

Building Rapidly

Plainview Growing to Proportions of City

More Houses Building to Re-Echo the Constant Din of More Houses About to Build.

A Herald representative made a canvass of the city this week to ascertain as nearly as possible how many houses are now under course of construction and receiving the finishing touches and was surprised beyond measure to find that during the past two months there have been over 100 residences constructed within the city; and at the present time there are 25 or 30 under course of construction, with many more just receiving the finishing touches.

Aside from these there have been several business houses constructed, among which are the First National Bank building one of the most modern and thoroughly equipped bricks in western Texas, giving office room to many of the leading real estate dealers, abstractors, surveyors, legal men and others, in addition to containing the post office, First National Bank J. W. Pipkin and Co's, Gent's Furnishing establishment and the Richards Bros. & Collier clothing concern; the Ansley building which is almost completed, modern in every respect; the brick of the Dorsett Land Company; several new lumber sheds and office buildings, and other small structures to numerous to mention.

Then, the depot will be enlarged soon to meet the demand for a larger station; the Wells-Fargo Company will put in an up-town office as soon as they can make arrangements; the contract for the \$50,000 Baptist College will be let within the next sixty days; and, yet, the story is not told, for Plainview is going to build more railroads.

More houses are now under course of construction in Plainview than possibly at any other time in the history of the city. Business houses, residences and storage houses are being erected over every portion of the city until it seems as if a city were growing within itself. Every carpenter, painter and decorator in the city is pressed into service and yet it seems as if the work cannot be finished soon enough to take up the next building in order.

If the building goes on at the present rate for one year, Plainview's population will be almost doubled, her business concerns will be numbered accordingly; her institutions of learning will be crowded to their utmost capacity by students seeking a healthful location to gain knowledge in their respectfully chosen lines; her churches will not accommodate the church going element of Plainview—for the "church going ele-

ment" includes the whole population; neither will her present school system be adequate, for it is now almost taxed to its utmost capacity.

Plainview is expanding; the country is expanding, and the people composing her population must expand as does the city and country in order to reap the benefits they have fostered since the time when instead of bring in their provisions by modern convenience—the railroads—they were hauled overland from distant points, and their products shipped in like manner.

Truly, in the past few years many changes have been wrought in the history of Plainview: from an obscure village with no railroad connection she has evolved to one of the most up-to-date and attractive cities in the southwest, and there are yet greater things in store for her.

J. W. Wonder and Isaac McCaully of Hiawatha, Kas., were visiting the Plainview country this week. They called on the Herald in company with their friend, W. W. English, of Plainview. Mr. Wonder owns a considerable amount of property here.

Flames Destroy Barn and Stock

A prairie fire swept the country southwest of here Thursday afternoon destroying considerable property.

The fire originated somewhere near the New Mexico line, and on account of the high wind which was blowing at the time nothing could be done to put it out.

Passing about ten miles south of Plainview it destroyed the large barn on the farm of E. Dowden's together with one automobile, one horse, and two or three cows and all the feed stacks on the place; the house was not burned. Passing in a southeast direction it is reported to have burned the New Hope schoolhouse. The fire went about three miles east of Hale Center and destroyed the stacked feed on the W. F. Price place near there.

A high wind was blowing all day yesterday and nothing could possibly be done to check the flames.

Fire Protection Needed

With all her modern buildings and mammoth stocks of goods, Plainview is absolutely without fire protection of any kind. This is an astonishing state of affairs for a city the size of Plainview, and boasting of such progressive citizens as does Plainview.

If a fire should break out in the business section on a day like yesterday was there would not be a business house left standing on the square nor for a considerable distance out.

We are in receipt of a car of choice Mill Run Wheat Bran and will be pleased to supply the trade.—Tandy-Coleman Co.

County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that bids for the County Depository will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Hale county at the February term 1909.

GEO. L. MAYFIELD.

Killed By Accident

Young Plainview Man Loses Life By Gun

Horrible Accident at Pecos City— Remains of Frank Dorsey Are Buried at Plainview.

Three messages were received here Sunday morning from Pecos saying (1) Frank Dorsey accidentally shot; (2) resting easy; and the third conveying the sad news to his wife, relatives and friends that he was dead.

Just how the accident happened is somewhat a mystery and will probably never be solved, but it seems that Mr. Dorsey in company with his friend, Vaughn Bell, also of this place, were planning to go hunting Monday morning and had borrowed a gun and had bought cartridges for the trip the day before the accident. The gun was left at their room and was at the time known to be unloaded.

A short time after 11 o'clock Sunday morning, Mr. Bell stepped out of the room for a few minutes and as he went out at the door heard Mr. Dorsey say that he (Dorsey) believed he would clean the gun while he was gone. A few minutes later Mr. Bell heard a shot fired and

John Allen Run Over By An Automobile

While alighting from a rapidly moving auto at the corner of 31d and Prairie Street in front of the John Oswald home, John Allen who clerks for the Wright Grocery company was in some manner thrown under the heavy car, the rear wheel of which passed over his head, breaking his nose and bruising his face up in a frightful manner. He was carried to his room at Dr. Wardlow's, where medical treatment was given, and when a Herald reporter saw him this afternoon he was in an unconscious condition.

