

# THE RANDALL COUNTY NEWS.

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## NEWEST FEDERAL COURT COMMENCES.

225 Cases Await Court of Customs Appeals.—Entire Membership of Five Judges Expected Present at First Session.

With 225 cases on the docket as a starter, the latest federal court, the United States court of customs appeals, begin business Tuesday. On that morning the five judges of the new court begin to hear arguments in cases on the calendar. It is predicted that the entire membership of the court will be present. It consists of presiding Judge R. M. Montgomery of Michigan and Associate Justice William H. Hunt of Montana, James F. Smith of California, Orion M. Barker of Vermont and Marion Deveries of California.

Long gowns will adorn the judges when they take their places on the improvised bench. Draperies and little touches will be put into a room in an uptown office building, where the court has rented three floors to look like a court room. A mahogany bench will be installed, but for the present the old fittings that constituted a bench for the old Spanish war claims commission, now extinct, will be pressed into service.

Although there are 225 cases docketed in the court, preparation for hearing such as the filing of records and briefs have made it possible for the clerk, Arthur B. Shelton, to place 108 on the calendar for argument at this time.

## Pastors Urge Need for Sunday School Work.

The precepts of the World's Sunday School Association, which is holding its annual convention in Washington, were sounded Sunday by a widespread observance through a common form of service of "World's Sunday School Day." Ministers of the gospel in every land preached special sermons on the value of the Sunday school and the duty of parents and guardians of the young in the matter of religious training of the young under their care.

It was a world-wide observance designed to promote the work of the Sunday school and to beseech assistance for the workers.

The Sunday school workers began with a sunrise prayer meeting at one of the principal hotels. The Rev. Samuel Zwemer, for many years a missionary in Arabia, presided, and prayers were offered for the Moslem world. All the services were strictly international in their color, as well as interdenominational.

Practically every Protestant denomination was represented, and it was estimated folk of 51 nationalities were gathered.

Some of the foreign workers who spoke at meetings were: Prof. Albert O. Clot, Italy; Prof. J. R. Citamber, India; Prof. T. H. Yun, Korea; Rev. N. Tamura, Japan; Rev. N. E. Pressley, Mexico; Francis Connel of the Stockport (Eng.) Sunday school, the largest in the world; George Winstone, New Zealand; Rev. Aquila Lucas, West Indies; Rev. Jean Paul Cook, Algeria, and Rev. J. Monro Gibson, London.

The Rev. F. Myer, president of the convention, spoke at the Second Baptist church in the afternoon and preached again in the evening. The pulpits of practically every Protestant church were occupied Sunday night by delegates to the assembly.

## To Buy Texas.

The pastor of the Afro-American Baptist church of Baltimore has brought forth a brand new segregation scheme for the colored people. He wants the negroes segregated in one state of the union, and to accomplish this he wants one state to be selected by the government and purchased outright, and then the negroes moved en masse into this new negro commonwealth.

This is a little more fantastic than the theory of Bishop Turner, who for twenty years has been advocating the deportation of the negroes to Liberia, where, unhampered by unsympathetic conditions which their misguided advocates fancy are about them in America, they could develop a race and national life independent of all other peoples.

The proposition of the negro minister of Baltimore is interesting chiefly because he has named Texas as the state best suited to the scheme he has in mind, and it is Texas which he would have Uncle Sam buy, lock, stock and barrel, as a state home for negro citizens.

Now, if there is any known process by which a state could be bought outright without the will of the citizens or any process by which a state could be reduced from statehood to the status of a territory, we are not familiar with that process. Incidentally and quite apart from the fact that the colored brother in Baltimore has picked the largest, the richest and the least developed state in all the South for his brilliant scheme of colonization, and that there are at least three generations of born-on-the-soil citizens who'd be dislodged by nothing short of a civil war, we beg to call the attention of those discussing the wild scheme to the fact that Texas holds a unique position among the states. It would be easier to accomplish the scheme in any one of the other states than in Texas.

Texas is the only state of the whole union which added her princely domain to that of the government by deliberate and voluntary action. Texas is the only addition to the United States which is part thereof save by conquest or purchase—Texas never cost the United States a dollar from its treasury or a man from its army. A distinct government, an independent republic, Texas came into the larger union by her own request. The United States government does not and never has owned a foot of public domain in Texas. These facts are cited not for the use or enlightenment of the new Moses of the negroes, but for the guidance of the misdirected energies of those white friends who may be interested in even the most superficial degree in the impossible plan.

The negro minister of Baltimore, and many another like him do more harm than good by the foolish things they advocate for the development of the negro. As the world knows, the negroes have failed to show any capacity for self government, as Liberia and Hayti bear pitiable evidence. The negro for many years to come must find his best development and his best interests just where he is, and in just the conditions which surround him.—Ft. Worth Record.

Mrs. J. W. Carter and daughter arrived a few days ago from Independence, Mo., where their daughter, Gertrude, was shipped from this city the 23rd day of March, 1910, and was kept in a vault at that place for two months and when hurried just before they started back, they said she looked as beautiful as she did when she was sent from this place. The undertaker, Mr. Ott in that city, said it was most certainly a grand case of embalming and her relatives and friends want to thank Mr. Garner for his skillful work.

## Richards-Fitzwater.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coburn Richards in the east part of the city Thursday at noon. The contracting parties were Mr. Homer Richards of Canyon City, Tex., and Miss Ethel Lillian Fitzwater of Rush City, Minn. After the wedding ceremony a bounteous wedding feast was served. Mr. Coburn Richards is a brother of the groom and his wife is a sister of the bride. The groom is a son of W. M. Richards of this city, but has for the past year and a half been connected with a hardware store of Canyon City, Tex., where he has been successful. He formerly made his home in this city and has many friends here. The bride hails from Rush City, Minn., and is well known and respected in the community where she resided. The newly married couple will make their home in Canyon City, Tex. Our best wishes are with them for a happy and successful married life.—Union Banner, Caryle, Ill.

Homer Richards is well and favorably known here and has been in the employ for over a year by the Thompson Hardware Company as manager of the implement department and is held in the highest esteem by that firm. The position he holds with this firm, he naturally enjoys a large acquaintance throughout this vicinity. The newly married couple are expected to reach Canyon soon. Homer's many friends join the News with best wishes and congratulations.

## W. S. Cook for Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

W. S. Cook formerly lived in northeast Nebraska for a number of years being a prominent stockman in that state until moving to Randall County some four years ago. During this period he lived a short time in Canyon City, then was engaged in business at Happy for a short time from which place, he moved to his farm and has been extensively engaged in farming and stock raising. Mr. Cook is a thorough going and progressive farmer, has had lots of business experience and all of those characteristics that make up a good and efficient county official. Mr. Cook authorizes the News to announce his name as a candidate for the office of Commissioner for Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

It might be stated that Mr. Cook is now filling the unexpired term of the late J. D. Knicely, deceased, with due respect and in an efficient manner, and the voters will do well to cast their votes for Mr. Cook both at the primaries and in the general election. The News heartily recommends Mr. Cook.

## District Court Adjourns.

As stated in last week's issue of the News, Judge Browning would hold court in this city on Saturday to finish up the term. Court was in session until afternoon when all business was disposed of and court adjourned until next fall. Judge Browning left in the evening for Amarillo and expects to hear the contempt cases Monday of this week. It will be remembered these cases grew out of a disregard for the restraining orders issued by the district court of Potter County by Judge Browning, just prior to the recent annual convention of the Panhandle Stockman's Association held at Amarillo.

Miss Charlotte Ingham went to Canadian Saturday to spend a few days with Sarah Miller.

## Comet is a Deceiver.

Dr. Percival Lowell, head of Lowell observatory, in a statement tonight, declared spectrographs of Halley's comet have proved conclusive evidence against previous conceptions as to the composition of the comet's tail.

"Cyanogen in the tail is very weak and extends only a short distance in the tail. Hydrocarbons ditto. There is no hydrocarbon emission visible anywhere. The main body of the tail is formed of unidentified constituents and some reflected light. There is cyanogen, hydrocarbon and still other unidentified emissive constituents in the head of the comet. The head emission is strong where the tail is weak, and vice versa.

"The spectrum series were very extensive. Photographs were taken almost continuously with the 40 inch reflector and other instruments.

"The aspect of the neucleus of the comet was variable. There were six stringing, spokes visible May 24. These appeared elongated May 29. Only diffusion densation was shown May 28. No division was shown or photographed. Fifty degrees of the tail was visible May 28."

A pronounced decrease in the brilliancy of Halley's comet was noted the night of May 29 at the Harvard observatory. Prof. O. C. Wendell, measuring the nucleus, found it to be of 8.8 magnitude; that is, somewhat more than a magnitude and a half fainter than three days ago. Prof. Wendell predicted that the wanderer would be visible for several days more.

