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## HIS PLAN DIDN'T WORK

Now the laugh is on the Pratt Young Man who Registered as a Teacher

A certain young man of the Pratt business world had a good one told on him the other day. It was last year during the teachers' meeting at a nearby town. This young man had a teacher friend that he wished to visit during the meeting. He also had been told that some special features were to be brought to this town for the benefit of the teachers with special rates to them. He at once registered as a teacher, the registration costing him something over three dollars. He got along splendidly. Then came the night of the program. He found that the story had been false as

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to the rate and the show cost him about \$4.00. Ever since that time as if to remind him of the event, he has received the "Kansas Teacher" a publication for the teachers.—Pratt Union.

Somehow or other we don't like to get out in the dark with a fellow who wants us to give him a little better than usual rates on account of his standing in the community or on his promise of favors from another source. It don't sound right—too much of the "keep this under your hat" stuff.

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## Popular Recipes

### Recipes Cream Cookies

1-3 c. butter  
2 tsp. baking powder  
1 c. sugar  
2 eggs  
1/2 c. milk  
Mix as for butter cake, roll out as thin as possible and bake.

### Scottish Fancy

1 egg  
1/2 c. sugar  
2-3 tbsp. melted butter  
1 c. rolled oats  
1-3 tsp. salt  
1/2 tsp. vanilla  
Beat eggs until light, add sugar gradually, then stir in remaining ingredients. Drop mixture by teaspoon on a thoroughly greased pan 1 inch apart, spread into circular shape with a case knife first dipped in cold water. Bake in a moderate oven until delicately brown. To give variety use 2-3 c. rolled oats and fill cup with shredded coconut.

### Heenits

1-3 c. butter  
2-3 c. sugar  
1 egg  
2 tsp. milk  
1 2-4 c. flour  
2 tsp. baking powder  
1-3 c. raisins cut in small pieces  
1/2 tsp. cinnamon  
1/4 tsp. cloves  
1/4 tsp. nutmeg  
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Cream the butter, add the sugar gradually, then the raisins, egg well beaten, then the milk. Mix and sift dry ingredients, add to first mixture. Roll mixture a little thicker than for vanilla wafers.

### Coconut Pie

2 tbsp. sugar  
Pinch of salt  
2 c. milk (boiling)  
3 eggs  
1 c. shredded coconut  
Mix thoroughly together the sugar, salt and flour. Add well beaten eggs, vanilla and 2 tsp. boiling milk. Add to boiling milk, which is on the stove, and cook until almost done. Remove from fire and add coconut. Return to fire and cook until done. Pour into crust and sprinkle coconut over the top. If it is desired to have a brown top, sprinkle milk over coconut and put in oven to brown.

### Meat Loaf

2 lbs. beef (cut from round)  
1 tsp. salt  
1 beaten egg  
1/2 cup. chopped parsley  
1 c. bread crumbs  
1 tsp. onion juice  
1/2 tsp. pepper  
1/2 c. milk  
1 lb. cube pork fat  
Wipe meat with damp cloth and put through food chopper, with the pork. Add seasoning, mix well, add crumbs, well beaten egg, and milk gradually. Place in well greased pan. Put small pieces of butter or bacon on top. Bake in moderate oven 40 min. Serve with tomato sauce.

### Tomato Sauce

2 tbsp. butter  
2 tsp. flour  
1 c. strained tomato  
Heat tomatoes, mix butter and flour to a paste and combine with hot tomatoes. Add salt and pepper and cook for a few minutes.

### Fruit Cake

2 c. brown sugar  
2 c. sour cream  
2 well beaten eggs  
1/2 tsp. salt  
2 tsp. cinnamon  
1 tsp. ginger  
1 tsp. allspice  
Dissolve sugar in cream, mix well, add other ingredients, add 2 1/2 c. flour with 1 tsp. soda and 2 tsp. baking powder well sifted. Add 1 lb. seeded raisins dredged with flour. Bake 3-4 hour in slow oven.

### Sour Cream Salad Dressing

1 c. vinegar  
1/2 c. sugar  
1 tsp. butter  
1 tsp. to boiling point and add to other ingredients.  
2 eggs  
1 c. sour cream  
1/2 tsp. mustard  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. flour  
Let boil up good and cool.

### Sweet Potato Pie

1 pt. Sweet Potatoes  
Pinch of Salt  
2 eggs  
1/2 tsp. nutmeg  
Milk to make potatoes light.  
Boil potatoes until done. Mash, add eggs and milk to make potatoes light. Put in one crust pie and bake until solid. When done put whipped cream on top.

### Tuna Fish Au Gratin

Remove the tuna fish from the can and stir thoroughly. Mix with a silver fork, add enough salt, pepper, and curry powder to season well. A thick cream sauce is made and mixed with the fish. Place the mixture in a baking dish, dot the top with bread crumbs and sprinkle with grated cheese. The fish is baked until bread browns.

### Hot Chocolate Sauce

You make it this way:  
Mix 1 c. sugar with 1 c. Italian ground chocolate. Add 1/2 c. boiling water, 1-3 tsp. salt, and cook 10 minutes or until thick. When cold add 1 tsp. vanilla. Store in tightly covered jar. This will make about 1 pt. of chocolate sauce and will keep several weeks.

### You use it this way:

As a chocolate sauce for ice cream and food drinks; as a hot or cold sauce for cereals and gelatin puddings—yes, and for blanc mange and cottage pudding. You can make a delicious impromptu pudding out of several slices of stale cake covered with this chocolate sauce. In fact, you can use it for anything where a pudding sauce is acceptable.

