

ALL TRAFFIC SHOULD BE SENT OVER STATE HIGHWAY NO. 84

Chamber of Commerce

By the Secretary

Direct 'Em Over 84—Not 83.

The writer and Judge W. W. Price, were in attendance upon the annual meeting of the Fort Worth-Roswell Highway Association which was held at Stamford, Monday of this week. Representatives from Fort Worth to Socorro, New Mexico, were present and all were very optimistic concerning the future of the route. During the meeting, it developed that this highway, was more than 200 miles shorter than the Broadway of America or Bankhead, between Ft. Worth and Los Angeles and that there was less than 175 miles of unpaved road, most of which is located between Stamford and the New Mexico State line and is familiar to all of us. One mistake that is being made by the Filling Stations of Brownfield and probably other plain towns, is that they are directing tourists into Fort Worth and Dallas, by way of Snyder and do not appear to know anything about our route, which runs by way of Jayton and Stamford and is said to be the shortest by seven miles. We have it on very reliable authority, that Snyder, is sending tourists into New Mexico, over 83, by way of Lamesa and we are just cutting our own throats when we send people down by that town, when we can get them through by towns that are friendly to us. Lets get busy on this matter and alter the directions, we will benefit by doing so. One of the hardest things to put over, is to sell our people on the value of highways, as they do not appear to believe that they are worth anything to a town. Now here is what Roswell, has to say about it. They have kept a check on tourists passing through during the last twelve months and have discovered that \$750,000.00 was left in that town by them, that is pretty good money to have around and if a check can be made on Brownfield, it will be found that they are leaving a pretty good sum of money with us, which can be very materially increased. The name of the route was changed from Fort Worth-Roswell Air Line to Fort Worth-Roswell and Los Angeles Highway. Dr. J. S. B. Woolford, of Roswell, New Mexico, was named as President. W. W. Price, Brownfield, President and J. E. Shelton, Secretary. I have held this position ever since the association was organized and tried to shake loose from it but did not succeed.

Several Attend Rail Rate Meet at Lubbock.

Yesterday, the writer was in attendance on a meeting at Lubbock, which was held for the purpose of protesting a recent raise on railroad rates on cotton to Houston and other Gulf Ports, which was very detrimental to Brownfield and a few other towns and we think that we have the machinery in motion that will bring a readjustment and put us all on an equal basis. This raise was started at the instance of interest of another state and they put it over us before we even knew that any change was in prospect.

Nothing Definite on Charity Work—Much Indifference.

We have made two different efforts to secure a meeting of those interested in a continuation of the work of the charity association and have made water hauls each time, but yesterday, Ralph Carter, advanced an idea that may get somewhere in the way of preparation. Several towns over the country, through their Home Demonstration Clubs, are canning up a lot of peas, corn and other garden stuff, to be used in feeding people during the winter months. Now, what we want to know, is: How many people will furnish their services and raw food provided that a place can be procured for the assembling of all materials including the cans. All who desire to assist in an activity of this nature, will please leave their names at this office and we will see if we cannot work up enough interest to put it over.

Grady Terry returned last week from the market in Dallas where he bought heavily of early fall dry goods for their popular store on the south side of the square. Be sure to go in and see them.

The struggle for existence has developed into a struggle to outdo our neighbors.

WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Usual Arguments Given For Non-Attendance. Many Are Given in Favor of Attendance, Among Which Are Many Professions Requiring Hi-School Work.

When the time is announced for school to begin each year there are some young men and young women that begin to ask themselves the question "shall I attend high school this year?" It is really hard to think of reasons why one should ask himself this question but there may be some good reasons why a young person should not attend high school. As we think of this matter we can call to mind only two. (1) You can learn better what you want to learn in some other place. If this is the case we have no argument. (2) The family needs what you can earn. This is often used as an excuse other than a reason. Very few of the families really get the earnings of a young person who works instead of attending high school.

There are many good reasons why one should attend school. In the first place the high school is about the first place that your work becomes a permanent record. The record that you make there will follow you through the years. A farmer has two Jersey heifers on his farm that appear to be exactly alike one is registered and the other is a grade animal. Which is worth the more? You know the answer. Why is it that the registered one is worth more? Because she has a record that means something. When a person graduates from a high school in Texas he has a record of a certain standard of achievement that means something to him through life.

If one does not graduate he has many doors closed in his face. He cannot enter a first class college. He cannot attend a first class law school. He cannot attend a medical school. He cannot be admitted to an army aviation school. He cannot get a place that is open to promotion in a bank or other reliable institutions. It is bad for any young person to close himself out from these advantages in life.

Moving a Gin Plant Here From Wilson

W. E. Henson and associates are busy moving a practically new gin plant from Wilson, Texas to Brownfield. The work of tearing down and moving the plant has been under way for the past week or two, but we had failed to see any of the new owners, and had made no mention of the matter. It will be put down on a new concrete foundation which is being prepared for it on the site of the old McCord gin, which was moved over in Hockley county about a year ago.

The plant Mr. Henson and associates are moving here is practically new, having been less than 2000 bales ginned on it although it has run three or part of three seasons. Last year less than 200 bales were ginned on it. Therefore, the plant is just limbered up good. We understand the new owners got a bargain in this plant. This leaves Wilson with two good plants.

It is a five stand 80 saw Murray system, with a double Hancock cleaner-picker. The press is of the latest make and it is powered by a 150 horse power steam engine. B. L. Thompson is superintending the construction, and a number of Terry county farmers are helping with the work, and we understand will take their work out in ginning later on. This is a good deal for both they and the gin owners.

CHURCH OF GOD REVIVAL TO BEGIN AUGUST 21.

Church of God will begin their revival August 21, one-half mile east of Forrester school house in a big tent. You are welcome. Come and be with us. J. L. Campbell the Evangelist of Big Spring, Texas, will do the preaching.

T. J. Cope and family of Parnell, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Cope's sister, Mrs. G. G. Gore of the Poole community.

Improvement is usually the last resort.

The years of high school life are vital years. Things should be learned in these years from thirteen to eighteen that cannot so well be learned again. We all know that there are only a few weeks in which a farmer can plant his cotton to an advantage. Soon it is too late. This is the case with young people. They should get the things the high school has to offer while the time is right. Later in life when they feel the need for them it will be too late.

There are perfectly good vocational reasons why one should attend High School. If a person named a representative number of vocations such as: Agriculture, Civil Service, Law, Commerce, Building Trades, Public Service and Salesmanship, how many of these would require a high school education for success?

These above reasons are well backed up by the advantages to be had in the social benefits gained in high school. You will be a better talker, a better thinker, a better reader, a better learner and a better worker when you shall have finished. All this indicates the fact, that ones appreciation would be intensified. It is said that ones life can be measured by what he feels and appreciates.

The high schools of today are attempting to look after the mental, physical and moral welfare of the young people. They must be gaining in success or else the people would say "it is enough."

For all these reasons it is hoped that the Brownfield High school will have the opportunity to serve all who are eligible to attend. The school wants to be represented as the friend of the people that it is. The proof of its friendliness can only be realized in the types of unselfish service that it is able to render. Send them all to school and lets make this the greatest year in the history of Brownfield Public Schools.

A. B. SANDERS, Supt.

American Legion Oks Marketing Association

One of the most important events to take place here since the depression of prices of cotton was the endorsement by the American Legions at their meeting last Thursday night when they endorsed the marketing plan of the United Farmers of America, an organization sponsored by J. A. Johnson of the Lou community.

The Marketing Association is an organization of the Cotton Farmers of the South based upon a plan whereby the farmer will receive "costs of production plus a reasonable profit" for his products. Unlike most organizations of its kind, they do not believe that the farmer should engage in business of any kind in competition with the merchants and gins, but is strictly a marketing association. The association is in its infancy, but with an organizer of the force and character of Mr. Johnson, it will be only a short time until its force will be recognized by the cotton industry of the world.

It is to the interest of all cotton producers to investigate this organization as the principal involved in their marketing plan has been recognized as the only real relief to the cotton industry by the leading merchants and fanciers of the south.

Locals Take Golf Contest off Levelland

Twelve of the local golf players journeyed to Levelland Sunday to play a matched game with twelve of the Levelland boys, and every contest was won, Brownfield winning by 56 points, the host city failing to get a point. If we have the correct dope, Brownfield has not lost a contest so far since they started.

The boys say they were treated royally by the Levelland boys, and look forward with pleasure to a return contest in which the Hockley county capitol bunch will come here and try to retrieve some of their lost points.

Star Gazing—Earth Quakes—Other Things

The people of this vicinity sure have had some diversion of late to talk about. That with the low price of farm commodities, falling meteors, and martial law in east Texas, the conversation never relaxes. Indeed, one can hear just how the government and the people can be saved any old day they wish by spending some few minutes around the northeast corner of courthouse park, if you have nothing else to do and are interested in the government being saved. But if you seek no such diversion, just stay in your own little nest. But frankly, we believe that it is a good thing the people have something else besides the depression to talk about. The farmers are spending much time these days with their good wives and the family putting up stuff for winter. The merchants are either off to market, fixing to go, or are back with new stocks, so they are trying to forget low prices.

Speaking of star-gazing, we had no reference to the Hollywood variety, but the real old kind that fell in St. Louis during the Civil War and scared the natives until they thought "the Kingdom surely must be comin' in the year of Jubilee." But the people of this day and time had no such fear. Indeed modern astronomers had been telling us for years when to expect this meteor shower. Personally, we were rather indisposed last Tuesday night, August 11th, and hit the hay rather early, but some of the folks sat up and counted some 18 or 20. Other families remained up until 3 or 4 A. M. and watched them. Some of them counted up into the hundreds. The weather department at Washington are very anxious to hear from all over the country about the matter, and if you saw a great many they would appreciate a letter from you. They want particularly to hear which way most of the meteors were from you, and which way they seemed to travel. It was cloudy in most of the U. S. that night, and they could be observed only in a limited territory, it is said.

Neither were we speaking of California quakes in the above, but a West Texas earth quake, which are indeed rare. This one is said to have been felt around five Sunday morning. At that time this writer was dead to the world and knew nothing about the matter until we heard others talking and saw it in the newspapers. It is our understanding that the shock was not very severe here. Nightwatchman, Frosty Ellington, who was on the street at that time,

Brownfield Cubs Start Pre-Season Training

Coach Hayhurst shall start pre-season training in football as soon as the coaching school at Lubbock closes. Training should start about the 17th or 18th. Activities will be rather light at first in order to give every one time to get in shape. This is the reason that those who intend to come in from other schools to finish their school work and come out for athletics should come in early.

Coach Hayhurst has turned out a better team than he did the past year each of the four years that he has been here. All of the local supporters of the team have high hopes for the team of 1931.

Many of the old players are to be back, and several good men from other schools are to be here also. And there are those who were not able to make the team last year, they will be bigger, better, and have plenty of determination to make the first team.

The old regulars had better look out for these boys or they will find themselves spending much of their time on the bench.

Coach Hayhurst has been here for three years and has many friends in this town and at Lubbock. He took his degree at Tech.

As to the weather, it has been nice and pleasant most of the time with a quiet, hazy appearance of Indian Summer. A light shower fell here Monday morning, but most people are not inclined to welcome any more rain right now.

P. S. Since the above was written West Texas has had another earth quake. Is West Texas trying to take all the honor and variety away from California?

BOY! THEY ARE CANNING UP THE STUFF IN TERRY

The Town People May Get a Bit Hungry this Winter. Yea! The Stranger Among Us Seeking Work May Want. But the Terry County Farmers Are "Heeled."

There will not be any hungry people here this winter who are here now, apparently, and more especially the farm population. If there is not plenty to eat this winter, it will not be because it was not here to can or dry, but because the citizenship are simply too lazy to put it up. If they are not able to buy cans, they are packing stuff away that has been dried. Then, apparently every family has a few hogs in the pens, and a yearling or two about the place that will not bring much on the market. Some of them will be canned, no doubt.

