

## Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co.

(INCORPORATED)

WAGONS, BUGGIES, HARNESS, SADDLES, STOVES, RANGES, PIPE, CASING  
ECLIPSE, STAR AND LEADER WINDMILLS

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE

Our Prices Are the Lowest--Considering Quality

### Bystander

Bystander sees in the press notices that his old friend, Senator Joseph Clay Stiles Blackburn, formerly of Versailles, Kentucky, but more recently Governor of the Panama canal zone being appointed by Roosevelt, is back at his Old Kentucky Home on a three months vacation. Senator Blackburn is one of the old time statesmen, who was always found fighting for his party, but who would not allow the question of party fealty to stand between him and his vote and his country's best interest. He is a strong partisan, one of the strongest I know, but he never lets his partisanship interfere with his duty. It may be for this reason, that when a coalition of interests formed in Kentucky and defeated him for re-election to the senate, Roosevelt appointed him to the governorship instead of giving it to some member of the Republican party. That Senator Blackburn has discharged his duties well is safely concluded, when he has been trying to resign for sometime and go home, but President Taft will not accept the resignation. Finally they compromised by allowing the old warrior a three month's vacation. President Taft has the greatest faith in Blackburn's ability and honesty, and he is in a position where both characteristics are required to the highest degree.

This vacation of the Senator brings to mind a little incident that was told on Senator J. B. Beck, now dead, and Senator Blackburn. At a cloak room session of the senate the question of the grade of certain whiskeys was under discussion, and both Beck and Blackburn, Kentuckians and supposedly thoroughly versed in what constitutes good whiskey, were called on to give their opinion. One of the gentlemen had a sample which he said had come from a barrel in his house, presented sometime before that by a friend. Upon sampling this Senator Beck detected the taste of leather, which he claimed was quite distinct. Blackburn, while he could not notice any leathery taste, observed that there a slight taste of iron. Quite a heated discussion arose over the matter and a bantering wager was made. There was but one way to decide this wager, and the barrel had to be emptied. Upon the contents being removed it was found that both Beck and Blackburn were right in their judgment—a carpet tack stuck through a small piece of leather fell out of the bung hole. This forever established their reputations as judges of whiskey, which Beck retained till his death and which Senator Blackburn no doubt, will possess until the Anger of Goodness calls him home.

Bystander is a judge of good biscuit, having been eating those prepared by one of the best cooks that ever came out of the famed Blue Grass section of Kentucky where good cooks are both born and made.

A few days ago in looking for news he wandered into the hardware store of Donohoo-Ware Co., and saw the celebrated Majestic range in demonstration. There was a Plainview young lady making biscuits and incidentally exhibiting her skill as a cook. She evidently knows that the easiest way to get a man's heart is through the medium of a good meal, and she certainly was preparing the biscuit end of a good meal about as well as Bystander ever had the pleasure of tasting. With a hot steaming biscuit and pure hot coffee and jersey cream butter it was almost a feast. Miss Maud Bandfield is the name of the young lady, but she does not care to be bothered by too many applications for her services in the culinary department.

The sneer, the miserable sneer, the weapon of that mind that cannot combat an argument! How we all hate and dispise its very name. Bystander was present at a meeting of the citizens of this city a few days ago. At this meeting feelings of a dangerous character were being appealed to and gradually getting from under control. A well to do citizen whose whole life has been conservative and whose actions are moderate, a perfect gentleman, as courteous as a Chesterfield, was addressing the meeting in opposition to the then prevailing attitude of the populace. He was addressing himself to the intelligence and not to the feelings or passions of interest. Just in front and facing the audience sat a man, a chance comer to this good town but who had been here for a week or so. There he sat with his rotund face bespeaking the lack of intellectuality yet showing in plainest lines all the marks of the contrary character.

The gentleman who was addressing the meeting observed that there was in every American boy's and girl's heart a little something that rebelled at coercion, and for want of a better name he called it the "American Spirit." The father might issue his command "you shall or you shant" but that boy or girl would, if not openly, yet mentally say "I will not or I will," as the case may be. This gentleman was a mild mannered man in his talk, showed no feeling at all; just an everyday plain practical conversational talk. The bestial face sitting in front of him, all the time smirking and sneering seemed to me just to be there for the purpose of intimidating that good citizen who was protesting against an injustice. That contemptible sneer has been before me every since I left the meeting and when I think of that meeting I see that miserable cuss who came from another town to mix up in the local troubles of good people. It continued as an affront to that audience until the county judge secured the floor, an attack having been insinuated against him and his colaborers in keeping peace and good order in the county. That judge make things wake up a little. He threw a bomb shell at the first volley, and that sneer left as quickly as if someone had touched Mr. Sneerer with a hot wire. He hitched

his chair around a little, and finally moved it so none in the audience could see his cowering features. He looked like a whipped cur, almost ready to crawl in the dust if the good judge would not be so harsh. He really appeared as if he was looking for something of a personal nature, an exposure possibly. One thing was certain that sneer left him, and I really felt sorry for the poor fellow.

### AGRICULTURAL SAMPLES.

J. W. Briggs, the Whitfield melon king, brought to the Herald office Monday a large melon, and the office force enjoyed a feast as the result of his kindness, for which all are grateful. Mr. Briggs pulled two melons Saturday, and they are not the largest by any means, which weighed 123 pounds, or an average of 61½ pounds each. This is a pretty good size, and is more than the average Plainview newspaper man can consume at one sitting. Mr. Briggs' melon patch is ten miles northeast of Plainview, but this need not be taken as a hint that he will stand for any raids—his shot gun always is loaded and he knows just exactly how to draw a bead to touch the tender parts of the anatomy.

Tom Lillus, of Plainview, has on exhibition at the office of White Brothers on the east side of the square, a pumpkin weighing 50 pounds. This pumpkin was grown in fifteen days from the time the blossom dropped and button formed. It would still be in Mr. Lillus' patch and growing but for an old cow that was meandering around looking for forage and her hoof got entangled in the vines and pulled the pumpkin off.

There is on exhibition in this same office quite another curiosity in the way of a cucumber grown by Fred Bogard 8 miles southeast of town. It is called the snake cucumber and is 3 feet and 3 inches long, the largest part being about three inches in diameter. Mr. Bogard says this cucumber is exceedingly fine for making the celebrated dill pickles which we all love and that it is a prolific bearer.

Numerous samples of corn are coming in showing that Hale county has produced some pretty good crops. It begins to look now as if we will have no trouble in securing as good an exhibit as we had last year, which indicates that other sections of the state will have to put forth their very best and then some if they expect to surpass Old Hale.

White Brothers are in receipt of a number of letters from Northern correspondents relative to the samples of wheat which they sent out two or three weeks ago. As will be recalled these samples were from the crop of Mr. Stanard, about 6 miles northeast of Plainview, the yield was 17 bushels per-acre and the test was 63 pounds per bushel. One letter, in particular, indicates that we are a great country, and as it comes from a man who owns twelve hundred acres of high priced northern land, we produce it below. The writer of this letter is the owner of the famous Valley View Stock Farms at Schaller, Iowa.

### COL. T. J. TILSON REVIEWS

### SENATOR BAILEY'S SPEECH

Representative Government Is Threatened If Public Officials Do Not Carry Out the Expressed Desires of the People.

Mr. Editor:

I ask space in The Herald to review Senator Bailey's speech in this city on the 27th and your comments thereon. In the first place, presumptuous as it may seem, I take issue with you and Sen. Bailey on your ideas of representative government, and assert that your position is undemocratic, unrepresentative and practically subversive of representative government. To say that the people, through their primary elections, state and national, shall not have the right or power to instruct and bind their officers and representative in the state legislature and in congress, is something unheard of until Senator Bailey promulgated this doctrine.

This of course would be the death knell to representative government and would place the representative above and the master of the people, instead of their servant.

There never has in the history of this nation, been a political party that did not formulate a platform of principles and lay down its demands, and go before the people for their support on those promises and demands. Then to say that after the people have elected to power this party on the strength of its demands and principles, the men whom they elect to carry out these demands have the right to disregard and trample them under foot, ridicule, denounce and stigmatize them as criminal, as Senator Bailey did in his Plainview speech, is something unprecedented in American politics and should expose him to the indignations of his friends who nominated him as a delegate to the Denver convention, upon a platform that declared "We endorse the unanswerable utterance of our great Democratic leader, William Jennings Bryan, that a party nominee, who, when elected, violates the expressed will of his party on any proposition, is an embezzler of power."

Again the same Fort Worth platform says: "Absolute obedience to instructions of the people by those holding their office is indispensable to the integrity of representative government. We regard it as a wholesome text for civil instructions, and as a touchstone by which to test the services of those we trust. And we declare that those who accept the people's office and refuse to obey their instructions are embezzlers of power." This is what Mr. Bailey and 6,000 to 25,000 of his friends said at Fort Worth.

It was this character of embezzlement of power that defeated the state wide prohibition amendment last

winter in our legislature and it is this kind of embezzlement of power that, if endorsed by our people and allowed to go unrebuked, will again defeat it, and every other character of salutary legislation the people may desire and have a right to demand.

If the liquor and trust interests can get this undemocratic and unrepresentative, unholy and hell-born principle thoroughly embedded in the mind of the American people, then they will eternally dominate the best interests of our country and enslave our people.

Now Senator Bailey attempts to justify himself in the repudiation of the Democratic platform by saying that the people through their elected delegates to that convention have no right to say to their senators and representatives that they demand to be relieved of certain burdens. They are not presumed to know what they need or what is best for them. But I am the embodiment of all wisdom; I am the personification of knowledge and patriotism.

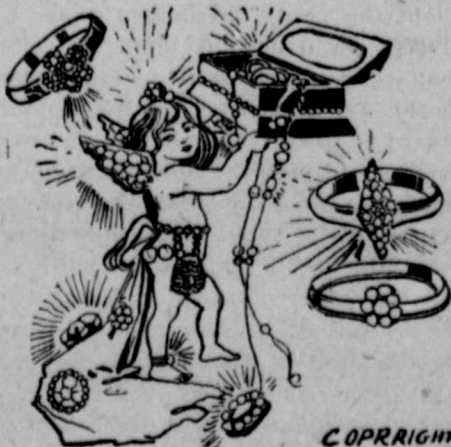
Again Senator Bailey and The Herald have a great deal to say as detail legislation. That the platform has no right to dictate legislation in detail. Grant this to be true. I deny that, in this particular instance, that the state and national platforms indulged in one scintilla of detail legislative demands. The state platform demanded the right to vote on an amendment to the constitution prohibiting the sale of intoxicants in the state of Texas. It never suggested to the representatives the manner or methods by which this should be done. It entered into no details. The platform said gambling in futures and gambling of all kinds was wrong, and demanded a law making gambling houses a felony. It never entered into any detail as to how the legislature was to accomplish this. It left the details to be worked out by the members of the legislature.

The National Democratic platform said we are opposed to class legislation, we are opposed to all laws giving special privileges and advantages to one class over another. They declared that the tariff was that kind of a law. That it was the prolific mother of unholy combines and oppressive trusts. Therefore they demanded that all articles entering into competition with trust-controlled products be placed on the free lists.

They did not go into detail as to how this should be done, but left it to the wisdom and discretion of their representatives.

The platform said that lumber, logs, wood pulp and print paper should be

(Continued on page 4.)



COPYRIGHT.

## HERE ARE HINTS

for those who are wondering what would be the cost of a new ring to add charm to their costume.

### The Large Assortment of Diamond and Combination Stone Rings

and the range of prices give a wide range for choosing. There's very pretty rings at low prices for wear on outing trips or when there is a possibility of loss. Others, infinitely better and more beautiful, at somewhat higher prices.

WYCKOFF-WILLIS DRUG COMPANY, DRUGS and JEWELRY

LAND FOR SALE.

