

HOME GUARD DOING EXCELLENT DRILLING

DRILLS WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY OF EACH WEEK.

Nearly one hundred men and boys responded Friday evening to the first call for the formation of the Canyon Home Guard. The drill was carried on for half an hour in company unit, and then the company was divided in squads and placed in charge of experienced men for the purpose of giving closer attention to the details of the various movements.

The drill was highly successful and the men and boys greatly pleased at the first performance.

Word was not well spread that the drill would continue on Monday evening at 6:30, so that the response was not so great when the company was formed Monday evening. However, there were over forty out. The entire evening was spent at company movements, and a remarkable improvement was shown in the way the men handled themselves. It clearly showed that in the interval between Friday and Monday the men had been thinking about drill and were highly interested in seeing that their movements were correct.

Monday evening it was voted that the Guard would meet every Monday Wednesday and Friday evenings at six thirty o'clock. All men and boys are urged to be on time so that the drill may be closed promptly at seven-thirty.

It is expected that the election of officers will take place during the next week and those who wish to drill regularly should be in line in order to get a vote.

Don't be a slacker—come out to drill. It will do you good, and it may become highly useful one of these days.

A regrettable feature of the drill have been that so few of the younger men who are liable for military service have so far failed to come into the company.

Let all be in line Friday evening, and then every drill time following this week.

The following is written by one of the men who has drilled each time and who is greatly interested in the welfare of the Canyon Home Guard:

Says One of Them.

Editor News:
At the appointed time Friday evening a number of citizens met at the east side of the court house for the purpose of forming a Home Guard company. General Warwick of the Randall County News gave the signal and the bugler Jess Pipkin bugled the bugle and the clarion notes came loud and clear, but don't ask me what it was he blew. It might have been "Taps" or "Lights out", but it didn't sound like a "Retreat". The bugle call brought others and a living line of citizens was formed from the courthouse lawn almost to the sidewalk on east side of the square. Some general instructions were given and then, the company was commanded to left face and then march, but nobody marched. The command was repeated several times and we thought the commander was trying to tell us what month it was and was saying March for April. We thought soldiers only marched side by side straight ahead and not right behind each other in single file like Indians, but after awhile we found it could be done.

The company was then divided into squads and each squad had a drill sergeant, some young men who had trained before kindly took charge. Soon the street was pretty well filled with marching men and had a military appearance. L. G. Conner was marching in the ranks with as much pep as though he had staked off the town for military purposes instead of for a town of peaceful citizens and the center of education for Western Texas.

People in autos driving suddenly in sight of this unusual scene stared till you could almost knock their eyes off with a stick as Uncle John would say. Soon several of the small boys got to marching along side and then they got a short string of them I heard them say, "Some of you boys go over there and be the enemy," and the reply came back, "aw nothing doing, you be the enemy, we are going to be the United States." That seemed to be the spirit of the men as well as the boys.

Certainly, Preparedness just at

this time means Loyalty—Loyalty to Nation, State, Town and Home; and if there is a man in town who has decided to be a "Slacker" I don't know where he lives. More honor to the man who makes the greatest sacrifice to join the Home Guard. The man who works hard during the day and is tired, and then comes out to drill is a hero already.

Many got down too late to get in the first drill practice but don't stay out on that account, fall in line men, fall in line and "do your bit." Your friends will be proud of you if you do.

The hardest part of the drill was to go in a northeastward angle from a straight line to get around some obstacle in our line of march. Many interested spectators were on the sidewalks and in autos. Sitting on the window sill of the telephone exchange was a young lady and I saw her smiling and thought she was smiling at me, and I wanted to tip my hat to let her know that I had caught the smile alright, but you know a soldier on duty is too busy to flirt with pretty girls.

Next time we drill I want to find out what Hep, Hep, Hep, means. When the final command of "halt" was given then "tenshun" the company clicked their heels together and with one foot pointing toward Hereford and the other toward Plainview, body erect, hands by side, head up, eyes looking straight forward, we felt that most likely we would never fire a gun at the enemy, still if in the course of human events our army is fighting big battles somewhere and have all they can do to hold the fort, and if Mexico proceeds to annex Texas, don't we want to be right there to see how she does it?

A Member of the Home Guard.

CAR PARADE AND AUTO SHOW SOON

At a called meeting of the Canyon Business Men's Association at the News office Thursday evening, it was decided to have a big decorated auto parade in Canyon on the coming Trades Day, May 14. This will be in the morning, before the commencement exercises of the Normal. Every car in Canyon is expected to be decorated with the national colors and to be in the parade. W. D. Morrel has charge of the parade.

In the afternoon automobile dealers will be given an opportunity to display and demonstrate their cars. Every dealer in the Panhandle is urged to come and show his car.

The big free auction will be a regular feature for the day.

C. W. Warwick has elected to have charge of the auto show. A committee was appointed of Dr. F. M. Wilson, D. A. Park and F. P. Luke to frame resolutions regarding the posting of the warning to the Mexicans a week ago.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH BEGINS

Number of Delegates Expected to Arrive in the City Today for Meeting.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Baptist church will begin at the local church tonight and will continue until Sunday evening, when the services will close.

The local church is making arrangements to care for a large number of delegates.

The program is highly interesting. The program of the Missionary Workers will be held Friday afternoon

Chautauqua July 17.

The White & Myers Chautauqua System has notified the local committee that the chautauqua in Canyon this year will be on July 17, continuing for five days. There will be ten big programs. The season tickets are \$2.00, childrens tickets selling at \$1. C. W. Warwick was elected secretary of the local committee.

Mrs. C. M. Thomas left Saturday for Wichita Falls to take a post graduate course in embalming and undertaking.

HOLSTEIN CATTLE ARRIVE MONDAY

M. A. Bingaman arrived Monday from the north with the shipment of Holstein cattle which he was sent to buy for the Randall county Dairymen's association.

The cattle were divided by allotment and taken out by the farmers Monday afternoon. Those who bought the cattle were highly pleased with the shipment and are highly enthusiastic over the prospects of a thriving dairy business in the county this year.

Under the terms of the agreement the cows will be bred to only registered bulls. All of the heifer calves male calves will be disposed of. This is for the purpose of building up the herds of the county, so that in five years there will be a large number of pure bred Holsteins in Randall county.

All of the cows are four years old or under. The bulls bought are all registered. A few registered heifers were bought by the Randall county farmers.

It is expected that this is only the beginning of the Holstein business in Randall county.

SUPT. JOHNSON VISITS HERE LOOKING AFTER SCHOOL

Supterintendent-elect M. B. Johnson was here Saturday from Slaton looking after the interests of the school for the coming year. He met with the board Saturday night and Saturday afternoon discussed the work of the school with the teachers.

Miss McMillon was re-elected as primary teacher Saturday evening.

Miss Vina Johnson, daughter of Prof. Johnson was elected to a position in the grades.

P. H. Young was elected as tax assessor and collector.

Mr. Johnson was well pleased with the prospects for a good year's work during the coming school year.

Principal Ernest Archambeau is not an applicant for re-election for the coming year as he expects to be in school. His place has not been filled, and this is the only place on the faculty which has been filled for the coming year.

COME TO CANYON TRADES DAY

DISTRICT MEET IS VERY SUCCESSFUL

AMARILLO WINS TRACK AND FIELD MEET.

Hereford Strong Team—Contests All Full of Interest—All Attendance From Several Schools.

The Interscholastic Meet held in Canyon Friday and Saturday was very largely attended from the schools of the district and the contestants sent this year were excellent. In all departments and features of the meet the work of the pupils was interesting. Amarillo won the track meet by a score of 54 points; Hereford second with 42 points; Hedley getting the third place with 9 points; Hartley won fourth place with 4 points and Ochiltree fifth with 3 points. Alhambra, Claude and Hartley each won 2 points.

For individual honors Jackson of Amarillo won 17 points; Stegall of Hereford 16; Hare of Amarillo 13 and Wilson of Hereford 11.

The following was a result of the events:

100 dash—Jackson of Amarillo 1st; Stegall of Hereford 2nd; Ellis of Amarillo 3rd; Russell of Panhandle 4th. Time 10 3.5 seconds.

1 mile run—Hare of Amarillo 1st; Rodgers of Amarillo 2nd; Bowe of Hereford 3rd; Corbin of Claude 4th. Time 5 minutes 27 seconds.

Pole vault—Whittington of Hedley 1st; Boardman and Stambaugh, both of Hereford tied for second place; Bowe of Hereford 4th. Height, 9 feet.

440 yard run—Elms of Amarillo 1st; Hare of Amarillo 2nd; Wiseman of Hartley 3rd; Duree of Hereford 4th. Time 1 minute 2.5 seconds.

