oil Well Some where East of City of O'Donnell

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With the co-operation of the land owners to the east of O'Donnell a deep test for oil and gas will be under way soon.

This announcement was made this week by H. C. Frost, who is blocking up 20,000 acres for this purpose, and the quicker the land owners place a lease on their lands in the hands of Mr. Frost, the quicker drilling will start. The leases taken are being placed in escrow and as soon as the acreage is blocked a contract will be made with one of the big oil companies for drilling the well.

Todate about 6,000 acres have been leased, those coming in the pool being anxious for others to join and get development under way at the earliest date possible. This is the opportunity that many have been looking forward to have a deep test made and it shows a very patriotic spirit in Mr. Frost to spend his own time and money to secure the necessary acreage for drilling. The leases are being taken under a standard form and does not entail the title to the property in any manner.

Since Mr. Frost started out to block up the acreage for a drilling contract, a number of lease hounds have been in the field offering a few cents per acre for leases to hold on speculation on the strength of the proposed well, and should the land owners lease in this manner it will retard drilling for years, perhaps, as they have no intention of ever drilling.

Hold your land until Mr. Frost sees you and explains his proposition and then lose no time in signing up for the first deep test in the O'Donnell country.

Rev. Eldridge In Revival at Wilson

Rev. Jno. E. Eldridge, pastor of the Methodist Church, is in Wilson this week conducting a revival meeting. He reports that good interest is being manifested and splendid results are expected. The meeting began last Sunday night. Brother Eldridge filled his pulpit here Sunday morning but went to Wilson Sunday afternoon in order to begin the services there that night.

He desires that we announce that he will be in his pulpit here next Sunday night on account of the services at Wilson.

FARM BUREAU MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Farm Bureau in the Court House Saturday, April 3, at 2:40 o'clock p. m. Everybody invited.

NEW ELECTION IS APRIL 17th

Must Be Held Within 30 Days Of Order; May Build Rural Ward School

Owing to the fact that the recent bond election held in the Tahoka Independent School District has been held invalid by the attorney general's department, a new petition was circulated Wednesday morning and presented to the president of the board before noon. The board met in the afternoon and granted the petition, ordering a new election to be held on Saturday, April 17. Notices of this election were posted by the secretary of the board Wednesday afternoon and a notice is also published in this issue of the Lynn County News. Every voter is urged to read carefully this notice, since it gives considerable information about the issue to be decided.

Some objection was urged against the previously proposed bond issue on the ground that it made no provision for the erection of a ward school north or northwest of town. This objection was taken cognizance of in the new petition and election order and the present election order makes possible the construction of school buildings instead of a single building.

Assistant Attorney-General C. A. Wheeler has held that the bond issue of \$100,000.00 voted at the election held in the Tahoka Independent School District a few weeks ago is invalid and has declined to approve the same. This opinion was given by him in a communication received by the president of the school board Saturday afternoon. As a result of this opinion, it will be necessary for another election to be held before any bonds can be legally issued, and a petition for a

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New City Fire Truck Has Arrived

Tahoka's new fire truck arrived Tuesday. The boys tried it out Tuesday night and they were highly pleased with the way it performed. With a pressure of only 110 pound they shot a stream of water to the top of the flag pole on the court house. The pump has a pressure capacity of 350 pounds and is capable of forcing 400 gallons of water through the two nozzles every minute. When the engine is in action two streams of water may be thrown. The truck has 1200-foot hose body and is equipped with two chemical tanks and all necessary apparatus. Full pressure was not put on Tuesday night for the reason that the new hose had not arrived and it was feared that the old hose would not stand the strain. One thousand feet of new double jacket hose has been ordered and is expected any day which is guaranteed to stand the strain of 350-pound pressure which the engine is capable of creating.

This new fire truck is a handsome vehicle and it is said to be one of the best to be found in any city the size of Tahoka. It was purchased at a cost of \$5825.00 to the City. Prior to the purchase of this truck the City was practically without any protection against fire. The boys are wonderfully proud of their new machine and the citizens of the city can now rest much easier than heretofore.

The City is also taking steps to procure a larger water supply. A contract was let at a meeting of the City Council Tuesday night to clean out and rim out the City's big well. That work is being done now, with the prospect that it will afford a much greater water supply than heretofore.

Advices reached us just as we are going to press that the home of M. A. Dorman of T-Bar was destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon.

PUBLIC SALE OF IMPOUNDED STOCK

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, April 5, 1926, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. the following live stock will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash at the City Pound in the City of Tahoka, same having been found running at large within the corporate limits of said city and impounded as provided by the city ordinances, to-wit: One sorrel mare mule about 12 or 14 years old and one black horse mule about 10 or 12 years old, each about 15 hands high and each having some kind of brand on the left h.p.; the proceeds of said sale to be applied as provided by city ordinance.

Garret Richards, City Marshal.

R. H. Turner is able to be out again after a long illness.

Wild Stallion Roams Range Near Paducah

PADUCAH, March 13.—On the Hagan Whattley ranch, between Crowell and Paducah, is said to be a wild stallion which has eluded capture for year. "The Roan," as this outlaw is known far and wide, is seven years old and has been roaming the prairies ever since three months old.

Tales of his speed border on the wonderful. For instance he is said to have worn out fifteen relay horses in one day, and to always be one jump ahead of his pursuers, who have been chasing him now for seven years. The horse is up to all kinds of tricks and too wily to ever be caught in a snare. Every draw and steep hill on this ranch of 14,000 acres is known to the stallion, and old cowboys declare it's useless trying to run him down.

At present he is running with a herd of nine horses and two mules.

The owners of the ranch are too much impressed with the magnificent speed of the stallion to want him killed or crippled, and it's not impossible that Ray Shiftlett and his two airplanes will make an effort next week to assist in running down the Roan!

MCDONALD GARAGE BURNS —CAUSED BY GAS THIEF

About 11 o'clock Monday night the fire alarm was turned in, when S. L. McDonald's garage was found to be on fire, but as the ground around it was found to be saturated with gasoline, it was beyond control before the fire department could reach the scene.

According to Mr. McDonald, who was seen by a reporter, he and wife were preparing to retire when she looked out the window and informed him that he had left his tail light burning. He went out and turned it off and was going back to the house when he heard a noise out side, and struck a match to investigate, and the whole place seemed to burst into flames. It seems the thief finding the barrel of gas locked, began drawing the gasoline out of the car tank into a lard bucket, and pouring it into a larger vessel, but when Mr. McDonald walked out, he left the cock running, which filled the bucket and began running out on the ground, and the whole building soon filled with gas fumes with the above result.

Officers have some faint clues and are working on the case. Mr. McDonald carried some insurance on the car.—Terry County Herald.

THE TEMPER OF CHARACTER

He who loves the soft seat may after a while be assigned a seat that is pretty hard. He that desires only the easy task will either amount to nothing or find that the real tasks of life are difficult. If we insist that our pathway be strewn with roses, we may learn that piercing thorns are in the neighborhood. The lover of ease will certainly find that ease is not to be found in the pathway of high achievement.

And who wants to live an easy life after all? There is something effeminate about it. Certainly character deteriorates without discipline.

We saw a good illustration the other day. Two plumbers were working on a home. One of them cut into a large iron pipe using his little cold chisel to make numerous brisk taps in a circle around the pipe. Another plumber had the same kind of a chisel and was cutting in halves a large piece of lead. "Easy work" said a watcher as the plumber drove the chisel into the soft material.

"Yes" he replied, "but this work spoils the chisel."

"Lead is not hard enough to spoil a chisel," insisted the bystander.

"No the workman replied, "but it takes all the temper out of it, so that it is good for nothing else. To cut much lead will spoil the finest cold chisel."

And too many soft tasks will spoil the finest character. Covet, therefore, the harder job and walk the more difficult path.

The Organized Class Magazine:

L. H. Moore of O'Donnell says that advertising pays. He noticed published statement that The Lynn County News and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News could be had one year for only two silver dollars and he came straight to the News office and accepted the offer. He has been a reader of this paper for many years. Mr. Moore says that the rain in his community, T-Bar, was apparently about the same as here. He was on his way to New Home, where he is having several hundred acres of land put in cultivation.

SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the County Court at Law of Wichita County, on the 27th day of February 1926, in a certain cause wherein Clear Vision Pump Sales Company is plaintiff, and The Modern Filling Station and F. O. Greathouse individually are defendants, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 30th day of November, 1925, in favor of the said plaintiff Clear Vision Pump Sales Company against said defendants. The Modern Filling Station and F. O. Greathouse for the sum of Nine Hundred Eighty-Four and 86-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and, will on the third Saturday in March, 1926, it being the 20th day of said month, at the place of business of Modern Filling Station in the city of Tahoka, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of The Modern Filling Station and F. O. Greathouse individually in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of The Modern Filling Station and F. O. Greathouse, to-wit: Two Clear Vision Pumps, Model No. 203; One Air Compressor and One 550 gallon Tank.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Nine Hundred Eighty-four and 86-100 Dollars in favor of Clear Vision Pump Sales company together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. W. Simpson Sheriff Lynn County, Texas.
By W. M. Lee Deputy.

Chevrolet Breaks Record In Production

Detroit, Mich., March 2.—A greater number of automobiles are being built this month by the Chevrolet Motor company than ever before produced in a single month by any manufacturer of modern three speed gear shift cars.

The schedule, which constitutes a new monthly record for Chevrolet, calls for more than 57,500 passenger cars and trucks. According to W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager of the company, this total is more than 14,000 greater than the production during March of 1925.

To attain this record production, plant facilities were increased recently to a daily maximum of 2,525 motors, the day and night shifts now averaging 135 motors per hour.

