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No. 5 Tipica Orchestra—April 8th, 3:30 p. m.
No. 6 Tipica Orchestra—April 8th, 8:15 p. m.
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LOCAL GOSSIP

B. T. Finley and J. C. Wynn and also J. C. Freeman of White Deer were visitors in Amarillo over last weekend.

Mrs. Alta Stanard recently moved to Pampa from Kingsmill. Mrs. Stanard was the News correspondent at Kingsmill before moving here.

Circles one and four of the Baptist ladies met on Wednesday of last week with Mrs. R. S. Walker, with Mrs. W. R. Hendrix presiding. Six ladies were present and a short business session was held.

"The voice of the skies does it not call to thee?"

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Pearl Hen Grit	\$2.00
Oyster Shells	\$1.75
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Ground Barley	\$2.80
Ground Oats	\$2.80
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Straw	\$1.85
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DODD'S HATCHERY
Pampa, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hobart returned Tuesday night from Florida where they have been visiting Mrs. Hobart's brother.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindnesses during the illness and death of our loved one, Mrs. E. R. Winkler. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Castleberry, Odessa and Wayne Winkler, G. G. Winkler.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank and express the appreciation of kindness and floral offerings shown by our dear friends during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

Mrs. P. S. Shelton.
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cornett.
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Murry.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rhoden.
Mrs. and Mrs. B. F. Jackson.
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Shelton.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shelton.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shelton.
Mike Shelton.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hollis.

WITH THE CHURCHES

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.—Lee Harrah, Supt.
Preaching, 11 a. m., subject: "Power of the Resurrection", Pt. 219—8 p. m.
League, 7 p. m.—Lillian Mullinax.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8 p. m. Pres.
Woman's Missionary Society, Tuesday 2:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. Purviance, Pres.
Choir practice, Wednesday 9 p. m.—Horsie McBea, Director.
A hearty welcome to all who may desire to attend any of the services.
COME.
On account of the revival at the Christian church there will be no services at the Methodist church at the evening hour.
B. J. Osborn, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Pre-Easter evangelistic meeting continues. Up to Wednesday evening there have been four conversions of faith. The ordinance of Christian baptism will be administered at the close of the service Friday evening. There will be services also Saturday evening. Sunday will be the closing day of the meeting, and efforts are being made to make the crowning day.
At the Bible School hour a special offering will be taken for Ministerial Relief. This offering is for the aged ministers and missionaries and widows and orphans of ministers and missionaries. This is a worthy offering. All who have not as yet received their special Easter offering envelope during the meeting are urged to be prepared and envelopes will be furnished Sunday morning.
James Todd, Jr., Minister.

Ray Wilson, News correspondent at Le Fors, spent the weekend in Pampa. Ray called at the News office while in town and reported every thing going nicely at the Capitol City.

"PAMPA POT-POURVEE REVUE," April 14.—Don't miss it.

LEFORS
The News has just received a letter from its reliable correspondent, R. C. Wilson, from Lefors. Mr. Wilson says the rush of the oil excitement has slowed down considerably, but that leases and property continue to change are still keeping the abstractors busy.

The Gray County court house repairing and repainting has been completed and the Delco Light System installation has been finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thut spent Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo. Mrs. Thut's sister, Mrs. E. H. Hall, returned with them for a week's visit in the capitol city.

Miss Miriam Wilson left Wednesday of this week for a month's visit in Tennessee and Washington, D. C. Glad to hear from you, Mr. Wilson.

WAYSIDE ITEMS
Too late for last week.
Mr. Wilks, a nephew of Mrs. W.

A. Taylor, and Mr. Miller were guests at the W. A. Taylor home Sunday night.

Mrs. Geo. Innman and daughter, Virginia, spent Friday night at the Wilson home.

Mrs. E. G. Behinger accompanied Mrs. Geo. Innman and daughter back to Amarillo Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. E. G. Behinger and Mrs. H. Isbell were Amarillo visitors last Monday. Miss Ammie Cheatham spent the week-end with home folks in Panhandle.

Mr. McPuk has been on the sick list. He is improving slowly.

Mr. Cornette has been on the sick list for some time and is also improving.

Mr. Ernest A. Midkief spent the week-end at the J. E. Seltz home.

Miss Dorothy Thomas has been pretty sick with scarlet fever.

FARRINGTON FILES
Sin greater than any sin is the blindness of souls to other souls. And joy greater than any joy is the joy of having the good in you seen, and seeing the good.

Velma Gillis is very ill—a flu relapse.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Benton have returned home again after remaining in Miami several days. Little Lots is convalescing rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huff and Bill Huff were to dinner in the A. Converse home Sunday.

Stage preparations for the Farrington school Easter program is progressing in spite of unpropitious weather conditions.

Ill luck attended James Lewis's party Saturday evening in the person of Father Winter, which brought in a number of regrets. However, those present reported a very pleasant evening.

Mr. B. F. Jackson has been losing calves from black-leg.

James Lewis became very ill Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers.

Dick Walker was summoned to the bedside of Mr. Ben Baird Tuesday at San Antonio. Mr. Baird has the flu.

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MAGNOLIA FILLING STTION
PAMPA, TEXAS

Frank Converse spent the week-end at Perryton.
Saturday night, March 27th, the community of Grand View put on two plays, "The Hoosier School" and Lovebird's Matrimonial Agency."
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Spearman are able to be out again.
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Chessher were in Pampa Tuesday.
Roy Williams of Amarillo was at C. C. Stockstill's Monday completing a business transaction—wherein he bought one of Mr. Stockstill's farms near Amarillo.
James Lewis has just received a fine shipment of 25 Black Giant baby chicks.
Frank and Ralph Converse have been restocking the home waters with fish.
The Farrington school is busy preparing an Easter program to be given just before the egg-hunt, April 4.
Clifford and Vernon Lewis are in school again after an absence of several days due to illness.
Judge T. M. Wolfe visited the Farrington school Thursday.
A. Converse and family were at Mr. and Mrs. John Turcotte's Sunday at dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lewis visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Spearman Sunday.
James Jackson went to White Deer Tuesday on business.
The A. Converse family were in the Arch Chessher home Tuesday evening where they heard the McPherson College male quartet broadcasting from Kansas City.
Grover Lewis and Velma Gillis are ill this week.
Use News Want Ads for results.

PUBLIC SALE!

APRIL 9

Beginning at 9 O'clock, A. M.