But speaking of yearlings, we wonder if the farmers of this section have ever seriously considered a "beef club" as outlined in this paper a week or two ago, which is being practiced so extensively among the German-American population in south Texas? We see no reason why the farmers in this section cannot get together on such a matter. Brown can kill one this week and divide with Johnson, Jones, Thompson and Smith, and next week Johnson can do the same thing, and on round. Some of the yearlings, of course will be smaller than the others, but provision can be made for that and equalized. We remember a plan something like that being worked out in our neighborhood when we were a lad in Tennessee, and we had good fresh beef to eat until winter and hog killing time came on.

But returning to the matter of

canning, dealers in both tin cans and glass jars say they have never had so many calls before. Even some of the town women are foraging on the field around here for corn, beans, peas and other things to put in cans, and soon there will be an abundance of ripe tomatoes to put up. People who have been in the country this and the past weeks report that cellars are already bulging with good things to eat throughout this winter, and they are still busy. Some town people are furnishing cans and the country people are putting such things up on shares.

Down at Lamesa we understand that the town people are furnishing cans and some of the community farm ladies are packing them full of food to be used in feeding hungry people this winter instead of having to go to stores to buy. Man, it looks like the people of this section are going to live out of cans and sacks this winter, but the cans and sacks are being put in their cellars at small cost this summer. A grocery merchant jokingly asked us recently what was to become of the poor old groceryman with so many people stocking up on their own canned goods. Well, if the people get by, this grocery merchant will prosper just a bit anyway.

But we pity the poor all cotton farmers back on the black lands, who think they are going to get enough out of their cotton to not only cloth, but feed their families. Yes, we actually pity them.

BIG CROWD ATTENDS THE STANFORD VALLEY MEET

A Great Feast Was Prepared For Visitors From Four Counties in Texas. Sight Seeing Trip Over the Big Heath Farm. Good Program at Stanford Valley.

Rev. H. D. Heath and wife began last week and early this week to extend invitations to various people in the several surrounding counties of Texas as well as New Mexico, to visit their farm of 1100 acres in the Stanford Valley in Yoakum county, at which an old fashioned supper was to be served at six o'clock, after which a short sight seeing trip was to be taken over the farm, and at early candle light, the invited guests were to meet a large crowd of Yoakum county farm people at the Stanford Valley school house. This plan was pretty well carried out, except that supper started about an hour and a half early in order that all might be served before inspection of the farm started.

That supper was one of the best we have sat down to in many years, and consisted of fried chicken and cream gravy, Virginia fried country ham in its natural gravy, peas, beans, relishes, salads, pies, cakes, hot rolls, corn pone, tea or milk. It made the fat men fatter and the lean men (there were few of the later) look like the kink had been taken out of them. It gave the ladies a sweeter smile, and the children were ready for another romp. Mrs. Heath certainly has not spent a life in vain trying to reach the heart of man.

A sight seeing trip was made over the entire farm, during which exclamations of surprise after surprise were heard, on how much the crop had progressed in the past few weeks to those who had already seen the crop. To others on how nice and clean everything looked, and how well the cotton was fruiting. The general opinion of the crop experts was that if the cotton held its present fruit, there was already a bale per acre in sight. The corn was put at 40 bushels per acre, and the maize will run from a ton to a ton and a half per acre. Many were heard to say that the Heath farms looked more like a demonstration farm than a mere privately owned farm. But Mr. Heath contends that all farms should be

demonstrated farms. Along toward dusk all the visitors, except the Tahoka bunch, who left for home after inspection of the crop, went to the school house (Stanford Valley) where a large crowd that more that filled the house was present. A short address of welcome was delivered by Mr. Heath, after which he introduced in turn, Prof. H. J. Bowers, of Texas Tech Ag. Dept., who spent most of his time on seed selection; Miss Stockton, home demonstration agent of Lubbock county, who made an interesting address on balanced foods for the farm; Mr. R. N. McCain, county agent of Lubbock county talked on dairy cattle and feeds; Miss Taylor of Lubbock talked on Camp Fire girls and their work; D. F. Eaton, district agent at Lubbock spoke about different farm problems. Mr. Baron of Dawson county spoke on the outlook and problems of the Texas Cotton Co-op Association. J. Sam Lewis, representing the Avalanche-Journal made a short address. Judge Moreland, of Plains and several from Brownfield expressed pleasure at being there and the fine entertainment accorded them.

A resolution, printed elsewhere in this issue was offered by Mr. Heath and unanimously adopted. Another was offered for the fine entertainment, with a substitute that the crowd gather back at the Heath farm a year from now to repeat. It carried overwhelmingly with a rising vote.

Among the visitors other than Yoakum county people were, from Tahoka, H. D. Heath, Jr., Editor E. I. Hill of the Tahoka News, Dr. Singleton, dentist, and Rev. Hull, Baptist pastor.

From Lubbock, Prof. H. J. Bowers, D. F. Eaton, R. N. McCain, and Misses Stockton and Taylor. From Dawson county, Mr. Baron. From Brownfield, W. H. Dallas, Leo Holmes, Ben Hilyard, Roy Herod, James H. Dallas, R. L. Cornelius, K. B. McWilliams, Leo Allen and Mrs. Allen, Fred Smith and the writer.

Revival at Tabernacle Growing in Interest

Not a criticism have we heard of the 26 year old evangelist, Lyle Price, who is now leading the congregation of the church of Christ in a two weeks revival at the City Tabernacle. On the other hand, we have heard person after person not members of this church say they were getting the greatest good out of his sermons they have had in years. It seems that to some it is almost miraculous that a man of his age could in that short time obtain so much Bible knowledge.

The evangelist never seems to lack something to say and can say it in the most effective way. While he declares the word of God as he believes it teaches in a plain and unmistakable way, he does it in a nice genteel manner that can offend no one no matter how wide the difference in belief. Paul Robertson and a large bunch of singers representing every church in the city are bearing down on some good old gospel songs.

Many were surprised at the great crowd that greeted the speaker Monday night, as that is usually a hard one to get a crowd, but the large crowd Sunday night did the work, for the most effective advertising is friend telling friend what is going on at the big tabernacle, and they came to hear for themselves, and they in turn told others. So the crowds are now growing fast, night after night.

If you have not heard this splendid young preacher, do so at once. He is here only to help Brownfield and Terry county people and to do them no harm whatever.

How many strokes was your hand pump does it take to pump new inner tube? It took 36 strokes at the Brownfield Service Station, operated by Nolan Flippin last Saturday afternoon. Speck Kendrick fixed it exactly, and got a new inner tube. It is said the tube sprang over a wagon sheet before he got to it.

Young Singers Here To Have a Chance

You perhaps have noticed that the Atwater Kent Foundation is putting on another musical contest to see who are the five best singers in the United States between the ages of 18 and 25 years. Mrs. W. H. Dallas of this city, who has always taken a great interest in musical talent in this city, and who has personally trained a large class in voice each year, has consented to take charge of the matter in Brownfield, and to lend her assistance in getting those started who wish to go into the contest.

But the time is limited and you must see Mrs. Dallas at once if you wish to see just what there really is in your voice. Besides the large prizes which total \$25,000, there are also scholarships in the American Conservatory of music at Philadelphia ranging from one to two years. If we understand the proposition correctly, if you win in the districts, you then contest in the state meets, and from that to the national meets until the national winners are chosen. It is a great honor not only to the contestants, but to the city you represent as well, to be able to enter even the district or state contests.

Anyway, Mrs. Dallas will be able to explain the whole matter to you better than we possibly can, and if you are interested, get in touch with her at once. It doesn't matter in the least to her whether you have been her pupil or not, she will help you all she can to get in this great contest.

R. M. Kendrick, J. E. Shelton and H. S. Crews of this city attended the rate protest meeting at Lubbock Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Kendrick was made a member of the executive committee of the organization.

H. F. Heath, local manager of the West Texas Gas, and Mrs. Heath, have returned from their vacation.

It's impossible to get real mad with a pipe in your mouth.

Read the Ads in Herald.

AN ASSET TO ADVERTISERS AND READER ALIKE

The newspaper is an asset to advertiser and reader. It must keep step with the times and retain original ideas, but recognize modern interest and conditions of the moment in the application. The past is a broad background of experience—the future is a challenge to intelligent approach. Its primary function is to reflect what happens in the whole range of human interest. It cannot assume that the public is interested only in the sensational aspects of a rapidly moving and swiftly changing world. A newspaper that is dedicated to comprehensive appeal places intelligence upon a higher pedestal than sensation. At the same time it does not dismiss sensation as unimportant.

In equal importance a newspaper recognizes responsibility towards its advertisers. The money these business interests pay for the only product it has to sell—advertising space—must return itself with interest. To the advertiser it offers an immediate market for discerning, appreciative customers—to the reader a trustworthy guide of today's great values. —*Lovington Tribune.*

J. H. Carpenter and family left last week for a visit with relatives and old friends in Fannin county and other section of east Texas. J. H. is a popular mail carrier on one of the routes. This route is now being carried by James King in Mr. Carpenter's absence.

The reporter came into the office. "Well," said the editor, "what did our eminent statesman have to say?"

"Nothing."
"Well, keep it down to a column."
—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

Murray Refutes the Westbrook Charges

In connection with charges made August 12th against former employees of the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association by Representative Westbrook, before the House of Representatives, the Association through General Manager R. J. Murray has issued the following official statement:

"Representative Westbrook, on August 12th, before the State Legislature, made certain charges against the former officers of the Association, which resulted in a motion to investigate the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association.

"There is nothing new in the attitude shown by Mr. Westbrook towards the former officers of the Association, and the cotton member of the Federal Farm Board which deserves public interest or discussion, and is largely a personal controversy on the one hand and internal organization matters on the other hand.

"A fuller legislative investigation will be welcomed by the Association. In the meantime the regular pre-season membership conferences will be utilized to make known to the membership every phase of the organization's business and future plans. The association has nothing to fear from the sensational accusations and charges made by Mr. Westbrook, a former employee of the Association."

Prof. G. C. Tiner, superintendent of schools at Plains, is now a regular reader of the Herald.

Nothing will ruin an interesting intellectual argument quicker than the arrival of a pretty girl.

THE TRUTH ABOUT WHEAT

Chairman James C. Stone, of the Federal Farm Board, in a recent radio address, took the opportunity to correct the many misstatements spread by the enemies of the Board concerning the wheat situation. The charge has frequently been made that the Federal Farm Board was responsible for the low prices of wheat and cotton. Of course, such stories have always been without foundation of fact, but so persistent have the Board's enemies been in circulating such falsehoods that the Chairman deemed it necessary to come out with the plain truth.

Chairman first says the charge is not true. He then calls attention to the fact that long before the Farm Board was organized or even thought of, the stock of surplus wheat in this country was accumulating. In 1926 we had a surplus of 99,000,000 bushels. July 1, 1929 the stock had increased to 247,000,000 bushels. This was also before the Farm Board was organized. Since that date, through the means of a high tariff, European countries, former customers of our wheat farmers, have been forced to produce their own requirements. In addition to this, Russia has come back to her old export basis and large yields have been obtained in Australia and South America. Notwithstanding the statistical position of wheat, farmers in this country have continued to increase acreage until the world has more wheat than ever before in history. Europe also has been handicapped by lack of buying power.

Chairman Stone makes it plain that economic conditions coupled with continued production above requirements is alone responsible for present prices. To charge the Farm Board with the low price of wheat is just as

Gaines Co. Paving Job May Be Let Soon

Seminole, Aug. 15.—With sale of \$250,000 road bonds, voted last February by Gaines county, it is expected that a contract for the paving of state Highway No. 137 through the county from the Terry county line to Seminole, county seat, will be let at the October letting.

The state has agreed to match two for one, to build the road across the county. The work has been divided into two sections, from Seagraves to the county seat and from Seminole to the Andrews county line.

Right-of-way through the county is being obtained. A 100-foot strip is necessary and deeds have been sent here by the state for this purpose. The proposed route has been surveyed by state engineers and approved from Seagraves to Seminole. The other section is being surveyed and mapped.