Running broad jump—Jackson of Amarillo 1st; Wilson of Hereford 2nd; Stegall of Hereford 3rd; Russell of Panhandle 4th. Distance 20 feet 1.2 inches.

220 yard dash—Jackson of Amarillo 1st; Stegall of Hereford 2nd; Terry of Alhambra 3rd; Smally of Claude 4th. Time 22 2.5.

880 yard run—Hare of Amarillo 1st

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NORMAL CLOSSES BASEBALL SEASON

Has Good Chance at Winning Panhandle Championship—Clarendon for 4 Games.

If the Normal wins a majority of its series against Clarendon College, the school will have won the undisputed championship of the Panhandle for this season.

Clarendon is coming to Canyon on Friday and Saturday for two games. The Normal then goes to Clarendon Monday for a game Monday and one on Tuesday. This series will close the season for the Normal.

Last week the Normal defeated Amarillo by a score of 6 to 3.

In the games with Wayland, the Normal lost the first by a score of 12 to 13 and won the second by a score of 2 to 3.

W. E. GROENDYCKE DIED SUNDAY IN CALIFORNIA

Formerly Was a Resident of Canyon and Well Known Automobile Dealer.

Word was received Tuesday from California that W. E. Groendycke had died in Los Angeles, where he had gone in search of health during the month of December. Mr. Groendycke was well known in Canyon, having made this town his home for a number of years while employed by C. O. Keiser and later as agency for the Ford car.

A few years ago he removed to Amarillo where he has been very successful in the automobile line, handling various different makes.

The people of Canyon are deeply grieved to hear of Mr. Groendycke's death, and extend to Mrs. Groendycke and the two children their heartfelt sympathy.

The body came through Canyon yesterday on the way to Iowa, where the funeral services will be held at the old family home.

SANTA FE SETTLES CLAIM IN DELAYED SHIPMENT

The Santa Fe has settled the claim of Randall county for the delayed shipment of exhibit products to the Dallas Fair last fall, sending C. R. McAfee a check this week for \$100, the amount claimed.

As will be remembered, the shipment was sent in a round-about way after instructions had been made to change at Sweetwater, thus causing the shipment to reach Dallas until after the state contest was decided. This county won fifth place in the contest, without much of the good exhibit, and just failed in winning a cash prize of \$100. After the shipment arrived, Randall county won the cup offered for the best exhibit from the Panhandle, beating several counties which had won in the state contest.

CITY WATER PUMPING WILL BE DONE BY THE CANYON POWER CO

At a meeting of the city council last week an agreement was reached between the council and the Canyon Power Company for a test run to be made at the city wells in which the power company will pump the city water for 90 days to see what the expense of electrical pumping will be compared with the present gasoline engines.

Under the terms of the agreement the light plant will furnish the motors to the city at the rate of 12 cents per thousand gallons. The test shall last for ninety days. All of the machinery now in the water plant will be held in readiness for instant use in case of emergency.

The city water committee have been working on the problem of cost

NEW SWITCH BOARD FOR THE TELEPHONE

IMPROVEMENT WILL BE MADE VERY SOON

Larger Board and Better Service for Canyon Promised by the Southwestern Tel. & Tel. Co.

Manager Guy Conner of the local telephone company has received a requisition from headquarters for a new switchboard for the local exchange.

The managers of the local exchange have long felt the need of a new board and have experienced much trouble in giving proper service on account of the cramped conditions of the old exchange.

Mr. Conner does not know when to expect the new board, but it will be installed as soon as practical after its arrival in the city.

BUSINESS MEN NAME COMMITTEES FOR NEW WORK

At a meeting of the directors of the Canyon Business Men's Association Friday afternoon the following committees were named to serve for the coming year:

Finance—The board of directors, composed of T. C. Thompson, W. D. Morrel, J. M. Redfearn, S. B. Orton, Grady Holland and C. W. Warwick.

Credits—Grady Holland, Oscar Gamble, J. W. Reid, E. H. Powell.

Publicity—C. W. Warwick, R. L. Morquis, C. R. McAfee.

Entertainment—W. D. Morrel, J. M. Vetsak, J. M. Redfearn.

Community interest—T. C. Thompson, F. M. Wilsof, C. O. Keiser.

Legislation—S. B. Orton, D. A. Park, C. D. Lester.

Trade extension—J. M. Redfearn, J. D. Gamble, C. R. Burrow.

Boys to Navy.

George Ingham and Ralph Harter successfully passed the examination to the navy in Dallas Monday and will go from there to one of the training camps within a short time.

Ben Winkelman and Virgil Brown went to Dallas Monday, but both failed to pass the physical examinations.

A. B. Sharp of the Normal passed the examinations in Dallas Tuesday.

New Cars Registered.

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Canyon Motor Company, Ford.
J. D. Turpin, Ford
S. N. Roles, Ford

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Financial Cooperation

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The flight of time must bring to the thoughtful man a realization of the fact that his best earning years can not go on forever. It impresses him with the necessity of so planning his course that when the time comes for him to lay down the active work of his life, provision shall have been made by him for his comfort and for rightfully dependent upon him. Sow little, read little—Franklin.

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THE FOOD SITUATION

(From Southwest Plainsman)

Every mail that comes to the Plainsman office brings the cry, "Raise more food stuff." It comes from the Department of Agriculture, both state and federal; it comes from the various agricultural societies; it comes from the county agents; it comes from bankers organizations; in fact, a concerted effort is being made to arouse the whole American people to a realization that there is an absolute shortage of food in the world and unless we wish to go hungry, we must produce more.

It is not alone to the farmers that the appeal is made. It is made to people in every walk in life. Everyone is urged to, at least plant a garden and raise vegetables for home use, thus leaving on the market the amount that would be consumed in that home for the people in the cities who have no ground to cultivate. The small towns can help immeasurably in this work for nearly every home has enough space for a garden and the outdoor exercise would be as good for the muscles of the inmates as the fresh vegetables would be for their stomachs. As County Agent Benton points out in an article on the first page, there are enough idle men and boys in every town to cultivate the vacant lots in the town—and it should be done.

There is also another class who could very profitably be set to work raising garden truck and that is the men and boys, women and girls who find it necessary to play tennis and golf in order to get outdoor exercise, the same energy that is required for these games in hoeing potatoes or cultivating corn would produce a profitable crop and furnish the field for the use of these energies, if there was no other.

Among things to be considered is the harvest time. While the farmer is being urged to put in every available acre, he has no assurance that he will not be held up at harvest time by the extortionate demands of I. W. W.'s or compelled to see his crops go to waste for lack of help to harvest them. It is safe to say that there will be plenty of help in the country but will rally to the farmer's aid? That is a matter that should receive attention along with the urgent request to increase the production. For years it has been increasingly difficult for farmers to get help and for that reason many fields have been converted in to pastures and meadows. There is no doubt that the American farmer will do his share toward averting a world-wide famine but he will have to have help. There will need to be as many or more men and boys enlist in the "agricultural crops" as in the army and navy if we are to increase crop production and not have waste at harvest time.

Fox Farming

Silver foxes a few years ago brought as high as \$15,000 a pair in the open market. The enormous prices obtained at that time were due largely to speculative operations, according to a new publication of the United States Department of Agriculture, and ranch-bred silver foxes have recently been advertised for sale for \$500 to \$1,000 a pair. With comparatively large number of silver foxes in domestication with a clearer understanding of their successful management, and with a return of moderate prices for breeders a steady, healthy, and general development of silver fox farming is predicted. How and where fox farming may be undertaken with the promise of any degree of success is fully discussed in the publication mentioned, Farmers' Bulletin 795, "The Domesti-

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ated Silver Fox," which may be had on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Water For The Hens

Few people realize the importance of plenty of clean, fresh water for the hens. It is not often that the chickens go all day without something to eat, but it is a fact that many flocks are woefully neglected when it comes to water—clean water.

To emphasize the need of water, consider the amount of water in an egg. Sixty-five per cent of the whole egg is water. In every dozen eggs gathered there is about sixteen ounces of water. In a recent experiment it was found that a six-pound hen consumed about five ounces of water in a day.

Aside from the real necessity of water for egg production, the body of the hen needs water. Approximately sixty to sixty-five per cent of the body weight of the hen is water. Experimentally it has been determined that when a hen loses ten per cent of her body weight from thirst she can not survive. However, the hen will lose all of the fat and nearly fifty per cent of the protein before death occurs from starvation. This indicates that for body maintenance as well as for egg production, water is one of the most important adjuncts to successful poultry keeping.

If the fact is remembered that each dozen eggs sold at forty cents means that the water in those eggs is sold for twenty-five cents per pound it may be an incentive to give the hens all the clear, fresh water they need. It should be made a rule to keep available at least one quart of water for every three hens every day.

