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SCHOOL TAX RENDITIONS ARE RAISED ONE-FOURTH

MORE MONEY MUST BE PROVIDED TO KEEP SCHOOLS GOING NINE MONTHS

Considerable interest was caused in Plainview Wednesday by every property owner in Plainview independent school district receiving a card from the school district board of equalization, giving notice that all property renditions will be increased a flat 25 per cent, in order to provide funds for the support of the schools.

The News editor has secured data relative to the finances of the Plainview schools from the secretary of the board, Mr. J. F. Sander. The board says that the increase in caused by the additional salaries paid to teachers and janitors, the higher cost of coal and everything else that is necessary for the conducting of the school.

Last year the school year was begun with all coal paid for and \$3,800 in the treasury. This year the coal has not been paid for and there is no money in the treasury.

Unless this additional 25 per cent increase obtains the schools will be unable to run more than six or seven months. The increase is absolutely necessary in order to have a nine months' school.

The school tax is limited to 50c, and of this 14c is necessary to provide the interest and sinking fund on the \$100,000 school bonds outstanding.

The revenues of the school last year amounted to \$25,508.94, from the following sources: State available fund, \$8,200; county available fund, \$1,000; tuition, \$1,000; local taxes, \$17,783.94. This year it will on the same rendition be about the same. This year the estimated expenses of the schools are estimated at \$32,000, hence about \$4,000 more is necessary and this 25 per cent increase in valuation will bring in about that much money.

This year the superintendent's salary is \$2,000, an increase of \$200; the principal of the high school \$150 a month, an increase of \$30; the principal of the Central school, \$140, a month, an increase of \$15; the principal of Lamar school, \$140, increase of \$30. The salaries of the grade and other teachers have been increased some, but not very much. Besides one or two extra teachers have been employed.

The janitors get from \$70 to \$100 a month.

The school census taken in March shows a decrease in scholastics, but since then numerous families have come in and the enrollment the first days of school is larger than ever before in the history of the town.

Four times this summer has the board been forced to fill out the corps of teachers on account of other schools taking our teachers away from us by offering larger salaries.

The board argues that the schools must be kept going for the full nine months, and that the only way to get the money to pay for same is for the property owners to pay it in, hence the horizontal raise of 25 per cent is the only way out of the dilemma.

President's Speeches Interesting

President Wilson's progress across the country is creating much interest, and his addresses in behalf of the peace treaty and covenant are causing the people to think more about the matter than ever before. Mr. Wilson spoke at Bismark, N. D., Tuesday, at Billings, Mont. Wednesday, at Helena, Mont., yesterday.

The republican senators who are opposing ratification have sent Senators Johnson of California and Borah of Idaho to follow the president and answer his arguments. They are following him, and large crowds are attending their meetings. It seems that the people are going to have plenty of light on the subject, which is good, for that is the best way for people to arrive at the right conclusion.

Grocery Prices Descending

A local grocery man says the prices of groceries are now beginning to come down, and he looks for a gradual decline for quite awhile, until much lower levels are reached. The price of some lard compounds have dropped 3c a pound, and the indications are further drops will be made.

GUARANTY STATE BANK IS GRANTED CHARTER

Rube J. Beard Is President, P. Barker, Vice President, C. D. Hensley, Cashier

The Guaranty State Bank of Plainview was granted a charter at Austin Tuesday. It has a capital stock of \$50,000, and has adopted the guaranty plan of protecting depositors.

The officers of the Bank are Rube J. Beard, President; L. P. Barker, Vice president; Cline D. Hensley, cashier.

The bank expects to open for business within a few days, just as soon as its safe arrives, in temporary quarters.

It will begin the erection within a few days of a modern banking house on the lots recently bought at the corner of West Seventh and Broadway.

Overall Appointed Public Weigher

The commissioners' court has accepted the resignation of Will H. Akers as public weigher of Plainview precinct, and has appointed J. L. Overall to succeed him. Mr. Overall has made bond, in the sum of \$2,500, and will begin work soon, and the scales will be at his barn southeast of the square.

The commissioners' court has hired Sam Mason to run one of the county road graders at a salary of \$115 a month, to succeed Mr. Jay, who has resigned.

The bond of L. M. Alexander as deputy weigher under Mr. Skers was approved.

The F. M. Daugherty road east of Plainview was ordered opened.

A warrant for \$344.00 was ordered drawn and sent to the state highway commission as part pay on the army auto trucks.

Will Akers, who resigned as public weigher of this precinct, says the great reason why he resigned was because he was unable to get any help, and was forced to stay at the public scales such long hours that it was injuring his health. He will take several weeks' rest before going into some other business.

Over Thirty Bushels to Acre

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Clark of Carrollton, Mo., have been here this week visiting Tell Nix and family, who live on their land east of Plainview. They are en route home from a trip to California. The Clarks own two sections of land east of here, near Meteor school house, and have been visiting the Plains for the past thirteen years. They are very much pleased with their investment. This year Mr. Nix had 550 acres in wheat on the place, most of which averaged a little more than thirty bushels to the acre—the receipts from which are a considerable fortune. Mr. and Mrs. Clark left this morning for their home.

Will Promote Produce Plant

Edward Perry from Bend, Oregon, has arrived in Plainview, and proposes to organize a company under the trustee plan for the installation of a truck farming and produce handling plant. He wants to organize with a capital of \$20,000, with local people holding the certificates of trust, under plans used extensively in the fruit and truck-growing districts in the Pacific states.

He is receiving encouragement, he informs us, and thinks he can put the proposition through.

The concern will be known as the Perry Producing Plant.

Twenty-five Indictments Returned

The grand jury adjourned yesterday for the term. In its report it said it was in session nine days and returned nine indictments for felony and sixteen for misdemeanor. It also reports it examined the county jail and premises and found same being kept in good repair and proper condition.

District court has done practically no business this week.

Will Erect Storage Plant Soon

The Panhandle Produce Co. expects to begin the erection of its proposed cold storage and poultry plant soon. It will build near the depot in order to take advantage of the trackage. The plant will be built under a modern system, and will become a great factor in the handling of poultry and other produce for this section.

O. B. Scott and Ray Slaughter of Floydada were here today.

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Dameron Is Recovering

J. L. Dameron, who was stabbed twice in a difficulty in the south part of the county Sunday, is recovering and will doubtless be alright in a few days.

Speaking of the matter, Mr. Rosser says he and his sons were down at the place Sunday to look after matters, and that he was directing Mr. Dameron as to the disposition of the feed, to which Dameron took exceptions. That Dameron threatened them and went to the house and got a pistol, which he brought back and drew on them. That after some words Dameron handed the pistol to his son, and the difficulty followed.

Since then Mr. Rosser has been granted a temporary injunction against Dameron regarding the feed.

WEST TEXAS DENTISTS WILL MEET HERE NEXT WEEK

Two Days' Session, Including Dental Clinics—Banquet Friday Night At Ware Hotel

The annual meeting of the West Texas Dental Association will be held in Plainview Friday and Saturday, September 19 and 20, and quite a good attendance is looked for.

Friday the program will include addresses and papers by members, and Saturday clinics will be held. Friday night there will be a banquet for the visitors at the Ware hotel.

The local committee is planning entertainment for those who attend. The officers of the association are



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WARNING IS SOUNDED TO BEGIN FIGHTING INFLUENZA

Individuals, Towns and Cities Urged to Clean-Up in Order to Prevent Epidemic

Health officers and physicians expect a recurrence of influenza the coming fall and winter. They argue that history shows one of the special characteristics of influenza is that it recurs in cycles, and the epidemic is followed by outbreaks for three or four years, as was the case following the epidemic of 1889.

Some authorities contend that the recurring outbreaks are usually more fatal than the main epidemic. Other say this is not so, that each succeeding outbreak is milder. Plainview physicians take the latter view, and while they expect an outbreak this fall, in fact there are cases in town now, they do not look for such severe outbreaks as last fall.

Last year 450,000 deaths were caused in the United States from influenza, 2,000 being in Texas.

Last year the big military camps were breeding places for influenza besides so many doctors and nurses were doing army work the country was depleted of its doctors and nurses. This year they are all back at home, and can care for patients, and in a better way than ever on account of their experience in army and public health work.

The state health department has sent out warnings for individuals, towns and cities to clean-up at once, and thus tend to prevent a recurrence of influenza. Individuals, of course, should keep themselves clean, householders should clean up their premises, towns and cities should clean up the streets and alleys; weeds should be cut, trash burned—everything everywhere put in a sanitary condition.

The News pleads with the people of Plainview and Hale county to heed the warning, and at once. It is well known what an epidemic of influenza means—quarantined schools, loss of business, loss of time and money, not counting the far more important loss by sickness and loss of life.

"Better be safe than sorry" is a good motto. Let's begin to fight influenza now.

Dr. J. A. Wimberly of Sweetwater, president, Dr. C. D. Wofford of Plainview, vice president; Dr. Sid A. Harris of Snyder, secretary-treasurer.

Secretary of B. of C. D. Resigns

W. C. Long has resigned as secretary of the Board of City Development, in order to take a position as commercial secretary at Dublin at an increased salary. His resignation is to become effective September 20.

Mr. Long and family came here about Dec. 1st, 1917, from Weatherford. He was secretary of the Young Men's Business League until it was taken over by the Board of City Development last January.

The Longs have made many friends here, who regret to have them depart.

The Board has appointed Messrs. R. A. Underwood, R. W. Brahan, E. B. Millr and W. A. Donaldson as a committee to receive applications to fill the secretaryship.

Gen. Pershing Replies to Message

The following message was received yesterday from Gen. John J. Pershing in reply to the telegram sent by the Hale-Lamb County Red Cross Chapter, Monday, congratulating him on his return from Europe:

"New York, Sept. 11.—Hale County Chapter, Plainview, Texas; Many thanks for your cordial message of welcome.—John Pershing."