U. D. Sawyer and family, among our most successful ranch folks living north of Tatum, were business visitors here one day this week. They are wide-awake booster for Lea county and staunch supporters of Tatum. Believing that Tatum offers the best in educational facilities, in this section have made arrangements to send two of their children to our school.—*Tatum Courier.*

He—Does the moon affect the tide?
She—No, only the untied.

unfair and illogical as it would be to make the Board responsible for the weather.—*Farm and Ranch.*

Resolutions Offered By Stanford Valley

Whereas, the unprecedented financial depression which now exists throughout the country, reaching from border to border, north and south, east and west, causing thousands, yea, millions of our people to be without employment, raiment, shelter or bread; and

Whereas, the price of cotton, wheat, and all other agricultural products, are far below cost of production; and

Whereas, the crisis facing the people of this nation is as great as that in time of any war; and

Whereas, the present System of Economics, which is responsible for the deplorable conditions which now obtain, have so utterly failed to cope with the situation, and that, too, in face of the fact that our banks are full of money, our graneries and elevators are full of corn and wheat, our farms and warehouses are full of cotton, wool and mohair, and our ranches, farms and packinghouses are full of meats; and

Whereas, this present System of Economics has allowed the Speculators and Gamblers, through their boards of exchange, to set the price of practically all agricultural products, and raise or lower this price at its own discretion; (By Speculators we mean those who speculate in stocks and bonds; by Gamblers we mean those who buy and sell futures, not handling any commodity whatsoever.) We cite one instance: When the last government report on cotton was announced, the price of cotton dropped Seven Dollars per bale, and the farmer suffered a loss of One Hundred Eight Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars. When Messrs. Williams and Stone suggested and urged farmers to destroy one third of their cotton crop by plowing up every third row, immediately cotton advanced one dollar and fifty-five cents per bale. This instance is cited to show that the board of exchange can and does raise and lower the price of cotton upon the slightest provocation, and without provocation.

Therefore, we, who compose this large assembly of people gathered here in the Stanford Valley community, consisting of farmers, ranchmen, teachers, bankers, lawyers and business men, with representatives from four different counties, to-wit: Yoakum, Terry, Dawson, Lubbock and Lynn, and two States, Texas and New Mexico, respectfully recommend that our governors and congressmen urge our President, Herbert Hoover, to call a special session of Congress for the purpose of creating a new system of fixing prices on cotton and other agricultural products, and guaranteeing to the producer a reasonable price above that of production, and thereby carry out his promise to the people to put agriculture on an equal basis with other industries.

We further recommend that Congress pass a law making it a felony offense for any person, corporation, or organization of any kind, to buy and sell futures on the prospective markets of agricultural products.

We further recommend that instead of destroying one third, or any part, of the crops now in the field, or that is being stored by the farm board, all farm products be put on the market and sold as early as prices will possibly justify, and thus meet the needs of the millions of people among us who are facing the winter without bread and without clothing.

We also recommend that a copy of these resolutions be sent the Governor, Ross Sterling of Texas, Governor, W. H. Murray, at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and that copies be sent to the farm papers throughout the country, and to other papers that are likely to give them space.

Respectfully submitted,
H. D. HEATH.

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Calotabs purify the blood by activating the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Trial package, 10 cts. Family package, 35 cts. All dealers. (Adv.)

We note that many are signing petitions on the north plains asking telephone companies for big reductions, some as low as \$1.00 per month on residence phones. Other towns have agreed to take out all phones unless they get a reasonable reduction.

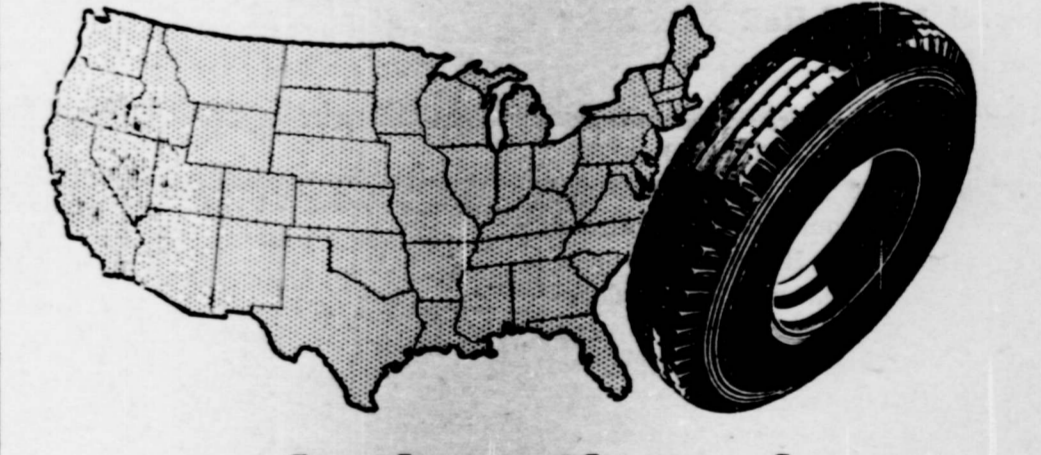
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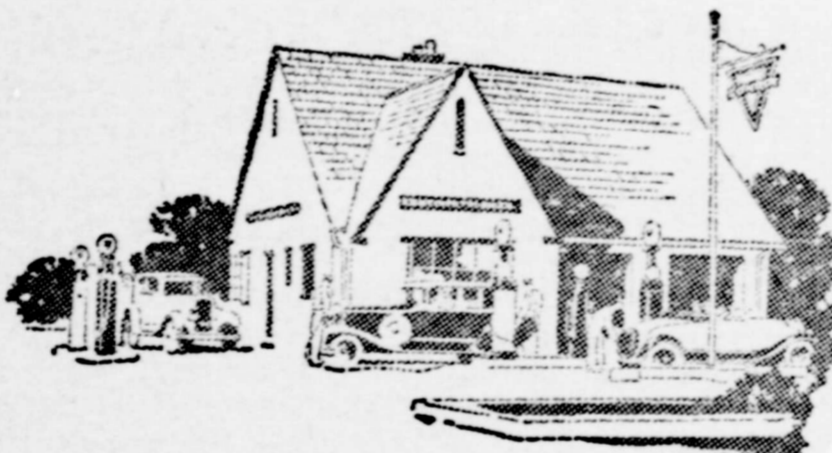

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Ample provisions have been made to care for all who attend. One of the best programs ever arranged has been planned and plenty of fun and amusement will be furnished every minute of the time. Prominent speakers are to be here, both from New Mexico and elsewhere. The Lovington band, one of the best in the country, will furnish music for the occasion.

For the rodeo, a whole herd of the wildest, buckingest horses ever assembled east of the Pecos has been secured. Plenty of wild steers have also been provided for the occasion. Quite a number of riders and ropers of national reputation have already

signified their intention to be here and take part in the performances.

Some of the best baseball teams of the Plains country and of the Pecos Valley will meet upon the Lovington diamond.

There will be something doing every night, beginning with Thursday night, August 20. These will include big cowboy dances, wrestling and boxing contests and other athletic events.

Loving invites the people of this territory to come and have a good time during these three days. A big free barbecue will be served Sunday, August 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance King and baby of Lubbock, were here over the week end the guest of Mrs. King's sister, Mr. A. A. Sawyer. Rance, who formerly lived here is assistant advertising manager of Montgomery Ward store at Lubbock.

Mrs. Chester Gore, who is at Hot Springs, N. M., recuperating her health, took suddenly worse last Saturday afternoon, and Chester left immediately to be with her.

CHAIN, GROUP AND BRANCH BANKING

Bankers' Commission Describes Differences Among Various Kinds of Multi-Office Banks.

THE Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association has made the following statement on various types of banking systems operating through more than one office:

"We find that there are recognized in the banking world three types of multiple banking organizations, namely, chain bank systems, group bank systems and branch bank systems. They are alike solely in respect to the fact that each embraces under some form of common control or influence two or more banking places, but here the similarity stops since there are essential differences in organization and administration, especially as between branch banking and the chain and group forms.

"Chain banking is recognized as probably the least definite form of multiple banking organization. Generally speaking, this term refers to merely a string of individual separately chartered banks owned or controlled through stock holdings by one or more common individuals, sometimes without public knowledge of the common ownership. Frequently the controlled banks are not administered as a coherent whole under the guidance of a central, publicly known head office, but rather each bank is run as a separate unit bank in accord with the wishes of the dominant interest. In some cases, however, there is a central, publicly known control with a head office that formally supervises the operations of all the banks controlled, and this is perhaps the more desirable arrangement. It lacks, however, the definite legal responsibility that a corporate head organization would have. Each bank in a chain system operates under its own capital and there is ordinarily no binding relation among members of the string.

Group Responsibility

"Group banking, on the other hand, is a system in which, while the member banks are separately chartered and operate as individual units with their own capital, control is exercised through a publicly known corporate organization under the direction of a responsible head office. It openly holds stock control of the member banks and is morally and legally responsible as the chief stockholder for their administration and the statutory share of their liabilities. An essential feature is the fact that an organization of this kind is publicly known, which creates a large degree of responsiveness to public opinion. This is true because anything of an undesirable nature developing in one member of the group would create public distrust of the whole group. Therefore its sense of self-preservation as a group, if nothing else, tends to make it enforce standards of conduct throughout the members of the group and to assume responsibilities for them beyond what mere legal responsibilities would bring about.

"Branch banking is completely distinct from the two foregoing forms of multiple organization in that it does not consist of a string, chain or group of independent banks, for there is only one chartered bank in a branch organization and the extensions from it are all in the form of sub-offices without separate capital or corporate existence. For everything that is done through these offices the bank itself is just as responsible legally and in every other sense of the word as though it were done over its own counters in its head office."

Bankers Help

In a report on banker-farmer work, H. Lane Young, Chairman Agricultural Commission, American Bankers Association, shows that during the past year there were 499 meetings reported in 35 states, with a total attendance of 35,578. County key bankers numbering 2,541 were appointed in 39 states. Thirty-four states reported an expenditure by banks of \$105,926 for developing better agricultural practices.

Special banker-farmer activities engaged in by banks in 27 states numbered 8,493, while 7,149 projects or farm programs were carried on by rural people through the influence of bankers.

For three years the Agricultural Commission has given special recognition to the state reporting the highest record of accomplishments and this year Georgia achieved first place with its banker-farmer agricultural program. Representatives of the Georgia State College and officials of the Georgia Bankers Association developed the methods and policies which made it possible for Georgia to carry out an effective program which emphasized "directed credit from banks for producing crops on the live-at-home basis."

Appreciation for the cooperation received from local bankers was recently expressed by County Agent R. E. Bodley of Gallatin County, Montana, who said: "My personal experience has been that the average banker will go more than half way with the county agent, providing the latter has demonstrated that his work is constructive and conservative, that he is a man capable of handling confidential information and treating it as such, and one who can 'keep his feet on the ground'."

Sierra Blanca — State highway through Hudspeth county, known as Carlsbad road, just completed at cost of \$1,000,000.

Wheeler — Dr. W. L. Gaines took over hospital formerly as Fletcher Sanitarium and reopened after renovation and installation of new equipment.

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School Rules Printed —To Be Distributed

In the interest of better organized schools the Board of Trustees of the Brownfield Independent School District have recently adopted a set of rules and regulations. These rules and regulations are made in the interest of pupils and patrons, and are believed to be necessary in order to secure the greatest results to the community. The value of these rules will be determined by how familiar the patrons and pupils are with them. It is the desire of the school board that every pupil and patron in the district will read them carefully and get the spirit of the school as shown in its desire to render justice in all instances.

Mr. Castleberry of Coahoma, was up the past week visiting Dr. Castleberry and family, and shaking hands with his many old friends here.