## Pug Cavet Making Good

In the issue of Friday, June 3, of the Rock Island Argus published at Rock Island, Ill., is given a picture of Pug Cavet, a Canyon City boy and who is making good as a slab artist with the Rock Island Club in the big Three Eye league. Pug is a south-paw pitcher and is rapidly developing speed and control along with the necessary curves and breaks which baffle even the oldest of veteran batters, and which has placed up among higher and faster company.

Cavet won a game against the Peoria Club in the Three Eye league by a score of 3 to 2, striking out nine men to his opponents four. In this same game he succeeded in getting two long two-baggers bringing in the winning score with one of them. Pug has made a remarkable record in northern baseball circles and may be given a trial with the Chicago Americans before the season is over.

## Black - Caraway.

The marriage of J. C. Black to Miss Alice Caraway, both of this city, occurred at the Presbyterian parsonage Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock, Rev. J. S. Groves performing the ceremony. The attendants were J. P. Hicks and Miss Ellen Donald and intimate friends of the contracting parties. The wedding was a very quiet affair and, after the ceremony, the newly married couple anted to Amarillo from which place they took the evening train for Wolf City, Texas, expecting to meet Mrs. Dr. Black there and spend several days on their honey-moon trip.

Miss Caraway was born and raised near Hico, Hamilton County, Texas, moving with her parents last fall to Canyon and is held in the highest esteem by her acquaintances and many friends. The groom is the oldest son of Dr. and Mrs. Black of this city. Dr. Black is the pres-

## CHURCH DEDICATION.

Elegant New Structure of the Presbyterian Church at Amarillo Opened for Worship.

It is said, with not even standing room and hundreds turned away, the elegant new structure of the Central Presbyterian Church of Amarillo was dedicated last Sunday, Dr. B. P. Fullerton being the celebrant. The morning service was one long to be remembered by those present, opening to the city one of the best church edifices in this portion of the state.

This edifice was erected at a cost, over all, of little less than \$50,000. Dr. Fullerton in his dedicatory address this morning dealt more with the religious possibilities, and the past achievements in that line than any other. There is one interesting phase in connection with the dedicatory service Sunday, that being the change of the name of the church. Heretofore, it has been the Filmore Street Church, but it was christened the Central Presbyterian. The location of the present house is at the corner of Tenth and Taylor Streets. The members of this church are well to do and numerically it is a strong congregation.

The Central Presbyterian Church edifice is unique in many features. The auditorium can be thrown into one room by means of roller partitions and thus make it possible to seat at least a thousand people, or when the crowd is small it can be contracted for the occasion. There are three memorial windows on the first floor and one on the north side. The pipe-organ is in place and was used by the choir for the first time on last Friday evening in their rehearsal.

It will be remembered that Dr. B. P. Fullerton who conducted the dedicatory services of the Central Presbyterian church of Amarillo, also was in Canyon Saturday and made the principal address at the Missionary Conference at this place. His talk was well taken.

## James Norwood

James Norwood, who is Mrs. L. E. Cowling's grandfather, and who has been making his home with the Cowling household for some time, on last Tuesday after returning from an auto ride and after reaching home as he stepped out of the auto and was entering the house, in some manner stumbled and accidentally fell in such a manner as to fracture his femur. The shock was more than his nervous system could stand. As his age being past ninety-seven years, he died soon after. The body was shipped to Mineral Springs, Ark., his former home for burial. The remains was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cowling and daughter. It is the expectation of Mrs. Cowling and daughter to stay a short time.

The many friends and neighbors sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Cowling in their bereavement. The News is in hopes it will be permitted to give a better obituary of this grand old man in next issue.

## Alfalfa Harvest is On.

The alfalfa hay crop is on in earnest. The quality is fine, yield is good and the weather is exceptionally fine for harvesting, which insures as fine a crop as has been cut for a number of seasons. The season has been model for curing this great substantial mainstay crop. There has not been showers heavy enough to damage or interfere with the harvesting of the crop of alfalfa.

Tom Cochran moved Thursday into his elegant new house on East Houston street.

## New Game Laws.

Book agents may be killed from Oct. 1, to Sept. 30. Spring poets may be killed from March 2, to June 1. Gossips and scandal mongers may be killed in any manner from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31st.

Knockers may be killed at all times and under any and all circumstances; no limit to the number.

Those who beat the newspaper man out of his dues, may be killed on sight, in any manner that happens to be convenient; on this class there is no valuation and is not necessary to have an appraisal made and must be buried face downward so that they may have a start in the right direction. Persons who attempt to extort money through blackmailing schemes, such as attempting to wrongfully, maliciously and with malice aforethought to retard the growth of any laudable enterprises, shall be turned over to one Cudahy, of Kansas City.—Exchange.

## Merry Matron Club Election.

A formal business meeting of the Merry Matron Club was held at the home of Mrs. Travis Shaw on Wednesday for the election of officers for the ensuing term of six months. The following named were duly elected for the term: Mrs. Roy Cullum, Pres.; Mrs. Albert S. Rollins, Vice Pres.; and Mrs. Fred Parke Luke, Secy. and Treas. The next regular meeting will be held on next Wednesday.

## Mortuary.

Word was received in this city Monday morning announcing the death of Mrs. Will Skinner, Sunday evening at Center, Shelby County, Texas. The deceased was well and favorably known to many friends and neighbors in Canyon. She was a young woman about twenty-three years old. She leaves besides a husband, a sweet little girl, seven years of age. The many friends of the deceased regret to learn of her death.

Rev. A. M. Lohmann was a short time visitor in Canyon Wednesday. He informs the News that it is his expectation to in the near future to make this city his home again, his many friends here will welcome his speedy return.

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L. T. Lester left Monday on a business trip to Lubbock.

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Miss Sadie Montgomery went to Happy Monday to visit friends.

Pinon Reynolds returned to Clovis Saturday after a short visit at home.

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Odeil Elliott of the Hereford Brand spent Sunday at the J. R. Cullum home.

FOR SALE.—A good gentle horse. Inquire of D. H. Hawthorne.

Misses Bennie and Ellen Donald left Monday for Arney to visit their brother.

Mrs. C. C. Miller and Master Arthur went to Canadian Saturday to visit friends.

FOR SALE.—A three room cottage in west part of city. Inquire at News office.

Mesdames C. O. and W. S. Keiser and Miss Phyllis spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

NOTICE.—To the finder of gold locket, H. M., you had better return to owner or News office.

Our old office building recently damaged by fire is for sale. Lair-Cowling Land Co.

Last week J. A. Tate and family moved back to the farm which is only a few miles from Canyon.

Miss Addison who has been visiting Mrs. Hobson for several weeks, returned to her home at Canadian Monday.

LOST.—A brooch with a small diamond setting. The finder will please return to the News office and get reward. 11-3t

Miss Blanche Lester left Saturday evening for New York City, where she will join a party of friends for an extended trip abroad.

Mrs. Lottie Edward who came up to attend the funeral of her brother, J. D. Kaicely, returned to her home at Preston, N. M., Tuesday.

J. T. Holland and wife went to Hereford last week visiting relatives. Mr. Holland comes back telling his friends some pretty scary tales of his luck as a fisherman having caught a nice string of 35 perch in little or no time.

The city marshal on last Sunday arrested Wm. Barbee for carrying a revolver and handling it in rather a reckless manner. He was fined \$3.00 and the confiscation of the gun. Texas laws are very stringent as to carrying pistols.

Chas. Plan of Wheaton, Ill., dropped into Canyon to pay his respects to his old friend and neighbor, E. S. Fairbank, on Monday of this week, expecting to remain only a short time. He has been spending the winter on the Pacific coast.

A. F. Fairbank and wife left Wednesday for their home in West Chicago, Ill., having had a very pleasant time the past few weeks visiting at the home of Dr. C. L. Daniels. It is their expectation to stop a few days with friends at Oklahoma City enroute home.

An editor received two dollars and a cork from a delinquent subscriber. When they met the editor said: I understand about the money, because that was what you owed, but what does the cork mean?" "Stop 'er," was the reply.

NOTICE: To subscribers of Canyon Tel. Exchange: This company will not allow any account to remain open longer than the fifteenth of the month following, that account is due. There will be no discrimination to this rule. R. W. TRACKER, Mgr. Ex. 11-15

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## The Leader

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"THE QUALITY TELLS."

Entertain in Honor of Miss Young.

Quite a number of young people were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winder Monday evening in honor of Miss Young who left the next day for her home in Mineral Wells. The color scheme of the evening was pink and white being carried out in carnations intermingled with ferns and smylax. The guests were received by Misses Wade and Quirk who acted as hostesses of the evening.

The first part of the evening was occupied by a guessing contest in which Mrs. Harry Howell was awarded the prize, a beautiful bouquet of carnations and ferns, by drawing the lucky number of five out of contestants. Next, favors of white carnations for the gentlemen and pink for the ladies were given each with place cards attached for forty-two and refreshments. The color scheme was preserved in neapolitan cake and pink ices.

All enjoyed the vocal and instrumental selections rendered by Mesdames Ecker and Howell Miss Hawkins and Mr. George Hutchings.

