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## OZARK TRAILERS WILL BE ENTERTAINED IN PLAINVIEW

SEVERAL OF RELAY DIVISIONS WILL SPEND NIGHT OF SEPT. 29th HERE

Monte Ne, Ark., Sept. 8.—An official itinerary has been announced by W. H. (Coin) Harvey, president of the Ozark Trails Association, for each of the automobile Relay Runs to the annual convention of the association at Roswell, N. M., October 1, 2, 3. All the runs concentrate in Roswell the night of September 30. Mr. Harvey estimates that, with weather conditions favorable, at least 1,000 cars will make the runs.

The longest run will be from St. Louis. This will start Sunday morning, September 21, at 8 o'clock. The first day 122 miles will be covered, with a dinner stop at Sullivan, Mo. The first night stop will be at Rolla, Mo.

The next day, Monday, September 22, the run will proceed to Mountain Grove for dinner, where cars from the Memphis, Tenn., line will join in, meeting the main run at Cabool, Mo., at 11 a. m. Leaving Mountain Grove at 2 o'clock, the run will go to Springfield for a night stop.

The third day's run will take the party to Miami for a night stop. Enroute meetings will be held at Republic, Mounta, Vernon, Stotts City, Sarcocoe, Joplin (a dinner stop), Galena, Baxter and Commerce.

At Vinita, the dinner stop for Wednesday, September 24, delegations from Benton county, Arkansas, and Pittsburg, Kansas, each accompanied by a brass band, will join the caravan. President Harvey will arrive with the Arkansas delegates. The Kansas City group will arrive at Vinita.

Proceeding through Chelsea, Okla., the run will arrive at Claremore, Okla., for a night stop. The next day's run will be to Chandler, Okla., passing through and holding meetings at Tulsa, Kellyville, Bristow (dinner stop), Depew, Stroud and Davenport with the night stop at Chandler. The following day, Friday, September 26, the run will be from Chandler to Chickasha, Okla., through Wellston, Luther, Jones City, Oklahoma City (dinner stop), New Castle, Tuttle, Amber.

The next day, Saturday, September 27, the run will split in two divisions. One section goes by way of Anadarko, Hobart, Lene Wolfe and Granite to a night stop at Mangum, Okla. A division. The other division will go through Cement, Fletcher, Lawton, Cauhu, Enyder, Headrick to Altus, the night stop. Sunday noon the divisions will join at Hollis for dinner and go on to Childress, Texas. The next day's run will be in two sections, one through Estelline, Turkey and Quitaque to Lockney; the other through Tell, Northfield, Matador and Floydada to Lockney. Then the two will join in the run to Plainview, where runs from Abilene, Seymour and Wichita Falls will join in. The last day's run will be over 200 miles of plains to the convention city.

The run from Abilene will start Monday morning, September 29, and proceed by way of Merkel, Sweetwater, Roscoe, Snyder, Justiceburg, Post City, Lubbock and Abernathy to Plainview.

Another run will leave Las Vegas, N. M., Monday morning, September 29, and go direct to Roswell through Antonchico, Santa Rosa, Cuervo, Montoya, Tucumcari, Grady, Clovis, Portales, Elida and Kenna. A run from El Paso, starting Monday afternoon, September 29, will go to Roswell through Alamogorda and Tularosa.

All delegations are expected to arrive in Roswell not later than 7 o'clock the night of September 30. The Tucumcari, N. M., band of 25 pieces will arrive with the party from Las Vegas. In addition to this musical organization and the bands from Benton county, Arkansas, and Pittsburg, Kansas, other bands are expected to join the runs and the Roswell band will be out to welcome the visitors.

Reports received at the home office of the association here indicate that elaborate preparations are being made along the several routes to receive the Relay runners and make the journeys veritable continuous shows of fun, music and entertainment combined with good roads instruction.

R. A. Underwood, chairman of the

## INJUNCTION ISSUED AGAINST TAHOKA OIL PROMOTERS

Forbidden to Move Drilling Rig and Machinery From Oil Field—Papers Served Sunday

Friday District Judge R. C. Joiner issued a temporary injunction, in the case of J. C. Holcombe, D. M. Reedy, G. W. Hay, and J. A. Chrisler vs. A. D. Shook, M. M. Herring, et al., and the papers were served on Mr. Herring, and drillers Howard Green and Clifford Green at Tahoka Sunday morning by Sheriff Sanford of Lynn county. Papers were not served on Mr. Shook as he was reported to be out of the county.

Shook is president and Herring is secretary of the Tahoka Oil & Gas Co., which has been drilling a well near Tahoka. The plaintiffs in the case are citizens of Plainview and stockholders in the company.

In their petition they allege that Shook and Herring have attempted or intend to abandon the further drilling of the well, and as stockholders and leaseholders the plaintiffs declare they will be damaged greatly by such an abandonment of the well which is reported to be down 2,700 feet.

Recently the oil company sent out a circular letter to all stockholders saying that the company had spent all of its money. Several Plainview stockholders attended a meeting at Tahoka Thursday, and came back very angry because of the condition of the affairs of the company.

Much interest is being manifested locally in the case, as many thousand dollars' worth of stock is held in this county, also large leases near the well.

Will Resign as Public Weigher  
Will Akers has informed us that he will today tender his resignation as public weigher in this precinct. He says on account of the elevators handling most all the wheat shipments over their scales the receipts of the office are too small for him to make a living out of it. The commissioners' court will appoint his successor.

Two Negroes on Federal Grand Jury  
The special September term of the United States District Court convened in Wichita Falls Tuesday. Judge W. R. Smith of El Paso presided. His charge to the grand jury dealt particularly with the misuse of the mails. Two negroes are on the grand jury, and it is said to be the first time that that race has been represented on a jury in that county.

Hopes to Drill Soon  
J. J. Barton of the Bartonsite community was in town Friday. He said that he hopes to sign up a contract within a few days with drillers, who will make the test on his holdings in the southwestern part of the county. Three drilling firms are dickering with him, and he will close up with one of them.

Visits of the Stork  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Crabb, Plainview, Sept. 3, girl.

J. H. Pierce, 8 miles northwest of Plainview, Sept. 6, girl; named Dorothy.

John Hayden, Plainview, Sept. 3, boy.

James Christokis, (Greek), Plainview, Sept. 6, boy; named Paul.

## Wayland College Has Opened

Wayland college opened Wednesday morning for the new year's work with an enrollment of nearly 100 students, which is more than on the opening day of any previous year. It is expected that the enrollment will be greatly increased within a few days. The college management says the work starts off well and a good year is in prospect.

## Board is Raising Renditions

Dan Ansley, H. F. Meadows and Geo. C. Keck are sitting at the city hall as a board of equalization for the city and independent school district, going over tax renditions. We are informed they purpose to raise renditions very materially, and will notify many to come in and show reason why their renditions should not be raised.

entertainment committee, will have committee meeting tomorrow to arrange a program of entertainment for the visitors the night they spend in Plainview on their relay trip.



## WE CAN TAKE CARE OF of the SCHOOL NEEDS

We are well prepared to outfit the children for school. Everything they need from shoes to hats is represented in our fall showing of school supplies. We've given a great amount of effort in gathering this year's assortments and every article is up to our required standard of quality.

Bring the children to us and we will outfit them completely to your satisfaction and at a saving of money.

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STOCKTON RECEIVES COMMISSION AS POSTMASTER  
Will Assume Duties—October 1st—Spencer Remains as Assistant Postmaster

Will Stockton today received his commission as postmaster of the Plainview office. He informs us that he will begin work October 1st. Ernest Spencer, who has been acting as postmaster since B. O. Sanford resigned last March, will again become assistant postmaster.

Mr. Stockton has been assistant-cashier of the Third National Bank for about three years.

E. B. Powell, the Cleveland tractor man, went to Amarillo this morning.

QUOTA IS \$16,000 FOR HALE COUNTY

Chairman Randolph Hopes to Raise Amount the First Day of the Campaign

Hale county has accepted her quota of \$16,000 to be raised for the Salvation Army in the campaign to begin Sept. 29, and County Chairman H. C. Randolph purposes to put it over the first day of the drive.

All the precinct chairmen and the chairman of the woman's work have been appointed. This week Judge Randolph appointed J. M. Adams to be publicity chairman for the campaign.

Large lithographed posters and other literature has been received, and



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## REAL ESTATE IN HALE COUNTY CONTINUES ACTIVE

Many Deals Are Made, and New People Are Coming Here to Live

Each week many realty deals are reported in Hale county. Not in many years has there been so much activity in the real estate line. Many new people are buying lands in Hale county and are moving here to make their homes. The price of land is going up all the time.

J. J. Lash Real Estate Co. reports the following deals made through them the past week:

W. W. Wise has sold his 320-acre farm six miles north of town to a Collin county man for \$16,000, all cash. The party expects to move to it with his family.

H. A. NeSmith of Longmont, Colo., has sold his farm of 240 acres near Petersburg to a man of that community.

Alva Raper of near Lockney has bought a 160-acre farm two miles south of Olton.

M. Dotson has sold his farm of 470 acres one mile south of Olton to Mr. Carlton of near Kress.

Jim Helms has sold 320 acres near Olton to H. C. Williams of near Kress.

## President Wilson's Speaking Trip

Everywhere President Wilson and party goes in his swing across the country of course he is given a great ovation. Yesterday he spoke in Sioux Falls, S. D., following speeches of the several days before in Columbus, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind.; St. Louis.

He is delivering some great speeches in behalf of the ratification of the peace treaty and league of nations covenant, and will doubtless be able to cause the people to bring sufficient pressure on the senators to put it through.

## Wheat Goes to New Orleans

The government grain administration has issued a temporary permit allowing grain elevators to buy such wheat as the farmers have to sell, and to ship same to the port of New Orleans instead of Galveston for export, at the regular market price less the difference in freight rate between the two ports, which is 9c a bushel. Under this rate the price to be paid the farmer in Plainview is \$1.98 a bushel.

will be put up and distributed at the proper time.

## Rent Houses in Demand

We know of at least one family that came here to take advantage of Plainview's college and public school schools being unable to secure a suitable house to live in and was forced to move elsewhere.

There is a great demand for rent houses in Plainview, and the growth of the town is being retarded because families who would come here cannot do so.

There is not much hope of relief, as nobody seems to contemplate putting money into such investments.

## Recruiting Party Here Again

The army recruiting party in the big Camouflaged car returned Sunday to Plainview from El Paso. During the past month it has been working out of Childress, Clarendon, Canadian and other points. First Lieut. Leon Kotzebue is in charge of the party. He left on today's train for Ft. Bliss, El Paso, to take an examination for promotion to a captaincy.

## Confederate Veterans Meet

The local camp of Confederate veterans met at the court house Saturday afternoon. It was decided to appoint all members who can attend the Confederate re-union at Atlanta, Ga., in October, as delegates.

## Red Cross Sent Pershing Message

Yesterday morning the Hale-Lamb county chapter Red Cross sent a message to Gen. J. J. Pershing, upon his arrival in New York, congratulating him upon his great work across seas.

## Williamson Child Dies

Cleo Ojeto Williamson, age 22 months, died Sept. 5, of pneumonia. Burial took place at the cemetery the following day.

## Notice To Water and Sewer Users

All parties owing city water and sewer rent will please call at city hall at once and pay same. The city needs the money.—By order of council.

