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Yard and Garden Contest Is Sponsored By Home Dem. Agent

A rural family in Lamb county has been invited to enter the Yard and Garden contest sponsored by the Home Demonstration agent, Miss Ruby Burn, who states there will be no fees. The contest is so arranged that each contestant will have the same opportunity regardless of the size of yard or garden. It is designed primarily to improve and beautify the farm home in Lamb County and to promote more adequate and abundant production of fresh and canned vegetables for the family the year round, said Miss Burn. Improving and beautifying the yard through proper planting and use of shrubbery, trees and flowers will increase the actual value of the farmstead and increase materially. There is a cash value in a good vegetable garden, she said. It means protection and health from many ills which money can not prevent. The Yard and Garden contest is in co-operation with the National Farm Bureau federation offering an award of merit for the best yards and gardens in the county. A specimen of such an award may be seen at the office of the Home Demonstrator in Amherst. Those interested in either the yard and garden improvement contest are invited to discuss their plans with Miss Burn.

AGGIES WILL ATTEND LUBBOCK MEET, MARCH 24TH

Teams of the Vocational Agriculture class, Littlefield High school will attend the Lubbock, March 24 for the annual judging contest, at the Technological College, according to A. A. Box, director of Vocational Agriculture work here. Judging contests are that they will be held at Lubbock and the Littlefield school has the reputation of carrying off the honors in previous years.

The largest crowd of vocational agriculture students that ever gathered in Texas is expected to attend the contest.

High schools in West Texas, west of an imaginary line from Del Rio to Denison, have been invited and correspondents that have been received indicates that a large attendance will be held.

J. Mowery, of Lubbock, member of the faculty of the school of agriculture has charge of the contest all year.

Prizes will enter for competition in sheep, dairy judging, live stock and poultry judging and plant production.

Cups will be awarded to the teams by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, Myrick Hardware Store, and the Standard Milling Company, and a number of tool manufacturing concerns are awarding prizes in the farm shop contest.

WILKINS TO SPRING LAKE

C. A. Wilkins, principal of Littlefield High school, was last Saturday selected as superintendent of Spring Lake schools, succeeding J. G. Clift, resigned on account of his candidacy for County Superintendent of schools in Lamb County.

Princess to Wed?



She, only child of the Queen of Bavaria, has gone with her mother to Bavaria to meet the German Emperor and his wife, the Princess Erblich-Shoenberg, who may marry.

Prospects Indicate Fast Baseball Club for Lfd. During Coming Season

The smack of the bat on horse hide will soon usher in the new 1930 season for local baseball fans, according to Arthur Mueller.

With the most of last season's players on hand and an unlimited number of new prospects seeking to make the team, also a goodly number of loyal supporters anxious to hear the Umphrey cry, "Play Ball,"—these are just a few of the reasons that bid fair for a successful baseball team in Littlefield this season.

Weather permitting, all those wishing to get in line with the locals are asked to appear at the ball park next Sunday afternoon for the first workout of the year. If possible, plans for the completion of the organization will be taken up at that time.

Those who will be counted as regular material for this year's team will be: P. S. Hanks, Newty Moore, Lefty McWilliams, Fly Thornton, Shorty Ballard, Mick Ratliff, Dick Ratliff, Alvin and Arthur Mueller. Out of the list of new faces will be Hershell Johnson, who has had several years of professional experience; Jim Etter, rangy first sacker, with a number of years in fast amateur organizations; Walter Evans, a right handed pitcher who has been highly recommended by neighboring towns; Buzz Phillips, an out-fielder who will endeavor to break in as a star performer.

With weather conditions being unfavorable for the month of March as a rule, it will likely be April before playing will start in earnest, said Mueller.

STOCK FEEDING PAYS BIG HERE SAYS A. & M. MAN

That the South Plains country is becoming widely noted as a feeding section, is the statement made last week by A. L. Smith, beef specialist of the Extension Department, A. & M. college.

Mr. Smith states that approximately 40,000 cattle and 60,000 sheep are being fed and fattened this winter in this section of the state.

Such feeding methods means increased profits all the way around, said Smith. It is cheaper for the feeder to bring his stock to the feed than to ship the feed to the stock, and the farmer, also, gets more for his feed where he can sell it at home.

Smith stated that stock feeding would doubtless become one of the future big lines of this section.

\$3,700 WORTH OF GOODS SOLD AT AUCTION SAT.

The community auction sale conducted here last Saturday by Auctioneer M. L. Lynn was the most largely attended of any sales of this kind during the winter months, approximately \$3,700 worth of stuff exchanging hands under the hammer. 90 per cent of which was livestock, farming implements, household goods, etc., belonging to farmers of this section.

Mr. Lynn states that the last five sales prior to this one have averaged around \$3,000 each. During the past year Lynn has conducted 68 different farm auction sales, which is indicative of his popularity and success as an auctioneer.

MANY ENQUIRIES FOR FARMS WANTED ON SOUTH PLAINS

The South Plains Inc., Lubbock, continues to receive numerous inquiries from folks who are interested in securing homes on the South Plains according to information given out this week by A. B. Davis, secretary of the organization.

To date 8,097 inquiries have been received regarding this particular section. During the past months hundreds of families have been located in this territory and many new ones are contemplating such location.

GETS MAN IN CALIFORNIA

Jack Adams is securing free board at the county bastille, Olton, as the result of a trip made last week by Sheriff Len Irwin to El Centro, in the Imperial Valley of California. Len says he trailed him through several northern states before locating him in Southern California.

Adams is charged with possessing a still, and the manufacturing and transportation of liquor, according to Irwin.



T. L. (Tom) Matthews Is Candidate for Tax Collector, Lamb Co.

In announcing my candidacy for Tax Collector of Lamb County, I am doing so with the information and belief that this office will be created immediately upon official returns of the 1930 United States Census which will be taken in April.

If this office is not created before the July primary it is my firm belief that it will before the general election in November. In the latter case my name can be written on the ticket by the voters.

I was born in Polk County Texas, where I remained on a farm the major portion of 23 years, or until 1917. In July of that year I entered the service of the United States Army. I served 21 months in the army; saw over sea service in the World War; was in three of the major battles, they being as follows: St. Mihiel, Blanc Mont Ridge, and Meus Argonne. In the last mentioned I received a gun shot wound in my left arm.

After returning from army service I worked one year in Houston, Texas as auto mechanic.

Since January, 1921, I have made my home in Littlefield, following the trades of auto mechanic and oil sales. During the past six years I have traversed one-half the county many times, therein making the acquaintance of many citizens.

This being my first time to seek a public office, I shall earnestly solicit your influence and support.

If I am elected to the office to which I aspire, the favor will be more than appreciated, and I promise faithful service to all alike.

—T. L. (TOM) MATTHEWS

CITY HALL SAFE ROBBED

Notwithstanding the big iron box in the City hall was safely and correctly locked when City Secretary W. G. Street opened it Saturday morning there was exactly \$65.59 missing from the inner vault.

A little investigating on the part of Officer L. A. Ratliff, and a negro giving the name of J. G. Johnson was brought into the city hall, and said to have confessed fingering the combination, extracting the money and again locking the door, the job having been pulled off late Friday evening.

Johnson is alleged to have been "lordly drunk" the night before, and a little investigating revealed the stolen money had been divided among several of the accused's lady friends, and was later recovered.

Johnson was turned over to the Sheriff's department for free board at the county bastille pending action of the grand jury.

ADVERTISE

(From the American Bankers Magazine)

No business in any town should allow an issue of a newspaper to be published in his town without his name and business being mentioned in its columns.

This applies to all kinds of business and professional men. It does not mean that you should have a whole, half or even a quarter page ad in each issue of the paper, but your name should be mentioned (and in large enough space to indicate that your business is a going concern).

"A stranger picking up a newspaper should be able to tell what businesses are represented in the town by looking at the town paper. This is the best possible town advertisement."

"The man who does not advertise his business does an injustice to himself and the town. The life of a town depends upon the live, wide awake and liberal advertising business men."

George W. Hargrove Out For the Office of County Treasurer Lamb County

In this issue of the Leader authority is given to announce George W. Hargrove, this city, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the voters as expressed in the coming Democratic primary election.

Mr. Hargrove is one of the oldest settlers of Littlefield, coming here in the spring of 1913, just following the surveying of this townsite, and has been a resident here every since.

For 10 years, or from 1917 to 1927, he was local manager for the Magnolia Petroleum Company. He is a native Texan and owns his own home in Littlefield.

Mr. Hargrove states that he feels well qualified to efficiently handle the duties of the office to which he aspires, and will greatly appreciate the favorable consideration of the voters throughout Lamb county. He has a large circle of friends who have confidence in his integrity and who will be glad to lend him their support.

300 RY. WORKMEN HERE

Work on rebalancing the Santa Fe railroad track between Clovis, N. M. and Slaton is now underway.

An estimate of 300 workmen will arrive in Littlefield this week to begin rebalancing work out of here. A track is being laid this week east of the station on which to locate the dwelling cars of the workmen.

Charles Clements For Re-election as Judge Of the 64th District

The Leader this week announces Judge Charles Clements, as a candidate for re-election as District Judge of the 64th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Judge Clements is serving his first term as District Judge, and is making the District a good officer. He has been fair, just and impartial in all of his rulings, and his record speaks for itself. He believes in trying the cases without delay, and has the Dockets of the District in good shape. He has tried and disposed of many cases, and nearly all of his cases have been approved by the Higher courts. His consideration and kindness to the Bar, has been highly regarded and appreciated. Judge Clements stands for the enforcement of the law, and his charges to the Grand Juries, and lectures to young men brought before him, have been encouraging, inspiring and helpful. He is well known in Lamb County, and liked by all who know him, and his many friends will be glad to support him for re-election to a second term. The Judge says he will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

CAR OVERTURNED AT DAM IS STRIPPED OF CASINGS

Saturday night while crossing Bull dam, 14 miles southwest of Littlefield the car in which Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Lett were riding turned over at about 20 feet from the north end of the dam.

The occupants escaped uninjured, and practically no damage was done to the car, however, the car was left at the place of the accident over night and was stripped of two casings, one a U. S. Royal cord and the other a Firestone, a pump, jack and other articles.

The accident was said to be due to the fact that the lights had burned out on the Lowe car, which was following close behind another, using its lights and a large rock in the rut caused it to turn over.

SPRING LAKE WANTS RY.

That a group of Santa Fe officials were in Spring Lake community last week meeting with a committee of that place relative to data on a railroad line out of Hale Center, is the information given out last Saturday. It is estimated that the average freight from that point will run 20 cars per month.

This proposed line will also run through Olton, in the northeast corner of the county.

Eastern Star Organize Study Club; Officers Are Named for the Year

The Order of the Eastern Star, met in the home of Mrs. E. A. Bills Friday afternoon, Feb. 28th, to organize a Study club. Mrs. H. W. Wiseman the Worthy Matron was in the chair, and gave many objects of study.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. S. J. Farquhar, president; Mrs. E. S. Rowe, vice-president; Mrs. R. E. McCaskill, secretary; Mrs. W. T. Jones, treasurer; Mrs. J. W. Hopping, reporter.

The chair appointed the following committees: For Board of Counselors: Mrs. Pat Boone, worthy patron; Mrs. H. W. Wiseman, worthy matron; Miss Lula Hubbard, associate matron; Mrs. E. A. Bills.

For Program Committee: Mrs. J. M. Stokes; Mrs. T. Wade Potter; Mrs. E. S. Rowe; Mrs. Pat Boone and Miss Lula Hubbard.

For By-laws and Constitution: Mrs. A. H. McGavock, Mrs. T. P. Wright, Mrs. Jake Hopping, Mrs. T. S. Sales and Mrs. J. R. Coen.

For Ways and Means: Mrs. R. E. McCaskill, Miss Bartlett, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Boles.

After the business session a social hour was enjoyed and the hostess served lovely refreshments of sherbet and angle food cake to the following ladies: Mesdames Gardner, Hazel, E. M. Davis, Harry Wiseman, S. J. Farquhar, E. S. Rowe, J. R. Coen, R. E. McCaskill, W. T. Jones, E. A. Bills, J. W. Hopping, Miss Addie Hammons, and the hostess, Miss Lula Hubbard.

The next meeting of the study club will be held Friday evening, March 23rd, in the home of Mrs. E. S. Raws, with Mrs. Farquhar and Mrs. Rowe as hostesses. Every Eastern Star is urged to attend these meetings. They will not only help you as an individual, but will help the lodge as a whole.—Reporter.

Lfd. Citizens Have Thrill When Airplane Lands In Nose-dive Here Saturday

A near serious accident occurred Saturday afternoon when A. C. Chesher, formerly of Littlefield, but who now resides in Hobbs, N. M., took three of his friends for a spin in his new Lockheed, five passenger plane.

The fact that the pilot, a man by the name of Mitchell, was not accustomed to a plane of such high speed found it difficult to land and upon making the second attempt, then circling over the city again, he made an effort to land again. The plane came to the ground in a nose dive, resulting in no injury to the passengers but a wheel, the right wing and propeller were bent on the plane.

The plane was taken to Dallas Monday for repairs.

Occupants of the plane besides Chesher and the pilot were: R. E. McCaskill, Dick Johnson and Travis Jones.

The plane was purchased by A. C. Chesher and Dr. Conner of Hobbs, N. M., for the purpose of taking prospectors from Dallas to Hobbs, N. M., where they are engaged in the real estate business, it was reported.

Automobile speeding is not altogether unknown in Lamb county. Unless it is closely checked we will be furnishing our share of the dead.

Fighting Broadcaster



W. K. Henderson, who runs Station KWKH at Shreveport, La. and says what he thinks about chain stores and other things has promised the Radio Commission to cut out profanity and blasphemy.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The following program will be rendered by the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Tabernacle Baptist Church Sunday evening:

Topic: "The Popularity of the Bible."

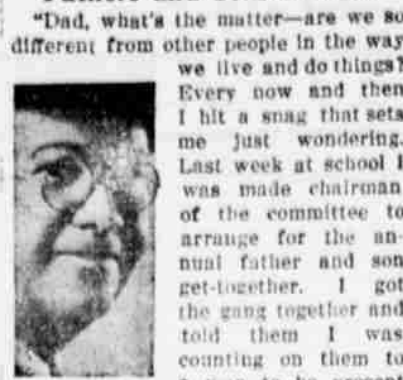
Introduction, Clydie Kemp.
"Conquest over its Critics, Lonzo James."

"More Popular Than Other Sacred Books", Florence Hendrix.

"Bible Supreme in Popularity", Jessie Opal Busher.
"Increasing Popularity of the Bible", R. L. Henson.
"Other Evidences of Popularity", Merle Atkinson.
"Basis of Bible's Popularity," O-dell Crow.
Conclusion, Bible reader.
The meeting begins at 6:30 o'clock and all young people who do not attend meetings elsewhere, are cordially invited to come and be with us each Sunday evening.—Reporter.

TAKE IT FROM DAD By Frank H. Cheley

Fathers and Sons as Pals



"Dad, what's the matter—are we so different from other people in the way we live and do things? Every now and then I hit a snag that sets me just wondering. Last week at school I was made chairman of the committee to arrange for the annual father and son get-together. I got the gang together and told them I was counting on them to a man to be present and they just laughed at me and razed me terribly and told me I might become cheer leader but that if I thought that I could drag them out to a dad's party I was plumb goofie. Why more than half of that bunch don't want a father and son banquet. They talk about the 'Old Gent,' the 'Governor,' and the 'Boss'—why I never think of you that way at all. We had an awfully good time last year and the year before and last Saturday the guys made all sorts of fun of me because I said I'd rather go to the football game with you than with the gang. Jimmy Craig said, 'Why do you want to always be dragging him around for, aren't you ever going to grow up? Now why is it, Dad, that some fathers and sons pal together and others do not?'"

"I've thought of that very thing myself, Bob, a very great deal, long before you did, kid. Did it ever occur to you that the fine understanding, congenial friendship which we enjoy and have these many years didn't just happen?"

"Why no, Dad, what do you mean?"

"Why, I mean, my boy, that sympathy and understanding between folks, that mutual regard of one person for another, even of father for son or son for father never just happens. It has to grow and develop and be carefully cultivated. Fine fellowship between folks is the result of constantly doing things together. Why do you especially like Henry and Chub? Why because you are constantly doing interesting things together. If Henry and Chub just came here week in and week out and sat around you'd soon get tired of one another or even irritable with one another."

"It is a strange and pathetic thing, Bob, that so few fathers, wise and capable in their business and professions, have never discovered that simple fact. There are thousands of dads who while they provide food and clothes and home and school and cash for growing boys, never know them as we know each other because they never do anything together except criticize each other."

"All these years that you have been growing along I've planned things for us to do together Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. We've grown up together in a natural way. I have come to understand and appreciate you and have great dreams for you. You have never been afraid of me; have had confidence in my judgment and have played ball with me in our plans for home and Mother in a way which brings me very great personal satisfaction and, Son, it is because there is no false modesty between us that we have always been able to talk things over freely and frankly."

"I hope with all my heart that nothing will ever happen to destroy that fine fellowship. In no way at all have I sought to dominate you or make your decisions for you. Always have I given you all the liberty you could stand, and sometimes more, in my efforts to have you become a self-propelled individual. It tickles me to death to see you step into responsibility and know that you are ambitious to do something and be something beyond the ordinary, and beyond what your Dad has been able to accomplish."

"Bob, every real dad who is working at the dad business is eager and anxious to be a pal to his boy. Many times he does not know how and many times the son makes it doubly difficult. The dad of one of your pals told me only the other day that he constantly had to deal with his son 'with gloves on,' he was so touchy. Thank goodness we get on as man to man. I'm sure you need my older judgment and encouragement and expectancy and I know I need your pep and enthusiasm and boundless energy."

"It's mighty difficult in the modern mad race for money and things to take time to live a bit with our children. We haven't got as much worldly goods as some of our neighbors; our car is of a more modest make and we don't 'belong' as much as some we know, but, boy, we have each other in mutual regard and all the money in the city couldn't buy that from either of us. Let's keep on doing things together."

"Boy, I want to make that Canadian canoe trip with you. I want to hunt a little big game in Alaska with you. I want to take some extension courses while you are in college. I want to help you build that first home of yours. Yes, Bob, I want to help you raise a son that will bring you as much joy as you have brought me. So, let's shake again. That's it! What do we care what the gang says when is this Father and Son banquet to be? I believe I could almost make a speech?"

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Sky Buds Bronchos



Miss Grace Runyon of Cheyenne, Wyo., who has been acclaimed the world's champion woman rough rider.

400 ATTEND BABY BEEF SHOW HELD AT AMHERST TUES.

There were more than 400 interested attendants at the first annual Baby Beef show held at Amherst Tuesday afternoon, which it is declared is the first of a series of such annual events according to County agent D. A. Adam.

Fourteen 4-H club boys of the county brought in 2 head of baby beefs they had been feeding the past winter for exhibition, and after judging they were shipped to the stock market in Fort Worth for sale.

County Agent McGee, from Leveland did the judging, and in his opinion the Lamb County lads had a very fine group of baby beefs.

Records on the calves show that the feed given these calves netted the boys from \$30.00 to \$45.00 per ton, and would have brought only \$15.00 to \$20.00 per ton on the open market.

Only a part of the winners are available at this time, as follows:

- First, Dow Hester, Fieldton, also grand champion of the show.
- Second, Edwin Holland, Fieldton.
- Third and fifth, T. W. Chapman, Fieldton.

Fourth, Weldon Shaffer, Sudan. Dow Hester won a free trip to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, a \$15.00 individual prize given by Ewing Halsell, Amherst, and a five dollar first prize given by the bank he does business with which was the First National Bank, Amherst.

Edwin Holland won \$5.00 for second place, \$10.00 individual prize given by Ewing Halsell, and a \$5.00 prize given by the bank he does business with, which was the First National Bank, Littlefield.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Our new auditorium is nearing completion. The inside is a dream of simplicity, beauty and sacredness, and the evangelistic fires are burning, last Sunday being a never-to-be-forgotten day. Several came forward to join the

marching army of the Tabernacle Baptist Church.

Next Sunday the morning service theme for the 11:00 o'clock service will be "Eye, Ear and Mind Trouble" at 10 p. m. the subject will be "The Kingdom in Heaven." A happy welcome awaits you. —ROY A. KEMP, Pastor.

REV. KEMP RECEIVES GIFT FROM RIO GRANDE VALLEY

Rev. Roy A. Kemp, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church, is in receipt of a large box of grape tangerines and oranges, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mueller, of Littlefield, Texas, in the Rio Grande Valley. The fruit was raised on Mr. Mueller's farm and pulled fresh from trees before shipment.

