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PEOPLE CONTRIBUTE TO COMMUNITY PLAY GROUND

WILL INSTALL TENNIS AND CROQUET COURTS WITHIN FEW DAYS

Messrs. E. C. Lamb and R. W. Branham were out yesterday circulating a subscription list with the purpose of raising \$500, to be used for constructing tennis and croquet courts and other means of amusement on the Wilson lots across the street southwest of the Methodist church, for the use of the young people of the town. They have gotten about half around the business part of town and are very much gratified at the manner in which the people are contributing to the proposition. Practically everybody they have seen has contributed, and the amount will be raised within the next day or so. This is but the beginning of a community center movement, which it is hoped will in time grow until a Y. M. C. A. or similar society building to cost \$50,000 will be erected, ground which the social activities of the town will revolve.

The News wishes to add its endorsement to the movement, and sincerely trusts that everyone will cooperate in its promotion. All such matters but make Plainview a better place to live in.

Niece Killed By Explosion

Mrs. O. O. Reed received a message yesterday saying that her niece Miss Evelyn Myers, had been killed in an explosion in Chicago. This morning's papers tell of the accident, in which ten were killed and twenty-five injured. A large dirigible balloon was making a test flight over the city, and caught on fire, falling 500 feet, crashing through the glass roof of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank and the employees were trapped and burned to death in a fire caused by the explosion of the balloon's gas tanks as they hit the rotunda where 200 clerks and bookkeepers were working.

Normal Gets New Dormitory

President Hill of Canyon Normal passed through here Saturday enroute home from Austin, where he had been in conference with the legislature relative to appropriations for support of the Normal for the coming two years. He was rejoicing over the fact that \$150,000 had been appropriated for the erection and furnishing of a girls' dormitory building, also an appropriation for a boiler house.

City Council Proceedings

At its regular meeting last night the city council gave permission to J. N. Morrison of the creamery to connect the muffler of his engine with the sewerage main, in order to dispose of the water from the engine.

Aldermen Hooper and Harlan of the sewer committee were authorized to procure a site and right-of-way for the sewer pipes and location for the sewer tank.

Dr. Robinson Returns Home Sick

Dr. E. E. Robinson, pastor of the Methodist church, returned Saturday night from attending the Centenary Movement celebration at Columbus, Ohio. He also visited relatives in Kentucky. While en route home he was taken sick in Oklahoma, and stopped for a day or so at El Reno. He is now improving.

Pawning D. S. Cs. for \$5

New York, July 16.—American distinguished service crosses and French war crosses, won by Americans soldiers on the battlefields of France at a risk of their lives, are available in New York pawn shops for the insignificant sum of \$5, it was learned tonight.

County Gets Two Trucks

The government has allotted two army trucks to Hale county for use in road work, and they will be sent here soon. The county commissioners asked for four trucks.

R. C. Dublin has bought from R. P. Hauck a quarter-section farm seven miles northeast of Plainview, paying \$9,500 for it.

Mr. Reimers has closed the Sanitary Bakery, and he and his family are moving to a farm in the Providence community.

AMERICAN DEAD MAY BE BROUGHT TO U. S.

Hudspeth Bill would Provide Funds For Return of All Bodies of Americans

Washington, July 19.—Thirty-five million dollars is proposed as an appropriation in a bill today introduced by Representative Hudspeth to cover the cost of returning from Europe the bodies of American soldiers, but only instances of where the return is requested by the relatives. The Government, under the bill, would pay the cost of transportation to the point designated by the relatives.

The Government has adopted no policy with reference to return of the bodies, and soon after the armistice was signed former Attorney General Gregory went to France under a commission of the War Department to work out the legal phase of the situation, which, it was understood, involved the policy of the French Government with respect to bringing their dead from the battlefields. It was indicated that if the French people demanded the return of the bodies the cost would also be borne by the government.

Many people in this country are content to allow their relatives to sleep where they fell, yet there is considerable demand for the return of bodies so they may be reinterred in the family burial lot. There will be many instances where the bodies can not be recovered.

Editor Warwick of the Canyon News has just returned from a year's service with the army in France. He is opposed to bonding the state for \$50,000,000 in order to give each soldier a bonus of \$500. He says "A vast majority of the men are opposed to it. They are not asking the people for more than a job and to be let alone to work out their own destiny. They are opposed to settling upon the state a debt of \$50,000,000 which they themselves will have to pay back, to a large extent, during the coming years. To a small percent of the men the bonus would be a God-send; to another per cent it would be a calamity; to a majority of the boys the bonus would be an insult. The bill seems to be presented for no other than political reasons. It may pass the legislature, for in opposing anything that has to do with the welfare, or purported welfare of our returned soldiers, one lays himself liable to being called a pro-German, Bolshevik, slacker, and a bunch of other horrible names. But should it get that far, the courts will kill it. The bill is going to have more kick in its reaction against the sponsors than they have ever dreamed."

Legislature Will Adjourn Today

The special session of the legislature will adjourn today, the thirty day limit having expired. Representative Tilson last week wrote to the editor of the News that he would be very glad for adjournment to come, as he is tired and weary of the session.

Will Go to Lockney

Ross Mickey and family will move to Lockney August 15, where he will take charge of the Lockney Drug Co. He is employed as prescriptionist at the Long-Harp Drug Co., and is a very competent drug man. V. N. Dillard of Lockney has bought a half interest in the Lockney Drug Co.

Barth Released on Bond

Ernest Barth, charged with operating a small whiskey still on a farm near Hale Center, was taken to Amarillo last week, to appear before the United States court commissioner. He was granted bail in the sum of \$750, which he gave and was released.

Tilson Voted for Resolution

Representative Tilson of this county was one of the six who voted for the resolution asking Gov. Hobby to resign on account of his connection with the Blue Ridge farm matter.

R. A. Long and J. E. Nance returned Sunday from the Burk Burnett oil fields, where they have been looking after the drilling of a well for the Horseshoe Bend Oil Co. The well has been drilled two thousand feet, but no paying oil found. The well will possibly be drilled deeper.

A son was born last week at Wichita Falls to Mr. and Mrs. Kirby L. Smith, formerly of Plainview. The mother is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Alexander.

THEY ARE HERE THE NEW RED SEAL GINGHAMS

You Know the Quality
Ask the Mother Who Buys
School Dresses
School Aprons
School Waists
School Shirts, etc.
Why She Always Insists Upon Getting
RED SEAL
She will invariably tell you
1st, The Colors Are Fast
2nd, The Quality Is Good
3rd, The Price Is Right
With pleasure we announce the arrival of the new Fall Shipment.

Richards Bros. & Collier
WHERE PEOPLE WHO DRESS BEST TRADE

Will Stockton Appointed Postmaster
Friday President Wilson sent to the senate the appointment of Will Stockton as postmaster of Plainview. The senate confirmed the appointment Saturday. Mr. Stockton will take charge of the office about August 1st.

Acting Postmaster Ernest Spencer will remain in the office as assistant postmaster, which position he has held for several years.
The names of C. C. Powell and Wm. F. Miller, Happy, were also sent in.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Risser moved from the farm into town Saturday and now occupy the residence they recently bought from F. F. Hardin.

Fine Crops on South Plains
G. W. Harp of near Lamesa was here this week visiting his two sons. He says there never have been such fine crops in that section as there are this year. A big row crop is now maturing and a fine cotton crop is growing. The rains have each time fallen just before the farmers begun to need moisture.

Scenic Route Boosters to Meet
Delegates from the various towns in Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico along the "Scenic Route" of the Bankhead National Highway will hold a convention in Medicine Park, near Lawton, Okla., Aug. 12-13. Plainview and Hale Center are on this route and will likely be represented.

ANNOUNCEMENT



We wish to announce there will be a New Millinery Department added to our store. Preparations are already being made for the new room which will carry strictly high grade millinery for Ladies, Misses and Children. We were exceptionally fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. Ode Thomas. Mrs. Thomas is widely known as one of the foremost millinery designers ever in this city. She is now in the Eastern markets selecting pretty new shapes for fall. Your desire for artistic millinery will find complete satisfaction beginning here this fall.

Watch this space for Millinery Opening Announcement.

CARTER-HOUSTON'S
A Pleasant Place to Shop

3.70 INCHES RAIN FALL FIVE DAYS LAST WEEK

While Most All Plainview Country Was Visited, It Was Rather Light In Places

From Tuesday afternoon to Sunday afternoon 3.70 inches of rain fell in Plainview according to the official register. The rain of Tuesday afternoon of 1.98 inches was the heaviest, but possibly an inch and a half of rain fell in a short time Friday afternoon. There was a shower Saturday and another Sunday.

While rain fell all over the Plainview country, it was lighter and heavier in certain localities.

It is reported that four inches of rain fell in forty-eight minutes at Aiken, about six miles east of Plainview, Friday afternoon. It did not extend heavy very far around that place.

The rains did not injure the wheat much as it was cut and in the shock. It stopped the threshers for a few days, but they will resume work today. The row crops, millet, alfalfa, etc., were benefited much. A bumper crop is assured without any more rain.

Judge L. S. Kinder drove to his farm beyond Tulla yesterday. He says a very heavy rain fell beyond the railroad crossing, six miles north of Plainview, to Tulla. Only a light rain fell at his place, though Friday afternoon a very heavy hail fell there.

There is something wrong with W. M. Glover, who lives a few miles west of town. The rains of last week fell all around his farm but did not fall on it, and he informed us yesterday that he is needing moisture on his crops. Maybe if he would get married the weather man would deal more generously with him.

But then, True Rosser, who lives northwest of Petersburg is a married man, and the weather man is not treating him and his neighbors right, for there is a strip of country three or four miles wide through that section where only a light shower fell last week.

Mr. Curtis was in town Saturday and said a heavy rain fell in the Ellen country. It was about three inches Friday afternoon on the Callahan ranch, but was light toward Petersburg.

W. R. Ferguson of Hale Center was here Saturday and reported only about an inch of rain had fallen in that community last week.

Mr. Crozier, the mail carrier, says heavy rains fell over about Olton last week.

Clayton Williams of the Prairieview community, north of Plainview, was in town this morning, and said nearly five inches of rain fell in that community, but further over in the Whitfield community very little fell.

Waller Davenport of near Kress is in town today. He says there have been fine rains in that community and crops are looking fine.

Gainsville Flooded By Rain
Gainsville, Texas, July 19.—A veritable waterspout here early this morning caused the greatest flood in the history of Gainsville, a large portion of the city being inundated by the overflow from Pecan Creek, which spread out for several blocks at some points.

Many homes were flooded, but there was no loss of life here.

Water stands a foot deep in many stores, and all bridges were washed out. The property loss is great.

More than nine inches of rain fell within six hours this morning, which with the 1.79 inches which fell yesterday morning makes 10.89 inches in twenty-four hours.

Bledsoe Sworn In as Senator

Friday W. H. Bledsoe of Lubbock was sworn into office as state senator, though the official returns had not been received showing his election as such.

A special election has been called to be held Aug. 20 in the 122nd representative district, which includes Lubbock, Crosby, Floyd, Briscoe and other counties, to elect a successor to Bledsoe.

A Lubbock lawyer has announced as candidate for the place, and it is possible Ben Smith, editor of the Lockney Beacon, will be a candidate.

Hatchell Buys Section Land

A. C. Hatchell, district attorney, has bought a section of land 3 miles south of Hale Center from F. O. Shields. He says it is one of the prettiest sections in the county, and he is very proud of it.

SPENCERS BUY LARGE TRACTS PLAINS LANDS

ANDERSON, FERRY, RISSER AND HARRINGTON SELL TO OIL MEN

W. E. and J. E. Spencer of Cisco and Rotan have recently bought more than a quarter-million dollars' worth of lands near Plainview. Among their purchases is the section of land just west of Plainview, from Dr. J. C. Anderson; this land is in cultivation and part of it under irrigation. Also from E. H. Perry a section near by, also a half-section north of town adjoining Seth Ward addition. Also from W. E. Risser a section of land west of town, and from W. L. Harrington 280 acres of land near Seth Ward and the Harrington residence in Plainview.

We have not heard positively, but understand that some oil leases are involved as part consideration in these deals.

The Spencers have also bought large tracts of lands in other parts of the Plains.

Soldiers Are Returning

Mose Yowell, son of Mose Yowell, who lives in Runningwater, expects to be discharged from Camp Taylor, in Kentucky, this week, so a letter to his parents says. He returned to this country from France June 26.

Sgt. Grover C. Burt arrived in New York from service in France, so a message to his parents states. He is now at Camp Merritt, and will doubtless soon be discharged.

Nolan Brown, son of J. O. Brown, arrived Monday of last week at New York from service with the remount service across seas. He was taken to Camp Jackson, in South Carolina, where he will be discharged and will then return home.

Col. Smyth Is In Austin

Col. R. P. Smyth left Sunday morning for Austin to confer with the state highway commission relative to securing federal aid for road improvements in Hale county.

