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#### **NEW COMERS NOW KNOW** WHAT TO EXPECT

The new comers to Terry and other South Plains counties are now fully and efficiently initiated into the first and second degrees of homesteading in this section, for old Hi Wind certainly put the degrees on with a vengance last Wednesday and Thursday. Of course they all know this without a repetition of it in the Herald-its no news to them-but they know now what to expect, and if their backbones were stiff enough to pass through those two days, they are here to stay, for they will not likely witness anything worse, and especially so long at one time.

To say the least old Hi certainly poured it an, never even letting up Wednesday night, but turned from the north instead of the west and tried to outdo what it did Wednesday.

To the new comer who has come to old Terry to live, we would just say: When such bounders as these appear on the scene, just drop whatever you are doing, go indoors and pull down the windows, close the doors and get the Bible, newspaper or a book and make yourself at home. Don't try to work when one of them is raging. You'll only lose your temper and accomplish nothing. Talk, threats, or persuasion simply won't stop 'em. Its been tried before you came here. You'll have plenty time to make a good crop after they are over, and the weather during late spring, summer, fall and early winter will make you forget them.

#### PROMINENT HEALTH AU-THORITIES COMING SOON

Herald this week that Brownfield and Terry county are quite fortunate in that they will be visited the latter part of March by two of the State's most prominent health authorities and that they would address the citizens while here. She said they rare ly visited this section of the state an hearing their lectureson other occasions, she believed the people of this county should try to avail themselves of this opportunity to hear them.

The party consists of Mr. Ehlers, State Sanitary Engineer, and Dr. H. N. Barnett, State Director of Bureau courthouse yard, gave a good account date at grammar school auditorium. of Child Hygiene, each of whom will deliver a lecture while here, stated Miss Hagquist, State Advisory Nurse, who is here getting the County Nurse, Miss Easley, started in her work.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE OF TERRY COUNT

The executive committee met in the County Judge's office Saturday after noon.

Directors of League as follows: H. C. Zorn, Director General. Miss Pearl Carver, Secretary.

D. C. Heath, Director of Athletics C. O. Carmack, Director of Debate Carl Herrod, Director of Arithmetic Mrs. Dallas, Director of Music.

H. G. Lyson, Director of Declaima-

G. R. Stewart, Director of Spelling. Miss Patsy Brazil, Director of Es

O. W. Fagala, Director of School Fair.

The committee decided that the meet would be held at Brownfield Friday and Saturday, April 2nd. and 3rd. All Schoolastic events to take place Friday beginning at 10:00 o' clock, and athletics will be held Saturday beginning at 10 o'clock.

The following athletic events will he open to the girls of the league, both Junior and Senior: Fifty yard dash, 120 yard relay, Basket ball, Volley ball and Tennis.

Committee on Judges: Miss Nancy Dumas, Homer Wins ton, O. W. Fagala.

Finance Committee: Hemer Winston, J. B. Jackson, C. O. McCormack.

Respectfully, H. C. Zorns, Chairman. J. B. Jackson, Acting-Secy.

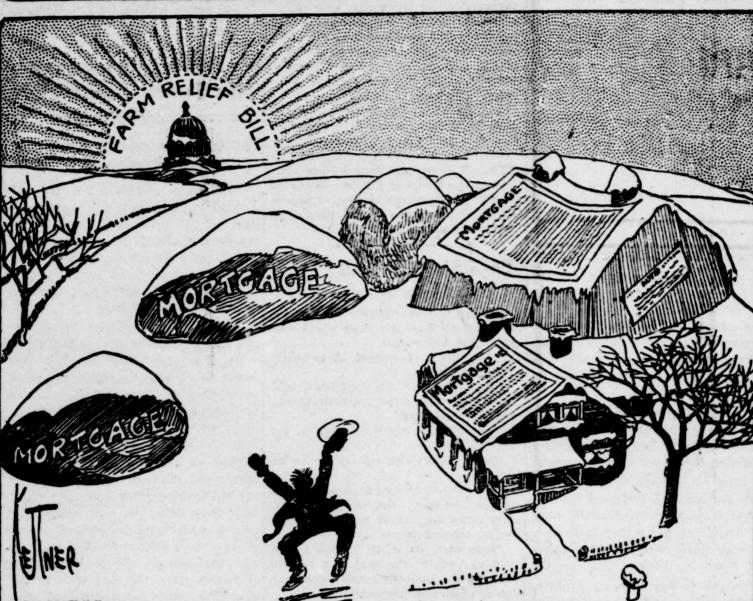
LOCATE IN LUBBOCK

# DR. CASTLEBERRY TO

Dr. H. A. Castleberry, of Brownfield, will move to this city and will ssociate himself with his son, Dr. G. G. Castleberry, in the practice of medicine in this city. Dr. Castleberry has been in the regular medical work for a number of years and his coming here will add much to the firm .-Lubbock Avalanche.

Slaton-Six new business houses recently completed.

**Dawning** 



# LARGE CROWD ATTENDS

Perhaps more than fifty people, in- Mr. John Qualen, pianist, flutist, and much benefit derived from ming- sketches are due to appear in Brown- Health Nurse, and to go into perman- to make even better prices to the man O'Brien. ling with the many other live wires field, Monday evening, March 1st, ent organization. from this section of the country.

The Brownfield band, which has ers Association. not been practicing much until lately, This company is said to be the most and its only recent public appearance popular number yet to appear on the being a concert given last Sunday Lyceum course, and a large audience afternoon in the bandstand on the will hear the program on the above of themselves at Littlefield, and re- The Qualen company is a program ceived many compliments for their you cannot afford to miss. Every good work. They rendered a con- where they have met with enthusicert Monday afternoon late on their asm and keenest appreciation from way home, at Levelland.

Some of the best speakers in West | In his impersonations of the Swede. occassion, including the president of and other characters. Mr. Qualen the West Texas Chamber of Com- makes up on the stage in full view of merce, the manager of that organi- the audience. The transformation zation, and the president of the West from a typical young American to Texas State Normal at Canyon, and those various characters is marvously the president of the Texas Tech Col- quick and well nigh perfect. lege at Lubbock. Representatives Miss Green starred with Qualen representing a number of towns on see. "My Home Town." This was won by a Ralls student.

The next district meeting of the organization goes to Crosbyton, who was a slight winner over Lamesa in the voting. All report that Littlefield knows how to entertain visitors and doesn't fail in its knowledge.

#### FOUNDATION BEING RUN FOR NEW HOTEL, TUESDAY

One of the newest and most highly she would return to Brownfield as improved concrete mixers was receiv- soon as possible. ed Monday by the contractors for the new Brownfield Hotel, and was put a week and had been very busy with up and given a good limbering up in Miss Hagquist, the State Director, order to be ready Tuesday morning in mapping out the work here, and to mix the concrete for the foundation had already visited many schools deand basement of the hotel, which will spite the bad weather that prevailed Le rushed to completion as fast as two days last week. Upon her re- and Westbrook. skilled workmen can do it.

has taken a lease on the hotel when the work where it was left off. it is completed. This will be good news to Brownfield people as well as the traveling public for it will be remembered that the old Hill Hotel under his management a few years ago, was built up to give excellent service despite the fact that it was handicapped for room and other modern conven-

A 10 per cent penalty will be added everything to himself Monday, but of Hagquist and Easley can get to them. after Feb. 28th on all city taxes that course as the season advances, he are unpaid at that time. By order of will get help. A mighty fine grade of the City Council.

Geo. . Tiernan, City Col. field plant of this company.

#### THE QUALEN COMPANY WILL | COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH Miss Kathryn Hagquist informed LITTLEFIELD DIST. CONVENTION APPEAR HERE MON., MARCH 1ST

cluding the band attended the Dis- whistler, impersonator, Reonteur, as- few men met Tuesday afternoon at The main object is to protect them-Chamber of Commerce at Littlefield enne, in programs of music, character work undertaken in this county un- credit, and in saving themselves from and winked. Monday, and all rport a great time, delineations, dramatic and comedy der the supervision of the county such "cookoos" are able in the saving sponsored by the local Parent Teach-

their audiences.

Texas delivered addresses on this the Italian fruit vender, the old man

from many towns and cities in this in 'Six Cylinder Love,' one of New section also rendered reports on their York's conspicuous comedy successes. particular towns, stressing improve- In addition to her dramatic ability, ments along commercial lines and Miss Green is a real musician, and building records. There was also an with it all is one of the most charming essay contest among school students entertainers one could ever hope t

#### **COUNTY NURSE GETS DEATH MESSAGE SATURDAY**

Miss Anna Sois Easley, County Health Nurse was shocked Saturday J. Stricklin and J. C. Bond. Messrs. morning when she got a telegram O. W. Fagala, Supt. of Schools; Dr. from her home at Dublin, Texas, that T. L. Treadaway, County Health Ofher father had passed away. The ficer; Dr. M. C. Bell, City Health Of message was too brief to state the ficer. cause of her death. She left immediately to attend the funeral, and said loch. J. B. Reed and R. H. Timmons.

Miss Easley had been here less than turn here, Miss Hagquist will again We learned hiso that J. C. Bond join her, and the two will resume

#### ICE PLANT STARTED AGAIN MONDAY MORNING

The Texas Utilities Ice Plant was started up Monday morning for the first run of the season, the winter storage supply having been exhausted. Of course the plant will not have and John Gracey. to be run regularly for some time to

ice is being turned out by the Brown- ium of 1500 seating capacity, under good will and prayers of the

# COMMITTEE MEETS

Miss Katherine Hagquist, State Advisory Nurse, took charge of the temporary secretary. Miss Hagquist citizenship in general. Miss Hagquist cheaper with fewer losses. also paid a tribute to the Commissioners Court of the county.

Short talks were then made by Dr. Treadaway, Prof. O. W. Fagala, A. J. Streklin and Mrs. J. L. Randal, all perfect right to do. Farmer: Immediately after these talks th adies went into permanent organization with the following results:

Chairman, Mrs. D. P. Lewis; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. W. H. Black, Gomez Secretary, Miss Sue Belle Couchman Union; Publicity, Mrs. J. L. Randal The committee is to meet each 4.1 Wednesday at 2:30 p. m.

The following are the communitie now organized and the names of the members representing that community. The Brownfield committee is al so to be known as the central commit

Brownfield: Mesdames J. L. Randal, D. P. Lewis, E. G. Alexander, A

Meadow: Mesdames T. C. Mal Prairieview: Mesdames Page and B. Martin.

Challis: Mrs. O. K. Tongatt. Needmore: Mesdames J. R. Smith and Noah Bell.

Pleasant Valley: Mesdames C. F Rickles and Lloyd Greathouse. Gomez: Mesdames W. H. Black Sawyer: Mrs. Martin.

Lehay: Mrs. Edd Bartlett. Wellman: Mrs. O. P. Smith. Union: Mrs. Brock and Miss Sue Belle Couchman.

Midway: Mrs. T. H. French. Scudday: Mrs. I. A. Lowe. Hunter: Mrs. Jack Bryan. Willow Wells: Mrs. C. R. Hubby. Forrester: Mrs. M. Thomason. Harmony: Mesdames J. O. Hobbs

Poole: Mrs. T. R. Darden. Other communities are not yet or-

Cisco-New High School gymnasconstruction.

# UNIT FOR ADVANCEMENT

BROWNFIELD IS A

wall, an immovable unit for the ad- Girl," which makes its local debut at county, and to our notion it would Tuesday, March 1, and 2. It is a meltake something more powerful than odramic screen version of Edwin Baldrive a wedge in their ranks. They such a tremendous furore when it have come to the conclusion that was first published serially in the Cos-"United we stand; divided we fall," mopolitan Magazine. and with this in view, and no one That Mr. Griffith was not stingy of with an axe to grind, the growth and talent when assembling his cast is

city failed to put his name down and fast, rough, roaring jazz-belt and ungive a check which entitled them to der world of Chicago is loaded with become members of the Retail Mer- all those sure-fire elements that go chants Association- National, State to make up a swift, exciting and heart and local, all at one time. This is in- appealing picture. we imagine there are few towns the strong program billed for the local size of Brownfield that can present playhouse. Another big hit of the fellows who want the other fellow to the screen version. the same footing as far as that is con- a lieutenant.