## J. L. DAMERON STABBED TWICE BY A. B. ROSSER

DIFFICULTY OCCURRED NEAR ABERNATHY SUNDAY—WILL RECOVER

J. L. Dameron, age about thirty-five years, was stabbed twice by A. B. Rosser of this city, in an altercation Sunday. A knife was used and one stab was just below the heart and the other in the lower abdomen, the blade penetrating to the hollow.

Dameron was brought to Plainview and his wounds dressed by physicians. He is recovering and unless complications set up will soon be out again.

Dameron is a tenant on the Rosser place, which is close to the Lubbock county line. They have been having some trouble lately, so it is said, over Rosser's cattle getting into Dameron's fields. Sunday Dameron and Mr. Rosser and the two Rosser sons got into a difficulty over the matter, and the stabbing occurred.

Dameron has a wife and children. The jury is in session and doubtless now investigating the matter.

## CHARTER OF PANHANDLE SHORT LINE IS GRANTED

Austin, Texas, Sept. 5.—The charter of the Panhandle Short Line Railway Company, capital stock \$300,000, principal office at Dalhart, was approved today by the attorney general's department.

The company proposes to construct a line of railroad from Dalhart through the counties of Dallam, Hartley, Oldham, Deaf Smith, Castro, Lamb, Hale and Lubbock, to the town of Lubbock, in Lubbock county, a distance of 200 miles.

The incorporators: E. G. Cook, W. E. Ferguson, D. O. Vernon, B. McCumley, J. H. King, W. A. Pritchard, W. A. Squires, A. E. Brown, E. B. Pollard, T. L. Leicham, J. H. Wambeam, and John Phillips, all of Wichita Falls, and S. M. Porter of Caney, Kansas.

This company was first organized about ten years ago, and it possibly started to build at that time. Then it dropped out and for more than eight years nothing was heard of it, until the above dispatch appeared in Saturday's papers.

## Anderson Appointed D. D. G. P.

Elmer R. Anderson received a letter last week from E. Q. Vestal of Dallas, grand scribe of the Texas grand lodge of I. O. O. F., in which he stated that this district had been enlarged to include Potter, Deaf Smith and Hale counties, and that he has been appointed district deputy grand patriarch.

## Wounded D. S. C. Soldier Here

Lon Holt came in Saturday from Pecos, on a furlough, to visit his brother, H. I. Holt. He expects to see service most likely in Mexico. He served across seas and was wounded three times, and was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

## No Sugar in Stores

The grocery stores are completely out of sugar now. One of the grocers tells us that he never saw sugar so scarce. He don't know when his store will be able to get any. He expects a shortage until the new crop of beet sugar begins to move next month.

## Public Schools Open

The public schools of Plainview opened Monday morning, under very auspicious circumstances. We understand that the enrollment at the three schools—high school, Central school, and Lamar school—was about one thousand.

## Cope Appointed Adjutant General

Col. W. D. Cope, formerly of Childress, has been appointed by Gov. Hobby to be state adjutant general to succeed James A. Harley, resigned. Cope has been serving under Harley as assistant adjutant general.

## Soldiers Steal Melons

A. M. Kruger tells us that Sunday night he found four soldiers or ex-soldiers in uniform in his melon patch stealing watermelons.

Teachers from sixteen counties, numbering 350, attended the joint institute at Canyon Normal last week.

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### GO SLOW, UNCLE SAM

The United States is said to be shipping great quantities of all kinds of army supplies to El Paso and other border points. These supplies are mostly of the kind that would be used in case our troops are sent into Mexico.

The general impression among army men is that unless something is done to bring order in Mexico, this country is almost certain to intervene within the next several months.

Mexico has been in throes of revolution, banditry and chaos for almost ten years. Since Madero was assassinated seven years ago there has been no responsible government. There has been no law and order. Several hundred American and other foreign citizens have been killed, and in not a single instance have the murderers been punished. Dozens of Americans have been shot across the line.

The intollerable conditions in Mexico cannot be allowed under the Monroe Doctrine. Uncle Sam is the policeman of the western hemisphere. The nations of the world look to Uncle Sam to protect all foreigners in Mexico. Already they are beginning to insist on him protecting foreign interests.

Prominent Mexicans are issuing warnings to Carranza, Villa and other factions in Mexico to settle their disputes by peaceable means and to bring order in the land, for unless they do this at once they declare America must and will intervene.

Intervention is in the air. We cannot see how it can be avoided.

But, Uncle Sam should think well and try every other policy possible before sending troops across the border. Of course, Mexico could not rally a force that could stand up against a quarter of million well trained and fully equipped soldiers. She would not attempt to do so. American troops would at once take over all the chief cities and seaports.

But, that would not be all. Mexico would not fight in the open—she would doubtless resort to guerrilla warfare, the meanest warfare known. Villa and his bands, other Mexicans and their bands would hide in the mountain fastnesses and make forays against the American, and when small bands of Americans were sent against them they would pick them off from behind rocks, jungles and other such places. Hundreds—maybe thousands—of American soldiers would be killed—and one American soldier's life is worth a cowpen full of greasers.

It would cost millions of money to intervene, and years' of occupation. Hence, while intervention seems inevitable, yet Uncle Sam should ponder the question long and thoroughly before he takes the step.

The public debt of the federal government August 30 was \$26,590,701,648. This is \$265 for every person in the country.

Virginia is the third state to refuse to ratify the woman's suffrage amendment. Yet the "Old Dominion State" poses as being democratic.

Another thing we are glad of is with shoes selling at the present high prices there won't be much kicking. Soon people will have to go barefooted every day except Sunday; and it is a cinch that a barefooted person can't do any kicking.

Almost two million and a half dollars, \$2,469,688.81 to be exact, will be distributed to citizens of the Eleventh Federal district on September 15. This vast sum will be distributed by the United States government. It is a semi-annual interest payment on the Third Liberty Loan.

There is no danger of the members of the postal employees association dying because of modesty. The national meeting has just been held, and the following demands were made: Sixty per cent increase in salaries, a forty-four hour week, with time and a half for overtime, and a leave of absence of thirty days each year. Of course they also want an old-age pensions. Oliver Twist has many disciples these days.

At Indianapolis Thursday President Wilson told his audience that no one believed the League of Nations would make wars impossible, but that he expected it to make war "improbable." We are for most anything that tends to make wars improbable.

The horrors of the late war were enough to cause all people to want to absolutely do away with war. If the League will cause disarmament, will settle boundary disputes, will make nations pause for a few months and talk over disagreements before declaring war—and it purposes to do these things—it is a long stride toward the right goal.

### Don't Like Panama

The following poem was written by G. W. Hanson, who used to live near Happy Union, and was prominent in county singing convention circles:

Will you listen to my story  
That to you I wish to tell  
Of the boys that came into the fight  
And to give the Kaiser hell.

It was in nineteen seventeen  
When the little war began  
And the spirit of fight was in  
The heart of the Yankee men.

They went to all parts of the world  
To stand up for peace and right,  
They gave their life for Old Glory  
And never flinched in the fight.

They waded through water and mud  
And ever watched day and night  
And charged upon a might foe  
And brought down a king of might.

They endured the shell shock and gas  
And gave their all, even life  
That the Nation's might be peaceful  
And free from war kings and strife.

They marched right in to old Berlin  
With a soldier's tread so true  
And planted the flag with a shout  
"Hurrah" for the red, white and blue.

Many things they had to endure  
Which I have no space to tell  
But they suffered it all for us  
And to give the Kaiser hell.

Now I wish you would remember  
And mark close my little spear  
For France you might take or say it  
Was the only fighting field.

But some were sent to Panama  
And little of them you hear  
But I am very proud to say  
Some were first to volunteer.

No fault of ours that we are here  
And this every one should know  
That a soldier has not his choice  
As to what place he should go.

And the ones that got the credit  
Were the ones that served in France  
But we who served in Panama  
Would have been glad of the chance.

We guarded the Panama Canal  
The key to the commerce store  
We got our money on pay day  
And we asked for nothing more.

And we drilled eight hours every day  
And hiked for many a mile  
And never got a pleasant glance  
Nor even a friendly smile.

We camped in malaria islands  
And hiked up typhoid hills  
Then we were busy as could be  
Fighting the fever and chills.

We have gone thru many hardships  
Under the tropical sun  
Fought bedbugs and mosquitos, too  
Till we wish our work was done.

But the worst enemy of all  
Was loneliness of the heart  
We triumphed and put him to flight  
By doing our noble part.

We pray that our work may be strong  
And forever may it stand  
That it might uplift brotherhood  
And bring out the best in man.

There's a lesson in everything  
I hope we've gained by it all  
And have seen the weakness of man  
For his works are apt to fall.

Peace is signed and soon we shall leave  
And say good-bye to the zone  
To meet our friends and loved ones  
In that dear old peaceful home.

And now that I have had my say  
And this I would like to ask:  
The gallant boys in Panama  
Have they done their little task?

Now my story is at an end  
And I have no more to tell  
For it may not appeal to you  
But some call Panama "hell."

Written by G. W. Hanson, Co. E, 33rd Infantry, Balboa, C. Z. Panama.

### Many Mexicans Coming In

During the past ten days, perhaps, 200 Mexicans have arrived in Crosby county to assist in gathering the crops. The securing of this labor is largely due to the efforts being made by the committee recently appointed by our business men for the purpose of supplying farmers with the extra help the big crops have made necessary.—Ralls Banner.

Judge W. M. Key of Austin will be a candidate for associate justice of the supreme court next year. He is the father of Mrs. Thos. P. Whitis, formerly of Plainview.

## BELGRADE TO "COME BACK"

Citizens of Serbian Capital Confident Their Beloved City Will Rise From Its Ashes.

Belgrade, the capital of Serbia and Jugo-Slavia, is now a mere shell of its former self. The Serbs used to be remarkably proud of their metropolis. Did they not possess a city with first-class hotels, electric cars, a boulevard, good shops, and all other modern conveniences, not to mention a profusion of the coffee houses and gardens so dear to the heart of the Serb?

These coffee houses of Belgrade are more of an institution than the tavern ever was in London. A cupful of black coffee in a public garden, a military band playing the weird Slavic songs, and the young people dancing the old folk dances on the grass—these represent the height of contentment to the Serb after a day's work.

During the war, however, there was little coffee drunk in Belgrade, and the Serbs have forgotten how to dance. While the streets of a city are systematically shelled by the enemy, and every able-bodied man is off to war, the citizens think less of comfort and concern themselves with safety.

Belgrade was deserted, but its people, those who survived, are coming back to their wrecked homes. They are still battling with hunger, and their loved city is in chaos, but they are hopeful. As the capital of a Slav republic, Belgrade has, they believe, entered upon a new and more auspicious era of its history.

## PROTECT THE SONG BIRDS

Sound Advice Which is as Applicable to United States as to Canadian Farmers.

Our songbirds are now on their way to their Canadian haunts, and some of them may have arrived when these lines are read. Their return suggests the old admonition—protect them in every way possible, because they are the best protectors of our gardens, our garden crops and our orchards. Without these birds the insects would "eat us out of house and home."

In an article on the protection of wild life Jack Miner condenses the whole case into a single paragraph. He takes the robin as the representative of our winged allies in the warfare against insects and worms, and he states his case in this fashion:

"Now what good is the robin? Everybody knows the robin. A boy came along the road with a .22 rifle, saw a robin sitting there, and killed it. I went over and picked the robin up. Two cutworms were squirming on the ground—the robin had had them in his beak. I held the bird up, and two more fell out of his mouth. I remember, one cut worm will cut down five tomato plants in a night. The cutworm does his work and then hides under the soil; Mr. Robin comes hopping along, picks in there and pulls him out—and then turns him into a robin. If anyone tells you that a robin will destroy one hundred cutworms in a day take it from him that it is true."—Montreal Herald.