We are now putting on the market to the actual settler 2,810 acres, over 17 quarter sections, all in one solid body and of the very choicest farm land.

We also have other lands for sale over the country.

For prices, terms and descriptive literature, address, Reeves & SoRelle, successors to Otus Reeves Realty Co., Plainview, Texas.

ANOTHER PHYSICIAN FOR PLAINVIEW.

Dr. James Pickett came in Wednesday from South Texas and is now located at Wyckoff-Willis Drug Store for the practice of medicine.

TO BE HAPPY.

you must have good health. You can't have good health if your liver is not doing its duty—slow but sure poisoning is going on all the time under such circumstances.

TO SELL.

Northwest one-fourth Sec. 120 B-D2 10 miles Northeast of Plainview, no lake. Southeast corner, 106 2-3 acres, Sec. B-G, 5 miles south of Lockney, smooth land, one-fourth in cultivation.

East one-half Sec., 2B-C2, 7 miles east of new railroad town of Abernathy, Hale Co.

For particulars address owner, J. R. Collier, Plainview, Texas.

WANTED—Stock hogs, 80 pounds up, must be merchantable. Will pay \$4.75 delivered at Plainview by Thursday, September 16. L. M. Faulkner.

Otus Reeves Auto Company have received another car load of their famous little Ford cars and it will pay you to see them.

An errand boy wanted at the Herald office.

Foxy Grandpa.

Local and Personal

Prof. J. H. Anderson of Amarillo is a visitor to Plainview this week.

J. J. Barton of Bartonsite was a visitor on the streets of Plainview Monday.

G. A. Joiner and wife of Abilene, are visiting the family of W. B. Joiner, his brother, this week.

Ed C. Moores of Emma, one of Crosby's leading stockmen, was a visitor on the streets of Plainview Tuesday.

Quality goods tell the tale for health and enjoyment. Therefore, patronize Carroll & Fairris, the Quality Grocers.

Henry Slaton has gone to Abilene on a visit and will spend a week in that place. He drove through in his Buick car.

J. B. Downs and a crowd of prospectors have returned from a two days trip in the Gomez country. They did not like the country sufficiently well to invest.

Dr. J. M. Carlisle and son of Arlington are visiting in Plainview and other Plains points. Dr. Carlisle was at one time superintendent of public schools of Texas.

The North pole has been discovered and annexed to the United States and not a protesting voice has been raised. Now that we have it, wonder what we are going to do with it?

Wiley Johnson's new house in the East End, near the public school is under roof and work is progressing nicely on it. This will be an eight-room residence. Homes Bros. have the contract.

The Hale county records show twelve births and five deaths during the month of August. Those that died are A. L. Hamilton, Forest B. Harman, Mary A. Morse, Michael Unzen and S. M. Harvill.

Clay and Childress counties voted dry Monday, which means Childress will continue dry and that saloons will have to leave Clay. Henrietta is the county seat of Clay and the next county south of Wichita.

S. H. Fence of Wheeler county is visiting in the county, looking after some city investments he has in Plainview. If anyone has some real good bargains let him look up Mr. Fence and he might be able to make a deal.

Foxy Grandpa knows the route. read about his trip next week.

Millinery Opening

Thursday, September 16, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Under the direction of our Miss Corrine Barnett we make an elaborate display of Fashions, Favored Styles for Fall and Winter 1909. Your opportunity to view a wide showing of the best things from the plainest street hat to the richly plumed French Model.

Ladies and Gentlemen Invited

Richards Bros. & Collier
One Price Cash Store
Plainview, Texas

Charles Saigian has plans out for bids for the erection of his brick store rooms on the corner of California and Pacific streets, the southwest corner of the public square. This building will be 75x90 feet and one story high.

Contractor W. T. McRea informs us that he will begin the brick work on the public school building Monday and push everything as rapidly as possible. The Methodist church foundation is completed and will be allowed to set for a week before beginning the brick work on it.

Mrs. Charles H. Lister, wife of Foreman Lister of the News office, has arrived in Plainview and they will make this their home for a time. Mr. and Mrs. Lister came to Plainview from Austin. She is an accomplished typist and musician and is a cornetist of some note. Her husband is a member of the Plainview band.

Go to Duncan's Pharmacy for good cigars.

Foxy Grandpa.

The union revival recently held in this city came to a close Sunday evening. During the two weeks it was in progress there were 146 professions of faith. Last Sunday seventy united with the different churches of the city as follows: Baptist, 26; Methodist, 19; Christian, 12; Presbyterian 13. We have not learned where the conductors of this revival will next hold forth.

Experiments with Amarillo mud has resulted in making the highest grade of building brick. As the days pass new discoveries are made as to the possibilities of this country. No lumber will be compelled to buy Kansas brick, and it may not be many days before the test now going on down in Lamb county will reveal the presence of oil, gas and coal in abundance in that land.

In conversation with W. B. Joiner, manager of the Hale County Abstract company, we learn that business for August was far ahead of expectation and that September had started off with a sort of old-time rush. There is much activity in city property, especially in Plainview, Hale Center and Abernathy lots. The railroad entering Hale Center and Abernathy has started a new life in the Center and created the new town of Abernathy.

The Stamford and Northwestern railroad will begin operations out of Stamford westward to Jatou, a distance of fifty-eight miles, on the 15th inst. The road will be completed to Spur in Dickens county and trains operated by October 15. These trains will be managed by the Wichita Valley, a branch of the Burlington system. We have not heard of the time it is expected for the gap between Floydada and Spur to be closed, all sorts of rumors being afloat. This will open up a fine country and we can safely rest assured the Santa Fe will not long remain out of this territory.

Harvest Queen Mills are running every day on the day shift only. Wednesday they bought the 1,300 bushels of wheat raised by Mr. Rhodes, east of the Central Plains college. This wheat tested 61 pounds. Wheat in the local market is selling around a dollar a bushel, some a little over and some a few cents under. Seed wheat is being secured for 1909 seeding. The practice of sowing 60 pounds to the acre was not productive of much results this year, nearly every farmer using that much made a complete failure, but those seeding from 25 to 30 pounds obtained fair results. Just what will prove to be the best amount to sow per acre will be determined by practice. As yet this country is too young to pass judgment based on present meagre information.

Just received a car of Cypress staves. See us before you buy.

J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LBR. CO.

Foxy Grandpa story is interesting read it next week.

R. E. Cochrane of Belleville, Kan., has decided to put in an up-to-date photograph gallery at Plainview. The work will begin on the building tomorrow. It will be a cottage gallery, 22x64 feet, located one block west of the Wayland building. The equipment will be all new and the best. Mr. Cochrane has high recommendations from his home town and also from the Kansas State Photographers' Association, which will be printed in a later issue.

A little Yankee ingenuity has crept into the cranium of a Texan away down in San Antonio neighborhood and he put his brain to work and has evolved a scheme for burning crude oil that will put in danger the present monopoly enjoyed by the coal trust. This crude oil burner, a simple apparatus for placing within cooking and heating stoves, and using the crudest or unrefined oils, appears to be the coming thing for the household, and especially those far away from lines of transportation. We understand that this little apparatus will be offered the people of Hale county, and as the cost is but a mere trifle it may be well to make inquiries and find out what it is good for.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelihor, Miss Annie Kelihor, Dr. J. C. Anderson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Young, Mrs. C. M. Jones, Miss Edith Jones and a number of children, all from Granger, arrived in Coleman from an extended automobile outing through West Texas. The party left Coleman in the three big touring cars on their return trip to Granger. The party reported a delightful outing and expressed themselves as well pleased with this part of the country and very greatly surprised at the development.—Coleman special to Dallas News. These people left Plainview several days ago, after a visit of a month or more with friends at this place.

Floydada has taken her position in the ranks of progressive towns of the Plains and last Saturday by vote of 58 to 17 voted to incorporate. She is now in position that she can do something collectively—can put authority behind the mandates which go forth as the utterances of her council. We congratulate Floydada, and especially do we congratulate Messrs. Pettit and Staneart, for it was the strong interest which their paper, the Hesperian, took in this movement that brought about the result. The live paper can always be depended upon to reflect that course that will usually result in the greatest good for the upbuilding of a town. The editor comes in contact, through the medium of his exchanges, with the best thought and action of the progressive towns and he is always looking for something to interest his readers, and knows that anything that tends to build up a town should interest them. For this reason Pettit knew that incorporation would be good for Floydada and for incorporation he made a fight and won as he should have won.

SMART FALL SUITS



We are now showing The Famous SUNSHINE & FABIAN

Ladies Suits in all the latest colors and shades. We are also showing a full line of Jet Trimmed Goods. Our stock of Novelties is complete. Ask to see the renowned Krippendorf-Dittman shoes for young women.

Carter Mercantile Co.

**A. L. HAMILTON & BROTHER**  
 Manufacturers of  
 Flues, Tanks, Milk Troughs, Camp Stoves, and all kinds of  
 Tin, Copper and Sheet Metal Work.  
 Repairing Neatly Done On Short Notice.  
 PLAINVIEW : : : : TEXAS

**J. E. PENICK, Contractor..**  
 All Kinds of Brick, Stone, and Cement Work  
 CEMENT TRIMMINGS AND SIDEWALKS A SPECIALTY  
 North Covington St. Phone 331

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hale County—Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 64th judicial district, for eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, Wilbur F. Crawford, Heirs of Wilbur F. Crawford, Mrs. M. F. Leland and the heirs of Mrs. M. F. Leland, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hale at the Court House thereof, in Plainview, Texas, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1909, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 11th day of August A. D. 1909, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 468, wherein George B. Wheeler is plaintiff and The Leader Publishing Co., The heirs of Wilbur F. Crawford, Mrs. M. F. Leland, the heirs of Mrs. M. F. Leland, Mrs. James W. Bass and her husband James W. Bass are defendants.  
 The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:  
 Now comes George B. Wheeler, a resident of Eau Claire County, Wisconsin, hereinafter styled Plaintiff and complaining of The Leader Publishing Company, the heirs of Wilbur F. Crawford, whose names and places of residence are to plaintiff unknown, Mrs. M. F. Leland, whose names and residences are to plaintiff unknown, Mrs. James W. Bass, and her husband James W. Bass, who reside in McLennan County, Texas, Wilbur F. Crawford, who resides in McLennan County, Texas, and Mrs. M. F. Leland, a widow, whose residence is to plaintiff unknown, hereinafter styled defendants, and represents:

**O. K. Livery Barn**  
 J. T. HARRIS, Proprietor.  
 Drummer Trade a Specialty With Us.  
**Grain, Horses and Mules Bought and Sold**  
 COME AND SEE US. EAST SIDE SQUARE.  
 Phone No. 61.



**DRAW A POLICY**  
 Avoid the pangs of those words "TOO LATE." A careful man takes care of important things like  
**All Kinds of Insurance**  
 at his earliest opportunity.

We write  
**All Kinds of Insurance**  
 at small cost of premium on the nature of risk, and we quickly pay all losses through the companies.  
 We represent the oldest

**Live Stock Insurance Co.**  
 in the world and insure your stock from  
**Death from Any Cause**  
 Inquiries from outside towns and the country invited.

**Hoyle & Malone**  
 for all kinds of insurance.  
 Office room 22 Wayland Building.  
 Office phone 231. Residence phone 90 and 142.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
 We desire to announce that we have formed a partnership for the practice of law in Hale and adjoining counties under the firm name of Dalton & Clements. Office in First National Bank Building, Plainview, Texas.  
 CHARLES CLEMENTS.  
 L. W. DALTON.  
 July 13, 1909.  
 It won't take a very long prayer to bring fire from heaven when the broken down altars are first built up.  
 This world cannot do much for the man who has all his treasures here.

