

## W. J. HAND, AGE 67, KILLED IN AUTO COLLISION

### Hutchinson County Will Vote on \$150,000 Bond Issue Saturday, Aug. 10

Our sister county to the south, Hutchinson, has an opportunity to take a great forward step on Saturday, August 10. On that day the citizens of that county will vote on the proposition of issuing \$150,000.00 bonds, the money to be used in paving one-third of the cost of hard-surfacing highway No. 117.

This important road enters Hutchinson county south of Borger and through Stinnett to the south end of Hansford county. It is the most important road north of the Canadian river in Texas.

Many reasons are set out showing why Hutchinson county can not afford to turn down the issuance of these bonds among them being:

The interest on \$150,000 worth of bonds at 5 per cent, in \$7,500. This amount is less than the up-keep on the road in its present state. It costs but \$30 per mile monthly to keep dirt road in proper shape, and at that it is not in proper shape all the time.

By voting these bonds, Hutchinson county is shifting the expense and responsibility of maintaining this road from itself to the state of Texas.

The state of Texas is also taking over the maintenance of the big bridge across the Canadian river. The annual appreciation on this big bridge and pavement is a big item.

The state of Texas will maintain this road better than Hutchinson county can afford to maintain it.

The uses and advantages of this paved highway to Hutchinson county will be worth much more than the road will cost each year.

To delay the voting of these bonds and construction of this highway will be a dangerous thing for Hutchinson county to do. The state is paying two-thirds the expense now, but this arrangement may not hold good at a later date.

Surely Hutchinson county will vote to issue the bonds.

And here is something for the three counties Hutchinson, Hansford and Ochiltree counties, to give careful consideration: Within two to four years a state bond issue for the purpose of building roads will be voted. If highway 117 is already built at that time, Hutchinson, Hansford and Ochiltree counties will have something to sell to the state—will be already standing at the pie-counter, instead of in line. The money these counties invest in this highway at this time will be refunded when the state road bond issue is available. In fact, Hutchinson county already has more than a million dollars invested in this road, including the bridge, and will get this money back when the state bond issue is voted.

This is the biggest item of them all; think it over.

**Borger C. of C. Endorses Bond Issue**

Action of the Borger chamber of commerce in endorsing the proposed bond issue of \$150,000 for the construction of a hard-surfaced road north of Stinnett to the county line, places Borger business men staunchly behind the move for better communication between northern and southern Hutchinson county.

The Borger chamber of commerce is composed of the outstanding business men of the city, and members of the board of directors are representative of the organization's membership. Members of that board unanimously declare themselves behind the proposition to be held August 10.

Borger realizes that such a highway can mean more to her future than anything ever before attempted in the county. She realizes the desirability of bringing to her gates the residents of the agricultural districts in the northern part of the county. And she is willing to cooperate in affording them every facility for coming in closer contact with us in the south end of the county, in order that the community may better function as a composite group of industries, progressive citizens.

The proposed highway would connect Borger with Spearman, Perryton, Liberal, Kansas, and Woodward, Oklahoma, in addition to providing a medium of travel that would be unexcelled in the Panhandle—a paved highway completely across the county.

Here are some of the reasons given by chamber of commerce directors for supporting the issue:

1. State pays two-thirds; they customarily pay only one-half.
2. If this issue carries, the state will take over and maintain the road and bridge from Borger to Stinnett.
3. Bonds may be paid in ten years or less.
4. New survey by state shortens the road from Borger to Spearman 12 miles, saving the county and state \$192,000.
5. State furnishes the project engineers and lets all contracts.
6. Cost of road less than \$16,000 per mile.
7. Hard-surfacing of this road will extend Borger trade territory many miles.—Borger Daily Herald.

**A Major Road Building Project**

The North Panhandle is not to be outdone in the paving of highways. The most comprehensive road improvement program in Texas today is now before the citizenship of three

### HOLD COOKING SCHOOL HERE

Texas-Louisiana Power Company is Sponsoring a Three Day Cooking School, August 12, 13, 14

A three day cooking school, sponsored by and held in the offices of the Texas-Louisiana Power Co., will be held in Spearman on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 12, 13 and 14. A series of these schools are being held by the utility company in all of the towns of this section which they serve.

A nationally known home economist will have charge of the school and she will teach those who attend many recipes. She will also deliver a number of interesting talks concerning kitchen problems, menus, planning, balanced diets, etc.

One of the features of the school will be demonstrations of the Westinghouse "Flavor Zone" method of electric cookery and how it is taken directly from the old Dutch Oven principle of cooking. She can show how the succulent juices and rich delicious flavors can be cooked into the food. She will also show how the lady of the house can leave the kitchen for the whole afternoon, while the food is being cooked automatically.

This three day school is free to every woman in this community and all are invited and welcome. Make your plans now to attend. Don't forget the dates, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 12, 13 and 14. Come every day and bring a neighbor or a friend with you.

### AD PROMOTER EARNS \$52 IN DAY'S VISIT

"Thirty-nine dollars is too high for that job," said a transient advertising peddler who called at the office of the Shamrock Texan recently to find out the price for printing a piece of advertising which he intended to sell to Shamrock merchants.

The price quoted him was taken from the Franklin Printing Catalogue which is standard the world over. The man admitted he would sell the advertising to local merchants for \$100 and that he could sell it in half a day. He said he could save \$7 or \$8 on the printing however by sending it to a company which specializes in printing envelopes.

He paid a church society \$25 to sell the advertising, making a profit of \$52 during his day's stay in Shamrock. All he did was to furnish the ladies with some samples of printed envelopes.—Shamrock Texan.

### NOTICE TO MASONS

All local and visiting masons are invited to attend the district meeting of Masonic Educational Service, to be held at the Spearman lodge hall at 8:30 p. m. on Thursday, August 15.

More than 14,000,000 American homes are now served by gas, according to survey by the American Gas Association. The exact total, 14,560,000 is divided between manufactured and natural gas, 10,830,000 for the former and 3,730,000 for the latter.

Gas has become the chief cooking fuel, the survey figures show, with approximately 13,000,000 gas ranges in service.

Coal and wood are used for cooking purposes by 8,290,000 families, second to gas. Six million use oil and 590,000 use electricity.

Joe Burns attended to business matters in Amarillo Wednesday of this week.

Mr. O'Neal, of the Texas-Louisiana Power Company, was in the city the first of the week, assisting the local manager, Edd Webb in introducing his company's stock to the people of Spearman.

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### Bowling-Cator

On last Saturday, August 3, occurred the wedding of Miss Lola Mae Bowling to Buster Cator. The ceremony was held at the Rev. Thompson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Amarillo. These popular young people are members of families known and highly respected families and have the best wishes of a host of friends. They will make their home at the Cator ranch on the Palo Duro west of Spearman.



THE WOOLAROC AND COL. ARTHUR C. GOEBEL JUST BEFORE THE FLIGHT

### Famous Aviator Brings "Woolaroc" to Spearman

Col. Arthur C. Goebel arrived in Spearman in the "Woolaroc" just a few minutes ahead of time, last Saturday afternoon and was greeted at the flying field by a large and enthusiastic crowd of friends and admirers. The "Woolaroc," the ship in which Col. Goebel flew to Honolulu to win the Dole \$25,000 prize two years ago, was being taken on its farewell trip over the country extending from Wisconsin to the south plains of Texas. The tour will end on August 12, and the "Woolaroc" will be put in a hangar on Frank Phillips' ranch near Bartlesville, Oklahoma, where it will be kept as a relic, and in memory of the famous flight made by Col. Goebel and financed by Mr. Phillips.

In the party here Saturday with Col. Goebel were: R. C. Joplin, a sales manager of the Phillips Petroleum Company; H. W. Harrington, of the

### Likes the San Juan Valley Country

C. B. Reeves has returned from a two weeks' visit to the San Juan Valley country of southwestern Colorado, and reports that he is delighted with that particular section of God's footstool. This valley is known as the San Juan basin and is drained by the Dolores river. It is located way over in the southwest corner of Colorado, next to Arizona. Mr. Reeves states that conditions there now are very much as they were here in the panhandle thirty years ago. Land is cheap, wild game is plentiful and fishing is fine. All kinds of grain crops, beans, potatoes and fruits may be produced there with little effort. While there Mr. Reeves bought 560 acres of land, and today is loading two trucks with farming machinery, which he intends to take out there, and try his hand at farming in this new country. Mr. Reeves says he intends to buy more of the land as he believes it will advance in value. While in that country Mr. Reeves visited with S. A. James, a brother of Uncle Dick James of Spearman, who has lived out there for the past nine years.

### CALLAWAY WILL PUT IN STORE AT TURKEY

W. E. Callaway who recently sold his 5c-10c-25c store to Perry Brothers, Inc., announce this week he was going to establish a similar store at Turkey. Construction of a suitable building will start at once he said and he hopes to open the establishment early in September.

Perry Brothers plan to formally open their store here within two or three weeks as soon as the interior has been remodeled. A new stock of goods has been shipped. Perry Brothers operate a chain of variety stores.—Shamrock Texan.

### Working For Down Town Telegraph Service

Boone Jenkins of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was in Spearman Wednesday, in interest of his company. Mr. Jenkins was gathering data and statistics to be used in determining whether Spearman shall have a down town telegraph office. He states that he can not tell at present what his company will do in regard to the matter, but believes that it will not be long until Spearman will have the advantage of this convenience.

