

THE PLAINVIEW NEWS

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12,000 CARS ORDERED TO NORTHWEST TEXAS

U. S. OFFICIALS ORDER WHEAT CARS TO PANHANDLE-PLAINS WITHIN NEXT 90 DAYS

Twelve thousand two hundred grain cars will be sent to the relief of the Panhandle-Plains grain farmers within the next ninety days according to recommendations and report of J. W. Mulhern and Felix M. Williams of the Car Service Department of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

A conference was held this morning in the offices of the Amarillo Commercial Company by these gentlemen and President A. S. Stinnett and Secretary Frank R. Jamison of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce.

The recommendations of the representatives of the commission provides for the car distribution to cover a period of ninety days and will take care of the old and new crop of grain.

For the first thirty days 1,000 cars will be furnished for moving the crop of wheat, 1,500 cars for the old crop of sorghum and 3,500 cars to handle the new wheat crop.

Thirty-two hundred cars will be delivered during the second thirty days and 2,700 cars will be sent for the third period of thirty days.

This number of cars will practically care for about 50 per cent of the crop of the Panhandle-Plains. Mr. Stinnett states that Amarillo will maintain the closest contact with the Interstate Commerce Commission and that the car situation will be given preferred attention.

The representatives of the commission have just returned from a tour of the wheat belt and expressed surprise at the tremendous yield. The existing conditions of the grain situation has had much to do with the recommendations of Messrs. Mulhern and Williams.

Congressman Marvin Jones, who went over the country with the inspection party, stated that many granaries are being provided to care for the situation and even with the excellent provision made by the Interstate Commerce Commission, they will be filled.—Amarillo Tribune, July 12.

Messrs. Mulhern and Williams and Congressman Marvin Jones were here Saturday, conferring with local grain men, looking to giving this section relief, and the decision to send 12,000 cars to Northwest Texas is gratifying to the people of the Plainview country.

Plainview and Lubbock to Play

The Plainview and Lubbock Elks teams will play a game of baseball here Friday afternoon. Each has defeated the other in recent games, and this will break the tie.

PLAINVIEW BANKS HAVE 3,280,997.08 IN DEPOSITS

NEVER BEFORE DID END OF CROP YEAR FIND SUCH PROSPERITY

Never before did the end of a crop year find the Plainview country in so prosperous a condition as at present. The new crops will soon begin to come onto the market, and by far the greatest per capita of money will be in the banks than possibly in the history of any other section of the Southwest.

Below we give a resume of the statements of the Plainview banks, as per their statements of June 30:

DEPOSITS	
First National Bank	\$2,108,983.93
Third National Bank	949,012.90
Guaranty State Bank	223,000.25
Total	\$3,280,997.08
RESOURCES	
First National Bank	\$2,428,272.25
Third National Bank	1,227,473.36
Guaranty State Bank	830,312.20
Total	\$4,486,057.81
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE	
First National Bank	\$465,211.19
Third National Bank	173,044.22
Guaranty State Bank	70,107.57
Total	\$708,362.98
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS	
First National Bank	\$1,824,285.74
Third National Bank	899,553.15
Guaranty State Bank	204,568.74
Total	\$2,928,407.63
Capital Stock, Surplus, Undivided Profits	
First National Bank	\$209,809.04
Third National Bank	181,860.46
Guaranty State Bank	53,561.95
Total	\$445,231.45

1.62 INCHES RAIN FALLS MOST OF COUNTY COVERED

Little Damage to Wheat as Harvest is Practically Over—Benefits Row Crops

The weather observer in Plainview reports that 1.62 inches of rain fell in Plainview the past week—Wednesday .58, Thursday .10, Saturday .57 and Sunday .37 inch.

The rains fell practically all over Hale county. Petersburg reports 1.75 inches. Heavy rains fell in and about Hale Center and Abernathy. More than an inch fell in the western part of the county, and a very heavy rain north of Plainview.

The rains came after practically all the wheat had been harvested, hence did very little damage, except to delay threshing some. The moisture is very beneficial to the growing row crops and insures a good yield.

There was some hail near Abernathy.

Will Erect Co-operative Elevator

A meeting of farmers was held at the court house Saturday night for the purpose of organizing a farmers' co-operative elevator company, to build a half-million bushel elevator in Plainview.

A committee was appointed to mature plans and call another meeting soon.

We hope to have the details for Friday's paper.

Band Concerts Each Night This Week, Band Stand

A good well-balanced band of sixteen instruments has been gotten together, to be known as the South Plains Concert Band, and will furnish music each afternoon at the races and contests, and will also give a concert at the band stand on the corner of the square Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

The people are invited to attend these concerts.

Off to Eastern Markets.

C. A. Pierce and Miss Abbie Brown of the Plainview Mercantile Co. left this morning for St. Louis, and New York, where they will buy fall and winter stocks of goods for the store. They were joined at Tulsa by Miles Lavelle of the Burns & Pierce store at that place, and a new milliner will join them in St. Louis.

Mrs. A. S. Moss of Memphis, sister of Miss Brown, went with them, and she and Miss Brown will spend a month in Canada before returning.

Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs.:

James Allen, near Abernathy, July 6, girl; named Ottavel.

F. J. Klein, 5 miles north of Plainview, June 23, boy; named Philip Henry.

J. F. Harp, 6 miles south of Plainview, June 24, girl.

B. F. Sammann, 10 miles north-east of Plainview, July 9, boy; named Arthur Charles.

Curtis L. McKinley, Runningwater, July 3, girl; named Francis Lou.

Khiva Ceremonial in Amarillo

The new Khiva Shrine will be instituted in Amarillo August 6. Many Plainview Shriners will take part in the ceremonies. Among the officers for the occasion are: Assistant outer guard, Lee Shropshire of Plainview; legal adviser to novices, L. S. Kinder of Plainview; R. A. Underwood and J. A. Testman of Plainview, J. F. Norfleet of Hale Center, aides to the potentate.

Marriage Licenses

Arthur E. Boyd and Miss Mary Effie Murphy, July 10.

W. H. Mitchell and Miss Nannie Stewart, July 10.

A. A. Hudgins and Miss Addie Patterson, July 10. Both parties live in Plainview.

W. H. York and Mrs. Hallie Murrell, July 12.

Back from Convention

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Underwood returned Saturday from San Francisco, where he attended the democratic national convention as one of the delegates from this congressional district. They report a delightful and very interesting trip.

Buyers in Eastern Markets

Ellis Carter and Mrs. W. J. Klinger left last week for Chicago, New York and other Eastern markets to buy fall and winter goods for Carter-Houston's store.

They were accompanied by Mrs. Carter and Miss Lula Goode.

Mrs. Wade Holman and child have returned from a visit with her sister in Minneapolis, Minn.

ANNUAL ROUND-UP AND RACE MEET THIS WEEK

THREE DAYS OF RACES, CONTESTS AND SPORTS—BIG CROWDS

The first annual Round-Up and Race meet will be held in Plainview Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and large crowds of people from all over this section of the state are expected to attend.

There will be horse races, with prizes aggregating several thousand dollars, also steer and goat roping contests, jumping, bull-dogging and steer riding contests, ball games, potato, sack and other novelty races.

Already a number of wild west show cowboys, cow girls and broncho busters of wide fame are here to take part in the round-up.

A grand stand has been erected just northwest of Lake Plainview, where the contests will take place. The South Plains Concert Band will furnish the music.

PERSONAL MENTION

A. Lilyroth went to Amarillo this morning.

R. S. Beard is spending today in Ar. Arillo.

Guy Gibbs is spending today in Floydada.

V. T. McCrary of Dalhart is here on business.

Roy Alford and Floyd Joyce of Rising Star are here.

J. K. Millwee came in last week from his Lynn county ranch.

G. V. Smith spent yesterday and today in Lubbock on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Miller returned Sunday from a trip to Chicago.

David D. Neal returned this morning from a trip down in the state.

Miss Anna Sims of Amarillo was here the past week visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Deacon has been the guest of Mrs. Joe Kimble in Amarillo.

Mrs. A. W. Oberste of Amarillo spent the weekend here visiting friends.

Miss Julia Mae Baie of Hillsboro is the guest of her niece, Mrs. S. J. Jackson.

Miss Lauretta Crabb of Fort Worth is here visiting her brother, R. M. Crabb.

W. A. Nash has just returned from a business trip to Wichita, Kans., and Kansas City.

Mrs. O. M. Unger left yesterday for a visit of a month in Indiana and Ohio with relatives.