**Local and Personal**

Amarillo has organized a life and accident association with a capital stock of \$250,000.

The concrete forms for the opera house were filled in this week and in a few days the skeleton of that building will stand out like the rock of Gibraltar.

Reeves Realty Co., have begun brick work on their new office building on Pacific street. It will be pressed grey front with red brick for sides and rear.

Col. T. J. Tilson is just in from the country where he has been for a few days. He reports that his son, J. M. Tilson, baled twenty two tons of millet off of eleven acres of ground. On one particularly heavy part of this tract the yield was at the rate of two and three-fourths tons. This is a good yield, and millet is not a bad crop to raise if it will do this well all the time. There is no reason for it not doing so in this favored land if intelligence is used in preparing the ground and seeding.

A band of horse thieves is operating throughout this portion of Texas. Several nights ago four horses were stolen in Amarillo. Look out for them, and keep your shot gun loaded. Some years ago it was risky for a horse-rustler to be about these parts, but now so many new people have come in and brought in their stock, that it is impossible for one person to know very much about what his neighbors might own. Before the railroad came, every man in Hale county, nearly, knew what every other man had, and it was nearly impossible for the rustlers to get away.

Mr. R. A. Burleson and family have moved back to Waco, Texas, to put his children in the College with which Mr. Burleson's father, Dr. R. L. Burleson, was for many years, associated. Mr. Burleson has been in the real estate business in Plainview for about a year, and lately closed a deal in which he secured a one-eighth interest in 8,856 acres of as good Plains lands as can be found. We regret to see him leave the town as he and his splendid family are most excellent people and have a large circle of friends here.

The Herald makes a specialty of book work.

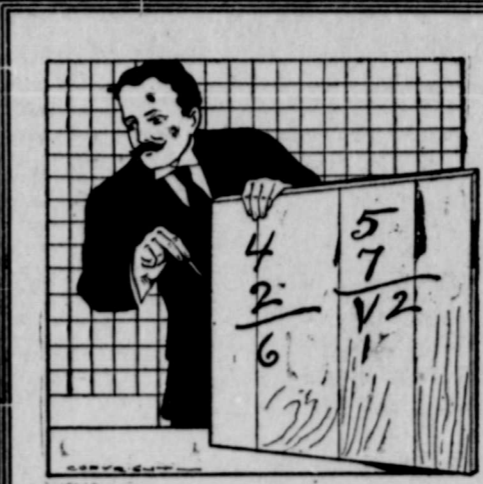
1st. That on the 23rd day of February, 1882, The Leader Publishing Company was a co-partnership, composed of Mrs. M. F. Leland, then a widow, Wilbur F. Crawford and Plaintiff, George B. Wheeler, engaged in the Publishing and printing business, and that said named persons were all the members of said co-partnership at all times until it was dissolved, and that on said day Robert A. Cowen, joined by his wife, by their deed of that date, conveyed to the said Leader Publishing Company, a co-partnership as aforesaid, Survey No. 95 Block D-2, Certificate No. 620 T. T. Ry. Co., and Survey No. 111 Block D-2, Certificate No. 622, T. T. Ry. Co., both located in Hale County, Texas.

That thereafter on the 21st day of August, 1886, and on the 13th day of September, 1887, said Mrs. M. F. Leland, by instruments in writing duly signed and delivered by her to plaintiff and said Wilbur F. Crawford, conveyed to plaintiff and said Wilbur F. Crawford, all her right, title and interest in said lands; and that on the 20th day of January, 1896 said Wilbur F. Crawford conveyed his interest in said lands to this plaintiff.

2nd. That said Wilbur F. Crawford is dead and that the defendants, Mrs. James W. Bass, his widow, and Wilbur F. Crawford, his son, are the only heirs of said Wilbur F. Crawford, deceased.

3rd. That said Mrs. M. F. Leland, Wilbur F. Crawford and plaintiff were all and the only members and partners in said Leader Publishing Company, and that they and they alone constitute the Leader Publishing Company, and that by the instruments in writing and conveyances above mentioned plaintiff became the owner of all the title to said two tracts of land; and that other than above stated the defendants nor either of them, nor any other persons has or ever had any right, title, claim or interest in or to said lands or any part thereof, but the fact that the conveyances and instruments in writing so made by Mrs. M. F. Leland are not of record, and the fact that the conveyance of said land was made to the Leader Publishing Company creates a cloud upon plaintiff's title.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to answer herein, and that upon a trial plaintiff have judgment for the title, restitution and possession of said lands, that his title be quieted, and that the cloud on his title be removed, and for all relief to which he may be entitled.  
 Herein fail not, and have you before



**A. G. McAdams Lumber Company**

**A PROBLEM IN LUMBER.**  
 faces the builder today. The price is high and quality is not always all it should be.  
 COME TO OUR LUMBER YARDS and we will guarantee to sell you at the lowest price, and assure you that every STICK we deliver will be PERFECT. Planed and matched boards, heavy beams, sidings, shingles, etc.

said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Plainview, Texas, this, the 16th day of August A. D. 1909.

J. W. CAMPBELL,  
 Clerk District Court, Hale Co., Tex.

**LOOKING FOR BUGS.**

The above caption looks rather suggestive, but it is pregnant with much meaning to the Plains country. Prof. Fred Mally, the state entomologist, acting in harmony with the experimental station and under the supervision of the state agricultural department, has come to our section and will spend some time in looking over the orchards and vineyards of our farmers and nurserymen. He is looking for "bugs" or anything else that is injurious to the fruit growers' interest. Prof. Mally has been in experimental and investigation work for the past fourteen years and unquestionable stands at the front of the southern investigators, and his work has attracted attention from other states. His field is confined to southern conditions and his labors are now resulting in a wonderful appreciation of the vast work done in the past. It was he who ran the pestiferous boll weevil down. He went out into the cotton fields and under tents watched that sect at work and he slept with him, ate with him, and soon found out that by following a system of cleanliness in the cotton field in getting rid of the old stubble and weeds and filth usually seen in cotton fields, much of the damage due to Mr. Boll Weevil could be avoided. His investigations are yet directed in a line to find a way to absolutely eliminate the evils of this insect.

As yet no attention has been given to this section of the state in a practical way by the agricultural department.

This due to the fact there really has been no practical agricultural department in Texas until Commissioner Kone was elected under provisions of an act of the thirtieth legislature.

But as we are compelling the rest of the country to see us, because we

have the possibilities out here, it of course becomes important that some sort of system be established to warn our farmers of any possible danger that might follow the settling of the country, and guard them against the dangers of getting nursery stock from infested localities. It is this investigation he is now bent upon. As is well known, this climate and locality is one of the most healthful in the Union, yet if we are not cautious, we are liable to let in some insidious enemy it will require careful work to get rid of.

This country is to be congratulated that Prof. Mally has given us so much of his time and that he promises us more. Following the old adage "a stitch in time saves nine" it will be well for us to begin the study of careful orcharding, and get a supply of bulletins issued by the government and acquaint ourselves with the possible dangers which might come to a fruit country. Some of the finest fruit districts in the United States today in the early days of their settlement, almost became ruined by reason of carelessness or ignorance on the part of the growers. With the aid of the entomological department of their respective states, the dangers were pointed out and the methods of warfare shown. Today the San Jose scale does not excite the dread of the California orchardist at all. He knows there is no danger if the proper methods are followed, so he gets busy and the scale is no more. That is the reason why we must get busy on the Plains. Prepare for any possible future trouble, and we will not have that trouble. Preparedness is the battle won.

Tuesday there was a small wreck on the Santa Fe. As the North Bound passenger was leaving Tulia the tender and two cars were derailed, but fortunately no one was hurt, and the damage to the rolling stock was but slight.

**WANTED**—Nice clean rags—linen or calico—no heavy woolen rags wanted. We will pay 3 cents a pound for the right kind of rags.  
**HERALD PUBLISHING COMPANY.**

Metal shavings and concrete constitute a new paving material.

J. F. Sander, W. B. Joiner, Earnest Spencer,  
 Pres. V.-Pres. & Mgr. Sec'y & Treas.  
**HALE COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.**  
 (INCORPORATED)  
 Capital Stock - - - \$20,000  
 East Side of Square Plainview, Texas

**The S. BRUNER LUMBER CO**  
 DEALERS IN  
 Lath, Sash, Doors, Cement, Plaster, Post, Brick  
 Office One Block West of Wayland Building, California Street

Any one wanting to buy or sell land or town property will do well to call or write to  
**WILSON & GATLIN**  
 ELLERD BUILDING PLAINVIEW, TEXAS  
 Phone 150

**Professional Cards**

**DR. P. E. BERNT,**

Dentist.

Office in Stephens Building when completed, Northwest corner of square.

**G. R. COX**

ARCHITECT

Room 12, First National Bank Building

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**Dr. J. B. HALL**

DENTIST

Office North Pacific Street.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**R. P. SMYTH**

ATTORNEY-AT LAW

Abstracts to Lands in Hale County. Land Litigation a Specialty.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**REID & MASSENGALE**

PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

We paint the signs of the times. Our motto: "Our work speaks for itself."

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**L. C. WAYLAND**

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office over Citizens' State Bank.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**Dr. N. C. LETCHER**

DENTIST

Room 8, First National Bank Building.

**GEO. L. MAYFIELD**

LAWYER

Examination of land title a specialty. Office in Court House.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**HALE & HAYDON**

REAL ESTATE AGENTS

Small Tracts a Specialty.

KRESS, TEXAS

**A. H. LINDSEY, M. D.**

Office East Side Square. Residence Phone 283-3 rings Office Phone 283-2 rings

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

After spending about five weeks on the Plains Dr. J. C. Anderson and family, D. C. Young and family, Mrs. C. M. Jones and daughter, Miss Edith, and Chas. Kellihor and family, all of Granger, Texas, have returned home. They left Tuesday in three automobiles and will drive through Mr. Young purchased a half section of land here and it looks like he will come back shortly and become one of us. Dr. Anderson is one of our largest holders of Plains lands, and is considering strongly the question of becoming a citizen of the Plainview country. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones on Grover and Second.

**It Will Pay You**

In beautifying your home to see our nice wall pictures and frames. They are going cheap. We also have an up-to-date line of **Wall Paper, Paints and Oils, Varnish and Stains.**

Our mixed paint is guaranteed by the company and we carry the best White Lead and Oil we can buy. We have an experienced Sign Painter with us. We deliver goods to any part of the city.

**W. M. Sewell & Co.**

Phone 255

**COL. T. J. TILSON**

**REVIEWS SEN. J. W. BAILEY'S PLAINVIEW SPEECH.**

(Continued from page 1.)

placed on the free list. It did not presume to tell congress just how they might do this. It entered into no details.

All this hue and cry of Senator Bailey and his friends about detail legislation is more flimsy subterfuge, designed to obscure Mr. Bailey's real purpose—that of serving the trusts. Now I assert without fear of successful contradiction, that Senator Bailey never antagonized a single demand of the platform because he thought it was detail legislation. He knew it was not. But he opposed them because he said they were "wrong, foolish, ridiculous, criminal." Instead of representing the people, he represented himself and the trusts, and placed his individual judgment and will against that of his closet friends, against over one thousand representative democrats of the nation at Denver, including Mr. Bryan, against the state convention of Texas, and against over 6,000,000 intelligent democratic voters of this nation. Was ever presumption so great, was ever egotism so colossal? Why go through the farce of an election or convention to indicate to or tell your servants what you want? Just elect Senator Bailey for life and turn the whole matter over to him. We don't need any other representative in congress. He is the embodiment of all wisdom. Carry out Mr. Bailey's idea and that of some of his friends and we have an oligarchy or a despotism, and representative government will be a thing of the past and our democratic and republican institutions will be rocked to a heap of ruins. Endorse or condone this in Sen. Bailey and others assume the same prerogative. In fact this example has already emboldened others and in a recent speech Mr. Colquitt, a candidate for governor of Texas, has boldly declared that "Whenever a platform demand runs against my conscience, I will put my foot on it; whenever the democratic platform demands what I don't think is right, I will not be bound by it."