## Mrs. Harryman's Spanish Rabbit

It is just the weather for Spanish rabbit, say those who have used Mrs. Frank Harryman's recipe recently. It is tried and true. Melt one pound of cheese, add one can corn, one can Campbell's tomato soup, one-half can pimentoes chopped fine, season with paprika and salt. Let come to a boil in a double boiler. Add one egg which has been mixed with one teaspoon of flour and serve on toast.

### Blushing Apples

1 tsp. orange juice  
1 tsp. sugar  
1 red apple  
1/2 c. water  
Allow these amounts for each apple. Wash and core apple. Place in a small kettle, add sugar and water, and boil until tender, turning as often as necessary. When done remove from water and carefully peel. Scrape off red portion of pulp from skin and apply to apple. Reduce water in which apple was boiled, to a syrup, remove from fire, add orange juice, and pour over apple. Serve cold with whipped cream, or the apple may be peeled and red bits used to give desired color.

### Stuffed Peppers

3 green peppers  
1/2 c. cooked rice or corn  
1 c. broth, or milk, or tomato sauce  
1/2 c. bread crumbs  
2 tsp. fat  
1 small onion  
1 c. cooked ham  
1/2 tsp. salt  
Cut a slice from the stem end of the pepper, remove seeds and parboil 15 min. Fill with equal parts finely chopped cold meat, rice, or corn, and bread crumbs. Moisten with liquid. Season with onion juice, salt and pepper, and fat. Put filling into pepper and bake 10 or 15 min with a little broth in pan.

### Hints

**Save on Icing**  
A little flour spread over the top of cakes before they are iced will prevent the icing from running off.

**Prevent Moulding**  
A tsp. full of sugar placed on the top of jelly in glasses prevents moulding.

**For Washing Glass Jars**  
To wash glass jars use curling iron to hold cloth in bottom of jars.

**Prevent Scorching**  
Salt in oven under baking tins will prevent their scorching on the bottom.

## PETER MANNING 1:57

Last Thursday, September 23, 1922, another milestone was reached and passed in the evolution of trotting speed as demonstrated by public performance. That afternoon Peter Manning, who a year ago had made himself the world's champion trotter by covering a mile in 1:57 1/2, started at Columbus, O., to beat the mark. The track was fast, but flintlike. Peter Manning goes very lightly shod. The terrific concussion caused by the impact of his flying hoofs became so unbearable that just before he reached the wire he left his stride. His trainer and driver, Thomas W. Murphy, at once took him back, as the rules require. By so doing it is estimated that the gelding lost at least half a second, but despite that he finished the mile in 1:57, flat—many watches, in fact, catching the mile a fraction under that figure.

This is the most wonderful mile yet accomplished by a light-harness horse. The steadfast, technically, stands to the credit of the pacer, Dan Patch—1:56 1/4, at Lexington, in 1905. Dan Patch went behind a runner, that broke the wind for him and the next winter records so made were barred by the turf tribunals in so far as future performances were concerned, those previously established, however, being allowed to stand. At Syracuse, N. Y., in 1912, the pacer Directum, 1:56 1/2, "in the open," covered a mile in 1:56 1/2. These are the only light-harness performers that have ever surpassed Peter Manning's mile. As will be seen, Dan Patch did so with an accessory no longer legitimate—Dan's fastest mile under regular conditions was 1:53. Directum I still has a quarter second's advantage over the trotter but this, undoubtedly, would not exist today except for the untoward circumstance of last Thursday above described.

This was the third record-breaking, or record-equaling mile by Peter Manning. At Syracuse, last year, he just equalled the world's record which Ulan had established nine years before at Lexington—1:53. Then, three weeks later, he himself at Lexington trotted in 1:57 1/2, and, from joint-champion because the unconditional one. Owing to the fact that he was then but five years of age, was so sound, strong, fresh and unshut and had, in short flights, shown speed of the most prodigious degree, it was conceded that he had not reached his limit, but in 1922 would trot much faster. In his efforts to reach new goals he has been handicapped throughout the present season by conditions consistently adverse. Those which attended his mile last Thursday were not wholly favorable. Yet he surmounted these and registered a performance that marks a new stage in trotting progress.—The Horse Review.

## HONESTY AS A POLICY

An Eastern banking institution is preparing to give a course in public schools throughout the country. It has established an honesty bureau at the head of which it has placed a man who is a doctor of philosophy and a doctor of literature. He will prepare and furnish free of charge printed matter for the teaching of honesty in American school rooms. The machinery that is being built up to carry out this plan is elaborate, and co-operation is being

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### Died on Fair Grounds

Louis G. Nelson, son of Geo. W. and Ida P. Nelson, of Guymon, died on the fair grounds shortly after noon Tuesday under peculiar circumstances. The boy had just purchased a ticket for a ride on the merry-go-round and had crawled on one of the wooden horses when bystanders noticed that he had relaxed and was about to fall. Attorney John G. Mason, who happened to be

close caught the lad as he fell, took him at once to the Red Cross tent where a physician pronounced the boy dead. It was not the nature of an accident as the merry-go-round had not started when the lad fell, and in this respect machine owners are fortunate, cause it might have led to the port of the boy being killed accidentally. The death was due to heart trouble.—Guymon Tribune.

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# STOLEN CAR RECOVERED IN EASTERN COLO.

Roadster Belonging to F. A. Lake Brought Back to City the First of the Week—Frank Brannan in Jail Here

The Dodge roadster belonging to F. A. Lake, which was stolen from in front of his residence at 516 North Lincoln avenue several weeks ago, was found thirty-five miles south of LaJunta, Colo., last week, Frank Brannan, formerly of this city, is being held in the county jail for trial in the November term of District Court in connection with the theft.