A nice crowd of ladies and not a are far from the truth of the matter, still swirling through them. who is entitled to credit. It is a well known fact that to stay in business one must have a reasonable profit, smart?" meeting and Mrs. Stricklin acted as but if a merchant is grafted here and there by a dead beat, he must raise gave an interesting talk on the work his prices on the good man in order to to be done here, and concluded by make a profit in the year's business. saying the work was being made easy Therefore by eliminating the grafter by the splendid cooperation of the to the minimum, they can do business

In other words they are simply looking after their own self-preservation, which every legitimate American firm or individual certainly has pledging hearty support to the work, and others have their organizations for just such purposes, and are protected in them by our government.

# LOCAL MINISTER ATTENDS

Rev. G. J. Thomas, local pastor of he Methodist Church, attended the Brotherhood meeting of the Church n Dallas last week, which is otherwise known as regional meetings. These meetings, if we understand them, are to draw the membership closer together regardless of State National or local lines and to keep work of each from overlapping the

A number of prominent speakers inluding some from foreign countries were on hand, one being a former member of the House of Commons from England. Rev. Thomas reports that it certainly was a good meeting, and the visitors of several hundred were given a great banquet at the Adolphus Hotel.

#### LOCAL MINISTER GOES TO TENNESSEE WORK

After the 11:00 o'clock services Sunday, Elder H. W. Wrye called for meeting of the officers of the Church in the afternoon, at which LEWIS BROTHERS MOVtime he put a proposition up to them to let him go to a church at Clarksville, Tenn. that was much weaker in membership than the Brownfield church, was in debt and needed his services permanently to help t pull out. The officers here gave the unanimous consent to accept the ca of this Tennessee church, and he le this week to begin his work.

Elder Wrye had only been here little more than a month during w time he was called back there for Manager Thompson seemed to have ganized but will be as soon as Misses revival, but the membership had already become attached to him, the crowd at the church creasing as he is an able minister here goes with him.

#### GRIFFITH'S MELO-JAZZ EPIC COMING TO RIALTO

If there are people who think that | One of the most significant pro-Brownfield is still torn asunder by ductions looming up on the motion politics or isms, they have another picture horizon is D. W. Griffith's think coming. They stand as a solid spectacular jazz epic, "That Royle vancement of Brownfield and Terry the Rialto theatre next Monday and we have ever yet experienced to again mer's powerful novel which created

prosperi'y of the future Brownfield evidenced by the presence in the film s assured. The very fact that we of such capable and popular players have to beg men to take the offices as Carol Dempster, W. C. Fields, of the city, is proof enough that we James Kirkwood and Harrison Ford. ave no people in our midst ready to It was inevitable that "That Royle erve for self gain or agrandisement. Girl" should find its way to the sil-Another thing that points with force ver sheet, for its intensely dramatic the unity of the city recently was plot of a flippant, beautiful, pleasurehe fact that no business man in the craving flapper's adventures in the

deed an inviable record in itself, and Next week finds an exceptionally such a unanimous record when this season to be shown Wednesday and rganization was first broached in Thursday, March 3rd and 4th, is their town. There are always a few "Havoc" featuring George O'Brien in

feather his nest, but this kind seems to Leo Houck plays an occasional be very shy in Brownfield. The part in pictures and in "Havoc he ap-Chamber of Commerce is almost on | pears as orderly for O'Brien who is

O'Brien and his trainer arrived at Those who may have the idea that the trenches near Camp Lee one night a Retail Merchants Association is for during the battle scenes. It had been the purpose to agree on prices, and raining heavily and the trenches were we have heard such things hinted, a mass of mud a foot deep, with water

Houck looked long and intently at trict Convention of the West Texas, sisted by Miss Evelyn Green, comedi- the Methodist Church to outline the selves against those unworthy of the mire. Then he turned to George

"What's the matter Leo?" asked

"We wern't smart," drawled Leo. "What do you mean, 'we

"We weren't smart enough to join the Navy were we?"

In the cast with O'Brien are Madge Bellamy, Margaret Livingston, Walter McGrail, Davil Butler, Leslie Fenton Harvey Clark, Edythe Chapman, Wade Boteler and Eulalie Jensen.

#### TRADES AND SALES DAY AT LOOP MONDAY

Mr. Lee Smith, who has been here all winter with a bunch of mules he bought and raised near Melrose, N. M. was in to see us Monday of this week for circulars advertising a first Monday trades and sales day for Loop, just over the line in Gaines DALLAS MEETING county, this coming Monday.

> These circulars are asking the farmers to come and bring their trading stock of all kinds, farm implements, etc., and promise them a buyer. This sales and trades day idea is a thing that larger towns than Loop in this section, might copy to advantage.

#### TERRY COUNTY RURAL SCHOOLS GET \$2,730

County Judge H. R. Winston and assistant J. E. Shelton were out Monday and Tuesday with J. B. McClung. Rural State-aid School Supervisor, and secured the following aid for

sant Valley -----\$2,730

# ING TO NORTH SIDE

Lewis Brothers & Company, one of the oldest and most popular general merchandise stores in the city begin moving Monday of next ek to the two-story Odd Fellow's Barrier Building on the north side of the square, in the stand formerly pied by the Economy Store. This give them a practically fire-proof ng, a more central location with

Max Winkler has been selling out be bankrupt stock of the Economy tore in this building, but now has reduced that he is able to move balance to his store on the west e of the square, making room for Brothers.

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APPRECIATIVE

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# **Brownfield State Bank**

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CONSERVATIVE **ACCOMMODATIVE** AND APPRECIATIVE

#### NOTICE

The State of Texas; county of Ter-

Notice is hereby given that a 10 per cent penalty will be added after 1st. on all School Taxes in the Happy Independent School District that are unpaid at that time.

By order of the Board of Trustees of said District.

# BLUEWEED ERADI-

In parts of West and Southwest Texas the Blueweed, a close relative of the common sunflower, becomes a troublesome pest when the land is in cultivation. Experiments were conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, at the Lubbock Station in 1917 to 1919 looking to the control of this pest and the results were published in Bulletin No. 292. your sins washed away?" The publication proved very popular and the edition was quickly exhausted so that it has become necessary to i reprint thi sBulletin and anyone interested can secure a copy now by writing Dr. B. Youngblood, director Texas Agriculture Experiment Sta- washed, yo' jes' been dry cleaned." tion, College Station, Texas.

The experiments showed that the weed propagates itself largely from the underground stems which live over from year to year and are very persistent and although the weed produces a large seed crop, the seeds are of very low viability and there does not seem to bevery much if any reproduction from this source. The tests showed conclusively that the Blueweed can be killed out completely in two seasons by plowing at intervals of about two months during the growing season. Plowing seven inch-

for Economical Transportation

es deep proved more efficient than plowing four inches. Lsting or cutting the weed at the surface with a hoe proved less effective as a means prove effective on the larger and equal. more thinly infested areas. The bad- The present epedemic of flu does ly infested patches should be uncrop- not equal any former invasion in the ped and the weed eradicated by more number of deaths but in the number S. H. Winn, Jr., President. intensive measures. Reports receiv- of stricken it has not been surpassed. Mays Jenkins, Secretary, ed at the experiment station indicate that liberal use is being made in sections of West Texas of the methods In most cases the entire family have CATION PROGRESS of Blueweed eradication described in been down and a number of relapsthis Bulletin.

#### HIS DIRTY SINS

A colored Baptist evangelist exwashed away."

All came but one man.

washed away?" "Ober at de Methodist Church."

"Ah, brudder Jones, yo' ain't been

# A CARD OF THANKS

our most sincere appreciation for the City Marshall. So far there have been many kindnesses and courtesies which I no announcements for any of the plawere shown to us during the time of ces. To the victors belong the spoils" our greatest bereavement. They were is an old slogan, and as the present more than we could even ask or ex- effort to incorporate was fathered by pect. We shall hold in tender mem- those who opposed the effort a year ory and appreciation all you did to ago, they should be allowed to furnconsole us in our sorrow and grief. ish the officers. It would be hard to

beautiful floral offering. Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald and family.

# **MEADOW BRIEFS**

By Aesculapias.

The past two weeks will be long; of eradication than plowing. A com- remembered for the number of sick bination of deep plowing, smother as compared with former years. We crops and clean tilted row crops will will have to hark back to 1918 for its

At least nine-tenths of the families in this section have suffered from it. es among those who were too eager for a return to work.

So far there has been no fatilities but numbers are still confined to bed horting. "Now Breddern and Sistern, and house for ten or twelve. The come up to de alter and have yo' sins doctors have had plenty to do. A list of those sick would be a register of the community.

"Why brudder Jones don't you want | We have had a change of postmasters. Mr. Hickey is to retire and "I'se done had my sins washed Mr. Blackstone of the Meadow Review takes his place. The change "Yo' has? Where yo' had yo' sins seems to have been conducted with great secrecy as Mr. Hickey seems to have not known that such proceedings

> The Review, it seems, will pass to other hands, just who the writer has not learned.

On the 26th Meadow will elect her We take this means of expressing new officers-Mayor, Aldermen and Especially are we thankful for the tell which from 'tother' just now any

> We sincerely hope that this quiet brotherhood will continue and Alphono and Gaston will continue to slobber over each other.

The Twenty-Second passed without accident or incident. A number of business men went to Littlefield to the C. of C. meet. The only recognition of the day was a half holiday for the school and the closing of the Bank and Postoffice. However the country at large seems to have given that day greater recognition than for many years.

Judged by the publicity the country is terribly exercised over the refusal to admit a confessed adulteress to his country. Womens clubs and other !-- fool organizations are waiving their ears and shedding tears that the immigration officers should object to uch frivolous matters as the sexual purity of those admitted. Undoubtedly it was the intention of this Countess to flaunt her delinquency in the face of the American people. She could have lied about it and certainly mendacity is no worse than

The event will undoubtedly result in an immense amount of salacious

It is rumored that Prof. Zorns is to move to the farm at an early date and devote himself to agriculture. We tried this last year and our success was such that the price of cotton and other farm products very promptly fell in price.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler are the proud parents of a twelve pound boy. He came in on the nineteenth inst. There is more in this country than moving sand.

G. N. Hodges purchased recently from the Tudor Sales Company, a Ford Coupe.

Bob Atlans and A. J. Jordan, of Rayland, Texas, were here the past week prospecting, and may become residents of Terry county. Mr. Jordan is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Bennett, and they stopped at the Bennett home while here.

#### Beautiful in Ruin Is Famous Dryburgh Abbey

A beautiful ancient church, like a fine old painting or poem, has a message for people of the present day. It is as if the builders challenged the modern world in this wise: "Here is our ideal of beauty; it breathes the life of our time and marks a step in our progress. Do you moderns surpass us in such expressions of

The abbey of Dryburgh lies in Berwickshire, just across the border note far from Abbotsford and Melrose abbey, says the Christian Science Monitor. There is a question whether it was founded by David I in 1150, or by Hugh de Morville. Probably both men did much for it. The abbey today is surrounded by orchards and noble trees and crowns a peninsula around which sweeps the Tweed river. Two gables are still entire, and in the west one is a beautifully radiated circular window, called the wheel of St. Catherine. The general architecture of the abbey shows Roman, Saxon, Norman and Gothic influences. We associate the spot principally with Sir Walter Scott, but Thompson composed his "Winter" here, and long before that Gower, the friend of Chaucer, occupied a cell in Dryburgh abbey. Chaucer himself stayed some time here with his friend and rival.

#### Then She Knew All There Was to Know

"Is this a speedometer?" she asked. as she tapped on the glass which covered that instrument.

"Yes, dear," I replied in a sweet. gentle voice. "Don't they call this the dash light?" she queried, fingering the little nickel-

plated Illuminator. "Yes, honey," my words floated out

softly as before. "And is this the cut-out?" she in-

"Yes, Toodles," as I took my foot off the accelerator. Not more than 200 feet away our course was blocked by a fast moving train.

"But what on earth is this funnyorous push with her dainty foot.

"This, sweetheart, is heaven," I said in a soft, celestial voice, as I picked up a gold harp and flew away.-The Watchman Examiner.