Miss Nannie McClelland and Miss Laura Wilkerson who were in the car from which Mr. Allen fell were interviewed by a reporter and as best they could determine the accident happened in the following manner:

Mr. Allen with the two ladies boarded the car at Mr. Irwin's office and when opposite Mr. Allen's boarding house he climbed over the door and was standing on the step ready to alight. Just as the car which was moving at a normal speed came even with the boarding house, Mr. Allen started to step off and in some manner either his foot slipped or his coat hung on the car which threw him underneath.

Seth Waddill was driving the machine.

running into the room found Mr. Dorsey in a dying condition but still conscious, and was told by Mr. Dorsey that in drawing the gun (which was lying on the bed) toward him it was accidentally discharged.

The full charge of bird shot took effect just above his heart and ranging downward tore away part of his left lung, showing evidently that he had reached for the gun with his left hand and while drawing it toward him the hammer caught in the cover thereby causing the discharge of the gun. How the gun happened to be loaded at this time is yet a mystery and will probably never be known, but it is supposed that he had himself put the cartridges in the gun the evening before and forgotten about it; or possibly someone who had seen the gun and cartridges laying there and thinking to examine it slipped the cartridges in and forgot to remove them.

Mr. Dorsey has been a resident of Plainview for the past eight or nine years, having only graduated from the Plainview High School in the year 1904.

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Preparations To Build College

At a special called meeting at the court house Monday afternoon at three o'clock, to get things in tangible shape to start work on the new college to be known as the Wayland Literary and Technical Institute, the house was called to order by Dr. Mays who made a motion that Oxford serve as chairman of the meeting and Mr. Oxford took the chair.

Dr. Mays stated the object of the meeting in a clear and concise manner, saying in his remarks that something like half of the \$15,000 necessary for Plainview to raise in order to secure the college was already pledged and it was only necessary to raise the other half in order to let the contract for the main building. Of the amount subscribed one-third was to be paid when the contract was let, one-third when the walls were up and the remaining one-third when the roof was on.

The chair then made a plea to the citizens to raise the amount required at once that the contract might be let at an early date, and was replied to by such men as Lancaster, Dowden, DeLay, Smith and others, who, in turn, voiced the sentiments of the chair.

A committee of five consisting of T. J. Tilson, B. T. Ansley, F. R. Williams, E. Dowden and J. E. Lancaster, was appointed to solicit the remaining amount necessary, and several hundred dollars were raised in a few minutes before the meeting adjourned.

This means that the contract for the school will be let at once for the money will be raised without any trouble whatever, and with in thirty days it is confidently expected to see the first dirt broken.

The building when completed will cost \$50,000 and will be in addition to an ornament to the town, the means of drawing many people to Plainview to take advantage of the excellent educational facilities offered.

Herald To Improve

Machine Which Sets Type at High Speed

Will Greatly Increase News Service and Job Work Output—Change In Staff and Force.

L. P. Adair who has for the past few months handled the editorial department of the Herald steps out to take charge of the "Linotype" machine which will soon be installed in the Herald office, and R. Cleaver Edgell who has been connected with the Herald for the past three months as foreman of the mechanical department steps into the editorial chair.

The change is made for the purpose of getting each department in the hands of a person naturally inclined to the special line of work he is to do, with the expectation of greatly improving the paper in every respect, even to enlarging to a twelve-page publication as the patronage demands.

A "Linotype" machine is being installed in the office to handle the composition instead of doing the work by hand as heretofore, which in addition to enabling the Herald to print more news will do the work much more rapidly.

The linotype machine is the highest class type setting machine on the market today, making its own type instead of using type foundry moulded type, and does the work of from three to five men. The machine being installed in the Herald office is of the newest model No. 5, with low base and will be the second of its kind installed in the state of Texas, which places the Herald in the front ranks with modern machinery.

When the machine is fairly installed the Herald will invite its friends in to see how type is "set" in the modern way.

Under this new arrangement and with the added assistance of the "Linotype" and a competent job printer who will devote his entire time to that department instead of part time as heretofore, the job department will be better cared for and the Herald can turn out job work from the largest book down to a visiting card on short notice.

The local editor will now devote his entire time to the news getting instead of part time as heretofore.

It is the intention of the management to make the Herald the best weekly publication in the great southwest and no expense or untiring effort will be spared to make it such.

Revival Services

Revival services at court house, conducted by L. W. Phillips, a Christian preacher of Fort Worth, every night this week. These services will continue over Sunday night. Everybody invited to be present.

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Opportunity vs. Hustle

"Success is Ten Per Cent Opportunity and Ninety Per Cent Intelligent Hustle." Opportunity knocks once but you can hustle all the time.

The ten per cent portion is now before the people of Plainview in the form of the railroads demanding entrance to the best city on the plains; so much can be said regarding the Baptist college, and numerous other enterprises Plainview cannot afford to turn down. It is time to get the ninety per cent portion in evidence and never cease hustling until she has secured the enterprises offered her. Many towns with seemingly no opportunities accomplish marvels in the way of town building because its citizenship is composed of the "Hustling class," whereas, other towns with untold opportunities never "get on the map."

Plainview citizens are hustlers and are willing to take advantage of every opportunity, but sometimes it takes quick action to "cinch" a good thing, and in this respect Plainview should live up.

