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## AN ERA OF DEVELOPMENT

### MANY ARE NOW BUILDING OR PLANNING HOUSES TO RENT BOTH IN TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Brownfield has never seen such an era of development as is going forward right now, and the growth of the immediate future seems to be on a much more rapid rate than right now.

There has been built and contracted some 17 store buildings in the city this year already, which is good and well, but there has been a dearth of residences. Of course some have been constructed, but in almost every case only for the builder, and hundreds of people wanting rent houses all the year, and obliged to move on for the want of places to stay. Those with lots and surplus cash are now, however waking up to the possibility of building rent houses, and many will be constructed in the next few months.

Not only is the man with a few lots building rent houses, but we are pleased to say that the man with vacant, or unimproved lands are waking up to the fact that a rent house on these lands will pay dividends with cotton at 30c and above like an oil well almost, and many rent houses over the country are being constructed. For instance, Dick Brownfield is giving each of his girls a farm, we understand—and he has several girls—and is constructing a concrete residence for each of them on these farms. In other words, Dick is looking to the permanency of the structures.

Just before beginning the sale of his big ranch, M. B. Sawyer took all his sons and daughters out there and gave them permission to pick a 160 farm. Two of them, Uyless Sawyer and Mrs. Clyde Lewis are already building rent houses on their quarters, and we understand the rest will do likewise.

Geo. Tiernan and W. G. Hardin are each building additional rent houses, and we understand that several others will be built before planting time comes around again.

In addition to this, several are now building or fixing to build rent houses in town. Mrs. Lula Smith, our efficient County Treasurer has just finished a neat little four room and bath cottage in the southeast part of town which has already been occupied by a tenant. J. C. Green, our generous old Tax-Assessor is to build three or four rent houses, and our glad hand County Clerk, Homer Winston is to build one. George Bragg will begin construction of a residence in the near future. There are many others whose plans are not sufficiently developed to make any announcements up to this time.

This has retarded the development of the county more than any one thing—lack of rent houses—both in town and the country, but our people seemingly are awaking to the future possibilities of investing money in farms and town houses. People want to come here alright, but some of them have no means of their own and depend on the man who has the means. These people, or most of them, while poor in this world's goods will make us splendid citizens, and not a few of them will, in time make homes of their own.

Another problem we are up against is providing school room and teachers for the new comers, and only the brave and patriotic will acquit themselves like real men and do the right thing. It seems hard for the tax payers to put up money for a given amount of scholastics in mid-summer, only to have them almost doubled by the following year, and the fact that the incoming scholars bring no school money with them, leaving that which was appropriated for them in the eastern part of the state. But we must remember that these people will pay taxes next year, helping to relieve the situation for the incomers of the next year. It may put a strain on some of us—but we'll meet it.

### MARION BALLOU FISK COMING

A noted Cartoonist-Lecturer is to give a program here, which is a Lyceum favorite, under the auspices of the Maids and Matrons Club, on the evening of November 28th at the high school auditorium, which typifies a distinctive field in platform work.

This talented lady has been before the public for nearly thirteen years, and has appeared in every state in the union and every province in Canada, and is not only one of the most talented cartoonists in the country, but is also a splendid lecturer, whose entertainments are characterized by gems of sparkling philosophy. She is a clever and most unique combination of cartoonist, entertainer, story-teller and lecturer. It is hard to state just where she excels. Her work is genuinely artistic, and while she paints, draws or sketches, there is an irresistible charm in speech, in manner, in stories, and keen philosophy.

Her crayon work and drawings are done with amazing delicacy. Her shadings are perfect, particularly in her many original colorings, and her pictures always breathe real life. An occasional touch of cover "caricature" lends zest to an ideal program, but her cartoon work is distinctive from her caricature. In her color work she uses twenty different shades.

Before engaging in public work, Mrs. Fisk spent two years doing "slum" work in Chicago's most wretched tenement districts. She there saw life in many phases. Mrs. Fisk comes from a New England home and began her first art studies at the Leland and Gray Seminary. Later she attended the Black River Academy and then continued further work at Dwight L. Moody's School for girls at Northfield Mass.

No one has claimed that the girls are wearing short sleeves so that they can wash the dishes more conveniently.

These people whose cars get stalled on the railroad tracks should remember that a crossing is not recommended as a good parking place.

### FORREST LUMBER COMPANY LOCATING YARD HERE

The announcement in one week of the location of two big lumber companies in a city the size of Brownfield is not usual outside of oil-boom towns, but such is happening right in Brownfield, county of Terry, State of Texas on the great South Plains, the fastest growing section of the United States.

The Forrest Lumber Company also have several other yards scattered over section of the state. They are a good company with plenty of capital, the men behind it are big men as well, and we welcome them to this city.

They have secured the quarter blk. formerly occupied by the Pridoux Lumber Company, and will go to building sheds as soon as it is physically possible to get lumber on the ground, and Mr. Forrest informed us that lumber was then in transit. We call your attention to their quarter page ad elsewhere in this paper.

The other company mentioned is the C. D. Shamberger Co. mentioned elsewhere in these columns, and already have lumber on the ground.

This makes four yards for Brownfield, with the Panhandle Lumber Co. holding option on the old McAdams sheds and a small stock therein, but it has been there since spring and many citizens have lost confidence in their every putting in here. Should they do so, however, it would make the fifth yard.

### HIJACKERS BUST UP POKER GAME AT ROTAN

While a poker game, in which some white men were engaged near Rotan last Sunday morning was in progress, two men with handkerchiefs over their faces held them up and took all the money in sight. This is the report the gamblers gave officers soon after the occurrence and later in the day one young man was arrested for the holdup and officers are searching the country for the other.

All are said to be Fisher county people.—Rotan Advance.

### BILL BOOSTER SAYS

NOTICE FOLKS GENERALLY GET AS GOOD AS THEY GIVE. THE FELLOW WHO COMES DOWN TOWN IN THE MORNING WEARING A BIG SCOWL MEETS FOLKS WHO SCOWL BACK, WHILE EVERYBODY SMILES AT THE CHEER UP!!



### WEST TEXAS AND COTTON

In one West Texas county 50,000 acres of new land will be planted to cotton next spring. Every county that raised any amount of cotton this year will plant more next. This is information brought to us by a Jubilee visitor from a city 200 miles west of Fort Worth.

Such a development was to be expected, following a year of high-priced cotton, and with the best season in the ground that West Texas has enjoyed in the memory of present residents. It would be an entirely healthy development, if it were not for the sinister aspect that it amounts to a "cotton craze." Observers report that practically all land that will be tilled next year will be devoted to cotton, and that thousands of farmers, lured by the high prices of the staple this year, will be compelled to buy feed as well as food for the making of the next crop.

This is not good for West Texas. It is entirely possible that cotton next year will bring as high a price as this. The world's supply is short, and the 1923 crop, though among the best in Texas, is not so good in other states, its total being considerably below the average. But, if increased acreage results in a promise of 12 or 13 million bales for next year, cotton will be lower.

West Texas is the future home of King Cotton. Its high plains, defying the boll weevil, in the near future will produce most of America's share of the staple. But West Texas should not forget the principles of diversification that has transformed that great land from a desert to the great agricultural empire it is today. The farmer who devotes all his land and energies to one crop, cotton, wheat, or whatever it may be, whether in East Texas or West Texas, engages in a gamble with fate in which the odds are all against him. The West Texas farmer who borrowed money to raise cotton this year will come out with some cash left over, but there will be but few who will not have to go in debt again to raise next year's crop. If they turn to cotton alone, incurring an additional debt for feed and food they will have to buy, and the 1924 crop turns out to be 12 million bales, where will West Texas be?—Star-Telegram.

### COTTON WEIGHED

With the warm sunshine the past week almost a thousand bales of the fleecy staple has been weighed at the two yards here and the yard at Meadow. With two or three more weeks pretty weather, the bulk of the crop would be gathered.

Union Yard	2213
Bynum Yard	1095
Meadow Yard about	1450
Total	4758

Some claim that sentiment is dying out in these times, yet see what deep affection the politicians manifest for the common people.

The poets are singing about the beauty of the autumn leaves, but what is wanted is some one to rake up those leaves from the lawn.

### SOLICITOR FOR ORPHAN HOME HERE SUNDAY

P. J. Taylor of Balinger, Texas, was with the Churches of Christ here and at Gomez and Meadow Sunday. He occupied the pulpit here at the morning hour, at Gomez in the afternoon and Meadow at night.