"I say that claiming that instructions by a democratic convention is binding on the legislature is political heresy."

There has not been a platform promulgated by a political party since the foundation of the government that did not do that identical thing. How else can the people make their wants and wishes known? The platform is the vehicle through which the people convey their desires and their needs to their servants or representatives. But if Bailey and Colquitt are right there is no use to object. The above is only a reflex, an echo of Senator Bailey. Neither Senator Bailey nor any other representative, is chosen to represent individual views, but the wish and will of the people who elected them. The wish and will of the representative is swallowed up in the wish and will of the people by whom they are elected, and when they cannot conscientiously represent the people or carry out their instructions, if they are honest, they will resign. Mr. Bailey refuses to do either. He stands as a self convicted embezzler of power.

T. J. TILSON.

**PLAINVIEW GOING SOME.**

In our rounds about Plainview this week we find that the city is spending in round figures in improving the streets and town in various ways \$386,000.00. What do you think of that for a young Plains town, just in its beginning. That beats the cities that you find in the east. Nearly half a million dollars spent at home by the city which keeps at work all the laborers available, and gives the newcomer a job. When one visits over the Plains towns and sees what is being done he stops to wonder. Yes he stops to wonder—and he asks himself how it is. The Review does not wonder at it for a minute for we know what kind of stuff the people in these western towns are and we know that they do things in the jam-up way. Never in the history of Texas has such a thing been repeated as is being done in the Plains country. Watch us grow.—Crosbyton Review.

**NOTICE.**

Lost or left in some place of business one pair Ladies slippers in shoe box wrapped by Richards Bros. & Collier. Finder will please notify Otus Reeves who will give description and pay reward.

**AUTO OVERTURNS.**

Thursday morning while John T. Shipley was turning the corner at W. E. Honea's place, south of town half a mile, in a Lambert car, with four passengers, the outside front and back wheels gave way and threw the car over on its side and throwing the passengers out.

The two Messrs. Martin of Weatherford, and their wives were on the car returning home from Floydada where they had been visiting Mrs. W. M. Massie's family and J. G. Martin. Mrs. Massie is a daughter, Mr. Martin a son, of the elder Mr. Martin and wife.

The elder Mrs. Martin, who was on the outside as they turned the corner, was hurt rather badly, being bruised considerably about the face and body. J. T. has also a badly bruised ankle caused by being caught beneath the car. He says that as he felt the front wheel give way he knew it was going over and that was the last he remembered for several minutes. He thinks he must have involuntarily started to get out, thus accounting for his foot having been caught. Hugh Adams, who was driving a line car behind, brought them on into town where medical aid was given the wounded. The doctor did not ascertain that there were any internal injuries done, though in Mrs. Martin's case complications could set up that might prove serious.—Lockney Beacon.

**WHITFIELD.**

Mr. Robinson and wife, of Plainview were in this locality Sunday viewing the beautiful growing crops. Sam Nation went to Oklahoma Tuesday on a visit.

Revival services will commence at the Baptist church the 10 of September or on Friday evening before. All come out and hear some good services which will do you good. Preaching by Rev. Pierce.

J. A. Pullen and W. P. Seago were Lockney visitors Saturday.

The Hughes Land Co., of Lockney was out in this beautiful country with a party of home seekers and viewed J. W. Briggs melon patch saying it was one of the finest they had seen this year.

Clyde McGee of near Lockney, visited at the King home Saturday.

Henry King Jr., took in the services at Sun Set Sunday night.

Mrs. Wilkinson's father left for his home at Temple last week after a pleasant visit here.

Miss Simmons is visiting at home this week from town.

Felix Wakefield of Silverton, visited his parents last week.

Prof. W. P. Dalton and wife left for their home at Crawford after a six weeks visit with their parents, H. L. King and wife.

Mr. W. D. Williams and family, W. P. Seago and wife, H. L. King and wife, and M. P. Dalton and wife all spent Sunday evening at the home of Jas. Pullen eating some fine water melons.

Will Seago and wife left Wednesday morning by team for their old home at Kirkland to visit a few weeks.

J. D. Boedjeke gave a dance Saturday evening to a number of his friends.

**NOT VERY BAD.**

One farmer and one boy in Floyd county this year raised all the truck and hogs they could care for and came out financially ahead. They raised Keffir corn, 1,000 bushels of Indian corn on sod ground milo maize, millet, the millet selling for \$1.400.

Last year W. S. Mercer sold at Lockney and Plainview \$556 worth of hogs, \$175 worth of millet seed, \$100 worth of millet hay, \$450 worth of Indian corn and milo maize, 5 head of cattle for \$150, a pair of mules for \$150, making a total of \$1,706 for one year. This was principally produced by Mercer and one hand in five months.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

**GAMBLING**

your life against 25 cents is just exactly what you are doing if you neglect a cough or cold on the chest instead of treating it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. A 25 cent bottle of this splendid remedy will cure an ordinary cough, heal the lungs and act as a tonic for your entire system. Sold by Wyckoff-Willis Drug Co.

Vaughn Bell of Plainview was in this city yesterday renewing his acquaintances. He was with the famous Cowboy Baseball team of this city two years ago.—Canyon City News.

**WANTED**

**Real Men And Women**

Over 90 per cent of the business men today are looking for intelligent young men and women.

Are you one of them?

Do you want to become one of them?

Do you want to make more money than you are making now?

You can do it.

If you want to know how, write to

**PANHANDLE COMMERCIAL COLLEGE**  
Amarillo, Texas.

**Santa Fe Excursions**

Seattle Exposition, \$70.00 for the round trip, one way via San Francisco, Los Angeles, taking in the Grand Canyon of Arizona by a short side trip, stop-overs at pleasure. Tickets on sale daily up to Sept. 30th, with final limit of Oct. 31st.

Summer rates to the following points, that may be near to some point you desire to visit, on sale daily to Sept. 30, limited for return Oct. 31.

Kansas City, Mo.	\$25.50
St. Louis, Mo.	\$33.20
Chicago, Illinois	\$40.50
Cincinnati, Ohio	\$47.80
Louisville, Kentucky	\$46.00
Chattanooga, Tennessee	\$47.35
Memphis, Tennessee	\$34.00
Colorado Springs, Colorado	\$18.80
Denver, Colorado	\$21.80
Salt Lake, Utah	\$38.35
Mexico City, Mexico	\$49.40



IF YOU WILL CALL WE WILL GO OVER THE MAPS WITH YOU TO ENABLE YOU TO GET AS NEAR YOUR DESTINATION AT THE LOWEST COST TO YOU.

JOHN KENDRICK, Agent.

**"LEAVE US ALONE."**

In his speech in this city last week Hon. Cone Johnson strongly urged upon our people to let the farmers of his section alone and quit trying to bring them into the Plains country to locate. He said that altogether too many of the Eastern Texas farmers had already come here for the good of east Texas, and wanted the Panhandle to direct its influences toward northern states for immigrants. We don't blame Mr. Johnson for wanting his section of the state left alone but it can never be so. As long as there is so much a better country as we have, there will be people from that section of the state left alone but it can never be so. As long as there is so much a better country as we have, there will be people from that section who will come among us and make live, prosperous citizens. You never hear of an East Texas real estate man coming into the Panhandle trying to induce the Panhandle farmer to go to East Texas because that real estate man knows that his efforts would prove futile. But time and again you hear a howl raised from those 'down-state' newspapers against the tendency of their farmers to bet-

ter their conditions. This country is open to every good man who wants to come—and these good men are coming here more rapidly than into any other given section of the United States.—Canyon City News.

**SANTA FE EXCURSIONS.**

Colonist tickets one way to Western States, on sale September 15th to October 15th.

Plainview to Los Angeles \$26.75; Plainview to San Francisco \$26.75; Plainview to Seattle \$30.45; Plainview to Portland \$30.45.

All rates to points in Alberta, Idaho, Wyoming. Call at depot for particulars.

JOHN KENDRICK, Agent.

**MUSIC CLASS.**

Miss Wynie Patterson, graduate of Fort Worth Polytechnic, will have a class in instrumental music during the school year. Parties interested can secure definite information by seeing her or calling at Dr. Hall's. She will be in Plainview in August, and comes with highest endorsements.

**BONES! BONES!**

We buy bones and pay a good price for them. Remember when you have a load of bones bring them to us. We pay the highest market price for your hides, green or dry.

**WE ALSO HANDLE THE BEST GRADES OF Niggerhead Coal, Grain, Hay, and Seeds of all Kinds**

And sell at the lowest market prices. Don't forget us when you want anything in our line. Deliveries made promptly.

**Crowdus Bros. & Hume**  
PHONE 162 NEAR DEPOT

**FIRE BOYS TO BUILD.**

Tuesday night at their regular meeting the Plainview Fire Department finally decided to build on the lot they own opposite the Knight auto garage and will proceed at once to arrange plans and means for the station. It will require about \$3,420 and they have about \$1,500 in sight. The balance will be raised by subscription, probably. They are desirous of buying the best horses possible and it will take something like \$500 for this item alone. The boys are deserving of the highest praise that the people can bestow. Without price they have organized into a voluntary fire fighting brigade and will endanger their own safety and possibly lives, for others. There is really too little consideration paid to public matters by the average person. Just so long as things run along the usual channels without any mishap, well and good. But when something goes awry then we all at once see where a betterment could have been made. In this fire fighting proposition, in order to keep the rate of taxes down, the boys propose to ask the generous public to put up the funds for housing them and their equipment. It is hoped that no one will be slothful in giving according to the importance of his risks and the protection that he will enjoy under a thoroughly equipped and drilled fire company.

The committee on arrangement is composed of Mayor DeLay, E. Harlan and J. R. Hamilton, and if you want to make your name honored see one of these gentlemen and he will thankfully take your subscription. Don't hesitate. He who doubts is a dastard, but he who hesitates is on pretty thin ice.

Mrs. Lena Given of Belton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Jones on Grover street.

**FOR RENT**—Three completely furnished rooms, close in. Inquire at West Side market.

Is your stomach to be made the receptacle of bad, impure foods? No! Then buy your groceries from the Quality Grocers, Carroll & Fairris.

Mrs. A. E. Dixon and Mrs. Snachell, her sister, have returned from their home at Jamestown, Wis., where they went last month with the remains of Mr. Dixon for interment in the family burying grounds. They will remain here, we understand, this winter.

J. F. Damron of Clifton is visiting Plainview this week. Mr. Damron is one of the lucky owners of Hale county dirt. He wants to keep in touch with matters in this section of the state and ordered The Herald sent to Clifton.

Dr. J. A. Witte of Iowa Park, Wichita county, has located here for the practice of medicine, and will be found at his office north of the London cafe on Pacific street. Dr. Witte comes to Plainview accredited as a highly cultured gentleman and physician.

Do you have trouble getting good hosiery? Every pair "Cadets" for men, women and children are sold subject to a new pair if unsatisfactory in any way, and you don't have to buy but one pair at a time. You can't lose. We are exclusive agents.

CARTER MERCANTILE CO.

Miss Ethel Broiles has gone to Seattle and will take in the Alaska-Yukon exposition. Miss Broiles won the prize offered by the Star-Telegram of Fort Worth, having secured a greater number of subscribers in this district than any of her competitors. This prize was a trip to the Seattle exposition with all expenses paid.

The architect's plans for the new court house will be due today. They should have been completed some time ago, but owing to sickness he was granted an extension of time. When the plans are finally approved the commissioners' court will take steps to have bids and get at constructive work as soon as possible.