Mrs. Travis of Amarillo arrived this morning to visit Mrs. C. S. Stewart, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bawden returned today from Chicago, where they attended the Elks convention.

Mrs. Mary McKinnon McGaskill of Fort Worth and Dallas was here the past week visiting Mrs. T. C. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley of Brooklyn, N. Y., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sebastian.

Miss Roberts of Amarillo returned home this morning after a visit with the family of her cousin, Mr. Whatare.

Home E. Minor returned Sunday night from a visit of two months with relatives at Perrytown, on the North Panhandle.

Mrs. M. M. Herring and child, formerly of Tahoka, arrived this morning from Dallas to visit her mother, Mrs. B. L. Shook.

Miss Raye Fowler returned Wednesday morning after spending several weeks visiting in Dallas, Fort Worth and Ranger.

Mrs. Graham of Mangum, Okla., and Mrs. Tash of Oklahoma City are here visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. S. Stewart.

Misses Mary Bain and Rebecca Burson of Silverton, who have been visiting relatives in Amarillo, returned home Monday morning.

C. D. Russell, accompanied by Judge B. L. Russell of Baird, left Wednesday for Colorado to spend a vacation among the mountains.

Mrs. C. A. Pierce and children returned last week from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Dallas and other counties in Central Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rowland, who have been visiting in the family of their uncle, Joseph Fowler, left Thursday morning for their home in Santa Rosa, Calif.

Mrs. W. A. Fite returned Monday from a two weeks' attendance upon the B. Y. P. U. encampment at Palacios, on the Gulf coast. She reports a delightful encampment, which was attended by people from eighteen states. Among the lecturers who spoke each morning was Dr. I. E. Gales of San Antonio, formerly of Plainview.

Rev. B. F. Gassaway preached at the Nazarene church Sunday, occupying Pastor Ingle's pulpit while he was preaching at Bartonite.

VALLEY HAS DELIGHTFUL CALIFORNIA-FLORIDA CLIMATE

INTERESTING SIGHTS SEEN IN THE RIO GRANDE IRRIGATED DISTRICT

The editor of the News returned yesterday morning from a week's trip to the Rio Grande river valley, about fifty miles above Brownsville, in the vicinity of Mercedes, Allen, Mission and Edinburg.

It was a very interesting trip, especially the two days spent in the valley. Mr. J. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore of this city were also on the trip, which was made under the auspices of the W. E. Stewart Land Co. of Kansas City, we having joined their special train at Houston. On the train of four or five Pullman cars were more than one hundred homeseekers from the Northern, states, Oklahoma and several Texas points.

The excursionists spent Wednesday in Galveston, but the editor spent the day in Houston visiting his brother, John, who is connected with the U. S. weather bureau there. At 7 that evening the special train left Houston for the Rio Grande.

I woke Thursday morning just after the train had left Kingsville, a very pretty and d'progressive town, in the great King ranches. For many miles after leaving Kingsville the railroad runs through the King ranches, which contain more than a million acres. The Taft ranches of a million or two acres are also located in this section.

On the King ranches the grass is rather sparse, with shifting sand-hills here and there. For miles little but yucca plants are seen. Then comes a belt of mesquites. There is a sprinkling of cattle on the ranches, mostly Durhams, and I have just seen two very large Brahma bulls, with humps on their shoulders, on the range. The cattle are in good shape.

The railroad runs a few miles from the Gulf coast. Here and there is such a marsh.

Through this section there are no towns, and few habitations except the railroad section houses.

After leaving Yturria, the country begins to be more fertile, the mesquites are taller and thicker, the grass is better, and farm houses are seen more often. The crops of dry land corn, cotton, kafir and sorghum are fairly good. Soon the Bishop lands are reached, where the farm houses are thick, the crops of corn are very fine and cotton is opening rapidly, a bale having been sent to Houston last week. We are now in the Rio Grande valley, as Harlingen is soon reached. This is a town of more than 2,000, with modern school building and good business houses. A son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Gibbs of Plainview was mayor of an published a newspaper in Harlingen several years ago. This is a pretty country, of irrigated fields.

From this point on we are in the irrigated district, and soon the town of Mercedes is reached, this being a very pretty town of nearly 2,000 people with modern buildings, homes and school house. The excursionists left the train here and were taken in large automobiles for a trip over the valley.

For several miles along good roads with fine crops of various products raised in the valley on either side, orchards of oranges, lemons, grape fruit, nice homes with modern conveniences, palms alongside the farms in places, wild flowers, Mexican ash bushes in purple blooms, we made our way through a section that is being developed rapidly. The large irrigation canals with their laterals and ditches tell the whole story, for without irrigation practically nothing can be raised here.

The first stop after passing thru a small town or two was at a nursery, where we saw acres of canas and other flowers in bloom, all kinds of citrus fruits, ornamental Persian dates, raspberries, crepe myrtle in red and white, shrubbery of all kinds including a century plant almost in bloom.

A few miles further on is McAllen, the largest town in the Valley, with about 5,000 people, a very fine hotel, the Casa de la Palms, modern banking and business houses, paved streets, very attractive residences and fine schools. We visited the high school building, which is finer than the Plainview high school, is equipped with all the modern paraphernalia of high schools. The schools of this district have an enrollment of 1,300, has thirty-five teachers.

Several very interesting farms were visited, and stalks were made by the owners as to what they have done since coming to the valley. One man who said he had come from North Dakota eight years before, is farming 200 acres, and last year took \$27,000 worth of products from it his expenses being \$7,000, net in-

J. W. RAY DIED TODAY PIONEER HALE COUNTY

Bright's Disease Causes Death of Former Ranger—Burial Here Tomorrow

J. W. Ray died at the sanitarium in this city early this morning from an attack of Bright's disease. His death was sudden and unexpected, as he was up and about a few days ago. He had been in bad health for several years, however.

The deceased was almost seventy years of age, having been born in Bowling Green, Ky., Jan. 2, 1851, and spent his youth there. He moved to Wise county, Texas, in 1883 and to Hale county in 1891, locating on a farm near Runningwater, where he stayed until he moved to Plainview several years ago. He was a man of affairs and accumulated quite a comfortable fortune. In the early days he was for awhile a member of the Texas ranger forces, when he lived in Wise county.

When a youth he joined the Presbyterian church, and was quite active in the work of that church during his life.

He leaves a widow and a brother, J. A. Ray of St. Louis, Mo. He and his wife raised seven orphaned children, so we are informed.

The funeral will be held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and Pastor Hubert E. Bullock will conduct the service. Interment will follow at the cemetery.

He was a good man, highly esteemed, and his death is greatly deplored.

Post City Boosters Visit Plainview Advertising Picnic

A bunch of boosters from Post City were here in cars yesterday afternoon, advertising the West Texas Round-Up and Rodeo to be held at that place July 21, 22 and 23.

They were accompanied by the Abilene Concert Band, which gave a concert on the street.

The boosters were making many towns on the Plains.

cluding interest on the investment.

Another man who came into the valley seven years ago with nothing and rented forty acres and farmed it, now has a large dairy farm, with hogs and crops of several kinds.

Other men told of their success in farming, dairying, hog raising and other endeavors in the valley.

We visited orange, lemon, grape fruit, fig orchards, farms of corn, cotton, cabbage, broom corn, Rhodes grass, and other products, dairy and hog ranches.

Luncheon was served at noon at a farm, of sandwiches and sweet milk. Late in the afternoon we were taken to the fine club house of the Stewart Land Co. on the Llano Grandes lake, where the night was spent.

The next morning we visited farms and ranches, orchards and saw the irrigation canal system of the Stewart Co., also the pumping plant on the Rio Grande river, where large pumps pump 350,000 gallons of water a minute out of the river. According to government figures at its lowest stage the Rio Grande furnishes enough water here to irrigate 2,500,000 acres of land. A 400-acre reservoir is maintained here where enough water is kept to irrigate for thirty days in case the regular pumping plant and its reserve auxiliary were both to break down. The main canals of the Stewart Co., are by far the largest in the valley, and at least one hundred feet across, in fact the laterals are as large as the main canals of the other companies.

The people all over the valley said the Stewart system was the only perfect one in the valley and could always be depended upon to furnish the water necessary. All one has to do is to telephone to the headquarters and water would be forthcoming within ten hours. Phoning for rain struck us as quite a novelty.

