

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE ELECTION ON TUESDAY

Dinner Will be Served at Palace Hotel Dining Room at 7:30—Election of Officers.

The Randall County Commercial League will hold the annual election of officers next Tuesday night, the business meeting being held in connection with the dinner to be given by the Ideal Cafe at the Palace Hotel Dining Room.

Every member of the League and all who wish to become members, and all who are interested in the welfare of Canyon and Randall County are earnestly requested to be present at the dinner and business meeting at which time plans for the regular monthly Trades for Feb. 8 will be discussed.

The tickets for the dinner are \$1.00 and are on sale with Henry Gamble, Zeb Mitchell, Jack Jones and J. L. Duflot.

The committee which has in charge nomination of officers of the Randall County Commercial League for the coming year is composed of E. H. Powell, J. A. Hill and O. N. Gamble.

The committee in charge of the dinner and the program is composed of S. B. McClure and C. F. Walker.

The following will be the menu:

- Cream of Tomato Soup
- Palacious Selected Fried Oysters
- French Peas in Cream
- Baked Corn Pudding
- Mashed Potatoes
- Orange Ambrosia with Chocolate Cake
- Lemon Cream Pie with Hot Coffee
- Cigars and Cigarettes

The following will be the toast program:

- Toastmaster—Wallace R. Clark. Who is a Business Man—T. C. Thompson.
- Civic Attractiveness—J. L. Duflot.
- Better Streets—J. D. Gamble.
- How to Make a Better Town—Rev. Simeon Shaw.
- The Farmer Coming to Town—J. W. McCrery.
- Panhandle Chamber of Commerce—W. Reid.
- How to Advertise a Town—C. W. Warwick.
- The Pig Club in Randall County—C. F. Walker.
- Business Session.
- Election of Officers for the coming year—Nominations made by E. H. Powell, J. A. Hill and O. N. Gamble.

TWO NEW GROCERIES SOON WILL OPEN IN CANYON

Canyon is to have two new businesses during the coming few days.

The Guthrie Grocery Company expects to open a grocery store during the coming week in the store room back of the First National Bank which was formerly used by the grocery department of Redfeam & Co. A door will be used between the two rooms so patrons of Redfeam & Co. may pass into the Guthrie Grocery, or vice versa. John Guthrie and Oscar Hunt are the owners of the new firm. Both have had a number of years business experience in Canyon and have a large number of friends who will be glad to see them back in business.

Joe Foster has leased the building at the southeast corner of the square now occupied by the bakery, and will get possession during the coming few days. He will put in a grocery store. Mr. Foster was formerly proprietor of the Normal Grocery and later a member of the Leader firm. His friends in Canyon will be pleased to see him again in the grocery business.

Land at \$100 per Acre.

A deal was closed this morning whereby O. F. Thomas bought the Dr. Ingham farm of 100 acres east of the city from Will Foster at \$100 per acre. Mr. Thomas recently moved here from Wellington and bought the Wallace alfalfa land just across the road south from the Ingham place.

City Property Sold.

The M. Woolley house and three lots were sold to D. T. Tarlton, consideration \$1050.

EIGHTY FIVE WOMEN HAVE PAID POLL TAX—446 MEN

Saturday night closes the tax paying time in Texas.

A report from the Tax Collector's Office shows that so far only eighty-five women in this county have paid their poll tax and will get a vote in the elections of Texas during the coming year. There is a total of \$31 poll tax payments and exemptions issued in the county. There are about 200 returned soldiers and sailors in the county who do not need a poll tax receipt. But even at that the poll tax payment is much under last year. There were nearly eight hundred votes cast in the primary two years ago, with at least 200 men away in the service, thus indicating the small percent of women who have thus far paid their poll tax in comparison with those voting in the election two years ago.

The following are the payments by precincts:

No.	Receipts	Exemptions
No. 1	313	9
No. 2	7	0
No. 3	51	1
No. 4	27	1
No. 5	39	2
No. 6	19	1
No. 7	12	1
No. 8	46	2
Total	514	17

Discharged Soldiers Pay Tax.

A question arose in Canyon as to whether discharged soldiers and sailors were required to pay the street tax for the year 1926. An opinion was sought by City Marshal W. C. Black, which was procured from the Attorney General by County Attorney W. J. Fleisher.

The ruling is that the discharged man must pay the street tax. The law in the minds of the men reverts only to the exemption from payment of the poll tax this year.

The street tax must be paid before Saturday night of this week or an additional \$2 is collectable.

Schmitz Baby Died Friday.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Schmitz died Friday afternoon at 3:15 at the parental home in the west part of town. He had been sick but a short time with whooping cough and pneumonia.

The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the home, conducted by Father J. H. Allard of Amarillo. The body was laid to rest in Dreamland cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmitz have the sympathy of the entire community over the loss of the child.

First State Bank Election.

The stockholders of the First State Bank met on Tuesday last week and elected directors for the coming year as follows:

- J. M. Black, J. W. Reid, L. A. Pierce D. A. Park and Grady Oldham. The directors organized and elected the following officers:
- J. M. Black—President.
- R. H. Wright and D. A. Park—Vice Presidents.
- Grady Oldham—Cashier.

Lyceum Number Pleases.

The fourth number of the Lyceum given at the Olympic Saturday night by the Sterling Entertainers was a most enjoyable number and pleased all of the large audience.

The last number will be given by a Belgian nurse, a lecture, which is said to be the most pleasing of the entire course.

Land Sales Reported.

C. F. Walker has bought of the 45 acres north of his place in the west part of town from the First National Bank.

The Wm Mercer quarter section was sold to W. R. Piper of Denton at \$20 per acre.

New Telephone Directory.

The News is printing a new telephone directory for Canyon. In fact the job is completed with the exception of the covers, which have been in transit from Dallas for more than two weeks.

Perhaps the express company will get them here by fall.

President J. A. Hill returned Monday from Austin and Taylor. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Davis from Taylor where they have been for the past few months. Mr. Davis recently had an operation for a cancer. He is doing as well as could be expected with so serious a disease.

SWINE BREEDERS' MEETING BEST IN HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

The members of the Panhandle Swine Breeders Association held the meeting of their annual convention in Randall County Court House Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 21. The room was filled with farmers and stock breeders from all parts of the Panhandle. The chief speakers of the meeting were:

W. B. Lanham, Ass't. Director of Extension, College Station, Texas.

A. L. Ward, Sec'y Texas Swine Breeders Ass'n, College Station, Tex.

Prof. Fred H. Ives, Director of Agriculture, W. T. S. N. C., Canyon, Texas.

Hon. Pat Neff, Waco, Texas.

Mr. Lanham described the work of the Extension Department of the State College of Agriculture, emphasizing the work of the Boy's Pig Clubs.

Mr. Ward led a discussion on "The Development of the Breeding Herd", in which W. H. Alexander, Childress, R. E. Prewitt, Happy, Lon Alexander, Childress, Tom Frazier, Ft. Worth, and Mr. McGehee, Wayside, took part.

Prof. Ives described the plans of his department for the management of a herd of pure bred hogs on the Normal College farm.

Mr. Neff was introduced to the audience by Rev. Simeon Shaw, who is his personal friend. Mr. Neff announced his candidacy for the office of governor. His address was heard by two hundred people, and was notable for its sincerity, high purpose and freedom from invective. He said in part:

"I am carrying my campaign for the office of governor direct to the people of this state. I have not attempted to secure the endorsement of any political machine. I have only my own private office for my headquarters. I have no special campaign fund to back me. I am asking for your vote entirely upon my own merits and qualifications for the office."

"I favor improvement in the entire educational system of this state. One in every ten of our boys who were called to the colors for war service were unable to read or write. One in every four had completed only the fourth grade in public school. Texas stands tenth from the bottom of the list of all states of this country in its educational rating. Two thousand schools in this state are closed today because no teachers can be secured for the salary offered. A bootblack or a second class negro cook in Waco has a larger yearly income than the rural school teacher of that county. I will go on record as favoring an efficient educational system from top to bottom in this state, and a salary for every teacher commensurate with the service rendered."

"The state of Texas needs a marketing system for farm products secured by the assistance of the state government through the local farmers organizations. Texas farmers lost \$24,000,000 in 1919 because their cotton was not properly graded."

"We must make better provision for the conservation of human life. Thirty-four per cent of the military draft in Texas were turned down because of physical defects. Seventy per cent of these were caused by preventable disease. Our livestock and even our bees are protected by law. I shall never permit the squeal of a pig to be heard above the cry of a child."

"I am not seeking this office because of its power, honor or fame alone. I am seeking this office that I may be able to render a high and unselfish service to the people of my native state."

Wednesday evening the visitors were served a splendid oyster supper in the upper hall of the Normal College building. The supper was provided by the business men of Canyon and served by Miss Jessie E. Rambo and her students in the Domestic Science department. The college orchestra, directed by Prof. Clark furnished excellent music. The banquet was attended by about one hundred twenty men, and on the following day all of them were passing compliments and expressing their appreciation of this royal entertainment.

After the supper, the moving picture films from the National Swine show were shown in the College auditorium.

The principal speakers in the meeting Thursday, Jan. 22, were:

Tom Frazier, Rhine-Farmer Commission Co., Ft. Worth.

A. L. Ward, Swine Specialist Extension Dept., College Station, Texas.

R. E. Prewitt, President Panhandle Swine Breeders' Association, Happy, Texas.

Mr. Frazier stated that the Fort Worth market ship hogs in from northern and eastern states every year. Texas must raise more pork. The packers want the well bred hogs because they cut the highest percent of valuable cuts of meat. Pure bred hogs will make more profit for their owner, and he will take pride in them. One day a car load of four year old razor back hogs sold for ten cents, and a car of well bred young hogs sold for fourteen cents. The well bred hogs shipped to Fort Worth from West Texas usually sell for fifteen to twenty cents above the Chicago market. I expect hogs to sell for eighteen cents by April. April and September offer the highest average market of the year. The Texas farmer can easily prepare for this market, with our mild winter and cheap feed. Fort Worth will soon be the greatest market for stock hogs in the United States. Recently two hundred cars of feeders were shipped from there to one firm in Iowa for fattening out. Ear cropped pigs sell for low prices in the north.

Mr. Ward discussed the advantages of buying breeding stock near home. The chief points mentioned were: The saving of buyers' passenger fare for the purpose of inspection. Saving express charges on hog shipment. Less danger in shipping bred sows a short distance. Less danger of bringing in disease. Personal inspection before buying to insure good quality. Keep the purchase money in your own community.

You can know the reputation of the breeder. Know the ability of the breeder as a judge of hogs.

Mr. Prewitt, in his annual address, spoke as follows:

"Fellow Breeders, Ladies and Gentlemen: It is a great pleasure to greet so many of you at our annual meeting. More especially am I glad to see such a number of the farmers out as we want you to find out what the Panhandle Swine Breeders are trying to do, and are doing, and to enlist you in the great work of supplying meat to a hungry world."