Fabens—Stuart Motor Co., purchased Stuart Motor Co.

and regulations sent to each home in the district as far as is possible in the near future. It is hoped that these will not be dealt with carelessly as you may find a need for them at any time during the year. These should be read carefully by each patron and pupil and then filed in some convenient place for future reference. The school authorities are instructed to follow these rules in the administration of the schools for the coming year. Be sure to read your copy over in order that you may know what is expected of you as a patron and of your child as a student in the Brownfield schools this year.

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REALESTATE TRANSFER

William M. Graham sold to A. M. Brownfield, of Brownfield, Texas, 80 acres of land, the W 1-2 of section 23, Twp. 12-S of Rge 37-E, Lea County, New Mexico.—Tatura Courier.

A well-grounded business man is like an old-time doctor—most of the time he can tell what's wrong by just looking at a situation.

The old-time business man who took the cash to the bank each day now has a son who employs a secretary to sign his personal checks.

Any wife can keep her husband happy if she'll treat him as he's treated at his club.

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While a great many people are heard to deplore the big cotton report, there are few that believe it much overdrawn, despite the fact that it was from one to one and one-half million bales ahead of most private reports. It is generally conceded by these who have traveled over the cotton belt that the south has plenty cotton. Yet we know that private cotton estimators have always been reluctant to pinch in the size of the crop.

In conversation with Editor E. I. Hill, of the Tahoka News out at the Heath farms Tuesday night, he remarked: "No wonder you have such a good advertising medium Jack. What a trade territory your merchants have. They ought to advertise." We consider that a great compliment not only to our town and its great territory, but also to the good advertising merchants of this city. Many they continue to prosper and their shadows never grow less.

J. Sam Lewis, that jovial spirit that moves about over the face of the South Plains representing those two excellent publications, the Avanche-Journal at Lubbock, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office Tuesday morning. The Herald just has one chair that Sam can sit in, and its so darn cranky we are afraid it is going to pitch backward with him all the time. Just as soon as the "repression" is over, the first thing we do is going to be the purchase of a chair that will hold Sam Lewis comfortably.

The Herald is 27 years young with this issue, and has been under the present management 22 years. The Herald was really started early in the spring of 1904, but suffered a short suspension for awhile in its early childhood, and later on for many years we did not issue papers during Christmas week, and then back in 1919 we had flu and misad four issues. So you see that is the reason that the volumes end in August now. She has had her trials and tribulations, and still is, yet she is the oldest institution in the county, antedating the county nearly six months.

Many of us are left to believe that there is a big surplus of cotton on hand, and there is when one takes into consideration the fact that there are several million bales of untenderable bales that cannot be used for anything except to bear the market. On the other hand, tenderable carry-over is scarce, there being less than two million bales according to information coming from the census bureau of the agricultural department in Washington. It seems to us that if any cotton is destroyed, it should

be this untenderable surplus, and then a law passed to forbid the ginning of any cotton that fails to make a certain class and length.

Amos and Andy are just about the only chain program we get a kick out of these days, and colored people of the north are trying to petition them off the air. But we noticed that they have signed up with the tooth paste company for another two years, and those colored brethren of the north are going to have a man's job stopping them. Negroes in the south seem to get just about as much kick out of the programs as white people, and don't seem to think they are being slandered. Negroes of the south are still just themselves with their soft spoken drawl, while northern negroes seem to want to monkey the whites about them. You don't have to guess which are the happier.

It is announced that the world silver problem is to be studied by a committee of experts appointed by the International Chamber of Commerce. These experts, representing the United States, Great Britain, China and perhaps other countries, will be selected on the basis of their knowledge both of silver and economics.

Whatever recommendations the committees makes will be received with interest throughout the world. Low silver prices—largely brought on by the fact that most nations have gone to the gold standard of coinage—play an important part in the business depression. The various governments interested in silver must agree on a policy for its stabilization, and such investigations as the one now projected should produce invaluable information with which to work.

OUR ADVICE

We were walking around the square the other day when we met up with a party who addressed us this way:

"Say, Wade, you are a newspaper man and are supposed to know everything, (which we're not) tell me what is wrong with this old world."

And we says, "Being a newspaper man and knowing everything, we will be delighted to tell you. To start with the radiator won't hold water. The timer is out of adjustment and the spark plugs are dirty. The battery is run down and the carburetor needs adjusting. The gas line has a hole in it and the differential has been stripped. We are trying to burn bootleg whiskey in the gas tank and hair oil in the engine."

"The tire are all flat and the drivers are cross-eyed and drunk with self-conceit. The starter is hung and the pistons are flapping. The rods have been burned out and the wheels are out of line. The thing was bought on the installment plan and now it is stalled, and nothing will move it but faith and work and we have lost all faith and are too darn lazy to work. Outside of these few troubles everything is all right."

"I believe you are right, I believe you are right about it. But since you know everything, now tell me what to do about it."

"An we says, "Since we know, we will tell you. Don't do anything! Too many folks have tinkered with the old trap already, and everytime it is touched it groans louder and limps worse. Just try walking a while, and soon you will be able to own a wheelbarrow, but when that time comes, don't be a fool again and buy a Cadillac on the EASY payment plan, for this thing of riding while you pay won't work out. The rider has no time to pay and the worker has no time to ride."

"Well," he says, "I'll talk to my sweet mamma about it and if she says alright we may do it."—Jayton Chronicle.

Forrester Items

Mr. J. A. Forrester has been very ill but is much improved at this writing.

Little Harold Dwayne Zachary was taken to Lubbock last Thursday where he was operated on for appendicitis. He is doing well at the present time.

We were glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Fulton after their long vacation. They say they are more than glad to be back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore of Brownfield and Mr. Stice were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton, Sunday.

Mr. Harmon Scales is visiting in Amarillo at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and family have been spending their vacation in the mountains of New Mexico.

Mr. John Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Johnston and baby of Scud-dan visited Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Duncan and family last Sunday.

Harmony Happenings

Well, we were finally blessed with a good rain, which came a week ago. Naturally, the old long faces shrunk quite a bit. Crops are looking good now.

Bro. Johnson, assisted by Bro. Weaver Lovelace, is holding a meeting over here. The attendance has been very good, but we are hoping more will continue to come to each service.

We are glad to see two of our young ladies back again. Miss Virgie Clements who is attending Draughtons Business College at Lubbock, and Miss Kathrine Gracey who is attending Draughton's at Abilene, are here for a few weeks visit.

The old stork has started his rounds over here. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Campbell have a fine ten pound girl, who arrived the 6th.

R. W. HEADSTREAM DEAD

R. W. Headstream, 40, passed away last Thursday morning at a sanitarium at Stamford of acute appendicitis. Mr. Headstream formerly lived here and for several years engaged in the grocery business which he sold out and was in the bookkeeping department of the Brownfield Hardware Co., for some time. Mr. Headstream was a fine man and a good neighbor. We understand that he was a member of the Methodist church. The body was laid to rest in the Roby cemetery last Friday.

Paul and Miss Veda left here last Wednesday to be at the bedside of their brother, and were later joined by Rex who arrived a few hours before his brother passed away, and who reports that Mr. Headstream was conscious right up until death. Besides his wife and two children, deceased leaves three brothers and two sisters in Brownfield who will mourn his passing.

Mr. M. L. Penn who will be principal of the Junior High school, was in to see us this week. We understand that Mr. Penn is coming to us from Ralls schools, and has given good satisfaction over there. Mr. Penn says he believes he is going to like Brownfield mighty well. He and Mrs. Penn, who will have charge of the public speaking department, will move here in the next few weeks.

Hunter News

Bro. Allen failed to hold his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday as he was detained in a revival at Wellman. We were glad to have Bro. Vick Allen preach for us Sunday morning. He delivered a wonderful message. Bro. Virgie Jenkins brought us a good message Saturday night and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Breebland and children visited friends and relatives on the north Plains the latter part of last week.

A group of jolly young bachelors went over to Juarez Saturday night after preaching services and spent the night. A victrola was carried a long and it is reported that the wide awake contest was won by Clyde Owens as he stayed awake until 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Among those present were your Reporter, Clyde Owens, Lawrence and Narvie Edwards and Arvie Snow and others whose names we won't mention as they were married men who has deserted their wives. Do you know them?

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Montgomery, Miss Lois Smith and Miss Collie Reatherford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Goddard, Sunday.

Bro. Vick Allen of Brownfield and Bro. Edd Allen of Childress, Texas were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Sunday.

Our revival begins here Friday night, August 21st. Rev. W. K. Horn of Meadow, Texas will do the preaching, assisted by our pastor, Rev. Claude Allen. A. M. Bradley of Johnson will be our song leader. A great meeting is being planned. It will be to your advantage to attend every night.

AMOS AND ANDY MAY DISAPPEAR

A northern negro lawyer objects to Amos and Andy dialogues on the radio. Says its a reflection on a race of people who believe they are doing a little better than Amos and Andy are doing with the "fresh air taxicab company." Well if they are doing better than Amos and Andy, they are doing better than a whole lot of poor white trash because Amos and Andy recently enjoyed a wonderful vacation even though they did have their tent decorated with a green flag.

If Amos and Andy are banished we are going to see if we can't get out an injunction against traveling salesmen and after dinner speakers talking about there being two Irish men etc.—Big Spring News.

A MALE SISSY SIGHTED

It's a good thing no cowboys were in this city Tuesday. A guy attired in the new freak hot weather attire was noted from New York. Abbreviated trunks and leggings, and a parody on a vest constituted the visible portions of the suggested attire for males. A Texan would be ashamed to be caught out in such a rig.—Big Spring News.

Throckmorton — School building being painted and new equipment added.

Fabens—"Talkie" equipment now being installed in Eureka Theater.

INEQUALITY OF SALARIES FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS

Washington, D. C.—According to the bulletin issued August 7, by the national teacher training survey at the Office of Education, the inequality of salaries of teachers in the various grades and as between the several subdivisions of education continues to prevail throughout the country irrespective of the relative training, labor and experience of the teachers. It appears, too, that little headway is being made to establish equality in the several grades and subdivisions, from the kindergarten through the senior high school.

The chief obstacle, it was pointed out, are the law of supply and demand, tendencies to lower salary schedules for women, and local prejudices.

A movement has been going on for some years toward the adoption of a "single salary" schedule for teachers in the public schools. Only a small number of cities have adopted a single salary" schedule. Such a schedule provides equal pay for all teachers who have equivalent training and experience, whether men or women, and whether they teach in a kindergarten, the elementary schools or high schools.

It was stated that the demand for a "single salary" schedule is based on the grounds that the teaching process of no one division of education can be regarded as superior to any other and that, therefore, the inequality in salaries should cease wherever equivalent training and experience obtains. It was further stated that such a schedule not only has theoretical value but is simple in operation, with the additional advantages that while the teachers enjoy the same dignity and equality of opportunity, it results in higher standards of professional attainment.

B. R. Harvey of the south side was also in Saturday, and as usual he and A. C. were guying each other, each claiming that the other was not named Harvey until they came here and changed their names. Both may be right. At least both have a big bay window showing that their wives have not been dieting them.

Notice For Bids

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Brownfield Independent School District, will meet August 28th 1931, to receive bids for the Funds of said district, for the period, from September 1st 1931 to August 31st 1933. J. L. Cruce, Sec. Fred Smith, Pres. Board.

WANT ADS

HEMSTITCHING—5c per yard. Leave at Walts Service Station or my home 323 S 1st street.—Mrs. Walter Gracey.

FOR TRADE—640 acres crop land, located near Brownfield in Terry County; 2 sets of improvements; practically all in cultivation; 4 miles from Brownfield; will trade for wheat land or city property in any good West Texas town.—Write Box 2241, Amarillo, Texas. 4c.

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SAVE RENT: Houses built on installment plan. See C. D. Shamburger, City. tfe.

FOR RENT cheap, all bills paid, furnished apartments, bed rooms, or rooms and board. See Mrs. Wall, 121 N. 2nd. 2p.

LET The Herald print your butter wrappers. We will give you a price that will please you.