The men of Plainview are "boosters" for the town—how about the women? They "boost" too. Everybody "boosts" in Plainview. Hats off to the feminine population.

February 12th will be the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birthday; Valentine's on the 14th, and Washington's on the 22nd. "Variety is the Spice of Life" and in this instance comes in a lump—everybody can celebrate.

At Rotan, down in Fisher county, the Cowboy State Bank is resorting to a novel scheme to secure additional depositors: \$1000 free for one year without interest to the person influencing the largest number of depositors to this bank in 1909." \$500 is offered in the same manner to the party influencing the second largest number of depositors. While this is rather out

of the ordinary, yet it serves its purpose (advertising the bank) in an admirable manner.

"A prophet is not without honor save in his own country." The man who advises people to buy Plainview property at this time subjects himself to ridicule, possibly; but he who buys now may count himself fortunate indeed.

The Washington County News of St. George, Utah., John R. Wallis, editor and proprietor, is putting his newspaper on a pay-in-advance basis. His subscription price is \$1 50 a year.

The New Lisbon (Wis.) Times is now \$1.50 per year payable in advance. The publisher says: "There is no money in publishing an up-to-date newspaper for less than \$1.50 a year."

White Girl Married Negro.

"Intermarriages in Pike county are very rare and Probate Judge Aeeman was rather surprised Saturday when Benjamin H. Harris a nineteen year old colored youth of Jackson township applied for a license to wed Bertha May Hawk a sixteen year old white girl of Beaver. The mothers of both parties were present to give their consent to the marriage and a license was issued and Bertha is now no doubt happy with her dusky lover. Rev. E. C. Cotton, a colored minister of Jackson township was named to officiate."—Circleville (Ohio Union Herald).

Every day we should learn to be more and more thankful. Thankful that we do not live in a state whose damnable laws permit the intermarriages of the white and black races; thankful that our citizenship will not even tolerate the suggestion of placing such a law upon a Statute book and that individual who would make such a suggestion would be considered to have fallen so low that the damning drops which fall from the denouncing angels' lips in hell would be like snowflakes as compared to his character. Here in our own county, where we are free from the black plague, where our families may be left in safety after the shadow of night have fallen, we cannot conceive the dangers of living where the black brute exists. But the reports which come to us from less favored sections are enough to strengthen the determination that Crosby county shall never be polluted by negro residents.—Crosbyton Review.

The Crosbyton editor seems to be rather "sot" in his view of the negro question and uses rather strenuous language to express his opinion of the darker shade of the human race. We heartily agree with him in the question of intermarriages, yet, the negro is

one of Gods creations and is entitled to the uplifting influences of their more enlightened and christianized "lighter shade" brethren.

W. M. Massie, C. W. Thomas, and T. L. Price made a trip to Chicago recently for the purpose of assuring themselves, once for all that there was no truth in the report that the Santa Fe had countenanced a proposition by various and sundry promoters to take charge of and construct a railroad in this county or country. The head of the great railroad system emphatically denied having been a party to any such agreement or to have even sanctioned such a thing.

* * * * We understand that Plainview has signed up for two extensions of the road from there, one south the other east. We regret very much that Plainview has turned traitor to the best friend she had in the world and has seen proper to follow a Delphian oracle's advice and try to jeopardize her own interests and all her neighbors' interests.—Hesperian.

The editor of the Hesperian has such a narrow range of vision it is impossible for him to conceive of seeing more than one railroad traverse this, God's most expansive and fertile plains country. He sees only ruin in the building of more railroads to haul our wheat, oats, corn, alfalfa, cattle, hogs and sheep to market—why, that's what we want, brothers; we want it hauled out of the country—to market, where our farmers can get the highest market price for their products. Rub the sand out of your eyes, look around and take a new start and push and hustle—with Plainview.

Plainview is ready to sign up with Col. Massie, too, for she wants and is going to pick every ripe plum coming within her range of vision—and her vision is an expansive one.

More Chickens and Hogs.

A noticeable thing about the emigrants coming into this place is that they are bringing their chickens and hogs with them as well as their horses, mules and milch cows. Several wagons went out to new farms this week loaded with chickens and hogs alone. Both of these are paying industries and are to be encouraged.

One man who moved here this week had over two hundred thoroughbred brown leghorn chickens and a good supply of hogs to start with on his newly acquired farm.

W. H. M. S.

The society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. N. Donohoo, Monday, Feb. 1st. Very important business is to be transacted. Let all who are and all that should be interested be present.

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Foreign Missions.

The Foreign Missionary Society met in regular session Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Griffin. The President being absent in account of sickness, the Vice-president, Mrs. Griffin, presided in her absence. The 5th chapter of John was taken for the scripture lesson and was a very interesting one; this was followed by a sentence prayer by each member present.

Several interesting papers were read on the "Customs and the Schools of Korea," which were both entertaining and instructive to one interested in the foreign mission works.

Mrs. Clarence Wayland told about the Scarritt Bible and Training School of Kansas City, Missouri, and the great work being done by that institution.

On motion it was agreed that each member present would collect from other members of the society our pledge of \$75.00 which goes to help on foreign work and keep other missionaries in the field.