R. B. Thompson, Poultryman, New Mexico Experiment Station.

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"The Panhandle Kid"

(Washington Correspondence Louisville Courier-Journal)

If progress hadn't wiped some of the big cattle ranches off the face of the landscape in Texas, Marvin Jones of Amarillo, new member from Thirteenth Texas district, might have taken his seat astride a bucking bronco on Monday instead of one in the house of representatives.

Time was, not long ago, when one could, by consulting the brands on ponies around the courthouse, or places for the quenching of thirst, tell just who was in Amarillo, at any given time. But five-figured automobile numbers and jagged sky-lines have replaced the big cattle ranches, and Mr. Jones is a member of the house instead of being a saddle squire of evolution.

Mr. Jones went to the Texas Panhandle as a youth. He had an ambition to become a cowpuncher. But the cattle empire was dying and people were beginning to talk about blue-blooded kind for dairying. It was no place for an ambitious young cowboy, and after passing a short time in a dugout—which wasn't anything like the dancing duoguts of New York—Mr. Jones gave up the life of a cowboy and went to Texas State university, where he was graduated in law.

Then he opened an office in Amarillo and built up a lucrative practice. Last year he entered the race for representative against John M. Stephens. Mr. Stephens had been in congress for twenty years.

The strongest men in the district had entered the list against Mr. Stephens, but he continued to come back. It wasn't a hopeful prospect that faced Mr. Jones.

The Thirteenth Texas district has forty-eight counties. Because legislatures since the 1910 census have failed to redistrict the state the Thirteenth has more than 400,000 people in it, enough for two districts. In an automobile of well known virtue Mr. Jones went over his territory, which is larger than most New England states—not once but many times.

Mr. Jones got acquainted with the voters at picnics, camp meetings and every accessible place in rural districts. He learned the first name of the city and town voters.

He made as high as a half dozen speeches a day, and won the Democratic nomination, sweeping almost every county. In the general election he beat his Republican opponent by a majority of 11 to 1.


The new member from Texas is regarded as an excellent speaker. He is unmarried and he is 34 years old. In his speeches last year he advocated preparedness, both while seeking the nomination and while speaking for the national ticket in states of the South-west.

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What Good Roads Save the Farmer

Improvement of roads in eight selected counties in different sections of the United States resulted, in the aggregate, in a total gross annual saving in hauling costs of \$627,409, according to recent economic studies made by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The cost of hauling for the group of counties is lower since the roads were improved, it was found even when charges are made in the comparative computations for interest on bonds and annual maintenance costs.

The eight counties in which the studies were made are Spotsylvania, Dinwiddie, Lee, and Wise counties, Va.; Franklin county, N. Y.; Dallas county Ala.; Lauderdale county, Miss.; and Manatee county Fla. These counties were selected because they had just issued bonds for road improvements when it was decided to make the studies, and it would therefore be possible to cover the road improvements from outset to completion.

The average gross annual saving in hauling costs due to the road improvements in these eight counties was found to be 17.9 cents per ton-mile, while the net saving was found to be 11.6 cents. The investigators point out that an actual cash saving to the amount indicated is not effected, but that this is the indicated saving when the time of workers and use of draft animals and equipment are cash values at the rates prevailing in the several communities.

Half a hundred members of the faculty of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College here have formed a company and are taking military instruction, making a total of 80 men who would be available in case eventualities would demand trained soldiers.

Texas spent \$20,000,000 on good roads last year, according to the annual report, just received here, from D. E. Culp, secretary-treasurer of the Texas Good Roads Association. He figures that with bond issues planned and already authorized, Texas will spend \$350,000 or more on good roads in 1917.

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The Food Crisis
(A. M. Hove)

"The foremost problem of the American people today is to devise practical and effective methods to increase largely the production of bread and meat," says R. J. Parker, General Manager of Western Lines of the Santa Fe Railway with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas.

"We have noted with apprehension the constantly rising prices and have through our agricultural and publicity bureaus and otherwise made very determined efforts to encourage crop production through increased crop areas and better cultural methods.

"The nation as a whole has produced under a full head of steam regarding caution signals of rising prices and the danger signal of \$2.00 wheat and \$15.00 hogs. The emergency brakes are now set and the public finds that a food emergency is confronting the country.

"The thinking men of the country the government, and the press are now giving this food crisis very close attention and seeking a way out. Stress is laid on food waste, the government estimating the loss from careless handling of food, improper cooking, etc., at \$700,000,000.00 annually. As a people we have gloried in the full dinner pail without thought of food saving.

"The United States has vast areas of tillable land that may be placed under cultivation. But to do this the farm labor problem must be met. The threatened strike of train and engine men on American railroads re-

cently alarmed the entire country. Because it was concerted action by organized labor, it claimed general notice.

"Farm labor on the other hand is not organized and therefore the quiet walk-out of farm labor the last few years has escaped serious attention, though this walk-out is one of the main causes of the present food shortage. The real problem, as I see it, is to have farm labor call off the strike and return to the plow. The government is now at work on this problem and will no doubt, find a solution.

"In the meantime the farmers have the inducement of high prices for their products to make especial effort at larger production. It has been well said that 'The security of the nation requires more food and feed.'

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The esteemed Herald suggest that von Hindenburg, in his "masterly retreat," is luring the Allies to Berlin. Perhaps he wishes to compel them to live there and starve as the Germans are doing.—New York Morning Telegraph.

The Russian provisional Government has decided to abolish capital punishment. Probably Nicholas feels a little better now.—Charleston News and Courier.

His Majesty

Writers who praise very justly the crews of those thousands of steam trawlers and drifters which are now auxiliary to the British navy have generally ignored an indispensable part of each vessel's complement, the ship's dog. This neglect may be due to a predisposition of landmen, who are accustomed to look upon the dog as a noble animal; and there is nothing noble about the ship's dog—externally, at all events. Appearances are against him. So far from his being a gentleman, he is, like Launce's dog Crab in the "Two Gentlemen of Verona," outside the pale of canine culture. In short, he is "an unmitigated bounder," and the worst of it is that he knows it and rejoices in it, says a writer in the London Times. "Cheek" is stamped upon his visage. To him there is not so very much difference between a kick and a kind word. Both are in the ordinary day's routine. The kick diverts his attention momentarily to someone else; the kind word increases his presumption beyond human endurance. Nothing in the world would make him order himself lowly and reverently toward his superiors.

Your sailor dog Crab is always a mongrel, partly because seafaring men love plain things and partly because he has strong "inards" and is never sick at sea. When his ship is returning to port he is the first to sight, or rather to sniff the land. He is on the lookout in the bow among the ropes and chains, whose running coils he has learned dexterously to evade. His nostrils dilate joyously at each whiff of stale fish from the quay and he raises aloft in the breeze a tail which in its day has obviously taken many strange craft in tow. His ears are cropped and his face is blotchy. If nature had manifestly intended him to be white the Devil takes a tar brush and puts an appropriate bar sinister across his left eye. On the other hand, if his parents had yearned for a jet-black chip of the old block, by a similar infernal intervention he will have tawny eyebrows, a soiled shirt front, and one white sock. His caricature of a face is what naturalists call "protective," for if you thrash him casually to ease your temper you laugh and pat him instantly because "he's such a rummy little beggar."

Crab never grumbles, and he is seldom out of health. When he is in cheery oakum as a substitute for grass and thus regains an appetite which would flabbergast the Kennel club. He will gnaw a crust that has voyaged half around the world; he will heave in a yard of untearable gristle as if he had a wireglass in his stomach; or, he will crush a dozen or two of the ship's cockroaches as though they were so many cracknels. He seldom sets foot on shore except when he is invited to follow the captain to the blue anchor of an evening. There lying amid sawdust and cuspidors, he grows intermittent approval of his master's opinions. Apart from a display of the rough-and-ready chivalry of the sea when he falls in with some canine belle of the town, he holds no acquaintance with his tribe ashore. His contempt is undisguised for those landlubber whelps who slink round butchers' shops or play the chifforin in refuse heaps. Just now he is beginning to lose his temper with dog shirkers, for he is convinced that he is "doing his bit" on the high seas; and his whiskers have the very salt look of a fellow who has chivied U-boats through the North sea spume. Clearly, by his countenance, he has resolved never to be taken prisoner. Should his ship go down in action he will be found, no doubt with his little cork jacket on, bidding defiance with a dying bark which hasn't got an "h" in it. Crab may be "a rummy little beggar," but he has a true British heart all the same, and, as he would say with his inimitable wink, "Don't you forget it!"

In an Old French City.