**HOME MISSION NOTES.**

After having missed several Mondays on account of the various meetings, the Home Mission met in regular business meeting on last Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Dunaway presiding.

Various matters were brought up. Mrs. Donohoo reported that the larger part of the 1,000 post cards of the new church had been disposed of.

It was decided that the week of prayer should be observed at the regular time set apart for its observance, October 4 to 10, and that suitable programs should be prepared.

There was some discussion of joining the other societies of the various churches in establishing a Saturday market, also a discussion of the memorial window matter and it was decided that both questions should be carried over until next Monday, at which time it is hoped that there may be a large attendance of the ladies of the society. The second vice president, Miss Effie Gilliland, reported twenty tithers at this time.

The press reporter announced that she hoped to be able to begin work on the Reading Course next week. A large attendance is earnestly requested for next Monday.

GABIL BATES-BURTON.

**STREET NOTES.**

E. L. Dalton, consulting engineer, who has the contract for installing the water works and sewerage systems at this place, was in the city the early part of the week looking over the situation.

W. W. Harris, engineer in charge of the work here, informs us that owing to many little but annoying troubles, work in digging the ditches for the sewers has been interfered with considerably. He will soon start the machine ditcher to work in the east end of town and towards the depot.

There has been an idea with some people in this district that it was the intention to cut out the sewers altogether in that section, but this is a mistake. It is true a change was made in the territory to be supplied with sewers, but this district was in the west end of town. The council has ordered an election, however, to take care of this portion of town, and it is hoped on the 9th of next month the voters of Plainview will authorize the new bond issue.

Eugene Campbell of Nowata, Okla., has been placed in charge of the ditching crew, C. A. Douche having been transferred to LaGrande, Ore.

E. L. Dalton has landed the Lubbock water and sewerage contract.

As noted in these columns several weeks ago, Dr. Wayland has about decided to extend the sewerage system to his Baptist College Addition, but just what details we are not in position to say. All of this information will be made public at the proper time, when the details are finally agreed upon.

Anyone residing in the sewerage district now completed can tie on to the system if he so desires. It is not mandatory that the residents of the district outside the water service will connect with the sewers. As most of them, however, are supplied with overhead tanks, it is more than probable that such connections will be made, since it is as much to their benefit as any one else.

There seems to be some sort of hitch as to the street through which the water mains will pass from the tower to the square, and it is not unlikely that the main line will come down Grover street. This matter will be left for a time, anyway, until new piping can be obtained, as the council has decided to increase the mains from six to eight inches. This was thought better so as to enable a greater extension in the way of laterals.

Good goods, fair prices, no chances, no losses, deliver what is sold, no misrepresentation, is the motto of the quality grocers, Carroll & Fairris.

Misses Lena and Nannie Scruggs of McGregor are visiting the families of the Peace brothers.

**MILLINERY OPENING**

**SEPTEMBER 16-17-18**

**250 PATTERN HATS 250**  
Beautiful, Stylish, Snappy

"The Latest" in Fall and Winter styles will be shown at this time. The largest line of Imported and New York hats ever brought to Plainview. New Hood Auto Veils, all colors and kinds, best ever discovered for the plains. Do not miss this opportunity to see these new and up-to-date goods

**MRS. W. A. WHELOCK at the BROKEN \$ STORE**

Because you think it is a little cheaper is no reason for running the risk of a severe attack of ptomaine poisoning. If you buy your food products from a concern that has never and does not now handle anything but what comes strictly up to the high standard set by the pure foods investigation department, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are safe. Carroll & Fairris is such a company; they are the quality grocers on the North Side.

**AT PRIVATE SALE.**

For the next ten days I will sell at private sale all my household goods. Those wishing to buy should see me immediately. Mrs. A. E. Dixon.

Mrs. C. J. Brown of Onarga, Ill., is visiting her son, Fred L. Brown on Prairie street. She will be here several weeks.

**TO THE CITIZENS OF PLAINVIEW AND HALE COUNTY:**

Defer buying winter coal until after seeing the little Crater Crude Oil Burner in operation. Supplies will be on hand soon, both for cooking and heating. Number of phone given later. tf

E. W. Thompson has Indian corn, bundled, fine fodder, good ears, cheap. First farm west of Lake, Lamb county road.

A complete line of toilet creams, powders, soaps, etc., at Duncan's Pharmacy.

Just received a car of Cypress staves. See us before you buy.  
J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LBR. CO.

Foxy Grandpa knows the live ones, read his story next week.

**TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS**

Account not having time to keep books and make collections I am forced to abandon the credit business and ask my friends to pay for all messages when filed.

B. H. TOWERY,  
Manager W. U. Tel. Co.

Prescriptions correctly filled by a registered druggist at Duncan's Pharmacy, north side square.

The Rock of Gibraltar rises 1,439 feet from the sea.

An errand boy wanted at the Herald office.

The German mile is four times longer than the English.

There are more than 30,000 vessels in the world of 100 tons or more.

Don't be fooled into buying an imitation on the pretense that the article is just as good as the original. It might do in some cases but absolutely will not apply to windmills.

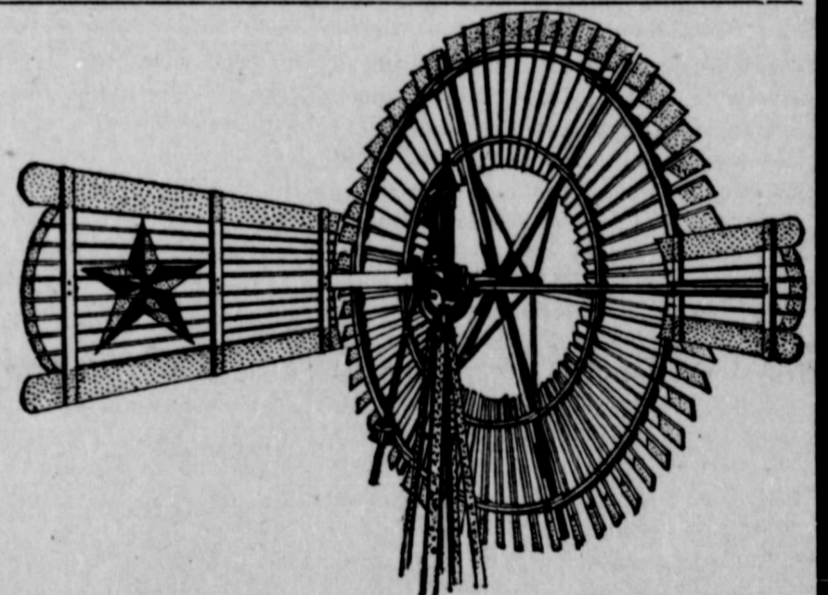
**THE GENUINE STAR WOOD WINDMILLS**

are built on principles that are absolutely correct, of the very best material obtainable, and are efficient, powerful and dependable. They have been on the market for over a third of a century, and are a success wherever used because they are capable of doing any amount of work, and keep on doing it satisfactorily for years after the cheaper mills are worn out and forgotten.

**We are the Exclusive Manufacturers of the Genuine Star Windmills**



**STAR WOOD WINDMILL**  
Showing name side of rudder



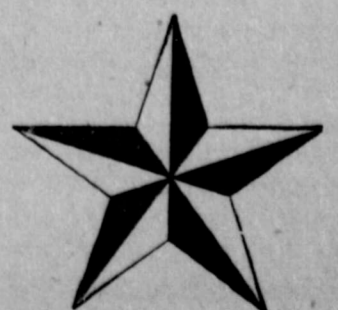
**Star Wood Windmill, Showing star side of rudder**

In the territory named, the GENUINE STAR WOOD WINDMILLS are sold only by the R. C. Ware Hardware Co., Plainview, Texas; C. R. McCullum Hardware & Furniture Co., Lockney, Texas; C. Surginer & Son, Floydada, Texas; Barton Supply Co., Abernathy, Tex; Hale Center Hardware Co., Hale Center, Texas. In buying a Windmill see that you get a GENUINE STAR and no other.

Every

**Genuine Star Wood Windmill**

has painted on one side of the rudder a "Star Trade Mark" as here shown, and on the other side the words STAR MILL, with name and address.



Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

**FLINT & WALLING MFG. CO.**

**Kendallville, - - - Indiana**

L. A. KNIGHT, Pres.  
L. G. WILSON, V. Pres.

J. H. SLATON, Cash.  
GUY JACOB, Asst. Cash.

**The First National Bank OF PLAINVIEW**

**Surplus and Undivided Profits \$115,000**

We offer all accommodations consistent with prudent management.

## Hale County Herald

TOM SHAFER, PUBLISHER

Phones: Business office, 72.  
Manager's residence, 14.

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 for accordingly.

All communications, remittances, etc., should be addressed to The Herald Publishing Company, Postoffice Box 368, Plainview, Texas.

### STOP MY AD.

Such was the demand of Martine Brothers Thursday as one of them came into our office. We had been carrying an advertisement of their famous line of full blooded Berkshires, the get of Premier Prince Fourth and inquiries came so fast that sales closed out every one for the market. Martine Brothers have entered the full blooded pedigreed hog breeding and have established a demand for their line of Berkshires, and as they have sold out, lock, stock and barrel it was useless to keep the postmaster here busy putting letters in their box asking for pigs or requesting quotations. They will have a word to say to the public on this line sometime in the future. It pays to advertise. If you have anything worth having and want to sell it, let the other fellow know what you have and he will come and buy. Of course the man who has a lot of rubbish and runts, which neither he nor anyone else wants, it is hardly worth while to advertise that sort of stuff. Yet sometimes an ad will be the cause of making a sale for something apparently worthless.

The Galveston Daily News has issued its regular September 1st edition as a statistical synopsis of that wonderful city. It is a most creditable showing for Texas' export city, and makes Grand Old Texas stand out in bold relief as the greatest and grandest of states, and Galveston as the coming seaport of the continent.

Hereford is to have a street carnival given under the auspices of the Hereford Brass Band. It is truly hoped there will not develop in that good town a species of sensationalism that demands the exclusion of every sort of innocent amusement simply because some of her good people may not like to attend shows but prefer other character of entertainments.

The Herald is the recipient of a season ticket for self and wife to attend the International Fair Association at San Antonio November 6th to 17th inclusive. This is one of the great fairs of Texas and coming at a season of the year when the heavy tourist travel southward begins it has gained a national reputation for its high character and instructive features. We will be there if there is a chance to leave our business.

A lone highwayman, single-handed, held up a Pennsylvania train and looted the express car. Those impressionable Pennsylvanians, who have such a vivid ideal as to what constitutes a real west Texas Cowboy, will now have dreams of seeing their mountain tops and valleys covered with booted and spurred men, riding bucking broncs and filling the air full of pistol smoke. They will not think it possible that a Bohemian coal miner could hold up a train in a thickly settled state like Pennsylvania and loot a car. It takes a wild and wooly westener to do that. All the good is not to be found in the East, nor is half the bad to be discovered in the West.

Commissioner O. B. Colquit, who is a candidate for governor, in a recent statement said the "penitentiary system in Texas is a political machine" but was of such an intricate construction he could not discuss it in detail offhand. He will have something to say later on. If the truth could be learned about many things which have disgraced the present administration we fear many ghastly skeletons would be held up to the public gaze and we proud Texans would be compelled to hide our heads in shame. There has been a general awakening all over Texas to matters at Austin, so much so that an unknown blacksmith came within a few thousand votes of defeating the Hon. Tom, he who says the newspapers of Texas are unfit to enter into contract with the transportation companies for sale of their space in exchange for transportation.

