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## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM OVER THE STATE

**Dallas.**—A sentence of 25 years was imposed on Henry Revier, charged with robbery with firearms, after a jury had deliberated a few minutes.

**San Angelo.**—A skeleton, apparently that of an aged man, was found Sunday in Felton Cave on the Dunbar ranch in Sutton County by Clarence and Leslie Frambrough and J. A. King of Sonora.

**Austin.**—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson Tuesday authorized a deficiency of approximately \$60,000 for four State Teacher College for supplies. The institutions are at Canyon, Denton, San Marcos and Nacogdoches.

**Hereford.**—Hereford took a step forward Tuesday when the huge paving bond issue carried 218 to 40, thus making it possible for 40 blocks in the residence section of Hereford to be paved.

**San Antonio.**—His ship falling into a tail spin from an altitude of 800 feet, Flying Cadet G. P. Karnath of Brooks Field was seriously and probably fatally injured Tuesday when his body was crushed beneath the wreckage of the fallen plane.

**Midland.**—Development of a new town 35 miles northwest of Midland in Andrews County has been started by Frank Elkin of Midland and H. J. Hughey of Fort Worth. They are cutting 13,500 acres of pasture land into 177-acre farms and are creating a townsite.

**Bryan.**—The body of J. G. Gregg, 50 painter and paper hanger of Bryan, was found by his two young sons at 9 o'clock Monday night in a garage of their home, the head having been severed from the body by a load of buckshot fired from a gun found nearby.

**Dallas.**—Three white men and two negroes were found guilty in Federal Court Tuesday of operating the huge subterranean still that was captured underneath a Dallas residence recently. Sentence of the men was deferred.

**Bryan.**—Awakening from a sound sleep by the noise of someone stumbling over a chair, Mrs. Clinton Smith tumbled out of bed to find her home on fire early Tuesday morning. She ran screaming to neighbors for help, but when they arrived it was too late to save the house and contents which were destroyed by fire.

**San Angelo.**—Paralyzed from the waist down by a bullet that entered his right shoulder and injured his spine, Walter Dudley, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona, was taken Sunday from San Angelo to Temple for treatment. The boy was shot accidentally while hunting late Saturday.

**Waco.**—The postoffice at Eddy, 20 miles south of Waco, was robbed early Tuesday. Cash to the amount of \$200, with a package of money order blanks, was taken from the safe.

**Taylor.**—Two well dressed young men entered the filling station of Van Slagle, five miles north of Taylor late Monday. Mrs. Slagle at the time was emptying trash in the back yard. When she returned, one of the men was going through the cash drawer. She grappled with the robber, but the other came to his rescue with a pistol and subdued her. The men fled to their car with \$20.

### JUDGE WOLFE IN RACE

Judge T. M. Wolfe of Lefors was a visitor at the News office first of this week and authorized us to place his name in the candidate column under the County Judge classification.

Judge Wolfe has served the county in this capacity several years in the past, but is now seeking the office for a second term. He has a large acquaintance in the county and will try to see all the voters before the primary in July. He solicits your vote at that time, whether he gets to see you personally or not.

Judge Wolfe says that he is thoroughly familiar with the duties of the office, and knows that he can continue to render efficient service in that capacity.

Edwin S. Vickers was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

## SURVEYORS WORKING NORTH OF TOWN NDW

The Fort Worth & Denver Railway surveying crew is reported camped seven miles north of town, near the C. L. Thomas residence.

They are now running a line northwest to the Canadian river, where they are reported to intend crossing that stream on the west side of Talehona creek.

This line is said to run from Moebette and will go to Spearman, and if built will connect with the Denver's main line at Childress, passing thru Collingsworth, Wheeler, Gray and Roberts counties.

The first preliminary survey made by the Denver was out of Childress through Wheeler county and Hemphill and on to Hooker on the Santa Fe Spearman branch. While it is yet only in prospect, little doubt is held by people of this part of the country that the Denver road intends to apply for a permit to build a road from Childress or some point on their line across Wheeler and other counties adjacent which are not adequately served with rail lines.

## IRE DRILLS HELD AT LOCAL SCHOOL

Last Friday afternoon the first of a series of fire drills was held at the local schools.

In the first test the buildings were emptied of pupils in 30 seconds, and in the second test the time was shortened to 22 seconds, which is considered an excellent record.

The fire drills are required by the State Insurance Commission, and are intended to train the children to leave the building in a quiet and orderly manner at the alarm of fire, thus avoiding the danger of excitement and stampedes, which are generally the cause of more fatalities than the actual blaze in schools.

Drills will be held regularly hereafter, and doubtless the good time of 22 seconds will be lowered within the near future.

## UNIQUE CONTEST TO GET MILE OF PENNIES

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church is holding a unique contest for the purpose of raising money for the new church. The church roll has been decided, one side being the Reds with Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar as captain, and the remaining side into the Blues, with Mrs. Joe M. Smith as captain.

The ladies are trying to raise a mile of pennies, and are sending envelopes out with the request for 16 or more pennies, to friends over the country as well as locally. The losers of the contest are to entertain the winners with a luncheon.

The contest closes March 17, and the ladies hope by that time to have secured a mile of pennies, which at the rate of 16 to the foot, will make over \$800.

## INSPECTION MADE OF HIGHWAY 33-B

Tuesday Highway Engineers Trigg and Crosby were in this city, and together with Commissioners Bowers and Taylor and Mayor F. P. Reid, made a trip over highway 33-A to the Wheeler County line to inspect the recent work on that popular highway.

The party reports that some cut-overs are yet to be built and still some stretches of fence to be moved back before the state highway department will accept the road into the system for maintenance.

Mr. Bowers, whose precinct most of the work will be required, is going to have it completed as soon as possible, and when turned over to the State it will be in first class condition.

### NEWSPAPER LAW

Article 529. Statements, Receipts and Expenditures of Cities.—Provides that the city council shall, at least 10 days before the expiration of each municipal year, cause to be published in a city newspaper a correct and full statement of the receipts and expenditures from the date of the last annual report.

Fred Schaffner and niece, Miss Lucille Schaffner, attended the Baker's Convention at Amarillo Tuesday.

## OIL FIELD ACTIVITY IN THIS LOCALITY

A new steel derrick and other material is on the ground for the new Texas Oil Company well on the W. J. Brown well, three miles southwest of town. The location is in the northwest quarter of section 137, block 3, I. & G. N. Railway lands, and is reported to be in the south half of that quarter, about 2,000 feet from the west line of the section. The well will be only a quarter mile from the railway, and about half a mile from the new Empire well.

The Texas Company has spudded in their new test on the Cooper land, 14 miles northwest of here in the corner of Carson and Hutchinson counties, and are rigging up in section 1 near Lefors on the Saunders ranch for another test well. This location is only a mile north of their old gas well, and gas from the well on the south side of the river will be used for fuel. A steel derrick will also be employed as well as standard tools on the job. The Hudson drilling company of Lawton, Okla., has the contract, and Mr. Hudson of that firm came over Tuesday in his airplane to see about the work. He left Lawton at 9 a. m. and arrived here at 11:45 a. m., making the flight in less than three hours. He went down to inspect the work soon after noon and returned to Lawton in the afternoon.

Casing is being run in the No. 3 Combs & Worley well of the Wilcox Company, and it will soon be standardized. The large string of rotary tools will be moved on over to the No. 4, which has derrick about completed and is about ready for rigging up.

Another location or two have been in this section this week, but no definite information has been given out. Negotiations have been under way for several days for the sale of the Young & Patrick No. 1 A. Byrum, which picked oil several weeks, but no announcement has been made as to the final result of the sale.

Lease dealers estimate that approximately \$200,000 worth of oil leases three weeks, which makes it look like a real boom was due to break within a short time.

This week has probably seen more oil scouts and officials of big companies here than at any other time since this section came into the limelight.