This meeting is a great pleasure to me for two reasons: First because a few years ago we could not get a crowd out to hear us on the Plains, as it was strictly a cattle country, and the Swine Breeders were looked on as being out of place, but conditions have changed, and now we have invaded the very heart of the great cattle country, and found a welcome, and such hearty good will from every one that the meeting of 1920 will long be remembered by our membership. Canyon has given us a welcome second to none in our history, and the banquet given by the Business Men's League, and prepared by the young ladies of the Normal was most elegantly served. Royalty never sat at a finer spread. Truly the head of the domestic science department and her assistants are artists in every sense of the word.

The second reason is, that a little more than two years ago when I was elected your president at the meeting during the State Fair at Amarillo, there were only enough present to have a quorum, and the meeting was called to order by the Vice President in an empty hog pen, he being the only officer present. Interest in the meeting was about dead, and the annual dues collected was not sufficient to pay the necessary expense of the secretary, and no one wanted the office I guess is the reason I was elected.

There were no fairs during the war and interest in registered live stock was at a low ebb during that time, but we came out last spring and reorganized, gave a \$100.00 cash prize to the Pig Club boys at the Childress State Fair last fall, printed a nice little booklet of the spring meeting, paid all running expenses for the year and still have a nice little balance on the right side of the ledger, and I will have the satisfaction of knowing that I will turn over to my successor, who will be elected today, one of the strongest associations in the state, entirely free from any friction between the several breeds, not by any special ability of mine, but because I have had the loyal support of the entire membership.

During this meeting we have enrolled a lot of new members, as we always do at every new meeting place, and out list of membership is continually changing as new members come and the slack, and listless ones drop out, but from every meeting place we have the satisfaction of having new members that stay with us and become enthusiastic breeders and at all the meetings, and these are what have made the Panhandle Swine Breeders Association what it is today. This evening we will offer for sale some of the best bred sows in the State, and perhaps they will be bought by men that never owned a pure bred sow before at least we are hoping that they will fall into such hands, for if ever a man buys and cares for a pure bred he will never go back to the scrub again, and if the prices are lower than we could have sold them from our own herds at home the sacrifice will not have been in vain.

Now a word to those who are contemplating embarking in the pure bred hog business at this time.

The sows that will be offered to you today are from the best blood lines of the State and are all good individuals, but success with the venture will rest entirely with you, the breeder who has consigned her to this sale has only laid the foundation, it is up to you to build the structure.

If you give them good attention they will repay you 100 per cent on the investment, and even greater if they have extra care. Don't expect the sow to farrow on the shady side of a three wire fence, with a few maize heads and water, and raise you a show litter, for it can not be done, no matter how blue her blood is, but give her a nice warm place to care for her litter and give her a variety of feeds and she will raise you a litter that you will be proud to show and will be a credit to her breed.

Now a little advice about the sale of the litter, the average pigs if they have had reasonable care should bring \$25.00 a head at ten weeks old, and the top pigs \$50.00 if you have given them the proper care, but the runts should never be sold for breeders at any price, for while they are as good as the other pigs of the litter, the fact that they have never developed like the rest shows that they are deficient in stamina, and they could never be good breeders, and their offspring will only serve to give our great industry a bad reputation in the community in which they are raised. In buying in this sale the better individual you buy the cheaper she is no matter what the price is you pay, it is easy to sell the good ones, they sell themselves.

In closing I want to personally

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To The Women.

Miss Anna Webb Blanton in a circular letter addressed to the educational forces of the public schools, pleads with the women of Texas to register for voting. Miss Blanton's great work as state superintendent has placed her high as a leader among the most refined and cultured and her words carry weight.

Only ten states are lacking for ratification of the Federal Suffrage Amendment. These ten will be in line within a very few weeks at least. Great issues of moral civic and educational interests will be settled at the polls this year and if our good women do not vote these issues will be decided in the wrong and our young people suffer in consequence.

Registration must be made before Sunday February 1st. I feel it my duty to give my public indorsement to Miss Blanton's appeal and at her request urge every woman in Canyon and Randall County to register.

C. L. SONE,
Superintendent City Schools.

Student Dies of Pneumonia.

Miss Corrine Richards, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richards of Stanton, Texas, and a student of the West Texas State Normal College, died Tuesday afternoon at 3:20 o'clock at the residence of I. C. Jenkins, from pneumonia.

Miss Richards was a second year student at the college and was very prominent young woman among the student body.

The body was prepared by the Gouley Undertaking company and was shipped to Stanton last night for burial.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING TONIGHT

Constitution Will be Adopted—Ladies Auxiliary to be Formed—Building Report to be Made.

The Palo Duro Post of the American Legion will hold the regular meeting tonight at the Foy Tailor Shop. Post Commander H. C. Gamble stated yesterday that there was a large amount of business to come up before the Post and urged that every member be present.

The adoption of the Constitution of the Post will be one of the important items of business.

Plans will be made for the organization of a Ladies Auxiliary to the Palo Duro Post.

Report will be made regarding the success of the subscription campaign for the building of a \$10,000 bungalow in Canyon for the Palo Duro Post.

Pig Club Boys Here Feb. 9

County Agent C. F. Walker is arranging to have the Randall County Pig Club Boys and Girls in Canyon on Monday, February 9th, the regular monthly Trades Day, for the purpose of distributing the pigs which will be getting for the boys and girls from the best herds of Randall County.

Mr. Walker stated yesterday that between forty and fifty boys would be in the club this year, and he is getting enough pigs to go around. The pigs he is buying are all registered and must be first class. The pigs will be sold to the boys on time, the bank at which their fathers do business taking the boy's note for the pig he gets. This fall there will be a Randall County Fair and show together with a sale of all the hogs the boys wish to dispose of.

Mr. Walker is highly enthusiastic over the prospects of the hog industry in Randall County. He wants to see the breeders organize and form an association which will put this section on the map. He would favor an organization in Randall County which would guarantee every registered hog shipped from this country to be the best. Three men should be named who would pass upon the fitness of every hog to be registered. If the hog does not show up first class in every manner, let him be butchered rather than registered and sold as a breeding animal. By this method, Randall County could very soon have the greatest herds in the world, and anything coming from the herds of this county would be accepted without question as being strictly top.

Mr. Walker states that a large number of breeders in Randall county are in favor of such an organization, and all that will take to put it over is the spirit of co-operation on the part of all the breeders.

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Roffey and Knight Get Fine Sows.

C. F. Walker was at the big sales in Mississippi last week and brought back five extra fine sows for H. C. Roffey and John Knight. Col. Jack's Orion Girl goes to Mr. Roffey. She is from the same litter as the sow which topped the Pine Cross sale at \$2000. She is bred to Joe Orion 2nd, one of the greatest breeding boars in the U. S. The other is an especially fine 5 year old sow, Model Taxpayer's Lady.

Mr. Knight gets two Orion Cherry King sows. One is bred to the junior champion boar of the National Swine Show last year and the other to Joe Orion 2nd.

The other sow Mr. Walker brought back was sold to Neely Bros.

Census Completed in City.

Guy Conner, who took the census in the city of Canyon has made his report to the district manager. While Mr. Conner is not allowed to give out figures on the census, he states that there were not so many people in the city as is usually thought.

This same condition seems to exist in large numbers of towns. Towns usually were looking for a great increase in population over 1910, but even with all of the improvement of the past ten years, the population has not grown greatly.

Official figures on the census will not be ready for the public before May or June.

Stark Special.

A daughter was born to Prof. and Mrs. H. W. Morelock Friday night.

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION.

(By R. Kenneth Evans.)

With this issue of the Randall County News the fifteen weeks of industrial campaign closes. The News has made a conscientious effort to thoroughly exploit the conditions as they actually are and thru the additional circulation gained thruout the campaign have been able to carry the message showing the vast field of opportunities and resources that exist in this section, to the hands of many who have signified their intention of making investigations with the intention of locating here in the future.

Although this campaign has been closed it does not mean that the News will be any less diligent in always exploiting the progress and development of the Canyon country. On the other hand this paper under the present management for the past nine years has always been for Canyon first, last and all the time and will continue to be in the future.

In conducting this campaign, which closes today, the News had in mind securing some substantial publicity for Canyon and Randall county and its trade territory. The statements which have been incorporated in the series of industrial articles were based absolutely on facts and conditions as secured after an exhaustive investigation of such conditions. These facts show conclusively that there is not a section in the Great Southwest that offers a wider field for development and success in an agricultural way than the Canyon country. In summary the News can say that there is ample land available here for the agriculturist who wishes to work with success and assist in the development of one of the richest countries in resources to be found anywhere in the west or the Southwest. The lands in and around Randall county are especially adapted to agricultural pursuits although the agriculture progress is in the infancy stages of development. The land is rich in alluvial and soil deposits. Any products that will grow in the temperate zone thrive and produce extensively here. The principle crops are the small grain crops and the major crops are forage crops at this time with the tendency towards major production of wheat, oats and smaller grains. The melon industry is a promising one, fruits have a ready market, in fact there is every inducement for success.

Canyon the county seat is one of the liveliest commercial centers in the entire Panhandle country. The mercantile establishments are all up to date carrying an extensive line of merchandise. The business buildings are all substantial and modernly equipped thruout. The city has all the modern public utilities which makes it possible for the resident of Canyon to enjoy all the modern conveniences of the day. The city is growing. New homes are being erected every season. The city is morally and physically clean. No slums or slum districts serve as a blot on its face. The population are typical westerners and a God fearing class. More than three-fourths profess and practice some form of religion. The principles of "live and let live" is predominant. From an educational standpoint the city and county excel many other

counties in West Texas and the Panhandle country. Twenty school districts are so arranged over the county to be within easy access to every farm home. The most competent instructors available are always employed. The buildings are substantial and completely equipped. The majority of the school buildings come up to the regulations prescribed by the state laws which gives them state financial aid. The scholastic enrollment which is a little over 400 in the county is rapidly growing and next year will show a substantial gain shows conclusively that immigration to this country is a rifle.

The city school system is headed by the West Texas State Normal which is one of the leading state institutions of Texas. The high school work of the county schools is augmented by the State Normal and students come to Canyon from all parts of Texas, some from New Mexico and Oklahoma and other states. The city school building is a two story brick structure substantial and well ventilated and lighted. It is modernly equipped thruout with a corps of instructors who are exceptionally well equipped for the carrying out of their work. In fact from the standpoint of the prospective resident there is not a community in this section better equipped from an educational standpoint than Canyon and Randall county.