Elder Taylor is a fluent speaker and absolutely the right man for that place. He is a cousin to those noted orators Gove, Bob and Alf Taylor, of Tennessee, and possesses plenty of the Taylor logic, pathos and word painting ability.

He is working for the new Texas-Oklahoma Orphan Home, at Tipton, Okla., which is taking the place of the Canadian Ophans Home. He stated that work was well nigh complete on the main building, which cost in the neighborhood of \$125,000, and that some \$15,000 was now being raised for the plumbing and heating system.

After services here some \$6.00 was raised for the home at this place and we understand the donations were liberal at both Gomez and Meadow.

### THOUSANDS OF TURKEYS BEING MARKETED HERE

Picking turkeys here is quite an item with the school boys and vies with cotton picking after the school hours. Local buyers who are preparing to ship a car or two for Thanksgiving to northern and California are employing about fifty boys after the school hours.

The picking is done under an improvised sheds formerly used by a lumber company, under which electric lights have been strung.

The birds are suspended and the boys are given so much per fowl to pick off the feathers. Some of the boys make as much as \$3 per night.

### ENTERTAINS IDLE WIVES

Mrs. A. M. Brownfield was hostess with seven tables of 42 on Friday afternoon, Nov. 9th, honoring the Idle Wives Club and guests.

At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Brownfield gave four lovely prizes. Mrs. Shelton drew high and Mrs. Miller drew low for the Idle Wives Club. Mrs. Randal drew high and Mrs. Harris drew low as the guest prize.

The guests and club members were served with a lovely salad course at the close of the games.

### Idle Wives President Honored

At Mrs. A. M. Brownfield's party on November 9th, Mrs. Dallas made a beautiful talk as she presented Mrs. E. G. Alexander a lovely cut glass mayonnaise set from the Idle Wives Club as an appreciation for her work and interest shown for the club as past-president for the years 1922 and 1923.

The people who step on the gas frequently have to breathe it later, in the form of an anesthetic at the hospitals where they are being operated on for injuries.

Still another thing this country needs is fewer getting parties and more people cuddling up to the desk in the office.

## TWO MORE GOOD BUILDINGS

### CONTRACT LET FOR TWO MORE MODERN BUSINESS HOUSES, LUMBER COMPANY SECURES SITE.

The contract was let for two more substantial business houses the later part of last week, that are going to help make the west side of the court square look real cityfied when they and others are completed.

Barrier Brothers of Lubbock and Arthur Sawyer, local man let the contract to Oscar Covey this week for a concrete with brick front, 50X100 feet, and large balcony, that will be a beauty when completed.

Just north of this building will be the Webber building, mention of which was made last week, which some consider will be the most beautiful building in the town when completed. Using the north wall of the Barrier-Sawyer building, and the south wall of the State aBank building only the rear of concrete and front of brick will have to be built besides the floor and roof. This building is to be 40X100 feet and was let to Mr. Cooper, of Amarillo.

On the south of the Barrier-Sawyer building is the 25X100 building of M. V. Brownfield now under construction. This building is to be of concrete throughout, and two-story. Mr. Brownfield informed us that the second story was to be a Klan Hall and embellished with three big "K's". On south of this two story will be

another building for Roscoe Wilson, of Lubbock, 25X100 and on south of it still another 25X100 for J. L. Randal, in which he will put his drug store when complete. This will lack only two buildings of removing every wooden building from the west side of the square.

Among the other big business that is invading Brownfield circles is the C. D. Shamberger Lumber Company, one of the biggest of the big. They are putting lumber on the ground for their sheds and offices this week, and are receiving bids for the concrete foundations. They are occupying a half block north of the O. K. Wagon yard.

The town is not only full of farmers seeking homes here in the fastest growing section of the United States, but liberally sprinkled among them are to be seen business men from all parts of Texas and Oklahoma.

Such changes as are taking place now will so change the looks of the town and country, that visitors one year will not recognize it the next.

For the next few weeks the Herald is going to run a series of cuts on the front page showing scenes that are changing, as well as some of the splendid crops of corn and cotton being produced here this year.

### JIM DIDN'T; FRANK DID; GEORGE DID MORE

Recently a writer in a prominent magazine undertook to explain why some men get \$500 a month while others get \$100. Here's the substance:

Three brothers left the farm to work in the city, and all got jobs in the same company, starting out at the same pay.

Six years later one was receiving \$100 a month; a second \$200, and the third \$500.

Their father, hearing of these salaries, decided to visit his sons' employer and find out why they were paid on what seemed such unfair basis. "I will let them explain for themselves," said the boss as he pressed a button under his desk. Jim answered the bell, the lowest paid man.

"I understand the Oceanic has just docked," said the employer. "Please go down there and get the inventory of her cargo. Three minutes later Jim was back in the office.

"She carries a cargo of 2000 seal skins," reported Jim. "I got the information from the first mate over the telephone."

"Thank you, Jim," said the boss. "That will be all."

He pressed the button again, and Frank, the \$200 man reported.

"Frank I wish you would go down to the dock and get an inventory of the Oceanic's cargo." An hour later Frank was back with a list showing the Oceanic not only carried 2000 seal skins, but that she also carried 500 beaver and 100 mink pelts.

The employer pressed the button the third time and George, the \$500 man walked into the office.

He was given the same instructions his brothers received. George did not return for three hours, and the office had closed for the day, but the father and boss were waiting for him.

"The Oceanic carries 2000 seal skins he began. "They are offered at \$5 each, so I took a two day option on them, and I have wired a prospect in St. Louis, offering them to him for \$7. I expect to have this order tomorrow. I also found 500 beaver, which I sold over the phone at a profit of \$700. The mink pelts are of poor quality so I did not try to do anything with them."

"That's fine, George," said the employer.

Then when he was gone the boss turned to the father and smiled.

"You probably noticed," he said, "that Jim didn't do as he was told; Frank does as he is told, while Geo. does without being told.—Exchange."

A lot of these fellows who have been knocking the women for their immodest short skirts, are now getting ready to knock them for their unsanitary long ones.

### HOOVER POINTS OUT GROWTH OF ELECTRIC PUBLIC SERVICE

Addressing a coierence of public service commissioners the other day Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, said the progress of the electric industry had been remarkable since the days of Mr. Edison's initial genius. He said:

"One mark of their progress is despite the greatly increased cost of labor, coal and other materials, there is but little if any increase in the cost of light and power to the consumer today over pre-war prices."

"Over 2,000,000 of our people have invested their savings in this industry."

"From an annual utility production of four billion kilowatt-hours twenty years ago, we have increased to fifty billion today, with an increase of consumption from 60 to 500 kilowatt hours per capita."

"It is a magnificent achievement of the initiative and ingenuity of these industries, and that it has attained such a growth under public regulation, is itself proof of the ability and co-operation of our public officials."

"I believe that the same vision applied to the wider problems which spread before us will maintain the same initiative and secure like progress in the future."

### CHALLIS BUDGET By Cottonpicher.

Everyone is delighted over the sunshine this week. We expect to make white cotton patches look black.

Mrs. McDonald came in from Artesia, N. M., and is visiting her mother, Mrs. Tongate.

Mr. and Mrs. Oler Horn left for Oklahoma, Wednesday.

Cecil and Herbert O'Neal, Hillie and Zona Rimer and Josephine Hoffman attended church at Brownfield, Sunday night.

Lute Stockton is planning to own a big new car soon.

Cecil Horn came in from New Mex. last week.

Mrs. Moorhead visited Mrs. Stockton Sunday.

Mrs. Webber was buying some new furniture last week.

Mrs. Tongate is also improving her kitchen with an up-to-date oil stove.

Mrs. Greathouse is preparing to move to her new home.

Josephine Hoffman and Zona Rimer, visited Letta Stockton Sunday afternoon.

Emmett Currie visited home folks near Wellman, Sunday.

The photograph man says he is at the old stand, and is waiting to do you good work.

Brownfield sure does need a lot of rent houses and we don't mean may-be.

## THE FARMERS FRIEND

In times when you have funds on hand, that have been realized by a years hard work and which you earnestly desired cared for with all SAFETY—then the BROWNFIELD STATE BANK offers you the complete GUARANTEEING POWER of the GUARANTY FUND OF TEXAS, plus other usual forms of customary bank protection. Your duplicate becomes your insurance policy, without cost on your money deposited here.

In times when financial assistance is necessary to help complete your crop; then with your account already established with us, you will find ready co-operation, helpful attention and service from the BROWNFIELD STATE BANK. We want our bank to be your bank. We want you to be our customer.