## LYCEUM NUMBER AT SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

"Much Ado About Betty," will be presented at the Crescent Theater Feb. 17, under the auspices of the local Parent-Teacher Association:

**Synopsis**  
Act 1. Betty's apartments near New York. Married in haste.

Act 2. Parlor D of the Hotel Palmsettia, Palm Beach, Florida, (three days later.) Betty loses her memory.

Act 3. Same scene as Act two. A full honeymoon.

### Characters

Betty (movie star).....Lola Peters  
Lin (Betty's best bet) Arthur Rankin  
Major Jartrce (Wichita crook).....  
Stanley Kratzmeier  
Neil O'Hare (a honeymooner).....  
Clarence Cobb  
E. Z. Ostrich (author of film plays).....  
John Purviance  
Dr. McNutt (solid ivory).....  
Archie (negro bell boy).....  
Clarence Coffin  
Officer Riley.....Stanley Kratzmeier  
Officer Dugan.....Clarence Cobb  
Ebenzer O'Hare (a stick man).....  
George Walsted  
Mrs. E. O'Hare (the other nine-tenths).....Zella Patton  
Aunt Winnie (Betty's chaperone).....  
Mrs. W. F. McCracken  
Lizzie (kitchen mechanic).....  
Catherine Vincent  
Ethel Kohler.....Leora May  
Violet Gorchik (film favorite).....  
Christine Campbell  
Mrs. Diggins.....Florida Henry  
Dolly Higgins.....Leora May  
Miss Chizale.....Mrs. W. F. McCracken  
Fondle (a negro maid).....  
Margaret Buckler  
Diamond (a negro).....  
Chester Hunkapillar

### AT GRANDVIEW SCHOOL

The Coyotes of Grandview consolidated High School played Green a basketball game Wednesday, Jan. 27 at Green and were defeated 26 to 12. The Coyotes are in good spirits though and expect to show them a real game when they play a return one.

## COUNTY SHOWS BIG INCREASE IN COTTON

According to B. L. Webb, special agent of the Department of Commerce Bureau of Census, Washington, D. C., Gray County ginned 7,942 bales of cotton prior to Jan. 16, 1926. This number of bales being made up of the 1925 crop. On the same last year the county had ginned only 3,744 bales.

While the cotton crop for the entire state was off almost a million bales this year, and few counties show an increase over 1924, Gray county will in all probability show a 100 per cent increase in 1925 over 1924. This splendid showing is due in great measure to increased acreage, as cotton was planted in many parts of the county in 1925 where it had never been grown before.

It would not be at all surprising if Gray County ginned 10,000 bales next year, which will put it in a fair way to be listed among the cotton-growing counties of West Texas.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY DOING WIDE DORK

During the past 12 months the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society has added 97 members to its roll. Twelve of these are life members who have each paid \$25 for their membership.

The Society employed Mr. Evetts Haley during the months of June, July and August, as a field representative. During this short period Mr. Haley added many memberships to the organization; brought to the museum relics of great interest and value; added much valuable material to the files of the organization through his interviewing; those pioneers who are rapidly passing to the Great Beyond; collected many rare documents and books; acquainted the public with much of the work of the Society through carefully written newspaper articles; assisted Prof. L. F. Shaffner by locating material of value to him.

In 1925 Prof. L. F. Shaffner began systematically to assemble material for the forthcoming "History of the Panhandle." This task is a stupendous one, but when it is completed all who read it can accept its statements and its interpretations of events as true, so far as careful, expert, investigation and earnest effort can make them.

The secretary of the Society has kept its growth, work, and needs before the public constantly by news articles and letters; 65 articles were written during the twelve months for newspapers alone; one article was prepared for a magazine. Help was furnished several persons who wished to write upon subjects relating to Indians, settlement and development and citizens of the Panhandle.

A number of specimens have been added to the natural history section of the museum; these include a prairie dog family, a huge rattlesnake, a swift, eagles, a monkey-faced owl, a peccary, and an excellent pair of longhorns, a cuckoo, a freak calf, and others.

Every officer of the Society and many members who are not officers have given most generously of their time and money to forward the interests of this Society which exists for the benefit of the people who now live in this part of the State and will be here in increasing numbers in years to come.

The annual business meeting of the Society will be held Friday, Feb. 12 at 3 o'clock p. m. in room 211 at the West Texas State Teachers College, at Canyon, with Thomas F. Turner, the retiring president in the chair.

The annual banquet will be held the same day at 6 p. m. at Cousins Hall, Canyon. Reservations must be made by Feb. 6. Send money for tickets, \$1 each, to Mrs. T. V. Reeves, the secretary, for reservations.

If you believe in this work, if you think the Panhandle's past worth remembering and chronicling, if you delight to honor the pioneers, or if you love to see and be a part of good fellowship, you should by all means attend the annual meeting and banquet, Feb. 12.

The groundhog, which was billed to come out Tuesday morning in search of his shadow, failed to see it, and is reported to have scampered back in again for a six-weeks' sleep.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wall of Hooker were Pampa visitors Sunday on their way home from Amarillo.

## DEMAND BRISK FOR PAMPA PROPERTY

The past week has seen a brisk demand for real estate in this city, and several transfers have been made.

A Mr. Blackwell of Amarillo purchased the two 25 foot lots where the Lee Blacksmith shop is now situated on Cuyler street for \$5,000 from Mrs. J. Louise Sumner.

Geo. H. Saunders purchased the Luttrell residence just north of the old Methodist church, the consideration not reported.

B. E. Finley and Lee Banks purchased the 10 acre tract belonging to C. C. Dodd, just across the road north of the Hobart home, and expect to subdivide the same into building lots and place them on the market soon.

A number of other sales are in prospect, and if prices are not hiked up higher than is warranted by the owners, much property will change hands this spring.

Rent houses are badly needed as a day never passes without inquiries for places to live by men coming in to this field to work.

W. H. Doyle of the Gray County State Bank, W. E. Coffee of Horn & Coffee and several others contemplate starting work soon on new residences.

M. S. Wise's new bungalow is nearing completion at this time.

## STREET LIGHTS ARE BEING INSTALLED

The shade trees on the south block on Cuyler street were removed this week, preparatory to installing four additional ornamental street lights in that block. The lights will be the same kind of standards as were recently put up in the block to the north.

The Southwestern Public Service Company is installing the electrolights. The removal of the trees is to be regretted in a way, yet the new arrangement gives a much better view in the business section, and makes the street look wider and much cleaner.

The City is installing a 450 candlepower street light on the corner just east of the school buildings, as an experiment. Mr. Woodward of the Pampa Gas Company states that this size light with the present gas rate can be burned 24 hours per day for 30 days at a total cost of \$3.38 cents.

The gas light is being placed on a six inch cast iron standard, and will be so anchored that wind will have little effect upon it.

**CHARLIE THUT FOR CLERK**  
Charlie Thut asks that his name be placed in the announcement column this week, for reelection to the office of County and District Clerk of Gray County.

Charlie is now serving his first term in that office and feels that he is entitled to your careful consideration for a second term. He has become familiar with the requirements of the office and feels that he can render the county first class service in that important place.

Charlie has lived in this county all his life and is known to all to be capable, courteous and accommodating. He solicits your vote and influence at the Democratic primary in July.

### VICIOUS DOG ATTACKS BOY

James Pool, about 12 years of age, was bitten by a dog this week. The lad went up to a car in the business section and a dog in a car belonging to a stranger, attacked him. James was bitten about the face and arm and was unable to get away from the vicious animal until its owner came out and stopped it. Lacerations about the face were such that it was necessary to take several stitches to close the wounds.

### TAYLOR FOR COMMISSIONER

W. A. Taylor requests the News to place his name in the announcement column this week for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Mr. Taylor needs no introduction to the people of this part of the county, as he has served the County in the capacity of Commissioner for the past several years in an efficient manner.

In seeking reelection he states that he will work for the interests of the country in the future the same as in the past, and solicits your vote and support at the Democratic primary.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Walberg returned last Friday from a short visit with relatives and friends at Happy.

## KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET

CHAS. M. PIPKIN, Market Correspondent

Kansas City Stock Yards.—Chicago reported a heavy run of fat steers Monday and that weakened the general market. Here prices were steady to 15 cents lower, the best and plain kinds holding steady. Butcher cattle and stockers and feeders were steady also. Hog prices were steady to 10 cents higher, the advance showing in the medium weight butchers. Heavies and light lights were steady. Indications are that prices will remain firm. Sheep and lamb prices were weak with last week's close, but lower than a week ago.

**Monday's Receipts**  
Receipts Monday were 15,000 cattle, 10,000 hogs, and 5,000 sheep, compared with 13,000 cattle, 7,000 hogs, and 5,000 sheep a week ago, and 11,760 cattle, 11,050 hogs, and 10,000 sheep a year ago.

**Beef Cattle**  
Fat steers were quoted steady to 15 cents lower. Last week's advance was 25 to 40 cents, and Monday's setback left the average higher than a week ago. However, receipts were larger than the corresponding Monday a year ago, and Chicago had a heavy increase. Plain and choice steers held steady, and the medium to good classes showed the decline; nothing with outstanding finish was offered the best here making \$10. The bulk of sales was \$8.25 to \$9.50. Ordinary kinds sold at \$7.25 up. Cows and heifers were steady. This class of cattle has held within a narrow price range for several weeks, and the supply is moderate for this season of the year. Veal calves were firm. Sales at \$12 to \$12.50 were numerous, and odd lots made \$13.

**Stockers and Feeders**  
Prices were steady to 10 cents higher. The advance showed in the medium weight classes, and this gain narrowed the price spread and brought the whole market into a new high position. Trade was active. The top price \$13.50 was paid for light lights. Hogs weighing up to 170 pounds sold up to \$13.40, and packers top was \$13.35. The bulk of the offerings brought \$12.85 to \$13.25. Packing sows sold at \$11.25 to \$11.75; stags \$8.75 to \$9.50, and stock hogs and pigs \$12.75 to \$13.50. Receipts continued moderate.

**Sheep and Lambs**  
Lambs were quoted steady to 15 cents lower than late last week and back to the low point of the season. Light weight lambs were quoted at \$14.25 to 14.35; strong and heavy weights \$13.50 to \$14.20, and common lambs as low as \$15. Ewes are selling at \$7.75 to \$8.50; wethers \$8.50 to \$9.25.

**Horses and Mules**  
There is an active demand for horses and mules at firm prices. Farm demand is increasing.

### REVIVAL MEETING

#### M. E. CHURCH SOON

The revival meeting at the Methodist church will begin the third Sunday in February, and close the first Sunday in March.

Let all who are interested, please keep this in mind and plan their business so as to give the meeting their full support. We have not held a meeting in over a year. Circumstances have been such that it was not practical.

Begin now to get a revival on your heart. We need a real refreshing from the presence of the Lord. Please don't let anything else get in your way.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor

### STUDER ASKS RE-ELECTION

John F. Studer this week announces to the world at large and Gray County voters in particular that he is in the race again for County Attorney.

Attorney Studer is serving on his first term and wishes to be returned to the office for a second term. He says he has filled the office to the best of his knowledge and ability, and seeks reelection upon his past record.

He is a 35-year Democrat, and for the past several years has been actively engaged in the practice of law.

He feels even better prepared with his present experience to serve the county, and solicits the support and vote of all, whether he is able to see each one between now and the Democratic primary or not.

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A man is always ready to help another if he feels that by so doing he will derive some benefit himself.

Usually the fellow who gets the chance of a lifetime for a song, can't sing.

About all a dressmaker has to do to become a designer is to make a mistake when the women are all ready for something different.

It won't do to get too elated over all the talk we hear on the subject of tax reduction these days. Remember that has been the talk for all the years our taxes have been increasing.

Everybody has been telling everybody else what to do about the crime wave, and how to punish the criminals, and hardly anybody has got at the root of the matter. The general verdict seems to be that we need more and better jails. The fact may be that we simply need more and better homes. Prison records show that 50 per cent of convicts come from obviously bad homes, 40 per cent from homes that can only be termed fair by a stretch of charity, and only 10 per cent from homes that a decent and intelligent American would pronounce good. Moreover, nearly half of the convicts have left home at the age of 14, or earlier. It is the home, more than any other influence in life, that sets the stamp of character on a citizen, making him good, bad or indifferent. The right kind of home life keeps a normal boy or girl good, establishing a standard and habit of goodness. It usually saves, too, the child of weak character and wrong tendency, by training him up to go through the motions of good citizenship automatically, if it can do no more. The home is the social unit. It is a small edition of the community. It should provide full, busy and happy life for its members. The home that contains within its walls government, work, play, education and all-around mental and physical activities of a wholesome and co-operative sort, needn't have much fear about what its members will do when they go forth "on their own."

We are going to the dogs, physically and morally, but the chances are we never will get there. We base this assumption on the fact that we always have been going to the dogs. If we still are going it is evident that the goal remains in the distance. Our morals are bad, we are told, our taste is low and we abuse ourselves something dreadful. A doctor, delivering an address in Chicago says we are killing ourselves because we don't know how to live. At least, if we do know how, we make no use of the knowledge. The doctor, of course is right, and we are not attempting to treat his really valuable advice in a flippant manner. It would be a great thing if all would follow it and treat themselves with as much care as they give their automobiles. But the fact remains that his charge against us is part of the general one that we are going to the dogs. The men drink home-brew and the women wear too few clothes. When we go out to have a good time in the theater we pass up tragedy, which has its roots in the which has its roots in the sewer. We grave, and go to glorified burlesque, are so insured to political evils that we are said to be corrupt and content to prefer poker and bridge to serfdom. A large percentage of us are monks, and our sons hold a football player or a prize fighter in greater esteem than a college professor. But life has been prolonged in spite of all of our treating it so shamefully. Our taste in art really has improved. More young men than ever before are stepping into positions of responsibility, for it is truly a day of youth. We have no great youthful poets to rival Byron and Shelley and their contemporaries but the outlook upon life has changed and we really do not need them in our trend of development.

**Among Our Exchanges**

**Collingsworth Standard:** A man who died at the age of 102 in Oklahoma the other day attributed his longevity to the fact that he worked all the time. Doesn't seem to be any object in living that long if you have to work all the time.

**Sayre Journal:** Come to life and laugh. Laughter is one of the most beautiful things in the whole world. It is one of life's best assets. Anything that helps people to laugh, or anybody who makes them laugh—such a thing or such a body is a blessing anywhere.

**Claude News:** Mrs. R. S. Thompson of Amarillo has thrown her bonnet into the ring and announces for the State Legislature and will try to make the place of Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House. We are of the opinion that Lee Satterwhite will be a mighty hard man to defeat for the legislature.

**Panhandle Herald:** Fred Landers has disposed of his interest in the McLean News, his brother, T. A. now being the whole cheese on the news. The Landers boys have been getting out a highly creditable paper for McLean and of course T. A. will continue to make a good paper and we hope Fred will again establish himself in the game somewhere in the Panhandle.

**Clinton News-Dispatch:** The only men of worth to a town are those who forget their own selfish ends long enough and are liberal enough in their ideas to encourage new enterprises. If you want Clinton to remain where she is today, do as some of you are doing and don't lend any encouragement to new enterprises. Clinton will not only remain at her present population, but will in a short time retrograde.

**Panhandle Herald:** Emmett Dobbs, editor of the Collingsworth County Standard, was married last week to Miss Esther Sullivan of Syracuse, N. Y. The Herald wishes to add its congratulations and felicitations to Editor Dobbs and bride along with their many other friends. Dobbs is making a good paper out of the Standard and now that he has a real boss we expect for him to even get out a better paper than in the past.

