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## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM OVER THE STATE

**San Antonio.**—Thirty-five gallons of whisky, a 100-gallon still and 350 gallons of mash were discovered in a raid on a house near a tabernacle, the congregation of which had sniffed a queer odor for several weeks.

**Hillsboro.**—Whitmore Goodman of Mertens suffered the amputation of an arm below the elbow Monday in the local sanitarium. It was mangled in a gin saw near his home.

**Denton.**—Mrs. J. F. Byrom, 43, mother of ten children, died Tuesday in a Denton hospital from injuries received Monday when a bottle of kerosene oil exploded and set fire to her clothing.

**Sweetwater.**—Irving Jones, 23, who is said to have acted as peacemaker in an altercation at a skating rink at Roscoe Monday night, is dead as the result of knife wounds. Another youth is sought in connection with the killing.

**Gainesville.**—Vincent Pence, 17, Cushing, Okla., and Joe Webster, 19, Shawnee, Okla., have been charged with arson in connection with the fire which destroyed several freight cars in the Santa Fe yards here Saturday, entailing a loss of \$8,000.

**Austin.**—Bids for construction of the Alice Littlefield dormitory will be opened Jan. 4, the Texas University Board of Regents decided Tuesday. George Littlefield, Austin banker and a former member of the board of regents, at his death left the bequest for erection of a dormitory for freshmen girls.

**Gainsville.**—Mrs. Maria Stout, 97, fell down the concrete steps at her home here and sustained a fractured hip, but held on to several eggs she was carrying, none of them being broken or cracked. She is resting well despite the serious nature of her injury and age.

**Amarillo.**—It took a jury in District Court but five minutes to answer the question whether Warren O. Howe accidentally fell under a train in the local Santa Fe yards or deliberately threw himself upon the tracks as a Fort Worth Life Insurance Company charged. The jury awarded a verdict in Howe's favor on his suit to collect \$4,500 accident insurance. His arm was ground off under the train. He said he was walking across the tracks when he stumbled and fell.

**Austin.**—Warning was issued Tuesday by J. J. Timmins, State Fire Marshal, against using candles at Christmas entertainments. He urged that electric lights be used in rural as well as urban districts, on Christmas trees, to prevent catastrophes as have happened in the past. He said storage batteries should be used where current is available.

**Waco.**—A stray bullet of small caliber and a meat knife through the window of R. C. Anton's car as he drove through Cameron Park, splintered his face with broken glass and dropped through a hole in the bottom of car. Police have not discovered who fired the shot.

## ASK INVESTIGATION OF PRISON SYSTEM

**Dallas, Texas.**—Appeal "to those in authority" for an investigation into conditions at the Huntsville state penitentiary which permitted the escape of four prisoners last week was contained in a resolution adopted by the executive committee of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association here Tuesday.

Two of the escaped convicts were Milt Good and Tom Ross, who were serving long term sentences for the murder of W. D. Allison and H. L. Robertson, cattle inspectors of the association. The resolution, however, did not indicate that the request for investigation was the result of their escape.

**AT THE METHODIST CHURCH.**—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Lee Hatch, Superintendent. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Sunday. Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday afternoons. Mrs. B. J. Osborn, acting president.

B. E. Finley is in Amarillo today.

## MANY SONG NUMBERS IN LYCEUM PROGRAM

Everything is in readiness for the operetta, *The Crimson Eyebrows*, which will be presented Friday night at the school auditorium, under auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association.

This is the second number of the Home Talent Lyceum Course, being presented this year, and promises to be a very entertaining number.

It is a fantastic romance of Old China, wherein a Chinese rebel chief named Fanchong, had his followers paint their eyebrows red to show that they were faithful to the last drop of their blood, and they were known in history as *The Crimson Eyebrows*. Fanchong, in love with Princess Ting Ling, is thrown into prison, but on the eve of his execution is saved by the aid of his friend Hing Lee, and the *Crimson Eyebrows*. He wins the hand of the Princess and ascends the throne.

The songs, of which there are more than twenty, are said to be beautiful. A chorus of 15 sing several of the numbers. Special decorations, stage settings and costumes are to be employed.

Reserved seats are being sold at the Fatheree Drug Store.

## TO VISIT NEW YORK AND SWITZERLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Schneider, Sr., expect to depart today for New York for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. K. Westphal, and from there will sail to Switzerland for a visit with relatives and friends.

They formerly resided in Switzerland, and want to again visit the scenes of their childhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Schneider expect to be gone six or seven months.

## PIONEER WOMAN DIED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. J. H. Hamner, 85 of Amarillo, died at her home Wednesday night. She was a pioneer of the Panhandle and a prominent character in Potter and Armstrong counties. She was the mother of Miss Laura V. Hamner, county superintendent of schools of Potter county.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at the Blackburn Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. E. B. Fincher and Rev. F. W. O'Malley. A tribute to the life of Mrs. Hamner was given by Mrs. Phebe K. Warner of Claude, in which she portrayed the many beautiful attributes of the deceased.

Following the services in Amarillo the remains were taken to Claude, where final services were held in the afternoon from the Christian church.

## FRANK COLLIER WILL SERVE PEN SENTENCE

Austin, Texas.—Frank Collier, former mayor of Wichita Falls, sentenced to three years for manslaughter from Wichita County, for killing his son-in-law, Eliza Robertson, will serve his sentence. Collier had appealed his case, but yesterday in the court of criminal appeals, Charles Francis, his attorney told the court there was no ground for reversal and that the sentence of the lower court should be affirmed.

The case of Mrs. Collier, sentenced to ten years in Stockell county for connection with the killing of Robertson by her husband, was argued before the court by Mr. Francis, who completed his argument at noon Thursday.

## KINGSBILL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wears and family at Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Barnett, Elita and J. C. Belmont left Sunday for Brownsville, Texas, to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. J. G. Guizé visited Tuesday with Mrs. Fred Moore.

Santa visited the J. G. Wears home Sunday, in the form of a large piece of deer meat. George Wears of Elgin recently killed a ten point buck and sent his brother some of the venison.

Mrs. J. B. Hughey was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

## OIL FIELD ACTIVITY IN THIS LOCALITY

Interest centers this week around the Wilcox No. 2 well, six miles southeast of town, in the Combs & Worley lands. The well, which was completed several weeks ago, was later shot with 100 quarts of nitro glycerine, and is now conservatively estimated at a 300 barrel producer. While the well is not yet thoroughly cleaned out and no pipe has yet been run, it makes 175 barrels in 12 to 14 hours each day, and in a 24-hour run would no doubt give up between 300 and 400 barrels of crude.

Superintendent Johnson states that when the well is cleaned out to his satisfaction a string of pipe will be run and it will be thoroughly swabbed, which many believe will increase its flow.

The derrick is complete for the Wilcox Company's No. 3, in section 60, 1300 feet west of their No. 1 producer. New boilers and engines have been received, and within a few more days the hole will be spudded in with rotary tools. Frank Shriver will be in charge of the work on the new well.

Young & Patrick's No. 1 Byrum is drilling around 2150 feet, and have approximately 15 million feet of gas per day. Indications continue to look encouraging. The lime was picked up much deeper, as was the gas, in this well, than in the McConnell well, two miles southwest, which would indicate that production, if it should be encountered, would be deeper than in any other well in this section.

The Empire No. 1 Heltholt is making good progress on their test in section 152, which they are drilling with standard tools. All available storage at the Clark & Harbin well is full, and while here this week Eugene Clark purchased a 1,000 barrel storage tank which is being trucked to the lease, which will relieve the situation temporarily.

## OIL MAN DIED AT AMARILLO

A. L. Steele, 39 years of age, a tool dresser on the Empire well west of town, died at the Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo Tuesday night, following an attack of appendicitis. Deceased had resided in Pampa only a short time, having come here when the Empire well was started.

A sister, Mrs. Edward Rainey, also of this city was at his bedside at the time of his death. Other surviving relatives are the father, J. H. Steele of Bristow, Okla.; Edward Steele, Tulsa, D. B. Steele, Vernon, Texas, Theodore Steele, Chicago, and Clarence Steele, Sapulpa, Okla., brothers, and another sister, Mrs. Kenneth Miller, Osbo, Mo.

Mr. Steele was a member of the Masonic order. The body was sent to Bristow, Ok., for interment.

## WIFE HELD PENDING PROBE OF SHOOTING

Shamrock, Texas.—J. S. Clem, 45, a farmer living 14 miles west of Shamrock, was shot and instantly killed at his home at midnight Tuesday. Immediately after the shooting, Clem's daughter called in a neighbor and notified Mrs. Gooch and Beach at Shamrock, who went to the scene of the shooting.

Clem had been dead sometime when the doctors arrived. According to the physicians Clem died immediately. Deputy Sheriff T. C. Calvert and Coroner A. J. Austin, were notified and went to the Clem home at 2 a. m. Wednesday morning, where a preliminary inquest was held.

A .45 gauge shot gun was found about ten feet from the room where Clem was shot. Mrs. Clem's story to officers was that she had been ill, and had gotten up, when she heard the shot fired. She immediately ran into the house and found Clem in bed with the gun beside him. The shot entered just under the chin and penetrated his brain. No reason was advanced for the tragedy, as Clem was known to be of good reputation.

Mrs. Clem was taken into custody, brought to Shamrock, and placed in a local hotel under guard, according to Sheriff Riley Price and County Attorney Emmett Scott. Mrs. Clem refused to make a statement until after consulting her attorney.

Clem is survived by four children, three sisters and a brother. His oldest son is on the way to Alaska.

## HONOR ROLL OF PAMPA SCHOOLS

Following are the names of pupils in this district who have made B and above grades for the month ending Nov. 27, 1925:

First grade—Cleo Benton, Cleo Barrett, Flora Dean Finley, Jack Walstad, Wayne Winkler, Nellie Meyers, Foster Kinzer, Maurice Saunders and George Smith.

Second—Marlin Cobb, Buford Archer, Earl Rice, Otto Rice, Robert Talley, Edith Crocker, Ina Mae Dean, Onetta Frasier, Harriet Hunkapillar, Mary Beth Johnson, Leah Lane, Phyllis Smith, Marie Tinsley and Maudine Woodworth.

Second and third—Harold Beck, James Kidwell, Cary May and Elizabeth Graham.

Third grade—Abram Lewis, Orville Holskell, Vernelle Stevens, Warren Finley, Ruth Barnard, Anna Clayton, Jewell Dezers, Helen Dowd, Mercy B. Faulconer, Evelyn Graham, Mildred Haggard, Grace Kite, Gladys Barrett, Claudine Lawrence, Dorothy Mae Meers, Lorraine Noel, Francis Talley and Lorene Turman.

High fourth—Marjorie Buckler.

Fourth grade—Marjorie Buckler, Johnnie Davies, Loretta Fletcher, Dorothy Dodd, Louise Walstad, Josephine Lewis, Lois Maness, Berton Doucette, George Keahey, Lawrence McMurry.