Committee on Fair Appointed

Messrs. E. H. Perry (chairman), R. P. Smyth, A. G. Hinn, L. F. Cobb and R. C. Ayers have been appointed by the chairman of the Board of City Development as a committee to gather and prepare the county exhibit of products to be sent to the Dallas fair by Hale county. Much of this exhibit has already been gathered by Mr. Long.

Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. C. H. Hamilton, Plainview, Sept. 1, boy, named Jefferson. James Conney Bray, Plainview, Sept. 1, boy, named Alfred James.

Rain is Needed

The farmers are needing rain in order to make the ground soft enough to prepare for the fall wheat planting.

AMENDED PEACE TREATY IS REPORTED TO SENATE

45 AMENDMENTS AND FOUR RESERVATIONS BY FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Washington, Sept. 10.—The German peace treaty, with amendments, and it league of nations covenant, with reservations, was reported to the senate today by the Foreign Relations Committee, a majority of whose members opposed ratification in the form submitted by President Wilson.

Immediately after it was presented by Chairman Lodge, two months to the day from the time the President laid it before the senate, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking democratic member of the committee, announced that the minority report, urging ratification without amendment or reservations, would be filed tomorrow.

The fight over ratification will begin Monday, Chairman Lodge said, announcing that the treaty would be taken up then and kept continuously before the senate. First will come the effort to amend the treaty and then the fight for reservations, mild or strong. Leaders of the administration forces continued to predict today that the treaty with the league covenant, would be ratified in its original form.

The formal report of the majority was presented with as little formality as if it had been a bill to carry on the routine work of the government. There was a larger attendance on the floor than usual, however, indicating the interest in the forthcoming battle.

THE TREATY AND COVENANT

The senate foreign relations committee on Wednesday formally reported to the senate the German peace treaty, including the covenant for a league of nations, terming it, "an alliance, and not a league, which will breed wars instead of securing peace."

Forty-five amendments were made and four reservations were added to the document.

It is the most notable state document ever formulated in this or any other country. Notable here because it is the first great document of its kind to be discussed in open session of the senate and not confined to executive sessions.

The majority report of the foreign relations committee explained the amendments and reservations, all of which were declared to be "governed by a single purpose—to guard American rights and sovereignty, the invasion of which would stimulate breaches of faith, encourage conflict and general war."

The reservations declare it to be the unconditional right of the United States to withdraw from the league.

The refusal of the United States to accept any of the legal or moral obligations of article 10 or to accept any mandatory from the league except by action of the congress of the United States.

Preserving to the United States the exclusive right to decide what questions are within its own domestic jurisdiction.

Absolute reservation of the Monroe doctrine to the judgment of the United States alone.

The principal amendments provide: Equal voting power for the United States and Great Britain in the assembly of the league.

Giving to China, instead of Japan, the province of Shantung.

Relief of the United States from having representatives on commissions deciding matters in which it has no concern.

Nine Hundred First Day

The first day's enrollment in the Plainview public schools was nine hundred. There were 275 at high school, 410 at Central building and 215 at Lamar building.

There are plenty of free text-books for the grades, but a shortage of books for the high school.

B. F. Yoakum of St. Louis, the great railroad builder and for many years head of the Frisco system, was in Amarillo this week, in connection with the oil refinery which is to be erected there.

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LET'S ALL STRIKE

Life these days seems to be just one strike after another. Men are striking for every reason known, and a lot of unknown reasons.

Some men know what they are striking for, and many others don't know. "When in doubt, strike," seems to be in the minds of workers everywhere.

Men kick about the high cost of living, then strike, which tends to make it higher.

Bolshevism seems to permeate labor throughout the entire country. Labor is better paid than ever, is working under more pleasant circumstances and on shorter hours than ever before, making more net money—yet, its strike, strike, strike.

There is not any good reason for the general unrest. The man who keeps his head, works hard and economizes these days is the man who will be on the top of the heap after the country settles down to normal conditions.

But, in the meantime, we must run the gauntlet of unrest and strikes.

In order to get past it all as quickly as possible, why not let's everybody strike? Let the laborer, the farmer, the merchant, the teacher, the editor, the housewife—everybody—strike. Let's all quit work, close up, and starve ourselves down as soon as possible. Then, let's give ourselves a good kicking and go back to work.

The one great fault with people is, they are like a bunch of sheep. They all want to jump the fence just because one has done so.

So, let's all strike, and stay on a strike until we sober up.

The Tahoka News is fifteen years of age. Editor Haynes is giving his people a good local newspaper, and they should greatly appreciate it.

Personally, the editor of this great moral guide of the Plains don't care a continental if the actors' strike in New York and other big cities lasts a hundred years.

A newspaper down the state is complaining that of late years the polecats are being killed out, until now one is rarely seen or smelled. In other words, we suppose, these varmints are becoming ex-stinked.

Senators Hiram Johnson of California and W. E. Borah of Idaho are following President Wilson and making speeches against the League of Nations. However, the president continues to be the main show, and people do not seem to be paying much attention to the sideshows.

Having failed in every other way to decoy back to East Texas citizens who have moved to the Plains, the East Texas newspapers are now trying to turn the trick by publishing glowing accounts of bumper crops of possums and persimmons. All we have to say is, it is a mean advantage they are taking of the Plains.

Personally we are in favor of disarmament, and especially are we for a law prohibiting wives from using flatirons, rolling pins and all such weapons. Another law we favor is one prohibiting a wife from delivering a curtain lecture of more than three minutes. If these two laws could be enforced the world would be made safe for husbands.

The editor of the News is a close reader of the newspapers of the state. So far he has not heard of any mass-meetings being held to adopt resolutions entreating Bailey, Ferguson and their followers not to leave the democratic party, or to in any way abandon their desperate purpose. Really, won't it be an inspiring sight next spring to see Joe and Jim wandering hand-in-hand through the meadows of the state picking flowers?

If you wish to learn things read the metropolitan dailies. Recently a Boston daily with hundreds of thousands and circulation printed an article about the British government buying mules in Louisiana to ship to England "for the purpose of raising mules." This is in line with a story the Associated Press several years ago sent broadcast over the country of an Eastern farmer buying three carloads of Western steers which he had shipped to his farm and gave the further interesting information "he will use them for breeding purposes."

The sugar shortage is to continue in the United States for some time. The government head of the sugar board says so. He says the demand for sugar is largely in excess of the refiners' ability to supply it at this time. The supply from the old beet crop is exhausted. The new beet crop will come in soon, but the cane supply from Cuba will not begin to come in until the first of January. The cane sugar crop in this country is only about half the usual amount. Sugar from old crops cannot be brought in from the West Indies on account of the seamen's strike. Hence, no matter which way you turn, strikes holding up supplies and causing higher prices. How much longer will the general public stand for such Bolshevism? It must be ended some time, and it looks like the people in general are going to have to put an end to it.

LET'S ABOLISH IT

The Board of City Development is without a secretary.

There is much opposition in the town to the organization as provided for in the city charter, which is now under contest in the courts.

We really believe if there was a vote of the people of the town, it would show that a very great majority is against keeping up the Board by taxation.

The Board is supposed to spend \$6,000 a year out of the tax money. The salary of a secretary has been at the rate of \$2,000 a year. Not very many people seem to think that the Board is doing \$6,000 worth of benefit.

The city tax rate the past year was \$1.25, about double that of any previous year.

But this rate did not raise enough money to keep up the city government, and at the recent session of the council a loan of \$5,000 was authorized for six months, until the new year's tax money comes in, to pay current expenses. This but puts off the day of payment.

State, county, city, and school taxes are higher than ever before. The school rate is not sufficient and tax assessments must be increased a flat 25 per cent.

Hence, why not economize at the rate of \$6,000 a year by abolishing the Board of City Development?

Let the city council become famous the country over by actually doing something in behalf of that tired, burdened and friendless fellow—the tax payer.

There is at least one great luxury Uncle Sam has not put a war tax on—and that is the Plains watermelon.

The newspapers tell of a St. Louis woman who raised all species of cane about the rent on her apartments being increased \$5 a month, and that afternoon went down town and paid \$30 for a fur coat without a whimper.

The editor of the News is feeling "chesty" these days. His fall garden is now in. Feed a man up on turnip greens, radishes, beans and fresh strawberries and peaches with Alf-alf-a tea to wash them down, and he becomes 100 per cent optimist. Come to the Plains.

Hale county's quota for the Salvation Army campaign is \$1,600. This is less than 16c per capita. The Salvation Army did a great work during the war; is it doing a great work now. It does more good work in proportion to the money it spends than any other great organization. Its activities must be kept up by contributions from the people. Therefore, when the campaign begins contribute liberally.

Taxes of all kinds are very heavy, and getting heavier all the time. But, why kick? When people insist on the having a paternalistic government, they should not make a roar about paying for it. "The fiddler must be paid"—not once and a while, but every time. You can't take money out of the public treasuries, until you have first put the money there. If you insist on the government feeding you with a spoon, you must first pay into the treasury the price of the food and the spoon and the wages of the cook and waiter.

We are very favorable to the ratification of the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant, but evidently there is something very seriously the matter with it, because in his speech in Sioux Falls Tuesday, President Wilson declared that "pro-German propaganda" is responsible for much of the opposition to the treaty. Oh, my, if there is any argument that has been worn threadbare it is the old one of "pro-German propaganda." It was worked to death during the war. Whenever a person has a proposition he cannot make stand up on its merits, he usually resorts to the cry "pro-German propaganda." It does look like so great a man as President Wilson, now that the war is over, should no longer resort to such cheap peanut politics.