Building and building operations are a rifle. Farmers are improving their farms putting up more substantial homes and out buildings. They are improving their lands and this is augmented by the extensive crops which were raised this year and the excellent prospects for a bumper crop next year. Homes are now in process of construction in Canyon and business men and others are making plans for extensive building during the spring season. Lumber dealers report that this section of the Panhandle is now facing a building era. Business houses are being repaired and improved and the city business houses are 100 per cent modern in every respect.

The financial conditions of the community as reported by the bankers and merchants are better than ever before in the history of the Panhandle country. Almost every farmer has his automobile, his debts paid and a liberal bank account to his credit. The consumers are demanding more and a better grade of merchandise. The mercantile establishments are increasing the standards of their stocks and taken all in all Canyon and Randall county are facing one of the most prosperous periods in its history.

The News has exploited these conditions extensively thruout this campaign and the exploitation has had its effect. The future of Canyon merely depends upon the maintenance of the spirit of growth, development and cooperation which was displayed by the business interests of the city which enabled the News, by their support, to put on this campaign.

"Describe the manners and customs of the people of India", wrote the geography teacher on the blackboard. A small boy in the front seat chewed the end of his lead pencil into pulp, and then disposed of the subject by writing laboriously: "They hain't got no manners and they don't wear no customs."

Faculty Recital.

The Annual Faculty Recital of the Department of Music was held in the college auditorium Thursday evening, January 22, 1920, at 7:30 o'clock. The following program was exceptionally well rendered to a large audience.

Miss Pauline Brigham—Pianist.
Miss Mary Clark—Violinist.
Miss Margaret Guenther—Soprano.

Program:
Piano Sonata Op. 14, No. 2—Beethoven.

Allegro
Andante
Scherzo. —Miss Brigham.

Dedication
The Rose Complained
For Music
Now Welcome My Wood—Robert Franz. —Miss Guenther.

Piano and Violin Sonata Op. 8, No. 1
Grieg.
Allegro con brio
Allegretto quasi Andantino
Molto Vivace
—Misses Brigham and Clark.

Four Leaf Clover—C. Whitney Coombs.
Boat Song—Harriet Ware.
Slumber Song—Chas Hueter.
The Morning Wind—Gena Branscombe. —Miss Guenther.

Legende—Wieniawski.
Swing Song—Ethel Barnes
Andantino—Martini-Kreisler. —Miss Clark.

Thou Art My Rest
Hark, Hark, the Lark—Schubert-Liszt. —Miss Brigham.
—From The Prairie.

Musical Artist Course.

Two splendid musical artists have been secured for performances in the auditorium during the spring quarter. These numbers come on the regular Lyceum Course and will be covered by the student blanket tax ticket.

On the evening of April 14, Harold Henry, the well known American pianist, will play an especially interesting program. Now that we have our Steinway Grand, Mr. Henry is sure to give us some wonderful piano music.

On the evening of May 14 comes Louis Kreidler, the foremost American

Baritone on the concert stage. Mr. Kreidler is best in his English and American songs and is himself almost, if not entirely, American taught and trained. We have an unusual treat in store in Mr. Kreidler. Don't forget the dates, April 14 and May 14.

It seems that many fail to realize that freedom of speech is for those who know the speech of freedom.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.



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R. B. Cousins Will Speak.

Among the distinguished visitors who will attend "The Home Coming", one name stands out above all others, that of Honorable R. B. Cousins, former president of the West Texas State Normal College. President Hill has invited him to deliver the commencement address at the close of the spring quarter, and he has kindly consented to honor us with his presence. Mr. Cousins always has for his audience an inspiring and an uplifting message, but no doubt this occasion will prompt his masterpiece of wit and wisdom. He will meet here hundreds of young men and women whom he has assisted to lives of usefulness; the warm welcome they will give him, evoked by the love they all bear him, is sure to open up the flood-gates of his big heart and unclasp the volume of his rich mind. We are all anxiously looking forward to the great message he will bring us.

The educational interests of Texas suffered a great loss when President Cousins retired from the teaching profession. It was he more than any one else who brought the normal schools of Texas into prominence. Tireless in his efforts, unerring in his judgment, and gifted in his insight into evils and their surest and safest remedies, he proceeded directly to the goal of his high ambitions with a will that scorned failure. As State Superintendent of Texas and as President of the West Texas State Normal College, he set standards which challenge the best efforts of our brainiest men and women to uphold. But perhaps his greatest educational achievement is the thousands of young lives he has inspired to nobler endeavors. To realize that his work is kept alive by the memories of a thousand firesides he has made happier and better by a life of spotless integrity and wholesome wisdom must

Notice.

STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County, Texas—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon H. L. Tracy, Nellie C. Brewington, C. G. Jackson, W. C. Randall, and wife, Allie E. Randall, and Joseph C. Baker, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said H. L. Tracy, Nellie C. Brewington, C. G. Jackson, W. C. Randall, and wife, Allie E. Randall, and Joseph C. Baker, deceased, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Randall County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, on the fourth Monday in February, 1926, the same being the 23rd day of February, 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of January, 1926, in a suit number on the docket of said court, No. 893, wherein Wilford Taylor is plaintiff, and H. L. Tracy, Nellie C. Brewington, C. G. Jackson, W. C. Randall, and wife, Allie E. Randall, and Joseph C. Baker, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of the said H. L. Tracy, Nellie C. Brewington, C. G. Jackson, W. C. Randall, and wife, Allie E. Randall, and Joseph C. Baker, deceased, are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiff is the legal and equitable owner in fee simple title to and in possession of the following described lands and premises situated in Randall County, Texas, to-wit: All of the southeast quarter of Section or Survey No. 131, in Block B-5, located by virtue of Certificate No. 15-3605 issued to the Holston & Great Northern Railroad Company, and patented by the State of Texas, to the Texas Land Company, assignee, by patent No. 323 Volume 61, and containing 160 acres of land, more or less; and that his title thereto is clouded by reason of the following: Said land was conveyed to Nellie C. Brewington, and by Walter Brewington, and wife, C. Nellie Brewington, to O. P. Slack, and it is alleged that Nellie C. Brewington and C. Nellie Brewington is one and the same person; that said land was conveyed to H. L. Tracy, and there is no conveyance from him to any one, but same was conveyed by his father, George H. Tracy, as sole heir at law, there being no legal proof of heirship, and plaintiff alleges that any title vested in said H. L. Tracy is now owned by him; that said land was conveyed to C. G. Jackson and by Charles G. Jackson to W. C. Randall, and by W. C. Randall and wife, Allie E. Randall to Joseph C. Baker, and said Baker later conveyed said land, but that the acknowledgments to the deeds of Jackson, Randall and wife, and Baker are defective; that by reason of the facts aforesaid it appears that the defendants may have some claim, right, title or interest therein, but said matters are only apparent and not real. Plaintiff prays for judgment for the title and possession of said land, and removal of clouds from his title against defendants and each of them.
HEREIN FAIL NOT. But have before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
 WITNESS, O. W. Gano, Clerk of the District Court of Randall County, Texas.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, in Canyon, Texas, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1926.
 (SEAL) O. W. GANO,
 Clerk of the District Court of Randall County, Texas.
 A true copy I certify.
 WORTH A. JENNINGS,
 Sheriff Randall County, Texas.

jewel all his retrospective moments with a joy no wealth could buy.
 —From The Prairie.

Plains Folks Get The Best.

A jitney truck was seen standing on one of our main streets Tuesday morning. The truck contained a jersey cow, rooster and a bunch of fruit trees. The cow a registered animal. The rooster was a full blood Rhode Island Red. The trees were from one of the leading nurserymen of the state. Our folks are demanding the best to be had in all lines these days.
 —Clarendon News.

THOUGHT THE WORLD WAS COMING TO END

"And on the seventeenth day of December, 1919, the end came suddenly."

The end came suddenly to a good wagon and a span of good mules belonging to Joe Bryant of the Coleville community just south of the Childress county line in Cottle county, Texas.

Mr. Bryant was in town Saturday and relating his experience of Wednesday, and to a fellow who had been keeping up with the end-of-the-world dope it was in the field gathering maize, he turned to cut off a head and turning around noticed the ground sinking beneath his mules. The next instant mules and wagon were precipitated into a ditch forty feet deep. The mules were killed and the wagon broken into splinters.

It is not uncommon for the ground to give way in gypsum stratas, but this is the first time on record that such a big cave-in occurred and covering so much ground. It is said that the hole in Mr. Bryant's field is nearly forty feet deep.—Childress Index.

DOES THE PUBLIC WANT LOW PRICES

The late, but unlamented war, turned a lot of things upside down, but in probably no case did it so completely reverse the position of prince and pauper as in the scale of retail prices. If you don't believe this, ask Frank Werner, who conducts two shoe stores in San Francisco, Cal.

Some time ago Werner purchased a number of pairs of men's shoes at a price which would permit him to retail them at \$7 the pair. There was nothing wrong with the shoes, either from the standpoint of style or that of quality. But, somehow or other, they wouldn't move.

So Werner, who had an inkling as to the trouble, determined to advertise the lot at \$5.80 a pair, with the statement that this was \$1.20 under the price he had intended to charge for them, and that the value was exceptionally good.

The first man to enter the store on the following morning was the president of one of the local banks. He asked to see the \$5.80 shoes and appeared to be well pleased to find that he could secure them at such a reasonable price. The next customer, a stevedore, declined to consider the "cheap" goods, and finally walked out with two pairs of shoes tucked under his arm, one at \$9.50 to work in and one at \$13.50 to "doll up" in, as he quaintly expressed it. A waiter also invested \$12 in a pair of cordovans, rather than limit himself to \$5.80, and

he, in turn, was followed by a plumber who spent \$16 for a snub pair.

That was the way it went all day. The well dressed men, the men of money, almost invariably bought for quality, the wage earners, their pockets bulging with inflated pay envelopes, refused to consider anything less than \$10 or \$12 and frequently went higher. The stevedore paid more for his working shoes than did the bank president.

Does the public want low prices? Werner thought not, and proved it with his advertisement.—The Philadelphia Retail Ledger.

The Roosevelt boys have started up a chain of coffee-houses. We

suppose young Ted is figuring on a third cup of coffee sometime.—Columbia Record.

Notice.

All men between the age of 21 and 45 years are liable to street duty, except ministers of the gospel in the active discharge of their ministerial duties, invalids, and members of the voluntary fire company. All persons liable to work on the streets can secure exemption therefrom for the year 1926 by paying to the city tax collector before the first day of February the sum of three dollars, after February 1st you must pay \$5.00. I am now ready to collect and receipt for such tax.
 4113
 W. C. BLACK, City Tax Collector.

Come to Canyon to Live.