16 Miles West of Miami, 13 Miles Northeast Pampa,
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1 aged bay mare.
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5 sets leather harness.
12 leather collars.
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2 disc harrows, 20x18.
1 15 foot drag harrow.
1 14-hole Superior wheat drill.
1 Deering header with binder attachments.
And numerous other articles for sale.

I. S. Jameson, Auctioneer **H. E. Baird, Clerk**

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Orville Brookhart, Owner

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Panhandle Short of Coal as Storm Sweeps Over Town

The snow storm that swept over Panhandle and Carson county Sunday night and Monday caught the city short of coal. Coal dealers were out of fuel Saturday and there was plenty of borrowing over Sunday and Monday.

Dealers were expecting coal Monday afternoon, but there was an acute shortage reported during the day. Not expecting any sudden change of weather, the dealers were caught short.

Should the cold spell continue several days, there may be acute suffering here and in the oil field in sections that do not have gas.

Grated Pineapple Omelet.

Cook two tablespoons of flour and one-fourth teaspoon of salt in two tablespoons of bubbling butter; add one cup of cooked grated pineapple (pulp and liquid mixture), one-fourth cup of sugar and one teaspoon of lemon juice and stir and cook to the boiling point; remove from the fire and stir into the yolks of five eggs, beaten very light; fold in the whites of the eggs, beaten dry and turn into a hot frying pan in which two tablespoons of fat have been melted; spread evenly over the pan, let stand over moderate heat two minutes, then set into a moderate oven for 20 minutes. As soon as the omelet comes out clean remove from the oven, cut across center of the top, fold one-half over the other and turn upon a hot platter. Sift powdered sugar thickly over the top. Serve surrounded by cooked grated pineapple.

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A VISIT TO A COFFEE HOUSE
By Leora May
English IV, Pampa High School

The light of dim, flickering candles cleared the gloom and dazzled me as I threw open the heavy oak door. I stood for a moment in the low, narrow doorway, feeling as though I had suddenly stepped from my own age to one that excluded me from life.

I slipped through the throng to a wooden table in a corner, well outside of the circle of chatting, pleasant people. A little hump-backed breath of a man trotted among the tables, smiling at this group, serving that one—a fellow hailed and greeted by all.

A lull swept the room as a slight, light-haired boy rose to his feet and began to speak in the tongue of the Scots. The voice rose and fell, the room seemed to sway with its swell. A moment of silence followed under the spell he had cast over them, then applause, loud echoes for Bobby Burns of the Scots.

A draft of wind chilled me suddenly and my eyes turned to the doorway. I blinked as though an ugly blight had covered my pretty picture; but it only seemed to add to the joy of the throng, for the people sprang to greet the fat unwholesome man who stood in the doorway snarling. Beside him stood a short person, dressed in a violent, red coat. This man's kindly little face had been pitted horribly by a disease that he had once been the victim of and his step was awkward. I knew he was Goldsmith and I could not refrain longer from making my presence

known; so I called loudly to the old servant. No one noticed me; so I rapped loudly on the table but to no avail. The next moment I was startled to see the light of a candle was not dimmed at all by a figure who was between me and the light.

However this was soon forgotten for Johnson was loudly quarreling with the hot, irate Swift who was loudly proclaiming the whole world mad. A soft voiced Addison was entertaining his own corner with humorous little recitations; while the laughter rang again and again.

I watched Goldsmith's face as he played cards with Burns; the quick changes, from looks of stupidity to sharp glances of pride. Then all was gone. I could still hear the voices echoing in my ears but all was dark and cold.

I raised my head from my arms, heavy with sleep, and glared at the light that was still burning brightly. My eyes moved from the brightness of the light and fell upon my English textbook. There, written across the page were the following words:

"Assignment for Friday—My visit to a coffee house."

The clock struck one and I went where duty seemed to call, that is the reason, Miss Whitley, why my theme is the worst of all.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, will receive bids at Lefors, Texas, on April 11, 1926, for the purchase of one or more 60 horse-power road tractors.

T. M. WOLFE,
County Judge, Gray County, Texas.
At Lefors, Texas, April 11, 1926.

Isaacs Ranch Sold.
The W. C. Isaacs ranch, consisting of 17,500 acres near Canadian, has been sold to H. D. Melville and

associates at a reported consideration of \$150,000. The purchasers are from Wichita Falls.
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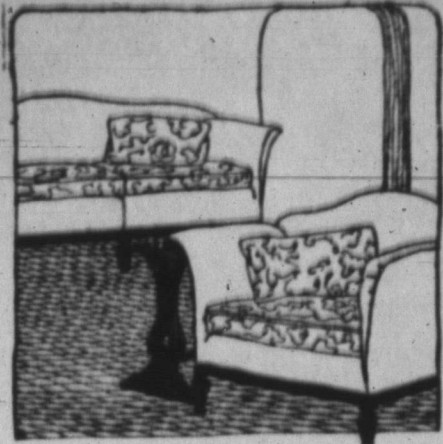
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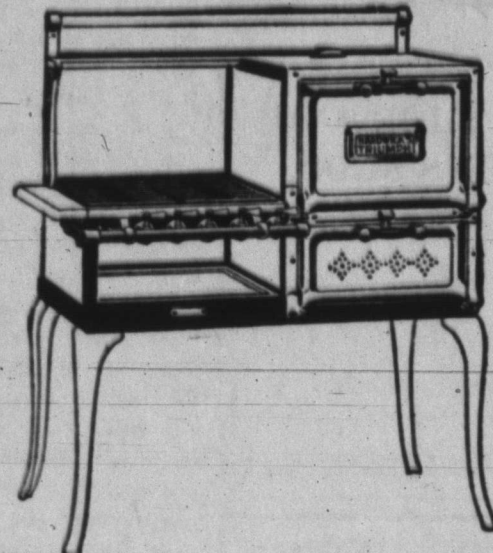
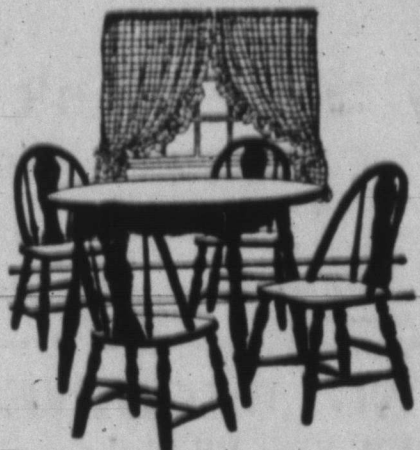
I went to market and selected this Furniture from the floors of the factory, and I am able to show to the people of this community the latest styles and finishes in home furnishings. By buying in car lots and direct from the factory I was able to save from 10 to 25 per cent, which saving I will pass on to my customers.