The lands of the Stewart Co. were visited in the morning, and Edinburg, the county site of Hidalgo county, was passed through. It is a Mexican town that is fast filling up with Americans. A fine court house of Mexican mission style stands in a pretty square of palms. A modern school and fine business houses are to be seen. It is at the end of a tap from the St. Louis & Brownsville railroad, but another railroad is soon to extend to Falfuras, which will give short connection with San Antonio. It is a very promising town.

At noon a barbecue of venison was served under an arbor in the country—at least they said it was venison. Deer and quail and pheasants abound in this section, and fishing is fine, so we were told. Anyway the meat was good, and so were the other things such as roasting ears, lemon-

WADE GILLILAND HELD UP AND ROBBED

TWO GUN MEN RELIEVED HIM OF \$20 SUNDAY NIGHT NEAR DEPOT

About 11 o'clock Sunday night Wade Gilliland, pump and waterworks inspector for the Santa Fe railroad, was held up and robbed by two masked men near E. T. Coleman's coal and grain house on North Ash street, just this side of the depot. He was going to catch the 11:05 train.

The robbers held him up with two automatic revolvers, and while one held a pistol drawn on him the other searched his pockets, taking \$20. They then fled rapidly toward town.

Gilliland went to the depot and reported the robbery to Nightwatchman Andrews, who made a search for the robbers, but did not find them.

Gilliland says the men wore overalls and he thinks they were itinerant harvest hands, though they seemed to be experts in the hold-up game. He thinks he can identify them if he ever sees them again.

ade made from home grown fruit

After the barbecue, the Stewart agents took the various "prospects" in hand to show them tracts of land which they hoped to sell to them.

The Stewart Company runs two excursions per week into the valley, and sell four out of every five persons.

During the two days the excursionists on the trip bought more than \$150,000 worth of land, in tracts of several acres up to possibly fifty, the prices for raw land ranging \$390 and upwards per acre. B. F. Moore of Plainview, bought twenty acres five miles from Edinburg, it being about the best tract of its size we saw while there. The afternoon and early evening was spent in closing up deals. There was a dance at the club house at night, and at 11 o'clock the special train left with the excursionists for their homes.

The irrigated district is possibly eighteen miles wide on the American side and extends many miles along the Rio Grande river, which is a couple of hundred yards wide, and whose water is muddy and full of silt from Mexican rivers principally. The soil is from twenty to forty feet in depth, all being made land, rich with snail shells all through it. The land is covered with mesquite, cactus, prickly pear, ebony bushes and grass, which is cleared at a cost of \$25 to \$30 an acre by Mexican labor. No fertilizer is necessary, as the soil is so rich, besides the silt from the silt from the irrigation water is like fertilizer. The soil does not bake in the sun, but remains soft and spongy. The irrigation company runs the laterals to the highest part of each tract, and furnishes water on a flat \$5 an acre plan per year; the owner makes his own ditches and takes all the water he desires. Most of the homes also have windmills and shallow wells for household use.

The valley is an all-year crop all the time, as for instance: Corn is planted in January, matures in June, is cleared off and another crop of corn is planted which matures in November, and then a crop of head lettuce is grown in two months. Corn is a very important crop, and the yield ranges from sixty to 110 bushels to the acre for each crop. Each town has a large corn elevator, and as the product matures early it is shipped north and higher prices are realized than from northern grown corn.

Broom corn is about the most profitable crop, as three crops are raised in a year of a ton an acre from each crop from one planting, the price ranging from \$300 to \$450 a ton, then a crop of winter vegetables is planted.

Alfalfa is an important crop, and one man said he cut from eight to eleven crops each year, a ton to the acre each time.

We saw dozens of fields of the best cotton we ever saw, and were told that the yield is from one to three bales to the acre. Long staple cotton is also grown. A few days ago Mercedes sent a bale of cotton by special train and Edinburg a bale by airplane to Houston to win the "first Texas bale" premium. Cotton picking by Mexicans is \$1 per 100 pounds. I saw several fields of second year cotton but it is not good.

Rhodes grass, something like Johnson grass but is easily gotten rid of, is a very important crop and a year-round pasturage for hogs and stock, which do not need but little feed when so pastured. Twenty-five head of horses and cattle and many hogs can be pastured on an acre or two of this grass, which after the stock is taken off grows more than waist high in two or three weeks. This grass contributes greatly to dairying, which is a very important

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Thos. E. Watson, the brilliant and erratic Georgian, has telegraphed his hearty congratulations and promise to support to Cox and Roosevelt. The democrats most everywhere are lining up for the ticket. The republicans are going to get a thorough rubbing again in November.

The old threadbare jokes published by some newspapers about husbands and wives quarreling and fussing all the time make us tired. They try to make people believe that it is the rule for husbands and wives to lead cat and dog lives. It is quite safe to say that very few fuss or quarrel. To do so is rather an exception. Most families live in peace and happiness.

Say what you may, the Texas delegation to the San Francisco stultified itself when it voted with New Jersey and other disreputable delegations against the Bryan prohibition plank. Texas is for bone dry prohibition. The Texas delegates were instructed to support prohibition in the national convention. Texas delegation was dominated by the administration in Washington more than by the people at home. The Texas delegation deserves great censure for its action in repudiating the instructions. The delegation was more subservient to Washington than to Texas. The Texas delegates acted like young mocking birds, they shut their eyes to Texas and swallowed whatever the administration leaders put into their overstretched mouths.

FIGHTING LOWER PRICES

The consumer need not expect soon to see much lower prices, for the manufacturers have the situation under their absolute control, it seems.

There are four tremendous woolen manufacturing companies that make practically all of the woolen cloth manufactured in this country. They dominate the wool and woolen cloth business.

Last week, on account of the tendency of woolen cloth to go down in price these four big companies shut down their mills, and will make no more cloth until the price is "stabilized." At present there is no quotation of prices for wool in the hands of the sheepmen and millions of pounds are stored on farms and in local ware houses, forcing many producers into bankruptcy. Doubtless the big four manufacturers will in time buy up the wool crop at a very low price, and then start up their mills again and force high prices for woolen cloth—and thus rob the producers on one hand and the consumers on the other.

The shoe manufacturers are following the example set by the woolen manufacturers. Shoe prices have shown a tendency to come down some. Hides are selling in Plainview at only 8c a pound. The shoe factories are being closed down until shoe prices become settled. Thus a shortage in the supply of shoes will soon come, and then higher prices—robbing the producer and the consumer.

The destruction of war, the elimination of competition and lessons of co-operation during the war, extravagant buying and strikes of labor since the war have combined to give the manufacturers control of industry, and a strangle hold upon the throats of the people. It is going to be a hard job to wrest this control, for whenever the manufacturer desires he can close down his factory and keep it closed until the demand is pressing enough to command high prices.

Some sort of legislation will have to be enacted to remedy the matter. The people must in November elect an administration and a congress that is not in sympathy with or under control of the manufacturing element.

A MISERABLE FAILURE

The meeting held in Chicago last week to launch a third party was a miserable failure.

All the disgruntled and discontented elements of the nation were invited to send delegates to the meeting. The attendance was not very large, and many of those whom the proposed third party contemplated including would have nothing to do with the movement. A very poor third party was organized.

The socialists seemed to be in the majority, and they lauded Eugene Debs as the proper leader for the party, and others bragged on Russia as the hope of the world.

While in many ways the republican and democratic party platforms this year are almost identical, this is caused by each party realizing the needs and sentiments of the people to be the same. There are a few important issues between the two parties, and it is these few questions that will cause a division at the election.

From the noise the radical and disgruntled elements in this country are

from time to time making, it would be thought these people are very numerous, but the results in the election will show there are not so many of them. Debs' vote in November will be comparatively small.

The only respectable third party movement in many decades to secure much strength was the populist party, and that was made up of farmers who were not socialists or anarchists, and they put forth a platform which in many instances has long since been adopted by the two old parties. The populist platform would now be considered very conservative if not reactionary.

Will Release Enemy Aliens

Washington, July 11.—Enemy aliens interned during the war and since released on parole, will be given their unrestricted liberty July 15, except in cases of those under suspicion. An order for their release was signed two or three days ago by Acting Attorney General Erickson.

Most of the aliens, interned during the war, on their release were compelled to give bond and subject themselves to the restrictions of a parole. Mr. Erickson said, and inasmuch as sufficient time has elapsed all except those still considered a menace to public safety, are to be given their full release.

Determination as to those to be held under parole will be left to United States district attorneys, he said.