An order was made by the commissioners' court in session last week to send Col. Smyth to Austin to make petition for aid, after telling the needs of Hale county and its intentions as to making good roads. The available funds from the federal government apportioned to Texas have been exhausted, and no money can likely be secured until congress makes another appropriation, or the \$75,000,000 bond issue to be voted on in Texas Nev. 4 carries, which is hardly likely.

Waller Burned With Gasoline

While working yesterday about his tailor shop J. M. Waller spilled some gasoline on his clothing, and later when he struck a match the gas ignited, seriously burning his left arm before the flame could be extinguished. He is now going about with his arm in a sling.

Army's Strength 782,000 Men

Washington, July 19.—The army's strength of July 14 was 782,000, of whom 282,000 were in the A. E. F., and 91,000 at sea en route to the United States.

Up to today, discharges had reached the total of 2,946,804, and the number sailing from Europe since Nov. 11, was 1,717,168.

Senate Discussing Treaty

The senate is giving practically all its time now to the discussion of the provisions of the peace treaty and League of Nations covenant. It is thought that it will be ratified, with possibly a few reservations.

Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skipworth, Jr., of Kress, (at Plainview Sanitarium), July 21, girl. G. F. Ingram, 10 miles northeast of Runningwater, July 20, boy.

TODAY'S LOCAL MARKET

Butter, lb.	40c to 45c
Butterfat, lb.	49c
Hogs, lb.	19c to 19 1-2c
Hens, lb.	18c
Fryers, lb.	25c
Roosters, lb.	6c
Turkeys, lb.	20c
Wheat, per bu.	\$2.07
Oats, bushel	58c
Alfalfa, ton	\$18 to \$20
Wool, lb.	30c to 45c
Hides, gree.	28c; dry 35c

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A lot of valuable time is wasted by the crowd on the corner discussing whether there will be rain the next day.

All we have to say is, if this rainy weather continues all the frogs and waterdogs on the Plains will be drowned.

Cheer up! There are so many people looking for the best of it that it is a wonder that more of us do not get the worst of it.

The viewpoint makes a lot of difference. We all used to raise a big racket every time Mr. Rockefeller raised the price of oil. Now, since most of us have oil interests, we denounce him for lowering the price of oil.

It is reported that on account of the United States adopting prohibition thousands of foreigners will leave this country and thousands who have been contemplating coming will not do so. My, my, aren't there lots of good things about having prohibition!

With the United States three years behind on her building program, Europe five years behind, and the rest of the world also clamoring for lumber, it is small wonder that flooring should be quoted at seventy-five dollars, with a fair prospect of going up to eighty-five shortly. If a person needs to build, he should build now.

Alabama is the second state to refuse to ratify suffrage amendment. Another spike driven into the coffin of the democratic party in next year's national campaign. It was Gen. Grant who declared the democratic party could always act the fool at the right time. To save our life, we cannot see what good people of the South who are opposing suffrage expect to accomplish. Suffrage is sure to come, so why not put it over at once?

"All is not gold that glitters" is an old-fashioned proverb, but it applies to conditions down in the oil fields. Wages and salaries are very high, but the high cost of living keeps well up with a person's income, and it is harder to make both ends meet there than in towns of the Plains, where wages are much lower. For instance, rooms in Wichita Falls range as high as \$75 a month rent. Many working people are said to be moving away, in order to save more money.

Editor Moody of the McLean News is a red-blooded American and has no mollycoddle microbes in his make-up. He served in the war, but is not seeking any bonuses or special favors because he done so. He says the returned soldier does not desire to be considered a "sissy" to be fed with a spoon, for "he wants nothing better than just merely to take up life where he left off, and to have the same opportunities as other men." He says the American soldier "never was in better condition to go to work, and take the lead in the affairs of the country, and that is no job for a loafer." Also, that he needs to get away from thoughts of army life and militarism. In this connection, it is significant that the recent national convention of soldiers passed a resolution declaring that all designations of rank be dropped. The American soldier can be relied upon to take care of himself, so, just let him alone, for that is all he asks.

Prohibition forces control the house, they control the senate and they are going to make the general enforcement bill as drastic as possible. It has been decreed by the American people that the manufacture and the sale of intoxicants shall cease in this republic. Then why a mild enforcement act? There is no place for the saloon in the new civilization. There is no place for the sale of poison that breeds pauperism, crime and insanity. There is no place for those who would make golden profit or coin into money the blood and tears of humanity.

While the News is favorable to the League of Nations and hopes the senate will ratify it, yet we are disgusted with the unwarranted attacks being made upon senators who are pointing out alleged errors and increasing doubts. This treaty is by far the most far-reaching issue that has ever come before congress, and the senate should be very careful in analyzing every word before putting its stamp approval upon it. If these so-called "recalcitrant" senators really believe the covenant is as dangerous and menacing as they say it is, it is their duty to stand to the end against its ratification.

The soft drink manufacturers and venders have started a crusade against hard cider. These dealers and venders say cider is being sold in the state that has four times as many kicks in it as beer, and that in certain places people are passing up the harmless drinks and imbibing the drunk-making cider. The juice of the apple is going to prove one of the most difficult problems for officials to deal with. A barrel of cider is started from Missouri to Texas, and when it starts it is as harmless as the dew of Hermon. Five days later it reaches Texas, and there is a jag in every cupful of the sparkling juice. It isn't unlawful to manufacture a non-in-toxicating beverage, and no law that can be enacted will make the non-in-toxicating cider stay non-in-toxicating.—Honey Grove Signal.

News Want Ads Pay.

HALE CENTER

July 21.—Miss Mona Horton, who has been teaching near Dumas, returned home Monday night.

Mrs. S. J. Underwood in in Fort Worth at the bedside of her mother, who is seriously ill.

Monday night was regular meeting night for the D. of R's. After the close of the regular business, the Rebekah Degree was conferred upon two candidates following which refreshments were served and a merry social time was enjoyed until a late hour.

A. M. Keen of Fort Worth was greeting friends here the latter part of the week.

Miss Mae Morrison of Lubbock is a guest of the Misses Webb.

Mrs. W. N. Claxton visited her sister, Mrs. Bert McWhorter and family in Lubbock last week.

Robt. Bone and family arrived from Wichita Falls Friday for a visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Bone and other relatives.

Mr. Johnny Hale returned home Sunday morning after a visit to Cleburne, Waco, and San Antonio. Albert Hebert of Plainview was a Sunday visitor here.

Hale Center was well represented in Tulia Saturday.

Commissioner W. N. Claxton returned from Plainview Friday.

MAYFIELD

This community was visited Wednesday and Thursday by nice showers, which were greatly appreciated by the farmers.

Everybody in this community is through cutting wheat, and is now waiting for the thrasher.

Miss Elaine McMinn visited Neita and Auty Hooper from Wednesday until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hooper and daughter Essie visited relatives in Plainview from Tuesday until Thursday.

Fred Severs made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday.

Quite a number of Little Robert McMinn's friends gathered at his home Sunday afternoon to help him celebrate his seventh birthday. Victrola music was enjoyed by all. Ice cream and cakes were served.

Mrs. Nick Alley, Mrs. R. W. Sanders and Miss Gertrude Hunt were pleasant callers in the A. D. Hooper home Monday afternoon.

KRESS

July 17.—Roy Wood, manager of the Farmers Mill & Elevator Co., was a business visitor in Amarillo the last of the week.

Miss Lula Watts, who has been visiting in Lockney for several days, returned to her home here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Wicker and children, of Brownwood, are here for an extended visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Roy Skipworth of near Kress.

George Houser has returned, after being a few days in Electra, Texas. He was accompanied home by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Emmitt Houser. She is also visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore.

Mrs. V. A. Beck has received a letter from her son, Bert, who has been in France for some time. He has landed back safe and expects to be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson and children, of Plainview, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Meyer Sunday.

Quite a number were entertained last Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skipworth, with a moonlight party, given in honor of Misses Cora and Mae Wicker. The evening being among our pleasantest it will be long remembered by everyone who were present.

We were also entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Caudle Monday night. This was given in honor of Lee Houser, who was to leave Tuesday for Amarillo, after a few days vacation and a visit with relatives here. We all spent a most delightful evening there and hope to be present at another such party soon, given in honor of Mr. Houser.

LUBBOCK

July 7.—J. C. Duff Jr., has returned from Plainview where he visited several days.

L. W. McBride, contractor of Plainview, but temporary headquarters in Crosbyton, was in town one day recently in search of help on buildings under construction in that town.

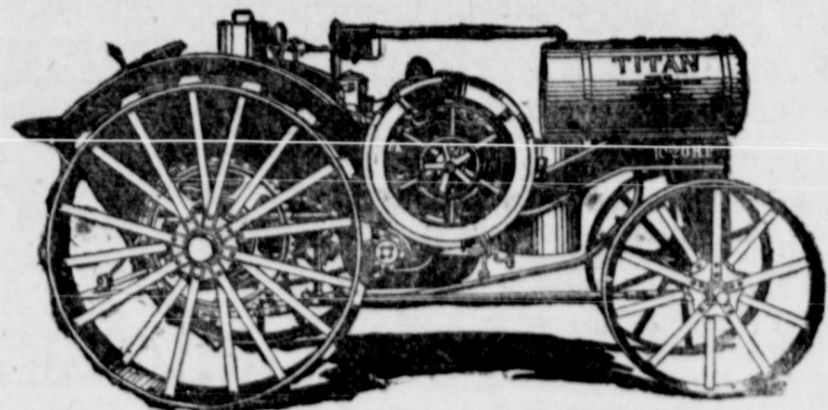
Miss Lucille Zollicoffer, of Plainview, is the guest of Miss Hene Johnson this week.

Hugh Ragland, a young man of Abernathy was here the latter part of last week and underwent a slight operation. He was able to return home Monday.

W. B. Atkins went to Plainview last Saturday on a short business trip. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Wylie Brashears and little daughter, Miss Evelyn, who are the guests at the Atkin's home this week.

Though not permitted to mention for sure, a number of business firms will open new lines in Lubbock within the next few weeks. The splendid general prospects in this country is

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- Avery Gas Tractor.
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 Try a News Want Ad.

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- Parlor set, with dark upholstered doufold and rocking chairs.
- New King William and Queen Mary dining room set, consisting of serving table, china cabinet, buffet, 54-inch table and six chairs.
- 3 Mahogany rocking chairs, with leather upholstery.
- Set of kitchen chairs. Library Table. Dresser. Chiffonier.
- 2 white and 1 bronze enameled iron beds.
- 3 excellent springs, two of which have equalizers. 3 Mattresses, including a new Sealy mattress. Pillows. Comforts. A number of small rugs.
- 4 large new Axminster rugs; 1 Brussels.
- Round Oak range, with polished top. Perfection oil heater. Perfection 4-burner oil stove, with oven. Kitchen Cabinet, with porcelain top. Kitchen Utensils. Dishes.
- Not-a-seme refrigerator. Cream Freezer. Washing Machine. New Mason Rotary and Singer Sewing Machine. Shelf Clock. Baby's walker and jumper. Oliver Typewriter. No. 5. Wissner Artist's Upright Grand Piano.
- Most all of this furniture has only been in use one year. Also garden tools, including excellent force pump. Also small quantity of Sudan Seed.

AN OVERLAND CAR, 1913 Model, driven only 13,000 miles and in excellent condition.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I have purchased the coal business of the E. C. Hunter Coal Co. and will have associated with me in my business Mr. N. A. Price, the new firm name being Bonner & Price Coal and Grain Company.

We will conduct both the Hunter yard and the former Allen & Bonner yard under the new management. Mr. Price will have charge of the Hunter yard and I will continue at the Allen & Bonner yard. We can serve you equally well from both yards and will appreciate the business of both our former customers and those of Mr. Hunter.

We appreciate the business given Allen & Bonner and hope that we will be able to extend this patronage thru our new arrangement. Service, in all that word means, will be our effort and with the personal attention that Mr. Price and I will give at the two yards we hope to warrant your patronage.

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Dallas Women's Eyebrows Disappear
Dallas, Tex.—Dallas boasts of the only professional "eyebrow pulling shop" in the Southwest. The craze of women and even school girls for long thin eyebrows with fantastic curves and arches has reached such stage that couple of young men are making a fortune with a few pair of tweezers and some sweet-scented lotions. They will arrange a girl's eyebrows in any shape for \$10 and their patronage has grown to such

extent that they are now preparing to secure larger quarters and put on four extra "pullers."

Westside Postpones Building School
Some time ago Westside community, in the western part of the county, voted a bond issue of \$6,000 to be used in building a brick school house. Bids were asked, and it was found that \$8,000 would be necessary to carry out the plans of the board, hence it has been decided to postpone

the building of the house until next year.

