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## WHEAT AVERAGES MORE THAN 50 BUSHELS TO ACRE

### FRED WEYLE IS THRESHING 130 ACRES THAT IS AVERAGING VERY HIGH

More than fifty bushels of wheat to the acre, from dry farming is a record any county should be proud of, in fact it is seldom equalled.

Fred Weyle, who lives just east of Plainview, is threshing on a 130-acre field of wheat on his place and to yesterday had threshed about twenty-three acres, the average running above fifty bushels to the acre. Mr. Weyle, so we are informed, says his twenty-three acres is the sorriest wheat in the particular field, and he thinks the rest will average more.

The wheat was planted on old alfalfa land and the soil was well cultivated before planting.

Mr. Weyle is one of the best wheat farmers on the Plains and makes high averages every year.

## ICE FACTORY AGAIN IS IN OPERATION

### Break Has Been Repaired

The Plainview ice factory is again in operation, and will be furnishing ice tomorrow, so Manager J. B. Scott of the Texas Utilities Co. informs us. A part of the machinery was broken last week, which caused the factory to shut down until the repair could be made.

The past ten days there has been an ice famine in the town, and nobody has had ice but the cold drink stores, sanitarium, hotels and other businesses to which ice is essential.

There is an ice shortage all over this section of the state, and the factories cannot supply the demands.

## CHILD STICKS SCISSORS IN EYE, DESTROYING SIGHT

### Son of Mr. and Mrs. Farrer May Lose Other Eye as Result of Accident

Monday of last week the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Farrer of this city accidentally stuck the points of scissors into its left eye, destroying the sight.

They took the child to Dallas for treatment, and latest advices indicate there is a likelihood that the other eye may also lose its sight as a result of the accident.

The family recently moved here from Floydada. Mr. Farrer is a member of the Green Machinery & Development Company.

## Miss Rachel Elder Dies

Miss Rachel Elder, age 31, died in a sanitarium in Lubbock last night. She was a Holiness preacher and lived in Plainview for about ten years, though of late had been living with her mother near Floydada. She was a sister of J. B. Elder of the Ellen community.

The funeral will be held at the Nazarine church in Plainview Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and interment will take place in the cemetery at Floydada in the afternoon.

Rev. Geo. Nicholson and Rev. J. P. Ingle will conduct the funeral.

## Reeves Buys Castro Ranch

Otus Reeves of Plainview has purchased the Reed five section ranch consisting of three sections owned by and two leased, located in Castro county five miles east of Dimmitt. This is said to be one of the best improved ranches in the country and the deal included considerable work stock, farming implements, crops, etc. The consideration was around \$70,000.

## Slaton Has \$65,000 Pay Roll

"The Earth," the Santa Fe publication says the railroad has a payroll of \$65,000 a month at Slaton.

## TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, dozen	25c
Butter, lb.	50c and 55c
Hens, lb.	20c
Fryers, lb.	25c
Turkeys, lb.	20c
Hides, green	8c; dry
Wheat, bushel	\$2.35
Oats	70c
Spelts, per 100	\$2.00
Maize heads, ton	\$25.00
Maize, threshed, 100 lbs.	\$1.70

F. E. Irwin of Sweeny, in East Texas, has moved to the Hale Center community, so a letter from him states we understand that some time ago he bought a farm near Hale Center. He has for quite awhile been a reader of the News, and this paper had some part in bringing him to the Plains.

## THOMASON AND LOONEY WILL SUPPORT NEFF

### Announcements Declare Bailey Should Be Defeated in Second Primary—Enemy to Party

The statement of Mr. Thomason is as follows:

"I am deeply grateful to my friends for their generous support. I have no excuses or apologies to make for my defeat. The Democrats have spoken and their verdict is cheerfully accepted. I am pleased to have received the generous support that was accorded me in all sections of Texas. In the run-off election my friends, of course, are privileged to support the man of their choice.

"As for myself I do not wish anybody to misunderstand my position. In view of the fight I made in Cooke county as well as in behalf of the National Democratic administration, I can not support Mr. Bailey.

"Regardless of developments in the recent campaign, I place the interest of my state and the success of the democratic party above everything else.

"I shall therefore support Mr. Neff for Governor."

Following is the statement given out yesterday by Mr. Looney:

"I would no more think of supporting Bailey than any other enemy who has tried to destroy the Democratic party. He has forfeited all claims on democratic support. He will be the triumph of forces in government that I have opposed all my life. Certainly I will not surrender now. In order to stop speculation as to my position I make this definite statement."

Thomason was at his headquarters in the Southland Hotel in Dallas Tuesday arranging for his departure to El Paso. "I will take no active part in the next primary," said Mr. Thomason. "I am going back to El Paso, where I will resume my connections with my law firm. I am going to give Mr. Neff my vote and urge my friends to give him the same consideration.

"It is impossible to thank all my friends for their kindness and appreciation shown me, but I want to convey this message to all: Vote for the man whose principles are for the betterment of Texas. Study Mr. Neff's qualifications and do the same concerning Mr. Bailey. You will see a vast difference. Then vote according to your own good judgment."

## Democratic County Convention Saturday Afternoon

The democratic county convention will be held at the court house at 3 o'clock promptly Saturday afternoon, and all precinct delegates are urged to be present. Delegates will be selected to represent Hale county in the state and district conventions.

## Game to Be Played Over

The Plainview Elks base ball team will play a game in Amarillo Sunday with the Elks team of that city.

It will be remembered that the Plainview team quit the game there Sunday, on account of a decision of the umpire in the third inning. Plainview being ahead at the time. The trouble has been adjusted, so it is reported, and the game will be played over.

## Floyd Farmers to Build Gin

A number of Floyd county farmers have organized and will build a co-operative gin in Floydada.

It is planned to incorporate for \$20,000. A site for the gin has been selected and construction awaits arrival of machinery. C. E. Neil is president; A. A. Jones, vice president; W. L. Boerner, secretary treasurer; C. E. Neil, W. L. Goerner and W. F. Weatherbee have been chosen directors.

## Plains Oats Make Good

The oats crop on the Plains this year has made a good yield, and the quality is excellent. A grain buyer informs us that the Plains oats will be sought by Central Texas, where the crop was cut short.

## Will Attend Shriners' Meeting

A large number of Plainview Shriners will attend the ceremonies incident to the institution of Khiva Shrine in Amarillo August 6. All parts of Northwest Texas will be represented.

## Record Drop in Temperature

The thermometer fell thirty-three degrees in forty-five minutes in Plainview Monday afternoon, caused by a downpour of rain. At 12:45 the thermometer registered 101 degrees, and at 1:30 it showed 68 degrees.