#### Days of the Guilds

tain corporations or fraternities of traders that grew up in the free sities ages. Free cities of this kind in Eng. which seemed to be enjoyed by all. land were called "boroughs." These We want to say that Littlefield corporations were most powerful in knows how to entertain, for the dinmany. Each guild exercised a monop- tors and we certainly did get a square trip to N. M. on business. oly in its own particular craft, in return for which privilege the members rendered military service in defending the towns from attack. The right to exercise one's trade independently depended upon membership in a guild, which membership carried with it the rights of citizenship. The guild was expected to supervise the work of its members and to see that it was of reasonable quality. Henry VIII of England gave a death blow to the guilds by confiscating their property, on the ground that it was used for surreptitious purposes .- Kansas City Star.

# Not All in America

The average Briton who knows anything about America never fails to think that some American town names like Oshkosh and Yuba Dam are the funniest things that ever happened. However, they forget the queer town names in their own tight little

For instance, there is a Nasty in Herefordshire and a Mucking in Es-Norfolk boasts of a Great Snor-

In Lincolnshire one finds Swineshead Cowbit, and Dripping Gore in Kent. Yorkshire also has a match for Yuba

It has Dam Flask. Then there are other odd ones like Helious Bumpstead, Toller Porcorum, Heck, Over Wallop and Nether Wallop, Bartonin-the-Beans and Lynesack-and-Softly.

# Sympathy

An untimely frost effectually completed the mischief done earlier by the insect enemies of Mr. Perkins' potatoes. The tops of the plants, which had served as pasturage for the pests. were entirely destroyed, and with them Mr. Perkins' hopes of a crop. He was not selfish, however, and could think of others in the hour of adversity. In the afternoon he was accosted at the post office by a friend. "Hello, Perkins! How's everything

up to the corners?

"Trouble enough, Williamson, trouble enough!" was the gloomy response. "Ten million potato bugs, and nothing for 'em to eat!"-Everybody's Maga-

# Other Fish to Fry

The owner of an estate on which there was a lake was annoyed to see a stranger fishing therein. He approached the trespasser and began to

abuse him. "This lake," he said, "Is privately owned and I stocked it myself. You must go away at once."

"Just a minute, sir." said the fisherman calmly. "What did you stock the lake with?

"Trout," was the answer. "And I won't have-" "That's all right, sir," said the trespasser unconcernedly. "I'm fishing for

pike."--Rohoboth Sunday Heraid.

# American Cafe GOOD EATS WEST SIDE SQUARE

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#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BAND VISITS LITTLEFIELD

On Monday morning, February 22 with eight cars and forty representaives of our little city, consisting of our Band of about twenty three peices left at eight o'clock for our sister city of Grude Jones of the postoffice force. Littlefield to be there on the occas- was down visiting the past week. ion of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce District meet.

Upon arrival there our band, assembled in front of Stokes & Alexander's drug store and played a few pieces in all their splendor and from there they went to the High school building where they had their active parts with three other bands, which lasted for course of some three hours

Then back to the place of starting where the Lubbock band as well as the Brownfield band took time about with each other in entertaining the people who were thronged there about and all alike received the cheers looking pedal?" she said in a curious and applause of the listeners. The tone, as she gave the accelerator a vig- sidewalks were crowded with people turn our faces toward the "Cream of City. the South Plains" and while on the

meal. Those who failed to make this visit to Littlefield cannot realize just what they dissed.-One who was

G. B. Owens, of Lubbock, old friend Mr. Owens was well pleased with Brownfield and believes it has a great future, and he informed Mr. Jones if he were going to leave Lubbock, he would choose Brownfield in preference to other Plains towns.

W. R. Stewart, one of our new farmers, is now a regular reader of the Herald.

The Misses Tannery of the Johnson community, were in to see us last Saturday for programs for a Washington Birthday celebration the Johnson school staged Monday night. These charming young ladies are teachers in the Johnson school.

G. N. Hodges of the West Texas and the streets were crowded with Grain Company left Tuesday on a cars until about five o'clock when it combined business and pleasure trip was decided that it was time that we to Fort Worth, Ardmore, Oklahoma

way home, this party not being fully | Bob Snodgrass came up from Flusatisfied with their days boosting, vana Sunday after his daughter Ada The name "guilds" was given to cer- stopped to pass a few words with our Mae, who has been visiting with her neighbor Levelland and while there aunt, Mrs. Ben Furst, but owing to and towns of Europe in the Middle gave those people a short concert, the fact that she was not feeling very well being just recovering from an operation for goitre, he did not attempt the towns of Flanders and South Ger- ing room was wide open to all visi- to carry her home, but instead made a

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#### S. S. S. Club Meeting

The S. S. S. Club met Monday, Feb. 15th, with Lou Ellen Brown and Lilneedle work and conversation. Thadie The instrument is said by musicians issues. Elliott gave several piano selections to be worth \$50,000, but a San Franwhich were greatly enjoyed. Delici- cisco tailor purchased it for \$3.00. CETS TWO YEARS FOR ous refreshments of hot chocolate, pickles and jello and cakes were serv- violin's value until he saw newspaper ed to the following: Misses Madilene and Thadie Elliott. Hudgens, Kendrick, Holgate, Price, Scudday, Anthony, Duke, Welch, Hill, Ballard, Adams, Bailey, Lou Ellen and Marie

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# \$50,000 VIOLIN PURCHASED

William Carlson had no idea of the pictures of a Stardivarius collection. Levelland, Feb. 23,-Walter Layton

drove over Monday.

#### INTERESTING HOME TOWN HISTORIES IN TEXAS

"There is a story of what may have been the first Texas pardon. A woman was convicted of murdering her husband and was sentenced to be 'erected by the neck until dead, dead, dead! Sam Houston was President of the Republic and pardoned the woman with the chivalrous statement that "when all the men in Texas that needed hanging were hanged, then it would be time enough to start inflicing that punishment on the wo

"Joseph Raney, down on the Texas border, writes of a raid-made by Texins into into Mexico. Besides there are historians of Anderson, San Marcos, Wichita Falls, and Sherman, all written by Texas high school boys and girls.

"These home town histories are made pissible by the generosity o a Texas man who is giving each year nearly three hundred dollars to be distributed in prizes for the best his torics. There is also a prize for the student who will locate graves o American Revolutionary soldiers in Texas. Then there are prizes amounting to \$150.00 for history teachers who will write county histories."

Twenty of these home town histories have been published in book form together with rules of the contest A copy will be sent to any Texas history teacher, newspaper editor or pupil, upon request. Inquiries should be sent to W. B. Webb, University of Texas, Austin.

#### C. C. FISH RECEIVES MUCH **NEW MACHINERY**

C. C. Fish, popular boot, shoe and harness repair man received the balance of his machinery this week for his shop in the building next door to the First National Bank. This machinery is the very latest in shoe and boot making and repairing, being similar to the machinery used by Martin & Son here, only later model, and is the best that money can buy. This machinery will probably invoice \$3,000 or \$4,000, and Mr. Fish is to be congratulated in the confidence he displays in the future of Brownfield.

Mr. Fish not only has a good shoe, boot and harness repair business, but San Francisco, Feb. 19 .- A violin his auto top making and repairing is lie Mae Bailey at the home of the for- made by the famous master, Stradi- growing by leaps. Note Mr. Fish's mer. An enjoyable hour was spent in varius, has been discovered here ad elsewhere in this and future

# LEVELLAND BURGLARY

young Kansan, pleading guilty yester-Mr. Hill of the Tahoka News and day in Levelland District Court to a Albert Curry of the O'Donnell Index charge of burglary of a filling station there last November, was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary, Watch for photo display Friday while Edward Taylor, 17, pleading and Saturday in window of Cook & guilty to the same charge, was giv-Ite en a-suspended sentence of two years.

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#### Mexican Couples Go in State to Wedding

Ancient wedding customs are still observed by the Mexicans. Their church weddings are always held in the morning. The bride and groom ride to the church in a closed carriage, with a footman and a driver in white trousers and correct English livery. The horses have docked tails and heavy white leather collars, besides white cockades streaming from their bridles.

The real picture, however, is said to be inside the carriage, which is completely lined with satin in a sert of tufted effect. The contracting parties sit beside each other. The bride wears conventional white and the groom evening clothes. Directly opposite them is a small child dressed in white velvet with the ring pillow on his lap. The wedding ceremony contains many picturesque symbols. The climax of the affair comes when the bride and groom are bound together with a heavy string. Immediately after the ceremony the whole party goes to the photographer's .- Pathunder Magazine.

#### Gather Every Fifteen Years to Honor Deity

On the great hill of Sravanbelgola. in Mysore state, southern India, stands a colossal image over 60 feet high of the god Komateswara. Every 15 years a great festival is held in honor of the deity, and hundreds of thousands of Jains come from all parts of India to participate in it.

One of the principal events of the festival is the ceremonial anointing of the image with ghee, milk, sandal wood oil and other liquids. A buge scaffolding is erected around the figure to render it accessible, and the right to anoint it put up at auction-a curlous feature of a religious festival.

The figure of the god is a huge mon olith-probably the largest in the world. It was bewn out of solid rock at least a thousand years ago and is in a wonderful state of preserva tion.-Wide World Magazine.

#### Victim Turned Lure

While in the Hawaiian islands Mark Twain was assaulted unmerel fully by mosquitoes. Attempting to fool them, he had a fine netting put all around his bed. In spite of this precaution, however, the pests man aged to find their way inside and nearly tormented the life out of him After careful investigation the victin decided that after they once got in side of the netting the mosquitoes would crawl inside the netting, wait Plains, were the guests. patiently as a lure until he figured that all of the pests were inside, then lift the covering cautiously and sneak outside to spend the night on the floor Moreover, he always declared that he was never afterwards bothered.

# Pat Beat the Law

The story of dogs is closely connected with the story of man. For instance, there is the legend that relates how lap dogs came to Ireland.

In the beginning Britain seems to have had a monopoly on tiny dogs, and it was forbidden to give or sell a tiny dog to an Irishman.

Then parliament passed a law which decreed that a criminal should be given to the man he had wronged. So a clever Irishman, as the story goes, succeeded in getting a tiny lap dog to bite him.

The ruse succeeded, and the dog was taken to Ireland, where all the kings fought among themselves for the possession of her, until she brought peace by producing a large litter of pupples.

# Warning to Wives

If you expect your marriage to be happy, I warn you to beware of the

Trying to "boss" your husband. . Talking too much.

Interrupting serious conversation with banal interpolations.

Jealousy-when there is no cause for it.

Belittling your husband in public. Overpraising your husband in pub-Talking too much about yourself.

Lying unnecessarily - about the price of things, for instance.-From "The Passion Called Love"-Elinor

#### Glyn. "Art for Art's Sake"

Art for art's sake does not mean that art is more important than morals or is to be pursued to the exclusion of every other interest. It simply means that art is a region free and autonomous. It cannot be bent to ends of moral edification or practical propaganda without coarsening, warping and cheapening it, any more than a church steeple can be turned into a silo. And even the most practical farmer would hardly dare to suggest that the church trustee ask the architect to plan a church without a steeple, on the ground that it served no practical purpose. - Llewellyn Jones, in "First Impressions."

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#### IRS. W. C. SMITH HOSTESS TO FRIDAY FORTY-TWO CLUB

Mrs. W. C. Smith very charmingly atertained the Friday Forty-two club riday, 19. The decorations were sugestive of Washington's birthday. Afer several games, the hostess served not chocolate, bread and butter sandwiches, salad, cherry pie, with whipped cream.

Mrs. Geo. Tiernan, Mrs. C. Hamilon, Mrs. Morgan Copeland, Mrs. W. A. Collins, Mrs. Downing, Mrs. O. W. Fagala, Mrs. Claud Henderson, Mrs. Carl Jones, Mrs. Tom Glover, Mrs. D. '. Lewis, Mrs. J. L. Randal, Mrs D. McDuffie, Mrs. Henry Alexander, Mrs. W. A: Bell, Mrs. Cleve Williams, Mrs. Glenn Harris, Mrs. S. H. Holgat. Mrs. Brothers, Mrs. Walter Gracey, tend even further and include the Mrs. Jim Lewis, Mrs. Ben Hurst, Mrs. florist and fine fruit trade, milk cool-Rentfro, Mrs. Jno. C. Scudday, Mrs. ing. as well as certain processes of Dallas, Mrs. A. R. Brownfield, Mrs. food manufacture. Bailey, Mrs. Tom May, Mrs. Ditto, Mrs. A. A. Sawyer, Mrs. Will Adams, Mrs. A. M. Brownfield, Mrs. A. W. were unable to find their way out H. R. Winston, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs.