A letter from the Muellers to Rev. Kemp says: "Mother and Father Mueller may see Littlefield again."

TREES! TREES!

We now have a Nursery Yard located between the City Water Tower and the Public School Buildings.

We have all kinds of Trees, Berries, Grapes, etc., for delivery, in excellent condition. Come, pick out your Trees now, it is time to plant them!

We are closing this yard out at a discount. If in the market for Trees, come at once!

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Married Seventy Years



William Mitchell of Elizabeth, N. J., and his wife, who celebrated the anniversary of their marriage on Mr. Mitchell's 92nd birthday.

O. McIntyre tells of a publicity tonight. If you can use my name in who got more that he bargain- a gag I will appreciate it." The comedian complied by reading the tele- gram from the stage.

Little Brown House in the Lane

'Twas a little brown house in the lane
It was ever, oh ever so small.
'Twas a darling neat home just the
same,
For a couple who married one fall.

'Twas upon the veranda the balsam
did grow,
In the windows were flowers in
pots.
By the old wooden gate the verbinas
did show.
In the yard were the roses and
phlox.

At the back o'f the house stood an old
fashioned well,
That was known to all travelers both
far and near
'Twas the old oaken bucket that hung
in the well
That had furnished the couple for
years.

At the close of day 'twas a scene to
behold,
When the chores of the day had been
done;
The old couple told stories of old

To the children who thought it
great fun.

—Marie Knowles.
—Taken from the Wildcat.

GIVE THE BOYS AND GIRLS A CHANCE

The police reports show a large
number of arrests of young people
under twenty-five years of age. In
nearly all of these instances the
young people got into trouble
through trying to have a good time.

"There isn't anything a boy or girl
has a better right to than a good
time. To have a good time or to try
for it is as natural as to be hungry
for food and to try to get it.

But we all know, that it is not easy
for a good many boys and girls, or
young men and women even, to get
a good time in Chicago, or any other
city. There are many places that
seem to offer a chance for a good
time that are not the sort of place
that young people who want to keep
straight and clean want to enter. It
is the business of the city to shut up
such places.

But that is less than half the duty
of the city. What every city needs

is more places of clean entertainment
can have a good time. And this
ought to be the kind of good time
that young people like, not the kind
some older people think they should
like. There should be plenty of
places, well run, to dance in, play
games in, get together in.

We could do nothing better worth
while than to give the children and
young folks opportunities for having
a good time in the right way." This
discourse taken from the Chicago
Tribune certainly hits the nail on
the head! Give the boys and girls a
chance.

—Taken from the Wildcat.

BULLETS BOUNCE OFF HEAD

Warsaw, Mo.—H. A. Beyer, 80 a
farmer, fired five shots from a pistol
at his head. Four bounced off and one
entered the scalp. It was taken out by
a doctor who found it had flattened
to the size of a 25-cents piece.

FLEET ASSEMBLES

Quantanamo, Cuba. —About 136
units of the Atlantic and Pacific divi-
sions of the United States Navy have
arrived to participate in annual win-
ter manoeuvres and target practice.

FARM STOCK

SCRUB BULL IS CAUSE OF LOSS

The loss to the farmers through the
use of scrub sires is enormous. Here
is one instance. In 1918 two bull
calves were born on adjoining farms;
both were from good grade cows. One
was from a pure bred bull with a long
line of pure bred ancestors; the other
calf was from a line of scrub sires.
These calves grew up on adjoining
farms, the one as a choice steer, the
other as a scrub bull. When two
years old they were both sent to the
stockyard. The scrub weighed 900
pounds and sold at 7 cents; it dressed
48 per cent and brought \$63.00. The
pure bred weighed 1,200 pounds and
sold at 17c; it dressed 61 per cent
and brought \$204.00, a difference of
\$141.00. With a breeding cost of
\$5.00, it left an increased profit of
\$136.00. Surely this investment of
\$5.00 was well worth while, and in-
dicates why the scrub bull should be
banished.

The above is only one instance of
the value of a pure bred sire. In
August, 1925, the Ontario Agricultural
college at Guelph published the record
of an experiment in the feeding of six
steers, three from scrub bulls. They
were all put on the same rations for
two winters and one summer. The
pure bred showed a profit of \$14.70.
The scrub stock showed a loss of
\$22.70, a difference of \$37.40. This
corresponds with the work done by an
Ontario farmer, who made \$26.00 per
steer more from those sired by a pure
bred than those sired by a grade bull.

A Manitoba farmer had two grade
cows of similar type and breeding;
one was bred to a pure bred sire
through a bull loaning club. The other
was bred by a scrub bull which was
running at large and got into the
herd. Both calves were developed as
steers and had the same chances to
put on flesh. They were sold in April,
1926, the one sired by the scrub bull
showing a loss of 85 cents, whereas
the one from the pure bred sire
showed a profit of \$19.00. This is con-
clusive evidence that good breeding
pays.

Linseed, Alfalfa Meal
Good Corn Supplements

Tankage and skim milk are highly
efficient protein supplements to corn
for hogs, points out Grady Sellards,
an extension field agent for the Ken-
tucky College of Agriculture.

"Unfortunately," he continues, "the
production of these two good supple-
ments is insufficient to balance all the
corn fed to hogs, necessitating the use
of other supplementary feeds.

"Although tests show that protein
supplements from animal sources are
more efficient than those from vege-
table sources, it has been found that
combinations of animal and vegetable
supplements are more effective than
either type used singly.

"Of the best of these combinations
is found tankage, 50 parts; linseed oil-
meal, 25 parts, and alfalfa meal, 25
parts, all by weight.

"Alfalfa meal is not necessary when
hogs are running on good pasture.
Some hog men use the following pro-
portions: Tankage, 50 parts; linseed
oilmeal, 25 parts, and alfalfa meal,
15 parts.

"Alfalfa hay may be used instead of
alfalfa meal. In practically all tests
the two have given equally good re-
sults. In the event alfalfa hay is not
available, clover or soy-bean hay may
be used."

Use of Alfalfa Hay as
Supplement in Winter

The use of a mixture of 50 pounds
of tankage, 25 pounds oilmeal and 25
pounds of chopped alfalfa hay as a
supplement for yellow corn in winter
rations has been advocated for some
time. Recently trials at South Dakota
have proved that high quality whole
hay gives almost as good results as
the chopped hay if the pigs can be in-
duced to consume enough of the uncut
feed. These results have caused hun-
dreds of Northwest farmers to adopt
alfalfa as a means of improving the
standard corn-tankage ration.

Data from the trials at the South
Dakota station show that pigs fed a
ration of corn and tankage made an
average daily gain of 1.32 pounds.
When chopped alfalfa hay and linseed
meal were fed with the corn and tank-
age the average daily gain was 1.54
pounds. More significant than this,
however, is a saving of 16 pounds of
feed for each 100 pounds of gain in
the pigs fed the ration containing
chopped alfalfa hay and the fact that
there was a difference of 17 days in
favor of the alfalfa fed pigs in reach-
ing a weight of 200 pounds.

Feeding Iodized Salt

It is probably not necessary to feed
iodized salt throughout the whole
year, but if fed to pregnant sows pro-
tection against hairless pigs will be
secured. Pregnant cows should also
have iodized salt; in this case the use
of the salt should begin something
like ninety days before calving time.
Salt can be added to the grains, or
concentrates, at the rate of 1 pound
of salt to 100 pounds of concentrates.
If additional common salt is needed
give the animals an extra supply.

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General Motors' Lowest-Priced Eight . . .
. . . the Car with Superior Performance

Today a new eight-cylinder motor car makes
its appearance. It is the newest General
Motors eight and by several hundreds of
dollars the lowest in price. It is the New
Oakland Eight with smart new bodies by
Fisher.

Superior Performance

The New Oakland Eight develops 65 horse-
power and is the first stock car of its size and
weight to employ an engine of such high
power. Since performance depends largely
on the ratio between horsepower and
weight, the New Oakland Eight is exception-
ally fast and powerful because it produces

one horsepower to 37 pounds of car weight.

Eight-Cylinder Smoothness

The New Oakland Eight has all the smooth-
ness which results from the overlapping
power impulses inherent in eight-cylinder
engine design. In addition, it enjoys exclusive
mechanical advantages which make it even
smoother and more delightful to drive.

Sound Basic Design

Several of the engineers who participated
in creating General Motors' first eight back
in 1914 were responsible for the develop-

ment of the New Oakland Eight. To this latest
task they brought a wide knowledge of
eight-cylinder design. It is reasonable to
expect that the Oakland is a finer eight
because of this fact.

Moderate Price

We believe the New Oakland Eight will
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consider its very moderate price. And a
demonstration will reveal how well it merits
the description "the car with superior per-
formance."

The New Oakland Eight, \$1045 and up, f. o. b. Pontiac,
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Shock Absorbers included in list prices. Bumpers, rear
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Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

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\$745 AND UP

A Famous Name—A Finer Car . . .
Introducing Important Improvements

The announcement of the first Pontiac in 1926
brought to the low-price field a new order
of beauty, performance and reliability. And
each Pontiac announcement since that time
has introduced a car which represented an
improvement even over its own highly
regarded predecessors.

Important Improvements

Now comes the New Series Pontiac Big Six
—an even finer car with a famous name. It
retains all the qualities responsible for
Pontiac's success in the past. And in addition
it introduces many improvements.

New bodies by Fisher make this latest
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The smoothness of Pontiac's 60-horsepower
engine is further increased by the use of
improved type rubber engine mountings.
Pontiac's large non-squeak four-wheel brakes
have been made even more efficient. A new
sloping non-glare windshield also adds to its
safety. Handling ease is increased through
the use of a new type of steering mechanism.
Improved Lowley Hydraulic Shock Absorbers
give increased riding comfort.

Time-Tried Performance

In speed, power and pick-up the New Series
Pontiac Big Six continues to uphold the
Pontiac reputation for spirited performance.
Come now to our showroom and inspect this
finer car with a famous name—the New
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The New Series Pontiac Big Six, \$745 and up, f. o. b.
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When President Hoover discovered that there was no school for the mountain children living near his fishing camp at Madison, Va., he promised to supply one. It has just been finished and Miss Christine Vest, herself a mountain girl from Kentucky, a graduate of Berea College and Columbia University, has been engaged as teacher.

THE LEGION MEETING

The Richard New Post of the American Legion met Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Presbyterian church.

Due to the absence of Commander J. H. Ware, Dr. R. M. Walthall presided and several items of interest, relative to the post, were discussed. The regular meeting date, which has previously been on Friday was changed to Monday.

Several ladies were in attendance at the meeting and plans previously made to organize an auxiliary were discussed and a decision was made to postpone the organization until the

post had received its charter. Songs and talks featured the entertainment at the close of which refreshments were served by the ladies present.

The next meeting will be held Monday evening at eight o'clock in the basement of the Presbyterian church.

All members are urged to be present and those who are eligible, but who are not members of the post, are cordially invited to attend.

\$50.00 REWARD

A reward of \$50.00 will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who cut off

the "Stop" signs from the street pavements, according to Officer L. A. Ratliff.

Two of these signs were cut off Monday night and another Tuesday night.

KEEP UP THE CHIX

The city has an ordinance requiring that all fowls shall be kept penned 12 months of the year.

As time for gardening draws near, City authorities advise this ordinance will be enforced.

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- KIDNEY BEANS**, "Wapco" brand, 18 oz. can **.09**
- Beans** Easy Cooking kind 4 pounds Pinto **25c**
- MILK**, Borden's, tall evaporated..... **.10**
- Bread** Home Baked, 3 Loaves **22c**
- PORK and BEANS**, "Wapco" brand, 18 oz. can **.09**
- Syrup** Pure East Texas Ribbon Cane, gallon **98c**
- SOAP FLAKES**, "Ivory" brand, 5 oz. package **.10**

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JUNIOR CLASS TO GIVE PLAY

The Juniors, directed by Mrs. Eter, shall begin to work on a play in a few days, the proceeds of which shall go into the banquet fund. It is a three act comedy, "The Poor Married Man," and guarantees plenty of laughs.

The story runs thus: A professor has married a charming lady whose mother assists on accompanying the young couple to their new home and living with them. She makes life thoroughly miserable for her son-in-law. The professor's friends mistake the mother-in-law for the bride, and due to the mistake and his friend's reports, the professor is convinced that his wife intends to poison him.

How the tangle is straightened out is very interesting.

Who's Who

- Professor John Wise, T. L. Kimmel
- Dr. Matthew Graham, Joe Worth
- Billy Blake, J. T. Allen.
- Jupiter Jackson, Dumas Haynes.
- Mrs. Tona Ford, Dorothy Varner.
- Zois, Muriel Stripe.
- Jane Graham, (not yet decided on)
- Rosalind Wilson, Donny Lou Adams.

—Taken from the Wildcat.

THE SOPHOMORE CLASS

There are about 60 Sophomores this year.

The class was organized the first of

the year with these officers: President C. L. Harless; Vice-president, Hobbs; Secretary, Prudence Coe; Treasurer, Bootsie Ratliff.

We are not expected to do as a class this year but we are to get an organization that will cooperate so that when we get to important Juniors and Seniors, we put things over on a large scale in for many social events this year.

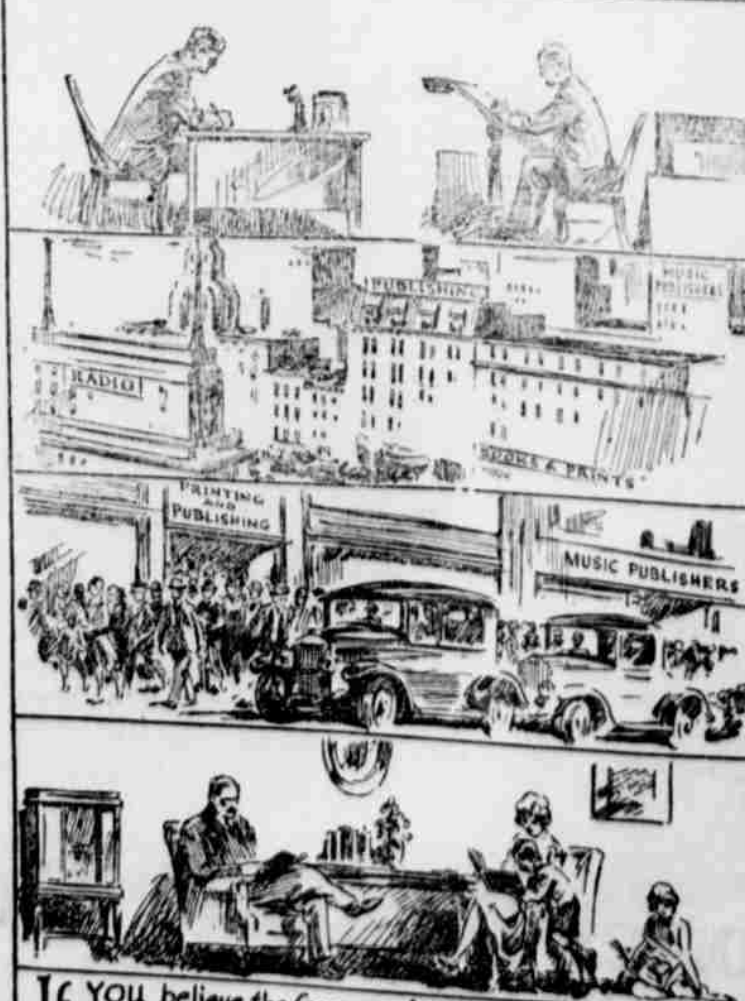
The Sophomore class has no Halloween party, which will be remembered as quite an event. At least some people, was given the majority of the class attending the spring, we expect to have an entertainment possibly a picnic.

—Taken from the Wildcat.

Help keep Littlefield

A Pictorial Editorial

By Robert T. Reid



In the creations of the Author, Artist, and Composer, the public finds its entertainment, information and education. These creations represent property to those who produce them.

A vast industry, representing a turn over of more than a billion dollars annually is the direct outgrowth of this creative work: the printing and publishing business, music, the radio and the movies.

This great business gives employment to hundreds of thousands of people, and yet the rights of those upon whose work this industry depends, are inadequately protected under our antiquated copyright law.

A bill designed to set out these property rights and protect the rights of those who compose and create, is now before Congress. If passed it will do much to stimulate these arts in our country and the public will benefit.

If YOU believe the Composer, Artist and Author is entitled to have his rights properly safe-guarded, write to your Senators and Congressman urging them to support this measure. You will help greatly to promote creative work.

Robert T. Reid

NATURAL GAS DANGEROUS?

The question is very prevalent in this city at this time, when we are ruminating as to the desirability of installing natural gas in our homes, or still sticking to that old coal.

Natural gas, like all other fuels, is a source of danger, or it may be as safe as the older fuels we have become accustomed to during these years.

It depends on the care with which it is handled. Gaseous fuel from the gas burner, in other words, if common sense is used in the application of natural gas, it is no more dangerous than other fuels with which we are familiar.

From the memory of some of us, the very day coal oil was viewed with suspicion. In the early days of coal oil many people were as much afraid of this com-

the natural products of combustion under such circumstances.

Should the consumption of any of the above fuels be in the presence of sufficient air for complete combustion the carbonaceous product will be carbon dioxide. If on the other hand, air is not present in sufficient quantity to insure perfect combustion, carbon monoxide will be produced, in greater or lesser amount. Water vapor will always be present.

Carbon dioxide, while not destructive to animal life, cannot really be classed as poisonous. But if sufficient quantity of carbon dioxide is present the human may be suffocated, and die for lack of oxygen.

On the other hand carbon monoxide may be classed among the virulent poisons, and many deaths have resulted from this gas being taken into the lungs of mankind.

In the days when hard coal and the baseburner were common, there were many deaths from inhaling this poisonous carbon monoxide. It was common custom when retiring for the night to close all dampers as nearly as safety would permit—and sometimes the limit of safety was exceeded and when morning broke, one or more persons were gone beyond recall.

Carbon monoxide had been leaking from the stove, and the newspapers came out in big headlines.

Of the water vapor present as a result of combustion of hydro-carbons in the air little may be said. It is simply water vapor, and is more a cause of discomfort than a menace to human life.

Every winter that has passed since Littlefield has been on the map, large amounts of water vapor have been carried into the atmosphere through the various chimneys in the town, and no one has been discommoded, because the water has been carried into the outer atmosphere.

We hear much talk of "wet gas" and "sweating" in the homes, as a result of natural gas; but if proper connections are made from the stove to the chimney, there will be no trouble from this source.

Whenever natural gas is burned in closed rooms, with no provision made for taking the noxious gasses out of the room, either carbon monoxide or carbon dioxide will be present, and, also water vapor.

To what extent these products of combustion may be injurious to the human family depends altogether on how tight the room may be, and the amount of gas consumed.

A small room, in which a large amount of gas is consumed, with no outlet to the chimney, is certainly dangerous, and many people have suffered severely from such conditions.

On the other hand, where sufficient outlet for the escape of the products of combustion are provided there is practically no danger from this source.

This writer became accustomed to the use of gas (artificial gas, however) in early childhood. He has seen it used under various conditions and circumstances, and he is very much sold on natural gas as a fuel. Provided it is used with a reasonable amount of common sense, it is no more dangerous than any other fuel that is in use today.—But, don't play with it. Don't take liberties. Don't act under the supposition that nothing can happen. The fellow who looked down the barrel of a loaded shot gun did that. And you know what happened to him!

A few words of caution might not be out of order:

Never—no never—turn on the gas; and then go hunting all over the house for a match! Always—without fail—have a light ready to apply before you turn on the gas cock.—This is one of the first requisites for longevity, when using liquid or gaseous fuels!

Never leave any gas appliance unless you are certain that everything is as it should be.

Littlefielders Should Improve Their Homes While Improving Yard

"Even in new countries, there is scarcely a year goes by but there are some repairs and improvements needed on the home," remarked J. W. Porcher, Jr., who last week returned from a lumbermen's school held at College Station by the Extension Department of A. & M. College.

"Statistics show that one out of every five homes in the United States need improvements, repairs or painting," continued Mr. Porcher. "In fact, a recent author's survey shows that the home-owners of America could well afford to spend \$9,000,000,000 in repairing and improving their homes."

"Of course, the homes in this section, generally speaking, are not so much in need of repairs as most of those farther east; but if one will just notice the homes in the particular block in which they reside, even the home in which they live, they will realize the need of repairs and improvements."