## LOCAL SYNDICATE BEGINS BUILDING PROGRAM; NINE RESIDENCES CONTRACTED

### Will Be Sold on Easy Terms to Families That Will Occupy Them---Many Other Houses to Be Erected

Contracts have been let by the syndicate which recently bought the Harp & Wilkin properties in Plainview, for the erection of nine modern residences of the bungalow type, of five to eight rooms each, on the block just south of the Central school building, and work will commence at once. J. B. Maxey has the contract for the erection of the buildings.

These residences will be sold on easy terms to families who wish to buy them, so Mr. Slaton informs us.

A syndicate composed of Messrs. J. H. Slaton, E. M. Carter, Dennis Hefflinger, Guy Jacob and J. B. Maxey, recently bought from Harp & Wilkin about seven hundred lots in

Plainview, for the purpose of developing same, and this first contract for nine residences is but the beginning of carrying their intention into effect, as they expect to build additional houses as fast as they can build and dispose of them.

The development these gentlemen will do will be a big factor in the development of Plainview, and will add greatly to its population. At present the housing situation is very critical, many families wanting to come here and locate, but cannot do so as no places for them to live are obtainable. It is said that fully a hundred families would come here within a month if they could get houses to live in.

## MAY BUILD 500,000-BUSHEL ELEVATOR IN PLAINVIEW

### FARMERS PURPOSE TO FORM CORPORATION AND BUILD IN PLAINVIEW

Joe Keliher informs the News that the proposed farmers' co-operative grain elevator, which he and other wheat farmers are promoting, is being very favorably talked of by the farmers, and he believes it will result in an elevator being built in Plainview.

It is proposed to erect a modern concrete elevator, of half a million bushels capacity, to cost about \$250,000, so as to be able to take care of the wheat and other grain in the Plainview district.

As soon as the present harvest is over, says Mr. Keliher, a meeting will be held and a stock company formed.

This proposed elevator, with the other elevators in Plainview, would give the town storage facilities for more than 800,000 bushels of grain, and would thus make Plainview the leading grain market of Northwest Texas.

## FREIGHT DEPOTS TO CLOSE THREE DAYS

### Proposition New Before Interstate Commerce Commission to Save Cars

Washington, July 29.—The Interstate Commerce Commission is considering the advisability of closing all freight depots three days a week, according to officials of the commission today.

This proposal, it was learned, has come from big shippers who say it will give them a more equitable share of the car supply. It was understood railroad executives favor the move. Closing of freight depots would result in thousands of railroad employees being put on half time.

## Glenn Nominated for County Judge

C. L. Glenn of Matador was here yesterday with several prospectors from Central Texas.

Mr. Glenn, who formerly lived in Plainview, was nominated for county judge of Motley county by a majority of 150 votes out of a total of 700 cast in Saturday's primary.

He says crops are fine in Motley county this year, especially is cotton doing well. Three thousand acres of new land has been put in cotton about Flomot.

## Congressional Results

Third district, Van Zandt, Bond and Sanders will have a run off in second primary. Rayburn was renominated in the fourth, Sherman district; Garrett was nominated in the Houston district; Bee was renominated in the San Antonio district; Blanton in the Abilene district and Buchanan in the Brenham district.

## First Woman for Legislature

The next legislature will have a woman as a member. Mrs. B. F. Smith of Temple was nominated Saturday to represent that district in the lower house.

## Legislators Opposed to Bailey

Practically every member of the next legislature is opposed to Bailey, as shown by reports or results in the primary.

## WHEAT EMBARGO DECLARED TO BEGIN NEXT MONDAY

### Will Continue Until Congestion at Galveston is Relieved. Only Shipments by Permit.

It is announced that an embargo on wheat shipments to Galveston will be put on next Monday. All the elevators in the city are full of wheat and thousands of cars of wheat are standing on the side tracks leading into the port. As soon as the wheat can be sent out on ships the embargo will be lifted. Shipments by permit only can be made from Plains points after Monday.

## UNCLE JOHN HAMILTON DEAD; WAS COUNTY TREASURER

### Died at Mt. Air, N. M., July 7—Was Gallant Confederate Soldier

A letter has just been received by friends here telling of the death of John G. Hamilton at Mt. Air, N. M., July 7th. He was buried there the following day.

"Uncle John" Hamilton, as he was familiarly known, was about seventy years of age, and served as county treasurer of Hale county for fourteen or sixteen years, until he retired from the office nearly two years ago. He served many years as county treasurer of Comanche county before coming to the Plains.

He was a member of the Baptist church almost his entire life, and was active in church work. He was a true Christian gentleman, and everybody's friend.

He was a Confederate soldier, and lost one of his hands during the war. He was married twice. By his first wife he was the father of several children, those surviving being Ed, who lives in Mt. Air, N. M., John S., of Ranger, and Mrs. Henry Long of Vernon. His first wife died many years ago, and about seven years ago he married a lady in Plainview. She died a year or two later.

The editor of the News has known the deceased for nearly forty years, and can testify as to the staunch character and kindly Christian life.

## TEXAS HAS \$14,000,000 IN STATE DEPOSITORY

Austin, July 29.—Texas today had \$14,000,000 in state depository banks and of the amount \$10,000,000 was general revenue, State Treasurer Baker announced today.

At the beginning of the fiscal year September 1, state funds will amount to about \$13,500,000, Baker declared. About \$9,250,000 of this will be general revenue funds, and the balance will be from other sources.

## Another Strike of Miners

Thousands of coal miners in the Central states are out on a strike, the miners having repudiated the union orders and gone out on an "unauthorized" strike.

## BILL DODSON GETS INTO TROUBLE WITH JAPANESE

### Hale County Boy in Siberia Comes Near Being Cause of International Squabble

A censored letter has been received by relatives telling how Willie Dodson of Hale county, while with the forces in Siberia, some weeks ago, had a very war like experience.

Bill was on guard and a Japanese soldier of a near by troop attempted to cross Bill's post without proper authority and upon being challenged proceeded to bully-rag, and abuse the sentinel. He carried his adventure so far that an arrest was attempted and a fight ensued at the end of which found five inches of Bill's bayonet lodged in the Jap's bowels.

An angry squad of Japs then carried Bill away to Japanese headquarters and lodged him in the squad house.

News soon reached American headquarters and Bill's captain with sleeves rolled up, bare-headed and easy to listen at appeared at Japanese headquarters, also, and with many American adjectives prefacing his argument he demanded the immediate delivery, well and unarmed of Private Dodson. His arguments caused conviction and the Jap colonel went outside the colonel got a couple of hearty kicks, for Bill had not recovered from the conviction that he was to be shot at sun rise.

The matter was finally settled by Bill apologizing for kicking the colonel and the colonel apologizing for arresting Bill.

## ELKS TEAM AWAY FOR FOUR DAYS NEXT WEEK

The Plainview Elks base ball team will play at Lubbock Wednesday and Thursday and Ralls Friday and Saturday of next week.