NEW HOME PEOPLE ENTERTAINED BY THE WILSON DRAMATIC CLUB

Last Thursday night the Wilson Dramatic Club, with the Sandstormers Orchestra, entertained the citizens of New Home with their show and music. A good crowd met the boys at the school house and for a short time enjoyed the program the Club had arranged for the entertainment. The receipts for the night were fairly good, which will be spent for the benefit of the orchestra.—Wilson Pointer.

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Another "Bull" Durham advertisement by Will Rogers, Ziegfeld Folies and screen star, and leading American humorist. More coming. Watch for them.

Congress No. 2

Statistics have proven that only one-half of one per cent of the speeches made in Congress are listened to. A great many Congressmen speak IN, but not TO Congress. But every speech is published in the record. They send the records back home to show "What they told 'em up there in Washington." Now the people back home think Congress heard their "Lem" tell 'em this.

Now, here is my scheme to stop speech making. A Bill reading as follows: "Congressional Record must not only contain speech, but number of members, and names who listened to speech, and why." For instance: "Congressman Post Hole arose to a point of information and spoke at length on, 'Is Locarno a town, or is it a Treaty? Length of speech, without waiting for applause, four hours, thirty-six minutes; attendance, Gout (Rep. N. Y.): 'Unable to get out.' Sixty-four (Dem. N. J.): 'Case of reciprocity, he listened to mine.' Lowbrow (Rep. Mass.): 'I was asleep, even the good speakers haven't woke me up.'"

Now I claim that will stop some speech making. The minute it gets back home that "Lemmie" is talking to himself up there, "Lemmie" will stop talking.

You know why they won't listen to anybody up there? They have gone out to smoke, that's why, and you know why they've gone out to smoke? Why, "Bull" Durham, of course. IT'S BETTER THAN ANY SPEECH EVER MADE.

Will Rogers

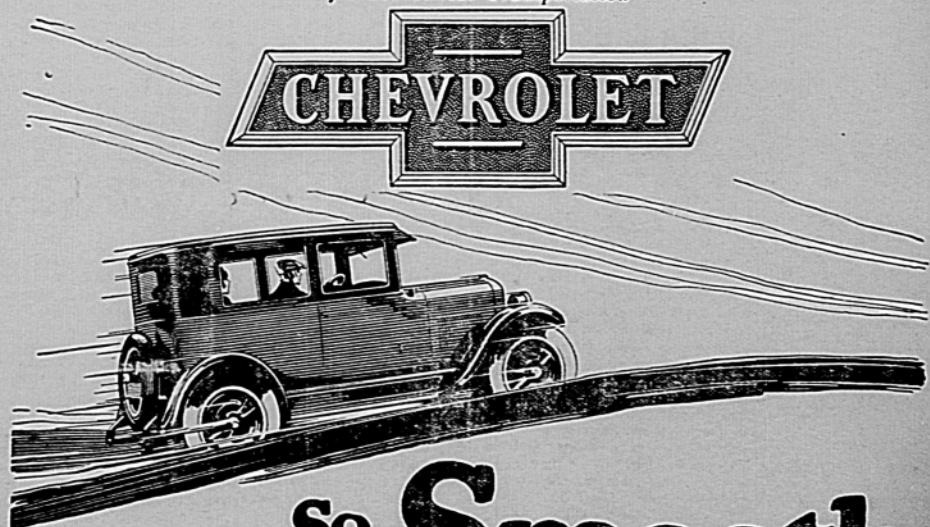
P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Look for it.

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QUALITY AT LOW COST

The Evolution of Jack's Bean Stalk



THAT must have been a tough old bean-stalk that permitted Jack to climb to the giant's castle in the clouds. In height it out-distanced the Tower of Babel, which aimed at heaven but never got there.

If the stringless beans we have today were as tough as those on Jack's picturesque ladder must have been, they would not be as popular as they are. The modern "stringless bean" is not one of the miracles performed by that wizard of plant life, Luther Burbank, but is an achievement of the canning industry.

Only when she buys them in a can is the housewife able to save herself the trouble of "stringing" beans. The commercial canner, with its highly perfected equipment, has relieved her of this burden.

Now is the time to eat stringless beans, because of their remarkable

cheapness. Owing to the unusually large crops, last summer, the canners put up an enormous amount of this healthful and delicious food, and therefore are selling at a great reduction, in order to reduce their large stock on hand. So the consumer is reaping the benefit. And the thrifty housewife will take advantage of the "special sales", to stock her supply-shelf with a goodly amount of stringless beans, rejoicing that she may thus practice economy and at the same time save herself time and trouble.

Besides cooking stringless beans in white sauce or butter, here is a delicious way of serving them "peasant fashion":—

Simmer contents of a No. 2 size can of beans with one ham bone or a half-pound of bacon fat, for an hour. Season, and serve with vinegar. The bean's lack of fat is thus supplied.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Justice Court Room in the Court House in the city of Tahoka and in the Tahoka Independent School District in Lynn County, Texas, on Saturday, the 17th day of April A. D. 1926, in compliance with an order made by the Board of Trustees of the Tahoka Independent School District on this the 24th day of March A. D. 1926, to determine if the bonds of said Tahoka Independent School District shall be issued to the amount of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, maturing serially not exceeding forty years from their date as hereinafter set out, bearing a rate of interest not exceeding five and one-half per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing and equipping public free school buildings of brick material and purchasing sites therefor within said district and if there shall be annually levied, assessed, and collected on all the taxable property in said district, for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the payment of and sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds as they mature; said bonds to mature in the following amounts and at the following dates to wit:

- No bonds to mature during the first five years from their date,
- \$1,000.00 to mature six years from their date,
- \$1,000.00 to mature seven years from their date,
- \$1,000.00 to mature eight years from their date,
- \$1,000.00 to mature nine years from their date,
- \$1,000.00 to mature ten years from their date,
- \$1,500.00 to mature eleven years from their date,
- \$1,500.00 to mature twelve years from their date,
- \$1,500.00 to mature thirteen years from their date,
- \$1,500.00 to mature fourteen years from their date,
- \$1,500.00 to mature fifteen years from their date,
- \$2,000.00 to mature sixteen years from their date,
- \$2,000.00 to mature seventeen years from their date,
- \$2,000.00 to mature eighteen years from their date,
- \$2,000.00 to mature nineteen years from their date,
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- \$2,500.00 to mature twenty-five years from their date,
- \$3,500.00 to mature twenty-six years from their date,
- \$3,500.00 to mature twenty-seven years from their date,
- \$3,500.00 to mature twenty-eight years from their date,
- \$3,500.00 to mature twenty-nine years from their date,
- \$3,500.00 to mature thirty years from their date,
- \$4,500.00 to mature thirty-one years from their date,
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- \$4,500.00 to mature thirty-three years from their date,
- \$4,500.00 to mature thirty-four years from their date,
- \$4,500.00 to mature thirty-five years from their date,
- \$5,000.00 to mature thirty-six years from their date,
- \$5,000.00 to mature thirty-seven years from their date,
- \$5,000.00 to mature thirty-eight years from their date,
- \$5,000.00 to mature thirty-nine years from their date,
- \$5,000.00 to mature forty years from their date.

D. T. Rogers has been appointed presiding judge of said election and G. W. Knoy has also been appointed judge of said election, and Hansford Tunnell and W. O. Henderson have been appointed clerks of said election; and said election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for general elections and in accordance with the law

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Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by THOMAS BROS. DRUG CO.

governing special elections for the issuance of bonds in independent schools districts as provided by the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas.

No person shall vote at said election who is not a property tax paying qualified voter of the Tahoka Independent School District under the constitution and laws of this state.

Those in favor of the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof shall have written or printed upon their ballots:

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof,"

and those opposed to the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall have written or printed up on their ballots:

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof"

This notice is given in pursuance of an order made on the 24th day of March A. D. 1926 by the Board of Trustees of the Tahoka Independent School District ordering said election and directing that this notice be published.

Dated this the 24th day of March A. D. 1926.

E. I. Hill, President Board of Trustees Tahoka Independent School District.

J. S. Weatherford, Secretary Board of Trustees Tahoka Independent School District. (Seal)

Three Features In April Magazine Sec.

The Lynn Co. News April Magazine Section will contain three especially good features—as follows:

"TALE OF A TEXAS COWMAN"—Some of the hardships of early trail-driving. By Ollie Pearce Weaver.

"TEXAS LIGNITE COMING INTO ITS OWN"—Development of one of the State's greatest natural resources. By John W. Palmer.

"LIVING TO A RIPE OLD AGE"—Learn how to maintain health and lengthen life. By Dr. A. C. Jacobsen

There will be other reading matter that you should not miss in our April Magazine Section. Something for each member of the family—special pages, brimful of news items and departments sparkling with interest. Remember the date—April 5th.

SLATON SOON TO START PAVING BUSINESS STREETS

SLATON, Texas, March 21.—The Slaton City Commission has awarded the engineering contract for paving the business streets and preliminary surveys will be made at once, as the

city wants to advertise for bids as soon as possible.

The \$100,000 paving bonds recently were sold at \$3,626 premium. The entire amount will be used for paving around the city square, one block each way, and three blocks in Texas avenue to the Santa Fe depot.

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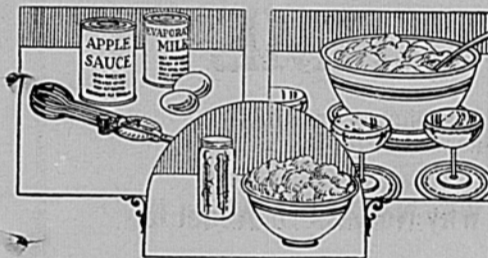
We have the best mechanics and as good equipment as you will find to take care of your automobile repair work.