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NOTICE TO WELL DRILLERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Council of the City of Pampa, Texas, until 3 p. m. of the 3rd day of April, 1926, for furnishing materials and drilling one 8-inch, water well in the City of Pampa.

Proposals must be addressed to J. T. Crawford, Jr., secretary-treasurer, Pampa, Texas, and must contain a certified check, or its equivalent, made payable to said J. T. Crawford, Jr., for \$100.

Specifications may be seen and blank form of proposal procured at the office of A. H. Doucette, City Engineer, Pampa, Texas.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

F. P. PEID, Mayor.
J. T. CRAWFORD, Jr., Sec-Treas.
City Council, Pampa, Texas. 52-21

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Notice is hereby given that there will be an election on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1926 in the Pampa

Independent School District of Gray County, Texas, at the High School building in Pampa, Texas, in compliance with an order of the Board of trustees of Pampa Independent School District and that the polls in said district will be opened at 8 o'clock a. m., and shall not be closed before 6 o'clock p. m. on said day for purpose of electing three trustees.

J. T. Crawford, Jr., has been appointed presiding judge of said election and D. W. Osborne and T. H. Barnard assistants.

Done by order of the Board of Trustees of Pampa Independent School District, this the 17th day of April, 1926. 51-2c

L. C. McMURTRY,
Secretary Board of Trustees.

Plan \$300,000 Church.

Polk Street Methodist Church of Amarillo plans to sell its present property and build at 14th and Polk streets. There is talk of building a \$300,000 edifice.

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SIMPLY WILD

"Who's the stranger Mother dear? Look! He knows us! Ain't he queer?"

"Hush my own! Don't talk so wild."

"That's your father, dearest child."

"He's my father? no such thing!"

"Father died, you know, last Spring."

"Father didn't die, you dub!"

"Father joined a golfing club. But they closed the club, so he

Had no place to go, you see!"

No place left for him to roam—

That's why he's coming home.

Kiss him—he won't bite you, child

All them golfing guys look wild!"

—Macon Magazine.

What Is Gravity?

Teacher—Bobby, can you explain to me the law of gravity?

Bobby—Yes'm. Gravity is twenty-five miles an hour. Above

that there ain't none.

Tennessee Salad.

Pare, chop and drain cucumber; there should be one-half cup. Add an equal measure of canned sliced pineapple, chopped and drained. Soak one and one-fourth tablespoons granulated gelatine in one-fourth cup cold water and dissolve in one-fourth cup boiling water, and add to first mixture with one-fourth cup each, sugar and vinegar, two-thirds cup pineapple syrup; one tablespoon lemon juice, and a few grains of salt. Mold, chill, remove from mold, arrange on lettuce leaves and accompany with mayonnaise dressing.

Heat Expands.

Don't exert much strength in screwing a spark plug so tightly into a hot motor. When the engine cools the cylinder metal will contract, making it extremely difficult to remove the plug when necessary.

A VISIT TO A COFFEE HOUSE

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Pampa, Texas

Wellington, Texas

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But when we turn and knock our fellow man.

We never stop to analyze the cause.

If he does not appear just what you like.

If you don't quite agree with what he said.

Don't knock, but turn within yourself.

And start to clean the carbon from your head.

Traffic Officers, so pretty girl motorists: Hey! What's the idea? Didn't you see me wave to you? P. C. M.: Certainly I did, and if you try it again I'll report you.

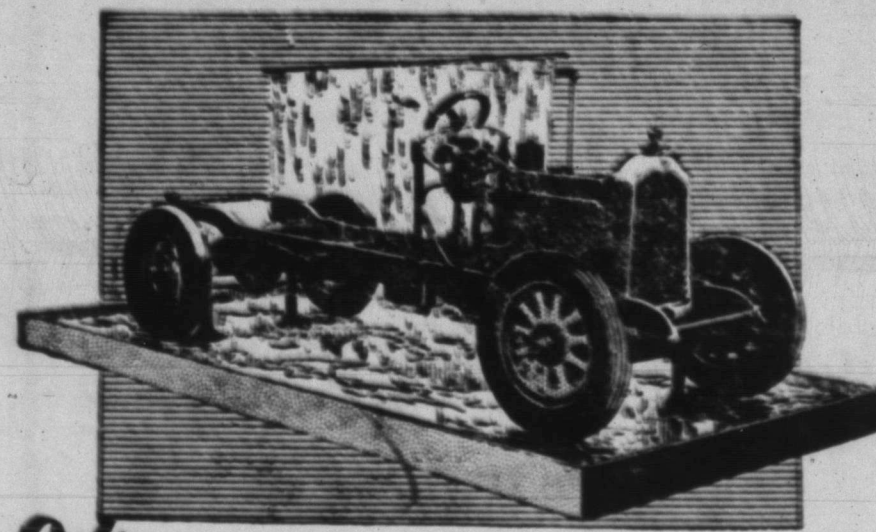
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Driving Out of Ruts

Attempting to drive out of a deep rut places a severe strain on the parts of the front axle assembly. But if the car is brought to a complete stop, the wheels are turned to one side as far as possible, and the car backed, the wheels will easily mount the sides of the ruts without the least strain.

Baked Ketchup.

Cut one pound of soft mild cheese into thin slices. Sprinkle a layer of bread crumbs in well-greased baking dish, cover with one-third cheese, sprinkle with one-third salt and paprika mixed, and repeat twice, making three layers. Beat three eggs slightly, add one and one-half cups of milk and pour over mixture. Bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes. Serve at once.



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Buick has the only chassis built today that can take a "shower bath" while the engine is running and driving the wheels.

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Road slush and grit cannot reach Buick vital parts. Rain and moisture cannot cause short circuits in the Buick electrical system. Even the spark plugs are protected!

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Editorial Eyes

By RUBY DOUGLAS

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MENTALLY Alice Langhorn filled the editorial room, even to overflowing: physically she certainly did not.

However, what there was of Alice physically was simply beautiful from shingled head to dainty feet.