## Perry Buys Schick Building

E. Q. Perry of the Perry Motor Co. has bought the Schick building now occupied by the Dodge Furniture Co. from Mr. Kemp of Hereford, and as soon as the Dodge people can secure other quarters the Perry Motor Co. will occupy the building with their stock of Stephens cars, Moline tractors and farm implements.

The building is known as the Schick opera house, having been erected about eleven years ago as an opera house. It is of concrete and has an extensive floor space.

## Mare Freight Cars Are Being Received In Plainview

The freight car situation is improving some all the time, and now seven to eight cars for wheat are being received in Plainview each day.

The farmers are bringing in their wheat rapidly now, and thousands of bushels are being sold in Plainview each day. The price has had a sharp break this week, and some fear it will go even lower.

## Designated as Training School

Watson's business college has been designated by the government as a training school to train the disabled soldiers.

Mr. W. L. Culberson of Fort Worth, the Federal vocational man for this district, is in this section and he states there are about 300 disabled soldiers in West Texas and New Mexico and is very likely that several of these will be sent here for training in the college.

## Bailey's Lead Over Neff is 4316 Votes

Dallas, July 29.—Bulletin returns from 246 counties, 124 complete, show Bailey's lead over Neff to be 4,316 votes. A total of 416,159 votes is accounted for by the Texas Election Bureau.

The returns show Bailey 140,697; Neff, 136,281; Thomason, 92,895; Looney 46,386.

## Watson & Son Sell Business

W. A. Watson & Son recently sold their hog-buying and shipping business to Messrs. Hassell and Hawk, who are continuing it.

During the past eight or more years, the Watsons shipped hundreds, possibly thousands, of cars of hogs from Plainview to the Fort Worth and Wichita markets.

## Beard Takes Overland Agency

M. G. Beard, formerly president of the Guaranty State Bank, has taken the agency for the Overland cars in this section, and has temporary quarters with the Rushing Battery Co. on the east side of the square.

Mr. Beard is well known, is an energetic business man, and will doubtless sell many of these popular cars.

## DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE WILL RAISE FUNDS

### SOURCE OF GIFT WILL BE DETERMINED BY VOTER

Washington, July 29.—Funds for financing the democratic national campaign will be received in any amounts and party leaders will be concerned only with the sources from which the money comes, George White, the new national chairman, announced today in paying his first visit to the party's national headquarters. He characterized as "buncom" the suggestion that campaign contributions be limited to \$1000 for each contributor.

Party heads will scrutinize carefully all campaign gifts so that no obligation will be entailed on the candidate," Mr. White asserted, adding that any plans to restrict the amounts of gifts would be useless, since such could be easily circumvented.

The new national chairman, in discussing campaign developments, declared that Governor Cox, "as the nominee of the San Francisco convention, had become the new head of the Democratic party."

With respect to interpretation placed on the conference at the White House between President Wilson and Governor Cox recently, on the Lea issue, Mr. White said "there were no ironclad contracts entered into and there was a certain amount of elasticity in the statements."

Democratic campaigners will go before the country with the slogan, "peace, progress and prosperity," Mr. White announced. "With this line, he added humorously, "we will be 'Coxsure of winning.'"

Campaign plans as developed thus far, Mr. White said, call for a tour by Mr. Cox of most of the states.

The consent of William G. McAdoo has been obtained as a speaker. Mr. White said. The chairman expects to see Attorney General Palmer before leaving Washington to ask him to take the stump during the campaign.

Selection of a campaign committee, numbering possibly fifteen, will be announced soon, as will the western members of the committee, who will have headquarters at Chicago.

Wilbur Marsh has been asked to organize a committee to direct the financial affairs of the campaign.

## MORE WHEAT NOW THAN YEAR AGO

### Over One Hundred Million Bushels In Storage Held From Last Year

Washington, July 28.—Wheat from last year's crop carried over into 1920 totaled 109,318,000 bushels on July 1, compared with 48,561,000 bushels of the 1918 crop on hand at the beginning of last year's season, according to figures today by the Department of Agriculture.

Crops on farms, in coars and elevators, and in points of accumulation, all showed an over 1919 totals. This year f held 47,756,000 bushels, against 26,100,000 bushels in 1919, the figures perhaps reflecting disturbed transportation conditions during the year.

At the larger central storage points this year the department found 24,575,000 bushels, against 9,532,000 in the same places on July 1, 1919. In country mills and elevators this year there are 36,980,000 bushels, while in 1919 there were 19,763,000.

## Promise to Finance Organization

A meeting of representatives from a number of counties in Northwest Texas was held in Amarillo Tuesday to plan for further financing the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce. Several counties and private citizens pledged amount sufficient for continuing the organization the present year.

## Crutch Shipworth Home Burned

The residence of Crutch Shipworth near Kress was destroyed by fire on Friday about noon, the building and practically its entire contents being burned. The fire was caused by the explosion of an oil stove.

## Peyton Randolph Elected Chairman

In Saturday's primaries Peyton B. Randolph was elected chairman of the Hale county democratic committee without opposition. Peyton is an energetic young man and is especially capable of filling the position, and his selection is a good one.

## Sold Six Fordsons One Day

Mr. Barker of the L. P. Barker Company informs us that his firm sold six Fordson tractors Wednesday.

## Elks Will Play Baseball

The Plainview Elks team will play the Roswell base ball team here on Monday and Tuesday afternoons.



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**Plant a fall garden.**

It is much better for you to be a pessimistic than a pessimist.

There are houses available for hire. Additional families would locate in Plainview at once.

Why is it that most men cannot run an automobile unless they have a cigar stuck into their faces?

What's the use of worrying over the result of the election? The Plains watermelons and cantaloupes will be ripe in a few days.

The price of paper has gone up more than a cent a pound the past month. Will the hardships of the newspaperman ever cease?

Just now the Plains people are more interested in getting freight cars to move wheat than they are in the Polish-Russian scrap.

The Salt River boat carried a full passenger list. A man is foolish who gets sore over the result of an election, even if he is defeated.

Nealus of Dallas was defeated for lieutenant-governor. He was the key candidate for that office.

Let's do Bailey on August 28th as we did Colquit in the senatorial race four years ago. Colquit got a plurality in the first primary, but was swamped in the second one.

Hale county Banks have nearly four million dollars on deposit. When the crops are harvested it will be nearly double this amount. How's this for a prosperous county.

We do not feel half so sorry for the gubernatorial candidates who were defeated in the primary as we do for some of their supporters who were expecting to be appointed to office in case their candidate was elected.

The News congratulates the gentlemen nominated for the local offices in Saturday's primary. They are all good competent men, and will serve people well. A bad man cannot be elected on the Plains, hence bad men do not ask for office.

The summer rains in the Plainview country are insuring a bumper row crop. During the ten summers the editor of the News has lived in Hale county there has not been a failure in row crops and but one short crop. Can any other section compare with the Plains??