Littlefield is now starting a lawn beautification campaign, and it might also well start a home beautification campaign, for the house should certainly be in keeping with the attractiveness of the surrounding grounds. Money spent in keeping the home in the proper state of repairs is always money well spent. Keeping the house well painted not only adds to the beauty of the domicile but makes it last years longer. One reason certain sections of a given town or city is more desirable for residence purposes is because the folks living in that particular section have considerable civic pride.

"If one has never noticed how an unpainted house or one with a sagging roof or dilapidated porch will affect the appearance of every other house in that block, they have something yet to consider. Springtime is not only a good time for lawn beautification, but it is also a desirable time for home rehabilitation."

ROCKY FORD ORGANIZES

The ladies of the Rocky Ford community met Monday, Feb. 24 and organized a home demonstration club, naming it the "Rocky Ford."

Miss Ruby Mashburn, the home demonstrator, met with the club.

The following were present: Mrs. L. L. Dunn, Mrs. H. R. Fisher, Mrs. C. L. Berry, Mrs. T. M. Murrell, Mrs. Floyd Chaffin, Miss Ruby Mashburn, Mrs. P. S. Dean, Mrs. L. Y. Nix, Mrs. V. M. Petermin and Mrs. Herbert Dunn, a visitor.

Officers elected were as follows: Mrs. L. Y. Nix, president; Mrs. C. L. Berry, vice-president; Mrs. V. M. Petermin, sec'y-treas.; Mrs. Floyd Chaffin, reporter.

The club will meet every second and fourth Mondays at 2:00 p. m., the next meeting being March 10 at the home of Mrs. H. R. Fisher. New members are welcomed.

The County Council meets the first Saturday in each month.—Reporter.

WHALE BUTTS BOAT

San Francisco.—A large whale, cruising past Alcatraz Island, met a ferry boat and charged it head on. The boat kept going and the whale spouted and went to one side. Captain Chamberlain says neither one was injured.

Gas Forces Woman To Sleep in Chair

"Nights I sat up in a chair. I had stomach gas so bad. I took Adlerika and nothing I eat hurts me now. I sleep fine."—Mrs. Glenn Butler.

Even the FIRST spoonful of Adlerika relieves gas on the stomach and removes astonishing amounts of old waste matter from the system. Makes you enjoy your meals and sleep better. No matter what you have tried for your stomach and bowels, Adlerika will surprise you. Stokes & Alexander Drug Co.

BLUE BONNET CLUB

The Blue Bonnet club met Feb. 25. Mrs. K. P. Brantner being hostess.

The main discussion was line and color in the home. The lesson was interesting and the evening enjoyed although some of the members were absent on account of illness.

All try and be present at the next regular meeting. New members and visitors always welcome.—Reporter.

HYPNOTIZED; SHE WALKED

Los Angeles.—Leone Berry, 19, a dancer, paralyzed on her entire left side, recently responded to hypnotic treatment and upon command struggled out of bed, stood on the floor, and walked across the room. Appearing to realize what she was doing the spell broke and she fell to the floor.

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1928 CHEVROLET SEDAN—An ideal car for all kinds of weather. Can comfortably accommodate five. Just newly re-Ducoed in sparkling black with yellow wheels to contrast. An exceptionally good motor makes this the best value available at \$275

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Body and upholstery like new.
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GARDEN PLANTING TIME

Spring time is garden planting time. Spring is just around the corner and garden planting time will soon be here. Already some of the masculine tribe in Littlefield have been stretching and yawning with symptoms of "spring fever," but it is difficult to tell whether they are anxious to plant potatoes—or go a-fishin'—already the grocery stores have received their stock of flower or garden seeds, and the nursery and seed catalogs now being sent out with their wonderfully multicolored pictures are enough to seduce the most prosaic householders.

All over Lamb county the members of the 11 home demonstration clubs are now discussing the planting of their gardens, according to Miss Ruby Mashburn, county demonstration agent, who says that asparagus, rhubarb, lettuce, onions and spinach should be getting into the ground now. Some are already planting the New Zealand spinach, which is a comparatively new variety for this section.

The folks who plant gardens now and keep their gardens going through the summer months will enjoy fresh vegetables on their tables all the time. They will also be the ones who will have lots of vegetables canned for the coming winter supply, and the ones who have a well balanced garden this year are those who will enjoy most of life and pay less doctor bills.

So plant a garden.

Hard Work doesn't always pay handsome returns.

PRAYER FOR THE PRESS

The Drifter in the Nation: A correspondent has sent the Drifter a prayer which a clergyman of Calumbus (Miss.) is said to have delivered at the opening of a convention of the State Press Association:

"Eternal God, our Heavenly Father we ask Thy blessings upon these newspaper people, who are wont to communicate with the end of the earth. They are people who can sell a revolution in China; people who have the license to enter the gates of princes and potentates, but who will have a mighty hard time getting inside the gates of Paradise.

"Have mercy, O Lord, upon these people who have to carry all kinds of things in the cause of their newspapers. Have mercy, O Lord, on these people who are invited to so many banquets and luncheons that they must sacrifice their digestion on the altar of free advertising.

"Have mercy O Lord, on these people who are chased by the Colonial Dames, W. C. T. U., Kiwanis, Rotary, and Chamber of Commerce. Have mercy on these people who have to hobnob alike with Jew and Gentile, white and black, Democrat and Republican, Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and Episcopalian.

"Have mercy, O Lord, on these people and help them in their dash from ballroom to church social and back to rum runners, and who have to associate with anybody from Andy Mellon to Andy Gump.

"Make this a good convention in Columbus. It is an easy matter to break into print, but how will some

SOUTHWEST NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. McGraw entertained neighbors and friends with a party Friday night. Everyone present enjoyed themselves by dancing till midnight, after which delicious refreshments of cakes, fruits and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Coke, Mr. and Mrs. Raines, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witzcher, Mrs. Max Kopp, Mr. Pines and Messrs Ernest King, Leonard King, Bernard Raines, Cecil Poff, Bill Parson, Troy Guy and Joseph Scheuer, Jr., and Misses Velma Poff, Mildred King, Lily Raines, Bernice King, Lucille Scheuer, and Miss Pine.

Mrs. Joe Witzcher and son, Gerald, visited Tuesday with Mrs. J. M. Scheuer.

Mrs. Herman Miller entertained the Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Church with a forty-two party of four tables. Everyone enjoyed the evening, after which refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served to the following: Rev. Chas. Dvorak, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dolle, Joseph Burt, Mrs. J. M. Scheuer and family, Otto Green and family, Max Kopp and family, W. R. Geistman and family and hostess and family.

Max Kopp went to Levelland on business, Wednesday.

Mildred King visited with Lily Raines, Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foltyn Feb. 24 a son.

Herman Miller is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Herman Cantrell and children will join her husband in south Texas where he is employed.

MRS. HOPPING ENTERTAINS

The Thursday bridge club met at 3:30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon at last week, with Mrs. Sid Hopping as her hostess.

After an hour had been spent in the club game, delicious refreshments were served to the following: Madames J. H. Arnett, W. G. Street, H. Boone, S. J. Farquar, W. O. Steadton, J. M. Stokes, Lena Howard, E. I. Rowe, W. H. Wiseman, M. M. Bettian, Ray Jones and substitutes, Madames T. Wade Potter, J. W. Hopping and M. V. Cobb.

Littlefield merchants ask Littlefield people to patronize them. The majority of them advertise in order to let customers know what they have to sale.

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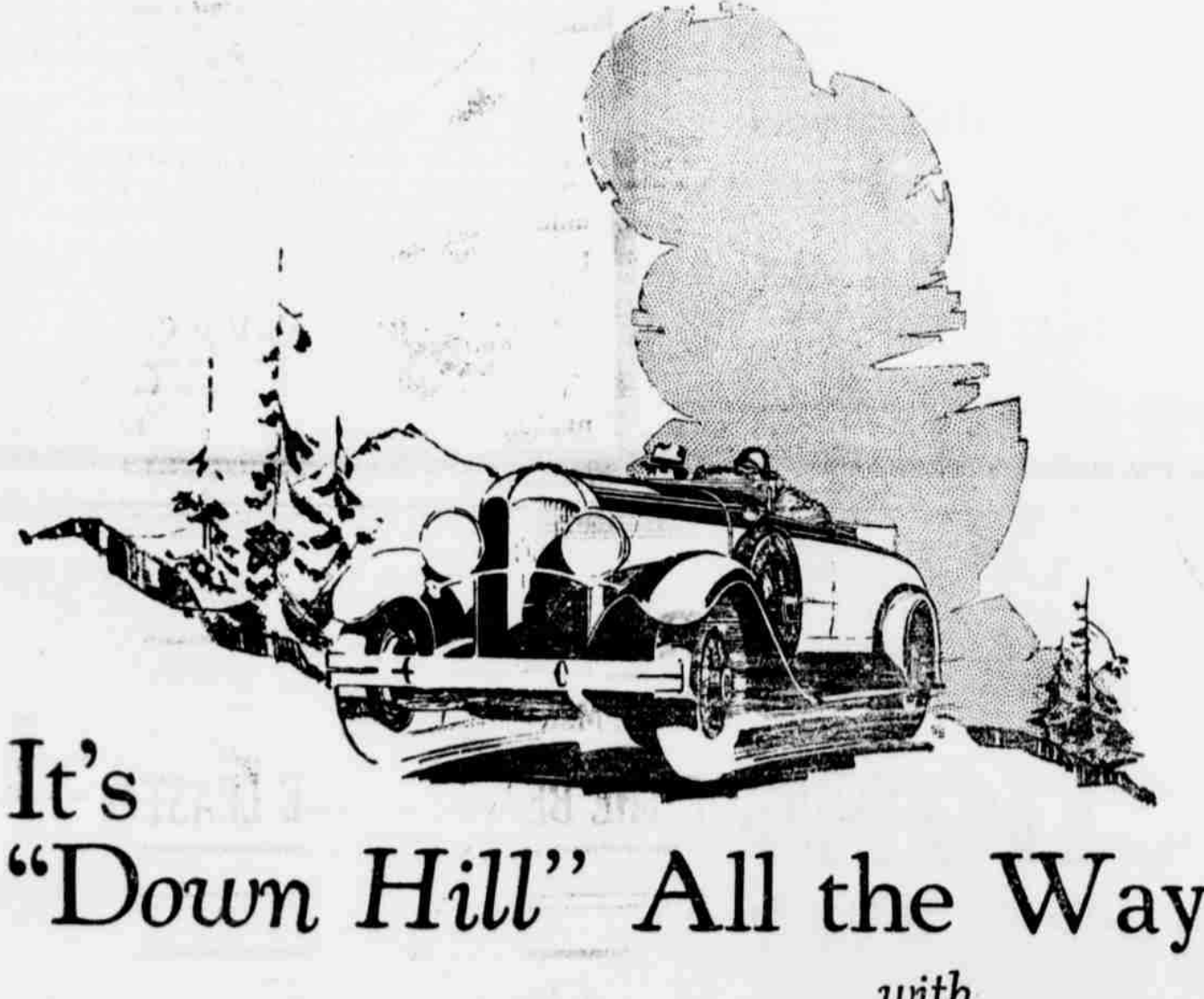
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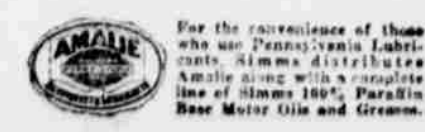
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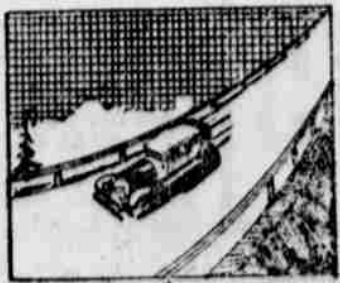
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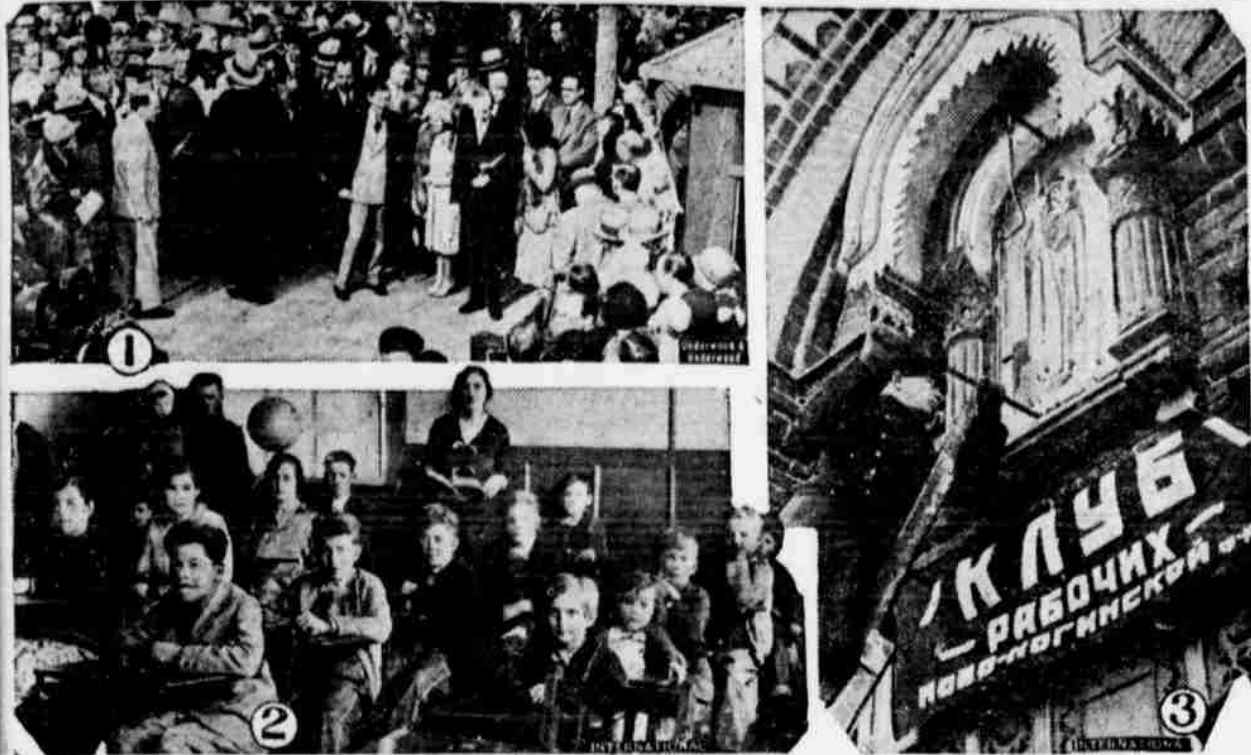
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1—Former President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge surrounded by a throng of movie actors on their visit to Hollywood studios. 2—Scene at opening session in the school at Dark Hollow, Virginia, which was built by President and Mrs. Hoover for Blue Ridge mountain folk. 3—Russian Soviet workman ripping an lion from a church that was transformed into a workers' club.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Hoover Asks More Economy in Expenditures—Revolt in Santo Domingo.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT HOOVER started off the week with a plea to the people of the nation to be moderate in their requests to congress for appropriations for projects in various parts of the country. His aim is to keep governmental expenditures down to a figure so reasonable that an increase in taxes will be obviated. Though this should seem a worthy aim, and in stating it the President carefully made plain that he was not reflecting on the wisdom of congress, he brought upon himself the wrath of some of the senators, notably Mr. Glass of Virginia.

The appropriations situation was the subject of a White House breakfast conference attended by Republican leaders of both houses of congress, Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, Undersecretary of the Treasury Ogden Mills, Col. J. C. Roop, director of the budget, and Walter H. Newton, one of the President's secretaries.

Mr. Newton issued a statement in which he enumerated proposals for increased expenditures totaling \$1,500,000, which he said if approved would imply an increase in taxes of 1 per cent. The list, however, included many projects that the congressional leaders had either never heard of or knew would not be given serious consideration. Consequently the imposing list did not appear to lighten them.

Senator Glass, reading Newton's statement in the senate, declared that nothing more shameless has ever emanated from the White House within my thirty years of service in congress. The President, he said, was setting up a straw man merely for the purpose of knocking him down, and, as every one knew, many bills were introduced at every session of congress only for home consumption and with no idea that they would be enacted into law.

Mr. Hoover, meanwhile, had given a statement obviously intended to pacify congress. In it he said: "It should be understood that the unprecedented drive now in progress for new legislation and for expansion of established services which increase expenditure beyond the budget, only in small per cent originates with members of congress or heads of government departments. It originates from different sections of the country itself and from various groups and organizations, each vigorously supporting their own projects. Many of these projects are worthy and no doubt can and should be undertaken some time over the next years, especially when funds are free by completion of legislation already adopted." And he urged "the people at home" to realize that the government cannot undertake immediately every worthy project.

IMMEDIATELY after the issuance of the President's economy plea the house adopted a senate resolution appropriating \$7,000,000 for loans to farmers in the flood stricken areas of fifteen Southern and Western states, though opponents declared the measure was "pork" and "political pie."

Under the resolution, as adopted, the secretary of agriculture may make advances for the purchase of seed, feed and fertilizer, which banks refuse loans in only six states, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina,

South Carolina and Virginia were authorized under the original senate resolution. The house agriculture committee, however, added Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, and New Mexico and the house itself tacked on Missouri and Oklahoma.

Representative O'Connor of Oklahoma said: "Everybody knows the purpose of this bill is to get congressional votes, but so long as you are cutting the pie, Oklahoma wants its piece."

THE Dominican republic was in the throes of a revolution last week. Insurgent forces, determined to keep President Vasquez from running for re-election and to assure the free choice of his successor in May, assembled in various parts of the island and marched on the capital city, Santo Domingo. They entered the city firing volleys in the air and were enthusiastically greeted by the populace. There was no bloodshed as the rebels took possession of all the public buildings. President Vasquez took refuge in the American legation and other administration leaders sought the protection of various foreign consulates. Vice President Alfonsea resigned. Charles B. Curtis, the American minister, was acting as intermediary between the insurgents and the government and was trying to bring about an agreement whereby the situation could be solved without bloodshed or damage to property. The insurgent leaders had promised to respect all lives and property and made no changes except in the police force of the city. John M. Cabot of Massachusetts, a young member of the American embassy staff, was most active as the emissary of Minister Curtis and after a swift trip to Santiago to confer with Rafael Urena, chief of the insurgents, he was hopeful that a peaceful settlement of the whole controversy could be arranged.

In Washington it was said by officials that it probably would not be necessary to send marines to the Dominican republic to protect American lives and property. If they are needed, however, there are plenty within easy reach, and the scouting fleet is now in Caribbean waters.

CAMILLE CHAUTEUPS, Radical Socialist, and his government of France lasted only five days. Then they were denied a vote of confidence by the chamber of deputies and were forced to resign. Chautemps told parliament he had no intention of following the radical policies of the left wing, except that taxes would be reduced, but would maintain the lines of action which Andre Tardieu, his predecessor, had outlined, including his policy in the naval conference at London. The center refused to believe him, and the left wing was displeased. The vote, which was 292 to 277 against Chautemps, showed there is no real majority in the chamber of deputies and that any government can survive only through a coalition of center and left groups.

Raymond Poincare was called by President Doumergue but declined to undertake the formation of a ministry on the ground of ill health. So Tardieu was given the job again and Poincare said he would help him, though he could not accept a place in the cabinet. The expectation was that Tardieu would be able to make up his government in time to resume work in the naval conference by March 5.

WHEAT raisers and wheat speculators had a lively time last week. Europe had the idea that the United States and Canada were going to boost the price of wheat, so it obtained its supplies in other markets and cut down its consumption. Then Chairman Legge of the federal farm board

made the statement that the board would not support the wheat market so as to stabilize the price somewhere near the price its purchasing agency was paying and that it would buy only from co-operatives. This was somewhat distorted and misunderstood in parts of the country and the result was that non-co-operative wheat was dumped on the market and prices fell alarmingly. The farm board's funds were then used to purchase large amounts of May and March wheat, this led other buyers into the market and prices rallied considerably.

Mr. Legge, after conferring with President Hoover, issued a statement designed to co-ordinate the farm board's program with the government's efforts to stabilize business generally, and asking the co-operation of the grain trade in restoration of the grain markets. Mr. Legge added significantly that the board will stand firmly on its wheat loan policy and that he is confident its co-operative agencies "will get the loan figure out of their wheat," namely, \$1.18 a bushel at Chicago.