It has developed from investigation of the case that Frank Brannan, Harry Martin and a third party, whose name was failed to learn, were the thieves who committed the theft. The car was recovered on the Dodge coupe which it has since developed was a stolen car. The motor apparently came on into town that evening and late at night it is believed, took the roadster.

The first clue leading to its recovery was found when Martin was arrested in Denver, Colorado, in connection with a stolen money order deal. Martin is reported to have offered to tell officials there where to locate the stolen car for \$500. At that time he wrote a letter to Brannan, asking him to come to Denver, which letter he entrusted to a Dr. Eakins of Brush, Colo., who was hunting his car which had been stolen. The counsel at the Berg farm, it was later found, belonged to this doctor.

In place of delivering the letter Dr. Eakins and the sheriff of Morgan county went to the mouth of the canon about thirty-five miles south of LaJunta, where Brannan has been living, and located the car belonging to Mr. Lake. Brannan told conflicting stories when questioned and was taken in custody by the sheriff there. Sheriff Nelson was wired and he and Mr. Lake left Sunday for the prison and the car.

Brannan is reported to have been out of the Colorado penitentiary only a few weeks when the cars were stolen. He is being held in the Seward County jail, his trial to come up in the November term of district court.—Liberal News.

# Three Clayton Youths Turn Into Highwaymen

Last Saturday night proved to be a scolding one for the people of Clayton and their neighbors. With the Democratic convention in full swing, the carnival having its closing night, and the fire, it remained for three young Spanish Americans to cap the climax by staging a real genuine "Western holdup."

Mr. Holtkamp, of the carnival company, had just checked up for leaving, and while his men were packing the finishing touches on the building camp and cleaning up the carnival grounds, he very carelessly left himself by a bonfire they had made, and he very promptly at the sack of money he had taken a repose at his feet in full view of the faces. Phil Martinez and Ruben Lopez, who, unable to resist temptation, staged the holdup.

One of the boys immediately left the others, who faithfully waited until Mr. Holtkamp started for his car on the siding north of the depot. When they followed he became alarmed and stopped to make conversation and quiet his excited nerves.

Not being able to spend the night he began to negotiate the rest of the way. When at the Jefferson street crossing the young men stopped out and took a couple of shots at Mr. Holtkamp, who immediately had his troop of negro strikers to his assistance, as well as the boys who were still at the carnival ground. After he had given all gathered at the cars with their clubs, revolvers and sawed-off shot guns.

W. B. Bryan, night marshal, was notified and very soon had the boys behind the bars. The assistant district attorney will probably hold preliminary to the boys. It is thought only one of the boys is really guilty.—Clayton News.

# Removed Old Cornerstone at Meade

The cornerstone of the old Methodist Episcopal church which was laid June 29, 1887, was removed from the foundation last week. In a pocket concealed in the stone was found the memorial book which at the coronation high noon placed a copy of the bible, the Methodist year book of date 1886, Methodist discipline, a copy of the W. Kansas Conference, March 10, 1887, and copies of the Meade News, Press-Democrat, and Meade Republican newspapers published in Meade at that time. Unfortunately the box had not been well protected and the contents were in a bad way of preservation and scarcely any value. The thirty-five years old religious mass and the bible and other book and discipline had sadly disintegrated; but nevertheless every interesting relic of the past of the church is now in the vault of the First National bank here they may be seen.—Meade News.

# AMMOTH BRONZE TURKEYS

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# NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received on Saturday, October 28, at 9 A. M., by the school board of the Spearman Independent school district for transporting pupils to and from the Spearman school from the Otto Reimer farm. Particulars see

H. E. JAMES, Secretary.

# \$60,000 LOSS FROM WRECK OF FREIGHT TRAINS

Head on Collision Near Optima Friday Night Resulted in Destruction of 15 Stock Cars—No One Seriously Injured

Four hundred head of cattle were killed or are missing and two merchandise cars were destroyed in a head on collision between two freight trains, No. 31, westbound, and extra 1885, eastbound, which occurred at mile post 453-199, just west of the Beaver River, between Optima and Guymon at 7:25 p. m. Friday, October 26.

While the investigation as to the cause of the accident has not as yet been concluded, apparently no responsibility rests with the train or engine crews, but with the dispatcher who issued the train orders.

The trains collided at a point where there is a long curve in the track and the Engine crews could not distinguish the headlights on the approaching train until it was too late to avoid the collision.

The Highway parallels the railroad at this point and while each engine crew saw the approaching headlights, they believed them to be the lights of automobiles. When they discovered they were headlights of approaching trains they barely had time to jump from their engines. Mr. Geo. Ainsworth and Mr. Sam Holt, engine crew on the east bound train, were slightly injured.

The east bound train consisted of 29 cars of cattle and several loads of important freight. The west bound train consisted of 39 cars of California freight. The trains collided at a speed of about 35 miles per hour. The engines, 2096 and 1885, were damaged to the extent of \$12,000. 15 stock cars on the front end of the east bound train were destroyed. These cars contained 709 head of cattle of which 499 head were killed or are missing. Two cars in the west bound train were destroyed. These cars were loaded with merchandise and the contents were badly damaged. The total estimated loss to the railroad is about sixty thousand dollars.—Liberal News.

