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## HUGHES AND ROOSEVELT CONVENTIONS' NOMINEES

### Choice of Republicans Accepts—Decision of Roosevelt Will Determine Union.

Justice Charles E. Hughes was nominated Saturday evening on the third ballot by acclamation as the Republican candidate for President. With him was named as vice presidential candidate Charles W. Fairbanks, vice president during the Roosevelt administration.

In face of the request by Col. Roosevelt that the Republican and Progressive conventions unite on Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, the Colonel was nominated as the Progressive candidate.

Hughes and Fairbanks have accepted their nominations. Roosevelt made no immediate acceptance, and his message replying to his nomination was to the effect that he would leave it in the hands of the members of the Progressive convention's committee. If they desire him to make the race, under the existing conditions, he will do so.

A staff special in The Dallas Morning News states that there is a growing belief that Roosevelt and Perkins had a previous agreement. Many of the Progressives, according to this article, feel that their confidence has been betrayed, and point to the now obvious fact that the Perkins program cut them off from any means whatsoever of protecting themselves against dissolution as a political organization.

## FARMERS' SHORT COURSE AT A. & M. JULY 24-29

### Railroads Offer Low Fare of One Cent Per Mile Each Way—Offer Practical Instruction.

The seventh annual farmers' short course will be held at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas from July 24 to 29, inclusive. The railroads have offered the exceedingly low rate of one cent a mile, each way, tickets to be on sale July 22, 23, 25 and 26, the return limited to August 1.

The short course is a great school, that opens up an unusual opportunity to practical farmers, business men and women, who desire to farm on a better basis and to make farming more profitable and the home more comfortable and attractive.

A person may come to the short course, which lasts only a week, and get information on practically any agricultural subject. Special instruction will be given in crops and soils, terracing and irrigation, all branches of livestock, dairying, fruits and vegetables, the latest types of agricultural machinery, the management of poultry, insects and diseases, veterinary science and work in agricultural education for the benefit of those teaching agriculture in the public schools of the State.

A special feature of the course this year will be the work in home economics, arranged especially to meet the needs of rural women and girls. The work in home economics will be given by Miss Mary E. Gearing, head of the home economics department of the University of Texas, assisted by Miss Bernice Carter and Miss Cornelia Simpson, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College extension staff.

The work in agriculture will be given by the full teaching staff of the school of agriculture, the members of the extension staff, assisted by Dr. H. J. Weber, of the University of California, and Dean W. M. Jardine of the Kansas State Agricultural College.

This able body of instructors is a guarantee to all those who attend the short course this year that they will receive the latest and best information obtainable on up-to-date agriculture.

During the mornings, general lectures will be given, and in the afternoons demonstrations will be given by the different departments.

Each night a public lecture will be given by some noted expert. Moving pictures and musicals will also be a part of the night programs.

Aside from the valuable fund of information one will gain from the regular lectures and demonstrations, a great deal may be learned from the practical farmers and farm women one meets from practically every section of the State.

There will be 100 demonstrations

## ABOUT HALF OF HALE COUNTY SCHOOL LAND WAS SOLD TODAY

### Court Will Open Bids for Lease of Two and One-Fifth Leagues Saturday Morning.

Bidding for the Hale County school land, located in Bailey County, became slow this afternoon, and the Commissioners' Court withdrew from the market two and one-fifth leagues of the land.

The sale commenced this morning at ten o'clock, at the Court House. B. M. Johnson, of Hale Center, was the auctioneer.

Land was sold during the day as follows: G. W. Lewis, tract 13, league 171, containing 1,597 acres, \$4.50 per acre; J. W. Skipworth, tracts 3, 4 and 5, league 171, 1,064.8 acres, \$6.40 per acre; J. W. Shoup, tracts 1 and 2, 1 labor each, \$6.10 per acre; Lloyd Phillips, tracts 21 and 22, 1 labor each, \$10.00 per acre; W. L. Dallas, tract 4, league 170, 727.7 acres, \$6.90 per acre; J. A. Reddell, tracts 1 and 2, league 170, 371.8 acres, \$10.00 per acre; J. A. Reddell, tract 3, league 170, 185.9 acres, \$6.75 per acre; A. W. Jackson, tract 8, league 170, 1 labor, \$6.00 per acre; G. W. Lewis, tracts 11, 12, 13 and 14, league 170, 1 labor each, \$6.50 per acre; J. W. Shoup, tract 15, league 170, 178.1 acres, \$5.50 per acre; J. E. Stewart, tract 16, league 170, 1 labor, \$8.50 per acre; J. E. Stewart, tract 17, league 170, 1 labor, \$6.50 per acre; T. R. Cotton, tract 18, league 170, 1 labor, \$6.50 per acre; C. H. Waster, tracts 19 and 20, league 170, 1 labor each, \$6.50 per acre; E. O. Ledly, tracts 10 and 11, league 171, 1 labor each, \$9.00 per acre; A. W. Jackson, tract 12, 1 labor, \$6.75 per acre; A. W. Jackson, tract 19, league 171, 1 labor, \$6.50 per acre; L. B. Hocker, tract 20, 1 labor, \$7.60 per acre; G. C. Messick, tract 9, 1 labor, \$7.50 per acre; R. T. Fryar, tracts 9 and 10, league 170, 1 labor each, \$5.60 per acre.

The bottom five leagues in league 170 and all of leagues 169 and 168 will be leased by the court on five years' time, with privilege of sale at any time. The court will open bids Saturday morning at ten o'clock for lease of this land.

## DR. HARE IS INTERESTED IN DAIRYING FOR HALE AND FLOYD.

Dr. R. F. Hare returned Saturday from Floyd County, where he has been attending to his duties as county farm demonstrator. He stated this morning to a representative of The Herald that many of the people of Floyd and Hale Counties are interested in dairying, especially in the Mosher Plan, which furnishes dairy stock to the farmers on terms that can easily meet. In many towns business men furnish money for the purchase of stock, placing this stock with a reliable farmer, who otherwise could not secure cows. The stock is paid for in installments.

Dr. Hare had hoped to have a dairying expert from the A. and M. College in the two counties for a few days this month, but a letter from Clarence Osley, director of the Extension Service, states that all the dairy men are busy and that the earliest date an expert can be sent here, is in August.

## EL PASO RAILWAY OFFICIALS ARE VISITING IN PLAINVIEW.

J. O. Crockett, J. E. Paddock, Edward Ledwidge and G. H. Bussing, of El Paso, are in Plainview this week on business. Mr. Crockett has considerable holdings in the Plainview country. The other gentlemen of the party are associated with him in a railway out of El Paso.

agents, from 100 different counties, and thirty lady agents, who will attend the meeting. The students of the short course will be some of the most intelligent and progressive farmers of the State.

The social side of the short course is to receive special attention this year. In addition to the night entertainment, here will be baseball and basketball games, a play put on by the Canning Club girls, and the short course barbecue given on Wednesday.

The college is especially well prepared to take care of the short-course students. The largest and best dormitories are to be thrown open for their accommodation. The dormitories are equipped with electric lights, running water in each room, and a shower bath on each floor.

## MAYOR RISSER WILL INSIST ON CLEAN AND CLEAR ALLEYS

### City's Wagons Will Pass Through Alleys for Trash Thursday, June 15.

"All who have cleaned and cleared the alleys adjoining their premises have reason to rejoice," said Mayor W. E. Risser today. "Those who have not cleaned must do so at once, as we must insist that all alleys be cleared and cleaned. All piled-up material, not needed on the premises, and piled in the alleys must be removed.

"We are anxious to make Plainview clean, sanitary and beautiful, and clearing the alleys and cleaning them up is one step in this direction.

"The city's teams," he continued, "will pass through the alleys on June 15, Thursday, and those who have 'tins, cans, etc., should pile them in the alleys or where they can be easily reached in sacks, or other containers, so that they will not be missed. As the teams will start early Thursday, the cans should be placed in the alleys by Wednesday evening."

## Y. M. B. L. BOX FOR COMPANY WILL BE FILLED THURSDAY.

Judge J. E. Lancaster, A. C. Hatchell and Ross D. Rogers, committeemen from the Young Men's Business League to arrange for a box from the League to the members of Company L, Fourth Regiment, at Sanderson, Texas, met yesterday and decided to send a crate of oranges and boxes of cigars to the company. This will be included in the box which will be filled at The Ruby Thursday. The Ruby hopes to have a large enough purse from the benefit performance to pay transportation charges on the box.

Those who desire to send candies, cakes, fruit, etc., should leave their packages at The Ruby Thursday. Packages to individuals may safely be sent with the box.

## BROWN'S CATTLE TOP KANSAS CITY MARKET.

Three car loads of steers, home grown and fattened on milo and kaffir and other South Plains products, were sold in Kansas City last week. The average weight was one thousand thirty pounds. The highest price paid was \$10.85, the top for the day. H. A. Brown raised this consignment of fancy cattle.

## MRS. FANNIE STALLINGS INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Fannie Stallings was injured Sunday evening in a runaway near Plainview. She is now at the home of her brother-in-law, Noah Stallings. Her injuries are not considered very serious.

Mrs. Stallings lives fourteen miles northeast of Plainview.

## PASSAGE FROM KANSAS CITY DELAYED ACCOUNT OF FLOODS.

Mrs. R. E. Cochrane and child came in yesterday from Kansas City. They were detoured via La Junta, Colo., and Albuquerque, N. M., on account of flood waters in Kansas and Oklahoma. They have been visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City, Clyde and Topeka, Kansas.

## Of Importance to the Entire South Plains

The entire South Plains should be vitally interested in the proposed Rate hearing at Austin, before the Railway Commission of Texas, July 11. The removal of the differential rates now in effect on the Panhandle and Santa Fe lines will benefit every stockman, merchant, farmer and consumer in this territory.

The time was when the traffic over South Plains lines was light and the railroads operated at a loss, but that time is past. The heavy shipments of livestock, grain and other products from this fertile section and the tonnage of inbound freight has made these lines of the Santa Fe profitable investments. There is no condition which should justify the retention of differential rates.

In order for the matter to be brought in its true light before the Commission, it is vital that tonnage statistics from various points should be compiled and that the people of the section should cooperate.

The South Plains territory owes much to the Santa Fe system for its broad attitude toward its trade territory in general. There is nothing hostile between the railway company and the shippers, as is shown by the cordial relations which have always existed between railway officials and commercial organizations in the various towns. But conditions have changed and the differential rate is no longer justifiable, and the people should see that their side is presented fairly to the Commission.

The action of the Plainview Young Men's Business League in prosecuting the rate question and conserving the interests of South Plains industries is commendable.

## HIGH SCHOOL WIRING AND PLUMBING CONTRACT LET

### Alexander, Knupp and Hardin Appointed Members Building Committee—Prof. Woodruff Elected.

The contract for the plumbing in Plainview High School's new building has been let by the board of trustees to the Plainview Plumbing and Electric Company, for \$2,100. Garrison-Conner Electric Company has the contract for the wiring. Their bid was \$550.

The board of trustees has appointed a building committee of three—D. F. Alexander, H. W. Knupp and F. F. Hardin.

Professor S. J. Woodruff, of Abert, has been employed as teacher of history in the high school.

## PLAINVIEW ELKS GUESTS OF CROSBYTON MEMBERS.

Last night the members of the Plainview lodge of Elks residing at Crosbyton were hosts to the members residing at Plainview, Lubbock and Floydada. They entertained the visitors with true Crosbyton cordiality.