PIERRE S. DUPONT, chairman of the board of the E. I. Dupont de Nemours company of Wilmington, N. J., was the star witness of the wets before the house judiciary committee and he and others almost as well known argued strongly for modification of the dry laws. The day before the committee heard W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, who urged that the Volstead act be repealed and authority be delegated to the states to determine for themselves what is intoxicating liquor and whether they should enact legislation to enforce the Eighteenth amendment. He expressed the opinion that "a great advance in the real cause of temperance" would be made by properly regulated manufacture and sale of liquor under state and national supervision, similar to the Canadian and Swedish systems, with these modified to suit conditions peculiar to America.

ROMAN Catholicism lost one of its most eminent churchmen in the death of Raphael Cardinal Merry del Val, arch-priest of the basilica of St. Peter's and secretary of the congregation of the holy office, and former papal secretary of state under Pope Pius X. The cardinal, who was a member of a noble Spanish family, passed away after an emergency operation for appendicitis. He was sixty-four years of age. In 1903 and again in 1914 he was urged as a candidate for the papal throne but failed to get the necessary two-thirds vote of the college of cardinals. He was prominently identified with the intrinsigant party that upheld the church's right for temporal power, and was an opponent of modernism.

Only a few days before the death of Cardinal Merry del Val came that of Carlo Cardinal Perosi. The college of cardinals is thus reduced to 28 Italian and 30 foreigners, there being twelve vacancies.

Other deaths of the week included those of Mabel Normand, screen star; Ahmed Mirza, former shah of Persia; Maj. George H. Putnam, New York publisher, and Eugene Byfield, Chicago hotel man and sportsman.

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES was sworn in as chief justice of the Supreme court on Monday, the oath being administered by Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, the Nestor of the bench.

Among the decisions handed down by the Supreme court was one declaring constitutional the provisions of the packers and stock yards act authorizing the secretary of agriculture to prescribe maximum rates for the services of commission dealers at public stock yards.

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When the Census Taker Calls



By ELMO SCOTT WATSON
Drawing by Ray Walters.

WITHIN the next few weeks an army of 100,000 men and women will be visiting every home in the United States and asking a series of questions which every one of us must answer, or have answered for us. Those questions are the following:

Name and address, sex, color or race, age, single, married, widowed or divorced; relationship to head of family; home owned or rented, free or mortgaged; literacy, place of birth and that of parents; citizenship, ability to speak English, whether employed and trade or profession, whether veteran of any American war.

But lest you should feel that the asking of these questions is a meddling interference in your private affairs, let it be stated at once that the man or woman who calls at your home and asks you these questions is a census enumerator, engaged in the huge task of taking the 15th decennial census of population in the United States. In accordance with Article 1 of the Constitution of the United States, that you are required by law to give true answers to the questions and that there is no real reason whatsoever why you should not answer them. For you have this assurance from Dr. William M. Steuart, chief of the bureau of the census, in regard to it:

"No citizen need hesitate to answer the questions asked by the enumerators. The facts, so far as the individual is concerned, will be safe in the hands of the government and will never be disclosed. No one need have the slightest fear that his personal or business secrets will ever be disclosed to friend or foe. The oath of the enumerator requires that he shall keep secret the answers to queries. If he does not, he is guilty of a crime, and if detected there is not the slightest doubt as to what will happen. The law will be invoked and enforced to the limit."

The 1930 census will be the greatest "counting of noses" in the history of the world. When it is completed Uncle Sam will know just how many more children he has than he had in 1920. As to what the population of the United States will be, Doctor Steuart says:

"It will be more than 121,000,000 and less than 125,000,000. We are certain as to this, because we know that the population of the continental United States is now increasing at the rate of about 1,400,000 persons each year, or, to put it another way, at the approximate rate of one person every twenty seconds. These totals are

made up of the annual excess of births over deaths, which amounts to about 1,150,000, and the excess of immigration over emigration, which gives us an additional 240,000 each year. The 1930 census will show that our people are thirty times as many as were in the country in 1790 and nearly twice as many as in 1890, or only forty years ago.

"In 1790 there were 4.5 persons for each square mile of what was then the United States. The 1930 census, I believe, will show forty people to each square mile, or nearly ten times more than at the time of the first census. In 1790 there were six cities in the United States with more than 8,000 inhabitants. Then the cities were responsible for only 3 per cent of the population; America in those days was truly agricultural. In 1920 the cities with more than 8,000 inhabitants numbered 924 and their population was 44 per cent of the national total. Add to these the little towns and villages of less than 8,000 people and we find that in 1920 the urban population was a little more than half the total for the Union."

In accomplishing the huge task which faces Uncle Sam's army of census enumerators, they will visit not only 30,000,000 homes but also more than 2,000,000 stores, almost 200,000 manufacturing plants, and in addition they will compile data concerning 6,000,000 farms, 14,000 mines and quarries, 100,000 irrigation and drainage projects. The reason for this is that the 15th decennial census will be not only a count of population but also a comprehensive study of the commerce and industry of the nation, including, for the first time, a census of distribution. In the last named it is hoped that there will be found at least some of the reasons for an estimated annual loss of \$10,000,000,000 in the process of placing commodities in the hands of the ultimate consumer.

"The 1930 census," says Doctor Steuart, "is going to be, we hope and believe, the most nearly perfect tabulation of population, business and other basic facts ever taken in history. I say this with the fact in mind that nearly 3,000 years have passed since the first census was made—when King David set out to number the people of Israel and Judah. It took him nine months and twenty days to do the job, and among the things he found out was that there were in Israel and in Judah about 1,300,000 'valiant men that drew the sword.'"

"The first census of the United States was taken 139 years ago. The



DR. WILLIAM M. STEUART

United States was first among the countries to make a regular periodical enumeration of its inhabitants a part of the fundamental law.

"The first American census, taken in 1790, was very limited in scope and was directed by the United States marshals. They were allowed thirteen months on the job, and when the totals were added up our population was about 4,000,000. That census related solely to population. The name of the head of the family was taken, together with the number of persons in each family, classified as free or slave. The whites, who were free, were classified as "free whites," as male or female, and the free whites males as over or under sixteen years of age. That was about all there was to it. The marshals who supervised the 1790 count numbered only 17, the enumerators 650, and you will appreciate what the latter figure means when you are told that the enumerators who will take the 1930 census will be an army of more than 100,000.

"Since the 1790 census the nations of the world have been gradually developing methods and machinery that speed up the counting of heads and the accumulation of a vast amount of data regarding economic, social, educational and other conditions. Here in the United States the development has probably been more far reaching than in any other country. Consequently the director of the census is now by law required to enumerate in the space of one month more than 120,000,000 people and at the same time obtain very extensive information about 6,000,000 farms, 14,000 mines, 100,000 irrigation and drainage projects, the facts of employment and unemployment affecting millions of people, and also the trade, profession or particular kind of work done by every person of working age in the nation. Quite a job for four weeks, is it not? Yet it can and will be completed in the allotted thirty days."

"No repairs in 22 years," says home owner

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Great Water Project

Texans contemplate spending \$100,000,000 to make the mighty Brazos river work for them. It is a big task they have in mind for the river and its tributaries. They would irrigate thousands of acres of land, turn the wheels of many industries, develop electric power, supply drinking water and even use it for recreation. The Brazos river conservation and reclamation district created to direct the project will seek the financial aid of state and federal governments.—Indianapolis News.

Willing

He—"I like any kind of wild game. Do you?" She—"Yes; do you happen to know a good one?"



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GOT A KICK OUT OF IT



Freddy—"Why do you continue to call on that girl whose father doesn't want you in the house?" Harry—"Oh, I get a kick out of it, you may be sure."

Fair Enough All Around
"What did you promise the delegates that just called on you?" "Everything they asked," answered Senator Sorghum. "And when votes

Yiddish Not Hebrew

Yiddish is spoken by a large number of Jews of German or Polish ancestry, and is not the natural language of the Jewish people, who speak modern Hebrew. The Jews who left Germany in the Middle Ages for the Slavic lands of Bohemia, Poland, Galicia and Lithuania spoke, besides Hebrew, the middle high German. In course of time Hebrew and Aramaic and Slavic words became customary, and a certain mod-

ernization were mentioned, they promised everything I asked. Then we all retired to think it over, leaving everything looking like a stand-off."—Washington Star.

Not So Good

"It's grand to have a little wife to wait on you," said the enthusiastic bridegroom. "But not so grand to have her wait for you," growled the old married man, who had been out the night before with the boys.

Some Keyhole Peeper

Hortense—"I'll bet there isn't a thing in this house that our landlady doesn't have an eye to, you know. Marjorie—Yes, I'll bet there isn't a keyhole, my dear.

Lots of Paint Used

"She paid an awful price for her portrait, didn't she?" "Well, you see, it took an awful lot of paint to make it look like her."

His Air Castles Tumbling

Hardfax—What do you mean real estate is coming down? Everbroke—All my castles in the air are tumbling.

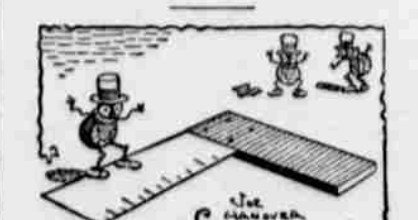
Half Way

A family of small children spent this summer on a farm, their first experience. The country life charmed them especially because of the multitude of new things to learn. Their

mother quite enjoyed the following conversation which she overheard: "No, it's not a cow. It's a Jersey. The man said so when he was talking to Daddy."

"No, no, Bessie, you're wrong. Daddy told me. It's a halfer. That means, it's half way between a cow and a calf."

QUITE RIGHT



First Bug—"He's an honest sort of chap." Second Bug—"Yes, you can see he's on the square!"

Slow Train, Poor Conductor

Mr. Slack—I want you to understand that I have my own train of thoughts. Mrs. Slack—Yes, I know; a very slow train with an awfully poor conductor, John.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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"It is indeed a divine capacity to be able to take today and tomorrow for granted and let the day after tomorrow be the day that looks after itself."

EARLY SPRING DAINTIES

The fresh pink rhubarb is now at its best, tender, and delicious. Wash and cut into half-inch slices without peeling. Put into a baking dish, add sugar to taste, a bit of cinnamon, lemon peel or nutmeg and a bit of butter, cover and bake until the sauce is a deep red color.

Asparagus is another early spring vegetable which is so well liked. Cooked, served with butter or cream well seasoned, on toast, there is no more appetizing dish. With a golden sauce, adding the beaten yolks of eggs to a lightly thickened white sauce, it may be served with the stalks uncut and a spoonful of the rich sauce over three or four for each serving. The liquor in which the asparagus is cooked should be used in the sauce, as much of the valuable mineral content is dissolved in it from the vegetable while cooking.

Another more elaborate way of serving the cooked stalks: cover with butter and sprinkle with grated cheese. Put under the gas flame to melt the cheese and serve hot.

Spinach is so good, so wholesome and essential for growing children, that if it is served, well seasoned, there will be no reason for their not liking it, or refusing to eat it. We have all had spinach, served as a vegetable, improperly drained and with absolutely no seasoning except perhaps a bit of salt, that if it is small wonder that we cannot train the youngsters to enjoy it.

Chard, cowslip greens, dandelion, and many of the weeds that come in our gardens, like rag weed and mustard, which if cooked with salt pork or simply cooked until tender and seasoned with plenty of butter or buttered crumbs and pepper and salt, make appetizing food.

Here is a very good dinner menu for early spring: Hot sliced ham or corned beef, a dish of well-seasoned greens, new potatoes boiled in their jackets, and rhubarb pie for dessert.

Little new onions, radishes, chives, water cross are all available at this time of the year. Where one has a running brook near, water cross will grow freely and much of the year it will be ready for food or garnishing.

Salmon is at its best in May. Where it is obtained fresh from the water it is very popular. Broil or boil it and serve with mayonnaise and horseradish. To two tablespoons of the horseradish stir in one cupful of mayonnaise dressing.

Cucumber sauce is especially good with fish. A very small cucumber will, when grated and seasoned with grated onion, a little lemon juice and plenty of mayonnaise, make a most tasty sauce.

Seasonable Dishes.

We should know more about the early spring greens which come at a time after the heavy foods of winter and are just the things to tone up the system and get the body into a healthy condition for the warm season.

Wild greens are so common, yet almost unknown by the majority as the wholesome foods they are.

The dandelion is so well known and liked that we need not recommend it, although it is well to know that it is a few plants are covered with boards that is especially tasty. Serve it uncooked, of course. Later the green will be tough and should be well cooked.

Dandelion, dock and radish gives us salad which is well liked.

Chop leeks, cook in butter, add a few eggs, scramble with a little milk, add butter for seasoning and serve on buttered toast; this is a most tasty dish.

The new shoots of milkweed may be cooked and served as asparagus.

Strawberry and Pineapple Jam.—Combine an equal weight or measure of strawberries and fresh shredded pineapple and sugar. Let stand for a few hours, then cook like jam; adding a bit of commercial pectin overcomes the strong flavor as well as shortening the time for cooking and thus increasing the bulk of jam when finished. It is necessary to follow the directions on the bottle, when using pectin, to have good results. If this is not used, long, slow cooking is necessary.

Strawberry Conserve.—Wash and hull three quarts of berries, mash them a little, add one can of pineapple, one orange, and one lemon, remove the seeds and grind the fruit without peeling. Add equal weights of sugar and cook until thick, stirring frequently. Add one-half pound of seeded raisins if liked, as well as a few nuts; add the nuts ten minutes before taking off. Almonds, blanched and shredded are the best liked for this conserve.

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Drink Water to Help Wash Out Kidney Poison

If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You, Begin Taking Salts

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which helps to remove the body's uric acid waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 100 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also so they are no longer a source of uric acid, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot be lithiated water, which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking because of your kidney trouble and backache.

Iraq Discoveries



Uncovered Portion of a Temple at Nippur.

Discovered by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.

DOM does a month pass without the announcement of a new discovery in the Near East that pushes farther back knowledge of man's activities on the earth: the finding of a tomb, a forgotten city, a hidden inscription. One of the regions in hidden lore of the valley of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers in what is now Iraq. It is there that some of the most far-reaching discoveries have been made.

Over a half a century ago it was known concerning the peoples of the nearer East, that which is contained in the Old Testament, could be written in a pictorial form. Israel was then recognized as one of the great nations of antiquity. Abraham belonged to the civilization. The references to the peoples in the Old Testament have meaning, for few appreciate the fact that the history of many of the peoples had practically been forgotten.

Not unlike other scripts, the cuneiform was originally pictorial; but, as in Egypt, the hieroglyphs became more and more simplified and conventionalized.

The cuneiform inscriptions in clay, stone and metal that now repose in museums and in private collections number hundreds of thousands.

Several ancient libraries and immense archives have been found. Years ago the literary library of Ashurbanipal was discovered at Nineveh. It appeared to the excavators that the library had been deposited in the upper chambers of the palace, and that when the building was destroyed they fell through to the lower floors, where they were found in masses.

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Written in Remote Antiquity.

The date of the earliest known inscription is still undetermined. The geology prior to 2400 B. C. is still

In a chaotic state, and yet the recent discovery of a tablet giving several new dynasties, besides many other facts which have been ascertained, offer sufficient indications of a much greater antiquity for the earliest known inscriptions than have been credited them.

The Hoffman tablet, in the general theological seminary, New York city, bears one of the few known archaic inscriptions. To assign it the date 5000 B. C. would be a modest reckoning. And yet the characters are so far removed from the original pictures that in most instances it is only by the help of the values they possess that the original pictures can be surmised. It describes a tract of land.

While in all known periods clay was the writing material, important royal documents, votive and historical inscriptions, etc., are found on stone, and in some instances on-bronze. In cutting such inscriptions the scribe imitated the characters made in clay with the stylus.

Not unlike other scripts, the cuneiform was originally pictorial; but, as in Egypt, the hieroglyphs became more and more simplified and conventionalized.

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This Mother Had Problem



As a rule, milk is about the best food for children, but there are times when they are much better off without it. It should always be left off when children show by feverish, fretful or cross spells, by bad breath, coated tongue, sallow skin, indigestion, biliousness, etc., that their stomach and bowels are out of order.

In cases like this, California Fig Syrup never fails to work wonders, by the quick and gentle way it removes all the souring waste which is causing the trouble, regulates the stomach and bowels and gives these organs tone and strength so they continue to act normally of their own accord. Children love its rich, fruity flavor and it's purely vegetable and harmless, even for babies.

Millions of mothers have proved its merit and reliability in over 50 years of steadily increasing use. A Western mother, Mrs. May Snavelly, Montrose, California, says: "My little girl, Edna's, tendency to constipation was a problem to me until I began giving her California Fig Syrup. It helped her right away and soon her stomach and bowels were acting perfectly. Since then I've never had to have any advice about her bowels. I have also used California Fig Syrup with my little boy, with equal success."

To be sure of getting the genuine, which physicians endorse, always ask for California Fig Syrup by the full name.

Not at Dignified Banquets

At a dinner in Hollywood for the visiting British Journalists, J. T. Collins, editor of an Australian paper, found himself sitting beside Charley Chaplin but did not recognize him. The Australian introduced himself and asked his neighbor's name. Charley looked a bit startled, but finally confessed that he was Charley Chaplin. "But!" exclaimed the astounded Collins, "I thought you were a mustache!"—Capper's Weekly.

Nickname for Stone

The word holystone denotes a piece of soft stone used in scrubbing decks. The term is supposed to be derived from the fact that decks were usually scrubbed on Saturday as a preparation for Sunday inspection, church, etc.; hence, the phrase, holystone and holystoning.

Many on the Road

"What kind of a car have you?"
"Or, a runabout. You know—run about a mile, then stop."



Miserable with Backache?

It May Warn of Disordered Kidneys.

DOES every day find you lame and aching—suffering nagging backache, headache and dizzy spells? Are kidney excretions too frequent, scanty or burning in passage? These are often signs of sluggish kidneys and shouldn't be neglected.

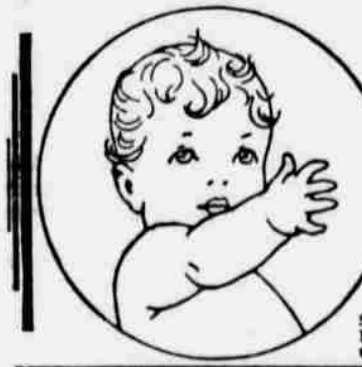
To promote normal kidney action and assist your kidneys in cleansing your blood of poisonous wastes, use *Doan's Pills*. Endorsed the world over.

50,000 Users Endorse Doan's:

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Doan's Pills

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Insure Him a Healthy Skin through life by using

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"Did the audience weep while I was singing?" asked the temperamental soprano.
"No," replied the music director, "you were making that noise all by yourself."

In a dog fight, you might sympathize with the under-dog if he wouldn't yell so.

Meteor Causes Alarm

A meteor burst with tremendous noise in the city of Ribinsk, Russia, spitting fire in all directions. Luckily no damage was caused and no person injured. The ashes have been sent to Leningrad for analysis.

Many a woman who wants her husband to be honest is sorry that his honesty keeps him poor.

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Mrs. Boone, Houston, Texas, made \$20 first day. Easy and delightful way to make extra money for yourself and establish a nice paying business of your own. Dorothy Ann Dresses sell on eight—newest styles and designs made from nationally advertised "Peter Pan" fabrics. Colors all guaranteed—no money required. Write at once.

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Sometimes crime does not pay. One of these times was when a purse snatcher in New York dashed around a corner into the arms of 150 patrolmen leaving a station.

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"MY people had used Black-Draught and found it satisfactory, and I have not found anything that could take its place," writes Mr. H. C. Hendrix, of Homer-ville, Ga.

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HAS THE LAXATIVE IN YOUR HOME A DOCTOR'S APPROVAL?



Some things people do to help the bowels whenever any bad breath, feverishness, biliousness, or a lack of appetite warn of constipation, really weaken these organs.

The wonderful product, known to millions as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a family doctor's prescription for sluggish bowels.

Physical Terror

"In this free and enlightened land you should fear no man."

"You are wrong," answered Senator Sorghum. "At this moment I think of nothing except a date I have with my dentist."

"Rundown, Lost Appetite, Took Cold Easily"



Wichita Falls, Texas - "I was rundown, lost my appetite and was nervous and irritable. I took cold easily and always suffered with headache. Finally I started taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and found it to be the very thing I required to keep me from being so susceptible to colds.

Tuberculosis Claim Probed

Because of the great demand for the medicine which he claims to have discovered and to have used in the cure of scores of cases of tuberculosis, Rev. Edward Ward, vicar of a suburban church in Auckland, New Zealand, has promised Minister of Health Staitworthy to discuss with an expert the formula for his treatment.

A miracle play of long ago, which had a great vogue at the time, represented Adam as rushing across the stage to get created.