**Wheeler News-Review:** Adolf S. Johns, publisher of the New York Times, declares advertising rates are so low—a statement about which no newspaper publishers and all advertisers will argue. The Times minimum rate is \$8.52 a single column inch. And the mystery of it all is why some merchants can not be persuaded that they are losing money by not using papers, when everybody knows the home town paper is more thoroughly read than any other kind of periodical.

**Chillicothe Valley News:** Twenty-five years ago the automobile industry was in its infancy. Now it ranks first among all United States manufactures. The manufacture, distribution and sale of automobiles provide employment for an army of laborers. The production and distribution of gasoline and oils, and the manufacture of auto accessories have opened other great fields for the employment of labor. These industries hold an important place in our national life.

**Higgins News:** The story entitled "The Wind" is receiving a goodly portion of free advertising. Old timers opine it is true, but this day and age declare positively against the idea that the West Texas wind was ever so unruly as depicted in the story. Puts us in mind of a true wind story of this part of the world. Some twenty odd years ago there lived in this vicinity a sturdy old timer whose son was in the real estate business. On one occasion the son was exerting every effort to locate some "prospects" from the east. The wind was also doing its best to give the tender-foot a fitting reception to the wild and woolly west. One of the "prospects" wiped the sand from his eyes, coughed and spluttered: "Does it blow like this all the time?" "Hub!" spoke up the old timer, "You ought to be here when it does blow."

**Stock Out From the Others.** Stable-wise negroes were discussing the pedigree of Man-of-War. "Say, Henry," asked one, "dis horse Man-of-War—who is she by?" "Ah dudda. Ebbery time Ah sees her she is by herself."

**Judge:**—Are you trying to show contempt for the court?  
**Prisoner:**—No, I am trying to conceal it.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following candidates present their names to the voters of Gray County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

**FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR:**  
JOHNNIE R. BACK  
E. S. GRAVES (For re-election)  
I. S. JAMESON  
A. R. (CAL) CALAWAY

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE:**  
A. C. HUSTED  
T. M. WOLFE (For re-election)

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER:**  
MIRIAM WILSON (Re-election)

**FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:**  
CHARLIE THUT (For re-election)

**FOR TAX ASSESSOR:**  
F. E. (EWING) LEECH

**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:**  
JOHN F. STUDER

**FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2:**  
W. A. TAYLOR

**BETTERMENT**  
Ballinger Leader: Texas got by last year without a lynching, for the first time in many years. There were several near lynchings, but cool-headed citizens and bull-headed officers prevented mob violence. There were 16 lynchings in the United States during 1925.

**State Press in Dallas News:** The lynching states are becoming ashamed of being lynchers. They are beginning to realize that it is uncivilized, that it reflects upon the character of the citizenship of those engaged in it, that it depreciates property values.

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that it teaches the young idea disrespect for law and individual responsibility. But the real reason why lynching is decreasing is because drunkenness can not be arrived at now as promptly and numerously as was formerly the case. The decrease in lynching is largely due to prohibition, in two ways. Criminals are less inspired to crime by drunkenness, men and boys are less inspired to mob action. "Nigger gin" was at the bottom of many a negro crime for which lynch law was invoked. There is less intoxication, therefore more sobriety and saner conduct, among the more primitive types of the South's population. The effect of liquor upon Indians was long ago recognized by the Government to the extent of making Indian Territory dry long before the rest of the country was. But nobody in authority took the trouble to prove that the influence of liquor upon the black population was identical with its influence on the red men. That effect is similar but somewhat less disastrous on the whites. The office of liquor is to induce artificial stimulation, and it was that stimulation which has been the undoing of countless individuals of all races who have indulged extensively. If there are those in America who would like to see the lynching record rise again, let them work for the repeal of the prohibition laws.

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**What the Neighbors Are Doing**  
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**That Little Piece of Glass**

By DOROTHEA K. WHITING

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**R**ISE and shine! Hit the deck! Lively, now!

With these words a new day and a new life had begun for Algy. Only a short week before nothing had been further from his mind than enlisting as an ordinary seaman.

Blessed with a good education and an exceptionally good physique, he had rambled along through life, finding it one long sweet song. Left an orphan at twelve years of age, by virtue of a train wreck, he had inherited much more money than was good for him and, as it is apt to be the case, the finer points of his character had been corroded by the rust of indolence.

Petted and thoroughly spoiled, his spirit of patriotism had lain dormant through the most stirring times that his country had ever known.

"Let someone else do it" had been his attitude. But one day a little piece of glass had altered his whole life.

Driving his big racing car through a little village at high speed, a little piece of glass neatly slit a rear tire, a fact which Algy took cognizance of when he found himself sitting in a flower garden with the windshield wrapped around his neck.

As he regained his feet and attempted to remove his somewhat bizarre neckpiece, he heard a hearty chuckle which developed into a whole-hearted laugh. He tried to assume a dignified attitude and, turning toward the sound, he became aware of an exceedingly ornamental young woman, who was making desperate efforts to register an expression of sympathy.

Every wriggle the unfortunate Algy made, however, seemed to amuse her, so that her attempts at gravity were dismal failures.

Now, no man likes being laughed at, least of all one who had been pampered as Algy had. His attempt at haughty indifference was the last straw and the girl shrieked.

Eventually, she controlled herself long enough to assist him in ridding himself of his encumbrance. Then she insisted on his coming into her house to wash up. Aside from a few scratches, he was uninjured, and some minutes later, with a glass of milk and some delicious cake as refreshments, he was laughing as heartily over his recent plight as was Dorothy.

Their laughter had put them momentarily at ease than a dozen conventional calls would have done, and they were soon chatting away like old friends.

She was a college girl, he found out, the daughter of a retired naval surgeon, and her mother had been dead for some years. He left, after an hour or so, with a cordial invitation to come again.

Something in this wholesome girl was very attractive to Algy and, as would be expected, he called court to Dorothy. But at last he had found someone to whom neither his money nor his social position meant anything. Piqued beyond measure at her lack of interest in him, he redoubled his attentions, until, finally, sitting in the vine-covered piazza in the soft moonlight, he asked her to marry him.

In silence she listened to him and then: "Algy," she said, "has it ever occurred to you that your country is at war? Do you realize that the liberty of the world is at stake? Can you conceive of any true American girl caring for a man who spends his time in idle amusement, while the country which shelters him is calling on her sons for help? When you have done your bit come back again, Algy, and ask me. Then, I'll give you my answer."

Algy returned home dazed. To think any girl would refuse him! The little chit must be out of her senses. Still, wasn't there something in her argument? The logical result of this train of thought ended in a recruiting office, the following morning.

Eight months later a young, well-formed man, a sailor, turned into Dorothy's gate. Dressed as a berry, with long lean limbs, he swung along, with a little swagger which told the world that he belonged to a fine body of fighting men.

Dorothy opened the door herself and stared as though she were seeing a ghost. Slowly her gaze traveled from head to foot and finally rested on the little gold chevron on the left arm. She opened her mouth to speak, but Algy was too quick for her.

"Well, Dorothy," he said, "I'm back for my answer, and please make it snappy, dear, for I have only 48 hours' liberty."

As he spoke he caught her into his arms and from the face hidden on his shoulder came a meek little query: "Do I really have to answer?"

"You sure do, Dot. Here I've gone and joined the navy and got so salty folks get thirsty from just looking at me. Yep, I'll tell the world you've got to answer." And she did.

**Framing Pictures**

Black and white pictures should not be framed in brown or gold, but should be mounted on white or gray and framed in narrow moldings finished in dull black, olive or gray of a shade darker than the mount. But if the subject is strong in treatment, close framing, with a flat, wide molding of gray or dull green, is effective. Since close framing gives a picture a heavy look, it should be used only for large, important pictures. Small pictures look best mounted on card-board.