Among those from Plainview who enjoyed the ball game and lunch at Julian Basset's ranch on the canyon were: E. H. Perry, J. D. Whitman, Olin Brashears, John Conner, E. E. Roos, Dr. C. C. Gidney, Dr. E. L. Dye, Wilbur Winn, Flake Garner, Joe Ryan, Grisco Bettle, Chas. Reinken, J. M. Waller, Arthur Reinken, J. M. Malone, M. D. Henderson, R. P. Smyth, Wiley Brashears, Ellis Carter, E. L. Doland, Joe McKee, Ed Dunaway, J. W. Grant, T. Stockton, Grady Gentry, Bob Malone, Maple Wilson, G. C. Keck, E. B. Miller and R. E. Meyers.

The ball game between the Plainview and Crosbyton Elks was a nip-and-tuck, six-inning affair, ending in a score of six to five in favor of Plainview.

Twelve or fifteen applications for membership were taken during an evening filled with song and merrymaking.

## DR. O. L. BAILEY ACCEPTS CALL TO DALLAS PASTORATE.

Dr. O. L. Bailey, for two years pastor of the First Baptist Church of Plainview, and for the past year president of Wayland Baptist College, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Ervay Street Baptist Church of Dallas. He will move his family there within the next two weeks.

## HARRISON & KERR GET CONTRACT FOR RALLS BANK.

Harrison & Kerr have been awarded a contract for building a \$20,000 brick and reinforced concrete bank building at Ralls. They will begin construction about the fifteenth.

## BIG ARMY TRUCK EN ROUTE TO THE MEXICAN BORDER.

Yesterday a large Republic army truck, which is being driven from Chicago to the Mexican border, was in Plainview for a short time.

## THREE CARS HOGS SATURDAY FOR THE FORT WORTH MARKET.

Saturday W. A. Watson & Son shipped two cars and H. W. Knupp one car of hogs to Fort Worth.

## COMMISSION WILL INVESTIGATE SOUTH PLAINS DIFFERENTIAL FREIGHT RATES

### COSTS MORE TO SHIP GRAIN FROM PLAINVIEW TO GALVESTON THAN FROM AMARILLO TO SAME POINT.

## Y. M. B. L. SENDS LETTERS TO TOWNS INTERESTED

### Saving Will Benefit Farmers, Stockmen, Merchants and Consumers; Co-operation of all Towns Is Urged.

Letters have been sent from Plainview to all commercial organizations on the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway in an effort to interest shippers in this territory in the rate hearing that is to be made before the Railway Commission, in Austin, July 11. In December A. G. Hinn and Judge J. E. Lancaster, as a committee from the Young Men's Business League, appeared before the Commission asking that the differential rates between Amarillo and intermediate points be removed. This order would effect a lowering of freight rates to Happy, Canyon, Kress, Tullia, Plainview, Lockney, Floydada, Hale Center, Abert, Slaton, Lubbock, and Post City. At the time the committee received considerable encouragement.

The following circular has been issued by the Railway Commission, summoning the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company to show reason why this differential rate should not be removed:

"Notice is hereby given to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway Co., the Panhandle & Santa Fe Co., and to all other railway companies and receivers operating lines of railroad in this State, as well as to other parties interested, that the Railroad Commission of Texas will, on Tuesday, June 11, at its office in the Capitol at Austin, take up and consider the matter of applications filed with this Commission and praying for orders of this Commission as follows:

"1. To require that, in the application of all freight rates prescribed or approved by this Commission, the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway and the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway shall be considered and treated as being under the same management and control."

"2. To amend all existing tariffs of this Commission by cancelling all provisions for differential rates for account of the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway, main line north of Fullerville to Canyon City, inclusive, and east of Canyon City to Amarillo; the effort of action, if taken, will be to place in common-point territory, as described in General Tariff of Class Rates No. 3, or reissues thereof, all stations on the line of said Panhandle & Santa Fe as above described, as well as all stations on its Floydada branch and those of the Crosbyton-South Plains Railroad.

"The Commission will, at this hearing, hear all facts and statements that may be presented pertaining to the matter above set forth, and said above-named railway companies will show cause, if any they can, why the orders as prayed for should not be entered by the Commission. In pursuance of said

## HALE CENTER MAN BUYS FINE BUNCH OF GRADE HEREFORDS.

R. A. Wilson, of Hale Center, has recently purchased from D. D. Shipley sixty-two head of grade Hereford cattle. In addition, there is in the bunch a number of calves. This stock is from a Missouri strain.

Mr. Wilson moved to the Plainview country about two months ago from Iowa. He has a section and a quarter of land near Hale Center. His pasture is two miles west of that town and his home place adjoins Nick Alley's. He expects to follow stock farming as a business.

## PLAINVIEW CARS WILL BE IN OCHILTREE AUTO RACES.

Friday the first speedway event in the North Panhandle will be held in Ochiltree. The Ochiltree Speedway Association have constructed a track two miles long in a natural basin with sufficient slant to insure safety under high speed.

Don Wallen will enter his Buick six, which he has stripped and geared up for the occasion, and Adra Hubbard will drive a Pierce Arrow. Purses aggregating \$1,900 are offered.

## THREE CARS ARMY HORSES SHIPPED FROM PLAINVIEW.

Today three cars of horses for use in the United States army were shipped from Plainview to Fort Worth. This shipment is from the large drove of horses recently sold by L. A. Knight to Fowler Edwards, of Fort Worth.

hearing, the Commission will enter such order or orders in the premises as, in its opinion, may be just and proper and as may be equitable to all interests concerned."

The committee from the Y. M. B. L. now acting is composed of F. F. Hardin, P. J. Woodruff, A. G. Hinn and Judge J. E. Lancaster. Co-operation of several of the commercial organizations and of private individuals in different towns has been promised. It is expected that the co-operation of every man interested will be secured.

It is pointed out by the committee, members of which were interviewed this afternoon, that a removal of the differential rate would mean a saving to every merchant along the line. Not only this, but shippers of livestock and grain will profit by the lowered rates.

The committee will base its petition on the fact that when this differential was granted there was light freight traffic on the lines mentioned, but that since the business has developed until now the Santa Fe lines through the South Plains are among the best dividend-paying properties of the Santa Fe system.

It costs Plainview shippers three cents per hundred pounds more to ship to East Texas points than it does to ship from Amarillo. It costs 2 cents per hundred more on maize. Plainview dealers pay fifty cents per ton more on coal shipped in than does Amarillo. It costs Hale Center grain men a cent more per hundred pounds to ship to East or Central Texas points than it costs Plainview dealers. The removal of this differential rate means that our products can be sold to better advantage, which advantage should be as much to the producer—the farmer and the stockman—as to the dealer. The gross saving to the South Plains district would be enormous.

## GILBERT'S CASE IN COUNTY COURT GOES AGAINST HIM.

C. A. Gilbert is to pay for the light tank loaned him by W. A. Watson following an auto accident last summer, when Watson's car collided with Gilbert's. Watson loaned the tank from his car to Gilbert so that he might have light to drive his car into Plainview. The jury also gave a verdict that Gilbert should pay court costs. The jury decided that both parties were partly responsible for the accident.

## REV. MOORE WILL TEACH IN THEOLOGICAL SUMMER SCHOOL.

Rev. A. L. Moore, presiding elder of the Plainview District, Methodist Church, left Saturday morning for Hale Center, where he filled Rev. B. H. Oxford's pulpit Sunday. He is now in Georgetown at a meeting of the board of trustees of Southwestern University. He will teach in the undergraduate school of the summer theological school at the University this summer.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED.

County Clerk B. H. Towery has issued a marriage license to J. D. Seal, of Sunset, Floyd County, and Miss Pherne Chambers, Miss Chambers is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chambers.

## BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Rudolph Ogg, one mile north of Plainview, June 9, a girl.

### The Herald's Review of the Movies

#### MOTOR MOVED BACKWARD DURING THREE SEASONS.

The Mae I. Theatre has one of the most modern cooling systems of any West Texas theatre. However, it has been only partially successful. Last week Manager Cobbs discovered that the motor attached to the cooler was running backward. The motor was not properly wired when installed, and its service has not been quite satisfactory. Theatre goers have appreciated the cool, fresh air supplied by the cooling system since Friday as never before.

For Thursday The Ruby has "The Election Bet," starring Billy Reeves. In the Motion Picture World we read: "The situation where Billy is forced to roll a walnut along the street, makes excellent moving-picture material. He apparently enjoys himself hugely, and is aided by James Casaday, Arthur Matthews, Pete Lang and Carrie Reynolds."

"You're Next"—of course you've guessed it. The leading character in this one-reel comedy is a barber. Wally Van plays the part. He also plays a joke on his boss and the rest of the town by passing himself off as a lady

barber, and has a close shave from being stripped of his finery by the wives of his male customers. Nitra Frazer and Charles Eldridge are Mr. Van's principal supporters, although Wally relies a great deal on blonde wigs and other female fixings. "An amusing picture," say the reviewers.

"The Primitive Strain," a three-reel Essanay drama, offers wonderful contrast of characters. A minister, a saloonkeeper and a dance-hall girl form a strong dramatic trio.

Thursday The Mae I. will show "The Drifter," a De Luxe Mutual Masterpiece, in five acts. Lucille Taft and Alexander Gaden lead the all-star cast. The plot is said to be unusually strong and interest compelling. The drama is of deep human interest, dealing with one of life's most complex problems.

"Why Mrs. Kentworth Lied," a three-part Imp drama, is the opening number on the Olympic's Thursday program. Matt Moore and Jane Gail, popular stars, are in the cast.

The latest episode of "Who's Guilty?" entitled "Sold Out," is also on this day's run. The same cast is used with Tom Moore and Anna Q. Nilsson, the famous Swedish actress, in the leading roles. Each two-reel chapter in this series is a complete story.

An eccentric comedy-romance is "Love Laughs at Dyspepsia," which is to be presented at The Ruby Friday. Miss Bernouly, the star, is one of the cleverest actresses that ever appeared in a sly role. She puts over her business "in an unaffected way that is simply uproarious." Victor Pötel is also starred.

Ethel Tearon, as a cannibal queen, bounces through "Wurra Wurra," a one-reel comedy, in her habitual breezy manner and casts longing (gastro-nomic) eyes at Bud Duncan and Jack MacDermott, who appear as a pair of shipwrecked sailors fat for the kettle or the spit. "Her costume is the latest fashion hint from the Cannibal Islands, and becomes her mightily," is the impression of the Motion Picture World reviewer.

A George Ade comedy, "The Fable of the Grass Widow, and the Mesmeree and the Six Dollars," and a two-reel mystery picture, "The Haunted Bell," an Imp production, complete this day's offering.

Friday is "Triangle Day" at The Mae I. "Fatty and the Broadway Stars" is a Keystone Comedy, in which is featured Fatty Arbuckle. This, of course, is in addition to the regular Friday feature, a five-act Triangle Kay Bee feature, "Jordan is a Hard Road." It is a stupendous production of spectacular scenes and unexcelled episodes," says Manager Stanley Cobbs. "We know it will appeal to our patrons, who have been enjoying the splendid Triangle offerings each Friday."

Mary Pickford is to be at The Olympic Friday in "The Eternal Grind." Oscar Cooper, in the Motion Picture World, reviews this Paramount Famous Players' drama as follows:

"Heart interest is paramount in this Famous Players Paramount 'drama of humanity,' and the heart interest centers around Mary Pickford. She has



MARY PICKFORD, in "The Eternal Grind," Paramount Feature, Olympic, Friday.

changed the boy's garb of 'Poor Little Peppira' for the garments of East Side poverty. She is seen here as one of three sisters, all employed in a sweat shop. Mary is a girl of ideals, who wars against the lure of ease through wrong living; who fights the vicious and brutal methods of the owner of the factory in which she is employed; and who struggles to bring back health to one of her sisters, who is a chronic invalid.

"When her other sister goes wrong, and is victimized by one of the factory owner's sons, Mary is undismayed, and keeps up the battle. Eventually she defeats the brutal employer, forces his son to make restitution to the weak sister by marrying; her, and herself marries the younger son of the employer.