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Connolly Motor Company

Some Used Cars At Bargains

A Nourishing Dainty



THE dessert course may be made at once an epicurean delight and a source of real nutriment, by using that delicious dainty known as "apple whip"—or "apple snow." It is very simple to make, if one has at hand a can of applesauce. For even apples are now put up in this convenient and well-cooked form. The work of peeling, coring, cutting, cooking and straining is thus eliminated. To the stiffly beaten whites of three eggs add gradually a medium size can of applesauce. Sweeten to taste with powdered sugar and continue beating until the mixture is light and fluffy. Serve in individual sherbet-glasses, with a bit of whipped cream and a maraschino cherry topping each. This combination of eggs, cream and fruit has real food value, and at the same time makes a light and palatable finish for a substantial meal.

One does not always have a supply of whipping cream on hand; so it is well for the housewife to know that she can use evaporated milk and whip it just as satisfactorily as the fresh cream. This is because the cream is all left in the best brands of evaporated milk. It is necessary only to chill it thoroughly before whipping; also the bowl in which it is to be whipped. It should be whipped just before serving, as it will not stand up so long as fresh cream. If desired, sweeten and flavor with a little vanilla. It will be found to be a delicious and economical substitute for whipped cream.

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IDEALIST OR PRACTICAL STATESMAN?

We often hear the expression that "Wilson was an idealist, but—" with emphasis on the "but." The inference is that he was not practical. The assertion was made so many times by his enemies when the fight was being made on the proposal for the United States to enter the League of Nations which Wilson fathered, that even many of his warmest friends came to believe it. They say he was an "idealist," a "dreamer," a man with the best intentions but that he was visionary and impractical.

It is greatly to Woodrow Wilson's credit that he was an idealist. A man who has no ideals has very little character that is worth-while. A man with high ideals is always a man of high character. But a man may be an "idealist" and at the same time be most practical and sensible about the business of attaining his ideals, or putting them into practical operation.

Was Wilson a mere "idealist"? Was he a failure as a practical statesman? Let's see what the record shows.

During the first eighteen months of his first administration, more wholesome and progressive legislation was effected than had been effected in any preceding quarter of a century in American history, possibly, and his entire record as President has never been equaled by that of any other man.

First, the Underwood-Simmons Tariff act was enacted, embodying the Democratic idea of "tariff for revenue only." It also included the Income Tax feature, which no party has sought to repeal and which seems to have become a settled policy of this government. A Tariff Commission was also created for the purpose of studying the tariff question scientifically from all angles and giving Congress the benefit of its investigations and recommenda-

tions. Second, the Owen-Glass Federal Reserve Act was passed, completely re-organizing our national banking system and creating twelve Federal Reserve Banks located throughout the United States. It is universally conceded that this newly-created banking system averted a financial panic in this country in 1914 following the outbreak of the great World War. A few years of operation has revealed some defects in the system perhaps, which need to be corrected, but nobody would favor the repeal or abrogation of this great banking system.

Third, the Clayton Anti-Trust law was enacted and a Federal Trade Commission created.

Fourth, a conservative but helpful child labor law was enacted.

Fifth, the first law providing for the building of highways in co-operation with the states was passed.

Sixth, a national defense act was passed in 1916, increasing the standing army from 90,000 men to 175,000 and creating a system of training camps for reserve officers, while \$600,000,000 was appropriated for building war ships. All this seemed to many people to be sheer extravagance and waste, but the wisdom of it was demonstrated when the United States was drawn into the great war the next year.

Seventh, foreseeing that America would inevitably be drawn into the war, President Wilson made a tour of the country preaching the doctrine of "preparedness" and thus preparing the people for the terrible days that were soon to come.

Eighth, he sent a series of notes to Germany that caused her for more than a year to cease her indiscriminate submarine warfare on vessels carrying passengers of neutral nations.

Ninth, when Congress declared that a state of War existed with Germany President Wilson devised and proposed to Congress the Selective Draft System, to which many objected at the time but which proved the most just and expedient method that could have been employed to make America's power felt in the war. Through this means, America trained and transported to France by September, 1918, two million American soldiers, who arrived none too soon to save the allies from defeat and to win the war. There were 1,500,000 ready to go when the armistic was signed.

Tenth, at the outset of the war the Adamson 8-hour law was passed which ended the most serious railway strike in the history of the country.

Eleventh, President Wilson, after America's entry into the war, sent a series of notes not to the kaiser but to the German people designed to break the morale of the German people and which to a large extent had that effect.

Twelfth, when a treaty of peace was being negotiated he set forth his famous fourteen points, which sought to solve the internal troubles of Europe on a permanent basis of justice and fairness to all. While not fully realized, yet they entered in a

large measure into the treaty of peace that was finally negotiated.

Thirteenth, He proposed the League of Nations, which had for its purpose the establishment of permanent peace among the great nations of the world. The League was established but Wilson's political and personal enemies prevented America's entry into the League.

It is true that the laws referred to above were enacted by Congress, but Wilson proposed most of them and wielded the "big stick." The complaint was that he dictated to Congress and thus his enemies gave him credit for most of this progressive and helpful legislation.

In the face of the above facts, we maintain that Woodrow Wilson was the greatest practical statesman of produced. Let no man who claims his day and generation and perhaps the greatest that America has ever to be well-informed repeat the hackneyed charge that Woodrow Wilson was merely an idealist.

Our public school system is based on the theory that a "general diffusion of knowledge is essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people." It is upon this premise as set out in our state constitution that the state assumes the right to tax the property of the man who has no children in order to educate the children of the man who has no property. This being true and being declared true in the constitution of our state, no man should be heard to say that a school tax levied upon his property for the benefit of the other man's children is an unjust tax. If that were true, and if it should be recognized as true in the constitution and laws of this state, we should immediately destroy our public school system and abandon or sell every public school building in Texas. If education is "essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people," as declared in our constitution, then public education inures to the benefit of the man who owns property whether he has any children or not. The man who inherits property or who has more ability than the average man to accumulate wealth should consider himself fortunate and should not complain when called upon to pay a tax upon his property to educate the children of his state and thus secure the blessings of liberty and enlightenment to the present and future generations. In fact, the tax is not against the individual but against the property in his state, and he who owns the property has no just complaint that a tax is assessed against it. This is the way we view the matter. If we are not right we are willing to be corrected.

CARUSO UNDER GLASS

Mr. Carveth Wells, famed naturalist directory of many an expedition for the American Museum of National History, astonished reporters by letting fall numerous lurid observations enant a tour of the Mediterranean from which he returned last week to Manhattan.

"I found the crater of Vesuvius swarming with billion of lady bugs I was taken for a Frenchman in Damascus and bombarded with rotten fruit. No wonder! Near there I saw 300 Sengalese soldiers riding along on camels and lashing at the faces of passing Syrians with long whips. A fine way to pacify them I visited Enrico Caruso's tomb while in Italy, and was surprised to find his perfectly embalmed corpse lying in a glass sarcophagus, clad in evening clothes. He almost appeared alive. The attendant who raised the American flag which covered the sarcophagus demanded one lira (4c) as his fee. I am sure that his traffic is not sanctioned by Caruso's window."—Times.

W. W. Brandon shipped a car load of cows to Kansas City last Friday morning. We have not learned what Mr. Brandon received for his shipment but cows are bringing a good price now.

Ye were bought with a price; become not bond servants of men. Rom. 8:24.

Visitors to Tahoka almost invariably praise our paved streets and the neat appearance of our little city. They admire our handsome court house and our attractive business buildings. But we have never yet heard a visitor speak a word of commendation for our school building. This is no criticism of the present building. It is worth much more than the money invested in it. The trouble is that our little city has outgrown its public school considered from the standpoint of the physical property in which it is conducted, and we now need to invest some more money in a building

The public school belongs to every body and it is very valuable property. It is peculiarly the poor man's institution, however. He derives a benefit from it out of all proportion to what it costs him. Looking at the proposition from a purely selfish standpoint, every man in moderate circumstances should be in favor of the best school possible. Looking at it from the broad, patriotic standpoint, every man should favor good schools regardless of the amount of his property holdings.

It is true that none of us enjoys paying high taxes. It is also true that good schools and school buildings cost money. But who would be without good schools? They are among the very best assets that any town or community can have. If you want people to locate in Tahoka, build good schools here. If you want them to pass Tahoka up, let your schools lag behind those of all your neighboring towns.

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The Birds you see are called Scissor-tailed Flycatchers. In perching they close their tails, occasionally giving a bee-bird like note. Then they suddenly dart into the air after a fly.

Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

One of their favorite acts is flying up and down in a see saw fashion opening and shutting their tails while doing so.

They will attack white-necked ravens and other large birds, lighting on their back, screaming, and giving vicious assaults.

THEM DAYS ARE GONE FOREVER (A New Tune Every Day by Vincent Lopez.)

I'M A MISERABLE MONGOLIAN - A MAN OF KEEN REGRETS -

--- A WRETCHED ORIENTAL WHO IS OVERWHELMED WITH DEBTS!

I WAS ONCE A MANUFACTURER OF CHINESE MAH-JONG SETS --

THEM DAYS ARE GONE FOREVER!

T-BAR NEWS

There was a large crowd out to the T-Bar school Thursday evening, where the T-Bar and Three Lakes ball teams played ball. Senior girls' scores, 6 to 15 in T-Bar's favor. Junior girls' scores, 4 to 0 in T-Bar's favor, 6 to 15 in T-Bar's favor. Senior boys, scores 26 to 1 in T-Bar's favor. Junior boys, scores 4 to 2 in Three Lakes' favor. These will be the last games we will play this season.