### THE MASS MEETING HABIT.

There is a class of seemingly well intentioned people who are ever on the lookout for purifying something. They are looking for the mote in their neighbor's eyes but remain unconscious of the beams in their own. To bring about these to-be-wished-for reforms they call mass meetings, make inflammatory speeches and reckless statements, and pass senseless resolutions, and invariably do it in the name of "We the people of" so and so. The peculiar local conditions under which the majority of these mass meetings are called are such that very little opposition is encountered, the public feeling but slight interest in what they propose to do little dreaming that much faith will be put in what they accomplish.

The point in hand is the recent mass meeting held at Ft. Worth influenced by the murder of one of her officers in the discharge of his duty. This meeting was largely attended, and addressed by a coterie of men who little considered what would be the result of their actions. That good town is feeling the effects of this foolish meeting. Already it has gone forth that Ft. Worth is an unsafe and unfit place in which to live. All the heroic work of her splendid commercial bodies is to be cast to the winds in order that a few rash individuals may be allowed to occupy the stage of public attention for a few days. Numerous deals which were pending have been declared off, not that the investors felt their investments would be unsafe under the ordinary protection given by the officer elected by the people, but because a city that is swayed by a mob spirit or influenced by a fanaticism is not a likely one in which an outside man could safely entrust his investment.

To remove the damaging report that has gone forth that Ft. Worth is the home of outlaws and thieves and murderers, and that the officers of the law are remiss in the performance of their duties in not protecting property and personal rights, and that the entire city has been given over to a mass of uncontrolled and uncontrollable fanatics, the business men of the city have been compelled to take action along contrary lines adopted by the mass meeting sometime ago. As will readily be recalled the questions of the social evils was the main ones discussed and acted upon, and in commenting on this phase of the mass meeting and the agitation in the columns of the press, one of the city commissioners used the following language:

"The social evil cannot be cut off as a limb from a body, nor can it ever be exterminated at a single stroke. We have had this evil since the world began and we cannot solve it in a week, a month or a year. The law cannot eradicate all evils. In dealing with this problem of the social evil we must begin back at the fireside, with the raising of the children, and must continue it up through the pulpit and the platform. The fear of the law will make no man good. We must make home attractive.

"I advocate the restriction of the saloon and the social evil and prohibition in many instances. We must endeavor to get down to the real bottom of the trouble and this we can not do in mass meetings where only passion holds sway. We can depend upon the calm, deliberate and thoughtful people to enforce the law. But the sheriff's office, the police department and other organs of the government cannot be administered through the columns of the daily press or from the platform of the mass meeting."

As well spoken by Senator Bailey in his recent address at Plainview, a body of men not responsible for the enacting or the enforcement of law "can resolute until it is black in the face" and no harm will come of it if the public pays no attention to the resolution, but let the man or men, who are under oath and responsible under the law for what they do in the name of the people take a false step, and the whole fabric of government feels the effects of the mistake made. In the settlement of all public questions and eradication of all evils, recourse must of necessity be had to the law if permanent good is to come, but if the solution be given over to irresponsible men and women who are incapable, either from lack of knowledge, innate cussedness, or non-judicial temperament, the remedy proposed is more than likely to be worse than the evil complained of. Social evils are bad, but mob law is worse.

When you look me in the face and smile I know you haven't got a gun up your sleeve.

### BAILEY'S REVIEWER.

We have given space to Col. T. J. Tilson in this issue to present his views as to Senator Bailey's recent speech here. The Herald does not mean, by giving this space, that it approves the line of argument or the conclusions of Mr. Tilson. The Herald is a newspaper, and its space is for its readers, and we have a large number who believe just as Mr. Tilson and we have equally as many readers who believe otherwise.

The Herald practically agrees with the Senator in his conclusions as to representative government. Throughout the entire field of human activity we find theory and practice. Every school boy knows that it is not every theory that is practical. Anyone can formulate a theory, but it takes a man of practical business turn to carry out to a successful end anything that accomplishes good. When we get into the realms of theory the Utopian dream of a Plato are beautiful, but they are impractical. Robert Elsmere in Looking Backward is theory run wild, but it is not practical. Caesar's Column is theory but it is impractical. And so we could name any number of propositions that have been evolved from the dreaming brains of the visionary, but when these dreams are put into the crucible of actual fact, actual condition, actual operation, they fail.

In discussing what Senator Bailey did at Washington as to the vote he cast, which votes may not have been in full and complete conformity with the demands of the Denver platform, we do not purpose to engage in a controversy as that is immaterial. A platform is not a thing sacred in its nature. Nor is it the aggregated expression of the "will and wish of the people," or the aggregated wisdom of the people. It is not even the aggregated wisdom of the delegates to the convention. Every man who ever attended a convention knows full well it is practically dominated by a few vociferous and howling individuals, who give no thought as to the people whom they are supposed to represent. They are elected as delegates for one purpose, and that is to name the candidate, and incidentally to formulate a declaration of principles in accordance with the views of the candidates whom they name. There may have been some exceptions to a platform not fitting a candidate and a candidate not fitting a platform, but they are few.

It is folly to claim and more so to contend that the delegates are more representative of the people than the man whom the people elect to make law. The delegates are rarely ever known until they are named, and after they are named they are not remembered thirty days by the people of their respective districts, and why? Simply because the people had not taken any special interest in them and knew that they were under no instructions to do anything other than to vote for a certain candidate. This has been true ever since we have had a government and it will be true until we change our form of government.

Mr. Tilson writes at length as to the instruction given Senator Bailey. We are not aware that the people had given him any instructions. There has never been a canvass of votes instructing Senator Bailey on any proposition. It is simply an assertion that the convention is the will of the people. The convention is the will of the delegates of that convention and nothing else. Custom has made it appear as if their action becomes the law and action of the party for which they stand. The representative in congress or the state legislature does not hold up his hand and take oath that he will carry out the demands of the Denver platform or vote for the measures of the St. Louis convention. No, he takes oath that he will obey the law and support the constitution, and that he will represent the people, not the Democrats who nominated him, not the Republicans who might have elected him, but the people, regardless of politics or race. He is the representative of the people in the broadest sense of the term, and foolish would be the man to make a campaign in this state, Democratic though she is, who would assert from stump that he would represent only Democratic constituents. He might be elected but his influence at Washington would not amount to as much as the blackest and most ignorant negro that ever came out of the wilds of Africa.

It matters not what the Denver convention might have promulgated, if congress had acted in accordance with those demands and the practical operations had resulted otherwise than

as hoped for, the dear people would have resented the action of that representative or senator who cast so foolish a vote as to bring a calamity on the country. They would not excuse him because he had acted in accordance with platform demands—they would have expected him to have better sense than make a fool of himself. You are responsible for what you do, not the convention that nominated you.

This cry that if the mandates of the convention are not carried out the whole fabric of representative government will perish from the earth is mere fiction. It has no weight with the thinking man. The government is not lost if the senators and representatives fail to do right. Every two years we have a chance to select new congressmen, and if we don't it would indicate that we are satisfied. Every six years we select or have the chance of selecting a new senator, and if we make no change it likewise would indicate as if we were satisfied with his stewardship.

It is simply a mere assumption in the case of Senator Bailey that he has failed to carry out in practical effect what the mass of his constituents desired. At least there has never been any expression to the contrary, saying by a few individuals. As to the question of the failure of the legislature in carrying out the primary demands for a submission amendment, that has nothing at all to do with Senator Bailey and his attitude towards the Denver platform.

It occurs to The Herald that when our friend asserts what the people of Texas have demanded in their convention or their primary, he quite forgets he only speaks for a small minority. It is a patent fact that less than half the qualified voters of the state participate in primaries or even the final election. Why, we are unable to state. The fact remains that they do not. Yet the congressman and the senator is as much the representative of those who do not vote as he is of those who do vote. The delegate only represent those who participate in the primaries or the convention that selected him. He is a partisan representative pure and simple. The duly elected and sworn senator and congressman becomes a servant of all the people regardless of party platforms, although he is supposed to embody, in some measure certain cardinal principles for which the party of which he may be a member, stands. We would leave it to Col. Tilson, if he were placed in position of responsibility, if a matter upon which his party had taken a position a year or two ago, came up for discussion, and latter discoveries revealed the wisdom of disregarding what the platform had expressly declared for or against would he do violence to his own conception of what was right in the premises? Knowing him as we do we do not think he would hesitate a minute to cast his vote for what he regarded as the best interest of his constituents regardless of what any platform had said. Platforms are changed every few years.

but the conditions which justify their changes might arise within a week after the election, yet under this modern conception of the sanctity of convention demands, the congressmen and senators must act like a lot of school children and do just as they were told to do, not by the people who elected them, but the delegates of the convention, although this convention had adjourned and gone home and would not again meet for two or three years to take up the matter. The stockholders of a bank elect their directors, not to carry out any special instructions, but to act in their stead in every way for the best interest of the bank. And likewise the stockholders of a nation elect their senators and congressmen for the same purpose.

The American people have never yet elected a senator or a representative expecting him to take dictations from anybody, even from themselves. They delegate the power and authority to men of sense, and these men shoulder the responsibility and discharge the duties which fall upon them. We might as well say that the judges upon the bench should hand down their decisions in accordance with a platform demand, or that their decisions should be influenced by a mass meeting. The principle is the same. If the representative is to be a mere figure head, then there is no premium on brains in office. We had as well depopulate the insane asylums as our representatives, for it is a well recognized fact that the lunatic, under certain conditions, is as obedient as the dog. He licks the hand of his master and fawns like a whipped slave. The true American does not desire his senator or congressman to feel as if he was a slave. We all are equals, neither masters nor slaves.

J. C. LaPrade, assistant cashier of the First National at Tulia, happened to a severe accident Friday last. He was out speeding his car and the steering apparatus got out of gear and he lost control of the machine. His car tore down a line of barb wire fence and the banker is now minus three fingers. It is strange how these fellows who run into fence posts, wire fences and vehicles and other obstructions, lay it all on the steering apparatus. If they would tell the facts about the matter and say they were violating the law by exceeding the speed limit and running like thunder and lost control of their own head instead of the steering wheel it would be coming nearer the truth.

**Farmers Keep Your Money At Home By Patronizing the Plainview Wire Fence Company.**

Agents Wanted to Sell Our Fence, "The EUREKA," of the Plains.

A. E. HARP, Pres. E. H. HUMPHREY V-Pres. W. BAIN, Sec. J. H. SLAYTON, Treas. J. A. HENDON, Mgr.

Call Or Write Us At Once. PLAINVIEW WIRE FENCE COMPANY, Plainview, Texas.

## THEY KNOW

What Farming is, Having Followed it for Thirty Years. ∴ ∴

Jones lived on an Iowa farm and Murphy on an East Texas farm, and if any one knows what good land is they ought to know.

It is to their interest to show nothing but good lands, and knowing what is good, you can safely trust your business with them.

They have all sorts of bargains in Plains lands, in all sizes and to suit all pocket books.

**Jones & Murphy**  
THE FARMERS WHO SELL LAND

# The Home of Quality and the Prices

Star and Leader wind mills, wagons, buggies, John Deere implements, mowers and rakes. Shelf and heavy hardware, stoves and ranges, crockery and queensware. . . . .

## R.C. WARE HARDWARE CO.

Incorporated

**W. E. Armstrong**  
**Land and Immigration**  
 Phone 270 PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**NEW BOND ELECTION.**

The city council at a regular meeting Monday ordered a special election for the purpose of voting on an issuance of \$20,000 worth of sewerage bonds. As will be recalled the voters of Plainview sometime ago voted \$32,000 worth of improvement bonds, equally divided between water works and a sewerage system.