Those present were Misses Cowling, Young, Gober, Word, Bompate, McNeil, Hawkins, Russell, Ballard, Garrison, Wade, Harder, Quirk, Messrs. Moore, Clappett, Hutchings, Flesher, Hutchison, Park, Gamble, Hudson, Consins, Oldham, Terrill, Hix, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cullum, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howell and Mrs. Ecker.

May Locate in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Reid left Wednesday for Altus where they will visit a few days then go to Canyon City, Texas, where it is probable they will locate. Mr. Reid has been editor and publisher of the Progress for the past three years and has built it up from a little real estate advertising sheet to a first class local paper with the largest circulation of any paper in a town of this size perhaps in Oklahoma. The Progress joins his friends in wishing him a lion's share of the good things of this life.—Blair Progress, Blair, Okla.

Mr. Reid is a son of our townsman, T. F. Reid, and their many friends will welcome them in our midst.

Get a nice mutton roast or chops. We have it. Dawson Bros.

Title is Still Gotch's.

Chicago, June 2—Frank Gotch retained his title to the heavyweight wrestling championship of the world last night, winning in straight falls from Stanislaw Zbyszko of Poland before 10,000 people at the Coliseum. The first fall went to the Humbolt strong man in six and one-fourth seconds, with a bar arm and half Nelson. He took the second with a bar arm and wrist lock in 27:36 after a desperately fought bout, in which honors were even for twenty minutes.

In his dressing room after the match Gotch took a solemn oath to forever quit the mat game. "It's my last battle as a champion," said the big Iowan, as he rolled over on the rubbing board. "I am through for good, and Leo Pardello has taken my tights. Never again for Frank, I'm going home to lead the simple life, raise cattle, corn and to forget my troubles."

Gotch outgeneraled and outclassed his ponderous foe in the first bout, which was over in a jiffy. The second bout developed into a gruelling, slam-bang affair from the outset, with Gotch, rendered doubly confident by his first triumph, master at every turn.

Gotch was as cool as the proverbial cucumber at every stage of the game, while Zbyszko plainly showed distress. Both men were battling desperately near the northwest corner of the arena, when Frank, acting like a cat, suddenly slammed Zbyszko toward the ropes with a toe hold that spelled certain defeat.

An expression betokening fearful pain spread over the Pole's countenance. He wiled and Gotch swinging a bar arm and waist lock together in deadly fashion, had taken the second fall and preserved his name as the world's champion, winning in 27:36.

The two mat giants closed for a purse of \$25,000, the bulk of which will go to Gotch. Little betting was reported.

Commissioners Court.

The Commissioners Court was in session all the week as an equalization board for the adjustment of property valuations. We understand all all values were adjusted in a satisfactory manner to both the property owners and to the court.

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**Presbyterian Social**

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keller entertained the Plus Ultra and Willing Hand Societies of the Presbyterian Sunday School, May 26th at their beautiful rural home in honor of their nieces, Misses Turpin, Susie and Drussilla Knight. There were about thirty guests and the evening was spent in various social games

Miss Mattie Holland winning the first prize and Mr. Holt, the booby. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at a late hour.

Everybody reported a fine time and said that seven dishes of ice cream was the limit.

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**WHICH COW IS BEST FOR DAIRY?**

The question, which is the best breed of dairy cows? is one often asked, says a well known dairyman, and of course is variously answered.

Many breeders and dairymen have answered it to their own satisfaction, and a goodly number of these say the Jersey. And there is a reason or, rather, reasons, all aside from their own personal experience. The latter, although satisfactory to themselves, may not convince others.

Economic production comes first in importance, for the best dairy breed must be a profitable breed. The Jersey is presented to the dairying public as the most profitable dairy cow on the strength of her performance in the two most reliable public tests ever



A WELL REARED DAIRY COW.

made to determine this point, those held at the Chicago and St. Louis world's fairs.

In both these the Jersey eclipsed all competing breeds as a profitable producer. At St. Louis she won the awards as the most profitable producer of milk for all purposes of dairying. She was able to do this from her inborn faculty of turning her food into milk rich in milk solids. The Jerseys returned one pound butter fat for every twelve pounds of nutriment they consumed.

For one pound of butter fat the Holsteins required 14,839 pounds nutriment, the Shorthorns 15,522 pounds and the Brown Swiss 16,919 pounds. The Jersey, being comparatively a small cow, the sustaining ration demanded by her is correspondingly small, and the law of nature is that the demands of sustenance come first and those of yield afterward.

There are breeds which surpass the Jersey in quantity of milk, but no breed which surpasses her in quantity of milk in proportion to nutriment required and live weight, even if quality of milk is left out of consideration.

At St. Louis, although the Jerseys were naturally outmilked by the larger Holsteins, they produced 523 pounds of milk for each hundred pounds of their live weight, while the Holsteins produced but 497 pounds of milk per hundred pounds live weight, a difference of twenty-nine pounds per each hundred pounds live weight in favor of the Jerseys. When it is remembered that the Jersey milk showed 13.5 per cent total solids against 11.5 per cent in the Holstein milk this milking record is shown to be highly significant.

The Jerseys, too, are good feeders and are second to none in the variety of feeds from which they can extract their proper nourishment. As consumers of roughage the Jerseys at St. Louis led all the others, deriving 50.67 per cent of their nutriment from it as against 50.40 per cent for Holsteins and smaller percentages in the case of the other breeds represented.

Based on these and other equally weighty facts, the reasonable claim is made that the Jersey is the best cow for the dairy, the best cow for the farmer, the best cow for the family—best by her natural inheritance and proved best in impartial public tests.

**Keeping the Horse Healthy.**

On the appearance of any lump about the legs of a horse it should be bathed diligently with water as hot as can be borne. What might develop into a spavin may sometimes in this way be checked at the start.

For lice on horses take half a pint of kerosene in two gallons of water and wash the horse with this twice, with an interval of two or three days between the applications.

To cure mange rub on oil of tar one ounce and whale oil two ounces or one-half pound each of tar and sulphur and one pound each of soap and alcohol.

In all cases boil all blankets and treat with a strong solution of caustic potash all wood works, harness, brushes, combs and whatever can be affected with the germs.

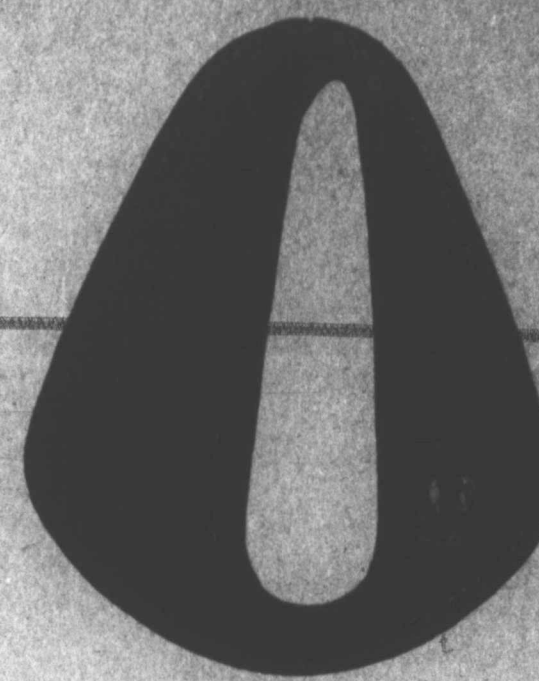
To cure a horse of the habit of pawing fasten a short piece of log chain, say about five or six links, by means of a light strap to his leg just above the knee—in the stable, of course—and see how quickly he will leave off the habit.

**Implement For Calf Feeding.**

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To Keep Calf From Uprooting Pail. It is pretty provoking as well as wasteful to have the calves upset their pail of milk. You can put a stop to it by making a box a little less than a foot deep, with a top board hinged on in which a hole has been sawed large enough for the pail to fit in to the top hump. The calf may butt all he wants so, but he cannot tip that box over.