The Wells basket ball teams will meet on T-Bar courts Wednesday evening. We hope to make this a tight game, so everybody come out and see it.

The T-Bar and Wells singing classes have joined each other, and the class will meet at Wells school Sunday eve and at T-Bar the next, etc. Everybody come. We will do our best to make you feel at home, and I am sure the Wells singing class will do the same. There was a large crowd at the singing the past Sunday evening. The district singing convention will meet at T-Bar the first Sunday in April.

Thurman and Otis Aldridge have the mumps. Mr. and Mrs. Lindley, Bessie and Bill Henderson have gone to Coleman county to visit relatives.

They enrolled several new pupils in school the past two weeks. Our school will be out in April.

Miss Pearl Billing, Earl Billings and Medill Johnson and Sydney Johnson are visiting relatives and friends in this community.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson's Thursday night was enjoyed by all.

Miss Millie M. Halsey and Miss Murry, our county and district home demonstration agents, came out and organized the girls club for this year. The following were elected new officers: Mabel Crews, president, Vivian Moore, vice-president, Eva Dorman, Sec-Treas. We have about fourteen members to begin with. Come on, girls, and let's all work together and try to make a large and beneficial club, from this foundation that Miss Halsey is trying to give us.

The T-Bar school children will spell against the T-Baroutsiders Friday night. Everybody come and listen to the good spellers. Apple Blossom.

GRASSLAND NEWS

The rain Saturday night was very acceptable. It amounted to about an inch and will put the ground in excellent shape for early planting.

M. L. Thomas and family are visiting relatives in Shelby county.

A nine-pound girl arrived at the Carl Green home Sunday.

There is a lot of Flu in the community and several cases of the mumps have been reported among the school children.

The Women's Home Demonstration Club of Grassland-Magnolia met last Thursday with Mrs. A. E. Thomas of Grassland. Miss Halsey was with them and was to have given a demonstration in making quick breads but sickness and bad weather had prevented the club from meeting for some time, and there was so much business to attend to, the club did not have time for the demonstration.

The women of the club are always glad to have Miss Halsey with them and are greatly interested in the programs for this year.

One of the subjects discussed at the meeting was "Gardens," and the importance of vegetables in the diet. Some had become discouraged over garden failures but Miss Halsey's talk made them see how very necessary it is to use plenty of vegetables, not only because one likes them but as a protection from disease. All went home determined to grow a good garden.

After the business part of the meeting was finished Mrs. Thomas served sandwiches, salad and tea, which was enjoyed by all.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Program

March 23, 1926

Leader Otis Bosworth

Subject: William Carey, 1761-1834

Song: Touch of His Hand

Prayer

Song: I Love to Tell The Story

Business

Group IV in charge.

1. William Carey... Jeanette Caveness

2. The Young Shoemaker... Jewel Davidson

3. Reading "Cook's Voyage" - Clyde Blair

4. Carey Preaches "Missions" - Lucille Kemp

5. The Concert of Prayer... Meleese Greer

6. Carey Appointed to India - Summer Clayton

7. Succeeding Against Odds - Snooky Maddox

8. Closing Song: He's a Wonderful Savior to Me.

Magnolia-Grassland Makes Good Report

The Magnolia-Grassland Home Demonstration Club met March 18 with Mrs. E. A. Thomas. Reports were made and the "Year Book" discussed. Miss Halsey discussed "The Protective Diet." After the business meeting the hostess served a tempting refreshment plate.

Home work reported since last time we met is as follows:

Gardens broke	8
Seed Bought for garden	7
Onions set out	700
Turnip patch sowed	1
Fruit trees set out	28
Pecan trees	10
Grape vines	40
Shade trees	64
Honeysuckle	1
Cannas	15
Poultry	
Hens setting	21
Incubators setting	7
Baby chicks	529
Incubator house	1
Brooder houses	5
Brooders	5
Eggs setting	732
Eggs sold	\$53.89
Chickens sold	\$44.69
Dairying	
18 cows furnishing milk for ten families	
Clothing	
10 hats have been made	
Home Improvement	
Kitchen cabinet	1
Linoleum	2
Rug	1
Tables	1
Canning	
3 pints of jelly	
10 quarts of mince meat	
16 No. 2 cans of ham canned	
3 No 2 cans of butter canned	
90 pounds of soap made	

We meet next time with Mrs. H. C. Harter on April 16. Let everybody go and see what Miss Halsey has to say.

Secretary.

J. W. King, a real estate man of Roscoe, was here on business Saturday. He was formerly owner and editor of the Roscoe Times. Mr. King returned to his home Saturday afternoon in company with Grover Stewart, who went down to Roscoe on business.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the city of Tahoka, Texas, I hereby call an election to be held in the Lynn County Court house on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in April, being April 6th, 1926, for the purpose of electing two aldermen and a city secretary. W. J. Knoy is appointed manager of said election, and he will appoint his judges and clerks and make due report to the City Secretary as required by law.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 1st day of March, 1926.

J. R. Singleton, Mayor, City of Tahoka

Attest: Chas. N. Tunnell, City Secretary.

O'Donnell Bonds Bring Premium of \$5,437

That O'Donnell bonds are in demand was proven Tuesday when a premium of \$5,437 was paid for the \$65,000 bond issue recently voted to construct a new High School building. H. C. Burk & Company of Austin were the successful bidders.

A large number of bids for the bonds were received by the school board and several were close competitors of the successful bidders. The bonds will draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent and will be retired at forty years.

The plans for the proposed building have not as yet been accepted by the board, but architects are preparing them for submission. As soon as the plans are decided upon and the bonds approved by the attorney general, a contract will be let for the construction of the building.

The site of the building will be on the school property just north of the present building and it is planned to have it completed by the opening of the fall term of school—O'Donnell Index.

Will Plant 1,800 Acres of Cotton

Mac Hamilton is living up to his reputation as being the wildest farmer on the Southplains. He reports this week that he has finished breaking 870 acres in this county, 94 in Dawson county and 936 in Terry county. He will have all this land ready for planting by the time the seasons opens. Eighteen hundred acres of cotton is no small patch and given a good crop year, Mac will make the world sit up and take notice what one man can do. He uses gas power in breaking, planting and cultivating, working a night and day shift.

Mr. Hamilton's operations this year will be watched with a great deal of interest by those who are doubtful that machinery farming pays.—O'Donnell Index.

B. R. Holcomb and Joel Aycock of New Lynn were callers at the News office on business last Saturday and while here Mr. Holcomb and the editor discovered that we were reared very near each other and were almost neighbors for many years down in Bell county. Mr. Holcomb has been on the plains several years and expects to be here several more.

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PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT TO HAVE AIRING

The "wets" in Congress have won one point. They have induced a Senate committee to grant a public hearing on prohibition enforcement in this country, beginning April 5. The "wets" will go to the bat first "drys" will have their inning. A week to run on. Then the number of wet bills are pending and are the occasion of the investigation, the hope of the "wets" being to secure a modification of the Volstead law and of the prohibition amendment to the constitution to such an extent as to practically nullify prohibition. It is also the hope of the "wet" democrats to crystallize sentiment in favor of Al Smith of New York for President. But it's a long road from his present domicile to the White House, and a rocky one. He will never make the landing.

YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED HERE FRIDAY

Geo. F. Schulze and Miss Lera Welch, neither of whom resides here, but whose home is in a neighboring town, came over to Tahoka last Friday afternoon and took upon them selves the vows which made them husband and wife. The marriage took place at the Methodist parsonage and Rev. John E. Eldridge performed the wedding ceremony. May their pathway be spread with roses.

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Mr. Weatherford has just about completed the taking of the scholastic census. He will be in his office in the court house Saturday, if any one knows of a child anywhere in the district, white or colored, that has not been enumerated, Mr. Weatherford requests that the same be reported to him.

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P. T. A. Will Entertain Fathers
The Parent Teachers Association, which is composed almost wholly of teachers and mothers, will entertain the fathers of Tahoka at the next meeting of the club, which will be held at night instead of the afternoon, April 6. The fathers of Tahoka will be invited to this meeting. In fact, the mothers expect to bring them along, and after they get 'em there they are going to feed the brutes. Nice refreshments will be served and a splendid program is being prepared, according to the ladies, and most excellent time is expected.
J. S. Weatherford has just about completed the taking of the scholastic census. He will be in his office in the court house Saturday, if any one knows of a child anywhere in the district, white or colored, that has not been enumerated, Mr. Weatherford requests that the same be reported to him.

Young Mothers Club Holds Meeting
The Young Mother's Club met at it was decided in business session the home of Mrs. O'Neil, March 17th to return to four o'clock as the regular meeting hour. An interesting programme and pleasant social hour was enjoyed by those present: Mrs. Geo. Hogan Jr; Mrs. Tom LeMond; Mrs. Oscar Roberts; Mrs. Heath; Mrs. O'Neil and Mrs. Chas Shook.
The Club will meet March 31st, with Mrs. Oscar Roberts at which time the following programme will be given.
Leader: Mrs. Oscar Roberts
"Bible Stories, From the Old and New Testament" Mrs. Craft
"Which Stories Shall We Tell and Which Omit?" Mrs. Stewart
"Shall We Point the Moral or Let the Children Do So?" (b) What Traits in Various Bible Characters Will Attract the Child? What Traits Will Repeat?" Mrs. O'Neil.