A survey was made and the sewerage system is partially installed, with work progressing as rapidly as possible. It has since been discovered that the bonds voted will leave a large portion of the city without sanitary sewerage, and it is to properly furnish this is the reason for the additional bond issue. Plainview is no longer a wide place in the road, but an active aggressive, up to date modern city, and it is not right that a small district, around the public square should be the only neighborhood benefitted by the sewerage, but it is quite as important that all portions of the town should have access to this system. A sanitary system is as badly needed ten blocks from the house as it is needed within one block of the public square. The council desires to give everybody the benefit of sewerage, and get rid of as nearly completely as possible of all surface closets in the town. The future

growth of the city demands that the proper sanitary precautions be taken, hence the order.

The order calls for \$20,000 worth of 40 year 5 per cent semi-annual bonds, with option of liquidating or refunding after twenty years. The best part of this order is that it does not in the slightest change our tax rate from what it has been. Heretofore our city rate, has been 60 cents for city purposes, and this rate, on account of our greatly increased valuation, will take ample care of the interest and sinking fund for an additional issue of \$20,000. It is not intended, however, to issue all of the bonds at once, but hold some in reserve to take care of future extensions.

An inquiry among our citizens leads us to believe that very little if any, opposition will be made to this additional bonded indebtedness. Plainview is made up of a lot of the most progressive class of citizenship that will be found anywhere and it can be safely predicted the bonds will carry.

**JAMES PICKETT, M. D.**

Physician and Surgeon.

Office Wyckoff-Willis Drug Store.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**SELF-EXPLANATORY LETTER.**

The following letter from Mr. W. B. Story, chief engineer of the Santa Fe railroad will be self-explanatory and it looks like there was something doing below us on the south. It is not difficult for one acquainted with the situation, to read between the lines, and see the future fraught with some danger for a certain town of pretentious claims. The letter is as follows:

**CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE.**

**W. B. Story, Jr.**  
 Chief Engineer System.  
 Chicago, Ill., 8-18, 09.  
 Mr. T. J. O'Donnell,  
 Lamesa, Texas.

Dear Sir:—

For and in consideration of the assignment to The Pecos and Northern Texas Railway Company of certain instruments of contract by which the citizens of Dawson and Lynn counties obligate themselves to pay you certain sums of money, and to deliver to the Santa Fe Railway System a complete right of way and station grounds, it is hereby agreed that said The Pecos and Northern Texas Railway Company will amend its charter so as to permit the building of a branch line to the town of Lamesa, in Dawson county by way of the town of Tahoka, in Lynn county, and that surveys will be constructed from a point on the line now under construction from a point on the line now under construction between Lubbock, in Lubbock county, and Coleman, in Coleman county, Texas; said line to Tahoka and Lamesa to be completed within one year after the complete right of way as called for by the Railway Company is furnished.

Very respectfully yours,  
 The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway System,  
 By W. B. Story, Jr., Its Chief Engineer.

Miss Joe Price of Plainview is visiting the home of Mrs. C. E. Rascoe. \* \* \* Mrs. J. H. Stewart and son are visiting friends and relatives in Plainview this week. \* \* \* Capt. Lust of Louisville, Texas, passed through Tulla this week and spent several days at the home of Wm. Crawford. He was enroute for Plainview. \* \* \* Dr. Dye and wife accompanied by W. P. Rascoe spent Sunday afternoon in Plainview with relatives and friends. \* \* \* Ben Gardner of Plainview, formerly of Tulla, brought Zen Sherman, Tahoka, to the home of his parents here last Sunday in an auto. Zen has had a very serious attack of appendicitis, however he is doing very nicely at present. \* \* \* R. A. Underwood, A. B. Martin and Dennis Zimmerman were among the number that went to Plainview this week, on a pleasure trip. \* \* \* Jim and Frank McClure accompanied by their guest Louis Bourdye, of Dallas all went to Plainview Sunday to visit friends and returned home Monday.—Tulla Standard.

**HOPPITY HOP.**

Are you just barely getting around by the aid of crutches or a cane? Unless you have lost a limb or have a deformity—if your trouble is rheumatism, lumbago, sprain, stiff joints, or anything of like nature use Ballard's Snow Liniment and in no time you can throw away your crutches and be as well as anyone. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Sold by Wyckoff-Willis Drug Co.

**CRIMINAL COURT REPORT.**

County Court Clerk J. W. Campbell kindly furnished us the following report of the criminal docket of the county court for the year ending August 31, 1909. Upon examination it presents a fine record for a town of five thousand people, with so many strangers coming in every day, and transients passing through.

Indictments filed	81
Informations filed	106
Trials	81
Convictions	79
Acquittals	2
	187

Theft	9
Drunkenness	5
Vagrancy	3
Selling cigarets to Minor	1
Aggravated assault	12
Carrying pistol	5
Malicious mischief	2
Swindling	1
Gaming	100
Exceeding speed limit (Auto)	2
Affray	1
Giving liquor to Minors	6
Permitting Minors to play pool	4
Permitting Minors to play in pool hall	4
Disturbing the peace	3
Abusive language	1
Selling intoxicating liquor in prohibition town	5
Injuring fence	7
Delivering intoxicating liquor to Minors	3
Running Auto without lights	1
Disturbing religious worship	4
Unlawfully using animal belonging to another	2
Slander	1
Selling goods on Sunday	1
Keeping disorderly house	1
Refusing to work on public road	5
	187

Aggregated fines imposed	\$1,310.00
Aggregated fines remitted	20.00
Aggregated fines collected	1,268.00

Uncle John Muncey was last Thursday night removed from Plainview to Lockney, having begun recovery from the abscess on his lung. He is improving and will be up and about soon. \* \* \* Mrs. M. F. Huskey returned to Floydada Tuesday after spending some time in Wise county and a short time in Plainview. She is the daughter of J. H. Shubert. \* \* \* R. C. Forbis and a Mr. Bridge, of Afton, Dickens county, stayed over in Lockney Friday night on their way home from Plainview where they had been on business. \* \* \* Messrs. Cooper and Crawford, of Plainview, were in Lockney Monday on business.—Lockney Beacon.

C. C. Box has a new binder and will cut grain for the public at most reasonable prices. Give him a call. . . . 2t

Foxy Grandpa story next week, read it.



**H. H. STEWART.**  
 Maker of the celebrated Plainview Saddle. Special attention given to mail orders, write for Photos.  
 We also make a complete line of Light and Heavy Harness, and carry a full stock of Navajo Blankets, Gloves and all goods found in a first class Saddlery House.  
 Respectfully,  
**H. H. STEWART**  
 Phone 290, South Side.

Henry Fredericks of Sherman, is making a tour of the Plains towns looking for a first class location for an up to date barber shop. He has been to Hereford and Amarillo and will take in Plainview and Lubbock and other towns. When he makes his inspection of Plainview he will find two high grade shops already here, and Ben Sebastian ready to put in a third just as soon as he can get the basement of the new bank building.

**Time Tried and Fire Tested**  
**Harrell & Hawkin's**  
**Insurance Agency**  
 Twenty-three years in the business. Fire, Life, Tornado, Plate Glass, Steam Boiler, Accident, Burglary, and Casualty Insurance written in the strongest Old Line Companies.  
**Offices in Rooms Nos. 21-22**  
**First National Bank Building**

**TIME TABLE, P. & N. T. Leaves.**

Northbound:	
28—Passenger	1:30 p. m. daily
94—Local freight	6 a. m. daily (except Sunday.)
Arrives.	
Southbound:	
27—Passenger	12:40 p. m. daily
93—Local freight	2 p. m. daily (except Sunday.)

**Come to the Plainview Country**  
 THE GARDEN SPOT OF THE GREAT PANHANDLE COUNTRY

Land values are yet low and Opportunities await you in scores of the avenues of enterprise, tried and proved in the Plains country. A personal investigation will convince the most skeptical that we have

**The Richest Farming Lands of the Southwest**

FOR FULL PARTICULARS WRITE TO  
**The Rushing Land Co.**  
 PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

**Harvest Queen Mills**  
 Will pay highest market price for **Wheat**; be sure and see us before selling, as we need the wheat. . . .  
**JONES BROTHERS**

VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA

# AT THE BANQUET

Given by the Amarillo Board of Trade to the grain men and bankers of the Panhandle last Saturday night, some mighty nice things were said about



By men of means who are recognized as authority on investments.

Vega is rapidly becoming the favorite of the many new and booming towns of the southwest. She is recognized as a stable, logically located town, and her remarkable growth has attracted the attention of financiers who would not give a moment's thought to the proposition if it were not for the many indisputable evidences of her future greatness.

For further information concerning this town, address

## J. D. Hanby Realty Co.

Plainview, Texas; or the Pool Land Co., Amarillo, Texas

VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA VEGA

### BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The Nineteenth annual session of the Staked Plains Baptist Association was held at Floydada last week, beginning September 1. The introductory sermon was delivered by Rev. S. W. Smith of Plainview, Wednesday night, and was a masterly address. The permanent organization was perfected Thursday with Rev. G. I. Britton, Moderator; J. G. Hamilton, recording secretary; and David Price, corresponding secretary and treasurer. This makes the eighth time that Brother Britton has been selected moderator, and the third time as secretary for Brother Hamilton. Rev. Britton is a fine parliamentarian and so just are his rulings it rarely happens that any dissensions ever arise. During the nineteenth session there was not a dissenting voice or vote on any proposition that came up.

The executive board of the association placed two missionaries in the field, T. J. Fouts and J. A. Land, who will give their services to this associational territory. It was also determined to put out in the field an associational evangelist who will give his entire time to this district. This man, however, has not been selected, and the place is still open. The committee desires to secure the very strongest man possible.

There were three churches admitted to the association, Gasoline in Motley, Crosbyton and New Bethel in Crosby. This makes twenty-two

churches in the association. The meeting was in every way most satisfactory in results shown for the year's work and hopeful signs for the future. Everything passed off harmoniously and all the messengers voted Floydada a splendid town and the people of that place unexcelled as hosts.

"The Baptist Church," as a phrase is a misnomer. There is really no such thing as "The Baptist Church." The phrase, if used at all, should be "The Baptist Churches." Every church is a separate and independent organization, absolutely free and independent of any authority so far as any other Baptist church is concerned. It is virtually a little republic within itself. Each church is bound together by a written covenants or articles of faith, and to these written declarations of principles each member subscribes. While each church may have a different written statement, yet so universal is the general line of thought amongst Baptists it is quite improbable that there will be any difference at all in the language used in any of the Baptist churches in the state of Texas.

The associations are simply a meeting of several churches for the purpose of working in unison. Each church sends messengers to the association and these messengers form a compact or working agreement, but this compact, even, is not binding on the churches which they represent. The idea of democracy is so keenly alive in the Baptist churches that each

individual, as well as each church itself is jealous of any abridgment of his or its rights. This compact formed by the messengers only holds at the pleasure of each party. Any church can sever its connection with the association at any time. The messengers are not possessed of the power of delegates. They absolutely have no authority delegated to them to bind those whom they represent. There is no central body to which any appeals can be made. If any church takes umbrage at any other church it can only withdraw from the association—that is not work in harmony with that church. If any member of any particular church gets into conflict with his church, the whole body of that church acts on the matter in question, if the matter is one upon which the written articles of faith hinge. Every member is an absolute independent sovereign, and all are equals, no masters, no slaves, no dictation, everything runs along the lines of voluntary agreement, and when disagreements arise, then the disagreeing individuals work along separate and distinct lines, and pull away from the body.

There have been several lumber yard changes in Plainview the past week. The McAdams Lumber company buying out Mayberry and consolidating the two yards, and Fulton Lumber company buying the Caylor-Leard yard and consolidating with Leard and the Gilbert yards and their other Plainview business. This leaves but seven yards in the town. Caylor-Leard have a yard at Hale Center and Lubbock, and Mayberry has one at Petersburg and one at Abernathy.