Gov. James M. Cox of Ohio is the democratic presidential nominee. He is for the league of nations. He is a friend of the national administration. For equal suffrage. He is for enforcement of the Volstead law. Every democrat cheerfully support him.

Thomson carried Cooke county, many years the home of Bailey himself, by 400 majority. El county, where Thomson now gave him an overwhelming majority. Thomson is one of the ablest men of the state. He should receive every vote in West and Northwest Texas.

The public free schools of Texas the coming year will receive \$18,170,095 in cash from the state treasury, or \$14.50 for each pupil. This does not include the local county and district funds, which will be raised by taxation and in other ways. Texas people believe in educating the children. Texas people are willing to pay their money for educational purposes.

Samuel Gompers is squealing like a stuck hog because the Pennsylvania railroad and the American Woolen Co. are laying off thousands of laborers, because it means "less production." What is the difference so far as the general public is concerned between the laying off of men by the railroads and factories, and the striking of thousands of men at the orders of the unions? Between capital and labor the general public gets it in the neck.

Harold Bell Wright, the famous author of "The Shepherd of the Hills," and other popular novels, has been granted a divorce from his wife. When Wright was pastor of a small Christian church in Missouri he and his wife were poor but happy. He was an invalid and she clung to him and nursed him back to health. Then his stories became popular and riches and honors began to be showered upon him. His success became a domestic tragedy, for they gradually grew further apart until the separation and now the divorce. Riches and honors often prove a curse. It takes a strong character to withstand their evil tendencies.

Sir Thomas Lipton, the owner of Shamrock IV, the defeated yacht in the races last week, is a multi-millionaire tea merchant. He is a great sportsman, business man and philanthropist. Lipton was at one time a waiter on the streets of New York; later he was a clerk, then he drove street cars in New Orleans, later a hired farm hand. What he has was not given to him; he made it with his brains and hands. Lipton did not sit around and complain that "I have never had a chance;" neither did he join a socialist or Bolshevik group and seek to pull society down to his level. He got busy and climbed to the top, where "there is always room." In this great land there is no excuse for any boy remaining at the foot of the ladder. If he does stay at the bottom he has nobody to blame but himself.

### BAILEYISM MUST BE DESTROYED

Though beaten into the earth, repudiated and dishonored in the primary conventions of May 1st, by the democrats of Texas, Bailey was able in the primary of Saturday to poll more than 125,000 votes or possibly 30 per cent of all the votes cast in the primary.

While this is a much larger number than we thought he would poll, after all it is not surprising. An analysis of his vote will doubtless show that almost every disgruntled person in the state voted for him, and you know in these abnormal and changing days there are a lot of pessimists. Most every thirsty man voted for Bailey, not because they hope Bailey could bring back liquor if he were governor, but just because they resent the taking away of liquor. Those who have it in for the national administration for any reason, voted for Bailey. Likely a large number of people who voted for him, voted for Bailey, not intending to vote the democratic ticket in November. Then, Bailey has a following that was with him in 1906 and the bitter campaigns of that time made them his friends for all time just for spite if nothing else.

But, bear in mind that in the primary Saturday it was a race of Bailey against the field. On one side was Bailey; on the other were Neff, Thomson and Looney—and Bailey got only 30 per cent of the votes cast. This means that he will be defeated in the primary of August 28, for the supporters of Neff, Thomson and Looney are now faced by a common enemy, and one which must be defeated.

It would be the greatest disgrace imaginable were Bailey elected governor of the imperial Lone Star State, and to think of him sitting in the seat once filled by Houston, Coke, Roberts, Ross and Hogg is almost sacrilegious.

The election of Bailey would mean the ascendancy of the vicious element, and would be a blow to decency and righteousness in state politics. It would be a backward step that would be detrimental to the state.

But Bailey will not be elected. He will be defeated in the primary of August 28, just as Colquit was defeated for the senate in the second primary four years ago after he had led in the July primary. The good people of the state will rise on Aug. 28, just as they did in 1916, and elect Neff as they did Culberson.

To nominate Bailey would be a body blow to democratic national success in November, for Bailey has been and is a bitter critic of the national administration, and declared last spring that it had done nothing he could endorse. The criticisms of Bailey we understand are being used in the North by the republicans in their campaign. His nomination would add weight to these criticisms and make them more effective in the hands of the republicans. A vote for Bailey on August 28 makes it that much harder to elect a democratic president next fall.

Well has Editor Fitzgerald of the Fort Worth Record said, "May Day was Bailey's Moscow; July 24 his Waterloo, and August 28 should be his St. Helena." So mote it be.

The coal miners are again out on a strike. With the miners it seems that life is just one darn strike after another.

It develops that the Polish government owes the United States government a hundred million dollars for money and goods advanced since the war.

This is the law of Texas relative to candidates being eligible for governor: "He shall be at least 30 years of age, a citizen of the United States and shall have resided in this state at least five years immediately preceding his election." Has Bailey resided in the state for the past five years?

Ninety-eight out of every hundred persons in the United States live on incomes of \$2,000 a year and less, so the new treasury report shows. However, the other two pay practically all the federal income and excess profits taxes, which was more than five billion dollars the past year. There are 20,000 persons in the country who reported an income of more than \$50,000.

It seems that everybody strikes but mother. Were she to strike there would be a crisis sure enough.

The happiest man in any town is the man who makes others happy.

If it is possible to do so, the city council should adopt an ordinance forbidding itinerants from selling goods on the public square or streets. It is not fair to the local merchants to permit them to do so. The local merchants pay taxes, contribute to every enterprise, public works and charity, and work unceasingly for the upbuilding of the town and county; they stand behind their goods with dependable guarantees. The person who patronizes itinerants is doing himself and his town an injury.

### MUST FIRST BE PAID IN

In a certain Plains incorporated town recently a citizen presented a small account against the city government, and the secretary requested him to "please file it with me. Just now the general fund is empty, but some money will be paid in within a few days and then you will be paid."

This simple transaction illustrates a great political principle that is to a large extent being lost sight of these days.

Thousands of people want the government to do everything—feed the people with a silver spoon, as it were.

Thousands think the government is an inexhaustible fountain from which money can flow like water and that all a person should be required to do is to get to a cup and drink from a spigot "without money and without price."

They fail to understand that before the government—municipal, county, state and national—can pay out money it must first be put there by the people—you and me.

The people must support the government and not the government support the people.

The government is due the people nothing but a fair square deal. While to a considerable extent these days the government has become hampered by paternalism, such is a departure from the theory upon which our government was founded.

No man should ask anything of the government, except that it will protect him in his just rights.

Most of the new governmental departments and bureaus are but paternalistic contraptions; they are innovations and socialistic in varying degrees.

There are some old standards in government we should get back to, and this is one of them—the people must support the government, and not the government support the people.

Every person who voted for Thomson and Looney in Saturday's primary should vote for Neff in the primary of August 28.