"It is one of Miss Pickford's typically appealing roles, and she makes it thoroughly convincing, as usual. Because of her sympathetic work, and also because of the careful way in which the theme has been handled, the picture becomes one of distinct wholesomeness, with a real moral lesson.

"Loretta Blake gives a conventional, but satisfactory, impersonation of the invalid; Dorothy West does well as the weakling, while John Bowers, as the good son, Robert Cain, as the idler, and J. Albert Hall, as the factory owner, are entirely capable.

Saturday The Mae I. introduces a new Cub comedian, Billy Armstrong, as Detective Luke Sharp, in "The Defective Detective." Luke Sharpe, the human bloodhound, gets into many laughable perdicaments. Also on this program is "The Spirit of the Game," a three-part Thanhouser drama of college life, starring Edwin Stanley. The captain of a big college football eleven break training the night before the big game of the season. A scrub-team player finds him in a resort and carries him home, shielding him from a meeting with his sweetheart, who was passing as they returned to the campus. In the game, the captain collapses. The left-over steps forward to take the place of the captain, who has requested it. But before leaving the dressing room he changes suits with the captain and emerges on the field. To the spectators the big captain has suddenly revived. He plays a demonic game. His plays are snappy and puzzling to the other side. Only when he falters and falls prostrate and has his headgear and nose-guard removed are the facts known to his teammates and the spectators.

The Ruby will close the week with "Bill Peters' Kid," a three-part Western subject featuring William Duncan and Mary Anderson, produced by the Vitagraph Company. Says a prominent reviewer:

"Mr. Duncan gives a good performance in the role of Dick Stowell, the easterner who comes to the West to assume the superintendency of a desert mine and falls in love with the untutored and wild daughter of a miner. William Bainbridge, as Bill Peters, the miner, in type and manner adds to the atmosphere of the story. Miss Anderson has a difficult role, one requiring large experience for successful portrayal. Measured by her experience, she does well."

"The Hazards of Helen," in the 65th episode, closes this day's program. The stunt that Helen performs in this one-reel drama is novel to a pronounced degree and lands her in a heap on a flatcar of a moving train.

The Olympic's Saturday program offers a variety. The Universal Animated Weekly offers, in addition to other scenes from the New and the Old World, thirteen scenes connected with the Mexican situation, and cartoons by Hy Mayer. "The Strange Case of Mary Page," which has been interesting many patrons of this theatre, appears on that day in the ninth episode. Edna Mayo and Henry Walthall are featured. Those pleasing players, Grace Cunard and Francis Ford, are the leads in a Bison two-reel comedy, "Behind the Mask." The story is flighty and imaginary.

To care for her enormous wheat crop Kansas must import 45,000 hands, according to the State Commissioner of Labor.

#### WILL FILL BOX FOR COMPANY L AT RUBY NEXT THURSDAY.

Thursday The Ruby will give one-tenth of the proceeds from "The Fall of the Alamo" to defray transportation charges of a box for the members of Company L. Those who attend may leave packages in the box in the theatre lobby. They may be addressed to individuals or to the company.

#### BULLETIN ON JUDICIAL REFORM IN TEXAS.

The University of Texas has just issued a bulletin dealing with the much-discussed issue of judicial reform. It does not pretend to be a solution, but does offer the following thoughtful articles as a contribution to the discussion: "Reforms in the Texas Judiciary," W. H. Kimbrough, Amarillo; "Precedural Reform in Texas," Rhodes S. Baker, Dallas; "Organization of the German Judiciary," Geo. C. Butte, Austin; and "A Proposed Constitutional Amendment." Since it is generally conceded that there will be presented to the next Legislature a plan for the reorganization of the judiciary and the simplification of procedure, the matter contained in this bulletin will doubtless interest a large number of people in Texas. Tentative plans for this reform will be presented to the next meeting, June 12 and 13, of the University Law Association, in Austin, Hon. Pat M. Neff, of Waco, serving as chairman of the recommendatory committee. Members of the higher courts, whether members in the Association or not, as well as all citizens, are invited by President Kimbrough to take part in the meeting.

A free copy of the bulletin will be sent any inquirer, as long as they last.

### OLYMPIC

"YOU KNOW THE PLACE"

THURSDAY.

#### "Whose Guilty" Day

The fifth installment of this great series of life dramas, entitled

#### "SOLD OUT"

In two parts complete, featuring Anna Q. Nilsson and Tom Moore.

#### "WHY MRS. KENTWORTH LIED"

An entertaining three-part drama with Matt Moore and Jane Gail.

FRIDAY.

#### Paramount Day

We offer the highest paid woman in the world and the most popular picture actress in the world,

### Mary Pickford

in a five-part drama of humanity, entitled

#### "The Eternal Grind"

A typical Mary Pickford picture.

SATURDAY.

#### "Mary Page" Day

The ninth episode of this enthralling serial of unconquerable love, entitled

#### "THE PIERCING EYE"

In two parts, with Edna Mayo and Henry B. Walthall.

#### "Animated Weekly"

One reel of current events.

#### "Behind the Mask"

Grace Cunard and Francis Ford in a two-part romantic comedy.

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### RUBY

"ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW"

THURSDAY.

#### "The Primitive Strain"

A three-part Essanay drama with Edward Arnold and Nell Craig.

#### "You're Next"

Wally Van in a one-part comedy that is a sure fire laugh producer.

#### "The Election Bet"

The inimitable Billy Reeves in a one-part Lubin comedy.

FRIDAY.

#### "THE SIEGE AND FALL OF THE ALAMO"

A thrilling, realistic photoplay version of the greatest struggle in Texas history. This stupendous feature was staged and produced in and around San Antonio, Texas, and in the memorable Alamo Fort where the little band of Texans stood off Santa Anna's army of ten thousand trained soldiers. We guarantee this to be one of the most intensely interesting and thrilling photoplays ever produced.

SATURDAY.

#### "Hazards of Helen" Day

#### "THE BROKEN WIRE"

Helen Rose Gibson, the most daring girl in pictures, in one of her best thrillers.

#### "BILL PETER'S KID"

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## JUNE BRIDES AND FURNITURE

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## Programme Mae I. Theatre

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"THE DRIFTER."—A plot which will hold the interest from start to finish and vigorous delineation of character, make "The Drifter" conspicuous among the photo features of the hour. Produced by an all-star cast, with LUCILLE TAFT and ALEXANDER GADEN in the lead. A drama of deep human interest, dealing with one of life's most complex problems. (DE LUXE FEATURE IN FIVE ACTS.)

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"JORDAN IS A HARD ROAD"—A FIVE-ACT TRIANGLE KAY BEE FEATURE. A stupendous production of spectacular scenes and unexpected episodes. It's another one of those fine-art Triangle Kay Bee selections that you can't afford to miss.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17TH.

### "THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME"

"THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME."—Realistic, brilliant and spectacular is the Game of Life. A three-part Thanhouser drama based on the great American game. Life at college, on the campus, in the class rooms is depicted on the screen with vivid realism. It deals with a college idol, who was forced to make the college eleven through his love for a pretty co-ed. Starring Edwin Stanley, supported by a cast of uniform power and excellence.

### "THE DEFECTIVE DETECTIVE"

"THE DEFECTIVE DETECTIVE"—Introducing BILLY ARMSTRONG, the new CUB comedian, as Detective Luke Sharpe. (CUB COMEDY.)

Matinee 2:15 Admission 5c and 10c Evening 7:15

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NOTICE—On this day a large box will be placed in the lobby of the Ruby and all those who wish to send Company L, the Plainview company now at Sanderson, something in the way of eatables can place their packages in this box with their card The Young Men's Business League are sending a remembrance and also a per cent of the proceeds of todays business will be used to swell the box.

## THE RUBY THEATRE

5c FRIDAY, JUNE 16th 10c

# Motor News of General Interest

## COMING MOTOR EVENTS.

July 17-21—Dallas, Texas.  
 July 24-28—Hutchinson, Kansas.  
 July 31-Aug. 4—St. Louis, Mo.  
 Aug. 7-11—Fremont, Neb.  
 Aug. 14-18—Cedar Rapids, Iowa.  
 Aug. 21-25—Bloomington, Ill.  
 Aug. 28-Sept. 1—Indianapolis, Ind.  
 Sept. 4-8—Madison, Wis.

## HINTS TO MOTORISTS.

There are some cars in which the cylinder casing is so close to the radiator that the latter becomes too warm for the comfort of the occupants of the front seat. Considerable relief can be obtained by covering the dashboard on the motor side with asbestos, leaving a little air space, if possible, between the lining and the dash. Usually it will be necessary to cover only part of the board, unless the heat is very great.

When washing a car, care should be taken not to splash water on the motor. A little carelessness in this manner will cause a great deal of trouble. A little water in the carburetor and magneto means considerable difficulty and delay in getting the motor to run properly. Persons exercising care usually have a canvas which they throw over the motor to prevent water getting into the vital parts aforementioned.

A motor should not be permitted to labor, even if it can be kept going. When running very slowly the sudden blows of the explosions acting against the resistance of the slow-moving crank shaft set up tremendous stresses, which are as dangerous as they are

unnecessary.

Despite the fact that a well built electric lighting and starting system gives very little trouble, it is important that the devices provided by the manufacturer to indicate derangement should be watched. It is almost as easy to form the habit of looking at indicators as it is to form the habit of ignoring them.

Probably the muffler is one of the most neglected parts of the car. Persons buying used cars several years old would do well to clean out the exhaust system. By doing this considerably more power may be obtained.

## WAR ON FORD CARS.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The proposed 200 million dollar motor car building combination, including Willys-Overland, Chalmers, Hudson and Durant companies, will invade Henry Ford's field with a cheap motor car, and one of the greatest commercial wars in the history of the country is impending, according to Wall Street reports today.

Union of the John N. Willys and W. C. Durant interests brings du Pont money into the combine, say Wall Street men, who point out that Ford's anti-preparedness campaign is contrary to the du Pont interests.

The new corporation will be a holding company of which John N. Willys will be president.

"This corporation will be the biggest thing in the motor industry," Willys announced.

Formation of the syndicate is in the hands of Lewis Kaufman, president of the Chatham and Phoenix National

Bank of New York. Willys said:

"The management of the new corporation will be controlled by the motor-car interests, and not by the affiliated banking interest."

## WHEN THE FARMER BUYS AN AUTOMOBILE.

Ask any salesman or dealer which is the more difficult to sell, the farmer or the city dweller, and he almost invariably will answer "the farmer." The rural dweller does not take anything on the say-so of the salesman; he particularly searches for the hidden quality. The average city man is very strong on looks and design, but in many instances he is not possessed of much mechanical knowledge, but this does not seem a material factor with him, because he can get a repair man within a few blocks in almost any city in which he happens to be traveling.

The country man adopts an entirely different attitude when he buys a car. He usually is motor-wise from having operated much of his farm machinery by gasoline motor and is familiar with the principle and operation of engines. He has before him all the time the thought that he must have a car that will take him there and back. He has visions of being laid up by the roadside 10 miles from home and 3 or 4 miles from help, and for that reason he wishes to assure himself that he gets a dependable car.

Then, again, the farmer is not prone to take the question of car buying like a hungry fish does a baited hook, although this hardly can be said of the city man, except in a few instances. The farmer studies car literature and advertisements for months before deciding which car offers the most for the money he wishes to spend. With him money does not come so fast as it does with the city man. Consequently the farmer keeps the salesman on his toes all the time with his questions, and he demands frankness.

The urban dweller pays attention to externals, to the immensity of the power plant, to the color and appearance, while the ruralite wants to be shown the mechanical details of construction, particularly the hidden mechanism and the hidden qualities of materials. One is inclined to believe that the city buyer would do well to emulate the farmer in selecting his car. Of course, he will go to the shows and take the wife along to see which car looks the best, but ten to one if he is buying a rakish-looking car he is doing it because the social set that he travels with demands classy appearance, whether quality backs it up or not.