Lower Cotton Goods Prices

"Revision of cotton goods prices is in the air," says the Dry Goods Economist of July 10. "Quotations of jobbers on brown and bleached goods, prints, etc., are now in process of revision in New York and other centers. The statement was made by the head of a leading wholesale cotton goods department that before the week ends new and lower prices would probably be made on several of the lines he handles. Whole sale stocks of these goods are again fairly complete. Nearly all of the cases in the piles on the floors have filled and as a consequence the filling of back orders is well under way."

"France is rapidly getting back on her feet," say a review of conditions in Europe by the Guaranty Trust Company of New York. "The French peasant is producing splendid crops, and France expects to raise enough wheat to supply her needs this year. The French industrial worker in spite of sporadic strikes, is producing effectively, and the whole labor situation, in fact, seems to be much improved in the last few months. The French people generally are ready and eager to work. France needs fuel and raw material, and has great financial problems to solve, but definite plans can be made to meet these problems as soon as the German indemnity is fixed, and there seems no doubt that France will work out its future successfully."

Mrs. L. W. Dalton has returned from Seymour, where she has been visiting her mother, but after spending several days here she will return to Seymour to spend quite awhile.

Curtis Westcott came in this morning from Amarillo.

Guaranty State Bank

at Plainview, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1920, published in the Plainview News, a newspaper printed and published at Plainview, State of Texas, on the 13th day of July, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$180,894.71
Loans, real estate	12,447.71
Overdrafts	266.26
Bonds and Stocks	4,635.71
Real Estate (banking house)	34,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,500.18
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	59,117.96
Cash Items	2,088.22
Currency	6,377.00
Specie	2,524.39
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,500.00
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	10,960.06
TOTAL	\$320,312.20

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	3,561.95
Individual Deposits, subject to check	177,087.32
Time Certificates of Deposit	39,787.51
Cashier's Checks	6,125.42
Bills Payable and Rediscunts	43,750.00
TOTAL	\$320,312.20

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Hale,
We, O. T. Halley, as president, and C. D. Hensley, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
O. T. HALLEY, President.
C. D. HENSLEY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, A. D. 1920.
(Seal) W. A. MORTER,
Notary Public Hale County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
L. P. BARKER,
J. B. MAXEY,
C. D. HENSLEY, Directors.

LIZARD EGGS HIGHLY PRIZED

Those of the Water Monitor Are Esteemed a Delicacy in Many Parts of Malay Peninsula.

The water monitor is one of the standbys of the natives of India, Ceylon and the Malay peninsula and island and the eggs of this species of lizard are more highly prized than hens' eggs.

You might shudder when you suddenly confronted a water monitor in the jungle. Not so the native, hunting its eggs and rejoicing to get near such treasures.

The monitor is equipped with a long forked tongue, extending from a sheath like a snake's. It is one of the largest of existing lizards, reaching a length of seven feet, although its nearest relative, the gigantic Australian monitor, grows from twelve to thirty feet long. The monitor lays twenty or more white, soft-shelled eggs in hollow trees, and in Burma these bring a much higher price than hen's eggs.

"The monitor is well fitted for its life," says a writer in the Scientific American. "It is a swift runner, able to overtake the speediest mammals, frogs, turtles and snakes on which it feeds. It often startles hunters by crashing through the jungle, making as much noise as large game. It climbs trees for squirrels, birds and their eggs. At other times it may be found digging along stream banks for the eggs of the crocodile, of which it is most fond. Either in running or swimming it can leave its enemies far behind. If surprised when up a tree it drops into the water, swimming with powerful strokes of its flattened tail, which acts as oars and rudder. When being captured it fights with teeth, claws and tail.

"The natives term the monitor 'Kabar-Goya.' Although it is harmless and non-poisonous, it is used to produce deadly poisons. The Singapore are experts in brewing a deadly poison termed 'Kabaratel.'

"They extract poisons from venomous snakes, using arsenic and other drugs, boiling the combination in human skulls. And here the monitor comes in as a part of their superstition. They tie three monitors on three sides facing the fire. Then they torment the monitors with whips and make them hiss to cause the fire to blaze up. The natives believe that the hiss of the monitors adds to the poisonous quality of the deadly brew."

Making Airplane More Handy.

From Dayton, O., from whence came the news, at first incredible, that the problem of mechanical flight had been solved, now comes the news, almost as hard to believe, that there has been invented and successfully tested there a propeller for airplanes that has something of the diversity of action possessed by the motor organs of birds. The vanes of the new propeller, it is reported, are not immovable on the central shaft, but can be more or less changed as to angle with that shaft to meet the aviator's will or need.

If this has been done without introducing weakness that goes with complexity of mechanism, the operation of airplanes, especially at the enormously important moment of starting and alighting, will be improved exactly where it most needs improvement. Already wonderful things are done with these machines, but the sparrow that flies to and stops on a telegraph wire or a slender twig does something at which the most skillful aviator hitherto has looked in hopeless envy.

That a propeller with movable vanes would permit the emulation of the bird's achievements in rising and alighting is not obvious, but it certainly would be a step toward the ideal airship.

Of Course He Wants Money.

A German professor in whose family a young Englishman was living when the war broke out has now sent to the boy's father a bill which the London papers find amusing. The student's departure, on the outbreak of hostilities, was hurried, as can be imagined, and he was for long quite busy as a soldier and officer fighting Germans. Now his proud parent is reminded that not only did the boy owe something for board when he went away, but that he had made what custom counted a contract to continue boarding till the end of the scholastic half year. Also, he requested to remit English money, which the German professor prefers, evidently, to that of his own country.

The episode is not quite as funny as the London papers seem to think it is, for lodging and board received do create a debt, but the plea for recompense for the broken contract is naive in the true Teutonic way.—New York Times.

Defined—All Right.

The third-grade teacher was reading "Chanticleer" to the children. One boy did not seem to be giving attention and she thought perhaps he did not understand the story. So she decided to find out by a series of questions. The first one she asked was: "William, what is a chanticleer?" For a minute William was confused. He wriggled in his seat and then knowledge came to him and he returned: "Why a chanticleer is a hen that crows."

His Sensation.

"Well, sir, I didn't realize how green I was till I got here to Kay See and mingled a little," confessed the gent from Jimson Junction. "But now, by hokey, I feel like an oasis in the midst of the great desert of this town."—Kansas City Star.

Can Life Insurance Insure Against Death?

No! If It Could, Policy-Holders Would Never Die

What Loss Does Life Insurance Cover?

It Covers Loss of Time

There is only one answer: It is the loss of time, time from the cold-blooded standpoint of dollars and cents, is the income earning period of a person's life, and it is only the loss of this period of time which can be covered by a money consideration.

If your time is sufficient value to insure against loss when gone forever, why is it not just as important for you to cover the loss of your time before death?

We write a policy that covers you for one day's loss of time by sickness or accident, and we write all this in one gilt-edge old line policy in the Reliance Life of Pittsburg, Pa.

Come in and let's talk the matter over, and you will be interested. The proposition is well worth looking into.

Knoohuizen & Boyd

Life Insurance Specialists

First National Bank Bdg.

Plainview, Texas

MILLIONS TO BE SPENT FOR CARS

Santa Fe System Will Buy Needed Rolling Stock to Relieve Shortage

Eighteen million dollars will be spent by the Santa Fe system for new equipment to be delivered at the earliest possible moment, Santa Fe officials announced in Dallas yesterday. Orders already have been placed with the manufacturers calling for fifty locomotives of the most modern type for both passenger and freight service, 3,000 gondola cars, 2,500 refrigerator cars and 5,000 box cars. Fifteen hundred of the box cars will be built especially for the handling of automobiles and furniture.

The \$18,000,000, also provides for the acquisition of a large number of passenger, mail, baggage and express cars.

It is believed that the new rolling stock purchased will aid greatly in relieving the present acute shortage of cars and locomotives for handling freight. Deliveries will be made as fast as the equipment can be built.—Dallas News.

Mr. Johnson returned Monday from Mineral Wells, where he has been for a month for the benefit of his health, which he reports was greatly improved.

JOIN THE EXCURSION to the Rio Grande Valley, next week. Read all about it on Page 6.

CHURCHES

Pastor Harlan J. Matthews Announces Special Sermons

Cards are out announcing that Rev. Harlan J. Matthews, pastor of the Baptist church, will deliver sermons on the following subjects at the dates mentioned:

Sunday, July 18.—77 a. m. subject: "Wanted, a Man." 7:45 p. m. subject: "The Desecration of the Christian Sabbath."