That the McClellan Chevrolet Company, Inc., of this city is enjoying its share of the general prosperity of the entire country is easily seen by the number of cars sold by this concern since the first of the year. In the months of June and July 88 new cars and 96 used cars were sold. This is an excellent record for those two months. Since January 1 to the present time 172 new cars and 189 used cars have been sold, making a grand total for the past seven and one-half months of 361 cars, sold by this company. In the sales department of this prosperous concern will be found a corps of first class salesmen who are right there with the goods when it comes to making a car sale.

R. M. Millington of Dallas, representative of the Portland Cement Association, was looking after business matters here the first of the week.

Mrs. John Griffith came from Higgins Monday and is visiting this week in the homes of her brother and sister, R. E. Burran and Mrs. E. R. Wilbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Sparks came from their home near Springfield, Colorado, last week for a visit with his home folks here and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bryant of Ochiltree county.

Mrs. Harry New and daughter Anita returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends in Kansas and Missouri. Her sister, Mrs. Ray Bates of Baldwin, Kansas, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell returned Monday from St. Louis, Kansas City and Saint Joe, where they purchased the fall stock of dry goods, clothing and shoes for their store here.

L. N. Stetson came from St. Louis the first of the week, and is a guest of his brother A. R. Stetson, on the latter's farm southeast of town. Mr. Stetson is connected with Shaw's Gardens at St. Louis.

A. T. Pettitt arrived the first of the week from his home in Billingsham, Washington, and is a guest in the home of his brother, C. W. Pettitt in south Spearman. The brothers had not met for seventeen years, and are enjoying their visit immensely.

### Engineers Are Locating Highway No. 117

S. S. Chappell, a location engineer of the state highway department, and a crew of helpers, is making the final location and estimating the cost of hard surfacing highway No. 117, this week. Mr. Chappell begun his work where the pavement leaves off at Stinnett, and will work on through Spearman to Perryton. He states that he also will probably do other work in Ochiltree county. Mr. Chappell finds that the distance from Spearman to Stinnett is 30 1/2 miles over the route taken by his survey. The distance over the present road is about 40 miles.

Hansford, Hutchinson and Ochiltree counties each have road bond propositions up to be voted on in the near future, the purpose of which is to pave this highway. The date of the election in Hansford county has not been set and will not be until after the protest hearing to be held by the county commissioners on August 12. Ochiltree county will vote on a \$700,000 bond issue on September 3. Hutchinson county will vote on a \$150,000 bond issue on August 10. Should all these propositions carry and the bonds for building the road be issued, the state will let the contracts. It is a state proposition, with the counties assisting. In other words, it is a county aid proposition instead of a state aid proposition.

### TEXAS OIL COMPANY ADDING RETAIL STATION

D. T. Gatewood, representing the Texas Oil Company, states that when the big wholesale plant now under construction in Spearman is completed, he will build a retail station also. This big plant is located across the street south from the McClellan Grain Company. Mr. Gatewood will remain in Spearman as local agent for the Texas Oil Company, after the buildings are completed, and says he intends to have a modern Texaco plant in every particular, which will be a worth while addition to Spearman business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCloy from Lieb are trading in the city this Thursday morning.

### Harbison Furniture Co. Building Coming Along

The brick work on the Harbison Furniture Company building is coming along at a satisfactory pace, and soon this good firm will have a mighty nifty and roomy new home. This building will add much to the appearance of the east side of lower Main street.

### "Hold Your Wheat," Says Farm Board Head

Lincoln, Neb., August 5.—Wheat growers are making a mistake by overcrowding the markets, Samuel R. McKelvie, recently appointed to the federal farm board to study the grain situation, warned today in a statement.

The statement, he said, was not to be construed as an expression of the federal farm board.

"There is a disparity of from 12 to 13 cents between cash wheat and wheat contracted for delivery December 1," he said. "This grain can be carried on the farm at a cost of from 3 to 4 cents a bushel until December 1, so it is readily seen that the farmer is paying around 10 cents a bushel more than he should for handling the grain over the period in question."

The farmers have sufficient facilities to store the wheat on the farm McKelvie said, and should not depend on the terminal facilities to handle the grain immediately.

He quoted figures showing that the forecasts of August 1 were 690,000,000 bushels of winter wheat and 207,000,000 bushels of spring wheat or a total of 766,000,000 bushels of all wheat in the United States this year. This is in comparison with 902,000,000 bushels of all wheat in the United States last year, and a five year average of 810,000,000 bushels.

### MOTHER OF HUTCHINSON COUNTY SHERIFF DIES

Mrs. Nancy Caroline Ownbey, 80, of Plemons, mother of Joe Ownbey, sheriff of Hutchinson county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sally Pritchard of Plemons on Monday, August 5, after a long illness.

Mrs. Ownbey was born in Georgia, but came to Hutchinson county over 27 years ago. Her son Joe had died there previously. Mr. Ownbey died four years ago.

Three sons and three daughters survive. They are: John and Jim Ownbey, who live north of Stinnett; Joe Ownbey, who is sheriff of Hutchinson county; Mrs. Sally Pritchard of Plemons; Mrs. W. S. Jones of Woodward, Okla., and Mrs. Carrie Shaw of Hamburg, Oklahoma.

One of the saddest and most deplorable auto accidents that ever occurred in this community happened last Sunday afternoon on highway 117, about five miles south of Spearman. In the accident W. J. Hand, 67 years old, a highly respected citizen of Quitaque, was killed, his wife was seriously injured and J. E. Nicholson, 3705 Van Buren street, Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boehman of Amarillo, sustained minor injuries.

The accident occurred about 5:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Hand were on their way to their home at Quitaque, from Wichita, Kansas, where they had been visiting for a month with their daughter and other relatives. They were driving a Ford coupe. The Amarillo party, driving a Pontiac 6, was enroute to Perryton where the gentlemen are engaged in construction work. The cars met in a head-on collision, completely demolishing the Ford and doing much damage to the Pontiac. The three men and two women were brought to the Spearman hospital where they were treated by Doctor Gibner and Doctor Spencer.

Mr. Hand died from the effects of his injuries at 5:46 Monday afternoon. His head was crushed and no hope for his recovery was entertained from the beginning. He never regained consciousness. Mrs. Hand is doing nicely, hospital attendants report, and soon will be well enough to return to her home. Mr. Nicholson received severe wounds on the head. Mr. and Mrs. Boehman miraculously escaped with slight injuries.

The following relatives of the deceased are here to attend the funeral and also to be at the bedside of Mrs. Hand: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biles and their little daughter Lorene, from Wichita, Kansas; Mrs. J. C. Aiken of Farmersville, California; Chas. Hand, Burns, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Veisch, Iowa Park, Texas; A. D. Hand, Iowa Park, Texas; Miss Vera Hand, Wichita, Kansas; Mondo Hands and Gran Biles, of Wichita; Blix Hand and son Herman, of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Carter of Fort Worth.

**Funeral at Perryton**

The body of Mr. Hand was taken in charge by Wilson Funeral Homes and removed to Perryton to be prepared for burial. The funeral will be held this Thursday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at Old Ochiltree cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hand are strangers to the people of Spearman and vicinity, but when news of this unfortunate occurrence was passed about, and especially when it was learned that they were elderly people, many visitors began calling at the hospital to learn the circumstances, and to know whether they could be of assistance. It was a most deplorable accident, and Mr. and Mrs. Hand and all the relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

### Arrived from Louisiana For Visit With Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus P. Roney and Joe Roney arrived from Shreveport, La., the first of the week for a visit in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Roney. Rufus is employed in the offices of the Shreveport Times as linotype machinist, and Joe has been running a tailor shop at Bossier, near Shreveport. He recently sold out his shop and will return to Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Roney and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Roney left today for Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado for a few days visit. Rufus is on a 15-day vacation.

### A NEW SYMBOL OF A GREATER SERVICE

That rather catchy line of the big advertisement of the Continental Oil Company means that the Marland and Continental companies have consolidated. The Marland triangle now has "Conoco" printed across it. The consolidation brings about a change in Spearman. S. E. Gillispie, formerly the Marland agent, is the representative of the new Continental Oil Company, and has moved his offices to the Continental Oil Company plant on Elevator Row, formerly in charge of Berlin Barbour, Chas. Darnell will continue in charge of the Marland Service station here, but it is now the Continental.

### USE LIGHTS TO TRAP APPLE MOTHS IN N. Y. ORCHARDS

Experiments in California in using electric lights to trap codling moths in orchards are followed in New York where near Hilton 100 apple trees, each equipped with light, are being used in a campaign against the apple bud-moth, another pestiferous insect to orchardists.

Last year 34 trees similarly protected reduced the bud-moth crop by 60,000 and in addition 40,000 fruit-tree leaf rollers. Examination showed the trees so protected suffered 10 per cent less injury than those unprotected, and the experiment is being enlarged this year.

### Read every issue of the Reporter.



### Texas-Louisiana Company Offers Stock For Sale

Announcement is made in today's paper that the Texas-Louisiana Power Company is giving its customers and friends in this vicinity their first opportunity to purchase some of the stock of that company and become interested as partners in the business.

Millions of dollars of securities of this company have been distributed in the financial centers of the country, but now, for the first time, a small block of 7 per cent Preferred Stock of this company has been reserved for subscription by the customers and friends in the sections where the company does business through insistence of A. P. Barrett, chairman of the Board, Allan J. Smith, Vice President and General Manager, A. D. McNab, Treasurer, together with the urgent request from the officers in charge of the various properties.