Using discretion and learning carefully all one should know about detail of construction will mean less expense in upkeep and make for greater pleasure in your trips, be they short or long. Discernment is an investment when buying a car. Ask questions and see that you get satisfactory replies—facts.—Motor Age.

## BATTERIES USED TOO MUCH.

The owner of a modern motor car is often heard to ask, "How can I keep my battery charged? My lamps burn

dim and the starter is weak."

In a great many cases this complaint is due to the fact that the owner does not drive his car sufficiently without the lights burning or the starter being operated to generate enough current so that the battery will supply the demand of the lights and the starter when necessary.

This is especially true among the class of car owners who drive short distances daily, using their starting motor considerably and not putting back into the battery the same amount of current they take out. Then they drive their cars at night with the lights burning and oftentimes let their cars stand at the curb with the motor dead and the lights still burning and using current from the battery.

According to the Willard Storage Battery Company this is being overcome to some extent through the educational measures which have been adopted by service stations throughout the country. In every case possible the car owner is instructed in the proper care as well as operation of his entire electrical system, so that he will know why he is doing certain things.

Every car owner must remember that it is necessary to drive at 15 or 20 miles an hour to generate enough current to affect the battery to any extent. A well cared for battery is just about as dependable a thing as there is on a motor car, but one which if not given the proper attention will soon cause a lot of trouble and expense to the owner.

## KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET IN DETAIL.

KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS, June 9.—The cattle market is not quite as keen as it was a week ago, but the demand has taken the offerings in fine shape this week. Strictly prime cattle are almost steady for the week, possibly a shade lower, but declines grow larger as quality and finish drop off, the common steers 30 to 50 cents lower for the week. Best natives brought \$10.85 Wednesday, the weakest day since Monday, and prime pulp-fed steers brought \$10.85 Tuesday, about the strongest day of the week. Middle grades of fed steers sold at \$9.00 to \$9.75, and common fed steers at \$8.00.

A feature was the arrival of 33 cars of California steers, which sold at \$9.25 to \$9.65, with one load at \$10.50, and some tail ends at \$8.65 to \$8.90. About 75 cars of pulp-fed steers were sold during the week, the best ones at \$10.50 to \$10.85, medium steers \$9.50 to \$10.35.

Quarantine arrivals show a big increase over recent weeks, and were heavier this week than same week last year. Prices eased off 25 to 50 cents from the high point on the lower grades, and the best quarantine cattle sold 15 to 25 cents lower on Thursday than Monday and Tuesday. A top of \$10.10 was made Tuesday, highest price on record for quarantine cattle.

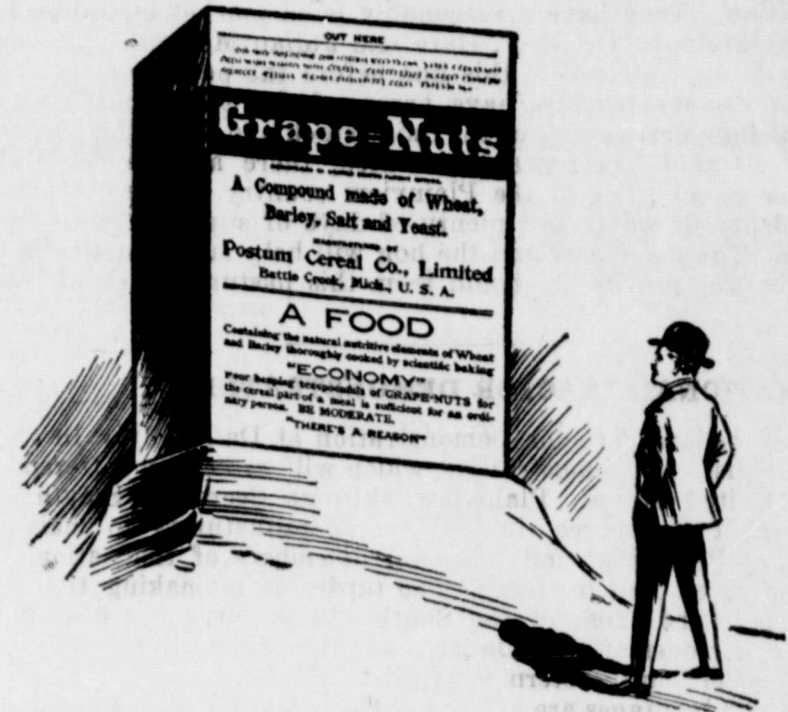
Stockers and feeders are not much changed for the week, good to choice stock steers \$8.25, good cattle \$7.75, useful and common grades \$7.50 downward, best feeders \$8.25 to \$8.50. Trade is taking on the usual summer quietness in this division.

Hogs began to recover from the late depression Wednesday afternoon, and sold 10 to 15 cents higher yesterday, steady today. Supply for the week will exceed 70,000 head, largest run this summer, and the edge of the market has been dulled, but provisions made good gains yesterday, and the revival of buying is giving the live hog trade

more pep. Average weights are running pretty low, 202 pounds the first week of June, which means that there is no surplus of heavy sows as yet, and heavy hogs continue to lead in the price list by a small margin. Top today is \$9.40, bulk \$9.00 to \$9.35, light weights \$9.25. Predictions of another dollar decline, made early in the week, have been laid away for the present. Sheep and lambs have been selling stronger the last few days, native spring lambs today at \$1.35. Arizonas are worth as much, and choice Idaho springers would bring \$11.50 or more.

Texas clipped wethers brought \$7.25 this morning, top for the week on them, and Arizona clipped ewes sold at \$7.35 Wednesday. Killers say the dressed-mutton market is in bad shape, and predict lower prices ahead, but there will have to be an increase in volume of receipts of this proves true. Goat receipts are falling off, 5,000 here this week, and prices are stronger, killers at \$5.25 to \$5.50, Angora brushers \$5.00 to \$5.35, Mexican brushers \$4.00 to \$5.00.

J. A. RICKART,  
Market Correspondent.



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## IDEAL DAIRYING CONDITIONS.

Floyd County farmers are seriously considering the dairying proposition. They have a reasonably good market guaranteed them the year around. Dr. R. F. Hare and Julian M. Bassett are putting the advantages offered in this line before the people of that county. Wichita County bankers have arranged for the farmers who will agree to take proper care of the dairy stock and work the proposition. As The Herald has repeatedly stated, there are wonderful latent dairying possibilities in the Plainview country. There is plenty of feed, plenty of water and plenty of days of sunshine, with an ideal climate. The dairy cow and the hog will help many an alfalfa raiser to realize the profits he should from this pasture crop and from his hay.

## THE NATIONAL TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION.

The National Tractor Demonstration at Dallas, July 18 to 21, is one of a series of demonstrations which will be held in different parts of the United States. Plainview, through Secretary Smyth of the Chamber of Commerce, invited the manufacturers to make their exhibit at Plainview, and prominent members of the national committee assured him by letter that tardiness in making the request was largely the cause of the South Plains not being host for this monster demonstration. Dallas had already been selected as the place for the Southwestern meet.

Many advantages are offered to the man who wishes to use power in his farming by a national demonstration. He can see all of the leading tractors in actual operation and can secure information on the type best adapted to his needs. Power farming has been made profitable by many of the South Plains' best farmers.

## THE COMING FARMERS.

On July first the members of the Hale County pig clubs will begin feeding their pigs and keeping records of gains made. There are more than five hundred boys and girls in the county interested. The pigs raised by these boys and girls will make several carloads, if sold on the markets. Better still, if they are butchered and consumed at home they will cut the cost of living on five hundred Hale County farms.

Two boys from Hale County—the two whose pigs make the best gains at the lowest cost—will get to go to Dallas to the Texas State Fair Agricultural Club Encampment. That is an educational opportunity which is worth the effort to secure.

"The Care of the Pig," a bulletin from the Young Men's Business League, written by G. R. Quesenberry, of Helen Temple Farm, will be ready for distribution to the club members on June 19, in ample time for them to study it thoroughly before feeding time commences. The Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, through County Agent Dr. R. F. Hare, will furnish books in which the boys can keep records and tell just what it costs them to finish their pig. That means that five hundred Hale County boys and girls will have a rudimentary knowledge of farm cost accounting, a thing much needed on Southern farms.

## GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 8.—A summary of the June crop report for the State of Texas and for the United States, as compiled by the Bureau of Crop Estimates (and transmitted through the Weather Bureau), U. S. Department of Agriculture, is as follows:

### All Wheat.

STATE: June 1 forecast, 9,620,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 22,862,000 bushels.

UNITED STATES: June 1 forecast, 715,000,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 1,011,505,000 bushels.

### Oats.

STATE: June 1 forecast, 29,400,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 44,375,000 bushels.

UNITED STATES: June 1 forecast, 1,250,000,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 1,540,362,000 bushels.

### Hay.

STATE: June 1 condition, 81, compared with the eight-year average of 86.

UNITED STATES: June 1 condition, 90.3, compared with the eight-year average of 87.6.

### Pasture.

STATE: June 1 condition, 84, compared with the ten-year average of 90.

UNITED STATES: June 1 condition, 93.4, compared with the ten-year average of 89.0.

### Peaches.

STATE: June 1 forecast, 3,220,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 4,235,000 bushels.

UNITED STATES: June 1 forecast, 42,400,000 bushels; production last year (final estimate), 64,218,000 bushels.

### Cotton.

STATE: May 25 condition, 78, compared with the ten-year average of 80.

UNITED STATES: May 25 condition, 77.5, compared with the ten-year average of 79.8.

### Prices.

The first price given below is the average on June 1 this year, and the second, the average on June 1 last year.

STATE: Wheat, 106 and 129 cents per bushel. Corn, 83 and 96. Oats, 47 and 53. Potatoes, 121 and 118. Hay, \$8.50 and \$9.60 per ton. Cotton, 12.1 and 8.5 cents per pound. Eggs, 15 and 13 cents per dozen.

UNITED STATES: Wheat, 100.0 and 131.5 cents per bushel. Corn, 74.1 and 77.9 cents. Oats, 42.1 and 51.3 cents. Potatoes, 98.8 and 50.8 cents. Hay, \$12.50 and \$11.96 per ton. Cotton, 12.2 and 8.6 cents per pound. Eggs, 19.0 and 16.6 cents per dozen.

Houston, Texas, June 8, 1916.

# FOR SALE

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## Readers' Forum

### Suggests That Excavation Be

### Converted Into Sunken Garden.

Why not fill out the corners of Lake Plainview's enclosure with walks and seats and trees?—a hedge of shrubbery, some bunches of roses and a vine-clad arbor, where lovers might plight their vows?

Or, would "Mr. Moneyed-Man" donate a block to be beautified? Why not have a sunken garden, with clambering vines, in that yawning cavern so near our business center and which jeopardizes the footsteps of men, women and small kiddies? What are we going to do about "Mammoth Cave"?

Our city needs a park—a breathing place of shade and beauty. "To him who, in the love of nature, holds communion with her visible forms, she speaks a various language."

The wide, wide plain, stretching away interminably in a great sun glare of heat and dust, speaks to us longingly of dancing shadows beneath spreading trees where green grass grows and cooling waters ripple.

Our Mayor is a progressive man, a man who loves the beauties of trees and flowers and green things growin' (we cite his home as proof), and we are taking big chances that he will help us with getting a park.

Let's boost for it.

READER.

### A GREAT FARM EDITOR.

American Review of Reviews: With the recent death of Henry Wallace, the editor of Wallace's Farmer, there passed away the second of a famous trio of Iowans who were active for a long term of years in promoting good farming methods throughout the country. Of the other two members of the group, ex-Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture survives, while Dr. Seaman A. Knapp died several years ago, while busily engaged in teaching Southern farmers the importance of diversified farming.