FOR SALE—Land in Terry and Gaines counties on good terms, from \$8.50 per acre up, improved, in one-fourth section tracts, and half sections raw. If you want to buy a farm worth the money, I have it.—R. C. Burleson, Box 206, Brownfield, Texas.

NEW CROP heavy oats at a bargain.—Bower Bros.

GOOD BRIGHT maize for sale. Call at the Hester farm north of town. 1tp.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms close in; would be suitable for girls who aim to attend high school. See or call at No. 422 N. 6th street. 27-1p

WANTED—Bedroom and privilege of using kitchen. Not too far from High School. Write Mary Perkins, 908 Irma St., Brownwood, Texas.

Professional Directory

SOME DEPRESSIONS WORSE THAN THIS

By ROME C. STEPHENSON

President American Bankers Association

ONE of the most significant aspects of the present business period is that, while we had a speculative panic and while we have had a general economic breakdown yet we have not had any semblance of a financial panic, such as occurred in 1907, and in other years when the credit and monetary machinery broke down and we had money panics, suspension of specie payments and kindred disasters.

None of these elements of a true financial panic has been present in this depression of the 1930's. At no time was the banking structure as a whole shaken, despite the unprecedented rate of small bank failures that it had to absorb. At no time was the banking and credit machinery unable to extend support to the panic-stricken and broken stock markets and cooperation to all kinds of business and manufacturing. Anyone would have been a wise prophet who could have foretold that our banking and credit structure would stand up so well under conditions so bad.

Finance Taking Cuts

And banking and corporate finance in this period of depression are unflinchingly taking their portions of short rations and enforced self-denial that the nation's need for readjustment demands. Interest rates on money, yields on securities and dividends on corporate investment have all dropped to levels that constitute drastic reductions in the compensation of capital. These are but part of the necessary economic readjustments that all phases of the country's working life must go through before a general revival of business activity can start.

It is my belief—indeed it is my hope—that the tempo of the next cycle of prosperity will be somewhat more moderate than the mad whirl of jazz that brought the last one to a close. I think it will be agreed that the worst aspect of the collapse of that period of false prosperity is the condition of insecurity for employment which it caused. Unemployment is our greatest public problem today.

Unemployment is the worst wage cut that the worker can suffer! It is the worst cause of stagnation that business has to strive against. The sooner we can get our masses of workers back into jobs on almost any terms the better it will be both for capital and labor.

TRUST BANKING SPREADING FAST

Government Official Shows That This Type of Financial Service is Enlarging Its Field

SPECTACULAR growth of trust service in the banking field is reflected in the national banking system, Aubrey B. Carter, in charge of Trust department supervision in the office of Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., brings out in an article in the American Bankers Association Journal.

"At the close of the 1930 fiscal year there were 2,472 national banks with trust powers," he says. "Their banking resources aggregated \$23,529,190,000, which represented 34 per cent of the number of banks and 80 per cent of the total banking resources of the 7,252 national banks. Trust departments had been established by 1,329 of these banks which were administering 79,900 individual trusts with trust assets aggregating \$4,473,000,000, and in addition were administering 11,500 corporate trusts and acting as trustees for outstanding note and bond issues aggregating \$11,803,700,000.

"These figures represent an increase during a four-year period of 44, or 22 per cent, in the number of national banks authorized to exercise trust powers; an increase of 725, or 66 per cent, in the number of banks actively administering trusts; an increase of 65,370, or 250 per cent, in the number of trusts being administered; an increase of \$2,500,000,000, or 285 per cent, in the volume of individual trust assets under administration, and an increase of \$9,346,000,000, or 379 per cent, in the volume of bond issues outstanding for which these institutions were acting as trustees."

These facts, he concludes are "a striking testimonial of the growing public recognition of the desirability of the corporate economy in the settlement of estates and the administration of trusts."

"No corporation was a slogan adopted by business at Raleigh, South Carolina, last year," the proposition was kept before the people by a display advertisement in the county paper several weeks prior to corn planting time. As a result we have more corn raised in the county this year than ever previously, regardless of the need of many sections," said one of the speakers in reviewing the results. Home production was another project advocated with like results.

A light rain fell Tuesday night directly after midnight. It did not seem to cover much territory.

Curiosity is a people interesting and successful.

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Brownfield Lodge No. 530, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting Brothers Welcome. T. B. Wood, N. G. J. C. Green, Rec.-Sec.

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TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES IN THE HANDS OF Mrs. J. L. Randal, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas. COMMISSIONERS' COURT Terry County, Texas, August Term, 1931. In Regular Session,

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Terry County, and the Hon. Jay Barret, County Judge of said Terry County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 12th day of August A. D. 1931, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. J. L. Randal, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of May A. D. 1931 and ending on the 31st day of July A. D. 1931, and finding the same 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 County Treasurer since her last report to 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 July A. D. 1931, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 1636-1637, Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.

	JURY FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		\$4067.71	
To amount received since said date		86.99	
By amount disbursed since said date			\$ 2368.94
By amount to balance			1785.76
TOTAL	4154.70		4154.70

	ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		9651.00	
To amount received since said date		866.22	
By amount disbursed since said date			4823.67
By amount to balance			5693.55
TOTAL	10517.22		10517.22

	GENERAL FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April		2254.13	
To amount received since said date		2315.56	
By amount disbursed since said date			4088.37
By amount to balance			481.32
TOTAL	4569.69		4569.69

	PUBLIC BUILDING FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		1980.00	
To amount received since said date		177.84	
By amount disbursed since said date			303.86
By amount to balance			1853.98
TOTAL	2157.84		2157.84

	SPECIAL ROAD WARRANT FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		2623.28	
To amount received since said date		NONE	
By amount disbursed since said date			NONE
By amount to balance			2623.28
TOTAL	2623.28		2623.28

	COURT HOUSE AND JAIL BOND FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		99.12	
To amount received since said date		NONE	
By amount disbursed since said date			NONE
By amount to balance			99.12
TOTAL	99.12		99.12

	COURT HOUSE AND JAIL BUILDING FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		656.84	
To amount received since said date		NONE	
By amount disbursed since said date			NONE
By amount to balance			656.84
TOTAL	656.84		656.84

	ROAD AND BRIDGE INTEREST & SINKING FUND	DR.	CR.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 30th day of April 1931		19.28	
To amount received since said date			
By amount disbursed since said date			NONE
By amount to balance			185.45
TOTAL	204.73		204.73

	RECAPITULATION	DR.	CR.
Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day		1785.76	
Balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day		5693.55	
Balance to credit of General Fund on this day		481.32	
Balance to credit of Public Building Fund on this day		1844.93	
Balance to credit of Special Road Warrant Fund on this day		2623.28	
Balance to credit of Courthouse & Jail Bond Fund on this day		99.12	
Balance to credit of Courthouse & Jail Building Fund on this day		656.84	
Balance O. D. Road and Bridge Int. & Sinking Fund on this day		185.45	
Total Cash on hand belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us		12975.35	

ASSETS
In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit: NONE.

	BONDED INDEBTEDNESS
The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to-wit:	
Court House and Jail Bonds	64,000.00
Court House and Jail Warrants	49,650.00
Terry County Road Bonds (Paving)	12,000.00
R. E. George Machine Co.	6,000.00
Lewis Patten Co.	3,500.00
Gailon Machine Co.	734.00
Moline George Co.	1,500.00
Texas Bridge Co.	1,000.00
Lone Star Machine Warrants	2,110.48
1919 Road Warrants	16,000.00
Jno I. Chesley	875.00
West Texas Tractor and Machine Works	995.00

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 12th day of August A. D. 1931.
Jay Barret, County Judge.
L. L. Brock, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
W. A. Hinson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
J. W. Lasiter, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, by Jay Barret, County Judge, and L. L. Brock and W. A. Hinson and J. W. Lasiter, County Commissioners of said Terry County, each respectively, on this 12th day of August A. D. 1931.
(SEAL) Rex Headstream, County Clerk.

Lee Fulton rushed in this week and have cooked. Said he was off ordered his paper stopped from going about 20 pounds in days. He to Portersville, Calif., as he wanted sure was glad to get back to Terry nothing more of his to ever be guilty county and the good cool nights. of going to that land of heat. Lee says it got up to about 120 one day while he was out there and he like to purchased Boykin Co.

Texas Lions to Meet At Mineral Wells

Mineral Wells, Texas, Aug.—Nine districts of Lionism and five states of the Union will be represented at a Lions Assembly to be held in Mineral Wells, Texas, August 29-30. International President of Lions, Julien C. Hyer of Fort Worth, will be the guest of honor. Mr. Hyer was elected President of the International Association at its annual Convention in Toronto last month.

The Assembly promises to be one of the most important gatherings of Lions to be held in the Southwest during the year. Texas is divided into five Lion districts, known as districts T-E-X-A-S each district electing its own district governor to supervise its years work. The five district governors, all of whom will be in attendance at the Assembly are: Samuel M. Braswell of Clarendon, Horace Condley of Eastland, Oscar B. Jones of Greenville, N. H. Pierce of Menard and B. E. Quinn of Beaumont.

In addition there will be four district governors present from neighboring states, Judge G. Garland Lyell of Jackson, Mississippi, W. P. Canavan of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Will Terry of Little Rock Arkansas, and A. B. Clarkson of Monroe, Louisiana, who will attend the Assembly at Mineral Wells together with other Lions from their districts.

BACKING BANKS

Banks in any community are dependent upon the prosperity of the people whom they serve. Banks are in business to make money just like and other firm. They are under no obligations other than to take care of deposits and return the money upon the order of the depositor.

The idea that banks are under any obligation to the public at large is a big mistake. No bank is under any more obligations to the public than a grocer or dry goods merchant. It is the duty of each of them to assist in the development of any section just the same as it is the duty of the newspaper to expend time, money and energy in the cause.

Our local banks started out this year with a "live at home" idea which they have advocated to their customers. Banks all over Texas and many other states as for that matter, are doing the same thing.

The reason for this action is simple. The people must prosper before the banks can expect to pay stockholders and dividend. The bankers like many others, believe that we will all be better off if we produce more of our living at home.

Citizens of Donley county paid out thousands of dollars for food and feed last season that should have been produced at home. The drought in some instances made this impossible, and this year some more thousands have been paid outside the county for both food and feed that should have been produced at home.

We are more fortunate this season in that we are producing food and feed at home in such a quantity as to more than supply the needs of our section through next winter.

The next thing to be done is to save the feed when the time comes. Save the food now by canning and other processes. The glass jar factory at Three Rivers, Texas has been running twenty-four hours each day for several weeks in order to supply the demand for glass jars alone. A great many are using tin cans, but that just goes to show that Texas people are canning this season. — Clarendon Leader.

FOLLOWING THE FIRE TRUCK

The Houston Post-Dispatch complain in an editorial that "a fire in Houston seems to be a greater attraction than a circus."

It lectures the "fans" for rushing to the scene of a blaze, getting in the way of firemen, and causing actual or near-accidents.

We had supposed that this general excitement over fires was confined to the smaller places, but apparently Texas, largest city is afflicted with the same human failing. And so is New York City, for that matter.

To be perfectly fair to the public, however, the firemen themselves are partially to blame. They start out to the scene of a fire with a siren going full blast, driving at a rate of speed wholly unnecessary. There could not be much difference in reaching the scene of a blaze 20 blocks away in two minutes, or taking it more leisurely in three minutes. But it seems to be the rule to send the apparatus to the fire at highest speed, with as much noise as possible—and indeed the noise is necessary where such speed is maintained. Instead of driving at 50 or 60 miles an hour, the trucks could be slowed to 30 or 35, and the slower speed would not attract as much attention. Fewer fans would trail the trucks, and the problem of the fire fans would take care of itself.

Some cities, we believe, prosecute firemen for exceeding the speed limit, the same as private drivers. Maybe it's impracticable but it causes less excitement.—Abilene News.

Read the Ads in the Herald.