### Brownfield State Bank

Brownfield, Texas

CONSERVATIVE— ACCOMODATIVE APPRECIATIVE—

"Guaranty Fund Protection"



Jno. B. Reed, hustling land man from Meadow was down this week and paid the Herald a social call and ordered a large supply of stationery. He is still out after a county agent.

One C Melody Saxophone, cheap; payments if desired. Best condition; Box 111, Plains, Texas.

Red Tankersley, manager of the city light and power plant informed us recently that he was wiring new ones in just as fast as he could obtain material, and that our 75 horse power engine was just about loaded at night now. The city council will soon have to put on their study caps and obtain a heavier engine for the night work, holding the later ready for the day work, and in that way one engine is getting a rest all the time. Service 18 or 24 hours is to be in the near future, we understand and

is going to be another thing to think about.

YOU WILL FIND a nice assortment of heating stoves and ranges at Holgate-Endersens Hdwe Co.

Mrs. J. E. Wren was down from Meadow last week and called on the Herald for job work.

WITH OUR BIG Refrigerator to preserve them, we are able to pay the highest market price for your butter and eggs.—Brothers & Bros.

Dr. J. I. Baker, was over last week from Post on business, his specialty being the treatment of cancers, and while here gave the Herald a nice order for job work.

BROTHERS & BROTHERS always has a nice assortment of fresh candies and fruits.

T. B. Sowell and Charley Hubby left Wednesday for the mountains of New Mexico to try for a deer.

FOR SALE: Three sections of good farming land; no waste land; 2 acres cut off for school. Half mesquite land, rest red mixed land with clay subsoil. Worth the money, and would take some trade. Priced right. Terms.—D. S. Cunningham, Owner, Lou, Texas. (11-30)

M. V. Bennett and son, Hill, of Roaring Springs, were up last week prospecting and visiting with Mr. Bennett's two sons here, Rich and Lloyd. Mr. Bennett has recently sold his holding around Roaring Springs and is preparing to build a seven-room home in Brownfield. We heartily welcome these good citizens to our coming city.

**W. C. ALLEN**  
The House Reliable  
Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

J. F. Holden, father of Mrs. Stricklin, who has been making his home at Coahoma since last spring, was here from Friday afternoon until Monday, visiting his daughter and family. He left Monday for Amarillo to visit another daughter, Mrs. E. A. Morgan, and from there he will go to Prescott, Arizona and Los Angeles to make his home in the later city.

FOR SALE:—A car load of new Moline wide tired, improved, iron-clad wagons at the old price. A big saving. Gaines County Mercantile Co., Seagraves, Texas. (11-25)

Oscar Covey is building a residence on his lots in the southeast part of town.

Special for this week:—All ladies' trimmed hats one-third off, at the Jones Dry Goods Store.

Rev. J. P. Watson, the new Methodist minister got on the mailing list this week.

FOR SALE:—27 Jersey milk cows, 2 and 3 years old, fresh and heavy springers. See W. E. Norman, Gomez, Texas. (12-7)

Rev. C. E. Ball returned this week from Galveston where he attended the State Baptist Convention. He reports a good time, although leaving home almost ill. He recovered, he said by last Wednesday, and sure did devour the sea food thereafter.

BAZAAR:—The Baptist, Methodist and Christian ladies will have their annual Bazaar in the rear of the Quinn Store the 1st Saturday in December. They will have a nice selection of Christmas presents in fancy work. (11-30)

Among those added to the list of new readers this week we are glad to find S. R. Foster, Gomez, E. E. Proctor and J. E. Vickers, city. The old standbys who renewed are, B. F. Moore, Gomez, T. C. Brown, Post; A. J. Eastham, Lou; T. N. Bingham and J. P. Crowley, city, Mrs. Dora Lindsey, Meadow, and R. H. Banowsky, Wichita Falls.

Mr. Hall, manager of the Forrest Lumber Company, moved his family over from Slaton, Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mr. E. H. Allen, prominent cotton man of Slaton. Mr. Allen was favorably impressed with Brownfield.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

Some men never make any effort to own their own homes, as wherever they happen to be located, the chances are always a lot better some where else.

## A PERFECT OIL FOR FORDS

Magnolia has spent four years testing and perfecting a motor oil for Ford cars. It is now on the market and known as MAGNOLENE FORD OIL and is guaranteed to eliminate grabbing of transmission bands which is so noticeable in Ford Cars when brakes are applied and when in reverse. And it will be more economical because it is specially made for Ford cars only. The motor will run cooler, easier riding, roll better with practically no vibration. If you have a Ford drain your crank case and fill with the MAGNOLENE FORD OIL—a special oil for your car at the same price. Our stock is complete with high grade oils and greases. Phone No. 10 for good oils and service.

### Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Phone 10.

Tom May, Agent

Mrs. Winnie Price and daughter, Christine, were down from Lubbock last week visiting Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. J. O. Brown.

TRY A SACK of our flour. It has a full guarantee to please you.—Bro. & Brothers.

BEST LINE of staple and fancy groceries on the market.—Brothers & Brothers.

E. G. Alexander's mother, who has been visiting him for the past ten days left Wednesday for her home in Floydada.

GENUINE Edison Mazda lamps; all sizes in stock.—Holgate-Endersens Hardware Co.

Lost, between Sawyer mill seven miles southwest town and Brownfield a heavy tarp, branded B. F. Knoll, Lou, Texas. Please leave at Lewis Brothers Store.

LOST—Sheepskin lined vest in town Monday. Reward. Return to Eunice Jones, City.

### Sanitary Milk

Quart - - - 15  
Pint - - - 08  
Butter - - - 05

### Goodpasture's Dairy

Phone. No. 90

T. C. Brown was over from Post on business this week, and informed the Herald man that he contemplated seriously removal to Brownfield.

### THE GIFT SHOP

The Randal Drug Store is the place to do your early Xmas shopping. We will gladly show you our stock of jewelry, and if you want any kind of musical instruments, just mention it to us and we will get it for you. We do first class Watch, Jewelry and Grafonola repairing. All work guaranteed and at a reasonable price. Years of experience. Call and see us. Brownfield—

—At Randal's Drug Store  
D. E. McGEE  
Brownfield, Texas



### The Successful Cake

Cole's Sanitary Down Draft Range with its

**COLE'S**  
HOT BLAST  
FUEL SAVING SYSTEM

of Combustion insures even baking on all sides. Everything comes out of the oven perfectly baked. No disappointments for the housewife. The husband is interested because of its one-third to one-half fuel saving results. Cole's Hot Blast Combustion burns all of the combustible fuel gases (wasting nothing.) With fuel and food at its present high price these are things that every husband and wife will find of interest in

### Cole's Down Draft Range

This range is furnished in blue or gray enamel or plain black finish. Come in and let us tell you of its many valuable features and show you its beautiful and sanitary construction.

### Holgate-Endersens Hardware Co.

BROWNFIELD,

TEXAS

## Opening Announcement

We are glad to be able, this week, to announce to the good people of Brownfield and trade territory that we will be open for business by the time you read this. We will endeavor, at all times, to merit your trade, as we carry only first class goods and our prices are always in line.

We are pleased to be numbered among the hustling business interests of Brownfield, and her forward looking aims shall always be ours.

Come in and shake hands whether you have any purchases to make or not. We want to know you.

### Collins Dry Goods Co.

"Outfitters for Men, Women and Children"  
Brownfield, Texas  
Boswell, Okla.