As there was no further business to come before the meeting it adjourned to meet the first Thursday in next month to study the "Founding of the Foreign Missionary Society."

All members are requested to be present at every meeting.

A MEMBER.

Encounters Mad Bull

While branding cattle on his ranch near Norfleet last Thursday, Frank Norfleet happened to an accident which came near proving fatal. A bull in the pen became angered and despite Mr. Norfleet's efforts to get out of his range, the bull caught him against the fence, which was made of 2x4s and pinned him so that he could not defend himself until at last he was pushed through the fence by the bull.

The only injuries received were severe bruises which were not fatal.

Civic League Meets

Wednesday afternoon the civic league members met pursuant to a called meeting at the Wayland building to perfect their organization and outline the work to be taken up in the immediate future.

The object of the league is as embraced in its by-laws, is to promote the beautifying of the city by keeping the streets and alleys in an altogether sanitary condition; the planting of trees, and, in addition to these and many other commendable tasks, the beautifying of the cemetery. Already a committee has been appointed by the members to solicit funds to pay for the erection of a windmill at the cemetery so the shrubbery and trees can be properly watered.

Arrangements have been made to give the one setting out the most trees on "Arbor Day" a suitable prize, and tree culture is being encouraged in every possible way.

The Club meets again a week from next Wednesday night and every one is requested to be present.

Stockholder's Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank of Plainview, Texas, for the purpose of electing nine new directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held in their banking room on Tuesday, March 9th, 1909 from the hours of 10 A. M. to 12 M.

J. N. DONOHOO President
E. B. HUGHES Secretary.

Mrs. Weathers es Lynn county is here visiting the family of Murray Malouin this week. Mrs. Weathers is a sister of Mrs. Malone.

Passing of Cowboy.

Under the caption, "Photographing the Cowboy as He Disappears," the World's Work for January publishes a story by Harry Peyton Steger concerning a wonderful line of photographs made by Edwin E. Smith, a Bonham, Texas, young man who has worked many years as a cowboy and is now an art student in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. His collection of photographs representing eight years of work and patience, numbers more than 2,000. It seems that Mr. Smith appreciated the fact that the ranches and the cowboys were rapidly passing away, and if the art was to be accurately in art, it was time someone should go to work at it. Therefore he began making photographs of the subject.

"I knew that the life wouldn't wait," he is quoted as saying, "and that the technique would, so I put off Boston as long as I could."

He didn't go to the ranches to take pictures. He was already at work upon them, experienced in the duties of a cowboy, before he conceived the idea of using a camera.

Mr. Steger, in emphasizing the importance of Mr. Smith's work, says: "Ten years from today there will not be in the United States many cattle ranches of more than 10,000 acres. The cowboy will have become a historic figure. Today in Texas, New Mexico, and all the other 'cattle states,' the tendency is toward the small farm, owned and managed by individual farmers on a small, intensive plan. With the spread of irrigation, of advanced knowledge in the agricultural aspects of cattle raising, and with the improvements of grade in the animals themselves, two acres of farm can be made to do the work of ten or fifteen acres of range. Today there are in Texas only six or seven ranches of 1,000,000 acres or more. Ten years ago there were at least thirty."

The above article in portraying the passing of the cowboy, pictures the heretofore great "cattle states" as thickly populated farming states with only a few cattle ranches here and there where the land is too broken for farming purposes, a few years hence.

The passing of the big ranches has been slow, considering the ever increasing demand for level farming lands on the plains, but now there are only a few left and they, too, will soon be dotted all over with waving fields of golden grain.

The farmer is relentless in his search for level land that produces most with the least expenditure of time and effort and can find land of such character only where the cattle business was once the only industry known on the plains of Texas.

Illustrating Dry Farming.

An illustration of the Campbell system of dry farming is aptly given by the Cimarron Jacksonian in the following interesting yet simple experiment:

Take an ordinary piece of loaf sugar and pile as much loose granulated sugar on top as will stay there. Just barely dip the lower end into a cup of coffee. You will see the brown liquid creep up to the top. When it reaches the loose sugar the motion is almost entirely stopped and the top of the loose sugar will remain dry. The loaf represents the hard ground. The coffee which makes the liquid go rapidly upward is called capillary attraction, or the 'water ladder.' The loose sugar represents the loose soil on top of the ground made by harrowing. This loose soil stops the 'water ladder' and prevents the evaporation by contact with the open air. This is the Campbell system.

Not New.

Dr. A. L. Breeding says that a neighbor of his (the doctor is a farmer now, you know) learned of a new way to grow cabbage this fall, tried it, and as a result has some fine cabbage, where before he had only a stunted crop. When cold weather set in this fall the neighbor's cabbage had reached a growth of only about four inches in diameter but instead of turning the cows onto the crop he covered all the cabbage and the heads kept on growing. Now they are seven and eight inches in diameter and the leaves are white and crisp. You can't stop crops from growing in New Mexico, even in the winter time.—Texico Trumpet.

While the above may sound strange to some of the newer settlers of the great southwest, yet it has been practiced by some of the "old timers" for years as it was their only hope to have fresh vegetables when the vegetable season was come to an end, for they had no railroads to bring in fresh vegetables in the early spring from the lower part of the state.