Pitts Sanborn, musical critic and war correspondent, has added another to these vocations—that of poet. After two war summers in Bordeaux, he has turned the life of that old city into free verse under a playful title that fairly laughs—"Vie de Bordeaux." The little volume compels attention. Within its artistic covers is to be found comedy and tragedy—pictures of the human spirit drawn with fine irony. For a taste of Mr. Sanborn's skill note the compressions of the poem "Threnos" with its two brief lines reverberant with overtones.

As if to confound those critics who fulminate against free verse, Mr. Sanborn has slyly prefaced his volume with a sonnet—that highest form of unliberated verse, in which Bordeaux of today and of the past is enshrined in imperishable beauty.

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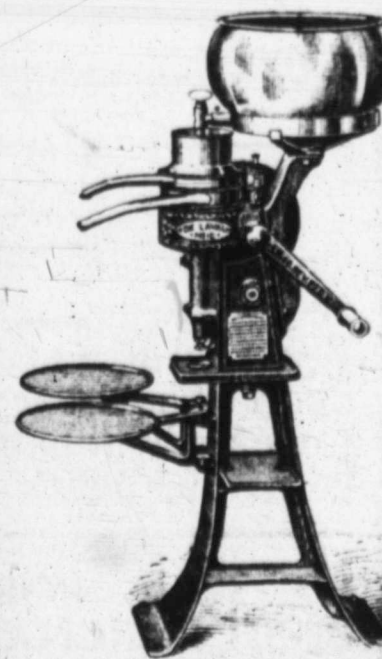
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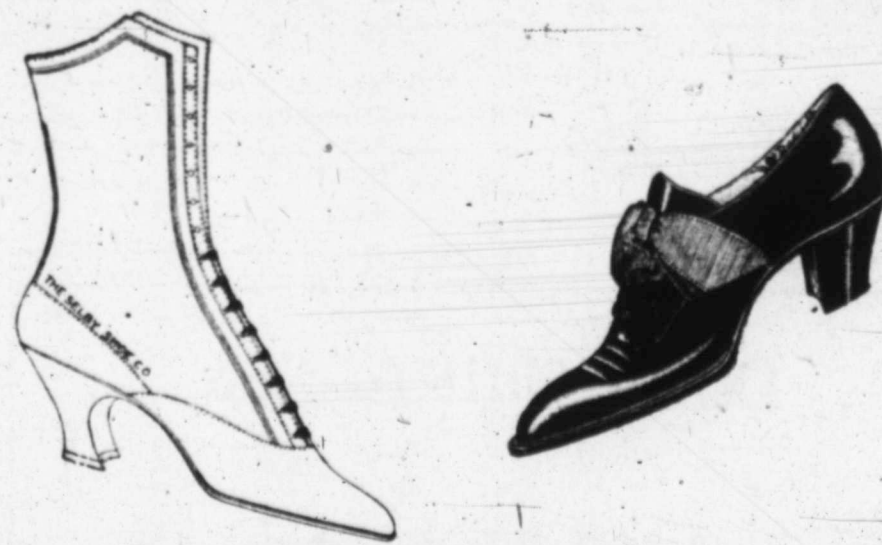
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Millions of dollars are wasted each year in the American homes. To save this is the problem undertaken by the department of agriculture, which believes that the present food supply of this country will not last longer than February 1st. Every state in the union has organized clubs for the purpose of organizing the people into canning clubs, and other means of saving every particle of food raised during this season. According to those in authority this country MUST conserve its food supply if there is not to be a great famine next year.

The movement has gained considerable headway to banish all "made in Germany" goods. Of course, in times like these, most of kind of a stunt will go, but after peace has been declared, people will naturally look for the best goods at the lowest price, and if our manufacturers cannot compete with the foreign manufacturers, "made in Germany" will be as much in evidence as before the war.

National prohibition is coming sooner than was generally expected. The government is now considering forbidding the use of grains to make intoxicants, which are now needed for food. It is the only wise method to follow.

The first shot of the war was fired yesterday when a U. S. armed ship sunk a German submarine. Let the good work go on.

U. S. may have Turkey for Thanksgiving. We are now at war with that country.

Book Club Meeting.

The Book Club met yesterday afternoon with Mesdames Stewart, Lofton and Luke as leaders.

The last program for the spring will be given on May 9 with the following program from "Antony and Cleopatra," act V, scene 2.

Roll call—Favored quotation from the play.

Paper—The delineation of the Enchantress of the Nile.

Discussions—1. The Final Picture. 2. The Roman Empire under Augustus Caesar.

Leaders—The Program Committee consisting of Mesdames Ingham, Warwick, King, Coss and Miss Word.

Thad Lair returned yesterday from San Antonio where he was discharged from Troop B, having served his time. He reports that the soldiers are drilling hard nine hours per day, but beyond that he knows of nothing more being done in that section preparatory for war.

Motherhood

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LOCAL NEWS

The News was mistaken in the delegates to the District federation meeting at Clarendon, as published in last week's paper. The delegates are Mrs. R. B. Cousins and Mrs. C. R. Burrow, with Miss Lola Word and Mrs. E. H. Powell alternates.

Plaine and fancy sewing wanted—live three blocks southeast of the high school building. Mrs. M. J. Temples.

Clayton Gamel failed to pass the physical examination for the army and returned home last week. He is still hopeful of getting into the army before long.

Grandpa Archambeau showed up some of the young sportsmen Tuesday afternoon by killing eight jack rabbits out of eight shots.

J. A. Hamilton arrived Tuesday from Illinois to look after his property in Casler county.

T. C. Thompson has sold his residence in the west part of town to J. E. Walker, who recently moved here from Grandview. Mr. Thompson expects to build a new home within a short time.

Will Word and family were here from Clarendon over Sunday to visit at the parental Judge C. T. Word home.

T. C. Thompson has been attending the meeting of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Dealers Association in Amarillo this week. Mr. Thompson is one of the officials of the association, being a member of the board of directors during the following year.

Paint, glass and wall paper—a full and complete line of each. Prices are right. Call upon S. V. WIRT.

M. S. Lusby is treating his studio to a fresh coat of paint.

Joe Gamble is having his residence painted.

Herman Belles had a couple of bones in his left hand broken Friday while working with a gasoline engine.

Miss Malinda Wiseman of Chicago is visiting with Miss Neva Reynolds this week on her way home from California where she has been visiting.

John T. Holland returned home on Sunday from Mineral Wells where he has been spending several months.

H. S. Ford has been in Plainview a few days this week on account of the serious illness of his father.

Sam Reid has accepted a position with the W. E. Groendycke agency in Amarillo, of which J. R. Cullum is manager, and will move to Amarillo about June 15. He has been on the clerical force of Thompson Hardware for several years. The people of this city regret very much that Mr. and Mrs. Reid will leave but wish them great success in Amarillo.

An eleven pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richards Sunday morning.

A. D. Dooley and mother, Mrs. Mary Woosley, and Frank Brown left Wednesday, overland for Hamilton to see the father of the latter who is said to be very ill.

Miss Dixie W. Harrison, Miss Edna Garrett and Mrs. V. Edna Henson drove to Amarillo Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Chas. McAfee and Wm. Black drove to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. ASecor of Amarillo, is visiting at the parental W. T. Garrett home this week.

Robt. Wagner was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Will Garland left Tuesday to join her husband who is in Oklahoma.

D. G. Layman was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

A. J. Arnold left for Kansas City Saturday on business.

D. A. Park and family went to Amarillo Saturday for a short visit.

Jasper N. Haney was in Amarillo Friday on business.

Mrs. Ethel Black is visiting friends in Amarillo the past week.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Powell, mother of E. H. Powell returned to her home at Clarendon Friday.

Hugh Holland was in Amarillo Friday on business.

W. H. Lewis left Thursday for his claim at Wilson, Colorado.

E. F. King went to Canadian Monday on business.

J. W. Hancock is attending the Federal court in Amarillo this week.

Ross Craig was in Ralph Saturday.

Welton Winn went to Lubbock Monday on business.

Miss Zerah McReynolds returned to her school at Stratford Monday, having been called home by the illness of her father.

T. E. Money is attending Federal court in Amarillo this week.

Charles Leverton and wife of Amarillo visited in Canyon Sunday.

Capt. Howren visited over Sunday in this city.

Ray McReynolds was called home from Amarillo Thursday on account of the illness of his father.

Miss Renna Craig returned home Friday from her school work at Dundee.

Dr. S. L. Ingham was in Amarillo Thursday evening on business.

Mrs. A. C. Haney and sister, Mrs. Huffman left Thursday for St. Johns, Kans. where Mrs. Haney will visit her son for a short while.

Mrs. L. T. Jeffries came down from Amarillo Thursday to visit at the R. G. Oldham home.