AMONG SOCIETY FOLKS

Mrs. Iko Bailey, Editor

Phone 160

WATER MELON FEAST

The Senior B. Y. P. U. entertained the Senior Intermediate B. Y. P. U. with a water melon feast Tuesday evening. About forty members of the two departments assembled at the Baptist church and proceeded from there to the baseball ground where the melons were enjoyed. The reason for the entertainment was that in the Daily Bible Readings during the recent meeting the Senior Intermediates were ahead and the losers must entertain.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Kindergarten Birthday party was given by Master Sammie Dick Hunter Saturday afternoon, celebrating his second birthday. The room was filled with an abundance of toys. As each child came in he chose the toy with which he wanted to play. Some children played with the same toy all afternoon; others chose different toys. Kodak pictures were taken of them with their toys. Refreshments were served to the little guests at small tables and chairs. Those present were Robert Allen Harp, Beverley Anne Duke, Tom Adams, Gloria Gene Swan, Monte Earl Williams, Jack Fitzgerald, Weldon Wayne Rogers, Aileen Potet and the small host. The mothers of these children were interested observers.

HELEN QUANTE CELEBRATES 11TH BIRTHDAY

About thirty girls and boys were present at the home of Helen Quante to join in the celebration of her eleventh birthday. The hostess received many attractive gifts in remembrance of the occasion. After playing a number of games water melons and candy was passed to all those present.

NEEDLE CLUB

The Priscilla club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. McClish. Those present were Mrs. Gracey, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. C. R. Rambo, Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Holgate and the hostess. Ice cream and cake were served as refreshment.

BIBLE LESSON

Six members of the First Christian Church Missionary Society met Monday for Bible study. The lesson was on the Divided Kingdom. The meeting for next Monday will be at four o'clock at the home of Mrs. Crews. It will be a social.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCoy and Miss Janet Brown left Monday for Pie Town, New Mexico. Their brother, Buster Brown, who has been spending the summer there will accompany them home.

BAPTIST OFFICERS ENTERTAIN

The out going officers of the Baptist W. M. U. were hostesses at the general meeting of the Missionary Society circles Monday. The devotional was read by Mrs. W. W. Price, President. Splendid reports from all the circles were heard. After other business was attended to the report of the nominating committee was read and adopted. Mrs. Price was re-elected President. Mrs. J. C. Bond, re-elected Secretary, Mrs. Thomas, Young People's Leader and Miss Long, corresponding Secretary. Water melons were then served by the 1930 officers to the twenty seven members present.

M. E. SOCIETY

Methodism and Kingdom Extension was studied by the Senior Methodist Missionary Society at their Mission Study lesson Monday. The six members present, all helped with the program. Their meeting for next time will be a social in the home of Mrs. Jim Jackson.

PICNIC

Mrs. Boone Hunter took her Sunday school Class on a picnic at the railroad bridge Monday afternoon. After the lunch was spread the children had the thrill of a lifetime sliding down the slick high banks. They found it more fun than sliding on a slide. At the close of the afternoon, they sat down in the shade of the bridge, told Bible stories and sang songs. They left saying, "Let's come back next week."

W. M. U. RALLY

First Baptist church, Brownfield, Texas, August 24, 1931.

10 A. M. Devotional and song service led by young Matrons Circle Brownfield, Texas.

10:30 Business Announcements.

10:45 Special Music.

10:50 Echoes from W. M. U. work Post Encampment.

11:10 Address, Mrs. J. E. Leigh, State Sec., W. M. U.

12 Noon, Lunch.

1:15 Our Watchword, What it Means—Mrs. W. J. West, Wilson; W. M. S.

1:25 Demonstration R. A. Work by Royal Ambassadors, Tahoka W. M. U. Led by Mrs. J. E. Leigh.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR ELECT OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

Officers named for this year, in the Junior Intermediate Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church were: President, Margen Griffin; Vice President, Verma Brown; Sec. and Treasurer, Kathleen Perry; Choir leader, Wanda Graham; Pianist, Queen Sawyer.

KILL CARE CLUB

Mrs. A. M. Brownfield was hostess to the Kill Care Club Wednesday. Members and guests present: Mesdames Bailey, Dallas, W. C. Smith, Nobles, of Hamlin, D. P. Lewis, Fred Smith, Allen, Wingerd, Shelton, Toone, Collins and Sullivan. Table cut, pictures were drawn by Mrs. Dallas, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Collins. High prize was awarded Mrs. Bailey. A refreshment course was served.

Miss Marie Louise Butler of San Antonio, Tech student at Lubbock, and Miss Margaret Moseley of Quanah, Texas, with Mr. Trent Campbell of Lubbock, friends of James Harley Dallas, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dallas, Sunday, August 16.

Mrs. Iko Bailey accompanied Mrs. Joe Bailey, Mrs. Roscoe Wilson and Mrs. Gaston Spencer Bacon of Lubbock to Sterling City Friday. Mrs. Bacon went on to San Angelo to visit a friend, seriously ill in the sanitarium there, while the others visited on the Brownfield ranch near Sterling City.

Mr. B. A. Patterson of Duncan, Okla., arrived Monday to visit in the home of J. D. Bailey and family. Mrs. Patterson and the children have been here about two weeks.

Miss Kate Duke, of Fort Worth, Texas is visiting here with her father, C. D. Duke, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stevens of Roswell, N. Mexico, arrived Wednesday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shelton.

Mrs. Hub Hyatt, of Hamlin, Texas has been visiting in Brownfield with her sister, Mrs. Chester Gore.

MRS. BALLARD HOSTESS

The Laf-A-Lot club and other guests were entertained Thursday in the home of Mrs. Frank Ballard. Four tables were arranged for bridge. Taking part in the games were Mesdames Earl Anthony Jr., W. C. Smith, Herod, Roy Ballard, Bailey, Glover, Williams, Clyde Bond, Swan, Horace Rambo and D. P. Lewis and Misses Lou Ellen Brown, Lucille Webb, Mary Katharine Anthony, Jewel Graves and Irene Lindley. Mrs. Hub Hyatt (Mary Walker) of Hamlin, Texas was tea guest. First prize, a pack of cards, was won by Miss Brown. Ice cream and cake were served.

Misses Lela and Kate Duke, Mrs. Earl Anthony Jr., and Messrs. Ray Duke and Boots Webb, the last named of Fort Worth, left Wednesday for Ruidosa to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDuffie drove to Abilene Saturday to take Mrs. McDuffie's sister Miss Christine Owens, who has been visiting here this summer. Miss Owen went on to her home in Ennis Sunday.

Jack Bailey, Blue Graham and Sam Price returned from their vacation trip Tuesday.

Mrs. A. W. Endersen has as her guests, Mrs. R. W. Rutherford and Miss Marie Rutherford.

Gerald Gafford of Eldorado, Tex., accompanied his aunt, Miss Kate Duke of Fort Worth, to Brownfield to visit relatives.

METHODIST CHURCH

"What a Fellowship" and "Sailing the Seas With God" sermon topics Sunday. Thirteen was the fifth increase in attendance Sunday. Let's make it a lucky number.

Geo. E. Turrentine.

NOTICE TO PIANO PUPILS

Gertrude Rasco will teach Piano (Dunning System), History of Music, and Rhythm Band in the Brownfield School again this year. She would like to see all pupils who are interested the opening day of school, Thursday, September 3rd.

PATRONS OF BROWNFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOL

To all who have children not old enough for Public school, I will teach pre-primer of Kindergarten work. Tuition four dollars per month. Studio located in Grade school building. Be glad to see and talk to any parent interested in this work—Mrs. Nannie Carpenter.

Do you remember how old you thought your father was when he was your age?

Read the Ads in the Herald.

CUT FLOWERS

They make a note of good cheer in the sick room and suggest health, hope and happiness. Leave your orders with us and we will see that they are given special attention. Phone 69 Mrs. W. B. Downing.

Greatest Coaching School Says Hayhurst

The Texas Technological College is to be congratulated upon its service to athletics in West Texas by bringing to this section the greatest athletic coaching school ever held in the Southwest and biggest in the entire United States this year, Marlin R. Hayhurst, who is at Lubbock attending the Wade-Phelan Coaching School, writes.

Through the initiative of the athletic coaches at the Tech, Pete Cawthorn, Dutchy Smith and Dell Morgan, two of the outstanding football coaches of the entire nation, Wallace Wade of Duke University, Durham, N. C., and Jimmy Phelan, of Washington University, Seattle, Wash., have been brought to Lubbock to conduct the school.

Assisting the football men with the athletic program are Jimmy Kitts, Athens High school coach, and S. D. Burton, coach at the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon. These men are handling basketball work at the coaching school.

The school opened August 3, and closed August 15th.

Enrollment the first week reached 312 with fourteen states represented. The bulk of the crowd naturally comes from Texas, however there are there are 18 Oklahoma coaches and 12 coaches from New Mexico registered and there are one or two from Arkansas, Washington, Louisiana, California, Missouri, Arizona, North Carolina, Arkansas, Illinois, Kansas and Ohio.

The citizenship of Lubbock has been especially courteous to the coaches attending the school. Hayhurst, says. A number of entertaining features have been extended the coaches including a banquet by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, dances by the Lubbock and Hilton hotels, free golf privileges, free picture shows for the wives, a tea for the wives and other functions.

Football work is given each morning from nine until eleven o'clock and from five until seven each afternoon. Basketball work is given from three until five each afternoon and eight to ten each evening.

Most of the coaches made a trip to the Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico, a short drive from Lubbock, last Saturday.

BAN OF CHURCH ORDERS IN SPAIN

Washington, D. C.—An Associated Press dispatch from Madrid, August 6, states that the commission appointed to study Spain's proposed new constitution decided to present a bill to the Cortes carrying the expulsion of religious orders from the country and the confiscation of church wealth.

This followed agitation by the radical socialist minority, which contemplated presenting a measure to the assembly providing for the expulsion of religious groups which fled from Alicante during the burning of religious houses.

The commission also determined to ask that the Spanish Republic be constitutionally defined as "democratic republic." The decision followed upon a sharp contest, many of the members wishing to have the name "democratic republic of labor."

The bill would be incorporated in article 14 of the constitution which deals with the relations of Church and State. It would abolish the official religion and terminate subventions for confessional institutions.

Catholic Spain was preparing to launch a vigorous campaign for the defeat of the proposal of the assembly's constitutional committee, under which religious orders would be constitutionally dissolved.

Catholic leaders assert that the measure will provoke a parliamentary battle.

There are fifty Catholic orders with a membership of 45,000 monks and nuns. They own 5,000 pieces of property and many art objects, the value of which runs into millions of pesetas.

J. D. EVINS ASKS \$15,000 DAMAGES IN DEATH OF SON

Considerable interest is centered in the case of J. D. Evins, et al vs. A. P. Ament and Charles (Captain) Howard, which is scheduled for trial Friday, August 14, in the district court at Olton.

The case arose out of fatal injuries received by James Franklin Evins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evins, when attacked by a leopard while in a Littlefield store. The plaintiffs are suing for \$15,000 damages.

Bledsoe Crenshaw & Dupre, attorneys of Lubbock, and T. Wade Potter of Littlefield, are acting for the plaintiffs while Bills & Hazel are attorneys for the defendants. Tidwell shows were also sued, but a dismissal of the action as far as they were concerned, was obtained at the last term of court by their attorney, Herbert Martin.—Littlefield Leader.

Dumas—Excavation underway preparatory to erection of \$150,000 school building.

A FARMER'S PRAYER

An Illinois farmer wrote the following prayer and sent it to the Illinois State Journal for publication: "Oh, Lord: I am thankful I am not like other folks; and yet I am no pharisee, I am thankful I am not the owner of city real estate. I am thankful that I own no stocks and bonds which I had bought at peak prices. I am grateful for guidance that kept me out of the speculative grain market. I have not drilled an oil well and I am thankful for that. It is good not to have to read the stock market quotations each morning before breakfast to learn how much poorer I am than I was the day before. I am pleased that I am not in retail merchandising with a bulging ledger of unpaid bills. I think thee, Oh Lord, that I am not a laboring man without a job or in danger of losing it. I wear not white collar to the office, wondering whether I am to remain until night. I surely am fortunate hunting trade where there is no trade.