Terry Co. Slayer Said To Be Dead
"Dad won't be gone from us kids and mama for long, and when he does show up his friends will pay the sheriff whatever he wants to turn him loose until he goes to trial." This confident statement yesterday came from 12 year old Irvin Collins, son of the man who is accused of fatally stabbing Frank Howard at a lone farm house near Brownfield two weeks ago, severely wounding Will Fletcher, Howard's brother-in-law and then ambled leisurely across a field and walked from beyond the grasp of the law to be hunted by officers throughout west Texas who have as yet failed in their efforts to locate him.
In the meantime Mrs. Collins is so worried about her husband that she was barely able to make the trip to Henderson county by train, and believes that her husband was wounded in the fight in which Howard was killed and Fisher was wounded, and crawled away to a hiding place to die later of wounds inflicted in the fight and of starvation.
So firm is Mrs. Collins in the belief that her husband was wounded in the fight and had made his way to some hiding place that she urged friends to search for his body and is not yet convinced that he made his escape, Mr. Goss said.
Mrs. Collins, who left Sunday for the family home in Henderson county with her brother, John Reed, a well-to-do farmer of that county, was accompanied by two of her six small children, while Irvin, who is the oldest of the six, together with two little sisters and a little brother, was here yesterday with O. B. Goss of Kemp, Texas an uncle of Collins, who told the Avalanche that he will stay with his nephew until after every effort to clear him of the charge that is believed to have been filed against him has been exhausted. They too were enroute to Henderson county but stopped here to confer with court officials.
Goss stated that Collins, who is 35 years of age, and who was a resident of Ropesville until his disappearance following the incident, is highly respected in Kaufman and Henderson counties, where he was reared and from where he moved to the plains two years ago seeking a cure for asthma, with which he has suffered for some time.
"People at Ropesville were wonderfully kind to Mrs. Collins and the children. They did everything to help and comfort her and the children," Mr. Goss said.
Mr. Goss hopes to make arrangements to secure bond for his nephew and believes he will "show up," in Henderson or Kaufman county where he an give up to officers.
"We are going to take good care of Collins' family. These little children deserve a good home and we will do our best to provide for them," Mr. Goss said.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Old Japanese Legend of Lantern and Fan
A story of the origin of the lantern and the fan, as told in Japan, concerning a public official who had two beautiful daughters. As the story goes, the girl, who were the treasures of the father's heart, longed to pay a visit to a friend in another city.
The father, however, was unwilling for them to go, as he feared some young man of high degree would win their love and thus take them from him. In reply to their entreaties the father told them they could go, providing they promised to bring back to him five wrapped in a paper and wind wrapped in paper.
The girls did not know what to do. They were in despair until one of their maids told them not to worry, but go and consult a certain wise woman who lived near the home of the friend whom they were to visit. After fulfilling their father they would fulfill his wishes they set out for the friend's home. The father was greatly surprised when, upon their return, the daughters presented him with fire enclosed in a beautifully designed paper lantern and wind in a fan-shaped paper fan. Thus, it is said, according to a story printed in the Path-Lader Magazine the lantern and fan came into use.
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The physical condition is also revealed by the voice in a striking degree, both as to change and normal characteristics. Fat people, for example, have a voice quality which is all but invariably detectable.
Character, too, is easily read. In fact it seems that character is revealed in the voice even more fully and accurately than in the face, no doubt because the subject, failing to recognize this, makes less of an attempt to mask the voice.—Charles McGee Adams, in the Atlantic Monthly.

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CHANGE OF LIFE
Virginia Lady Improved After She Took Cardui.
"I had been going through the change of life and it seemed to me that everything got wrong," says Mrs. Deala Hawks, of Bristol, Va. "I suffered from shortness of breath and I could not go up the steps without stopping to rest several times."
"When I would try to hoe in my garden I would soon give out. I could scarcely hoe two rows before my breath was coming in gasps."
"My sister-in-law had taken Cardui and she thought it might do me good, so she told me to try it. I got a bottle (of Cardui) and began to take it by the directions and I began to improve after a few doses." My general condition was so much better after the first bottle that I got another, and another, until I had taken six. Now I am a well woman.
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Odd Garden Products
Little Johnny, who was of school age, was on his way home from the week-night prayer meeting, where he had fallen asleep, a writer in the Youth's Companion reports. His father, who had had great difficulty in waking him at the close of the service, was walking by his side, holding his hand. Fearing that the boy would go to sleep again and that he should have to carry him, the father quickened his pace and, twitching the little fellow's hand vigorously, asked him briskly where he had been that day.
"Over to Mr. O'Neal's," was the drowsy reply.
"And what were they doing at Mr. O'Neal's?"
"Makin' garden," Johnny replied listlessly.
"And what did they plant?"
Johnny yawned. "Planted lett's an' onion an',— he stumbled, and his tongue grew thick—"an' rad'shes an' peas—an' q's—an' r's—an' w's—"
At that point the father picked him up and carried him.

Tallteann Games
The Tallteann games which have been successfully revived in Ireland are so called in perpetuation of the name of Queen Tallie, who tradition says reigned over Ireland some hundreds of years before Christ. Being childless, she adopted a youth named Lugh, who succeeded to the throne at her death. In grateful memory of his foster-mother, King Lugh organized an "Aonach Tallteann"—that is, Tallie's festival—to which each Irish chieftain brought his star athletes, his best horsemen, his most expert harpists. The festival, once established, was continued, with certain interruptions for nearly 2,000 years. Then it lapsed, to be revived by the Free State government.

To Hesitate Is Fatal
They stood in the wings of the opera house. In a few moments she was to go on.
"One last word," said the conductor. "Yes, maestro."
"If you forget your lines do not hesitate. Never falter."
"But what shall I sing?" asked the new diva.
"That is the point. Be prepared. Sing the multiplication table with your best runs and trills. Nobody will ever know the difference."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Slight Misunderstanding
A seamstress employed by a charitable institution had her wages raised to such an amount that she was eligible to an income tax. When she received the usual forms from the collector with the request that she fill them out and return them, she sent them back with the following note: "Dear Sir: I have always been insured with the Safety company and have no intention of changing my company now."

Attend Big State Telephone Meeting
W. M. Harris, manager of the Tahoka Telephone Company, and wife and Mrs. E. J. Hendricks, chief operator, returned Friday from Fort Worth, where they had been in attendance at the annual Texas Independent Telephone Convention. The convention was in session three days, March 16, 17, and 18, at the Texas Hotel. They report a great time and an excellent meeting of telephone people.

MARTIN COUNTY EMPLOY COUNTY FARMS AGENT
Employment of a county agricultural agent for Martin county has been authorized by the commissioners' court. Martin county will ask for a farm agent at once, so he may be acquainted with local conditions sufficiently to do valuable work this fall among the farmers.—Big Spring Herald.

CHARLES TATE FAMILY LEAVE FOR COMANCHE
Charles Tate left Tuesday morning for Rising Star, where he has accepted a position with the Illigbotham-Bartlett Company. Mrs. Tate left Tuesday afternoon, going by rail for Comanche. Miss Ouida, who has been in a Lubbock sanitarium for treatment the past few weeks, also went down on the train Tuesday. Mr. Tate expected to meet them in his car at Brownwood. After visiting relatives in Comanche, Mrs. Tate and Miss Ouida will join Mr. Tate in Rising Star. Friends here are glad to know that Miss Ouida is much improved in health.

MISS LOUISE SHANKLIN IN SCHOOL ROOM AGAIN THIS WEEK AFTER BEING CONFINED TO HER ROOM LAST WEEK BY ILLNESS.
Miss Louise Shanklin is in the school room again this week after being confined to her room last week by illness.

Lockwood Returns From Sanitarium
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lockwood left Tahoka about three weeks ago for Hot Springs, Ark., where they expected to spend several weeks enjoying the baths and recuperating. Upon arriving at Fort Worth Mr. Lockwood called on a specialist for an examination. The specialist put him in a sanitarium and proceeded to treat his eyes, nose and throat, with which Mr. Lockwood was suffering. After undergoing treatment for about two weeks Mr. Lockwood was released but instead of going on to the Arkansas health resort he hit the road back home. His many friends are glad to learn that the treatment did him much good and hope that it may prove to be permanently effective.

SHACK BURNS ON NELMS FARM
J. H. Nelms, who lives west of town, was in the News office Tuesday and reported that a shack and about \$250.00 worth of sorghum seed on his farm was burned about two or three weeks ago. He believes that the fire resulted from match or lighted cigarette left by some boys who are believed to have been gambling in the old building the night before. He has reason to believe that they had been meeting and gambling in this shack at various times preceding the fire and there were evidences that somebody had been in or about the building a short time before the fire.

Rural Route Is Extended By Govt.
Postmaster D. A. Parkhurst has just informed us that the two extensions to Tahoka Rural Route B. have been authorized, effective April 1-26. All patrons knowing themselves to be on these extensions should erect standard mail boxes in convenient places so carrier can easily reach them without leaving his car and leave in the box a complete list of all persons expecting to receive mail insaid box.

Will Try Maize In Mississippi
N. C. Rainey has a brother in Mississippi. He has heard much of our west Texas maize and kaffir corn and he has developed a curiosity as to what these grain sorghums will do if planted and cultivated in that country. In order to test the matter out, N. C. sent a sack of good maize and kaffir heads to his brother, who resides at Walnut, Mississippi, who will plant the same and report later what kind of a crop he raised.