Fourth and fifth grades—Doris Walker, Beulah Pennell, Virgil Frasier, Eldred Pierce, Charlie Welton, Beryl Wynne Botkin, Pauline Barnard, Odell Henry, Frank Wood, Frances Olsen and Clayton White.

Fifth grade—Bertha Baggerman, Elizabeth Barrett, Helen Berry, Inez Barrett, Isabelle Bacc, Eloise Lane, Lela Johnson, Frances Finley, Lorene Keith, Dorothy Doucette, Mary Belle Turcotte, Lester Moore, William Finley, H. L. Ledrick, Tarney Mullinax and Jack Alexander.

Sixth grade—Frances Campbell, Vida Mae Woodworth, Yvonne Thomas, Cinita Spurlock, Hazel Fletcher, Beatrice Hukill and Alice Ingram.

Seventh grade—Robert Gilliland, Albert Lant, LaFors Doucette, Ivy Berry, Juanita Osborn, Thelma Matthews, Eva Fish.

Eighth grade (section A)—Cornelia Barrett, Melba Graham, Pearl Wilson, (Section B)—Mittie Belle Roberts, Donald Zimmerman, W. D. Meador, Alma Walker, Virginia Faulkner and Glen Carruth.

Ninth grade—Cladine Haynes, Edith Pearson and Harvey Anderson.

Tenth grade—Clara Brown, Margaret Buckler, Minnie V. Haynes, Helen Sallins and Delpha Wood.

Eleventh grade—Helen Anderson, Lorene Blanton, Christine Campbell, Bonnie Carr, Doris Gilliland, Nellie Hardin, Eartha Henry, Vera Kratzmeier, Susie Mae Meador, Grayce Russell, Alfred Gilliland, Everett Poe and Don Duncan.

King-mill school—Madeline Gantz, Josephine Gantz, Effie Cobb, Max Bell, Ben Bell, Dale Wears, Ode Holmes, Clovis Wears, Lillian Cobb and Russell Holmes.

## "MA" SEES NO USE IN CALLING SESSION

Austin, Texas.—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Tuesday issued a formal statement declaring that she will not call a special session of the Legislature as requested by Speaker Lee Satterwhite and 41 other members of the House. She said there was no necessity for putting the people of Texas to this expense, "at this time when every effort should be made to hold government appropriations within the bounds of economy."

## POULTRY ASSN. TO STAGE FREE FEED

All members of the Pampa Poultry Producers' Association and all others who are interested, especially all farmers, are cordially invited to attend the free supper at the Methodist church in this city Friday night, Dec. 18, at 8 o'clock.

Plans will be made at this time for recognizing the Poultry Association on another and larger basis, and several speakers will be present to present the new plan. Everybody welcome to this meeting.

I. S. Jamison and family have moved to the residence recently purchased from Fred Schaffner, known as the Swiss ranching home. I. H. Sullivan purchased the Jamison home and has moved his family there.

## AGED RESIDENT DIED THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Wm. Jackson, 76 years of age, died at the family home in this city at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, after a lingering illness. He had been in ill health for several months, and had been confined to his room for some time.

Mr. Jackson was born at Mount Sterling, Ill., Jan. 15, 1849. He is survived by his wife seven children, who are, Mrs. John Cavin of White Deer; Mrs. Jeff Ritter of Groom; Mrs. Ed Davis of Carter, Okla.; Mrs. George Cox of Happy; Mrs. Will Cherry of Colorado; Robert Jackson of Hereford, and Wm. Jackson, Jr., of this city. Also a brother of Ensley Jackson of Hobart, Okla., and a sister, Mrs. P. A. Worley of this city.

All of the surviving family are here except Mrs. Cherry, and funeral arrangements will not be made until her arrival.

Deceased was a pioneer, having lived in this county many years. He owned a ranch southeast of town and lived there until about four years ago when the family moved to town.

Funeral arrangements had not been announced at the time of going to press.

## FIRE ALARM SYSTEM CHANGED THIS WEEK

Theo Tipps and his assistants moved the city fire alarm siren Tuesday from the water tower to the First National Bank building.

The wires connecting the siren are now tied into the telephone office, so that when an alarm is phoned in the telephone operator receiving the alarm can throw the switch and start the alarm, before phoning down to the fire station to give the location of the fire to the drivers of the trucks.

The telephone company has kindly consented to render this service to the city, without any charge, which certainly should be appreciated in view of the fact that the new arrangement will save considerable time in getting the alarm to going calling out the firemen.

Hereafter, when turning in a fire alarm, instead of calling 69 as heretofore, just tell the operator that there is a fire at such and such a location, and she will see that the alarm is carried through in a rapid manner.

## BURNED BY EXPLOSION

Miss Eunice Barnard had the misfortune to receive painful burns about her face Thursday when she lighted a fire in a stove at the C. B. Barnard home. When a fire failed to burn she opened the stove door, when gas from the smoldering coal exploded, rushing into her face. Medical aid was immediately summoned, and she is reported recovering nicely.

## WAYSIDE NEWS

Miss Ollie Cheatham spent the weekend with Miss Annie Cheatham. Mrs. J. W. Wilson is getting along nicely again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams and the latter's mother, spent the weekend at the W. A. Taylor home.

Miss Cleo Olive and Miss Lorene Parker spent the weekend at the E. W. Hogan home.

Mrs. Bush Haggard and Mrs. Hugh Isbell spent Monday at the J. W. Wilson home.

Ernest Medford and Miss Edith Wilson spent Saturday evening at the E. W. Hogan home.

Mrs. E. G. Behringer spent Sunday night at the Wilson home.

Mrs. George Roman and Virginia Roman spent Monday night with the J. W. Wilson family.

## AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. B. H. Bryant of Happy, will preach at the Baptist church at the usual hour Sunday, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. You are especially requested to attend these services.

Gene Waggoner and Eugene Clark of Wichita Falls, were visitors here this week, looking after interests in this section.

W. P. Davis and Tom Davis visited Cleveland, Wellington and Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon of Hamitt have arrived in this city to make their home. Mr. Harmon is connected with the Panhandle Lumber Co.

## KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET

CHAS. M. PIPKIN, Market Correspondent

**Kansas City Stock Yards.**—More moderate receipts of hogs than had been expected sent hog prices up 10 to 20 cents to the high point of the past several weeks. Light lights sold up to \$11.75. Cattle opened slowly at steady prices and later Chicago came 25 to 50 cent slower forcing practically all killing classes into a 15 to 25 cent decline. Calves and bulls remained steady and stockers and feeders were stronger. Lambs were steady and stockers and feeders were stronger. Lambs were steady and sheep unevenly higher. Fat ewes sold up to \$9, the top price of the season.

**Monday's Receipts**  
Receipts Monday were 20,000 cattle, 7,000 hogs, and 7,000 sheep, compared with 19,000 cattle, 10,000 hogs and 6,000 sheep a week ago, and 26,650 cattle, 13,600 hogs, and 5,300 sheep a year ago.

**Beef Cattle**  
Some fat steers sold early at steady prices, but lower prices in Chicago soon became the ruling factor and the market here closed 15 to 25 cents under late last week and about in line with a week ago. Some choice heavy steers sold at \$12, the highest price for some time past on heavy cattle. Most of the other steers sold at \$8 to \$10, and some ordinary kinds at \$7.25 to \$8. Cows and heifers opened strong but eased off before the close. Canners and cutters held steady. Choice heavy cows and heifers were scarce. Calves and bulls remained firm. There was a better inquiry for heavy weight calves.

**Stockers and Feeders**  
Stockers and feeders were strong to 15 cents higher than last week's close and about the same as a week ago. Receipts were fairly liberal for this season of the year and quality was good. A special auction of 1500 calves and yearlings, from Marfa, Texas, will be held Thursday.

**Hogs**  
Hogs were 10 to 25 cents higher than last week's close and at the highest point of the past several weeks. The advance was fairly uniform in all classes except pigs, and they made only slight gains. Selected 130 to 160 pound hogs sold at \$11.50 to \$11.75; 170 to 275 pound hogs \$11.15 to \$11.45; packing sows \$10 to \$10.50; stags \$8.75 to \$9.25; and stock hogs and pigs \$11.25 to \$11.75.

**Sheep and Lambs**  
The bulk of the offerings in the sheep division was lambs that brought \$15.75 to \$16.50. They were quoted steady. Several bunches of fat ewes at \$9 and others at 8 to \$8.50 were quoted unevenly higher.

**Horses and Mules**  
Less than 200 horses and mules arrived for the auctions. Prices were quoted stronger.

## DE MOLAY BOYS TO PLAY MIAMI

J. S. Carter of this city expects to take a football team composed of the local De Molay to Miami Saturday afternoon to play the De Molays of that place a game, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

The entire receipts of the game will be turned over to the students' fund here, which is used to add weekly funds to secure a college education. Several from here expect to attend the game Saturday.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The service Sunday morning will be in honor of the Women's Wednesday Society, known as "Women's Day," among our churches. Following the session a brief church will be given entitled "A Stranger's Trust," which will be a fitting sequel to the sermon. It is earnestly requested that all members and friends of the church be present.

The evening service at 7 o'clock. Come and help make the song service one of preparation for the ministry of God's Word.

You are urged to attend Bible school at 9 a. m. also. There are classes for all ages of your family. Your fathers and mothers bring the family and come Sunday morning. We cordially invite you and earnestly urge that you do this.

JAMES TOWN, Jr., Minister.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Malone and W. A. H. Bennett were Amarillo visitors Monday.



**The Little Glory Nook**

By MARGUERITE CAMERON

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TO LOOK at Betty Joe, one would say that there was nothing unusual about her.

Harry had said many times, "Betty Joe, I'll never know you."

And she as many times, "And you never will, pet, as long as the house keys hang at my belt." There were keys, with which Betty Joe had a bad habit of locking things up—for instance, there was that room one night up in the new bungalow.

Ten years had passed since Betty Joe and Harry Leland had graduated from college. Harry was now an assistant professor. But it had seemed so different until Ray and Alberta Halmouth, classmates of the same year, had come back to spend the college commencement in their home.

But the matter which caused Alberta the gravest concern was the great change in Betty Joe.

"Don't look, when I open the closet door, Alberta," Betty Joe had frequently joked.

"What will you do when you keep house?" the girls had taunted her.

"Here's hoping the dear man won't be dreadfully particular. But, if he is, there'll be a glory nook, girls, a glory nook."

Now ten years had passed. Something truly momentous must have caused this change in Betty Joe. Such miracles are not wrought by chance.

One afternoon Alberta and Betty Joe sat among the field daisies.

"You see, I had fallen in love with the most particular man in the world," Betty Joe explained.

"But such a change," Alberta protested.

"It's only on the outside, dear. You see, I had to marry Harry, and after I had married him, I had to keep it from him that I was slovenly by nature."

The day before Ray and Alberta left Harry took it into his head to escort his guests through their bungalow from attic to cellar.