## Ministry of Mirth.

An ex-member of the London county council, the Rev. H. B. Chapman, vicar of that quaint relic of old London, the Savoy chapel, marooned in a backwater of the Strand, has emerged into print, in the columns of the Morning Post, on the great amusement question. Mr. Chapman is convinced that all is not well in the theatrical state of England, and there are many who agree with him. Still he is no mere iconoclast. He has his remedy. It is a very simple one—a ministry of mirth, headed by an ideal chief, and established without delay. But then Mr. Chapman admits that he is an "incorrigible optimist." Perhaps Mr. Chapman might add to the gaiety of nations by editing a new edition of the works of Demokritos of Abdera, the Laughing Philosopher, unless, as is quite possible, and not without reason, he regards Demokritos as the first of pessimists.

## For Home Gardeners.

Home food production will continue because it has been found worth while, is the prediction made in "The War Garden Victorious," a history of the war garden movement in the United States which has just been issued. The book, which gives a complete record of the campaign, declares that "there is no question that the cultivators of our war gardens, now become victory gardens, will continue their labors." The volume is not for sale but is being sent to libraries, garden committees and others interested in keeping a permanent record of this work. The author is Charles Lathrop Puck, president of the National War Garden commission, with whose compliments the book is distributed.

## Ventriloquist's Fun.

"Please let me down easy, mister," came a deep voice, apparently from the casket, as Andrew J. Wilson, a negro employed by a Long Beach, Cal., transfer company, was engaged, with another workman, in unloading at a freight station there a coffin containing a body that had been shipped to Long Beach for burial from a town in the middle West.

Wilson was just letting his end of the box down, with about two feet to go. He let it fall the two feet with a bang, and with a flying start he sprinted down the street.

Police Sergeant Clyde Allen of Long Beach, who was standing near the scene with a ventriloquist friend, vouches for the story.

# PUBLIC SALE FURNITURE SATURDAY, SEPT. 13th

at 2 o'clock sharp. At my place, 2 doors south of the First Christian Church.

## Don't Miss This Sale

A greater portion of our Household Goods

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- 2 small Library Tables
- 6 Rocking Chairs
- 5 large Rugs
- 10 small Rugs
- 1 China Cabinet
- 1 Sideboard
- 1 Dining Table
- 6 Dining Chairs
- 2 small Tables
- 1 Chiffoneer
- 3 Dressers
- 3 Wash Stands
- 3 Iron Beds

- 3 sets Springs
- 3 Mattresses
- 11 Sec. Book Cases
- 1 Refrigerator
- Window shades
- Draperies

And many other things too numerous to mention.

This is all nice stuff, so be on time if you want first choice.

**E. B. HUGHES, Owner**  
W. A. NASH, Auctioneer

J. A. Price has sold his 2500 acre ranch southwest of Canyon to W. R. Piper, of Lenton, and one hundred head of cattle, the deal involving \$60,000. Mr. Piper will move to Randall county within a short while. Mr. Price will probably leave the county.

Grain Company at Abernathy  
A co-operative farmers' grain company with a capital stock of \$10,000 will be organized at Abernathy. A warehouse will be erected and the company purposes this year to handle staple row crops. Next year an elevator will be built and small grain handled, too.

Finds Quick Sand at 300 Feet  
Tulia, Texas, Sept. 4.—The Happy Oil and Gas Company's well in Swisher county has reached a depth of more than 300 feet, at which place quicksand was encountered and drilling stopped until casing could be put in.

Miss Irene Rerferm will again teach the Pleasant View school in Randall county. She spent the summer in Plainview.

Meet me at the Oldsmobile and Oakland Service Station.

J. V. Leak of Memphis has been appointed district attorney of that district to succeed O. T. Warlick of Vernon, who resigned.



Camels are sold every-where in scientific cases packed in 20 cigarettes or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel!

E. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. Winston-Salem, N. C.

18c a package

CAMELS are the most refreshing, satisfying cigarette you ever smoked! Put all your cigarette desires in a bunch, then buy some Camels, give them every taste-test and know for your own satisfaction that in quality, flavor, smooth-body and in many other delightful ways Camels are in a class by themselves!

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# WANT COLUMN

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**WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE** is the best.

**FOR SALE—Wagon platform scale,** cheap.—J. L. Dorsett. 26-tf

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

The Plainview Mill will be open to custom grinding on and after the 15th of September.

**FOR SALE—Jelly grapes,** 10c pound, \$2.50 bushel.—Mrs. R. W. Brahan. 31-2t.

**FOR SALE—Two used cars,** first-class condition, priced to sell.—Phone 294

**FOR SALE—5 room bungalow,** five blocks west of square, east front.—Box 602, Plainview. 34-8t-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.

**FOR SALE—Good milch cow,** perfectly gentle, giving 3 1-2 gallons milk weighed.—J. W. Patterson, Grant building.

**FOR SALE—Avery 8-16 tractor** and four-disc Sandero plow.—A. E. Turnberg, Rt. B. 28-tf

**NOTICE—I will prosecute any** and all persons caught hunting on the old Seth Ward college grounds.—Mrs. H. F. Gillette.

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

**FOR SALE—One row Milwaukee** binder in good shape. See Mrs. S. E. Leckliter, 12 miles southwest of Hale Center.

See our new line of Rugs, just in; they are beauties.—Dodge Furniture Co.

**FOR SALE—Five room house** on West Seventh street. Terms.—R. A. Underwood. 34-tf.

**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.

**WILL TRADE FOR LAND—One** the best improved homes in Plainview for one-half to two sections.—D. F. Sansom, Plainview, Texas. 28-tf.

**SAVE 20 PER CENT—on a** refrigerator by buying now, while our 20 per cent discount sale is on. You should come and see our line. We can please you.—Garner Bros.

**FOR SALE—First house** south of Baptist church modern five-room cottage, bath, hot and cold water, electric lights. Write J. F. Garrison, Fort Worth, care Worth Hotel or ring 97.

**LOST—A state teachers' permanent** certificate, made to Otelia Graham. Finder bring to News office.

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## Liberty Bonds

We believe that parties having Liberty Bonds should hold them wherever possible but when owner desires to cash in the investment we are prepared to advance the ready money for any of the five issues at current prices, or to make loans thereon.

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**FOR SALE—Four lots,** desirable corner, two blocks from square, sub-irrigation, shade trees, attractive building place. Low price and easy terms. Apply at News office.

**FOR SALE—Big-bone Poland-China** male, registered. Schrock & Son, 7 miles southeast. 28-tf.

See our new line of Rugs, just in; they are beauties.—Dodge Furniture Co.

**WANTED—One second hand** buggy and harness. One buggy horse.—Texas Land & Development Co.

**NICE FURNISHED BED ROOMS** for rent, close in. 401 E. Sixth St.—Mrs. Belle Young.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE—3 Maxwell** trucks, 1 Ford truck, several good second-hand cars in good shape.—Phone 677. Roy Lipscomb. 31-tf.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE—New four** room California bungalow, with pantry, bath, electric lights, sewerage, sink in kitchen and hot water connections, close in, sidewalks all way to square, one lot; will sell for cash or trade for acreage proposition, with house on same. Call at News office or Phone 97.

**FOR SALE—1 Chevrolet touring car,** 1 Ford with form-a-body truck.—Texas Land & Development, Co., Plainview, Texas.

**FOR SALE—Good home** in Plainview, well located, two-story, nine rooms, northeast front. Right price; terms. Apply to W. L. H. Care News. 34-tf

We have any size New Perfection oil stove you may need. Call and let us show our line to you.—Garner Bros.

**WANTED—To buy** gilt-edge vendor's lien notes.—J. M. Adams, at News office.

**FURNITURE FOR SALE—For** four room house. Good stuff, will sell cheap.—P. O. Box 352. 34-tf-c

**FOR RENT—Two unfurnished** rooms with bath. Convenient to high school. Phone 272. 29

**FOR SALE—19 sections** leased land, well watered, good grass. 3 sections for sale with it. Possession at once. For particulars see G.-C. Electric Co.

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.

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

**WILL TRADE—For crop** or livestock good second-hand seven-passenger automobile.—D. F. Sansom & Son, Plainview. 28-tf.

**WANTED—Green and dry** hides L. D. Rucker Produce Co.

**WANTED—Dishwasher,** man or woman, at Ware Hotel.

**SAVE ONE-FIFTH—We** are selling our present stock of refrigerators, while it lasts, at 20 per cent discount. Buy now and save money.—Garner Bros.

Buy a New Perfection oil stove. We know they are the best, for our customers are pleased with them.—Garner Bros.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE—Modern** 8 or 10 room residence, on Restriction street, every convenience.—See Dr. Jas. Pickett. 30-8t

**FOR SALE—Gasoline** Iron, used only twice.—Phone 97.

**FOR SALE—5 passenger** touring car.—T. O. Collier.

New Perfection oil stoves and ranges at Garner Bros. They are the best, and give the best satisfaction. Any size you wish.

**FOR SALE—Nice home** one mile south and about one hundred yards east of court house. Three room house, east front, windmill, sheds and lots, nice young orchard, five acre block, will sell this property at a bargain, good terms, no trade considered. See C. K. Shelton or phone my residence 310. 34-4t-c

**SAVE MONEY—We** are making a reduction of 20 per cent on all refrigerators. Buy now for this is below wholesale cost on the present market. You can use a refrigerator the rest of this season and have it for next spring and thus save considerable money on what you will have to pay if you let this opportunity pass. Call and see our line. They are dandies.—Garner Bros.

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**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.

**CLUBBING RATES**  
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

**WANTED TO BUY—Seven** acres of land just out of incorporation, good location and price right.—M. M. Culwell, Box 243, Ralls, Texas. 31-5t

**WANTED—Maize** headers; also farmers wanting maize headed come to Ben's Sanitary Shop. 29

### WHITFIELD

Sept. 4.—Mrs. Dunlap of Argona, Kans., is here visiting at the J. H. Real home.

Miss Ruth Ogden of Olton is visiting at the W. G. Williams home. Evangelist Kendall is holding a meeting here and the interest in the meeting is growing more and more each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler left Tuesday for California to spend the winter with his folks.

Rev. Watts and daughter were down from Kress Sunday and on their way to Lockney to attend a big meeting there.

Miss Hazel Ooley is spending a few days at home. Mr. and Mrs. Al Raper of Lockney were in our midst visiting their son and daughter.

### SILVERTON

Sept. 5.—A contract has been signed for a test oil well two miles south of Turkey, drilling to begin within ninety days.

The members of the Church of Christ have begun the erection of a house of worship in the Rock Creek community.

Houston Gunn and Miss Lorena Tucker of the Gasoline community were united in marriage here Wednesday, Squire W. J. Morgan officiating. G. S. Morris has sold his interest in the G. S. Morris & Co. store to Dr. M. C. Bell of Tulia, who will be associated with his brother, Fred Bell in the business. Dr. Bell has also purchased Mr. Morris' residence.—Star.

### HEREFORD

To celebrate the "spudding in" of the first oil well to be drilled near Hereford, a big celebration and barbecue was held here Thursday.

The dates of the county fair to be held at Hereford have been changed to Oct. 9 to 11.

In an auto accident Miss Mildren Griffith was thrown against the windshield of her car, her nose was broken and she received other injuries.