She always looked through her big mail eagerly for the letters marked "personal" and read those before taking up the manuscripts from hundreds and hundreds of strangers.

Her lips curled happily as she found one from Ethel Ward, her life-long chum. Ethel still lived in the town of her birth, in the Middle West, while Alice had been drawn to the East by the power of ambition. And now, Ethel was preparing for her marriage to Stanley Bradshaw in the near future and would no doubt settle down to domestic happiness.

"Dearest Alice," read the little-big editor, "I am going to ask the greatest kind of a favor of you. Stanley is going to New York next week and intends shopping his poems about the various magazines. I don't know a thing about poetry—all I know about is dogs and ponies, so I can't say whether his poems are any good or not. Of course I've told him so much about you that he swears he knows you by heart, and I am sending him to you, poetry and all. Please don't be foolish and spare his feelings if there is nothing in his work; but help him all you can. He's frightfully serious about it. I sometimes wish he weren't."

"Also, dearie, do be good to Stanley and let him take you about with him—he will be a stranger in a strange land, so be a sport and show him the sights. Hope you take to each other because you're both true blue. Much love—will write more later. Ethel."

Ten days later Alice received the card which she had been looking for and a moment later Stanley Bradshaw stood within her sanctum.

They liked each other without hesitation—frankly, and instinctively. He drew forward a seat and they first had a long chat about home. After that he shyly yet eagerly brought forth his poems. Alice knew they were very dear to him and she hoped with all her soul that she would not be called upon to chill his ambitions.

Alice smiled softly and held out a hand. "Come back at about five—perhaps we can have dinner together and I will tell you all about the poems."

"It's too good of you," he said boyishly. "I need not tell you that more than half my life has been spent in effort and that I hope to win out."

Alice knew that her heart was thumping in dull turmoil as she waited for Stanley at five o'clock. It was a heat quite unknown to her and startled her with its persistency.

He greeted her with a breathlessness that proclaimed the fact that she had not been out of his mind for one moment since leaving her.

"I am going to talk poetry, before we go out," Alice said knowing full well that they could only skim the surface of any other topic until that subject had been thrashed out.

He thanked her with his eyes—meeting the glorious depths in hers with a long look of understanding.

"You have an exquisite poetic sense," Alice told him, "but if you want your verses to live you must make them breathe, throbb, pulsate with something which you—well—I may be wrong but I feel that you have not yet held your head close enough to mother earth to get the intensity of her longings—the vast emotions, heartbreaks, love, tenderness—"

She held out her hands to him now as if to soften the effect of her words. "You have it within you to become one of the world's poets. I do not want to publish these as they are—you would be sorry."

Stanley never knew how roughly he took and held the hands she offered him. There was a fierce look to his eyes and he beat back with an effort the rapid flow of words that threatened his tight pressed lips.

"I know those poems are feeble, immature soulless things," he said. "I knew it when I stepped into this room this morning!" He drew her suddenly against his breast and tipping back her face stroked the soft hair from her brow. He looked down into her startled eyes a long moment, then added, "When I left you, a grief so intense plunged through me as to make me physically ill, and all through the day my blood has been beating tumultuously like a lion against the cage." More softly he said, "I think for months I have been anticipating something tremendous. I believe in my heart that Ethel has brought this meeting about. It is she who has put your soul into my keeping with her constant reminders of you. She talks of you continually—I seem to have known you always—there will never be any other love in my life."

He released her and she stood speechless.

And out West, in rough tailcoats and heavy boots Ethel Ward tramped happily about among her ponies and dogs and by her side was a big man who knew no more about poetry than Stanley did about the breeding of ponies, but he did know that he and Ethel loved each other and that where there was a will there was always a way, and he was going to find the way even though Ethel was opposed.



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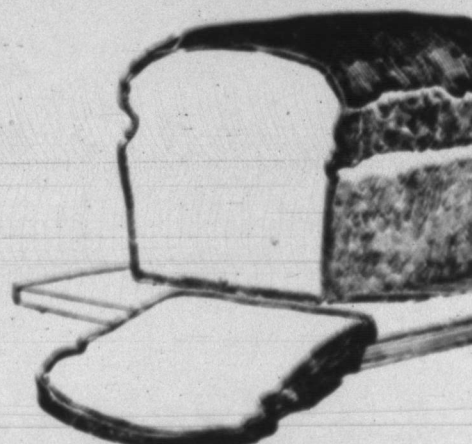
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A FOLLOW-UP.

A week ago The News discussed some of the problems concerning the growth of Pampa. Developments since then indicate that there is need of the reiteration of some of these statements about our city. Bringing in of some splendid oil wells has put a lot of attention on Pampa and Gray county. Dozens of new faces may be seen on the streets of our city. Many of these visitors are here to make purchases of property when the prices are quoted at figures which they believe will be profitable to themselves.

When substantial firms desire to come to Pampa, we should make every effort to cooperate with them. For instance, there is no more substantial business than the Western Union. When that firm gets ready to establish a downtown office, it has a pretty good idea of what the business will be. It will demand a location that is accessible and the rent must be in keeping with the receipts. If those two conditions are not met, the communities probably will suffer by not getting adequate telegraph service. Pampa-citizens, the city-officials and chamber of commerce has big tasks ahead of them. Pampa is starting a real permanent growth and we must pull together.

THE WHEAT BELT.

Pampa is known far and wide as the wheat city of the Panhandle. Wheat has stood up well during the recent dry weather.

During the week-end the wheat belt was blessed with considerable moisture—a heavy snow and some rain. The rainfall and moisture have been about as heavy as our farmers and business men would like. Wheat has been greatly helped and in addition the soil is getting in better shape for row crops to be planted this spring.

Pampa will continue to be the heart of a rich agricultural country despite the oil development. In fact, Pampa seems to be doubly blessed this year and there should be general rejoicing.

Some of our readers have said that The Pampa News is not giving sufficient time to allow renewals of subscriptions and for that reason we are granting an extension of ten days before the adjusted rates take effect.

It was announced last week that the rates for subscriptions to The News would be revised effective April 1. The date has been advanced to April 10, but even that time is just a few days away and there is no time for delay.

You may subscribe at the old rate of \$1.50 a year now regardless of where you live provided you take prompt action. But The News management gives its word of honor that this will be the only extension granted to our readers, and your subscription must be delivered to The News office or bear a postmark not later than April 10 to receive benefit of these rates.