The company is well known throughout Texas and conducts the major portion of its business in this state, but also includes Public Utility business in the states of New Mexico, Louisiana, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Arizona. Due to the progress of the cities served and the addition of new properties, the electric business of the company alone has increased from 4,355,763 K. W. H. sold in 1926 to 29,289,088 K. W. H. sold in 1929. The gross business of the company is approximately \$3,750,000 per year received from a variety of Public Utility services including the supplying of electricity for domestic and industrial purposes, gas, water, ice, transportation and others.

The security will be a \$100 Par value, 7 per cent Cumulative Preferred Stock, which can be purchased at the present price of \$100.00 a share, plus accrued dividends, which gives a 7 per cent yield to purchaser. The stock is callable at \$107. The dividends are paid quarterly by check sent direct to the owner of the share, which means that each share holder will receive on the 1st of January, the 1st of April, the 1st of July and the 1st of October, check for \$1.75 for each share owned.

This stock appears attractively priced when compared with other Public Utility, 7 per cent preferred stocks distributed in Texas by other public utility companies to their customers during the last four or five years, the most of which are selling at about \$110 a share.

Realizing that many purchasers will not be in position to pay in full cash for their shares at the time of purchase, the company has made available a savings plan, by which the purchaser can pay \$10 down per share, and \$10.00 each month and receive interest at 7 per cent on these payments from date they are made until the stock is paid in full, at which time the stock holder receives his certificate and an interest check, less the adjustment of dividend. In other words, purchaser, either on a

cash or savings plan, will receive 7 per cent on their money for any amount of money they have with the company and from the date that they invest in the company.

In the last two or three years, so many requests from people in this vicinity have come to the company for its securities that this small block will be distributed by the employees of the company within a few weeks. There will be no professional salesmen hired.

It is estimated that over three million persons in this country own the securities of Public Utility companies and this price of security stands at the top of the list of recommendations made by almost every investment advisor. It is particularly fitting that the Texas-Louisiana Power Company gives its customers and friends an opportunity to purchase the securities of the company, where the investor has a chance to see the properties of the company, use its service, and knows many persons connected with the company.

"The next war will begin with the wholesale slaughter of the civilian population," says a writer. Recruiting for services should beb risk.—Punch.

#### AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 41

Amendment to Ordinance No. 41, City of Spearman. BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas:

Section 1. In lieu of the first paragraph of Section 6 of Ordinance No. 41, which reads as follows: "Grantee herein agrees to commence, or cause to be commenced, active construction of the gas line from the Stinnett gas area to the City of Spearman, on or before June 1st, 1929, and to complete or cause to be completed said main line up to and into the City limits of Spearman, on or before September 1st, 1929."

It is ordained that the following paragraph be inserted as the first paragraph of Section 6 of Ordinance No. 41:

Grantee herein agrees to con-

struct or cause to be constructed, a gas line from the Wheeler County gas area to the City of Spearman, and to complete or cause to be completed, said main line up to and into the City limits of Spearman, on or before September 1st, 1929.

FRED. J. HOSKINS, Mayor.

Attest: S. E. HARBISON, Secretary.

The above amendment is substituted for the original paragraph of Ordinance No. 41, because of the fact that the gas from the Wheeler County gas field is better for public utility purposes than the gas from the Stinnett gas field.

#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon John V. Guyton, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 84th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 84th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hansford County, to be held at the Court House thereof in Spearman, on the 3rd Monday in August, A. D. 1929, the same being the 19th day of August A. D. 1929, then and there to answer a petition

filed in said Court on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1929, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 50, wherein Mrs. Johnnie Guyton is plaintiff and John V. Guyton is defendant and said petition alleging that she has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the state of Texas for more than twelve months and that she has resided in Hansford County for six months next preceding the filing of this suit, and that the residence of the defendant is unknown to plaintiff. That on or about May 19th, 1922, plaintiff and defendant were legally married at Las Vegas, New Mexico. That soon thereafter defendant began a course of cruel and harsh treatment toward plaintiff which continued until February 1929, when they separated. That plaintiff was forced to do without the necessities of life and had to get money from her parents with which to live on. That defendant notwithstanding his profession as a doctor did not support plaintiff and plaintiff was forced to support herself as best she could. That plaintiff during their married life was a kind wife and gave the defendant no cause whatever to be harsh or cruel to her. That plaintiff's health has been permanently injured by the cruel and harsh treatment of defendant toward her and that defendant caused her to worry at all times about their home life on account of defendant not supporting plaintiff.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and that upon a hearing she have judgment dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between them, and that her


maiden name be restored to her and for all relief, general and special, in law and in equity to which she may be entitled.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. E. Womble, Clerk of the 84th District Court, of Hansford County. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Spearman this the 11th day of July, A. D. 1929. (Seal) J. E. WOMBLE, Clerk, 84th District Court, Hansford County 324.

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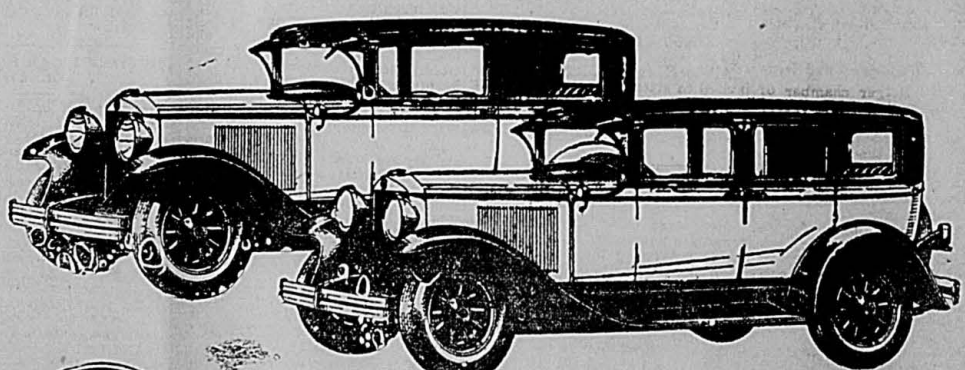
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Scarcely a day goes by that we do not read of a new bank merger, a new industrial consolidation. Business in general has learned that the way to meet the competition of organizations is through organization.

This same tendency is exhibited in cities and towns that are forging the front. It is only where the great mass of citizens are able to work with each other, where business men realize the necessity of setting aside petty personal grievances...

Frequently we feel that Spearman is losing out in the race because of the inability of its leaders to work together. Most of our readers will agree with us.

But are you doing your part to overcome this condition? Perhaps you are partially responsible for the lack of co-operations locally.

TAXES AND PROSPERITY

Taxes may not seem to be a vital subject right at present. Those for next year are paid. Next year is a long way off. But it is wise to remember

this: The tax burden for next year and for years to come is being created right now. These are the times when a petition for civic, county, or state improvements meets with popular favor, and these are the times when cranks and enthusiasts are setting in their work everywhere.

It is wise to realize that the day of reckoning will come and for all of us to strive to keep the burden of governmental expenditures down to the lowest possible point consistent with true progress.

High taxes often defeat their own purpose. A community overburdened loses its industrial and business position. The very sources of municipal income are dried up by excessive rates. Few business men there are who like to locate in a community where the tax burden is unreasonably high.

High taxes place a burden on all business, cramping initiative, discouraging enterprise, and encouraging waste. High taxes prompt the lumberman, the mine owner, the industrialist of many kinds to exploit the source of his income as quickly as possible and get out. High taxes restrict healthy real estate growth, and prohibit many low profit enterprises that might otherwise be carried through successfully to the great benefit of the public.

These facts are almost universally known by every thinker, but still the tax burden climbs in almost every community. The fault does not lie with public officials any more than with the general public. It is a common saying that those who kick loudest against the payment of taxes are the first ones to circulate a petition for a costly public work.

Here in Spearman as in every other city in the country we must all realize our own part in keeping public expenditures within reason. High taxes will drive prosperity out of any community in the land.

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Brady Declares Orgatone Has Built Him up Amazingly

Amarillo Laundry Driver Gains by Taking Orgatone, and All of His Troubles Have Now Disappeared

It is not what the manufacturer claims for it, but the testimony of the multiplied thousands who have benefited by it, that has made Orgatone the most famous medicine of the day. H. T. Brady, of 701 Carolina St., known to his many friends as "Hot Brady," who has been a driver for the Amarillo Laundry for the past three years, in relating his experiences with Orgatone, said:

"For the past year I have had an awful lot of trouble with my stomach. Everything disagreed with me and after meals I would get bilious and have dull headaches occasionally. I was constipated, too and my sleep was very poor. My system seemed to be all run-down. I felt tired and worn out all the time. I was losing ground all the time and felt that up-

less I could get the right medicine my troubles would soon become serious. "I had been keeping up with Orgatone testimonials and decided to try it, and it has not only relieved me of my troubles but has built me up amazingly. I have just taken one bottle so far and my stomach is now in good shape. My appetite is fine and I can eat what I want without feeling a sign of indigestion. My constipation and headaches and all that tired feeling are gone and I have gained wonderfully in health besides. Orgatone has been a great thing for me and I don't think anybody suffering like I did can make a mistake by giving it a trial."

Genuine Orgatone is manufactured by one of the world's greatest laboratories and is not a so-called secret or patent remedy but a new scientific bile treatment and is sold in Spearman by the Hastings Drug Co.

Archeologists have found in Arizona an unfinished dam, claimed to be more than a thousand years old. We thought Muscle Shoals was in Tennessee.—Atlanta Constitution.