"I am only a poor farmer with 160 acres of Illinois gumbo, all paid for. Once it was worth more but I didn't sell it and thank three, I did not buy more at that price.

"Give me, Oh Lord, my pigs, and cows and chickens, my health and strength and my faith. I am not losing so much that I face disaster and hunger. I live on three bounteous meals a day. These, thou hast provided me, whatsoever happens.

"Once I looked with envy upon these, my fellow citizens. I thought they lived in luxury and peace. This morning, Oh Lord, bless them and comfort them and give them divine grace to face their plight. May the day of upturn and better things come for all of us. I am grateful to thee for the small blessings that fall upon me and mine and my hand. Forgive my sins and overlook my hypocrisy and my shortcomings and believe me, Oh Lord, I am content that I am not as others are. Amen."

THIS MAY BE PREACHING BUT—

If you work for a man, in heaven's name work for him. If he pays wages that supply your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him, think well of him, stand by him, and stand by the institution he represents. I think if I worked for a man, I would work for him. I would not work for him a part of his time, but all of his time; I would give him an undivided service or none. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. If you must vilify, condemn and eternally disparage, why resign your position, and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content. But, I pray you, so long as you are part of an institution, do not condemn it. Not that you will injure the institution—not that—but when you disparage the concern of which you are a part, you disparage yourself. And don't forget "I forgot" won't do in business. Be loyal. Don't bite the hand that feeds you.—Inland Printer.

THE FUNNIES

"Any thing new in the comic section this morning, dear?"

"Well, it seems that the landlord put the Woop family out in the street; Little Orphan Elsie is being brutally treated by her kidnappers; old Grandpa Zowie isn't getting over that broken leg very well, and Betty Bingle took a turn for the worse last night—she isn't expected to last till the Sunday supplement."

"Hand it over, darling—I want to have a good cry."

SWAPPING GOVERNORS

Just when it looked like Oklahoma might swap governors with Texas in which they were to get a "million barrels of oil to boot, in steps Louisiana and offers a swap of the same nature with two million barrels of oil and a thousand bales of cotton to boot.

Texas is fast learning that Louisiana is looking upon our domain with envy and will not stop at anything to keep us down. Neighbors? Bah!—Clarendon Leader.

NO DUCKS WANTED

The editor of a poultry journal received a letter from a woman reader. It read: "How long should a hen remain on the eggs?"

The editor replied: "Three weeks for chickens and four weeks for ducks."

Three weeks passed and the editor again received a letter from the reader: "Thank you very much for your kind advice," it read. "The hen remained on the eggs for three weeks and there were no chickens hatched, and as I did not care for ducks, I took her off the nest and sold the eggs."—Exchange.

A man's wife had been away for a month. He wrote her every week telling her how he was spending the evenings at home. When the wife came back the light bill came in—for fifty cents.

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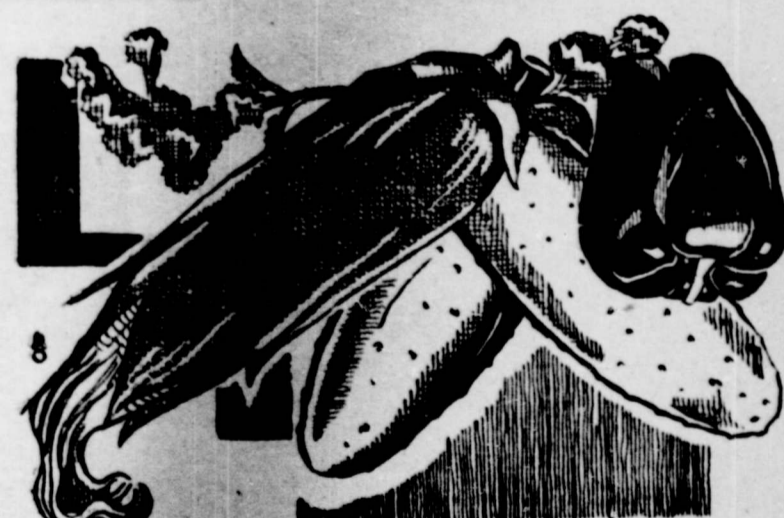
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A YOUTHFUL FAN

Teacher (in geography class): "Can anyone tell me where Pittsburg is?"
Small voice (in rear): "Please, ma'am, they're playing in New York."—Seamon Body Line.

Mrs. Amada Storie, who with her sons sold fruits on the streets here for the past year or two, presented the Herald family with some very fine grapes, apples and tomatoes she recently obtained while on a trip to their old home in Comanche county. She also presented us with a nice yellow meated melon which she says came off a vine that was still green, and they are really the only kind worth eating. Mrs. Storie says they have an unusually fine fruit crop, especially grapes, in old Comanche this year. We certainly thank this good lady for the treat.

Cushing—Local streets to be oiled.

USES DIFFERENT KIND OF BRUSH

"With a single stroke of a brush," said the art teacher, taking his class around the national gallery, "Joshua Reynolds could change a smiling face to a frowning one."
"So can my mother," said a small boy.—Exchange.

Claude Jones and family left last week for Florida where they will make their home, and where he has a rural route to carry. He traded his route here to a Florida man who will be here in a few days we understand. Claude was not only a very popular mail carrier, but was a good postmaster, but inside work does not suit him. His wife has been in poor health for some time, and Claude decided that the change to a tropical climate might do her good. We hope so anyway, and the Herald wishes Claude and family everything good in life over in their new Florida home.

Herald Gladly Corrects A Bad Impression

Little did the Herald dream last week that its writup of Clifford White would cause any disturbance other than perhaps a word of thanks from Clifford himself. In fact, we didn't have any other individual in our mind at that time. But it seems that some misread our intent, and conveyed their impression of it to Paul (Red) Wood. The later came down to the Herald office, not mad, but felt that we had given the readers a wrong impression of himself. We'll admit that after reading the article that there was room for such.

In the first place, we should never have left the wording "Red Somebody" standing as it did, and we did not aim to do so when the article was written, but with other matters pressing us for time, we failed to phone some one who knew his name, and it went to press without being corrected. We should have found out in the first place what his name was, but believing he was our friend, and knowing we were his, we did not think about that making much difference. There are lots of young men in Brownfield we could not tell you their right names if we were to be hung for it.

In telling about Clifford going to run a place strictly within the law, we wrote this after a short conversation with Clifford's mother, in which road houses, hot dog stands and some filling stations were discussed in general, that have been raided of late. These have not been in Brownfield, however. In fact, we seriously doubt that intoxicants are sold in any stand or filling station in Brownfield, or ever have been, but people read papers, and what they read leaves an impression on them, and to clear up anything bad that might be there, this part of the article was written.

As to Red, he has been here for several years, most of the time in the employment of local plumbers, and has made them a good hand. He has always appeared nice and courteous to all people, and so far as we know has never given the officers a moment's trouble. If he had not conducted a nice place when the Green Hut belonged to him, it is a chinch ladies would not have sent their children there to buy from him, or to play golf on his miniature course, and for this reason, we did not consider it even necessary to say so in the writup last week.

It has always been the policy and aim of the Herald to help as much as possible the citizenship of this community, and never to harm the least of them, but when we do apparently harm anyone unintentionally as we have in this article, you will always find us ready and willing to undo the wrong.

SCOTCH AND HOW!

Mrs. Gordon came into the house in a state of great alarm.
"Tammam, Tammam," she exclaimed, "there's a cow in the garden."
"Dinna stand here wastin' valuable time," replied Tammam, "get back and milk it before it gets out."

Sanderson—Improvements at Dryden Airport nearing completion.

Tulia—Turbine pump installed in old water well.

How One Woman Lost 10 Pounds in a Week

Mrs. Betty Luedeke of Dayton, writes, "I am using Kruschen to reduce weight—I lost 10 pounds in one week and cannot say too much to recommend it."

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GOV. STERLING NOT MAN OF THE PEOPLE

When the lower house of the 42nd legislature voted down the administration petroleum tax-bill and the governor's pet plan for an appointive commission to rule over the destinies of the oil industry in Texas, Mr. Sterling's political prestige suffered a severe blow. When he vetoed the bill to reimburse in the boll-weevil, the governor did himself a considerable political injury. And when he cut off the only arm that had been raised in defense of the people against the growing autocracy of the highway commission by vetoing a bill that would have compelled the commission to respect the rights of towns and cities through which cardinal highways had been routed, he did himself another serious political hurt.—Editorial Digest.

The people are growing tired of appointive commissions who override the common principles of justice, let alone the wishes of the people whom they serve. The only argument for appointive authority is that people cannot be trusted to elect efficient men, which is equivalent to saying that a government based on the principles of Democracy and the expressed will of the voters of Texas is a failure. Nine times out of ten these appointive officers are snobbish friends before the people. In the eyes of the people Governor Sterling is going to be held responsible for the acts of the Highway Commission and the more appointive power that is given to him, the harder he will fall. If the people make a mistake in selecting a governor, it is only amplifying such mistake by clothing him with too much more appointive power.—Levelland Herald.

STAMPEDE

A lady motorist was driving along a country road when she spied a couple of repair men climbing telephone poles. "Fools!" she exclaimed to her companion, "they must think I never drove a car before."—Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Campbell: Dear, I saw the sweetest little hat downtown today.
Campbell: Put it on and let me see how you look in it.—Exchange.

Traffic Over Cavern Highway is Increasing

More and more tourist travel is coming through Brownfield this summer as a result of the advertising of the Carlsbad Cavern U. S. No. 62 Highway.

Mr. J. E. Shelton is a director of the highway association. The association has for its object the advertising and promotion of the highway, which is the shortest and best road from central Oklahoma to the Carlsbad Caverns, El Paso and Juarez and other points of interest in the Southwest.

Within a brief time federal designation has been secured on the highway and the designation now extends from El Paso, Texas to the Niagara Falls. It crosses every east-west federal coast to coast highway in the United States.

With the increasing popularity of the highway, as in the case of any popular route, there is always various "so-called" short cuts and substitute roads. Some of the routes mapped out, designated to take some of the regular Carlsbad Cavern Highway traffic, are from 19 to 40 miles longer and with a much poorer road, rather than being short cuts.

With the mileage and the condition of the road favoring the Carlsbad Cavern U. S. No. 62 highway, garages, filling stations hotels, cafes, touring bureaus, chambers of commerce and other agencies on the route should certainly send the traffic on down the original route, director Shelton said recently.

"We owe a debt to the tourist who is entitled to correct information, regardless of our likes and dislikes," he said, "and anyone familiar with road conditions will know that our route is the shortest and in the best condition between Oklahoma City and El Paso."

The route between these two control points, which was the extent of the original road includes the following points: Oklahoma City, Blanchard, Chickasha, Cement, Fletcher, Fort Sill, Lawton, Indianola, Snyder, Hedrick, Altus, Olustee, Eldorado, Quanah, Duke, Gould, Hollis, Childress, Paducah, Lazore, Matador,

Roaring Spring, Dickens, Crosbyton, Ralls, Lorenzo, Idalou, Lubbock, Ropesville, Meadow, Brownfield, Plains, Tatum, Lovington, Carlsbad, El Paso.

There are two official routes from Altus to Paducah, being via Childress or Quanah either.

A. C. Harvey and wife were in Saturday after supplies, and he reports that he has plenty to eat out on the farm three times per day, and we'll have to admit he shows his keeping. He invited us out some time and he'd show us. A. C. lives out on

the Plains road about 12 miles, and says we'll know his place when we get to a farm with the weeds all cut off the highway. This is another thing that is very commendable of him.