Rev. B. Y. Dickenson, pastor of the Methodist church in Bovina, is recovering from an attack of the flu. Miss Ruth Lee and Arthur Rogers were married Aug. 31.—Brand.

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New modern six room dwelling. Every convenience, east front, two lots. Three blocks High school. Priced to sell.

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### EAST MOUND

Sept. 7.—School will begin at East Mound soon.

Mr. Eiring is building a new house. C. N. Horne has bought another farm.

J. W. Alexander has returned from the Ranger oil fields.

W. T. Close and family and W. B. Seaman has returned home from a visit to their old homes down in North and Central Texas.

Threshing is about all done and maize heading has begun.

Jackson Brothers are threshing for Mr. McCain.

Mr. Yordy has bought a new tractor and is plowing for Mr. Winslow. Mr. Hart has moved to town to school his children this winter.

Floyd Seaman has bought a Fordson tractor.

### KRESS

Sept. 4.—Kress had a light shower of rain last Saturday afternoon, followed by hot weather this week.

Miss Janette Miller left Sunday for her home in Amarillo, after spending a few days here visiting Miss Ethlyn Edwards.

A. J. Harris was a business visitor in Tulia Monday. He was accompanied by his wife and children.

J. L. Deen attended to business in Plainview Monday.

Geo. Roussier is back in Kress this week.

Miss Mabel Vaughn is attending the school institute in Canyon this week.

Miss Mattie Schiagen left last Saturday for Fort Worth, where she will take a business course. She was accompanied part of the way by her brother, Bible.

Rev. J. B. Vinson is holding a protracted meeting at the Baptist church, Miss Hikerston and Miss Edwards, from Three Lakes, are helping in the singing.

Miss Minerva Wood returned Sunday morning for Henrietta, after an extended visit with relatives there.

Lee Houser was in Kress Tuesday, enroute from Plainview to Amarillo. Mrs. J. P. Linn and three daughters, Frances, Velma and Jewell, were shopping in Plainview Monday.

W. P. Deen left Monday for his home in Lynn county.

Mrs. E. J. Meyers, accompanied by Miss Nora Adkisson, were shopping in Plainview Wednesday.

### TULIA

Sept. 5.—The Tulia public school will begin Monday, Sept. 9, with Prof. F. E. Savage as superintendent.

Ray Jordan, who saw service across seas, has received his discharge and is at home.

Jack Stringer, age 20 years, died Sept. 3, from typhoid fever. The funeral was at the Baptist church yesterday afternoon.

The protracted meeting, which had been in progress for the past two weeks at the Baptist church, closed Sunday. Rev. Chas. A. Loveless who helped, returned Monday morning to his pastorate in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ifland and two sons, Mrs. Henry Shafer, and Mrs. F. Doye, and son, left this morning for Plainview, where they will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

W. E. Adkisson and A. Schaffer of Canyon, have leased the Olympic theatre from Horace Townsend. Monday morning they assumed control of the theatre.

Miss Johnnie Pancake happened to a painful accident Sunday morning. She was cranking the automobile, when she slipped and broke her arm. At last reports she was getting along nicely.

Harry Gromer was in Plainview on Wednesday, making preparations to again enter Wayland Baptist college. Miss Vesta Gilliland of Plainview, visited this week with her friend, Miss Una Scott.

A deal was consummated last Saturday whereby the Rush-Alexander Grain company, of Tulia and Silverton bought the business and elevator of the Townsend Grain Co., in Tulia.—Herald.

### LORENZO

Sept. 8.—The Lorenzo public school opened this morning.

The school at Estacado begun today. J. G. Leverett is principal, Miss Gladys Woodward, intermediate and Mrs. J. G. Leverett, primary.

J. O. Easter, proprietor of the Lorenzo Drug Co., married last week at Gail to Mrs. Vida Cadell.

Rev. G. W. Rankin sold his 320 acre farm to C. E. Stevens of Red River county yesterday. Consideration being \$16,000.

G. W. Archie sold his 160 acre farm including crop and implements, to A. L. Eaves of Red River county for the sum of \$12,800.

### TODAY'S LOCAL MARKET

Butter, lb.	50c to 55c
Putterfat, lb.	55c
Eggs, dozen	36c
Hens, lb.	29c
..... lb.	29c
Wheat, per bushel	\$1.05
Oats, per bushel	55c
..... lb.	\$13 to \$25
..... lb.	\$16 to \$20

# A Titan 10-20

## INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY

# Tractor

was purchased from S. P. Dickson, as a second-hand engine, in September, 1918. Up to that time it had plowed and double-disked 200 acre of land. In the Fall of 1918 this tractor plowed and double disked 300 acres of land. Commencing in January this engine, together with an 8-16 International, plowed 1,000 acres of sod and double disked 400 acres. Beginning on the 23rd day of June this tractor, together with another Titan, cut 965 acres of wheat in two weeks and two days.

Since that time this tractor has been pulling an eight-foot tandem disc harrow on land which had previously been double disked twice. Altogether it has plowed 1,000 acres of land, double disked 1,125 and cut 482 acres of wheat. It has used on an average 20 gallons of kerosene and 2 1/2 gallons of lubricating oil in every ten-hour day. The repairs have cost \$185.75.

This engine, together with two other Titans and one 8-16, is now double-disking 400 acres of land on the Pioneer farm, 2 miles east and one mile south of Plainview. We would be glad to have you look this engine over, see what parts are worn, condition it is in and kind of work it is still doing.

We do not claim that there is anything phenomenal about the amount of work done with this tractor, but believe that you, as a purchaser, would be interested in an honest statement of what you might expect it to do on your farm.

We would very much appreciate your coming to see not only this tractor, but the other tractors and you will find the boys running these tractors willing and anxious to answer any questions you may care to ask concerning the tractors and their work. Remember their location, Pioneer Farm, two miles east and one south.

B. F. Jarvis

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### SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Hale

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District court of Hale county, on the 9 day of August 1919, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of verus P. F. Bryan vs Paul H. Bryan No. 17, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in October A. D. 1919, it being the 7 day of said month, before the Court House door of said Hale county, in the town of Plainview, the following described property, to-wit:

Lot No. 5 in block No. 3 of the town of Plainview Hale county Texas.

Levied on as the property of Paul H. Bryan to satisfy a Judgement amounting to \$87.81 in favor of P. F. Bryan and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of Sept. 1919.

J. C. TERRY Sheriff.

Ernest Thompson has bought the Amarillo Hotel building and furnishings, also the building next to it, from H. P. Canode, paying \$200,000.

Meet me at the Oldsmobile and Oakland Service Station.

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to the Brown Motor Co. brick building, one door south of its former stand, where it is better prepared to handle your repair business. Bring us your car troubles. We know how to remedy them.

**JOHNNY, THE DOCTOR**

### New Daily for Amarillo

Eugene Thompson of Dallas was on the eleven o'clock train this morning, and informed us that he and R. H. Nichols of Vernon had organized a \$100,000 company in Amarillo to publish the Evening Tribune in that town beginning the first of the year. "We had splendid luck in floating our stock," said Mr. Thompson. "Sixty-three leading business men took from \$500 to \$7,500 a piece, and they are anxious for us to get started."

"We propose to spend \$25,000 for a building, and \$50,000 for machinery, and are already making arrangements for the press of the San Angelo Standard, which is too big for that town, to be moved to Amarillo. Six linotypes, and a stereotyping outfit will be our next investment."

Amarillo is a rattling good town, and the demand for a new evening paper has been great for a long time. In getting Nichols & Thompson the town is singularly fortunate, as they are not only first-class newspaper men but splendid citizens besides.

Nichols, who owns most of the stock of the Vernon Record, will probably sell out to his partner, B. O. Brown. —Quannah Tribune-Chief.

### Courts Marking Time

While both district and county court are in session, the juries for the week were dismissed yesterday, and practically nothing is being done this week.

The trial of the Plainview city charter case is scheduled for next Tuesday, Sept. 16.

Jim Young returned today from a trip to Temple, where he went to receive treatment in a sanitarium. He says the crops on the Plains are far ahead of those down in the state and that the cotton along the railroad was very rank with only a few bolls to the stalk.

Wm. C. Redfield of Brooklyn, N. Y., has resigned as secretary of commerce in President Wilson's cabinet, for the purpose of returning to private business.



The News is glad to publish social items and when you or your neighbors, club, society or lodge have any kind of a social, please write out an item about it or phone 97 or 552.

### Reunion of Class 1918

Miss Zola Campbell was again hostess to the Class 1918 of Plainview High School, at her home on West 7th street, Saturday night.

The class colors, purple and white, together with cut flowers and pot plants were used profusely in the home.

The same old spirit was present as before, when programs were filled out for dancing, during which iced punch was served to Misses Ruth Towery, Maurine Richards, Hope Beebee, Opal Thomas, Wynona Guest, Sadye Earle Adams, Louise Lamb, Ruth Harrison, Martha McClendon, Millard King, Alberta King, Stella King, Lucille Craig, Aline Dalmont, Minnie Belle Clubb, Louise Simpson, Hazel Sewell, Pansey Posey of Lubbock, Harold Bawden, Elbert Lamb, George Burt, Roy Leslie, Hugh Tull, Chauncey Gidney, John Boswell, James Duncan, Bill Bromley, Orlo Beebee, Frank Howell, Harold Hamilton, Paxton Dow, Horace Rushing, Albert Hebert, Marvin Loveless, Edgar McClendon, Mr. Cochrane and William Knupp of Amarillo.

### Junior B. Y. P. U. Members

Enjoy Moonlight Picnic

With Mrs. H. F. Meadows and Mrs. A. E. Allen as chaperones, the members of the Junior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a moonlight picnic Friday night.

At first they drove out to the three-mile grove, but so many grass-burrs were found there, they decided to go to the old Seth Ward college grounds. There a picnic supper of sandwiches and melons was spread.

### Will Teach Private School

Miss Alma Armstrong will begin a private school next Monday.

### Delphian Club to Meet

The Delphian club will meet Saturday, Sept. 13th at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. J. B. Scott.

The leader for the afternoon will be Mrs. E. F. McClendon.

Lesson—"The Italian Peninsula and The Roman Family Under Social Life in Rome."

Topography of the land—Mrs. T. Stockton.

Manners and Customs—Mrs. E. E. Robinson.

### Miss Lucile Kinder Will Teach

in St. Mary's College

Miss Lucile Kinder will go to Dallas next week, to become a teacher of mathematics and Latin in St. Mary's Institute, an Episcopal college for girls. She graduated from the institution several years ago. Miss Kinder is a very talented and amiable young lady, and we feel that St. Mary's is indeed fortunate in securing her services.

### Dance at Saigling Ranch

There was a dance at the Saigling ranch, between Hale Center and Abernathy, Friday night, and a number of Plainview young people attended.

### Announcement

The As You Like It club will meet at the library Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### Euglo Society Entertains

The Euglo society of Walyand college gave an entertainment at the girls' dormitory Wednesday night, for the new members. The rooms were beautifully decorated, and there was music and other means of entertainment during the evening, including a musical program. Light refreshments were served to about forty young people.

### Pershing Returns to America

Gen. J. J. Pershing, who commanded the American troops abroad, returned yesterday to New York, and was given a tremendous welcome. The program included the conferring upon him by congress of a commission as full general of the American army, the highest honor possible for him.

E. B. Hughes will hold a public sale at his home just south of the First Christian church Saturday afternoon, in order to dispose of furniture and household goods. A list of the goods appears in an adv. on another page. W. A. Nash will hold the sale. The Hughes family will occupy the small house next door, which they own.