Makes Life Sweeter

Next time a coated tongue, fetid breath, or acid skin gives evidence of sour stomach—try Phillips Milk of Magnesia!

Get acquainted with this perfect anti-acid that helps the system keep sound and sweet. That every stomach needs at times. Take it whenever a hearty meal brings any discomfort.

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STEAL HAWKSHAW PREP EXHIBITS

Now Bar Public From New York Public School.

New York.—Just across the way from police headquarters is the annex housing the police college, where detectives and patrolmen are trained. The college is for veterans, as well as novices. In small groups uniformed and plain clothes men are being taken off duty and put through a Hawkshaw course in the annex.

There is, for instance, a torn pullman ticket issued from New York to Syracuse. It was that ticket, more than any one thing, that convicted Judd Gray and Mrs. Snyder of the murder of Mrs. Snyder's husband. After the killing Gray was suspected, and traced to Syracuse. It was found that he had an iron-clad alibi. Evidence pointed to his presence in that city at the time of the murder on Long Island.

A detective wasn't satisfied. He poked here and there through Gray's room, and found many scraps of paper in a waste basket. One of them was the pullman ticket. Confronted with this evidence, Gray admitted the falsity of his alibi.

But visitors may no longer go to the police annex. Outsiders have been stealing the exhibits from the Hawkshaw school!

Californian's \$780 Eaten by Tiny Borers

Los Angeles.—Microscopic bugs made \$780 in currency look like a small helping of cold spinach for N. L. Biddle, eighty, who thought a tin tobacco box buried in the ground safer than a bank.

Unwilling to entrust his savings in the usual manner and fearing burglars might find them if deposited beneath the mattress, the aged man tied his \$780 worth of greenbacks in a small sack and then sealed the sack in a tobacco tin.

The tin box was buried beneath his house. That was nine months ago. The rains came, but Biddle did not worry. His can was waterproof. Recently he needed a little spending money. The can was dug up, badly rusted, and when Biddle opened it he found only a soggy mass of greenish paper.

Placed under the microscope, the former greenbacks were found to be filled with tiny bugs, invisible to the unaided eye.

Now Biddle is trying to convince the United States treasury that the masticated mess was legal tender. A handwriting expert dried out the lump and was able to peel parts of several bills. The silk threads which strengthen currency were intact.

The can, its contents and a full account of the burial are to be sent to Washington, D. C., to learn if the treasury will make a refund of the money.

Colon, Canal Zone, Wants Bigger Force of Police

Colon.—Mayor Ramon Parades has complained to the government that he needs more policemen. With a population of 30,000 and a dozen steamers arriving daily at the nearby port of Cristobal, he protests that 14 officers and men, including the plain clothes squad, is not sufficient. There are 37 saloons and seven night clubs here, and on pay day in the United States army and navy, with a couple of tourist steamers in the dock, the population is usually doubled.

Inherits Fortune, but Keeps Right on Ironing

Memphis, Tenn.—Told she had inherited \$200,000 from an uncle, Mrs. Augusta Westermann said: "I guess I'll just keep it. I haven't much time to think about it. My washing was on the line when I heard about it and I have to get the clothes ironed. My three grandchildren certainly get a lot of clothes dirty."

Woman Given Important Post in Soviet Regime

Moscow.—A woman, Varvara Yakoleva, has been appointed commissar of finance for the Federated Soviet Socialist republics. This is the highest post at present occupied by a woman in this country. Mna. Yakoleva, who is forty-four years old, for years has been assistant commissar of education.

Ancient Animals and Plants Losing Ground

New York.—Even the plants and animals of modern times have developed superior competitive abilities. This is illustrated in plants and animals being imported into Australia, which are starting out against the Australian strains. These Australian losers are oddities, creatures of an old age that ended long ago everywhere else in the world, and they survived this long only because plants and animals of the rest of the world have not heretofore had a chance to compete with them.

WARSHIPS FAILURE AS POWER PLANTS

Test at Tacoma Is Declared Unsuccessful.

Washington.—A new peace-time use for warships and other fighting navy craft, their utilization as power plants for seaboard cities in emergencies, has been tested by the navy and found impracticable.

When the airplane carrier Lexington, largest ship in the navy, was lent to Tacoma, Wash., as a power plant, because of a breakdown of the municipal unit, some far-sighted persons had visions of warships steaming up to city piers and furnishing cheap electricity.

"Nothing doing," is the unanimous opinion of naval experts. Navy ships are primarily for national defense and not public utilities, it was pointed out.

Plan Uneconomical.

The generation of electric power for municipalities by navy ships is both impracticable and uneconomical. The Lexington had more than 2,000 officers and men aboard while she was docked at Tacoma, to whom the government pays a salary and furnishes subsistence costing more than \$1,000,000 a year. Navy officials estimated that a steam power plant for the city could be operated by fewer than 100 employees.

In return for the power Tacoma is to pay the navy about \$5,000 a day, or 25 cents per kilowatt hour.

Officers pointed out that, except for great emergencies, the navy has no authority to lend vessels to municipalities, but that the department has authority to lend ships to states for sea scout work and naval militia operations.

"We considered every phase of the situation before the Lexington was lent to Tacoma," one high official said. "It was even pointed out that if the power break had been in the Mississippi valley, where a ship was unable to operate, the people would have used candles and lamps."

"Finally the ship was lent, and now we are waiting for howls from congress against use of a great ship like the Lexington for a power plant, because of the expense."

Dockage Facilities Scarce.

The Lexington did not furnish its full power possibilities to Tacoma, for the vessel's great turbine engines generate more than 192,000 horse power, or enough electricity to supply a city as large as Philadelphia.

Another drawback to using war craft for power plants is that the Lexington is 888 feet long, 106 feet wide, and draws 29 feet of water. Few ports have dockage facilities for this ship or even a warship like the West Virginia, which is 624 feet long, 97 feet wide, and draws 31 feet of water.

The Lexington left Tacoma on January 16, after furnishing power to the city for ten days because there was insufficient water available there to operate the city plant and the available steam plant facilities were inadequate.

Britain Builds Bulk of World's Shipping

London.—Britain now builds more than half the world's ships. She has almost recovered her pre-war position, after ten years of acute depression, according to well-informed shipping quarters.

The famous Wear yards are already building as much as in 1914, when British construction was 90 per cent of the world's new tonnage. Other areas are not yet back to pre-war records, but the Clyde is building almost as much as France, Germany and Holland put together, and the North-east coast is building more than Norway, Sweden, Denmark, the United States and Japan combined.

"The past year has been one of the best since the post-war depression," said a member of a leading firm of British shipbuilders in an interview.

"When final figures for the year become available it probably will be revealed that tonnage launched and under construction in 1929 amounted to 1,500,000. The figures to hand so far show that for the first year since the war, the tonnage we have constructed as an industry for overseas customers has exceeded pre-war totals.

"The shipbuilding industries of Germany, France, Italy and Denmark have declined tremendously. Foreign shipowners have been turned steadily to British yards for their new ships. This last year they gave twice the orders given in 1928."

Soviet Women Give Up Jewels to Aid Country

Moscow.—Women in a number of Soviet cities are reported to be voluntarily giving up their jewels towards a fund to assist the industrialization of the country.

A movement for the collection of jewels was started in Ribinsk and the idea spread to other cities. Bracelets, rings, necklaces and other items were contributed by housewives and office workers in Ribinsk.

The press is especially pleased to find among the contributed items jewel encrusted crosses. The sacrifices of these crosses serves at the same time the anti-religious and the industrialization drives.

Boy's Dog Held Immune

Little Rock, Ark.—"You can't part the kid from his pup," Attorney General Hal Norwood said in declaring the state dog tax unconstitutional. Scores of boys wrote him letters of thanks.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By GRANT DIXON

Be It Never So Humble You know the old saying about what half of the world doesn't know about the other half. For better understanding, then, let's look into how a few millionaires live.

Mr. E. E. Hutton's little flat is a mere triplex. According to report, neither Mr. Hutton, the chief housekeeper nor the architect knows exactly how many rooms there are, but the estimate is 65. The rent is reported to be \$75,000 a year.

Arthur Brisbane's triplex apartment was to have had 63 rooms, but Mr. Brisbane wanted larger chambers. So there are only 40. The living room is two stories high, 60 feet long, and has a log burning fireplace in either end.

One of the new buildings going up is a large affair of fourteen stories—yet it will contain only seven apartments. But what apartments! Many of the new developments along the East river feature private yacht landings, gymnasiums and swimming pools. J. H. Carpenter has one with gold Gorknobs.

Sky Dwellers

And, speaking of buildings it might be interesting to inquire into what persons or establishments occupy the top floors of some of the skyscrapers.

In the early days of the skyscrapers, when thirteen stories was a dizzying height, people had their doubts about occupying space so lofty. When the city's first skyscraper, the thirteen story Tower building, was built more than a generation ago, the owner feared that no one could be persuaded to rent the upper floors. In order to reassure people, Bradford Lee Gilbert, the architect, took the thirteenth floor for his own offices.

Aerial Campus

Coming to modern times, we find that the campus of New York university is on the fortieth floor of the Woolworth building. The topmost three floors of the Chrysler building—the sixty-sixth, seventh and eighth, will be occupied by the Cloud club, an exclusive restaurant. A twenty-one year lease has been signed, the total rental being more than \$4,000,000.

Across Forty-second street, and slightly lower, is the tea room on the fifty-sixth and topmost floor of the Chanin building. There is an outdoor promenade around this floor. Two or three stories below is a tiny theater, the highest in the world.

The fifty-third floor of the Lincoln building, near Grand Central, is three stories high, and was designed to be a gymnasium. It may, however, be converted to other uses. At the fifth level of the skyscraper at 1 Wall Street is a lounge for tired bankers. And the rent, so high up? It is almost four times the rent on lower floors.

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Twins, Triplets and Some Quadruplets

New Haven.—It's no real thrill for Michael Salzo to be told he's the proud father once again. His wife, Josephine, thirty-nine, just presented to him twins. In some families that's news, but not in the Salzo family, for look at the Salzo birth chart:

1912—Married; 1914—Carmel (died); 1915—Carmel; 1916—Phillip and Mary (twins); 1917—Tony; 1919—Anna; 1920—Tony; 1922—Michael, Sally, James and Angelina (quadruplets); 1923—Peter; 1924—James, Helen and Angelina (triplets); 1925—William; 1930—Twins (unnamed as yet).

Of the eighteen children, nine are living. There have been two sets of twins, a set of triplets and a set of quadruplets. Of the quadruplets, all are dead except the boy, Michael.

The triplets died soon after birth. Of the first set of twins, Mary died when she was thirteen months old.

Dancing Bear Exhibitions in Bavaria to Be Barred

Munich.—Bavaria's dancing bears, once commonly exhibited along the mountain highways by itinerant gypsies, are to be abolished altogether, the state government believing that the exhibitions are often connected with cruel treatment of the animals.

Roman Coins Found

Sofia.—In the Bulgarian village of Dewnja two brothers, Todoroff, while digging in their vineyard, discovered several pounds of gold and silver coins which date from Roman times.

Novice's Gold Strike Lures Prospectors

Wickenburg, Ariz.—Jack Gardner, building contractor, who turned to prospecting and made a gold strike in the desert after the recent stock market crash took all his money, recently had become a Pied Piper with a pick.

Business men, clerks, school teachers, tourists and laborers, were following Gardner's trail into the newly discovered diggings located within two miles of the old Vulture mine, which a few years ago was a bonanza. Gardner's pick uncovered gold ore which was said to assay \$100,000 a ton.

Children Cry for it CASTORIA Advertisement with image of the product box.

Children hate to take medicine as a rule, but every child loves the taste of Castoria. And this pure vegetable preparation is just as good as it tastes; just as bland and harmless as the recipe reads.



For COLDS

We all catch colds and they can make us miserable but yours needn't last long if you will do this: Take two or three tablets of Bayer Aspirin just as soon as possible after a cold starts.

BAYER ASPIRIN

Tired Muscles CAUSE Sleepless Nights RUB Ce-Co LINIMENT Advertisement.

Change First Movie Star—We certainly change as we grow older, don't we? Second Dito—Yes, I used to marry men I wouldn't go out to dinner with now.—Vancouver Province.

Fliers Say Courage Varies with the Way they Feel



AEROPLANE A pilot tells us that their courage, their whole attitude toward flying, varies from day to day, with the way they feel. If they feel full of pep, healthy, they can try anything—nothing frightens them. Their nerve is unshakable; their skill keen; their flying is machine-like in its perfection.

What is the matter with these brave people when they are not up to par? The natural poisons in their bodies have not been swept away. They are dulled by poisons which should not be permitted to remain in the body.

**O. H. Stillman and
Buried Wednesday**

O. H. Stillman and her newly
babe died Monday evening at
family home located 13 miles
west of Littlefield on the Pep
ay. The deceased had been suf-
fering from the flu for about a week
prior to her death.
Prior to her marriage her name was
Mary Fritz. She was born in
north of August, 1884, at Bee
Texas. Dec. 26, 1915 she was
married to O. H. Stillman, they living
happily for more than 15
years. To this union four children
were born, the last born passing this
morning to the mother.
Stillman joined the Methodist
church in 1915 and was ever after a
devout member. She was a good wife
and affectionate mother. She was 38
years of age at the time of her death,
which occurred six months and eight days of
age.

Stillman is survived by her
son, O. H. Stillman; three child-
ren, Viola Lee, 13; Viola Grace, 10;
Agnes, 5; her mother, Mrs.
Mary Hass, of Austin; two sis-
ters, Elsie Spillman, Austin;
Agnes Smith, Lubbock; three
brothers: Carl and Robert Fritz, Ce-
lar, Texas; Fred Hass, Austin.
Funeral services of the mother
will be held in Lubbock Wed-
nesday afternoon, conducted by the
pastor of that city, and the
burial will be made in the Lubbock
cemetery, mother and babe being bur-
ied in the same casket. Burleson & Co.
funeral directors had charge of arrange-
ments.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

In honor of the tenth birthday of
Lattimer, his mother, Mrs. Eu-
lattimer, entertained a number
of friends with a party Tuesday
evening at her home.

Various games were played and
Mrs. Lattimer was the recipient of many
gifts.

Refreshments of cake and hot choc-
olate were served to the following:
Halliburton, W. A. Jones, Ed-
anderson, Melba Gene Perkins,
Anderson, Oley Robbins, El-
sa, Bryon, Leone and Zelma
Mary and Loretta Freeman,
Robbins, Welton Battles, Hous-
 Irene Freeman, John Battles,
Stanley, Gerene Horton,
Horton, Jim Battles, T. A. Hen-
ry and Howard, Harold and Il-
Lattimer.

Don't know what's the matter
with my books that the fair ones
don't leave us absolutely un-

Pop-Girl Peeters



Doria Lois Pellham-Cinton,
daughter of the Duke of
Lester, worked for several
months behind the counter in a New
York store without disclosing her
name.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Worshiping, 11:00 a. m.
Communion, 12:00 a. m.
Singing People's Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
Singing, 7:30 p. m.
All are invited to attend these
services.

Tenth Preventable

Tenths of all the diseases of the
human people can be traced directly
to constipation, doctors say. Constipa-
tion throws into the system poisons
which irritate and weaken every organ
of the body and make them easy
targets for any germs which attack
them. Prevent constipation and you
prevent the source of all diseases,
their consequent pain and fe-
ver. Herbin, the good old
cathartic, will prevent con-
stipation in a natural, easy and
safe way. Get a bottle today from
the Alexander Drug Company.

SPECIAL LOT PRICES

Resident lots in Little-
field close in and convenient
schools, to be closed out
soon.
Interested, see any of
our agents, or call at our
field office.
Yellow House Land Co.

**FINDS STATE BANKS
WELL SUPERVISED**

**Bankers Body Sees Less Politics
in Banking Departments With
Better Facilities in the Hands
of the Responsible Officials.**

A survey of state banking depart-
ments by the State Bank Division,
American Bankers Association, dis-
closes a distinct tendency the past five
years to take bank supervision out of
politics, to increase the discretionary
powers of bank commissioners, to
strengthen their terms of office, to sup-
ply them with adequate forces of
qualified examiners and to relieve
banking departments of duties foreign
to banking, says a recent statement
issued by the association.
"We have consistently urged that
the office of bank commissioner be as
free from partisan politics as the ju-
diciary itself and that it be divorced
from all other functions of state gov-
ernment," the statement says. "Fur-
ther, that his term of office be made
more secure and lasting, with suffi-
cient salary and power granted to at-
tract and retain the services of men
of outstanding executive ability, cour-
age, resourcefulness and successful
banking experience."

"Five years ago the first survey of
state banking departments by the divi-
sion demonstrated the need for im-
provements. On the basis of data
now in hand it is evident that, through
the revision of statutes in many states,
rapid steps are being taken in the
right direction. One by one the states
are coming to recognize the primary
importance of strong, competent bank-
ing departments. The demand for in-
creasing the effectiveness of banking
departments is beginning to be met."
How Bank Commissioners Are Chosen
The office of bank commissioner is
now operated as an independent de-
partment of state government in thirty-
four states, the bankers find. In
two states the bank commissioner is
elected at general elections; in one he
is appointed from eligible lists of the
civil service and in another he is se-
lected by the banks. In one state the
bankers' association elects a list of
five names from which the governor
appoints one as superintendent of
banks; in another he is appointed by
the State Corporation Commission and
in another by the State Banking
Board.

"Terms of office of bank commis-
sioners have been lengthened in sev-
eral states during the last five years,"
the report says. "In 28 states the
term is four years, in one, five years,
and in three it is six years and in
some the term is indefinite. A short
term is condemned on the grounds
that the commissioner has insufficient
time to become thoroughly conversant
with his field work. A longer term
permits his rendering useful service
through capitalizing his experience.
Five years ago the average length of
service was less than three years,
while now it has risen to five years."

Higher Standards Required
"Signs of an awakening to the ne-
cessity of making successful banking
experience a qualification for bank
commissioner are evident. While eleven
states report no banking experi-
ence necessary, the majority require
experience of this sort, ranging from
two to five years. Twelve states now
have banking boards, with powers
ranging from acting in an advisory
capacity to full power over all state
banks to issue and reject charters.
"A healthy sign is the number of
reports which disclose that the com-
missioners have full power to appoint
bank examiners or that these appoint-
ments are made from civil service
lists. This power is now granted to
the commissioner by twenty-seven
states. Three require that selection
be from civil service lists. Complaints
are still made in a few states of po-
litical pressure in the appointment of
examiners, but the contrary seems to
be true in a growing number of states.
The most capable commissioner can-
not successfully perform his duties
unless he is able to command the
services of efficient, honest examiners.
The safety of depositors is dependent
on their work, and their appointment,
fitness and compensation are highly
important. The number of examiners
has increased 27 per cent in the last
five years."

**BANKERS TO HOLD
GREAT CONVENTION**

Cleveland, Ohio, has been desig-
nated for the 1929 annual convention
of the American Bankers Association.
This organization, which numbers
about 20,000 banks with \$65,000,000,000
in assets, is annually the nation's most
important financial event. The attend-
ance ranges between five and ten
thousand.

Cleveland is especially significant
in the history of the Association's edu-
cational traditions since it was in this
city, when the organization last met
there in the year 1899, that the origi-
nal resolution was presented looking
to the formation of an educational
section. This subsequently resulted in
the American Institute of Banking in
which are now enrolled 35,000 bank
men and women engaged in the study
of the technical and scientific phases
of the business.

PERSONAL ITEMS

J. H. White of Amherst, was here
on business, Tuesday.

Miss Fern Hoover made a trip to
Lubbock Monday evening.

E. M. Hart, of Anton, transacted
business here Tuesday.

Mrs. E. S. Rowe made a trip to
Lubbock, Tuesday.

Otto Jones attended the Oakland
and Pontiac dealers meeting in Lub-
bock Monday.

A carload of new Oakland cars was
received Tuesday by the Jones Bros.
Motor Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blessing accom-
panied by Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales,
made a trip to Lubbock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones and son,
Jody Elmo, accompanied by Mrs. J.
E. Elmo, spent last Monday in Lub-
bock.

Fred Hoover left Monday for Den-
ver, Colorado, to be at the bedside of
his mother, Mrs. Loretta Hoover, who
is seriously ill.

A total of \$90.00 were the pro-
ceeds realized by the Parent-Teachers
Association from the minstrel staged
last week by the local Rotary club.

The Jones Brothers Motor Com-
pany report two-door Pontiac sales to
G. C. Holden, Sudan; W. D. Boone,
Rev. Joe L. Grizzle, H. C. Sisson and
L. C. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sadler went to
Lubbock Monday where they were in
attendance at the wedding of her
nephew R. C. Tom, son of Mr. and
Mrs. P. C. Tom of that city.