48 1/2  
17 1/2  
33 6  
48 3/4  
8 1/4

AW, WHAT'S THE USE

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Yes—What Is the Use



MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

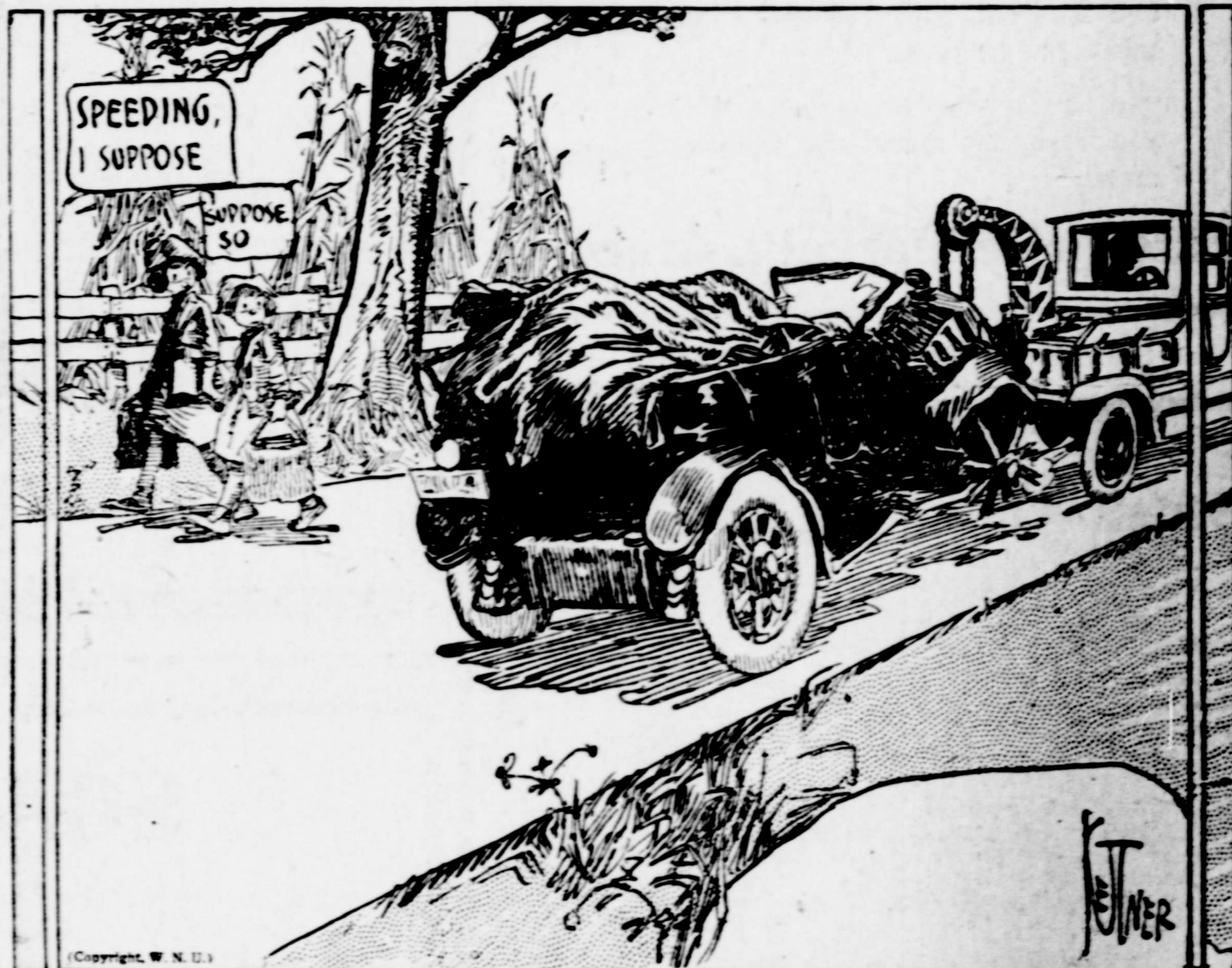
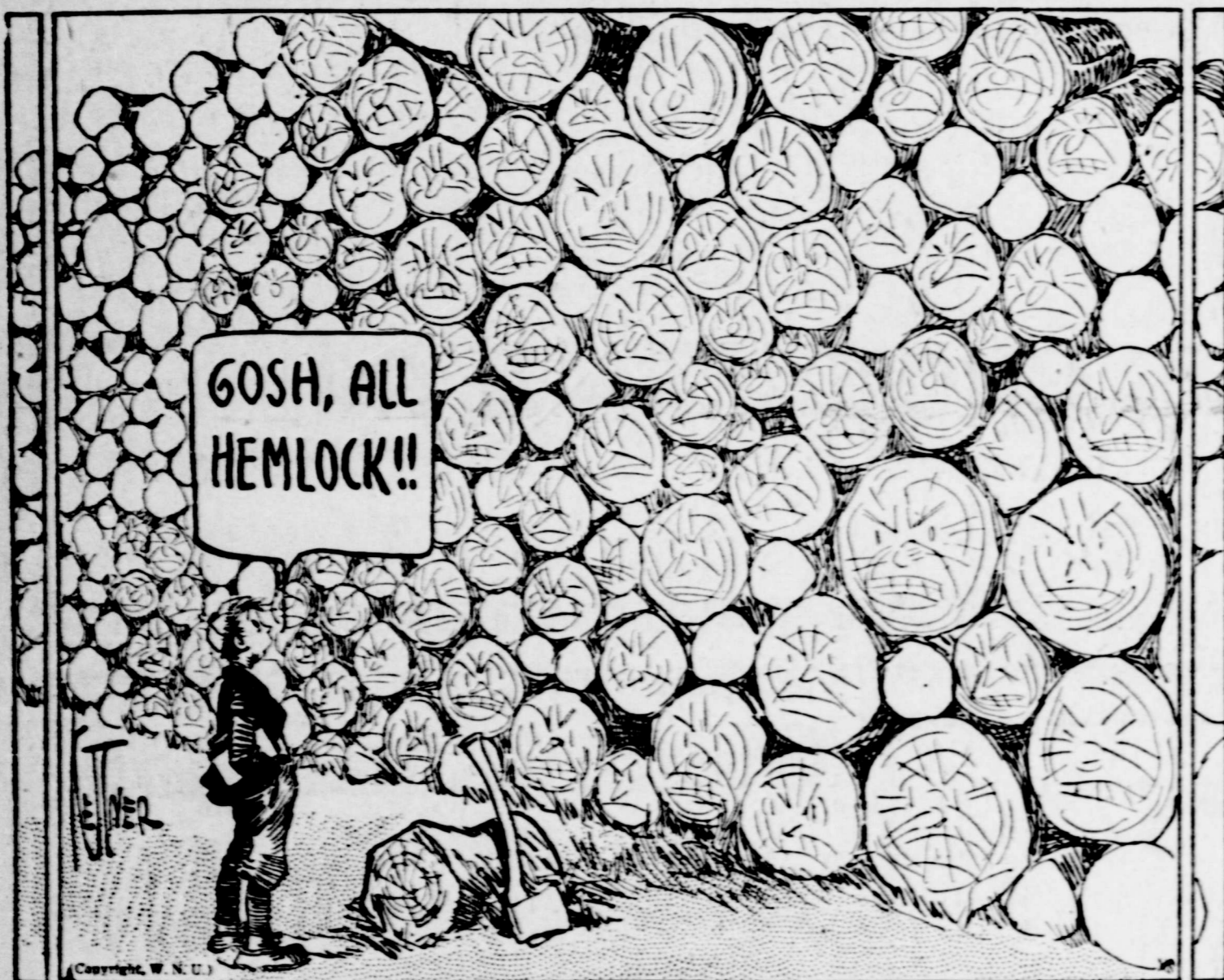
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Fond Memories



A Tough Winter Ahead

Along the Concrete



**The Clancy Kids**

Silence is Golden Because the Voice "Carries"

By PERCY L. CROSBY

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RADIO RALF AND HIS FRIENDS—

By JACK WILSON

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PERHAPS SO. Why do they say that the first year of married life is always the most difficult. I guess because it takes about that long for a woman to get accustomed to having her head move.



A FIZZLE. My speech fell flat. You told me you had rehearsed it until you could say it backward or forward. I had. But I started it backward and I couldn't switch.

**THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD**  
Brownfield, Texas

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor and Prop.

**Subscription Rates**

One year: In Terry county, \$1.00; west of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, \$1.25; all other states, \$1.50.  
The six month rate on the above will be 50c; 65c and 75c.  
The three month rate will be 25c; 35c and 40c.

Advertising Rates on Application.

In the last issue of the Slatonite, it was announced that Mrs. W. Donald widow of the late editor of the Slatonite would remain as publisher and owner of that journal, and that Miss Cleffie L. Watson would be the editor. R. B. Haynes, late editor and proprietor of the Lynn County News goes to the Slatonite as business and advertising manager. With this combination, the Slatonite is bound to go forward. In fact Miss Watkins announces that the policies of the paper will not be changed.

Little sympathy is being displayed by the common run of people for the Republican pet hobby, the protective tariff, and the farmers who thought that a tariff wall thrown around the products of the farm, would offset that given the manufacturer, is being undecieved very fast. Even some of the modern Republicans are treating the old hobby with some contempt, such for instance as the Hon. Man-

gus Johnson, the new U. S. Senator from Minn.