THE Andrews-McDonald COMPANY, Inc. Automobile Supplies

Automobile Springs
 Weed Chains for passenger cars and trucks
 General line of Auto Supplies
 Gasoline, Oils and Greases
 Distributors for Fisk Tires; Goorich and U. S. Tires and Tubes
 8th and Polk Sts. Amarillo



The Ford Model T One Ton Truck was the first low price truck to carry the worm-drive—that tremendous power delivering mechanism had previously been an exclusive feature with high priced motor trucks. In the Ford Truck, however, you get the worm-drive of manganese bronze material, absolute in strength and positive in the delivery of power, at a very low price. Come in and let us point out the many superior merits of the Ford One Ton Truck, because you need one in your work. We give prompt and efficient repair service.

KUEHN GARAGE
 Canyon, Texas



New Garage

Cars repaired skillfully and carefully
 All kinds of machinery fixed.

FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITHING A SPECIALTY

All kinds of soldering done.
 When we please the public, we are pleased.

USED CARS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

PHONE NO. 1

W. H. Lightfoot
E. R. Wilson

S. A. SHOTWELL & CO

Wholesale and Retail
Coal, Grain, Hides and Field Seeds
 Best Grades Of Nigger
 Head and Maitland Coal

TERMS CASH

E A T

If you are hungry, we have anything that you want and the way you want it.

IDEAL CAFE

M. A. HENSON, Prop.
 Phone 296 Canyon, Texas



You have to see furniture, have it placed and in proper surroundings before you can make a tasteful selection.

This is one big advantage offered you here. Our arrangements and suggestions give you the fullest opportunity for correct choosing.

We are anxious for your furniture business and guarantee you satisfaction when you call.



CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS

LITTLE WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

NOTICE TAXPAYERS

Please be advised that all taxes not paid before **FEBRUARY FIRST** will take 10 per cent penalty. This will only take care of them for two months. If not paid by April 1st they will go on the **DELINQUENT TAX RECORD**, which will make an additional cost of \$2.25 for each assessment.

Women desiring to vote in the July Primary must come to this office and pay their poll tax.

WORTH A. JENNINGS
 TAX COLLECTOR, RANDALL COUNTY, TEXAS

Happy Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wesley returned Friday from Ranger, Texas where they have been visiting Mrs. Wesley's brother for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Embry Finley and Mrs. Finley and Marvin Garrison motored to Tullia Sunday evening where Mrs. Finley went to stay with Mrs. Adkinson who is sick she will be gone a week at least.

Ervin McManigal came in Saturday from Sweeney School. He has been quite sick with the flu and is not able to do anything yet. He looks awfully bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Studenroth went to Canyon last week and came back with a new Maxwell car.

Misses Cecil and Ethel Sanford entertained a number of the young folks to dinner Sunday. All report a nice time.

S. C. and S. T. Whitman were business callers in Tullia Thursday.

John Toles spent several days in Canyon last week on business.

Granville and Eldon Gatton were in Canyon Friday. Miss Vivian accompanied them home. Miss Vivian was almost sick but was able to return to school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ralfe entertained with a turkey dinner Sunday. Those present were N. W. Uselding and family, Wm. F. Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. James-Gurley, Mrs. W. S. Cook.

Ludwig Irbeck attended the Swine Breeders Association in Canyon last week.

Rev. and Mrs. McNeely and daughters started to Arney last Sunday evening to fill his appointment after going 12 miles the car broke down. They patched it up so they could get home but did not get to go on.

Mrs. Roy Smith and brother H. M. Baggary were shoppers in Canyon Friday.

Mrs. Walter Fogerson and son of Silverton was visiting at the Money home last week.

Leonard Simms of Canyon spent Monday night at the J. H. Stephenson home.

Hall Wren and Boyd Bates were Canyon callers Sunday.

Mrs. B. Rogers and children returned Saturday night from points in Central Texas where they have been visiting for some time.

Mrs. Harvey Likes has a severe case of mumps and is threatened with the flu. Several of the children have the mumps.

Gill Whitman had the misfortune to get his hand caught in a gas engine Monday. The flesh was badly torn but fortunately no bones were broken.

F. E. Culp is quite sick with relapse of the mumps. Their daughter was quite sick but is better now.

The "Tom Thumb wedding" which was postponed last week will be given Feb. 6 at the school auditorium. Everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. John Toles and Miss Mary Toles were visiting friends in Canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Zoeller entertained a few friends to dinner Sunday.

G. B. Banard, son and daughter, Ural and Miss Esther were in Tullia Friday.

Ludwig Irbeck left Monday for Childress to attend a registered hog sale.

Mrs. Baker is visiting at Wayside this week.

Mrs. Swant came in Saturday from McClellan where she was teaching. She has been quite sick, had a bad spell with her heart Sunday night but is better now.

J. H. Garrison went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Whitman were shopping in Canyon Monday and having some dental work done.

Mrs. Embry Finley left Wednesday for Vernon to visit her sister Mrs. C. H. Still for some time.

Last Wednesday night the Epworth League Council met and elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Emmitt Grounds; Vice Pres., Guy Garrison; Sec'y, Elmer Walberg; Corresponding Sec'y, Lena Glover; Treas., Marvin Garrison; Era Agent, Cecil Sanford; 1st Dept. Supt., Mrs. Embry Finley; 2nd Dept. Supt., Mrs. Flesher; 3rd Dept. Supt., Mrs. McNeely; 4th Dept. Supt. Grace White. Every one cordially invited to attend League and help to make the coming year the best year of league work.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarty are both quite sick at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Embry Finley entertained the young folks Tuesday night only a few were present on account of bad night but all report a nice time.

Mrs. Bill Armstrong is on the sick list this week.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitley is quite sick.

Mrs. Embry Finley has a new piano.

Come to Canyon to live.

Mrs. Charlotte Sophia Park.

Mrs. Charlotte Sophia Park, daughter of James and Lucy Angell, was born in Woodville, Mississippi, April 21, 1840, and departed this life November 23, 1919. Between these date lines, including the period of nearly 80 years, she lived and moved and had her being among men. And if living, in its highest and best sense, means to love righteousness, to practice every Christian virtue, and to devote one's time and talent to the comfort and well-being of humanity for Jesus' sake, then truly it may be said this good woman really lived. Her parents were devout Methodists of the strongest type. They therefore gave her not only the very best mental training possible in the days of her childhood and youth, but, better still, they gave her that religious training which, if heeded, always results in the purest and loftiest Christian character. Early in life she gave herself to Jesus Christ and accepted him for all that he could mean to human life. She joined the M. E. Church, South, and lived in its communion and rejoiced in its fellowship all the days of her life on earth. While she was yet a little child her parents came from Mississippi to Texas and settled in Galveston. It was in this city she was married to Mr. E. Huke, at the beginning of the Civil War. She accompanied her husband to his regimental camp in West Texas. Mr. Huke died of yellow fever in Galveston in the year 1863. To this union one son was born, who still survives. She was married the second time to Mr. M. S. Park in the year 1870. This marriage was blessed with five children. For nearly fifty years these servants of God lived together, mingling in each other's sorrows and sharing each other's joys until her work on earth was ended. Mother Park was a woman of strong mind. In the best sense she was a talented woman, and all her talents were consecrated to the service of her Lord. She loved music and was gifted in it. Through nearly all her Christian life she served the Church as organist, either for the Sunday School or Church, or both. And truly it may be said she did this service unselfishly, and only for the glory of God. She loved the Church, and was always planning and working for the advancement of the kingdom of God. In the Church and in the home she served her Lord faithfully. Twenty-seven years ago she came with her husband to the Panhandle of Texas. They settled a ranch seven miles southeast of Amarillo, where they lived until she passed away. They united with the Church here, when Amarillo was just a village. Together they took part in all the growth and development of the Church. They rejoiced in its triumphs, and sorrowed in its seeming defeats. Eternity alone will tell the good accomplished by this faithful servant of God. Her name and memory in Amarillo is as the sweetest perfume. Part of the reward for faithful service came to her while she lived on earth. All who knew Mother Park loved her. The heart of her husband safely trusted in her. Her children, five sons and one daughter, rise up to call her blessed. For Jesus' sake she lived for them, and their lives do honor to her memory. She has gone to her reward. We weep because of our loss, but rejoice in the fact of her triumph. And also, in the further fact, that she leaves to her loved ones and friends, and the Church she loved so well, the priceless heritage of the memory of a life spent in the service of our Lord. We rejoice in hope of seeing her again crowned with glory in the kingdom of God.—J. W. Story, Amarillo, Texas.

Taking Stock.

(By Phebe K. Warner in Star-Telegram.)
Now is the time when every business firm in the country is invoicing their goods. Balancing bills, adding up the year's expenses and the gross receipts; subtracting, dividing and multiplying to find the year's profit and loss. It's a wonderful process, this invoicing is. You not only discover the profit and loss in your business but you discover what has been in demand and what has not. Now here is a shelf or a bottle that is almost empty. Everybody wanted some of that, while the corners and the out-of-way places are full of things that have lost favor with the public. Perhaps they have gone out of fashion. Even pills and cough syrup go out of fashion. They may be just as good as ever; but that makes no difference. The same kind of a pill may have been yellow coated last year and pink coated this year. We want the pink coated one now. The American people demand the latest in everything from a pink pellet to a skyscraper. That's progress. That's America all over. That's why we are the greatest nation in the world. So much for the business world. It is the only way to keep advancing. It is the only way to keep

building bigger and better year after year.

Now, how about us women and our business? Oh yes, we do have a business! The business of home-making and child rearing is the biggest business in the world; and besides this, there is the business of being a woman in which every one of us should be engaged. How long since you invoiced your home business? What has it cost you to run your business this year? Have you any idea what you have spent? Have the things you bought been worth their price to you? Have your investments for your home and family been good ones or bad ones? What are you out of that you need? What have you left over that you do not need? One of the most common conditions in the American home is an absolute dearth of everything new and up-to-date that is necessary to make home life interesting, attractive and successful, and a compilation of wornout, out-of-date, useless rubbish that ought to be burned or buried. There are homes in our land, plenty of them, where there has been but one new piece of furniture added to the household supplies since Heck was a pup and the first born was a baby, and that was a high chair.

There are many reasons for these conditions. Too many to enumerate here; but the effect is one of the most blighting influences in the lives of our American women. The American woman has the same grade of blood coursing through her veins as the American man. For this simple reason she is happier when she is advancing, when she is developing her business year by year and can see an advance of values surrounding her. There are just two ways we women can improve our business. One is by addition, the other is by elimination. The first will call for cash at a high mark this year, but the second won't cost us anything but a little decision and execution. What a grand thing it would be for our Nation if every woman would invoice her home business this month and start her home out this year on a strictly business basis! But how can she? That is a subject for another book.

Then there are the children. Have you invoiced them? No, we do not mean taking the family census, although it is time for that this year. But some one else will be paid to do that for you. Have your children gained or lost the past year? Are they stronger physically and mentally than they were a year ago? Are they more useful? If not, there is something wrong with your business and you would better make a thorough investigation. Do their eyes, ears, nose, teeth or throat need something? Maybe their noses and throats are clogged up with adenoids and tonsils that ought to be removed. How much of yourself, your time, your thought and money have you invested in the children this year? Have you been repaid in pride and pleasure or has it been a loss? There is so much to be invoiced in the business of homemaking and child rearing. It would be a good idea if the fathers would help the mothers in this business. They, too, would make many interesting discoveries.