# TOM CURBELLO SHOT TO DEATH BY HIS COUSIN

Accused of Breaking up Home of His Assailant, Walter Anderson, Who Dealt out Awful Vengeance

Tom Curbello, age about 25 years, was fatally wounded Tuesday evening on a farm about twenty-two miles southwest of Liberal, when he was shot five times by Walter Anderson, his cousin. Curbello and C. C. Brown, who was renting the farm where the tragedy occurred, had been helping thresh broomcorn and were hauling the seed to the farm occupied by Brown. From the evidence it appears that Brown was unitching his team and Curbello was yet on the wagon, when Anderson walked up to Curbello, from where he had been stacking feed a short distance away, and accusing him of breaking up his home, fired at him five times with a 45 automatic army gun. Curbello evidently started to walk to the back of the wagon and when he felt the indications are that Anderson walked around and shot him through the head, as five of the shots entered the body from the right side and the one in the head from the left.

Anderson left the scene telling Brown he was going to Guymon to give himself up but he evidently changed his mind, going to his home a couple of miles east and remaining there until the undersheriff from Tyrone went for him. When the undersheriff appeared Anderson turned over the gun, with one load still in it, which indicated that he had shot six times. According to report Anderson has made no statement as yet. He is being held in the jail at Guymon.

The body of Curbello was brought to Liberal and is being taken to Donna, Texas, this afternoon by his aunt, Eva E. Dowda. Curbello's parents reside at Donna.—Liberal News.

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# THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County—Greeting: You are hereby Commanded to Summon Mrs. Malissa Atkinson and her husband whose name is unknown (if she has a husband) Harriett Driver, Alice Dalamer and J. A. Dalamer, Ethel Hale and O. E. Hale non-residents of the state and whose residences are unknown, Opal Alene Medlin, Bessie Rose Medlin, Keoble Inez Medlin, Willie Fisher Medlin, Roy Morris Medlin and Cecil Hallie Medlin, minors, heirs of W. J. Medlin, deceased, also the unknown heirs, if any, of the said W. J. Medlin, deceased, the present residences of said minors being unknown, Oma Lena Medlin, Isaac Medlin, Joe Medlin, Sallie Ann Mildred Medlin, and Cecil Jerome Medlin, minors, heirs of J. M. Medlin, deceased, and any and all unknown heirs of the said J. M. Medlin, deceased, if any, whose residences are unknown, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, whose residences are unknown, hereinafter styled defendants, represent that the plaintiff resides in Carson County, Texas, and that the residences of the defendants are as abovesated either unknown or they are non-residents of the State of Texas.

That on the first day of October, A. D. 1922, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land hereinafter described situated in the County of Hansford, State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage \$15,000.00; that the premises so entered upon and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff by defendants, are known and described as follows: All of section No. 190, in Block No. 45, Certificate 46-6334, original grantee, Houston and Texas Central Railway Company, containing 640 acres of land.



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J. M. Medlin, deceased, and any and all unknown heirs of the said J. M. Medlin, if any; Walter McKean and Hume McKean, whose residences are unknown, 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 31st Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 31st Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hansford County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hansford, Texas, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1922, the same being the 20th day of November, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 282, wherein P. K. Burum is Plaintiff, and Mrs. Malissa Atkinson and her husband, whose name is unknown, if she has a husband, Harriett Driver, Alice Dalamer and her husband, J. A. Dalamer, Ethel Hale and her husband, O. E. Hale, Opal Alene Medlin, Bessie Rose Medlin, Keoble Inez Medlin, Willie Fisher Medlin, Roy Morris Medlin and Cecil Hallie Medlin, Oma Lena Medlin, Isaac Medlin, Joe Medlin, Sallie Ann Mildred Medlin, Cecil Jerome Medlin, also any and all unknown heirs of W. J. Medlin, deceased, and of J. M. Medlin, deceased, if any, Walter McKean and Hume McKean.

P. K. Burum, hereinafter styled plaintiff, complaining of Mrs. Malissa Atkinson and her husband, whose name is unknown, if she has a husband, a non-resident of the State, Harriett Driver, a non-resident of the State, Alice Dalamer and her husband, J. A. Dalamer, Ethel Hale and her husband, O. E. Hale, whose present residences are unknown, Opal Alene Medlin, Bessie Rose Medlin, Keoble Inez Medlin, Willie Fisher Medlin, Roy Morris Medlin and Cecil Hallie Medlin, minors, heirs of W. J. Medlin, deceased, also the unknown heirs, if any, of the said W. J. Medlin, deceased, the present residences of said minors being unknown, Oma Lena Medlin, Isaac Medlin, Joe Medlin, Sallie Ann Mildred Medlin, and Cecil Jerome Medlin, minors, heirs of J. M. Medlin, deceased, and any and all unknown heirs of the said J. M. Medlin, deceased, if any, whose residences are unknown, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, whose residences are unknown, hereinafter styled defendants, represent that the plaintiff resides in Carson County, Texas, and that the residences of the defendants are as abovesated either unknown or they are non-residents of the State of Texas.

Plaintiff states as his cause of action against all of the defendants the following:—

That on the first day of October, A. D. 1922, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land hereinafter described situated in the County of Hansford, State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage \$15,000.00; that the premises so entered upon and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff by defendants, are known and described as follows: All of section No. 190, in Block No. 45, Certificate 46-6334, original grantee, Houston and Texas Central Railway Company, containing 640 acres of land.

Plaintiff further shows that all of the heirs of said L. L. Medlin, deceased, joined as plaintiffs in said partition suit and have received their distributive share of the money arising from said sale and paid by the said C. C. Patten to the said commissioners, save and except the defendants, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, they at said time and now being non-residents and their whereabouts being unknown, their distributive share in said estate being held in the proper custody of said Commissioners ready to be paid over to them when they can be found.