J. S. Christian died in Canyon last week. He had been a resident of that county since 1891.

A chautauqua will be held in Canyon August 14-18.

The Panhandle Grain and Elevator Co., of Amarillo has bought the flour mill in Canyon.



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LABOR SEEKING GREAT POWER

"Full participation of labor in politics" was urged by the resolutions committee in reporting a resolution at the American Federation of Labor Convention at Atlantic City.

The committee reported: "Conscious as never before of its power, labor will no longer rest content under a system which treats workers as commodities or articles of commerce. The workers now insist on the full value and a full compensation for services rendered on a basis that will enable all to enjoy the higher things of life rather than merely exist near the line beyond which we find human misery and which spells human bankruptcy."

The committee further recommends remedies against unemployment; demands protection of women and children in industry; demands adequate wages; declares labor's right to fix its own working hours; favors cooperative institutions of farmers and similar producing agencies; favors curbing the power of the government to make and unmake laws; favors full participation of labor in politics, but disapproves of partisan politics, favors public ownership or control or regulation of public and semi-public utilities; favors public extension of waterways and public ownership and development of waterpower; urges a minimum of land tenancies and favors farm ownership with public aid; would curb corporate powers; insists on a full return of freedom of speech migration for two years and restrict it thereafter; would tax in sons of property; favors state colleges for workers' children and demands a voice for labor in conducting industrial education; urges government aid in building homes, opposes large standing armies.

Something for Nothing

We are going to give the young men of this community something for nothing—a little advice free of charge. But it is good advice, is given in all sincerity, and is for their present as well as for their prospective good.

You tell us you want work, but that there is nothing for you to do. Let us see.

All over this part of the state there are many of the best farms of the country. There are big farms, medium sized farms, and even one man acreages.

These farms are not producing to their maximum, because the owners can not secure the necessary farm labor. If they could secure the necessary help the acreage would be materially increased each year, and the community would become richer, and better, and more attractive to all people.

You want a job, do you? We'll test your sincerity, for your good and for the welfare of the community.

To each young man out of a job, who is willing to go into a nearby farm and get to work, we will run in this paper, free of charge, a five line want ad for two weeks. That ad should secure you a job within a few days.

There is no more dignified calling than that of tilling the soil. It is the source from which the sustenance of all life springs.

Go onto the farm today. Be industrious. Strive each day to learn something new. Make up your mind that you will begin at the bottom and end at the top.

In ten years, while yet young, you will be carrying success around in your pocket. You will have a comfortable bank account. You may even have a farm of your own. And you will be admired and respected by the whole community.

But—"No farm life for me!" you say? Then this is our prophesy:

In ten years, instead of being successful and admired by your neighbors, you will still be periodically looking for that job. You will be a stranger to the business entrance of a bank. You will be scheming to make both ends meet, possibly at your wits' end to support a family on an income not sufficient for one.

The young man who begins life with looking for a soft job generally ends by doing the dirty work which others kick aside.

Two roads are open before you, and no obstacles bar your way. The choice is yours.—Exchange.

Ford Buys Out Partners

Detroit.—Reorganization of the Ford Motor Company is being completed, whereby Edsel B. Ford, 25-year-old president of the company, becomes, with the exception of one other stockholder, the sole partner of his father, Henry Ford. This announcement was made here by Frank L. Klingensmith, vice-president and general manager of the company.

Mrs. Klingensmith announced that purchase has been arranged for all the minority stock excepting a block held by James Cousens, millionaire mayor of Detroit, and former vice-president of the company.

Recapitalization of the company also is contemplated, Mr. Klingensmith said, but added that announcement of the details at this time would be premature. Officials of the company refused to divulge the amount involved in the purchase. It was estimated in financial circles, however, that it would total close to one hundred million dollars.

Up to the present, Henry Ford has held 58 1-2 per cent of the Ford Motor stock. The announcement came as a complete surprise in motor and financial circles, as it has been rumored for some weeks that another large motor corporation was seeking the minority holdings.

Robert Jetton Dies

Robert Jetton recently died at Goldthwaite. He and his wife lived for several years near Hale Center, moving to Goldthwaite last September for the benefit of his health.

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KODAKS TO RENT.

Southwest of Square.

A big tabernacle to cost \$1000 is being erected at Lorenzo. Canadian will let the contract for paving its main street.

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SOCIETY

Forty-Two Party for Fort Worth and Lockney Guests

Miss Georgia Brashear entertained in honor of Misses Bertha Ruth and Ledá Belle Durrett and Charles Parley of Fort Worth and Miss Bess Thompson of Lockney last night.

The home was decorated in orange and white throughout. The color scheme was carried out again in the refreshments, which were orange sherbet and cake, served at the close of a number of games of forty-two. The guests were the honorees, and Irene Lamb, Lucille Kinder, Marie Gidney, Josephine Settoon, Nell Sansom, Kathleen Joiner, Kathleen Vencil, Jo and Lula Goode, Lula Blain and Ruth Neil, Elzena Perdue, Anna Sims, Hattie Dillingham and Lacy Dalton, and Ural Armstrong, Morey McGlasson, Harold Hughes, George Wyckoff, Lawrence Gray, H. S. Hilburn, Nelson Perdue, Guy Gibbs, Tom Fletcher, Frank Henderson, Homer Knoke, Luther Bain, Jones, Davis and Reynolds.

Family Reunion at McGlasson's

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McGlasson of Waco are here visiting his father, D. W. McGlasson, also Carroll McGlasson and family of Kress and Mrs. C. R. Pennington and family of near Silverton were here Monday, and a family re-union was held that day at the McGlasson home, with J. M. Waller and family and others, thirty being present, in honor of the birthday anniversary of one of the daughters. The day was very pleasantly spent, and a dinner was served.

Tea Dance for Dallas Girl

Saturday afternoon, Sadye Earle Adams entertained in honor of Miss Elaine Wood of Dallas.

Bronze and rustic baskets filled with sunflowers, nasturtiums and daisies were used as decoration. While the Edison furnished music for dancing, chocolate float was served to Misses Elaine Wood, Electra Anderson, Grace Rosser, Martha McClendon, Bernard Speed, Ruth Towery, Gladys Speer, Maurine Richards, Louise Lamb, Edna Feinagle, Mary Spenser, Josephine Settoon, Margaret Alley of Hale Center and Kathleen Lemond of Kansas City.

Birthday Surprise for Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Jr.

Yesterday was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. J. C. Anderson, and members of the family and several friends got up a surprise for her at the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul Barker. She was invited over to the Barker home, where there was a birthday cake with lighted candles. The cake was cut and served with ice cream, and a very pleasant evening spent. There were also a number of remembrances for her.

Miss Lillie Ellerd Returns from Washington

Miss Lillie Ellerd returned Saturday afternoon from Washington, D. C., where she spent the past ten months working in the communication department of the national headquarters of the Red Cross society. She says she had a very pleasant and interesting position.

She witnessed many interesting happenings while in the capital city, where big events were brought forward by the world war, and she also heard some of the great debates in congress. She says the ovation recently given by the people of Washington to President Wilson on his return from the peace conference was very enthusiastic, and more than a hundred thousand people crowded about the railroad station and lined the streets toward the White House.

She, Misses Dean Lowe, Amy and Susie Glenn, all Plainview girls, had apartments together, hence were not lonesome. The other three girls are under the civil service—Miss Amy in the war risk department and Misses Susie and Dean in the treasury department. Miss Amy sings in the choir of one of the largest churches in the city, the choir being composed of four hundred voices.

The four young ladies had a very delightful trip to New York city some time ago.

Notice Basketball Girls

All girls wishing to play basketball will meet at the Central School courts Thursday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. T. E. Richards and little son, Harmon, left yesterday morning for Comanche, to attend the funeral of Judge J. H. McMillan, her sister's husband, who died in a Fort Worth hospital Sunday afternoon, and will be buried in Comanche this morning. The deceased had been county judge of Comanche county for nearly ten years, and was known to many people in Hale county, who came from that section of the state.

DOING HIS BIT

By LAURA J. NUNN.

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Early in the great movement for the conservation of food Jessie had bronched the subject to her husband. He had acquiesced most heartily. Certainly he would be glad to "do his bit."

"All I want is the plainest of food," he said. "And your cooking would make the worst concoctions delicious!"

For a while all went well. Delicious dishes based on rice or spaghetti, with nourishing meat sauces, appeared on the table, and occasionally an entire meal of vegetables. And John had eaten them, first with noisy approbation of the economic value of the movement, then with a great parade of patriotism, but lastly in a pregnant silence that spoke volumes of martyrdom. Several times he had telephoned that he would not be home for dinner—detained by business.

And then one evening the cat was out of the bag. John had arrived home almost an hour earlier than usual, laden down with packages. Into the kitchen he strode and slammed them noisily down upon the tub-tops. "There!" he said as he untied a string and disclosed a huge steak; "there's a piece of meat. That's steak! Beef! Allow me to introduce you, madam, to a meal. I have had all the makeshifts I want around here and I am off the war stuff for good and all! Why," he continued virtuously, "all I want is simple food. A good piece of meat, some vegetables, some good bread and butter, and a dessert. No frills to that. And I'm going to have them."

Secretly Jessie was just as well pleased. The "makeshifts" had meant much extra work for her, and it must be admitted she did not particularly enjoy made dishes. She, too, liked "good plain food."

So matters forged along until John produced a pair of tickets for a lecture on "Hooverizing." "It is tonight," he said. "We will have to go—and thank goodness it is with a clear conscience that we can hear him hand it to those people who have not been doing their bit."

"Well, we certainly have!" laughed Jessie.

An hour later, from their comfortable seats in the hall, they looked at each other in consternation. But the speaker's words still flowed on in earnest appeal, and there was not time for discussion.

"Hundreds of you good people would tell me if I asked you, that you are doing all you can," he said. "You will say that you have cut out everything but necessities. You are using nothing but plain food—and plain food with you means the best roasts of beef, lamb and pork; the finest steaks and chops; the whitest bread you can obtain, and the 'simplest' desserts—usually pies or cake which use up the white flour."

"Do you honestly think you are doing your best? This war will be won or lost by food. Don't forget that for one minute. Most of you, in your comfortable houses, feel that the war is a remote thing which can never touch you. You give five minutes of pity to the starving children in Belgium or Poland, and then sit down to heaping plates of food and promptly forget all about them. You have a vague sense that everything will be all right. Uncle Sam is behind us, and of course that means that nothing can harm us. Other countries have suffered. But America? Impossible! And so you go on day by day, grumbling a little at the increased cost of living and continuing to live exactly as you did before the war."

"Many of you think because you have bought a Liberty bond you have 'done your bit.' What right have we to give a 'bit' while our men in the army give their all? So must we. We cannot all go to the front; some of us must stay here to keep things going. But we can and we must do without the things we like; must sacrifice what we most enjoy to help win the cruellest, most horrible war in the history of the world."

"Begin at home—now—to save the foods that our men at the front must have. Cut out the roasts, the steaks, the pies and puddings. What if you don't like war bread? Or macaroni? Or beans three times a week? Do you think the men in the trenches 'like' it—especially now when winter is at hand?"

"Looking at it from this point of view the housewives of the country are of even more importance than its army. For of what use would be an army without food?"

"And get away from this idea of doing your 'bit.' Go in all over. A 'bit' is not enough. ALL of the BEST of you is necessary. YOU can win this war!"

In silence John walked home beside his wife. She was doing some deep thinking but wisely refraining from saying anything—yet.

Finally it came out. Was it John's usually hearty, loud voice that spoke? "We'll begin tomorrow, Jess," he said huskily. "I guess we have not done much thinking—I've been wishing all along that I could do something. Envy the fellows in uniform and all that, you know. Even if I can't wear the khaki I can do something. How about it, old girl?"

And Jessie, as she thought of the ruined houses, the blind and crippled men, the starving women and children in Europe, gave thanks that she could do her part to aid the men who would fight to make such conditions impossible in America.

CHURCHES

Will Study Bible Characters

The Study Club of Circle 3 of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Emma Williamson Monday, July 27, at 3 o'clock.

Subject: "Character Study."
Leader—Miss Rebecca Ansley.
"Abraham,"—Mrs. T. E. Richards.
"Noah,"—Mrs. John Conner.
"Isaac,"—Mrs. E. C. Lamb.
"Jacob,"—Mrs. W. C. Mathes.
"Joseph,"—Mrs. Harrison.
"Moses,"—Mrs. McClendon.

Holiness Meeting

A Rev. Mr. Stevenson from outside the state is holding a series of meetings at the Nazarine church.

Forest Fire Situation Serious

Spokane, Wash., July 21.—Forest fire conditions in Northern Idaho, Western Montana, and Eastern Washington continued critical today, with several threatening blazes, according to federal forest service officials and timber protective association wardens.

The most serious fire was reported in the Pack River valley.