Sunday, July 25.—11 a. m. subject: "Woman's Work in the Kingdom of God." 7:45 p. m. subject: "The Evils of the Modern Dance."

Nazarene Revival at Prairieview School House

A revival meeting will begin at Prairieview school house Friday night, July 18th, and to continue over the fourth Sunday.

The preaching will be charge of Rev. J. P. Ingle, pastor of the Nazarene church, of Plainview, and Rev. B. F. Gassaway of Plainview. There will be services twice each day and perhaps three times on Sundays.

A full gospel will be preached in which shall be emphasized all the prominent doctrines of the bible. The awfulness of sin shall be stressed together with the remedy for the same, which is the atoning blood of Christ.

The primary object of the meet-

ings will be the salvation of sinners, the reclamation of backsliders, and the edification of all God's people. And to this end the co-operation of all the people, both saint and sinner, to make this meeting a success, is earnestly solicited. A cordial invitation to come, get blessed and be a blessing in hereby extended to everybody. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."
J. P. INGLE.

SANTA FE PLANS TO BUILD LAMESA TO STERLING CITY

Lamesa, July 12.—Building of 100 miles of track connecting Lamesa and Sterling City is being planned by the Santa Fe, it is understood here. Completing such a link would give that road a new north and south line through territory producing a large amount of live stock and crops.

Attended Funeral of Son

R. F. Cooper of this city attended the funeral of his son, R. F. Jr., who was killed in the wreck of a Santa Fe freight train near Post City Thursday morning and died ten hours later in a hospital at Lubbock. The funeral took place Saturday in Fort Worth. The deceased was twenty-two years of age, and leaves a widow and baby, their home being in Slaton. He was a brakeman on the train.

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The Great Western Marble Co.

Plainview, Texas

Come to room seven, First National Bank building, and let us explain to you our proposition, one of the safest investments that has ever been offered the public, one that will pay you 50 per cent annually for a term of ninety-nine years.

WANT COLUMN

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

WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE is the best.

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

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS—C. K. Shelton. 13

FOR SALE—Windmill and 30-foot tower and pipe.—D. W. McGlasson.

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J. R. Shackelford, "The Rawleigh Man" of Hale county. See him for anything in the Rawleigh line.

A full supply of Simon Pure Niggerhead coal now on cars. Get your coal while it lasts.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

FOR SALE—Eight head work stock.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-8t.

FOR SALE—One Buick Six, in A1 condition. Also Ford truck.—See J. H. Johnson, at Quick Service Station.

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

WANTED—Man and wife to work on farm, references required.—Call at News office.

STRAYED—Brown mare, about 15 hands high, weight about 1000 lbs., branded A (round top open A) on left shoulder. Any information will be liberally rewarded.—J. C. Hopper. 10

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 carload.—A. L. Lanford, day phone 550, night phone 217.

FOR SALE—Meat meal—good for hogs, fine for chickens.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-8t

FOR SALE—A few sets good second-hand harness, worth the money, at Horse and Mule Barn.—A. L. Lanford. 8

WANTED—Some wheat land broke with tractor at once.—Mrs. Mary Tyler.

FOR SALE—5-room modern residence and new garage. Price right. Enquire O. O. Reed, 708 Columbia St. Phone 89. 14

FOR SALE—Eight head work stock.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-8t.

FOR SALE—Two heavy teams.—Roy Irick. 8-1t

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FOR SALE—Good sound cedar posts, car lots. Can ship at once.—Address M. Jones, Box 862, Gallup, N. M.

WELL DRILLING—I have an outfit and am prepared to drill wells.—J. C. Cook, phone 489.

Will buy good second-hand desk, roller top preferred. See Kirby L. Smith Co., 620 Ash St. 13-1t

FOR SALE—Franklin Light Farm truck in excellent condition, also Hup touring car, both priced right. See Perry Motor Co. 15

WANTED—4, 5 and 6 room houses. I have inquires for several of the above size houses, east fronts preferred. If you have one for sale list it with me at once.—H. B. Adams, Phone 97, News office.

FOR SALE—A sheet iron house 20 by 32, with 10 foot wall galvanized iron roof.—See A. L. Lanford or J. L. Dorsett.

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the death and burial of our daughter and sister and we also thank them for the beautiful floral offerings. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Seipp and family.

COWS FOR SALE—Good milkers. Storage room for rent.—Z. T. Northcutt. 16-2t.

WANTED—To buy, sell, trade and store automobiles.—Z. T. Northcutt.

LAND FOR SALE—One of the best 160 acre tracts in the best farming country on the Plains. All in cultivation, real wheat and cotton land shallow water, new land and new fence, fine location, 1 mile southeast of Aiken, on Aiken and Lockney road. Close to elevators and cotton gins. Price \$85.00 per acre. If interested write.—C. E. Stevenson, Trenton, Mo., Route 8.

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I say we can sell you your paint and wall paper and put it on, too.—G. A. Wright, Missouri Hotel.

FOR SALE—A patented section of land 20 miles northwest of Plainview for sale, on easy terms, 1-4 cash, 1-3 of proceeds of crop to be applied on balance for period of ten years if so desired. For particulars see C. L. Busby, Lockney, Texas. 16-2t-c

RADIATORS AND HAND AIR PUMPS repaired at New Way Auto Radiator Works, Plainview. 15-1t-c

We can be depended upon to pay the highest market prices for poultry, eggs and hides.—Panhandle Produce Co., west of Nobles Bros.

FOR SALE—Brand new 1920 Mitchell five passenger automobile. See J. M. Coffey, at Patterson & Groves office, Grant building. 15-4t

We have rooms for oats. Bring them in while you can.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

Call by. We are interested in everything that interests you. We even wish to buy your old newspapers. Phone 547.—Panhandle Produce Co.

TO RENT—500 acres of wheat land, near Runningwater. Can give possession at once.—See P. R. Hauck, Plainview.

FOR SALE—Meat meal—good for hogs, fine for chickens.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-8t

WANTED—To rent two furnished rooms for month or six weeks by parties coming to Plainview.—Phone 552.

FOR SALE—One 15-30 Rumley tractor, one eight gang Sanders plow, one 12' tandem disc, two of 9' famous little Idaho National harvesters, one of the new model pulverizers and other farm machinery, for information call on Henry H. Rogers, Plainview, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good steam threshing outfit.—T. T. Lacks, Plainview, Tex.

FOR SALE—One Ford, with form-a-truck body. A good farm truck, price \$275.00.—Texas Land & Development Co.

FOR RENT—Bed room, close to young men.—First house south of Baptist church.

Bids Wanted for City Depository—The city will receive sealed bids on the 19th day of July, 1920, for the city depository for one year. GEORGE SAIGLING, City Secretary.

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We are in the market for all kinds of grain. Have elevator equip to handle it. Get our prices before you sell.—E. T. Coleman, Coal and Grain Dealer.

LAND! LAND! LAND!
Dads chance of thirty years ago returns to you. You can buy in Swisher and adjoining counties from \$30 up to \$50 per acre, you will some time say what a fool I was for not buying when land was cheap.
Two special bargains, one in 14 miles of Happy, all good smooth land, 4 room house, well, windmill, 1-2 in cultivation, price \$25 per acre some terms. 640 acres in mile of Happy, all good land, 4 room house, well and windmill, on mail route, get your mail at your door. For quick sale will take \$35 per acre, with terms. If interested write, wire or see Geo. W. Lash, Happy, Swisher county, Texas. 18-4t

Shipped Fine Duroc Pig
Ebeling Bros. this morning shipped by express to a party in Marble Falls a fine Duroc-Jersey pig five weeks old, weighing ninety-five pounds. It was out of a gilt fourteen months old weighing 590 pounds.
The Ebelings are starting a large herd of exceptionally fine registered Duroc hogs. They some time ago bought several hogs in the North and recently bought several more.

Tulia to Hold Celebration
The twenty-ninth anniversary of the organization of Swisher county will be celebrated in Tulia July 17, with a barbecue and picnic. There will be speaking by prominent men also a number of amusements. Many Hale county people will attend.

Refrigerator Time Is Here

See our line and get our prices. We can save you money.

Riley Duff Furniture Co

ABERNATHY
July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pipkins of Canyon were here this week visiting their son, A. E. Pipkin and family.

Misses Frances Arnett and Oressa Hembree went to Lubbock Thursday to see Kate Arnett, who is in the sanitarium having been operated on for appendicitis. She is doing nicely.