Harry looked annoyed, as he tried the fatal door on the second floor.

"What would you do, Ray," he asked.

"If your wife kept one room in your house always locked?"

They laughed and passed by the locked door.

A year later Ray and Alberta were suddenly appalled to hear that Betty Joe Leland had been drowned while away on an early summer outing.

Another year, and Harry sent an urgent request that the Halmouths spend the last week in June with him.

"I must get away," Harry was telling them.

"The university has given me a year's leave of absence and I've sold the house. I want to dispose of lots of personal things. I knew you would help me, Alberta."

"Perhaps you know to which door this belongs," Alberta placed a small key in Harry's hand.

"Yes," he turned the key over. "Do you know, that little key puzzles me. It belongs to the door Betty Joe always kept locked."

"I remember."

"That door is still locked. No one has been in. Do you remember she always had a way of saying that I should never go in as long as the house keys hung at her belt?"

"Yes, she did."

"It seems, now that she is gone, that I have no more right to go in than I had before. I have an awful feeling that I'd be taking a mean advantage. Betty Joe always kept me guessing. It was as if she had a locked door in herself. I was never sure I knew her. I liked it that way. Now I don't want to look in that door. If I do, I can't guess any longer. I'll know I think it was all some foolish little whim of hers, but she was all whims to me, and blew her heart. I wouldn't rob her of one. At first, when we couldn't find things, the maid pestered me to look in—that Betty Joe might have used it as a storeroom," Harry smiled indignantly.

"Betty Joe kept things—well, I don't know, but they always seemed to be right at the end of her fingers. Well, Alberta, the house is sold. The owner moves in next week. I can't sell him a locked room, nor do I want to—off course not."

"Alberta, I think it would be best for you to open that door."

"If I did, Harry, I would want Ray and no one else to go through my things, know my secrets, if any."

"Yes—"

"That door is Betty Joe's secret."

"I know. I've thought that, too. If you really think I ought—"

Alberta sat down, tried to read, but she was thinking of Betty Joe. Her sweet voice in the garden. "Harry must never know—never, never. Know what? Somewhere a key was waiting in a lock. It should open her. That was Betty Joe's glory work and the widest imagination of Harry's imagination would never understand any glory work. From daylight, little Betty Joe. The key was longer than a hair ball.

"Harry, Harry," Alberta saw to the doorway.

There he stood, silent, weary. He was holding the little key gingerly between two fingers. "Alberta—"

His wife was low and slender.

"Was she too late? Had he been in?"

He said the question in her white eyes. "I couldn't," he said hoarsely.

"Alberta, do the best you can. But whatever you do, don't tell me about it."

**KILLING WEEVILS IN STORED GRAIN**

By R. R. REPERT, Entomologist, A. & M. College.

The most practical way to kill weevils in grain is by the use of carbon bisulphide or "high life."

For fumigation to be effective, the storage bins must be practically airtight. Farmers should consider weevil control and in-building bins in the future should construct them of matched lumber. To save space, it may be better to thresh grain sorghums or shell the corn; though in such cases care should be taken lest the grain heat.

Fumigation should not be attempted at temperatures below 70 degrees Fahrenheit, as it will then not be greatly effective. Where the grain is stored in a reasonably tight bin, five pounds of liquid carbon bisulphide should be used per 600 cubic feet of space reckoning not only the volume of the grain itself, but of the air space above. Pour the amount of liquid required into shallow pans, distribute these over the surface of the grain and immediately leave the bin, closing all doors and windows behind you. If the grain is to be used for planting, open the windows and thoroughly air the bin after 24 hours. Otherwise fumigation may be continued longer.

This fumigation kills the beetles and larvae that may have hatched in the interval from eggs present at the time of the first treatment.

Carbon bisulphide is explosive and care must be taken not to bring lighted matches or cigarettes near either the liquid or gas. Do not breathe the fumes more than is absolutely necessary. Keep the liquid stored at a distance from buildings as otherwise your insurance may be cancelled.

Prevention of weevil in our southern section is difficult, since they are usually present on the grain when brought from the field. It is advisable however, to clean all bins thoroughly before each new crop is stored, sweeping all dust and dirt from the cracks and corners and throwing this onto some burning trash. This will only serve to delay damage, and a close watch for stored grain must be kept nevertheless.

Where airtight bins are not available, a fair degree of control may be obtained by piling the grain, covering the pile with wet blankets, or several layers of burlap soaked with water, and placing the pans of carbon bisulphide under this cloth, with crossed sticks laid over the pans to keep the cloth from dipping into them.

Food products kept in the pantry may be placed in cans and treated with small quantities of carbon bisulphide, outside of the house and away from fire, of course. A bad flavor will be imparted to oily foods, such as beans, but this will slowly disappear on being thoroughly aired. A better way to destroy weevils in pantry products will be by exposure to a low oven heat.

**Had Tried Both**

"My poor fellow," said the lady, "here is a quarter for you. Goodness gracious, it must be dreadful to be lame, but just think how much worse it would be if you were blind."

"Yes, right, lady," agreed the beggar, "when I was blind I was always getting counterfeit money."

**She'd Get Wise**

"Coming in swimmin' Tommy?"

"No, my mother won't let me."

"Come on in! She'll never find out."

"Yes, she will—it's my bath night tonight."

**Didn't Know Any Better**

Foreman—Say, Thompson, that man is doing twice as much as you are.

"Sure! I keep telling the poor sap, but you can't learn no nothin'."

**Wanted to Return It**

Teacher—Johnny, I'm only punishing you because I love you.

Johnny—I wish I was big enough to return your love.

**AUTO HEADLIGHTS MUST BE TESTED**

The Texas Automobile Headlight Law requires that every motorist, at the time of registration, present to the tax collector a headlight certificate which has been issued by a test station within 30 days of the date of registration. If the car or truck to be registered is not equipped with headlamps, the registrant will be permitted to make affidavit to that effect and this affidavit will take the place of a headlight certificate. Early testing and registration will help the test stations and the tax collector, and will save time for the motorist.

Motorists cannot obtain a headlight certificate for registration purposes on a re-test. The re-test provision of the law permits a re-test at any time during the year, but the certificate presented for registration must be a "test" certificate and must be paid for. In other words, headlamps are "tested" at the beginning of each year for registration purposes, and at this time the regular yearly fee of 25 cents must be paid. At any time during the year following, a re-test may be had free of charge until the next registration period begins.

After the coming pre-registration tests, there will not be another set test until the 1927 registration period begins. Throughout the year, however, a constant check will be made on the headlighting conditions in the various parts of the State. Enforcement work is in the hands of local officers, and motorists are urged to cooperate with them in reporting bad headlighting conditions. There is no doubt that compliance with the headlight law will mean a great saving of property and human lives.

**Didn't Believe It**

Mule—What are you?

Ford—I am an automobile.

Mule—Gwan! If you're an automobile, I'm a horse.

"Where did you get all the money?"

"Borrowed it from Tom."

"From Tom? Why, I thought he was pretty tight."

"He was."

**PREMIUM PAID FOR CARSON CRUDE OIL**

An increase of 5 to 20 cents a barrel, according to grade, has been made by Marland in the price paid for oil in the Amarillo Panhandle field of Carson and Hutchinson counties. Marland has been soliciting contracts for the last few weeks in that field, with the object of bringing its supply there up to 1,000 barrels daily, and evidently has found it necessary to bid up the prices in order to carry out its purpose.

The Marland oil is delivered by pipe line to Panhandle and there loaded in tank cars. Marland itself has two producing wells in the field.

This advance in the price of oil in the Amarillo-Panhandle field is an index of the demand that exists, and is believed to forecast advances elsewhere. The Carson-Hutchinson field price heretofore has been on the mid-continent price basis, which is still the posted price of all other oil buyers there.

It is reasonably certain that Marland did not raise its price until satisfied that its required supply could not be obtained at the standard field quotation; and therefore it is likely that any other refiners who wish to increase their supply must likewise advance the price.

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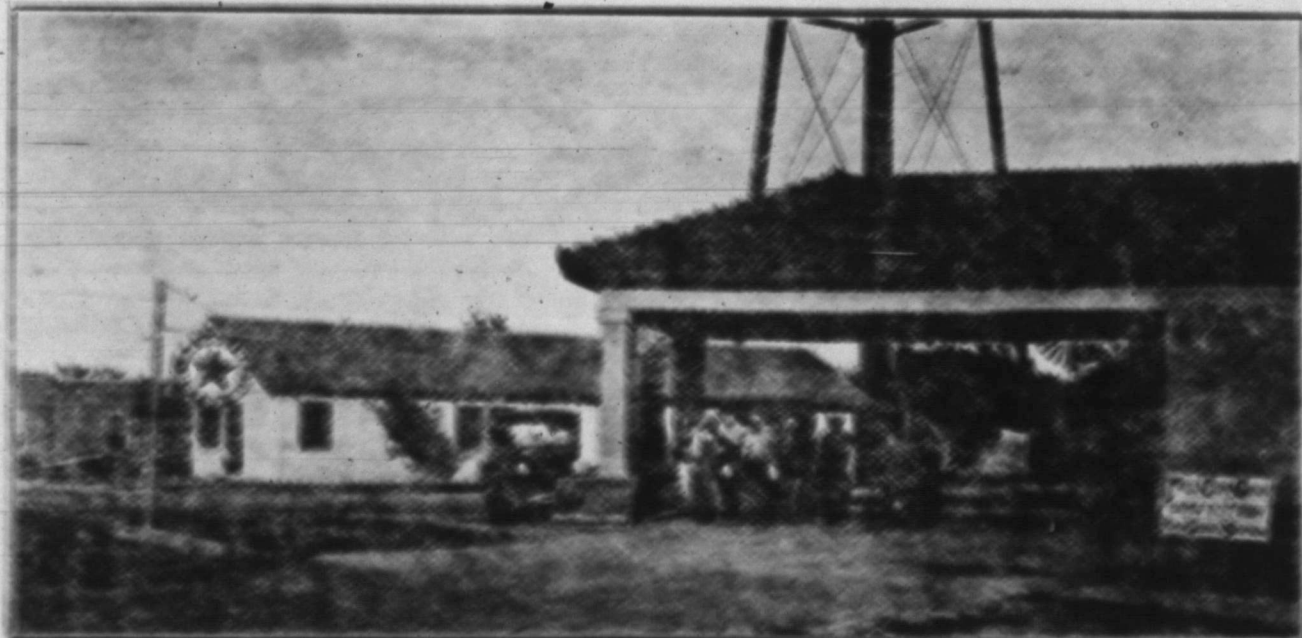
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A story is told of two fruit vendors, whose push carts were located on opposite corners of a busy thoroughfare. One was an Italian, the other a Scandinavian. The Italian shouted: "Oranges! Sweet, juicy, California oranges!" The Swede shouted "Same tang over here!" Which do you think sold the most fruit? You will say: "The Italian, of course." The Italian created business, the other reaped the benefit to a certain extent. If the Italian was too busy to wait on a customer who was in a hurry, he crossed the street and got quick service because the Scandinavian had the same thing over there. If a man was on the same side of the street that the Scandinavian was on, he stopped and patronized him because he had a convenient location. Too many merchants are following the tactics of the Scandinavian fruit vendor of the story, and too few those of the Italian. After a person has sent away for an article of merchandise, the home merchant is apt to say he could have furnished the same thing, if he had known the customer was in the market for it. The thing to do is to cry your wares first, and thereby create business. There are a lot of things people want, but they don't know it yet. There is a demand for many articles created by national advertising that need only to be crystallized into sales by co-operative dealer advertising in local newspapers.