## **BUNCO PARTY**

The SSS Club was entertained Saturday night with a bunco party by Mildred Hudgens. The evening was very pleasantly spent. Delicious refreshments of punch, cakes, piementocheese sandwiches and salad was factured this year, will require almost served to the following: Misses 30,000,000 pounds of copper. Othel Rentfro, Christine Harrison, Anna Belle Scudday, Gladys Kendrick, Mary Catherine Anthony, Lou Ellen Brown, Lena Mae Ballard, Ruth Hill, Sate Duke, Madaline Elliott, Voncile Holgate, Dona Welch, Joe Freda Duke and Lois Adams and Mr. Toad Rentfro, Earl Anthony, Day Young, Crawford and Mrs. Savage, gathered John Mann, Guy Nelson, Glenn Webto help her comemorate the occassion. ber, W. D. Smith, Pete Bennett, Pete Tiernan, Eddie Ballard and Tom Her-

Rev. Tannery, of the Johnson community, paid the Herald a call Sat- chocolate were served. Favors were urday. We found Rev. Tannery a valentines and candy hearts. friendly, sociable minister, and a The young honoree was the recipbooster for his community. He is lient of many beautiful gifts .- Reportpastor of the Methodist church at er. Gomez and Plains, as well as Johnson. He informed us that he would hold quarterly conference before business M

#### THE VANISHING ICE MAN

Within the last year electric refrigeration has rapidly acquired a widespread importance through the linking up of cooperative effort between refrigeration manufacturers and electric power companies.

The great advantages of household electric refrigeration are, its automatic and steady operation, its ability to maintain a lower temperature of dry cold with absence of moisture, drip and dirt, and its better conditioning of refrigerated food.

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Considering only the household market for electric refrigeration, the possibilities for this growng industry Endersen, Mrs. M. B. Sawyer, Mrs. are enormous. Less than one per cent of the market has been sold, Consequently, every evening Mark R. M. Kendrick, Mrs. Chriswell from although unit sales have doubled each year for the last five years. With over 12,000,000 homes wired for electricity, the number of household electric-sefrigerators is expected to soon reach the washing machine figure which is nearly 4,000,000.

> It is estimated that the iceless refrigeration units which will be manu-

# **BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. Lawrence Dunn entertained on Feb. 15th in honor of the 8th birthday of her daughter, Wilma Frank.

Thirty-eight of her young friends, together with her teachers, Miss

Many outdoor games were played during the afternoon, after which they were called into the dining room where candles lighted and adorned the beautiful cake. Cake and hot

The wealth of Texas is estimated G. W. Webb and son were in from to be \$10,000,000,000. The increase he Johnson community Wednesday. has been 325 per cent since 1900.

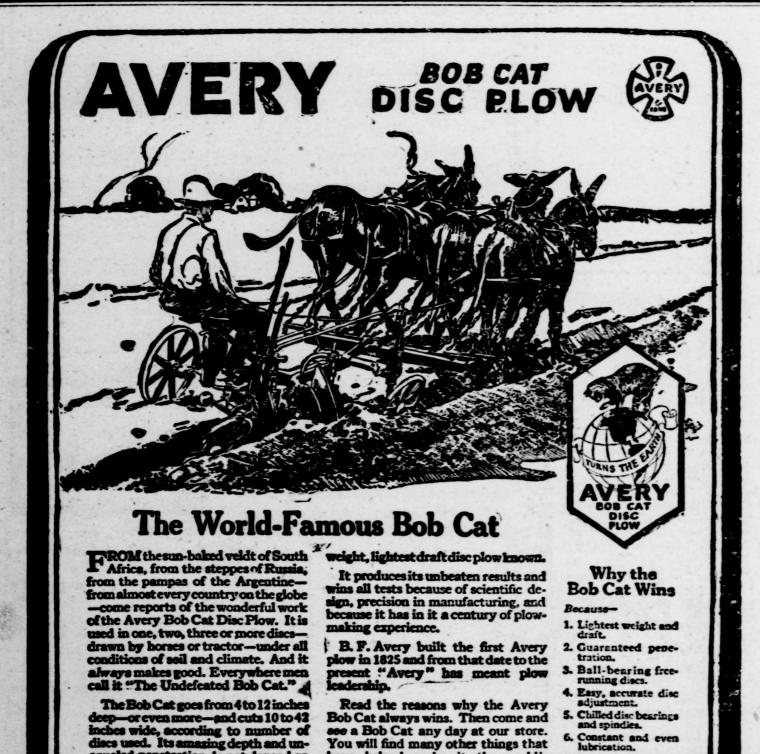


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#### **POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following political announcements are jubject to the action of the Democratic Party primary, July 27,

For District Attorney T. L. Price

A. W. Gibson Fer County Judge

H. R. Winston For Sheriff and Tax-Collector F. M. Ellington

For County and District Clerk Jay Barret

For Tax Assessor Sam L. Pyeatt T. C. Hogue

For County Treasurer Mrs. Ivy Savage Mrs. Carrie L. Good Wilburn Pippin

For Com. Pre. No. 1. W. E. Harred For Commissioner Pre. No. 2.

W. F. Stewart W. O. Hart For Commissioner Pre. No. 3.

J. J. Whitley J. W. Lasiter W. M. Goldston Jno. E. Scott

For Commissioner Pre. No. 4. Edd C. Bartlett For Public Weigher, Pre No. 1.

J. S. Smith

Some of the cities of this section a little publicity in the Fort Worth and Dallas papers. Only recently we note where one of them sent in a long article about one of the local pastors going away on a trip and carried the church key, which kept the local civic organization of women from meeting that afternoon. Now if the pastor had taken the church key and the leading saprano both with him for parts unknown, it would have been interesting reading matter.

Too late for last issue we learned that Rollie McKenzie happened to a THE SAD CASE OF G. O. P. serious accident by barrels of water slipping off his wagon and knocking Rollie out as he was driving down a hill and broke his leg below the man personally. He goes to work and knee and he crawled two or three publican Congressman from Texas.

well.-Jayton Chronicle.

Sometime ago a man was peddling eggs at Abilehe. Another man said to of rebuke. It is all very sad. him, "I haven't the nerve to carry eggs from house to house in a basthe eggs, "You are a renter, arn't you?" "Yes responded the man with the false pride. Responded the man am not a renter. I own a section of land and I made my money by attending to details. I was a poor renter, too, one time, but I found that the egg basket would assist me in buying and foolish pride about marketing the eggs. The business man sells his bach. products when he can to whom he can. He sell a lot of nickel articles remarked as he went, "I guess you are right."-County Agent Taylor county in Merkel Mail.

The "It is Reported." and "We

Think" paragrapher in the Lubbock Morning Avalanche recently expressed fear that he was going to run out of soap one of these days, and probably lose his job. However, he should work on in patience, remembering that his soap can be rehashed from time to time and make tolerably respectable reading matter. For instance, he can tell one day about old Battleax being in town, the next about him missing the sidewalk entirely, although taking deliberate aim; the next day he can report that possibly the old brother has run out of "chawing" as not sign of him was apparent, etc., etc., from day to day. Recently this here journal decided that a popular local club was going to run out of soap before they proceeded much further, as their programs were rather lengthy, covering all the ground from Dan to Bersheba apparently, and after due consideration, and with much misgivings as to how our advice would be taken, we broach- fully as crude as that. Somehow or ed the subject to one of the ladies. only to be told that they thought they knew what they were doing. And sure enough they did, for the programs still run to length, and they appear entirely new to a man in the topmost boughs. We also have heard dozens of sermons preached on the same subject but from a dozen difierent angles, and all were good. Possibly more than this number could be preached on Faith. Our advise to the Avalanche paragrapher is to let no future rock dull his present ax.

# PATRONAGE IN TEXAS

Poor Mr. Wurzbach! He is a fine gets himself elected as the only Remiles to his home and they carried He arrives in Washington and rolls

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him at once to Abilene where his leg up his sleeves, serving his constitwas set and he is getting along very uency and determined to show the capital that Republicanism is alive The next time you see Rollie, tell and doing in Texas, reports to the him to come to Terry county where contrary notwithstanding. For all he will not have to haul water, and his merits, all his popularity, all his therefore not endanger his life and achievement, does Mr. Wurzbach get anything in the way of recognition and reward from his party? He does not. He gets nothing but harsh words

Mr. Creager says that the "organization" in Texas needs no defense at ket." Said the first man, the one with his hands, and he gives the newspapers a colum of no defense accordingly. "Results," he says, "show for themselves." Preciously. That is what with the egg basket on his arm,-"I Mr. Wurzbach is raising his voice n ululation about. Results obtained in Texas are all to Mr. Wurzbach's credit, and results obtained where the pie counter stands are all to the "organizations." What is the use of geta farm. And I have none of the false ling results if the results themselves are not resultful, wonders Mr. Wurz- porter.

It seems that Mr. Wurbach gummed up the works, so to speak, when too." The renter walked away and he got himself elected. Republicans who are somebody in Republicanism in Texas get themselves appointed to office-not elected. That is where he gentleman from the Fourteenth District made his terrible mistake. He lost caste by shaking too many ands and being nice to too many abies. He took his candidacy for an elective office too seriously. He overdid the thing. He actually expected to win the office to the point he made no advance arrangements for an appointment in case his campaign fell through. He will go down in history as a dismally successful Republican in a State where unsuccessfulness is an element of eligibility to prominence and power in the polit-

ical councils of his tribe. The Democrats, of course, are viewng the case with sympathetic tears. Alas, even Democrats sometime quarrell with one another and call one another names in Texas. But it can scarcely be said that among Democrats getting elected to Congress is a stigma against a man's character. Getting elected to anything amounts to triumph in the Democrat's scale of things. His standards of value are other, Federal appointments have been so removed from the Democratic horison that a true Democrat rarely refuses the mandate of the ballot box. once it is offered to him .- Dallas

Electra-Waggoner Refining Co., Inc., will spend \$400,000 on instalation of a cracking plant, as well as natural gasoline plant.

Fabens-Work started on conctruction of Johnson hotel.

Sagerton-W. B. Dedmon raised 81 urkeys which brought \$327.90.

Sixteen West Texas counties produced over half a million bales 1925-6 cotton crop.

Sweetwater -Carload pedigreed long staple cotton seed being distributed by local bankers to growers. Plainview - Dairy industry being

promoted in Hale county. Vernon -Mid-West Utilities Company purchases local electric light and power plant.

#### MORE BONDS VOTED FOR **PAVING AT LAMESA**

We now understand there is a chance to vote more bonds for paving which will probably mean the paving of several more blocks and may extend two streets to the school buildings, the depot, to the Standifer Sanitarium and through to Judge Garland's residence.

This is a move in the right direction. The Reporter has plead for more paving all the while and we hope to see the time when every main street in the town will be paved .- Lamesa

#### HERE'S A TIP FOR 'MA' FROM NELLIE ROSS

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 19 .- A governor of a state should not permit appeals to sympathy to obscure his sense of responsibility to society and cause the unrestrained use of his powers in granting clemency to criminals. Governor Nellie Taylor Ross. Wyoming's executive said today in expressing her opinion in pardoning convicts. "Continuous pleas which come from grief stricken children, wives sons and daughters of prisoners, appeal strongly to the heart of a governor," Mrs. Ross said. "and are truly hard to resist. But I do not regard it the function of a governor to reverse the action of the courts except in cases where it can be established that the prisoner is a victim of conditions.

"One of the basic principles upon which all civilized governments are founded is the protection of the rights of their citizens. Every man charged with crime has thrown about him utmost protection by the state. He is held innocent until proven guilty. He has the benefit of council and trial before an unprejudiced judge and jury and if convicted should pay the pen-

#### SWASTIKA NEEDLE CLUB

Miss Othel Rentiro was the charming hostess to the Swastika club on

Instead of doing needle work the guests spent a pleasant evening in playing games. The house was called to order and a short business meeting followed in which it was decided to have a Theatre party that evening.