The Conner-Mathes Battery Co. has taken the agency for the Delco electric lighting system, which has been handled here by Mr. Gaskell, who has moved away.

Meet me at the Oldsmobile and Oakland Service Station.

# SCHOOL SHOES FOR SCHOOL DAYS

In getting the boys and girls ready for school again, good, sturdy footwear is an absolute necessity. We make a specialty of fitting the young folks in shoes so that they will not have the usual foot troubles in later years. This service, coupled with the fact that we have the products of the best shoe manufacturers for your selection, makes it decidedly to your interest to come here for this part of the school children's Fall wardrobe.

## School Stockings for the School Days

Values no one will doubt, values no one should be without. The Monarch, the Cadet, all sizes  
at . . . . . 25c, 35c, 45c, 60c and 65c

## Boys' School Blouses

The Tom Sawyer kind and the Burns & Pierce values. Dark, medium dark and light patterns  
at . . . . . \$1.25 and \$1.00 each

## Men's and Young Men's Hats

The new Fall colors and shapes. The Mallory brand and the Mallory values  
\$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00



## New Silk Shirts

At old values. The Manhattan, the Lyon.

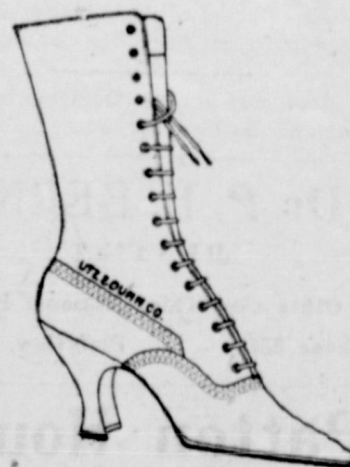
New Madras shirts . . . . . \$1.50 to \$3.00  
New soft collars . . . . . 25c, 35c, and 50c

## New Cheney Ties

In Four-in-hand and Bats . . . . . 65c and \$1.00

## New Suede Boots

## Just Received



The rage of the season, Brown and Black Suede boots in lace and button, just received by express. Full Louis covered heel with long drawn out vamp, the most exclusive boot of the season.

## Ladies' Silk Hose Specials

The Monarch, the Cadet, and the Gordon. Special good values of special good reliable makes in plain and lace patterns. Colors in black, brown, navy, grey, Champaign and white, prices

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2., \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3. and \$3.50

# Plainview Mercantile Company

Burns & Pierce, Props.

## PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, Sept. 13, 1919, at Kress, Tex.

- 5 two-year old fillies, iron grays.
- 1 four-year old mare, and horse colt, iron gray.
- 2 four-year old bay mares, good match team.
- 1 four-year old bay mare and filley colt.
- 1 four-year old sorrel mare and filley colt.
- 1 four-year old sorrel mare and mare mule colt.
- 1 eight-year old sorrel mare
- 1 eight-year old bay mare and yearling horse colt.
- 1 three-year old horse, iron gray.

All the above animals are half and three-quarters Perceron bred; except three head. They are good individuals and will make fine work animals; also brood mares.

1 span five-year old black mare mules. Good matches and well broken.

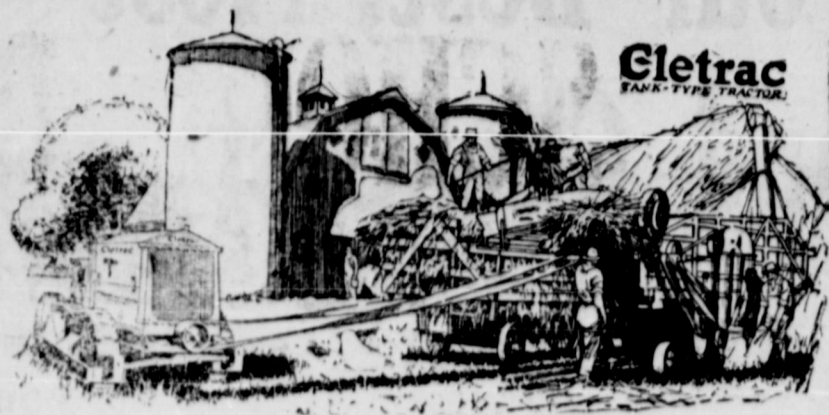
There will probably be other young mules in this sale.

TERMS OF SALE—Twelve months' time on approved bankable notes; drawing ten per cent interest. Five per cent discount for cash.

**E. H. RUDD, Owner**

C. J. Sjogren, Auctioneer, J. W. Skipworth, Jr., Clerk

# ERRONIOUS STATEMENT CORRECTED



We have had it reported to us that statements had been made to the effect that the track chain on the Cleveland tractor would last but a few weeks and that new ones cost \$240. This report has been circulated evidently through ignorance, as we do not think that any one would ever recknovingly peat this kind of a report.

These machines will give any man who owns one satisfactory service, and the policy of the factory as well as the state distributors is to make good free of charge any part of the machine which proves to be unsatisfactory.

The tracks in this engine will last in farm work from two to three years and at present the new tracks cost \$60 each.

The Cleveland Tractor Co. is a ten million dollar corporation which makes nothing but this one tractor and in one size only—if this machine failed the whole business would fail. But, inasmuch as they have been in the market four years and the demand for them having increased to such an extent that the company is now building a duplicate factory, and the further fact that wherever the Cletrac gets started it meets with a great success, it is not likely that such reports can be true. If you want to get a tractor buy a Cletrac and be pleased.

## C. B. POWELL, Distributor

### Tractor Demonstration Record, Canyon, Texas, Aug. 14th

This land was in the worst possible condition—loose, blowy surface soil with tight, sticky subsoil, all covered with sunflowers and other weeds from two to seven feet high. Study this table:

	Moline Uni.	Cleveland	Lauson, Illinois	Titan	Avery	Case	Fordson
Price f. o. b. Amarillo	\$1,592	\$1,675	\$2,185	\$2,465	\$1,070	\$1,700	\$1,242
Rated horsepower	9-18	12-20	15-25	18-30	10-20	14-28	10-18
Advertised plowing speed	3, 3 1-1	3, 3 1-2	2 1-2	2 1-2	2 1-2	2 1-2	3 1-2
Disc plows pulled	2	4	4	6	4	4	3
Acres plowed	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.2	2.7	3.3	2.5
Plowing time (hours and minutes)	4-12	2-34	2-50	3-22	3-18	4-05	3-47
Acres plowed per hour	0.75	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7
Kind of fuel	Gas.	Kero.	Kero.	Kero.	Kero.	Kero.	Kero.
Gallons of fuel used	9.2	5.3	7.7	8.7	9.6	13.0	5.2
Gallons gas used in starter	0.0	0.3	1.0	0.3	0.1	2.0	0.0
Quarts Mabil B. lubricating oil used	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	4.0	0.0
Total fuel cost	\$2.07	\$0.87	\$1.38	\$1.38	\$1.46	\$2.40	\$0.78
Fuel and oil cost per acre	.69	.32	.47	.43	.69	.89	.31
Quality of plowing	100	95	100	85	90	95	80

Note: The Cleveland has forty minutes counted out because of a broken plow. All plots were actually measured with tape line. No tractor was permitted to run above advertised speed at any time. Full supply of lubricating oil at finish probably caused by leakage of fuel past piston heads. The quality of plowing is the result of the engine power, speed, and the set adjustment of the plows. All of the above tractors could do far better work in stubble or other average plowing.

FRED H. IVES, Manager.

By careful study of the above records you may be able to decide which of the above tractors will best suit your needs. The best tractor is not necessarily the fastest one, the one that completes its plowing first, the highest-priced one or the cheapest one. Every point must be considered. And the tractor that will suit one man exactly may not do at all for the kind of work you have on your farm. Acreage soil types, kinds of crops, belt work, etc., all vary a great deal. Study the tractor from every point of view. The most important items in daily operation are the amount of time, fuel, oil and labor required to plow one acre of land. The time required for supplying extra water, cleaning spark plugs, and every other kind of job should be charged against the value of the tractor. Watch the tractor in operation to judge the ease of handling and making quick short turns at the ends and corners. I would not

buy any tractor until after I had driven it for awhile myself, on regular work. Also, figure out answers to these questions: Are the drive wheels of such narrow width and small diameter that they will easily dig themselves in on soft ground? If the engine has very high speed, are the bearings of such type that they will stand the wear? Is the consumption of lubricating oil very high in this engine? Tractors that permit the fuel to leak past the piston head into the lubricating oil have to have the oil drained off and renewed frequently. Are all working parts, bearings and gears completely inclosed, giving protection from dust and wear, and is the lubrication insured? Does the tractor have an air washer, to keep grit out of the cylinder and make a moist fuel charge? Are all parts such as magneto,

crank shaft, spark plugs, etc., easily accessible for adjustment or repair? Does the cooling system have a sufficient capacity and dependable circulation? Aside from the daily management, you should determine whether the tractor will have a long life or satisfactory service under proper care. About the only way to judge this is from the experience of those owners who have had that make of tractors in longest use. The salesman should be willing to put you in touch with such men. Study the tractor business. Have the salesman to explain everything about the machine that you don't understand. That is his business. And do not expect a ten-horse-power engine to do the work of ten horses. It cannot do it.

FRED H. IVES,  
Director of Agriculture,  
West Texas State Normal College.

### ROUND ABOUT TOWN

Interesting Items Picked Up Here and There by the Editor of the News

Ellis Harrison is expected home today. He has been serving in the army, but has now possibly received his discharge. He was on a boat in New York harbor ready to sail for Europe when the armistice was signed, whereupon the soldiers were disembarked from the boat and he

been since then stationed at Hoboken, across from New York city, as a guard of the disembarkation barracks.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenus P. King of Blockton, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester King of Grant City, Mo., left yesterday after visiting their brother and cousin, C. B. King, and family. While here Zenus P. King bought the quarter-section farm of A. C. Perkins, nine miles northeast of town.

Prof. A. G. Harrison has resigned

as principal of the Lamar ward school, and will go to Tatum, N. M., to teach in the school. Prof. Morris takes his place here. Miss Ruth, Jack and Henry Harrison, daughter and sons of Prof. and Mrs. Harrison, will attend Canyon Normal. Mrs. Harrison will remain here.

B. F. Smith, who lives south of town on rural route A, was in Friday to pay his subscription. He has been taking the News for number of years; he says he came from Ohio and

has always been a republican, and of course don't endorse all the News says about politics, but is with it on many things. That's right. The News don't expect everybody to see all things like it does; a man who did so would be a curiosity doubtless. But, like Mr. Smith, we want every man to accord the News the right and American privilege of free speech and honesty of purpose.

**Cotton Gin for Zululand.**  
The first cotton-ginning plant in Zululand, writes Vice Consul Charles J. Pisar from Cape Town, recently commenced operations at Amatukulu, after almost a year's preparatory work. The capacity of the American gin installed is between 1,500 and 1,600 pounds of lint for an eight-hour day, which represents 2 1/2 tons of seed cotton. The installation of this ginning plant is looked upon as one of far-reaching importance for the cotton growers in Zululand, and it is believed that cotton growing there, which has been receiving special attention from government experts, will undergo a very rapid development in the near future.