Gov. W. P. Hobby wants Uncle Sam to intervene in Mexico, but only for the purpose of policing that country, stabilize the government, educate the people to maintain such a government, and then withdraw. It seems that something along Gov. Hobby's plan will have to be done. Mexico is a dangerous political sore spot, and must be cured, and restored to the ways of peace, law, order and prosperity. Under the reign of Carranza and the guerilla chiefs this can never be done.

WILL BE DEFEATED

Curtis Hancock was until several months ago chairman of the state highway association, and had much to do in having the legislature submit the proposed \$75,000,000 state road bond issue to a vote of the people. It is to be voted on the first Tuesday in November.

He is now willing to let the bond issue die. He is opposed to its adoption. He declares it is fatally defective.

It was argued at first that the interest and sinking fund would be derived from the special tax on automobiles, but the proposed law does not so read. It provides plainly that the interest and sinking fund shall be by the levying of a special state ad valorem tax.

The adoption of the amendment means increased taxes, and goodness knows our taxes are already high enough—75c state, 65c county, 50c school and \$1.25 city, not counting federal and war taxes.

The people of the Plains should by all means vote against the proposed bond issue, for it would mean the big counties down in the state would get the lion's share of the money, just as they get more school money from the state than they pay in taxes into the state treasury, and the Plains counties get much less than they pay in.

When the editor of the News was attending the special session of the legislature in June, it was the general impression among the legislators that the big road bond issue will be overwhelmingly defeated.

The farmers are beginning to pass resolutions asking that the state highway commission be abolished and all automobile taxes be kept in the counties where paid and used on the local roads.

The state highway commission has not so far gotten a reputation for economy. The charge has been made that it is wasteful of the state road money.

It will be safe to vote against the proposed \$75,000,000 state road bond issue. When in doubt always vote against bonds or other kinds of indebtedness.

Bonds mean higher taxation.

IN A MINOR STRAIN

We are willing to bet that if most people knew how little they know, they wouldn't talk so much.

All we have to say is, it would be a grand and glorious thing if a lot of Plainview people would make a fad of minding their own business.

An old-fashioned but very effective way to reduce the high cost of living would be for people to abandon so many luxuries and live more economically.

The phool-osopher on the corner of the square avers, "Many a man is so narrow minded that he believes you are not broad-minded unless you agree with him."

While it is true that beauty is only skin deep, it can be said that meanness reaches clear to the bone.

We arise to say that "Alf-alf-a Tea" is not anything akin to these so-near-and-yet-so-far beers. It is the real thing—the elixir of the goods.

In New York husbands are so worthless that one woman traded her's for a second-hand jitney.

We have noticed during our meandering up and down the land that many people go through life thinking that what they like to do should be legalized and what other people like to do should be prohibited.

We understand that Editor Loomis, the scientific sharp of the North Panhandle, has now under consideration the problems, why does wood float and why does iron sink?

Plainview and Hale county are certainly well advertised. A citizen was over in another state a few days ago, and said on trains, in hotels and about the streets he heard Plainview mentioned many times, and the reputed prosperity of the Plainview country commented on often. Next to the oil towns of the state, there are no towns more in the public eye than Plainview. Believe me, this is sure a good town and a great country. The longer we live here the better we like the town and country.

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For sale—80 acres of land, just one mile west of Petersburg, owner don't live here and must sell, will give terms and the price is right. This land is located just south of the Kays' land.

For sale—320 acres of land, just five miles east of Petersburg, and is located just east of Mr. Dansfield's farm; price and terms right.

For sale—Modern six-room house with bath room, furnace, heat, basement, located a block west of M. E. church, best location in Plainview. Price \$4,500; \$1,500 cash, balance \$500 a year, 6 per cent interest. Give possession in thirty days.

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Austria "signed on the dotted line" of the peace treaty Wednesday. The Austrians should be "full up" on war. They listened to Germany's ambitious plea of "Duetchland Ober Alle," they went into the war, and lost most everything they possessed. War is all that Sherman said it was, and more. My, my, if a person's or a nation's foresight was a good as its hindsight, what a difference there would be.

SHOULD BE RATIFIED

President Wilson is making some very notable speeches in behalf of the ratification of the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant.

He is illuminating certain passages in the great document, and all must admit that as he explains these debated sections they stand out clearly, and should win supporters.

He shows conclusively to us, at least, that under the treaty America cannot be a victim of the other nations, as the opposition senators would make it seem.

Mr. Wilson shows that practically all the work of the League must be by unanimous consent to be binding. He shows that while it might not keep down all war, yet under its terms such controversies must first be submitted to arbitration for six months and after the arbitration council has given its verdict, there shall be no war for at least three months. Under present civilization, if a war is put off at least nine months, and the matter being arbitrated all the time, it would be almost impossible to have war.

Doubtless the treaty and covenant is not altogether perfect, but it is a great stride in the right direction, and America cannot afford to turn it down.

The senate should ratify it as soon as possible, so that the world can once again get back to peace and its ways.

We would not in the least stifle full consideration, and believe the senate should proceed very carefully and have a full consideration of every phase of the great document. We have no patience with those who are trying to crucify the senators who are adversely discussing it. If they think its provisions are inimicable to American interests, it is their patriotic duty to fight it to the bitter end. But, the treaty should not be made a party matter, or one of spite toward the president.

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Severe Gulf Storm

One of the most severe storms for years raged over the Gulf of Mexico Tuesday and Wednesday, doing great damage, especially in lower Florida. In Key West nearly every house was damaged, and \$3,000,000 of damage is the estimate. The Mallory liner Comal, which left Galveston Saturday, went down near Key West. All passengers were saved.

WANT COLUMN

Try a want-adv. in the News. Only 1c a word, minimum charge 15c a time.

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FOR SALE—Wagon platform scale, cheap.—J. L. Dorsett. 26-1f

FOR SALE—Windmill and tank, tank and tank tower.—Phone 571.

FOR SALE—A good buggy—713 W. 8th street.

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

All kinds of Feedstuffs bought and sold.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

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—McCormick row binder, disc harrow, lister, wagon.—Carter-White Motor Co. 35-2t

FOR SALE—Several new pure white cotton mattresses, made direct from bale. Also some second-hand furniture.—Mrs. Cora Stevens, Date st. 35-1f

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.

FOR SALE—Five room house on West Seventh street. Terms.—R. A. Underwood. 34-1f

If you have good mules see A. L. Lanford, the mule buyer. In the market all the year around. I buy and sell every day, one or several.—A. L. Lanford, day phone 550, night phone 217.

LOST—Brown half-faced milch cow. Finder notify J. P. Marlin, Plainview. 35-2t

WILL TRADE FOR LAND—One the best improved homes in Plainview for one-half to two sections.—D. F. Sansom, Plainview, Texas. 28-1f

FOR SALE—Large white jelly grapes at 10c pound.—Call Mrs. W. M. Turner.

Who will be to blame if you have to pay high prices for sorroy coal, when you can get Simon Pure Nigger-head Coal now, and don't do it?—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer, phone 176.

FOR RENT—2 rooms. Inquire at News office.

Boys, bring in the second-hand sacks that are going to waste, and get real money for them.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

FOR SALE—Deering row-binder.—Call at City Bakery.

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

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping.—Phone 336.

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.

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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. 28-1f

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

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

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. 34-1f

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. 34-1f-c

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

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

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

FOR SALE—Windmill tower, tank and pipe, in good condition, running now.—E. T. Coleman 2t

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. 28-1f

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

LOST—All-wool red sweater, between Halfway and Plainview, via Running-water. Leave at News office or phone 441.

Cut the high cost of living, by getting the best for the least money. Simon Pure Nigger-head Lump and Nut Coal fills the bill. Phone 176.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

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

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

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FOR SALE—Some high-grade Poland-China gilts large enough to breed; also some high-grade Shropshire ewes and lambs.—M. D. Leach. 35-2t.

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

Meet me at the Oldsmobile and Oakland Service Station.

PETERSBURG

Sept. 10—The weather continues ideal for threshing and maize heading. Cotton begins to open. Mr. Stone hopes to be ready to gin by the end of the month.

Mrs. G. C. Phillips of Ranger left for her home Monday after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Claitor.

Mrs. Lon Fletcher and daughter Emma Jean, from Wichita Falls, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Smith.

The meeting at Allman closes Wednesday night with several conversions and baptisms. The people of this community have enjoyed the services very much.

The Cumberland Presbyterian congregation is enjoying protracted services now.

Miss Mattye Gregory has resigned her position in the Bledsoe school and will teach near Plainview.

Lloyd Allen is quite sick with typhoid fever. Dr. Greer was called from Lockney Monday during the absence of Dr. Hannah, who was called to the bedside of his niece at Amarillo.

Cecil White, Ira Allen and Vinson Lowry have returned from overseas after an absence of more than two years. We are glad to see the boys in our midst once more.

Mrs. Bartley has returned to her home at Cone, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Robert Gregory who has been sick but is better.

Tri-County Institute Resolutions.
The teachers of Hale, Briscoe and Lamb counties adopted the following resolutions, at the close of the institute here Friday:

Be it resolved: First, that a resolution of thanks be given the Plainview Board of Trustees for the use of the High school building.

Second, a resolution of thanks to all the musicians who have contributed to our entertainment, and especially do we desire to thank Mrs. Barnes and Mr. Crabb for so kindly providing this entertainment.

Third, that the teachers of this institute have been inspired and enlightened by the lectures and talks given us by the ministers and lecturers.

Fourth, that the success of this institute has been due to the untiring efforts of the officers, directors and instructors in preparing and executing the program.

Fifth, to make Texas schools the best in the world.

Thereas, the public schools constitute the very heart of our American Democracy, and from them must flow those ideals which make for civic health, material prosperity, patriotism, and the happiness of all the people, thereof.