**Jumbo Horse Collar**

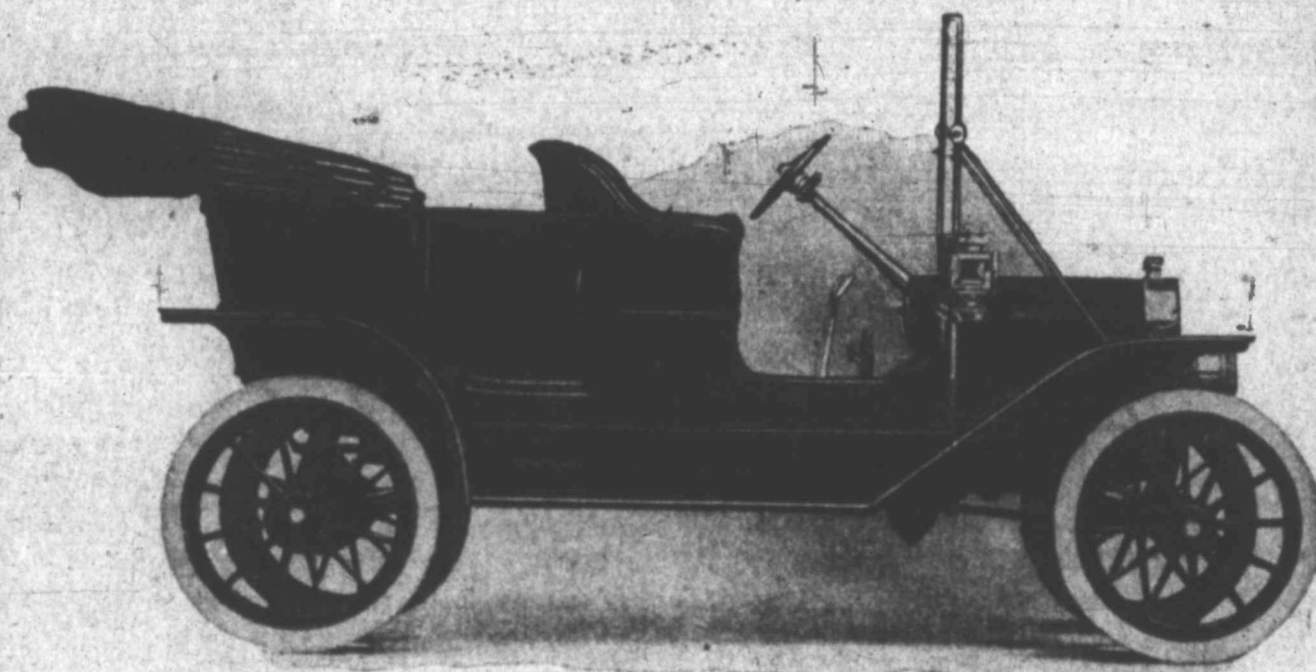


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Due from U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00	Circulation	98,150.00
Demand Loans	\$ 25,000.00	Bills Payable	20,000.00
Available Cash	112,559.02	Deposits	384,786.45
	\$612,816.45		\$612,816.45

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Railway Time Table.

MAIN LINE, WEST BOUND.  
No. 27 to Clovis.....3:45 p. m.  
No. 111 to Carlsbad from E. C.....10:05 a. m.  
No. 72 Local Freight.....10:55 a. m.  
MAIN LINE, EAST BOUND.  
No. 28 from Clovis.....10:05 a. m.  
No. 114 to Kansas City.....9:10 p. m.  
No. 74 Local Freight.....3:55 p. m.  
PLAINVIEW BRANCH, NORTH B'ND  
No. 29 to Amarillo.....3:55 p. m.  
No. 81 Local Freight.....3:45 p. m.  
PLAINVIEW BRANCH, SO. BOUND.  
No. 27 to Plainview.....11:15 a. m.  
No. 80 Local Freight.....10:30 a. m.  
Trains No. 27 on the Main line leaving Canyon City at 2:30 p. m. is made up here, and Train No. 28 on the Main line arriving from Clovis at 10 a. m. stops at this place.  
Local freights and trains Nos. 27 and 28 don't run on Sunday.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for the respective offices, subject to the action of the voters at the Democratic Primary to be held on July 23rd, 1910.

- FOR DISTRICT JUDGE 47TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,  
J. N. BROWNING.  
A. S. ROLLINS  
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
HENRY S. BISHOP.  
E. T. MILLER  
FOR REPRESENTATIVE  
J. C. HUNT.  
FOR COUNTY JUDGE  
W. D. SCOTT.  
FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.  
R. H. SANFORD.  
J. T. SERVICE  
WORTH A. JENNINGS,  
FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK,  
M. P. GARNER.  
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,  
W. J. FLESHER.  
FOR COUNTY TREASURER,  
P. H. YOUNG.  
FOR TAX ASSESSOR.  
G. G. FOSTER.  
T. V. SLACK.  
WILL CAGE.  
C. L. DANIELS.  
CYRUS EAKMAN.  
O. C. DAVIS.  
H. J. CAVET.  
M. M. WESLEY.  
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1,  
HENRY J. WEBER.  
W. J. REDFEARN.  
T. F. REID.  
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2,  
E. W. NEECE  
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3  
W. S. COOK.  
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4,  
M. S. PARK.  
FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,  
W. J. REDFEARN.

PRIDE OF THE PLAINS.

Only four words but they speak volumes for if there is one thing that all the plains country should feel proud of it is the locating in its midst the West Texas Normal College at Canyon City.

The laying of the corner stone to that building last Tuesday was the foundation of which will ultimately be the greatest school of learning in the plains country, and one of the greatest in the entire state. The locating of this Normal was the first recognition the plains country has had from the hands of the "powers that be" at Austin, and then it took money to get it, not that the people of the plains country but the people of Canyon, which to them is due all the more praise in that

they made it possible for the citizenship of this country to have at its very door so grand an educational institution as the West Texas Normal is bound to prove. In order that the plains country receive some recognition from the state legislature the different towns of the plains fought every inch of ground, and bombarded the legislature with such "cannister" and "grape" shots that it yielded to the demands of the plains people and sanctioned the move that a Normal College be located at some convenient place on the plains, and a more convenient place the locating board could not have found. It took money and it indeed required the burning of a great amount of "midnight oil" by the people of Canyon City before they were successful in landing this coveted prize—coveted prize, we say not only to Canyon City but to all the plains country. The Recorder, speaking for Hereford, "is as much elated over Canyon City securing the Normal as Canyon is itself, and it believes it speaks the sentiments of every town on the plains when it says no more convenient place for students of the plains could have been selected than its present location.

The laying of that corner stone to that to be magnificent educational structure marked the epoch that will, in the course of a very short time, be recognized as that portion of Texas from which come the student wielding the mighty sceptre of talent and character to take his station in the rank of the most distinguished and polished educators of his country. Such will be the finished student from the West Texas Normal.

The one great drawing card for the Normal will be the climatic conditions. The high altitude makes it possible for the student to study the year around if necessary without any fatigue attendant upon the student at the last days of the educational institutions in the lower altitudes. The student from this high altitude can hardly hope to go to the lower altitude country and make the progress he hoped to owing to the great change in the climate while in the plains country he can keep studiously at his task with little or no weariness during the last of the school days. The Normal will prepare the student for the profession of law, the profession of medicine, the profession of agriculturist, in fact it will bestow upon him an education that will inspire him to higher educational attainments fitting him for rank among the highest intellects of our land.

Canyon City is to be congratulated for its fidelity and uncompromising zeal displayed in landing the plum for the plains, and the people of the plains should feel gratified that in their midst is located a school of learning that will tower among the leading institutions in the state.

Hurrah for Canyon, and hurrah for the people of the plains. —Hereford Recorder.

Yes! Canyon City will be like Athen; known as the seat of learning, especially for all of the plains country and adjoining territory.

Our candidate for representative, Judge J. C. Hunt, has been making a strenuous campaign in the last week or so. He spoke to a great crowd in Clarendon last Friday and on Saturday following at Lockney. His addresses were well received and many have been the complements on his addresses. It was another the a number campaign. When it comes to the presentment of issues to the people, none can do it better than he. He has been invited to deliver an address at Wheeler, Texas, on the 29th inst. at the Old Settlers' Reunion.

C. C. Miller went to Canadian Tuesday to join his family who are visiting there.

WHERE I FOUND HER

By WILLIAM R. KING

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What tragedies, what joys, are constantly being enacted in a great city! And the ups and downs there are! Walk along an important thoroughfare and suddenly you come upon a wedding party just entering or just coming out of a church. Proceed a little farther and you see a crowd gathered about an auto. A child has been run over and killed. Still farther you meet a starving mother with a sickly babe in her arms. A nurse trundling a child dressed in embroidered and lace garments turns the perambulator for fear her charge will be contaminated.

One bright moonlight night I was walking over a bridge. The scene was pleasing, and I paused and leaned over the rail to enjoy it. "How fine it is," I remarked to myself, "to live in a city! By day there is the excitement of people and vehicles passing and re-passing, the hum of business and pleasure; by night myriads of lights, with occasionally the one great night lamp of heaven to illumine the whole."

Suddenly to my left down on the water I heard a splash. A moment later a human figure came to the surface and went down again. A boat shot under an arch, and a man in it dived and brought up a woman, and the two were hauled into the boat. A policeman ordered the boatman to pull ashore. While they were doing so I went to where he was standing.

"What were you doing?" asked the policeman of the girl, who by this time showed signs of life.

"I wanted to die. Why didn't you let me alone?"

"What's the matter?"

"No home, nothing to do to earn a living, tired and heartsick."

"Well, you'll have to come along with me to answer to a charge of suicide."

"Policeman," I said, "will you let me provide a carriage?"

"I can call the patrol wagon."

An empty carriage was passing. I hailed it, and the policeman, the girl and I got in and were driven to the police station.