**Animals Are Tourists.**  
As a refuge from inclement weather California has long been the winter playground for thousands, but it is only recently that cattle and sheep have joined the tourist ranks, according to Popular Mechanics magazine. Naturally this winter resorting of common range stock is not specially altruistic, but is inspired by good business motives. California pastures afford more economical winter feed, and the sheep go through the lambing season with far less loss. With all the devices of tents and lambing wagons bad weather often takes half the increase in lambs. So change of climate is really an economical measure, with the recent prices for early lambs.

**Guardian of the Light.**  
Miss Winifred Holt is well named "the angel of the blind." She is head of the Lighthouse, a home for the blind in New York city, where those who cannot see are taught useful work. Several years ago she went to France to work for the benefit of the men blinded in the war. She established the Phare, French for "lighthouse," similar to the New York home in purpose, and has taught over three hundred men to support themselves without sight. For some time she worked in the first trenches on the Somme.

J. T. Perryman of Eastland had business here Saturday.

Meet me at the Oldsmobile and Oakland Service Station.

### PERSONAL MENTION

When you or your neighbor have guests or you visit somebody elsewhere, the News would be glad to have you report same by phone or by letter. We want the news. Phones 97 or 552.

W. G. Abernathy of Lorenzo is here today.

John Ryden went to Tullit this morning.

C. K. Shelton left this morning for Abilene.

Rex Rogan of Lamesa was in town Friday.

Elmo Wall of Lubbock, was here Saturday.

Leo Straus of Chicago is here visiting friends.

R. F. Dunn of Tahoka has business here today.

J. O. Boone of Gorman was here yesterday.

Flake Griffith of Burkburnett was here Sunday.

Miss Millian Earnest of Lubbock is here today.

J. L. Moore of Farwell is here today on business.

Barton Evans of Clovis is here today on business.

Austin Anderson came in today from Eastland.

Bob Doubleday of Fort Worth is here visiting friends.

P. M. Stockton of Ralls was in town Saturday.

F. M. Daugherty of Gainesville is here on business.

A. C. Hatchell went to Amarillo Saturday morning.

Dr. L. J. and S. B. Warrell of Ralls were here Thursday.

A. B. Martin left this morning for a trip to Galveston.

N. S. Sweeney of Dexter, N. M., was here Saturday.

Mrs. Carroll McGlasson of Kress was here Saturday.

Geo. P. Barrett of Newcastle, Pa., was here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Wilson of Floydada were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Donaldson returned Saturday from Temple.

Everett Bryant will become a deputy in the tax collector's office.

E. H. and Guy H. Bounds of Sherman had business here Saturday.

Hans Black and family of Hale Center are moving to Oregon, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hair of Colorado Springs, were here Saturday.

J. E. Gibbons of Richland Springs, was here on business.

A. C. Bayly of Hereford spent the week end here visiting his family.

Mrs. L. M. Faulkner returned Monday morning from a trip to Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phelps of Lubbock spent Sunday here with parents.

E. L. Doland of Wichita Falls, came in Saturday to visit his wife and baby.

Miss Ruth Neal left this morning for Denton, to become a student in C. I. A.

Homeer and Don Moorman of Gorman, Eastland county, are here prospecting.

T. E. Kenney and John E. Harvey of Ft. Sumner, N. M., were here Saturday.

Fred Hurlbut left this morning for Brownwood to spend a few days with his mother.

F. M. Wells returned Saturday from a trip to the Eastland-Comanche oil fields.

Peyton Randolph and George Green went to Amarillo yesterday morning on business.

H. E. Skaggs returned Sunday from a stay of some time in the Burkburnett oil field.

Miss Mabel Hill left this morning for Sherman, to become a student in Kidd-Key college.

C. S. Lindsay of Amarillo, representing the Palo Duro oil company, was here yesterday.

T. E. Richards left Sunday night for Dublin to visit his father and other relatives.

President E. B. Atwood of Wayland college preached at the Baptist church in Snyder Sunday.

A. J. Miltenberger and J. G. Pace of San Benito, were here Thursday and Friday, prospecting.

Mrs. Largent and baby of Merkel are here visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Saffles.

Presiding Elder and Mrs. A. L. Moore and two children spent Saturday and Sunday in Floydada.

John Easley of Comanche was here yesterday. He and C. V. Bryson have a bunch of cattle in Kansas.

Wm. Leonard and family of McGregor have been visiting W. O. McClain and family near Westside.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Clark of Carrollton, Mo., are here looking after some property, which they own.

J. B. Siler and family have moved to Plainview from Deming, N. M., so the children can attend Wayland college.

Don Tisinger, sailor on the U. S. S. Arkansas, has been here visiting J. K. Range and family. He left yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchings

and child came in Saturday from Fort Worth to visit friends here for several days.

Mrs. G. S. Burt left Sunday for Kermit, in Winkler county, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Neva Burt McCampbell.

Miss Cloud of Dallas, who has been here for three weeks visiting her brother, B. O. Cloud, left this morning for her home.

Miss Nona Akers of Ardmore, Okla., who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. T. Akers, left Monday for her home.

Mrs. Perry, who has been here for several weeks visiting her son, E. H. Perry, left yesterday for her home in Manhattan, Kans.

Prof. Roger A. Burgess of Lubbock was here Saturday. He left that day for Merkel, where he is superintendent of the public school.

Rev. J. P. Hardesty, pastor of the Silverton Baptist church, was here Saturday en route home from a trip to Ganado, Jackson county.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin of Kemp, Kaufman county, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. D. H. Spence in the Westside community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shropshire and Mrs. C. B. Harder and child came in last week from Wichita Falls, to spend a few days at their home here.

Miss Pearl Miller has returned from Matador and has a place a stenographer in the abstract department of J. J. Lash Real Estate Co.

Rex Reagan, who has been here for eleven months working, returned last week to his home near Lamesa to help his father harvest his crops.

Lyman O. Perley, who has been here for a month or more looking after property interests, left yesterday morning for his home in Omaha, Neb.

Loris Guenter and family of Wheeler are moving to Plainview, to make this their home. Mrs. J. M. Guenter of Shamrock is here visiting them.

Miss Catherine Brooks, who has been for several weeks the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. J. Woodriddle, left this afternoon for her home in Ada, Okla.

Mrs. H. L. Rice, son and daughter, who have been guests of her sisters, Mrs. H. L. A. Frank and Mrs. Smith, left this afternoon for their home in Parsons, Kans.

Miss Jewell Cade of Blanket arrived Saturday to become a student of Wayland college. She is a niece of Mrs. C. V. Bryson. Her father, Tom Cade, came with her.

C. J. Sturdevant of Hale Center was here today. He says he has 280 acres of row crops on his farm that look fine, and will make about thirty-five bushels to the acre.

Misses Ann Rose McLean and Annie Bullock of Dallas have been here visiting Miss Lula Blair Neal. They were en route home from a stay of some time in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Neldon, who have been here for three months looking after a farm they have in this county, will leave Thursday for their home in Warsaw, Ohio.

Mrs. W. P. Hatchett and daughter, Miss Idalou, of Lamesa are here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jim Phillips. The Hatchett family formerly lived a couple of miles south of Plainview.

Mrs. Harlan and children, who have been visiting her father, D. W. McGlasson, left Saturday for their home in Waco. Mrs. Shaw, a niece of Mr. McGlasson, left for her home in Port Arthur.

Mrs. L. L. Gladney and daughter, Miss Ruth, who have been visiting the family of E. T. Coleman, went to Post City Saturday to visit relatives, after which they will return to their home in Corpus Christi.

J. M. and James W. Rockwell of Lott are here looking after interests connected with the Rockwell Lumber & Co. lumber yard. J. M. Rockwell is one of the most prominent lumbermen in the state.

Miss Bess Brush, who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brush, left Wednesday for Burley, Iowa, where she will be instructor in the commercial department of the high school.

Thomas Abraham was here this week looking after interests and visiting friends. He was for years local manager of the Texas Oil Co., but has been in the general offices in Dallas for about three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shafer and children attended a re-union of Shafer's family, the Schaffers, at the home of a sister, Mrs. W. H. Boehning, in Canyon last week. A very large number of relatives were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Caldwell came in this morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nash. They have been in Suffolk, Va., for nearly a year where he has been superintending an engineering project at the aviation field.

Mrs. N. V. Speer and two daughters left Saturday for Weatherford, where they will make their home. Miss Maxie Speer will teach in the public school of that city. Mr. Speer will remain on the Plains working as district deputy for the Woodmen of the World lodge until the first of the year.



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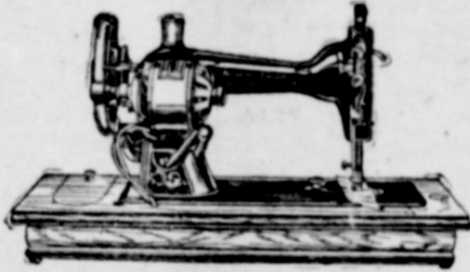
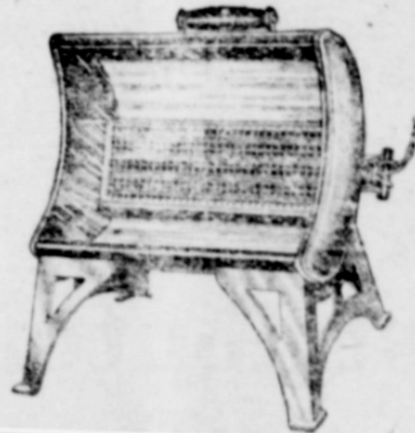
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If you are in the least interested we want the privileges of demonstrating and we invite you to call in, phone, write or wire so we may show you that every claim we have made it absolutely true to the letter.



### IN THE HOME—

In most of the city homes there is electric current but what good is it doing other than lighting the home. If you had to go back to the old oil lamp for a week you would appreciate just what electric lights mean. If you haven't used any of the many labor and time saving electric appliances you don't realize any more than does the man who is still using an oil lamp what you are missing.

Most women have about all they can do in the serious business of housekeeping under the most favorable conditions but many of them are ~~glad to do~~ either because they don't know better or because of the mistaken idea that they are saving money.

Servants are out of the question. If you could get them at all they would be expensive in wages and expensive in waste.

But at a low rate for current and with comparative small outlay for appliances you can have your work done promptly, with ease, without loss of temper and with that headache cut out of the day.

You can be cooled by an electric fan while you iron with an electric iron. Without the back breaking or sweeping by hand an electric vacuum cleaner can serve you better and sweep cleaner than any broom. You can have an electric water heating system and cook quickly and without the vexations. Without any foot work or backache the family sewing can be done and the washing can be done quicker and more satisfactorily by electricity than by any other known method. You can heat your home and find a hundred other uses for this master of servants—ELECTRICITY. We want you to know how we can serve you and will be pleased to give a demonstration.

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### Announcement

We are pleased to announce that Mr. Frank Armstrong has taken an interest in this firm and is now serving it as secretary. He will be pleased to welcome his friends to his new location.



### CONNECTS FRANCE AND SPAIN

Tunnel Recently Completed Does Away With Necessity of Crossing Pyrenees Mountain Peaks.

"There are no more Pyrenees" was once an expression of high political significance in France. It is now a reality, because while all Europe was involved in the struggle to crush militarism, the engineers kept blasting away at the heart of the mountains dividing France and Spain and have constructed a tunnel that obviates the necessity of climbing 9,500 feet of mountain peaks before crossing the boundary. A railway has been installed in this tunnel which connects Puigcerda, Spain, with Ax, France. These two towns are 20 miles apart, but the railway is not that long.