MEXICAN WOMAN DIES
Cruz Cordova, a Mexican woman, 52 years old, died in her shack near the Santa Fe railway Monday morning. Death is said to have resulted from tuberculosis. The body was buried in the Mexican quarters at the City Cemetery Tuesday afternoon. Rev. John E. Eldridge conducted the services. We learned nothing about the family, but she had her loved ones who suffered grief just as poignantly as if she and they had been members of a more advanced race. As fellow human beings, they have our sympathy.
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- For County Superintendent: H. P. CAVENESS
- For Sheriff, and Tax Collector: J. W. SIMPSON TOM PRESTON P. A. WIMBERLEY C. L. ROQUEMORE
- For Tax Assessor: J. S. (JIM) WEATHER'ORD (re-election)
- For County and District Clerk: W. E. (Happy) SMITH (re-election) T. B. (T) COWAN, Jr.
- For County Treasurer: MISS VIOLA ELLIS
- For County Attorney: L. C. HEATH (re-election)
- For Public Weigher, Prec 1: R. C. WOOD (re-election) E. LAM
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: I. P. METCALF (re-election)
- For Co. Commissioner, Prec. 1: W. J. (DAD) FAIRES
- For Co. Commissioner, Prec. 2: I. M. DRAPER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County Of Lynn.
To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of J. N. Jones, deceased.
The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of J. N. Jones, deceased, late of Lynn County, Texas, by C. H. Cain, judge of the County Court of said County on the 28th day of January, 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, where he receives his mail.
This 24th day of February, A. D. 1926.
A. L. Lockwood, Administrator, of the Estate of J. N. Jones, deceased. 26-4tc.

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Men Enrolling For Military Training

According to an announcement yesterday by Maj. Gen. Ernest Hinds, Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, those interested in attending the Citizens' Military Training Camps this summer should apply right away.

The General stated that altho the enrollment campaign has only been in progress for about a month, over 1200 applications have already been received. To be sure of receiving consideration before the quota is filled any young man who contemplates attendance should apply without delay.

Camps will be held this year at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, July 6 to August 4; Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, July 9 to August 7; Ft. Crockett, Texas, July 1 to 30; Ft. Logan, Colorado, July 1 to 30; Ft. Huachuca, Arizona, July 15 to August 15; Ft. Bliss, Texas, July 22 to August 20.

Any young man between the ages of 17 and 31 years, who is interested in becoming a better citizen, improving himself morally, mentally and physically, should, unless he wants to be disappointed, write at once to the Chief Staff, Organized Reserves, 90th Division at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; 95th Division at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; 103rd Division at Denver Colorado or the C. M. T. C. Officer, Eight Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, for an application blank and apply for this thirty days outdoor training as the guest of and at the expense of Uncle Sam. HCLbrF JFFoflr cmfwybgkj

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS
West Texas Chamber of Commerce

The speaking contest on "My Town" to be held in Amarillo during the annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in June is attracting wide spread interest. Indications point to the greatest entry list of any public speaking contest ever held for Texas high school students and the most alluring prizes ever offered will attract the best talent in the state.

Each town affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is entitled to enter one representative. This representative must be a bona fide high school student, undergraduate during the spring semester of the present school year. The contestant must present an eligibility certificate certified to by the school superintendent and in addition the contestant must have the official endorsement of the chamber of commerce secretary of his own town as the official representative of that town. Method of selecting the contestant is left entirely to the discretion of each town.

All contestants who enter will be given opportunity to speak in Amarillo. Such preliminaries as may be deemed necessary by the management will be held at Amarillo. Judge shall be selected on the basis of competency and neutrality. Speeches must not exceed five minutes in length and may be read from manuscript. Contestants are expected to prepare their own speeches.

Prizes offered are a silver loving cup, one hundred dollars in gold and a scholarship in Texas Tech as first prize. In addition it is expected that a free trip to Philadelphia on the special train to be run to Sesqui-Centennial Exposition will be added. Arrangements for this cannot be made until the train is contracted for. Other cash prizes will be offered for winners of second and third prizes. Full rules will appear in the March issue of "West Texas Today" and a leaflet containing the prepared for distribution from the Stamford office. The contest is under the direction of E. H. Whitehead, publication manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"PRESS ONWARD"

Sometimes we get discouraged And Life seems empty and drear. We see nothing in Life, but sorrow, Deaths, sickness and partings that sear.

O'er us the clouds hang heavily. With Cares we are burdened anew. Yes, the trials of Life are on us; And the friends who care are few.

May our Spirits ever be lifted, Our burdened Souls set free! A God in Heaven will lead us From this Life to the greater—Eternity.

So, let us not grow despondent, For sorrows are Life—we know, But think of the things that are higher. And smilingly Cheer as we go.

Lillie Mae Quinsley
Tahoka, Texas.
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T. P. & G. Railroad Will Be Built

Construction of South Plains Lines by Burlington and Santa Fe Systems Recommended Only On Condition; Rail Program Includes Several Hundred Miles New Road in Three States
WASHINGTON, March 19.—Construction of several hundred miles of new railroad in Texas, Kansas, and New Mexico was given tentative approval in four examiners' report filed today with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The main application given approval was that of the Texas, Panhandle & Gulf railroad to build 303 miles of new line from Seymour, Texas, to Tucumcari, New Mexico.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway also had its application favorably reported to the commission for construction of 145 miles of railroad from Amarillo, Texas to Liberal, Kansas.

Several conditions were laid down in the reports before final commission endorsement would be given. In the case of the Panhandle, approval was asked in the report only if that road constructs certain lines of railroad or makes arrangements to extend its service into Plainview and Lubbock, Texas, and provided it perfects other arrangements to assure a proper financing the operation of roads.

Public convenience was said in the Panhandle report to require the building of two new lines, one from Floydada to Lubbock and another from Floydada to Plainview. The only in event truckage rights said, latter would be built, the report said, not be obtained on an existing line.

On the application of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific railway to extend its lines from McBain, its present terminus, to Floydada, in Texas, the examiner recommended approval, provided the T. P. & G. within six months had met certain conditions that would be laid down in its certificate of public convenience.

Approval of this extension also was given on condition that the T. P. & G. acquire sole or joint control of the Q. A. & P. or acquire "perpetual trackage" from Paducah to Floydada over the applicant's line as extended.

Another conditional approval recommended was in the application of the Santa Fe railway to build a branch from Luder to Silverton, the examiner urging its authorization only in event the T. P. & G. had not within six months met conditions in its own certificate.

The report in this instance also asked dismissal within prejudice of the application of the Santa Fe to construct a branch line from a point near Plainview to Dimmitt, on the ground that it would not be required if other lines were built as recommended.

Provided the T. P. & G. had not carried out its part in the proposed construction, an examiner reported that public conveniences and necessities would require construction by the Fort Worth & Denver South Plains railway of a road from Estelline through Plainview to a point near the center of Castro county, and from Estelline through Plainview to a point near Lockney to Lubbock. The examiner asked rejection of the Denver's proposal to build a line to Silverton if certain other lines recommended for construction were finally approved and carried out.

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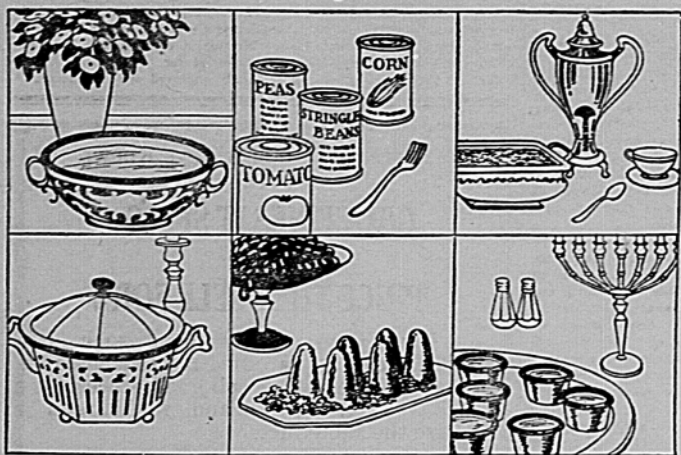
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The Thrifty Housewife



It was Benjamin Franklin, the great apostle of thrift, who first emphasized the point that true thrift lies in getting the best value—not merely for one's money, but for one's time as well. This might, indeed, be called "the higher thrift," and the modern woman is rapidly learning to readjust her standard of values to get in line with it. The establishment of an annual Thrift Week, beginning on January 17th, which is Franklin's birthday indicates a general acceptance of his philosophy of thrift.

Real thrift is not going without, but making the most of things—our talents, our money, our time. The thrifty housewife learns to spend her money judiciously. She saves on her food budget by getting the best values for her money, and she soon discovers that ready-to-serve foods offer her one of the best forms of thrift.

She has learned that ready-to-serve foods are a real economy not only of money, but of time and labor. So she lays in a varied supply of them, and selects what she wants from her canned food shelf. She seasons them, spices them, adds butter, eggs or bacon, combines them with other foods, such as bread and cracker

crumbs, etc., ad infinitum. There is almost no limit to the tasty combinations that may be made of these prepared foods.

She will particularly learn to use the good, old staples, such as corn, peas, tomatoes and string beans, making out of them many a savory, wholesome and economical dish. These might be termed The Old Guard among vegetables, but there are others almost as essential to the daily menu—baked beans, spaghetti, spinach, sauerkraut, beets, pumpkin and sweet potatoes. All of these are high in food value.

These foods are particularly economical in canned form, because the great demand for them enables the canners to pack and sell them in large quantities at a very small profit per can. At first thought, it may seem to the housewife that it is cheaper for her to buy fresh sweet potatoes and "candy" them, than to buy the ready-prepared product in canned form. This is true, if she is ready to cook the sweet potatoes on the day she buys them. But if she keeps them on hand for several days, they spoil and must be thrown away. She must also take into consideration the saving of time represented by the sweet

potatoes in tins.