Delicious refreshments consisting of punch, sandwiches, pickles, salad, cherry pie, and whipped cream were served by the hostess to the following Misses: Brown, Graves, Holt, Harrison, Blanche and Geneva Brothers, Lorena Copeland, Lindley, Miller Warren, McPherson and Brownfield Club adjourned to meet in town at the appointed place and time for the Theatre party.

Next Monday the club will meet with Miss Blanche Brothers .- Re-

#### SWASTIKA THEATRE PARTY

Monday, 22nd, the members of the Swastika club met at the appointed place and from there they went to the Theatre. After a very enjoyable hour was spent in seeing "A Thief in Paradise" which everyone enjoyed, a visit to the drug store completed the eve-

The members departed to their respective homes with hopes for other such parties.-Reporter.

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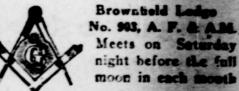
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J. W. Fitzgerald

## EXTENSION ASKED ON SOUTH PLAINS

Texas would be that of the Pecos and times the number of people. They es-Fe. from Floydada, southeast to a States alone. point near the southeast corner of Birds are mankind's best friends. Floyd county, a distance of fifteen Practically every bird is a costless, miles, according to application filed automatic, self-perpetuating bug-andwith the Interstate Commerce Com- worm-killer, without whose aid the mmission Saturday. The applications Country would soon swarm with inof the same road to construct from sect plagues like those of Egypt in the Plainview to Dimmitt and from Lider time of Pharoah. to Silverton are now before the Commission and on which Examiner Bow- government that gun and ammunition les has conducted hearings.

road according to the application fil- ing. There was a time when the ed Saturday would invade the terri- household shot-gun was desirable, tory sought by the Frisco in its pe- even necessary to fill the family lardtition to construct from McBain to er; now the kitchen table is supplied Floydada. The Frisco's application best, by the absence of the means to also is involved in matters on which kill the birds that save the crops. Examiner Bowles is to report to the commission. The Santa Fe's intention to construct from the South Lamar, Hopkins and Red River coun-Plains to Fort Worth and Dallas is ties, where he spent the past thirty thought to be from the Floydada end days visiting with relatives and atof the Pecos and Northern, and grant- tending to business matters. Mr. Tiding of Saturday's application would be well stated that he thought more than The first foet laureate, in the modern in that direction.

ed the application of the Panhandle he stated, was selling at around \$300 & Santa Fe to acquire control by per acre down in that portion of Texlease, of the South Plains & Santa Fe, as and the owners claim it is making the latter extending for 166 miles from them around one percent on their in-Bledsoe through Lubbock to Crosby- vestment. Tidwell said a number of ton. Both lines are parts of the Santa citizens were making their plans to

#### LYNCH DAVIDSON TO OPEN CAMPAIGN MARCH 6TH

Austin, Tex, Feb. 19 .- Lynch Davidson of Houston announced Friday that he will formerly open his cam- Miram A. Ferguson nor her husband, paign for governor, March 6th, in James E. Ferguson, will enter the 1926 East Texas. He did not name the gubernatorial race, is the prediction town where the opening address is to made today by Lynch Davidson, of

be made. He predicted that neither of the for governor. Ferguson's intended to enter the gub- The prediction was uttered just beernatorial race this year. "That fore Davidson made his semi-annual Moody, without anything to run on," tion of the Texas State railroad, of he declared.

Davidson indicated that the "high- managers. the bucket" compared to the big is- the opening of his campaign March 6. girl of seventeen or eighteen summers. of March, 1926, which is not less than officers of said election shall be res-

# DON'T KILL THE BIRDS

Department of Agriculture estimat-Washington, Feb. 20.-Another rail- es give 75 billion as the probable numroad extension in the South Plains of ber of birds in the world, about 40 Northern, a subsidiary of the Santa timate five billion birds in the United

It is perhaps good business for the prices are so hig. that comparatively The proposed construction of the few people can buy them for bird-kill-

B. Tidwell returned last week from ever of the great South Plains section The commission, Saturday, approv- after his visit to that section. Land, move to Gaines county between now and next fall .- Seagraves Signal.

#### NEITHER 'MA' OR 'PA' WILL RUN' LYNCH SAYS

Austin, Feb. 19 .- Neither Governor Houston, who has already announced

ould leave the young man, Dan report to the governor on the condiwhich he is chairman of the board of lage tea about a veteran critic who

way affair" would not be a "drop in Davidson stated he would announce doned a good job for a silly country be held in said county on the 13th day

#### CROWLEY CASE SET FOR MONDAY, MARCH IST

The criminal docket of the February term of the District Court for Lynn County will be called on Monday, 22nd day of February, 1926.

All witnesses and defendants are required and expected to be in attendance on the above date except witnesses in the case of the State vs. J. P. Crowley. That case is set for trial on Monday, March 1st, 1926, and all witnesses will be required to be in attendance on said Court on the last mentioned date.

A. W. Gibson, District Attorney.

#### - SSS CLUB

versation and needle work. Dainty powder certainly should be used." were served to the following:

Misses Mary Kathryn Anthony, Joe Freda Duke, Lillie Mae Bailey, Gladys removing makeup every night at bed-Kendrick, Christine Price, Anna Belle time. Young girls are even greater Elliott, Dona Welch, Lou Ellen Brown is the great menace to the skin and and Lena Mae Ballard.

Some of the members were not present but we hope to have them with us next time.

## Christian Martyrs

The dates of the most violent Christian persecutions under Roman emperors were as follows: Nero, Gi-68: Domitian, 95; Trajan, 106; Mar-Aurelius, 166-177; Septimus Severus, 199-204; Maximus, 235-238; Decius, 250-252; Valerian, 258-260; Aurelian, 275; Diocletian, 303-313 (the era of the martyrs). The reason for Christian persecution according to Roman historians, was not on account of their religious beliefs so much as by the Christian refusal to conform to the state religion and national law. Religion was an integral cart case. part of Roman law.

#### Polar Explanation

Early efforts in polar exploration were largely for commercial inter-During the Twentieth century the renewal of exploration in the Arctic and Antarctic regions has been due largely to the spirit of scientific research, but also for geographic achievement. Peary, at the North pole, made a great number of ob servations which are very valuable in the study of geography, physlography, meteorology and oceanography.

#### South Carolinian Was First American Doctor beds with flu.

The first native of English-speaking America to receive the degree of Doctor of Medicine was William Bull, who died in London, England, about 134

He was born in South Carolina in 1710, and in his early manhood went to Europe to study medicine, receiving his M. D. degree at Leyden. He practiced his profession with considerable success in his native colony, and in 764 became lieutenant governor of South Carolina, a position be retained until the Retolution. As Doctor Bull remained a loyalist, he, in 1782, acland after their defeat by the Continental army under General Washing- Feb., 1926, which is as follows:

Doctor Bull resided in England during the remainder of his life.

# Poets to Royalty

The office of the English poet laureate is in the gift of the sovereign of wit: England, said to have been created during the reign of Edward IV (1461-1483). The appellation is derived from a custom of the English universities, which continued until 1512, of presenting a laurel leaf to graduates in rhetorie and versification-the "king's laureate" being a graduated rhetorician in the service of the king. It was forking, but this custom has been discontinued since the reign of George III. sense, was Edmund Spenser, who was the first to receive the office by formal letters patent .- Kansas City Star.

# South American Honored

statue of a South American to be erected in Washington. It is a replica of one In Buenos Aires and was thought a fitting gift to this country. since San Martin was a patriot to whom many South Americans accord the reverence that people in this country pay to the memory of George Washington.

# Too High

"I simply can't get over it," said the sweet young thing as she paused in trout of the rail fence.

# Elderly Tripping

Theodore Dreiser, the eminent novelist, was talking at a Greenwich Vil-

#### SAYS WOMEN LOOKS WITH ROUGE AND POWDER

Boston, Feb. 19 .- Believe it or not, there is a well known beauty specialist in New England, who candidly informs women they are using too much

Miss Elizabeth Ollis, proprietress of a beauty shop in Worcester and president of the New England hairdressers association; Inc., said so in speaking primarily for the benefit of the younger set. Women of 35 or more years should give the skin their serious consideration and attention if they are to retain any of their girlish beauty, she said.

"A visit to the beauty specialist once a month is absolutely impera-The SSS Club met-Tuesday after- tive for women who have reached 35. noon with Dona Welch and Lena Mae Muscles begin to sag at this age and Ballard at the home of the former. fine wrinkles appear around the eyes The time was spent as usual, in con- and back of the ears. Rouge and refreshments of banana split and cake But to the younger women,-No. No. No.! she exclaimed.

"Women make the mistake of not Scudday, Mildred Hudgens, Madeline offenders in this respect and herein complexion."

#### "HYPOCRITE" SAYS PASTOR OF U. S., RE CATHCART

Chicago, Feb. 21.-Shall people who tell the truth about their moral stand ing be publicly crucified?

"Shall the practice of deception and untruthfulness be considered victu

"Shall we practice a double standard of morals?

These were some of the questions asked of his congregation Sunday by Dr. Charles A. A. Althoff, paster of the Lorimer Baptist Church in a sermon devoted to the Countess of Cath-

Dr. Althoff accused the United States of Hypocrisy in excluding the Countess on the ground of mora'

Mr Carl Price spent Sunday here visiting friends. Mr. Price was a teacher in the local schools last year but teaching near Brownwood this

Texas lies in the plains country but its tallest mountain, El Capitan, i more than 9,000 feet high.

Sheriff F. M. Ellington and family are all reported to be confined to their

# NOTICE OF ROAD

BOND ELECTION The State of Texas; county of Yoa-

To the resident property tax-paying

oters of Yoakum county, Texas; Take Notice that an election will be held on the 13th., day of March, 1926 within Yoakum county, Texas to determine if said county shall issue bonds, and if a tax shall be levied in

payment thereof, in obedience to an companied the British troops to Eng- election order entered by the Commissioners Court, on the 9th day of On this, the 9th day of Feb., 1926 the Commissioners Court of Yoakum county, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place

thereof, in the courthouse at Plains.

Texas, all members of the Court to

R. P. Moreland, County Judge. C. A. Stuart, Com. Pre. No. 1.

A. J. Davis, Com. Pre. No. 2.

J. V. Been, Com. Pre. No. 3. P. M. Williams, Com. Pre. No. 4. eing present, came on to be considered the petition of P. G. Stanford and eighty other persons, praying merly the duty of the poet laureate to that bonds be issued by said Yoakum write an ode on the birthday of the county, in the sum of (\$100,000) onehundred thousand dollars bearing in terest at the rate of 5 and one-half per cent (51/2) per cent per annum. granted a pension of £50 by Queen maturing at such time as may be fix-Elizabeth in 1591. Ben Jonson was ed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating McAdamized, gravel or pav-The statue of Gen. Jose de San ed roads and turnpikes, or in aid Martin in Judiciary park is the first thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof a

> It appearing to said Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax paying voters of said Yoakum county

maturity; and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said words; Yoakum county; and

It is therefore considered and orhad deserted his loyal wife and aban- dered by the Court that an election thereof." "Our poor friend's fate." said Mr. 30 days from the date of this order, pectively as follows:

# Only the Purest Drugs will be Found Here

WE CAREFULLY HANDLE ALL PRESCRIPTIONS TRUSTED TO US, AND USE ONLY THE PUREST DRUGS. LET US BE YOUR DRUGGIST.

TELEPHONE NO. 76 FOR SERVICE.

# PALACE DRUG STORE

"IF IT'S IN A DRUG STORE, WE HAVE IT."

# **Always Demand** ----GROCERIES---of The Supreme Type.

W. R. Lovelace

The distance to Your Phone is the Distance to Our Store

# **Bennett Brothers Barber Shop** is now open for business!

We want to thank our old customers for their past business and invite you to our new place just opened in the stand formerly occupied by Jones Dry Goods.