By not impossible grades, it leads from the lower levels of the pass from Prades, France, to the upper valley of the Arleige, near where Puigcerda is situated. It also goes down to the valley of the great River Ebro, along which runs a system of railways and canals, making excellent connections with Saragossa and many smaller places in the heart of Spain, and with the Mediterranean port of Barcelona, Spain.

Heretofore tourists from the Mediterranean region of France have had to use a carriage way through the pass from Prades, where the railway from Perpignan ends, to Puigcerda, but the journey from the valley of the Arleige river was not so easy.

### LITTLE LESSON FOR AGENT

Speaking of Etiquette Reminded Servant Girl of a Few Ideas She Had in Mind.

"Madam," she began, as the door opened, "I am selling a new book on 'Etiquette and Deportment.'"

"Oh, you are?" she responded. "Go down there and clean the mud from your feet."

"Yes'm. As I was saying, madam, I am sell—"

"Take off your hat! Never address a strange lady at her door without removing your hat."

"Yes'm. Now, then, as I was saying—"

"Take your hand out of your pocket. No gentleman ever carries his hand there."

"Yes'm. Now, madam, this work on 'Etiquette and—'"

"Throw away your pipe. If a gentleman uses tobacco he is careful not to disgust others by the habit."

"Wait. Put that dirty handkerchief out of sight and use less grease on your hair in the future. Now you look a bit decent. You have a book on 'Etiquette and Deportment.' Very well, I don't want it. I am only the servant girl. Go up the steps to the front door and talk with the lady of the house. She called me a down-right, no-doubt-about-it idiot this morning, and I think the book you're selling is just what she requires."

One by One They Go.

Another of New York's famous restaurants will put up its shutters and go out of business the end of this month. It is Mouquin's restaurant, for two decades one of the best known eating places in the old Tenderloin district. "Mon dieu," sadly remarked the proprietor yesterday, "life is just one d—d funeral announcement after another." The picturesque old wooden structure on Sixth avenue, near Twenty-eighth street, which is one of New York's oldest landmarks, will be razed for a skyscraper. It was built more than one hundred years ago by Isaac Varian and stood in the center of Varian farm, whose rambling fields and pastures stretched west to the river and to the east as far as Lexington avenue. Through this pastoral landscape wound a couple of cow-paths. These paths are there yet. One is known as Broadway and the other as Sixth avenue. When Isaac Varian died the farm was sold. A public road was cut through the place and it passed directly in front of the old house. A line of stage coaches operated over this road, and what is now Mouquin's restaurant used to be the first stop after leaving Bowling Green.

### Tungsten Ores.

The production of tungsten ores in the United States in 1918, according to preliminary statistics collected by Frank L. Hess of the geological survey, was equivalent to 5,965 net tons of concentrates, carrying 60 per cent tungsten trioxide, of which 5,015 tons, valued at \$5,156,500, were marketed or consumed by the producers, and 50 tons were reported as left on hand at the mines December 31. The output was less than that of the two previous years—1916, with 5,923 tons, valued at \$12,075,400, and 1917, with 6,144 tons, valued at \$6,783,400. The production in 1917 was the largest made by any country, although it was much smaller than the combined output of the British empire.

### Find Shells in English Gardens.

Talking of raids, the task of the suburban gardener is likely to provide a little supplementary excitement during the next few seasons. While digging in his garden the other day a resident of Manor Park unearthed a loaded shell. During 1917 and the first few months of last year an enormous quantity of ammunition was fired by the barrage guns in the London district. An uncertain proportion of this consisted of "duds," which, when they did no material damage, were buried a few feet in the earth. It is a crop which will need careful harvesting.—London Chronicle.

### "AVERAGE MAN" SCORES ONE

Finds Joy in Reminding Better Half That She Is Also Victim of New Tax.

The average family has been having heart to heart talks for months on how expenditures may be cut down and something of the average salary put in the bank for the annual vacation. The average man has been troubled, too, as he puffed the long, black cigar—not financially troubled, but the result of a little worrying that some day the average woman was going to get personal about their saving plan. It came the other night.

"I see, dear," she began, her sweetness adding to his growing suspicion, "that the state is about to put another tax on cigars. They'll go up some more. You know I wouldn't suggest anything that would interfere with your pleasure, but don't you think cigars are getting too much of a luxury when we are trying to save?"

The average man grunted. It gained time; it prevented sudden complications. He had had an answer ready for weeks for this inevitable question, but reasoning fled just then. He had the paper she had already read. He would find out about this tax before he answered.

And then—ain't it a grand and glorious feeling?

"Very well, my dear," he said, trying to keep the neighbors from hearing the exultation in his tone. "This tax will give us both a chance to sacrifice. I'll quit my cigars if you'll give up powdering your face! You see, Sweet, the tax is on cosmetics, too."

And the average man grinned victoriously behind the newspaper.

### "WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN"

If Paul Revere Had Only Had a Telephone Available in the Days of 'Seventy-five.

Somebody in the New England telephone organization has been figuring out how easily Paul Revere could have accomplished all the purposes of his famous ride on the "eighteenth of April, in 'seventy-five," if he only had had telephone facilities like those available today. As the telephone man says, Revere would have been able to save himself a lot of hard riding. He could have called Concord from a public station in the North end, or Charlestown either, and had his friends of the committee of public safety on the line within eight minutes, if the operators took as much time then as they do now. And how much easier it would have been to get the powder buried and the gun carriages gone away with if the Concord folk had had their warning eight minutes after the lanterns were hung aloft in the belfry arch of the Old North steeple. Only, if there had been telephones, there would have been no lanterns. They would have used the 'phone for the whole thing. And then of course a famous poem would never have been written.—Christian Science Monitor.

### Glenn Curtiss Loved Mechanics.

Glenn Hammond Curtiss, one-time messenger in Rochester, N. Y., now "king of the air," and worth millions, like most boys, loved things mechanical. His day dreams and his dreams at night were of mechanical contrivances that moved about on wheels, and the inventions of Jules Verne. From motorcycles to airplanes proved a short step. Curtiss, who had been improving on his motorcycle engine, developed it so it could be used in dirigible balloons. In 1909 he went to Reims and easily defeated the crack foreign flyers, becoming the first international champion of the air. In 1910 he flew from Albany to New York, 150 miles. Having won his laurels in the air, he took up the actual work of building planes. Today there is scarcely any airplane used in the United States or Europe on which Curtiss does not draw a royalty.

### Legitimate Prey.

One day a little old woman appeared at the parsonage to be married to an old man. The woman was bent over so much one had to stoop to look into her face. The bridegroom was deaf as a post.

All the time the pastor was making out the necessary papers the woman talked and muttered to herself, saying: "I don't know why that stinky old man wants to get married. He doesn't want to pay a cook, that's all. Make him pay well, parson. He's worth it. He's got a farm and lots of money. He's a mean, stinky, old man and he's deaf and can't hear what I say. Charge him good, brother."

The ceremony over, the man paid the customary \$5, with the bride still jawing, he utterly oblivious of it all.

### New Golf Clubs.

Of special interest to golf players is a club made with a steel instead of a hickory shaft, shown in Popular Mechanics magazine, which, it is claimed, possesses all the flexibility of the wooden shaft and has additional desirable features. The steel shaft is hollow, tapers toward the lower end, and is much smaller in diameter than one of hickory. This is said to give the player additional driving power, because of reduced friction when the club is swung through the air.

### Musical Advice.

"It's a pity you never took music lessons," said Mr. Rafferty.

"So's I could sing more?" inquired Mr. Dolan.

"No. A study of music might have improved your taste so that you'd quit tryin'."

### Put End to Moslem Piracy.

In the sixteenth century European civilization was menaced by the Turks. Moslem pirates were the peril of the seas, of which they were fast gaining control. This danger was averted and destroyed by Don Juan, commander of the Spanish fleet, and his allies, the Italian squadrons and the Venetian and Neapolitan fleets, at a naval battle with the Turks in the Bay of Lepanto. The capture of the enemy's flagship, after the battle had raged an hour and a half, gave Don Juan assurance of victory, so he hoisted the consecrated banner of the Holy league at the mast of the conquering galley, where it could be seen by both friend and enemy. The result was as Don Juan expected—exultation on the part of the Christians and depression and discouragement on the part of the Turks.

After a heavy loss on both sides the Turkish armada was destroyed.

### The business men in Canyon have re-organized their commercial club.

# The Alamo Oil & Refining Company

Will let the contract for the construction of its Refinery at Eastland about Sept. 5th, and by the time all the machinery and equipment is completed and ready to be set up the preliminary work will have been completed in the way of railroad siding, water reservoir, foundations and necessary buildings; and it is confidently expected that the plant will be on the ground ready for installing by the first day of December and we intend to put on a large force at work then and have the plant set up, connections all made and ready to run by the 15th of January. Everything about this plant will be brand new and modern and practically fire proof.

We are now offering you the last chance to buy this stock at par \$25 per share and when the present allotment is sold the price of the next allotment will be advanced to \$35 per share, and the way the stock is selling now this first ground floor stock is not going to last long so you had better get yours while the getting is good.

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### OF DEEP HISTORIC INTEREST

Possibility of Recovery of King John's Lost Treasures Causes Some Stir in England.

The idea of making use of the electric apparatus used in locating ores to discover King John's lost treasure has been put forward by Capt. Hugh Polard in an English paper. He recalls the fact that, several years ago, Sir William Hope informed the Society of Antiquaries that the ford of the Wash where the treasure was lost in the thirteenth century was reclaimed in the seventeenth, and that the land lies between Walpole and Long Sutton in Lincolnshire. Now this treasure of King John's is of extraordinary interest. Not only did it contain loot from half the castles and churches of England and John's own jewels, but the crown of King Alfred as well. At the close of the seventeenth century King Alfred's jewel, now in the Ashmolean museum, was found some distance north of the site of Athelney abbey in Somersetshire. The gem is made of pure gold and contains colored stones covered by a thick crystal, through which is seen the miniature of a man clothed in a green Saxon tunic. It is formed of enameled mosaic on a blue ground. The man is seated on a throne with a crown on his head and holds a fleur-de-lis in each hand. Round the edge are the words in Anglo-Saxon: "Alfred had me worked." Some say the figure represents Alfred himself. If so, perhaps the crown which the gem depicts is the one which the elements wrenched from the unworthy hands of John all that long time ago, and the one which, it is to be hoped, the twentieth century will recover.

### Put End to Moslem Piracy.

In the sixteenth century European civilization was menaced by the Turks. Moslem pirates were the peril of the seas, of which they were fast gaining control. This danger was averted and destroyed by Don Juan, commander of the Spanish fleet, and his allies, the Italian squadrons and the Venetian and Neapolitan fleets, at a naval battle with the Turks in the Bay of Lepanto. The capture of the enemy's flagship, after the battle had raged an hour and a half, gave Don Juan assurance of victory, so he hoisted the consecrated banner of the Holy league at the mast of the conquering galley, where it could be seen by both friend and enemy. The result was as Don Juan expected—exultation on the part of the Christians and depression and discouragement on the part of the Turks.

After a heavy loss on both sides the Turkish armada was destroyed.

The business men in Canyon have re-organized their commercial club.

### SOME CLOWNS

Yankee Robinson Has Plenty of Them.