Mrs. L. T. King who has been visiting at the J. L. McReynolds home returned to her home at Ft. Worth Friday.

T. C. Thompson went to Amarillo Monday to attend the Panhandle Implement and Hardware Dealer's Association.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star chapter will be held tonight. All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcomed.

Mrs. J. C. Compton of Portales, N. M., was called this week to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. B. T. Johnson who has been very seriously ill for the past week.

The 1915 Needle Club will meet on Wednesday, May 2nd, with Mrs. C. D. Coffee.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Normal will meet in the Auditorium Friday afternoon at 3:30. Election of officers.

Tomato plants for sale—McGee and Chalks Early Jewel. The best early tomato, 1 cent each, 70¢ per hundred. Phone 96.

Rev. D. H. Templeton returned on Saturday from a short visit at Hico and Waxahachie.

G. S. Ballard has bought the Bob Foster section of land three miles west of the city from S. J. Taylor.

S. J. Taylor has bought a half section of land southwest of Umbarger.

Some one borrowed my one horse plow. Please bring it back. G. G. Foster.

One year ago last Saturday the new Normal building was dedicated.

G. S. Ballard has bought the J. A. Harbison home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harbison left this week for Ft. Worth where Mr. Harbison will be associated with the Pierce-Fordyce Co. The people of Canyon greatly regret that it was necessary on account of Mrs. Harbison's health for them to leave Canyon. All trust that they will soon be able to come back to Canyon.

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English womanhood is marching through the munitions-factory to the polling place.—Boston Herald.

This is a good year in which to junk the junkers.—Chicago Daily News.

There is a strong peace movement afoot between Aras and Soissons.—Brooklyn Eagle

Talked on Food Problem.

Miss Rambo lectured yesterday afternoon before the members of the City Federation at the district court room. The attendance was the largest ever held of the women of Canyon.

Miss Rambo stated that the government figures that \$700,000,000 is wasted every year in the American home, and to save this is the mission of the domestic science teachers of this country. The flag in every kitchen is advocated and urged by the government.

The following is written regarding the work to be accomplished:
Workers Wanted.

One thousand Texas girls wanted. One hundred volunteers in West Texas State Normal College. Work of training has already begun.

Mr. Houston, secretary of agriculture of the United States, has called upon Mr. Ousley, Superintendent of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, to secure the volunteer services of one thousand girls in Texas. Mr. Ousley called a meeting of the Domestic Science teachers from the different colleges in Dallas last Saturday. The purpose of the meeting was to make an outline or course of training for the girls who were willing to volunteer their services. They are to take six weeks training in the conservation of foods and substitutes for flour and for meat. Then they are examined and if found qualified, are sent out to teach other women. They may work in their home counties or in other parts of Texas where they are most needed.

The supply of food will have to be increased twenty-five per cent. The men can only increase the yield ten per cent. So it is up to the women to increase the supply fifteen per cent. They can do this by learning how to conserve food, that is, to be saving. They can learn how to can, preserve and pickle all kinds of fruits, vegetables and meats; learn the kinds of substitutes for making bread, and the kinds of foods that have the same or equivalent amount of food value as meats.

Our Country is in war, and the men and boys are responding to the call to go and fight. The women and girls now have an opportunity to render services to their country by responding to this great call. Miss Rambo has organized a training class at the Normal, and many girls have joined. Not only the girls in the Normal should offer their services, every woman and girl in Texas. You may not be able to take the training, in the colleges, but you can plant and raise the food stuffs. Then, those who have had the training will be glad to help you and tell you how to conserve the food that is being raised.

Farmers Institute.

A Farmers' Institute will be held at Plains-Center Saturday, 28, at 3 p. m. The meeting is in response to a call of commissioner Fred. W. Davis, asking the farmers to meet and discuss the problem of increasing the food supply. The citizens of Randall county must not be found slackers. Representatives from both the Normal faculty and the Business Men's Association are invited to be present and address the meeting.

Resp.
W. D. McGEHEE
Secy. Farmers' Institute, Wayside, Tx.

Resolutions.

Canyon, Texas, April 19, 1917. Whereas, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe in his wisdom has called from us our brother, D. M. Waters; Whereas his death fills us with profound sorrow and severs a fraternal relationship which has existed from the time he joined our Order until the hour in which he was called hence, Therefore be it Resolved, that we humbly submit to the will of our Father who does all things well, and be it Resolved, that we extend to the bereaved family our sincere and heart felt sympathy and that we commend them to Him who alone can comfort in this, their hour of sorrow. Therefore be it further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Lodge, a copy be sent to the family and a copy sent to the Texas Odd Fellow.

Signed,
C. M. ACKERMAN,
H. C. ROFFEY,
ROBERT SHERRON,
Committee.

Clean Up at Cemetery.
Next Monday will be clean up day at the Dreamland Cemetery. All of the people are urged to help. Sunday School classes from the Presbyterian church have signified their intention of going out in a body to work.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

S. S. Worker Here.

Mr. Franklin Dunn, Sunday School expert for the Presbytery of Amarillo, is spending the next few days in Canyon. Mr. Dunn has been a life-long student of Sunday School problems, and a distinguished leader in Sunday School work. He began his larger work as an organizer and first president of the noted Men's Bible Class of the Second Presbyterian Church, Dallas, Texas, during the pastorate of the Rev. J. P. Burma, D. D.

Mr. Dunn has recently been commissioned by the Presbyterian Board of Sabbath Work, in session at Philadelphia, Pa., as their field man for the Texas Panhandle.

He will be in conference with the leaders of Presbyterian Sunday School work in Canyon, and will address the Sunday School on Sunday morning, and will probably speak at one or both the Sunday preaching services. This will be a special opportunity, and a large attendance is expected.

Mr. Dunn will devote his entire time to Northwest Texas, working in conjunction with the Committee on Sabbath School Work of the Presbytery of Amarillo. This committee is composed of Prof. R. L. Duffel, of Amarillo, Prof. J. W. Reid and Rev. David H. Templeton, of Canyon.

The entire membership of the Presbyterian Church will find Mr. Dunn's presence of special interest and importance, and a cordial welcome is extended the public to attend the Sunday services.

Holstein Information.

O. I. Smith has letter from a well known Holstein breeder in Nebraska which he would like for any interested person to have. This breeder sent a check for \$13.82 which he had received for 10 gallons of cream as evidence of what his cows are doing.

L. T. Davault and family returned Sunday from Mineral Wells where they have been spending a few weeks.



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Notice of Share-Holders Meeting.
A special meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Canyon, Texas, for the purpose of voting on whether the Capital Stock of said bank will be increased from \$15,000.00 to \$25,000.00 will be held at the office of the bank on Monday, May 15th, 1917, at 8:30 p. m.
W. D. MORRELL, Cashier.

It is evidently going to be the Virgin Islands, instead of the Danish West Indies, hereafter, now that they have passed into the possession of the United States. Another name may, possibly, be found for them in time. The period through which their new owner is passing is one that should supply a fresh batch of names for geographical purposes.

Calling cards printed or engraved at News office.

USES OF VINEGAR

Vinegar and water will destroy nits in children's heads. Vinegar—a teacupful—in a warm bath will stop hiccup. Vinegar, diluted, will keep meat fresh in hot, close weather. Vinegar rubbed on discolored steelwork quickly makes it clean. Vinegar and bran make an excellent poultice for all aches, pains and bruises. Vinegar added to the rinsing water will revive faded red and pink cotton fabrics. Vinegar—a teacupful—in a warm bath will take away any stiffness after exercise, etc. Vinegar, diluted, applied to furniture before polishing, insured a brilliant polish. Vinegar will make a new gas mantle last much longer. Soak five minutes, dry and burn off.

Locating Piping.

Piping, such as is made use of for conducting air, water, steam or hot water, is frequently buried in the wall, with nothing to indicate its presence, so that when repairs are necessary it is often a difficult matter to ascertain the location of these conduits. Very often this is accomplished only by tearing out the plaster and doing considerable damage to the property. A recently patented electric method for locating the pipes is simply a special application of the well-known induction balance principle. A convenient apparatus is made up, consisting of two sets of coils placed on ends of a magnet bar. One set of coils receives alternating or vibratory current from a suitable source, and the other coils are connected to a telephone. The balance is first established so that no sound is heard in the telephone. When the device comes near the metal piping this disturbs the balance and a sound is heard. It is thus an easy matter to find the exact position of the pipes and to reach them with less damage to the wall.

Japanese Industrialism.