Be it resolved, that every possible effort should be made to make Texas schools the best in the world. They should be the best for all the children for all the people. To make them so is our primary object, and all other aims subordinate to this one. Furthermore, we believe to accomplish this object it is necessary for teachers to form strong local organizations—county and city—and that every such local organization should seek to enroll its full membership in the Texas Teachers' State Association. We believe that the educators constitute the force which must unify and harmonize, for the good of all the people, the conflicting and the divergent interests of the different classes of society.

And be it further resolved: that we continue our campaign for better salaries until the remuneration given teachers is such as to hold the best men and women of the state in the profession of teaching. We feel that we can never properly equip ourselves so long as our salaries are so absurdly small. It is utterly impossible for our schools to remain even so good as now unless salaries are advanced to a point from 50 to 100 per cent above the level of 1914.

Respectively, submitted,
Geo. Tummins,
G. W. McDaniel,
Lula Goode,
Mrs. Sloneker, committee.

Texas Profits and Income Taxes.
Washington, Sept. 9.—Texas paid \$46,900,575.35 into the national treasury in the fiscal year ending July 1, as income and profit tax, the internal revenue bureau report showed. The amount paid for the fiscal year, ending July 1, 1918, was \$30,313,161.81.

States paying a larger amount of income tax than Texas were New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, California, Connecticut, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, and New Jersey. Oklahoma paid approximately \$15,000,000 in income and excess profits taxes. The total amount paid in the nation was \$2,596,008,702.70.

George Dodson and Miss Nellie McCasland of Lubbock were married last week.

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Chicago—Hundreds of good paying jobs on farms where room, board and washing are included as a means of reducing the high cost of living, are "going begging" in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Michigan and Indiana, according to Mork L. Crawford, director of employment for Illinois of the United States Employment Service. An appeal was sent out for more farm hands.

Wages range from \$40 to \$65 a month for single men and from \$80 to \$100 a month for married men, Mr. Crawford said. During corn husking time, which is near, the farmers are willing to pay from \$4 to \$8 a day for help, it was said.

Sale of Registered Herefords

The Panhandle Hereford Breeders' association will hold a public sale of registered Hereford cattle in Amarillo Sept. 29. Forty selected bulls and twenty cows and heifers, all of the very best breeding, quality and condition, consigned by members of the association, and from the best herds in the Panhandle will be sold. The sale will be held in McKnight's stables in Amarillo, and begin at 1 o'clock. Col. P. M. Gross will be auctioneer.

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Plainview News one year and the Kansas City Weekly Star \$1.85

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Hale County, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on the 3rd day of September, 1919, in cause No. 1717, H. C. Horton, plaintiff, vs. J. A. Towler, defendant, on a judgment rendered on the 6th day of August, 1919, in said court, wherein said plaintiff, H. C. Horton, recovered judgment for the sum of \$599.61 cents and the further sum of Forty Four & 15-100 Dollars costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of a vendor's lien upon Lots Nos. Five and Six in Block No. Sixty Seven, in College Hill Addition to the town of Plainview, Hale County, Texas, against the said defendant J. A. Towler, I have levied upon the above described lots Nos. Five and Six on this day, and, notice is hereby given, that I will on the first Tuesday in October, 1919, same being the 7th day of October, 1919, sell the above described property for cash and apply the proceeds of said sale to the payment of the above judgment, costs of court and all costs of executing this writ. Said lots be levied on as the property of said J. A. Towler.

Given under my hand this the 4th day of September, 1919.
J. C. TERRY,
Sheriff of Hale County, Texas.

The ex-soldiers of Lubbock county met Saturday and formed a post of the American Legion.

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SOCIETY

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.

Former Plainview Girl Prominent as Musician
Miss Jessie Wayland, a graduate of Central College Conservatory of Music at Lexington, Mo., and more recently a pupil of Mrs. Carl Busch, will assist in the piano department of the Cranston School of Music the coming year, and also be an accompanist in the vocal department and for the Kansas City Grand Opera Company. Miss Wayland is a singer as well, and is now soloist at the Jackson Avenue Christian Church in Kansas City. Miss Wayland is a niece of Mrs. Q. D. Hoyle of Plainview, and lives in Kansas City. She formerly lived in Plainview, and her friends are gratified to know of her musical successes.

Wednesday Bridge Club
Miss Kathleen Joiner entertained the Wednesday Bridge club at the Joiner apartments in the Donohoe building Wednesday afternoon. Miss Lucile Kinder won high score.
After the games, a delicious salad course was served to the club members and Mesdames Roy Self, J. O. Wyckoff, E. L. Dye and Fred Crawford, and Misses Margaret Gardner, Elaine Wood and Sadye Earle Adams.

Abernathy Couple Granted License to Marry
L. G. Conner and Miss Linnie E. Wimberly were granted a marriage license Wednesday. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wimberly of near Abernathy.

Central Mothers' Club Will Meet Sept. 18th
Mrs. Meyers, secretary of the Mothers' club of the Central school requests that we announce the first meeting of the club will be held at the high school building Friday, Sept. 18, at 4 o'clock, and all members are urged to be present.
Supt. W. E. Patty will give an outline of the coming year's work.

Wayland College Senior Class Has Organized
The senior class of Wayland Baptist college was organized Wednesday afternoon. Carroll Hunter was unanimously elected president; Roy Gladson, vice president; Delbert Jones, treasurer; Alberta Howell, secretary, and John Austin, reporter.
The class also chose Miss Alma King, a member of the faculty, as a general advisor.

At present the class consists of fourteen members, and more are expected later, which will perhaps make it the largest graduating class in the history of Wayland.
All the members of the class seem to be bubbling over with enthusiasm, and are planning to show Wayland what an enthusiastic bunch of seniors really mean to a college.
They have the assurance that the faculty is standing by them in any enterprise that might be undertaken, and it is an evident fact, that 100 per cent of the members are ready and willing to encounter the most difficult undertakings.
These words in reference to the students of Wayland, who are striv-

ing to attain the highest honors that may be conferred upon pupils of that institution, ought to be an inspiration to the men, who have struggled faithfully for the college; and ought to make them feel that their work has not been in vain. Reporter.

HALE CENTER
Sept. 8.—Prof. D. A. Snelling and family came in Tuesday night from Austin, where Prof. Snelling had been attending the State University. They will be located in Higgins for the next school year.

Miss Lena Whitacre, who has been visiting friends here, returned to Plainview Thursday morning.
These young people enjoyed a merry time at the N. M. Akeson home on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Burgus returned from a trip to Perry Iowa, Saturday night.
H. S. Cline was a business caller in Plainview Tuesday morning, of last week.
Miss Eula Elliott of Amarillo, spent the first of last week here with friends.

R. E. Terry went to Floydada on Wednesday to see his daughter, Mrs. Wilson and husband.
The farmers are having the office at the public scales put in good shape for the fall business.
Our druggist, Mr. Pinson, installed a large soda fountain last week.
The young people, and some of the older ones, too, enjoyed a dance at the M. S. Hudson home Wednesday night.

Word was received Wednesday from Clyde Whitacre that he had arrived in New York from overseas.
Howard Lemond has gone to Dallas to attend business college.
Mrs. Bert McWhorter and son, Omer, of Lubbock, were guests last week in the home of her father, W. Lemond.
O. C. Sanders returned from Iowa Friday morning.

Miss Margaret McCabe went to Plainview Monday morning to enter the high school there.
The parents of Mrs. T. J. King are here from Amarillo.
Miss Adelaide Jennings and Mr. J. Walm were quietly married at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Wilson, and family, Thursday morning, Rev. H. Bone was the officiating minister. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for Canton, Kansas, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Houston and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby spent Sunday at the home of their brother-in-law, S. W. Meharg northwest of Plainview.
John Sears was a Sunday visitor in Plainview.
Our school opened Monday with the following teachers in charge: Superintendent, Prof. Sears; Misses Cole, Helm, Maxey and Burson and Mrs. McCabe.

Word was received from Miss Margaret Huff stating she was en route to New York by way of Louisville, Va., where she will place her niece, Julia Morrison in school, and Miss Huff and niece, Miss Mae Morrison, will soon sail from New York to Cairo, Egypt, where they will teach in a Presbyterian mission school.
Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Sanders and niece, Miss Hunt, returned from an overland trip to Corpus Christi, Wednesday at noon.
Sam Dowling from Channing spent a few days here with his sister, Mrs. Harrall.
Wm. Harrall was up from Abern-

athy Tuesday and took his mother home with him for a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gentry, little daughter, Dorothy Mae, and Mrs. Mary Webb departed Wednesday morning for an overland trip to Lamar county.
Our chautauqua opened Wednesday with a reasonably good attendance. The lectures by Dr. Culp and concert by the Fighting Yanks gave good satisfaction.
Rev. Mobley, P. Hicks and Thos. Daniels, David M. Warren and Misses Ruth Blackburn, and Lucille Thomas of Amarillo; Elbert Kittington and Carter Swain of Memphis and Miss Jennie Butts of Fort Worth, were here Saturday on their way to the Christian Endeavor convention at Littlefield. They were joined here by Luther Griffin, Misses Daisy Wilson and Garnett Shepard, who were delegates from Hale Center Christian Endeavor.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Sievers entertained Thursday evening, in honor of their sons, Arthur and Wilbur, who have just returned from service overseas. All report a nice time.

Dr. Arthur Haynes Will Preach
Dr. Arthur Haynes of Canyon has been secured to do the preaching at the Presbyterian revival to begin Sunday, September the 21st. Dr. Haynes is an attractive speaker and a devoted minister.
With the assistance of Prof. Lauris, who will lead the choir, and Miss Ethel McCurdy, at the piano, this should make a very strong evangelistic team.