# Bennett Bros. Barber Shop

Lloyd Bennett, Manager

'Across Street From The Postoffice'

such time as may be fixed by the ner of Courthouse, with G. M. Bart-Commissioners Court, serially or oth- lett as presiding officer; erwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof; and wheather or- corner of Courthouse, with F. M. not a tax shall be levied upon the Cox as presiding officer; property of said county subject to tax. interest on said bonds and to provide Hugh Snodgrass presiding officer; a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity,

Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section referred to. . Chapter 203, Acts 1917 regular ses-

have written or printed on their balits the words;

levying of tax in payment thereof." for three weeks prior to said election. And those opposed shall have writ- The County Judge is hereby direct-

The polling places and presiding

At Plains, Precinct No. 4, in N. E.

At Turner school house, Precinct ation, for the purpose of paying the No. 5, at Turner school house, with

The manner of holding the election shall be governed by the general laws The said election shall be held un- of the State of Texas, regulating genthe provision of Article 627 to 641 in- | eral elections, when not in conflict clusive of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised with the above Statutes hereinabove

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this or-All persons who are legally quali- der in the Terry County Herald, a ied voters of this State and of this newspaper published in Terry County; county, and who are resident pro- Texas, there being no newspaper pubperty tax-payers in this county shall lished in Yoakum county, Texas, for e entitled to vote at this election, and four consecutive weeks before the Il voters desiring to support the date of said election, and in addition proposition to issue the bonds shall thereto there shall be posted other copies of this order, at three public laces, in Yoakum County, one of "For the issuance of Bonds and which shall be at the courthouse door,

en or printed on their bellots the ed to cause said notices to be pubished and posted as hereinabove di-"Against the issuance of Bonds and rected, and further orders are reservthe levying of the tax in payment ed until the returns of said election election officers and received by this Court.

sue that he would base his campaign in east Texas, "with an issue that will overshadow the highway controversy."

Davidson headquarters will be located in Dallas, with A. A. Allison as

Our poor friend's fate." said Mr. Our poor friend's said maturing at the opening of his campaign stated in east Texas, "with an issue that will overshadow the highway controversy."

Our poor friend's fate." said Mr. Our poor friend's said of the Commissioners Court after the whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of \$100,000, bearing 5½ as presiding officer.

Pankandle—Thirty room hotel to be step for 50 years and then trip ever the date of this order, pectively as follows:

At Plains, Precinct No. 2, S. W. Correct Mo. 2,

# 4th Lyceum Number

# Monday Night, March 1st Grade School Auditorium

THE QUALEN COMPANY



Green appear on our Lyceum course. ist, whistler and impersonator, while Their program consists of dramatic Miss Green is a most charming comeand comedy sketches, specially writ- dienne and delineator of characters. ten for them, music and impersona-

Mr. John Qualen and Miss Evelyn tions. Mr. Qualen is a pianist, flut-

## Don't fail to attend this number as it promises to be a good one as it is our last musical program on this course.

#### FIFTY OPEN SALOONS KNOWN TO BLANTON

tative Blanton (Dem) of Texas, said champion revolver shot of the Los Baltimore.

gentleman from Maryland to these at full throttle.

"How do you know them?" asked

Mr. Blanton said he had been informed there were as many as three- fender as a rest to his shooting arm. In the meantime, the good lady has

"That," said Mr. Hill, "was confidential information, furnished for your own use."

some beer so powerful he couldn's stand up."

B. F. Lowrey of Tokio was among those transacting business here this was mingling with the other shop-

#### VIERATION REDUCED IN NEW CHETROLET

Washington, Feb. 18th.-Represen- Police officer H. W. Holman, 1925

car hood and while using the front of property.

touring model which officer Holman country, inhabited by the best people Opposing modification of the Vol- volver range in Griffith Park, Los warm place in her affections for the pany was destroyed by fire here this stead act, the Texas member said he Angles. The marksman observed all people of Tahoka with considerable could take the gentleman from Balti- of the rules governing regular tar- respect for our courts. If she saw a more to his own city and feed him get practice except that he shot from cowboy in Lynn county she was unthe automobile.

> A. P. Stewart of the Tokio section pers here Tuesday.

# GET IT WHERE THEY'VE GOT IT AND GET IT QUICK!

BIG STOCK GOOD LUMBER ---- EVERYTHING TO BUILD WITH · HIGGINBOTHAM--BARTLETT COMPANY

#### NOVEL SUIT IS SETTLED AT TAHOKA

Luck was with a Chicago lady Tuesnorthwest portion of this county.

It seems that a Pole living in the North acquired this tract of land by George E. B. Peddy. many years ago. He died leaving four sons and one daughter who inson did not sign the deed. Several A. B. Bynum. times she made preparations to come to Texas and look after her interests in the property. Certain attorneys there who represented adverse parties it seems, advised her not to come They told her that if she came down to Texas and undertook to assert any claim to this property that the cowboys down there would kill her. Their game worked. She did not come.

Years passed by. Recently she determined to come down and brave the cowboys and desperadoes and find out about the property at any cost So she arrived in Tahoka on the south bound Santa Fe Monday afternoon. But she refused to alight rom the train and to come up town until the sheriff could be summoned o chaperon her safely through the streets of this wild, western town. The sheriff accommodated her and 'anded her safely in the courthouse She arrived just in the nick of time or she found that suit had been filed by present occupants of the land to remove cloud from title and to perfect he title in them, that court had just met that morning, and that the case in the House Thursday that there was Angles Police Department, recently was to be heard Tuesday. She proat least fifty "wide-open saloons' in demonstrated the absence of viabra- curred an attorney, who interviewed tion in the new Chevrolet by drilling in her behalf, and the case was tried Representative Hill (Rep), Mary- six bullets through the bulls-eye of Tuesday, with the result that the land, denied the statement. Mr Blan- a regulation target while shooting court adjusted a one-fifth interest ton replied that he could take the from his car with the motor running in the land to her son. The land has I increased in value many, many times Officer Holman made perfect tar- since her husband's father acquired it get groups while shooting from the years ago, and she now finds that her front seat, while sitting astride the son is the owner of a valuable piece

> The car used was a Chevrolet been convinced that this is a civilized recently purchased. The unique tar- on earth, and she goes back to Chiget practice was held at the police re- cago with a happy heart and with a able to distinguish him from ordinary human beings, and she was told that there were no desperadoes nearer than Chicago.-Lynn County News.

# RAISES GOOD TURNIPS

The associate editor feels deeply grateful to our good friend C. W. Collins, for a big sack of turnips brought to us this week. Mr. Collins has so many turnips he hardly knows what to do with them, and hearing this writer say how well we liked turnips, brough us enough to supply our table several days, and we have been feasting. Some people might think that this specie of vegetable cannot be raised in this country but if they could see the kind that Mr. Collins brought us they would change their minds .- Meadow Review.

Mrs J. W. Welch and daughters Dona and Norma Dell spent Sunday n Lubbock visiting friends.

# SEATING MAYFIELD

Washington, Feb. 23 .- The Senate day, who arrived in Tahoka just in Tuesday adopted without opposition, time to protect her interests in a a resolution reimbursing Senator half section of land situated in the Mayfield, democrat, Texas, for \$30,-500 spent in defending himself in the contest brought against his election

W. A. Bynum, one of the owners herited the property. Then later and managers of the Rialto theatre, one of the sons died leaving the wid- was called by phone Tuesday night ow in question and an only son. That to Levelland to attend the bedside of was many years ago. The other heirs his sister Mrs. L. L. Cobb, who is resold the property and executed a deed ported seriously ill. He was accomto the same but this widow and her panied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

> Mrs. J. P. Perkins was tried in county court here last week, and declared to be insane. Sheriff Ellington immediately carried her to Wichita Falls and put her in the State Hos-

Texas is a prairie state, but is forrests produce about a billion and a half feet of lumber a year.

of Lamesa, was here Wednesday looking after business matters.

Abilene-Building permits issued during January, totaled \$444,635.

McLean-McFarlane-Thomas brings

in 3,000,000 foot gas well in Wheeler

Siera Blanca-El Paso Electric Co may extend line to this place.

Dalhart -- Baptist congregation to build new church.

Dalhartt-New hospital may be built

office building. Cross Plains-H. G. Gwinnup well

on Dibbrell ranch comes in with 200 barrels daily.

Haskell-Hog improvement campaign inaugurated.

Post-Survey completed for proposed extension of Santa Fe railroad to

#### **GIN DESTROYED BY** FIRE AT MEADOW

Meadow, Feb. 23.-The Meadow gin belonging to the Meadow Gin Comafternoon about 4:00 o'clock. The origin of the fire is unknown but it seemed to have caught in the boiler room. The fire spread rapidly and before any effort could be made to extinguish the flames they had gotten nuch headway.

The gin was managed by R. B. Enell, who placed the loss at about \$7,-500, partially covered by insurance.

# Dexologies

The lesser doxology, or "Glory be to the Father and to the Son," etc., seems to have come into use in the Fourth century. The use of the greater doxology, or "Gloria in excelsis" (sometimes called the angelic hymn, from its being an expansion of the song of the angels in Luke 2:14) can be traced back to the Fourth century. It appears in the Roman liturgy at the beginning of the Sixth century. The last stanza of the hymn, written by Bishop Thomas Ken (1637-1711), beginning, "Praise God from whom all "the doxelogy" in Protestant churches.

# Love After Marriage

Adolescent love is an event. Married love is a situation. The first is a critical phase of development, the second is sustained romance. The desire to retain a special mystery or attraction is imbecility. Leve for a wife implies an inability to conceive of life without her. The music of the spheres begins, years after the marriage ceremony, when this happy condition is achieved. For both man and woman the demestic atmosphere should hold rest, understanding and sympathy. So is one ready for the great adventure.—Eaton Maye, in Harper's Maga-

# Dogs in Church Parade

Owners of pedigreed dogs in London are using the famous Sunday morning church parade in Hyde park for the purpose of showing them off. For every bona fide church goer who strolls through the park on Sunday morning there are scores of dog owners anxious to have their pets seen and admired. Many dog fanciers motor in from remote towns merely to strell through the park in order ger, City. that the thousands of curious may see the product of their kennels and CHATTEL MORTGAGES-At the ownership and sale price of the dogs. ter prices in quantities.

# **COMMERCE HOTEL**

CLEAN BEDS GOOD MEALS WHOLSOME COOKED FOOD

IRA JONES, Prop.

# MATERIAL FOR THE

Plainview, Feb. 21.-The Southwestern engineering company of Springfield, Illinois, has been awarded the contract to erect the new flour mill for the Harvest Queen Mills of Plainview and the first order placed for lumber by this company amounted to 158,000 feet of building material. Fulton Lumber company of Plainview gain or for rent, five acres land and was awarded the contract to furnish 6 room house, Brownfield, Texas. J. R. Carver, popular poultry man the material and this company has ordered six car loads of lumber to be gin with. Concrete and other materials have also been ordered. It is planned to have the mill in operation Home Photographer is doing better by September 1st.

building company, was here this week leaving Wednesday morning with A. G. Hinn, owner of the Harvest Queen berries; vigorous plants, 50c per 100; Mills, for Amarillo, Ft Worth and \$3.00 per 1000 delivered. Mrs. J. A. Dallas where other mills will be visit-

The new mill will begin close to he elevator and extend west almost to the street. The mill proper is to be six stories in height, and will tower to the height of the dryer, located on the west end of the elevator.

It will be of re-inforced concrete, simular to the elevator. The office will be just off to the south of the

# **BOBS DISAPPEAR**

Miami Beach, Florida, Feb. 19 .-Bobbed hair is disappearing as rapidlyhere as two piece bathing suits. check at the casino revealed that more than a third of the women bathers were wearing their hair long Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on this year; last winter it was hard to find a girl with unbobbed locks.

to get shorter.

J. A. Taylor, of the Tokio communty, had business in the county capital Tuesday.

# **Want Ads**

WANTED-Second hand windmill City and tower. Must be in No. 1 condition. Write box 147, Meadow, Texas.

WHITE Leghorn Baby Chicks for sale, 12cts. See me at my place 7mi. South, 1mi. West Brownfield. A. E.

bout 1,200, star in face, branded "J" Lowrey, Tokio, Texas.

GOOD Jersey bull for service. We blessings flow," is commonly called will also put manure on your garden stallment plan. See C. D. Shamburfor \$1 per load. O. K. Wagon Yard 19p ger, City.