Bailey says it would be a great sacrifice to him to be elected governor of Texas. It would also be tough on Texas.

While of course a good watermelon is worth its weight in silver, nobody should be permitted to charge more than two to four bits for one. Profiteering in watermelons is one of the most outrageous crimes that can be committed.

In religion Cox is a member of the United Brethren church, which is a cross between the Methodist church and the Baptist church, with a membership which is largely rural. The United Brethren hold practically the same tenets as the Methodist church but they practice immersion after the fashion of the Baptists.—William H. Crawford in the New York Times.

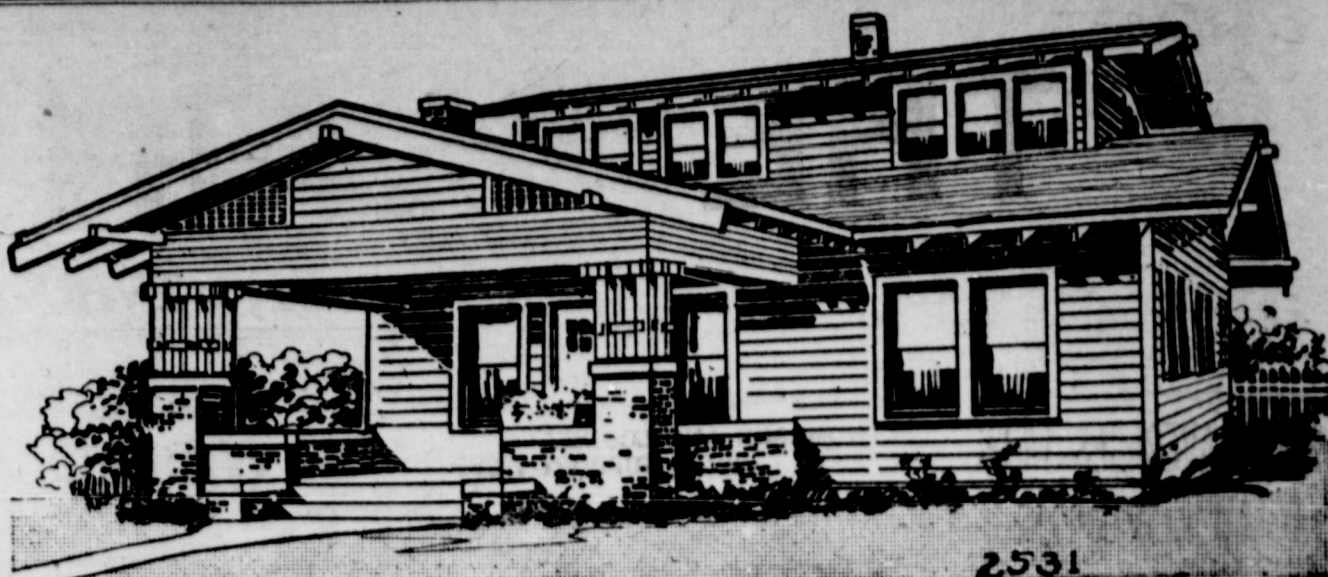
The railroads wish to increase the rates on freight, passenger and Pullman fares in order to care for the wage increase of \$600,000,000 a year. Why not let freight rates alone and make the entire increase on the other two items. This would place the burden where it would be least felt, and would possibly to some extent stop so much traveling, which would be a good thing for the country at large. There is entirely too much jaunting around anyway.

In an Oklahoma town the other day two women, who were charged with disturbing the peace, were tried before a jury composed entirely of women. Both women were convicted and given the maximum penalty after the jury had been out only a few minutes. Woman suffrage is scheduled to work a great change in the verdicts rendered when women are charged with crimes. Smiles and hosiery will lose their powers when the accused faces a jury of women.

The News lost two or three subscribers because it opposes Bailey. A man who is so narrow is not a true Plainsman. However, we will not suspend publication on account of the loss. The News is not a newspaper of the spineless species which is afraid to open its mouth for fear of losing a patronage. In the long-run a straight, fearless policy always wins. The News bows to nobody. Its soul is its own. The News is prospering, it owes nobody anything. The News "can look anybody in the eye and if needs be tell him to go to hades."

Having been re-elected, Congressman Blanton of the Abilene district will continue to deal out misery to Gompers and the congressional leaders—and add to the gaiety of the nation.

The weather is fine on the Plains. We surely do sympathize with the people down in the state where the weather is so hot.



## BUILD NOW

It will be to your interest to build now. We have a complete stock of all kinds of building materials, and the prices are some lower than they have been.

The car situation may cause a shortage in building materials, freight rates are almost sure to be increased, which will cause lumber prices to go up.

You have made good money out of your wheat crop. Why not build your family a new and modern home, which will be a comfort and a pride to them for many years? You owe it to your family, and now is the best time you can find to build.

Call and let us show you photographs and plans of homes. We want to help you in every way possible.

## McAdams Lumber Company

Complete Home Builders

A decrease of 400,000 pounds of meat production for the last six months as compared with the same period for last year has been reported by the Institute of American Meat Packers.

### PURE ENGLISH

English is a very pretty language when correctly spoken, without slang or provincialisms.

To listen to an educated person who speaks English properly is indeed pleasing, for there is a charm about it.

So few of us, however, use the language correctly. We break almost every rule of grammar and burden our talk with so much slang.

Our schools should insist on pupils being careful in their English, and train them to its correct use.

### IN A MINOR STRAIN

We do not mind telling the truth once in a while. Women can get along better without men than men can without women.

There would be more salt than anything else in the world if all the rubbernecks got the punishment meted out to Lot's wife.

A married woman gets so doggone tired of sticking around the house that she actually enjoys going to a funeral.

A man may be a mighty good judge of some things. But his own importance isn't one of them.

A mule can't rub his hind leg and make as much noise as can a cricket with his; but the jackass can register a much harder kick.

Faith may move mountains. But

### THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

This world seems rather strange to me, My way in life is often rough. I think I'll get adjusted though If I can just live long enough.



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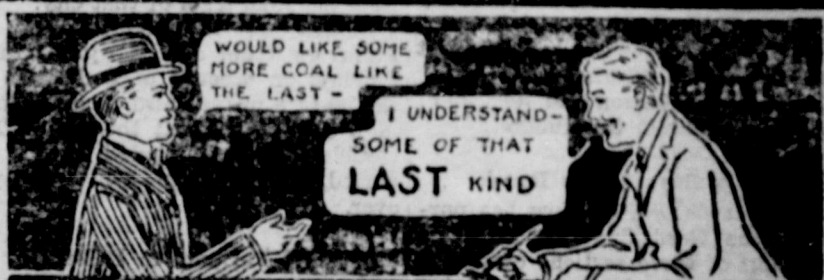
takes a team of horses to get your automobile out of a mud hole.

Keep out of trouble. No matter what the court may decide there is a large jury on the outside that will believe the charges.