W. H. Cook and Len Dobbs went
to Munday, Sunday, returning by
way of Abilene. They were accom-
panied upon their return from there by
Miss Lorene Eagan, who is a student
in McMurray college at that place.

J. L. Townsend, butcher for the G
& H Grocery store returned Wednes-
day from a business trip to Dallas,
stopping at Fort Worth, where he ar-
ranged the meat decoration for the
Fat Stock Show, to be held at that
place.

Otto Jones and family visited in
Anton last Sunday in the home of J.
R. Higgins.

Mrs. W. E. Jefferies, who has been
in a Lubbock sanitarium for the past
three weeks underwent a major opera-
tion there Monday. At last report
Wednesday she was doing nicely, and
her complete recovery is expected
soon.

**POWER OF THE COUNTRY
NEWSPAPER**

According to Ayers Newspaper Dir-
ectory, there are some 13,000 smaller
city dailies and country weekly new-
spapers in the United States, outnum-
bering all other newspapers published.

These are read by the great majori-
ty of home owning, tax paying Ameri-
can citizens. These newspapers are
nearly all owned individually by the
country editors and publishers and
are read by the great middle class of
people comprising our workers and
thinkers from which our most success-
ful national leaders are picked.

Like the painters and artists, the
poets and musicians, the country edi-
tors of our country are mostly indi-
vidualists. They do not live in the sky
scrapers of the big cities, but consti-
tute the great body political of our
country and voice the consciousness
of the nation—that means American
conservation, family life and business
stability. They are stronger than Wall
Street, more powerful than congress,
or the Senate, and their voice is heard
in the International Naval Conference
and the Court of the World.—Manu-
facturers Magazine.

SCOUTS MEET FRIDAY

The organization of Boy Scouts will
hold a court of honor in the Baptist
church, Friday at 8:00 p. m. Rev. L.
G. H. Williams and Mr. Eaton of Lub-
bock will have charge of the program.
The public in general is invited to
attend, and parents of the boys are
urged to be present and see what their
sons are accomplishing in this work.

EXPLOSION KILLS FAMILY

North Braddock, Penn.—James
Wolford, his wife, and children, Jack,
5, and Lucille, 3 were thrown from
their beds by an explosion which shat-
tered a three story apartment house
and set it afire. All four of them died
in a few hours from burns received.

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		PEAS , Happydale, No. 2. can12 1-2
		TOMATOES , Wapco No. 2 can10
		SPINACH , Libby's No. 1 can12 1-2
		PEACHES , Libby's No. 2 1-2 can27
CAKES Brown's Marshmal- low, 22c lb., 2½ lbs	.47	BREAD Fresh Daily from Littlefield Bakery	7½c
SARDINES , 1-4 oil tins05	SOAP , Luna, 10 bars37
SOAP , Palmolive, 3 bars21	LYE , Hudson, 3 for27

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Political Announcements

The Lamb County Leader is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 26, 1926.

For District Judge, 64th District
CHARLES CLEMENTS

For County Judge
SIMON D. HAY

For County and District Clerk:
A. H. McGAVOCK
A. M. HOLT
J. W. (Jake) HOPPING

For County Treasurer:
M. M. (Jimmie) BRITTAIN
MISS BESSIE BELLAMY
G. W. HARGROVE

For County Tax Assessor:
ROY GILBERT
A. A. WHYTE
EDWARD N. RAY

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
J. L. (Len) IRVIN
F. H. BOSTICK
G. R. (Bob) CRIM
O. H. BROWN

For County Attorney
T. WADE POTTER

For Superintendent of Schools
CARL G. CLIFFT

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
ELLIS J. FOST

For Commissioner Precinct 3:
C. E. STRAWN
M. P. REID

For Public Weigher, Precinct 4
A. L. PORTER

For Tax Collector
T. L. MATTHEWS

WORKING IN TOWN

We've often wondered how many people around Littlefield who still consider the auto a luxury have taken into consideration the fact that it has produced an entirely new class of workers in the United States. This is the combination farmer-industrial worker, men and youths who are essentially farmers but who can now work in nearby towns and cities and still look after the farm.

Back in the horse and buggy days this was impossible. The farm boy, or man could not get his chores done and get to the canning factory, cotton gin, packing plant, sugar mill or other industry in time to start with the regular force. And it would have taken too long to get home after the day's work was done. But it's different now, for by using an auto, and with good roads constantly getting better, they can live on a farm and still work in town

IT WENT THROUGH

We are more than glad to announce that the Senate has passed the Dwell-Phipps bill which increases federal aid for highways from \$75,000,000 to \$125,000,000 a year for the next 3 years. Every good road enthusiast around Littlefield should throw his hat in the air for it took a long, hard fight to get it.

It may not mean a mile of good new road in our immediate vicinity this year or next. But every mile of roads built anywhere in the United States helps this and every other community in an indirect way. Late on we will benefit directly because our own state will now have a greater opportunity to get its share of federal aid when it is prepared to meet the requirements necessary to securing it.

It's a big victory for the good roads advocates of the nation, this increased appropriation. It means, too, that still more of our Federal taxes and revenues are going to be put where it will bring real benefits.

Russia says she has "pronounced ideas of freedom." But the trouble is the other nations can't pronounce them.

THERE'S A MORAL HERE

Did you ever stop to think that hard times means nothing to a hen? She just keeps on digging worms and laying eggs regardless of what is said about conditions. If the ground is hard she scratches harder. If it's dry she digs deeper. If she strikes a rock, she works around it. But always she digs up worms and turns them into hard-shelled profits as well as tender broilers. Did you ever see a pessimistic hen? Did you ever know of one starving to death waiting for worms to dig themselves to the surface? Did you ever hear one cackle because times were hard? Not on your life. She saves her breath for digging and her cackles for eggs.

We're not mentioning any names—but we are wondering how many of our readers can find any moral in this.

Edison says we will soon be making tires out of weeds. Well, that will beat making cigars out of them.

Our idea of a nice soft job would be that of secretary of an Anti-Horse thief Association in Detroit.



LITTLE LEADERS

Whenever you find a model husband around Littlefield the chances are he's an 1890 model.

Littlefield homes have it over city restaurants in one respect. You can always trust the hash at home.

When a Littlefield girl celebrates her birthday she doesn't take a day off. She takes off about two years.

Our idea of an ideal husband is the Littlefield man who acts married even if his wife doesn't happen to be around.

Maybe if the Littlefield girl of today used the same old hair-cloth sofa her mother used she'd wear six petticoats too.

When a homely woman marries a good looking man there isn't a woman in Littlefield who doesn't believe but that a good looking girl will eventually coax him away from her.

SWIMS 48 HOURS

Havana.—Isidra Rivera was rescued today 15 miles off the Oriente coast, after swimming 48 hours in high seas. His fishing boat overturned. His companion was not found and is believed to have been eaten by sharks.

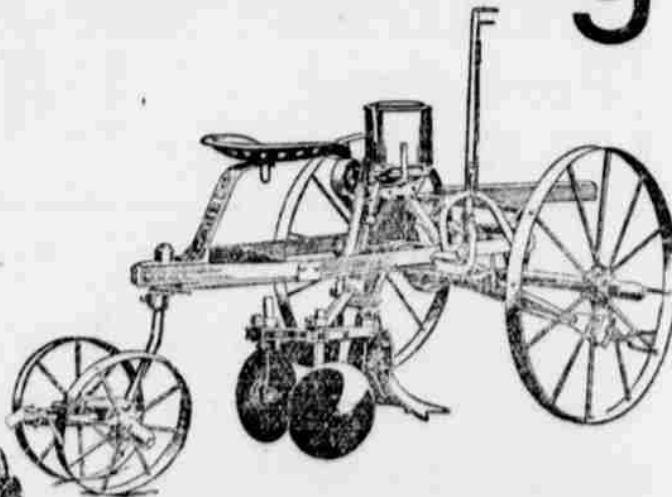
Trench Mouth Healed

Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy heals worst cases if used as directed. It is not a mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee.

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Come in and see this list—get full details.

LFD. SCHOOL NEWS

Junior Play

The Junior class of the Littlefield High school presents, "The Poor Married Man" Friday night at eight o'clock at the Auditorium.

Will the "Poor Married Man" free himself from the clutches of a mother in law? Can he? Come and see. Fun, tears and laughter. Be there!

Teams Meet At Lubbock

The various High school debating teams of Lamb County will meet in Lubbock, Friday for a county try-out.

This tournament is to determine the two high point debating teams of the county.

These teams will meet again at the County Interscholastic league meet, which will be held at Sudan, March 21 and 22.

Future Farmer's Club

Members of the Future Farmers club attended the Lamb County Baby Beef show held at Amherst, Tuesday afternoon.

FRALEY BEATS OWENS IN TEN ROUND GO LAST MONDAY

There was a representative bunch of local fans and several visitors to witness the pugilistic combat Monday night in the old skating rink between Lee Fraley, local man and Marlan Owens of Anton.

It was a 10 round go in which Fraley had the best of it all the way thru, though he was slightly outweighed by Owens. In the first four rounds Owens stood up pretty well before the local fist artist, but it became clearly visible by fans attending that in the fol-

lowing rounds Lee was getting punches so that Owens might be to last the full 10 rounds and auditors get their money's worth. Jack Johnson, of San Angelo present and challenged the winner a fight March 18, which will probably be fought here.

There were three preliminary scraps between youngsters, the erts brothers furnishing some interesting "hammer and tong" work.

P.-T. A. MEETING

The Parent Teachers Association met Wednesday afternoon in the School auditorium.

A George Washington play given by the pupils of Miss Mary Teal. Mrs. C. O. Coen made an interesting talk on "How to Prepare School Lunches."

After a short business session meeting adjourned to meet Wednesday of next week. An interesting program will be given at that time all parents are urged to attend.

Any school boy can tell you a telephone is for until you try it central in a hurry.

Nature Thought of Everything

Nature thought of everything in the human body was made. The body is about to become ill. The planned danger signals to warn. Thus, if our children grind their teeth when they sleep, or lack appetite, suffer from abdominal pains, or about the nose and fingers, we know that they may have worms. Then, if we are wise, we bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge safely and surely expel the worms. We avoid the danger of very serious trouble. White's Cream Vermifuge only 35c a bottle, and can be bought at Stokes-Alexander Drug Company.

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PARENTS DAY FRIDAY
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 Second Friday of each Month
 At 7:30 P. M.
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 Dr. John Dupree
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 A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

MANY CHINESE DIE
 New York.—Five succeeding and almost complete crop failures, followed by the coldest winter in decades, have caused the death of two million people in Shensi, according to Grover Clark, officer of China International Famine Relief Commission.

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PEP PARAGRAPHS
 John Scott shot three coyotes this week. This makes a total of 68 coyotes killed by Mr. Scottin less than two years.
 A. G. Jungman, the taxidermist, is mounting some of the coyotes recently killed by Mr. Scott. Mr. Jungman is making into a rug for Miss Elizabeth Lupton, the hide of a large timber wolf which Miss Lupton recently received from her brother in law, R. M. Snyder, a forest ranger in New Mexico.
 Joe Bichsel and Mr. Hoffstein from Nazareth, Texas visited in Pep last week.
 T. F. Hurtle from Benjamin was in Pep week attending a meeting of the Pep gin directors.
 J. E. Stengel and family were shopping in Lubbock Saturday.
 The children in the primary grades gave a nice Washington program for chapel exercises last Friday. A short play composed by themselves was an interesting number.
 In the tennis doubles, Blanche Stengel and Louisa Heitzman will represent the Pep school at the Interscholastic meet.

LADIES AUXILIARY
 The ladies auxiliary of the Presbyterian church, met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Warren Rutledge in her home.
 The society voted to send Mrs. E. A. Bills as delegate to the Presbyterial which meets at Tulia the last of this month.
 Mrs. Wm. Fulton had charge of the devotional and Mrs. W. O. Stockton, gave an interesting lesson on "What the City Does to People."
 A dainty salad course was served to one visitor, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, and the following members: Mesdames E. A. Bills, Chas. Barber, Mike Brewer, W. F. Fulton, Ray Jones, F. G. Sadler, W. O. Stockton, L. M. Touchon, Harry Wiseman, A. L. Wright, F. W. Wynn, Walter Argain and Mrs. H. B. Speck.

HELP KEEP LITTLEFIELD CLEAN!

LITTLEFIELD H. D. C. MEETS
 The Littlefield Woman's Home Demonstration club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Roberts.
 We had a very helpful discussion on color and line in the home, by the local leader, Mrs. L. L. Massingill and a general round table discussion.
 We are glad to have Mrs. G. C. Wigington, of Anton, as a new member of the club.
 The following visitors were present Mesdames, H. L. Stanton, M. G. Vinther, C. E. Strawn, Floyd Dyer, Lealie Barker and Jess Bitner, and members: Mesdames Touchon, Yohner, R. Byers, L. L. Massingill, J. L. Dow W. H. Roberts, Roy Spann, Viola Matthews, Virgil Bitner, J. R. Kukendall, V. H. Matthews and Roy B. McQuarters.
 The next meeting will be held on Thursday, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Byers, two miles east on the Lubbock highway and two miles south.
 The lesson will be the living room and all members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome.—Reporter.

FIDELAS CLASS INVITES
 The Fidelas Class of the First Baptist church meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock and all young ladies of the city who do not attend Sunday school elsewhere are cordially invited to meet with us.
 Our class is well organized and a large number attends regularly, and a spirit of friendliness and enthusiasm prevails.
 We missed those who were absent last Sunday and expect to see them next Sunday. Come early, be present promptly at the opening exercises at 9:45, you will hear an interesting talk at that time. Come, let's have 100 per cent attendance Sunday.—Reporter.

HAVE BIG TRADES DAY
 There were more than 500 visitors to register at the regular monthly trades day held at Earth last Saturday.
 The feature of the daily program was giving away of a pure bred Jersey cow.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Want ads., Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, Miscellaneous, etc. **RATES:** Classified, first insertion, 10c per line; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 7 1/2c per line; obituaries, 5c per line; poetry, 10c per line. Unless advertiser has an open account, cash must accompany order.

FOR SALE
FOR SALE: SEVERAL CHOICE YOUNG MILK COWS. SOME NOW FRESH, OTHERS FRESH SOON. THESE ARE REAL MILKERS. Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co. tf:

FOR SALE—Typewriting paper, yellow second sheets, carbon paper, scratch pads in odd sizes. Leader office. dh-tf

FOR SALE: Team and tools, and a place for rent. W. E. Stevens, 2 miles north and 3 miles east of Anton, Tex. 45-4tp

FOR SALE: A-1 White Minorca setting eggs. \$1.00 for 15. See J. W. James, 2 miles east and 4 miles south of Littlefield on Route 2. 45-3tp.

FOR SALE: Carefully graded Mountain Cedar Post, 6 1/2, 7, 8, 10 ft. also telephone poles. Selling direct to consumers, allow inspection. Aylor Cedar Post Co. San Saba, Texas. 45-3tp

FOR SALE: West-Tex and Half and Half Cotton Seed, re-cleaned, \$1.50 per bushel. L. A. Ratliff. 45-4tp

FOR SALE: 2 one-acre residence lots, across street west of Grammar School building, lots No. 2 and No. 9. Address Roy Sliger, Wingate, Texas. 46-8tp.

FOR SALE Trade or lease, Sudan, Texas: Splendid filling station and home on highway, equipped with Phillips pumps. See C. J. Duggan owner, Littlefield, Tex. Phone 66. 46-2tc

FOR SALE: By owner, 100 acres off the south side labor 15, league 666, about 4 miles east of Littlefield. Easy terms. Harold Dahlen, Albert Lea, Minnesota. 46-2tp.

FOR SALE: Silver Lace Wyandotts. Hens and pullets \$1.00 each. Cochere's \$1.50 each. J. F. Gibson, four and one-half mile west on Pep road. 46-2tp

FOR SALE: Baby chicks from trap-nested, Tancard two year old hens, 15 cents each. R. L. Price, Littlefield, Texas. 46-1tc.

MISCELLANEOUS
 DELMONT Nursery has stock of hardy fruit trees, shades, roses and shrubbery, guaranteed to be as good as can be had from anywhere. Plainview Texas. 46-4tp.
 IF you desire to list for sale mineral leases or royalties, address Box 968, Lubbock, Texas. 40-8tp
 HEMSTITCHING: I do all kinds at my home. Mrs. Jennie Parker. 47-1tc.
 WHEN in Littlefield don't forget the Hiway Blacksmith shop, across the Highway south of Ice plant. See me for Blades and Tractor Slides. 47-3tp.
 DRESS-MAKING: Satisfaction guaranteed, prices right. Mrs. C. Smith at Mrs. Turners Rooming House. 47-4tp

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FRESH BREAD
HOT ROLLS AND PIES
 Whole Wheat Bread
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 Full Satisfaction is Guaranteed
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 Estate Gas Cook Ranges are among the most modern ranges on the market today. They are exclusive in having the "Fresh Air" Oven (built like a double boiler) that bakes everything perfectly uniform in shape and color.
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 Prompt, courteous service and delivery.
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 Gold Leaf, Silver Leaf, Aluminum Leaf, Bronze, or Paint Signs.
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 We get you the highest possible dollar for your goods.
 See us for dates.
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The SANDMAN STORY

ABOUT BIDDLE, THE CAT

"YOU have often heard of Biddle Birdsall, the cat," said the Sandman, "and I have one more story to tell you of Biddle."

"Only one more?" asked Nick and Nancy together.

"Yes," said the Sandman, "this is the story of Biddle's last adventure, and it is a true story just as all the animal stories that are told are true stories."

"As you know, Biddle was a real cat. He belonged to a little girl named Gertrude. She had tried to say 'Kitty' when she was a very small girl.

"And 'Biddle' was the best she was able to do. So they had always called him Biddle.

"He was a tiny kitten when Gertrude was a baby. He had wandered to the house where Gertrude lived



Wore a Little Collar With Many Bells and as he seemed to be a little walf kitty, Gertrude's mother and daddy took him in and gave him a comfortable home.

"Biddle was always called Gertrude's cat for he arrived only a little bit later than Gertrude had arrived.

"Biddle was a very remarkable cat. He was devoted to the family and he did many very clever things. He always wore a little collar with many bells upon it so as to warn the birds that he was about, and would catch and eat them if they were not careful.

"Gertrude had thought that was only fair to the birds and she was quite right.

"In time Gertrude grew up. She was almost a 'young lady' now and Biddle was getting to be a very old cat.

"Oh, Biddle didn't care much about adventures as he once had. He didn't care to wander and play as he had

when he was only a silly, playful little kitten.

"He liked to sit in a big chair which was always called Biddle's chair, and there he would sleep—though when the family told visitors of the wonderful things Biddle did he always half-blinked his eyes and listened to what was being said about him.

"His family had moved from the house where they had lived for a great many years. They had gone to another house in the same town and Biddle had waited until the last of the furniture had been moved before he went along, too.

"He was quite willing to go with them. He knew they must go. And he made himself quite at home in the new house—his old chair was there and the family were there and if he felt sad at all, he made the best of things.

"He grew older and older of course and with age came great feebleness. But he was very happy and very contented.

"He was petted a great deal. Old age was as nice as youth, he had decided.

"One day he acted rather strangely. He seemed to be thinking very hard.

"Suddenly he got up from his chair. Suddenly he moved, though for a long time he had always moved very carefully, very slowly.

"With a tremendous spurt he had jumped up and had bounded out of the house with all his one-time youthful sprightliness.

"He dashed across the street and out of sight.

"In a little while the telephone rang. The people who now lived in the house where Biddle had once lived were telephoning.

"'Biddle is here,' they said. 'We heard a cat purring and found him outside the door. He seemed to want to come in. He ran right into the study and sat on the desk—just where you once told us he always used to sit, and there he is now. We thought you might worry about him as you said he never left the house these days.'