> WELL Matured bundled sorghum and higeria, also ear corn for sale. Inquire at State Bank.

FOR RENT-At reasonable figure, good five room stucco residence and in the citty. Sanitary Dairy, phone plastered inside. Applicant must be No. 184. able to pay rents promptly. Water furnished free. Apply at Herald of-

FIVE ROOM HOUSE TO RENT-See Mrs. Lula L. Smith, city.

CAR LOAD of seed wheat, tye and barley just received. Bowers Bros., Brownfield, Texas.

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

up to 24 by 36 inches at The Herald. candies and fruits.

SAVE RENT: Houses built on in-

MARTIN STRAIN-White Wyan-REBUILDING OF MILL BOUGHT dotte Baby Chicks ready Mar. 10, 15c each or \$14.00 hundred. Also eggs for hatching \$1.00 per setting. Can deliver at Gomez or Brownfield. Cash on Delivery. Write me your wants at Gomez, Texas. Mrs. J. O. Wheatly.

> FOR SALE OR TRADE-At a bar-Write Box 3, phone 33 Seagraves

DO YOU REALIZE?-That your portrait work every day. Watch his H. P. Roberts, who represents the display. Dwight's Studio.

> TIME to start everbearing straw-Foreman, Tatum, N. M.



TIME TO COOK-and what a pleasure it is on my new Electric Range. See them at the Brownfield Hardware Company. tfc

# STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch. Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oal: Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guar-Bathing suits, however, continue antee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

ALEXANDER' DRUG STORE

TIME TO COOK-and what a pleasure it is on my new Electric Range. See them at the Brownfield Hardware Company.

FORDSON TRACTOR-For Sale; cash or good note. See Edd Spear,

FEDERAL FARM LOANS at 51/2 per cent interest, and 34 years and six months time on them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

NOTICE: The city of Brownfield now has its own electrician, and those who have their houses wired, will STRAYED-Black horse, weight please see Geo. E. Tiernan over the State Bank building, who will notify on left shoulder. Reward. Notify B. F. the City Electrician to tie you in on 2tp | the circuit.

SAVE RENT: Houses built on in-

MANY PEOPLE are making money by using these want ads. Others are saving money by reading them.

FRESH MILK delivered anywhere

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

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

CHATTEL MORTGAGES-At the Herald office now, at 5c each or beter prices in quantities.

BROTHERS & BROTHERS al-CARBON PAPER-Any size sheet ways has a nice assortment of fresh

SEEDS -Sudan Free of Johnson stallment plan. See C. D. Shambur- Grass \$5.75 cwt. Dorso, Hegan, Maize Kaffir, Redtop Cane recleaned, hand picked. \$3.50 cwt. Freight paid to

perhaps make inquiry regarding the Herald office now, at 50 cmch or bet- your station. Mick (the farmer's - Ifriend) Muleshoe, Texas

# **New Line Daily** Roswell-Lubbock Stage Co.

Lv. Roswell 8 a. m. Ar. Lubbock 5:30 p. m.

Via Levelland, Meadow, Ropes and all new towns. Headquarters American Cafe, Phone 21 Brownfield, Texas

Open for business January 15, 1826. C: E. Foster

All warm cars. Bill Burke

"Magnolia Means Better"

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Phone 10.

Tom May, Agent



# The Housewife

Is, after all, the real Financial Manager of the home. She has to work out her household budget commensurate with the allowance you give her and oft does far better than you expect. Give her credit for it.

Better still-help her along! Establish a Bank Account here in her name and let her add to it whatever she can save in conducting the household. It'll encourage her to keep expenses down and make her feel more financially independent.

# **First National Bank**

OF BROWNFIELD

"SERVES TERRY COUNTY"

Capital, Sarplus and Profits

\$65,000.00



# **Hardware-Implements**

We Carry a Full Line of

General Hardware, Harness, P&O, Oliver, and Case Implements, Wagons, Stoves, etc.

# Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co.

"THE STORE WITH SERVICE" Brownfield, Texas

# House Moving

I am now equipped with new house moving timber and other equipment to quickly and properly move your house. See me first.

T. H. GREEN, Brownfield or Gomez

Try The

**City Barber Shop** 

For Efficient Barbering

DEE ELLIOTT, Prop.

BRING YOUR CREAM TO-

Transition .

# Moore's Cream Station

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In Old McAdams Lumber Office BROWNFIELD, TEXAS J. W. Moore J. E. Moore COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

In the matter of County Finances, in the hands of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of Terry County; Texas.

Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, in regular session, of the February term, 1926.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Terry County, and the Hon. H. R. Winston, County Judge, Terry County, constituting the entire Commissioners Court of said County, and each of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of Feb., A. D. 1926, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of said Terry County, Texas, for the period beginning on the 1st day of Nov., A. D. 1926, and ending on the 31st day of Jan., A. D. 1926, and after finding that her report was correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said Treasurer since her last report

this Court, and for and during the time covered by her present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of Jan., A. D. 1926, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1448-1449-1450 and 1451, Chapter 1, Title 29 of he Revised Statutes of Texas.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and ully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in the hands of said Treasurer belonging to Terry County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 10th day of Feb., A. D. 1926, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit

JURY FUND	Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report		
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	2,228.14	
To amount received since said date	474.66	
By Amount disbursed since said date		970,73
By amount to balance		1,732.02
Total		
	2,702.80	2,702.80
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND		
Salance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report		
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	883,62	
To amount received since said date	2,971.76	
By amount disbursed since said date		2,356.65
By amount to balance		1,488.73
Total	3,855.38	3,855.38
GENERAL FUND		
dalance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report		
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	6,619.31	
To amount received since said date	2,892.95	
By amount disbursed since said date		2,731.49
By amount to balance		780,77
Total	3.512.26	3.512.26
PUBLIC BUILDING FUND	Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report		
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	1,210.74	
By amount received since said date	379.57	
By amount disbursed since said date		294.03
By amount to balance		1,296.28

	hand as shown by Treasurer's Rep		
	1st day of Nov., 1925.	1,210.74	
By amount	received since said date	379.57	
By amount	disbursed since said date		294.03
By amount	to balance		1,296.28
Total		1,590.31	1,590.31
	SPECIAL ROAD WARRANT	FUND	
Balance on	hand as shown by Treasurer's Rep	ort	
on the	1st day of Nov., 1925.	O. D. 40.41	

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report	
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	O. D. 40.41
By amount received since said date	2.02
By amount disbursed since said date	.05
dy amount to balance	0. D. 38.44
Total	42.43

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL	FUND
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report	
on the 1st day of Nov., 1925.	57,039.49
To amount received since said date.	363.70
By amount disbursed since said date	41,194.13
By amount to balance	16,209.06

57,403.19 57,403.19 Total Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of Nov., 1926. 1,922,98 To amount received since said date 48.07 By amount disbursed since said date

1,874.91 By amount to balance 1,922.98 Total RECAPITULATION Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day 1,732.02 1,488,73 Balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this date 780.77 Balance to credit of General Fund on this day Balance to credit of Public Building this day 1,296.28 Balance to credit of Special Road War. Fund overdrawn this day 38.44 Balance to credit of Court House and Jail Fund on this day 16,209.06

Balance to credit of Court House and Jail bond Fund on this day 1,874.91 Total cash on hand belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us Feb. 10, 1926. BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

The bonded indebtedness of said County we find to be as follows, to-Court House and Jail Bonds \$70,000.00 Onistanding Road Warrants 21,000.00

Moline George Co., of Texas 4500.00 Texas Bridge Co., of Texas 4000.00 Galeon Road Machine Co., of Texas 3734.00 Russell Grader Mfg. Co., of Texas 555.00

Witness our hands officially, this 10th day of Feb., A. D. 1926.

H. R. Winston, County Judge. W. E. Harred, Com. Pre. No. 1. W. F. Stewart, Com. Pre. No. 2. T. O. Hooker, Com. Pre. No. 3. W. H. Black, Com. Pre No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by H. R. Winston, County Judge, and W. E. Harred and W. F. Stewart and T. O. Hooker and W. H. Black, County Commissioners of Terry County, each respectively, on this the 10th day of Feb., A. D. 1926.

(SEAL) Jay Barret, Clerk. County Court, Terry County, Texas

#### R. D. Dodd, former Santa Fe depot | MORRIS MAY LOSE agent here but now a ministerial student in Simmons University at Abilene, is reported seriously ill with pneumonia. It was necessary to take him to the Baptist hospital there

El Paso, Texas. Feb. 22.-Dispatches here today from Sierra Blanca, Texas, indicated the 1,250,000 acre ranch of the Morris Packing interests where hopes are entertained for his. of Chicago, was to be confiscated by Millard German, of Hale Center. ame in last week to take the place

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# "JELLIES" AND "FLAPPERS"

Once it was remarked by some fellow who knew exactly what he was noticed in any other way, the extalking about that "fools rush in treme jelly resorts to outer dress and where angels fear to tread." Well, thinks-if he has any thing to think

elf satisfied expression and a wrist sense to wear them. watch. One look at him and we real- | 'And the flappers? We may be it where it would do the most good. But we restrained ourselves in the fervent hope that one of these spring breezes would get under the edge of the Mexican government in line with those 36 inch bottom preeches wast him into some No-man's-land General Dan Moody will announce his where he wouldn't be a blotch on the condidicy for governor within the landscape.

> Some people, you know, are to attract attention; some

the art while still others have it thrust upon them. Being in neither of these classes and unable to be with-that he's knocking 'em dead." Don't blame us for this' either' for Verily, Solomn, in all his glory, was the sight of a plains "jelly" is what not arrayed like one of these, for set us off at this tangent. It was even if they built clothing after the unday and he was all dolled up in present bean-fashion in those days, calloon bottom trousers, Sam Brown the wise old muchly-married man seit, sans hat but wore a very snug, had too much good taste and good

ize that there is a natural affinity be-tween brick bats and jelly beans and our throwing arm just ached to pick up a piece of Irish confetti and plant

And the flappers? We may be
crazy, but not that bad. Why, we
just dearly love 'em all. And right
here the conversation stops.—Sudan
News.

#### LOOK FOR DAN'S HAT IN RING IN FEW DAYS

few days, according to close icads in Dallas who saw him when was here last week.

#### SPINNING TESTS SHOW AD. **VANTAGE IMPROVED COTTON**

Cotton spinning tests recently made by the United States Department of Agriculture indicate that the production of superior varieties of cotton is an advantage not only to the grower but to the cotton trade, which the latter does not always appreciate. These tests have demonstrated that the pure strains of cotton are better from a manufacturing, as well as from a production standpoint. They have a distinctly higher spinning value than ordinary gin-run cotton.

As yet the farmer's market does not recognize and pay for this superior spinning value. Farmers are not getting the natural premium that cotton of exceptional spinning value should command. They have an incentive to plant pure seed of good strains in the fact that such seed yields more and better cotton than other kinds of seed. They lack, however, the additional incentive to the production of superior cotton which would come from a market in which variations in spinning value were accurately discriminated.

Comparative spinning tests of five Texas varieties have been made by the Department of Agriculture to determine the relative values of these cottons. These tests were the first of a series to be made on successive crops of each variety. Results have now been published for the tests on the crop of 1923. While not offered as conclusive, they are extremely significant.

In every case the improved varieties of cotton developed in recent years as a means of combatting the boll wevil were found to have superior spinning value. The tests were made under mill conditions corresponding to those usually obtaining in spinning establishments. Five varieties were tested-Acala, Lone Star, Mebane, Kasch and Rowden. Every lot of these varieties ranked in the test above the new Draper standard for strength for 22s count warp yarn.

Acala, Lone Star and Mebane ranked above the draper standard for 28s warp yarn. While the other two lots fell below the standard for that count. they were considered probably satisfactory for it nevertheless. Acala broke above the standard for 36s count yarn. Lone Star and Mebane were considered suitable for use in that number of certain purposes. The Kasch and Rowden were out of their range in the 36s count. Acala was the only lot that equaled them. All the other lots failed to meet standard for 44s count warp yarn. standard requirements in this partic-

It should perhaps be explained that the unit of fineness in cotton yarns is 840 yards of yarn weighing one pound. This unit is known as count No. 1. Higher counts are multiples of the length with a constant weight. For example, count No. 10 is a yarn 8,400 yards of which weigh one pound. In the department's spinning tests, each variety of cotton was spun into 22s, 28s, 36s, and 44s count yarn. The statement that all the lots ranked above the Draper standard for 22s count warp yarn means, of course. that they were all of exceptional strength.