**THE PASSING DAY**

By WILL H. MAYES

(Former Dean Department of Journalism, University of Texas)

**Padlocking Against Liquor Sales**

When the government's plan of padlocking places that persist in violating the liquor laws becomes more general there will be better observance of the laws. The prohibition enforcement officers, after notifying owners of hotels and other places, where liquor is sold, that their houses are being used for unlawful purposes, have been padlocking some places that pay no attention to the notices. Bell boys in hotels will bootleg liquor to guests so long as the proprietors wink at it and perhaps share profits. Intoxicants will be sold at cold drink stands, or at some of them, as long as the owners of the buildings and proprietors of the stands permit it. The law will be respected when law-breaking hotels are closed, when drug stores operated principally as liquor houses are locked, and when liquor prescribing physicians have their licenses revoked after it is shown that they are law-breakers.

**Keeping the Farmers Puzzled**

If the farmer could know with some degree of certainty that when he grows anything he can find a market for it at a fairly remunerative price, farming would be a more attractive business. He has to gamble with the seasons to make a crop and with the markets to sell it. He is urged to the same breath is told that if he produces more he will ruin the market. He must use all his land or his working capital will be idle, but if he works it industriously and scientifically and "busts his barns," he is likely not to realize enough to repair the barns, while the crop gamblers will enrich themselves at his expense. Before the farmer is encouraged to produce more crops he should in some way be assured that he can market them at a price above production costs. Give the farmer a market and he will find some way to make the crops.

**Marketing a National Problem**

The farm marketing problem may be community action alone. Except be helped, but it can not be solved, by where the acreage is very restricted, as with the Laredo onion crop, communities or districts can not fix prices. Texas, with all its cotton crop, can not stabilize the price of cotton, with all the other cotton growing states in competition. No state is strong enough to establish a price for wheat, corn, potatoes or other staple crops. Only the national government can do it. Railroads lost money until they were placed under government control and protection. This was justified on the ground that they were public utilities and that government prosperity depended on their

success. Farming is the very backbone of government prosperity, but is allowed to fight its own way against all the organized finance of the world. Repulsive as the thought may be to those of us reared to oppose any kind of price-fixing, and inoculated before birth with opposition to everything that looks like centralization of power, we are being forced to admit that if farming is to continue profitable, some centralized effort must be made to improve marketing of farm products.

**To Build Woolen Mill**

Keerville has a committee looking into the advisability of building a million dollar woolen mill. Why not? Keerville is right in the heart of the leading wool and mohair producing country of the United States, and Eastern manufacturers are growing rich making that wool into clothing. Keerville has all the facilities for making the clothing at a much less cost than it can be made in the East, except the mill. It has enough idle money to build the mill and operate it. With splendid climate, excellent water, cheap labor, and money, all going to waste, Keerville should build that mill. The same thing applies with equal force to cotton mill project being considered for Center Point, in the same county.

**The World Progressing**

San Antonio is having a great radio exposition at which scores of kinds of radios are being shown. Radio broadcasting and reception are being improved every week and it will not be long until it will be as easy to hear Hong Kong as to talk to your neighbor on the telephone. Ten years ago what is now being done would have been thought impossible. When we can hear around the world at a cost within reach of all, we will come to know the world; and knowing, hatred and war will end. War comes from ignorance. Misunderstanding is largely lack of understanding. The radio is likely to become the great educator of nations.

Nine years is not too long a time in which to make ready for a great Centennial Exposition, such as is now proposed for Texas. It would only be too much time if the time is wasted instead of being used. There is a general inclination to put off doing a thing until so late that it has to be rushed to such an extent that it is poorly done. That is the danger that is now confronting the Texas Centennial movement. There is so much to be done in an educational way even before a start is made toward the centennial itself that there is danger that it may not be done well.

**DOINGS IN WEST TEXAS**  
Furnished by West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

**Rising Star.**—Pure Sunshine Cotton Seed has arrived in Rising Star and is being distributed among a large number of the farmers in this section. The pool was made up with a view to standardizing cotton throughout this region, and as many farmers as possible are planting the same kind of cotton.

**Spur.**—The cotton gins are still busy here. The gins have been running all day and often into the night. A total of 178 bales of cotton was ginned here in one day last week.

**Cisco.**—Cisco is planning to have a new bathing pool which will have bath house, cafe, ball room and laundry. The pool is to be 600 feet by 150 feet with a depth of 18 feet.

**Haskell.**—The owners of the local theater in Haskell will erect a \$40,000 theater building in the business district of the city.

**Plainview.**—The regular monthly luncheon of the local Chamber of Commerce was recently given at the Ware Hotel, with President, J. B. Cardwell presiding. One of the outstanding subjects up for discussion was the \$50,000 drive to be made for Wayland College.

**Vernon.**—Col. E. O. Thompson of Amarillo will let contract immediately for the building of a five-story hotel for Vernon. The hotel is to cost \$240,000. It will be of red face brick, all rooms outside and 120 with bath. Two high speed elevators will be installed, also circulating ice water and other features of present-day city hotels will be incorporated in the structure.

**Amarillo.**—The Amarillo Refining Company is prepared to double the capacity of its refinery here at once. Two 55,000 barrel tanks have recently been completed and other improvements are under way in order to care for the production of the Panhandle field.

**DEMAND FOR PHONES OUTSTRIPS POPULATION**

The telephone requirements of the people of the United States increase much faster than the population. Statistics show that during the last five years to Sept. 1, 1925, the population of the country increased only 7.2 per cent while the number of telephones in the service of the public increased 26 per cent.

There were 13,151,000 telephones in use in this country on Sept. 1, 1920, and on Sept. 1, 1925, there were 16,566,000, an increase of 3,415,000 over the five years period. This net increase is more than two and a half times the total number of telephones which comprise the entire telephone system of Great Britain.

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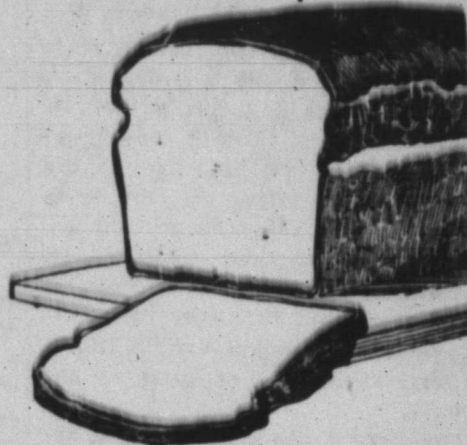
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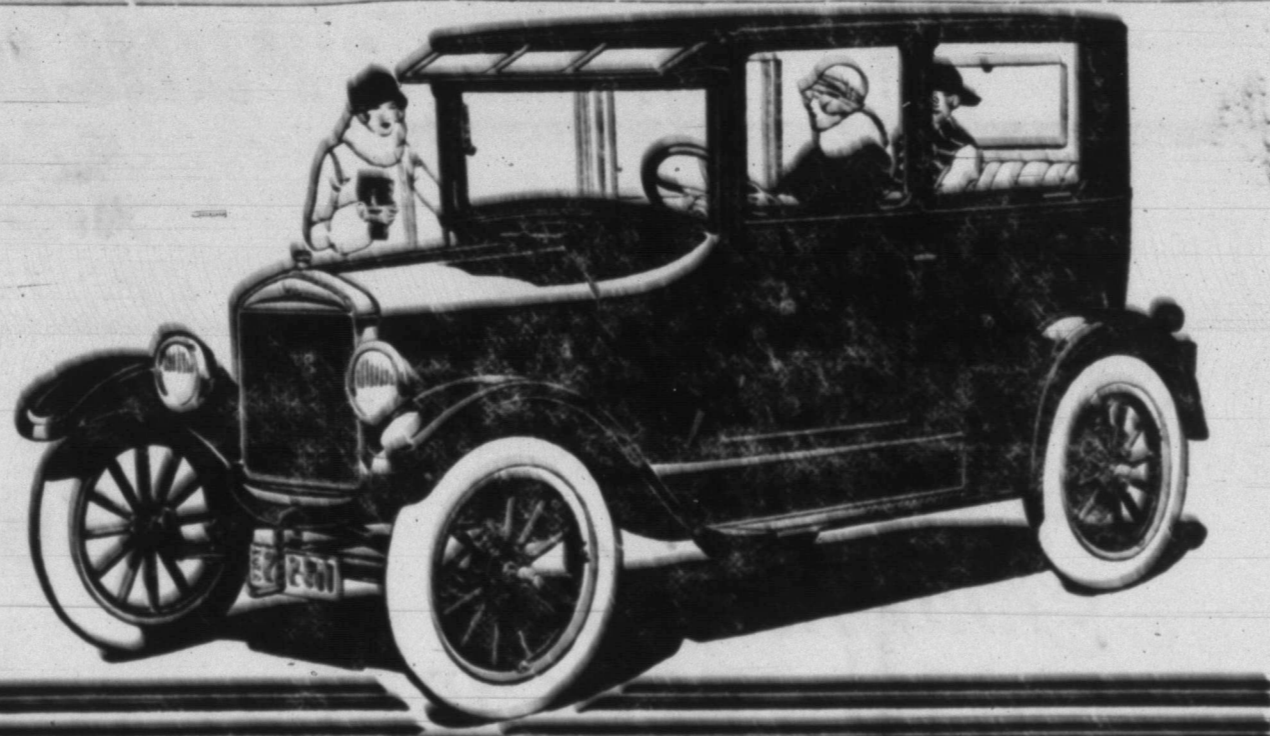
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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO START RADIO BROADCASTING**