Presbyterian Church
The pastor Rev. Gordon Lang will preach both morning and evening at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. The services will begin at 8 o'clock.
The Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m.
The pastor and Col. R. P. Smyth will leave for Vernon, Texas, Monday morning to attend the regular fall meeting of the District Presbytery of Amarillo. They expect to drive through in a car.

Mrs. Baker is Missionary at Doyle College
Mrs. Hattie Baker, who taught in Plainview public school last year, and was leader of the junior work of the Baptist church, is now connected with Doyle college of Doyle, Tenn., as teacher of the bible and is also doing missionary work. We understand Doyle college is maintained for the mountain people in Eastern Tennessee.

Methodist Women
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet on Monday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, with Mrs. T. E. Richards, in the study of "Woman Workers of the Orient" and a social meeting.
Mesdames Neal, Jackson, Saigling, Mayhugh, Phelps and Meyers will discuss the book. Mesdames O'Keefe and Carter will add to the enjoyment of the afternoon by furnishing vocal and instrumental music.

Epworth League
The Epworth League of the Methodist church will meet Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, in an interesting program.
The pastor has recently appointed Miss Della Ansley president of the League.
All members of the League and young people of the church are urged to be at this service.
After a two weeks vacation, the Leaguers are looking forward to inspirational and aggressive work during the winter months.

Methodist Annual Conference At Lubbock November 12th
The annual Northwest Texas Methodist conference will be held in Lubbock, beginning Nov. 12. Many local Methodists will attend.
Nineteen Additions at Revival at Bledsoe
Rev. G. I. Britain of Plainview, assisted Pastor J. M. Rankin, in a Baptist revival at Bledsoe school house, below Petersburg, which closed last week. There were nine of ten conversions and nineteen additions to the church.
Methodist Church Services
Pastor E. E. Robinson will occupy his pulpit Sunday at 11 and 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45.

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Paper Takes Another Leap
Last week News print paper took another advance of 20 per cent. It was already double the price it sold for when the war began.
Job papers of all kinds also took a rise last week, though they were already from two to four times as high as when the war started.
The newspaperman is having a hard

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In Plainview the subscription price has remained the same; the advertising rate has been increased but 2 1-2c an inch.
It is a cinch that the local newspapers must increase both subscription and advertising rates, in order to

make both ends meet.
So don't be surprised to hear of the News soon announcing such increases.
The liquor interests claim that the adoption of nationwide prohibition is largely responsible for the spirit of unrest and discontent at the present time so rife among the laboring classes. Such talk is bosh. While a few bums and drunkards are no doubt very discontented because they cannot get liquor, such is not widespread. You need not tell us that sober men are per se more discontented as workmen than drinking men. It is just the other way. The editor of the News used to work in a city, when saloons were thick, and he noticed that it was

RESIDENCE FOR SALE—808 Beech street. For terms and prices see the owner there.
FOR SALE—A 12-20 tractor, in good condition, at bargain.—G.-C. Electric Co. 35-3t
the drinking printers in the union that talked most of pulling off strikes and of assaulting non-union men. The sober printers got the best pay and were better satisfied, for they worked regularly and always had more money than the drinkers.
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R. O. Field of Floydada was in town Wednesday.

FOR RENT—2 rooms. Inquire at News office.

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DO YOU KNOW GOOD CLOTHES ARE SCARCE?

Clothes—good clothes—cannot be made today as fast as American men are buying them. Production is far behind demand. For months to come it will be speeding and straining to catch up. What is the result? Much unworthy merchandise is being poured into a market that calls for more and more and more.

In these days not every clothes maker is likely to be "fussy" on the subject of quality. It is so easy to wink at a little cotton in the fabric—to overlook small defects in the workmanship. Especially if his name is not on the label and the garment cannot be tracked back to him.

The observing clothes buyer is awake to this. He wants to know all about the origin of his clothes—all about how they are made. He is the type of man who insists upon the Kirschbaum label. Because back of it is a house which thinks of making clothes better, before making them faster. A house which cannot supply the demand that has come to it, but which prefers to have its products lack in quantity than in quality. A house whose steady record of more than half a century convinces him it can be relied upon, now and always, to stand like a rock for its standards.

Up-to-date Young Men's models are now being shown at \$30.00, \$37.50 and \$42.40.

As we sell these, replacements costs us more money, and will necessarily have to sell for more.

REINKEN'S
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PERSONAL MENTION

When you or your neighbor have friends 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.

J. M. Harder of Fort Worth is here on business.

W. L. Barnes of Lubbock was here Wednesday.

Palmer Bradley of Cisco is here on business.

J. O. Rhea of Post City was here Wednesday.

Walter Fogerson of Silverton was in town yesterday.

J. C. Webb of Seymour had business here yesterday.

Miss Josie Goode went to Amarillo Thursday morning.

I. Jacobs came in this morning from Wolfe City.

C. B. Ligon of Midland had business in town Wednesday.

B. F. Johnson returned Monday from a trip to Cisco.

A. E. Crain of Hillsboro was here Wednesday on business.

O. E. Clapp and R. C. Spratt of DeLeon were here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Rinehart of Los Angeles were here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Tulia were here Wednesday shopping.

Ed E. Talmage of the A. & M. extension work was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Ott has arrived from Potosi, Wis., to visit her son, Ira Ott.

Revs. A. L. Moore and E. E. Robinson are spending today in Lubbock.

George Lock returned this morning from a stay of several weeks at Cisco.

W. H. Kittrell and H. L. Thompson of McGregor were here Wednesday.

Chas. W. McFarland, the Castro county ranchman, was here Wednesday.

Prentiss Rosson will go to Denver, Colo., where he has accepted a position.

Hiram Will Wilmeth of McKinney are here visiting the family of R. L. Hankal.

Mrs. R. F. Jenkins went to Amarillo Thursday morning to visit her daughter.

Mrs. H. T. Magee of Tucumcari, N. M., is expected today to visit Mrs. O. M. Unger.

Rev. C. E. Painter, pastor of the Baptist church in Hale Center, is here today.

H. F. Meadows and J. W. Willis left today in the former's car for a trip to Lamesa.

Mrs. W. A. Donaldson and granddaughter, Miss Ruth Cobb, went to Tulia Wednesday.

Miss Alice Harrel has taken a position as stenographer in Williams & Martin's law offices.

Mrs. A. M. Jones of Abernathy has purchased a residence in Canyon and will move to that place.

Miss Ethel McMillan went to Roswell, N. M., last week, where she will teach in the public school.

Rev. J. T. Burnett of Canyon was here today. He is now engaged in Baptist evangelistic work.

Mrs. Newton, who has been visiting Mrs. L. M. Faulkner, returned Thursday to her home in Memphis.

Miss Gerhens of Amarillo, pastor of the Nazarene churches there and here, has been here this week.

Ernest Robinson left yesterday for Roswell, N. M., to again attend the New Mexico Military Institute.

Chauncey Gidney left yesterday afternoon for Washington, D. C. to

resume his studies in Georgetown University.

Sidney Miller has returned after a stay of several months in Dallas and San Antonio, and is back in Jacobs Bros. & Co's. store.

Flake Garner and Dr. J. A. Ferguson left this morning for a business trip of a few days to Amarillo and points in the North Panhandle.

W. N. Baker came in this morning from Desdemonia, where he is operating in the oil game. He says things are certainly booming in that field.

D. B. Gardner will leave this week for Columbia, Tenn., to again attend Columbia Military Institute. His sister, Miss Margaret, may go with him.

Miss Eleanor Lilly, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robt. Meyers, left Thursday morning for Ardmore, Okla., where she will teach expression in a school.

Mrs. James R. DeLay and two children were here yesterday, visiting friends. Mr. DeLay is now operating in oil at Wichita Falls, while the family lives in Dallas.

Miss Fay Barnett of Brawley, Calif., is here visiting Mrs. Flake Garner and Mrs. Hanley Wasson. She used to live here, and is now employed in a bank in Brawley.

M. J. Ewalt of Hale Center was in town Tuesday. He and Mrs. Ewalt recently returned from spending nearly a year in Santa Barbara, Calif. He says that is a very delightful country to live in.

Mrs. J. C. Anderson and daughter, Miss Electra, left Thursday night for Denton, where the daughter will enter C. I. A. as a student. Mrs. Anderson will spend some time down in the state visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Lamar, Colo. They went in their Ford and did not have even a puncture while away, hence Mr. Brown returned in a religious frame of mind.

S. R. Ware, after a visit of two weeks with S. J. Jackson and family,

left Tuesday night for his home in Sparta, Tenn. He was so well pleased with the Plainview country that he is very likely to return and locate here.

Mail Order Houses Advertising

One day this week a solid carload of catalogues from a big Chicago mail order house was received in Amarillo, by the postoffice, the catalogues are being distributed out through the Northwest Texas counties. Possibly another carload or two of catalogues will be received there from the same house for distribution. The postage on a carload of such catalogues mounts up above a thousand dollars, and the cost of the catalogues themselves runs to several thousand dollars. We notice many of these catalogues are being received by Plainview and Hale county people.

The big mail order houses have built up their tremendous businesses thru consistent advertising. They know advertising pays. The only way for the local merchant to combat the big mail order houses is through advertising—not the hit and miss kind, but the real thoughtful kind, the kind that carries a message to the people that will bring results. The local merchant has all the advantage if he will but use it. He can and often does undersell the mail order houses on the same quality of goods, besides he is here at home, and if there is anything unsatisfactory he can and will adjust the matter quickly and without a lot of writing and red tape.

David Lipscomb, arrived Wednesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Lipscomb. He has been with the navy on the U. S. S. Alabama, since June, 1918, and has just been discharged. He will leave next week for Yuma, Ariz., where he will take the position he left when he went to the navy.