This move of the population from the maple-clad hills and ricefields of beautiful Japan to the crowded quarters, low resorts and inhuman factories of the cities is lowering the physical efficiency, the mental horizon and the moral standing of the people. Typherculosis is taking its toll from frenzied industrialism. A prominent Y. M. C. A. worker, Mr. J. Merle Davis, whose study of the social problems of an increasing urban population in Japan has been thorough, says that an expert in factory conditions makes the statement that often one-half of the girls employed in certain mills become deformed within a year after entering the mills. They lose their health soon after, so that the price of a broader commerce and a sun flag in every port is being paid by weak womanhood and hollow-chested men.—The Christian Herald.

Quicklime Aided Wreckers.

The tremendous expansive force of quicklime was lately used effectively in breaking up brick masonry. It was necessary to remove three foundation piers, each 12 by 29 feet in area and 12 feet high, and similar piers supporting working engines on each side prevented blasting. Cutting and breaking up by hand being too slow and expensive, the new method was tried. Vertical holes three inches across and three feet deep were bored three feet apart in both directions, and were filled to within six inches of the top with fresh-slacked lime. The holes over the wet lime being closed with well-tamped brick dust, cracks started in ten minutes, soon breaking the pier tops into three-foot cubes.

Japan Becoming Modern.

The presence of the imperial family and the court in Tokyo makes the city far more conservative than those of the provinces. Automobile owners in Tokyo lag behind the rugged farmers of the Hokkaido in progress, and Tokyo will wait for hours to use streets over which the emperor is to pass. This willingness to suspend business on such occasions is lessening, and officials are making these ceremonies less burdensome than formerly, when whole districts of a modern city were tied up simply because the emperor was returning from his summer palace in Nikko. Osaka is more modern in spirit.—The Christian Herald.

Canadian Fisheries.

The total marketed value of all kinds of fish, fish products and marine animals taken by Canadian fishermen from the sea and inland lakes and rivers during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1916, amounted to \$25,899,798—\$4,596,077 more than in the preceding 12 months and \$2,652,900 more than in 1914.

GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly . . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then . . . it would last . . . two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful. My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three . . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui. I am married now and have 3 children. Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

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Russia

A conglomeration of weird tribes with scant common characteristics and few mutual sympathies: an overgrown minor: the neglected child of Europe: marred by the knot: wearing the unhealed shackle scars of serfdom. Her clock is centuries late. No people so near to civilization know so little progress. Priests and bureaucrats and Czar have retarded the hour of revelation. Boyar profligates have battered upon peasant and merchant: a scheming hierarchy has kept alive mediaeval bigotries and fed racial hates to advantage its own ends. The worst governed and vilest man, aged of all powers—how can we yet hold her to account?

Buffer between the East and the West, she is both European and Asiatic. We do not understand her and she does not understand herself. We may not judge her past by our present—she had no opportunities to conform to decent standards. The light has just broken on the steppes. This is her first chance. Let us be patient while she finds herself.

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County Commissioners' Court of Tarrant county has selected two sites in the city, consisting of one-half a block or more of vacant property which have been designated as market squares and will be used by the farmers who bring produce to the city for sale to the merchants or housewives. This is a part of the campaign of city and county officials by which they will make efforts to combat the high cost of living.

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The entire family is now thinking of the new spring styles and what to buy new clothes for the coming spring. Don't overlook the most important part of your spring shopping—that new furniture you have been wanting.

Our store is filled with the latest of the markets offerings in the furniture line. The dining room should be a cheerful place, for when you eat your meals amid pleasant surroundings you do much to aid digestion. And good digestion means health. The variety of designs in tables, chairs, sideboards, china closets, serving tables and the like, is ample to satisfy your desires, whatever they may be, in the matter of style, finish and price. Come in and talk it all over with us. We are as eager to give satisfaction as you are to receive it.

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Old Ironsides.

Aye, tear her tattered ensign down!
Long has it waved on high,
And many an eye has danced to see
That banner in the sky;
Beneath it rung the battle shout,
And burst the cannon's roar—
The meteor of the ocean air
Shall sweep the clouds no more.

Her deck once red with heroes' blood,
Where knelt the vanquished foe,
When winds were hurrying o'er the
flood,

And waves were white below,
No more shall feel the victor's tread,
Or know the conqueror's knee;
The harpes of the shore shall pluck
The eagle of the sea.

O better that her shattered hulk
Should sink beneath the wave;
Her thunders shook the mighty deep,
And there should be her grave,
Nail to the mast her holy flag,
Set every threadbare sail,
And give her to the god of storms,
The lightning and the gale!

Good Roads Effect Great Saving

The estimate of five billion tons of freight—mostly farm products—annually pass over all the highways of America. The average haul is ten miles at about twenty-three cents per ton mile. On good roads this would not exceed eight cents, affecting a saving of seven and a half billion dollars a year, which is now paid by the consumer. Good roads will reduce the high cost of living.—Advertisement of American National Bank, Richmond Virginia.

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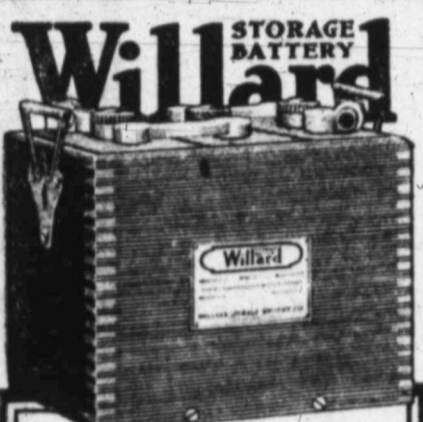
Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes. They interfere with your digestion and lessen your activity. Neglected they soon become that dread disease known as systemic catarrh. Don't neglect them. It's costly as well as dangerous.

PERUNA Will Safeguard You

Have a box of Peruna Tablets with you for the sudden cold or exposure. Tone your system up with a regular course of the liquid Peruna, fortify it against colds, get your digestion up to normal, take care of yourself, and avoid danger. If you are suffering now begin the treatment at once. Give Nature the help she needs to throw off the catarrhal inflammation, and again become well. Peruna has been helping people for 44 years. Thousands of homes rely on it for coughs, cold and indigestion. It's a good tonic for the weak, as well.

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It can't fill itself with pure water.

It can't tell you to find out if the lights are using too much energy and the generator giving back too little.

So it isn't the battery's fault if these precautions are neglected and battery troubles result.

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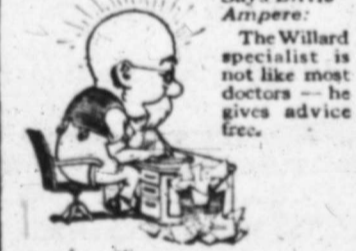
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Notes, mortgages, deeds, and other blanks at the News office.

FEATURED FACTS

Divorce pulls the feathers from the wings of love.

Gold is generally, at a premium when a dentist handles it.

If wishes were automobiles, beggars might kick for airships.

Even the summer girl doesn't trifle with a millionaire's heart.

Some men brag about their wives as if they wanted to sell them.

No, Cordelia, it isn't the proper thing to eat prunes with a pruning knife.

Many a man who wouldn't make a wife of his cook makes a cook of his wife.

Even an amateur organist can play a wedding march that is entirely satisfactory to the female in the case.

Remorse is a good deal like a wooden leg—it helps a man on his way, but he can see where he'd be happier without it.

POINTS FOR POULTRY RAISER

A little salt in the mash food during the winter is an advantage, though not enough should be used to make it taste salty.

All of the kitchen and table waste is good for the fowls, unless it contains a lot of salt, and it may be fed mixed in the mash or merely as scraps, in a trough at mid-day.

A good way to find out what the requirements of well-bred fowls are, is to visit a poultry show and study the exhibits, talk with the exhibitors and question the judge.

Although damaged grain, sweepings, screenings, etc., can be bought for comparatively low prices sometimes, they are not an economical food because they contain so little available food that will nourish the hen and make eggs.

It is the abuse and not the use of corn that condemns it as a poultry food.

The keeping and care of a flock of pure-bred birds is a pleasure, where the keeping and care of a flock of mixed birds is a task.

Do not feed more food of any kind in troughs or in the scratching litter than the fowls will eat up in a reasonable time, because any that remains is likely to spoil and be a detriment to the fowls as well as a waste to the owner.

Average Man's Honesty

A banker who, for the first time in his life, has come into intimate contact with poverty-stricken folk, says: "The average man wants only half a chance to be honest."

This is a thing worth learning, remarks the Toledo Blade. But it did not require visits to the slums to find it out. A little thought would have served as well. The mass of people is constituted of average men. The mass has the power to do whatever it wills to do. It could, if it wished, rise in the night and strip the rich bare, and since it is the mass that represents the majority will, it could, so far as the law is concerned, go unpunished.

But the average man is honest. The mass wants nothing of bloodshed and robbery. Those who possess are safe from those who have nothing. Our banker friend who visited poverty row used his eyes. His remark shows that, for most of his years, he hadn't on this particular subject, used his brains.