The Standard last week received an invoice for print paper, purchased at the "best possible price," which was billed at the highest figure ever paid by us—and fully 50 per cent higher than "war-time" prices. At that, we were glad to get it, for though the price was 9c, print paper is selling at 13c and higher in the East, with publishers in a mad scramble to secure what they can. Papers already forced to suspend include the St. Louis Republic, one of the oldest papers in the

MICKIE SAYS



mid-west. Nearer home, the Orange Daily Leader has suspended, and among the nearer by-weekly papers, the Bangs Enterprise and the Granbury Herald have chronicled their own demise. The Coleman Democrat-Voice announces an increase in its advertising rates from 25c to 30c per inch, effective at once, and states that under no circumstances will the paper be published with more than 12 pages, and, whenever possible, less pages will be used. The Santa Anna News announces an increase in advertising rates from 20c to 25c. Newspapers are faced with a double danger—a fight for paper, and fight for existence. Only those who ask and receive a price above material and operating costs will be left when the smoke of exorbitant print paper charges has cleared.—Brady Standard.

Scrub Chickens.

Glen Rose Reporter: We note with pride that many of our progressive farmers have already ordered and received some very fine thoroughbred chickens. This, according to our way of thinking, is one of the best steps yet toward the road of progress. Time is at hand when people are becoming more interested each year in better chickens, better hogs and better stocks of every variety. The day is not far away when there will be but few of the "scrub" variety left around Glen Rose.

Dallas News.—Scrub stock are inadequate to supply the world's meat today. We have passed out of the scrub era, just as we have passed out of the parched corn era, the copperas plants era and the goosequill pen era. Once it was so that the sorriest meat animal could be maintained, without expense by letting it run on free range is almost gone today, and to maintain a scrub on expensive pasture or costly fodder is tantamount to feeding ribbon cane syrup to a bumble-bee—it simply doesn't pay and is a foolish sacrifice of labor and materials. There are, to be sure, various opinions concerning fancy breeds of chickens. Some Jeffersonian poultry raisers insist that the old-fashioned dunghill hen is the best layer and the most dependable setter. Others, more modern-minded, flout this statement, and most of them prove their contentions that an "all-purpose" hen may do very well for all-purposes, but if you want eggs you must get a layer, and if you want meat you must get a fatter. Some chickens

are like some men in that they remain tough and stringy regardless of their intake. Certain it is that there are razorbacks in the poultry realm as well as in the pork domain, and certain it is that people who fool away time and grain upon scant producers throw away too large a portion of their labor and capital. Let's have better chickens and more eggs. There should be eggs enough everywhere to give each person three for his or her breakfast every morning.

Ring True.

Don't be what you ain't,
Jes' be what you is,
If you is not what you am,
Then you am not what you is.

If you're just a little tadpole,
Don't try to be a frog,
If you're just the tail,
Don't try to wag the dog.

You can always pass the plate,
If you can't exhort and preach,
If you're just a little pebble,
Don't try to be the beach.

Don't be what you ain't
Jes be what you is,
For the man who plays it square,
Is a-going to get "his".
—Unidentified.

Come to Canyon to live.

The new Labor party might add to its popularity among outsiders by adopting the slogan, "Let's all quit talking and go to work."—Topeka State Journal.

Come to Canyon to live.

SUPERINTENDENT OF ROADS BELIEVED IN ADVERTISING

Straightened Out Six Months Trouble Through Reading Ad.

J. A. Carr, County Supt. of Roads, tells how, after six months of backache, he read an advertisement for Doan's Kidney Pills and found the remedy he needed. He says:

"For six or eight months I had some trouble with my back and kidneys. My back was sore and stiff a great deal of the time and mornings when I first got up it was especially so. My kidneys were very weak and acted entirely too often. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised with such good results that I began using them. Right from the start I was relieved and they seemed to fix my kidneys up and relieve me of all the soreness in my back."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply fr a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Carr had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Car Colorado of Mill Bran Run

For Sale at Retail

PANHANDLE GRAIN & ELEVATOR CO.

Phone 285

Announcement



We wish to announce to our many friends and customers that we are in receipt of advice from our Ready-to-Wear people that we will receive during the first week of February, our line of Spring Suits and Spring Dresses. This line has been selected with utmost care and we believe that our spring showings will be a most pleasant surprise to you in both styles and prices.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR LINE BEFORE BUYING.

Redfearn & Co.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gouldy and little son spent Sunday in Amarillo with Mrs. Gouldy's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gano returned Friday from Estelene where they were called by the death of a brother-in-law. Mrs. Gregory will remain for several days with her daughter.

Miss Era Walker of Wolf City spent a few days in the city this week visiting with old friends. She has now gone to Plainview where she will be the guest of friends there for some time.

Mrs. S. H. Heyser left for St. Louis Monday to buy the new goods for the Variety Store.

Mrs. J. B. Huber and Mrs. Frank Parsley of Miami, Texas were Canyon callers this week.

W. H. Lewis and family arrived Monday from Colorado where they have been living for a year or more, and will make their future home in Randall county. Mr. Lewis sold his house in the east end before leaving and has not yet bought a place. He recently bought land in the east end from L. G. Conner.

C. F. Walker was in the Umberger community yesterday in the interest of the Randall County Pig Club.

O. N. Gamble left Saturday for the St. Louis market to buy goods for the Canyon Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGonigal of Amarillo spent Monday at the E. W. Reid home.

Dr. Ingham has a new Paige. He sold his old car to A. J. Arnold.

S. B. McClure, W. R. Piper and J. A. Cheatham drove to Dumas Monday to look at land.

E. F. Arnold of Happy was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. Arnold will be remembered as the man who made the 50 bushel per acre wheat this year. He states that he will have in about 500 acres of wheat this year, and that the prospects are better now for a good wheat crop than it was at this time last year. Mr. Arnold bought more land during last fall, paying \$50 per acre for a fine farm adjoining his home.

Rev. Wm Garner left Friday for Coleman where he attended the annual convocation of the Episcopal church.

Mrs. L. Angel left Saturday for Mineral Wells where she expects to remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Adra Garrison has bought a home in Amarillo and left Saturday to make her home in that city. She recently sold her home in Canyon to Amarillo parties.

Mrs. B. S. Livingston was taken to Amarillo Saturday for an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Livingston reported yesterday that she was getting along nicely since the operation.

E. P. Stock of Oaks, N. D., was in the city this week looking after his interests near the city. He is well pleased with conditions he finds here and may move to Randall county during the coming year. He returned home Tuesday.

Rev. Lindley of Tulia was in the city Tuesday on his way home from Hereford.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in social session with Mrs. Shaw Tuesday afternoon. The ladies were entertained in Japanese style. The Japanese custom of receiving guests at afternoon tea and the method of making tea was shown by several ladies dressed in Japanese costumes. Candy, tea and cakes were served after which stunts were given to win some beautiful candy bows made by Mrs. Shaw.

Billie Gouldy is visiting in Amarillo with his grandparents this week.

Sanford Black and Louis Foster have gone to Ft. Worth and Wolf City for a week's visit.

R. O. C. Brumley was in Dumas last week on business.

R. S. Pipkin and J. M. Redfearn spent Monday in Amarillo on business.

Miss Jimmie Bellah spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bellah at Ralph.

Dolf Burrows and wife, nee Miss Jo VanSant, of Miami, were guests Sunday at the Worth A. Jennings home. Mrs. J. M. VanSant returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Burrows where she will visit for several weeks.

LOCAL NEWS

Jimmie Claybrook and Mr. Dodson of Amarillo were in the city Sunday visiting with friends.

Pres. J. A. Hill will return to Austin next Tuesday to be present at a meeting of the state educators and boards of regents called by the Governor.

R. A. Bellah returned last week from a several week's trip to Decatur, Ft. Worth and Bowie.

Geo. Simms of Panhandle spent a few days this week in the city with home folks.

O. B. Burnett and son, Lucian, of Dumas spent a few days of last week at the home of R. O. C. Brumley.

Mrs. Geo. Simms spent last week in Panhandle with Mr. Simms.

There will be a called meeting of the Eastern Star Lodge Thursday evening at 6:45 for the purpose of initiating new members. Refreshments will be served after the initiation.

W. R. Piper and J. A. Cheatham were in Dimmitt one day this week on business.

Mesdames McElroy and Fogerson of Happy were Canyon callers one day this week.

W. R. Piper left Wednesday for his home at Denton for a few week's visit.

Miss Mabel Shelton will return Sunday to Amarillo to renew her work in the business college.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cheatham spent Wednesday in Amarillo on business.

Wilford Taylor drove to Amarillo yesterday.

Jim Blair and D. R. Burns from the northeast part of the county were in town Saturday looking after business.

S. B. McClure and J. A. Cheatham were callers in Amarillo Monday.

S. B. McClure drove to Amarillo yesterday.

Judge C. R. Flesher was an Amarillo business caller Monday.

Mr. Witt, of the firm of Nagel & Rollins of Dallas, was in the city Saturday figuring on the engineering work of the Deaf Smith County road. Mr. Rollins of this firm is a brother of A. S. Rollins, a former citizen of Canyon.

Jack Jones was an Amarillo caller Friday.

W. J. Flesher and family spent Sunday in Happy with relatives.

G. R. Ballard of Happy spent Sunday in the city with home folks.

Walter and Avis Kirkpatrick were in Happy Sunday spending the day with friends.

W. J. Flesher is spending this week in Ft. Worth and Dallas looking after important business.

Grady Holland spent Friday in Amarillo.

Misses Helen Croson and Mildred Redfearn were in from their school work at Dumas Saturday and Sunday visiting with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruce of Adrian spent Friday with Canyon friends.

Mark Foster was an Amarillo caller Friday.

Mrs. Ollie Merchant left Friday for her home at Plainview after spending some time with Canyon friends.

Miss Mattie Kirk, who is teaching at Pampa, spent the past week-end with relatives in Canyon.

Vayne Bentley of Amarillo spent Sunday here with home folks.

William Younger of Dumas spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with friends.

Mrs. Joe Foster was an Amarillo shopper Monday.

Mrs. O. Baker left Thursday for Amarillo to join her husband where they will make their future home.

W. L. Browning and C. E. Long were in Amarillo Thursday transacting business.

Mrs. O. B. Vaughn of Cisco is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Florence Scott.

The flu is said to be raging in many towns. There is no use to get scared. The epidemic is not as bad as last year, and with proper care the patient is in but little danger.

Come to Canyon to live.