I must pause here in my story to tell what I afterward learned of the girl's history. Some twenty years before one passing up one of the fashionable streets of the city on a certain day and hour would have seen a party emerging from a church. A young bride and groom were starting in life with every prospect of happiness. The groom's father was head of a large business, and the son had been made a junior partner on the day of his marriage.

A little girl was born to the couple, and she was taken to church bundled in embroidered and lace garments, like the child in the perambulator I have referred to, that she might be baptized. Then in a handsome stone residence there was a christening feast, with a millionaire for godfather.

That was the year before the great panic of '73, when one morning it was announced that a great business house had failed and down went the other concerns like card houses. The father and son of this story fell with the rest, the father dying of disappointment and wounded pride. The clothing of the baby girl from that moment began to grow plain, then dingy. Her father died, and her mother lived in want.

The child grew to womanhood with no remembrance of her baby clothes. When her sun arose the sun of her family set. Then her mother died. The girl went from place to place begging for a situation, but nobody wanted her. Then one night she stood on the bridge. The waters below said, "Come, I will give you rest."

The morning after the attempted suicide I went to the courtroom where the good and the bad, the fortunate and the unfortunates, were brought up before a magistrate. In her turn the girl was led in and placed in the dock. She had no defense. She simply said that she had got discouraged, and, passing over the bridge on her way to her dingy room which she had been told she must leave on the morrow, she had looked out on the brilliant scene, then down on the water, and she could not resist the call to oblivion.

The downward slide in life, though it had marred, had not destroyed her comeliness. There was evidence of an inherited refinement both in person and bearing.

Suddenly a member of the police court arose and said that there was a young man present who would marry the girl if she were willing. He was produced. The girl looked at him, then languidly gave her consent. What could she do?

"Judge," I said, rising. "If you will send the girl to some home where she will be protected I will interest myself in her."

The judge asked the girl which plan she would prefer, and she chose my plan. She was sent to a home for indigent girls, and soon afterward I called upon the matron and got her charge's story as I have given it here.

I looked up a few of those who had known her parents, but found there was no one to take an interest in her. Some were dead, some were very poor, and the children of those who had kept in touch with the upper stratum had no use for the children of those who had gone down. What was to be done for her I must do myself. I followed the example of the young man who had offered to marry her. I could do nothing for her in any other way. She consented, not languidly, as she had done with the other, but gladly.

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Mrs. W. S. Keiser is on the sick list.  
Pete Myers was in Canyon Wednesday shopping.  
C. M. Rusk of Dallas was a business caller in Canyon Monday.  
W. S. Myers made a short business trip to Denton this week.  
O. C. Kerven of Corsicana was a short time visitor in Canyon Monday.  
E. A. Holden of St. Louis, Mo. made a short business call Tuesday in Canyon.  
Jas. J. Boeman of Umbarger was a short time visitor in Canyon Saturday.  
J. L. Ogelvie of Columbia Mo., was in Canyon Saturday looking up some business matters.  
Henry Engler a business man of Umbarger was a short time visitor in Canyon Wednesday.  
Rev. J. S. Groves and wife left the first of the week to visit a few days with a brother and sister who reside at Silverton.  
Miss Matt Young who has been visiting Canyon friends for several months, left Tuesday for Knox City, Texas. She will go from there to her home at Mineral Wells.  
Mrs. J. E. Winkelman left on the evening train Thursday for a months visit with her mother, who resides in Jefferson, Iowa. This is her first trip north in about three years, her many friends here wish her a safe and pleasant trip.  
Mrs. E. A. Terrill entertained at tea on last Wednesday. Progressive forty-two was the order of the afternoon and the variety of luck was great. Those present were Mesdames Ingham, Stewart, Keiser, Thompson, Miller, Winkelman, Rowan, Harrison, Rollins, Bennett and Misses Bomparte, Ellen and Bennie Donald.  
J. L. Murphy of Happy was in Canyon Tuesday.  
C. W. Felde of Nashville, Tenn. was a business caller Monday.  
Hudson Prichard went to Clovis Sunday for an extended trip.  
C. M. Shirman of Amarillo made a short visit in Canyon Monday.  
Mrs. R. A. Dobbs returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Oklahoma.  
Miss Margaret Dixon of Happy was a short time visitor in Canyon Tuesday.  
T. J. Hall of Tulsa was several days in Canyon look after some business matters.  
A. J. Loot of Portales, N. M., was in Canyon Saturday looking after some business matters.  
R. M. Peeler left the first of the week for Mineral Wells, expecting to be gone several weeks.  
Chas. Cing who came up from Preston, N. M., to attend the funeral of his uncle, J. D. Knicely, returned home Tuesday.  
D. A. Park entertained a few couples at his rooms on Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howell chaperoned. "42" was the feature of the evening. Everyone reports a fine time.  
Last week some fifteen friends of Miss Alice Caraway surprised her by calling and celebrating the event of her natal day. After a social time at "42" and other interesting games, the merry crowd left just before the lights blinked. An enjoyable time was the verdict.  
Mrs. W. S. Keiser entertained a few ladies at an afternoon "42" party, Monday, in honor of Mrs. J. E. Winkelman who leaves this week on an extended trip through Iowa. Those present were Mesdames Terrill, Heller, Winkelman, Kleinschmidt, Anderson, Griffin, Ingham, Moreland, Turk, Bennett, Christman and Keiser.  
Homer Richards and wife arrived in Canyon Thursday morning.  
W. S. Keiser returned from Kansas City business trip Thursday.  
Fin Saunders and wife of Umbarger were business callers in Canyon Thursday.  
G. Phillips arrived Thursday from Red Key, Ind., and expects to remain in Canyon some days combining business with pleasure this trip.  
Mrs. H. F. McNeil accompanied by her daughters, Avis and Helen, left a few days ago for a visit with friends at Hemming, Ill, expecting to be gone two months.  
Prof. J. A. Hill, of history and civics of the West Texas State Normal College, is expected to arrive in Canyon today, and will occupy the house recently vacated by Tom Cochran.  
R. E. Peacock of Independence, Mo., arrived in Canyon Wednesday, from Kansas City and it is his intention to spend a week or more in this vicinity looking after some business matters.  
White Cotton of Hemming Ill., is visiting at the home of H. F. Neil for a short time. He seems to be favorably impressed with the prospects and conditions in this locality which indicate a good harvest.  
Mrs. M. A. Rogers of Wheeler arrived in Canyon last week from New Mexico where she has been visiting a daughter, Mrs. DeGraftenreid, she is visiting at the home of her son, J. E., and she expects to remain a while.  
Revival Meeting.  
Rev. J. B. Morrow of Ft. Worth is assisting Rev. Harder of the Baptist church in holding a protracted meeting this week and a great interest is being manifested as the meetings continue. A large attendance is in evidence each evening.

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When Hunting Was Good and Gray Mares Were Wonders.

**REAL SPORT IN THOSE DAYS.**

Old Jimmy Chambers Tells About One Haul He Made When He Got More Than He Expected—The Willing Old Horse That Cracked Her Skin.

"Talk about yer huntin' trips," said ole Jimmy Chambers, "Why, there ain't no huntin' nowadays; no, not none 'tall—leastwise none worth mentionin'." "It was different when I was a young feller. Then was huntin' days! When ye went out to hunt ye got sumthin', I tell ye. An' most-always ye got a dum sight more 'n ye expected. I remember oncet down in ole Pennsylvania when I had a hunt as wuz a hunt. I had er ole muzzie loader rifle that could shoot some, I tell ye. An' I wuz no slouch at shootin' in them days myself. I could shoot about as well as ther next feller. Well, I went down to ther river lookin' fer er deer. I seen one standin' right in front of er big tree. I pulled up ther ole muzzie loader an' let her go. Jest as I fired a big fish jumped out of ther water, an' my shot went plum through him. I seen by ther way he fell I'd plugged er hole in him. The deer jest dropped where he stood—never stirred, jest fell stone dead.

"I rushed out into ther river an' grabbed my fish 'fore it could float away. With ther fish under my arm I started fer ther deer. An' what d'ye suppose? S' help me, jest back of where ther deer stood ther bullet had knocked er hole in that tree as big as yer fist, an' out of that hole er regular stream of honey wuz flowin'! That good honey wuz goin' to waste dum fast, an' I hadn't nary er thing to stop it. Jest then er rabbit jumped out of er hole I hadn't noticed, an' I grabbed him by ther hind legs jest as he wuz leapin'. I wuz goin' to stuff him in ther hole when er flock of quail flew up on ther other side of ther tree. They wuz goin' straightaway, an' ther wuz more 'n 10,000 of 'em. Ther ole muzzie loader wuzn't loaded, an' them quail wuz gettin' away fast. I wanted some of 'em bad, so I jest let go that ole rabbit right in ther middle of 'em, an' ther way he kicked an' clawed as he wuz goin' through ther air wuz a caution. He landed right on top of ther whole bunch, an' when I got over ther seventeen of 'em wuz dead on ther ground—yes, sir, jest seventeen of 'em! An' ther shock had killed ther rabbit too. He wuz all smashed up. I stuck his head in ther hole to stop ther honey 'till I could go home fer sum barrels.