Plaintiff further shows that all of the heirs of said L. L. Medlin, deceased, joined as plaintiffs in said partition suit and have received their distributive share of the money arising from said sale and paid by the said C. C. Patten to the said commissioners, save and except the defendants, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, they at said time and now being non-residents and their whereabouts being unknown, their distributive share in said estate being held in the proper custody of said Commissioners ready to be paid over to them when they can be found.

Plaintiff further shows that the said C. C. Patten purchased said land in good faith and paid the full value therefor and was and is entitled to be vested with the legal title thereto as against all of said defendants and all of the heirs of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased, including the said Walter McKean and Hume McKean and plaintiff further shows that the said Patten in good faith conveyed the land herein mentioned to the said L. C. Koozts who likewise in good faith for a valuable consideration conveyed the same to this plaintiff. Plaintiff alleges that at the sale of the land by the Commissioners heretofore appointed by the District Court of Hansford County, Texas, that the said C. C. Patten paid full value for the same, and that each of the defendants, who were parties to said partition proceedings accepted their respective shares of the purchase price paid for the same, and that of the unpaid balance of the purchase price for said land, accruing to Isaac Medlin and his heirs after his death, that said heirs and defendants herein have received their distributive shares of said deferred payments which had been made since the death of said Isaac Medlin, all of which they and each of them have appropriated and still retain, and have at all times recognized the validity of said sale and conveyance.

Plaintiff further shows the defendants herein claim title to said land as heirs at law of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased; that the Minor defendants herein to-wit, Opal Alene Medlin, Bessie Rose Medlin, Keoble Inez Medlin, Willie Fisher Medlin, Roy Morris Medlin and Cecil Hallie Medlin are the heirs at law and the only heirs at law of W. J. Medlin, deceased, and that the minors, J. M. Medlin, Jr., Oma Lena Medlin, Isaac Medlin, Joe Medlin, Sallie Ann Mildred Medlin and Cecil Jerome Medlin are the heirs at law and the only heirs at law of the said J. M. Medlin, deceased, and that the said J. M. Medlin, deceased, and that the said Isaac Medlin, before his death not only joined in the prosecution of said partition suit as a plaintiff therein, but thereafter before his death received his distributive share of the moneys paid by the said C. C. Patten for said land and at the time of his death was estopped by reason of his own acts and judgment the validity of said judgment or the validity of the title which passed therein to the said C. C. Patten and he being estopped, the said Minor Heirs are likewise

promises; that the said L. L. Medlin died intestate in the County of Hansford and State of Texas, seized and possessed, among other lands, the premises herein described; that on the 24th day of March, 1919, all of the heirs at law of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased, save and except the defendants, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, filed their suit in the District Court of Hansford County for a partition among said heirs of the real property belonging to the Estate of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased, against the said Walter McKean and Hume McKean, defendants in said suit, said partition proceeding including the premises hereinbefore described that in said cause, being suit No. 184 in the District Court of Hansford County, Texas, judgment was rendered on the 22nd day of April, 1919, in which the court found that the lands of said estate were incapable of a just, fair and equitable division and that the best interest of said owners required that the same be sold at private sale for not less than \$15.00 per acre, one-half cash and the remainder in not to exceed five equal annual payments at 6 per cent per annum, the deferred payments to be secured by the vendor's lien upon said land, and appointed A. F. Barkley and H. E. Hoover as Commissioners to sell said land at such price, and ordering that the money arising from the sale of said land be paid by said Commissioners to the respective parties in said suit according to their interest; that thereafter the said Commissioners duly qualified as such under the orders of the Court, and on December 9, 1919, the said Commissioners sold and decreed said land under the orders of the Court heretofore obtained, confirming said sale to C. C. Patten for the sum of \$57,600.00, \$28,800.00 paid in cash and the remainder evidenced by his five promissory notes, each for the sum of \$5,760.00, payable on or before one, two, three, four and five years from date, with interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable annually; that said C. C. Patten, after the purchase of the same, had the tract of land herein mentioned partitioned, and thereafter conveyed the same by proper deed of conveyance to L. C. Koozts, who thereafter by proper deed of conveyance, conveyed the same to the plaintiff herein.

Plaintiff further shows that all of the heirs of said L. L. Medlin, deceased, joined as plaintiffs in said partition suit and have received their distributive share of the money arising from said sale and paid by the said C. C. Patten to the said commissioners, save and except the defendants, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, they at said time and now being non-residents and their whereabouts being unknown, their distributive share in said estate being held in the proper custody of said Commissioners ready to be paid over to them when they can be found.

Plaintiff further shows that the said C. C. Patten purchased said land in good faith and paid the full value therefor and was and is entitled to be vested with the legal title thereto as against all of said defendants and all of the heirs of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased, including the said Walter McKean and Hume McKean and plaintiff further shows that the said Patten in good faith conveyed the land herein mentioned to the said L. C. Koozts who likewise in good faith for a valuable consideration conveyed the same to this plaintiff. Plaintiff alleges that at the sale of the land by the Commissioners heretofore appointed by the District Court of Hansford County, Texas, that the said C. C. Patten paid full value for the same, and that each of the defendants, who were parties to said partition proceedings accepted their respective shares of the purchase price paid for the same, and that of the unpaid balance of the purchase price for said land, accruing to Isaac Medlin and his heirs after his death, that said heirs and defendants herein have received their distributive shares of said deferred payments which had been made since the death of said Isaac Medlin, all of which they and each of them have appropriated and still retain, and have at all times recognized the validity of said sale and conveyance.