The anti-Wilson papers all over the country are continually harping on "entangling alliances" for for we might accidentally help some broke nation back on their feet, so that they in turn might be able to buy our surplus wheat, corn and cotton. Nations should be like brothers, and form the habit of being the other nations' keeper. We are certainly a poor specimen of "our brother's keeper" when we are only willing to help those that are able to help themselves. If our brother is our equal in every way, he needs no charity. Besides, a hungry and ruined nation, like individuals are not a peace loving people. There can be no peace under starvation and raggedness.

**IDLE WIVES CLUB**

Thursday afternoon, Oct. 18th, from four until six o'clock, Mrs. J.D. Miller entertained with a 42 party for the Idle Wives Club, the teachers and a number of guests to make up nine tables.

Hallowe'en was suggested in the pumpkin tally cards, and decorations of black and yellow.

At the conclusion of a number of interesting games, a lovely salad course, followed by brick cream and cake were served to the guests.

Lovely favors went to Mrs. Ender-son and Miss Knoll for high and low score.

SUNDAY Mail Car leaves at 8:00 o'clock; arrives in Lubbock at 10:30. Fare \$2.00. Round trip \$3.50.

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Buttons ain't brass if he tells you they're gold.  
Of every community he is a part,  
And even the kids know the path to his heart.  
He boosts for the chapel, the lodge and the school,  
Community uplift is ever his rule.  
And even the football and basketball teams,  
Look kindly on him in their athletic dreams.  
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Brownfield --- Texas

**ANTHEMS!**

Elder Watkins, of Muddy Hollow, was just back from the city, and was telling his wife of the church he attended.

"Did you know any of the songs, she asked.

"No," replied the elder, "they didn't sing anything but anthems."

"Anthems!" exclaimed the wife, "what on earth is an anthem?"

"Well," answered the elder, "I can't tell you exactly, but if I was to say to you, Betsy, the cows are in the corn! that wouldn't be an anthem. But, if I should say Betsy-- Betsy--Betsy, the cows--the cows--the Holstein cow--the muley cow--the Jersey cow--the spotted cow--all the cows--are in--are in--the corn--the corn--corn. Ah men! why that'd be an anthem."--The Open Road.

Roy Rodgers is here from the oil fields visiting relatives.

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WE have never seen the public flock to a car the way they are flocking to the new Overland Champion! It's a revelation--how much they wanted such a car! Study these pictures--you'll understand. Then realize that the low price also secures regular sliding gear transmission, all standard accessories, bigger new engine, Triplex springs, cord tires, and all Overland superiorities. Come in.

**NEW Overland \$695 CHAMPION**  
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**Spear Garage**  
Brownfield, Texas

A Mr. Adamson, of Tatum, who does trucking into Brownfield from and to that place, got his arm broken last Thursday while cranking his jenny. Local surgeons put the broken member in plaster paris for him.

church of Christ at Snyder and another gentleman by the name of Simms, representing a life insurance company, were here on business this week to remain several days.

**WANTED:**--Grubs at the Hancock

## LOOK HERE!

Potatoes, sack lots 3c  
 Smaller quantities 3 1-2c  
 Mother Oats 35c, 3 for \$1.00  
 White Swan Oats 30c, 3 for 85c  
 Car of Flour and Feed coming.

### Farmers Supply Co.

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## We Thank You-

for all past business, we trust a continuation.

New business earnestly solicited, satisfaction guaranteed when trading with us.

### Cicero Smith Lumber Company

Correspondents are again respectfully requested to make supreme effort to please get their news items in by at least Tuesday, as when they come in on Wednesday afternoons, we are then rushed with changing ads and go to press Thursday mornings. If they get in here Wednesdays we are almost compelled to delay them until the following week.

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## NEW LUMBER YARD

This is to notify the Public that we will open up a new Lumber Yard in Brownfield at once.

Our Mr. Hall is now on the ground making preparations for building sheds and office.

Mr. Hall has been with the Forrest Lumber Co. for a number of years and will be interested in this new business.

He will take pleasure in meeting all your requirements. The Forest Lumber Co. are home builders.

We will employ home labor.

Our aim will be to help to make a bigger and better town.

We will handle everything in the building line except shelf hardware, this we will call on the hardware dealers of the town to furnish, we will figure your bill complete in our office.

As soon as we can get our bins built we will handle all of your requirements in way of fuel.

Our material is now in transit and we expect to be in full swing on or before December First.

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Brownfield, Texas

FRESH VEGETABLES always on hand storage at Brothers & Brothers

## Did You Know

That in addition to a complete stock of PURE FRESH drugs we have a complete line of Jewelry?

We are receiving lots of new items daily, and will be glad to show you anything in the line, even if you are not ready to buy. Remember every article is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

### Alexander's Drug Store

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Brownfield, Texas

## LIKE NEW

That's the only way to describe the appearance of a suit after we have cleaned it by our special process.

Every speck of dirt, even that embedded in the fabric, is removed without injury to the material.

Phone 143 and we will call for your work.

### AMERICAN TAILOR SHOP

O. L. Jones, Prop.  
 Brownfield, Texas

### NOTICE

Owing to the business rush and the shortage of help, it is impossible for us to get out and personally collect accounts, so we have decided to place all our notes and accounts with an attorney for collection. However, this means extra cost to us all, and we are going to delay this action for a few days and give every one an opportunity to straighten up the accounts. These accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney Dec. 10, 1923.

Would appreciate it if you would come in and make settlement with either of us before Dec. 10th, as after that date these notes and accounts will be out of our hands.

Thanking you in advance for your prompt attention to this, we are,

Respectfully,  
 Adams & Longbrake

Lee Roy Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Adams, underwent another operation at Lubbock one day last week for abscess. Lee Roy is certainly getting experience in operations.

FEATHER PILLOWS.—Both duck and geese; nice. See Mrs. J.C. Green City. (16)

R. H. Banowsky, former prominent business man of this city, but now residing in Wichita Falls, is here this week looking after business matters. We believe Dick still has a hankering for old Terry. In fact he never did burn any bridges. The latch string is still on the outside.

J. O. Kinne, of Gomez, was over on business, Monday.

MULES and mares for sale. Will give terms.—I. M. Smith (12-7)

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FT. WORTH DIRIGIBLE CENTER OF U. S.

ERECTION OF MOORING MAST IS INITIAL STEP UNDER PLANS DRAWN BY MOFFITT.

WILL PROVIDE ANCHORAGE

Either Shenandoah or ZR-3 Will Be First Brought to Newly Established Base.

Washington.—Fort Worth is to become the center of dirigible navigation in the new world.

Plans to this end have been drawn up by Admiral W. R. Moffitt, chief of naval aviation, and formal approval of the plan is expected within a few days.

Giant dirigibles will go to Fort Worth and fill with helium. Heretofore the helium has been shipped to Lakehurst, N. J., and airships filled there.

The first step toward making Fort Worth the center of American dirigible activities will be the erection there of a portable mooring mast. Such a mast is now in use at Lakehurst, and is the only one on this continent.

Fort Worth, Lake Hurst and San Diego thus will become the bases from which every dirigible flight in this country will be made.

Either the Shenandoah, greatest dirigible in the world at present, or the larger ZR-3 now building in Germany, will be first to use the Fort Worth mooring mast.

The great advantage of the mooring mast is that it not only provides a "harbor" with safe anchorage, but will enable the commanding officer to start a cruise with less regard for weather conditions than at present.

Untold benefit will accrue to Fort Worth as a result of the plan to make it the dirigible center of the country.

Recently it was announced that the Goodyears have purchased the dirigible making rights from the Zeppelins and will transfer the industry from Germany to the United States.

MEXICO TALKS ON "HOT TRAIL" PACT

May Revive Old Custom of Pursuing Law Violators Across Border Line.

El Paso, Texas.—Revival of the "hot trail" agreement in modified form, under which smugglers and other offenders may be pursued across the international line, is being discussed informally in Mexico City by diplomatic representatives of the United States and Mexico, according to information received in Juarez.

Under the plan now being discussed, according to reports from the Mexican capital, a neutral zone extending twelve miles on either side of the international line would be established in which officers or troops of both Governments would be allowed to penetrate in running down law violators.

Smuggling of liquor, drugs and aliens into the United States along the Southern border and the flow of contraband goods into Mexico from the American side has long been a source of irritation to both Mexican and American Federal authorities.

In many instances criminals have escaped arrest by fleeing across the Rio Grande a jump or two ahead of pursuing officers.

Charges Are Filed.