Not only can cabbage be kept growing, but the Panhandler can have new Irish potatoes in the early spring by leaving the second fall crop in the ground; the same with turnip greens, by covering with a light layer of straw. And many other vegetables can be kept in like manner.

This is accounted for by the pure atmospheric conditions prevailing on the plains preventing vegetation from rotting, and the warm days keep the vegetables growing with slight protection.

Resources of Texas.

An exchange says Texas has: A population of 15 to the square mile.

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237 counties organized and 8 unorganized.

167,855,600 acres of land.

45 counties without a railroad.

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Texas produces annually one million head of sheep, 1,500,000 head of horses and mules, 7,000,000 head of cattle and 2,000,000 head of hogs.

30,000,000 acres of land under cultivation and 137,965,600 uncultivated; and can furnish support for four times its present population.

This represents only the seemingly large things, for Texas has many other industries producing more wealth than any of the above mentioned items. Take for instance even such a small thing as the chicken business. The money derived from the sale of chickens and eggs in the state of Texas far exceeds the revenue from the sale of all her cattle.

H. A. Hagood.

At Central Plains College Saturday, January 23, H. A. Hagood, age 86 years, 4 months and 18 days, father of Dr. J. D. Hagood, College Dentist, passed away from a lingering illness. The immediate cause of death was given as pneumonia, with paralysis as a contributory.

Mr. Hagood has been a resident of Texas for the past thirty-two years, having moved to this state from Indiana and has been connected with the Central Plains College for the past three years and seven months.

His son, Dr. J. D. Hogood is a practicing dentist at the college and is financial agent for the institution.

The remains were laid to rest in the Plainview cemetery Sunday.

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News and Comment

William B. Townsend of Wilbarger county will be Secretary of State, J. C. Haynes of Karnes county will be the financial agent of the penitentiary system and Charles B. White of Fannin county will be State Purchasing Agent during Gov. Campbell's second term of office. These are the only changes thus far announced in the personnel of the Governor's cabinet.

The Galveston seawall will be extended to embrace within its protection the harbor fort, if an item agreed to by a sub-committee of the Naval Affairs committee can run the legislative course through the full committee and through both houses.

A fire on the water front at Galveston last Friday, caused by explosion of the night watchman's lantern, destroyed 7000 bales of cotton valued at \$350,000.00; 350 barrels of cotton seed oil at \$6,300; 200 tons of cotton seed meal at \$6,000; lumber, logs, etc., 30,000 feet at \$2,000; wharf, shed etc., \$60,000. All were fully covered by insurance.

Mene Keesho, an Eskimo, brought to this country by Commander Peary on his return from an expedition to find the north pole in 1895 is taking a course in civil engineering with the expectation of heading an expedition himself to locate the needle-attracting point as soon as he completes the course. He expresses himself as confident of success.

The heaviest penalty ever assessed in the history of the illicit liquor traffic litigation in Grayson County in a single verdict imposed in the case of the state vs. J. C. Lockhart during the last term of court, who was charged with the sale of intoxicating liquors. He was assessed a fine of \$800 and given eighty days in jail.

The first printing press ever

built to print the Navajo language has recently been ordered for installation at the Rehoboth Mission five miles from Gallup, New Mexico. For the first time in the history of the tribe, the Navajos now have an alphabet, a grammar, a translation of a portion of the Bible in their own vernacular, and the beginning of a real literary language. This represents the life work of Rev. L. P. Brink, of Tohatchi, New Mexico, a missionary of the Christian Reformed Church.

At San Antonio last Saturday D. W. Breckham, a boarding house keeper sixty years of age, because he was losing his power of vision committed suicide by shooting himself in the mouth and right temple with a .32 calibre pistol.

In a mountain snow slide near Ouray, Colorado, Saturday four men were killed and a score more had narrow escapes. The avalanche came without warning and was fifty feet in height. It will be midsummer before the bodies of the dead men can be recovered.

Because his father thrashed him when eighteen years of age for talking too much, John S. Smith of Kansas City has only spoken three words in twenty-seven years, carrying on all conversations as would a dumb man with pencil and paper. He swore at the time he would never more give utterance to his thoughts and has "made good."

At Humboldt a half dozen young ladies decided to each wear a kimono made from the same material and each finished the same way, and hid themselves away to purchase the necessary materials. Six days were used up in finishing the cloth and frills into six "lovely" kimonos, and on the seventh day each maiden wore her kimono to a central meeting place for a kimono party. Then, only, was the horrible discovery made that the prin-

cipal design on the material was a stork. Oh! what a waste of material—the kimonos are buried.

A New One on Maud.

We've heard of Maud on a hot summer day, who raked, barefooted, the new-mown hay; we have read of the maid in the early morn, who milked the cow with the crumpled horn; and we've read the lay that the poet sings, of the rustling corn and the flowers of spring; but of all the lays of tongue or pen, there's naught like the lay of the Texas hen. Long before Maud raked the hay the Texas hen began to lay, and ere the milkmaid stirs a peg, the hen is up and laid an egg! The corn must rustle, the flowers spring, if they hold their own with the barnyard ring. If Maud is needing a hat or gown she doesn't hustle her way to town; she goes to the store and obtains her suit with a basketful of fresh hen fruit. If the milkmaid's beau makes a Sunday call, she doesn't feed him milk at all, but works up eggs in a custard pie and stuffs him full of chicken "fry;" and when the old man wants a horn, does he take the druggist a load of corn? Not much, he simply robs the nest, and to the town he goes—you know the rest. He lingers there and talks perchance, while his poor wife stays at home and scowles, but is saved from want by those self-same fowls, for while her husband lingers there, she watches the cackling hens with care, and gathers the eggs and these she'll hide, till she saves enough to stem the tide. Then hail, all hail, to the Texas hen, the greatest blessing to all men. Throw up your hat and make Rome howl, for the persevering barnyard fowl. Corn may be king, but it's plainly seen that the Texas hen is the Texas queen.—Ex.