Apple Dumplings

Pare and chop one apple for each dumpling. Prepare a crust, consisting of one and one-half cupsful of flour, one large teaspoonful of baking powder, one heaping tablespoonful of butter, and moisten with enough milk to roll out. Cut in squares for each dumpling and fill with the apples. Sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon, wet the edges, pinch together, place in a baking pan, fill with boiling water seasoned with one cupful of sugar and a half cupful of butter. This makes the sauce. Bake until the apples are done.

Hot Corn Salad

Take a can of corn and stew it in a little milk, adding butter, pepper, salt and a dessert spoonful of sugar by way of seasoning. Add a half cupful of flaked boiled codfish and two chopped Spanish peppers. When hot, drain the salad on thin slices of brown bread, lightly spread with anchovy paste. The salad, must be served as quickly as possible so as to retain its heat.

Generous Enjoyment

"Did your husband smoke the cigars you gave him?"
"No. But he enjoyed them just the same when he saw how happy the lovely premium that came with them made me."

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

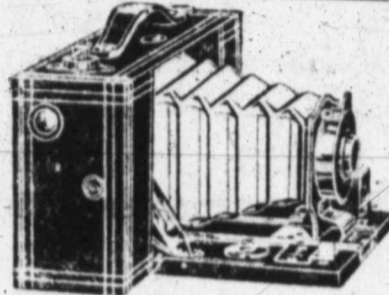
Tells how to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn or callus the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn or callus, root and all, lifts off with the fingers.

Freezone dries the moment it is applied, and simply shrivels the corn or callus without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but will positively rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or hardened callus. If your druggist hasn't any freezone he can get it at any wholesale drug house for you.

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Useful Mary

It was an alluring advertisement, in the first place. The Josslyns could hardly be blamed for going down to look at the house. It is true Mrs. Josslyn said something about the remoteness of the suburb, a circumstance to which she afterwards alluded.

"At all events it will do no harm to see it," said Josslyn.

Mrs. Josslyn agreed to this.

So they called upon the urbane and eloquent Barker. Barker was the agent for the property and resided in Cedarhurst. He took them around to the "ideal-home" and showed them its points. It had points, that was undeniable. It had a few drawbacks, also, but Barker made light of them.

"I like the house," said Mrs. Josslyn, "but it's too large for me to manage alone, and I know we could never get satisfactory help out here."

"My dear madam," said Barker, "you never made a greater mistake in your life. I know myself of a girl whom I think—in fact, I am sure—you can get. I can recommend her personally, because at one time, she worked for Mrs. Barker. A good cook, steady, no young fellows trailing about, strong as a horse, neat as a pin and not a lazy hair in her head. If she's out of a place now I'll send her to you and if she isn't I'll send you another equally as good."

Mrs. Josslyn wavered visibly and Josslyn asked a few questions that looked like business. It ended by their saying they would think the matter over and let Barker know within a few days.

The next evening a young woman, who said she came from Mr. Barker, appeared at the Josslyn flat. She had heard from Mr. Barker that Mrs. Josslyn intended moving to Cedarhurst, and Mr. Barker thought she might get a place with her. She had just left the place she had with Mrs. Duckworth. Mrs. Duckworth was a nice lady, but the children were an objection. She could refer Mrs. Josslyn to Mrs. Duckworth, however, with entire confidence.

She certainly looked as if she could. If ever capability was written on a girl's face, it was written on Mary's face. Mary was her name. She was frankly anxious to get the situation.

"I'll come home early tomorrow and we'll go close the deal," said Josslyn, decidedly. "Think of that girl working for four dollars a week when we're paying six dollars to this thing we've got."

Two weeks later the Josslyns were established in their new home with Mary. And Mary was indeed "a peach," if one is to accept that fruit as a synonym for excellence. She was a domestic treasure. She cooked to perfection and the house fairly shone under her soapy ministrations.

Six weeks of this bliss—and then Mary quit.

Then began the succession of slovenly, incompetent and expensive girls which has continued in the Josslyn family to this day. Mrs. Josslyn says that unless you are millionaires you simply cannot get a good girl to stay in Cedarhurst. But Mary is still working in Cedarhurst.

Mrs. Josslyn called upon the people who had just moved in half a block west of her about a week after her bereavement, and found Mary there. The new neighbor said Mary was a treasure. She really did not know what she would do without her. Mr. Barker, who had rented their house to them, had been kind enough to recommend the girl.

Mrs. Josslyn told her husband about it when he returned home and Josslyn happened to meet Duckworth the same day. He said: "We never asked you about Mary, who worked for you. What sort of a reference did you get with her and how long did she work for you?"

"We had the best of a reference from Barker," grinned Duckworth. "We had the luck to keep her two months, but the renting season was dull just then. She's a daisy, ain't she? But I guess Barker's about the only one who can get her to work steadily. He pays her well, though."

Josslyn is not a revengeful man, but if ever Barker is delivered into his hands—"Well," he says, "you'll see."

Turkish Back Wiper

Take a small bath towel such as can be purchased in a five-and-ten-cent store; fold lengthwise through the middle and crochet the folded ends together or not as one prefers. Make four strands of chain-stitch from each end and join to a white ivory ring. When taken by the rings, over one shoulder and under the other arm its value as a back-wiper is quickly appreciated.

The Modern Schoolmaster

Willis—What kind of a school is your son attending?
Gillis—Very fashionable—one of these institutions where you develop the mind without using it.—Life.

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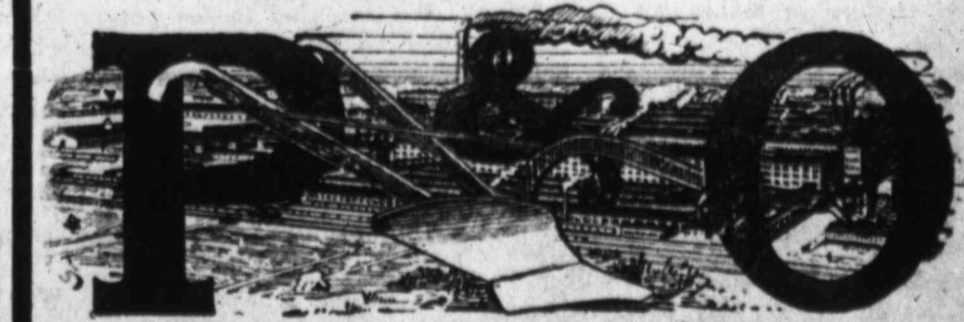
Covers every essential feature for perfect work, ease of adjustment and adaptability of all conditions of soil. The simplest and strongest Two-Row Cultivator made. "It's the way we build them." Frame as strong as a bridge. Axles of improved construction prevents wheel widening in front; make light draft. Fine depth adjustment; each gang controlled independently. Four levers do the work of six on other styles, as the inside levers control the inside gangs independently, and also raise or lower the gangs in pairs. Easy working adjustable foot levers. The wheels can be pivoted alone or in connection with the lateral gang movement. The pressure springs are center hung, insuring proper tension in all conditions of the ground and in any position of gangs. The parallel movement of gangs insures each shovel cutting the proper width and depth. Furnished with any style gang.



No. 27 2-Row Lister Cultivator



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Amarillo

DISTRICT MEET IS VERY SUCCESSFUL

(Continued from page 1)

Rodgers of Amarillo 2nd; Fields of Hedley 3rd; Durce of Hereford 4th. Time, 2 minute 37 2-5 sec.

Running high jump—Wilson of Hereford 1st; Stegall of Hereford 2nd; Jackson of Amarillo 3rd; Ellis of Amarillo 4th. 5 feet 6 inches.

50 yard dash—Stegall of Hereford 1st; Licht of Ochiltree 2nd; Wiseman of Hartley 3rd; No fourth place as man was disqualified. Time 6 sec.

12 pound shot—Graham of Amarillo 1st; Wilson of Hereford 2nd; McMinn of Hereford 3rd; Wade of Hedley 4th. Distance 42 feet 2 1-2.

Mile relay—Amarillo 1st; Hereford 2nd; Hedley 3rd. Time 4 minutes 20 sec.

In basketball Hedley won from Claude.

In tennis Clarendon won from Amarillo; Claude won from Hartley; Clarendon won from Panhandle.

In the tennis finals Clarendon won from Claude, winning a cup. Clarendon was represented by Slover and Clifford.

A large loving cup went to Amarillo as winner of the meet.

GIVEN OUT

The Struggle Discourages Many A Citizen of Canyon.

Around all day with aching back, Can't rest at night; Enough to make any one "give out."

Doan's Kidney Pills are helping thousands.