LOCALS

Miss Nannie Johnson returned Sunday to her work in Amarillo after having been at home sick with la grippe for two weeks.

The Baptist ladies met with Mrs. Dufflot Tuesday afternoon in a Missionary problem. Subject, Survey of the Home Mission Field; topic, "Challenges of Blessings." There was a good attendance and the meeting was greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. P. V. Winstead has been sick during the past few days and unable to take her place at the News office.

Mrs. T. V. Reeves left today for her home in Memphis after a few days visit at the Mrs. M. C. Reeves home, and in Roswell. Mr. Reeves was here a few days last week.

Attention, Soldiers, Sailors, Marines. Did you receive a disability in Uncle Sam's service?

A representative of the Federal Board for Vocational Education will be at the Amarillo Hotel in Amarillo, Texas, on Feb. 4th to 9th inclusive, to explain just what the Government is doing for men who receive vocational handicaps in military service. After talking to this representative if you are eligible for this vocational training and decide to accept it he will go over your particular problem with you and help you select some course of training that will fit you for a gainful occupation. There is nothing military about this training; it is just a chance offered disabled men to be successful in life in spite of their handicaps. Don't forget the dates, Feb. 4th, to 9th, inclusive.

The Methodist Church. Rev. Simeon Shaw, Sr., Pastor. Saturday night at 7 p. m. at the church The Epworth League will give an entertainment. A splendid program will be rendered. Both musical and literary. Every body invited. Refreshments will be served free to all. Sunday 9:30—Sunday School. 10:45—Preaching by pastor—Holy Communion. 3:30 p. m.—Junior League. 6:30 p. m.—Preaching by pastor, sermon to young men. Subject, "Ham". 7:45 p. m.—Senior League. Come early and you can get a seat.

Presbyterian Services. Rev. T. P. Holfield of the Clovis Presbyterian Church will preach Sunday morning and evening at the Presbyterian church. Every member of the church is urged to be present and invite some friend to come out and hear him. We are expecting everyone to do his duty in giving encouragement to these services.

T. C. THOMPSON, Chairman Board of Elders, C. H. JARRETT, Chairman Board of Deacons.

Flu Getting Bad. The flu is getting bad in many parts of the country. It is reported that Claude has 150 cases and Hereford 250 cases. There have been a few cases in Canyon but fortunately the cases are not so severe as the epidemic of last year. The people are taking every precaution, but there is no use getting scared over the situation. Very few deaths have been reported in any section of the country.

Get that auto top or side curtains fixed up now before the cold weather catches you. THOMPSON HARDWARE CO. tf.

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The United States Army is offering three free trip to Washington, D. C., in an essay contest which is being conducted by the schools.

Besides these prizes, the business houses of Canyon are offering prizes to the winners in Randall county as follows:

First National Bank, \$20.00
First State Bank, \$5.00
Gouldy Furniture and Undertaking Company, 3 prizes.
Canyon City Supply Company, pair of shoes
Olympic Theatre, two weeks' free admission
Thompson Hardware Company, one prize
Information regarding the contest may be had at either the public school building, or at the training school.

Umberger News. Mr. Stocker was in Canyon Thursday.

Clem Friemel and family, E. J. Friemel and Paul Artho spent Sunday afternoon with Skypola's.

Mr. Gandy was a Canyon caller on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. West, the night operator at the depot, left last Thursday or Deming, N. M.

Mrs. Beckman and son, Henry were Canyon callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hufstelder and little daughter, Virginia were in Amarillo last Saturday.

Miss Roxy McCann was called to her home at Canyon Saturday on account of the illness of her three-year-old niece, who is better now and Miss McCann has resumed her work.

E. J. Friemel called at the Fritz Friemel home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oglesby spent Sunday at her parental home.

Mr. Podzemny killed hogs this week for himself and Thornton's.

Mr. Beckman was in Canyon Thursday and Saturday.

Mr. Hollenstein and E. J. Friemel were in Canyon Friday.

Williams' have finished threshing and the thresher is now moving to John Bedink's.

Umberger school has another new pupil this week, Miss Louis Wick.

H. Beckman and Fred were in Canyon Thursday.

If you are ashamed of your guests don't report them to the News. Otherwise, phone 41. tf

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Loans	\$186,744.24	Capital	\$ 32,000.00
Liberty Bonds, Cert. of Indebt. and W. S. Stamps	51,946.32	Surplus and Profits	9,233.48
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00	Money Borrowed	NONE
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund	2,154.52	DEPOSITS	293,907.76
Assessment Guar. Fund	66.46		
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank	1,000.00		
CASH & EXCHANGE	134,279.70		
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Venture in Democracy.
 There was quite a bit of excitement among the Normal girls Saturday as they scanned the bulletin board to see to what tea-party they had been invited. The lists of guests for each tea party were posted on the bulletin board and each guest accepted thru her hostess, there being a student hostess for each tea-party.
 The tea parties were under the direction of the Y. W. C. A., the object being to promote friendliness among the girls and to get acquainted with the women of the town and—just to have a tea party.
 Our next issue will publish the complete list of those who attended the tea party and the interesting happenings.
 —From The Prairie.

The B. Y. P. U. Social.
 The B. Y. P. U. social given by the young people at the Baptist shack on Saturday evening, January 24, was a decided success. The program opened with a bag-of-beans-get-acquainted contest. Before the contest was half over each one was acquainted with every other one present. Paul Johnson came out winner, for he was the first to get rid of his bag of beans. The many games and spelling matches were led by Misses Thompson, Fronabarger, and Johnson. All followed Miss Graham's advice given in chapel Saturday morning: "Take part in all the games and don't ask for a second helping". However, it was not necessary to ask for a second helping, there was an abundance of punch for all and some was felt. This delightful evening was brought to a hurried close by all preset trying to go thru one small door at the same time, in an effort to answer the cries of "Fire, fire! Help, help!"
 —From The Prairie.

Normal Defeats Clovis.
 The fast Clovis team went down in defeat before the on-rushing score of the Normal five. The main feature of the game was the excellent team-work displayed by both teams. While the score stood close at times, the Normal team was never threatened with defeat. The marked improvement of the team over last game was evidenced by both the scores and


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number of personal fouls made. Key and Hill were the stars for the Normal team. The students rose time after time to cheer their skillful goal throws. Key threw 3 field goals and 4 free goals, while Hill threw 6 field goals. Crow and How are were stars for Clovis. The other members of the Canyon team who did excellent playing were Perry at center, Simms and Golden at guard.
 As a result of the game the school feels confident of a victory when the team plays the return game with Roswell Military Institute.
 —From The Prairie.

B. F. SISK TO HEAD THE BIG SUMMER SCHOOL

Superintendent B. F. Sisk of the city schools is in receipt of a letter from President J. A. Hill of the West Texas State Normal College at Canyon appointing him conductor of the summer normal at that college this summer. The normal for the summer begins June 8 and continues ten weeks.

Something of the importance of the position can be judged from the fact that Canyon is the site of the second largest summer school among the state normals, the attendance at Denton along exceeding it. Something like a thousand students will be enrolled, provided this summer maintains the records of previous years.

Mr. Sisk has been a member of the summer school faculty of West Texas State Normal for the past three summers, having charge of work in English literature. Last summer he added courses in American literature. Mr. Sisk was formerly a member of the English faculty at the University of Texas.

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Normal College is Praised.
The Texas School Journal for January says:

"The growth of the West Texas State Normal College is one of the wonders of Texas educational work. That school is one of the very few normal colleges of the land that has not lost students in these days when the excitement to teach is fast fading away. I think I am giving the facts when I say that the enrollment of the school is the largest in its history. How do we account for so strange an educational fact? Well, now, it might be one thing and it might be another and it might be several; but my own view is that it is chiefly President Hill's vision of what a normal college should be and of what it should do for its students. President Hill believes, first of all, that a normal college should be a real college and do its work in a real college way. Out in the great undeveloped empire where the educational powers have put him there is double ground for his holding to such a belief. It is highly important in such a world that students who came to the college be made to feel that they have come to a real college and not a mere high school. There is therefore a growing college atmosphere in the West Texas State Normal College and the students are lifted up an enthused by the same. The work in the classrooms is not organized on a milk and toast basis. It is assumed that folks who offers themselves for training as teachers have some brains and the assumption is highly stimulating to the students in the school. The psychology of this is apparent to all. Inoculate people with the idea that they are capable of thinking about big things and of performing hard tasks and the first thing you know they are doing both. The ability to do comes largely from the feeling that you can do. All about the West Texas State Normal College one sees expressions of the feeling that we are here to do things. Work? You never saw a harder working student body anywhere. I was up for a week of lectures not long since and the lectures were designed primarily for the upper classes but to my surprise I found all grades of students eagerly coming every day to hear a scientific discussion of the problems of modern education and they came notwithstanding the enormous amount of regular work they were carrying on. It never occurred to a one of them that they did not have brains enough to think about and understand the larger aspects of educational work and as for the extra work necessary to enable them to attend the lectures why that was a part of the game.

"Yes, I think it is the college idea and atmosphere that is helping to

make West Texas State Normal College a great school. Of course in working out his vision President Hill is up against the thing every normal college president in the land has to meet and that is the finding and keeping of men and women of college calibre in the faculty. During my visit I mingled quite a bit with members of that faculty and I spent a good many hours in the classrooms watching the teachers in action. What I saw made me feel good. There was a live-wire element in the work. I did not see or hear a single scholastic phonograph, though there may have been one or more hidden away somewhere. The marvel is that, in the face of the salaries paid, we find as many men and women of ability as we do in our normal colleges. When the state once sees that of all teachers those who are called to train the teachers of our children should be teachers above all others our normal colleges will have money enough to select the best and the best will also feel that the most glorious position in all the field of teaching is the one where the privilege of training the teachers of the children is found.

There are many particular things that I might point out about the work of the West Texas State Normal College but the purpose of this little article is so say a few words about the big idea which I think is making for the success of the college."

HOUSTON GIRL HEADS "U" WORLD PAGEANT PLANNING

Miss Edith Cousins, daughter of R. B. Cousins, 407 Westmoreland avenue, formerly president of the West Texas State Normal, is chairman of the world fellowship committee of the Young Women's Christian Association of the University of Texas. This committee is planning a world fellowship pageant to be given in the spring, the purpose of which is to inform students in an attractive way about other nations and to interest them in other peoples. Open forums will also be held on different countries, conducted by recognized authorities on these countries.

The Y. W. C. A. of the university is the largest organization on the campus, and its work reaches every girl in school. It is governed by a cabinet consisting of the officers and the chairmen of the various committees, and these committees include almost every girl in school.