Charges of high treason have been formally lodged against several persons involved in the recent rebellion at M... among those against whom charges have been lodged are... Chief of Police Foeh...

PREMIER ANSWERS LABOR CRITICISMS

Says Hopes Brought to Naught Since America Refused to Take Part in Inquiry.

London.—"I have spared no pains to let the allies know that this country is unable to continue indefinitely the spirit necessary to co-operation, if the present situation is not changed."

Thus Premier Baldwin, speaking in the House of Commons, definitely made it plain that the "entente" is not functioning, and that Britain may withdraw from the Franco-Belgian-Italian combination unless the continental powers alter their attitude.

The statement was made in answer to a motion by the Labor party censuring the policies of Baldwin's Government. The Premier's reply was that failure of these policies was due to continual intransigence.

The House of Commons granted Baldwin a vote of confidence when Ramsay MacDonald's motion of censure was defeated by a vote of 285 to 190.

The breakdown of the Anglo-American project for an expert inquiry into reparations was a point of Laborite attack. Baldwin's reply was sharp and definite.

Stating that when America began negotiations for a reparations inquiry he had hoped that progress in co-operation would be made. The Premier added:

"These hopes were brought to naught by the action of two of our own allies.

"It may be difficult indefinitely to maintain attempts to co-operate with allies who make co-operation so difficult."

The statement threw new light on the defeat of the ill-fated conference plan in that it placed the blame on two of the allies. It had hitherto been believed that Premier Poincare's limitations killed the conference. Belgium, it was said at the time, had suggested minor changes in the note to America. Italy was understood to have approved.

It is now evident that Belgium, or possibly Italy also blocked the plan.

NEFF PROCLAMATION ON EDUCATION WEEK

Citizens Asked to Realize Obligations to Boys and Girls.

Austin, Texas.—In a proclamation just issued Gov. Neff designated the week of Nov. 18-24 as American Education Week, and called upon the people of Texas, individually and collectively, to join in the observance of this week to the end that "each citizen may come to realize his individual obligation in giving to our boys and girls every educational advantage, thus insuring for the future our national security and longevity."

The Governor in his proclamation declared that the schools of the Nation are the barometer of its progress.

"If we would know the depth and breadth of our civilization, let us look to the educational facilities which we provide for our growing boys and girls; let us remember that the flowers of civilization never blossom in the beaten paths nor flourish in an atmosphere of public indifference. There can be no tomorrow of greatness to any people unless the builders of today provide for the education of the youth of the land. It has long since been agreed that education not only is a function, but the most important constitutional obligation of a Government.

"In recognition of the effect and significance of education in the progress of our country, the people of Texas are asked to join in the national observance of American Education Week, which is to be dedicated to a renewal of interest in our educational life. During this week it is suggested that the problems pertaining to the educational growth of each community be generally discussed and considered, looking to the elimination and removal of any obstacles which may interfere with a more perfect functioning of the schools."

Deny Treaty Repudiation.

Berlin.—Official quarters here dismiss as wholly unfounded the reports circulated abroad that the German Government has decided to repudiate the treaty of Versailles in its entirety. It was stated in these quarters that payment of reparations could only be resumed when the status existing prior to Jan. 11, the date of the French entry into the Ruhr, was fully restored.

Modification of Slot Machine Opinion.

Austin, Texas.—The Attorney General's Department now is considering a modification of its previous opinion to the Comptroller construing the new law taxing slot vending machines. The opinion advised that the law applied to all such machines, except those in street cars. Gas companies with money meters have protested the construction as applicable to their prepay meters, and unless the opinion is revised to except them, suit will be brought in the courts to test the matter.

GERMANY STOPS PAYING REPARATIONS

Says Treaty Can Not Be Imposed Upon States Separating Selves From Reich

London.—The complete cessation of every kind of reparation payment by Germany has been semi-officially announced.

This action was taken on the ground that the treaty of Versailles had been violated by France and that therefore it could not be observed by Germany.

Paris.—The Marquis of Crewe, British Ambassador, called on Premier Poincare and handed to him a note containing a long legal argument further sustaining British opinion on the effects the Rhineland Separatist movement would have on the treaty of Versailles. The British contention is that the treaty, having been signed with the Reich for all of the States composing it, could not be imposed on States which separated themselves from the Reich. This M. Poincare considered unfounded.

In turn the French Premier handed to the Ambassador a note denying the allegations that French officials had displayed partiality in the Separatist movement. This was in reply to a memorandum which Lord Crewe had presented to Premier Poincare on Nov. 9, embodying reports received by the British that the French authorities were involved in the Rhineland Separatist movement.

Berlin.—After Nov. 25 Germany no longer will be able to meet the drain upon her exchequer for the payment of unemployment doles in the Ruhr and the Rhineland and will then set both these regions adrift, permitting them to shift for themselves. This direct statement was made in official quarters here Wednesday night.

Unless Chancellor Stresemann arrives at a different conclusion after pending conferences with leaders in the occupied areas, as the Reichstag opposes such a policy, it is now believed that the immediate future of the Rhineland and the Ruhr will be wholly determined by the nature of agreements which the local leaders there are able to enter into with the French and Belgian authorities. The unemployment doles which the German Government is paying out to unemployed men and women in the Rhineland and the Ruhr will amount to 200,000,000 gold marks in the next ten days.

BRIBERY IS CHARGED IN WALTON TRIAL

Alleged Governor Paid to Approve Appropriation for Tonkawa School

Oklahoma City, Ok.—The prosecution in the impeachment trial of Gov. J. C. Walton Wednesday began testimony in support of the charge that the executive received a bribe from citizens of Tonkawa, Ok., for the approval of an appropriation for the Tonkawa Preparatory Academy.

In an opening statement the prosecution admitted it would be able to show only by circumstantial evidence that Gov. Walton received any of the alleged bribe, although it would attempt to prove directly that \$6,000 raised by Tonkawa citizens had passed successfully through the hands of Val Gardner, a resident of Oklahoma City, and A. B. Snodgrass, Assistant State Highway Commissioner and a close friend and confidant of the executive.

The statement said that an effort would be made to prove that the money was given to Snodgrass in six \$1,000 bills; that, in a few days Gov. Walton, with two other men, made a trip to Kansas City, and that shortly thereafter the Governor purchased \$6,700 worth of stock in a building and loan association, making payment mostly in Liberty bonds.

Testimony will also be introduced, according to the statement, to show that, when a report of the alleged transaction later became current, Snodgrass went to a hospital where Gardner was ill, advised him to deny all knowledge of the charge, and took him from the hospital to the Governor's office, where the executive was in conference with Dr. E. T. Bynum and Aldrich Blake, both of whom were successively executive counsellors. Later, according to the statement, after a legislative inquiry had been instituted, Snodgrass went to Perryville, Mo., where Gardner was at the bedside of a sister who was ill, and renewed his warning.

Convicted Aiding Wife With Suicide Fresno, Calif.—Frederick Phillips of Academy, northeast of Fresno, was found guilty by a jury of helping his wife to commit suicide by poison.

Negro Saves Life of Officer.

Austin, Texas.—A negro who served a prison sentence on evidence given by Deputy Sheriff Jim McCoy saved Mr. McCoy's life, when he helped the officer subdue another negro whose car Mr. McCoy tried to search for liquor, and after the driver's coat lapel caught beneath the hammer of Mr. McCoy's pistol as the officer tried to fire it, and prevented the cartridge from exploding. Two quart bottles of liquor were broken over the resisting man's head and he was placed under arrest.

Condensed Austin News

Commissioner of Insurance John M. Scott has gone to Fort Worth on official business, to be absent several days.

Motor vehicle registration at the State Highway Department now total 657,786, the increase during the past week being 5,510. Transfers number 129,641, chauffeurs' licenses 14,853, motorcycles 3,277, dealers' 2,728.

More than \$1,000,000 has been paid during the last ten days on account of the general fund, thereby reducing the deficiency to that extent. This is the report made by C. V. Terrell, State Treasurer.

Unless the Attorney General changes his opinion suit will be brought testing his opinion holding that the machine-vending tax applies to prepay gas meters. These are used in Houston and other towns, but not in Dallas.

The Railroad Commission has authorized a rate of \$2.07 per ton of 2,240 pounds of crude sulphur, minimum weight 50,000 pounds, except when weight-carrying capacity of car is less, such weight-carrying capacity shall be the minimum weight, from Gulf Hill to Fort Arthur.

The State Board of Education, at its last regular monthly meeting did not make any apportionment for the public schools. It considered several offers of common school district bonds, but took no final action. The board is to meet again soon.