In the Pack River valley between Sand Point and Hope, Idaho, where 35 to 40 square miles have been burned over by flames that today were within two miles of the Great Northern railway tracks and three miles from Naples, Idaho. Neither was believed to be in danger however. Between 10,000,000 and 20,000,000 feet of white pine timber has been destroyed by this fire. Only rain can stop the fire, it was declared, and the only hope is to guide the flames away from the richest timber in their path.

A man was arrested at Sand Point in connection with alleged incendiary fires and it is thought another man will be arrested. Two fire fighters were arrested at Kooskia charged with accepting government transportation and refusing to join a fire fighting crew.

The most serious situation in Montana is in the Black Foot forest where four large blazes are being fought. Many fires in the three states were checked or put under control today and they were thought to be beyond the likelihood of increased danger unless more unfavorable weather conditions developed. The high winds of last week have abated.

Hale County Singing Convention

The Hale county singing convention will meet with the Ellen singing class on the 4th Sunday in this month, July 27th, and the following program will be rendered:

Opening song
Prayer by the chaplain
2 songs led by the president.
2 songs led by Clay Williams.
2 songs led by L. D. Griffin
Cornet and Violin duet by Messrs. Hand and Porter

2 songs led by Foster Henderson
2 songs led by Walter Hamilton
Duet arranged by Mrs. W. H. Hand

2 songs led by Grover Lemaster.
2 songs led by Rev. Clyde Haddick.
Quartet arranged by Jim Dines
2 songs led by M. C. Cornelius
2 songs led by Earl Raper
Solo by Jake Burkett
2 songs led by Johnnie Burt
Business session
Dinner on the ground for all
2 songs, led by L. W. Sloneker
2 songs led by Tom Ellerd
2 songs led by Frank Darden
Special music arranged by Mrs. Nine McComas.

2 songs led by Judge Clements
2 songs led by Allen Caldwell
2 songs led by Mr. McNaminy
Quartet arranged by T. J. Lowery
2 songs led by U. C. Slaughter
2 songs led by A. B. Cox
Special music arranged by Mrs. Grover Lemaster.
Quartet arranged by P. D. Windsor

2 songs led by Burt Jay
2 songs led by E. B. Shankle
Quartet by Messrs. Claxton, Shankle, Cornelius and Sloneker
Closing song
Prayer

We are using the 1918 quartet music book, and as some of the classes have the 1919 book from the same company, we would be glad to have them bring some along, so we could have the two different books for the day's service.

The meeting will open promptly at 10:30, every body come and bring your dinner and song book.
Yours in song, L. W. Sloneker, President.

If a man grew bald as he grew wiser most of us would have wonderful heads of hair.

You may not know it. But the girl who acts like a kitten to her lover often acts like a cat to her husband.

Try a News Want Ad.

The Plainview Mercantile Co.

Featuring July Sale on July Merchandise

Many hot days yet to come this summer. An honest reduction on desirable merchandise means something in these times of soaring prices. All merchandise of every nature is advancing every day.

Special On Wash Dresses

Gingham dresses, Voile dresses, Organdy dresses and Linen dresses at a special July Clearance price. 25 per cent reduction you can get

A \$20.00 Garment for . . .	\$15.00	A \$10.00 Garment for . . .	\$7.50
A \$15.00 Garment for . . .	\$11.25	A \$8.00 Garment for . . .	\$6.00
A \$12.00 Garment for . . .	\$9.00	A \$6.00 Garment for . . .	\$4.00

July Millinery Sale

Every hat in this department at . . . HALF-PRICE

July Clearance on Low Shoes



Every pair of every description on sale at sale reductions including infants', girls', misses', women's and men's, Real Reductions.



July Sale on Blouses

All Organdy, Voile, Georgette and Crepe de Chine blouses at real reduced prices. All included in one collection at sweeping reduction of 25 per cent. Figure the saving and save the difference.



New arrivals—Bettie Wales Serge dresses, real fine wool models. Other garments for Fall season soon to arrive.

Plainview Mercantile Co.

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Real Estate Transfers

Luther R. Bain to Mrs. M. B. Vaughn, lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 11, Railroad Addition, Plainview; consideration, \$185.

Chas. H. Tiffany and wife to J. H. Pettit, section 14, block DT; consideration, \$7,800.

J. T. Warren to S. G. Kays, section 5, block S, 160 acres; consideration, \$1,000.

Mrs. Eula Merrill to Luther Harper, section 10, block D-6, 260 acres; consideration, \$25,654.

J. L. Dorsett and wife to D. W. McGlasson, lots 13 and 14, block 56, Plainview; consideration, \$3,000.

W. H. Coon to Katie Coon, lot 15, block 26, Plainview; consideration, \$1,000.

C. L. Gilbert and wife to H. C. McIntyre, lot 14, block 42, Plainview; consideration, \$1,100.

Cassius E. Tool and wife to Mrs. Svea M. Testman, section 8, block C-3, 160 acres; consideration, \$3,500.

E. H. Perry and wife to W. E. and J. E. Spencer, blocks A, B, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, M, N, O, P, R, and T, East College Heights Addition section 2, block D-4; consideration \$10; and section 14, block JW-2, 640 acres; consideration, \$10.

W. E. Riser and wife to W. E. and J. E. Spencer, section 13, block JK-2, 640 acres; consideration, \$32,000.

W. L. C. Trammell and wife to Lillie A. Bamford, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 9, Depot Addition, Plainview; consideration, \$800.

E. Harlan and wife to Walter Cook, lot 7, block 4, Central Park Addition, Plainview; consideration, \$285.84.

E. F. Anderson and wife to R. L. Williams, lot 6, block 12, McClendon Addition, Plainview; consideration, \$400.

When the Car Goes Wrong
When I start up my gas wagon and she glides and purrs along, never skipping or back-firing, sweeter than a lover's song, then I lift up my dimpled chin, and I honk-honk through

Cook With Electricity Better Than Coal or Gas

Why not be comfortable these hot days? Why spend your energy over a hot stove? Why not buy an electric range? We have the dependable kind in two sizes, and would be glad to show them to you. Considering everything, the prices are not high.

Thor We also have the Thor washing machine—the best on the market. They save the drudgery of wash day.

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the city with a wide and soulful grin; but when my four tires go blooey and my battery's defunct.

then I think my doggone gas car should be smashed to bits and junked, then my soul is sorely troubled and my grin is swiped and lost and I wonder what I'll mortgage to pay what repairs will cost. There's no credit due the feller who grins when life flows along, but a crown awaits

the geezer who grins when his car goes wrong.—Judd Lewis.

The reason why a wife won't argue with her husband is because dandelions will die if you do not raise them in a hothouse.

If your wife wants her own way all the time let her have it, and she will get contrary and won't want it.

LOOK HERE!

MR. HOMESEKER:—We have for sale a GOOD section, located 9 miles south of Plainview; two miles from Happy Union school; public road on two sides; 200 acres in cultivation, balance good grass; all fenced and cross fenced; improvements are a fairly good five room dwelling, good barn and usual outhouses; good garden and patches; two wells and windmills, small orchard, etc.

This section offers an unusual opportunity to a man who wants to buy a home so he can pay for it. Priced TO SELL QUICK. Small payment cash, balance long time at low interest. Better see us quick if you want it. Will include 16 head of horses, some cattle, etc., and farming outfit if desired. Possession at once for breaking sod or preparing wheat land.

Respectfully,

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P. S.—We have plenty of money to loan on long time at fair rates of interest on improved or unimproved farm and ranch land, and city property. Why not build that home, or improve that farm NOW—you will never have a better opportunity.

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PERSONAL MENTION

T. D. Webb of Kress was here Monday.
J. W. Ford of Matador was here Saturday.
J. R. Hodges of Tyler was here yesterday.
Mrs. Myrtle Demic of Silverton is here today.
Lt. L. L. Katzebur of El Paso was here Sunday.
T. R. Alderson of Eastland was here Monday.
A. P. King of Pecos had business here Saturday.
Miss Evelyn Lane went to Tahoka Saturday to visit.
L. M. Frogge had business in Amarillo Saturday.
George Miller of Fort Worth is here visiting friends.
E. and R. H. Raman of Artesia, N. M., were here Saturday.
W. R. Hall returned Sunday night from a trip to Amarillo.
Elmer Stearns of Matador had business here yesterday.
W. W. Kirk returned Saturday from a trip to Burkburnett.
Bess Thompson returned Sunday from the Eastland oil fields.
C. J. Wagner and H. M. Brown of Lubbock were here yesterday.
Frank Dodson of Wichita Falls had business here yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fleming have moved to the DeLeon oil fields.
Mrs. Lorena Crie and baby went to Tahoka Saturday to visit relatives.
Chas. Malone returned yesterday morning from a trip to Kansas City.
Mr. Taylor, an architect of Lubbock, was here yesterday on business.
Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Jenki. went to Amarillo Monday to visit a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burck of P. Isboro were registered at the Ware yesterday.
Clay Dunlap came in yesterday morning from his ranch near Tucuman, N. M.

Thos. Brahan, student in the Canyon Normal, spent Sunday here with his parents.
Mrs. C. C. Day of Stamford has returned home after visiting Mrs. Jack Leslie.
Mrs. C. G. Innes, Mrs. Mary Cook and Miss Sara Cook of Happy were here yesterday.

Bert Johnson and son left this morning for Pampa, where they will operate a thrasher.
Mrs. F. C. Berrit and little son went to Ralls Monday to visit her father, J. B. Moses.
Ewing Halsell and A. F. Chamberlain of the Halsell ranch in Lamb county are in town.

Messrs. White and Childress, district telephone managers, of Amarillo, are here today.

John Poteet has returned to his home in Roxton, after visiting his sister, Mrs. Roy Self.

Mrs. Clara Head of Assumption, Ill., and Miss Ruth Ferguson of Hale Center are here today.

W. J. Mitchell returned Saturday from near Ralls, where he had been building several granaries.

Mrs. B. Morgan of Deport, Lamar county, arrived Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Jeffus.

Mrs. M. B. West of Fort Worth arrived Monday to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Pickett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Britain of Tulsa, Okla., are here visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. I. Britain.

Miss Lena Glenn went this morning to the Hansen ranch, west of Hale Center, to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Hubbard and baby of Dallas arrived Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Bertie Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall of Whitewright arrived this morning to visit his sister, Mrs. A. B. Martin.

City Marshal John Vaughn has been in Fort Worth more than two weeks, having a specialist treat his eyes.

Miss Lulu Howell went to Lubbock Sunday to be with her sister, Miss Sallie Howell, who is in a sanitarium there.

E. B. Miller returned Sunday from Atlantic City, N. J., where he attended the national meeting of the Elks lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wofford came down from Tulsa Monday to visit their sons, Hal and C. D. Wofford, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barnes of Tahoka have come to Plainview to stay a few weeks while he is foreman of a thrasher crew.

Mrs. F. W. Cooksey and children of near Floydada have been here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown.

W. M. Wilson, the tinner, left this morning for Iowa Park, where he will engage in business. Mrs. Wilson will go in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Humphreys are expected home the latter part of this week from a trip to New York, Boston and other Eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nay and children of El Paso are visiting her sisters, Mesdames W. H. Cassaway, R. H. Germany and Sam Scalings.

Miss Carrie Pace has gone to Colorado mountains to spend awhile. Relatives from down state came through in a car and she joined them.

an item last week about the retirement after thirty years in the grocery business of Price Stiff, of McKinney, Texas, one of the pioneer Merchants of that part of Texas. Price Stiff was a humorist and philosopher as well as a business man and capitalized the peculiarity of his name into a real business asset. His was a wonderful success and he is frank to say that it is based largely on advertising. He boasts that no issue of his home paper has ever come off the press without an advertisement of his business. Any man with ability, honesty and constant ad-

vertising can duplicate what Price Stiff has done. It isn't always the biggest splurger in advertising space that gains the most from it—it is the steady advertiser who wins. People should always remember this unfailing principle when planning their publicity campaigns—advertising pulls; it doesn't jerk.—Clarendon News.

When a man has dyspepsia his wife has about as hard a time of it as he has.

Floyd county has been allotted two government war trucks to be used in road work.

ARE YOU ABLE TO ECONOMIZE



High, Higher and still Higher go the prices. YOU must economize and you can do it this week by purchasing an odd pair of trousers to wear with that "Just as good as new" coat and vest that you have laid aside because the trousers were worn out. To help you we are making for this week only, a special reduction of

**20
Per Cent**

On all dress trousers. Take advantage of the opportunity and save the price of a suit at the cost of a pair of TROUSERS.

REINKEN'S.

HURRY! HURRY BUY GROCERIES NOW PRICES INCREASING RAPIDLY

Never before has the price of groceries increased so rapidly as at present, and the newspapers say they will continue to climb for some time, as the people of the old world are hungry and must be fed, and are willing to pay America her price for supplies.