The many savory dishes which may be made from the ready-to-serve staples permit the housewife much variety in her daily menus. Corn, for instance, may be sauté with chopped green peppers, which also may be had in canned form. Or, if there is any mashed potato left over, delicious croquettes may be made by mixing it with ready-to-serve corn. The possibilities are infinite.

Perhaps one of the strongest incentives to buying food in tins is the fact that there is no waste in them. There are no peelings, no rinds, no cores, no spoilage. All the parts which cannot be eaten have been eliminated before the food went into the cans. There is nothing to be thrown away, as in the case of fresh foods.

To the modern woman time-saving has a very definite, economical value. The hours which she would otherwise have to spend in the various details of the preparation and cooking of foods, the ready-to-serve products permit her to devote to the social, mental and spiritual needs of her family, and to participate in the world's work along various important lines.

Tulia To Celebrate Coming of Railroad

Tulia, Texas, March 20—After the first excitement was over on the report from the Interstate Commerce Commission relative to the approval of the Texas Panhandle & Gulf Railroad application, a meeting was called and plans for a celebration were discussed. The inception of this project was first started at this point, the first money for the charter and other expenses was subscribed here, and now Tulia citizens are being given recognition by the other towns on the proposed line for the efforts and money they have put into the project.

As soon as the plans have been completed an invitation will be extended the press and all others to help Tulia celebrate.

Uncle Ike Metcalf reports that while the freeze a few weeks ago killed about half his apricots, his peaches and plums were uninjured and there is an immense crop now on his trees. Unless a freeze should yet come and destroy the fruit, which now seems improbable, the crop this year promises to be fine.

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STUDENTS TO PLANT CLOVER

Vocational Class To Experiment with Sweet Clover and Other Feeds On South Plains

W. R. Lace, teacher of vocational agriculture, received a shipment of 100 pounds of Sweet Clover seeds from Vergil, Kansas, Monday. These seeds will be distributed among the boys of the vocational agriculture class of the Taboka High school and the boys will plant and cultivate the same this year. The seeds will plant about ten acres.

Sweet clover, as most of our readers know, is a plant similar to alfalfa. It is deeper-rooted and more drought-resisting than alfalfa and is thought to be better adapted to this climate than alfalfa. It is hoped that the experiments to be conducted by Mr. Lace and his class of boys will prove entirely successful, and if so this plant will in time come to serve the same purpose here that alfalfa serves in climates better adapted to its growth.

Sweet clover is a two year plant. It makes no seed the first year but comes the second year from the root. It seeds the second year and thus perpetuates itself, in soil and climate conducive to its growth.

Mr. Lace states that he can get these seeds for any farmer desiring to experiment with them and invites any one interested to confer with him about the matter.

Mr. Lace is also furnishing his boys maize, kaffir and feterita seeds. Each member of his class will plant from one to two acres in these grain sorghums. These seeds were obtained from the Government Experiment Station at Lubbock and the purpose is to raise high grade seeds for planting purposes. Quite a few of the boys are buying enough seed to plant a larger acreage in these grains.

This is a part of the work that the Taboka High School is doing in its vocational agriculture department. Its purpose is not only to teach the boys scientific farming but to be helpful to the farmers of the county in every way possible who will avail themselves of the opportunity to get helpful information.

Sam Carter, secretary of the State Board of Control, died suddenly at his residence in Austin at a late hour Saturday night, according to newspaper reports. Mr. Carter was said to be one of the most efficient and popular officials in the state Capitol. He was a nephew of the late J. F. Carter of this county, and a cousin of Sam Sparks, well known throughout Texas.

Uncle Ike Metcalf, who was very seriously sick for two weeks, was able to get back to his office Saturday. Mrs. Metcalf has herself been quite sick for several days but is now somewhat improved. Their daughter, Mrs. Scott, is with them.

Col. John C. Coolidge, father of the President, died at his home in Plymouth, Vt., last Friday. He was a justice of the peace and was granted one privilege that no other father ever enjoyed. He administered the oath to his own son when the latter became President of the United States. He was an honest, honorable citizen, and it is due to the fact that there are hundreds of thousands of others like him that this country has achieved so many great things.

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Stolen Car Abandoned; Thieves Chew Tobacco

When J. R. Thomas, who lives about three miles northeast of town, went out to crank up his tin lizzie last Thursday morning there was no thing but the tracks left of the machine. Now automobiles don't have a habit of breaking out of garages during the night and rambling around the country unaided, so he followed the trail leading from the garage for about a hundred yards and found that someone had pushed the machine down the road and finally cranked it and headed towards O'Donnell. Summoning the aid of one of his neighbors they headed south and found the machine quietly reposing in the little lane leading south from the Newmoore road near the butcher pens west of town. The car had not been injured and nothing had been taken from it.

The only clew left by the purloiners of the machine was a lot of tobacco spittle on the curtains and on the dash, showing that the thieves chew the weed. He is now keeping his eye peeled for all suspicious looking men who chew tobacco.—O'Donnell Index.

NOT THE KELTNER

Last week in reporting the operations of the band of Gipsies that visited Tahoka we stated that they slipped some money from a guest and from the cash drawer at the Keltner Hotel. We were mistaken in the hotel which was visited. It was not the Keltner. It was the St. Clair. The manager and employees of the St. Clair were in no way to blame, however, for the loss of a few dollars by one of their guests as a result of this visit, for it seems that the guest himself willingly surrendered his purse to the gipsy upon her request thinking himself perfectly able to watch and guard his own property but she deftly slipped a bill from the same unobserved and undiscovered by him until after she had gone. Many a man is not as smart as he thinks he is.

Cattle Industry Is Much Improved

Conditions in the cattle industry been more hopeful than at any time since 1921, according to H. H. Schutz, who is government statistician and makes headquarters at Houston. Range conditions in West Texas are described as being the best since 1919. Early sales of coming yearlings have been made at \$49 to \$45 and \$47.50 to \$50 for cows. As a whole, the 1926 cattle prices of West Texas are 20 per cent better than last year's. While cattlemen are not yet out of the woods, it is stated, they are again becoming solvent, the business is paying expenses, the banks do not own the herds, and, for the first time since 1920, the cattle industry is regarded the herds, and, for the first time since as an investment proposition, it is claimed.

The statistician states that there are 1,900,000 people in West Texas; there are 3,000,000 cattle, 2,500,000 sheep and 1,750,000 goats.

FAULT FINDERS

When you hark to the voice of the knocker,
As you list to his hammer fall,
Remember the fact that the "knocking" act
Requires no brains at all.
When you list to the growl of the growler,
As you hark to his ceaseless growl,
You will please recall that a dog is all.
It takes for an endless howl.
As you watch for the "kick" of the kicker,
As you notice his strenuous kick,
You'll observe the rule that our friend the mule
Is great at the same old trick.
The knocker, the growler, the kicker,
Faultfinders large and small—
What do they need for each daily deed?
No brains, no faith—just gall!
—E. A. Guest.

BONDS BARELY DEFEATED
In the election last Saturday Thursday Yoakum county for the issuance of \$100,000 in road bonds for building good roads in that county, the issue was defeated by only eight votes, according to Sheriff J. C. Keller, who was here Monday. He said that many lay out from the polls who were really for the bond. We understand that the bonds will be voted on again in the near future, and it is believed that they will safely carry next time.—Terry County Herald.

W. M. Alexander had his name added to our subscription list and he was kind enough to say that we were putting out a jamb-up good paper.

A HOME BURNS IN THE UNITED STATES EVERY MINUTE

Will you do your part to keep your home from being the next to go up in the smoke by observing the following simple fire prevention rules:
Do not allow trash and rubbish to accumulate in attic, closet or cellar.
Keep matches in safe receptacles out of the reach of small children.
Keep all oily rags and oil mops in tin receptacles, in the open; never keep them in closed room or closet.
Never allow knots in your electric light cords, and do not hang light cords on nails or metal.
Unscrew from the socket all electrical appliances when not in use.
Never leave an oil stove burning when leaving the house.
Never allow trash or leaves to be burned in the open.
Never start a fire with kerosene.
Never clean clothing with gasoline in a room with an open fire.
Screen all open fires.
Never place hot ashes in paper or wooden box.
Never put a penny in the fuse plug.
Be sure that all chimneys and flues are safe, have them examined and cleaned each season before fires are built.
Keep gasoline and kerosene in approved cans.
Never hang clothing near the stove or fire to dry.
Watch the careless smoker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Baggett, who live in the eastern portion of the county, visited the News office Monday and renewed their subscription. Mr. Baggett says they enjoy very much the weekly visits of the News and that they agree with the editor in many things. We are always mighty glad to have good people agree with us.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF LYNN COUNTY—
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to be caused to be published for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been regularly and continually published in Lynn County, Texas, for a period of more than twelve months, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS, TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF JUANELLE WINDHAM, A MINOR:

You are hereby notified that Linnie R. Windham, has filed an application for Letters of Guardianship on the Estate of Juanelle Windham, a minor, alleging that said minor has no lawful guardian of her estate, and that she is entitled to an estate, both real and personal, situated in Lynn County and other counties of the State of Texas, of the probable value of TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$2,500.00) DOLLARS, and praying that she be appointed as guardian of the estate of said minor, which application will be heard by our County Court on the fourth Monday in April, A. D. 1926, the same being the 24th day of April, A. D. 1926, at the Courthouse in Tahoka, at which time all persons interested in said estate of said minor, shall appear and show cause why said Linnie R. Windham should not be appointed Guardian of said minor.

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

Witness W. E. Smith, Clerk of the County Court, Lynn County, Texas. Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Tahoka, this 10 day of March, A. D. 1926.