After April 10 the following schedule of subscription rates will be strictly adhered to: In Texas, one year, \$2.00; six months, \$1.25; three months, .65 cents. Outside Texas, one year, \$2.50; six months, \$1.50; three months, .85 cents.

Wheeler Times-Review: The Panhandle press gang is making arrangements to get together in Amarillo on the 9th and 10th of April. We are glad to know that the program committee has seen fit to make it more a

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:
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FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
JOHN F. STUDER

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

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 3:
THOS. O. KIRBY

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1:
C. W. BOWERS

business program than heretofore. In the past Amarillo has entertained so royally that there was not sufficient time to tend to business. You see it's like this: Editors at home must live a sort of model life. Then when they get away from home they feel that they need a little change and must have plenty of time for their poker parties and a general good time. But Amarillo has been staging so many parties, shows, dinners, trips and so forth that the editors had to stay on the straight and narrow while there.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the various wards of the City of Pampa, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, being April 6, 1926, for the purpose of electing a mayor, a city marshal and one alderman from each of the three wards of said city.

Voting booths will be provided in each ward and judges of the election are hereby appointed as follows:
Ward No. 1—Larry Rider.
Ward No. 2—D. W. Osborne.
Ward No. 3—C. S. Rice.

Authority is hereby vested in the above mentioned judges to appoint their own clerks to assist in the holding of said election.

Nominations for any of the above mentioned offices should be turned in to me or left with the city clerk five days prior to election day in order that said names may be incorporated in the official ballot.

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The property is valued at \$11,000,000. There are four producing wells on it at this time and the Gulf has recently launched an intensive drilling campaign.

Mrs. Dial as executrix of the estate of her husband, J. C. Dial, who died in 1918, filed suit on behalf of two minor children. The plea is made that title to the children's share of the property was not transferred when the deed was made to Perkins and others in 1922.

Oil operators are divided in their opinion as to whether or not the suit will hold up developments on the land. Some think that development will continue and the proceeds placed in escrow pending the development of the suit. Others believe that all development will be halted until the suit is settled.

R. H. Martin and J. J. Perkins, of Wichita Falls, and G. E. Martin of Wichita Falls are fee owners of the land. The Panhandle Refining Company, W. B. Hamilton, W. D. Cline,

and Goldelene Oil Company of Wichita Falls; Everett R. Newby and Buttram Petroleum Company of Oklahoma City and the Gulf Production as oil and gas lease holders.

The property was deeded to Perkins and associates in 1922. Shortly after the Panhandle Refining Company and the Gulf began to drill for oil and four producers were brought

in. Owing to the tract being north of the river and no marketing or storage facilities available, development was stopped until recently. The Panhandle sold a half interest in the property to the Gulf for \$2,000,000 cash and other considerations. The Gulf immediately announced an intensive drilling campaign.

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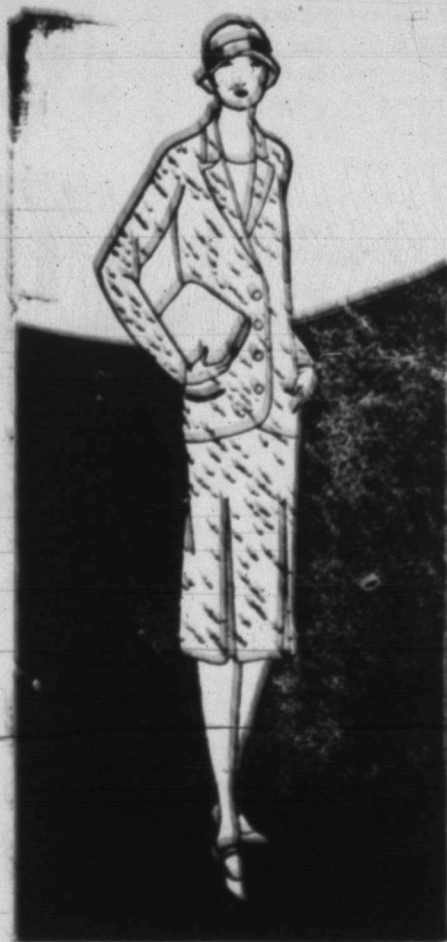
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ening and sugar does not separate after you have creamed them together. To avoid this add only about two tablespoons of your milk first and then some flour and then alternate until all has been used.

This makes a most delicious layer cake. When done should have a light smooth texture. Your layer cakes are done when they begin to shrink away from the pans around the edges.

Our California Letter

(By J. F. VICARS)

San Jose, Calif.

Dear Editor:

Yesterday morning I received the first copy of The News under the new management and I was highly gratified to learn by looking into its contents that it has been transmitted to capable hands. The arrangement seems pretty much the same and the appearance is very little changed. It is the same clean, neat and newsy paper. It sets a high standard which I am hoping and believing it will live up to.

But that depends largely, of course upon the support, moral and financial, which it receives from the community, which it is designed to serve. There are many people in every town and contiguous territory who do not appreciate the value or realize the importance of the local paper. It is the instrument through which it talks to the rest of the country. It is the broadcasting station by means of which it tells the rest of the world what the people are doing. It is the organ which makes vocal the thoughts and intentions of the people.

This being the case, it is worthy of the respect and support of every good citizen and no man renders a greater service to the community than he who conducts its local paper. It is as essential to the life, happiness and prosperity of the town and as worthy of its moral backing and financial support as are its clubs, societies, churches and schools. None of them can take its place, yet it is of great assistance to all of them.

Then let him who reads this letter, if he lives in the community which is, as should be, served by this paper, subscribe without waiting to be asked, and give it whatever patronage he has to bestow. And let him not forget to phone, or write or tell the editor ALL the local news. HE will decide whether it should be printed or not.

No citizen of Pampa can make a better investment to the amount of \$1.00 than by subscribing for the News. It is reflected in the character of the paper, which in turn is reflected in the good opinion which those who see it will have of the town for which it speaks; for people invariably judge a town by the character of its local paper.

Its editor, as an editor, is not interested in questions of party, politics or matters of religious dispute. Discussion of the tariff and evolution (as a religious issue) he leaves for political and sectarian papers and magazines. But he is interested in honesty and morality and good citizenship and in everything that is of benefit to his town.