It takes a woman three weeks to get ready for a summer vacation, while a man can make his preparations in half an hour. But after they get there: "I wonder if I have a clean shirt." "Certainly, all your shirts are in the suit case." "By gosh, I forgot my razor." "No, its in the traveling bag." "I guess I better go down and buy me a tooth brush." "Your tooth brush is there, with your clothes brush and other things." And so on throughout the trip. But then what does a man have a wife for, anyway?—Clay Center Times.

The man who insists that he is always right confesses that he cannot learn by experience.

An Eastern editor says that "There should be no social distinction between Congressman de Priest and other Congressmen." Well, maybe just a shade of distinction.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

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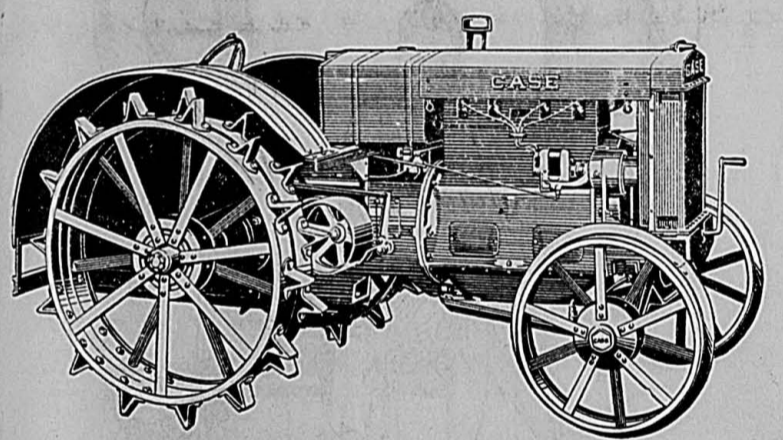
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WOMEN'S DRESS

We are living in the age of ex-

trime fashionable fads. No one knows when they go to bed at night what the fashions will be for the following day—especially with the female population. We have thought for the past ten years that women had pulled off about all the clothing they could. But each year it has grown less and less until there "ain't much left. And now we see they have abandoned the hose and are taking it as nature gave it to them—some of them, we mean. Women have pulled off so much clothing that they are not even interesting. We don't know just how far the "sockless" fashion is going, but we dare say it has added no beauty to the feminine female. A famous sculptor makes the assertion that only one woman in a thousand has a pretty knee, and that perfect ones are the scarcest things on earth. He states that he searched for years before he found a model with knees beautiful enough to copy into a piece of statuary he was contemplating. "A knee is a joint," he says, "just as an elbow is a joint—how many lovely elbows are there?" Knees run to extremes—too fat or too lean—too small or too large in the bony arrangement. Dimpled knees will not do

for sculptures. The perfect one must have just the faintest suggestion of a patella without accentuating the joint. There must be sufficient to conceal the usual knobby appearance at the sides without that unpleasant bulge. I see no reason why women should be so keen on exposing their knees. To me that feminine knee is about the least attractive part of the body."—Paducah Post.

NON-ADVERTISERS PAY IT ALL

Whose advertising bills do you pay?

The merchant who does not advertise pays the advertising bills for the one who does.

Every merchant in business pays for advertising, whether he uses it or not. If a competitor's advertising takes any business away from him, the profit he would have made on the lost sale is what his competitor's advertising costs him.

You have perhaps wondered how some stores can afford to spend such enormous sums for advertising. That is easy to fathom. Their competitors, who don't advertise, and whose business they take, pay for their advertising.

Say the Jones family is a customer of yours. They have \$60 they intend to spend with you. They read the advertising of your competitor and are induced to spending it with him instead of spending it with you. The store makes 20 per cent or \$12 on the sale. It deducts, we will say, the \$1 advertising cost, and has \$11 profit left. The advertising has cost nothing. It got back its cost and had \$11 profit it would not have had except for the advertising.

Who paid for this advertising? Did the advertiser pay? No. He got back the cost and profit, besides. Did the purchaser pay? No. He paid only the regular price.

Then who did pay? The merchant that did not advertise paid for his competitor's advertising. He not only paid for the other fellow's advertising but he paid out of his cash drawer the profit his competitor made on the sale. The merchant that doesn't advertise pays the advertising bill for the one that does. He pays in loss of sales and loss of profits.—Red Bluff (Calif.) News.

FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH

It is said that one of the most persistent arguments against the new simplified calendar which an international committee has worked out and has been trying to present to the governments of the world, is the fact that it would make the thirteenth of every month fall on Friday. There are plenty of people in the world who have regarded 13 as their luck number, but there are many more who are in real terror of it and particularly when combined with Friday.

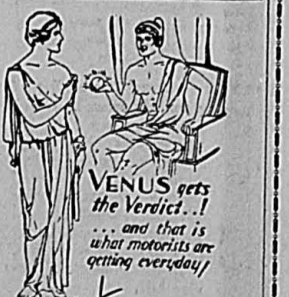
There is one way out of this difficulty suggested by a disinterested observer. Why have the months begin on Sunday? If the first of each of the 28-day months was made to fall on Monday, a business day, the 13th would always fall on Saturday and the last day on Sunday. Paying rent and sending out bills and transacting all sorts of business usually done on the first day of a month, unless the first day is Sunday, under the proposed calendar would always have to be done on the second. If the months begin normally on a business day, the simplified calendar would be truly simple and straightforward. Monday, the first, has a logical sound.

As for the question as to whether Sunday is the first day or the last day of the week, that could still be a matter of opinion regardless of the date. There are many times, such as this month of July 1929, when the first of the month falls on Monday and the status of the Sunday preceding it remains unchanged.—Minot Daily News.

PARTS AND SERVICE FOR FOUR-CYLINDER CHEV.

What Chevrolet Motor Company has been doing since the introduction last January of the new six cylinder line to insure ample parts and efficient service to the millions of owners of Chevrolet four cylinder cars is revealed in a factory statement released today.

Among the adjustments effected to safeguard the continued usefulness of former models have been the establishment of service shops at Detroit and Flint, specializing in the exclusive manufacture of past model parts; additional service training schools where dealers' mechanics are taught the latest methods for servicing the old and new models; additional zone warehouses which expedite the delivery of parts to dealers; and the revision in the system by which the dealer is stocked with past



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model parts. Independent manufacture of past model parts became necessary just as soon as intensive production began of the new sixes. When the company was specializing in four cylinder manufacture the turning out of past model parts was relatively easy. Temporary suspension of production in the Flint Motor Plant and the Detroit Gear and Axle Plant permitted the building of past model parts without serious inconvenience.

The drastic changes represented in the 1929 car, however, and the increased demand for precision work on the main production lines made it impossible to follow the former method. Hence space has been set aside in these two giant factories and special machinery installed for the exclusive manufacture of past model parts.

Chevrolet service training schools have been generally given credit for the expertness of mechanics in the dealer's garages. This skillful army of trained workers has always been recognized by the company as the key-stone around which the efficient Chevrolet service system has evolved.

MORE MILK FROM FEWER COWS

The number of milk cows on the farms of the United States has changed only slightly in recent years. The number increased from 21,409,000 in 1921 to 22,523,000 in 1925, and then decreased to 21,824,000 last year and 21,820,000 on January 1, 1929. Production has kept up, largely because of better breeding and feeding of the smaller number of cows, the number of yearling heifers and heifer calves kept for milk cows is now larger than the last year, but is less than one per cent larger than the number ordinarily required to maintain the present number of milk cows. Changes in the number of cows milked during the next two years will depend, says O. E. Reed, chief of the Bureau of Dairy Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, largely on the relation between the price of beef and the price of dairy products for this affects both the age at which milk cows are sold for slaughter and the number of beef-type cows milked.

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The attention of lovers of home brew is called to the case of that Texas County farmer who felt so proud of his product that he sent a sample of it to a chemist for analysis. Later the sample was returned to the farmer with the admonition, "Your horse is seriously afflicted with

diabetes'—Guymon Herald. "Do you really love me?" "Yes." "How much?" "Well, here's my check book. You can look over the stubs."—Texas Ranger.

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# International Sunday School Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

OR AUGUST 11, 1929

Topic:—Daniel Among the

Lesson:—Daniel 6:10, 11,

And when Daniel knew that the king was signed, he went into his chamber toward Jerusalem and he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did before.

Then these men assembled together and found Daniel making prayer and supplication before his God.

Then the king commanded that Daniel be brought, and he was cast into the den of lions. Now the king said unto Daniel, Thy God whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee.

And a stone was brought, and was put in the mouth of the den, and sealed it with his own signet, and said nothing might be able to open that.

Then the king went to his chamber, and passed the night fasting; and were instruments of music before him: and his sleep departed from him.

Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went into the den of lions.

And when he came near unto the den, he cried with a loud voice, O Daniel, servant of the living God, is thy God, whom thou servest continually, able to deliver thee from the lions?

Then said Daniel unto the king, live for ever.

My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, and they have not hurt me: forasmuch as I was innocent, was found in me, and also before thee, O king, I have done no hurt.

Then was the king exceeding angry, and commanded that they should take Daniel up out of the den. And Daniel was taken up out of the den, and no manner of hurt was seen upon him, because he had believed in his God.

—Perhaps B. C. 538 (Beecher)

Text:—The angel of Jehovah compassed round about them that saw him, And delivereth them.—

34:7.