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Much of the material furnished by the radio service will be prepared for presentation in a radically different manner than the present almost universal practice of reading manuscripts. Broadcasting stations co-operation will be asked to provide personalities who have unmistakable qualifications to voice the information and material which in most cases will be presented in popular style and in the form of dialogue or questions and answers.

"Uncle Bert" the garden expert, one of Mr. Pickard's phantom characters, will entertain and instruct the boys and girls of the Radio Order of Junior Gardeners with nature-study information. Some of the juniors themselves will be heard over the radio as they ask questions of Uncle Bert.

"Fifty Farm Flashes" will soon be offered as a regular feature on the air. To "flashes" will consist of interesting current information sought by farmers through the several thousand letters received each week by the department.

Other special feature programs are under consideration, among which are the "Housekeeper's Half-hour," and the "National Farm School." In the latter the farm will be considered as the student's laboratory. Timely lecture courses which dovetail with the daily farm work will be developed, and laboratory assignments will be made which necessitate putting into practice the subject matter taught. These will be supplemented with a file of bulletins dealing with the subject matter broadcast.

**WHAT MAKES AN IDEAL HUSBAND?**

According to one housewife the ideal husband should have these eleven points; and if he can score high on all of them, he is pretty near perfect:

- 1. "Have a sense of humor."
- 2. "Assume a share of the responsibility of bringing up the children."
- 3. "Co-operate with the wife in working out the family budget."
- 4. "Be willing to raise the standard of living as finances permit by adding comfort, beauty and entertainment to the home."
- 5. "Provide proper working equipment in the home."
- 6. "Assume responsibility for fuel supply, building fires and care of ashes, also for building and grounds."
- 7. "Share in the job of keeping things in their place."
- 8. "Be able and willing to help with the housework in emergencies."
- 9. "Look out for a vacation and recreation for the wife."
- 10. "Help to keep chronic grumpiness out of the home."
- 11. "Continue the practice of common courtesies observed before marriage."

What do Herald readers think about this?—Palm Springs Herald.

They're the most searching eleven propositions that we have ever seen. We have read them over carefully and thoughtfully. With due modesty (we think it is modesty) we believe we can qualify in part—the first of the sixth proposition where injunction is laid upon hubby to provide fuel, for we having bought some wood last fall—and even yet have definite recollection of personally paying the gas with which our meals are prepared. But otherwise and further, dependent say we not. We'd just like to see the housewife who prepared these specifications for an ideal husband. There isn't so such animal—we'll tell the world that. However, rather than answer the ill will of any grumpy wife, we hasten to add that there are many model husbands. Mrs. Editor graciously called us a model husband once; and in our great anxiety we consulted the dictionary to get the full import of the compliment. It said: "Model—A small imitation of the real thing."—Tyler Journal.

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**MY EXPERIENCE WITH A FINGER BOWL**

By Christina Campbell, Senior Pampa High School.

It was Saturday night; I had worked hard all week so I could earn enough money to take Betty to the Ritz for dinner. I spent an unusually long time in dressing, and at 7 o'clock my rattling, and dilapidated looking Ford was parked in front of Betty's house.

I felt a manly importance when we reached the entrance of the beautiful cafe. The sound of music reached my ears and the building was brightly illuminated with gorgeous light fixtures. The boys all turned and eyed Betty and then looked at me with jealousy beaming in their eyes. I held my head high, and proudly led Betty to a beautifully decorated table.

When the waiter came for our order, I was looking over the menu rather rattled. What was I to do? The menu was made up of foreign dishes which were all unknown to me. I carelessly handed the menu to Betty, and said, "You'll have to work out this puzzle, it's beyond me." This brought a disgusted look to Betty's eyes and a grin to the face of the waiter. I knew I had to do something quickly, so I ordered Waldorf salad, marshmallow parfait, macaroons, squab-stuffed with pate-de-foie gras, oyster cocktail and numerous other dishes, not knowing what to expect.

In a very short time a dinner large enough to feed an army was placed before us. Oh! what to eat first. I never spent such a long and miserable hour in my uneventful life as this one. All I did during dinner was to make blunders, and I surely made enough of them. I ate my salad with my spoon, upset a glass of water, and got most everything on the table.

After what seemed ages to me we had finished the meal and the waiter came toward us with two brass-looking bowls. He placed one before me and the other before Betty. The color of the bowl reflected a lemon color in the water and I broke the silence by saying, "oh! good, lemonade," and started to put the bowl to my lips, when I saw Betty putting her finger tips in the bowl. How shocked I was. Well I thought sure Betty had made the mistake that time, so I cleared my throat in order to attract her attention and again lifted the bowl to my lips. This brought a low protest from Betty's lips and a low mocking laugh from the couples nearby. I felt my face growing a brick red.

As we were leaving the waiter stepped up, and I pulled out my lonely \$5 bill and handed it to him. Instead of his taking it he handed me a bill marked "\$10" and then remarked in a disturbed voice, "pay your bill to the cashier."

What was I to do? Five dollars in my pocket and a \$10 bill to pay. I nervously lead Betty to the door and told her to wait a minute.

I walked over to the cashier and explained the embarrassing situation to him, but he had a hard look on his face and my pitiful pleading did not soften it in the least. The next few days were spent in waiting on tables to finish paying for that long-remembered dinner.

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**FASHION STILL DICTATES SIMPLE COATS FOR CHILDREN**



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The average number of customers to the mile of mains is 92 taking the country over.

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"You did!" he charged. "I did not!" she denied. "You did!" he repeated. "I did not!" she flung back. "Well," said hubby, "one of us two is a very capable liar. But there is one thing which prevents me from saying which one."  
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# Society and Clubs

BY MRS. JOE M. SMITH

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## WAYSIDE CLUB

The Wayside Club met Tuesday, Feb. 2 with Mrs. E. W. Hogan as hostess. A business meeting was held, after which Miss Seelbach gave suggestions for the purpose of beautifying yards. Mrs. Frank Hudgeb helped by adding vines, and Mrs. Keahy by adding bulbs to the list. The 22 present were served delicious refreshments of hot chocolate, bread and butter sandwiches, cake, salad and whipped cream. The next meeting will be held Feb. 16 with Mrs. L. B. Haggard as hostess.

## FOR S. S. CLASS

Mesdames R. C. Campbell and C. T. Hunkapillar entertained their Sunday School classes Friday night at the Methodist Church. Games and contests were enjoyed and later refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, and cocoa were served to about thirty-five.