They are for kidney backache; And other kidney ills. Here is Canyon proof of their merit:

Mrs. J. W. Ricks, W. Houston St., Canyon, says: "My back was weak and aching. I felt drowsy and languid and my kidneys showed signs of being disordered. I also had dizzy spells and headaches. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me and believe they are the best of kidney medicines."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ricks had. Foster-Milburn Co. Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Medals were given to winners of first, second and third places by the Athletic Association of the Normal.

Cups were given by the following people from Canyon; C. O. Keiser, Burroughs & Jarrett, Canyon Supply Co., Olympic Theatre, First State Bank.

Cash prizes were given as follows; Spelling, Randall County News. Declamation and debate—First National Bank, Redfean & Co., Citizens Bank, Holland Drug Co., Thompson Hardware Co.

Happy Happenings.

W. T. Townsend and family, Howard Stephenson and family visited friends and relatives in Tullia last Sunday.

Miss Viola Knox attended the Interscholastic contest and debate in Canyon Saturday and visited home folks over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Hagan's school closed last Friday with a splendid program Saturday night.

Miss Grace White visited Mrs. E. T. Childress in Amarillo last Monday.

J. A. Edwards and family of Canyon visited Mrs. Edwards' brother, S. C. Whitman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fancher are the proud parents of a boy born last Saturday.

W. P. Edwards filled his regular appointment here last Sunday morning and night and preached at the Plains Center School house in the afternoon.

The Civic League will have an entertainment at the school house auditorium Friday night to pay for the new piano. Every body is invited.

We are glad to see people taking such an interest in Sunday School. Last Sunday there was 103 there. Everybody come back and bring some body with you next Sunday and lets make the best Sunday School in this part of the country.

H. L. Holland was in Canyon on business Monday.

J. F. White, Ernest White, W. C. Rose, and S. C. Whitman were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mrs. Rodgers who has been visiting her son, Roy for the past month, left Wednesday morning to attend the bed side of her daughter in Oklahoma.

Mr. Wooten and P. J. Neff are attending the Hardware Men's Convention in Amarillo this week.

Miss Goade is spending this week at the Dr. McElroy home.



Miss Opal Gray, who has been attending this school, was called home on account of her mother's illness.

Floyd Golden and Hubert Sires have returned to school after being absent for a week on account of a "Measley" party of their own.

Mrs. W. K. Barton of Lipscomb was visiting with friends and taking in the track meet which was held here last week.

Misses Mattie B. and Lutie Hume spent Sunday and Monday with their parents in Amarillo.

The boys of the normal have organized for military drill. There are two companies. Mr. Guenther drills Company A and Mr. Shirley Company B. More than a hundred of the boys have enlisted.

Charles Keffer and Ira Allen, two of the debaters that went to San Marcos, returned Wednesday morning. James Younger arrived this morning. They were defeated, but they report a pleasant trip.

Misses Ruby Maxey, Pearl Shelton, and Collins Greer were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Miss Rowena Gibson spent Saturday and Sunday at Tullia, with her sister, Miss Dewey.

Misses Irene Tirenberg and Audrey Hall visited out of town Friday night and Saturday, as guests of Miss Henrietta Machen.

Mrs. Tommie Montfort and Miss Ritchie have returned from Benton. Mrs. Montfort won second place in the State Peace Contest at that place.

Among the Lipscomb visitors to the track meet were Leslie Owen, a former student, Mildred Keffer, a sister of Charles Keffer, Omar Owen, Louise Barton, James Cessna, Nay Hale, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Griffith, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Alex Barton, Everett Jones, Mrs. W. K. Barton, Miss Hudson, Miss Freeman, and Franklin Peugh.

Shipped Fine Bull.

C. O. Keiser this week shipped to California a bull which will head the herd of the biggest cattle company in that state—the San Joaquin Valley Lands Company of San Joaquin California.

Block Number Six.

Mr. and Mrs. Boehning and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer Sunday. In the afternoon the Boehning and Meyer children visited at the Herman Meyer home.

Mr. F. H. Crowley and family visited at the T. C. Jennings home Sunday.

Mr. Henry Miller and Family spent the day with W. L. Deeke and family Sunday.

A fire which started from the blacksmith shop destroyed one stack of feed for W. H. Boehning Monday evening. Prompt work by neighbors prevented further damages.

Mr. Henry Meyer is plowing with the tractor this week for Henry Zerdzen.

John Jennings entertained Keenan school last Friday with his new Silver-tone Phonograph. The audience was delighted.

On Monday night the members of Mr. Warwick's Sunday School Class acted as hosts to the members of Mrs. Warwick's class, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Foster.

After the arrival of the guests, conversation and games ensued. Several contests followed after which Ice Cream and wafers were served. At a late hour the guests departed, having spent a delightful evening.

Canyon City Club Notice

Members will take notice that the by-laws will be strictly enforced. You MUST secure a permit when you take guests on the grounds and otherwise comply with the written rules of the club or suffer the consequences for non-compliance. The directors have information that such rules are being violated and this is to inform you that such conduct will not from this time on go unpunished.

Permits can be obtained from the secretary, or from Mrs. Morelock, at their home.

The general public is also notified that the club has secured the exclusive rights to fishing privileges on the J. M. Meyers section adjoining the club grounds on the east and that trespassing either on the club grounds or on said Meyers section will not be tolerated.

By order Board of Directors.
H. W. MORELOCK, Secretary.

CLASSIFIED ADS

A few good registered and pure bred bulls for sale. Parker D. Hanna Phone 70R12

For Sale—15 head of cows and ten coming yearling steers. Henry Schultz. 1p4

For Sale—One 2-row lister. H. C. Roffey.

For Sale—Registered Poland China boars and gilts. W. J. Flesher.

For Sale—One 10 foot Star windmill and tower; one 80 barrel storage tank with 12 foot tower; 2 hand pump outfits with 80 foot of pipe each. G. G. Foster. 1p

For Sale—Few Duro Rock Jersey boars, full blood, ready for service. J. L. Prichard. 5t4

For Sale—Dwarf and Standard Kafir corn seed, hand threshed; big German millet seed; both \$2 per bushel. J. J. Leavitt. 4p5

Rhode Island Reds—Eggs for hatching from fully matured, carefully mated farm raised birds. Setting of 16 for 50c. Mrs. Gordon-Cummings. Phone 3 rings 204.

FOR SALE—10 cows and calves \$570, also young work stock cheap. J. N. Blake 3 1-2 miles southeast of Canyon. P. O. Box No. 1. 3p2

FOR SALE:—All or part of fifteen shares First National Bank of Canyon stock at a bargain. D. A. Park. 1p

For Sale:—My Saxon "four" runabout, in good running order. Tires and finish in excellent condition. Presto-lite tank, extra tube, new pump and jack. Reason for selling I need a larger car. May be seen at Guthrie's Garage. A. W. Blough. 1p

For Sale — Nice pitchers and sloop jars, table, rural mail box, a \$15.00 Klaxon horn \$7.50. J. B. Jordan, one block southeast of Shotwell's wagon yard. 5-p3

Come to Canyon on Trades Day.

Strayed—One yearling heifer-branded drag T on right hip. Reward. C. R. McAfee.

Plowmen—We want some sod plowed and rolled. Give price wanted and how much you can handle. Also price for planting. No discing. Land is southeast of Canyon. Willis & Beville, Clarendon, Texas. 1p

MISCELLANEOUS

For rent—3 rooms See M. A. Stone
Fine Jersey Bull for service. Turner Bros. 1pm3
The Methodist Church.

We heartily welcome you to all services of our church.

The services for next Sunday are as usual: Sunday School 9:45; preaching, 11 o'clock a. m., and 8 p. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m.

The Ladies meet in their study course Tuesday at 3 p. m. Come and pay them a visit in this study and see if you would not like to join.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

R. A. STEWART, Pastor.

Easton Allen to Army.

Easton Allen failed to pass in the physical examination for the navy, and has joined the army. He is now at San Antonio awaiting orders.

INTERNORMAL DEBATE AT NORMAL SATURDAY NIGHT

At the Normal Auditorium Saturday night the West Texas State Normal College defeated the Sam Houston Normal. In a hard fought contest the debate resulted in a victory for the Normal boys, winning two to one. The question for debate was Resolved: "That the U. S. Government should enforce Arbitration of Unsettled Disputes Between Organized Capital and Organized Labor."

Marion Foote and Will Gibson, with Clarence White as alternate upheld the Affirmative and J. J. Bugg and L. G. Yarbrough with A. S. McKinney and alternate upheld the Negative.

Wm. Hale presided, and Hon. R. A. Underwood, of Plainview; Hon. Frank Jamison, and Judge B. H. Baker, both of Canadian were the judges.

Come to Canyon to live.