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HE'D WAIT AWHILE
A negro called at the hospital and said: "I called to see how mah fren' Joe Brown was getting along."
The nurse said, "Why he's getting along fine; he's convalescing now."
"Well," said the darky, "Ah'll just sit down and wait till he's through."
—Uno Animo.
"I was just reading about a fellow who has been employed in this country for seven years and can't speak a word of English."
"Impossible. What is his employment?"
"He's a train announcer at the Union Station."

STATE BANK AT SEMINOLE
The First State Bank of Seminole, Texas which closed its doors April 6, 1931 is now being liquidated according to advices from James Shaw banking commission of Texas.
All proof of claims must be filed by September 11, 1931.
Mohleman, in "When All Drank and Thereafter," quotes the ecclesiastical records of New York as saying that in Stuyvesant's time "almost one-fourth of the full part of the town of New Amsterdam was devoted to houses for the sale of tobacco, brandy, and beer." We have evidently made progress.—Exchange.

Prizes for Contribution to Uplift of Mankind
The Nobel foundation (Nobelstiftelsen) was established in pursuance of the provisions of the will of Alfred Nobel, who was born in Stockholm in 1833 and died at San Remo in 1896. By this will, dated November 27, 1895, Alfred Nobel bequeathed the whole of his fortune (more than 90,000,000 kroner) to a fund the interest of which shall be annually paid out to those who during the immediately preceding years "have conferred the greatest benefit on mankind." The interest is divided into five equal parts, to be allotted as follows: "One part to the person who shall have made the most important discovery or invention in the domain of physics, one part to the person who shall have made the most important chemical discovery or improvement, one part to the person who shall have made the most important discovery in the domain of physiology or medicine, one part to the person who shall have produced in the field of literature the most distinguished work of an idealistic tendency and one part to the person who shall have done most to promote the fraternity of nations, the abolition or diminution of standing armies and the formation and propagation of peace congresses."

Caverns Under Lookout Mountain Cut by Water
Investigations by engineers indicate that Lookout mountain is a sort of peanut-shell shaped mound covering a system of caverns extending from one end to the other, with runs branching off to both east and west brows every few miles. There are at least one, and perhaps two, large rivers and many smaller streams running under the mountain at a level of about 1,500 feet below the surface. These streams run up and down the mountain and across it. The water in these streams is as clear as a crystal and has no life in it. The streams run both north and south and some of them run north a distance, swerve around some weird formation and flow back southward. The openings under the mountain have been cut by these streams and are corresponding in number and direction.
That's That
It is annoying when one goes to the theater and has one's view obstructed by the hat of a woman seated in front.
Nobody has much sympathy for those who choose to wear their largest hats while seeking amusement, but, on the other hand, there is the crusty old man who finds fault with everything, and pretends he is unable to see the stage even when the hat in front of him is of the smallest variety.
One of these was at the theater when, after fidgeting for some time, he growled in a loud voice to the girl in front of him: "Do you mind removing your hat? I can't see through wood."
The girl turned and looked at him quietly for a moment. Then she said, calmly: "Very well, change seats; I can."
Musical Milkmaid
The piping of the goatherds is one of the novel experiences of those persons who take occasion to spend a little time in the mountain towns in the Pyrenees mountains in the south of France. This music fills the early morning air, the milk people appearing soon after the break of dawn. These early morning visitors present a picturesque appearance. The pair consists generally of a lad and a maid, leading a herd of goats, and the lad is equipped with homemade pan-pipes, and his music serves to call the house-keeper who appears in the door with a crock or a heavy brass pitcher, and into this the milk is drawn directly from the animal.

Tactical
A policeman at a busy corner held up a large car for nearly four minutes when there was no need.
The driver of the car, a middle-aged woman, was indignant.
"Good gracious me, officer!" she cried. "Do you realize that you have delayed me unnecessarily for four minutes? I want to know at once why you held me up, otherwise I'll report you!"
The policeman had an immediate answer.
"I beg your pardon, madam," he said politely, "but at first I thought you were too young to drive a car."
Currying Favor
From an old French allegory of the Fourteenth century we have inherited the expression, "to curry favor," writes Elizabeth Hayes Ryland in the Boston Transcript. The star character of this old fable was a chestnut or fawn-colored horse called "Favel." This picturesque animal typified Hypocrisy. Therefore, "to curry Favel," as the English of Spenser's day had it, was to "curry the fawn-colored horse," that is, to employ deceitful means for selfish ends "Favel" easily passed into "favor."
"Prosperous" on \$100 a Year
A prosperous Chinese farmer in the Shanghai region supports a family of six on an income of \$100 a year, American money. He spends 22 cents a day to feed the whole family. In this district the farm averages two-fifths of an acre, and most of the farmers own the soil either in whole or in part.—World's Work.
When he told his parents he had secured a job at the blacksmith shop, they laughed, and said:
"You surely don't mean to tell us that a little fellow like you can shoe horses."
"No," said the boy, "but I can shoe flies."—Forbes Magazine.
Longview—Longview News Co., Inc., publishers of "News" and "Journal" moved to new location on East Tyler St.

Big Spring Gets the 1932 Wes-Tex Press
Lubbock, Texas, August 21.—Fifty West Texas newspaper men, members of the West Texas Press Association met here August 14 and 15 for the fifth annual convention of the association.
Chas. A. Guy, publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche and Journal was elected president succeeding W. S. "Bill" Cooper, editor of the Colorado Record and Big Spring was successful over El Paso in securing the 1932 meeting.
A movement was started to attempt a consolidation of the organization with the Heart of Texas Press Association and the Panhandle Plains Press association, making one big organization covering the same territory as served by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Negotiations will start immediately with officials of those two associations with this purpose in mind.
Other officers elected follow: Ralph Shuffler, Odessa News, vice-president; Miss Trena Miller, Rotan, secretary-treasurer; and Max Bentley, Abilene; Luther Watson, Sweetwater; Wendall Bedichek, Big Spring; Walter Whipkey, Colorado; Jake Smythe, Snyder; and W. S. Cooper, Colorado, directors.
The Lubbock Avalanche and Journal tendered the visitors a banquet and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce played host at a luncheon and dance. A number of the delegates went on an automobile tour of the city including a visit to the Textile Engineering building at the Texas Technological College. Few Texans realize the facilities this new Texas college has to offer the youth of this state.
Parker Prouty, business manager of the Lubbock Avalanche and Journal won the golf tournament and a desk clock, the trophy put up by Bill Parker of the Olmsted-Kirk Paper company.

Joe Ericson, S. M. Swenson ranch boss, passed away near Spur last week. We suppose Joe was known by every cowman or cowboy in northwest Texas, and all liked this fine old time cowhand, and none more so than those who worked under him. The writer no more than hit the Stamford country in 1906, that we begin to hear about Joe Ericson, fine Swedish-American.
Mr. Guy Morgan and family, of Jack county, are here visiting his brother-in-law, Jess Smith and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford will teach in the Gomez schools this year. We are glad to have them back in old Terry.

White Oak Reproduction
Natural reproduction of white oak in the southern states may be either by seed or by sprout. Under usual forest conditions acorns are produced when the trees are about seventy or seventy-five years old. Good seed crops occur in every four to seven years.
Denmark's Pre-Eminence
Denmark is the oldest existing kingdom of Europe and one of the greatest dairying nations in the world. The rich pasture lands of Denmark have brought prosperity to her industrious peasants and her products have gained fame to the ends of the seas.
Jay House's Rule
My own rule of life is to do the things I enjoy most and associate with the people I like best. I find it very satisfactory; but there are literally millions of people in this country who, for some reason, object to it.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.
Cooler Attractive
It is possible that crime increases in the summer because there isn't so much objection to being put in the cooler.—Arkansas Gazette.
We can't make ourselves happy by making others unhappy.

C. A. Barron Gets Texas Co-op. Office
C. A. Barron of Lamesa was recently elected vice-president of the Texas Cotton Co-operative association, it was learned in Lamesa this week. He was placed in that position the same time that R. J. Murry of Lubbock was named general manager. Besides that office, Barron is a member of the executive committee and is the director for the 17th district of which this section of West Texas is a part. James A. Smith of Paris is president.
Considering how critical the average woman is of her husband's friends, the husband is apt to wonder how he ever got by himself.
Perryton—Louise's Beauty & Cosmetic Shop being installed on rear balcony of L. T. Hill Company's store.
About the only subject on which there seems to be no difference of opinion is that an automobile is a necessity.
W. A. Tittle was in from the farm Monday afternoon.
Double-Facing Needed Now
Fable: There once was a pedestrian who looked to right and left before crossing a street. He was run down by a truck backing out of an alley behind him. Moral: Janus of mythological fame could open a right thriving cult in these modern days.—New London Day.
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Man in Jail at Lubbock Said to Belong Here
Lavega A. Wallace of Brownfield, who was indicted by the federal grand jury at Amarillo in April, was committed to the Lubbock jail yesterday to await trial on charges of making and passing counterfeit half-dollars and dollars.
The man will be tried in U. S. district court here, officers said. He is alleged to have passed the coins at Brownfield from November 15, 1930 to January 5, 1931. W. F. Bader and R. E. Cannon, alias R. E. Shannon, who were jointly charged in the complaint, have not been arrested, United States Commissioner Victor Lindsey said yesterday.—Lubbock Avalanche.
While Wallace is credited to this city, he is unknown here except by the officers. Some one else will have to claim him.

TEXAS HOTELS ARE CROWDED
A lot of stories are going the rounds about how crowded the hotels are in East Texas, but this one takes the cake: The story is told that two men got into a fight in a hotel lobby at Longview. One husky hit the other on the chin as the climax of an argument, around 9 o'clock one evening. The hotel lobby was so crowded that the man who was hit didn't fall to the floor until 5 o'clock the next morning when the lobby cleared out a little!—Oil Weekly.
TAX MACHINERY OUT OF EXISTENCE
A resolution was offered in the Texas legislature Tuesday proposing a tax on motor driven vehicles sufficient to banish them from the highways and "restoring the horse, the mule, the wagon and feedstuff to their proper place."
Joe Eudy was in Saturday from the farm wearing a big heavy winter coat. His neighbors say he went without a coat all last winter and put one on when the weather got hot. Some of them say he is so odd and contrary that if he fell in a river he would float upstream. No, Joe is no contrary, just odd.
If you're not pleasing yourself the chances are you're not pleasing anyone else.
Little Bobby was traveling in a Pullman car for the first time. He awoke during the night.
"Do you know where you are?" asked his mother.
"Sure I do," answered the young traveler, "I'm in the top drawer.—Selected.
Pyote—Local street being paved.

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No Insect Bother Except Cotton Lice
Close watch is being made on the cotton crop in order to guard against insects which often come in after big rains, but so far no serious damage has been reported from any of the trade territory. O. L. Jones, local gin man, informed us last week that he saw some cotton lice, but he did not think they would do a great deal of damage. The plant is now making rapid growth, and fruiting as fine as you ever saw. We believe we have seen fields that will make a bale per acre with what they have on now. Of course this is far from the general rule.
People as a whole seem to be taking a more hopeful view of the situation, too, as despite the high estimate placed by Federal authorities, the market gained some 45 points from Monday till Staturday of last week, according to local cotton men, and it is hoped that by the time for the next report the government may get more in line with private estimates which were in most instances from one to one and one-half million bales under the government estimate.
The merchants also report some pickup last week end over the trade of the previous one when the crop report came in. It is going to take time to adjust ourselves to new conditions and prices, but whenever we do, it will probably be better for all concerned.

"LEAVE LUMBER FOR HOTEL BILL"
Joseph D. Farr, Hotel Hussmann manager, is looking for two hotel guests a man and his wife, who left him an old suitcase containing several pieces of two by fours an old sheet, and an empty bottle in exchange for a \$10 hotel bill.
The man and his wife obtained rooms earlier in the week, tipped a bell boy liberally to carry the suitcase to their room, and several days later left.
"I've seen bricks and stones and other material used, Farr said, "but this is the first instance of two by fours."—Big Spring News.
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8 Oz. BED TICKING, per yard	15c	MENS 2-Oxen chambray work shirts	69c
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