Plaintiff further shows the defendants herein claim title to said land, or to claim that the title as against them did not pass to and become vested in the said C. C. Patten and thru him vested in this plaintiff. Plaintiff further shows that all the other defendants herein, save and except the two McKeans, having received their distributive share of the proceeds of said sale are thereby estopped in law to claim title to said land, or that good title to the same did not become vested in the said C. C. Patten and thru him become vested in this plaintiff.

Plaintiff further shows that by reason of the matters herein stated, good title passed to said C. C. Patten and thru him to this plaintiff as against the said defendants, Walter McKean and Hume McKean, all of said defendants claiming title to said land, if any as part of the heirs at law of the said L. L. Medlin, deceased.

Wherefore premises considered, plaintiff asks that the defendants herein be cited as the law directs to appear and answer herein; that upon the trial hereof the plaintiff be adjudged the title to said land as against all of said defendants and that the sale of said land by the said Commissioners to the said C. C. Patten and the sale by the said C. C. Patten to the said L. C. Koozts and the sale by the said L. C. Koozts to the plaintiff be in all things confirmed and that plaintiff be decreed the title and possession of said land as against all of said defendants and all persons claiming under them, or either of them since the common element of this suit, for costs and general relief.

Attorney for Plaintiff, Herein Fall Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Hansford this 16th day of October A. D. 1922.

KEESEE C. NESBITT, Clerk District Court, Hansford County.

# CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County—Greeting: You are commanded to summon G. W. Hodges whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of District Court of Hansford County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in Hansford, Texas, on the third Monday in November, 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on June 14th, 1922, in a suit numbered 258 on the docket thereof, wherein said G. W. Hodges is plaintiff and G. W. Hodges is defendant, the cause of action being as follows:

Plaintiff alleges that she and defendant were legally married in Dallas, Texas, on March 6th, 1905. That during all of the time that she lived with defendant he was kind and affectionate and she was devoted to her duties and obligations under her marriage vow, during the year 1912 began a course of unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment toward plaintiff, which continued until they finally separated in about the latter part of the year 1920. That defendant often cursed and abused plaintiff and applied to him the vilest and most opprobrious epithets without any cause of provocation whatever on his part, that on or about August 15th, 1921, at their home she cursed and

often cursed, abused and mistreated plaintiff. At one time at the Taylor home in Spearman during winter of 1921-22, he cursed and abused plaintiff, and struck her, pulled her such names as whore and bitch and accused her of staying out late and having improper relations with other men, which charges were false. The plaintiff was forced to work in a restaurant at night to make a living for herself and children. That his conduct has been such as to render their living together insupportable. She asks for the custody of her two girls, aged 10 and 12, respectively.

You are further commanded to so summon said defendant, and to serve 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 the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hansford County, Texas, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in Hansford, Texas, on the third Monday in November, 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 12th day of November, 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 247, wherein J. L. Wallin is plaintiff and Bezie Lee Wallin is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were legally married at Quanah, Texas, September 20th, 1907, plaintiff alleges that during all of the time that she lived with defendant he was kind and affectionate to her and always provided for her support and maintenance, but that from the year 1912 began a course of unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment toward plaintiff, which continued until they finally separated in about the latter part of the year 1920. That defendant often cursed and abused plaintiff and applied to him the vilest and most opprobrious epithets without any cause of provocation whatever on his part, that on or about August 15th, 1921, at their home she cursed and

abused plaintiff, and called him a son of a bitch, a low down son of a bitch, and a whore monger, and was guilty of such violent and outrageous conduct toward this plaintiff, that in order to get away from her persecuting and abusive he was forced to leave the house and went some distance away and was lying down near a shed or barn and she slipped upon him and threw a large rock, weighing several pounds, down on his back to his great pain. That at another time about the latter part of 1920 in the month of December, at their home in Kirkland, Texas, she quarreled and abused plaintiff violently and grabbed him around the neck and tried to choke him and called him names and accused him of going with another woman, which charges were false, and this was done in the presence of another man, a neighbor, that defendant used violent and abusive language toward this plaintiff and exhibited violent and outrageous conduct toward plaintiff not only once, but at many and various times. That in her conduct toward plaintiff she displayed a violent temper and an insane jealousy of plaintiff. That she would accuse plaintiff of committing adultery with other women in camp. That plaintiff further alleges that defendant was guilty of improper conduct toward other men, he shows that during the year 1917, she began keeping company with another man by the name of Virgil Hacker, who was a soldier in camp. That she corresponded with this man, and from some letters that were discovered she was engaged to this man, and had agreed to run off and leave this plaintiff and marry him. That she would give this man part of the money which plaintiff gave her to live on. Plaintiff further shows that at two different times during the year 1918, defendant entered suit against him for a divorce, but that she repented and begged him to take her back, which he consented to do, hoping that she would do better. Plaintiff shows that the marriage relation still exists between them. Plaintiff further shows that of this marriage there was born one child, a girl, now twelve years old, named Ruby Lois. That said child has been living with him for some time past, and that he was able and willing to properly educate and maintain her, but that said defendant is not a proper person to take care of said child, and that she is not able to properly do so and has shown no desire to take care of her. Wherefore he prays that he have the custody of said child, and that she be ordered to live with her husband and wife entirely inseparably.

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### Many Signs of a Hard, Cold, Long Winter

A hard winter is predicted by old timers of this region who foresee long cold spells in the wanderlust flight of jacksnaws, or Mexican crows, a black bird whose natural habit is the breaks and rough places.

It is time for the fall madness among birds; a time when many of the feathered tribe take to wing and with apparent abandon fly great distances heedless of danger, so authorities say. Fall madness is most prevalent among migratory birds, or birds whose ancestors were migratory in the ice field age. When the madness or wanderlust is most common, it is followed by the prediction of a cold winter.