The greatest live stock show in the history of the world has just ended in Chicago. It is known as the International Live Stock Exposition. In size and quality of animals on exhibit, it has been an event in the history of agricultural development. If the entire world had been searched a generation or two back it would have been impossible to have found such animals as were gathered in the great pavilion at the Union stock yards, and yet the exhibits shown this year represent but a very small percentage of the good pure bred livestock in the world. This is an achievement of experimental science. Men have devoted their lives to a study of the science of farming, and as a result today we can raise better beef animals, get more milk per cow, secure a greater number of pounds of pork per bushel of corn than ever before in history. These are facts which we must consider when measuring up the wonders of this age of progress. Industry has gone forward by leaps and bounds. Inventors have perfected machines and devices which increase the productivity per man many fold, and at the same time the science or industry of farming has not lagged far behind. But this progress has demanded its price. When machinery began to replace hand work in the factories of England thousands and hundreds of thousands of men were thrown out of work. Riots followed. Factories were broken into, and machines were wrecked. Men began to cry out against the inventions which were robbing poor men of their jobs. But invention and science kept right on. Gradually industry adjusted itself to the new condition, and today the laborer enjoys far greater comfort and happiness than did his ancestors who broke into factories and smashed bones and cotton gins because they threatened the future welfare of the working classes. The farmer today may be suffering likewise as the result of a similar readjustment taking place in the agricultural industry. We often hear protest against the scientists and experimenters who are teaching the farmer to produce more without helping him to get more for what he produces. But eventually this condition will right itself. This cry against science in agriculture is unwarranted. Nothing can be accomplished by turning back the clock of progress. It is necessary for the farmer today to adjust himself to the new order of things through organization and to secure a greater share of the increased wealth that modern methods enable him to produce.

**Among Our Exchanges**

**Panhandle Herald:** Good roads in Texas are more essential today than ever before and let's not lose interest because things have not been going just as we would desire down at Austin. The people are the masters of their own destination and must not allow a few mistakes to halt their progress in building for better things.

**McLean News:** The resolutions adopted by the State Teachers' Association in regard to athletics in Texas schools are very much to the point just at this time. There is no question but that physical training is needed, but it should be in such form that every pupil could take advantage of it, and at the same time it should be directly under the control of the school authorities without outside interference of any kind. The commercializing of school sports, with the attendant evils of gambling, etc., should not be tolerated in any community.

**Terry County Herald:** Some pertinent editorial writer and jokesmith wonders why man is so made up and constituted that he can not see a mogul engine and a flock of forty boxcars at a grade crossing while out driving in the open country, and can see a pretty ankle four blocks away in crowded traffic. It is just human nature, brother, and the same thing that causes his sister to see clean through a comfortably fixed business man with a plain business suit on and see a bell bottom jelly bean with only 11 cents between himself and the deep blue sea. Just plain human nature—that's all.

**Wellington Leader:** The year 1816, known as the year without a summer, was also honored with the title of eighteen hundred and froze to death. Will 1926 be remembered as nineteen hundred and froze to death, asks The Literary Digest in an article regarding the predictions of cold weather for the coming winter. Scientists base their prediction of the cold winter on the numerous sun spots, and other people base their prognostications on the heavy fur that has been noticed on many animals. While these signs carry certain weight, they are not infallible. It may be that the country will suffer from a hard winter and a cold spring, but these beautiful, sunny December days cause the idea to make slight impression.

**Higgins News:** Down at Canyon the class in agriculture built a poultry house 16x16 in which to house 85 white lohorn hens. The boys planned and built the house as a regular class project under the direction of the vocational instructor. When the biddy hens get to laying, the eggs will be used for the tables in the college dormitories and the boys will profit in a very substantial way by their work. Not only that, the lads will have gained practical knowledge. Training brain and hands is a first rate idea. Too often are folks taught on paper to do the necessary work of life and when the time for putting the knowledge gained into actual work like building hen coops, the mother of the lad has to do the work herself, or let the old biddy go without a house and seek shelter in a tree. If college work will help keep the boys on the farm and teach them to be better farmers, instead of making them think the old farm at home is a back number, then the money it takes to send the boys to college is well spent.

This is the year's most cheerful seasonally decorated in harmony with the spirit of the time. Youngsters are writing letters to Santa Claus, and Christmas buying has begun. With only 12 shopping days between now and Christmas, it is time for all of us to get busy. The merchants of Pampa have excellent Christmas stocks—gifts to suit everyone gathered from the four corners of the earth. But these stocks will not last indefinitely. Last minute shoppers are more than apt to be disappointed. Buying is expected to be unusually heavy this year and those who put off shopping until the last day will experience difficulty in getting suitable gifts for friends and relatives on their lists. Do your Christmas shopping now, or at least within the next few days. Do not make it evident to your friends that the gifts you sent were last minute thoughts. Most Christmas gifts are appreciated not according to their intrinsic value but according to the thoughtfulness they represent.

The United States government is bothered over the short life of a dollar bill. So are all of us.

**WOULD PENSION FARMER JIM**

Recently when asked about the published reports that he was underwriting or joining in underwriting the mileage and per diem expenses of the special session of the Legislature about to convene to investigate the Ferguson administration, looking to the impeachment of the governor, W. C. of Houston, replied:

"What I know about any sort of underwriting of the expense of the special session comes from the papers, although I daresay I would join in such a guaranty at the request of the Speaker and a majority of the House of Representatives, who now seem impelled by patriotic duty and an aroused public opinion to investigate the Ferguson Administration. Doubtless many members can and will finance themselves and certainly the neighbors and homefolks of nearly all the others will see to it that their representatives, Ferguson or anti-Ferguson, shall not be shut out of the show for lack of railroad fare and board at Austin.

"However, I would heap rather join a syndicate to pension Jim and turn him out to grass with plenty of money which he appears to love very much—plenty of money to keep him from practicing influence as an attorney—plenty of money to pay off the mortgage on the beloved Bosque Ranch every birthday—plenty of money to issue The Forum on sheepskin without suggestive solicitation of anxious advertisers—plenty of money to give every appointee and favored contractor a surety bond without price—plenty of money to syndicate freely the supposed sentiments of 'Ma' to the world's newspapers with the poet-laureate of England as amanuensis instead of a poorly paid hack—plenty of money to support the role of country banker and farmer, unmortgaged and underborrowed—all of which as a business proposition I think would be cheap for our State at quadruple the price.

"I am inclined to agree with Farmer Jim that this is a situation for a healthy, honest, untiring grand jury, for it is probably as ridiculous and as sickening as ever confronted an American Commonwealth. A majority of us knowingly elected a rubber-stamp as governor and are now told that the weary rubber stamp is blameless for the misdeeds of its chief. The morale of Texas politics is at a low ebb when a menacing minority of the Senate may and actually do represent certain clients before the Highway Commission and other boards appointed and dominated by Governor and Governor Ferguson. Farmer Jim may soothe his soul quite a bit with the belief that if he has done anything, to say the least, distasteful and cheap to besmirch the fame of Texas and to degrade the dignity of the Governor's office, he has enough side-kicks in the senate to block any impeachment which, under our constitution requires two-thirds or more of the Senate.

"Yet it will be a long, long time before Farmer Jim can laugh off the distracting and distressing imputations now in circulation, whether just or unjust, because the people are beginning to hark back to the record he made on his own as Governor and the disclosures that were made in the impeachment of his own official acts by the 35th Legislature in 1917. Farmer Jim simply has been running nonchalantly true to his real form with gleeful conviction that he is immune because he is acting entirely in his private capacity. Now you see it and now you don't."

The coldest winter since 1816 is the scientists' prophecy for the coming winter. We wonder if that is propaganda for the coal miners and operators or for the fur coat industry.

The army's aerial attack defeats the navy, reads a football dispatch. Another good argument for a strong air force.

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**HEADS FOR HATRACKS**

It is a peculiar fact, but a fact, nevertheless, that many people use their heads merely for hat racks. This statement is not made at random, but after a careful study of the matter. As one means of convincing folks that this is true, take a certain per cent of the people who drive cars. They never exercise any caution whatever, either for their safety or the safety of the other car drivers, or for the pedestrians. On the contrary, they drive at break-neck speed, with eyes averted half the time from the street or road, and if they miss their fellow being, it is all right, and if they have a smashup, seemingly it is equally as correct, so far as they are concerned. But this matter of recklessness is not confined to the autolists. It is seen on every side. Building big bon fires about night time and leaving flames to care for themselves. Fire is often swept under buildings by high winds, and heavy losses result from this. If there ever was an age when cool, calm and real thinking was needed, it is now—1925. We are living in a period of fast moving—a dare-devil spirit. Too much is left to chance. Many parents leave the welfare of their boys and girls to the tender mercies of this same guiding star, and as a rule they land upon the rocks of mental or moral ruin. The parents do not think—that is all. Thinking begets sound reasoning, and sound reasoning eliminates the hit or miss way of living. Let us begin to think.—Paducah Post.

**False Alarm**  
McIntosh, who had summoned a doctor in the middle of the night, addressed the medican man when he arrived:

"Ay, doctor, I'm sorry we ca'd ye on such a treveal job. Ye see, we thought wee Willie had swallowed a shilling, but my wife has been countin' up her cheenge an' it turns out to be only a penny.

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What the Neighbors Are Doing  
Some neighbors who plan to build houses, and of course would have them look well, came down to our yard and found it not hard to find one in which they would dwell. In turning the leaves of our plan books one lady was heard to observe, "This one is fine, but not just my kind—I prefer one that's not so superb." Then as they looked through the volumes, their comment on this one and that, brought fresh to our mind that we've every kind that a reasonable person might want. "This one," they said was so pretty; The next one was charming or smart; Another, a Southern colonial, was plainly the best of the lot. The choice of homes offered surprised them—They each selected a plan. For at our yard we try very hard To help everyone that we can.

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# Society and Clubs

BY MRS. JOE M. SMITH

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## WILLING WORKERS CLUB

The Willing Workers Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Sam Arnett. Roll call was answered with Christmas gift suggestions. New officers were also elected for the coming year as follows:

President—Mrs. Forest Keehn.  
Vice president—Miss Venice Turcott.