Dr. J. B. McBride went to Lubbock and Littlefield on business last Wednesday.

Abernathy and Hale Center played a very interesting game of baseball Thursday afternoon, the score being 6 to 13 in favor of Abernathy.

Dutch Crowe, who has been to Brownwood the past two weeks, returned Saturday morning.

A heavy rain fell here and over the surrounding county and hail did a good bit of damage both east and west of town.

John Jones of Friona was in town this week end.

Miss Clara Jones has accepted a position with the Friona bank.

Elbert Overton of Friona is spending the week end with his mother and children.

Mark Gregory of Petersburg was in town Friday.

Early Maupin and children, Ella, Tom and Edna, returned Saturday from their visit to Friona.

John Hart of Lubbock has been visiting A. E. Pipkin and family.

Misses Bonnie and Velmah Pipkin went to Lubbock Saturday to visit a few days with relatives.

Miss Pearl Roberson, who is attending school at Canyon, came home Saturday to stay a few days with her sister, Mrs. Nellis Fitzgerald.

Mr. Roberson has been here the past few days visiting his sister, Mrs. Geo. Ragland.

J. C. Arnett went to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Fuchs arrived here Sunday morning. They were married in New Mexico a few days ago.

Tom Kelley went to Lubbock Monday to have some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pipkin and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pipkin went to Lubbock and Slaton one day last week.

A. E. Pipkin went to Amarillo and Conyan last Monday on business.

Miss Constance Iverson of Lubbock came in Saturday to visit her parents.

The Community club had a surprise meeting with Mrs. A. D. Payne on her birthday and served here a two-course luncheon. The club will meet with Mrs. J. W. Hembree next and all members are urged to attend.

The Community club will entertain at the school house next Saturday.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$184,945.66
Loans, real estate	4,700.50
Overdrafts	4,239.95
School Warrants	2,270.00
Real Estate (banking house)	500.00
Payments on Victory Bonds	1,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,270.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	8,119.35
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	4,372.40
Cash Items	3,947.00
Currency	9,086.00
Specie	1,468.15
Interest and Assessment	
Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,713.65
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	2,885.23
Other resources: U. S. Treasury Certificates	10,000.00
TOTAL	\$239,947.89

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,750.00
Undivided Profits, net	5,829.69
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	9,607.32
Individual Deposits, subject to check	156,589.66
Time Certificates of Deposit	37,671.97
Demand Certificates of Deposit	
Cashier's Checks	3,499.25
Bills Payable and Discounts	
Certificates of Deposits issued for money borrowed	
Bonds Deposited	
Other liabilities	
TOTAL	\$239,947.89

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hale.

We, S. R. Merrill, as president, and N. C. Hix, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

S. R. MERRILL, President. N. C. HIX, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) H. D. ROSSER, Justice of the Peace and Ex-Officio Notary Public Hale County Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

W. A. RICHTER, V. STAMBAUGH, N. C. HIX, Directors.

beginning at 6 o'clock sharp, with a progressive luncheon. Everybody come early, before supper, prepared to eat lots. Cars will be furnished you to take a trip around the world.

Bruno Fuchs Marries

Lampasas, Texas, July 10.—At the court house Wednesday morning Bruno Fuchs, wealthy ranchman of Abernathy, and Miss Elma Barnes of New Mexico were married by Judge John Nichols. It seems they had been sweethearts for some time and expected to get married in the future, but after either accidentally or designedly meeting in Lampasas, they concluded the promise and were united here.

AESENTEE VOTING LAW IS EXPLAINED

Elector Must Cast Ballot Prior to Election With His County Clerk

Inquiry has been made recently by many traveling men and railroad men whose duties carry them away from the city at frequent intervals regarding the laws governing the voting of such men.

For the information of the public the News here publishes the law governing the procedure in such cases. Only that part of the statute bearing upon the voting is printed.

Article 2939, chapter 4 of the 1920 complete statutes of the State of Texas, provides that:

"Any qualified elector" as defined by the statutes of this state, who expects to be absent from the county of his residence and at any other place in the state on the day of his election may vote subject to the following conditions, to-wit:

"At some time not more than ten days nor less than three days prior to the date of such election shall make his personal appearance before the county clerk of the county of his residence and if personally unknown to the clerk shall be identified by at least two reputable citizens of such county, and shall deliver to said clerk his poll tax receipt or exemption certificate entitling him to vote at such election and said clerk shall deliver to such elector one ballot which has been prepared in accordance with the law for use in such election, which shall then and there be marked by said elector apart and without suggestion of any other person in such manner as said elector shall desire, which ballot shall be folded and placed in a sealed envelope and delivered to said clerk who shall keep said poll tax or exemption open to the inspection of any person, etc., etc."

The sealed ballots are forwarded to the proper precincts in accordance with law and voted for said elector.

HALE CENTER

July 12.—S. R. Burham is in Plainview taking treatments from Dr. Clements.

Mrs. Morris Wilson came over from Floydada Saturday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Terry and other relatives.

Mrs. Frank McQuat and Miss Margery Coiburn spent Friday in Amarillo.

The hog salesman for Carter-Runnels Commission Co. of Fort Worth, was here for the weekend. He had his family with him and was touring the country in his auto.

Mrs. Robt. Claxton has been up from the ranch visiting homefolks for a few days.

B. M. Johnson, is ill. He became overheated one day last week while working in the harvest field.

Rev. J. H. Bone and wife came in from Miami, Texas, Sunday night. Rev. Bone is on his way to the Presbyterian encampment at Waxahachie.

Rev. H. A. Lynch will attend the Presbyterian Encampment at Waxahachie.

A number of our citizens have been going to the brakes east of here for plumbs. They "got what they went after" too.

Fish Grow Very Fast

It might be surprising to some people to know how rapidly fish will increase both in numbers and weight. One of Briscoe county's farmers put 52 pounds of fish in a lake over two years ago, and at the end of two years the lake dried up so that the fish had to be removed. They were distributed out among the neighbors, and accurate accounts of the weights being kept, and it was found that there were 3000 pounds of fish in the lake, besides the real small ones, as much, possibly as were put in there at first.

Fish, when kept in small pools and fed at regular intervals, soon learn to come for their food when called, and grow rapidly and become very fat.—Silverton Star.

First League Meeting Called

Washington, July 10.—The first meeting of the league of nations assembly will be held November 15, under the call of President Wilson.

The place has been selected, but it was said at the state department today would be announced by the allied governments. The president continued to have favored Geneva but most of the allies prefer Brussels.

Lamb County Road Contracts Let

A contract for the improvement of Lamb county highways was let by the commissioners court of that county during a visit of Leo Ehlinger, division engineer for the state highway commission, recently. The contract called for the improvement of 34 miles of road at an approximate cost of \$66,000. The roadbed will be constructed of clay. Mr. Ehlinger reports,

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

At Public Auction

On the lawn at my residence on Restriction street, I will offer for public sale, all of my household goods to the highest bidder on

Thursday Afternoon, July 15th, at 1 O'clock

This is a very complete offering and you will do well to be present.

A. E. Harp

Allis-Chalmers Farm Tractors

Designed, built and backed by one of the World's largest manufacturers of high grade machinery.

This line of machinery is now being introduced in your county.

We have an absolutely dust proof 18-30, with all bearings dunning in oil, which can be seen in your city of Plainview at any time. This machine must be seen to be appreciated.

We also build a 10-18 Tractor, with slow speed and long life, which cannot be excelled.

We have come to stay and will carry a full line of repairs in Plainview.

Call and see us at any time.

Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co.
Henry R. Jones, Agt.
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

Meet Your Friends At TULIA, TEXAS Saturday, July 17, 1920 29th Anniversary Picnic

All the Old Timers are cordially invited to be present and renew acquaintances with your friends. This is a personal invitation to you.

A Splendid Program Has Been Arranged
A FREE BARBECUE
MUSIC BY THE TULIA BAND
The Best Band in the Panhandle

M. J. and W. H. Key, J. E. Jones, At Amarillo this week John A. J. E. and L. G. Moore of Gomez were Kneirim, age 80 years, and Mrs. Fannie Palmer, age 71, were married.

QUALITY COAL AT ALL TIMES

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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

QUALITY COAL GRAIN HAY

We have 12 stores in Texas selling over two million dollars worth of merchandise to Texas people which gives us a tremendous buying power and enables us to buy for LESS and sell for LESS.