"I hitched up ther ole gray mare to ther sled an' went back. I chopped that ther ole tree down, an' ther wuz honey enough to fill all my barrels. Well, I slung ther deer an' ther fish an' ther rabbit an' ther quail on ther sled an' started home. It wuz some load fer ther ole mare, an' I walked at her head, kinder coixin' her along. I wuzn't payin' any attention to ther load, an', by gum, when we got up to ther house ther wuz that ther load way back in ther middle of ther river. Of course I knowed what wuz ther matter. That ole groundhog harness had got wet an' jest stretched. I wuz kind of hungry, so I jest throwed ther harness over a stump an' went into dinner. When I cum out again ther sun had dried ther harness an' ther load wuz just pullin' up to ther stump. That wuz some hunt. Yer don't get nothin' like that nowadays, I tell ye. Them wuz good old days!

"An', speakin' of ther ole gray mare, she was ther willin'est mare that ever wuz. She'd pull anything yer hitched her to. I tried her, an' she pulled everything. One day I see to myself, 'By gum, I'll give yer er load—yer can't pull, an' I hitched her to er stone boat loaded with all ther bowlders in ther county. She got right down an' pulled an' pulled an' pulled, but ther load didn't budge. I heard er little crack, but fer er minute I didn't suspicion anything, an' before I noticed that ther skin on her face had cracked it wuz too late. I yelled at her to stop, but she wuz so dum mad she kept right on pullin', an' s'help me, before I could stop her she'd pulled herself clean out of her skin! I didn't want to lose that ther mare, an' I got lassy an' did er little skin graftin' fer myself. I had some fresh sheep pelts, an' I sewed them on as fast as I could sew. Well, sir, them pelts took root fine. They grewed on that ther ole mare jest like they'd always been there, an' ther next season I sheared jest 375 pounds of wool off'n her. She wuz er good ole mare, I tell ye, an' every year I got 375 pounds of wool so long as she lived. Yes, sir; it wuz always jest 375 pounds. Yer don't have no such horses nowadays, I tell ye."—Outer's Book.

The Pimpernel.  
The common pimpernel, "poor man's weather glass," has the disadvantage of being a native plant and has been almost completely expelled from our flower gardens in favor of exotics which are rarer, but lack much of being as pretty. The pimpernel is a charming little flower which opens about 8 in the morning and closes late in the afternoon, but has the remarkable peculiarity of indicating a coming shower by shutting up its petals.

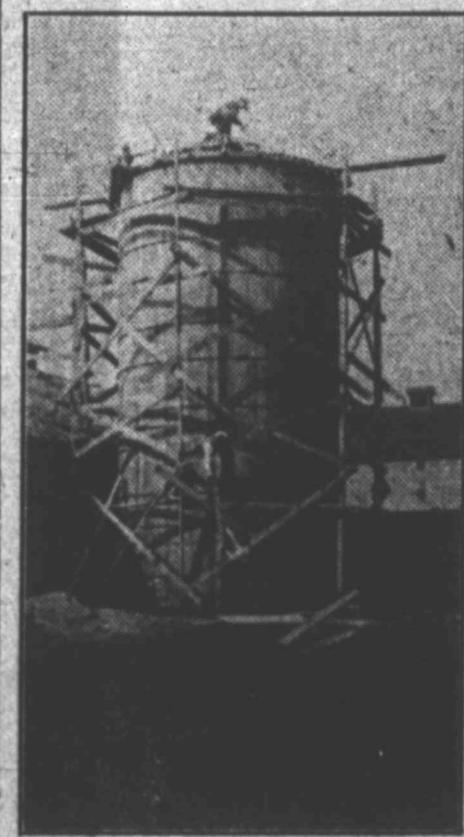
A Deadly Insult.  
"Do you like my new hat?" asked Mrs. Brooks.  
"Yes, indeed," replied Mrs. Lynn.  
"I had one just like it when they were in style."—Lippincott's Magazine.

**VALUE OF SILAGE FOR THE STEERS**

Owing to the high price of roughage more interest is being taken by cattle and sheep feeders in the subject of corn silage than ever before. The silage idea has not enjoyed much popularity in feeding circles despite the fact that it has become the mainstay of the dairyman. The past winter, however, has set feeders thinking, and the fact is dawning on many feeders that silage may extricate them from a dilemma in which the rapid increase in the feed bill when practicing dry feed methods exclusively has placed them.

Every feeder using silage who has marketed cattle or sheep on the market during the past three months has given a good account of it, and they are by no means a corporal's guard, some of them operating on a large scale.

Now comes the Indiana experiment station with more conclusive evidence, that institution having pioneered in this sphere. Recently a professor at that station sold on the Chicago market fifteen short fed cattle that had been fed no other roughage than corn



CONSTRUCTING A SILAGE SILO.

silage, and, to use his own language, "results show that silage is a very economical roughage for fattening beef cattle on the short process." Fourteen of these steers realized \$8 per hundred weight, and a tall order was appraised at \$7.75, pretty good prices for steers fed only 120 days.

The ration was shelled corn, cottonseed meal and corn silage, absolutely no other roughage being used. The initial weight was 1,050 pounds; the final weight 1,351 pounds, making an average daily gain of 2.54 pounds in a season when the burden of complaint among feeders was that gains were far below normal. The feed consumed to the pound of gain was 6.09 pounds of shelled corn, 1.06 of cottonseed meal and 12.67 of corn silage.

This marks completion of but one stage of the experiment, but it disproves the theory that only a limited quantity of silage can be used and that other roughage is essential. There are seventy-five cattle on full feed at the Indiana station now to determine the merit of different combinations of shelled corn, cottonseed meal, corn silage and clover hay.

It may be added that a well known sheep expert of the Illinois experiment station is conducting a series of experiments in mutton making with corn silage and has already reached a conclusion decidedly favorable. To his surprise the heaviest ration of silage used has given most satisfactory results, and even among lambs an expected mortality of at least 1 per cent has not materialized.

**THE FEEDER**

Dry Uncooked Corn Best.  
Cooked corn does not seem to be so good for hogs as that fed dry and uncooked. They do not seem to make as good use of it.

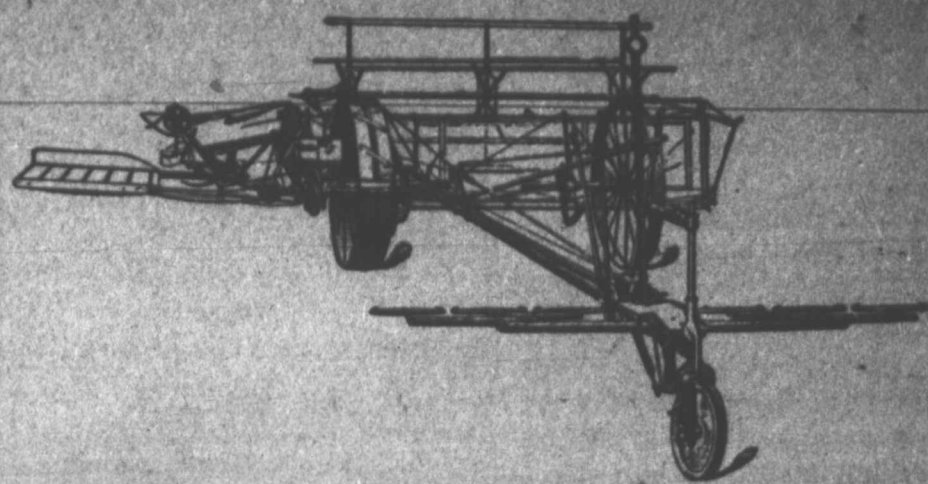
Putting the Flock on Pasture.  
The sheep will begin to get uneasy now for the pastures. Be in no hurry about letting them go. Have a good stand of grass in the field before they are put out for the season.

Keep Horses Away From Barbed Wire.  
Don't pasture horses or other animals on both sides of a wire fence, especially if it has a barbed wire at the top. They are very apt to get to fighting over or through it and get hurt.

Time to Water Horses.  
It does not make much difference whether horses are watered before or after eating. It is largely a matter of habit, and experiments show that one time is about as good as another.

Feeding Pig For Pork.  
The pig that is intended for pork should be fed to the limit of its digesting capacity from the start. To feed the pig just enough so that it may hold its own is wasting all your feed. As a rule, the quicker we can make 100 pounds of pork the less it costs us, and the first 100 pounds cost the least.

Ration For Calves.  
A good ration for calves is cornmeal, three pounds; oats, three pounds; bran, one pound, and linseed meal, one pound. Feed from one-half to three-quarters of a pound of the mixture for every 100 pounds live weight.



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The Transit of Halley's Comet.