Secretary—Mrs. C. W. Bowers.  
Press Reporter—Mrs. R. H. Davis.

After the business meeting Miss Seibach gave a demonstration of mangle-over garments. Mrs. P. M. Meador also read a very interesting paper on "Appropriateness of Dress." The hostess served dainty refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, salad, cakes and cocoa, after which the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. A. Converse, Jan. 6.

## P. T. A. MEETING

The Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session at the school auditorium Friday, Dec. 4. The subject of the lesson for the afternoon was a continuation of "The Seven Ages of Childhood," the particular age discussed being the adolescent age between the years of 11 and 14.

The subject was fully and interestingly presented by Mrs. H. L. Ledrick and Mrs. James Todd, Jr.

No special business was transacted, but committee reports were heard. Mrs. Dave Pope reported a membership of 89 to date, and the president appointed Mrs. Ferguson, chairman of a special teachers' committee to work in co-operation with the membership committee, the object being to raise the membership to a minimum of 100.

The second grade won the attendance banner for this month in a hotly contested race with the third grade.

Mrs. Meador tendered her resignation as president, giving as her reason that she found it impossible to do justice to her work as a teacher and at the same time give the necessary time to the association affairs that was necessary to make it a success. Her resignation was received with regret, as she made a splendid president during her tenure of office.

## KINGSMILL CLUB

Mrs. W. E. Cobb was hostess to the Kingsmill Club on Friday, Dec. 4. The

meeting was opened by a song, "Holy Night." The members answered roll call with the "Custom we like best at Christmas time." Mrs. Floyd McConnell read the monthly letter from the Household Searchlight, which was very much enjoyed. Miss Seibach then took charge and gave an interesting talk on various subjects, including interior decoration, Christmas suggestions, and paintings. Delicious refreshments were served the nine members present. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. N. A. Cobb, Dec. 18, when the club will finish the quilt for the Orphans' Home.

## LEE-BOYD

On Dec. 1, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dread Lee occurred the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. P. J. Boyd, Rev. B. J. Osborn officiating. The bride has resided here for the past four years and is a graduate of the local high school, class of '25. She has for several months been employed in the local telephone exchange, and has many friends here. The groom is employed by Jones Bros. of Wichita Falls, and spent several months here on the Clark & Harbin well. The happy young couple will make their home at Megargel, in the Archer county field. Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

## BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at the Seiber school house Saturday night, Dec. 12. Everyone come and bring full baskets.

## EL PROGRESSO CLUB

El Progreso Club held its first open meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. P. C. Ledrick Tuesday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. V. E. Fatheree, presiding. The meeting was called to order and each member responded to roll call with a current event. The program for the afternoon was taken from "The Women's Viewpoint," the only magazine in the United States that is owned, edited and published exclusively by Texas women.

Mrs. Dave Pope gave a very interesting article on "Mrs. Willebrandt, the Greatest Woman Lawyer." She is assistant attorney general, and

thousands of cases come under her jurisdiction. She is making a desperate effort to banish the liquor traffic, and in all instances has been most successful. Mrs. Willebrandt was born in what is now known as the Panhandle of Texas, was educated by her parents until she reached the age of 12 years, when she was entered in a public school. She is now 34 years of age. Mrs. Chas. C. Cook then gave a paper on "The Evolution of Our State Fair?" It gave a vivid description of the fair, which is held annually in Dallas; its earlier days and the rapid progress being made in each department. Work on the large auditorium is nearing completion and will be dedicated at the Fair next fall. In this auditorium will be a massive organ, one of the largest of its kind in America, and Mrs. Eddy, the most famous organist of America has been chosen to play the dedicatory recital.

Mrs. Fatheree as leader, concluded the program by giving a discussion of "The Women's World Fair," held in Chicago this year for the first time, and which was pronounced a tremendous success. This fair is for women and their arts exclusively. There were over 280 booths, and it was at this fair that "The Woman's Viewpoint" was chosen from four others as the only magazine of its kind in America. The club was favored with a piano solo by Miss Mary Hobart, and a reading by Mrs. James Todd, Jr. At the conclusion of the program a delicious salad course was served the following guests and members: Mesdames Geo. E. Voss, T. H. Barnard, R. C. Campbell, I. N. White, Henry Thut, Carson Loftus, J. H. Ayres, James Todd, Jr., A. H. Doucette, C. C. Dodd, Grace Meador and Miss Mary Hobart, Mesdames V. E. Fatheree, Chas. C. Cook, C. P. Buckler, L. C. McMurtry,

Jno. V. Andrews, Siler Paulkner, G. C. Walstad, H. L. Ledrick, Dave Pope, T. D. Hobart, R. B. Thompson and the hostess, Mrs. P. C. Ledrick.

## HURLEY-NOEL

On Dec. 4 Mr. Earl Noel of Pampa and Miss Mildred Hurley of Wellington, were united in marriage at Panhandle. Mrs. Noel is an operator at the Vanity Beauty Shoppe. The happy couple will reside on a farm near here.

## CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Does the stork mean anything in your life? If it does, visit the baby booth at the Christian ladies bazaar Saturday. Mrs. H. L. Ledrick has charge of the booth, and it promises to be very attractive. Mrs. O. J. Ashburn of Hollywood, Calif., has promised several articles, and others have been working hard for some time to make the bazaar a success.

## CHRISTIAN AID SOCIETY

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 2 p. m. with Mrs. John B. Ayres.

## BAPTIST CIRCLES

Circles Nos. 1 and 4 of the Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Temple. Devotional was led by Mrs. T. B. Solomon and the business session was in charge of Mrs. T. H. Barnard. The hostess served fruit to the seven members and one visitor present.

Circles Nos. 2 and 3 met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Ayres. The time was spent quilting. Eleven members and one visitor were present. All the circles will hold their general W. M. U. meeting next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. S. L. Anderson.

## JUNIORS SENDING BOX

The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Christian church is planning on packing a Christmas box for the Orphans' Home in Amarillo. If anyone has any toys or anything they would care to give, the Juniors will be glad to get them. All things to go in the box must be in by Sunday.

## NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Pampa, Texas, will be held at its banking rooms in Pampa on Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1926, at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year. Please take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

DeLEA VICARS, Cashier.

## TAX NOTICE

I will be in Pampa Dec. 28 and 29, collecting taxes. Owners of cars must show their headlight inspection certificate before securing new license numbers.

E. S. GRAVES,  
Tax Collector, Gray County.

## POULTRY RAISERS

If you have chickens to sell it will be well for you to call us for prices the first of next week.

Pampa Poultry Producers Assn.

Dr. A. Cole, assisted by Dr. Purviance and Mrs. Cole, operated on Mrs. Ralph Chism Sunday morning for appendicitis. She is convalescing nicely, and is under the care of Miss Ina Belle Graves.



Any attempt to list the many articles to be found here would be a hopeless task. Below we give you a few suggestions and we cordially welcome you to come here and see the balance:

*Jewelry—the Gift Supreme*  
We are showing diamond rings in all the latest style mountings and in various sizes from . . . . . \$25 up  
Diamond stick pens in handsome mountings . . . . . \$20 up  
Men's watches in all the standard makes and desired styles . . \$7.50 up  
Pearls, something every woman delights in . . . . . \$5 up  
Other items of jewelry which are always appreciated are watch chains, cuff links, dinner rings, mesh bags and gold knives.

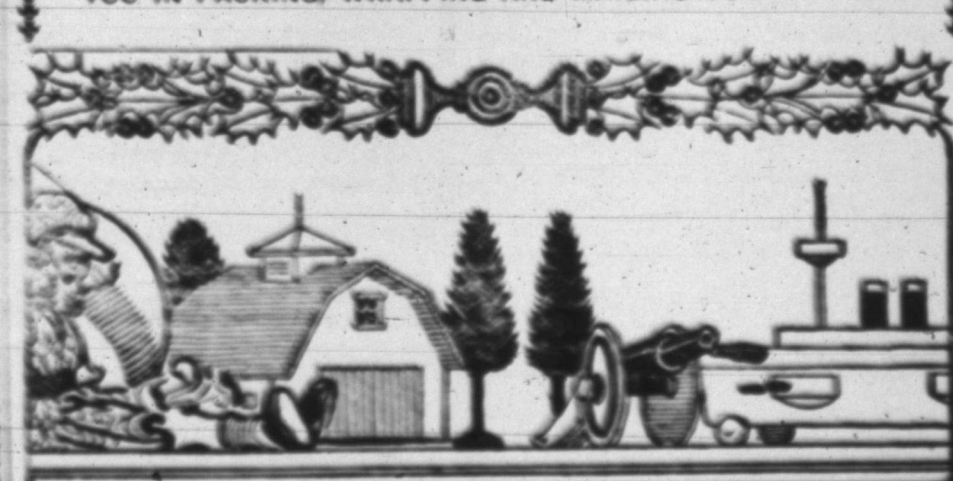
*Fountain Pens are Ideal Gifts*  
We are showing all kinds of fountain pens, some in special gift cases, the famous Shaeffer and Parker makes, from . . . . . \$2.75 up  
Gold pen and pencil sets . . . \$5 up  
*Toys and Novelties for the Children.*

*Fancy China and Cut Glass*  
Our complete stock includes fancy casseroles, fine china tea sets, china sandwich sets, console sets, serving trays, toilet sets, smoking sets, ash trays and miscellaneous glass and china pieces.  
*Stylish Stationery*  
See our box stationery in all the newest shapes, colors and paper finishes, from the cheapest to the best.

*Kodaks and Supplies*  
Eastman Kodaks are always appreciated, and we have them in all sizes and prices from small Brownies to the finest folding autographs. Also kodak albums, films and supplies.  
*Every Woman Likes Fine Candy*  
We have a large stock of the famous Whitman's Candies in all style boxes and in the various sizes.  
*Does He Smoke?*  
—If so, why not give Him a box of our fine Cigars, packed in attractive holiday packages?

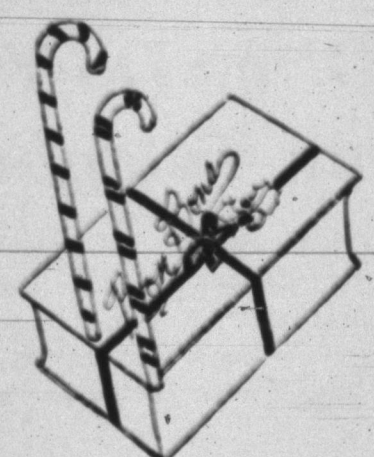
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**M. HEFLIN**  
PAMPA PANHANDLE

## THE MODE CONSIDERS RIVALS OF PLAIN TAILORED SUITS



UNEASY lies the land that has not determined what sort of tailored frock or suit it shall select and where-withal its owner shall be clothed for transacting most of the business of living. What has fate in store for us in the way of substantial, everyday, smart tailored clothes? Can we be faithful to our old friend the plain two-piece suit and still not look old-timed? These are the questions that prompt fair ladies to send letters of inquiry to fashion writers.