Miss Cousins was student life secretary of the Y. W. C. A. at the West Texas State Normal College in the 1919 summer session, and expects to become a Y. W. C. A. secretary in some foreign country after her work is completed. She is a member of the student volunteer band, the organization of students intending to do

Christian work in foreign lands, and is vice president of the organization. She is also vice president of the Panhandle club, and is a member of Sidney Lanier society, of Reed Music society and the Visor, a secret honor society. She will take the degree of bachelor of arts in June, 1929, and is doing her major work in English. She has been on the honor roll every term since she entered the university. She graduated from the Normal at Canyon before entering the university.—Houston Post.

Article Ten.

Springfield Republican: One of the most curious of misunderstandings has centered about the reservation to Article 10 adopted by the Senate. The real popular strength of this reservation has been based on the feeling that Article Ten threatened to destroy the constitutional power of Congress to make decisions as between war or peace. But no treaty can override the Constitution, as Supreme Court decisions long since established. Furthermore, the friends of the league have at no time contended that Congress' rights under the Constitution should be curtailed. The friends of the league have all along been ready to accept a reservation to Art. 10 declaratory of the constitutional supremacy of Congress in declaring war. One trouble with the reservation finally adopted by the Senate, shaped no doubt to appease the "bit-ter-enders" in irreconcilable opposition, is that it does more than safeguard the rights of Congress; it seeks to weaken the legitimate powers of the Executive, and fails even to tell the truth as to the long-established practices of our Government.

A Family of Fatalities.

Dick Crie, a printer who worked for the Record editor at Slaton some eighteen months ago, was shot and killed at El Paso Friday night, Jan. 2, in a very peculiar way. Dick had enlisted in the army and was stationed at Camp Courchene, just north of El Paso.

A man had accused Crie and another soldier of misconduct, and Sam Stepp, constable of the Smelter precinct, and a special officer went to arrest them. In the gun fight which followed Stepp was shot twice in the abdomen and once in the right wrist. He then shot Crie thru the heart. Crie died almost at once, and Stepp died later in a hospital.

Dick Crie's father was one of the

pioneer newspapermen of the Plain. He published the Tahoka News until about two years ago when he retired. About three years ago Dick's sister was accidentally killed by her husband while they were cleaning a shotgun, the load tearing her heart in two. About eighteen months ago Jas. Crie, an older brother and former printer, lost his life at Hedley, N. M., where

he was working for a mining company as clerk, by falling into a vat and being scalded to death.

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B		2	4	8	3	4	5	4	2	7	4	1	3	47
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War Medals are causing a merry little war in Congress. War Medals are usually a punk affair. One day in October the shelling was unusually hot. A truck driver crawled under his machine for safety. A high officer came along and demanded why the diver was thus. Presence of mind assured the officer that a piece of shrapnel had put the truck out of commission and the driver was getting it fixed ready to go to the front. The driver got a D. S. C. Not all medals were procured that way by any means but too many of them. Every fellow who had to face the shot and shell of battle deserves a D. S. C. but it depended altogether upon who happened along at the right time as to who got the medal.

According to latest dispatches General Pershing has intimated a willingness to accept the republican nomination. If so, there will be a merry race. The two million men who were in France, officers and enlisted men alike, swore vengeance while in France upon the commanding general should he ever offer for the presidency. Will these two million have forgotten this vow by election time, and instead of reeking vengeance, extend honor to their former commander? Evidently Frank Hitchcock believes that they will, for he was in France and heard the mean things that were said about the general. We shall see what we shall see.

Hoover says that Europe needs to go to work, rather than get another loan from this country. Hoover might readily have advised the people of the United States to go to work and the high cost of living would drop. Men are making more today and doing less than ever in the history of America. And the more most men make, the more they spend. America needs to work hard and save thriftily for about six months, and conditions will quickly right themselves.

The meeting of the Swine Breeders Association in Canyon last week was the biggest and best in the history of the organization. Of course Canyon is proud of the fact that the meeting was such a success. We are proud of the fact that the visitors were so highly pleased with the entertainment provided. We hope the organization continues to grow in number and in strength, and will make Canyon another visit in the near future.

W. J. B. is making a fearful attempt to play lead horse once more. Bryan played that role so long that it is not easy to give up the idea that he is a considerable chunk of cheese. If Bryan had been leading, America would not have gone to war, the allies would have been whipped, and we would have been fighting Germany by ourselves some day. Bryan is not a safe leader. He goes off at a tangent too often.

Holland rose up in all her dignity and told the allies that she was going to protect Kaiser Bill from the proposed tried. Of course the allies can get him if they want him, but no doubt he will remain where he is for some little time. The world has great troubles to attend to just now.

The Criminal Court of Appeals has killed the section of the State Highway bill prohibiting the glare lights on cars. The auto owner can use as glaring a headlight as he pleases in Texas, according to this court, but a handsome fine will be tacked on if the owner drives into most any other state.

The women of Randall County who want to vote must pay their poll tax before Saturday night of this week.

Come to Canyon to live.

PANHANDLE SWINE BREEDERS MEETING A SUCCESS
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thank the Business Men's League, the Normal faculty, and especially the young ladies who served us so royally last night, for the great entertainment they have given us during this meeting, the citizenship as a whole have given us a hearty welcome that will make the meeting of 1926 at Canyon a green spot in our memory for years to come, and I am sure if Canyon ever cares to have us back at any future time all she would have to do would be to enter the race and all others would be put in the "also run" column.

In the business meeting which followed the association passed a motion requiring the enforcement of the law which requires thirty day quarantine and double treatment vaccination against cholera for all shipments of hogs. It was pointed out that all hogs which come through the stock yards in the regular manner will be handled in this way and avoid the risk of bringing in cholera. In Childress County the County Commissioners Court has passed a special law of this kind to apply to all shipments of hogs coming into that county.

The association also indorsed the simultaneous treatment of all herds of hogs within the state as soon as the young have reached the proper age, for the purposes of completely eradicating hog cholera.

The officers of the association for the ensuing year are:

- President—R. E. Prewitt, Happy, Texas.
- 1st. Vice President—John Knight, Canyon, Texas.
- 2nd. Vice President—Fred W. Boerner, Lubbock, Texas.
- Directors—G. W. Brumley, Hereford, Texas; W. B. Mulkey, Quanah, Texas.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Lubbock some time next spring, so that the benefit of the meeting may be secured for different parts of the Panhandle territory.

The sale of pure bred hogs in the afternoon was very well attended. Col. McCrerey, Wayside, took the bids. Twenty bred sows were offered, and sold for an average of \$225.00. The top price was \$500.00. Prof. Ives bought three young gilts as foundation stock for the Normal College herd. Our local breeders expect to have a good sale of stock from their own herds next spring.

G. D. Walker living in the south part of the county bought the top Poland China sow for \$500 and C. A. Price bought the top Duroc Jersey Sow for \$450.

Hon. Fred W. Davis, Commissioner of Agriculture, did not reach Canyon until late in the afternoon Thursday. He spoke to a small audience that afternoon and again at night. His address was full of ideas concerning questions which the American farmers must answer in the near future. He said in part:

"There are two consumers of food for each producer in the population of the United States today. It is no man's moral or patriotic duty to produce food at a loss that others may live at less expense. The world must pay the farmers the cost of production and a fair business profit in his investment, as determined by accurate accounting. Many cotton manufacturers have admitted making enormous profits during the past few years. The speculator on farm products is not generally responsible for the high prices to the consumer. Staple products must simply be stored on the farm until the market needs and requires them. Perishable products must be dried. Livestock must be slaughtered locally.

We shall ask the next state legis-

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lature to enlarge the duties of the county weighers and make them cotton graders as well. We shall also try to make a more perfect pure seed law. We need a plant quarantine act to keep out serious crop diseases.

Permanent agricultural prosperity is just as necessary for the perpetuity of the government of the United States as is our educational system.

FRED H. IVES, Reporter.

Notes From Wayside.

Quite a few on the sick list this week. J. W. McCrerey and wife and Marvelle, Mrs. D. L. Adams has been quite indisposed for some weeks and still in bed. Has had mumps and other complications. Mrs. H. H. Gillham and D. Gillham are quite sick at present.

Miss Bonnie Adams who has been sick with mumps at Plainview for nearly a week was able to come home on Monday. Loyce Gillham met her at Happy and brought her out.

Mrs. Docia Baker of Happy came out Monday on the mail car to visit with J. W. McCrerey and family.

J. S. and W. J. Sluder left Monday morning to attend to business at Canyon, Amarillo and Claude.

J. C. Payne and M. L. McGehee left Saturday morning for Amarillo, spending Saturday night in Canyon, returning Sunday night.

Friends of Mrs. Eliza Marquis, who lived in Armstrong county a few years since, but now of Altica, Indiana will sympathize with her on learning she has suffered excruciatingly with facial neuralgia for twelve weeks. Last report she was under treatment of a Chiropractor and some improvement noted. She is now in Veedersborough. Her brother, Charlie Fogerson still suffers in the same way and has for thirty years.

Misses Pixler and Schweizer closed services at Sunny Hill Sunday night and are visiting at Wayside for a while.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers has improved in health beyond expectations. Mrs. E. P. Bradford is no better, has been confined to her bed since August 1st.

Wm. and Emma Payne, with Mesdames Lane, McGehee and Sluder called on Mother Bradford Sunday afternoon.

Good sewing machines to sell, rent or trade.—Atkins Furniture & Stoves Company. 414

Plainview District Meeting.
 A Conservation Program will be held in the local Methodist church for the Plainview District February 9 and 10. The first meeting will be on the evening of the 9th. The following will be the program:
 7:00—Address on stewardship of life and property.
 Morning Session, Feb. 10—
 9:00—Devotional exercises.
 9:30—General statement concerning conservation program.
 10:00—Stewardship and tithing.
 10:30—Value of the Minute Men.
 11:00—Spiritual resources, intercession.
 11:30—Church-wide revival.
 Afternoon session—
 1:30—Devotional.
 2:00—(a) Conference treasurer and conference cabinet; (b) District cabinet and its functions; (c) Local church treasury and cabinet; (d) Round table on the above topics, led by missionary secretary.
 3:00—Conference with preachers and laymen with presiding elder.
 4:00—Call to life and time enlistment for service.
 4:00—Value of specials in the financial plan.
 5:00—Report of committees.
 7:00—Address: "Evangelism" followed by stereopticon lecture on the European situation.
 Nearly fifty delegates from the churches of the Plainview District will be in Canyon for this meeting.

Card of Thanks.
 To our beloved pastor, friends and neighbors who so lovingly did all in their power to help in every way possible in the sickness and death of our dear one, and for the beautiful floral offerings, we return our heartfelt thanks. When sorrow comes to them, as sooner or later it must come to all, may they find friends as willing to help as we have found.
 MRS. DUNAWAY and CHILDREN.