The transit of Halley's comet and the expected immersion of the earth in the tail of that historic body have proven once more what may happen to the best-laid plans of mathematicians. The transit undoubtedly occurred, but whether or not the earth really encountered the tail seems to be a matter of considerable doubt. When the night of May 18th came, and scientific world was all agog, the tail was so curved that the passage of the earth through it seemed only remotely possible. On the morning of the 20th a broad band of light that stretched along the horizon for a distance varying from 120 to 160 degrees proclaimed indubitably that the earth was still untouched, and that contrary to expectations, the comet was still in the east. Prof. W. W. Campbell, of the Lick Observatory, saw the comet in the eastern sky. According to him, the tail was at least 140 degrees long and lagged far behind the radius vector. Because of the angle of 18-odd degrees which separates the earth's orbit from that of the comet, the curvature of the tail, to which this extraordinary misadventure may probably be traced, probably

safely be attributed to the influence of the comet. All this labor is now in vain. Similarly it is very unlikely that the instructions sent forth by the United States Hydrographic Office to wireless telegraph operators, charging them to note any curious and unusual effects on their instruments, will prove barren.

The expedition which was sent to the Hawaiian Islands by the Astronomical and Astropysical Society of America for the purpose of observing the transit a preliminary report of complete inability to note any transit whatever. This was more or less expected. In 1882 a transit occurred which was fortunately observed by Mr. Finlay at the Cape of Good Hope. The comet of 1882 was followed by him "continuously right into the boiling of the limb." No sooner had it touched it than it vanished as if destroyed. So sudden was the disappearance, that the comet was at first believed to have passed behind the sun. As a matter of fact, the observers at the Cape had witnessed a genuine transit. The experience of the observers at the Hawaiian Islands with Halley's comet seems to have been exactly similar. On the whole, this apparent failure to observe the creeping

that in several cases tails were twisted or cork-screw shaped, as if they had gone out in a more or less spiral form; that areas of material connected with the tail would become visible at some distance from the head, where apparently no supply had reached it from the nucleus; that several the matter of the tail was accelerated perpendicular to its length; and that at one time the entire tail was thrown forward and violently curved perpendicularly to the radius vector in the general direction of the tail's sweep through space (a peculiarity opposed to the laws of gravitation), it is evident that a comet presents important problems for the future astronomer to solve. It is no wonder that Halley's comet should have disappointed us.

The Rains.

(A Song of the Southwest.)

You've watched the ground hog shadow and the shiftin' weather signs  
Till the northern prairies started itself with floweds;  
You've seen the snow a-meltin' up among the northern pines  
And the mountain creeks a-rainin' with the showers.  
You've blessed the stranger sunlight when the winter days are done  
And the summer creepin' down the budded lanes;  
Did you ever see a springtime in the home range of the sun  
When the desert land is waitin' for the rains?

The June days are sun and sun; the last thin cloud has fled;  
It's gold above the eastern mountain crest,  
Then blaze upon the yellow range all day from overhead.  
And then a stripe of gold along the west.

The dry winds mourns among the hills a-huntin' trees and grass,  
Or down the desert flats it rises higher  
And lifts a-rolling dust storm up and flings it through the pass  
And fills the evenin' west with smotherin' fire.

It's sun and sun without the lazy length of June  
And all the little sun things own the land.  
The horned toad basks and swells himself; the bright swifts dart and play;  
The rattler hunts or drowns in the sand.

But the wind comes off the desert like it brushed a bed of coal;  
The sticky range-grass withers down and falls;  
The cattle bawl and scuffle 'round the dryin' water holes,  
Then stagger off along their stony trails.

The days crawl on to summer suns that slower blaze and wheel;  
The mesas heave and quiver in the noon;  
Though the mocking birds are singin' that it's June.

And here and there among the hills, a-standin' white and tall,  
The droopin' plumes of yucca flowers gleam,  
But the buzzards circle, circle where the starvin' cattle fall  
And the whole hot land is dyin' in a dream.

But at last across the skyline comes a thing that's strange and new—  
A little cloud of saddle blanket size. It blackens 'long the mountains, it bulges up the blue  
And shuts the weary sun glare from our eyes.

Then the lightnin' gash the heavens and the thunder jags the earth,  
And the gray of falling water wraps the plains,  
And across the burnin' ranges down the wind the word is whirled—  
"Here's another year of livin' and the rains!"

You've watched your fat fields smilin' o'er the treasure that they hoard;  
Have you seen a mountain stretch and rub its eyes,  
And bare hills lift their streamin' faces up to praise the Lord,  
Fairly tremblin' with their gladness and surprise?

Have you heard the 'royos singin' and the new breeze hummin' gay  
Where the greenin' ranges shed their dusty stains?  
Just a whole dead world sprung back to life and laughin' in a day!  
Did you ever see the comin' of the rains?

—Charles Badger Clark Jr., in June Pacific Monthly.

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The Saving of Patience Godwin

By KATHLEEN J. M'CURDY

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This is the legend of Patience Godwin as it has been handed down in our family for many generations of her descendants. Patience in the days when witchcraft had its grip on Massachusetts was a young girl. She won the love of Francis Winthrop, who had been attentive to Jane Hartsborne, and Jane for spite accused Patience of being a witch.

A great deal of interest was manifested in the trial, especially because Patience was so well beloved. The evidence brought against her was convincing.

Young Winthrop when his sweetheart had been tried and found guilty said that he could not be present when she was burned, and he would no longer remain in a so called civilized community where such superstitions were rife and such cruelties were practiced. The day before the execution he left the settlement, saying that he would go and live among the Indians. His parting with Patience was distressing in the extreme and would have moved anything but the ironbound consciences of the Puritans.

The next day a stake was set up in a wood near the settlement and fagots laid about it in preparation for the burning, which was set for the hour of sunset. It was October, and there was a mellow haze in the atmosphere. Shortly before the sun went down the great men of the church and their families began to collect at the place of execution. Presently in the distance appeared a little procession, led by the minister, who read from his Bible as he walked such passages as he thought might exorcise the evil spirit that had got into the poor girl. Patience came next, attended by her weeping parents and a few of her intimate friends.

Now, it is not claimed that what I am about to narrate is a matter of history. Detailed accounts of those who perished by the witchcraft insanity have been given in histories of the times, but I admit there is no historical account of this case. It has merely been perpetuated in the family. We must remember that those were a superstitious people, looking always for the marvelous. Yet there is nothing more remarkable in the witch plague than in the story of what happened at Patience Godwin's burning.

The condemned girl bade farewell to her parents, her brothers and sisters and her friends and with a resigned step approached the stake. She was bound, and the executioner was about to apply the torch to the fagots when the setting sun broke through a cloud and flooded the scene with a yellow splendor. A glory from heaven seemed to be poured upon the trees, whose leaves still wore the autumnal colors, the group standing about the stake, and lit the face of the witch, giving a holy glow to her pale features.

And then out of the western sunlight there came a figure dressed in a long white robe, walking slowly. Whether man or woman none could say, for the long hair falling on the shoulders gave the figure a feminine appearance, while a sword pressed by the right hand against a large blood red cross on the breast seemed to indicate manhood. As the visitor drew near the face was seen to be white as marble, and a soft brown beard could be distinguished.

As the man or specter or god, flooded by the yellow light, which every moment took on more effulgence, approached those about the stake knit with bowed heads. Reaching the witch, he said in a voice soft, but distinct:

"Come out, Satan!"  
Then it seemed to those who saw that Patience writhed for a moment, after which her face shone with a holy light. Raising his sword, the apparition cut the rope that bound her; then, taking her hand, led her away in the direction from which he had come.

Some say that the two figures were lost in a snowstorm that suddenly came up from the east, giving a still more wonderful appearance to the western illumination as seen through the falling flakes.

I have examined the records of the weather for the year in question and found mention of a terrible snowstorm that covered Massachusetts to a great depth, falling on verdure that had not yet been blighted.

The legend says that Patience and the stranger were seen walking through this snowstorm in a gradually lessening illumination, darkness finally enveloping them.

Patience never returned to Massachusetts, but after the witch craze had passed she was known to be living in Maryland, the wife of Francis Winthrop. Who the mysterious stranger was has never been definitely settled. In Massachusetts most people believed that it was either the Saviour or St. John. But in the family inheriting the legend it has been supposed that he was none other than Francis Winthrop, who went away immediately before the execution for the purpose of working on the superstitions of the people and thus saving the girl he loved.

It was not long after this that the witchcraft hallucination died out, and the people of Massachusetts wondered what had possessed them. That branch of the Godwin family to which Patience belonged naturally found a more congenial social atmosphere in the south than among the colder blooded Puritans.

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VIEW OF HALLEY'S COMET IN 1810 AND 1835 AND TWO OTHER CELESTIAL WONDERS.

prevented the earth from coming in contact with it.

All the scientific expeditions which have been sent out to various parts of the earth will probably come back with nothing to report. Some of these scientific parties must have proceeded to their destinations at considerable expense. Thus Prof. Birkeland, of the University of Christiania, went to Kaafjord in the northern part of Norway, for the purpose of noting whatever electrical and magnetic effects might be attributed to the comet's tail, and particularly to observe the relation of the aurora borealis to the comet. He has his own theory that the practices of a comet's tail are so highly electrified that they may, in some way, affect the aurora borealis. The failure of his expedition, which it is almost safe to assert, still that theory unproved.