Mr. E. K. Johnston, editorial manager of San Jose's most popular paper, the Daily Mercury Herald, died a few weeks ago. He was truly a great man and the feeling was general that the paper had suffered an irreparable loss. The great banks of flowers and the wet eyes of the immense crowd of devoted men and women who attended the funeral bear eloquent testimony to the high esteem in which he was held, for he had served the people faithfully and well.

But scarcely had the flowers faded on his grave till a most worthy successor was found and employed in the person of Arthur L. Clarke, a man of high attainments and wide and varied experience, having filled many positions of honor and trust, such as managing editor of the Los Angeles Examiner for four years; editor-in-chief of the Boston American for four years; established the N. Y. Illustrated News; associate editor of the N. Y. Evening World; editor-in-chief for four years. Great as the San Jose paper was, it seems to have lost none of its high qualities by the change. The city is fortunate indeed that its popular editor's mantle has descended upon such a worthy successor.

A few weeks ago a very interesting ceremony was held here in connection with the dedication of a "best of the People's College and the San Jose high school. It stands on the corner of the lot occupied by the Edwin Mathison home, an unpretentious yellow house in which the beloved poet lived for many years and which has been acquired by the club and preserved in his honor.

Last week another interesting ceremony was held at the same spot. This time the occasion was the unveiling of a memorial bronze tablet presented by Dr. U. S. Senator James D. Phelan to the Best Cottage.

I would love to write at length about the poet—how he went to school, how he taught school and gave his money to his mother because she needed it, and postponed going to school for want of it, how he learned the blacksmith trade because he wanted to put himself in sympathy with the common people and wanted to know how it felt to do the very hardest kind of work, how he taught his first school—an open air school—under a great live oak tree, with no protection for his little group of pupils except brush put up by the farmers, and their only roof the spreading branches of the great tree, how he used to wander alone by the Coyote creek and fling himself down beneath a great sycamore tree which is still standing, survey the pleasing landscape and lift his eyes to the distant hills, how he visited an art gallery in San Francisco, Francisco, saw "Millet's Man With the Hoe" and was inspired later to write the immortal poem under the same title. But time would fail me.

The finest, the most heartening thing about the ceremony was the fact that it was held while he whom it was intended to honor is still living. So often the praise, the laurel wreath comes long after the singer is dust and the song alone remains. But here the homage comes to a man who is still living in this world of ours, and acting his part as a human being.

A short while ago Mrs. Bertha K. Landers was elected Mayor of the fine city of Seattle. Her husband Prof. Landers, an educator, has the people here very much attached to him. He was very much pleased over the election of Mrs. Landers for she was a pupil of his and for a long time a member of his family.

But his gladness was soon turned to deepest sorrow, for on the heels of this glad news came the announcement that his son Erik had been killed in an automobile accident a few miles south of this city. Erik was only 22 and had been married less than a month. A young man of model character, deep scholarship and peculiar brilliancy he was idolized by all who knew him.

"PAMPA POT-POURRE REVUE," April 14.—Don't miss it.

Stuffed Hearts With Vegetables.
Clean and wash three calves' hearts; stuff and skewer into shape. Draw small strips of salt pork (lardoons) through edges of hearts. Sprinkle with salt and pepper, dredge with flour and brown well in hot fat, stuff with two slices onion, four slices carrot, one blade celery cut fine, two sprays parsley, two small bits bay leaf, three cloves and one-half teaspoon peppercorns. When hearts are richly browned remove to casserole or deep baking dish. Add two cups stock, cover closely and cook slowly in the oven until tender (about two hours), basting six times while cooking.

Cut three slices of stale bread one-third-inch thick, shape with large round cutter; with a small butter, remove centers to form rings; brush with melted butter

and brown delicately in the oven. Arrange them on hot serving platter, set a heart in each ring and surround with new carrots and turnips cut Julienne style and cooked in boiling salted water until tender. There should be one and one-half cups each.

McLean News: The new publishers of the Pampa News state that the subscription price of their paper will be increased to \$2 in the county and \$2.50 out of the county, for the reason that this is now the customary price for all the better home town papers. We have had the same change in mind for some little time, and may make such a change some time this year.

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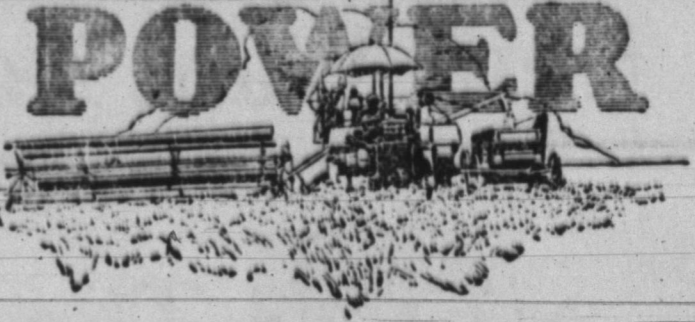
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Society and Clubs

PHONE LOCAL NEWS AND SOCIETY ITEMS TO NO. 100

Wednesday evening, March 17, Mesdames J. Wade Duncan and Ralph Arnold very charmingly entertained the members of the L. T. D. Club and their husbands with a "Forty-two" party.

The rooms were very artistically decorated in green and white symbols to St. Patrick Day, while the green and white color scheme was also used in the delicious refreshments that were served at the close of the evening.

Throughout the evening great interest and enthusiasm was shown. The Jolly Matron Club met with

At a late hour high score prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lippold, after which Mrs. Carson Loftis gave several interesting readings. Guest personale included: Messrs and Mesdames W. E. Coffee, John Williams, Carson Loftis, B. A. Lippold, J. Wade Duncan and Ralph Arnold.

The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. W. E. Coffee at the Carson Loftis home April 11.

Thursday afternoon, March 11, Mrs. Carson Loftis was hostess to the L. T. D. Club. Forty-two was

the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. Frank Catterian winning high score and Mrs. S. C. Pearson low. A short business meeting was held after which delicious refreshments were served the following members: Mesdames Ralph Arnold, W. E. Coffee, S. C. Pearson, John Williams, Raymond Harrah, J. Wade Duncan and the following guests: Mesdames C. C. Dodd, W. C. Archer and Frank Catterian.

Mrs. Chris Baer last Thursday.

There were seven members present and five visitors. The visitors were Mrs. Thorpe and daughter, Mrs. S. Beard, Mrs. Hudgel and Miss Wilma Behrends.

As the guests arrived punch was served.

The afternoon was spent doing fancy work.