People claim that they don't care

what other people think about them. But you will notice that the front yard is always cleaner than the back yard.

Gas Well Near Panhandle  
Panhandle, July 28.—The Gulf well was drilled two feet more today. The gas flow was increased by 20,000,000 feet, to 70,000,000.



## COAL HERE FOR THE ECONOMICAL

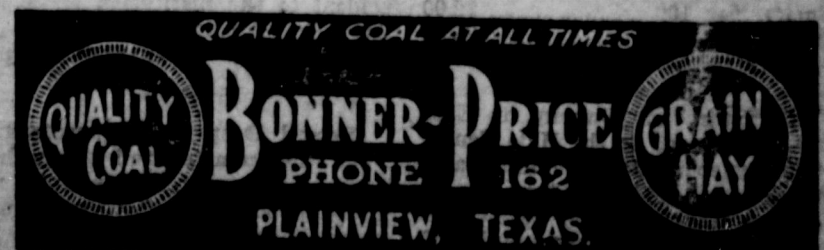
### THE SUNSHINE MAITLAND COAL IS A COAL FOR THE ECONOMICAL

If you want to save a lot of extra expense buy our coal.

It's a pure grade and burns to a very fine ash.

No clinkers, no trouble, that's why the particular coal buyers demands our kind.

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WE KEEP THE DIRT





## WANT COLUMN

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

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

We have a bunch of hogs for sale. All sizes—J. W. Boyle & Son.

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

**FOR SALE**—Extra nice kid ponies.—John T. Hall.

**WANTED**—Buggy horse for his feed for two months.—C. W. Tandy.

**FOR SALE**—1-2 gallon fruit jars, \$1.00 per dozen—Depot Cafe 23-2t p

**FOR SALE**—10 acres well improved Roy Irick, phone 611.

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

**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.

**FOR SALE**—Pleyer piano and a Victrola.—706 Columbia street, phone 89.

**FOR SALE**—Small threshing outfit, first-class condition. Racine separator and Titan engine.—J. H. Taack, nine miles southeast of Plainview.

**FOR SALE**—Nice home, close in, 5 rooms, west of Broadway.—Peace Bros., phone 646, Plainview, Texas.

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

**FOR SALE**—Gentle Shetland pony, safe for children.—W. Stockton, at postoffice.

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-St

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

**SHEEP FOR SALE**—480 head extra good Ramboulett ewes and lambs.—Ebeling Bros., 6 miles west of Plainview.

**GOOD BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE**—3 blocks from square, corner lots, \$550; inside lots \$450.—H. B. Adams Phone 97, News office.

**WANTED**—To buy a half-Shetland pony, about two years old.—Phone 552.

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

**FOR SALE**—Fordson tractor, in good condition.—Tom H. Terrell, north of Callahan ranch.

**FOR SALE CHEAP**—Baby buggy, New Perfection Oil stove, 60 gallon oil tank, table, wire folding couch. Also wind mill and tank.—Phone 350.

One of the best row crops in Hale county for sale. Part cotton, the balance feedstuff.—Curtis McKinley, Runningwater.

**FOR SALE**—A nice home, five rooms, hall, two large porches, chicken house, barns, garage and other buildings. See B. F. Moore, Plainview, Texas.

**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. Stevenoon, Trenton, Mo., Route 8.

**TWO GOOD LOTS FOR SALE**—2 blocks from square, 100x150 ft., east front lots, price \$1,300 for the two.—H. B. Adams, Phone 97, News office.

**FOR SALE**—5 Holt Caterpillar tractors, 5 ton model, used two months, in good serviceable condition, bargain.—Tractor Service Corporation, P. O. Box 987, Ranger Texas.

**CARD OF THANKS**—For the beautiful floral offerings, for every sympathetic word of consolation and every act which lightened the suffering of our precious baby, in his last illness we express our deepest gratitude. Words cannot express our love and appreciation to those who comforted and assisted us and him, and we pray that this bitter cup whose depths we know may pass from all of you.—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Martin.

**FOR SALE**—173 acres good land, 125 in cultivation, extra good irrigation outfit; four room house, barn, granary, chicken houses, orchard; 80 acres ready for wheat; 40 acres good row crop growing. Possession at once, \$100 per acre.—J. E. Rigler, Box 383, Plainview. 23-2t.

### Notice to Property Owners

Those who have not rendered their property for city and school taxes, should do so at once, and rolls will be closed up his week, and rendition will then be in the hands of the Board of Equalization.

GEO. SAIGLING,  
City Secretary.

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

**WANTED**—Good Roadster.—See H. B. Adams at News office, Phone 97.

### FOR SALE

Meat meal—good for hogs, fine for chickens.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-St

**FOR SALE**—Extra nice kid ponies.—John T. Hall.

**WANTED**—A good place to work on halves or rent, either way, with good house and good outside improvements. Would like to get fall wheat in. Will take special care of place. References furnished.—Apply at the News office.

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

**WANTED**—4 or 5 room house that can be moved.—See H. B. Adams at News office, Phone 97.

### FOR SALE

Eight head work stock.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-St.

**FOR SALE**—Good 5 room house and hall, 2 blocks from square, conveniences. Price \$3,750.—H. B. Adams, News office, Phone 97.

**FOR SALE**—Several good work mares and mule colts.—Mrs. W. C. Ooley, near Providence, northeast of Plainview.

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

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

**FOR SALE**—Good windmill tower.—J. M. Adams.

**WANTED**—Two salesmen with light trucks for Plainview territory.—G. C. care Plainview News.

**FOR SALE**—Modern 5 room house, 1 lot, close in, between square and Central school, has all conveniences. Price \$5,000, some terms.—H. B. Adams, Phone 97, News office.

### FOR SALE

Eight head work stock.—D. F. Sansom & Son. 5-St.

**WANTED**—A place to live and work on a farm for wages, near school where the ninth grade is taught. There are four in family.—John V. Steen, Rt. 2, Box 38, Lockney Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Extra nice kid ponies.—John T. Hall.

**FOR SALE**—Two heavy teams.—Roy Irick.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**—That I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Mrs. H. O. Hunton.—H. O. Hunton.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney:

CHARLES CLEMENTS, Plainview.

For County Tax Assessor:

W. H. MURPHY.

For County Judge:

L. D. GRIFFIN

For County Treasurer:

J. M. JOHNSON.

For County and District Clerk:

JO. W. WAYLAND

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

J. C. TERRY.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:

G. MARSHAL PHELPS.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:

E. B. SHANKLES

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:

J. H. HOOKER

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

H. R. TARWATER.

H. S. Avert of this city has bought the Darnell cafe in Amarillo.

Use the News Want Columns.

## HALE COUNTY NEWS

### HALE CENTER

July 28.—A. F. Quisenberry of El Paso, Texas, was visiting his old friends here the first of last week.