## JOLLY MATRONS CLUB

Last Thursday the Jolly Matrons Club was entertained by Mrs. William Jackson and Mrs. Ernest Crane. The meeting was in the form of a Kansas gathering, and the ladies spent the afternoon doing fancy work. Sandwiches, pie with whipped cream, pickles and candy were served. Invited guests included Mrs. DeLea Vicars, J. S. Wynne, W. W. Merten, Mrs. Hoge of Tulsa, and Mrs. Will Henson of Morganville, Kans. Mr.

## AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The services at the Baptist church were well attended last Sunday. We had the largest attendance at Sunday school of any church in our association. We should have at least 200 next Sunday. The officers and teachers meeting are already going fine. Some training courses will be started soon.

Our church was well represented at the Fifth Sunday meeting at Miami. The Missionary stated that we had the largest representation of any church in the association. Things like this make a pastor happy. We are for all our organized work.

Next Tuesday evening will be the regular time for the meeting of the board of deacons. On Wednesday evening following will be the time for regular church conference. These business meetings should be entered into heartily by the membership.

Our prayer services are proving a blessing to all who attend. For several Wednesday evenings we are studying the prayer life of some of the great characters of the Bible. Our next lesson will be "The Prayer Life of Elijah."

The B. Y. P. U.'s meet every Sunday evening at 6:30. We have a B. Y. P. U. for every age. You will find it helpful. The great need of church is more trained workers. Make our B. Y. P. U. director happy by being present Sunday.

"The Bible Plan of Finance" will be the theme for the morning hour. The evening message will be evangelistic. All the people have an invitation to worship with us.

F. A. TIPPEN, Pastor.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

To officers and members of Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 355 of Pampa, Texas:

Whereas our Father has called home one of the dearest and most beloved of our members, Sister Anne Baker, whose daily life exemplified the teaching of Friendship, Love and Truth;

We realize that one has been removed from our midst whom we shall greatly miss;

Therefore, we are called to mourn with those who mourn and weep with those who weep.

A link has been severed from our chain to be added to the golden chain above.

We do truly sympathize with the sorrowing family and point them to Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved that the Charter of Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 355 of Pampa, Texas, be draped in mourning for 30 days, and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and made a part of our record, and that a copy be sent to the husband and mother.

J. W. WOODWORTH, LETTIE DAVIS, LIZZIE WALKER, Committee.

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and Mrs. Irvin Cole, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Kratzmeier and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Biard, Chas. Skoog and Christ Baer. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. N. M. Kite.

## BAPTIST CIRCLES

Circles Nos. 1 and 4 of the Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon at the church for their regular mission study lesson which was conducted by Mrs. T. B. Solomon and circles 2 and 3 also met at the church. The mission study for the latter was led by Mrs. S. L. Anderson. This was followed by a call business of the W. M. U. with the president, Mrs. W. B. Henry presiding. This was for the purpose of discussing ways and means of raising money for improving the parsonage. The ladies voted to have a box supper Feb. 11, when everybody including the seniors, intermediates, junior and primaries are requested to bring boxes. There were 27 ladies present at the meeting.

## W. M. U.

The Woman's Missionary Society met Wednesday at the church for Bible study, which was ably conducted by Mrs. C. T. Nicholson. This was followed by a short business session in which the president announced that all money which has been collected in the contest be turned over to the captains by Saturday, so it can be applied to the work on the church. There were 16 members present at the meeting.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service is the day again for the special service for the children. Heretofore the minister has told a Bible story, emphasizing the elements of truth that are applicable in the life of all. The boys and girls will now have part in pantomiming the stories that will be read by the minister. There will be several pantomimes. The boys and girls are coming after school this week for rehearsals and are manifesting deep interest and evidencing much dramatic talent. Every one who witnesses these pantomimes Sunday morning will have the teachings of Christ deeply impressed upon the heart. Don't fail to come.

Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock is the third sermon in the series on "The Sensationalism of the Sermon on the Mount." What did Christ teach about righteousness? This is a very familiar work to everyone; but do you fully understand its meaning? What really constitutes righteousness? What are the component elements? What must one do to be truly righteous?

Bible school promptly at 10 a. m. The opening exercises will be conducted by the Junior Christian Envoys. The Bible school offering of each first Sunday goes to the Orphans Home in Dallas. Come and help increase the attendance over that of last Sunday morning, and make the offering a large one. Forget self, by thinking of others, and specially these orphan boys and girls who look to our churches to care for them.

JAMES TODD, Jr., Minister.

## AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Evening service: "Approaching the Throne of Grace," Heb. 4:14-16. Conducted by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Preaching service at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. Choir practice at 8 o'clock the same evenings.

Don't forget that Sunday school begins promptly at 9:45. We need the entire time allotted to the class period, so please do not be late.

Everybody has the most cordial invitation to remain for the preaching service, and take the Lord's Supper with us.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Lee Harrah, Superintendent.

Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Sunday. Woman's Missionary Society meets Wednesday afternoons. Mrs. W. Purviance, president.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Choir practice after prayer meeting.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

A freight car earns the maximum amount of revenue for its owner and renders the maximum amount of revenue for its owner and the maximum to its full capacity and unloaded at destination without delay.

Miss Mary Hobart returned Sunday from the J. A. Ranch.

# POULTRY FACTS

## PLACE INCUBATOR IN THE BASEMENT

It is just as important to locate the incubator in a suitable place as to have a machine that will produce good chicks. The best incubator made cannot do well unless it is properly located and given correct attention. Fresh air is essential. When the incubator is placed in the residence it will give best results in a room where there is a uniform temperature and plenty of ventilation. A window should be partly open except in extremely cold weather.

The incubator should be placed in a room to itself when possible. A good cellar or basement is the best place for an incubator if vegetables, oils or other articles which give off gases or odors are not stored there. The machine should be set perfectly level, then run for at least two days and nights before the eggs are placed in it. Be sure to have the right temperature and understand the working of the machine. It is a good plan to place a paper over the egg tray when testing out the machine. By so doing practically the same space to heat is provided that will be used when the eggs are in the machine. When the incubator is empty the thermometer will read a little lower than it would if the machine were full, for as the eggs become warmed they raise the temperature slightly. By using the paper over the egg tray a fairer test will be secured.

Placing an incubator in a bedroom or living room is not advisable. The fumes from the lamp are not best for a sleeping person to breathe. Even with the windows open at night it is best to keep the incubator out of bedrooms unless there is no other convenient place. The living room lacks the uniform temperature that brings best results. Too often the room is hot during the day and rather cold at night. This usually causes trouble in regulating the incubator to hold a uniform temperature in the machine.

The incubator should not be placed in the same room in the basement with the furnace. The gas and dust from the furnace are detrimental. Special rooms in the basement or a regular incubator cellar give an ideal location for incubators. Uniformity of temperature and plenty of ventilation without too much evaporation and no drafts, give the incubator the proper surroundings. When two or more machines are used it will pay to provide such a place.

Very little heat is necessary in the incubator room unless it is necessary to air the eggs. The better machines are so constructed that the eggs are removed only for turning. If this is the case the incubator can be run successfully after March 1 where there is no heat, but it must be protected and free from drafts.

It takes a good incubator properly located and carefully attended to substitute for the setting hen. A hen will leave her nest for fifteen to twenty minutes even in cold weather, yet produce a good number of chicks. Further, the chicks will be strong and vigorous if from the right sort of a hen. A good incubator will hatch just as successfully and just as strong chicks if given the chance. Too often a person running an incubator will take more care of the machine than he does of the eggs. The incubator should be used as a means of helping the egg to produce a good, livable chick instead of a method of forcing every egg to hatch. To a large extent this difference can be brought about through better care of the eggs and proper location of the incubator.—Noel Hall, Extension Specialist, Missouri State Poultry Experiment Station, Mountain Grove.