Try a News Want Ad.

ROUND ABOUT TOWN

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

Dr. J. C. Anderson left today for Chicago, and will go from there to Rochester, Minn., where he will attend a clinic at Mayo Bros. hospital. He will be away possibly six weeks.

Capt. T. J. Tilson, Hale county's representative in the legislature, has had his chin whiskers shaved off. While of course we do not know what object he has in thus disfiguring himself, yet we are quite sure it is for some ulterior political motive.

Conductor E. V. Thompson is back on the Plainview-Floydada line. He was conductor on this run for a number of years until two years ago he was transferred to the Slaton-Lamesa branch, where he has since been. He has many friends who are glad to have him back.

C. E. White and little daughter returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Brooks, Iowa. Mr. White had intended to attend several state fairs while away, but on account of his aged mother being sick he was unable to do so. At St. Joseph, Mo., he was in a crowd of fifty thousand people who heard President Wilson make a speech from the rear of his special train.

Dr. J. A. Ferguson returned Wednesday from Santa Anna, where he had been for several weeks looking after the drilling of the oil well in which so many Plainview people are interested. The well is now down over 500 feet, and it is expected to push the drilling and bring in a gusher by the 10th of the present month. Since then the well has been drilled more than another 150 feet.

One Ancient Custom

was to perpetuate the memory of the dead. This custom has run down through all ages, and today it is with pride that we erect memorials in stone to our departed. As a guide to your selection of a monument—truly artistic in design, and one that will endure—see the work designed and executed by.

South Plains Monument Co.
Plainview, Texs Phone 654

Quality Service Courtesy

Individual you will find at our place that quality service and courtesy means as much to you as they do to us.

You have the right to expect it. We will see that you receive it.

Jesse DeLaho
Auto Painting & Trimming Co.
Plainview and Tulia

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.

Citizens National Bank
Plainview, Texas
"Personal Service"

FOR SALE, A BARGAIN

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

MALONE & JACKSON

Warns Income Tax Payers
Washington.—If you haven't paid your income tax better do it before September 15 of else you pay a 5 per cent penalty. This was the warning sent out by the Bureau of Internal Revenue to approximately 1 million tax payers who have not yet sent in their third quarterly installment of their income tax.



IT IS VERY IMPORTANT

when buying Lumber for your home, that you guard against getting Inferior Material.

You don't build a home every day, therefore you should exercise care in the selection of your Lumber, Lime, Cement, etc.

To be careful is to buy from us.

FULTON LUMBER CO.

Do You Own Your Home?.. If Not, Why Not?

THE FARMER IS HELPLESS

In the most important time in history for the farmer he is practically helpless because he is unorganized. The consumer, sorely oppressed by the high cost of living, immediately thinks of the profiteering of the farmer as the principal cause of the high prices. The consumer doesn't realize how small a part of what he pays for an article of necessity goes to the farmer and that it is the item of cost and profit which are added after the material has left the farmer's hands that should be looked into in attempting to lower prices.

The consumer thinks sixty cents a pound is a high price to pay the farmer for wool, but he doesn't understand that a suit of clothes containing not more than three pounds of wool costs as much as the farmer got for a hundred pounds of wool. A calico dress weighing a little more than a pound costs more at retail than the planter got for a hundred pounds of cotton in the bale. The cost of wheat is increased four fold from the time it leaves the farmer's hands until it reaches the table of the consumer. Calfskin when made into shoes sells for more than the farmer got for the calf alive.

Milk which the farmer sold at thirty-two cents a gallon retails in Kansas City at from sixty-four to seventy cents a gallon. The farmer feeds the cows, milks them, hauls the manure, delivers the milk to his railway station, pays the freight on it to Kansas City and in some instances I am told pays the cost of drayage to the distributing depot in the city. The milk merchant bottles and distributes the milk and for this service collects more than the farmer got for all of his service.

Harness leather which costs a dollar a pound wholesale has been so loaded with cheap grease that two-fifths of its weight is of this material. Harness makers tell me that at the end of the day they gather up the scraps of leather and render the tallow from them just as the farmer is accustomed to rendering lard from the meat scraps at hog killing time. It does not seem possible that there has been four times as much effort and expense put into wheat after the farmer sold it as he invested in growing harvesting and threshing this crop. It is inconceivable that it takes fifty to one hundred times as much labor and pains to spin and weave cotton and make it into a plain dress as was expended by the planter in raising the crop and in picking, ginning and baling the fiber. Why should it be necessary to increase the price of wool thirty-fold between the time the farmer sheared his sheep and when the cloth is made ready to wear?

It is the costs and profits which are added after the material leaves the farmer's hands which are principally responsible for the high cost of living. Some of these costs are necessary and others, like the filling of leather with cheap grease, are unnecessary and wasteful. Some of the profits are fair and reasonable, others are excessive. Some are necessary and some are superfluous.

As the farmer stands he is powerless to help himself in this situation. Compactly organized he would be in position to defend his interests in the marketing of his products. There are several thousand farmer's organizations in this country, all effective in their own way, but mainly occupied with local problems. Too often it happens that the interest of one farmer's organization runs counter to that of another. An organization of cotton farmers sometimes demands a low price for wheat because they do not raise wheat, but buy flour. The members of an organization of wheat growers, being consumers of cotton goods, insist upon a low priced cotton. Frequently the interests of the cattlemen of the range country run contrary to those who feed cattle in the corn belt. The dairyman and beef men quarrel over legislation regulating the sale of oleomargarine. These minor differences should be laid aside in a time like this and an effective federation of all farmers' organizations in America should be made. Already a step in this direction has been taken. Recently the farmers of the states of Washington and Idaho made a significant move. All the farmers' organizations of these states formed a state federation of the organizations of their state and announced their readiness to become a part of a federation of all the farmers' organizations of the United States. A federated farm organizations similar to the American Federation of Labor ought to grow out of this movement and out of our present necessities.—H. J. Walters in Kansas City Star.

TODAY'S LOCAL MARKET

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| Butter, lb. | 50c to 55c |
| Butterfat, lb. | 55c |
| Eggs, dozen | 36c |
| Hens, lb. | 22c |
| Fryers, lb. | 23c |
| Wheat, per bushel | \$1.98 |
| Oats, per bushel | 55c |
| Alfalfa, ton | \$18 to \$25 |
| Kaffir, maize, ton | \$16 to \$20 |

Minimum 36c to 46c Pound

New Orleans, La., Sept. 9.—County market firms for the purchase of cotton and the fixing of a minimum price at which cotton shall be sold were decided upon by the American Cotton Association at its session today, thereby concluding the two most important acts for which the cotton men of the South has assembled here. Minimum prices of cotton per pound were fixed by months as follows. September 36c, October 36 1-2c, November 37c, December 37 1 2c, January 38c, February 38 1-2c, March 39c, April 39 1-2c, and May 40c.

J. J. Brown of Atlanta, Ga., was chairman of the committee which recommended this sliding scale of prices for the staple.

The government reports charge that "everybody who has anything to do with shoes, from manufacturer to retailer, is profiteering, and making abnormal profits on them." The manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers of shoes are out in statements covering a page advertisements in this big dailies declaring this to be untrue, and throws the whole blame on the higher cost of hides, showing how much more a producer gets for a hide now than he did last winter. But, it seems to us, a more simple and better way to show the people whether there is any profiteering would be to publish a statement showing the cost of the manufacture of certain grades of shoes, how much the wholesaler has to pay, how much the retailer has to pay, and what the consumer is charged for same. Senator Jones of Washington has introduced a bill to provide that manufacturers state articles going into interstate commerce with the manufacturing cost price and that retailers affix a stamp stating the price at which they purchase articles sold to consumers. The measure follows the line of legislation urged by the President in his recent message to congress as one means of striking at profiteering.

Director General of Railroads Walker D. Hines, has warned the senate coal investigating committee that from now until the end of the year coal operators are likely to lay stress on transportation difficulties to explain increased coal prices. Mr. Hines declared his belief that the railroads would be able to move all the coal necessary. He suggests that the government retain enough of its war power to enable it to control coal prices until normal conditions are restored.

Try a News Want Ad.

PUBLIC SALE

WORK MARES AND FILLIES PLAINVIEW, MONDAY, SEPT. 15

Commencing Promptly at 2 O'Clock

Every One A Good One and Broke To Work

This car load of stock consists of Mares and Fillies from 3 years to 5 years old and weighing from 1150 to 1400 pounds, all gentle and from one of the best breeding farms in the United States. They are all Percheron stock and some of them as much as 15-16 purebred, those in foal are by registered Percheron stallions. If you are in the market for good work stock with quality, or for breeding purposes do not fail to attend this sale, you will have an opportunity of buying the best the country affords. Every animal will be sold on above date, and sold to the highest and best bidder.

TERMS CASH

KING BROS.

W. A. NASH AND BRUCE KING, Auctioneers

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.

REMEMBER

The next big card in the Alamo deck will be the drilling of its first well on its 15 acre tract where the plant is building, and you take a tip we are going to get a good oil well too, and when that event occurs no more Alamo stock can be bought from the company. Now is the time to buy and those with surplus cash will regret this opportunity if they don't send in their reservations for stock at once.

Address or call on

John T. Evans, Vice Pres.-Sales Mgr.

Office with Tom W. Crutcher & Co.

Eastland, Texas

BE WELL TO WIN

Weak, run-down, tired, listless men cannot compete in the race to win in the work of the world.

You must be strong, virile, energetic—physically fit and well—able to take your place, to do your part.

You look as you feel, and appearance is everything.

Big men of affairs demand employees who are fully up to the mark. Workers must be able to deliver—one hundred per cent efficient.