Harvey McGuire returned from Plainview Tuesday. He had undergone an operation for appendicitis in the Plainview sanitarium.

Mr. Cunningham has returned to Iowa, after looking after business matters here.

The members of the Delphian Chapter with their husbands and families took lunch baskets and drove to the pretty country home of M. S. Hudson Thursday evening and spent a very enjoyable time. The picnic supper contributed largely to the general happiness.

Rev. J. H. Bone was here a few days last week on his way to Miami after attending the Presbyterian convention in Waxahachie.

S. R. Burham was a Plainview caller Monday.

Rev. H. A. Lynch returned home Friday morning. After spending a few days at the Waxahachie convention he went to Arkansas to visit his mother and other friends. His mother accompanied him home and expects to remain here indefinitely.

Mr. Shook, who was badly burned last week when the Alley engine boiler exploded, is doing as well as could possibly be hoped.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baxter are the happy parents of a baby boy since Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Bone spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock with her grandson, C. B. Shepard and family. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Byrd Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McWhorter and sons of Lubbock spent the first of the week here with relatives and friends.

The Rebekah lodge met Monday night and after the regular routine of business had been attended to a class of new members was initiated.

D. of R. The evening closed with one of those enjoyable social hours for which the Rebekah are noted.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Alley gave a dancing party Monday complimenting the McWhorter family from Lubbock.

Miss Ines Boulter of Stoneback was a guest of the Misses Horton Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Reeves of Slaton is the guest of Miss Fiee Benson.

Miss Margery Colburn of National City, California, who has spent the past few weeks in the F. McQuat home leaves today, (Thursday) for Decatur, Ill., to visit relatives.

H. S. Cline has Mr. Williams an old Iowa friend here visiting and admiring our wonderful country.

The Needle Work Club had a very pleasant and interesting session at the home of Mrs. H. Sievers Wednesday.

### ANCHOR

July 27.—This community received another nice growing rain Monday afternoon which was much appreciated as the row stuff is now booting and looking good to the farmers.

Everybody is very busy rushing their crops to laying-by, as the threshers are coming soon and will need their help.

The farmers are rejoicing over their wheat crops as every one so far reports a larger grain yield than was expected. It seems as though the rains came in time to fill out the grains to perfection.

Mrs. S. E. Leckliter and daughter, Flossie, were in Hale Center shopping Saturday.

Rev. Logan failed to meet with us Sunday for some cause not learned.

Rev. Ingle, the Nazarene minister of Plainview, will begin a protracted meeting at Bartonsite Friday night, July 29, and would like the cooperation of all Christian workers. This is a harvest that all Christian people should be interested in.

Edith Leckliter spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Volle Fort, at Center Plains.

Marcus Barrington left Sunday for Plainview.

The singers met Sunday night at the home of Mrs. W. W. White.

Lee Gipson and Earl Montgomery of Bartonsite were with us Sunday night at the singing.

M. H. Barrington left Sunday for points in Central Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, son and daughter of Hale Center were visitors in the W. W. White home Sunday.

Theodore C. Smith of Abernathy spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. S. E. Leckliter.

W. W. and Frank White received a summons last Thursday to come to their father, who lives in Parker county, he being in a critical condition caused by a fall, breaking an arm and dislocating his shouldered blade. He is 80 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simonton and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ball were in Hale Center shopping Saturday.

Anchor was well represented Saturday in Hale Center, that being the democratic primary election day.

### PROVIDENCE

July 26.—Mrs. Alex Sheif and sister and brother arrived Sunday from Marlin to visit at the Carl Sammann home.

Mrs. Ooley's baby was on the sick list last week.

J. A. Batey lost his threshing machine by fire Saturday afternoon.

Mesdames Ooley, I. C. Nations and Kirurch were shopping in Plainview Monday.

Fred Sammann's baby has been quite sick.

Mrs. Grams of Marlin is visiting

her cousin, Mrs. Carl Sammann, also her brother, Mr. Dresner.

Sam Wright, Mr. Hannon and Mrs. Ooley and children visited at the Dalton and McWilliams homes on the Callahan ranch Sunday.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

H. C. Coleman and wife to Clara Coleman, section 25, block A4, 213 1-3 acres, \$2,500.

Mrs. B. A. Vaughn to Mrs. Johnnie Bandy, lots 21, 22 and 23, block 24, Plainview, \$6,250.

Mary E. Nations to S. O. Nations, section 1, block O1, Northwest 160 acres, \$9,500.

L. M. Faulkner and wife to W. J. Davis, lot 13, block 16, Plainview, \$4,750.

C. W. Sewell to R. H. Lowe, lot 7, block 38, Plainview, \$2,900.

W. A. Lowe and wife to J. M. Barton, section 23, block O, Southwest 160 acres, \$5,600.

John Dalrymple to D. D. Bowan, lot 15, block 16, Plainview, \$400.

H. C. Coleman and wife to Allyne Mills, section 25, block A4, 1-3 acre, \$2,000.

Wilbert Peterson and wife to J. A. Wade, lots 6 and 7, block 3, Plainview, \$4,000.

F. J. Hurlbut to W. J. Davis, section 28, block A1, 126 acres, \$6,160.

W. J. Davis and wife to F. J. Hurlbut, lot 13, block 16, Plainview, \$5,000.

J. H. Buntin and wife to R. L. Craig, lot 5, block 15, Plainview, \$4,000.

F. Davenport and wife to R. E. Horne, section 10, block JKA, north 320 acres, \$14,524.

J. H. Wengert to H. E. Landis, section 29, block D6, north 320 acres, \$1,000.

Paul V. Pierson to J. A. Phillips, lot 4, block 1, Highland Addition, \$5,000.

Robert McQuillan to C. W. Sewell, lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 45, Highland Addition, Plainview, \$4,500.

J. B. Marey and wife to Clara Terry, lot 1, block 4, Central Park Addition, Plainview, \$2,750.

### Five Important Land Deals

The Otus Reeves Realty Co., has recently made the following sales: 90 acres unimproved land 8 miles of Plainview, J. L. Firth to Mr. Davis, consideration \$2600.

160 acres partially improved land 8 miles of Plainview, J. L. Reedy to Geo. H. Wilson, consideration \$42 per acre.

320 acres improved land, 15 miles East of Tulsa, S. B. Barnes to A. M. Anderson, consideration \$50 per acre.

640 acres partially improved land, 15 miles east of Tulsa, E. P. Norwood to A. M. Anderson, consideration \$50 per acre.

499 acres unimproved land in Castro county L. G. and J. B. Conner to R. A. Brandshaw, consideration \$25 per acre.

### Watson's Business College News

Miss Mildred Ingram, Fort Worth, and James Terry of Plainview, have recently entered school.

The following students re-entered school this week: Lida Trotter, Daisy Burns and Irene Thomas.