The coat frock, the tailored frock, to be worn with a separate coat in cold weather and jumper dresses have divided attention between themselves and the tailored suit so far this fall. The tailored frock in man's cutting or business stripes in fashionable lines or brooms with trim, plain lines and simple fastenings, is an important idea that exactly suited American women—and the times—and it has been a great success. The back is right and the sleeves long. Finished with a well rounded collar and gathered cuffs or wide cuffs, detachable and of a color to be worn. This down side of the new creation that under the yoke is tailored suit to us, but it is a little more colorful and a little less unobtrusive. Many other styles in tail-

ored frocks are shown but none of them is so near of kin to the plain tailored suit. There are two-piece suits of tulle, velvet cloth or tweed, with ravel apparently the favorite. In these choice lies between the box-coat type and those in which something of a flare is introduced. They usually have notched collars and are as plain as possible, except that the skirts may harbor a few flat plaits. Occasionally cover-cloth suits are bound with hush. But suits that are distinctive of this season's inspiration are made of plain and plaid fabrics combined—the skirt of the plaid material, with inverted plait at the front stretched down as far as the knees and released there. The coat is cut with a divided flare and is made of the plaid cloth lined with plaid. A vest in a plain high color with high collar and buttoned all the way from collar to bottom, is an important item in this composition. Another example of the smartness of plaid in the tailored mode appears in the illustration. This is a one-piece frock with a cape to match. The collar, cuffs and cuffs of matching lines are individual touches that make it distinctive.

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## Smack Between the Eyes

By JOHN G. O'BRIEN

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HIS keen gray eyes mere slits; heart aching, Dick Wentle sat musing and covertly eyeing Patricia Suggs, as he was facing a business tangle; for even as manager of Suggs Advertising, promotion would be scant, and a big firm had made him a princely offer.

"Dick, I advise you to accept the offer," quietly said Patricia.

Wentle quivered, for a voice within seemed to hit him smack between the eyes: "Who inspired you with the ambition to work and be someone? Who kept urging you on? But for Patchy you might have been a derelict." A pause, and the voice spoke again: "Why did his chief look so seedy? Why did he keep his hand in his pocket so much, and even tremble at times?" Suggs, the store-trembling . . . absurd, impossible! thought Wentle.

Still he had keen eyes. So keen, alert, that he could spy Rogers' yacht, like a huge gull on the placid bosom of the lake . . . and could mentally envisage the beautiful Dolores, who ruled her astute father with a rod of iron. The trio had become such friends that Rogers had invited him for a yachting cruise before appointing him as manager, should he accept.

"Patchy, I hate to leave," said Wentle. "But you're right, so I will." "Dick, I'm so glad for your sake," she lifted brightly. "Success!"

Wentle spent the evening with the Rogerses, but for some unaccountable reason, evaded promising to accept the new position. Patricia made him feel uneasy as she hadn't returned to the office after lunch, nor yet had Suggs, a most unusual thing. Nor did she show up next morning, the second or the third. But Wentle had secured a new account at a good rate.

"Patchy, what's the matter?" he inquired by phone next morning.

"Dad's ill, and I'm nursing him," tersely. "Can you manage alone?"

"Sure thing. What all the chief?"

Patricia faltered in answering. So Wentle told her he'd call, but she declared it was unnecessary.

"Expect me," he laughed. "That is, unless you hate me."

"No! Oh, dear no, but—but—please stay away."

"Impossible, Patchy. I feel worried over your dad."

"Really? Oh—"

That settled it, for her voice held a suspicion of tears. So he drove over a little later.

"Your dad, how is he?" he asked, clasping her slender hand.

"Leave me," bravely; going limp as she freed her hand.

"Patchy, tell your friend."

"Dick," wincing. "don't persist."

But he did, and coaxed the story from her—that Suggs was suffering from creeping paralysis.

Calm outwardly, even smiling, Wentle was waging the fight of his life. Promotion, a priceless gem, was his for the taking. But a sense of fair play made him ponder.

"And I thought of leaving you!" he growled, fondling her hand.

"You simply must," she whispered. "We'll manage some-how."

He rose, so did she. "Lead me to your dad—to my chief," he urged—intercepting her as she broke away and darted to the door. "We need each other, Patchy. Wow!" and he grinned reassuringly.

"How so?" escaped her lips—her eyes shone. "Run back, Dick."

"No!" resolutely, his reward a smile that staggered him. So Suggs was smiling later on, for Wentle told him about the new account after propping him up cozily in bed.

"But I can't pay you what Rogers can," roared Suggs frantically.

"Easy. Calm down, sir," soothingly. "I'm a stickler, and you'll yet pay me that—perhaps more. Meantime, my present salary will do."

Suggs promptly fired him, but Wentle refused to be dismissed. They talked to and fro, Patchy claiming in at times, naive amusement lurking in her eyes, for Suggs, the icicle, began to regard Wentle as if relying on a son, though he didn't say that in so many words. He phoned for two trained nurses before leaving, and fume as fat did, he had his own way—his grin prodigious when she hinted there was little money beyond office purposes.

"What of it?" he gleed. "Patchy, I've been called a cheap-skate for saving, as I took your advice years back. So I'll defray the expense."

"Dick!" and oh, the sweet, shy smile she gave him. "But not a cent!"

"You're a fine couple of friends to have!" he howled.

He even tried to glare at the little beauty, but failed miserably. His arms went out instead—in a swift, hungry, craving way that Patchy tried to evade . . . tried, but also failed, for deep was calling to deep . . . the heights and depths of a first love that brooks no defying.

Wentle and Pat were returning from a honeymoon six months later. He craned his neck and gaped as the car slowed down at the curb, for a new sign seemed to hit him smack between the eyes.

"Patchy—why—whatever does it mean?" chafed, though business had been running and they were making money hand over fist.

"It means that Suggs is proud of his partner, she murmured, her small gloved hand striding into his. "See—she's waving to us, Dicky."

## SOMETHING NEW in HOLIDAY MENUS

THOSE big red letter days on the calendar mean particularly sumptuous dinners to the average American housewife. Her family expects something in the nature of roast turkey, duck or chicken. Of course, the home manager doesn't want to serve the same thing each year and as a consequence, she spends hours in hunting recipes and planning new things in the menu line.

The appended menus for the holiday dinner and supper may prove a welcome change to your family.

**Dinner.**

Grapefruit Baskets  
Nuts Olives Celery  
Roast Duck Giblet Gravy  
Peanut Stuffing, Marshmallow Potatoes  
With Marshmallows  
Spiced Peaches, Cauliflower au Gratin  
Bread Stuffed Tomato Salad  
Cheese Straws Butter  
Individual Pumpkin Pie With Whipped Cream Sauce  
Coffee

**Supper.**

Cream of Tomato Soup Croitons  
Fruit Salad With Whipped Cream Sauce  
Cheese Crackers Assorted Cakes  
Nuts Chocolate  
Pumpkin Pie

1 1/2 cupfuls pumpkin strained 1/2 cupful water  
1/2 cupful brown sugar 2 tsp orange juice  
2 eggs 1 tsp ginger  
1 cupful evaporated milk 1/2 tsp cinnamon  
1/2 cupful evaporated milk 1/2 tsp salt

Add the sugar and seasoning to the pumpkin, then add the slightly beaten eggs, milk and water. Stir till well blended and pour in a deep quart-lined pan. Bake at 450 degrees Fahrenheit for first 15 minutes and 300 degrees Fahrenheit for 50 minutes.

**Cauliflower au Gratin.**

Remove leaves and trim off the stalk from large cauliflower. Soak in a solution of 1 tbs. vinegar, 1 tsp. salt and 1 quart of water for 15 minutes to remove dirt and insects. Cook whole, stem up, in boiling salted water for seven minutes. Place cauliflower in an oiled baking dish, pour over a thin evaporated milk white sauce and cover with buttered crumbs and grated cheese. Brown in a moderate oven. This serves six.

**Cream of Tomato Soup.**

1 No. 3 can tomatoes 1 tbs. sugar  
4 sprigs parsley 1/4 tsp. salt  
1/2 cup evaporated milk 2 cups water  
1 bay leaf 1/2 cup flour  
1 tsp. peppercorns with  
6 cloves 2 cups water  
2 slices onion 2 tbs. flour  
2 tbs. butter

Make a white sauce of the diluted evaporated milk, the butter and flour. Cook the tomatoes with the seasonings for five minutes and strain. There should be 3 1/2 cups of pulp. Add soda to pulp and combine with the hot white sauce. Pour immediately into thermos bottle.

**Whipped Cream Sauce.**

Three-fourths cup evaporated milk, 1 cup whipping cream, 1/2 cup powdered sugar.

Chill the cream and evaporated milk. Combine and whip until stiff. Fold in the sugar and keep chilled until ready to serve.

### With Our Advertisers

It was Wednesday, the day for raisin bread. He was worried for he knew that since one thousand men voted on what millions wanted most in shaving cream there was no longer an excuse for a dingy film on the teeth. Although he knew that it was much better than the average ten-cent smoke, he wondered which one of the 57 varieties to buy. As he walked across McCall Street he instinctively jumped out of the way of the world's finest automobile before he realized that no metal could touch him. The worried look increased and he told himself that he could use the extra \$50 a month, and wondered if after all good oil wasn't cheaper. As he entered the office he caught a glimpse of himself in the hall mirror and was convinced after all that clothes do make the man. But alas! the insidious part of it was that not even his closest friend would tell him; yet he was certain that if he wore his garters around his neck he would change them oftener.—The Owl.

### Could Have Been a Mistake

Judge—This man says that after he fired a shot he saw you run from his chicken house.

Rastus Johnson—He could easily be mistaken, judge. Fast as Ah was running it cud have been someone what faintly resembles me.

## PATENTS

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### SHORTAGE OF FAT BEEF CATTLE IN SOUTHWEST

Dallas, Texas.—There is a shortage of fat beef cattle and of good two and three year old in the Southwest. This means that there will be a scarcity of fat cattle on the markets and that many yearlings and fat heifers will be sacrificed, if the market holds.

The above statement was recently made in the course of a survey of the livestock situation among stockmen and farmers of the southwest, just completed by A. K. Short, director of the Dallas branch of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation.

"Since last March there has been a steady advance in the price of well bred cattle until it now appears that before Spring the \$40 and \$50 cow will replace the \$14 and \$15 cow," the statement continues. "European conditions are improving, which will help in absorbing the American surplus of market cattle.

"Breeders of purebred beef cattle have passed through the hardest period of their existence. The result is that the breeders who were fairly well established financially have been able to keep their heads above water by closely culling their herds, leaving only the individuals of outstanding quality. Less fortunate stockmen, who have had to sacrifice their herds, will rebuild with high quality animals. I believe the livestock industry of the Southwest will be built on a sounder, firmer basis than ever before, with quality rather than quantity beef production."