**Introduction**  
Through all the interval from the death of Nebuchadnezzar, Daniel had been in Babylon; and now, at the close of a dynasty, was an old man, eighty, if not more. His fame, as a prophet of the higher powers, had been soon known to Darius, so that it is only what might have been expected when we read that on the division of the empire into a hundred and twenty provinces by the king, the prophet was appointed to the superintendence of three of these provinces. It was inevitable, however, that the elevation of a foreigner to a conquered race to so high an office, should rouse the jealousy of the native ruling class, and lead to a plot for his destruction. Inquiries have, in all ages, been made of the public and private life of the East.—Cunningham Geikie.

**The Plot Against Daniel. 6:4-9**

The jealous officers scrutinized eagerly all the public acts of Daniel, examining them minutely to discover, if possible, any flaw in them, any pin on which to hang a charge of disloyalty or even any trifling carelessness or neglect in his many duties; but they found none, they were obliged to confess that his record was absolutely clean.

The plot took for granted a most absurd vanity on the part of Darius, and the officers doubtless knew that they might count on that. They went to the king and said that all the various officers of state had decided on a decree which they desired promulgated from the throne, a law for 30 days requiring that no petition should be made to any god or man during that time, save only to the king. The law was to have the fixedness of the statues of the Medes and Persians; and whoever transgressed it was to be cast into the well-known den of lions kept for the royal chase. The weak-minded king was silly enough to yield to the suggestion and sign the decree. The enemies of Daniel were secretly jubilant, and precisely that happened which they had foreseen.

**Daniel's Habit of Prayer. v. 10**

"And he kneeled upon his knees three times a day." Thus David, Ps. 55:17: "Evening and morning and at noonday, will I complain, and moan; and he will hear my voice." Having a regular time and place for prayer adds greatly to our fidelity in this most important matter. We are to pray at all times and in all places and should maintain some "closet of prayer," some spot so consecrated to prayer that its very atmosphere surrounds us with the spirit of prayer when we enter it. "And prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime." Here was no parade of piety, and no flaunting of disobedience to the royal order: Daniel simply held quietly to his ordinary schedule in a self-respecting, modest way. He does not change his habit, but goes up stairs, though he might have known that it was like climbing the gallows. Brave old man! Remember this was not the sudden impulse of one who felt the flush of youth, but it was the calm decision of one who was venerable with age, having performed deeds of public service that might have well entitled him to do garrison duty for the rest of his days.

**Daniel in the Lions' Den. v. 16.**

"And they brought Daniel, and cast him into the den of lions." "There must have been great excitement in the city then. All Babylon knew that this man was not going to swerve. They knew very well that that old statesman was a man of iron will, and that it was not at all likely he would yield. The lions' den had few terrors to him. He would rather be in the lions' den with God, than out of it without him."—D. L. Moody. "Now the king spake and said unto Daniel, Thy God whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee." "Heathen as he was, he knew a little of the distinction between Jehovah and false gods. But he could see the difference between Daniel and other men. And he inferred that the Being adored by so excellent a man must be a good and powerful Being. Thus God is glorified by his true servants."—Bishop Alfred Lee.

**The Seal of the King and of His Lords. v. 17**

"And the king sealed it with his own signet, and with the signet of his lords." The king's seal remaining unbroken would render it certain that the royal officers had not broken in to murder Daniel if the lions spared him, and the unbroken seals of the officers would assure them that the king had not sought to rescue his favorite counsellor. We may be sure that this precaution was insisted upon by the royal officers, Daniel's foes who would pretend to fear that Daniel's Jewish friends would rescue him.

For a similar reason the stone that closed Christ's tomb was sealed and a guard placed over it by the Romans at the desire of our Lord's enemies, who expressed the suspicion that Christ's disciples would steal his body and pretend that he had risen from the dead. Thus the truth is confirmed even by its foes.

**The Troubled and Anxious King**

"Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions." "Why should Darius have waited for morning, if his penitence had moved him to a firm resolution to undo the evil done? He had better have sprung from his bed, and gone with his guards to open the den in the dark. Feeble lamentations are out of place when it is still time to act."—Alexander Maclaren. The weak king did not dare face his of-

ficers with less than one night in the lions' den given Daniel as punishment; but he hastened to the den on the first glimmer of dawn.

The king spake and said to Daniel, O Daniel, servant of the living God, is thy God, whom thou servest continually, able to deliver thee from the lions? A remarkable expression to come from the lips of an idolatrous king: "servant of the living God." We know not how, but in some way Darius had learned that the God whom Daniel served, was alive, and, probably also, that the gods whom he himself served were dead.

**Divine Deliverance. v. 22.**

"My God hath sent his angel." When Daniel's three friends were cast into the fiery furnace because they would not worship Nebuchadnezzar's golden image, a fourth was seen walking with them through the fire, "And the aspect of the fourth (was) like a son of the gods" (Dan. 3:24, 28). Here again God wrought a wonderful deliverance by means of his messenger (for that is the literal meaning of the Greek word, angelos). We are encouraged by the Scriptures to believe that the angels watch over all of God's children, saving them from many perils, seen and unseen; Ps. 34:7; Gen. 28:12; 48:16; 2 Kings 6:17; Isa. 63:9, etc. "And hath shut the lions' mouths, and they have not hurt me." Suppose the lions had killed him. What then? He still had

only the talk which reflects the sentiment of Babylon; if the heart finds its chief pleasure in places of light amusement or in the more frivolous forms of social contact; if the inmost nature never rises above the smoke and soot of these commonplace pursuits, then inevitably the best that is in a man grows small, thin, and anaemic. If he prizes moral vigor, stamina and endurance, he must have the windows of his life open continually upon the superb sources of strength.

**Second Decree of Darius. 6:24-28**

Moved by this miraculous event, Darius issued another edict which, we may be sure, compensated Daniel for all that he may have suffered from the first edict of the king. This proclamation was made to all the vast kingdom, and ordered universal worship of Jehovah, the God of Daniel, "the living God, steadfast for ever, whose dominion shall never end. Similar edicts were issued by Nebuchadnezzar, Cyrus, and Artaxerxes. They must have served to check idolatry, to encourage and exalt the Jews and to maintain faith in the one pure and true religion until the temple could be rebuilt and to Jerusalem restored.

**The Open Window**

"The inner life demands it for its own self-realization. If the soul looks out upon nothing better than the streets of Babylon, rich and gay though they may be; if the mind reads only the newspaper and hears

only the talk which reflects the sentiment of Babylon; if the heart finds its chief pleasure in places of light amusement or in the more frivolous forms of social contact; if the inmost nature never rises above the smoke and soot of these commonplace pursuits, then inevitably the best that is in a man grows small, thin, and anaemic. If he prizes moral vigor, stamina and endurance, he must have the windows of his life open continually upon the superb sources of strength.

**Jerusalem.**

"Are your windows open toward Jerusalem, while we stay? For the coming of the King in his glory. Are you watching day by day?"

—P. P. Bliss.

**BROOD SOWS**

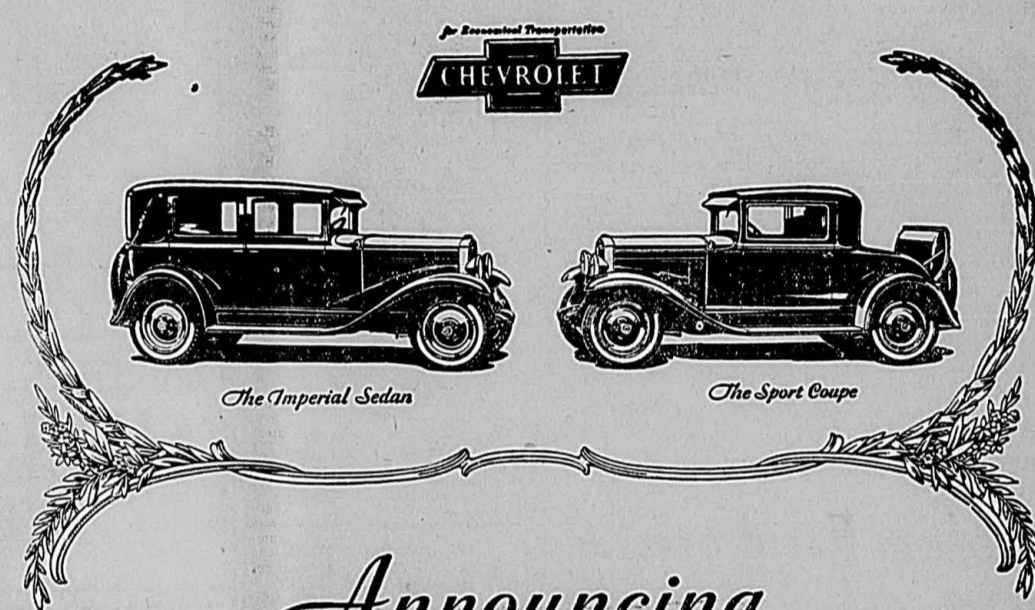
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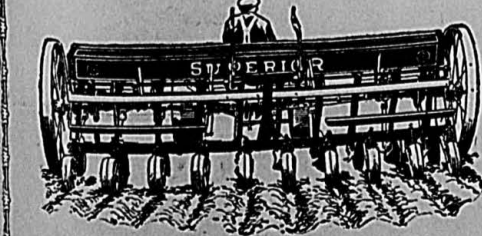
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R. W. MORTON  
Spearman Dealer



# It Will Cost Less to Build Your Home Permanently

(By Wyatt Brummitt)

Only the very rich can afford shoddy-built houses. For a house that is hastily thrown together, with one inferior material piled on top of another, is certain to cost its owner plenty of money for repairs, replacements and upkeep. Insurance rates for fire and storm coverage will be high, for the poorly constructed house offers a standing invitation to all the natural and man-made hazards which beset American homes.