The hostess served fruit salad with whipped cream, cake, coffee and punch.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. L. Behrends, April 8th.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary Society will meet for Bible Study Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Methodist Church. All members are urged to be present.

COMING: "PAMPA POT-POURRE REVUE", April 14, with more than thirty people.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Archer City—Work has started on constructing the new post office building here. The building will be modern in every respect. Work is under way on an \$80,000 high school building.

Silverton—The Briscoe County Fair will be held Oct. 8-9 this year. Early dates were selected to insure against bad weather.

Levelland—A twenty six piece band has just been organized here under the direction of Clayborne Harvey of Littlefield.

Austin—The year book of the State Game Fish and Oyster Commission is ready for free distribution. The volume is beautifully bound and illustrated and contains much valuable and interesting information. This is the first book ever gotten out by the commission and was prepared under the direction of Fred Smith, special deputy of the department. First applicants

will receive preference on distributing the book. Schools, newspapers, chambers of commerce and libraries will be given special preference, although private individuals are eligible to receive one free copy of the book each.

Colorado.—Interest in potash development in this section of West Texas is greatly stimulated as a result of the Sheppard Potash Bill now before Congress. Great deposits of this mineral are known and development of the deposits is anticipated.

Fort Worth.—Crowell, Swensen and Paducah are the latest cities to enter their order for a car load of the gilts being pooled for shipment into West Texas. Every load of hogs shipped into this section has given great satisfaction and the campaign is gaining rapidly in popularity.

San Angelo.—A solid car load of pumps and motors has been received here. All will be used in irrigation projects along the Concho River.

Littlefield.—The George Martin Ranch of eighteen thousand acres located in Lamb County has been subdivided and will go on the market immediately. One hundred farms will be in this tract.

El Paso.—A new bridge across the Rio Grande to connect El Paso with Mexico is foreseen as a result of favorable congressional action on the bill introduced by Representative Hudspeth.

Ranger.—A new creamery will be installed here. The new industry will encourage the dairying industry in this county.

Memphis.—P. A. James, director of the Memphis Band announces that the Memphis Band, former official band of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will enter the contest at the Amarillo convention.

Cross Plains.—The Oil Belt District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held here was a record breaker from the standpoint of attendance. Baird was selected as the 1927 meeting place. Carl Mount of Cisco won first prize in the speaking contest on "My Town." A feature of the meeting was the formal announcement of R. W. Haynie of Abilene as candidate for the next president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. An announcement of Judge Haynie's candidacy was made by Mayor Chas. Coombs of Abilene.

Stephenville.—West Texans are urged to petition the state highway department to give West Texas proper treatment in the letting of highway maintenance contracts. J. H. Corbett local engineer points out that practically all contracts let are for work on highways in other sections while thru out West Texas roads are deteriorating while material for surfacing them is piled along the roadside uselessly.

NIT-WITS

By Nit

"Bootleg Labels Found By Raiders". Headline in leading daily reads. We suppose the labels were used to show who were bootleggers and who were not so that the bootlegger wouldn't waste time trying to sell to another "legger." It hasn't come to that point yet in Gray County.

Now comes the Star-Telegram with a story to the effect that street cars are educators. Come to think of it, they do offer more time for meditation than any other means of transportation—unless it is a certain railroad we know about. We are glad we've moved to Pampa.

"New Clue Found in Movie-Killing." We have always wondered why people were so keen to become actors, when there are so many killed in every film.

We made from a news story that Harry Arbuckle will return to the movies. What does he want, vindication?

"Country On the Road"—Well, well! It's a long time since we've had that one pulled on us. We thought that only Will Rogers was capable of pulling one that state.

The little investigation going on in Travis County looks like somebody has "traced" somebody else.

"Horse Tail Light Law Proposed in Chicago Beaten." An amendment applying to cats and dogs also failed of passage. Don't get discouraged—that was only the first time the law was voted on.

The writer passed a church house last Sunday and noticed two young ladies sitting in an automobile. They probably didn't have spring hats and positively couldn't attend church services. Are women funny? The writer's hat was bought some time last fall and he expects to be wearing the same for some months to come. No, my wife couldn't go to church either, but she will be there next Sunday—provided she gets the twelve dollars, or whatever it is they have to pay for those things.

Just noticed where an expert of some sort has stated that long legs

were signs of intelligence. That's encouraging to some of us.

The writer has just been told by a leading citizen of Pampa that he thought your humble local manager would make a much better lawyer than he would a newspaper man. We haven't figured out where the compliment is.

"Bigamist Serves One Day in Penitentiary" reads a headline in an Oklahoma Daily. That news story wouldn't have been read in Texas. The casual reader would have merely drawn a long breath and remarked that that one more made an even 1577 up to date.

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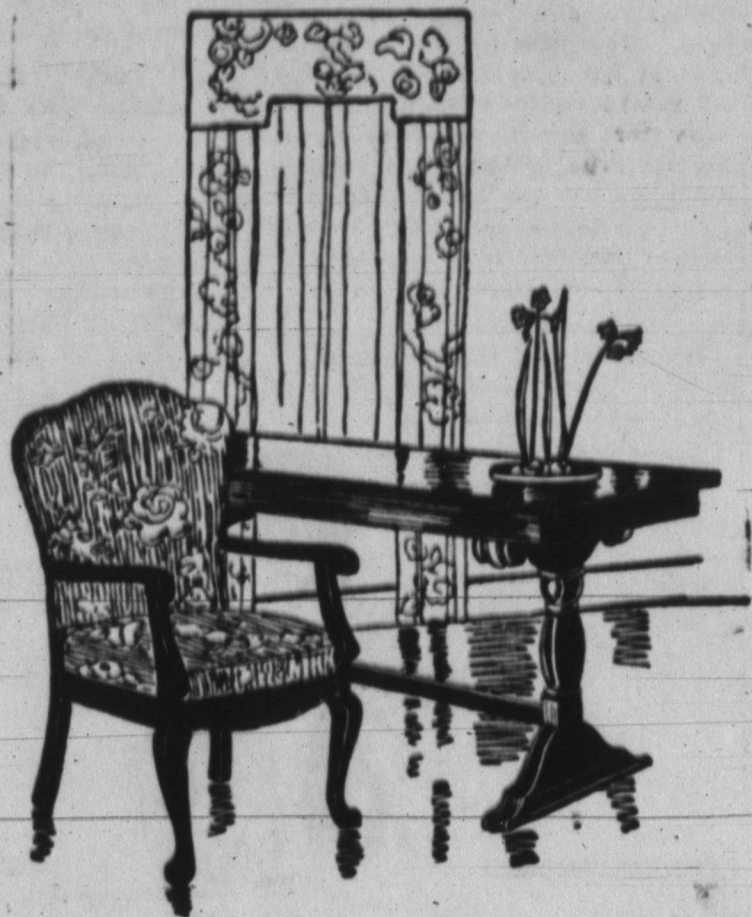
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Among Our Exchanges

Collingworth Standard: Among a number of other things which this town needs, is a street lighting system. However, the possibility of securing this in the near future seems somewhat remote.