W. E. Smith, Clerk of the County Court.

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A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

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Our cows have been tested for Tuberculosis and are perfectly healthy and in good condition.

Dairy barn and milk house have been put in strictly sanitary condition.

Visitors welcome at any time.

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If you want a home in the best cotton county of the South plains, the opportunity is still yours. We can sell you a quarter section, a half section, or a whole section out of

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at a reasonable price. This ranch lies west and northwest of Tahoka. Part of it has been sold in small tracts and converted into farms. These farms the past year proved to be among the finest cotton lands of the south plains. Lynn county led all other plains counties in cotton production the past year. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather conditions that prevailed during the summer and in spite of the unusually early freeze in the fall, Lynn county produced nearly 40,000 bales. In 1924, the government report showed the crop to be 38,215 bales. We can sell you land as good as the black lands of central and south Texas at

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FOR SALE—Good bundle cane a mi Southeast of town. See A. R. Hill at the Post office. 30-tp.

MILK COW—With young calf for Sale; also incubator of 250 egg capacity. Roy Todd. 30-2tp.

FOR SALE—Full-blood barred Plymouth Rocks; hens, \$1.50; baby chicks, 12 cent each; Eggs, \$1.00 per 15, \$5.00 per 100. Mrs. Draper. 30-c.

PURE Shumake Cane Seed for sale at place 7 miles east of town. A. R. McGonagill. 30-2tp.

Field Seeds

We have all kinds of high-grade planting seeds, maize kaffir, fetterita, hegira, Sudan, sorghum, and Indian corn. Wyatt Bros.

COTTON SEED—Good Mebane plant seed for sale. See Roy E. Poer Tahoka, Texas. 29-4tp.

FOR SALE—Two tractor disc plows; can be made into either 3, 4, or 5 gang. See me at Edwards Gin or D. W. Gaignat at McCormacks Store. J. P. Davis 27-4tc.

Am selling half and half cotton seed at \$1.50 per bushel delivered these seed are grown in Pease river valley near Vernon. Jim Banister, Tahoka, Texas. 27-3tp.

FOR SALE—Pure blooded Single Comb white Leghorn baby chicks and eggs. Baby chicks, 15 cents each, eggs 5 cents each. Special making eggs, 10 cents and chicks 25 cents. Pronounced by Mr. Glazener of A. & M. College to be standard breed—Culled by expert poultryman The Midway Poultry Farm, J. W. Terry, Propr. Post, Texas, Rt. A, Box 77, 10 mi. east and 5 mi N. of Tahoka.

PLANTS FOR SALE—After Feb. 21, Frost proof cabbage plants and Crystal White Bermuda Onion plants. T. C. Leedy, Tahoka, Texas. 25-c.

FOR SALE—Good tank and tower P. O. Box 248. 28-c

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MISCELLANEOUS

LUBBOCK AVALANCHE Buy the Morning Avalanche at the Limit. It arrives in town early in the day on the same date that it is printed. It brings the first news to town every day. adv.

Carpenter work and cabinet making jobs done promptly—H. C. Crie, phone 13.

LOST

FOUND—Fresh sharpened lister point. Owner may have same by paying for this ad.

SCHOOL ELECTION IS DECLARED INVALID
(Continued from Front Page)

new election is being circulated and will be presented to the board at an early date. The election will probably be held on Saturday, April 17, and a notice to that effect may appear in this issue of the paper, depending on the action that the school board takes between the time this is written and the date of publication of this paper.

The bonds were declared invalid on the grounds that the election was held more than thirty days after it was ordered, whereas, under the Statutes of 1925 it should have been held "within" thirty days after it was ordered. The President of the school board takes all the blame for the error and absolves all the other members of the board from any blame whatever, since they relied upon him to see that the proceedings were conducted according to law.

The error was made by reason of the fact that a new civil code was adopted in 1925 by the present legislature, which code was only recently distributed among the county officials of the state, and in this code the law was reversed as to the time when such elections should be held. The law which existed prior to the adoption of this code provided that a school bond election should be held "not less than" thirty days after it was ordered. The new code provides that such election shall be held "within" thirty days after it is ordered. This change in the law was overlooked and the election was accordingly declared illegal.

The new petition being circulated makes some changes from the old one. One of these changes is that whereas under the first election \$500.00 was payable each year for the first five years, under the new petition nothing is due until after five years. This change was thought advisable by reason of the fact that it would make it less burdensome on the district at the time when the new bonds will be most burdensome. Another change is that the new petition would authorize that Board to construct more than one building in the district if it should decide to do so. There seems to be considerable sentiment in favor of the construction of a small ward building out northwest of town and the new petition will make this possible. In order to do so, however, some changes would have to be made in the proposed high school building, and the board is in no way committing itself to build or not to build such a ward building.

Some members of the board do not believe that the best system of public schools can be built up in this district by inaugurating a policy of building a number of two or three room ward schools. They believe that the best results can be obtained by building the very best school possible centrally located, to-wit: in Tahoka. They recognize the fact that the time will come in the district when transportation facilities for many of the rural children will have to be provided or rural school buildings constructed in the district, but they do not feel that it would be wise to undertake either plan next year. This is a problem that the board will have to settle, however, and some of the members felt that the bond issue to be voted on now should make it possible for the board to use a small portion of the money in the construction of a rural ward school if they should see fit to do so.

CITY BUYS TRACTOR AND GRADER

The City Council purchased a new tractor and grader about the first of this month and the new machinery is expected to arrive about April 1. This machine cost the City the sum of \$2875.00. It will provide the City with ample facilities for grading her streets and keeping them graded and in excellent condition. All this costs money, but it is progress. We are for progress.

SLATON MAN HELD IN FRAUD CASE

Walter Kemp, former resident of Slaton is held in the county jail here following his arrest by Oklahoma authorities last week at Antlers on a charge of fraudulent disposition of mortgaged property in connection with an automobile deal at Slaton last year.

SIGNS YOU CAN BELIEVE IN

If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general nervous feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver, stomach and bowels is Herbine. It acts powerfully on the liver, strengthens digestion, purifies the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy, vim and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by THOMAS BROS. DRUG CO.

Former Lynn Man Is Hale Co. Candidate

M. M. Boyd announces that he is a candidate for the office of secretary of the city of Plainview, subject to the city election, Tuesday, April 6th. Mr. Boyd was for four years assistant cashier of the Guaranty State Bank here, resigning from that position to engage in the automobile business which interest he disposed of a few days ago.

Before coming to Plainview, Mr. Boyd was deputy county assessor and collector of Lynn County. Virtually all his life he has held clerical positions of responsibility, and his work in these positions, as well as his education, he feels have especially equipped him to perform the duties of the office for which he is offering. He has never before offered for a public office and he promises that if elected he will give each citizen prompt and efficient service.—Plainview News.

MRS. I. S. DOAK SEVERELY BURNED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. I. S. Doak was the victim of a peculiar accident at noon Wednesday whereby she received very severe and painful burns on the face and neck. She had a quantity of old lubricating oil which had been drained from the crank case of her car and which she had been using for some time in kindling fires. Wednesday she threw a quantity of this oil under her washpot and then struck a match and ignited it. When she did so a terrible explosion occurred, severely burning her face and singeing the hair on her head. She had on a wool garment which is thought to have prevented her clothing from igniting. Medical attention was given immediately to the burns and it is hoped that they will speedily heal.

The explosion was evidently caused from an admixture of gasoline with the lubricating oil. This should serve as a warning to others to be very careful in the use of used oil in kindling fires.

George C. Lindley, who resides out on Route B, came in Saturday and added his name to our long list of subscribers. Mr. Lindley has been in Lynn county only a few months but he is very optimistic about being able to "get by" out here on these wind-swept plains. In fact, Mr. Lindley raises his living at home. He is one farmer who raises his own meat, butter, chickens and eggs, and he not only has plenty of these for his own table but sells quite a lot of produce every year. He is not afraid of any wolf prowling around his back door.

The supporters of the bond issue which was recently voted were very much disappointed to learn that an error had been made in the proceedings which rendered the bonds invalid. It seemed to serve to arouse their fighting spirit, however, and the indications are that they will do some hard fighting for the bonds this time. They feel that Tahoka must take this forward step. Tahoka must provide for the education of her children. Tahoka can not afford to sit down and let all her neighboring towns outstrip her educationally.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and Miss Zura Howard visited their parents, Judge, and Mrs. B. H. Howard at Crosbyton last week-end.

Mrs. A. M. Sullivan is seriously sick of pneumonia.

Canyon Relay Team Passes Thru Here; Burton Holds Record

The relay team of the West Texas State Teachers College, accompanied by Coach Sam D. Burton, spent Tuesday night in Tahoka while en route to Austin to enter the Texas Relays the latter part of the week, at which time teams from leading colleges and universities of the middle western states will be in competition for track honors.

Coach Burton's team was composed of Glenn Reagan, Finis Vaughn, Davis Hill and Oscar Gamel and although they do not expect to take off high honors, they said they would have an opportunity to see and compete with a large number of the United States greatest runners.

Burton is recognized as one of the best basketball coaches of the South west. During his five years that he has coached basketball at Canyon, his team won the T. I. A. A. championship one year, been runners-up two years, and ended in third place this year. In five years his team has played over 90 games and lost only 9. This is said to be one of the best records ever made by a college or university in the United States. Davis Hill, who is a nephew of the editor, has been on the college basketball team for four years, and three years has been named as a member of the All T. I. A. A. team.

Miss Dovie Colleenback, who has been quite sick the past few weeks, is reported to be improving nicely. It is to be hoped that she may be able to take her place in the school room again soon.

Watch the Ads — You can save Money

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