Notice.

The public is hereby notified that the partnership heretofore existing between Dr. Clarence Wayland and Dr. O. H. Judkins is by mutual consent dissolved. This 20th day of January, 1909.

L. C. WAYLAND, M. D.
O. H. JUDKINS, M. D.

Plainview, Texas, Jan. 22, 1909.—We the undersigned agree to close our places of business during the week (Saturdays excepted) at 7:30 p. m. and to cease taking orders at 5:30 p. m. except Saturdays when we will use our own pleasure as to closing and taking orders. This becomes effective Feb. 1, 1909.

L. J. WARREN,
TERRY & JEFFUS,
R. T. MILLER & SONS,
IRICK & FARRIS,
J. W. WRIGHT,
L. D. RUCKER,
R. M. HARP.

The O'Hara Sign & Decorating company is a new enterprise for Plainview, having opened up a shop across the street from the Carter Mercantile Co. establishment. They come highly recommended as painters and decorators, and the work already done by them at this place shows they are not misrepresented. See their ad. elsewhere in this issue.

Big Ranch Succumbs.

The Matador ranch lands, embracing some 500,000 acres of as fine land for farming purposes as there is in the Panhandle is to be surveyed into eighty acre tracts and sold to the actual farmer. This is one among the last large syndicate tracts to be placed on the market in the Panhandle and like the other tracts sold in recent years will soon be populated with a thrifty, wealth-producing and contented lot of farmers.

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We have a few spring pigs for sale, the get of our herd boar, PREMIER PRINCE

FOURTH, out of SHERMAN BELLE 47TH. These pigs are lengthy, of good bone and size. Also pigs by him out of high grade females.

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IF YOU ARE IN A HURRY

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We always carry the best the market affords and sell at the regular market price

We do no credit business. Everything is strictly Cash

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BEGIN THE NEW YEAR

By trading with

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Our stock of Groceries is complete throughout so there will be no trouble to fill your orders, large or small

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PLAINVIEW - TEXAS

Local News

Any items given this office for this page will be appreciated

Passenger arrives from North 6:40 p. m.
Passenger departs for North 8:00 a. m.

NOTICE:—All announcements of any church pertaining to services are welcomed to the columns of the HERALD FREE. But any announcement of a Bazaar, Ice cream supper or any plan to get money is looked upon as a business proposition and will be charged accordingly.

Cullom & Miller have a car of nice jersey milk cows to sell at a small margin of profit.

T. S. Baker of northeast Missouri bought a 100 acre improved tract of land near Plainview this week and will move here at once.

Herbert Coulson is here from Hereford this week.

See the Rectigaaph Abstract Company in their new quarters, Room 27, First National Bank. They are better boepared than ever to satisfy all your Abstract wants.

J. A. Perret returned Wednesday from a visit through the holidays with relatives and friends at his old home in Missouri.

Dr. Carter of Emma was here Sunday and Monday on a return trip from Amarillo where he went to get his new automobile.

R. C. Joiner was in Tulia this week sitting as special judge in the absence of Judge Kinder from court on account of sickness.

L. W. Stoneker is in New York City this week buying spring stock for the Broken Dollar Store.

I have a few choice milch cows for sale, registered and grade jerseys. You can buy them. Worth the money.—S. W. Meharg.

R. T. Wright, manager of the Wright Grocery, is in Oklahoma City this week on a visit to his family.

J. R. Mobley returned Monday from Kansas City where he purchased a large stock of spring goods for his racket store.

I have a few choice milch cows for sale, registered and grade jerseys. You can buy them worth the money.—S. W. Meharg.

G. Euna was here from Texico this week looking for a location for a vegetable and fruit store and providing a suitable location can be had will open up for business in the near future.

We have been a little short on Nigger-head Lump coal, but now have it and simply the best on the market. TANDY-COLEMAN CO.

T. E. Shuley was here from Ellen Wednesday on business.

C. W. Angelo of Kiowa, Kansas bought 320 acres of dirt in the vicinity of Plainview this week and will build, and break out a farm as soon as he can ship his implements and live stock here.

E. R. Williams has a licensed embalmer in his house and is ready at a moment's notice to answer all calls for embalming and undertaking.

J. H. Gouldy, a real estate man of Amarillo for the past five years, is opening a branch office here, and his ad will be found in this issue of the Herald. Mr. Gouldy is well known on the plains as a real estate man, having been in the real estate business for the past twenty years.

Biggest stock of spring gingham ever known in Plainview at Carter Mercantile Company.