Oddly enough, the very rich seldom build shoddy homes. For there is usually a keen business man in such families, a man who can see beyond first cost and can foresee the liabilities of high after-cost in a poorly built place.

In the average small home the extra cost of first class, enduring and fire-safe construction is estimated to be approximately the amount required for the added maintenance cost of a shoddy home during the first five years. From a purely financial viewpoint therefore, the advantage of a low first-cost, inferior quality house is short-lived. After five years the owner of the better home is actually saving money, while his neighbor in the shoddily constructed dwelling is saddled with constantly increasing maintenance costs.

By the intelligent use of such modern materials as monolithic concrete or concrete masonry (block, brick and tile composed of carefully designed concrete) a modern, fireproof and long-lived home may be built quickly and easily, in any desired architectural style.

**Home Builders' Litany**

Out of the bitter experience of a man who allowed himself to be talked into buying a shoddy home comes this fervent plea, entitled the Litany of a Poorer but Wiser Home Builder.

From foundations that leak and crack and warp; from walls that sag and sift heat in on summer days and out on wintry ones; from roofs that leak, or burn or blow away.

From floors that buckle, squeak and act like sounding boards; from floors that burn.

From finishes that moult and scale before the onslaughts of sun, snow, rain and hail; from paying all the bills the evil elements demand.

From eloquent contractors who build us pretty little nests to which the fledgling mortgage comes and grows and grows and grows.

From snappy work by which the mansion of our dreams shoots to completion over night—and starts to ruination quite as quickly.

From all the thin, sweet subtleties which lend an air of performance to what we find is not; from insurance rates these self-made subtleties bring.

From "savings" in building work which one year's repair bills nullify.

From, in short, the melancholy machinations of the guy who loves my bank account but not my joy domestic, Good Lord Deliver Me!

**STUDY OF WHALES CASTS CLOUD OF DOUBT ON BRAIN CONVOLUTION THEORY**

Folds in the human brain may signify degrees of mentality, but in whales their occurrence is a fact unexplained by science.

Cerebral convolutions are more marked in whales than in man, according to A. Brazier Howell, Johns Hopkins mammalogist, yet the purpose of a high-type brain in the monster sea beasts, with need for only low mental equipment, is unknown.

The scientist suggests that man's mentality may not be as greatly attributable to the folds as many have supposed.

For this, and other reasons, Dr. Howell believes that the whale is the most attractive beast for scientific study. "The greatest beast that has

ever lived," he said, is interesting because:

More than any other mammal now living his skull has changed most, partly because of the migration of his nostrils to the top of his head.

He is the only one that has more than three bones to a single finger, some whales having more than 17 bones.

For mechanical reasons he has assumed a cigar shape and is one of the only two kinds of mammals whose tail has taken on a fish-like shape.

"Whalebone," the sieve through which some whales strain their food, occurs in no other mammal.

A whale, with a length of 100 feet has a gullet no more than five inches in diameter.

Sounds are transmitted by resonance through the bones of the head to an inner ear very different from that of other mammals.

He has a remarkable hide, so tender in some ways and so tough in others, and without skin glands.

He can submerge to a depth of a mile, yet can speed to the surface without being affected by the quick removal of pressure.

"A scientific understanding of the remarkable animal," Dr. Howell concluded, "would probably give knowledge that can be applied in correcting a number of serious and even fatal, derangements of bodily functions to which man is subject."

**FARM GRAINS ARE LACKING IN PROTEIN**

The limiting factor in the profitable production of milk is protein, or rather the lack of protein, in our regular farm grains, such as corn and oats.

Grains such as these produce carbohydrates and material for fat, but the feeder is forced to go to market to secure the right protein to properly balance his home grown grains. A high-protein product, such as linseed meal, contains the food material necessary to furnish the missing parts.

The cheapest milk is produced when cows are on pastures, if the pastures are of the right quality. But pastures alone are not sufficient. Milk production is bound to suffer if cows must depend on grazing alone.

From the time the grass ripens until the cows are taken into winter quarters, pastures should be considered nothing more than exercising ground. They are no longer a source of feed. Grass at this time has lost its valuable protein content, and cows must have feed from other sources.

Good feeders supplement their pastures with a grain ration throughout the summer season. A mixture of ground corn and oats is satisfactory when grass is lush. As the pasture season advances, a mixture containing about 15 per cent protein should be supplied. Later on when grass is dry and scanty, a mixture of about 20 per cent protein should be fed. This is necessary not only of milk production, but also to get cows in condition for winter quarters.

A mixture containing about 20 per cent protein, suitable for feeding with late summer pastures may be made up from 300 pounds ground corn, 200 pounds ground oats, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 380 pounds linseed meal. Feed one pound per day for each 4 or 5 pounds of milk produced.

It is not mere chance that makes good advertisers big income tax payers.

He who constantly loses his temper should not be trusted with other things.

They're trying to find the seven wonders of New York. Whatever they list will be commonplace to what night club customers see frequently.

**WHY HE CAN'T PAY THE BILL**

"I have your statement showing that I owe you \$789.80, and I am enclosing a check for \$5.00 for which please send me a receipt. I am sorry that I cannot pay more at the present as I am unable to collect from my customers, as money is so scarce right now. My own living expenses are terrible and I can hardly get along. I will try to send you another \$5.00 when I sell my horse which should be in July. I cannot pay you more at that time for my daughter finishes at Bristol this year, and that costs a heap of money.

"I thought I could send you a check when I got my tobacco money, but it took all I could rake and scrape to put in Delco lights, as my wife didn't have electricity to run the sewing machine and vacuum cleaner. Then, too, we had to build a shed to put the Cadillac in the garage and build a concrete bridge over the brook in our front lot, as well as a new road so that we could get in and out better.

"I can't send you the corn money in the fall, because my son is going to college, and, although the lads of today are very economical about hats and garters, still a coon skin coat costs the old man a lot and even junk yard Fords come rather high by the time they are decorated for College use. I might send you the hog money but the missus and I have planned a trip to Niagara in the fall, and after working hard all these years, I think she deserves a trip. We can't go before taking out all the red plush and putting in over-stuffed cane and mahogany. This is a terrible strain on my finances especially as the new well that was needed closer to the house and the new up-to-date barn have to be paid for.

All the farmers here are in a hard shape financially with strawberries this season at seventy-five cents a quart and the price of gasoline as it is. Then, too, there is an epidemic among the married women to have their plain gold wedding rings platinumized and set with diamonds and everybody is having their tonsils and teeth removed. Tulsa Bulletin.

**HOT WEATHER SUGGESTIONS**

Everybody has a little advice to give on how best to endure the hot

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weather that is with us now. In conformity with this universal custom the editor has a few remarks.

First forget all about the thermometer. It is the greatest known producer of discomfort at this season.

Second, get interested in your work. The greater your enthusiasm in your work the fewer thoughts you can give to the temperature.

Third, eat moderately, exercise moderately, and watch the general state of your health. It is when you are ill that hot weather is most unbearable.

Discomfort from heat is partially a state of mind. Busy people who have many other things to occupy their minds rarely fret about torrid weather.

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for the purpose of operating school trucks for said District over its four routes, such routes varying in length from 20 to 50 miles, for the school year beginning on the second Monday in September 1929.

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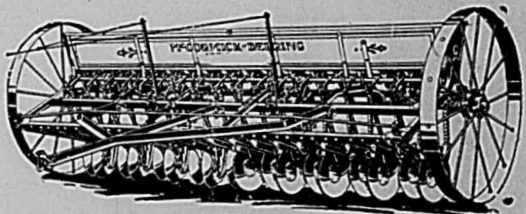
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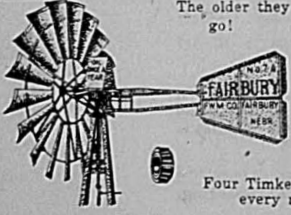
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### Martineau Ousts Brooklyn Jurymen

For the fourth consecutive time in our days a jury in Brooklyn federal court last Friday returned an acquittal in a Jones law case and so impressed Judge John E. Martineau by the verdict that he dismissed the jury summarily for further duty, remarking that it was "needless to have you men act as jurors."

Judge Martineau went to Brooklyn last week to sit during the summer vacation period.

The case before him Friday was that of Edgar Carter, a negro. Patrolmen testified they had found not only speakeasy but a 25 gallon still at the negro's home.

When all the evidence was in the jury retired for one and a half hours. At the end of that time the jurors came in and reported they had been unable to agree on a verdict. Judge Martineau ordered them back for further deliberation, saying sharply that they had not given enough time to the case.

Fifteen minutes elapsed and the jury returned to the box. "Not guilty," reported the foreman.

Judge Martineau was obviously astonished by this verdict. He questioned the jurors individually in an attempt to learn how they had decided for acquittal. Most of the jurors explained that they had some doubt as to whether Carter was in the speakeasy when the raid was made.

"The court," said Judge Martineau, "is of the opinion that the evidence clearly shows that this man is guilty. If the jury is not going to convict on this line of testimony it is necessary to have you men act as jurors. The court will discharge you from further service."

He ordered the jurymen to draw their pay.

### THE AGE OF MEDDLERS

We live in a "meddling" age, according to Dr. Samuel C. Johns, executive director of the Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities.