Jacksnaws or Mexican crows are flying far and wide this fall. Their call can be heard from all sections of the sky, and they are so venturesome as to frequent the city limits. Old timers who have watched the sign foretell a hard winter with much snow.

The southward flight of ducks has been heavy in spite of the fact that no cold spells have reached this region yet. This is another sign of a cold winter, say those who are weather prophets.—Dalhart Texan.

### Car is Honey-Combed with Copper-Tanks Full of Rye Whiskey

What was undoubtedly the cleverest scheme for slipping contraband booze past officers yet unearthed in this county came to sudden grief about 10:30 Thursday night when Special Policeman Omer Baker arrested three men near the Fallwell Filling Station and confiscated a Buick Six and a Ford racer. When the Buick was examined it was found to be literally honey-combed with copper-tanks full of "good old rye", probably brought across from Old Mexico and destined for some distributing point further north. The tanks are of different sizes and irregular in shape, but the consensus of all figuring on their contents places the amount of poison they contain at 250 gallons.

The car was a mess for the curious all day Friday. The backs of both seats had been hollowed out and fitted with zinc linings in which the copper tanks slipped. Clever slits in the upholstery, under the folds of the leather, had been made, invisible unless you know how to find them. An inquisitive finger pushed through one of the slits would meet a nut which closed an opening into a copper tank. There were also cocks under the car for draining some of the tanks. Under each seat a huge copper tank was fitted to the brim and another was bolted to one running board, cleverly camouflaged so as to hide its real character. Seven copper tanks in all were taken from the car.

Mr. Baker made the arrest single-handed. One of the men, he states, was intoxicated, while another was exceedingly "hard boiled" when arrested and for a time threatened trouble. The three were locked up in the county jail after which Mr. Baker stored the cars and liquid refreshments in safe places.

The names of the parties and other details were not obtainable Friday, as the time had been too short to hold completed investigations. Mr. Baker said that he had been looking for this outfit and made the arrest when they struck the corporate limits of Hereford from information he had about them, although their car betrayed no evidence of their real business.

Crowds of people flocked about the Buick and the tanks all day Friday, marveling at the cleverness of the schemers who planned the car in order to distribute the unlawful contents.—Hereford Brand.

### OCTOBER

Wild grapes are purple, ripe for the gathering of those who love their woodland tang; hazel nut burrs are opening; the scarlet berries of bittersweet adorn fences along roads not too accessible to motor cars; golden rod spikes are turned to white feathery plumes; asters from pale lavender to royal purple fringe the wayside, and the trees turn to a score of lovely shades. The question of the driver is not now whether it is cool enough, but whether it is warm enough. The sun drops earlier and with its setting comes an evening chill.

Those who have loved the summer give a sigh as they see her strike her colors ready to depart. Those who have drooped under the heat breathe a sigh of relief. Youth turns from thoughts of jolly days outdoors to thoughts of merry days indoors and is eager for the future. Yet, could we halt the flying season on one of the bright golden days, we should perhaps please more than at any other time of year. For no days in themselves are lovelier, none more free from strain of heat or cold. To give a ripe beauty to nature and a fresh zest to human spirits is the peculiar grace of October.—Milwaukee Journal.

**DR. E. L. MAXWELL**  
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be at my offices in Spearman on October 27 and 28. Parties desiring work done in this line, may arrange with me.  
**Joseph C. Jones, M. D.**

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### NOTICE OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, that an election be held on the 21st day of November, 1922, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Spearman, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the said City of Spearman in the sum of FORTY-THREE THOUSAND (\$43,000.00) DOLLARS, payable serially, or otherwise, not exceeding forty years from their date, bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of the construction of water works in the City of Spearman as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S. 1911, and Chapter 9, General Laws of the State of Texas passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature at the regular session 1921 and the constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the office of McLain & McLain in the City of Spearman, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit: C. W. King, Presiding Officer; P. A. Lyon, Judge; F. C. Sumrall, Clerk and M. L. McLain, Clerk.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S. 1911, and Chapter 9, General Laws of the State of Texas passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature at the regular session 1921 and the constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of the said city, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS." And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the state regulating General Elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Spearman, attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at the City Hall and at one public place at each of the voting places of the city of Spearman for at least thirty (30) full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city and which notice shall be published once each week for four weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of the election.

H. E. JAMES,  
Mayor, City of Spearman, Texas.  
ATTEST:—R. L. McCLELLAN,  
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City Secretary.

### The State of Texas:

To the Sheriff, or Any Constable of Hansford County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon O. M. Stubben to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hansford County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof in the town of Hansford, on the third Monday in November, 1922, being the 20th day of November A. D., 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court on the 25 day of October A. D., 1922, in a suit numbered 264 on the docket thereof; wherein Security State Bank of Beresford S. Dakota, is plaintiff and O. M. Stubben is defendant, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Plaintiff alleges that it is a State Banking Corporation, organized and existing under the laws of South Dakota, and the defendant is a nonresident of the State of Texas. That on or about February 8th, 1918, defendant made, executed and delivered to plaintiff his one certain vendors lien note for the principal sum of \$1,430.00, said note dated Feb. 8, 1918, due one year after date, bearing interest at eight per cent per annum, and if interest not paid when due to bear same rate as principal, said note executed by O. M. Stubben, payable to Security State Bank, said note reciting that to secure the payment thereof, a vendor's lien was retained on the North one-half of Section 155, Block 2, Certificate 33-480, G. H. & H. Ry. Co. survey of lands, in Hansford County, Texas. Said note also providing for the payment of ten per-

cent additional as attorneys fees if placed in the hands of an attorney or sued upon. Plaintiff alleges that said note in past due and unpaid said amount on November 8, 1922, to Two Thousand Two Hundred Eight and 49-100 Dollars. That plaintiff has been forced to employ an attorney to collect said note and has employed C. D. Works to bring suit on same. Wherefore said attorneys fees have become due and payable. Wherefore, plaintiff prays for judgment for its debt and a foreclosure of its lien upon the above described land, for an order of sale, costs of suit and relief general and special in law and equity.