Miss Clara Lyons of Harmon, Ark., formerly a resident of Plainview has returned to this city and accepted a position with T. B. Irwin as stenographer in his real estate office.

Go to the Racket Store to buy your post cards and valentines.

Mr. Pudor entertains with the assistance of several others with a musical program at the Baptist church, Friday, February 5, at 8:30 o'clock p. m.

A good steam plow outfit for sale or trade. See G. D. French, Plainview, Texas.

New Spring patterns in Hart-Schaffner & Marx clothing at Carter Mercantile Company.

A. E. Anderson, with the William-Voker company of Kansas City was here on business Monday and Tuesday.

Latest style spring suits, Hart-Schaffner & Marx make, at Carter Mercantile Company.

E. Graham made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday returning in the afternoon.

S. T. Fagan of Amarillo arrived Wednesday on a business trip to Floydada.

F. J. Salisbury who has been in the abstract business at Cherokee, Oklahoma has sold his business there and will be connected with the Salisbury-Lash Land Company of this place in the future.

Salisbury & Lash have moved their real estate office from their old stand near the News office to commodious quarters in the new Ellerd building one block north of the First National Bank building.

William Holfer of Driftwood Oklahoma bought a raw half section of land here this week and will begin the improvement of same as soon as he can move here.

Send me a list of the property you have for sale. We have calls for land that we cannot supply. Yours may be the tract that our customer wants. All we ask is a chance to sell it for you. Make the price and the terms right and you will not keep it long.—S. W. Meharg.

Joseph and Charles Pflug of New Omaha, Neb. were here prospecting this week and each bought land near here and will move in time to put in a crop this year.

We want all our customers to know that we are selling goods on 30 days time and no longer. If you can't pay us for our groceries every thirty days, don't buy them because we shall certainly expect our money. All accounts not paid in full by the 5th of every month will certainly be closed. All who are due us on December bill must pay at once, Warren & Reeves.

Killed by Accident

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with high honors, and was at the time of his death 24 years, 9 months and 22 days of age.

Two years ago he accepted a position with Noble Bros.' wholesale branch at this place as manager of that concern and the way he handled the business speaks well of his executive ability in the business world.

In August of 1907 he was united in marriage to Miss Nell Milwee a charming young lady of this city who survives him.

Mrs. Dorsey received the sad intelligence of his death Sunday morning and took automobile at once to Big Springs at which point she made connection with the train bound for Pecos, arriving there the following morning.

C. H. Dorsey and wife and daughter Miss Pearl, father, mother and sister of Mr. Dorsey, who were in Austin when they received the news of the death of their only son and brother, took the first train for Pecos where they had the body embalmed and prepared for shipment.

The train bearing the corpse and sorrowing wife and parents was boarded by Mr. and Mrs. Nash, brother and sister to the deceased, at Portales, New Mexico.

At Canyon a special train was boarded and Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Gober, relatives of the deceased were taken on there.

At Tulia Joe Cantrell and family and Jimmie Cantrell and son joined the bereaved relatives and accompanied them here.

The corpse was received here Wednesday evening on a special train and was taken in charge by the Praetorians and Woodmen of the World who laid the body to rest at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Dr. L. T. Mays conducting the religious services from the undertaking parlors of Paxton & Oswald.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church are arranging to give a musical entertainment at the Baptist church on the evening of Friday, February the 5th, under the direction of Mr. Pudor. Splendid talent has been secured and a good program is looked for.

We are receiving constantly the Forney, Texas Prairie Hay, which will sell for less than alfalfa is now being sold for.

TANDY-COLEMAN CO.

W. A. Bell made a business trip to Tulia and Canyon City the first of the week in the interest of the Bell Bros. clothes cleaning plant.

Don't fail to see Cobb & Elliott Grain Co., at the City Elevator if you want sell your kaffir, maize, corn or any thing in seed line.

W. N. Browning was here from New Omaha, Nebraska this week and bought land and will move his family here as soon as he can close up his affairs at his present home.

Take your farm products to Cobb & Elliott Grain Co. They will pay you the market price.

Mrs. E. Graham accompanied by Mrs. E. I. Hoyle and little daughter, Eva May returned Monday afternoon from Stanton, Texas where they have been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Blake is in the city from Lubbock this week visiting.

Want Column

Advertisements for this column will be accepted at a rate of two cents a word for first insertion and a cent a word for each successive insertion, if paid in advance.

FOR SALE—One of the best 8-room residences in Plainview on Restriction street.—T. J. Tilson.

RAGS WANTED—For nice, clean cotton rags the Herald will pay 3 cents per pound.

WANTED—Reliable party to sell musical instruments in good territory. Reputable line, fair dealings. Address C Box 6, Hale Center, Texas.

PARTICULAR COAL FOR PARTICULAR PEOPLE. We have a few cars of the best Simon Pure Nigger-head Nut coal that ever came to the plains. Bought specially for our friends' wives for cooking purposes, which we are selling at a low price to please them.

TANDY-COLEMAN CO.

WANTED—Your eggs and butter are wanted at the L. J. Warren Grocery Company. We pay cash when desired.

GOOD OPENING FOR MILLINER.—To buy a well established Millinery business in connection with notions and racket goods in a coming Plains town. This is a snap. Reason's for selling, owner wants a vacation. Only business of its kind in town. Reasonable price to right party. Address Box 303 Plainview, Texas.