BIG OPEN OF CECIL & COMPANY

We have just bought the entire stock of merchandise in Texas, and will place on sale everything in the house. There are many reasons why we are offering this big stock. You will get acquainted with everybody in Hale county. See the house, as it is not our policy to carry over goods. See our many bargains. EVERYTHING GOES ON SALE.

Ladies' Department



Palmer Suits

Women's and Misses' New Spring Coat Suits including Serge, Tricotine, Silvertones and Velours in the new models originally priced from \$27.50 to \$110.00 will be sold in this sale at

Half-Price

Here is your opportunity to get a nice suit for LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICE.



One Lot of Ready Made Sheets, Size 81x90, Worth \$3.00 Each, 60

SHOES

Our entire stock of Ladies', Men's, Boys', Misses' and Childrens shoes will all go in this sale at a big reduction. Don't fail to get your share of this money saving proposition.

We mark our goods in plain figures. Sell for one price to all. We sell for cash only, and sell at as close margin of profit as possible with the view of large volume of business and quick turnovers.

Nettleton
Shoes of Worth

THE superiority of Nettleton Shoes shows in refinement of line—in sturdiness of character and quality. They are always correct. Shoes by Nettleton appeal to good taste and good judgment. Measured in worth and wear, they well justify their price. Come to this bootshop for Nettleton Shoes, and complete and thorough satisfaction.

Men's and

Society

For Men and Your sale at prices you

Men's Suits

- \$65.50 Suits at \$54.4
- \$25.50 Suits at \$17.9
- \$39.00 Suits at \$32.5
- \$59.50 Suits at \$39.7
- \$49.50 Suits at \$37.4
- \$75.00 Suits at \$52.1

Orders for Hemstitching, Picoting and Covered Buttons will

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lise of the Barrier Bros. Dry Goods Company, of Plainview,
e at prices that will clear our shelves out quickly. There
at a sacrifice. First we want to get you in our store, and
ond, we want to sell everything in summer merchandise in
into the next season. We are quoting you only a few of
ALE---No Reservations.

in This Sale at \$2.19 Each

Boys' Department

Brand Clothing

ing Men, all go in this big
can't afford to miss.



Men's Suits

- 40 \$80.00 Suits at \$57.25
- 95 \$15.00 Suits at \$11.50
- 50 \$25.50 Suits at \$17.50
- 75 \$37.50 Suits at \$27.50
- 50 \$10.00 Suits at \$7.50

have our prompt attention. All mail orders filled same day received

COMPANY
W, TEXAS
BARRIER BROTHERS

Permanent in Plainview. Have come to stay. Every dollar you spend in our store will net you 100 cents in return. We stand behind every dollar's worth of merchandise that goes out of the house.

STAPLES

One lot of Apron checks, worth 35c and 40c, go in this sale at
29c

One lot of Peggy Plaids, worth 25c go at
19c

One lot of Southern Silk Chev-
iots, worth 40c, go at
32c

Blue Bonnette Chambray,
worth 45c, go at
39c

Kintan Cheviots, worth 45c, go
at
39c

One lot Bleached Domestic,
worth 45c, go at
39c

One lot of Army Blankets, sell
for \$6.50, go in this sale at
\$4.95

Sale Opens Thursday, July the 15th, 1920
Sale Closes Monday, July the 26th, 1920
Everything in the house goes at Special Sale prices.
Come early as some of these values can't last long.

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KRESS
July 8.—Miss Mabel Vaughn left Wednesday morning for Fort Worth, to visit with relatives and friends. Harry Tracy's sister of Lockney, returned home Monday morning, after a few days' visit, with Harry. She was accompanied by Little Bonnie Tracy, who was brought home Tuesday with the small pox.

Mrs. Cundiff of Littlefield, is visiting her father, J. W. Skipworth, Sr. Misses Alice and Nellie Milton were shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Rev. Lynch, pastor of the Presbyterian church, filled his regular appointment at the school house Sunday evening.

Rev. L. H. Davis and family, accompanied by Mrs. Sanders, were shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Skipworth, Jr., and daughters are visiting Mrs. Skipworth's brother, Mr. Smith of Hereford.

W. E. Adkisson of Happy spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. G. Adkisson.

Misses Alma Ross and Effie Thomas, of Tulsa, were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Mary Adkisson was a business visitor in Plainview Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Parker and children of Brownwood, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Todd, left Tuesday for Oklahoma. They will spend a few days with Mrs. Parker's mother.

Miss Lois Whitlow is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Will Rousser and children returned home Wednesday morning. They have been spending a few days with Mrs. Rousser's mother.

Miss Dorothy DeLong was shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lampton a little daughter, Tuesday morning. The baby lived only four hours. They tenderly laid it away Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. L. H. Davis filled his regular appointment at McGuire Sunday evening.

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SILVERTON
July 9.—Arthur Patton and Miss Eliza Jane Boatman, both of Quitaque were united in marriage here Wednesday, Rev. B. W. Wilkins officiating.

Oran Hefner and Miss Lillie Bell Potter, two of Briscoe county's popular young people, were married last Sunday, Rev. B. W. Wilkins officiating.

The bridegroom is one of our prosperous young farmers, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hefner, and the bride is the daughter of our genial Tax Assessor, M. C. Potter and wife.

Miss Girdie Hooker has been elected cashier of the Farmers State Bank of Quitaque, following the resignation of Earl Cowart who has accepted a position with the Third National Bank of Plainview.

In an altercation between Jack Woods and Henry Rowden, both of whom are hands on the J. A. ranch, Tuesday of last week, at the wagon in the corner of Donley county, Henry received a bullet wound in his cheek.

The directors of the Briscoe county State Bank held a meeting last Tuesday at which T. L. Anderson was elected vice president in the place of Geo. Tummins, resigned, and T. F. Richardson of Plainview was elected cashier in place of L. B. Richards, who resigned. The directors are W. E. Sschott, who is also president, T. L. Anderson, T. F. Richardson, G. B. Mayfield, T. B. Hardcastle, J. B. Fort and A. C. Wimberly.

Coming as quite a surprise to their friends, and even the members of the immediate families, the news leaked out that Emmott Potter and Miss Tess Alexander were united in marriage several weeks ago.—Star

TULIA
July 9.—Miss Etta Sue Smith, chief operator, is acting as manager of the Tulia telephone exchange, during the absence of Manager W. E. Hall.

Hubert Welker, one of the proprietors of the Olympic theatre, was taken to Plainview Wednesday for an operation for appendicitis. The operation was successful, and at last reports Mr. Welker was getting along nicely.

Oren Norris, of Vigo Park, was taken to Plainview Wednesday for an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Norris was getting along nicely at last reports.

Little Miss Wilma Griffin left Thursday morning for Plainview, where she will spend a few days visiting her brother, Attorney Meade F. Griffin, and family.

Mrs. Morris A. Yearwood was hostess to a few young people last Wednesday night. The social evening was given in honor of Miss Yearwood of Plainview; Miss Beal of Houston; and Miss Curb of Waco, who are guests in the Yearwood home this week.

Miss Lora Griffin entertained a number of her friends last Friday night with a moonlight picnic at the Jordan lake.—Herald.

Lena Klein Answers Summons
Mrs. Lena Klein died suddenly of heart trouble late Monday afternoon at the home of her father, J. G. Seipp, four miles north of this city.

Mrs. Klein was born in Bloomington, Wis., Aug. 23rd, 1892, being twenty-seven years and eleven months old at her death. She had lived in this country the past eleven years, and will be regrettably missed by her many friends in this community.

Seven years ago, November 25th, she was married to Nick Klein. Two children were born to them, a girl

Castro County Man Killed
While B. H. Drerup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drerup, who live seven miles east of Dimmitt, was rounding up cattle Tuesday morning, June 29th, his horse accidentally slipped and fell, throwing Mr. Drerup to the ground, and seriously hurting his spinal cord. He had no limbs broken nor was bruised otherwise.

Mr. Drerup was immediately taken home and placed under medical attention. He was in a critical condition until death relieved him Thursday. He was aged 23 years, 10 months

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W. H. MURPHY.

For County Judge:
L. D. GRIFFIN
L. W. SLOANEKER.
R. P. SMYTH

For County Treasurer:
J. M. POHNSON.