—TAKE RICH-TONE—

—AND BE EFFICIENT—

Efficiency comes of well being—you can't be efficient unless you feel efficient. RICH-TONE makes men efficient because it aids in making them well.

RICH-TONE, THE FAMOUS TONIC, was prescribed by a well known physician at his own health resort. He advocated rest, good food, plenty of sleep and a tonic. By this treatment he energized his patients. This treatment can be yours—right at home.

YOU can be overflowing with energy. You can have buoyant spirits, born of health and strength and vitality. You can go to your work with a love of the task before you. You can accomplish it with the ease of a breeze.

—TAKE RICH-TONE and aid nature in her effort to energize you!—well—to win!

Sold locally in \$1.00 bottles by
DYE DRUG CO.

None Equal to Chamberlain's

"I have tried most all of the cough cures and find that there is none that equal Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has never failed to give me prompt relief," writes W. V. Harner, Montpelier, Ind. When you have a cold give this remedy a trial and see for yourself what a splendid medicine it is. Obtainable everywhere.

Mr. Berry of Ranger has been here this week, looking after his extensive realty interests in Hale county. He also owns forty or fifty sections of land near Hereford, besides large oil holdings at Ranger and Tampico, Mexico.

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Price, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time...

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. Cardui, about my taking Cardui. He said, 'It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble,' so he got me 5 bottles. After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved... before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. It acts on the mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

"BAYER CROSS" ON ASPIRIN

Always Ask for Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"



Only Aspirin Tablets with the safety "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of Talcum Powder.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" should always be asked for. Then look for the safety "Bayer Cross" on the package and on each tablet. Accept nothing else! Proper directions and dosage in each Bayer package.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

Exhibit is Great Attraction

Telegraphic advices received from the Indiana State Fair at Indianapolis, state that the West Texas agricultural and mineral exhibit at the fair is one of the big attractions there. Thousands of people are visiting the West Texas exhibit, and many are indicating their desire to move to West Texas and locate. Over four thousand people registered at the West Texas exhibit on one day for information about West Texas.

The general West Texas agricultural and mineral exhibit will next be shown at the Kentucky state fair at Louisville, and it is expected that great interest will also there be manifested. From Louisville the exhibit will be taken to Nashville and Kansas City.

Chester T. Crowell, publicity manager for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who has charge of the exhibit, states in a letter, that he considers the exhibit movement of vast importance to West Texas and that it will be the means of hundreds of people moving to this part of the state. The Canadian exhibit is located near the West Texas exhibit, but the West Texas exhibit has drawn much larger crowds than the Canadian exhibit.

More than 300 different agricultural and mineral products are included in the West Texas exhibit, representing all parts of West Texas, from Dalhart to San Saba, and from Fort Worth to El Paso.

Moving pictures of different parts of West Texas are shown at the exhibits.

Well at Happy Strikes Oil

Tuesday, according to a telegram received by the News, oil sand with a light showing of oil was encountered in the well being drilled at Happy at a depth of less than 500 feet. The management decided that this strata was not enough to make a well so the drilling was continued.

BABY ELEPHANT WITH YANKEE ROBINSON CIRCUS

"Mother, please! please! just enough for the show and some peanuts for the elephants and—"

For in a week will come that time when the small girl and the small boy talk fast to their parents. A week and there will come the time of the screaming calliope and the fast playing circus band. For the Yankee Robinson Big 3 Ring Wild Animal Circus is coming to Plainview, Thursday, September 18. A whole day of excitement that will mean a day in which the baby elephant will eat peanuts and the lions will roar as only fullgrown healthy lions can roar. Of course there will be a parade and it will traverse the down town streets at noon on September 18th.

Afternoon performances are at 2 o'clock and night performances begin at 8:15.

It is understood that the actual cost to Henry Ford of the 6,100 shares of minority stock of the Ford Motor Co., was \$130,000,000 or \$21,300 a share. At this rate the market valuation of the entire 20,000 shares would be \$246,000,000. And the entire original investment in the company was only \$28,000. The sellers will have to pay an income tax estimated at about \$25,000,000, which means that they will receive a full \$100,000,000 net for their less than one-third interest in the Ford Company's capital. Net earnings of the Ford Motor Company in June, after taxes are paid, are understood to approximated \$9,000,000. This is equal to \$450 a share for this thirty-day period, or an annual rate of \$5,400 a share. The \$75,000,000 borrowed by Mr. Ford to finance the minority stock purchase he expects to pay back by the time the notes mature.—Wall Street Journal.

Worth Their Weight in Gold

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and found them to be just as represented, a quick relief for headaches, dizzy spells and other symptoms denoting a torpid liver and a disordered condition of the digestive organs. They are worth their weight in gold," writes Miss Clara A. Briggs, Elba, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

A Texas Wonder

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and regularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

To The Public

"I feel that I owe the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy a word of gratitude," writes Mrs. T. N. Witherall, Gowanda, N. Y. "When I began taking this medicine I was in great pain and feeling terribly sick, due to an attack of summer complaint. After taking a dose of it I had not long to wait for relief as it benefitted me almost immediately." Obtainable everywhere.

Seeks Insurance at 131

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 3.—"Uncle Johnny" Shell, probably the oldest man in the world, celebrated his 131st birthday today by sending for a life insurance agent.

"You never can tell what'll happen, sonny," he told the agent, "and I want to prepare for the worst."

The agent looked over his rate card and found that his card covered only the first 105 years of a man's life. The agent is now busy with headquarters trying to learn if he can insure "Uncle Johnny."

Shell was first married at the age of 19 lived with his first wife for more than ninety years. He lived seventy-five years in one house. He is the father of twenty-nine children, the oldest now living being more than 90 years of age.

Six years ago he married again at the age of 125. By his second wife he has one child, a boy, aged 5 years. He was at the advanced age of 74 during the Civil War. He was born near Knoxville, Tenn., twelve years after the battle of Bunker Hill, and was full grown when the war of 1812 began. He has seen the United States develop from a small nation to a world power.

He bears his age well. His mind is clear and his eyesight is far better than that of many men still in their youth.

Importation of a six months' supply of dyes from Germany for American manufacturers will be allowed under a ruling announced by the war trade board. It is believed that by April 1, 1920, the manufacture of dyes in the United States will have reached such proportions that further imports will be unnecessary. It is a bit humiliating for Americans to be compelled to go to Germany for dyes after all that has happened.

Biliousness and Constipation

It is certainly surprising that any woman will endure the miserable feelings caused by biliousness and constipation, when relief is so easily had and at so little expense. Mrs. Chas. Peck, Gates, N. Y., writes: "About a year ago I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they cured me of biliousness and constipation." Obtainable everywhere.

Party leaders are busy making campaign speeches, to be used over the country next year on phonograph records. It will be probably the phonograph's first appearance in politics.

BE RID OF THAT ACHE

If you are a sufferer with lame back, headache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, who don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend?

Mrs. T. R. Alexander, Plainview, says: "Not so very long ago my back began to give me trouble. It was so sore and lame I could hardly stoop over to do my work and it just ached all the time with a steady bearing down pain. At times the pains would shoot up through my shoulders. When I bent over I would get dizzy and little black specks seemed to float before my eyes, blurring my sight. I also suffered from severe headaches. My kidneys were weak and acted irregular. I was advised to try Dean's Kidney Pills and purchased a supply from R. A. Long's Drug Store. They gave me instant relief, regulated my kidneys and put me in fine shape."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a beauty lotion for a few cents to remove tan, freckles, sallowness

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU DEATHLY SICK

Stop using dangerous drug before it salivates you! It's horrible

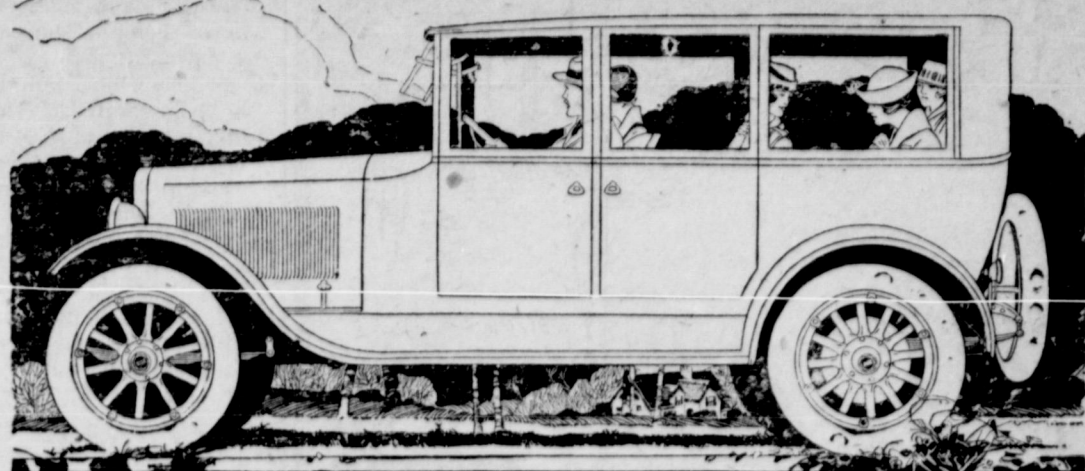
You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat it whenever afterwards.

CHANDLER SIX

Famous For Its Marvelous Motor



The Year's Most Pleasing New Sedan

THE season offers no other sedan so pleasing in the beauty of its lines and its furnishings, as the new series Chandler Sedan. And there is none that may be compared with it at anything like its price.

The new Chandler Sedan is the highest expression of years of development in the creation of closed bodies. It is beautiful to look at, and most comfortable to ride in. It has style and refinement that must appeal to those who care for the finer things.