In the Country Gentleman, Herbert Quick declares that Henry Wallace will be remembered by the farmers and many others when the great mass of Governors, Senators, Congressmen, Justices of the Supreme Court and Cabinet officers of the day are forgotten, for he worked with the people, not over them.

Mr. Wallace had been a clergyman for fifteen years when failing health compelled him to leave that calling and become a farmer. Through journalism he found a means of preaching to a wide circle of farmers, and in his paper he continually emphasized the truth "that good farming is a good way of serving God, and that passing down to future generations a well kept farm, unimpaired in fertility, and adapted to the nourishment of a happy, wholesome life, is in itself an act of worship and the best possible sort of partnership in the purposes of the Almighty, who the Scriptures assure us gave the earth to the children of men."

His slogan for years was "Good Farming, Clear Thinking, Clean Living," but it centered about the welfare and happiness of the people. Good farming, that the life of the family might be a well nourished life, economically, and that the soil be conserved; clear thinking, that it might be intellectual, and not like that of "sheep and goats that nourish a blind life upon the soil;" clean living, because the life that is not based upon righteousness rots and makes both good farming and clear thinking impossible.

On this all-embracing text did Uncle Henry Wallace preach quietly, persistently, sanely and effectively for decades to one of the greatest audiences in America. What greater pulpit could he have chosen? Who can estimate the effect this preaching has had in sweetening and uplifting our national life, and shall have for generations to come?

Mr. Quick was profoundly impressed by "Uncle Henry's" intimate knowledge of the soil. "He not only knew that the soil, instead of being dead, is literally teeming with life—he also understood its moods." If he was writing on such a subject as clouds, in the discussion of soil management, he made his writing interesting and useful because he understood just why the soil gets cloddy and just how harmful clods are to crops. Through him, says Mr. Quick, "the voiceless soil found utterance for its claims."

### DESTROY THE DESTROYER.

Plainview Herald: Poverty and tuberculosis go hand in hand, according to the United States Public Health Service. Poor social conditions is poverty's curse. Improve social conditions so that the poverty-stricken can aid themselves seems the logical solution.

Tuberculosis attacks the well-to-do when the conditions are inviting. That disease is no respecter of wealth or social position. But it remains true that the poor whose housing conditions are bad and whose nourishment is not of the best are peculiarly susceptible

to the germs of consumption. Sunlight, open air, cleanliness of domicile and of person, wholesome food in liberal quantity—these are the best preventatives. Some time the State will become so enlightened that it will not permit men and women and children to inhabit houses that conduce to disease.

Some time the State will compel the demolition of shacks, the sanitation of slums, the eradication of festering sores in impoverished communities. Already the State is coming to a better understanding of its duty to the people. At last it is realizing that it is the State's fault if a boy or a girl grows up an ignoramus and a menace. Eere long it will realize that it is its own fault if any boy or girl grows up a criminal or a pauper, for it is the duty of the State to abolish those conditions which most conduce to criminality and pauperism.—State Press in Dallas News.

H. P. Betts was here from Amarillo Sunday.

Col. A. J. Bester left this morning for his ranch near Bovina, Texas.

Wade Roberts has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts, at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slaton and children left yesterday morning for Dallas.

Chauncey Gidney left yesterday morning for a visit with friends and relatives in Temple and Granger.

Miss Audrey Cooper, of Hale Center, is a graduate of Texas Christian University, being a member of the class of '16.

Mrs. S. J. Murray, of Sherman, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. McCormack.

Mrs. T. O. Collier has as her guest a sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Gordon, of Coleman.

Miss Kathleen Joiner has returned from Lynchburg, Va., where she attended Randolph Woman's College.

W. H. Newberry and Sid Heath, of Childress, were here yesterday on business.

Miss Loraine Stockton has returned from Belton, where she has been attending Baylor College.

L. D. Harrison left Sunday for Fort Worth on business.

Chas. Stephenson visited with friends in Amarillo Sunday.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The B. F. Club will meet with Mrs. Snodgrass Thursday afternoon.

Robert Brahan, who has been attending the State University, returned home Sunday.

### TWENTY-EIGHT ARE GUESTS AT FORTY-TWO PARTY MONDAY.

A prominent society event of the week was a "42" party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Knight Monday afternoon by Mrs. Knight and her daughter, Mrs. Betty Knight Malone, for the Halcyon and Highland Clubs.

Sweet peas made the rooms a bower of beauty. The color scheme of blue and white was carried out in the refreshments and decorations. The linen used was in the bluebird design.

There were seven tables, twenty-eight guests. Those who enjoyed the occasion, other than the club members, were Mrs. Chas. A. Gordon, of Coleman, and Mrs. T. S. Reed, Jr., of Beaumont. The fortunate players for the afternoon were Mrs. J. L. Vaughn, Mrs. T. O. Collier and Mrs. A. Van Hoving.

At the conclusion of the games, a white ice course was served.

**At the Knight Home Again.**  
A very elaborate affair was given this afternoon by Mrs. L. A. Knight and Mrs. Robt. Malone, at the beautiful Knight home, on Wayland Boulevard. The Five Hundred, Royal Bridge, Wednesday Bridge and the New Bridge Clubs were entertained. There were sixteen tables at bridge, sixty-four guests. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. S. J. Murray, of Sherman, and Miss Louise Bolton, of Kansas City.

High score was won by Mrs. L. S. Kinder.

Roses and Shasta daisies adorned the rooms. The colors of pink and white were effectively carried out.

A pink ice rose and angel food cake were served at the conclusion of the games.

### GREEN-WILSON.

Miss Eva Green and W. M. Wilson were married Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, Rev. Rippey pronouncing the ceremony.

Miss Green for a number of seasons had a millinery shop here. Mr. Wilson is one of Plainview's progressive business men, being proprietor of Dick's Tinshop.

They will be at home in Plainview.

### MR. AND MRS. PAYNE ROUNTREE HOSTS AT TULE CANYON PICNIC.

A joyful event was the picnic at the Tule Canyon Sunday arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Payne Rountree. Misses Cora and Nell Rountree and Cecil Warren went out to the Rountree Ranch Saturday afternoon, returning yesterday morning. Others who enjoyed the occasion Sunday were Misses Ada and Katherine Douglass and Messrs. Bert Douglass, Joe Gilliam, Fred Bell, F. F. Evans, Hiram Sweeney, W. B. Smith, Jason Rountree, T. E. Smith, Mary Louise Rountree and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rountree.

A delightful picnic dinner was prepared and carried to the canyons and was loaded on burros and taken up on the side of a cliff and spread under a large rock which projects from the top of the cliff, making an ideal place for such a feast.

### HONORING MISS HIGGINS.

Mrs. T. E. Richards entertained Wednesday evening with a beautifully arranged dinner complimentary to Miss Myrtle Higgins, who left Saturday for her home, in Hico, Texas.

A six-course dinner was served to the following: Mesdames Nannie Snell, Jack Hurt and C. D. Boyd and Misses Myrtle Higgins, Lucy Richards, Lillie Mayben and Sarah Ross.

### HONORING MRS. GORDON.

Mrs. T. O. Collier, assisted by Miss Mary Hinn and Mrs. T. E. Richards, entertained Saturday afternoon with a "42" party at her home, complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Gordon, of Coleman.

The home was most attractive, with roses in the living room and dining room. There were seven tables of "42." In the center of each table a vase of roses was placed.

At the conclusion of the game, delightful ice cream and cake were served.

The list of guests included the guest of honor and Mesdames A. B. Martin, Peyton Randolph, Geo. B. Doubleday, A. G. Hinn, D. H. Collier, C. F. Myers, J. C. Anderson, C. C. Gidney, J. H. Slaton, E. B. Miller, J. L. Vaughn, J. M. Adams, J. J. Lash, W. W. Underwood, C. D. Wofford, L. C. Wayland, Grady Pipkin, T. B. Carter, G. C. Keck, L. A. Knight, Robt. Malone, J. L. Jacobs, E. L. Dye, C. A. Malone, Jos. Buchheimer, Joe McKee and Elmer Sansom and her sister, Miss Shook, of Hillsboro.

### EASTERN STAR LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR.

School of Instruction to Be Held June 22 and 23—Two Grand Lodge Officers to Be Here.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star Lodge was held Friday evening, in the Masonic Hall. New officers were elected, as follows: Mrs. Zetta Lash, Worthy Matron; Col. R. P. Smyth, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Julia Collins, Associate Matron; Mrs. Lissie Gassaway, Conductress; Miss Rebecca Longmire, Associate Conductress; Mrs. W. A. Todd, Secretary; W. A. Todd, Treasurer; Mrs. Emma Keck, Warden; Mrs. Mary Quisenberry, Chaplain; Mrs. Carrie Pipkin, Organist; Miss Lena Williams, Marshal; L. F. Cobb, Sentinel; Miss Jo Keck "Ada;" Mrs. Mary Gardner, "Ruth;" Miss Ethel Williams, "Esther;" Mrs. Belle Tudor, "Martha;" and Mrs. Mary Martine, "Electa."

The Eastern Star will hold a school of instruction here on June 22nd and 23rd. On the night of the 23rd the newly elected officers will be publicly installed. Grand Matron Miss Cora Posey, of Indian Creek, Texas, will be here during the school and installation; also Mrs. Hattie Beadle, Grand Deputy, is to be here.

### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB, NO. 1.

The Plainview Home Economics Club, No. 1, met this morning with Minnie Bell Clubb, instead of with Mabel Scudder. Eleven members and two visitors were present.

Preparations for a moonlight picnic to be held at the "three-mile" grove Thursday evening were made.

Recipes for sandwiches were discussed, and a recipe for biscuits was taken, to be tried before the next meeting.

The club adjourned to meet at Miss Margie Saffle's next Tuesday.

BLANCHE REDDELL, Reporter.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

A play, "The Old Maids' Club," and a pie social will be given at Liberty School House next Friday evening, June 16th. The play will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

Every one has cordial invitation. The ladies are asked to bring pies, which will be sold for the purpose of paying for our hymn books.

This play has been announced before, but owing to the measles in the community it had to be postponed, and we hope to make it a success June 16th. COMMITTEE.

Professor S. H. Condron, of Clarendon College, is in Plainview in the interest of that school.

Professor Ralph Porter came down today from Tulla. He will leave soon for Chicago University.

Professor W. J. Bahd, of Runningwater, was here Saturday.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH WILL BEGIN REVIVAL SUNDAY.

Sunday morning, at the Christian Church, Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, of Bowling Green, Mo., will begin a series of revival services. The evening service will be held at the Baptist Church. After that service the Christian Church will be used, until arrangements will have been completed for a large tent.

Miss Gertrude Pinkerton, who accompanies her father, is an evangelist soloist.

### METHODIST REVIVAL TO BE STARTED SUNDAY MORNING.

Revival services will be held for several days following Sunday at the Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Story, will hold the meeting. He is to be assisted by Professor R. E. Houston, of Greenville, who is an evangelistic singer of note.

### GEO. TRUETT MAY ASSIST IN BAPTIST REVIVAL MEETING.

Rev. I. E. Gates, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has announced that he is now in communication with Rev. Geo. Truett, of Dallas, and that he hopes to secure his services for the Baptist revival meeting this summer.

### METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL OBSERVES CHILDREN'S DAY.

Sunday was Children's Day at the Methodist Church. In addition to the officers of the Sunday School, the following appeared on the program: Maurine Mathes, Charlotte McDonald, Opal Cook, Jack Hawley, Louise Day, Miss Powell, Elizabeth Powell, Georgia Brown, Mary Pritchett, Harry Jackson, Cecil Cole, Lottie Crager, Merrill Davis, Crystelle Owens, Mildred Vaughn, and pupils of the Junior and Primary Departments.