For County and District Clerk:
J. P. HOWARD.
JO. W. WAYLAND

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
E. E. MONZINGO
BEN E. MITCHELL
J. C. TERRY.
W. R. (BOB) MATSLER.
J. M. JOHNSON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
G. MARSHAL PHELPS.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. B. SHANKLES

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:
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1 Fruit Knife	10 and .50	23.00 in Coupons
1 Orange Spoon	10 and .52	24.00 in Coupons
1 Butter Spreader	10 and .53	24.00 in Coupons
1 Soup Spoon	10 and .54	24.00 in Coupons
1 Table Spoon	10 and .54	24.00 in Coupons
1 Medium Fork	10 and .54	24.00 in Coupons
1 Oyster Fork	11 and .56	26.00 in Coupons
1 Medium Knife	11 and .57	26.00 in Coupons
1 Baby Spoon	11 and .57	26.00 in Coupons
1 Sugar Shell	14 and .68	32.00 in Coupons
1 Ind. Salad Fork	14 and .71	34.00 in Coupons
1 Butter Knife	15 and .74	35.00 in Coupons
1 Pickle Fork	19 and .96	45.00 in Coupons
1 Cold Meat Fork	20 and 1.08	50.00 in Coupons
1 Gravy Ladle	26 and 1.32	62.00 in Coupons
1 Child's Set	27 and 1.34	62.00 in Coupons
1 Berry Spoon	31 and 1.56	75.00 in Coupons

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and 19 days at the time of his death. E. C. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Morey
Funeral services were held at the Holy Family church at Nazareth on Saturday morning.—Tulsa Herald. in Southern California.

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and profitable industry, there being several creameries in the valley. Hog-raising is extensive and profitable on account of Rhodes grass pasture and abundant crops of corn.

The coming important industry is citrus fruit raising—oranges, lemons and especially grape fruit. There are a few orchards four to six years old with heavy bearing trees, and many young orchards are coming on. The fruit is as good as that raised in California and Florida and the grape fruit is so sweet no sugar is used on it. Men are now selling their fruit crops at \$2,000 and above an acre. Peaches, figs, plums, strawberries and other fruits are grown.

Winter vegetables are very profitably and extensively grown, such as cabbages, Bermuda onions, tomatoes, head lettuce, etc. These crops are matured within two months—October to December and each day during the winter season several trainloads of refrigerator cars leave the valley for the northern markets, the growers receiving very high prices. They receive from \$1,000 to \$1,500 an acre for their cabbages, as much for their onions and other truck. Winter strawberries are also extensively grown.

Poultry is a very important crop in the valley.

There are three read secrets of the

prosperity of the valley—rich soil and irrigation, cheap and abundant labor, and a mild all-year planting and growing season. Labor is possibly the most important. There are plenty of Mexicans who have come across the river and they work for \$1.50 a day. They are energetic and good workers, and work ten hours a day. They do most all the labor and farming in the valley. They have their tents and shacks, though some have good houses, and board and house themselves. They seem to be happy and contented. They work only by the day and when you don't need them their pay stops.

It is easy for American housewives to get Mexican women and girls to work in the houses at \$3.50 a week. They too stay at home of nights. Laundry work is 20c a dozen, and the clothes are much whiter than those done on the Plains.

The Mexicans in the valley are of a higher class than the ones who work on railroads on the Plains. They bathe every day, we were told, and we know their houses are kept neat and clean.

Farmers plant their crops not according to growing seasons but in order to have the products on the markets when vegetables are out of season elsewhere, thus securing high prices.

The climate is about the same the year round, and only once or twice

SOCIETY

Dance at Elks Club Thursday Night

There will be a dance at the Elks club Thursday night, for the Elks and their families. The music will be furnished by the South Plains Jazz Orchestra of six pieces. Sam Webb, Geo. Wyckoff and Wm. Gouddy are the members of the Elks social committee.

Bridge Party

Mrs. J. M. Adams entertained the younger girls and matrons Saturday with six tables of afternoon bridge, honoring her sister, Mrs. Garland Woodward of Coleman, and her daughter, Sadye Earle Adams.

Fresh summer flowers in vases and rustic baskets were used throughout the house.

At the close of the games ice cream and cake was served, the plates each brightened by nasturtiums.

Miss Mary Effie Murphy Bride of Mr. Arthur E. Boyd

Miss Mary Effie Murphy became the bride of Mr. Arthur E. Boyd Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murphy in this city, relatives and a few close friends being present.

The rooms were made beautiful and fragrant with palms, ferns and sweet peas.

Miss Alma Armstrong played Mendelssohn's "The Wedding March," as the bride and groom came into the room, and "The Flower Song" while the ring ceremony was being performed by the Rev. Harlan J. Matthews.

The bride wore a white georgette with real lace and auxiliaries to match. After the ceremony a short reception the bride donned a going-away suit of blue tricotine.

The couple left in a car for a month's honeymoon to be spent in the mountains of Colorado, and expect to be at home in Plainview after August 1.

The bride was raised in Plainview, educated in the schools here and Baylor college in Belton, after which she taught in the schools of Hale county. She is quite a winsome girl. The groom is a member of the insurance firm of Knohuizen & Boyd, and is very prominent in business circles of the town. He is known as one of the greatest town boosters on the Plains. Both parties are active workers in the Baptist church.

Woman's Auxiliary of Baptist Church

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church, will entertain at the home of D. W. McGlasson, Thursday evening, July 15, 1920, 7:30 to 10:00 p. m., honoring Rev. Harlan J. Matthews and family. All members of the church are requested to attend.

COMMITTEE.

York-Murrell Marriage

Mr. W. H. York and Mrs. Hallye Murrell of Meteor community, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Martin, Monday, July 12th, at 3 o'clock, Rev. Chas. R. Smith officiating. The groom is a stock farmer, his home being at Roscoe, Texas.

Baptist Women

Circle B of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Byars, with eighteen members and two visitors present.

There was prayer by Mother Jones after which a devotional service was led by Mrs. W. S. Wasson from Col. 4 chapter. Prayer by Mrs. J. H. Calvert.

A short business session followed, conducted by Mrs. J. M. Murphy, during which a donation was made towards paying for shades for the parsonage.

The Mission Study class was taught by Mrs. E. E. Warren.

The circle adjourned to meet in regular session, July 19th, with Mrs. J. H. Calvert.

during the winter does frost come. We expected to find the weather at this time of the year very warm, but it was not so. A pleasant breeze blows all the time from the gulf, and while out in the sun it is as hot as in the sunshine on the Plains, like the Plains it is cool in the shade, and the nights are almost as cool as on the Plains.

The society of the Valley is of the best as the land companies pick the people they sell to, and in order to buy land you must be fairly well off and have a good reputation. The schools rank high, and have fine modern buildings. The children are transported in public cars from the country districts to the town district schools. There are many churches, of the different denominations.

The Stewart Land Co. has a good reputation among the people, and is considered thoroughly reliable, and fulfills its promises and contracts in every way, so we were informed by more than one person.

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AT PLAINVIEW, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES			
1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c)	\$887,119.50	887,119.50	
2. Total loans	12,433.64	12,433.65	
3. Overdrafts, unsecured			
4. U. S. Government securities owned:			
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)	100,000.00		
b Owned and unpledged	40,657.12		
c War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	1,404.68		
d Total U. S. Government securities	142,061.80		
5. Other bonds, securities, etc.:			
a Securities, other than U. S. Bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged	1,950.00	1,950.00	
b Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S. Bonds			
6. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	4,800.00		
7. Furniture and fixtures	6,272.36		
8. Real Estate owned other than banking house	335.41		
9. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	62,497.03		
10. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	101,027.00		
11. Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 12, 13 or 14)	718.77		
12. Total of items 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17	101,745.77		
13. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	4,157.84		
14. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00		
TOTAL	\$1,227,473.36		
LIABILITIES			
22. Capital Stock paid in	\$100,000.00		
23. Surplus Fund	60,000.00		
24. a Undivided profits	21,860.46		
25. Circulating notes outstanding	21,860.46		
26. Net amounts due to national banks	96,600.00		
27. Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 29 or 30)	12,077.44		
28. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	6,650.26		
29. Total of Items 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33	24,164.77		
30. Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
34. Individual deposits subject to check	42,892.47		
35. Certificates of deposit due in less than thirty days (other than for money borrowed)	678,824.57		
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39	14,776.00		
36. Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings):	693,600.57		
40. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	212,519.86		
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 40, 41, 42 and 43	212,519.86		
TOTAL	\$1,227,473.36		

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALE, ss:

I, T. Stockton, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. STOCKTON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1920.

W. E. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: W. A. DONALDSON, R. W. O'KEEFE, L. A. KNIGHT, Directors.