E. C. Bolivar of Portales is visiting friends in Plainview.

O. R. Smith of Fort Worth is a visitor to Plainview this week.

Do you want groceries? Then, see Carroll & Fairris on the North Side.

Clyde Reeves left in the early part of the week for Hereford for a few days.

Carroll & Fairris, the Quality Grocers, handle nothing but Quality Goods.

### WILBERT PETERSON

Full line of Watches, Jewelry and Cut Glass. Repairing a Specialty. Yours for business.

### WILBERT PETERSON

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

Manager Charles A. Malone of the Malone Light and Power company informs us that the current will be turned on for service tomorrow night. The machinery is being trued up and everything being placed in readiness to take care of the greatest demands which might be made upon the new plant. Claude Beck will handle the engineering end of this plant, and W. W. Chapman is the electrician. The lights will be put in on a meter basis and each customer will have it in his own hands as to whether he wants a cheap light or a costly one. The rate will be such that a sixteen-candle power light, the ordinary one, will cost about three-fourths of a cent an hour. The convenience of electric lights can not be questioned, and their cheapness on the rates as proposed, will be a great inducement for electric lights in all the residences in Plainview. Mr. Malone will canvass the town for power service in the day time, and if he can secure sufficient contracts he will turn on a day current. At present,

however, there will not be anything but a night service.

**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.**

Lee Rubarthe, near Gatesville, and Dr. W. E. McMordie of Hamilton, are prospecting in the Hale county section. They are much pleased with Plainview.

The Texas Holiness Association will convene in this city on the 14th. Preparations have been made for a large attendance and much good is hoped from the meeting.

The city schools open for business Monday with an enrollment of something in excess of 600, but this falls short of the scholastics by about 200. Considering everything, the first day's attendance was satisfactory.

### OUR NEW OFFICE

We have bought the business of the E. M. Richards Land Company and our Plainview office will be in charge of our Mr. J. B. Downs, formerly of Waco.

We desire every tract in Hale County for sale to be listed with us. We sell any size tract, from a town lot to 32 sections.

### HUGHES LAND COMPANY

Lockney - - - - Plainview

### SADDLES! SADDLES! SADDLES!

The Summerville saddle is known wherever a ridden horse is known, and he makes them second to none.

A fine assortment now on hand, and a few bargains to the lucky man that comes at once.

Phone 379  
South Side of Square





## Want Column

Advertisements for this column will be accepted at a rate of two cents per word for the first insertion and one cent a word for each successive insertion, payable in advance. The minimum charge will be 25 cents.

Foxy Grandpa.

Gillette Safty Razors at Duncan's Pharmacy.

Foxy Grandpa story next week.

Remember Kilgore for good photographs. I guarantee my work to be second to none in quality. Over Old Delmonico Cafe. 2t

Reeves-Winn Auto Co., has just received a car load of Ford Touring Cars, which can be seen at their garage. A demonstration will be given anyone wishing to buy a car. 2t

We have the ground lime which is unexcelled for disinfecting purposes. For sale in small quantities. S. BRUNER LUMBER CO.

Write me for photographs and price list of the celebrated Plainview saddles. H. H. Stewart. 1f

FOR SALE, OR TRADE—One two-seated carriage and harness.—Otus Reeves.

LOST—On business streets of Plainview, a solid gold shirt waist pin oval in shape, with a little bar of gold through center. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

We originate, others imitate; get the genuine Stewart brand of harness goods and save repair bills. H. H. Stewart. 1f

Old papers for sale at The Herald office.

Canterberry handles coal which burns up, all of it, without any clinkers at all, and but a small amount of ashes. You pay for a ton of coal and you have a ton of fire, not a lot of slakey refuse.

S. S. S. means Stewart's Saddles are Standard. 1f

FOR SALE—Gasoline Engine and pump jack comparatively new. See Lee Whitaker. 4t

REMEMBER THAT E. R. WILLIAMS is prepared to fill your wants in any emergency in EMBALMING AND UNDERTAKING.

FOR SALE—The northeast quarter of section 1, Block O—2, Hale County, Texas. Located 18 miles of Plainview and three miles northeast of Olton, the county seat of Lamb county. Address the owner, Frank Hass, Lake Park, Iowa, Route No. 3. 1f

Do you want to save money when you buy dry goods? Then see Scarborough at the Old Delmonico Restaurant where he has opened up an entirely new stock of goods and will be pleased to see every man, woman and child in Hale county. Give him a call.

If you wish a picture of your parlor, dining room, or any kind of interior work, see Kilgore. He is an expert with the flash light. Over Old Delmonico Cafe. 2t

LOST—Between Coleman-Lysaght & Blair wholesale grocery and court house square, a black leather bill book containing two twenty dollar bills. Finder will please return same to J. C. Reynolds, at Coleman-Lysaght & Blair and receive liberal reward.

After five years travel I am back in Plainview again, and would be glad to have the patronage of my old customers renewed. Over Old Delmonico Cafe. Chas. B. Kilgore. Photographer. 2t

\$250,000.00 to Invest in Vendor's Lien notes. Channing M. Ward, Room 15, First National Bank Building, Plainview, Texas.

See the new line of local souvenir post cards at Kilgore's Studio. Over Old Delmonico Cafe. 2t

Jumbo Canterberry is known by everyone on the Plains and they all know that he sells the best coal that comes to Plainview. If you don't know learn by trying a load, and you will have no other.

Foxy Grandpa.

September	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4	
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1909	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30		

### Local and Personal

New Tailored Suits for ladies arriving daily. \$10 to \$65, at Carter Mercantile Co.

Mr. Kaylor of Kaylor-Leard Lumber company, Abernathy, was a visitor in Plainview Wednesday.

Abernathy continues to grow and if she persists at her present rate for two or three years she will be quite a city. Their new bank will be open for business within a few days.

Uncle Dick Bonner will address the people of Plainview and Hale county tomorrow afternoon at the court house. He will speak on the agricultural development of the Plains.

The Knights of Pythias lodge of Plainview will entertain their grand officers, grand chancellor and others on September 27 and 28, it being the occasion of the annual district convention of District No. 53.

W. W. Jones, the land man, has returned from a three weeks' trip in Iowa. While gone he visited Des Moines and other places. Mr. Jones informs us that the Plainview country is in as good condition as many places in Iowa, where there is a shortage of at least 25 per cent. In many places in Kansas and Oklahoma there is practically a total failure of crops. Mr. Jones tells us that he is mighty glad to get to the Plains as he does not have that cramped feeling that the thickly settled cities of the North impart. He attended an Old Settlers' picnic and met many friends of thirty years ago, who, with him, aided in the great upbuilding of Iowa.

T. K. Blewett, who recently installed the Plainview Fence factory here, has returned from a trip of several weeks to Denton and other points east. He will be here for only a few days in connection with fence business. Mr. Blewett is pushing this great fence, and the local factory, under the management of J. A. Hendon, is running full time and finding it difficult to keep up with orders. The farmers are taking hold of the "Eureka," for they know from its construction that it is one of the very best farm fences possible to be made out of wire. It is horse high, hog tight and bull strong, and a fence of that kind is one to which a farmer can afford to tie.

George Keek and wife has returned from a months outing in the Pacific Coast country, and they report the finest time they ever had. Two weeks were spent at Los Angeles and environs, a trip to the famous Catalina Islands and Sunken Gardens, a day or two spent in San Francisco, and about a week in Seattle. Mr. Keek parted with his brother and family at San Francisco and he and his wife went to Seattle and attended the Alaska-Yukon exposition. On their way back they visited Ogden, Salt Lake City, Denver and other Colorado points of interest, thence returned home. The Plains looks good to the man who has just returned from a long trip through the mountains as the most of this trip was, and the broad expanse of prairies allows one to breathe air with a much greater feeling of thankfulness than within the crowded valleys through which the excursion trains wind themselves.

**How's This?**

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Success Unsurpassed

### Scores of Patients Attest the Absolute Merit of Dr. Clifton's Scientific Treatment

All those who seem to be incurable are especially invited to call upon Dr. CLIFTON. He has a devoted many years to acquiring a special education in the treatment of just such diseases. The success he is having has settled for all time all doubts as to the great value of Dr. Clifton's Scientific methods.

Treats diseases of the Stomach and Intestines, Kidneys, Bladder, etc., Appendicitis, Gall Stones, Catarrh of the Stomach and Lungs, Female Diseases and other diseases of the Thoracic and Abdominal Cavities.

Consultation and Examination FREE

Offices in the Stone Building at Pippin Hotel, Plainview

## Dr. Clifton Specialist

# COAL, COAL

Now is the time to buy your coal, while Jumbo is in the notion to sell cheaper than any one else. He has the celebrated NIGGERHEAD and the BLACK DIAMOND, both lump and nut. Give him a call.

## T. W. Canterberry,

Coal, Storage and Feed Co. Successor to McCray Coal Co.

### A BURGLAR IN TOWN.

his name is "bad cough." He doesn't care for gold or silver but he will steal your health away. If he appears in your house arrest him at once with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It may mean consumption if you don't. A cure for all coughs, colds, and chest troubles. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Wyckoff-Willis Drug Co.

H. B. Pender of St. Louis is in the city in the capacity of demonstrator for the celebrated Majestic Ranges, which are handled by Donohoo-Ware company. He is serving hot steaming biscuits, butter and good coffee at the above store. This is Mr. Pender's first visit to the Plains country, and he expresses the same surprise that every other man does when he comes here on his initial visit, and that is "I am surprised at the wonders I see. Why, I never had the slightest idea that there was such a country as you people have out here on the crest of the continent. It is almost beyond belief, even though one may be looking at the real conditions with his own eyes. The lessons we learned at the school have certainly been exceedingly misleading, and it almost makes one doubt books hereafter." Mr. Pender is an exceedingly pleasant gentleman and will be a Plains booster wherever he goes, which will probably be most any place in the United States, since the Majestic Range is known from ocean to ocean, and from the great lakes to the gulf.

Pure foods never hurt anyone. Carroll & Fairris, the Quality Grocers, handle nothing but pure groceries and other foods.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Crouch of McKinney, Tex., leave for their home this afternoon, after a pleasant visit with Dr. and Mrs. Dye.

### WHITFIELD.

Miss Minnie Sammann has opened up a dressmaking shop at Lockney. Little Helen and Eugena Hubbard spent Thursday last with Florida Pullen. H. L. King and wife took in the revival meeting at Plainview last week. Herald Hubbard was a pleasant visitor at the Pullen home Thursday last. S. M. Nation and wife returned Friday last from their visit in Oklahoma. Bob Powell and family returned from their outing at Big Springs last Sunday. A number of farmers in this locality are cutting their corn and some maize. B. Powell had the misfortune to cut the end of his finger off in the corn binder last week while operating the machine. Rain! Rain! Rain! Looks like it every night, but guess it's forgot how to commence, anyway here.

### PIONEER CHANGES HANDS.

Mr. Kerr of Portales, N. M., has taken over the Pioneer theater formerly owned by Rosser I. Winn and managed by Lawrence P. Wall. Mr. Kerr is now sole lessee and proprietor while Mr. Lawrence P. Wall, who has so successfully managed the Pioneer, in the past, will still remain in that position. The Van Barclay company, now playing at the Pioneer, are making a big hit. Little Jimmie Van, aged 10 years, has certainly won his way into the hearts of Plainview theater-going people. Mr. Wall has also secured a fine vaudeville bill for next week.

Some people would be dumb if they couldn't talk about themselves.

America and china enjoy a monopoly of alligators.

## Henrietta Marble Works

Place your order for Monuments, or Tombstones, with the Henrietta Marble Works. Satisfaction in work, and prices guaranteed.

J. M. Shafer, Agent  
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

## C. C. SMITH

CARPENTER AND BUILDER

Small house for sale North of College. Lot 50x150. Well and pump Price \$575.