LOST—One pair of heavy gloves lined with Otter skin with E. Dowden's name inside the gauntlet. Fidler will please return to E. Dowden.

LAND—\$200,000.00 worth of the following lands sold in the last three weeks. Do you want a home or an investment? This is your chance. Every man who sees it buys. Can sell you from 1 to 50 sections, and give you choice. They are fine level prairie agricultural lands, dark and dark red loam, some almost a black land. Located in the "Midland Country" on the southern plains of west Texas. \$6 per acre, small cash payment, balance 8 years time 6% interest. Write us for full description and particulars.—W. J. MORGAN & Co., Midland, Texas.

BARGAINS—For best bargains in Floyd County Lands, in small or large tracts, improved or unimproved; call on, write or phone Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada, Texas, office southeast corner square.

Professional Cards

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LAWYERS
Plainview, Texas

DR. N. C. LETCHER
DENTIST
Wayland Building Room No. 5

Ladies' Shampooing.

Lee Mitchell wishes to announce to the ladies of Plainview that he has just added an electric hair drying machine to his shop and that he makes a specialty of ladies' shampooing. This machine will completely dry the hair in five minutes time, thus making waiting on the hair to dry unnecessary. Ladies wanting work of this kind done can come in the afternoon, or if they prefer, can come after seven o'clock in the evening.

R. G. Oldham and J. C. Pipkin, of Canyon were in the city Tuesday transacting business. They are both members of the Canyon Mercantile Company firm at Canyon City.

Embalming, Undertaking
The Embalming and undertaking department of E. R. Williams is fully equipped to meet all emergencies. Do not forget this.

Cobb & Elliott Grain Company

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Dealers In
Grain, Field Seeds, Coal, Wood and Hides. We handle Rockvale and Nigger Head Coal.

Don't fail to see us before you buy or sell anything in our line.
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I have a brand new Gasol ne drill that is strictly up-to-date and ask a share of your patronage. Straight wells, plenty of water in the shortest time possible, are my specialties. See my about that second strata well. Headquarters at Hatcher's Blacksmith Shop.
Yours anxious to please.

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North Pacific St. Opposite Carter Mer. Co.

Lon Holt of South McAllister, Ok., has accepted a position here in the barber shop of Lee Mitchell. Mr. Holt was formerly a resident of Plainview and says he is here to stay this time.

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From Nov. 20 to Jan. 19, embracing sixty days, there were twenty births recorded in Hale county, fifteen of which were males and five females.

H. G. Sandy a Nebraska man bought land here this week and is preparing to move here at an early date.

Remember the Rectigraph Abstract Company can furnish abstract for nine counties. See their card in this issue.

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The Rectigraph Abstract Co. has taken up permanent quarters in the First National Bank Building. We will be glad to have you call.—W. A. McWhorter, Mgr.

Jack Hawley returned from a trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Blankets, Comfort and pillows at Carter Mercantile Company.

Lester Henderson of Amarillo is in the city this week. Mr. Henderson is a piano dealer of Amarillo and is here in the interest of his concern.

Do your spring sewing early. Carter Mercantile Company have new gingham, percales, linens, etc.

Fred Springer has moved to his recently acquired farm near Norfleet, and has already started improving. He is from Firth, Nebraska and is a reader of the Herald.

Mrs. Katherine Stanfield

Mrs. Katherine Stanfield passed away in this city Sunday night, January 24, of a lingering illness at the age of 24 years, and was interred in the Plainview cemetery Monday following.

Mrs. Stanfield was the wife of W. J. Stanfield of this city and was well known to the citizens here.

Remember that E. R. Williams is prepared to fill your wants in any emergency, for Embalming and Undertaking.

First National Bank Moved

On Monday of this week the First National Bank moved into its elegant new quarters just completed. The furniture and fixtures have been placed in position and are the most up-to-date of any in an institution of this kind in the west.

The fixtures are of rose wood and onyx with brass railings and

the floor is tile; two vaults, one for deposits of the regular business and the other a storage vault, are placed one above the other in a convenient position.

The building is heated by steam, and hot and cold water connections are arranged throughout the entire building; the lighting system is perfect, and the building as a whole is most modern in every respect.

If you want a nice jersey milk cow see Cullum & Miller, next door to Fulton Lumber Company. They have a car of fine cows.

Stamord & Northwestern Railway Company

NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of Stamford & Northwestern Railway Company has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the principal office of the Company in Stamford, Jones County, Texas, on Saturday the 10th day of April, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

(a) to consider and determine whether the stockholders will consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of first mortgage gold bonds of said Company, to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, and to be secured by a mortgage and deed of trust upon and of all the property and franchises of said Company now owned by it, or which may hereafter be used as the basis of the issue of any of said first mortgage bonds;

(b) in case of such consent, approval and authorization, to approve and authorize the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust and of the bonds to be issued thereunder;

(c) to ratify and confirm such action taken or authorized by the Board of Directors of said Company in contemplation of such consent, approval and authorization as may be submitted to the meeting;

(d) to transact such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

Dated, Stamford, Texas, January 13, 1909.

L. B. PEYTON, Secretary.
L. M. BUIE, President.

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