In his survey Mr. Short stated that depression and drought conditions will bring about similar results in the dairy industry. Thousands of low grade, unprofitable milk cows have been thrown on the market at any price. Purebred, high producing cows are taking their places. Every year we are seeing an increase in the average of feed crops in the Southwest. This will help the dairy industry.

"There are fewer hogs on the farms of the Southwest than for many years. We load up on hogs when they are high, prices go down, due to over production, we get disgusted and unload, and by the time prices are up again, we have no hogs to sell. A sane program which would bring profit to most farms would provide for enough home raised pork for family consumption, with a small surplus for the market. It was found upon investigation, that the 1925 fall pig crop is about 83 per cent of the crop a year ago, with the greatest reduction in the Southwest. The prospects point to a pig crop in 1926 that is 94 per cent of that produced last spring.

Increased prices of mutton and wool during the past two years have stimulated the sheep industry of the Southwest, according to Mr. Short. Most of the sheep ranches of West Texas are stocked to capacity, he says, with a number of cattle ranches turning to sheep for larger profits.

### POULTRY IDEAS TESTED

To determine the soundness of various ideas held by commercial poultrymen, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has conducted experiments leading to rather conclusive results. From a practical standpoint it is highly desirable for poultrymen to improve, if possible, the hatchability of eggs, to distinguish pullets from roosters at an early age, and to obtain other similar information commercially important but baffling. There has been considerable divergence of opinion on most of the questions.

Hatchability, says the department, probably is best improved by testing breeding birds for bacillary, white diarrhea, and eliminating affected birds.

The size of eggs has no significant effect on their hatchability.

There is no significant correlation between either shape or weight of egg and the sex of the chicken hatched from it. Therefore, from a practical standpoint, poultrymen can not expect to influence the sex of chicks hatched by selecting eggs according to either shape or size.

While there is a fairly definite relation between the weight of eggs and that of the chicks hatched from them, there is no significant difference in the weight of either sex, and it is highly improbable that purebred chicks can be separated according to sex at hatching time.

Male chicks grow faster than the females, and as early as two weeks of age there is a significant difference in the rate of growth between the sexes.

The addition of skim milk to a ration induces much faster growth, the difference being observable as early as at the end of the second week. This points to the value of skim milk in growing-chick rations.

### Not True to Cause

"She is false to our club, that girl." "What now?" "Here we are selling kisses to raise money, and she's bootlegging 'em free in the conservatory."

### Mixed the Meat

Cannibal waiter: So you think this hash doesn't taste right, my lord? Cannibal Chief: It certainly don't. It tastes as if you had a commercial traveler mixed in with a missionary.

### He Knew Why

Mrs. Love-Honor-Obeys— See how nicely that team of horses goes along. Why can't man and wife trot along pleasantly like that?" Her Hubby—Well, you see there is only one tongue between those horses.

### Client—I want to find out if I have grounds for a divorce.

Lawyer—Are you married? Client—Of course I am. Lawyer—You have.

## Get Acquainted

### It May Be Advantageous

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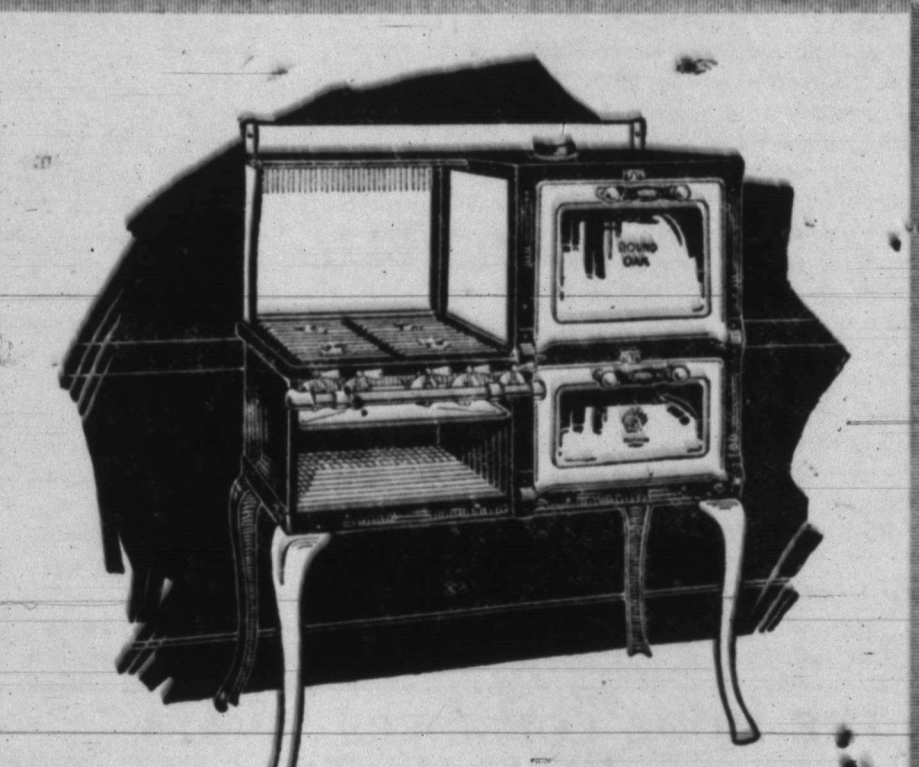
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## After All the Range is the Oven

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The reason that there is only one gas range on the market with the four-way circulating oven is because that method of heating the oven more quickly, evenly, with less gas, is patented.

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# POULTRY

## COST OF RATION IS BIGGEST ITEM

A very important factor in any ration is the matter of cost. The best ration is one that will give the largest returns, cost considered. This does not mean the largest returns of the cheapest ration. The biggest income may be secured from a ration that is so high in price that it is impracticable to use, while the cheapest ration might bring about such low production as to make it unprofitable.

From the farm poultryman's standpoint the question of feeding is largely a question of economically supplementing the home-grown feeds. Two general types of feeds come under this classification: Those that are supplied to the fowls and those the fowls pick up by ranging over the farm.

In the majority of cases there are two problems: One, the supplying of protein or flesh-forming foods, and the other of giving the proper variety to the ration. This is more particularly true when the fowls are confined than when they are picking up considerable of their feed by foraging over the farm. When foraging they eat more scratch feed and less mash than will properly balance up their ration if they are allowed to choose as they may. Therefore, they must be encouraged to eat the mash by making it as attractive as possible and also by limiting the amount of the scratch feeds which are supplied, especially during the morning feeds.

The cost of the ration is the biggest item of expense in poultry production. The greatest opportunity for a saving lies in the feeding. The big item that the majority of people need to pay more attention to is that of balancing up the food by the use of some of the animal proteins and supplying additional variety. Too much scratch grain and not enough mash to properly balance the ration is the mistake made by many flock owners.

## Market All Fowls That Molt Early in Autumn

"Most hens stop laying when they begin to molt," says E. L. Dakan of the poultry department at Ohio State university. "A hen must be a consistent layer to make a high record, and an early molting hen is not a consistent layer."

"The time of the molt is the best indication of the past year's performance. This rate can be used in culling all breeds and varieties, but is of special importance with such breeds as the Orpingtons and Minorcas that do not have the yellow skin."

"The hen that molts early, under normal conditions, will not lay as many winter eggs as the hen that molts late. Neither will she begin egg production earlier in the spring. No definite rate can be set as to early molt, but as a general rule the first hens in the flock to molt should be sold, and the last to molt should be kept for breeding purposes."

"Hens may be thrown into an early molt by starving while laying heavily, by irregular feeding, by roosting in a house that is poorly ventilated, or by anything which tends to check egg production."

## Fattening on Range

Some feeders have tried confining the turkeys while they are being fattened, but with little success. When confined to a pen, they may eat heartily for a few days but afterwards lose their appetites and then begin to lose flesh. A certain amount of liberty and range is necessary to keep them hungry and in good, healthy condition. When this is combined with a good feeding ground, as is the case when they are allowed to run in a cornfield that has been hogged off, results are more than likely to be gratifying.

## Poultry Hints

Ducks or geese will eat all the grit they require without putting it in their feed.

Turkeys should not be fed at first. Growth should come first and fattening should not begin until in November if the birds are to be wanted for the Thanksgiving market.

A novel and easy way to make wet mash is to pour a little milk in the mash hopper at noon. Just enough liquid should be used to moisten what the birds will clean up.

Make a brood-to-be hen's home life happy and comfortable with proper housing and feeding, as well as the other surroundings, and she will try to do the most justice and let you enjoy the profits therefrom.

Only a laying hen is worthy of her feed.

Whether or not it pays to raise capons depends very much upon the market. People who eat capons are very particular people and birds not only have to be well raised, but well finished.

Green feed increases the fertility and hatchability of eggs. It has been found. Hens should have access to pasture, or be fed silage, sprouted wheat or some other good green feed.

# THE PASSING DAY

By WILL H. MAYES

(Former Dean Department of Journalism, University of Texas)

## Sell Texas to Texans

Texas will never attract the attention of outside capital to the extent that Florida and California are doing until the State is fully awakened to its own possibilities. We have been doing things half-heartedly until it is hard to make many of us realize that we can do big things if we will only go to work on a big scale. Florida and California were as listless and slow moving as Texas, until the people began to see that they would never accomplish anything worth while without an awakening of the home people. Now outside capital is being poured into those states so fast that the people are wondering where it all comes from and what they are going to do with it. Each of these states has drawn much money from Texas and from every other state in the Union, and all because we have been indifferent to the development of Texas. We would all like to see Texas grow, of course, but we are slow to put money and effort into making it grow—just waiting "for George to do it."

## Utilizing Texas Water

Some of the large cities of the State seem to be growing fast enough and appear to have caught the spirit that will insure greater growth, but the country districts are woefully behind. If they would continue to grow, the cities must soon turn to the aid of the country and fill the country with the same spirit of progress that the cities seem to have caught.

About the first need of the State is to harness all the water that is now going to waste and use it for power and for irrigation. If every district in Texas in which there are possibilities for irrigation would get busy at once to make use of its water that is now wasted, Texas would, in five years, be the richest country in the world, and in ten years it would have four or five times its present population. Nature has blessed the State with a system of streams splendidly adapted to irrigation, and is inviting us to use them by blighting our best soils with droughts as a forcible reminder of

what we should do. We should be quick to learn the lesson.

## Manufacture Our Own Products

It is a shame that we are satisfied to get so little out of what we produce. We grow about 30 per cent of all the cotton produced in the United States and manufacture almost none of it. There are 28 cotton mills operating in Texas and over 400 in North Carolina. Our cotton is sent to Northern, Eastern and foreign mills to be made into cloth for our use. We grow the wool and mohair on which the Eastern mills are run, and do not manufacture a pound of it in our own State. Our 800,000 automobiles are practically all made in the North. With all our fine timber we manufacture no furniture.