Along this line is something else which is badly needed here and which can and should be secured in the very near future. Several miles of sidewalks could and should be laid here right away.

At night in Wellington it is very dark and one finds walking rather hazardous. Wonder if it wouldn't be possible to take some steps to remedy this situation without imposing an undue hardship upon any taxpayer or individual.

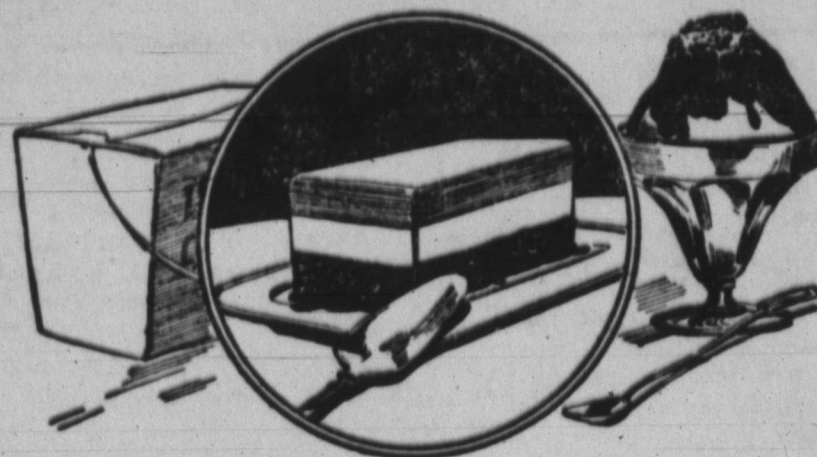
Clarendon News: We read of a fellow the other day that did so much for the advancement of his town and community that he woke up one morning and found himself unpopular. Yes, in every avenue of life, the guy that aggressively stays in the forefront has a bunch yapping at his heels. You see if he wasn't in front they wouldn't be at his heels. The sweet part of it is, though, that the worker and fighter nearly always has a philosophy of life that lifts him up and above the little mean digs and thrusts of jealousy. He smiles and laughs and enjoys the society of his fellows—and continues to work. Work is one of God's greatest blessings to humanity.

Prizes Offered for Paintings of Texas Wild Flowers

Prizes amounting to \$6,000 are being offered by the San Antonio Art League in a national competition for oil paintings of landscapes showing Texas wildflowers. An anonymous member of the league generously donated the money for the prizes and for the expenses of conducting the contest. This money is already on deposit in the Frost National Bank in San Antonio.

The contest was announced March 31st by Mrs. Henry Drought, presi-

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dent of the San Antonio Art League. Mrs. Drought explained that the beauty and riot of color of the flowers now coming into bloom had inspired the donor to plan this competition in order to call our wildflowers to the attention of the artists of the nation.

Any artist in the United States is eligible to compete for the prize of \$5,000 which will also be open to Texas artists. An additional prize of \$1,000 will be awarded for which only Texas artists may compete. However, no one painting can be entered for both prizes.

For sizes of canvases, time limit and other rules of the contest write to the President of the San Antonio Art League.

Last number of the Home Lyceum Course, April 14. Don't miss it.

SHAMROCK CITIZENS VOTE FOR WATER AND SEWER BONDS

Citizens of Shamrock braved the most severe snowstorm of the winter to signify their approval of a bond issue covering a refund on the old water system in the amount of \$22,000 and providing for extensions of mains and additional supply facilities.

A bond issue providing for a sewer system was carried by a vote of 5 to 1. The sewer system will cost \$80,000. Many voters were kept away from the polls by rain and a heavy snow.

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The day was cold, the wind did blow,
To school the children could not go,
The snow was falling, falling fast
Upon the brown and deadening grass.

The wind did blow the snowy flakes,
Until they drifted in the brakes,
To school or town we could not go—
All because of the sparkling snow.

I sat near the window and gazed out,
Would the snow flakes stop? I had
my doubt.

The little trees the wind did shake
It seemed to me their boughs would
break.

But the day moved on in the same
monotone—
Would we stay forever in the walls
of home?

Yes;
No, the sun came out to melt the
snow;
The next day to school we had to go.
By Christine Campbell.

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Health and Home

CARE OF CONVALESCENT IN SUMMER

For those who are just recovering from a serious illness the problem of food is a serious one. The patient, though well on the road to recovery, is usually weakened by the rigors of disease and the excessive heat is wont to sap his energy. Hence, the foods that are consumed during this period should be considered carefully as to digestibility, food value, ease of assimilation, purity and sterility. These are important in any food but especially so when the consumer is not strong and healthy.

In most cases, the one who is convalescing consumes milk in large

quantities. This food contains all of the elements that are essential to the body. If milk is pure and germless, it is easily digested and assimilated.

Where the milk supply is uncertain or the quality not of the best, evaporated milk should be employed. It is sterile; it is just pure milk with about sixty per cent of the water removed. Its double richness may be modified, if desired, by the addition of water or it may be used just as it is, where rich, creamy dishes are desired.

Many people make the mistake of confusing evaporated milk with condensed milk. They are not at all similar in appearance, composition or taste. They cannot be used for the same purposes; condensed milk is a combination of sugar and milk; evaporated milk has no added sugar, being pure milk of double-rich quality and food value.

Following are recipes of easily prepared dishes and foods that are well suited for the invalid and the convalescent.

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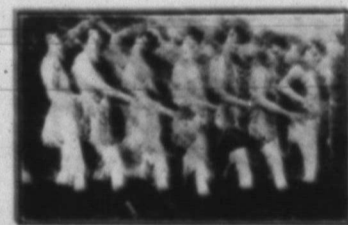
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