We could not replace our stock at the prices we are now selling goods. Every class of groceries is affected. So, in order to save money you should

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Miss Ida Leach is expected home tonight from Washington, D. C., where she has been employed for some months in governmental work.

Mr. Vanderslice, who has been here looking after the harvesting of grain on his farm north of Lockney, left Saturday for his home in Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tucker of Nashville, Tenn., have been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. White. They have gone to Matador to visit relatives.

A. B. Stewart of Canadian came in Saturday in a car to join his wife and children, who are visiting Mrs. J. C. Goodwin, and take them home in a few days.

W. H. Wiggs and family of Paris are visiting relatives near Kress, having made the trip through in a car. They are also visiting friends in Plainview.

Mrs. Jessie Nierule of Minneapolis, Minn., is expected to arrive to visit her sister, Mrs. O. O. Reed. She is an employee of the Federal Reserve Bank of that city.

City Marshal John Vaughn returned this morning from Dallas, where he went a couple of weeks ago to have a specialist remove an ulcer from below one of his eyes. The treatment was successful.

Robert Goodloe, a chaplain with the army in France, whose home is in Olney, Texas, was here Sunday visiting his cousin, Dr. Jas. Pickett. Before going into the army work he was a student in Yale University.

A. M. Keen and Ben Lothspeltch of Fort Worth were here Saturday on business. Mr. Keen is hog salesman for the Daggett-Keen Commission Co. of Fort Worth, and handles a large volume of the Hale county hog sales.

Misses Brown and Oliver left last week for Chicago and New York, to buy fall and winter stocks of goods for the Plainview Mercantile Co. Miss Burnett of Palestine joined them en route, and will buy millinery goods for the firm.

A. M. Hazard has been here visiting Will and Ethelbert Dowden, but left Monday for Iowa City, Iowa, where his father lives. He was a civil engineer with the Dowden boys in Bolivia, for several years before the war, and the three later came back to this country and enlisted in the engineering corps of the army and went to France, where they saw service.

The Lord may love a cheerful giver, but we love a prompt payer.



The Ford Motor Company have instructed us to sell the genuine Ford Parts to any and every reliable Garage who will pledge their use in the repair of Ford cars. The genuine Ford Parts are absolutely necessary to the owner of Ford cars that he may get full service from his car. We carry them and so, we hope, in a short time will every reliable Garage. We solicit your service business because we have the Ford Methods, the Ford Parts, the Ford Mechanics and the Ford prices. Incidentally would be glad to get your order for one or more Ford cars.

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Training for Citizenship

We are creatures of habit. Actions continuously repeated become habit. Habit long continued becomes second nature. Thus is character formed by education. Instruction informs the intellect. Training forms the character. The two combined constitute education. If America is to be a law-abiding, peace-loving and prosperous republic, its youth must be trained as well as instructed. In them must be formed the habit of reverence for God, respect for the moral law, and regard for the rights, the interests, and the opinions of their fellow men.—Dr. Lyman Abbott.

for about 3 years, going to Wisconsin. The body was buried in Ralls Tuesday where funeral were held and then brought back to Lubbock, where the body will be kept at the Rix morgue until the parents dispose of their property. They will then return to Wisconsin, and ship the body of the girl to that state for interment.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Lumbermen unable to sell their stock of late years are now discovering that they have been making money right along without knowing it. For instance twenty years ago lumber sold for eleven dollars a thousand feet, while inferior lumber now is bringing \$75. Hence the man who had a ten thousand dollar stock twenty years ago, and kept it up, may now value the same stock at \$68,000, which is no small increase upon the original investment.

Dorothy June Barlow, born in Wisconsin June the 15th, 1904, died in a local sanitarium July the 13th, 1919. The deceased parents live near Ralls, having made that their home

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION

Permitting Prisoners to Share in the Proceeds from the State Penitentiary System.

House Joint Resolution No. 38. Proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 60; providing that the Legislature shall have power to enact laws authorizing a division of the net proceeds arising from the operation of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents; providing for the submission of a proposed amendment to a vote of the people, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of such election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section to be numbered Section 60 as follows:

Section 60. The Legislature shall have power to authorize a division of the net profits arising from the operation of the prison system during any one fiscal year between the State of Texas and the prisoners confined in the Penitentiary during said fiscal year or any part thereof, or their dependents in such proportion as the Legislature may determine, not to exceed fifty (50) per cent to such prisoners or their dependents.

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for its adoption or rejection, at a special election hereby ordered for the fourth day of November, 1919. All voters on this proposed amendment at such election who favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "For amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution, authorizing a division of the net proceeds of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents." Those voting against its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution authorizing a division of the net proceeds of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents." Previous to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the County Judge of each County, for use in said election, a sufficient number of ballots for the use of the voters in each County, on which he shall have printed the form of ballots herein prescribed, for the convenient use of voters.

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue his necessary proclamation ordering this election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expense of publishing said proclamation, and printing and distributing the necessary tickets and blanks for use in said elections.

GEORGE F. HOWARD. (Attest—A True Copy.)

Relating to Confederate Pensions and Increasing Tax Rates for Payment of Same.

House Joint Resolution No. 35. Proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Legislature may grant pensions to Confederate Soldiers, Sailors and their widows, who have been citizens of Texas prior to Jan. 1, 1910, providing that all soldiers, sailors and their widows eligible under the provisions hereof shall be entitled to be placed upon the rolls and participate in the pension fund created hereunder; levying a tax of seven (\$0.7) cents on the \$100.00 valuation of property in this State for the payment of such pension, providing that the Legislature may reduce the rate of pension for such purpose, fixing a time for the election to be held on such amendment, and making appropriation to pay the expense of such election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipalities or other corporations whatsoever, provided however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent or disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors, who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1910, and to their widows in indigent circumstances and who have been bona fide residents of this State since January 1, 1910, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors prior to January 1, 1910, and to indigent and disabled soldiers or sailors who under special laws of the State of Texas served in organizations for the protection of the Frontier against Indian raiders or Mexican marauders and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas who were in active service during the war between the States and to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1910, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since the year 1866, and all soldiers and sailors and widows of soldiers and sailors eligible under the above conditions shall be entitled to be placed upon the pension rolls and participate in the distribution of the pension fund of this State under any existing law or laws hereafter passed by the Legislature, and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law, provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home. There is

hereby levied in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas a State ad valorem tax on property of seven (\$0.7) cents on the \$100 valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate herein levied. And provided further, that the provisions of this section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held on Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1919, at which all voters shall have printed or written on their ballots: "For amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows who have been residents of this state since January 1, 1912," and "Against amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers and their widows."

Sec. 3. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the general funds of this State not otherwise appropriated for expenses of publications and elections thereunder.

GEORGE F. HOWARD. (Attest—A True Copy.)

Relating to Special Taxes By Cities, Towns and Counties for Public Improvements, Public Roads, Etc.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20. Proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide for the levy of taxes by counties, cities and towns, not to exceed thirty cents for roads and bridges, and a tax not to exceed fifty cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars' valuation in any one year, for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works, improvements of cemeteries, and other permanent improvements, providing for the levy of a maintenance tax by counties, or political subdivisions thereof, not to exceed sixty cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation upon a majority vote of the qualified property tax payers voting at an election held for that purpose, and making and appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:

Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five cents on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation; and counties, cities and towns are authorized to levy not exceeding thirty-five cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding thirty cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen cents to pay jurors, on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation, exclusive of taxes levied for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the amendment September 25th, 1887; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks, improvement of cemeteries and other permanent improvements not to exceed fifty cents on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation, in one year, and except as in this Constitution otherwise provided and the qualified voters, who have been assessed or paid property tax, of any other county or sub-division thereof now existing or that may hereafter be defined by the Commissioners' Court, may at an election called in accordance with the law authorizing the levy of a special road tax, by a majority vote levy a special tax not exceeding sixty cents on the one hundred dollars' valuation on all property, for the further improvement and maintenance of public roads; provided that this provision shall be self-enacting and that no part of such tax shall be available to pay an indebtedness incurred prior to the current year for which said tax is collected, except to pay indebtedness now existing, and provided further that such levy may be voted on or changed at any time by majority vote of those qualified to vote under the provision. And the Legislature may pay local laws for the maintenance of public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors at an election to be held for that purpose on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1919; at said election the vote shall be by official ballot which shall have printed or written thereon the words "For the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the levy of taxes not to exceed thirty cents for roads, streets and bridges and not to exceed fifty cents for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, and not to exceed sixty cents for the maintenance of public roads, in any one year." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words "against the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution," etc., and those opposing it shall erase the words "for the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution," etc., which erase shall be made by

making a mark with pencil or pen through said words. All ballots cast as above provided shall be counted as cast for or against this proposed amendment; and if a majority of the votes cast shall be for the amendment, it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expense of such publication and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD. (Attest—A True Copy.)

Providing for the Separation of the State University and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and for Bond Issues Thereby.

House Joint Resolution No. 29. A Joint Resolution to amend Article 7, Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which article relates to education, and which sections provide for the establishment and support of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and for a branch college for the instruction of colored youths; provides that the Texas State Medical College and the School of Mines at El Paso shall be branches of the University of Texas; provides that said University, said Agricultural and Mechanical College, and said College of Industrial Arts shall be separate State Institutions and independent in organization; provides for the sale of the lands belonging to the University of Texas permanent fund, and for the division of the proceeds of such sale and all securities between the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College; directs that the respective parts of each shall become the permanent fund of the institution and how it shall be invested; provides that the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas may utilize the permanent fund of each as a basis for the issuance of bonds for improvements, and for the redemption of such bonds from the income of such permanent funds; provides that the governing board of the Agricultural and Mechanical College may make provisions for permanent buildings for the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College from the proceeds of bond issues by the said Agricultural and Mechanical College; and declares said Prairie View Normal and Industrial College a Constitutional branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College; provides that the Legislature shall make provisions by appropriation for the maintenance and development of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and for the development and support of the College of Industrial Arts, the Normal Schools, the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College; provides for the authority to the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, pending division of the University endowment, to issue bonds redeemable from the income of the endowment, and granting authority to the Legislature to make appropriations to supply and deficiency; provides that the Legislature shall give encouragement and direction to the development of a University of the first-class, and an agricultural and mechanical college of the first-class, and a College of Industrial Arts of the first-class; provides for the submission of this proposed amendment of the Constitution to the people, fixing the date for election to be held, and making an appropriation to pay the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which article relates to education, and which sections provide for the establishment and support of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and a branch college for the instruction of colored youths, be amended to read as follows:

Section 10. In pursuance of constitutional authority and direction the State having established the University of Texas at Austin, in Travis County; the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, located at El Paso, in El Paso County, are constituted branches of the University of Texas. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State at Prairie View, in Waller County; and the Legislature having established the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, in Denton County, the said State University of Texas, the said Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the said College of Industrial Arts for white girls, are hereby declared separate state institutions and independent in organization. The Texas State Medical College, located at Galveston, in Galveston County, and the School of Mines, located at El Paso, in El Paso County, are constituted branches of the University of Texas. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State at Prairie View, in Waller County; and the Legislature having established the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, in Denton County, the said State University of Texas, the said Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the said College of Industrial Arts for white girls, are hereby declared separate state institutions and independent in organization. The Texas State Medical College, located at Galveston, in Galveston County, and the School of Mines, located at El Paso, in El Paso County, are constituted branches of the University of Texas. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State at Prairie View, in Waller County; and the Legislature having established the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, in Denton County, the said State University of Texas, the said Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the said College of Industrial Arts for white girls, are hereby declared separate state institutions and independent in organization. The Texas State Medical College, located at Galveston, in Galveston County, and the School of Mines, located at El Paso, in El Paso County, are constituted branches of the University of Texas. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State at Prairie View, in Waller County; and the Legislature having established the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, in Denton County, the said State University of Texas, the said Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the said College of Industrial Arts for white girls, are hereby declared separate state institutions and independent in organization.

Section 11. To better enable the University of Texas and its constitutional branches; the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College, to fulfill the purposes for which created, all lands and other property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment, endowment, and maintenance of the University of Texas and its constitutional branches, together with the proceeds of the sale of such lands heretofore made, or hereafter to be made, for the support and benefit of either institution, shall constitute a permanent fund for the University

of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and for the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College; provided, that when the permanent University endowment shall, by constitutional and statutory authority, be apportioned to the institutions named it shall be divided between the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College in the following manner: To the University of Texas, sixty-six and two-thirds (66 2-3) per cent, and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, thirty-three and one-third (33 1-3) per cent; and the governing board of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas shall apportion to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for colored youths such part of, or interest in, the said thirty-three and one-third (33 1-3) per cent as may be determined equitably by said governing board. The principal of all funds accruing to each institution from the division of the University endowment under the provisions of this section shall, whenever the said endowment is divided, constitute the permanent fund of each, and shall be invested as the permanent public free school fund is now or may hereafter be authorized by law to be invested; and the governing boards of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas shall be authorized, with the approval of the Governor, and in the manner to be provided by law, to issue bonds for permanent improvements, such bond issues to be based upon the permanent funds of the institution issuing them; and the governing board of each institution shall make provision from the income derivable from its permanent fund for the payment of all bond issues under its authority as may be provided by law.