You are further commanded to so summon defendant by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county; but if there be no newspaper published there, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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

Witness Keesee C. Nesbitt, Clerk of the District Court of Hansford County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court in the town of Hansford, this the 25 day of October A. D., 1922.

KEESEEE C. NESBITT,  
Clerk of District Court of Hansford County, Texas.

C. E. Eaton, representing the Western Newspaper Union of Wichita, was here Tuesday morning to see the Reporter. We have been delayed in many ways in our new equipment and building and will be compelled to impose on the Liberal News for several more weeks, but everything is coming along fine and so far as we can see, we will be doing our own printing in Spearman by the middle of November.

Cheapest place in town to buy lard, Star Meat Market. 291f

Druggist Hillhouse made a business trip to Dalhart the past week.

Leather vests, Flannel Shirts, Sweaters, Mole Skin Pants, and many other things you will need for fall and winter.

How about that Gossard corset? You don't know what you are missing if you have not worn the Gossard front lacing corset.

Let us figure with you on your winter's supply of groceries.

## W. L. Russell

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES

Phone 78

SPEARMAN

## Auction Sale

### Of Registered Hogs

I will sell at public auction on the streets of Spearman,

### Saturday November 4th

Beginning at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

### THREE MARCH GILTS THREE MARCH BOARS

These pigs were sired by "Kalvin" Grand Champion Duroc Jersey boar at the Hansford County Fair. Don't miss this opportunity to get into the registered hog business.

## W. A. Sutton

SPEARMAN, TEXAS

J. C. JONES, M. D.  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office at Hillhouse Drug Company, Spearman, Texas.  
Office, 8; Residence, 9

ROBT. F. HARP, B. S., M. D.  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office across the street from postoffice, Perryton, Texas.

DR. S. A. BRALEY  
Dentist  
Office at Hillhouse Drug Company, Spearman, Texas.

FRED HILL  
Attorney-At-Law  
Spearman, Texas

C. D. WORKS  
Lawyer  
Abstracts, Loans, Insurance, Spearman, Texas.

H. T. CORRELL  
Lawyer  
Perryton, Texas

DR. JARVIS  
Dentist  
Perryton, Texas

Walter R. Allen  
ALLEN & ALLEN  
Lawyers  
Perryton, Texas

WALLACE G. HUGHES  
Lawyer  
Suites 2 and 3 First National Bank Building, Guyton, Oklahoma.

DR. J. C. MAY  
Physician and Surgeon  
Perryton, Texas. Phone connections.

Frank M. Tarum  
FATUM & STRONG  
Attorneys-At-Law  
Dalhart, Texas

G. R. WILSON  
Funeral Director and Embalmer  
Full line Caskets and Robes, Prompt Service, Phone 58, Perryton, Texas.

### TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GUS B. COOTS,  
36152\* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers.

Positively no hunting allowed.  
W. T. COBLE,  
Owner of the Turkey Track Ranch.

### NO TRESPASSING

The public will please take notice that I will not allow hunting or fishing in my pasture on the Palo Duro, west of Spearman. Please observe this notice and avoid trouble. 20116p Mrs. J. W. JONES.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pasture, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.

JAMES H. CATOR & SON

### HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE

Hunting will not be allowed in the VZ pasture, on the Palo Duro. Hunters will please take notice and avoid trouble, as I will positively prosecute all such as trespassers.

RUTLEDGE HENDERSON,  
Manager

S. C. TYLER, Owner.

### TO TRESPASSING

Trespassing will not be allowed on the Simmons ranch on the Palo Duro. Fishing and hunting is positively forbidden.

SAM ARCHER, Owner.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hutchinson County

Subject to will of the voters at the election in November.

For County Judge  
W. R. GOODWIN  
H. W. PITTS

For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
A. L. TERRY  
JOE OWNBEY

For Tax Assessor  
S. B. LASATER  
TOM HARALSON

For County Treasurer  
S. M. HEDGECOCKE  
For County and District Clerk  
M. E. McCORMICK

Allison Gas Well is Center of Attention

A steady flow of wet gas continues at the Allison test five miles north of this city. The flow is estimated at about 2,000,000 feet, however, as mentioned last week the gas sand was only scratched when the drill was stopped until preparations could be made to make the well safe for further operations. This gas sand was struck on Saturday night, October 7, almost two weeks ago, and the gas can still be seen boiling out of the well in the same quantity.

The past week has been spent in securing casing, the last load of which arrived from Amarillo Thursday and Mr. Allison, manager of the company, states that preparations are being made to start running the casing Monday. Only a few days will be required for the work after which the boiler will be moved further from the well and drilling operations resumed.

Leases continue to change hands and many out siders have become interested in the project since the strike. Many people have visited the well and those familiar with the situation are all of the same opinion, that the bit is now at the good of production. Indications are short for a real strike in a very short distance and everybody in this section is watching the outcome of this well with much interest.—Tehoma Times.

Spring wagon wanted. See write or phone R. P. Kuhn, Spearman, Texas. 4413