Similarly uncessful must be all the elaborate preparations made by meteorologists, navigators and physicists. The more important meteorological stations of the world sent up sounding balloons at frequent intervals on the 18th and 19th of May, for the express purpose of bringing down from the upper strata of the atmosphere some record of usual happenings which might

of a black speck across the face of the sun may be deemed a confirmation of our present theories that the bulk of a comet is much too flimsy to be detected in the blinding glare of our central luminary.

Although the passage of the earth through the tail of Halley's comet turned out to be an extraordinary disappointment, it is unfair to charge our mathematical astronomers with incompetence. A comet's tail is so capricious, so fluctuating a structure; it changes with startling rapidity, that the predictions of any astronomer with regard to its behavior must always be stated with some reserve.

The tail of Halley's comet has conducted itself in a most whimsical manner. In the middle of February, it was some fifteen million miles long. In April it seemed to have vanished entirely. Then it grew again, until finally it attained a length that has been variously placed at twenty to forty million miles. It seems to have split longitudinally into three more or less well defined parts. When we consider that Morehouse's comet of 1908 exhibited some extraordinary changes; that it repeatedly formed tails which were discarded to drift out bodily into space, until they finally melted away;

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### Wayside Items.

Rev. Burgess preached at Beulah Sunday.

Mrs. M. B. Wilson and little son, Eugene, left Saturday for Amarillo where they took the train for New Port to visit relatives.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wesley Jr., on June 4, a fine boy.

The high winds that came the 1st and 2nd days of June did not do much damage to small grain crops.

The pie supper at Beulah Saturday night was a success, and much enjoyed by all present. The pies were sold at auction. Mr. Wilbur McCrosy acting as auctioneer. Not a pie sold for less than 50c. Walter Helms won the premium pie for buying the highest priced pie which was \$1.60. So you see it pays to have pie suppers with a premium pie.

A crowd of Beulah youngsters spent a pleasant day Sunday in the canyon, eating dinner at the J A ranch. W. I. Lane and wife chaperoned the crowd. The J A ranch is not a strange place to Mr. Lane. **TEDDIE**

### Cata News.

A light rain fell here Monday with some hail but not enough to damage growing crops.

Wednesday and Thursday of this week were the hottest days that we have had this year. The thermometer registered 95 degrees in the shade.

Mark Wesley was a Canyon visitor this week.

The pie and ponnd supper at at J. H. Hollabough's, Saturday night was well attended by both old and young. All report a nice time.

O. M. Dalton and family visit

ed R. L. Wesley and family Sunday.

W. B. Walters and family spent Sunday with P. C. Buckner's family.

Leah and Paul Lawson visited at F. Lchaeffe Sunday.

### TASSIE

### Pleasantview Items.

It is much cooler this morning which is gladly accepted for the weather for the past week has been warm. A good rain would be appreciated and would help out the growing wheat and oat crops. Wheat is beginning to turn just a little.

We were visited by a lightening rod agent lately. We did not turn the bull-dog loose but we might have done so.

We heard that a thermometer was accidentally dropped in a delivery wagon in Canyon Wednesday and it ran up to top. No telling where it might have gone if it had been left out all the afternoon.

Mitt and Tom Slack and mother and Ed Gibson have invested in a header and will help to harvest the wheat and oat crops by beginning with Mr. Schnelle's crop.

Ruth Schramm, Mable Wakefield and Ethell Crowley are taking examinations this week under Prof. J. H. Crowley preparatory to going to either the High School or Normal at Canyon City. **BOOSTER**

### Southwest Neighborly Notes.

More rain is needed now in our locality as the high wind was very strong on wheat and oats which is heading now.

The Hutson school closed last Friday and our teacher, Miss Ida Harris, has returned to her home in New Mexico.

Miss Annr Fletcher of Canyon spent a few days with her parents, Ma. and Mrs. Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Burtz were Canyon visitors Tuesday.

Fred Salzman visited home folks Sunday.

Clyde McElroy and wife were Canyon callers Tuesday.

Mr. Fletcher and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Saltzman.

Selma and Selda Kaiser were visiting friends of this vicinity last week and bidding them good bye, as they expect to return to Illinois with their parents sometime soon.

### A NEIGHBOR

### Pleasantview Items

(Delayed from last week.)

Hot weather prevails at this writing and a good rain would be greatly appreciated and beneficial to corn, wheat and other crops.

Still the inquiry for seed is being made. So many have to plant over and some are not through the first planting yet. Some say the seed is not extra good.

We suppose the picnic at the Six-mile crossing east of Canyon was well attended last Monday. Free ice cream and lemonade was served on the grounds.

We did not know that Frank Crowley smoked but the report is that he strangled a coyote the other day with smoke.

The Independents failed to show up last Sunday at 11 o'clock and we wonder what was the trouble.

W. H. Younger preached again at Pleasantview last Sunday.

Mr. Ballard has a man sowing millet on his farm out this way. This district No. 2 has 33 scholars are over 7 and under 17 years of age. **BOOSTER**

### Pleasantview News.

The Pleasantview farmers are planning a way to convey their prizes home from the fair this fall. Just watch their farm and garden products make a clean sweep of the prizes especially on onions.

A number of the local fans met at the school house Saturday afternoon and organized a base ball club. From the showing made that day, we have the material for the best amateur team in the Panhandle or out of it. If any other team doubts this assertion, challenge them and see L. C. Crowley, Manager, P. O., Canyon.

It will soon be the birthday of the greatest nation on earth and every patriotic citizen of Randall County ought to attend the celebration which we understand is under preparation near Canyon. **BUSTER**

### Notice - Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Randall: By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Randall County, on 30th day of May A. D., 1916, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of J. M. Burkhalter versus W. H. Newberry, No. 466, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in July A. D., 1916, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Randall County, in the town of Canyon the following described property, to-wit:

All the West one-half of Section No. 102, Block M. 9, John E. Gibson Land in Randall County, Texas, levied on as the property of W. H. Newberry to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$3488.06 in favor of J. M. Burkhalter and costs of suit. Given under my hand, this 8th day of June A. D. 1916.

R. H. SANFORD, Sheriff.

Send your friend a high grade and stylish photo of yourself.

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### Have You Been to the Show?

If not you have missed one of the best shows of the season. Whittaker's Tent Theatre Co. have been here all the week and to say that the plays they have put on are good is only saying it mildly, for they are something fine. Tonight they will play St. Elmo, their feature play, and, to those who saw the St. Elmo here a few months ago, the writer will say that this play is an entirely different version from the one that was here before. Saturday night they will put on a three act comedy entitled, "Whose Baby are You?" If you don't know go to the show tomorrow night and find out.

### United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The U. D. C. met in called meeting on Thursday, 2nd inst., at the home of Mrs. John Rusk. After being called to order by the president, various business was discussed and letters were read from veterans acknowledging the receipt of Crosses of Honor and their appreciation of the daughters in their behalf.

Plans for the Reunion were made and a committee consisting of Mrs. John Rusk, Mrs. I. Jenkins, Mrs. L. E. Cowling and Mrs. W. F. Heller was appointed to confer and assist the Reunion Committee in the arrangements of the entertainment of the Veterans.

Miss Cummie Redfearn was appointed to make the address of welcome on behalf of the Daughters.

Mesdames John Knight, W. D. Scott and Sterling Coffee were appointed to prepare a literary and musical program for the first evening of the Reunion.

The society adjourned to meet with Mrs. John Knight on the last Thursday in June at 3 p. m. **SUSAN R. HELLER, Pres.**

### Prohibition Party Mass Meeting.

A Prohibition Party mass meeting is called for Saturday, June 18th, 2 p. m. at the court house. By order of the COMMITTEE.

### A Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many sympathizing friends and neighbors for their numerous acts of kindness, and for their aid and sympathy in our great trial during our late bereavement at the loss of our dear husband and father. We assure all that we fully appreciate greatly what was done for us.

Mrs. J. D. Knicely and Family.

### 30 Local Fans Left on Clovis Special.

Some excitement was displayed on the streets last Saturday by the local fans, the event being the announcement of a special train service to take the Amarillo "Bob Cats" to Clovis and see the honors divided with the "White Sox" Sunday at Clovis. When the train reached Canyon City about thirty local fans were passengers from this place. The train left here on time and a jolly crowd was in attendance.

The Amarillo car was well decorated with base ball emblems, a large banner on each side of the coach and all kinds of emblematic base ball paraphernalia on the inside of the coaches. The annex consisted of tags, magazines and local band, besides the rooters. The game resulted in a good dressing up of the Bob Cats in the last end of the game.

Chas. Plan of Wheaton, Ill., dropped into Canyon to pay his respects to his old friend and neighbor, E. S. Fairbank, on Monday of this week, expecting to remain only a short time. He has been spending the winter on the Pacific coast.