Sec. 12. The lands set apart to the University fund shall be sold under such regulations, at such times, and on such terms as may be provided by law; and the Legislature shall provide for the prompt collection, at maturity, of all debts due on account of University lands heretofore sold, or that may hereafter be sold, and shall in neither event have the power to grant relief to the purchasers. And, until such time as the University permanent fund shall be divided, in accordance with constitutional and statutory authority, the proceeds from the sale of lands, as realized and received in the Treasury of the State, together with such sum belonging to the funds as may now be in the Treasury, shall be invested as the permanent public school fund now or may hereafter be authorized by law to be invested; and the interest accruing thereon, and any income from the use of the said University lands, shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature, and may be available for the redemption of bonds based on the University endowment and to be redeemed from the said interest and income from the use of land, as may be provided by law, to aid in the construction, equipment and maintenance of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the total of such bond issues outstanding shall at no time exceed four and one-half million dollars, and the Legislature is hereby authorized to appropriate out of the general revenues of the State such moneys as may be necessary to cover deficiencies in the interest and sinking fund accounts of the bond issues herein provided for. Provided, that the one-tenth of the alternate sections of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the state, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of "The University of Texas" by an Act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, entitled "An Act to Establish 'The University of Texas,'" shall not be included in or constitute a part of the permanent University fund.

Sec. 13. The Legislature shall provide by appropriation for the equipment, maintenance and development of the University of Texas, and the branches of the said institution named in this Article and such other branches as may hereafter be established by law; for the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and its branches as now or hereafter may be established by law; for the College of Industrial Arts for the education of white girls for the State Normal Schools; and for the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for colored youths.

Sec. 14. The Legislature shall give encouragement and direction to and make provision for the educational activities of the respective State Institutions provided for in this Article, and as may be adequate for the promotion of literature and the arts and sciences, pure and applied, and for instruction in the professions, of a University of the first class; and for instruction in all those branches of learning which relate to agriculture, animal husbandry, the natural sciences and applied, connected therewith, the mechanic arts and military science and tactics, requisite to the development of an Agricultural and Mechanical College of the first class; and for the education of white girls in the literary branches, the arts and sciences, and in social and domestic economy of the age, as may be necessary to establish and maintain a College of Industrial Arts of the first class for white girls, and for instruction in all the branches requisite to the development of normal schools of the first class.

Sec. 15. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State, having been located at Prairie View, in Waller County, as a branch of the University of Texas, is hereby declared a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. And in lieu of the separate apportionment of a part of the University endowment, as authorized in Section 11 hereof, the said Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College may apportion to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College such part of any fund realized from any authorized bond issues by the Board for the purpose of permanent improvements as the Board may determine to be equitable and the fund so apportioned shall be available only for the purpose of constructing permanent improvements for the said Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College.

Sec. 16. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State, said election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday in November, 1919, and all voters favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the amendments to Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the constitutional status of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas; the Sam Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, Texas; the North Texas State Normal at Denton, Texas; the South Texas State Normal at San Marcos, Texas; the West Texas State Normal at Canyon, Texas, and the East Texas State Normal at Commerce, Texas, and other state educational institutions, and determining the interest, respectively, of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College in the University permanent fund; and providing for the support, direction, and development of State Educational Institutions."

Those opposing the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the amendments to Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the constitutional status of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas; the Sam Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, Texas; the North Texas State Normal at Denton, Texas; the South Texas State Normal at San Marcos, Texas; the West Texas State Normal at Canyon, Texas, and the East Texas State Normal at Commerce, Texas, and other state educational institutions, and determining the interest, respectively, of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College in the University permanent fund; and providing for the support, direction, and development of State Educational Institutions."

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Providing for an Issue of Bonds by the State for the Purpose of Construction of Highways.

House Joint Resolution No. 13. A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Section 49, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the power to create debts by or on behalf of the State so as hereafter to authorize the Legislature to enact such laws as may be necessary directing the Governor of the State to issue bonds in a sum not to exceed \$75,000,000, providing for the levy of a tax to create the necessary interest and sinking fund therefor; and providing that the proceeds from the sale of such bonds shall be used in the construction of durable, hard surfaced roads upon the public highways of the State.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Amend said Section so as to read after its adoption as follows:

Article 3, Section 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiencies in the revenue shall never exceed in the aggregate at any one time, two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000); provided, however, that the Legislature may enact such legislation as may be necessary to authorize and direct the Governor to issue bonds of the State in a sum not to exceed Seventy-five million (\$75,000,000) dollars, the proceeds to be used in the construction of durable, hard-surfaced roads upon the public highways of the State; provided that such proceeds shall be apportioned to the different counties of the State according to the needs of the State Highways in such counties; and, provided further that under Legislative authority a tax not to exceed twenty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property in the state may be levied, assessed and collected to provide the necessary interest and sinking fund therefor, and said taxes shall be in addition to the taxes authorized by Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Tuesday in November, the same being the fourth day of November, A. D. 1919, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state. Those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For amendment to Section 49, Article 3 of the Constitution proposing to amend Section 49, of Article 3, relating to the power to create debts by or on behalf of the State, so as hereafter to authorize the Legislature to enact a law directing the issuance of bonds by the Governor of the State in a sum not to exceed Seventy-five Million (\$75,000,000) Dollars, the proceeds of said bonds to be used in the construction of durable, hard-surfaced roads upon public highways of the State; and providing for the levy of a tax not to exceed 20 cents on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation, on taxable property in the State." Those opposing the amend-

ment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the amendment to Section 49, Article 3, of the Constitution proposing to amend Section 49 of Article 3 relating to the power to create debts by or on behalf of the State, so as hereafter to authorize the Legislature to enact a law directing the issuance of bonds by the Governor of the State in a sum not to exceed Seventy-five Million (\$75,000,000) dollars, the proceeds of said bonds to be used in the construction of durable, hard-surfaced roads upon public highways of the State; and providing for the levy of a tax, not to exceed 20 cents on the One Hundred valuation, on taxable property in the State."

Sec. 3. The sum of Five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

Sec. 4. The fact that the Legislature is restricted by the provisions of Section 49, Article 3 of the State Constitution from enacting needed Highway Legislation creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity exists, demanding the suspension of the rule requiring bills to be read upon three several days, and such rule is hereby suspended.

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Permitting Galveston County and City to Issue Bonds for Grade Raising Purposes.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23. A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to the people of the State of Texas an amendment to Article sixteen of the constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section and authorizing the City of Galveston and County of Galveston to issue bonds for protective works, irrespective of Constitutional limitation, in the aggregate of five million dollars for both city and county, as may be by the city and county deemed necessary for the raising of the grade, building seawalls and breakwaters and doing any and all kind of protective works in said city and county, and to levy and collect taxes to retire said bonds, principal and interest, providing for a sinking fund and creating an emergency.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. The City of Galveston and the County of Galveston, and each of them are hereby authorized to issue bonds in such amounts not to exceed in the aggregate five million dollars, for both City and County, as may be by the city or county deemed necessary for the raising of the grade, building seawalls and breakwaters, and doing any and all other kinds of protective works in said city and county, without regard to and irrespective of any provision of the Constitution of the State of Texas limiting tax levies and governing bond issues, and for that purpose to levy and collect taxes to retire and pay same, principal and interest, but no debt shall ever be incurred for such purpose, unless provision is made at the time of creating same for levying and collecting a sufficient tax to pay the interest thereon and to provide at least two per cent, as a sinking fund, this provision being cumulative, and authorizing the issuance of such bonds in addition to those heretofore issued for such purposes and still outstanding, the amount of such additional bonds to be issued by the county hereunder, not to exceed one million dollars, and the amount of such additional bonds to be issued by the city hereunder not to exceed four million dollars, but nothing herein shall apply to bonds heretofore or hereafter issued for purposes other than those herein defined, provided however, that that portion of Galveston County not lying within the corporate limits of the City of Galveston shall not be taxed for the purpose of issuing bonds for any of the purposes herein provided within the corporate limits of the City of Galveston, unless such bond issue and tax levy be authorized by a majority of all the tax paying voters residing in Galveston County outside of the Corporate limits of the City of Galveston; provided that no such bonds issued by the city of Galveston shall be valid unless such bond issue and tax levy be authorized by a majority of all qualified tax paying voters of the city of Galveston, voting at an election to be called for that purpose by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of said City of Galveston.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting an amendment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on the first Tuesday in November, 1919, being the fourth day of November, 1919. Those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to Article sixteen of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the issuance of bonds by the City and County of Galveston." And those opposed to the said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to Article sixteen of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the issuance of bonds by the City and County of Galveston."

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as is necessary, out of the funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, is hereby appropriated to pay expenses for the carrying out of the provisions of this Resolution.

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By this means we are enabled to better handle our business, and give our customers better service.

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RELIEF FOR CATTLEMEN

Matters are so progressing in Washington through the efforts of the different livestock associations that cattlemen of Texas and Oklahoma in particular can be assured of loans on their livestock holdings sufficient to carry them through any given emergency without having to face the possibility of forced liquidation.

Three Texas congressmen, Lanham, Hudspeth and Parrish, participated in a conference between President Harding of the federal reserve board, Director McLean and Eugene Meyer Jr., of the far finance board, Senators Kendrick of Wyoming, Capper of Kansas and Gore of Oklahoma, from which came an announcement of the following immediate methods of relief:

1. The federal reserve board will immediately notify banks that approved cattle paper will be rediscounted by the federal reserve banks.

2. The war finance corporation will make loans to any reputable man, firm or corporation wishing to enter the business of exporting beef to Europe.

These two measures, one to make liquid loans on cattle and the other to give access to an enormous and ever-increasing market, will have a tendency to immediately clarify the present muddled condition of the livestock business in Texas and the Southwest.—Fort Worth Record.

Panhandle-Plains Art Exhibit
Frank E. Jamison, secretary-manager of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, has sent out the following:

"With the close of the harvest of 1919 in the Panhandle of Texas, we will be able to show the greatest art exhibit ever presented to the human eye of crops and every other industry of the soil, as it is found in living form upon these far flung plains. The office of the Secretary-Manager of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce is a very busy place in connection with the work of gathering a pictorial history of the territory covered by this organization. The directors in each county are undertaking to get these pictures just as far as possible. We desire that every person who lives in the Panhandle and Plains country of Texas and who is glad of that fact should assist their County Director in obtaining those photographs.

"If it is more convenient for you to mail them direct to the office of the Secretary in Amarillo that will be very greatly appreciated. We want the scenes of the wheat harvest, the gathering of the grains, the cattle industry, hogs, sheep, goats, chickens and the kids. We also want the photographs of all the beauty spots that the Panhandle possesses, and they are many.

"Will you co-operate with us in this movement, which means much to the people who reside in the Panhandle of Texas and to the multitude who would desire to come here, if the mail had been told to them concerning this region.

Our address is Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, Amarillo, Texas."

Miss Rosser of Abernathy was here last week.

WANT UNITED STATES TO TAKE ON SOME OF GERMAN COLONIES

Feeling in England That America Should Discard Her Traditional Aloofness and Assume Administration of Part of Captured Lands—New Form of Colonial Control Is Being Advocated.

By LLOYD ALLEN,
Special Staff Correspondent.

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London.—"Will America be willing to take on some of the German colonies or Turkish possessions in the near East?"

"That is a question that is uppermost in the minds of a large section of the governing class of England. Men who have led British political thought for years believe that we 'should assume some of the responsibility of governing the lands captured from the Germans and Turks,' as one leading British publicist told me recently. There is a double reason back of this idea.

First of all, America is an English-speaking nation that can be trusted to administer wisely and well the destinies of a less-enlightened people. Secondly, 'it is only through actual participation in the responsibilities of looking after far-away colonies that America can ever appreciate the true state of mind of the British people of all classes, upper, middle and lower, on this delicate subject of empire,' it is stated by several prominent propagandists.

Division of Colonies.

At this stage of the peace negotiations the question of dividing the colonies is a matter on which no public man is anxious to go on record. But unofficially the subject is attracting wide attention. Two many interests are involved in the matter. There are larger problems that must first be solved: The limitation of armaments, freedom of the seas and above all other subjects, formation of a league of nations. Once these are discussed the colonial knot will probably be quickly cut.

It is with implicit faith in the ultimate outcome of these basic affairs that the intelligent Briton outlines his belief that America, if she is to remain as a leading factor in world politics, must go into the colony business.