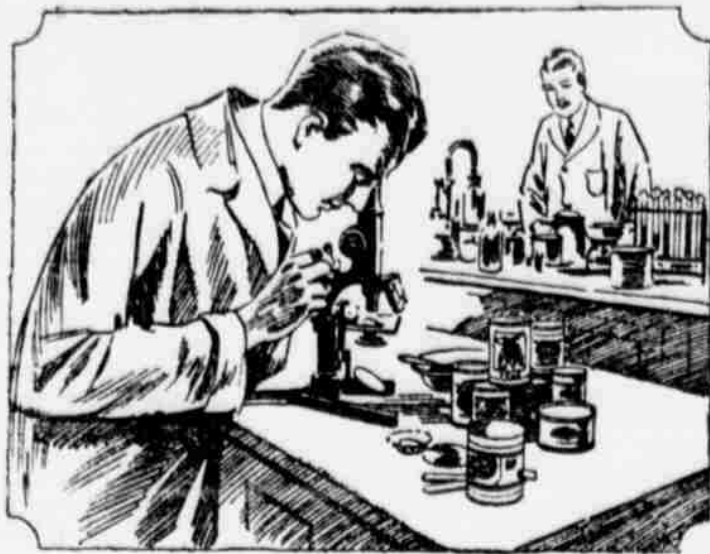
"An hour passed. Biddle had sat on the desk all that time, taking in all the dear familiar walls, the dear familiar glow and sparkle from the fireplace. Suddenly his energy seemed to have left him.

"Wearily he got down and dragged himself home. He went back to his old chair. Yes, he was an old, old cat and his days would not be many more. But he had seen his old home again. He had made one last splendid spurt and it had carried him through.

"Biddle had had his last adventure."

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Science Plays Its Part



THE annual convention of the National Canners' Association will be held in the gigantic Hotel Stevens in Chicago from January twentieth to January twenty-fourth, and the annual conventions of the National Food Brokers and Canning Machinery and Supplies Associations will be held there at the same time. This triple event is of great interest to the general public because the consumption of canned foods in the United States is growing by leaps and bounds.

A Clearing House
More than seven thousand persons interested in commercial canning gathered at these conventions which were held in the same place last year, and there was a huge exhibit of all the marvelous mechanical devices which have been invented to make commercial canning safe, sanitary and inexpensive.

Every phase of the canning industry is discussed during these four days, and there are many addresses by eminent scientists who have been drawn into this great industry to contribute their quota of knowledge as to the best possible ways of processing canned foods.

Among the speakers at this convention last year were representatives of the Institute of Economics of Washington, D. C., many from the various scientific divisions of the United States Department of Agriculture, of Purdue University Agricultural Station, of Iowa State College of Agriculture, of the University of Maryland, of Michigan State College and many scientists in the employ of the extensive Research Laboratories which the National Canners' Association maintains in Washington, D. C., and in San Francisco, Calif.

JOKE ON MOB

Detroit.—A mob of 500 persons shouted denunciations against the Mexican Government but the joke was on the mob which gathered in front of the wrong building and missed the Mexican consulate.

CIRCUS MOTORIZES

Indianapolis.—Genry Bros. Circus has ordered 48 motor trucks and 18 busses which will be used in transporting circus and personnel.

WINS AND DIES

Louisville, Ga.—Buster Edenville, bet \$15.00 that he could drink a quart of liquor. He did and died before a physician could reach him.

KILLS SELF AS PROTEST

Manilla.—Feliciano Rizal, 64, committed suicide after a protest against the race riots in California, which he said had humiliated him.

BOYS DIE ON SLED

Madison, Wis.—Three boys, all under 14, were killed when their sled crossed a street intersection and was crushed by a speeding automobile.

JAPAN HAS SMALL MONEY

Washington.—Japan is following the example of the United States and her new bank notes will appear small size next spring.

COURAGE OF IDEAS BRINGS SUCCESS TO THE SEEKERS

By S. W. STRAUS, President American Society For Thrift

Seventeen years ago a young immigrant arrived in the United States. He was without money and with only a meager education. Recently he was placed at the head of a large corporation which operates throughout the United States. When asked the secret of his success, he replied:

"I have succeeded mainly because I had the courage of my ideas. My observation has been that many men and women have ideas that are sound but they do not possess that quality of putting their thoughts into action. When I left my native land other boys in my neighborhood had the same desires but I was the only one who came. Upon arriving here I decided first of all that if I was willing to give up comforts and small luxuries for a while I would soon have a sum of money with which to make a start in business. Other young fellows had the same idea but they did not put this plan into effect. They drifted along spending all they made.

"The man who succeeds is not always the smartest or the most capable. Many others have equally good ideas, but these come to naught unless they are translated into terms of accomplishment."

Let us hope that every person who reads this quotation will apply it personally. Too many of us waste opportunities for advancement because we will not "knuckle down" to the things we know we should do for our own good.

Fulton was not the first man to dream of a ship propelled by steam; Hill was not the first to realize the possibilities of the North West Empire nor was Edison the first to foresee the wizardry of electricity.

Dreams are of no practical value until they become true. The drifter of today is a failure not because he does not know what he should do to succeed. He fails because he will not do the things he knows should be done. He will not economize, make sacrifice endure hardships and work hard.

Long winded sermons on success are not necessary. Any person with common sense can make plans. The great point is to carry them out.

So far, the new president of Mexico has only been fired at six times. His inaugural day was a close shave for Rubio.

Would You Know One If You Saw It?

If you ever came face to face with a germ, would you recognize it? Of course it is not likely that you will see a germ, unless you own a tremendously powerful microscope. You would have to magnify one one thousand times to make it as big as a pin head. But you should recognize the fact that these tiny germs can get into your blood streams through the smallest cut, and give you typhoid fever, tuberculosis, lockjaw, diphtheria and perhaps fatal diseases. There is one sure safeguard against these dangers—washing every cut, no matter how small, thoroughly with Liquid Borosone, the safe antiseptic. You can get Liquid Borosone at Stokes-Alexander Drug Company.

Bill Der Say

The dollar that goes the farthest is the dollar that stays at home.



MODERN BROODER HOUSES

PRODUCE HEALTHY CHICKS
The experienced poultryman realizes that clean, well ventilated brooder houses help to produce profitable chicks. If you are planning to raise a few chickens this year, better get materials for brooder houses soon. We want to figure with you on your building costs.

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Littlefield, Texas

DANGEROUS!
Chicago.—Frederick Rex, stacciano says that in 1913, 1323 women were injured getting on street cars while in 1925 only 328 met with accident. In 1913 skirts were longer.

ARMY NEEDS RIFLES
Washington.—Major General Fugua, chief of infantry, declares that the next war will find the doughboy going into battle with the army rifle which will never become obsolete.

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No order too large—none too small—for us to fill promptly and satisfactorily.

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The MAN That SAVES You MONEY!

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Swift's Jewel 8 pounds for

FLOUR \$1.12
ENN'S BEST 49 pounds for

POTATOES, Fancy white, lb.04

ONIONS, Spanish sweet, lb.03 1-2

CORN, Silver Leaf, No. 212 1-2

PEAS, Happydale No. 212 1-2

HOMINY, Van Camp's, med. can,07 1-2

BEANS .10
Green Cut Ray Way No. 2 Can for

CAKES .47
Brown's Marshmallow, 22c lb., 2½ lbs.

SALMON, Pink, tall can19

SALMON, Red, tall can31

SOAP, Luna, 10 bars37

LYE, Hudson, 3 for27

OLD APPLE TREES

DOUGLAS MALLOCH

Apple trees grow tired of bearing. In spring, and fruit in fall, the trees grow tired of all this plucking and not caring. At some old apple tree, in the best season, this could be seen: the old man kneeling on the sod, holding the tree, and thanking God, for the apples that there be. The trees grown tired of bearing. The weary of the wearing harness; even men a little now and then taking and not caring. One night that some old bird and youth grateful for the fire, the roof, and all. The old trees less soon would old hearts less soon would

1929, Douglas Malloch

THE WHY OF SUPERSTITIONS

H. IRVING KING

BIRDS OF ILL OMEN

Even and the crow are so related that they are recalled by the same name and superstitious purposes are one all parts of the world, from memorial, the crow—or raven—is regarded with a superstition. The Australian aborigine, the Indian, the German, the farmer of old England, New England, hear in his raven a warning of death or mis-

versal superstition with reference to the crow can evidently have in no mythological association. The various and widely separated which entertain it prove springs entirely from the characteristics of the bird—its gloomy color and its harsh, menacing voice—characteristics calculated to inspire the mind with a sense of foreboding. To this is the crow's reputation as a crop destroyer and his actions as if he were an enemy.

Superstition is merely one arbitrary association of ideas with a present symbolic of those things which are natural to the primitive mind and always. It is true that in the mythology of the raven, the screaming bird of Odin and the crow went forth to war. But the present to this position was on account of those characteristics which in lands that never made the crow a harbinger to the superstitious.

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Dear Editor:

A book review by Sinclair and it didn't have a single criticism or bitterness in it. That's like those phrased testimonials that sign with an illiterate good to be true. We're starting out on a trip about it from day to day. Does Beauville's poor house, that set so far out in the that six steady borders repay. They actually got jobs back to town. I'll bet the that bad about that.

—FRED BARTON.
(Copyright.)

PERSTITIOUS SUE



HEARD THAT—wear a hat as a talisman—and old age begone—for it is that promotes long life.

harm do you prefer?
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J. W. HAWKINS DIES

J. W. Hawkins, 53, died Wednesday morning, of last week, at 7:45 o'clock at a Lubbock Hospital, following an operation for kidney trouble.

The deceased for the past four years had resided on a farm six miles southwest of Levelland. Previous to moving there he was a resident of Littlefield, engaged in the real estate business with Mid Seale.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the First Baptist church by Rev. Joe L. Grizzle. Interment was made in the local cemetery. Hammon Brothers, undertakers, were in charge of arrangements.

The deceased is survived by a wife and one son, Hugh Hawkins of Levelland.

GIVE MINSTREL FOR P. T. A.

The Minstrel show given at the High school auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings of last week was well attended and a reasonable sum was realized for the benefit of the Parent-Teachers Association.

The program was under the auspices of the local Rotary club, a number of whom took part in the program together with a number of town men, who were not members, and the Rainbow girls appeared on the program in a very entertaining number. A number of specialties were also given.

Those taking part in the play were: Johnny Pollack, J. W. Hopping, R. E. McCaskill, R. E. Riley, C. H. Grow, Dr. C. C. Clements, Herbert Teal, Kenneth Hemphill, Art Mueller, Sam Rumback, T. Wade Potter, Lloyd Robinson, Roy Blessing, Ross Mayhew, T.

S. Sales, Buddy Johnson, J. S. Hilliard, A. C. Tremain, and Dr. M. V. Cobb.

LEVELLAND NEWS

The work of laying gas mains here started this week, five carloads of material having been unloaded.

Dr. A. M. Chambers, formerly of this place, but who last fall accepted a government position in Utah, has returned to resume his profession in Levelland.

Ellis Rogers and B. C. Mosely, who recently sold a laundry in Tulsa, are here prospecting for a location.

E. L. Woodley South Hockley county farmer will plant 2,000 acres in feed crop this year.

—Hockley Co. Herald.

Spring is not far away, and it is now time for you to begin to beautify your part of Littlefield.

THE JUNIOR PLAY

A three act comedy, "The Poor Married Man", featuring the hen-pecked husband and the famous mother-in-law will be staged at the High school auditorium Friday evening by the Juniors.

Rehearsals are taking place this week

and the class is putting forth much effort to make the affair a success.

Some folks think it is smart to take a verbal slap at the church; they don't know what it is all about.

Few wives think that they married the best available man.

SPECIAL PRICE ON COAL

On account of having to move my scales, I will sell best labeled Coal and Coke at 60 cents per 100 pounds

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On State Highway

LITTLEFIELD

ANALYZE THE ALLOWANCE ON YOUR USED CAR

If a dealer pays you more than the true worth of the car he must make up the difference by extra charges on the new car or re-sell it to some one else at too high a price

PERMANENT value is always better than a temporary bargain in the purchase of an automobile. It pays to look ahead and consider reliability and ultimate up-keep costs, as well as comfort, safety, speed, and beauty of line and color.

Since most automobiles are bought for replacement, the value set on your used car is a factor in almost every purchase. Frequently it is given an importance beyond its true worth.

Used cars have a definite market value and you are justly entitled to an allowance based on that value. It is not fair that you receive less. It is not to your best interests to receive more.

IF a dealer pays you more than the true worth of the car he must either re-sell it to some one else at too high a price or make up the difference on the new car. This he cannot do unless he is allowed an excessive profit on the car or on financing, extra equipment and other charges. In either case, you pay the bill, for no way has yet been found to give something for nothing. The money must come from somewhere.

You may not get the largest used-car allowance from the Ford dealer, but that very fact should give you confidence that you are receiving full value in the new car. Ford charges are not marked up or increased to cover a high trade-in allowance on your old car.

Because there is no waste, extravagance or undue profit in manufacturing, distribution or selling, every dollar you pay for a Ford brings a full dollar in return. In lower first cost, in reliability and long life, in the low cost of operation, service and replacement parts, the Ford will save you much more than the seeming difference in trade allowance.

FURTHERMORE, at least \$75 extra value is given to you in the new Ford in the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, the Rustless Steel, the five steel-spoke wheels, and the four Houdaille hydraulic double-acting shock absorbers. The unusually large number of ball and roller bearings, and the extensive use of fine steel forgings instead of castings or stampings, are other features that show the extra quality built into the Ford car.

Roadster, \$435	Phaeton, \$440	Tudor Sedan, \$500	Coupe, \$500	Sport Coupe, \$530
Two-window Fordor Sedan, \$600	Three-window Fordor Sedan, \$625	Cabriolet, \$645	Town Sedan, \$670	

All prices f. o. b. Detroit. Convenient low time payments arranged through the Universal Credit Company

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OLD AGE INDEPENDENCE MADE SURE THROUGH THRIFT

BY S. W. STRAUSS President, American Society for Thrift

At the present time when there is apparently some distress due to unemployment, it is well to have brought to our attention the great value of

systematic saving and thrift in providing for one's old age. Some interesting figures have been worked out by the American Society for Thrift, showing how one may become financially independent at the age of 65. It is to be assumed that most persons are able to maintain an income until they reach this age at which time most of them feel that they would like to retire and take life easy for the rest

of their days. It is true, of course, that no rule or formula can be laid down that will apply to all cases but it would seem that a plan which calls for a modest amount of saving during one's productive years and provides an income of \$100 a month after the age of sixty-five, would come close to filling the requirements of a vast number of people.

It would require the sum of \$30,000 invested at 4 per cent to provide \$1,200 annuity. If one should begin saving at twenty-one years of age it would only be necessary for him, according to the American Society for Thrift figures, to lay aside \$259.34 a year to achieve this financial independence at sixty-five.

The following figures will show the age at which one may begin saving and the amount necessary to be saved each year until one reaches the age of sixty-five in order to have an income of \$1200 a year thereafter: at twenty-five, \$315.70; thirty, \$407.32; thirty-five, \$534.90; forty, \$720.86; forty-five, \$1,007.16; fifty, \$1,498.24; fifty-five, \$2,498.72; and sixty, \$5,538.82.

These estimates are being based on savings being deposited in a bank or invested at 4 per cent compounded annually. It is more than likely that during at least a number of years the average man could increase his savings above the schedule here referred to. It is also possible to get better than 4 per cent. This would mean either that one would not have to wait until sixty-five before retiring or that one would have a larger income than \$100 a month after reaching that period in life.

There is indeed no surer way or better way of providing for a comfortable old age than through some such a plan as has been here briefly outlined.

TRAFFIC COP, B'GOSH

Considerable interesting comment was rife the first of the week over the fact that Littlefield has grown to such municipal proportions for it to be necessary for a traffic cop to be stationed at one of the principal street intersections, as was observed Saturday and Sunday.

The traffic was much better regulated than heretofore, and, incidentally, five drew fines of \$2.00 each for violations.

Buy it in Littlefield.

Europe's Prettiest



Miss Alik Diplapakou of Athens, Greece, winner in the international beauty contest which awarded her the title of "Miss Europe" in competition with girls of 20 nations.

PANHANDLE DAIRY SHOW

PLAINVIEW, March 4—Preparations for the Third annual Texas Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show in Plainview April 7, 8, 9, and 10 are being made, and with the completion of a \$3,100 addition to the dairy barn and the distribution of 7,500 catalogues and premium lists the officers and directors are looking forward to the greatest show ever held in this section.

The catalogue contains a list of classifications, the officers, directors and superintendents and a complete list of the premiums and a completed program. The four day program for the show is as follows:

Sunday, April 6: Preliminary test, production contest.

Monday, April 7: Opening day, third annual Texas Panhandle Plains Dairy Show; All exhibits open for public inspection; Official tests, production contest; 4-H club dairy cattle judging contest; Vocational agricultural students' Dairy Judging contest.

Tuesday, April 8, Jersey Day; Jersey cattle judging, Livestock Pavilion 9:00 a. m.; Announcement of production contest winners; third annual Dairy Cattle Exhibitors banquet, 7:00 p. m.; Annual meeting, Texas Panhandle Plains Dairy Show Association.

Wednesday, April 9, Guernsey Day, Holstein-Friesian Day; Guernsey cattle judging, Livestock Pavilion, 9:00 a. m.; Holstein-Friesian judging, Livestock Pavilion, 1:00 p. m.

Thursday, April 10, Final day. Parade through business section of city of all winners; Annual sale afternoon, Livestock pavilion.

WOMENS COUNTY COUNCIL HOLD MEET AT AMHERST

The County Council met Saturday, March 1 in Miss Mashburn's office at Amherst. The meeting was called to order by the president.

One club president reported they had raised over \$65 towards the erection of a new club house.

After an important business meeting plans were discussed for a living room contest to be held this summer.

The next meeting with Miss Mashburn present the living rooms will be scored.

Miss Mashburn announced that on March 22, R. R. Rippert from the A. & M. college would give a lecture in the school building in Amherst on "Control of the Garden Insect."

Mrs. F. G. Sadler of Littlefield gave a talk on the Federation work and how much good it would do the county for each club to belong to the Texas Federation. Plans were discussed for each club to join in time to send a delegate to the meeting which will be held at Pampa the latter part of April.—Reporter.

500 GUESTS VISIT MODERN BEAUTY SALON OPENING DAY

More than 500 visitors, both men and women, attended the formal opening of the "Modern Beauty Salon", Friday evening between the hours of five and eight o'clock, in the Sanitary Barber shop building.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutson proprietors, received the callers and Miss Alma Henson, formerly of Lubbock, but who is now associated with the new enterprise ushered the guests through the building, showing the different compartments.

Corsages of carnations and fern were presented to a large number of callers, but due to the fact that the crowd far out numbered expectations a shortage of the favors was realized. The men were presented with a cigar and given a free shine.

Much favorable comment upon the cooperation of the people of Littlefield and their interest in the new establishment was expressed by both Mr. and Mrs. Hutson.

Mesdames Lloyd Robinson, J. E. Barnes and Laura Mae Cowthorn, assisted in receiving.

Many a Hollywood star found out that she could not talk.

NEW STREETS OPENED

Considerable improvement was made last week upon the streets throughout the city, practically every street being graded and three new streets being opened up.

One was the street leading south from the city park, another intersecting State Highway No. 7, just west of the Hardburger Gin and the third was the second street in the High School addition.

Much interest is being manifested by P. H. Boone, a member of the city commissioners, and Marshall Ratliff on street improvement, who are meeting with cooperation from Commissioner Ellis J. Foust.

CITY COLLECTS \$80.25

Fines in Municipal court the week totaled the sum of \$80.25 according to the official report.

One lone drunk was recorded, balance being penalties paid by grocers as per their inherent penalty of shooting craps.

Incidentally, next Sunday will be a good day to go to church.

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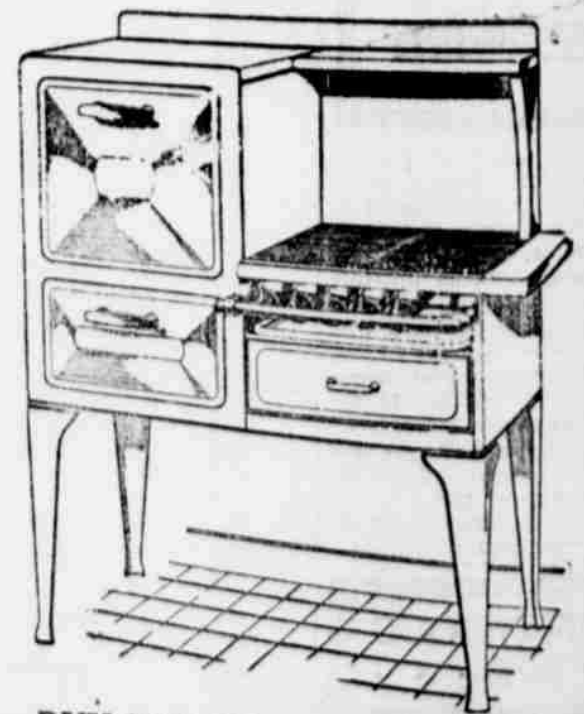
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MEN'S SUITS, delivered \$1.00

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- Universal Range with inner-drawer Broiler
- Century Range Bungalow type.