Apparently we do not try to use anything that we have to best advantage. There is even a rumor that some of the public highways in the rocky sections of West Texas are being surfaced with rock shipped from another State. Our vast lignite mines are almost idle, while we burn Oklahoma coal.

## The Waste is Appalling

It would be an impossible task to enumerate the ways in which Texans are wasteful and neglectful of their opportunities. The individual alone can not do much to improve conditions. This can only be accomplished through co-operative effort, and co-operation should be undertaken on a large scale. There is plenty of idle

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money in Texas with which to do great things and Eastern money would be available in sufficient quantities if Texas people would only show their interest.

## The Country's Turkey Supply

The Brownwood Bulletin says that Brown county supplied one out of every 200 people in the United States with Thanksgiving dinner turkey. I am somewhat inclined to doubt the statement, but if it is true, Texas must be feeding turkeys to most of this country, for in nearly every Texas county the people are turning their attention to turkey raising. Brown county turkeys are selling at 25 to 27 cents a pound, and at the price at which dressed turkeys were sold on Thanksgiving, there was hardly one person in 200 who felt able to afford turkey even for Thanksgiving dinner.

## PRIZES OFFERED FOR HISTORICAL ESSAYS

Austin, Texas.—An incentive to recording local history will be furnished the school pupils of the state by the historical essay contest which is to be conducted again this year under the direction of Walter Prescott Webb, associate professor of history in the University of Texas. Prizes amounting to \$250 have been offered by C. M. Caldwell of Abilene, and to this has been added \$50 by the Dallas News. Any subject may be chosen as long as it contains the desired amount of local history. Webb stated, as would essays on the following subjects: County history, development of natural resources, cattle stampedes, droughts, floods, lynchings, feuds, biographies of famous or prominent cit-

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izens, Texas rangers, cowboys, politicians, trail drivers, "bad men," old settlers and the like. The essays are to be judged by their originality, evidence of careful investigations, inter-

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# LOCAL GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bennett returned Monday from Dallas. Mrs. Bennett is recovering nicely.

Don't forget the Christian church bazaar Saturday at the Johnson Hardware store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill of Amarillo were Pampa visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

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. 35-1tc

H. A. Gilliland and son, Alfred, were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox and Miss Elsie Cobb visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. W. D. Tenney and sons of Perryton were week-end guests of Mrs. Neal McCullough and family.

Miss Vera Cruz has accepted a position at the local telephone office.

Mrs. J. E. Ward has returned from Amarillo, and was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Harison, who will remain for some time.

J. C. Farrington returned Sunday from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Gould Jennings and family, at San Pedro, Calif.

Get your Christmas gifts Saturday at the Christian church bazaar at the Johnson Hardware Co.

Mrs. C. C. Dodd and Roy Tinsley were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Don't forget the Queen City Concert company in their big double-act vaudeville, singing, dancing and music, in addition to the regular show Friday and Saturday at the Crescent.

V. E. Fatheree returned first of the week from Chickasha, Okla., where he was called on account of the death of his sister-in-law.

Where there is beauty, we take it. Where there is none, we make it, at the Addison Studio. 35-4tc

Why not give your family a new Chevrolet for Christmas. J. Harold Smith, with the Montgomery Motor Co., will be glad to demonstrate to you at any time.

Mrs. Henry Hege of Aberdeen, Ida., is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. R. Kratzmeier, and brother, Chris Baer. This is the first time they have met in 28 years.

Come to the Christian church bazaar Saturday. Where? At Johnson Hardware Co.

Mrs. H. M. Davis and daughter, Miss Mabel, spent Monday in Amarillo.

Mrs. B. W. Rose and Mrs. Neal McCullough were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watts of Vernon, were Pampa visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

A. F. Johnson of Tulsa has taken charge of the Combs & Worley lease south of town for the Wilcox Oil Co. H. C. Gilcrease, former superintendent on the lease, has returned to Oklahoma.

The Phipps Produce Company wants to skin you—wants all your chickens, eggs and hides. 35-4tc

Frank Schriver has taken charge of the new rig on the Wilcox lease.

A. A. Tieman was called to Lawrence Sunday by the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gott returned Sunday from Dallas, where they visited their daughter, Miss Theota, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is reported recovering nicely.

C. T. Hunkapillar and daughter, Harriet, left Thursday morning for Mountain View, Okla., and will bring Mrs. Hunkapillar and Chester back with them Friday or Saturday.

Apples—Apples—\$1.50 per bushel at Cannady & Phipps. 35-4tc

W. C. Hinton of Waco has accepted a position with the Pampa Drug Store. Mr. Hinton is a registered pharmacist.

Mrs. Grover Morris of Amarillo, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kinnison.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sloan are the parents of a son, born Tuesday, Dec. 8.

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. 35-4tc

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# CLASSIFIED ADS

Rates for Classified ads are: Five cents a line, each insertion. Minimum charge, five lines, or 25c. Count six words to line. Cash in advance is required of those not having a regular account at this office.

**FOR SALE—75 OR 100 BROWN LEG-**horn hens at 75c each if sold soon. See C. E. Phillips at Magnolia Filling Station. 37-2tc

**LOST—ON HIGHWAY BETWEEN** Mobeetie and Pampa, one 29x4.40 balloon casing, tube and rim, attached to tire carrier with tail light and license plate. Carson County Motor Co., tire cover. License plate No. 102-390. Reward for return to Rose Motor Co. 37-2tc

**LOST—A BROWN CAMEO BROOCH,** oval-shaped. Finder please return same to Mrs. Edwin S. Vickers and receive reward. 36-1tc

**FOR RENT—TWO OR THREE COM-**fortable sleeping rooms; rent reasonable. See Mrs. Nels Walberg or phone 41. 36-2tc

**LOST OR STRAYED—BAY HORSE** mule with halter on. Please notify Roy Tinsley. Liberal reward. 35-1tp

**FOR SALE—ONE 3-ROOM AND ONE** 4-room house. East front lots, 100 by 140 feet. Small cash payment, balance easy terms. Write 1310-A, Van Buren St., Amarillo, Texas. 35-4tp

**FOR SALE—PRACTICALLY NEW** Ford truck. Automobile Finance Co. See Studer & Studer. 34-1tc

**WANTED—WHEAT PASTURE FOR** calves. See Henry Schafer, White Deer, Texas. 34-2tc

**FOR RENT—THREE-ROOM APART-**ment, about Oct. 10. See C. L. Mullen. 28-4tc

**CHRISTMAS CARDS—OUR SAM-**ples have arrived and are beauties. Drop in and make your selection and get first choice. The Pampa News. 1f

**LIST YOUR OIL LEASES, FARM** and city property with C. S. Rice for quick action. Located in Kinnison & Walker's new barber shop. 1tc

**RUBBER STAMPS—IF IT IS RUB-**ber stamps you want, The News can fix you up.

**GOOD CLEAN BEDS AT THE TOUR-**ist camp, south of the railway track. Prices right—call any time of night. 3

**FOR SALE—HEATING STOVE AND** pipe, very cheap, at News Office.

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# ENGLISH CLASS THEME

Just a Little Newsboy  
(By Leora May, a Senior)

It was a cold, raw night in November. It was raining and a cold wind was blowing. The clouds hid the moon; and the night was dark. No noise disturbed the silence except the monotonous, incessant dropping, dripping, dropping of the rain. An anxious mother of five hungry youngsters impatiently watched the wet narrow walk in the light from the window.

The door suddenly flew open as a damp gust of wind seemed to sweep a slender child with bright, glowing eyes, into the room. His arms were full of packages; his little freckled nose wrinkled into a happy grin.

"We can have it, mother! We can have our Thanksgiving dinner. I got potatoes and bread, an' Mother, I got some butter. An' sausage," he ejaculated in one breath. "I got sausage, Mother, an' kraut, an' an' apple apiece."

"O, what a feast we will have, cried a little girl of five, as she threw her arms about his wet figure.

"Son," said the lad's mother, kindly, but firmly. "How much did you deposit for your bicycle?"

"Well," he replied slowly, with a catch in his voice. "There wasn't but one left after I bought the dinner. But, say, Mother, I surely made a lot on my papers today," he added bravely.

A few flakes of snow, sifting from the skies, had driven the rain clouds away; and the moon was vainly struggling to make its appearance known by sending tiny, faint rays of light to earth.

One of the most fortunate of these beams found its way into a shabby little room and spent its wee time playing on the contented face of a child. As the kind-hearted little messenger of the moon was caressing the happy face for the last time that night, a white figure entered the room. A gentle hand stroked the fair hair of the boy, and a mother's heart stirred as she watched the face of her sleeping child.

"Just a little newsboy," her face brightened as her lips formed the words: "Poor, yet he has a heart of gold."

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# LETTERS TO SANTA

Pampa, Texas, Dec. 5, 1925.  
My Dear Santa:

I am a little boy six years old, and I am writing to ask you will you please bring me a whistling doll, a Fordson engine, and a tri-cycle and car with a motor in it, and I'll get some of Daddy's gasoline and put in it and run it. I will go fast all the time—not at the corners.

Your little friend,  
Clark M. Osborne.

Pampa, Texas, Dec. 9, 1925.  
Dear Sant Claus:

I am writhing you for my Christmas toys. I want a story, and a pretty doll or a doll buggy and a set of china dishes.

Dear Sant Claus I wish you come every week of the year. I like you so. I no it is a job to come long ways, but after you get here you enjoy it.

From Gertrude Meador.

Pampa, Texas, Dec. 4, 1925.  
Dear Santa Claus:

This is my first Christmas, and I want a teddy bear and some candy.

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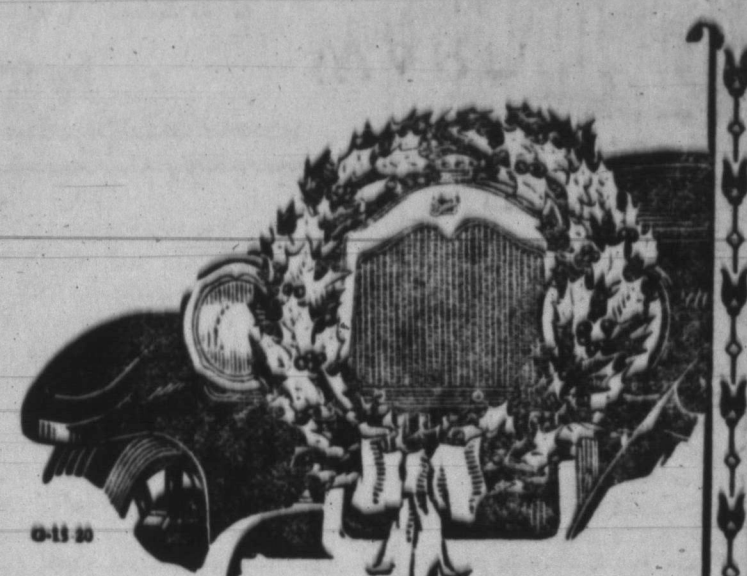
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