Another test applied was that of waste in spinning. It was found that the waste content, with the exception of the Kasch variety, followed the George O'Brien, Madge Bellagrade. The grade in every case was middling or strict middling. How the test varieties showed up in the mat- Livingston, Walter McGrail. ter of waste content is indicated by their comparison with ordinary ginrun or Hoground cotton. In Kasch the total visiable waste was 5.98 per cent; in Mebane, 6.10 per cent; in Lone Star 6.18 per cent; in Acala, 7.03 per cent, and in Rowden 7.15 per cent. These are all below the waste content of Hoground, which from the same crop was 8.04 per cent.

Should subsequent tests bear out these results the cotton trade, it is believed, will have a solid basis on which to recognize superior spinning value in prices. Such recognition, says --- ca ot9dbsffln:cotto nhETAOINN the department, should materially encourage the community production of superior varieties of cotton, the value of which has already been widely demonstrated since the havasion of the

The system whereby whole districts combine themselves to single variety of cotton has advantages from the standpoint of production and quality that should insure continued and increasing use of the fiber. Discriminating buyers are attracted to disties of uniform cotton, and in this may the establishment of a good marbet reputation for the community as- the children do so?-Mrs. Fred Smith. "What Masonry Stands' For," and

#### HINDMAN GIN BURNED LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

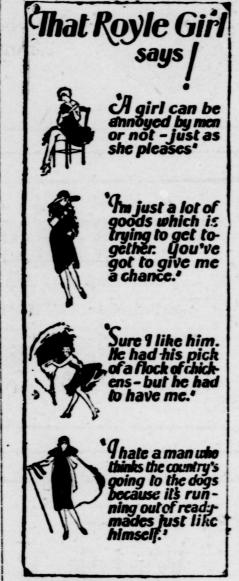
The gin at Hindman, north of here, burned on last Sunday night. Cause of fire is unknown. We have not learned how much insurance was carried.-Lamesa Reporter.

**Monday-Tuesday** March 1st and 2nd

D. W. Griffith's

# 'That Royle Girl'

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WED. & THURS. March 3rd--4th

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# MOTHER'S SELF-CULTURE CLUB

. McGowan, March 3, 3:30. Program.

Subject: Bible Stories .- Mrs. E. D.

General Discussion:

(a) What stories shall we tell .- | birth. tricts producing commercial quanti- Mrs. H. H. Hughes (b) What omit?-Mrs. H. R. Winston.

> (d) What traits in various Bible lessee D. Cox talked on the subject characters will attract the child?-Mrs. E. G. Alexander.

(e) What traits will repel?-Mrs. J. E. Shelton.

ical Directors.

-Reporter.

#### STEPHEN HOPKINS'

Many a man's place in history is

RHODE ISLAND

Don't fire until you see the whites of New York, recently said: their eyes," "Give me liberty or give | "Freedom of the press is a shibboto fight," have proved the touch-Ispeech, yet in neither case does free-

sign the Declaration.

was the reply.

out served as Governor of Rhode Is- official. and for a number of terms.

patible with study. He left the farm pression in literature and drama? o engage in mercantile business and All recent attempts to erect a barrier surveying, the first steps in a ca- against the stream of filth, vulgareer which was to lead him into Col- ity and sensious sex perversity nial prominence.

the stirring times of 1775-76, he was cleanse the theatres of pornographic able to give to affairs of the colonies presentations, unchaste, libidinous the accumulated wisdom of a man portrayals, nudity, profanity, vulwho has passed through, strenuous garity and disgusting suggestiveness political history. He was a clear has met with equal deplorable deand convincing speaker, and used feat. Yet if any newspaper printed his influence in favor of decisive mea- some of the dialogue or portrayed in sures. He was a member of the com- illustrations some of the situations mittee which drafted the Articles of which appear in many so-called best Confederation.

that of Justice of the Peace. He later was a member of the Rhode Island Legislature, Speaker of the Assembly, Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, Chief Justice of the prison cell."-Ward County News. Supreme Court, a delegate to the Colenial Convention at Albany in 1754. one of the committee which drew up a plan of union, and, finally, a member of the First Continental Congress.

# J. E. FITZGERALD

James Edward Fitzgerald was born in Gonzales, Texas, Oct. 6, 1860. And manhood and was married to Miss Annie Johnson of Gonzales, Nov. 22, 1882. To this union was born nine children, six boys and three girls, J. Fitzgerald, of Plains; Johnnie Fitzgerald, of Tokio; Olin Fitzgerald of Amarillo; Mrs. B. C. MaHaffey, of Blackwell; Alton Fitzgerald of Plains.

In 1893 Mr. Fitzgerald and family moved from Gonzales to Haskell, Texaswhere he spent a considerable part until last fall when, because of his afflictions, they came to Brownfield. driving ease and riding comfort. In After a lingering sickness and a somewhat sudden break down, he died Feb. my, Leslie Fenton, Margaret 19, 1926. He leaves a wife and a family and a host of friends to mourn

Mr. Fitzgerald was what one would erm a quiet, reserved man. Yet his life was out in the open. As a citi- the lowest prices at which Ford closzen his virtues were unquestioned ed cars have ever sold. The reducand the calm religious trend of his tions range from \$95 off the Fordor life is worthy of admiration and emul- to \$20 off the price of the Coupe. The ation. A good man has gone from us. Our west has lost a noble citizen. May comfort and grace rest upon the bereaved family. After a short funeral service conducted by the writer at the family home the body was laid to rest in the Brownfield cemetery by the W. O. W.

J. G. Thomas, Pastor.

#### MASONS CELEBRATE THE **BIRTH OF WASHINGTON**

Quite a crowd, something like 100 Masons and their families, and the The club will meet with Mrs. Joe order of Eastern Star met at the Masonic hall Monday night to pay tribute to a Mason who was first in war: first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen-George Washington, on the anniversary of his

Morgan Copeland delivered an ad-Iress on "Washington as a Mason." (c) Shall we point the Moral or let Judge H. R. Winston's theme was

> of "Flowers." The Eastern Star chapter put on a beautiful and interesting program, followed by refreshments of cream

Texas has 53,000 square miles more territory than France and 83,000 more Rochester-Water System to be in- Court House at Brownfie than Germany.

#### THE SO-CALLED FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

George W. Ochs Oakes, editor of founded upon a sentence in which he Cnurrent History Magazine, speaking struck the curent nail on the head. before the Women's Press Club of

me dath," and "I have not yet begun leth which is the echo of freedom of stones of undying fame for their au- dom mean license. Freedom to be decent in each case, but not license Among the signers of the Declara- to be unchaste, libelous or vulgar. tion of Independence, the one hun-The law of libel protects the induviddred and fifthieth anniversary of ual from false and injurious newspawhich will be commemorated by the per attack to a degree that frequent-Sesqui-Centennial International Ex-ly proves unfair to the publisher; the position in Philadelphia this year, libel law is full of technical faults was Stephen Hopkins, of Rhode Is- discriminatory against the newspaand, whose remark upon appending per, so that libel shysters, like other his signature to the historic document legal sharks who prey on corporadeserves more fame than it has won. Itions, very often succeed in heavily "Sir. your hand trembles," chal- penalizing newspapers through techenged a bystander, as Hopkins, with nical loopholes in the law when the unsteady hand, took up the pen to newspaper has printed the absolute truth. Within recent years a news-"Sir, sir, but my heart does not," paper editor spent a year in the Pennsylvania penintentiary because he He was nearly seventy years of likened to Benedict Arnold a politicage, but his answer made no apology ian who has posed as a reformer and for physical disability. That his spir- betrayed the Reform Party to 'the it was indomitable in spite of obsta- gang,' the Pennsylvania courts holdcles is evidenced in the accounts of ing that even though the charge was his life. He was self-taught, but in true-which it was-it was not 'a ime cace to be Chancellor of Brown priviledged publication,' because the University. He was bred a farmer traitor in this case was not a public

"But what about the more subtile He did not find public life incom- and sinister so-called freedom of exwhich pours fourth from certain book Being advanced in years during distressing failure. The effort to sellers and are nightly heard and Hopkins' first public office was seen at most of the respectable playhouses in New York City, the responsible editors would immediately feel the strong arm of the law and repeat their transgression within

#### **3IG REDUCTION IN** FORD CLOSED CARS

Probably the biggest recent piece of automobile news is the Ford Motor Company announcement of a reduction in price of the entire line of Ford closed cars.

The new price level is ascribed to in that community he grew to young the trend of closed car buying, which has been rapidly developing. According to a statement by the company accompanying the announcement, this trend has reached such a W. Fitzgerald, of Brownfield; Clifton high point that manufacturing econo-E. Fitzgerald, of Brownfield; Clyde mies have been effected and, in ac-Fitzgerald of Omaha, Nebraska; Miss cordance with the established policy Olga Fitzgerald, of Brownfield; Roy of the company, the benefits of these economies are passed on to purchasers of Ford cars.

Coming virtually on the heels of sweeping improvments and refinements made in Ford cars last fall, the new prices mark the climax of a period of ascending values. Less of his life. And in 1904 they removed than six months ago, Ford bodies sources of the entire country in 1900. to Yoakum county where they resided were completely redesigned to make possible a greater degree of beauty. NOTICE FOR BIDS line with this development, all-steel bodies were introduced together with closed cars in colors and numerous refinements in the chassis.

These improvements, which were the most pronounced ever made in Ford cars, are now supplemented by Tudor, most popular family car of the Ford line, is reduced \$60.

#### THEY HAD THE CORN, MONEY AND MEAT

Director Clarence Ousley, of Safe Farming in Texas, tells the following rue story:

cotton crisis and the danger of fur- part of same. ther losses from another big cotton

"Finally one of the bankers present asked that all farmers who had corn in the crib of their own production to arise. Twelve arose. After they were seated he asked all farmers who had meat of their own raising and curing to arise. The same twelve men arose. After they were seated he asked that all who had money in the bank which they did not borrow to arise. The same twelve men arose.

Expenditures for good roads in Tex- steel furniture and fixture as in 1925 amounted to \$64,000,000.

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Texas banking resourses have more Steel counters, filing devices, desks, about one-ninth of the banking re- school books.

The State of Texas; county of Ter-

Notice is hereby that the Commissioners Court of Terry County, Texas, will on the second Monday in April, the same being the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, up until 2:00 o'clock p. m., receive sealed bids on wood furniture and fixtures for the District and County Court rooms, and chairs and window shades for the various offices throughout the New Court House at Brownfield, Texas. Same to consist of the following: desks, tables, chairs or pews and window shades, a screen for the District Judge's stand. and railing for the jury box.

Each bidder to submit plans, specifications and unit prices on furniture Here is the best argument I have and fixtures bid on by him, and ever heard for safe farming in Texas: actual samples of desks, tables, chairs At a typical county seat in North or pews and window shades. Each Texas, the first week in February a bid to be accompanied by certified meeting was held, attended by about check payable to H. R. Winston, 200 farmers, bankers and leading busi- County, Judge, for 5 per cent of bid ness men of the town. Several ad- The Court reserves the right 1) acdresses were made on the present cept or reject any and all bids or any

> II. R. Winston. County Judge, Terry County, Texas

#### NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR STEEL EQUIPMENT

The State of Texas; County of Ter-

Notice is hereby given flat the Commissioners Court of Terry ty, Texas will, on the seco in April, the same being the last of April, A. D. 1926, up u clock p. m. receive sea in the different offices in Same to consist of the

han trebled since 1910 and are now tables and shelving for vaults and

Each bidder to submit plans, specifications and unit prices on furniture and fixtures bid on by him, and act-FOR WOOD EQUIMENT ual samples of desks, tables, files and shelving. Each bid to be accompanied by certified check payable to H. R. Winston, County Judge, for five per cent of bid. The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and ail

> (Seal) H. R. Winston, County Judge, Terry County, Texas.

bids or any part of same.



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