This car seats seven persons most comfortably or five when auxiliary chairs are not in use. The front seat is solid, not divided as in previous models, and the window posts are a permanent part of the body, not removable. The windows, however, may be lowered away or adjusted to suit the weather and the wish. The entire interior is upholstered in finest quality silk-plush of pleasing pattern for cushions and plain tone for near lining. Interior fittings are in dull silver finish.

Despite the largest production in the history of the Chandler Company, the demand for the new series sedan will quickly consume the production for weeks to come. Your early order will be a safeguard against disappointment.

SIX SPLENDID BODY TYPES

Seven-Passenger Touring Car, \$1795 Four-Passenger Roadster, \$1795
Four-Passenger Dispatch Car, \$1875
Seven-Passenger Sedan, \$2795 Four-Passenger Coupe, \$2695 Limousine, \$3295
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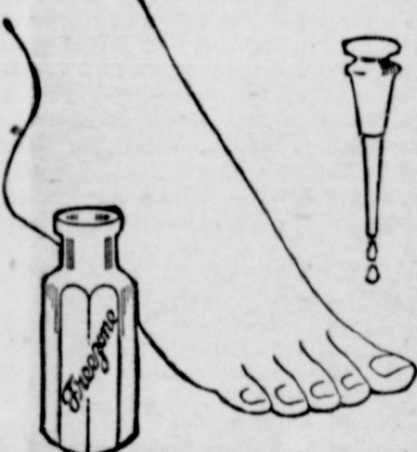
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GOT HER SOLDIER HUSBAND

Lonely Widow Made Application and Government Employment Bureau Did the Rest.

There's a job for the returned soldier which few of us thought of, the job of being a husband. At least we never thought of it as one of those jobs which could be listed among the "help wanted." This is what happened at one of the New York city United States employment bureaus.

Gordon Sawyer, the government employment agent picked a pink, lilac scented letter off the top of his mail. He opened it and read:

"My husband died some time ago. I have a small income, a town home and a country place, but I am alone some. Having read that so many soldiers are out of work, I have concluded that there would be nothing better for me to do than to take for my husband a man who has fought for his country. Can you send a worthy soldier to me?"

"This may be a joke," said Mr. Sawyer. "It sounds too good to be true. But it is worth a trial."

Ten minutes later a goodlooking young soldier walked into the office. "I am looking for a job," he said. "I'm a carpenter."

"Married?" asked Mr. Sawyer. "Nope," replied Private J. "Read this letter, investigate the job and report to me."

Just as Mr. Sawyer was closing his office the telephone rang. "This is Private J.," said the voice. "Thanks for that letter. I got the job."

TURNED VESSEL INTO SHOP

Ingenious Idea Appreciated by the Sailors of the British Grand Fleet Stationed at Scapa Flow.

One of the secrets of the war was revealed recently when a party went down to the Victoria docks, London, to inspect the Wilson liner Borodino. This ship was chartered in the early days of the war by the Junior Army and Navy Stores for the purpose of supplying the sailors of the grand fleet with comforts and luxuries that they would otherwise have had to do without. One of the sea lords at the beginning of the war, when the grand fleet was keeping its vigil in Scapa flow, recognized that the officers and men needed something to relieve the dullness of existence while waiting for the German fleet to come out.

The suggestion was adopted, and the Borodino turned into a most effective shop. Almost anything could be bought on board, while there was a fine laundry with a weekly collection and delivery, and a barber's shop. Five thousand dollars a week was taken by the sale of chocolate, greatly favored by young midshipmen. The latest in fancy soaps, shaving creams, new books, the finest chocolates, and an abundance of fresh meat, fish and vegetables helped to make life more bearable in the cold and dismal surroundings of Scapa.

An Enlightened Age.

One day recently a young couple entered the county clerk's office in Winchester and got a marriage license, each giving their age as twenty-five years. The couple, being acquainted with the county recorder, called on him at his office and during their conversation informed him that they had just been married. The recorder, seeing the envelope in the young man's pocket, which he recognized as coming from the clerk's office, asked: "Who married you?" "Why, the man in the office at the other end of the hall," replied the young man, "and here is our certificate," producing the marriage license. The recorder informed the couple that they were not married, and at their request called a justice of the peace, who performed the ceremony for them.—New York Times.

Extinct Species.

Two grizzly bear skulls from the foothills of San Jose (California) county have been classified at the Smithsonian institution at Washington, showing that in days gone by a now extinct species of grizzly roamed the hills of Alum Rock and Mount Hamilton ranges, according to announcement there.

Dr. C. Hart Merriam of the institution came here for the skulls of the bears, which were killed more than fifty years ago by Clark Hubbard, a pioneer. According to Doctor Merriam the skulls are from a species clearly distinct from the 38 other species and subspecies classified by the institution. Doctor Merriam has searched the mountains of the entire West for grizzly bear relics.

"Chromekipkips."

Edward K. Hewitt of New York is a man of science who also owns a large estate in New Jersey, where he carries on interesting experiments. The Little Journal recounts that several years ago a great lawn fete on his place was one of the leading social events of the season, and he added to the gala aspect of the occasion by dipping the wings of his White Leghorn fowls into red, blue, yellow and green dye solutions. They made a great sensation.

He said they were Tasmanian Chromekipkips and intimated something about a glass for their eyes. Soon he received inquiries for settings with cheeks inclosed, and he was only when these were returned that the method of "raising" Tasmanian Chromekipkips was explained that would be purchasers gave up their quest.

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New Blouses

New Co-Ed Dresses

Truly a Georgette and Crepe de Chine blouse shop. The new ones just arrived Thursday.

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New creations, new combinations, beautiful new models and new suit shades at prices so moderate, one for everybody and no two alike, prices

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The chic youthful models of Silks, Serges, Tricotines and Tricolets just arrived and ready in our ready-to-wear section. Styles in stock as cuts shown and many others.



New Millinery

Friday's express brought us a fresh, crisp shipment of the new creations from the master designers. New and complete assortment in the new and ready to wear as well as a large assortment ready to build. No two alike and all new, so moderately priced

\$2.50 to \$35.00

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LOCKNEY

Sept. 5.—Rowe Bryant has purchased a section of land nine miles north of Lockney and began this week to improve same.

Miss Laura Miller and N. B. Richards, of Lockney, were married in Floydada in the county clerk's office.

Judge H. C. Randolph of Plainview was here on business Tuesday.

George Meriwether and family and C. R. McCollum and wife left Tuesday for California where they will spend some six or eight months.

A partnership has been formed in Lockney between Norton Baker and C. L. Cowart, who will install a complete and up-to-the-minute stock of shelf hardware. The stock will be put in the furniture store of Mr. Baker's, and the building will contain both hardware and furniture.

Since last issue we learn of two drug store changes in Lockney. The

first to change hands was the Lockney Drug Company, composed of I. N. and V. N. Dillard, who sold to Mr. Mack Sellers of DeLeon. Mr. Sellers is an experienced druggist, and will move to Lockney and make his home. He bought while here the Hugh Earthman residence in West Lockney. Tuesday, the Duke Drug Store changed hands, Mr. Tom Stewart buying same. Mr. Duke we understand will move to Amarillo and engage in the drug business.—Beacon.

Road Election Called Off

The election to have recently been held in Floyd county to vote on a big road bond issue was called off just before the date set. The county judge had been in Austin and conferred with the attorney general and the state highway commission, and it was decided it would be unwise to issue the bonds even though the proposition carried.

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Boys and Girls Club Encampment

The Boys and Girls clubs of Floyd county held their first encampment at Boggy Springs last week, August 28 and 29. The location of Boggy Springs is near the Lewis farm. There were 32 boys in attendance well distributed in the county, representing the following schools: Floydada, Lockney, Meteor, Lone Star, Sandhill, Harmony, Starkey, Center and Fairview. There were four farmers present, two of them each day. There were twenty or more girls present, with their mothers.

Prof. J. E. Sparks, superintendent of the Floydada schools, and G. L. Crawford, County Agent, of Dickens county, were present and assisted in the work.

Miss Jocie York was assisted by Mrs. Parks.

E. C. Nelson, Jr., of Floydada gave the boys and girls an interesting talk the first day on his experiences in France, and the ideals of the Boys and Girls club work.

Lantern slides, "With Pershing in France," and the "Grand Canyon," as well as singing, words thrown on the screen featured the program for Thursday night. Foot races and relay races for the boys was the feature of Thursday's program. Eight prizes donated by merchants were awarded. Seed selection demonstration on Friday morning was quite interesting and beneficial. Each boy selected one head of good kaffir and maize which was judged by G. M. Tate of Meteor

and Mr. Latham of Fairview. Three

good watches were given to the three boys selecting the best heads. The first prize was awarded to Herman Miller of Starkey; second John Greer of Sandhill; third Fay Maxey, Center.

The encampment was a grand success, well attended, and much interest manifested. It will prove of lasting benefit to our boys and girls. Mr. W. H. Darrow, our county agent, and Miss Jocie York, Economic Demonstrator, are doing grand work in this county in club work. Their work will reflect upon the future farmers and housewives of this county. The Beacon considers this home demonstration work the most constructive ever undertaken in this or any other county. This is the first year for the work in this county, and so successful has it been we have reason to believe that it will be made permanent.—Lockney Beacon.

Abernathy Woman Dies

Mrs. Ella Abney, age 38 years, wife of Edgar Abney of near Abernathy, born in Illinois, died at her home following an illness of about six months, Tuesday morning at ten o'clock. Deceased is survived by her husband, six daughters and two sons, all at home, and a brother, Jim Ritchie of Illinois, who arrived Monday night. Funeral were held at Abernathy Wednesday morning, conducted by Rev. Embry, pastor of the Baptist church at Abernathy, and interment made immediately following.—Lubbock Avalanche.

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

George Dodson and Miss Nellie McCasland of Lubbock were married last week.

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