### MASONIC OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the annual election of officers of the Masonic blue lodge, Saturday night, Col. R. P. Smyth was named Worshipful Master; Lee Keumble, Senior Warden; W. C. Longmire, Junior Warden; Lee Shropshire, Secretary; J. H. Slaton, Treasurer, and W. C. Beck, Tiler. The other officers of the lodge are appointive through the master of the lodge.

### HOME-TALENT PLAY AT MAE I. WAS LIBERALLY PATRONIZED.

Receipts from the sale of tickets to the home-talent play, "A Message from Mars," at The Mae I. last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, was \$102.

W. C. Kenyon, of Amarillo, was in Plainview Sunday.

Frank Denny, of Amarillo, was a visitor here Sunday.

R. J. Parsons, of Amarillo, spent Sunday in Plainview.

Leonard Daugherty, of Louisville, Ky., is in Plainview this week.

Rev. Ernest C. Mobley, of Amarillo, was here yesterday.

Albert Hinn, proprietor of the Harvest Queen Mills, is in El Paso on business.

J. T. Woodriddle, of Lubbock, was here Saturday.

Will Morrison, of Colorado City, was a visitor in Plainview Saturday.

John D. Bellah, of Bowie, was here Saturday on business.

E. F. Booty, of Georgetown, was here Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Johnston, of Abilene, were in Plainview Saturday.

J. P. Hix, of Canyon, was here Saturday.

L. G. Waggoner, editor of the Miami Chief, was here Saturday en route home from El Paso, where he attended the meeting of the Texas Press Association.

J. M. Adams and daughter, Sadie Earl, returned Saturday from El Paso, where they attended the Texas Press Association.

Geo. W. Breckenridge, of San Antonio, was here Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maurey, of San Antonio, was a visitor in Plainview Saturday.

Dr. Margaret Holliday, of San Antonio, was here Saturday.

S. J. Clark, of San Antonio, was in Plainview Saturday.

B. L. Livingston, of San Antonio, was here on Sunday.

G. Herndon, of Temple, was registered at the Hotel Ware Sunday.

Horace Gooch and son, of Amarillo, were here Sunday.

P. L. Hancock, of Silverton, was here Saturday.

Col. A. J. Bester, an exponent of deep plowing and a prominent Panhandle dry farmer, was here Sunday. Bovina is his home.

E. E. Hartshorn, of Farwell, was a visitor in Plainview this week.

Miss Gene Barnett left this morning for Waynoka, Okla., to visit with a sister.

Miss Myrtle Higgins left Saturday for a visit in Hico.

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W. M. Knight, of Hereford, was a visitor in Plainview this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Underwood were in Tulla yesterday.

Floyd League, of Floyd County, was here this morning en route to Clarendon in answer to a message that some relative there was seriously ill.

B. F. Smith, of Lockney, was here this morning en route to Amarillo on business for the Department of Insurance.



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W. O. W. PICNIC AT OLTON A SUCCESS.

OLTON, Texas, June 12.—The farmers of Olton are very much discouraged on account of the dry weather. The wheat crop will be very light. The W. O. W. picnic, on the tenth, was a success. Candidate speaking and baseball was the order of the day. The W. O. W. boys played the scrubs. The scrubs won, but won't tell how badly they beat the W. O. W. We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. Paul, Mrs. J. F. McGill's mother, on last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Miller visited relatives at Mangum, Okla., last week. They report a nice time. Work on the Olton High School Building has been delayed on account of material being delayed in shipment. Professor D. M. Green has just returned from a business trip to Austin. He also visited his mother while gone.

WEST SIDE HOME ECONOMICS CLUB TO GIVE SOCIAL.

WEST SIDE, Texas, June 12.—The people of this community met Sunday, June 12, and organized a Sunday School. Mrs. Hammer had some dental work done in Plainview the past week. Willie Cornelius, who was operated on for appendicitis, is improving. Miss Alma Scales, of Virginia, is visiting her brother, Charlie Scales. There will be an ice cream supper given by the West Side Home Economics girls June 17. Everybody is invited to attend. The trustees of this community are having some work done on the windmill of this place, and it will soon be ready for pumping water again. Charlie Scales was operated on for appendicitis June 10. Singing at Mr. Cornelius' Sunday night was enjoyed by every one present.

ent. Bryan Dye and Miss Almira McComas, of Halfway, attended the singing at Mr. Cornelius' Sunday night. Walter Spence attended the picnic at Olton Saturday. A good rain is much needed at this place. Best wishes to The Herald.

LITTLEFIELD NEWS.

LITTLEFIELD, Texas, June 9.—Richard Beisel accidentally shot himself in the foot this week. A telegram received yesterday morning by Mrs. August Lindburg stated that her husband was drowned near Evanston, Wyoming. Miss Edna Bangerter, a popular young lady here, who has been visiting in Oklahoma, died suddenly this morning at Blackwell, Oklahoma, according to a telegram received by her parents.

CHILD FALLS IN TANK, NEAR DEATH, AT ABERNATHY.

ABERNATHY, Texas, June 13.—The Epworth League elected Miss Myram Steward president and R. B. Hannah vice president Sunday. The old officers had moved away, making this election necessary. We predict for the League continued prosperity under the new administration. Miss Annie Mae Hardesty continues as our secretary. Abernathy is proud of the League, and it is doing much good for the young life of the town. Leonard Harral, while playing with a yearling, one day last week, was knocked down and his arm thrown out of place. E. P. Crow was unloading a car of sand from the railroad tracks the other day and his team became frightened, and as he ran to catch them he fell and broke one of the bones in his heel. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

The Santa Fe Railroad is filling in the low places around the depot with gravel. This is a good move. The entire yards are very muddy during rainy weather, and the gravel will make it comfortable for our citizens and for the traveling public. On Monday of this week a little child of Mr. and Mrs. Swearingen, east of town, fell into a tank and was thought to have been drowned. Dr. Hannah was summoned, and by prompt and careful work by parents and physician it was brought back to life and is now doing fine. On Wednesday evening of last week a farewell party was given to Professor Woodruff, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Struve. Rev. B. Y. Dickinson has gone to attend the Summer School of Theology at Georgetown. He will also visit relatives at Itasca before returning. Rev. Bone filled his appointment here Sunday morning and evening. He announced a union revival meeting to be held in Abernathy by the Methodists and Presbyterians, beginning the third Sunday in August and continuing two weeks. Rev. Whitwell, of Oklahoma, will do the preaching, and everybody is invited to attend and co-operate in the meeting.

LONE STAR TO COMPETE IN FLOYD CO. SINGING CONTEST. LONE STAR, June 12.—Dry weather prevails in our community. There was only a shower of rain the past week, and our farmers are quite anxious to see a good rain. The small grain crop will be cut very short in this part of the country. Our singing school closed last Saturday, with a nice program and a large attendance. Our teacher, Mr. Estes, gave perfect satisfaction, as far as I know, and pupils and patrons voted him back for next summer to teach another school. Your correspondent has been attending, hence no items the past week. We elected a class to go to Lakeview, below Floydada, the first Sunday in July to singing for the county-convention banner. Mr. Estes will lead the class songs. We learn that Silvertown suffered greatly from the storm of June 4. J. B. Stevenson was called to Silvertown Friday to see his father, who was quite ill, but came home Saturday, leaving his father resting nicely. Cooper Wimberly and family are now enjoying their new ten-room house. W. T. Reeves and family spent Sunday with Mr. Fuget, near Lockney. Little Evelyn Bobbitt is recovering nicely from measles. Miss Mabel Vaughn and brother, of Hay Lake, returned to their home Saturday. They have been staying with their cousin, Mrs. E. G. Foster, and attending the singing school. Mr. Whitlock and wife, of Roseland, visited But Bobbitt Friday. Mrs. Poster's mother and sister, Mrs. Kitchen and Lois, visited her last Friday. The party at Mr. Neeves' was well attended last Friday night. All enjoyed the evening. Mrs. Applewhite's mother, Mrs. Burns, of East Texas, is spending a few weeks with her and family.

Archie Glasco, of Newlan, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Phillips. Our boys played basketball with Sunset last Saturday afternoon, and the game closed 16 to 13, in favor of our boys. And the Sunset girls came out with only sore throats in the yell; our girls with clear voices and happy hearts. R. W. Smith and Mr. Woolfork are in New Mexico looking after the Woolfork boys' interests. Mrs. Chas. Merrick is on the sick list at this writing. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Trav Hamilton, on June 7, a girl. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Kellis Reeves, on June 7, a girl. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hannon, a girl, on June 8.

SERVICES THREE SUNDAYS IN MONTH AT MT. VERNON.

MOUNT VERNON, Texas, June 12.—Mount Vernon Sunday School met at the regular hour Sunday. Rev. Longstreet, of Plainview, preached at 4 o'clock. There will be preaching every first, second and third Sundays. The public is invited to attend these services. The farmers are busy in this part of the country cutting wheat. Crops are needing rain. Next Friday is Mothers' Club day.

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again. Miss Gladys Thomas has resigned as teacher of her Sunday School class. Miss Oma Stewart has charge of class No. 1 now. Mrs. Thomas was absent from her class Sunday, on account of sickness in her home. Mrs. Dunman's class has a large attendance, and much interest is taken. The members of the class will answer difficult questions next Sunday. Mrs. Snow and Mrs. Duncan called

on Mrs. Wright last week. Mrs. Z. Dunman and little daughter, Mildred, spent a pleasant afternoon Sunday with Mrs. Durham and family. Fred Cox and Onus and Onsbury Durham are extremely busy this week in the wheat fields. Mrs. Z. Dunman and Cara Wright called on Mrs. Minnie Richards Saturday. Miss Birdie Fletcher and Miss Felnagle were among the visitors at the singing Sunday evening.



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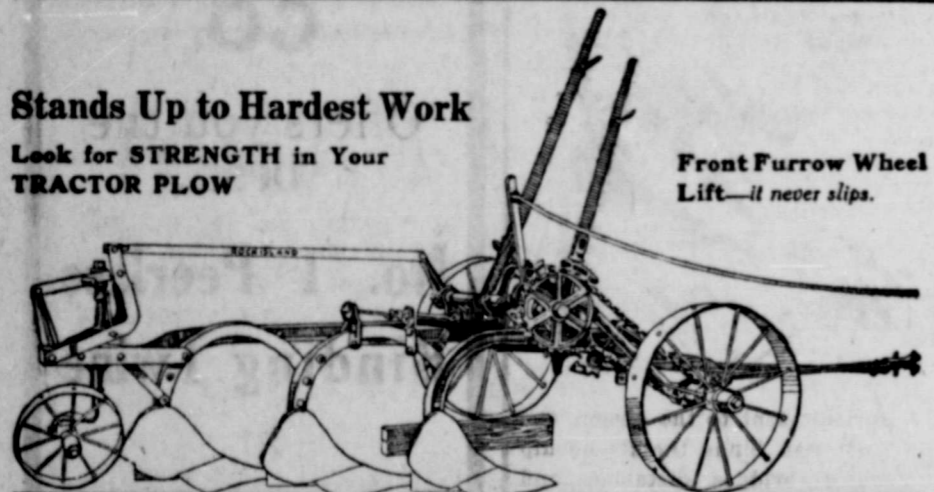
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We are in the market for Dry and Green Hides. Highest prices. ALLEN & BONNER, Coal and Grain Dealers. Adv. tf.

LOST: Camera, between Plainview and Silvertown. Return to PAUL FRYE, Plainview, Texas. 3t.

FOR SALE-One spotted Jersey coming three, with calf, \$75. One spotted Jersey coming two. B. C. HOLLE, Phone 9013-R-2. tf.