We are meddlers, says Doctor Johns, in all sorts of fields where our ancestors were satisfied to let well enough alone. We meddle with all sorts of established standards, with all sorts of established conditions. We are not content to accept anything as final; instead we begin to tinker with it to see if we can not in some way make it better.

All of this, quit naturally, has made for a lot of confusion. Sometimes, our meddling seems to have spoiled things that we shouldn't have monkeyed with; at other times the things that need fixing the worst don't seem to get much attention. And, besides, the meddler is usually a big nuisance. Many people in consequence, feel that the game has gone far enough and that all meddling should cease.

Yet, civilization being what it is, meddling can't cease. Indeed, there is apt to be more of it, not less, as years go by.

It was the meddler who started the movement that wiped out negro slavery.

Small children had to work 12 hours daily in the New England textile mills until meddling until meddling busybodies got to work and got legislation that remedied the situation.

Havana and Panama were sink holes of disease, ravaged annually by yellow fever epidemics, until meddling United States army officers went to work, bothered people about sanitation and drainage, and pushed yellow fever out of town.

Smallpox would still be the uncontrollable scourge it used to be if health officers didn't meddle in peoples' private affairs and vaccinate and quarantine it into submission.

City dwellers could never be sure of the purity of their food and milk supplies if the cities didn't hire meddlers to inspect dairy companies, markets and storage houses.

Auto traffic would be perpetually tangled if we didn't have the bothersome, meddling traffic cop.

And so it goes. An age of meddlers? Correct—and there isn't any way out of it. We live so closely together and used so many complicated machines and intricate systems that without meddling we should be lost. If you think it would be nicer to live in a more slowly-moving age where people didn't have to concern themselves about their neighbors' doing—well, you're just out of luck, that's all. You'll never get your desire.—Houston Press.

### THE JOY OF CLIMBING

I am sorry for the young man who does not have to begin at the bottom. He will never know the joy there is in climbing, and he will not be well grounded in the bedrock principles of



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business which are necessary to success. For this reason, it is better to start out on a small salary than to have a business of your own. In the former case, you learn at the other fellow's expense; in the latter, you learn at your own expense and often-times it is very expensive tuition, resulting in business failure and permanent discouragement.

Regardless of salary, always do your best. If you get a dollar a day, earn a dollar and a half. Well has some one said, "The man who earns no more than he gets, never gets more than he earns."—H. Z. Duke.

### AMMONIUM SULPHATE WEEDS LAWNS

Anyone who has weeded the lawn by hand methods will be glad to learn that ammonium sulphate, applied broadcast to the lawn, discourages the weeds. The acidity imparted to the soil checks the weed growth, and at the same time the ammonium sulphate stimulates the grass. This fertilizer salt is a combination of ammonia and alkaline compound, and sulphuric acid, and is particularly desirable for grasses that have a preference for acid soils, such as the bents and fescues. If ammonium sulphate is applied in summer when the soil has begun to dry out, 1 or 2 pounds to 1,000 square feet is enough. A good way to apply it is to mix it with 2 or 3 times its weight of cottonseed meal, broadcasting 3 or 4 pounds of the mixture to 1,000 square feet. The cottonseed meal furnishes some nitrogen in an organic form and some slowly available phosphoric acid and potash.

There are two kinds of people in the world, one that knows what they are going to do and another kind that never knows what they are going to do.

An Army tank has been driven at a speed of sixty-two miles an hour, but what's that compared to the pace often set by the human tank on a joy ride?—Boston Transcript.

### WORDS CHANGE, SO "AIN'T" MAY NOT BE WRONG

It is remarkable the way words have changed in the last few years. If the rate of deduction keeps up, if the long words are whittled down much more, Webster's will become a mere pamphlet. It isn't because we are lazy that we change though to the night to nite and areoplane to plane—we just can't afford the time where there are practical ways for a short cut. People are no longer termed "clever" if they use big words. It's the ability to play up the small ones that counts. I have known of college professors who are unable to write a sentence that can be understood by the average person. Instead of "speaking plain English," they hide the real theme of their meaning by tacking on a lot of big unnecessary words.

close his ears and never make an effort to learn new words that will contain practical value. Usually the new words are clean cut, simple, and mean just what they say. Then, too, there are always those over-enthusiasts who advocate throwing in something that would be more useless than the word already in use. You have probably heard of the ain't revolution that has been raging lately. The conservatives state that ain't is only slouchy slang, and that the best American citizens will never accept it. The radicals howl back their disapproval by trying to prove that there is a chance for ain't in the well educated circles, and that many critics have declared it a perfectly sane word to accept in the vocabulary. Personally, I've always hated the word ain't. Like the conservatives, I think it's slouchy. Then, looking at it from a practical standpoint, how

### THE NOISY TIMES

Folks have a hard time in this life and it is bad luck if the life to come is not one long sweet song. But who would want to live in a place where folks never got a rest from schreeching sopranos, rumbling bassos, or whatever they are, and high hitting tenor who drive one to distraction? Heaven is bound to be a restful place minus the discords of this earth. The earth is a noisy thing, to make the best of it, and it seems that the more noise folks can make, the better they think themselves. Noise from early morning till late at night is

what is causing the inhabitants of earth to shoot each other and to do all sorts of desperate deeds. It would be a good thing for the human race to shut down the noise and go to bed at sundown and rest. It is no wonder the human race is trying to kill each other. The noise gets on the nerves and the whole body is on a rampage.—Higgins News.

A Cleveland man has left thousands as a permanent endowment for birth control, but if his bequest is a complete success there may be eventually no one to administer it.—Portland Oregonian.

We know one man who hasn't said during the past week: "Is it hot enough for you?"

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### Endurance Fliers

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The longest flight in the history of aviation ended Tuesday night when the "Robin" made a perfect landing near St. Louis at 7:37 p. m. The fliers were ordered down by their backers.

Pilots Dale "Red" Jackson and Forest "Obie" O'Brine, who took off at 7:17 a. m. July 13, had been continuously aloft for 420 hours, 20 minutes, or approximately 174 hours longer than any other men in history.

The nearest approach to the Robin's record was that of Robin Mendell and Robert Reinhart, who early in July piloted their "Angeleno" 246 hours, 43 minutes, 32 seconds, a mark extended by the Robin one full week at 2:20 p. m. Tuesday.

The joint earnings of the pair, accumulating at the rate of \$116 an hour since they broke the record, amounted to \$20,362 when they landed, but further offers and rewards are expected to swell this amount considerably.

Both fliers stepped out of their plane almost as fresh looking as they did 18 day before they started on their air journey. They were clean shaven, wore fresh white linen shirts, and both their physical condition appeared excellent.

"Outside of being a little tired we feel fine," Jackson remarked as officers guided the two fliers into a waiting automobile and took them to a nearby hangar.

### LAW AND CUSTOM

Laws that are in opposition to the customs of the people can never be successful.

Anti-pistol laws, advocated as a solution of the crime problem, are a good example of a mistaken kind of legislation.

In New York, with its severe Sullivan Act, possession of a pistol or revolver without a license, is a felony. Yet gang-shootings, murders and armed violence are common. The underworld has never been disarmed but a multitude of law-abiding citizens who possess guns for pleasure and protection, have been made theoretical criminals.

The Constitution of the United States guarantees the right to own arms. It has become, through a century and a half, a custom of our people.

A thug or second story man who breaks basic laws daily in the pursuit of his "profession," is not to be deterred by anti-pistol legislation.

Useless and impractical laws have multiplied and with them has grown a burden of red tape and technicalities that have clouded justice. Sentimentalists would turn the most vicious criminals loose to prey again on society.

Law, to succeed, must in complete accord with the customs of a nation. Legislation which fails to recognize this fact will fail in preventing, punishing or repressing crime.

Read every issue of the Reporter.

### HEALTH FEATURES SELL ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

The electric refrigerator is probably more capable of increasing the health and happiness of the American family, than any other recent invention for the household.

A few years ago little thought was given to refrigeration by home-makers. Almost any nook or corner, cooler, in even the slightest degree, than the outside temperature was deemed a satisfactory storage place for even the most perishable of foods.

This belief has been disproved by the scientist and bacteriologists in the employ of the manufacturers of electric refrigerators.

According to Mr. Newlin, of the Thompson Hardware Co., agents for the General Electric Refrigerator, one of their first discoveries was that harmful bacteria developed with great rapidity in foods stored in a temperature above 50 degrees Fahrenheit.

"Destructive bacteria is present in foods at all times," he continued, "and it requires only warmth and moisture to develop it. The growth of this bacteria causes mold, which if consumed, may result in serious ailments."

"It is necessary, therefore, that food be stored in a temperature ranging between 40 and 50 degrees Fahrenheit until used."

"The majority of the people now realize these facts, which in addition to the convenience and utility of electric refrigeration accounts for its tremendous acceptance in a few years time."

"A good electric refrigerator will pay for itself in a short time by the food saving and convenience it makes possible. In the average home, approximately 10 to 15 per cent of the foods purchased are lost by spoilage. By installing an electric refrigerator, the purchaser not only constitutes a saving, but insures the health and happiness of his family against spoiled foods for all times."

### BOTH AMENDMENTS ARE THOUGHT TO BE DEFEATED

Late returns on the constitutional amendments voted upon July 16th in Texas indicate that both were defeated. Early returns largely from the large cities, showed that both had been carried.

Returns from 152 counties Monday showed the following results: Enlarged supreme court: For 43,812, against 63,718.