## Moldy Grain Harmful

In many cases it has been found that the fowls out on the range have been able to get moldy grain such as is found around straw stacks or where the machine was set at threshing time. Sometimes this damp sprouted corn is not injurious, although fowls are likely to get too much of it, but the worst effects are found when this grain has become moldy. Molds are poisonous to fowls.

## POULTRY HINTS

Oyster shell is good, but it won't take the place of grit for hens.

The best hen is the one that eats the most and turns the food into the form of eggs.

After three years old, turkey hens, as a rule, are unprofitable, but a gobler is good at five years of age.

Do not allow the litter in the poultry house to become wet and filthy before changing. It pays to keep it clean and dry.

More attention to body weight than amount of grain given in the ration is receiving emphasis as a method of winter egg production.

A very tall is one that is twisted to one side through some deformity. A "squirrel tail" is one that is thrown forward toward the neck at an angle similar to that of a squirrel's.

# LOCAL GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Roberts of Granite are visiting in the Grandview neighborhood and incidentally looking for a location. Mrs. Roberts is a sister of Mr. Kuykendall.

Mrs. B. E. Finley returned Tuesday from Dallas where she attended a meeting of Bible Students.

The new school slide purchased by the Parent-Teacher Association, has arrived, and is being kept busy, with the youngsters enjoying it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Henry of Palo Duro were guests at the Dave Pope home for the week-end. T. D. Hobart accompanied them home to the J. A. Ranch.

Mesdames G. C. Malone and A. H. Doucette were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

The Pipkin Produce Company wants to skin you—wants all your chickens, eggs and hides. 51-tfc

Miss Kate Whitely of Wellington spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Bernice Whitely. They visited at Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Donkin received word Wednesday morning of the death of their only child, Mrs. McQuirk of Tonkawa, Okla. They were unable to go, owing to ill health of Mr. Donkin. Mrs. McQuirk is the mother of Miss Laura McQuirk, who teaches in the local school.

Mrs. L. C. McMurtry and Miss Leila Rorex were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook and children were McLean visitors Sunday.

Miss Verna Zimmerman, who is teaching school near Erick, Okla., was a visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Zimmerman of this city Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Rice has moved his office from the Kinnison & Bailey Barber Shop to his new location just across the street from the Magnolia filling station.

I have moved my cream station and shoe shop to the first door south of the Pampa Drug store. Bring me your cream and shoe work. C. E. Shelton. 35-tfc

Mrs. D. B. Jameson returned to her home in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald and son of Lubbock, arrived here Wednesday. Mr. Fitzgerald has been here several weeks, and they expect to reside near here in future.

We are glad to assist you in planning that new home you have been contemplating building. Our motto, "Service that Satisfies." White House Lumber Co., Pampa, Texas. 11-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Vincent are the proud parents of a nine-pound son, who arrived Saturday morning, Jan. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bernard departed Monday for Glenrose and Wichita Falls. They will also visit several points in Oklahoma, and expect to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kaufman of Amarillo were Pampa visitors Wednesday.

O. R. Kratzmeier was taken suddenly ill Tuesday, but late reports are that he is resting some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Henson and daughter have returned to their home in Morganville, Kan., after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merten and son. Mrs. Henson is Mr. Merten's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Malone and Mrs. A. H. Doucette were Amarillo visitors Wednesday afternoon.

A. B. Harmon writes in from his Sweet Home apple and chicken ranch of Rifle, Colo., with renewal check for two years.

Judge T. M. Wolfe of Lefors, paid the News office a very pleasant visit Tuesday.

County and District Clerk Charlie Thut was a News office visitor first of the week.

M. S. Arnold writes us to change his News from Happy, Texas, to Glendale, California, and renews his subscription.



REV. F. A. TIPPEN who has accepted the pastorate of local Baptist Church, and moved from Aspermont to take up the work.

Good Security Milligan—"If I be after loving security equal to what I take away will ye trust me till next wake?" The Grocer—"Certainly." Milligan—"Well, thin, sell me two av thim hams, an' kape wan av thim till I come agin."

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A variety of agricultural material to commercial broadcast stations serving farmers.

Much of the world's radio service chain, probably on presentation in grounds or down town, manner than return to C. S. Barrett at several practical points.

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**FOR SALE—PURE-BRED BUFF ORPINGTON** roosters. See or write Mrs. Bruce Martin, White Deer, Texas. 31p

**WANTED—SEWING TO DO, PREFERABLY** children's. See Mrs. J. D. Sackett.

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Texas is second among the states in value of exports.

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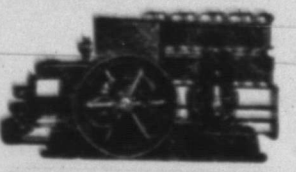
Every city of importance in Texas has a landing field for airplanes.

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**WAYSIDE NEWS**

Miss Annie Cheatham spent Saturday with home folks in Panhandle.

Ernest Medkief of Panhandle was a Pampa visitor Sunday.

J. E. Setz and family spent the weekend in Miami.

Miss Eula Nell Seelbach and Miss Leah Amend called at the Wilson home Monday.

Mrs. A. C. Long spent Tuesday night at the Wilson home.

O. R. Kratzmeier is reported on the sick list this week.

E. M. Groves went to Canyon the past week to visit his daughter, Miss Altha.

Harold Wilson is now in Tahoka, and will go from there to Artesia, New Mexico.

Jud H. Wilson has been threshing east and south of Pampa the past week.

Mrs. Jud Wilson hasn't been doing so well the past week.

Miss Naida Talley called at the Wilson home Tuesday.

Please report news items to Ethel Wilson.

**MEALS WHEN AT LEFORS**

I have rented the hotel at Lefors and in future will serve meals to those attending court, or at any other time when at Lefors. Your patronage will be appreciated. 45-21p

P. V. O. WRAY.

**CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN**

No. 170

The State of Texas:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

**Notice of Appointment of Temporary Guardian:**

The State of Texas:

To all persons interested in the welfare of Emma Lasater, a minor, Mrs. Ida Banks was, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas, duly appointed temporary guardian of the person and estate of said minor, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1926, the same being the 15th day of February, A. D. 1926, at the court house thereof, in Lefors, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

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

Witness, Charlie Thut, Clerk of the County Court of Gray County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lefors, Texas, this the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1926.

(SEAL) CHARLIE THUT, Clerk County Court, Gray County, Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

The State of Texas.

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You are hereby commanded to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed—at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of H. Gorenflo, deceased:

Know ye that H. Otto Stader having filed in the County Court of Gray County, an application for letter of administration de bonis non upon the estate of H. Gorenflo, deceased:

Now, therefore, these are to notify you, and each of you, who are interested in said estate, to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the honorable county court, to be held at the court house of said county, in Lefors on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1926, same being the 15th day of February, A. D. 1926, then and there to contest said application should you desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal this 27th day of January, A. D. 1926.  
(SEAL) CHARLIE THUT, Clerk of the County Court of Gray County, Texas. 44-71c

**CARD OF THANKS**

Though words fail to express our appreciation, we wish to thank, as best we may, the many friends who were so thoughtful and kind and who helped so much throughout the serious illness of our son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson and Family.

**Just Thirst**  
Rosita Forbes, the English traveler and lecturer, said:

"I like Americans because they are so frank and witty. At a tea in London one of your bankers told me that a nephew of his was traveling in Europe."

"My travels," I said, "are from a thirst for adventure; your nephew's, I suppose, are from a thirst for knowledge."

"No," the banker answered dryly: "just from thirst."

"We have some wonderful new potatoes!" said the corner grocer.

"You merchants seem to be inventing something new all the time," answered Mrs. Newlywed.

**Big Development for Spearman and Hansford County**

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12 cans Van Camp's tomato soup . . . . .	\$1.00
12 cans No. 2 tomatoes . . . . .	\$1.10
12 cans tall pink salmon . . . . .	\$1.75
12 cans good standard corn . . . . .	\$1.40
12 cans good peas . . . . .	\$1.40
12 cans No. 2 ½ Belle Isle Kraut . . . . .	\$1.40

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