Former State Senator V. A. Collins of Dallas, candidate for Governor, has been in Austin on business with some of the State departments. He said he probably would make the opening speech of his campaign at Beaumont, where he formerly resided.

By agreement of interested parties the Railroad Commission has postponed from Nov. 29, 1923, to Jan. 24, 1924, hearing to be held at San Antonio on the application of the city of San Antonio for relocation of the tracks of the International Great Northern Railroad.

The message from Judge W. W. McCrory of the Ninety-Fourth District Court at San Antonio, declining appointment as a member of Section A, Commission of Appeals, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge J. N. Gallagher, has been received at the Governor's office.

At its last monthly meeting the State Board of Education purchased approximately \$140,000 of school district bonds for the permanent school fund. All of the 6 per cent bonds offered were bought, amounting to \$76,500. The board also purchased \$27,400 of 5 1/2 per cent and \$35,796 of 5 per cent bonds.

Congressman John N. Garner, ranking member of the Texas delegation, has advised friends in Austin that when Congress meets he will use his efforts to line up the Texas Congressional delegation, as well as the Democrats from other States, to support Walter M. Splawn of the Texas Railroad Commission for a position on the Interstate Commerce Commission.

M. L. Bogle of Austin has been selected as auditor of the State prison system and will succeed G. H. Folbre. The selection was made by a board, consisting of the Governor, Attorney General and State Treasurer. Mr. Bogle has been for some time a Deputy State Game Warden, stationed at Kerrville, and was formerly an auditor for the Government in the Panama Canal Zone.

Installation of the electric chair at the State prison at Huntsville has not yet been completed, and for this reason the electrocution of three men set for Friday, Nov. 9, was postponed by Gov. Neff until Jan. 17, 1924, the Governor ordered a stay of execution in each case until that date. This is the second time that the Governor has been forced to grant reprieves because of delay in installing the electric chair.

T. W. McBride, State Marketing Agent, is asking co-operation in encouraging the consumption, locally, of more turkeys this Thanksgiving and Christmas than ever before, for the reason that local markets at present are being depressed by a good-sized crop in Texas this year and Eastern markets, which normally take such an important share of the holiday supply, may be restricted in their consumption by a storage carry-over of more than usual proportions from the previous season.

In a divided opinion the Railroad Commission granted the application of John A. Hulien, receiver for the Trinity & Brazos Valley Railroad Company, for an exception under the provisions of rule 37, permitting the drilling of tests for oil at three locations on the company's right of way near the town of Navarro, in Navarro County. The order, issued by the commission, was signed by Commissioners W. A. Nabors and Walter Splawn. Chairman Clarence E. Gilmore dissented.

WINTER COATS VARY IN STYLE;

FUR COATS FOR LITTLE MISSES

THE story of winter coats, which draws to a close, has been one of absorbing interest. Each chapter has unfolded some novel developments in the mode and there is no sign of exhausting the fertile ingenuity of designers who have given us endless variation of the season's style themes. There is no good reason for choosing the commonplace in coats—there are thousands of models that have visual charm as well as comfort, to recommend them and many of these



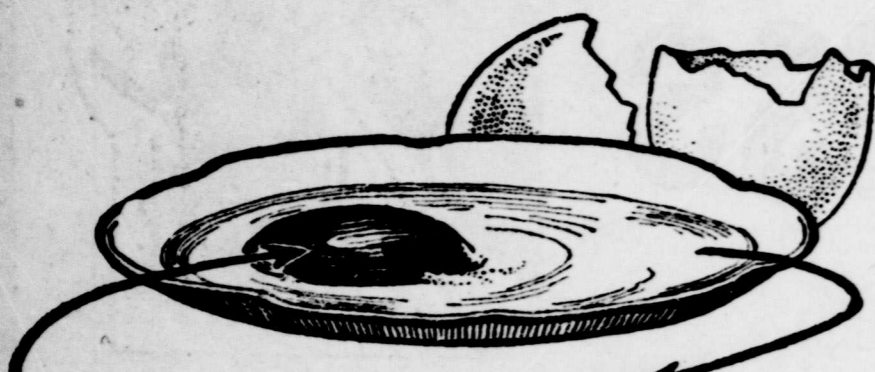
Coats of Good Style and Material

are moderately priced. Economy should not begin with one's coat, but rather be practiced in all other directions in order to be less important when the time comes to buy a coat. Two distinctive models, shown in the picture, emphasize the value of good style and good materials, in garments that bespeak the personality of their wearers to a greater number of people than any others. Coats and hats meet everyone and make first impressions everywhere. The coat at the right is made of a material having a braided weave and is cut to contrive



Fur Coat Looks Like Chinchilla

thereabouts, is lined with... It has two scant ruffles or pieces of... at the bottom and these are edged with a piping of blue satin. An imitation leopard-skin coat has muffler collar and deep cuffs of brown fur. One need not inquire too closely into the origin or history of this fox; anyway, the fur is foxy. Muskrat and squirrel fur lend themselves to decorative striped effects which are used in many ways. When selected squirrel or other of the more expensive furs are used the coat is provided with a two or three-inch hem turned up on the inside so that it can be lengthened for a second or third season. The pretty model pictured looks like chinchilla and may be dyed hare. It is typical of the styles which invite hats or caps to match. And the tam-o-shanter shown is made of the same fur. Velvet hats, in beautiful shapes, to be worn with fur coats are usually trimmed with fur collars. Julia Bottomley Western Newspaper Union.



## YOLKS + WHITES = EGGS

For every egg yolk in a hen's body she must have enough white to complete and lay an egg. If her feed lacks material for whites she absorbs the excess yolks and gets too fat to lay. "Boarders" don't even pay for the feed they eat.

### Purina Makes Hens Pay

Purina Hen Chow and Chicken Chowder, fed together, make more eggs because they contain plenty of both white and yolk elements. They will get more eggs for you or your money paid for the Chows will be refunded. Start feeding now.



## BOWERS BROTHERS

Located on track east of depot.

## Holiday Goods Here

See our Holiday goods now on display, we have something that will please every member of the family. Do your Holiday shopping early. And don't forget RANDALL'S Pure Drugs and Drinks.

**J. L. RANDAL, Druggist**  
Brownfield, Texas

## Holiday Opening

We will hold our HOLIDAY OPENING Saturday December 1st, and remember that SANTA CLAUS will be here on that Date



to pay us his first visit of the season, so bring the children for Santa wants to see all of them and get acquainted so that he will know them when he comes back Christmas.

Appropriate Gifts For Everybody; This Year, we have been especially fortunate in choosing Gifts for every member of the family. Of course, because this is the kiddies' season, we stress the importance of the toy section. Since a year ago, Santa Claus must have been awfully busy if one may judge by the many new creations he has sent us from toyland. Interesting new toys, pretty new dolls, and loads of practical, useful gifts for folks of all ages.

**Oquin's Variety Store**

### TOKIO TALKS

By Reporter.

(delayed)

We are having rainy weather again this week.

The Baptist have changed their preaching day from the second to the first Sunday. Rev. Johnson preached Sunday.

Mrs. Mansfield left Monday to visit her brother near Amarillo.

The singing at Mr. W. I. Lovelace's Sunday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

School will start Monday, November 19th with Miss Sealey of Durham, Texas, as principal, Miss Adena Rawlings, intermediate teacher; and Mrs. Patterson, of Plains, primary.

All who are interested in school should be present.

Miss Rawlings came in Saturday thinking school would start Monday. She failed to hear that school had been put off two weeks on account of cotton picking.

Miss Gladis, who has been visiting her sister at Wichita Falls, has returned home.

Several are marketing their turkeys for Thanksgiving.

REMEMBER:—Good shows at the Legion Theatre every Friday and Saturday night.

Clifford Dickson, prominent life insurance man, of Tahoka, was over on business, this week.

FEDERAL FARM LOANS at 5 1/2 per cent interest, and 34 years and six months time on them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

The big T— ranch in Lynn county is being surveyed and cut up in preparation to market to actual settlers. This big ranch has been the hoodoo to the growth of Tahoka's trade territory for several years.

### SAVE MONEY!

We know how hard it is to get hold of money—and how easy it is to get rid of it. If you want your money to go as far as possible, then

let us figure with you on your next Grocery bill, and you will find my store a good place to trade.