Increase governor's salary: For 43,505, against 62,840.

The state election board meets on August 24, when official returns will show the fate of both amendments. It is generally conceded now that both have failed.

### ARE WE IMITATORS?

Small towns like Spearman are too much inclined to imitate the great cities. We must have a modern sys-

tem of lighting at all costs, regardless of how great the local need may be. We must have paved streets everywhere, regardless of the volume of traffic. We must have traffic lights in spite of the fact that these devices come into existence only where there is an enormous volume of traffic.

And in our social ideas and ideals our educational systems, our business methods we are likewise prone to imitate what we get from the great metropolitan centers.

We do not care to be construed as

opponents of progress, but we do feel at times that we ought to originate more of our ideas and copy fewer of the methods pursued in the great cities. Most of American's great cities are not examples of the best in American life. Corrupt government, incompetent administration of public affairs, and questionable business practices all exist and flourish in our biggest centers. It is not the part of wisdom of our small cities to adopt their standard.

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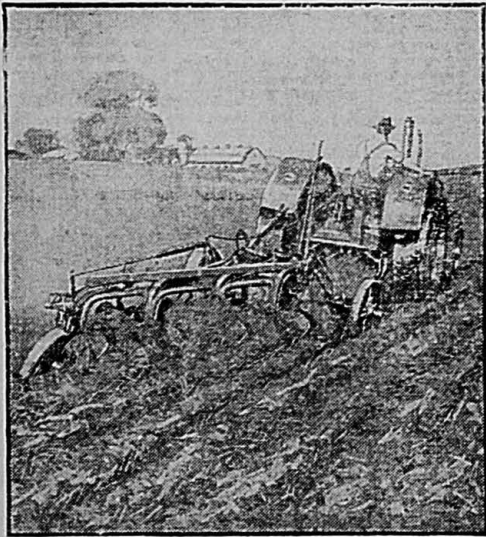
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## :- Church and Society :-

### Church of Christ Holding Revival

A revival meeting is now in progress at the Church of Christ with Evangelist H. F. Oliver of Austin as the speaker. Services are held each evening commencing at eight o'clock. The subjects are as follows: Thursday night, Three Dispensations of Religion; Friday night, Religion and Change of Heart; Saturday night, was the Thief of the Cross Saved; Sunday, 11 a. m., Christian Character; Sunday night, Do Miracles Obey Today. The meeting will continue until next Sunday night and if possible it may continue until a week from Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services. There will be day services next week at 10 a. m. Evangelist Oliver is well

known throughout the state as an able speaker for the Churches of Christ. All should come and hear him and be benefited by his sermons.

### Epworth League

The Epworth League will meet Sunday night at 7:30 in a special business meeting. All leaguers are especially urged to be present.

### Birthday Party

John Phillip Snider celebrated his fifth birthday Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 with a party for little boys. The children had a fine time playing games and eating cake and ice cream. The guests were: R. L. McClellan, Jr., Perrin Lyon, Jr., R. W. Morton, Jr., J. E. Gerber, Jr., Joe McCrory and Howard Dean Kelly.

Willis Massey was down from Guymon Tuesday evening a guest in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Earl Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gibner and Miss Beatrice Gibner were Perryton visitors Saturday evening.

Lester McLain left last week for Michigan to attend to business matters.

Misses Lorene and Lois Morton and Virginia Barkley were visitors to the city of Borger Sunday.

Miss Olivette Hancock left Monday for Lubbock where she will visit indefinitely with relatives and friends.

Earl, Lloyd and A. L. Prutsman left last week for a trip to Yellow Stone National Park.

Dr. J. E. Gower and Wright Hale were visitors to Amarillo Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merritt left Sunday for St. Louis and other eastern cities to buy new goods for their store, The Stone-Merritt & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chambers left Sunday to spend a vacation in the mountains of Colorado and New Mexico.

FOR SALE:—Surplus post office equipment consisting of keyless lock box sections, bases, and panels. R. W. Isaacs, Clayton, New Mexico.

Miss Ramona Fay Burdick came from Moreland, Oklahoma, last week for a visit here in the home of her sister, Mrs. G. Kelly Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pittman came from Mesa, Arizona, Sunday for a two weeks visit in the home of their son Earl Pittman and family.

Found, a Guymon high school student ring, 1927. The owner may recover this ring by making inquiry at this office.

Dr. and Mrs. Gower and the children went to Borger Sunday where Mrs. Gower and the children visited with friends while the doctor looked after business matters in Amarillo.

Miss Doris Darnell of Springs Valley, Arkansas, returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Darnell last Wednesday and will visit indefinitely in the home of her brother.

Miss Olive Chandler arrived here last Thursday from Wichita for a visit with her sister Mrs. Robert Clogston. Mrs. Clogston and Mrs. J. B. Cooke met her at Canadian Thursday.

The announcement was received the first of the week at the Reporter shop of the birth of a baby son, named Thomas Joseph, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bergin of Texhoma on July 23.

Miss Mary Hitch and Virgil Hitch of Guymon were attending to business in the city Monday and Tuesday and visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Clark.

Mrs. Fred J. Daily and their little daughter Barbara Jean are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Nash and with other relatives in Guymon.

Raymond Bourland has bought the lease on the D. C. D. Cafe of Joe Combs and now is in charge of this business. Mr. and Mrs. Combs have returned to their home at Altus.

For Sale:—One Sanders one-way plow and two large wheat drills. See 3311. GEO. ELLISON, 2 blocks west of school house.

Ray King, professional bootmaker, arrived last week and has formed a partnership with J. Ray Hollen in the bootmaking business. These men make boots that are real boots and are enjoying a splendid business.

Mrs. J. A. Gill and son Aaron and daughters Chloe and Cleo left Sunday for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where Aaron will receive treatment for the next week and Mrs. Gill and the girls will visit with relatives at other points in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Roland and daughter Miss Frances of Norman, Oklahoma, and Miss Helen Cooke of Frederick, Oklahoma, spent a few days in Spearman this week visiting with old friends. They are enroute to Colorado for a several weeks vacation.

Mrs. Otto Sauer left Monday at noon for the eastern markets where she will spend two weeks buying goods for Sauer's Ladies' and Men's Furnishings store in Spearman. Mrs. Sauer will feature goods for the mid-summer and early fall trade, while buying at this time.

Miss Lucille Maize returned home from Norman, Oklahoma, where she has been attending the summer session of Oklahoma University Saturday. She was met in Amarillo by Miss Merene Vincent of Clarendon who accompanied her home for a short visit.

A. W. Tevebaugh and son Lynn and daughter Miss Jo and Miss Thelma Davis came from Edmund, Oklahoma, Saturday and remained until Wednesday visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Uel McCain. Mr. Tevebaugh was greatly impressed with the plains country and is thinking some of investing in Panhandle land and making this his home.

Mrs. H. C. Brandt and daughter Mrs. Jim Miller and her little daughter Elizabeth, who have been visiting the past month in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brandt and Mrs. H. P. Bailey, left Sunday for Memphis where they will visit for a while before returning to their home at Chapel Hill. Fred Brandt accompanied them to Shamrock.

### LAND WANTED

We want to rent wheat land. Will give one-third of crop delivered in elevator. Inquire at DITTRICH MACHINE SHOP, 3112. Spearman, Texas.

### NOTICE TO WHEAT GROWERS

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### Bleeding Gums Healed

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### FOR SALE

Modern stucco residence on the school house street. See 2911. JOT HORTON.

### KINDERGARTEN

I wish to announce that I will teach a class in kindergarten and first grade, beginning the first or second week of September. For further information see me at my home in west Spearman or call 110. 3311. MRS. H. E. CAMPFIELD.

### RESIDENCE FOR SALE

I am offering my residence in west Spearman for sale. It is a four room residence with bath, water and lights; barn, garage, chicken house, well located and desirable locality. Will sell worth the money, for cash or terms. Address: EARL CALLAWAY, Shamrock, Texas. 3441p.

### FOR SALE

Lots 10, 11 and 12, block 2, Spearman. Write offer. 3513p. O. E. HOWELL, Washington, Oklahoma.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

The party who removed the mould-board from my lister will avoid much trouble and inconvenience, by returning same at once. 3511p. LITCH SPARKS.

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Spearman, Texas

### FOR SALE

One solid oak diningroom suit for sale. Apply to Dr. Spencer at Spearman hospital. 3511.

### FOR SALE

Residence on school house street, located between Berlin Barbour and H. H. Jones residences; east front. If interested write B. E. WALKER, Stratford, Texas. 3511.

### BANISHING SMOKE

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### JOINING THE CHURCH

Not long ago we asked a minister to tell us the reasons given by some people for not joining the church, and here are a few: "I am waiting

for my husband to join." "I consider myself good enough, don't have the right kind of clothes to wear." "I got too much church my childhood." "There are too many hypocrites in the church." "The church is a joy-killer. I want to be a good time." "I am too tired to church on Sunday." "Those are favorite alibis, and it ought to be easy for every non-attendant to get out the one he uses most. It has been in use since the hills were made and probably will be used for a time to come. But, in a country which is generally religious, we wonder how many who use these alibis are actually foolish enough to believe that those who do not church accept them as a sufficient reason for anyone staying away. Goodwill Eagle.

Great minds have purposes; others have wishes.

A mistake is evidence somebody least tried to do something.

One good turn deserves another. Isn't it your turn?

Following the paths of least resistance is what makes rivers and crooked.

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It requires less philosophy to do things as they come than to part things as they go.

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