BARGAINS in Farms and Ranches in Yoakum County-\$5 to \$8 per acre; good terms. Write us about steers and stock cows. THE GAINER-SIMPSON LAND CO., Plains, Texas. 6t.

A BARGAIN IN SECTION OF LAND. Good, smooth section patented land near Plainview, in shallow water belt. Price, \$22.50 per acre. Two-fifths cash, balance in ten equal annual payments. A real bargain. Perfect title. H. E. SKAGGS. tf.

Fresh Vegetables at all times at VICKERY-HANCOCK GRO. CO.'S. tf.

Let A. J. ROBERTS, the Hale County distributor, put a WONDER GAS SAVER on your car. Satisfaction guaranteed. Fri. 3t-pd.

STORE ROOM FOR RENT. Building formerly occupied by Plainview Buggy Co., next to Public Scales, for rent. 36x100 feet. J. L. DORSETT. tf.

FOR SALE. Thirty head of bred gilts and sows-Poland-China, Berkshire and Durocs. Prices right. Apply B. C. HOLLE, Phone 9013-R-2. tf.

WANTED-Listings of farm and city properties. First door north of Herald Office. FARMERS' LAND LEAGUE. WYATT JOHNSON, Manager. tf.

NICE HOME FOR SALE. Low price; good terms. House, well and windmill. Plenty of trees and shrubbery. Will take some trade. For particulars, address P. O. BOX 44, Plainview, Texas. tf.

NOTICE. A meeting of the members of the Plainview Cemetery Association is called for Wednesday, June 14, three o'clock p. m., at the City Hall. W. F. GARNER. 2t.

FOR SALE-12-room residence, modern. Best residence district of Plainview. Write A. F. QUISENBERRY, Hale Center, Texas. 5t-pd.

If you have any Vendor Lien Notes for sale, see F. W. CLINKSCALES, at the Third National Bank, or 'phone 49. 3t.

NOTICE TO LAND AGENTS. I hereby withdraw my 80 acres from sale. W. W. BOSTON. 3t-pd.

LIVE AGENT WANTED in this county to sell the famous Farm Ford Tractor. Write quick. PANHANDLE FORD TRACTOR CO., Amarillo, Texas. 1t.

Warranted Pure Honey gathered from mesquite and other blossoms, 60-pound can extracted, 9 cents a pound, at FRANK'S NECESSITY STORE, north side of Square. 1t.

FOR SALE: John Deere lister and two-row lister-cultivator good as new. BOX 644. 3t.

LOST: Sunday, June 4, large leather-brush between Seth Ward and McVickers' residence. Return to Herald. 2t.

ROOMERS WANTED. Phone 341. 4t.

FOR RENT-No. 5 Oliver Type-writer. In good condition. See HOGUE, at Hogue's Tailor Shop, in Elk Bldg., or Phone 398. 3t.

FOUND-On Covington Street, an ironing board. Owner may have same by calling at the Herald office and paying for this ad. 1t.

WANTED: Capable girl for house-work. BOX 644, Plainview, Tex. 2t.

FOR SALE-A BARGAIN. Good furnished house and lot three blocks from post office. Easy terms-like paying rent. Also nice building lots in High-land Addition. See A. B. BELLIS, Ellerd Building. d-tf.

FOR SALE. Good mow and rake. Call J. D. HATCHER'S BLACKSMITH SHOP. Phone 147. 4t-pd.

STRAYED OR STOLEN. Bay horse about 12 years old. Weight 1,100 or 1,200 pounds. Slightly stragghaled in left hind leg. Notify HERALD OFFICE. Liberal reward for return. 4t.

LOST: E-worn striped coat in or near Petersburg, May 20. Return to Herald Office for reward. 2t-pd.

Three furnished rooms to let. Phone 591. 1t.

Rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 336. 1t.

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent at old Snodgrass Cottage; \$2.00 and \$2.50 per week. Within block of Mrs. Edwards' Boarding House. A. L. GENTRY, proprietor. Phone 500. 3t.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Herald is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following men for the political offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 22, 1916:

- For Representative: T. J. TILSON. For District Attorney: AUSTIN C. HATCHELL, GEO. L. MAYFIELD, (Re-election), KENNETH BAIN. For District and County Clerk: B. H. TOWERY, (Re-election), J. P. HOWARD, W. M. JEFFUS, JO. W. WAYLAND, JAS. F. DUNCAN, JR. For County Judge: CHARLES CLEMENTS, AUSTIN F. ANDERSON, J. E. LANCASTER. For County Attorney: L. D. GRIFFIN, L. R. PEARSON. For County Treasurer: JNO. G. HAMILTON, (Re-election). For County Tax Assessor: ROY IRICK, E. E. BURCH, W. H. MURPHY. For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: J. L. OVERALL, TOM THOMPSON, (Re-election), T. P. BUSSELL. For Sheriff: J. C. HOOPER, (Re-election), J. C. TERRY. County Surveyor: L. O. SHROPSHIRE. For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: J. T. (DADDY) PHELPS, W. J. ESPY, (Re-election). For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. W. ROBERSON, (Re-election), R. W. CROSS. For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: M. C. CORNELIUS, C. E. LOCK, R. T. BARBEE. Justice of Peace, Precinct 1- EARLE C. KECK.

HOG SHOWS REMARKABLE GAIN UNDER CARE OF PIG-CLUB BOY.

A Texas boy joined the pig club last year, early in April. He selected a Duroc-Jersey pig weighing forty-one pounds and commenced to feed it. He grazed it on oats, Bermuda grass and alfalfa, supplemented with shorts, some maize chops, skim milk and toward the end some cottonseed meal. Seven months later the pig was killed and it dressed 325 pounds. The meat, lard, sausage, etc., when sold at retail brought \$51.65, and gave the boy a net profit of \$23.31.

The total cost, including feed, original cost of pig, cost of killing, cutting, and refrigeration, was \$28.34. The net profit of \$23.31 was just about twice what he would have received had the pig been sold on foot.

Month by month the pig gained as follows: Weight at beginning, 41 pounds; at end of first month, 89 pounds; second month, 145 pounds; third month, 204 pounds; fourth month, 276 pounds; fifth month, 346 pounds; sixth month, 414 pounds. It was then eight months old, and had gained 373 pounds in six months-or a little better than two pounds daily. Very little gain was put on during the seventh month, as the hog was quite fat.

Good stock, a good start before weaning, pasture-particular emphasis on this-a balanced ration, a mineral mixture always before the pig, and the work and care of an industrious boy all contributed to this successful pig feeding. The way he went at it, there is money in hogs.-Fort Worth Livestock Reporter.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To Remove Ink Stains. To take ink stains out of cotton, silk or woolen material, saturate the spot with spirits of turpentine and let it stand for several hours, then rub it between the hands.

The spot will disappear without injury to the color or texture of the fabric.

To take ink out of linen, dip the spot in pure melted tallow. Then wash out the tallow and the ink will disappear.

Water for Your Plants.

If you are leaving home for a few days and have a plant which will require watering, place a pail of water at

a very slight elevation above the level of the plant and fasten a piece of string inside the pail, tying the other end to the rim of plant pot. Sufficient water will soak along the string to feed the plant.

Starting the Fire.

For ten cents you can procure a dozen candles. Cut these into small pieces and use in place of kerosene to light your fires. A few tiny lighted pieces among the kindling will cause the wood to blaze quickly.

To Steam Velvet.

Place your velvet on an ordinary colander turned upside down over a basin partly filled with boiling water. Cover this with a thick woolen cloth, and place it on the range where there will be just enough heat to keep the water boiling.

EVER SALVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones, and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel, just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe. Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring up your inside, and can no salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children, because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better-Try an Experiment or Profit by a Plainview Citizen's Experience?

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented.

The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now, supposing you had a bad back, A lame, weak, or aching one, Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from far-away places. It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony. Read this Plainview case: P. C. Russell, Moreland St., Plainview, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from the Long Drug Co., for acute lameness in my back and sluggish kidneys. They have certainly helped me and are the only medicine that ever gave me last-

ing benefit." Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Russell had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

DR. R. L. RAMSDELL, Physician and Surgeon. Office: Smyth Building. Phone 605. Home Phone 488.

L. V. DAWSON, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. Special attention given to surgery. Office in new Donohoo Bldg. Office hours 1 to 5 p. m. Office 158-Phones-Residence 232

L. A. KERR, Architect. Office at Fulton Lumber Co. Phone 107. Home Phone 425.



"Bell" Connection Valuable to You From seed time to harvest and all the year through, every farmer occasionally has business to transact in distant towns. Letters go slow and traveling is expensive. Why not let the Long Distance Bell Telephone lines carry your message? Have you a Telephone connected to the Bell System?

THE SOUTHWESTERN TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE COMPANY. 12-R-14 FARM LOANS. Lowest Rates, Best Terms. Money Ready. See M. F. YOUNG, At Third National Bank. (1 mo.)

HARRISON & KERR CO., General Contractors. Office at Fulton Lumber Co. Phone 107. Home Phones, 328 and 423.

W. A. TODD, Agent All Kinds of INSURANCE. Office No. 14, First National Bank Building. Phone 129.

The Strong Withstand the Heat of Summer Better Than the Weak Old people who are feeble, and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the depressing heat of summer by taking regularly Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

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

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of R. W. GROVE, 25c.

H. A. PRESTON City Scavenger. Telephone Number 545. Prices for Hauling Trash: Sacks of cans, 10c; 15c for barrels; ashes, etc., 40c to 50c for half load, 80c for double wagon-box load. All kinds of trash hauled off.

FARM AND RANCH LOANS -:- R. A. UNDERWOOD -:-

Even Burning Coal Will save money because of minimum waste and will make your baking and other cooking more certain. Such coal we constantly try to furnish our customers. Let us serve you thru the knowledge we have gained in the coal business. ALLEN & BONNER Phone 162

8 Per Cent Farm Loans 8 Per Cent We are again in the market with EIGHT PER CENT money, on first-class Farms in Hale and adjoining counties. See us at once, or write giving full description of land and improvements. A Clean, Square Cut Proposition WOFFORD & MORTER North Side Square Plainview, Texas

W. FLAKE GARNER, Funeral Director and Embalmer. Prompt Service Day or Night. Phones 195 and 378.

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Pure Bred Duroc Jersey Hogs We have a few choice young boars and gilts. Helen Temple Farm, Plainview, Tex.

SEE ME FOR FARM LOANS

I also buy vendors lien notes. Money Ready in One Week. Promptest of service. J. C. Rawlings 3rd National Bank Bldg. PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

Y. W. HOLMES and W. W. KIRK, LAWYERS Office over Third National Bank, Plainview, Texas.

**GROUND WATER FOR IRRIGATION IN ARKANSAS RICE FIELDS.**

**Slow-Moving Geologic Events Produce Ideal Conditions for Cultivation of Rice.**

An extensive area in Arkansas lying north of Arkansas River, east of the Ozark Hills, and west of Crowley's Ridge, has in the last 12 years undergone an important transformation through the introduction of the growing of rice, irrigated with water pumped from wells.

Prior to 1904 the principal occupation of the rather thinly scattered population was lumbering and stock raising, the soil and subsoil being poorly drained and in general imperfectly adapted to the cultivation of the common American crops. In that year an enterprising citizen of Lonoke County, who had seen rice growing on similar soils in Louisiana, conducted successful experiments with this cereal in his home county, and started an industry which in ten years has grown so that it covers an area of over 100,000 acres and yields a crop of 3,700,000 bushels annually. As only a small percentage of the land adapted to rice growing has been put under cultivation, the industry may be said to be still in its infancy.