Should such a course be embarked on by the United States, should we take, for instance, the administration of Palestine and Armenia and possibly some of the former German lands in South Africa, it would be put on the same platform that the best elements in England accept for India; namely, that sooner or later India will develop into a dominion capable of self-government, like Canada and Australia, and must then be given every freedom to determine her own destiny.

The same principles would apply to the subject African states—ultimate freedom to choose whether or not the ties that bind to the mother country must be cut, or allowed to remain.

Answerable to League of Nations.

Through all the days of American administration—and it is admitted many of these days would prove irksome and expensive—America would be answerable to the league of nations for her actions in the territory held in trust. Just as the other European powers, England, France and Italy, will be answerable to the league of nations for any maladministration of subject peoples.

In brief, intelligent England is recommending for world consideration a new form of colonial control, with the feeling that the world has outgrown the days when a Spanish tyrant could terrorize Cuba, or a brutalized German government could commit atrocities in South Africa.

There is in America a somewhat general belief that the average British citizen takes great pride in the large colonial possessions of his country; that he glories with much satisfaction over the fact that Great Britain controls something like one-quarter of the inhabitable portions of the world.

Our ideas on this subject are not exactly correct. There is a large element in the citizenship of this country that is dead against the proposal to acquire any more territorial possessions. In fact, among the Labor party, which is showing unusual strength these days, there is a firm conviction that India must soon be allowed to say what her government shall be.

Problems to Be Solved.

Here we have another side of the problem that many predict will be solved by providing for enlightenment of the uncivilized colonial peoples, and by introducing into colonial government a number of reforms—prohibition of the sale of alcohol to natives, first of all, and next the establishment of welfare departments calculated to better the living conditions of the natives.

Men effort is being expended here in England to start fundamental reforms in the attitude toward the colonies. Booklets are being issued and are just off the press. One entitled "Windows of Freedom" carries an introduction by Viscount Grey.

"America's Place in World Government" is given considerable space. It is strongly pointed out that "none of the territories outside Europe detached by this war from the German and Turkish empires can in the near future provide peace, order and good government for themselves. How to provide government for these territories is the most difficult of the questions which the conference has to face. From a hundred lips and pens the

answer will come that the solution lies in international control. The league of nations will solve the problem.

The booklet then emphasizes that the league of nations, in itself, cannot provide actual government for the colonies; that government must be furnished by one of the associated powers, acting in a way as agent for the league of nations and of course responsible to the league.

Freedom Is Secured.

"The control of the four continents has fallen, or is now falling, to the free peoples of the earth," the booklet with the Viscount Grey introduction states, and by that control the existence of freedom is secured, not only in Europe, but also in America and Australia.

"But what is the effect of this victory to be on Asia, Africa and the scattered remnants of primitive society who inhabit a hundred Pacific islands? In the end the effect must be that they, too, will achieve the art of governing themselves. But the question, how soon can the end be reached, depends on a right understanding by the free nations who now control the world of the delicate and complex nature of the problem. Failure to grasp it will not only delay the end but may yet set the civilized world by the ears." In brief, may yet form the grounds for another war.

Injected into this idea is a strong plea for the utmost fairness in exploiting the territorial natural resources, which must not be considered the property of any one nation, but must be open to all.

There is no sentiment expressed in the publications now being issued on the colonial problem against any feature of the fourteen points laid down in President Wilson's peace declaration. Instead, there is shown an effort to make these points harmonious with the arguments advanced for American participation in colonial government.

What Wilson Said.

President Wilson's fifth clause, in the notable fourteen points, asks for "A free, open-minded and absolutely impartial adjustment of all colonial claims based upon a strict observance of the principle that in determining all such questions of sovereignty the interests of the populations concerned must have equal weight with the equitable claims of the government whose title is to be determined."

The whole point at issue, according to this recently published British view, is that no government shall claim exclusive title to the captured lands, but that one government must take the responsibility of administration and be responsible in turn to an international tribunal.

Clause twelve of the president's peace terms provide for the lopping off of Armenia and Palestine from Turkey and insist that these one-time subject states shall "be assured an undoubted security of life and an absolutely unmolested opportunity of autonomous development," which opportunity, it is pointed out here, would most assuredly be provided were America acting as a kind of big brother to the Armenians and people of Palestine.

Want America to Take Hold.

There is hope here among the most far-seeing British thinkers that America will discard her traditional aloofness, and become custodian of the Armenians, of Palestine, and take charge even of the Dardanelles, maintaining an open-door policy, a policy the British will undoubtedly strongly urge on the French and Italian governments as an expedient in wise territorial government.

It is even being urged that we take over the task of preserving the autonomy of Persia and Arabia.

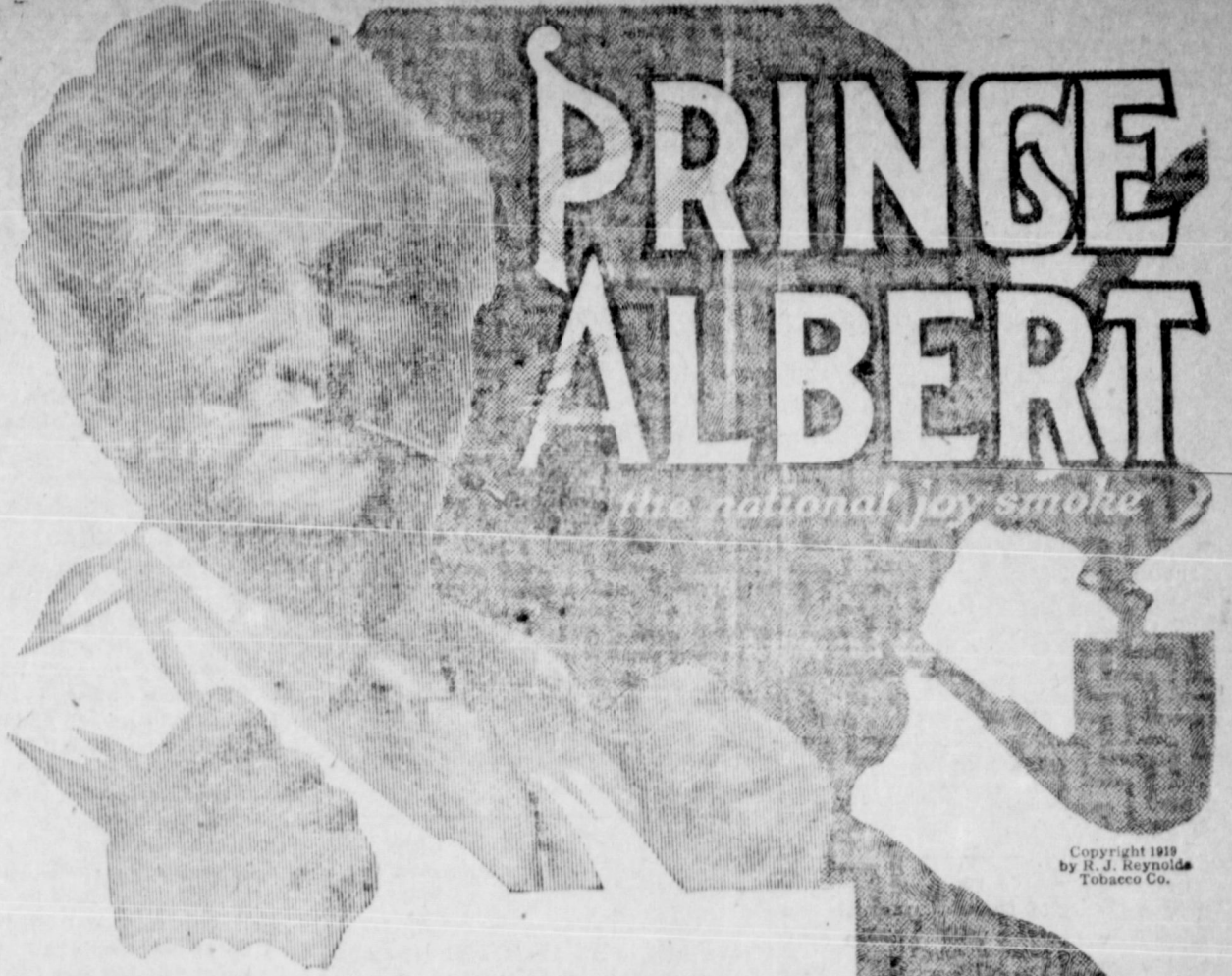
That America possesses knowledge for handling such a large assignment is undoubted. It is pointed out that Roberts college and the American missions in the near East have given us a preponderant share, if not a monopoly, of public-spirited men, many of them natives of this section of the world who consequently have first-hand knowledge of these regions.

Incidentally, from the near East, America could promote railroad construction without offense to the British, and could assist in that most vexatious problem of the day, the restoration of Russia, the blind giant among nations, the Grey booklet says.

RECORD IN SHOE PRODUCTION

Despite Labor Troubles, the Past Year Was Banner One for Shoe Factories at Brockton.

Brockton, Mass.—Despite labor troubles, the past year was a banner one for the big shoe factories here. More than 16,000,000 pairs of shoes were manufactured and shipped to various parts of the world. The army shoe contracts, of course, helped to swell the total. The total production of shoes for the year 1918 exceeded the record of 1917 by 1,428,075 pairs. The value of the 1918 production was \$95,068,220, nearly \$30,000,000 greater than the value of the previous year's output.



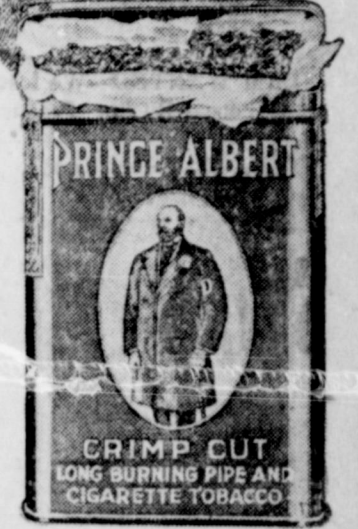
NO use arguing about it, or making chin-music in a minor key! If you've got the jimmy-pipe or cigarette makin's notion cornered in your smokeappetite, slip it a few liberal loads of Prince Albert!

Boiled down to regular old between-us-man-talk, Prince Albert kicks the "pip" right out of a pipe! Puts pipe pleasure into the 24-hours-a-day joy'us class! Makes cigarette rolling the toppiest of sports! P. A. is so fragrant, so fascinating in flavor, so refreshing!

Prince Albert can't bite your tongue or parch your throat! You go as far as you like according to your smoke spirit! Our exclusive patented process cuts out bite and parch!

Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors—and—that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.



Goes to Movie in Petticoat
Terrell, Tex.—To just what length will a woman go to see her favorite movie star perform on the screen? A Terrell man says: "Durn if I know."
Just what will a jealous man do to keep his wife away from the movies? Terrell woman says, search me."
Last week the woman announced that she was going to spend the afternoon at the movie. The man de-

manded that she remain at home and make him a shirt. There were some hot words. The upshot was that the husband took all his wife's skirts to his shop. Also her hats. Did that stop her? Not much. Hubby forgot that nice purple jersey petticoat. It was just a trifle short, but it would do, so the wife donned it and marched down to the movie. Hubby wants a divorce. He says his wife is indiscreet. Wife wants one. She says

hubby is inconsiderate.

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Then Plainview News one year and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year	\$2.25
The Plainview News one year and the Amarillo Daily News one year for	\$8.25
Plainview News one year and the Kansas City Weekly Star	\$1.85

Read what the people who work for you have to say to you

The manufacturer who makes your shoes is working for you. The store that sells you shoes is working for you. So is your grocer and baker and gas company and clothier and every person who makes or sells anything that you buy.

Quite often these people have messages for you. They want to tell you about new goods or changes in styles and prices or give you other information.

It is not practical for them to come and speak to you personally because they have too many customers to serve. So they put their messages in advertisements in your daily newspaper.

It is to your interest to read advertisements. They are published for your benefit. Advertisements keep you informed as to what manufacturers and merchants are doing for you. They help you to buy the right goods at the right time and make the most of your money.

You'll find that business concerns which tell you frankly what they are doing are most to be depended upon. Stores that advertise are progressive stores that have something really worth while to say to you. Manufacturers who advertise their goods have confidence in them; it does not pay to advertise anything that is not good.

Make a habit of reading advertisements. It is interesting as well as profitable.

WANT COLUMN

Try a want-adv. in the News. Only a word, minimum charge 15c a time.

WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE is the best.

FOR SALE—Two extra Jersey heifer calves.—Z. T. Northcutt.

FOUND—A sum of money on streets Wednesday morning. Owner call at News office and describe.

FOR SALE—A Crow-Elkhart five passenger car, in good shape, cheap for cash.—Mrs. S. E. Lecklitter, Hale Center.

WANTED—Woman or girl to do cooking.—C. A. McClelland, at Buick salesrooms.

WORK MARE to trade for mule colt, dry cow or yearling. Phone 160, Bus-sell.