Gas will probably be turned into Littlefield this week—the latter part of this week—better be prepared to take advantage of it by buying your Gas Stove NOW!

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We carry a full line of plain and fancy groceries at all times. You may phone your order with the perfect surety that you will get exactly what you asked for delivered promptly and you will realize good economies whether you come to the store in person or do your shopping by telephone.

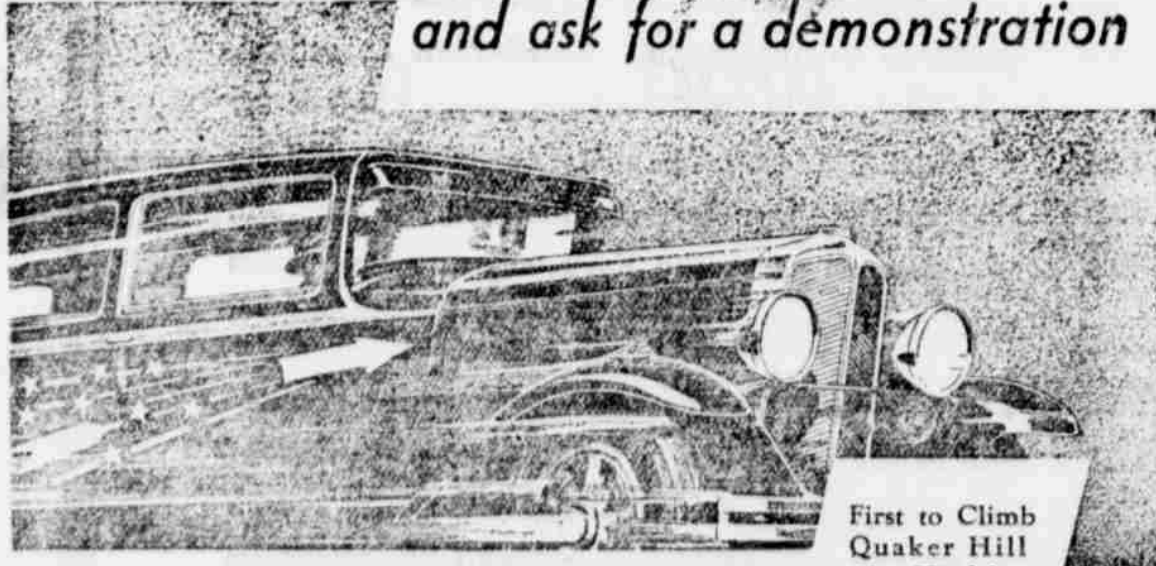
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B & M CASH GROCERY & MARKET

WE CLOSE SUNDAYS

WATCH for the car with the GOLDEN ROCKET and ask for a demonstration



First to Climb Quaker Hill in High!

On the streets of this city today is the Oakland Eight demonstrator, marked on either side by a large GOLDEN ROCKET. The driver is ready to stop and give you a demonstration.

The GOLDEN ROCKET is a symbol of tremendous speed and power. And these are also characteristics of the New Oakland Eight. Its 85-horsepower eight-cylinder engine develops one horsepower to every 37 pounds of car weight. That is why few cars can equal its remarkable speed, pass it on the hills, or match its pick-up in traffic. Watch it for a few minutes, and you will know why it is called "the car

with superior performance."

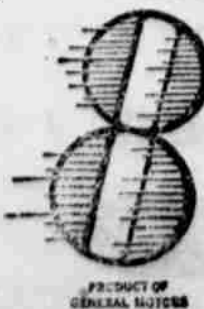
Signal the driver for a demonstration—or come to our showroom. Learn that the New Oakland Eight is not only fast and powerful, but unusually smooth. See its new, smartly styled Fisher bodies. Then you'll know that General Motors' new eight offers a high degree of owner satisfaction at an extremely moderate price!

The New Oakland Eight, \$1045 and up, f. o. b. Pontiac, Michigan, plus delivery charge. Lowboy Hydraulic Shock Absorbers included in list price. Bumpers, rear fender guards and spring covers extra. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Consider the delivered price as well as the list (f. o. b.) price when comparing automobile values. Oakland Pontiac delivered prices include only authorized charges for freight and delivery and the charge for any additional accessories or financing desired.

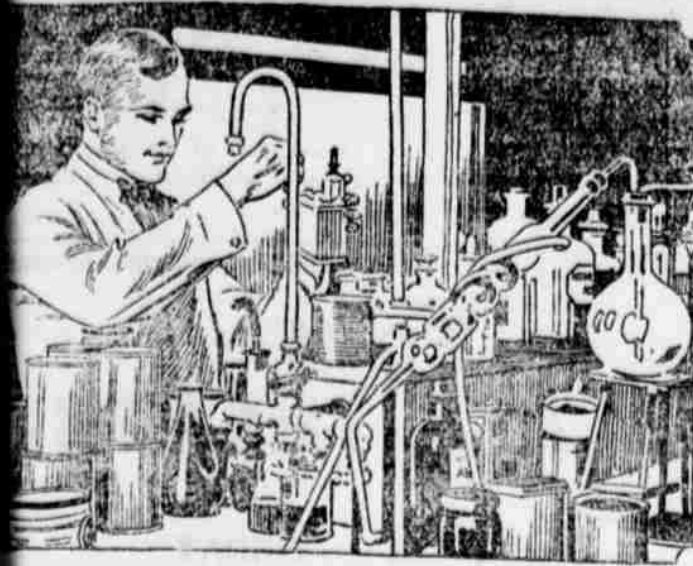
Until December 19th, 1929, Quaker Hill near Baltimore had never been climbed in high gear by any closed car carrying five passengers, according to all available records. On that day a New Oakland Eight accomplished this dramatic feat, presenting additional proof of its right to be called "the car with superior performance."

\$1045 AND UP



The NEW OAKLAND
Jones Brothers Motor Co.

Suits Modern Speed



UTRE temps, autres moeurs" is an old French saying, which means "times, other ways." And this historically terse Gallic summary of one all-embracing fact applies not only to manners, morals, deportment, diplomacy, customs, even conversation and dress, but also to foods. Could we, for instance, live as we do in the speedy Twentieth Century on canned foods? The mere fact that we put up more than 100,000 cans of them a year in the United States alone supplies the answer to this question.

Safe Celerity
This is a scientific age and the demands not only speed but safety. So it sets its scientists to work to make sure that food that is as safe and good

for people as the forms in which our forefathers ate their food. The answers to this question are being published every day, and they are all in the affirmative. A recent editorial in "American Medicine," for instance, said in part:
"The food cooked in the factory caldron is as safe as the food heated in the family kettle. The cleanliness of the commercial product is no less than that prepared by mother's hands. The stress and strain of modern living, the varying facilities in cooking, the increased variety of foods available at all seasons have given an impetus to canning in the home, but even more so to canning outside the home. Canned foods, whether produced in the house or in the cannery, have proven their value, their nutritional usefulness, their economy and above all their safety for public health."

Evans had renewed friend-an old friend(?) ??
Bridges was a "blue" sen- than a green one?
McNutt hasn't been able to mid-term?

ery student passed on all ebjects on examinations? e gave reference work in

ome Economics class gave a e assembly last week? e students can't get a pass is- em.

ey had a date with "the red eaturday nite?"

hile is taking public speak- eors were editing the Wild- eors haven't gotten their

hmores are still here. e man are wishing they

aken from the Wildcat.

HOUSE ON THE STREET

ologies to Marie Knowles) e ordinary house on the street, e, yet not so small.

hether tidy nor neat, e bachelor moved there one fall.

front steps the tumble- e grew,

claws grew in a row. e wooden gate there were e needs too,

en there since long ago.

of the house there was e fashioned still;

own to all travelers both e near,

ought the darned booze e will.

ashed the old bachelor for e year.

ades of night were falling

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Mother's Cook Book

A friend of yours and mine has very justly defined good breeding to be the result of much good sense, some good nature and a little self-denial for the sake of others and with a view to obtain the same indulgence.—Lord Chesterfield.

SUMMER FOODS

AS CURVES are again stylish, use a little more good olive oil and cream as well as butter. They are all wholesome, necessary for well-being, and will help frazzled nerves to get back to normal.

Onion, Pepper Salad.
Peel one orange, cut into slices and arrange on lettuce. Chop one tablespoonful each of onion and green pepper and mix thoroughly with fresh dressing. Sprinkle over the orange. This makes one large serving, or two small ones. Three times the amount will make a nice service for five.

Orange and Date Salad.
Separate one cupful of dates and cover with boiling water, cook three minutes, dry in the oven, cool, remove the pits and cut into sections, lengthwise. Halve the oranges and remove the sections of pulp. Arrange the lettuce on salad plates, pile orange sections in the center and surround with dates. Serve with french dressing.

Pecan Waffles.
Sift two and one-fourth cupfuls of pastry flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of sugar, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, two egg yolks well beaten, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter. Mix the egg and milk with the sugar and add to the flour, add the beaten whites and melted butter with three-fourths of a cupful of nut meats. Put a tablespoonful of butter in each section of the waffle iron which has been well greased after heating. Cover with the top and bake on one side, then turn. Serve hot with cold maple sirup. This amount makes six waffles.

Cheese Biscuit.
Sift one cupful of pastry flour with two and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt; add one tablespoonful of butter, and when well mixed add three-eighths of a cupful of milk. One-half cupful of cheese may be cut in with the butter, the cheese grated. Roll out one-third inch thick and cut with a small biscuit cutter. Bake 12 minutes.

Nellie Maxwell
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What Does Your Child Want to Know ?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



CAN WORMS BREATHE DOWN IN THE GROUND?
Tiny spaces in the dirt Have quantities of air, Sufficient for a worm to live And burrow everywhere. (Copyright.)

SUPERSTITIOUS SUE



SHE HAS HEARD THAT—
When you find a four-leaf clover, elocute as follows: "One leaf for fame, And one leaf for wealth, And one for a faithful lover, And one to bring you glorious health Are all in a four-leaf clover." (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

By Their Voices
Emotionally governed people produce full, round vowel sounds, but stur their consonants; intellectually governed people produce clear cut consonants.—American Magazine.

THE WITHARRAL BAPTIST CHURCH NEAR COMPLETION

The aBptist church at Witharral, begun some weeks ago, is now nearing completion. It is a frame building 40 by 42 feet, is wired for electric lights and will be piped for gas service. When ready for dedication the entire material bill will be paid, and only some labor now unpaid, according to available information.
Rev. Roy A. Kemp, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, this city, was some months ago called as the pastor of the Witharral church, holding services there each second and fourth Sunday afternoon.

Correct this sentence: "It is a fine proposition, but I haven't got the money, just at this time."

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Men's Rayon Shorts and Shirts, each49

EXTRA SPECIAL

Ladies and Children's Wash Frocks, each88
Indian Head, plain and printed, per yard39
New Flat Crepe, solid colors	\$1.29
Oil cloth, best grade, plain and fancy, the yard29

36-inch Percal Prints, a yard10
New Silk Dresses, plain and printed materials, priced	\$6.75 to \$18.75
Curtain Goods and Draperies	See our Selections
Clark's O. N. T. Thread, 7 spools for25
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

J. C. Houk attended court at Olton, Monday.

W. B. Phipps Jr., made a trip to Lubbock, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. J. Fulton made trip to Lubbock, Saturday.

Miss Jewel Crosslin spent the first part of the week in Tahoka.

Wesley Turnbo, of Wichita Falls, was here Monday prospecting.

Mrs. Sidney Hopping visited her parents in Halls, Friday.

W. J. Chesher returned Wednesday from a business trip to Dallas.

J. W. Blalock and son, Osa made a trip to Lubbock, Tuesday.

T. S. Sales returned Wednesday from a short business trip to Waco.

Miss Maxine Kimmel spent the weekend in Lubbock, visiting friends.

Mick Ratliff, of Tahoka, spent the first part of the week in Littlefield.

Miss Nora Bell Grizzle visited with friends in Portales, N. M., Sunday.

Misses Maurine Irvin and Edith Ratliff made a trip to Lubbock, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey and Son Jack, spent several hours in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Len Irwin and daughter, Miss Maurine, made a trip to Olton, Wednesday.

Miss Louise Wooley, spent Sunday in Tahoka visiting her father, J. H. Wooley.

J. J. Cook was here last Thursday from his home in the Fieldton community.

Miss Edith Grantham, of Snyder, has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the John H. Arnett Motor Co.

Mrs. C. C. Clements was taken to Lubbock Friday, where she underwent an operation at a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chesher had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robinson and son, J. P. Jr., of Sudan.

Work has been completed on 100 feet of sidewalk at the home of T. A. Henson.

Mrs. W. J. Chesher has as her guest this week, Mrs. A. C. Chesher, of Hobbs, N. M.

L. W. Jordan is having a concrete sidewalk laid in front of his residence this week.

Mesdames Star Haile, Leland Lowe and L. W. Condra made a trip to Lubbock, Monday.

Miss Josephine Glenn had as her guest during the week end, Miss Myrtle Porter, of Lubbock.

Billy Hall, of Slaton, spent Sunday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long and little son, Raymond, made a trip to Muleshoe, Sunday.

Driskill Irvin, of Olton, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Irvin.

Mrs. F. G. Sadler visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. P. C. Tom in Lubbock, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bates visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Logan, in Levelland, Sunday.

Miss Olga Henson spent the weekend in Lubbock as the guest of her cousin, Miss Margaret Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blackwell visited his father, W. H. Blackwell, who is in a Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Hilliard began Monday taking scholastic census for this school district.

Work has been completed on the laying of 200 feet of curb and sidewalk at the J. E. Drannen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Miller went to Lubbock Tuesday to visit Mrs. C. C. Clements, who is in a hospital there.

Ed Ayrian, who was in a Lubbock hospital for several days, was able to return to his home here Tuesday.

G. W. Chesher, proprietor of the Garden theatre, at Sudan, visited in the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chesher Sunday.

Miss Bernice Wales was in attendance Sunday at a house party given by Miss Edith Sanders, at her home in Anton, for several ex-students of the Texas Tech.

Mrs. G. P. Howell, and daughter, Rachael, accompanied by Mrs. Merle Cochran, of Enochs, were in Littlefield Saturday.

J. W. Porcher returned Friday from College Station where he was in attendance at a lumbermans short course last week.

J. E. Norman and sons, James and Jack, returned Thursday from Temple where they went to visit Mrs. Norman who is in a hospital there.

Mrs. Guy Teal, who was taken to a Lubbock hospital last week, underwent an operation Wednesday. Her condition is reported quite serious.

Petit jurors from Littlefield attending court at Olton this week are: P. H. Boone, J. C. Houk, Dick Beisel, Arthur Jones and L. C. Cawthorn.

Norman Renfro left Tuesday for Dallas on business. From there he went to McKinney, where he will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Renfro.

R. E. McCaskill was in attendance Monday at the Westinghouse school at Lubbock which was conducted at the Texas Utilities Company at that place.

J. C. Whicker left Sunday for Chicago and from there he will go to Redding, Pa., where he will visit in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas.

Prof. Carl G. Clift, of Spring Lake accompanied by Mrs. Clift, was here Saturday in the interest of his candidacy for County Superintendent of Schools, Lamb county.

Mesdames J. T. Street and T. S. Sales went to Lubbock Friday to take Mrs. G. M. Shaw who was here on that date filling her appointments with music pupils.

O. R. Cuba is this week having a small brick structure erected on the corner of LFD drive and State Highway No. 7 in which he expects to open a cafe in the near future.

Invitations have been extended to members of the Womens Study club by the Junior Study club to be present at their regular meeting Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wade, jr. who returned here last week to be at the bedside of their father, Wm. J. Wade, returned to their home at Groom, Monday.

Eldon Wade, of Jayton, arrived here Friday. He was accompanied on that same day upon his return by his father L. F. Wade, who has been here for some time at the bedside of his father, Wm. J. Wade.

Mrs. Ed Ayrian and children accompanied by her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith were in Lubbock Monday visiting Mr. Ayrian, who underwent a tonsilectomy operation there Sunday.

Osa Blalock, who spent last week in a Lubbock hospital, following an automobile accident, was able to return home here Saturday. His wounds are healing rapidly, according to reports.

Mesdames L. W. Condra and Beeman Phillips made a trip to Lubbock Sunday to take Mr. Condra, who left from there for Floydada, where he has accepted a position as pharmacist in a drug store.

W. E. Jeffries, daughter and son, Mrs. Ben Lyman and Bill, went to Lubbock Monday to be with Mrs. Jeffries, who underwent an operation there Monday morning at nine o'clock. She was taken to a hospital there the first of last week.

Mrs. T. J. Ball, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Ball and son Harry, arrived here Friday from El Paso and points in New Mexico, enroute to their home in Dallas. They were joined here by T. J. Ball, who accompanied them to their home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blalock and son Osa, accompanied by Mrs. E. H. Williams and daughter, Miss Doris, made a trip to Lubbock, Sunday. Miss Doris went from there to Canyon, where she will resume her studies at the West Texas State Teachers College.

Dr. H. W. Duke, of Amarillo, formerly associated with his brother, Dr. T. B. Duke, of this city, is now located at Muleshoe. He recently returned from Memphis, Tenn., where he did some post-graduate work in the medical department, University of Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Davis, accompanied by John Woodmore went to Plainview Sunday, where they were guests of Mr. Davis' sister, Mrs. Gay Eaves, while Mr. Woodmore went to Matador to meet his wife, who was returning from Frederick, Okla., where she has been visiting her parents.

Mrs. W. J. Chesher, who spent the past month in Oklahoma City visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stogner, returned to her home here Friday accompanied by her sister, Miss Nel Stogner, who is visiting her. Mr. Stogner, who has been quite ill for some time, is reported much improved.

Miss Mattie Middleton, who has been attending a business college, at Lubbock, is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Middleton. She was accompanied here Friday by Miss Maurine Dow, who is also a student in Lubbock and who spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dow.

The following people from Portales New Mexico, who were former members of the congregation of which Rev. Joe L. Grizzle was pastor, at that place, attended the Sunday evening services at the First Baptist church: Mr. and Mrs. Coe Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden, Mesdames Drue Cumbie and J. C. Compton. Mr. Golden is superintendent of the Portales schools.

HOME ECONOMICS PUPILS DEMONSTRATE THEIR ABILITY

A very attractive display of dresses made by the Home Economics class of the Littlefield High school, of which Mrs. M. M. Brittain is teacher, is seen in the window of the Cuenod dry goods store this week.

Attached to each dress, is a card bearing the name of the maker and the actual cost of each dress, none exceeding \$2.00.

The fact that such nice garments can be created from good material for such a small sum substantiates the value of this line of instruction in the schools.

The dresses on display were made by: Nell Ross, Jewel Hargrove, Mary Ruth Newgent, Marie Banks, Eva Bertram, Billie Fern Atkinson, Lois Nofsinger, Lucille Hall, Alma Wright and Laddie Barton.

THE LIONS MEETING

The regular meeting of the Lions club was held Friday noon in the basement of the first Baptist church.

A report was made that the cleanup campaign was progressing rapidly and that the work would be finished this week.

It was further agreed that the Lions cooperate in the work on improving the civic condition of the community Wednesday.

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SATURDAY

SUNDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY

"HOLLYWOOD REVUE"

An all star cast as follows: John Gilbert, Norma Shearer, William Haines, Joan Crawford, Buster Keaton, Bessie Love, Chas. King, Conrad Nagel, Marie Dressler, Gus Edwards, Dane and Arthur, Ukelele Ike, Anita Page, Polly Moran, the Bronx sisters.

WEDNESDAY

"THE BATTLE OF PARIS" and COMEDY

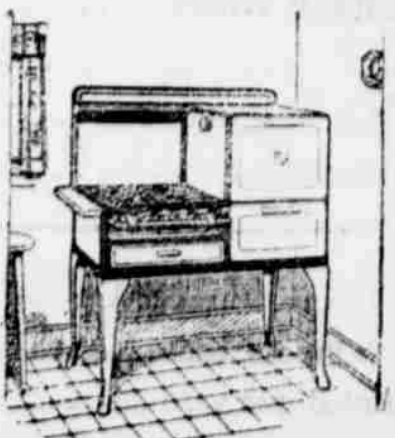
INTEREST RATE 5 1-2 PER CENT

The Federal Land Bank has now lowered its interest rate to 5 1-2 per cent on all loans effective February 15th.

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J. E. BARNES
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