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Commissioner D. S. Cunningham of No. 1 was a passenger to Lubbock on Monday. Uncle Dave has cut part of his land—1900 acres—into small tracts and put it on the market recently on good terms, a low rate of interest, and long time. This means something like 12 more good farms for the new comer that is coming to the land of plenty. Some 20 acres of his land has already been cut off and donated for a school site. Come get a good farm, cheap.

Mrs. Bill Savage and children left last week for Amarillo where they will make their future home.

"It is inconceivable that the Red Cross could have come thus far only to retreat; that it could have succeeded up to the present time only to fall."—President Coolidge.

### Liberal to Ex-Service Men

Over \$1,000 was expended by each of the 3,699 American Red Cross Chapters in the past year in behalf of disabled ex-service men. The actual total spent was \$3,727,000.

The Commissioners Court have re-elected Mr. C. T. Watson as County Agent for another year. We dare say there is not a liver wire in Texas than C. T. Watson, nor one who will do this county more real good. We join his hosts of friends in a warm welcome for another year and succeeding years to come. Miss Thurston has made good as the assistant of Mr. Watson in the Chamber of Commerce and has been duly elected to succeed herself. Miss Thurston is a fine girl and has been most acceptable in the duties that fell upon her in this responsible position. All right, we are set for another year. The band leader, the County Agent, the Assistant County Agent, two new Methodist preachers, and well, if we need anything else we'll get that too.—Lamesa Reporter.

The above shows what the people and the Commissioners of an adjoining county think of a County Agent. They have been trying one out for three years.

### NOTICE

This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted and everybody is forbidden to hunt, fish or anyway trespass on our property.—GREEN & LUMSDEN.

### GOMEZ, TEXAS

Since my last, Mrs. Mand Hudson made a nice payment.

C. A. Neler pays ahead.

C. W. Wates was in settling up. Conf. again.

E. H. Green was in today purchasing groceries.

C. J. Davis made settlement and a nice bill.

A. P. Moore is still in business. Call on him at the old stand.

Lots of groceries for sale. Come in and help move them out.

J. E. Burk has paid up to date.

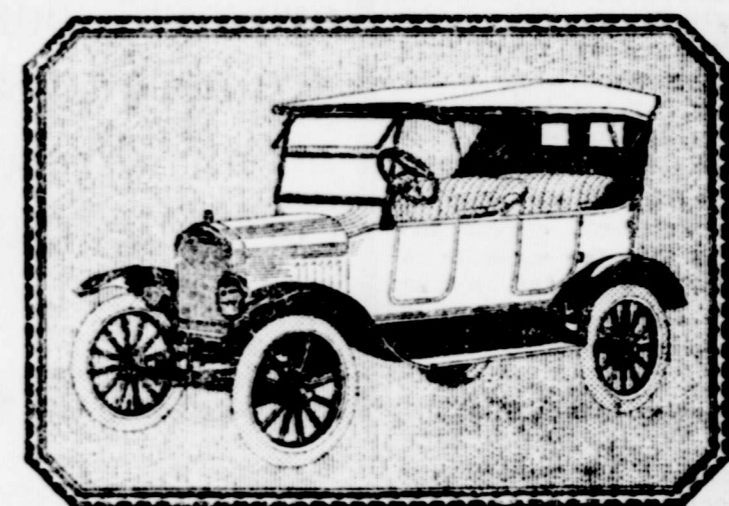
L. T. Knox did likewise, for he also paid up.

O. J. Thomason was in today and made a nice bill and paid cash. Good.

Call and make me smile, and you will feel good.

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## RED CROSS PLANS FOR COMING YEAR

Over \$2,000,000 in Fund for War Sufferers—National Budget is \$5,543,077.

**AID TO VETERANS STANDS FIRST**

Expended \$9,738,448 in Services to Mankind Last Year at Home and Abroad.

Washington.—With a budget of \$5,543,077.81 for carrying out the program of service during the current fiscal year, beginning July 1, the American Red Cross announces that this amount was \$4,195,370.41 less than was expended during the fiscal year ended last June 30. During that year expenditures reached a total of \$9,738,448.22, of which amount \$2,605,696.09 was devoted to relief of refugees in Greece who had been driven out of Asia Minor. In announcing the budget for the year, the statement from National Headquarters emphasized the fact that its extensive work at home and abroad depends almost wholly upon the nation-wide support of the organization through enrollment of membership in large numbers during the annual roll call, which will be in progress from November 11 to November 29 under the auspices of the 3,600 Chapters in the United States and throughout the world. These Chapters, it is pointed out, during the last fiscal year expended of their own funds approximately \$3,520,000 in work for the men who wore the United States uniform during the World War, so that the estimate of some \$15,000,000 expended during twelve months by the American Red Cross as a whole is considered conservative.

**Soldier Service Stands First**  
From July 1, 1917, to June 30, 1923, the American Red Cross spent nationally and through its Chapters close to \$164,000,000 in behalf of American soldiers who served in the war and their families. During last year the figure alone mounted to more than \$5,866,255, and for the current fiscal year National Headquarters has set aside under the heading, "Assistance to Disabled ex-Service Men and Women," \$2,065,834.20. The Chapters will continue to do their part, so that it may be predicted with confidence that again more than \$5,500,000 will be disbursed in the large variety of services to the disabled men and women and their families—services for which the Government cannot provide and which reach the individual case with the sympathy and understanding only actual contact can insure. This work of the American Red Cross approaches the fifth anniversary of the Armistice, which ended the World War with only slight decrease in calls for service in the interest of the welfare and rehabilitation of those who suffered physical disability in the service of their country.

In the interest of the enlisted men serving in the Army and the Navy the budget provides \$309,020 for the current year. This is obligatory under the Red Cross charter, for the organization must act in matters of voluntary relief and as a medium of communication between the people and their Army and Navy.

**Domestic Program Extensive**  
The domestic operations of the American Red Cross comprise an accurate indicator of the continuing calls for expansion in all the established and authorized services. The budget aggregates \$4,636,449.70, as against expenditures during the last year of \$4,452,066.20. The abnormal demands in the foreign field in the last several years, however, have largely subsided, and in consequence \$96,625.11 has been set for the 1923-24 budget under foreign operations. On this amount \$394,303.91 is set aside for engagements which will close the work for the refugees in Greece, for whose amelioration \$2,605,696.09 was expended up to June 30, when the American Red Cross withdrew, and the work was taken over under the control of the Greek government. For liquidation and completion of general relief in Europe the budget provides \$100,000, and for American Junior Red Cross projects, foreign and insular, and assistance to Chapters listed under foreign operations.

**Ready for Emergency Calls**  
The readiness of the American Red Cross to answer immediately with effective service in cases of emergency is an outstanding feature of its program that is universally recognized. During last year \$525,000 was spent for relief in 110 disasters, which was \$207,500 in excess of budget provisions. This year \$400,000 has been appropriated for this service. Since 1881 the Red Cross has administered more than \$20,000,000 in relief work following disasters. Other budget items in the schedule for domestic operations include \$1,282,524.20 for service and assistance to the 3,600 Chapters and their Branches; \$80,000 for assistance to other organizations, particularly stressing child health activities; \$194,000 for Junior Red Cross projects and service; \$10,824.20 for assistance to Nurses' Training Schools, and for other activities \$111,456.80. For supervision of service activities and general management of the entire American Red Cross less than \$335,000 is allocated.



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### WELLMAN WARBLINGS

By Sandpiper.  
Weather still lovely. Several of our people are about to get through picking cotton. Mr. and Mrs. John Smith visited at Seminole, Sunday.

The grim reaper visited at the home of the Kerns' family and took away the husband and father. Mr. Kerns was well known and well respected among our people. Death occurred Wednesday night, Nov. 14th, at 10 o'clock, and was due to dropsy of the heart.

Our sincere sympathy goes to the bereaved family in their hour of despair.

Prof. Burnett went to Lamesa last Sunday. He was accompanied by Richard Crews.

Mrs. Umphress of Seminole, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith. Emmett Levi and family motored to Lubbock, Sunday. Several of our young people were Seagraves visitors, Sunday. Come out to Sunday School and singing every Sunday afternoon.

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Jim Huckabee is having the Herald sent to his son, Lazell, of Amarillo.

### NOTICE

Inasmuch as rumors are going the rounds that I am unable to give good title to my lands on account of a second marriage a few years ago, will state that myself and wife, now divorced, had an agreement, which is on record at the courthouse, that our individual property, owned at time of marriage, was to remain as before, and was not community property. Examine the records. Any land act has the right to sell this land at the price, net, listed by me.

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