The area is a nearly level, mostly timber-covered lowland, but contains a considerable proportion of open, grassy prairies, forming irregular patches of large and small size in the interstream areas. Crowley's Ridge, which rises 150 to 200 feet above the lowlands and ranges from 2 to 12 miles in width, forms the eastern boundary of the main rice-growing area, separating it from the Mississippi lowland proper. The ridge is the remnant of an upland which once extended eastward across the area of the present Mississippi lowland and westward to the Ozark Hills. In early Pleistocene time Mississippi River flowed from Cape Girardeau, Mo., southward on the west side of Crowley's Ridge, and Ohio River flowed southward east of the ridge, in the present valley of the Mississippi, the two streams joining somewhere south of Helena, Ark. By the processes known as meandering and side cutting, the Mississippi carved out of this ancient upland a broad, flat-bottomed trough 300 feet or more in depth and partly refilled it with alluvial gravels, sands, clays, and loams, of a depth of 150 to 200 feet—that is, to the level of the present lowland. The gravels and sands, particularly in the basal portion of the alluvium, became the reservoir for the very large supply of water which is now being drawn upon for irrigation in the rice-growing area. Later the lower part of the Ohio "captured" this part of the Mississippi, and the channel west of the ridge was abandoned.

By a combination of natural processes operating on a vast scale there was thus produced a set of conditions almost ideal for the culture of one of the world's staple foods. By pumping the water from its comparatively shallow underground storehouse and spreading it upon a soil previously regarded as of little agricultural value, nourishment is provided for great numbers of earth's inhabitants.

A report on the geology and ground waters of northeastern Arkansas, prepared by L. W. Stephenson, A. F. Crider, and E. B. Dole, has just been issued by the United States Geological Survey as Water-Supply Paper 399. The report treats of the physiography, geology, and ground waters of this interesting area and gives a section on the early history and development of the rice-growing industry, laying particular emphasis on the adaptability of the ground waters to rice culture.

The report may be obtained free of charge on application to the Director, United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

**NEW METHOD OF MAKING ANTI-HOG-CHOLERA SERUM.**

**Specialists Find Way to Produce a Clear, Sterilized Product Free From Foot-and-Mouth Virus.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 12.—A new method of preparing anti-hog-cholera serum, which permits the economical production of a clear, sterilized product, has just been described in the Journal of Agricultural Research of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The advantage claimed for the new method is that it makes possible the production of an anti-hog-cholera serum which can be quickly sterilized by heat to a point that will absolutely kill any germs of foot-and-mouth disease and so yield a serum that is absolutely safe even if taken from a hog which might harbor foot-and-mouth disease and yet give no indication of being infected.

The method, as described by its discoverers, Dr. Marion Dorset and R. R. Henley, of the Biologic Division, Bureau of Animal Industry, consists in adding a slight amount of an extract from ordinary white navy beans to the defibrinated hog-cholera-immune blood which has been the form of the serum used in the past. The addition of this bean extract causes the red

cells of the blood to agglutinate, and when the mixture is whirled on a centrifuge the red cells pack together and form a rather stiff, jelly-like mass. It is then possible to pour off a clear serum, leaving behind the red cells, which play no part in preventing hog cholera and which, in fact, simply tend to dilute the serum and render its sterilization by heat impracticable. To increase the yield of clear serum, the discoverers added a small amount of ordinary salt, and found that they obtained from 70 to 74 per cent of clear serum. The clear serum thus obtained, it was found, could be heated for 30 minutes at a temperature of 60 degrees Centigrade without changing its consistency or lessening in any way its effectiveness in preventing hog cholera. The heating to this point for this time is more than sufficient to kill any germs of foot-and-mouth disease which might accidentally be present. Practical tests with hogs show that probably all of the antibodies useful in combating hog cholera were retained in the serum and the red cells extracted contained so few, if any, of these valuable bodies as to make the residue of red cells useless in preventing the disease.

Before the clear serum was developed, many attempts were made to sterilize by heat in a practicable way the ordinary defibrinated blood. It was found, however, that heating the old product up to 60 degrees Centigrade resulted in more or less complete coagulation of the defibrinated blood and in the destruction of the serum, so far as its commercial worth is concerned. It was found that the highest temperature that could be used was 50 degrees Centigrade, and it was necessary to keep the old serum at this temperature for 12 hours to make certain that the virus of foot-and-mouth disease was killed. Heating serum at a steady temperature over this long period in ordinary practice is difficult and too expensive.

Attempts also were made to make a clear serum by centrifuging. It was found, however, that while the centrifuge would separate to some extent the red cells, they were in such shape that it was difficult to separate the serum completely. An important quantity of antibodies were left behind in the red clot, and the resulting product was a cloudy rather than a clear serum. With this process, moreover, it was possible ordinarily to secure only about 50 per cent of serum. Under the new method it is possible to secure as high as 74 per cent of clear serum, which in actual test has proved to be fully potent. This clear serum, moreover, can be completely sterilized in 30 minutes, whereas the old serum had to be heated steadily for 12 hours.

THE NEW FORM OF SERUM, AS FAR AS THE DEPARTMENT KNOWS, IS NOT YET BEING MADE OR PUT ON SALE BY THE COMMERCIAL SERUM LABORATORIES. As this process was discovered by the Federal Government, any one in the United States is free to use it.

**ARMY NEEDS MORE MOTORS.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10.—More motor trucks are needed by the American force in Mexico, and probably will be supplied. General Funston reported today to the War Department that the bad roads and continual use had caused a number of machines to break down. The rainy season, now starting, makes ample transportation facilities urgent, he explained.

**To Drive Away Red Ants.**

Put a pint of tar in an earthen vessel. Pour on it two quarts of boiling water, and place in the closet or corner infested by the ants.

H. M. McCelvey, Jr., of Temple, is in Plainview today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davis will move to Kansas City. Mr. Davis has been in the employ of the Harvest Queen Mills, in Plainview. He left this morning for his new home. Mrs. Davis will follow in a few days.

W. L. Dukes, who has been employed as a machinist in Plainview, left this morning for Wichita Falls.

Henry Ansley was down from Amarillo Sunday.

Claude N. Smith and John K. Boyce, two travelling men from Amarillo, are here today on business.

Miss Patti Thrash, daughter of Mrs. L. B. Humphreys, arrived yesterday morning from Dallas, and will make Plainview her home. Miss Thrash will make arrangements to open a studio of expression soon.

J. G. Doby, of Hale Center, was in Plainview yesterday on business.

Barnett O'Bryan, of Hale Center, came up yesterday on business.

Rev. J. W. Story returned yesterday morning from Tulsa, where he has been conducting a revival meeting for Rev. G. W. Shearer.

John D. Harrison, proprietor of the Missouri Hotel, returned yesterday morning from Amarillo, where he had been on business.

L. G. Wilson left this morning for Goree, Haskell County, to look after farm interests there.

Mrs. M. E. Warren will leave Thursday for Childress to visit with her son, E. L. Warren. Little Katherine Warren, who has been visiting here, will accompany her.

Miss Clara Bell Wilson, a student of the State University, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Brown, who has been visiting in the eastern part of the State for several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Miss Mabel Vaughn, who has been attending the North Texas State Normal, at Denton, returned home last week.

Mrs. T. S. Reed, Jr., and children, of Beaumont, are guests of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Garrison.

L. B. Simmons, of Amarillo, is a business visitor in Plainview today.

Rev. L. G. Haggard filed his appointment at Kress Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Moore and children are visiting with relatives in Corpus Christi.

Rev. J. M. Harder filled his regular appointment at Post City Sunday.

Mrs. Johnnie Johnson left this morning for points in Iowa and Missouri, where she will visit with relatives.

# EXTRA SPECIAL

At **\$6<sup>95</sup>** Each This Week Only

**Six Ninety-five Ladies \$12.00 to \$15.00 Palm Beach Suits**

At **\$6<sup>95</sup>** Each This Week Only

These suits include the very newest creations in Palm Beach cloths in plain and novelty weaves and the models are the very latest. This choice collection of suits have just arrived therefore you will find no old styles. While it is our aim to avoid the sensational in both selling and advertising we could not term this special offer anything else for this is your opportunity to supply your summer needs in a cool suit at a very small price.

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## Our Line of Beautiful and Splendid Summer Fabrics

Of which you will find some values of compelling interest mentioned here.

**Special Showing of Laces and Embroideries**

- Lot No. 1—5,000 yards Irish, Torchon Lace edge and insert, assorted widths, price **5c**
- Lot No. 2—3,600 yards German and French Val Lace, edge and insert to match, price **5c**
- Lot No. 3—2,400 yards imported Val Laces and insert, assorted widths, price **10c**
- Lot No. 4—1,500 yards Venetian Torchon Lace edge and insert, values from 6 1-4c to 12 1-2c, price **5c**
- Lot No. 5—2,500 yards Cambric Embroidery, assorted width, edge and insert, 7 1-2c values, price **5c**
- Lot No. 6—1,500 yards Cambric Embroidery Flouncing, width 6 to 9 inches, 15c values, price **10c**
- Lot No. 7—1,200 yards Swiss Embroidery in match dainty patterns, assorted widths, price **25c**
- Lot No. 8—1,000 yards Swiss Embroidery, edge, insert and flounce, a large assortment **35c**
- 500 yards Allover Lace in white and ecru of Irish point, net frill, etc., \$2.50, \$2, \$1.50, \$1 and **75c**
- 500 yards Allover Embroidery in Cambric, Swiss and Voile, in white and fancy, prices, \$1.50, \$1, 75c and **50c**

**Special Showing of White Goods**

- 45 inch white Organdy and air line, a fine sheer fabric, prices 85c, 75c, 65c and **50c**
- 45 inch mercerized Batiste, a real importation, prices 50c, 35c and **25c**
- 36 inch mercerized Nainsook, Cambric, Fin and English longcloth, the fabrics for underwear, 25c and **15c**
- 45 inch Flaxon in plain and fancy, an ideal wash fabric, prices 40c, 35c, 25c and **20c**
- 36 inch Linene, Repp, Marsales and Piques, for the white skirts and middy blouses, prices 40c to **25c**
- 36 and 45 inch real Linen Waisting, butchers and Irish linen, prices 75c, 65c, 50c and **35c**

**Special Showing of Wash Fabrics**

- 5,000 yards 32 inch Noxall Chambrays in light and medium colors, designs, stripes, checks and plaids **10c**
- 7,500 yards 36 inch print Cambric and Percale in light and colored grounds, assorted patterns, prices 15c and **10c**
- 5,000 yards New York Ginghams and Noxall Madras in solids, checks and stripes, fast colors **10c**
- 1,000 yards Gold Seal Ginghams, guaranteed fast colors, a large assortment of patterns, price **12 1-2c**

See our beautiful display of the very latest things in ladies summer collars. Many styles from **25c to \$1.00**

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**Special Showing of House Furnishings and Draperies**

- 72 inch mercerized Damask in assorted patterns in fleur-de-lis, snow drop, etc. **50c**
- 72 inch extra heavy mercerized Damask with the Grecia border and assorted designs, price **75c**
- 72 inch all linen imported Damask in bleached and satin finish, prices \$1.50, \$1.25 and **\$1.00**
- 72 inch imported linen Damask, a large assortment with napkins to match, \$2.50 to **\$1.50**
- 36 inch Art Denims in large Oriental designs and vintage patterns, prices **20c**
- 32 inch Cretons in light and colored grounds of fruit and floral designs, prices, 15c, 12 1-2c and **10c**
- 36 inch French Madras, a two-tone drapery of silky sheene of rich coloring, price **60c**
- 36 inch curtain Madras in plain and fancy border in white, cream and ecru, prices 35c, 25c and **20c**
- 45 inch fancy net and natting hair laces of oriental effects in white and tinted, prices \$1.00, 75c, 65c and **50c**
- 36 inch Burlap, colors natural dark green, tan and brown, price **20c**

We are showing the new Gossard Front Lace Summer Corsets. You can really keep cool with one of these corsets on. **\$3.00**

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**Premiums for the return of your cash tickets**

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