One word there is that has its sacred traditions of the circus, and that word exists with the Yankee Robinson Big Three Ring Wild Animal Circus which is coming to Plainview for a one day's visit on Thursday, Sept. 18th, just as it existed with every circus since the olden days. "CLOWNS"

For, you see, a circus wouldn't be a circus without clowns, and in spite of all the other attractions, Yonny Hackenschmidt, World's Champion Wrestler, Minnie Thompson, beautiful and dashing equestrienne; in spite of the elephants and trained polar bears and the score of aerialists and acrobats, much of the attention this year has been given to the producing of clown acts and the gathering of "Talent."

Producing? Certainly. For clown acts must be produced and rehearsed perhaps more carefully. It's no easy job to be a clown. With mimicry and pantomime alone must the work of fun be done. There is no chance for words in a tent that holds ten thousand people. Every action, every movement must have a meaning—and that meaning must be one to bring merriment, or the ax falls in the treasury wagon and another clown has gone out upon the highways alone to seek a new job.

So it is that the clown for an important part of the circus. And so it is also that the Yankee Robinson Circus add to the list of other things that can be seen, that line of so much meaning.

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# LEAGUE CERTAIN WILSON DECLARES

PRESIDENT IN OPENING SPEECHES OF FOUR VOICES HIGH HOPE.

"WORLD WAITS FOR US"

"Future Free From War if America Carries Out Her Pledges," Says Executive.

By Mount Clemens News Bureau.

Displaying a high confidence that his fellow citizens in the great majority agree with him in his desire to end war forever, and that they will see to it that the peace treaty with its league of nations inclusion is ratified by the senate, President Wilson is making a successful journey across the country on the mission he has undertaken for the purpose of laying before the plain people a report of his work in Paris and explaining what the league means.

Thus far in his travels, he has everywhere met with warm greetings both in the great halls where he has spoken formally and in the little cross roads hamlets where his train has halted at times, and he has exchanged words with the villagers who pressed forward to greet him. He feels, and does not hesitate to say so, when chatting with his traveling companions, that the American people want no more of war and want to become part of the league so that there may be no more war.

He struck his key note when he said in his first address in Columbus, Ohio: "The treaty was not intended merely to end this single war; it is meant as a notice to every government who, in the future will attempt this thing (what Germany attempted) that mankind will unite to inflict the same punishment. There is no national triumph to be recorded in this treaty. There is no glory sought for any particular nation. The thought of the statesmen collected around that table was of their people, of the suffering they had gone through; of the losses they had incurred; of that great throbbing heart which is so depressed, so forlorn, so sad in every memory it has of the five tragical years that have gone by. Let us never forget those years, my fellow countrymen. Let us never forget the purpose, high and disinterested, with which America lent its strength, not for its own glory, but for the defense of mankind.

"As I said, this treaty was not intended merely to end this war. It was intended to prevent any similar war. I wonder if some of the opponents of the league of nations have forgotten the promises we made our people before we went to that peace table? We had taken by processes of law the flower of our youth from every countryside, from every household and we told those mothers and fathers and sisters and wives and sweethearts that we were taking those men to fight a war which would end business of that sort, and if we do not end it, if we do not do the best that human concert of action can do to end it, we are of all men the most unfaithful—the most unfaithful to the loving hearts who suffered in this war; the most unfaithful to those households bowed in grief and yet lifted with the feeling that the lad laid down his life for a great thing, and, among other things, in order that other lads might never have to do the same thing."

"That is what the league of nations is for—to end this war justly, and then not merely to serve notice on governments which would contemplate the same thing Germany contemplated, but also concerning the combination of power which will prove to them that they will do it at their peril. It is idle to say that the world will combine against you; but it is persuasive to say the world is combined against you. The league of nations is the only thing that can prevent the recurrence of this dreadful catastrophe and redeem our promise."

A league of nations would have prevented the late conflict, the president asserted, exclaiming "I did not meet a single public man who did not admit these things; that Germany would not have gone into this war if she thought Great Britain was going into it, and that she most certainly would never have gone into it had she dreamed America was going into it. And they all admit that a notice beforehand that the greatest powers of the world combined to prevent this sort of thing would prevent it absolutely."

Applause and cheers greeted each declaration of the president that wars might be avoided in future by the operation of the league.

He pointed out other important features of the peace treaty. How it was the redemption of weak nations in giving them freedom which otherwise they never could have won; how it says "those people have a right to live their own lives under governments which they themselves choose," and how "that is the American principle, and I was glad to fight for it." That was the very heart of the treaty, he said.

He drew attention to the section of the treaty which is "magna charta of labor," which shall dispose of the hours conditions and remunerations of labor. "It forecasts the day," he said, "which ought to have come long ago, when statesmen will realize that no nation is fortunate which is not happy; whose people are not contented in their lives and fortunate in the circumstances of their lives."

In conclusion, the president said he felt certain the treaty will be accepted, and was only impatient of the delay in waiting on America. "The only country in the world that is trusted today is the United States, and the world is waiting to see if its trust is justified."

## HAD A RECORD APPETITE

Child of Eight Devoured Entire Raw Cod, Two Pounds of Candles and Several of Butter.

"Eccentricities of Diet and Their Effect on the Digestion" was the subject of a lecture delivered at the Institute of Hygiene by Dr. Saltau Fenwick. The physician mentioned people who can never eat enough; who have an insatiable hunger. In appearance they are lean, feeble, ill-favored, and they have voracious appetites. However much they eat they are none the better for it.

One little girl of eight had a special keeper to prevent her from eating the household goods. She would cheerfully devour seven times as much as any other member of the family, and escaping from her attendant one day for a few minutes enjoyed a meal beginning with an entire raw cod, two pounds of kitchen candles and several pounds of butter. She was fortunately found before she got further than these hors d'oeuvres.

A girl was locked in a little walled garden for two or three hours. During that time she ate every leaf she could lay hands on, most of the small twigs on shrubs and was discovered in the act of gnawing a bough.

One boy ate the whole of his clothing. A young woman invaded a dairy, ate 29 unboiled eggs, six pounds of butter five loaves, and drank three pints of milk and two bottles of wine; after which, providentially for the dairy keeper, she fell asleep.—London Express.

## INDIAN CITIES VERY ENGLISH

In Architecture and Many Other Ways They Are Copies of Those in the Old Land.

The great presidency towns, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras are European cities planted on Indian soil. All the prominent buildings are European, though in some of the more recent ones an endeavor has been made to adopt what is known as the "Indo-Saracenic" style of architecture. For the rest the streets are called by English names, generally the names of bygone viceroys and governors, or of the soldiers who conquered the land and quelled the mutiny—heroes whose effigies meet you at every turn. The shops are English shops, where English or Eurasian assistants traffic in English goods. English carriages and motors bowl along the macadamized or tarred roads of old England. On every hand there is evidence of the instinctive effort to reproduce, as nearly as the climate will permit, English conditions of life. In Bombay, indeed, the merchant princes are no longer Europeans but Hindus and Parsis. There are the most sumptuous palaces of Malabar hill; there the most swaggy motors on the Queen's road and the Apollo Bunder. In Calcutta, though commercial competition is less keen, the great Bengali land owner is a prominent and important personage. But few, indeed, are the points of contact between the Asian town and the European city which has been superimposed upon it.—"India and the Future," by William Archer.

## Greatest Efficiency Temperature.

Human beings work at the highest point of efficiency in an average temperature of 60 to 65 degrees Fahrenheit, according to Ellsworth Huntington, who publishes in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences a mass of statistics from which he makes this deduction.

The death rate is lowest in the spring and autumn, both in Europe and America, when the temperature averages 64 or 65.

In many factories all the way from Connecticut to Florida it was found that the maximum of work was produced when the temperature in the open air ranged around 62 or 63.

The muscular force exerted by school children and working men, measured with the dynamometer every day in all seasons of the year, was greatest when the thermometer was between 60 and 65 Fahrenheit.

## Bird in Need Found Friend.

A North side resident saw a robin fluttering around in his back yard with what he thought was a broken wing. Realizing that the cat would soon make short work, he caught the robin, intending to get it out of harm's way. On investigation he found that instead of a broken wing it had become entangled in a piece of string a yard or two long.

How it had done this was a mystery, unless it had been getting the string for a nest. It was wrapped around the bird's neck three or four times, around one wing several times, and its feet were tied as securely as though the hand of man had done it. A few minutes work with the scissors soon freed the bird, and it took wing, singing as it went.—Indianapolis News.

## New Member Scored.

Some of the occupants of the opposition benches in the new house of commons may not be quite conversant with all the niceties of parliamentary procedure, but they are quite capable, apparently, of holding their own all the same. Thus the other day the honorable member for Silvertown, warming to his argument, had just begun, "I want you gentlemen . . ." when loud cries of "order" served as a reminder that he was addressing "the house." Mr. Jack Jones' apology was swift and to the point. "I am sorry," he said, "I have made a mistake in calling you gentlemen."—Christian Science Monitor.



## Lutheran Mission Festival At Providence Church

Rev. A. S. Wiess, pastor of the Lutheran churches in this section, announces a "Mission Festival" at Providence church Sunday, Sept. 21. Sermons will be delivered at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.

Rev. Mr. Wiess left today for Waco, and from there will go to Seguin to attend a meeting of the Lutheran college's alumni association, of which he is secretary. He will then attend the marriage of a sister in the parental home in Brenham.

## Dr. I. E. Gates Will Hold Revival Here

It is announced that Dr. I. E. Gates will hold a revival at the Baptist church here, beginning the second Sunday in October.

Dr. Gates was for years president of Wayland college, and was later pastor of the Baptist church here. For about a year he has been pastor of the First Baptist church in San Antonio.

It is likely that his family will be here with him, during the meeting.

## Holiness Meeting at Whitfield Was Very Successful

Evangelist J. B. Kendall last night closed the holiness revival, which he has been holding for about ten days in a tent at Whitfield, and this afternoon took the train for his home in Wilmore, Ky.

There were many conversions in the meeting, and they were urged to join the two churches at Whitfield. There was much interest and good feeling.

Mr. Kendall will in a few days begin a revival at the First Methodist church in Emporia, Kans.

## Holiness Meeting at Abernathy

Rev. Mr. Hall of Hamlin and Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Brannon of Plainview are holding a holiness revival in Abernathy, which was begun Friday night. It will continue ten days.

## Methodist Revival in Progress at Petersburg

Rev. B. W. Wilkins of Lorenzo is now in the second week of a Methodist revival at Petersburg. It will likely continue over next Sunday.

## Presbyterian Church

There will be services at the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., Rev. Gordon Lang, the pastor, will deliver the sermons.

The Presbyterian revival will begin Sunday week, Sept. 20th.

## Staked Plains Baptist Association Will Meet in Hale Center

The Staked Plains Baptist Association will meet in Hale Center, Sept. 16. The program for the session follows:

Tuesday morning:  
10:00—Devotional.  
10:15—Reading of Letters.  
10:45—Organization.  
11:15—Sermon by Rev. J. R. Balch.

Announcements.

Lunch.

Tuesday afternoon:

1:30—Associational executive board meeting.

1:30—Ladies' Auxiliary business session.

2:30—Report of executive board, and associational missions. The discussions of these reports to have the right-of-way the remainder of the afternoon session.

Relaxation and refreshments.

Tuesday evening:

8:00—Evangelistic sermon.—Rev. J. B. Vinson.

Wednesday morning:

"Baptist 75-Million Campaign."

9:30—Devotional.

10:00—Reports of state, home and foreign missions. Discussed as a whole.

11:00—Strong address explaining in detail the whole plan of organization for the "Big Drive" as it relates to the association.

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Lunch.

1:30—Reports on education, hospitals, orphanages and aged ministers' relief. Discussed as a whole.

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