FOR SALE—Five room house with in two blocks of the square, with two or four lots, easy terms or like rent. House and four lots, \$2,000, with \$500 down; house and two lots, \$1,350, \$300 down; or will sell the house only for \$350 all cash. Apply at the News office.

CREAM WANTED—We test and pay for it here.—Rucker Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Some good horses.—Roy Irick, Phone 611. 16-1f-c

Store Talk

We are asked a good many times, "Why the high price of coffee? There are, of course, many contributory reasons. Among them: The frost damage in Brazil last August. The fact that Europe has had practically no coffee for four years, and the surplus in the United States is practically nil. Prohibition is also a factor. But the REAL REASON is an adjustment of values among commodities. A few years ago Rio sevens sold for 5 cents per pound, so did cotton. Now cotton sells for 30 cents and Rio sevens 22 cents. Wheat that used to fluctuate between 65c and \$1.00 and is now \$2.20. So it stands to reason the Brazilian can't take the old prices for his coffee and get by. Coffee is still the cheapest commodity of consumption—and the last to advance. We still have lots of coffee at less than wholesale prices today—either place.

While the fields are too muddy to work it's a good time to run into town and get that grocery bill you've been needing. We suggest that you buy enough while here so that you won't have to run back and forth when you can work again.

The row crops are bound to make. The late stuff sure is looking fine and will grow like magic now. You'll find in the market for selected stuff this fall, so keep us in mind.

"The High Cost of Living" concerns every man. The family man continually wonders how he can cut the cost of living and the single man wonders if he has the nerve to get into the married man's class. We can help you solve the H. C. of L. There are hundreds of families of the South Plains making substantial savings each week by buying their groceries from the Plainview Produce Company and Gibbs' Cash Grocery. Remember the phone numbers—366 and 337.

We often mention the prices of our groceries. The real interesting thing is that the quality is A1. We carry only standard lines and are able to make the prices we do on account of economical store management. We are satisfied with a reasonable salary for ourselves and a small profit. We make good money, but make it because we have a big trade.

If you haven't been trading with us, we invite you to do so. We believe you will like our methods of doing business. We wait on you promptly, give you good goods, and the price is absolutely right. Bring us all the surplus cream you have with you. We can use sweet or sour cream and we can't get too much. The price we pay you will make you feel good for the rest of the week.

Plainview Produce Co.
Phone 366

Gibbs' Cash Grocery
Phone 337

WANTED—To employ blacksmith to shoe horses. Will pay \$5 a day.—Lindsay & Co., Plainview. 19-2t

HAVE ON HAND at all times plenty of good horses and mules, worth the money. Also have several sets of harness for sale.—A. L. Lanford.

We are heavy as ever in the market for poultry, hides, eggs, etc.—Panhandle Produce Co., east of Alfalfa Lumber Co. 45

MILK delivered at your door for 15c a quart.—Rees Dairy, Phone 478.

FOR SALE—A number of fine homes in Plainview, also several fine farms in Hale county.—Peace Bros. Plainview, Texas. 19-3t-p

WANTED—Hides, poultry and eggs.—Panhandle Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Mexican Pinto Beans for seed, 7 1-2c per lb.—Texas Land & Development Co.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-1f

We handle all kinds of Feedstuffs, at prices that are in the line of market.—E. T. Coleman, Coal & Grain Dealer, Phone 176, between Depots.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-1f-c

FOR SALE—1 Dapple Gray Percheron horse, weight about 2000 pounds. Texas Land & Development Co.

FOR SALE—Six room house without lots, can be moved, a bargain for any one within 10 miles of Plainview.—Cash Grocery Co.

\$80.00 per month accident. \$80.00 per month sickness. \$5,000 accidental death. Unrestricted policy. Costs 8c a day. Don't go another day without this protection. You may be seriously injured or stricken with a lingering illness tomorrow. Write for application. Live agents wanted.—Ralph Barnett, General Agent, Hereford, Texas.

ROOMS for light housekeeping or the whole Shafer House for rent.—Enquire at John Oswald's. 19-1f

STRAYED—A black mealy nosed jack northeast of town, about a month ago. For reward notify R. E. Huston, Plainview, Route B. 16-1f

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-1f-c

JERSEY CATTLE FOR SALE—Few fresh extra nice Jersey cows. 16 choice heifers, springers. 30 full-blood heifers, fresh in spring. These are all full-blood Jerseys.—S. S. Daniel at Dr. Gidney's farm, 2 miles west of court house. 19-8t

DANDY HOME AT BARGAIN—Modern, well-built, stucco residence, well located about mile from court house, eight lots, living room, dining room, two bed rooms, kitchen, pantry, sleeping porch, large closets, comfortable galleries, fire place, garage, orchard with all kinds of bearing fruit trees, shrubbery, flowers and vines, windmill and well, outhouses, garden, etc., infact one of the nicest homes in the town. Will sell at real bargain, and give terms to proper party. This is the best opportunity you will have to get a good home at such a low price. Call at News office.

WANTED—All kinds of good second-hand clothing and shoes, pay good prices. Also do all kinds repairing on tinware, etc.—Manges' Bargain House, one door south Egge Garage. 19-9t.

FOR SALE—House-blocking, and 2 x 6 lumber at a low price, just the material you need to frame a granary.—Texas Land & Development Co.

STRAYED—Brown horse mule, branded combined JA on hip, inverted V on neck, weight about 800 lbs. very old, but peart. Reward for information of whereabouts.—H. F. Gillette, Rt. B., Plainview. 20-1f.

FOR SALE—2 Ford and 1 Chevrolet touring cars. 1 Ford with form-truck body.—Texas Land & Development Co., Plainview, Texas.

STRAYED—Black mare with slit in right ear, bay mare with slit in left ear; brown mare with rope around neck; bay horse and black yearling mare mule; no brands. Reward. Notify W. A. Harvey, Olton, Texas.

A party leaving here left with us for sale or trade a 5 passenger Brisco automobile. This car is in fine running order, never was used, but very little. Can be had at a bargain. See us over 1st National Bank.—Price & Boswell. 18-1f.

FOR SALE—A small iron safe, one dining room suite.—Mrs. Eula Merrill. 17-2t-p.

READ THIS—Several nice little homes for sale on easy payment plan. Will take some trade. Get one before school starts and save rent.—W. B. Knight.

LOST—A 34x4 black casing on a Hupmobile rim. Finder return to L. D. Sewell and get reward. 18-2t.

FOR SALE—Windmill, piping, tank and tower.—Lee Stephens. 18

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-1f

CAPTAIN WAS "GOOD FELLOW"
Otherwise Privates Might Have Found Their Playfulness to Be a Serious Matter.

While serving at Fort Sill, Okla., I was quartered with a Texas cowboy, and he would often amuse himself hours at a time with his lasso. One favorite stunt was to stand in the door of his tent after taps, when all was dark and quiet, and throw his rope around the foot of some unsuspecting comrade returning from town, drawing him into the tent, where he would flash a light into his face, frightening the poor fellow unmercifully.

One night at his game an unusually large fellow was caught and he whispered to me to help drag him in, which I cheerfully did. The big fellow came into the tent on his back, swearing with all his might. We threw the light into his face with a laugh and were greeted with the two shining bars of our captain! I lost no time in getting outside of the tent, and suppose my brave cow-puncher disappeared in some such way. For days we could picture ourselves behind bars at Fort Leavenworth, and upon being called to the captain's tent a week later all hope faded. Right here I wish to declare our captain a good fellow, as we were dismissed with a reprimand and a request that the performance never be repeated.—Detroit Free Press.

CZAR TO LIVE IN LEGEND

World May Look for All Sorts of Tales Concerning Autocrat of All the Russias.

The czar of Russia is lost in legend. Unless he shall again appear definitely in the flesh, so that his identity may be positively established before all the world, the question of his fate will be always disputed. He will take his place in the list with the lost dauphin of France, who is supposed to have lived a quiet life in America after being spirited away, and with "John Ord," a brother of Franz Josef, who renounced his title and sailed away in a vessel reported lost with all hands, but who is supposed to be living incognito on an obscure, palm-shaded island, far from the reach of the turmoil that marked the last days of the Hapsburg court.

As a result of the conflicting stories now being circulated regarding the czar, the public mind is already divided as to whether a bolshevik bullet really ended his life or whether the Count Tatischev, the emperor's personal military attache, with a supreme devotion to duty, died in his master's stead. Only the clearing up of the mystery can prevent the reports years hence that in the death of some obscure old man of foreign appearance the end has finally come to him who was once Autocrat of All the Russias.

Aluminum Coins.
Africa has adopted the aluminum coin. Nearly 32,000,000 coins of that metal have been struck from the British mint for circulation in Uganda and the Nigerian protectorates. Each coin bears the value either of 1 cent or of 2 mills.

They are perforated in the center like Chinese coins, in order that the natives may string them together. Bronze coins are in wide circulation on the west coast of Africa.

In the interior small shells known as cowries are used as fractional currency. It is to replace the cowries that the new coins have been struck.

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS

In which to take advantage of our special prices on summer merchandise. Hundreds have profited by this great slash of prices. Why not You? These are all articles of good quality and workmanship, nothing cheap but the price. Special prices now prevailing in the following articles of good quality merchandise.

39c — VOILES NOW — 27c

We have just received a shipment of good quality gingham, bought far below present market prices. We are giving you advantage of this wonderful buy. Only 15c yard

WHITE SKIRT SALE

\$6.35 values \$5.28
\$3.50 values \$1.95
\$1.95 values 98c
Only a few left, HURRY. Also 1-4 off on fancy wool and silk skirts.

We have some good quality voile dresses we are now offering at 1-4 OFF

36% REDUCTION ON ALL LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S LOW CUT SHOES— all numbers going fast. Interested purchasers should not delay.

SPECIAL PRICES ON CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

\$3.50 values \$1.98
\$1.25 values 98c
95c values 79c

A chance to get a good apron at exceedingly low prices. We are giving 1-4 OFF on Ladies' Gingham Aprons. Good assortment.

MEN'S STRAW HATS

\$5.00 values \$2.95
\$4.00 values \$2.50
\$3.00 values \$1.95
\$2.50 values \$1.65
\$1.75 values \$1.15
\$1.50 values 95c

SPORT SHIRTS

\$1.50 values 95c
\$1.25 values 79c
65c values 43c
35c values 19c

Counter of Men's Felt Hats now going at 1-2 PRICE. Some of these hats are of Stetson make.

If you have never attended any of our special price sales, we would like to have you come to this one and take advantage of these prices. If you have, come again and be convinced, more than ever before, that when we say a sale IT IS A SALE.

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MAY QUIT RAISING SPODS

Shortage of Fertilizer in Famous Potato Region of Maine Serious Problem for Farmers.

Caribou, Me.—Farmers of the famous Aroostook county potato region may quit raising the spuds unless the fertilizer situation is relieved. It was brought out at an organization meeting of the farmers that the present price of fertilizer is from \$69 to \$96 a ton. With the cost of labor added the cost of raising Aroostook potatoes in 1919 was figured at about \$2.20 a barrel. Formerly the cost of raising potatoes hereabouts was about \$1 a barrel. Many farmers said they were canceling their orders for fertilizer this year. The farmers formed an organization for mutual protection.

France's First Lady Mayress.

In Mme. d'Evry France possesses her first lady mayress. The commune which unanimously appointed her as its representative is Nampcel, a little commune of the Aisne. Mme. d'Evry attended the general meeting of the mayors of the army held in Paris recently. She had a moving tale to tell of a village completely destroyed

by the Germans, and of a population, or what is left of it, living in the ruins or in the ruins capable of affording some kind of shelter. Mme. d'Evry, in simple, eloquent language, did full justice to her theme.

Thoughtless Reconstruction.

Senator Watson, the head of the committee on reconstruction, said in an interview: "Hasty reconstruction is apt to be thoughtless and bad. It is like the young drug salesman.

"A lady approached this young salesman, reddened and said: "My hair is falling out. Can you give me anything for it?"

"You bet! Sure!" said the salesman, heartily. "How about this hand-painted hair receiver at one forty-nine?"

Preacher, 96, Fights Man, 98

Dallas, Tex.—Men do not get too old to engage in fistic battles over the love of a woman, according to the statement of Judge Alexander of this city after disposing of a case where two aged men were charged with fighting and bore the evidence of the fray on their faces.

Jonas Gorgan, 96 years old and a

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minister, seemed to be the one who started the fight according to the evidence, but Henry Allison, 98, he says, was to blame. Gorgan testified that Allison attempted to win the love of Mrs. Gorgan, a motherly woman of 87 summers. Allison got a little the worse of the battle.

Allison was fined. The husband who fought to keep his wife was dismissed.

Rev. W. A. Bowen of Big Springs has become pastor of the Baptist church at Lubbock.

Quite a crowd collected in the eastern part of town Saturday afternoon to see some expert broncho riding.

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