Card of Thanks.
 We wish to thank those friends who so kindly assisted during the sickness and death of our child and infant brother, and for the floral offerings which meant so much to us.
 MR. AND MRS. WM SCHMITZ, AND CHILDREN

Conan Doyle says he believes "there may be alcohol in the next world," but we'd like to know particularly which one he refers to.—Colum-

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THOMPSON HARDWARE CO.

(By R. Kenneth Evans.)

Canyon is rapidly gaining the reputation of being one of the leading Commercial Centers of the Panhandle due to the high class business institutions which are maintained here and the spirit of progress which is displayed by its business men. Principle among these institutions and one which through the activity of its manager, T. C. Thompson, and the extensiveness of the store, has proven one of the most important factors in this development is the Thompson Hardware Company.

The Thompson Hardware store is one of the largest and completely stocked hardware institutions dealing in the Panhandle. Its entire business activity is not limited in any sense of the word to the Canyon territory as an extensive retail business to surrounding points is carried on from this store. The stock of merchandise carried is valued in the neighborhood of \$50,000 more or less as the seasons demand and includes, heavy and shelf hardware, from implements of all kinds, windmills, pumps, vehicles, harness saddles, stoves, ranges, etc., and an extensive and diversified stock of each.

The Thompson Hardware Company was established in Canyon in 1908 and since that time has continually grown and developed until it has attained the enviable position it now has in the commercial world. Mr. T. C. Thompson has constantly been a moving figure in civic things and as president of the Randall County Commercial League has done much for the development of this territory by the encouragement of trade trips, trades day and the many things that this commercial association is behind. In fact from the day Mr. Thompson first entered commercial life in Canyon he has taken an active interest in the development of the resources of this section and has conducted his business not only from the standpoint of making it a financial success but from the standpoint of making it a credit to the canyon county at large and to say he has succeeded is putting it mildly.

The large Thompson store has thirteen distinct and separate departments all complete in their line. These departments are shelf hardware, of which there is a very large stock, heavy hardware, windmills, pumps and pipe, implements and harvesting machinery of which there is an extensive stock and a machine for every line of work that the modern farmer wishes to indulge in. Wagons and vehicles, stoves and ranges, building materials and paint, wire and fencing, repair department which includes a very large stock of implement repairs. Tin shop, the making of tanks and general sheet metal work included in this department. Shop for making saddles, harness and auto tops and an extensive business is enjoyed along this line. Farm engines, all sizes and kinds and cream separators. In fact there is nothing that would be found in an up to date institution in the large cities but that is carried in stock by this institution.

The equipment of the store consists of machinery and tools for the making of harness, saddles and auto tops and the machinery necessary to the making of tanks, and general sheet metal work. There is a great demand for both these finished products and especially the tanks and saddles this being essentially a stock raising section.

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PUREBRED Rose-comb Red cockerels at \$2 to \$2.50 each. Also a few hens at \$1.25 each.—W. E. Armstrong Happy, Texas. 43p2

FOR SALE or TRADE—Buick car in good shape. See J. A. Hazelwood or Z. G. Fogerson. 42p3

FOR SALE—25 Plymouth Rock hens. Mrs. John Knight.

FEED FOR SALE—Maize, feterita, sorghum, 5 cents per bundle; sheaf oats 6 cents; delivered anywhere in town for cent per bundle extra. W. B. Hardin, south of College, phone 140. 43p2

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FOR SALE—500 bu. oats, one fresh milk cow and calf, one span 4 year old mules, well broke. G. R. Bader. 44p2

STRAYED—From my ranch north of Umbarger, 11 Hereford yearling heifers with double bar brand across butt. Information leading to their recovery will be highly appreciated and a liberal reward given. C. T. Word, Amarillo, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Seed spring barley and oats, see sample at First State Bank. Phone 156, B. S. Livingston. 44p2

FOR SALE—Adding Machine paper at the News office. Special price made on the case of 100 rolls. tf

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ROOMS FOR BOYS—The Baltimore Hotel will be taken over February 1st by the Gouldy Furniture & Undertaking Company. The building will be remodeled and refurbished, ready for occupancy February 15th. It is open exclusively for boys. Boys desiring rooms see H. W. Gouldy at the Gouldy Furniture & Undertaking Co.

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Orchestra Trip to Hereford Postponed
The trip of the Normal Orchestra to Hereford Monday was postponed on account of the flu being in that city. The members of the orchestra were getting into cars to make the trip when the message came calling off the entertainment.



W. L. Logan of Paducah, Texas visited chapel last Thursday, January 22. Mr. Logan is a representative of the Texas Agriculture and Mechanical College at College Station. Vester Hill, a student of the Normal was called home Tuesday, on account of the illness of his brother. Mrs. Mae Campbell of Lubbock was called to the bed side of her daughter Gladys, who is attending school here. We are glad to report her much improved.

Misses Arpie Allen, Ruth Jordan and Bernice Jones motored to Amarillo Monday.

The Normal student attendance at the different Sunday Schools on last Sunday was as follows:
Methodist—Boys 20, girls 45.
Baptist—Boys 21, girls 23.
Presbyterian—Boys 8, girls 10.
Church of Christ—Boys 7, girls 17.
Christian—Boys 8, girls 13.
Reverend and Mrs. Simeon Shaw were visitors in chapel last Friday morning.

At a meeting of the Cousins Literary Society Friday night, a challenge for a basket ball game was sent to the Antler Literary Society. The challenge was accepted and the game will be played in the near future.

The Freshmen met last Friday to elect a committee to assist the Freshman representative to the "Le Mirage" in getting in the needed Freshman material.

Miss Edna Graham entertained her Sunday School class in the Shaw apartments at Huntleigh Hall Monday evening.

Miss Nannie Johnson who has been detained in Canyon for a couple of weeks on account of illness, returned to her work in Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Misses Helen Croson and Mildred Redfearn, who are teaching at Dumas, were visitors at chapel last Saturday.

Velma Oliver, a student of the Normal, has gone home to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman and son, were the guests of Miss Edna Graham Sunday for dinner. All the girls at Huntleigh who are in Mr. Ackerman's classes, were entertained in Miss Graham's room after dinner.

Miss Elise Hall had as her weekend guest Miss Mary Hall of Amarillo.

Rev. T. P. Hallifield of Clovis, N. M. will preach at the Presbyterian church February, 1st, at 11 a. m. and also at 6:30 p. m.

Miss Abbie Graham will go to Floydada Saturday to speak on the social affairs of the community.

On Saturday night an interesting game of basket ball was played in the gymnasium between Clovis and Canyon. Canyon won by a score of 35 to 27.

The Normal orchestra had an engagement to play Monday night in Hereford, but the trip was called off at the last moment on account of the flu situation there.

The basket ball game was to have been played Monday night between Hereford and the Normal second team, was called off for the same reason.

The basket ball game Monday night between the first team of the training school and Tulia High ended in a score of 6 to 10 in favor of the training school.

Wallace McGehee of Lockney, who is en route to South America, stopped over last week to see his sisters, Helen and Lucy.

Misses Cassie Mathis and Lucy Harwell shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Stella Rusk, who is teaching in Hereford, spent the week-end with home folks in Canyon.

Oscar Easley returned to school Monday to resume his school work. George Wilmoth and Ralph Queen, who have been ill, went home Tuesday to recuperate.

The Training School and Freshmen

basket ball boys played a game Thursday night, the score being 23 to 7 in favor of the Freshmen.

Eighty-two new students have entered school this quarter.

The Antler Literary Society met last Friday evening in regular session. The program rendered took the form of a formal debate and informal discussion. In the midst of a very lively speech by one of the debaters a challenge was received from the Cousins Literary Society for a basket ball game. The challenge was immediately accepted. The date of the game is to be decided later.

Miss Mary Menieckie, who was called home on account of the illness of her sister, returned to school on Wednesday.

L. D. Taylor of Karker county has been in Canyon this week visiting his sick brother, Garland Taylor, whose physical condition is improving rapidly.

Misses Jamie Smith and Cassie Harris and Messrs. Clay and Clyde Goodwine went to the Palo Duro Canyon Monday. Mrs. Harris chaperoned the party.

On last Friday evening George Ritchie had a birthday dinner at the Canyon Cafe with the following guests present: Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark, Misses Pauline Brigham, Emma McClesky, Mary Morgan Brown, Jennie C. Ritchie and Mr. M. C. Boatright.

At a recent meeting of the Senior class, Miss Vivian Coffman was elected president for the winter quarter.

President Hill is planning to attend the National Council of Normal School presidents to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, on February 21-22. At that meeting he will serve as a member of the committee on resolutions.

During President Hill's recent visit to Austin, the Panhandle Club of the University composed in large part of former students of West Texas State Normal college, gave a dinner in his honor.

PANHANDLE CAR SHORTAGE HEARING MOST SUCCESSFUL

Answering the application of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce for a hearing before the United States Railroad Administration with respect to the car shortage condition for the movement of the Panhandle products there appeared in Amarillo, January 20, Mr. N. D. Ballantine from the office of Mr. Hines, Director General of the United States Railroads, with offices at Washington, D. C.

In addition to the presence of Mr. Ballantine who conducted the hearing there were present Mr. Hudnall, representing the Railroad Commission of Texas together with the general managers, superintendents and traffic men of the Rock Island, Port Worth & Denver and the Santa Fe Railroads; and representatives from the offices of Regional Director, Hale Holden, of Chicago.

The tabulation of cars needed for the movement of products remaining on the Panhandle soil totals approximately 20,000 not taking into consideration the so called invisible commodities which normally is calculated to represent ten per cent of the total. This naturally involves the movement of a tremendous amount of wealth most conservatively estimated, not including the invisible products, of \$30,000,000.00.

At the close of the hearing Mr. Ballantine expressed himself in no uncertain terms regarding the impressions that he had received from the occasion which brought him to the Panhandle of Texas. He was complimentary of the earnest and sober and courteous manner in which the conditions of this section were lodged with the Railroad Administration and gave out a positive opinion that great and lasting good has been accomplished by the efforts thus exerted by the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce. He said: "I have learned many valuable things in the proceedings of the day and will carry away a lasting impression of this section of the United States, hitherto unknown to me in the degree obtained from this event."

The hearing was held in the court room of the Federal building and a delegation from over the territory affected, numbering in excess of 300 was present to support the testimony which had been placed in the hands of the secretary and general manager of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, and to give further oral testimony and to submit to specific and thorough interrogation at the will and pleasure of Mr. Ballantine into whose charge was committed the affairs of the convention.

The public has thus had its day in court and effected a very creditable and valuable understanding out of which, it is confidently believed, the morning sun of a new day appears upon the horizon of the future Panhandle in that splendor which betokens the high position in the affairs of the world to which it is so justly

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affairs of the Panhandle can be effected.

This conference furnishes another object lesson on the value to be obtained from the unification of effort and teaches us conclusively that the factively served only by an organization that exists within its own confines. In this instance the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce has exhibited its ability to vision the needs and command the forces to render desired results.

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