Fritz Schacht who graduated several weeks past has been visiting in Nebraska. He writes us that he has accepted a position.

Lloyd Hartley left Monday night for Bay City to take charge of the Bay City Business College which he has purchased.

Miss Tommye Hefner spent the weekend at her home in Silverton, her mother having returned from an extended visit in Central Texas and Arkansas.

### Paying War Debts

According to an eminent authority, O. P. Austin, statistician for the National City Bank of New York, the debts of the world war are about \$265,000,000,000. At the beginning of the European war the indebtedness was \$44,000,000,000. This is an enormous increase, the present amount being so great as to be incomprehensible.

The interest charges on the world's debt is said to be about \$9,000,000,000 per year. One year before the war it was \$75,000,000 a year. The per capita indebtedness of the world is said to be \$150 now; interest charges \$6 per capita. In 1913 the per capita debt was \$27 a year and the interest \$1 per capita every year.

This enormous debt must be paid. Every individual must discharge his portion of the debt if normal civilization is to continue and if nations are to show through their governments that they are worthy to exist. There is but one legitimate way to pay and that is taxes, each citizen of the nation paying his proportionate part. But people who do not work and earn cannot pay. The idle, the agitator, the disturbers of the peace will have nothing with which to pay and will interfere with others who are trying to pay.

Unless the people of this country go to work, quit spending for luxuries and cease trying to get wages and salaries without adequate service, how are they to pay their portion of the war debt? It will require more than farmers to provide the revenue to discharge this country's war debt and feed and clothe the people. Every individual must do his "bit" and do it willingly.—Farm & Ranch.

Even though the hog population of the United States is placed at 70,000,000, government reports give this a decrease of the previous year, and say that the country will experience a hog shortage this year.

## The Test of a Man

Is determined by his willingness to serve.

The officers of this bank expect success for this institution only as compensation measured solely by the service they are able and willing to render the people of this section.

Our success is a reflection of your success, and you will find us more than willing to do the best we can to see you succeed.

## Guaranty State Bank

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Temporarily located just across the street north from our new building, now under construction.

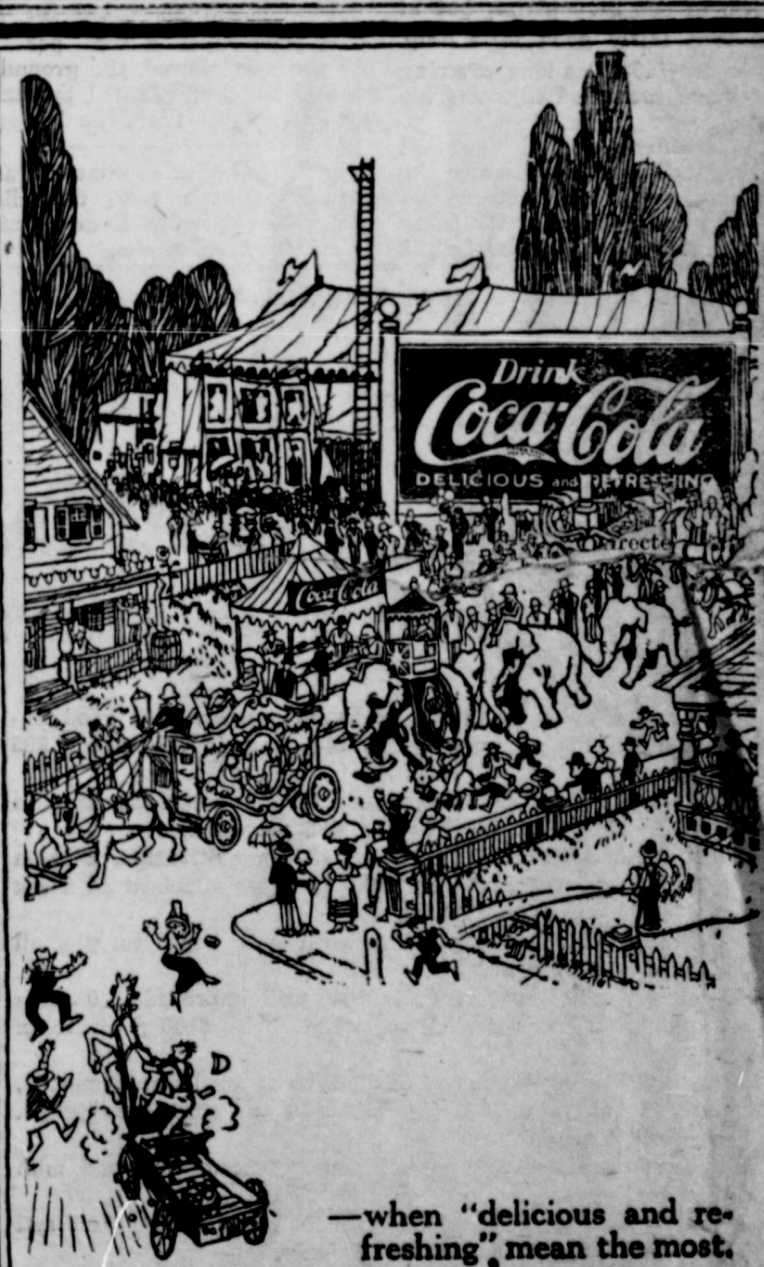
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## CARTER-HOUSTON'S AUGUST SHOE SALE

On Saturday, July 31, we will begin our big August Shoe Sale. Every pair of Ladies' and Children's low shoes at a reduction of from 30 to 50 per cent.



We are offering these at a sacrifice in order to make room for our fall line arriving daily.



300 pair of choice Pumps and Oxfords, low and high heels, values up to \$16.50. At

**\$6.95**

250 pair Ladies Pumps and Oxfords values to \$20.00 at

**\$9.85**

200 pair choice at

**\$4.95**

Many others too numerous to mention.

### EXTRA SPECIAL

70 Pair of Brown Oxfords, Military Heel at

**\$5.95**

**CARTER-HOUSTON'S**

Goods That Speak for Themselves

#### Has Only Two Rows of Maize

W. R. Cope, of Fairview, has only two rows of sod crop maize, but at that it is a fairly good little crop. The rows are 140 miles long covering 110 acres of leased land adjoining his farm.

A two-row lister-planted was used in planting this spring, following the sow plowing, and he began at one end of the rows and finished at the other having planted when he finished, a

distance of 140 miles.

The crop is looking fairly good, present indications being for about three-quarters of a ton per acre. The sod was plowed, the ground dced, and the seed planted by machinery altogether.—Floydada Hesperian.

R. A. Baldwin of Slaton was re-elected legislator from that district over T. G. Marks of Lynn county by a vote of three to one.



#### Kiwanis Club Hears Tall

By Messrs. Randolph and Bennett  
The Kiwanis club at its weekly luncheon at noon today heard an address by Judge H. C. Randolph on "The Betterment of Plainview," and he pointedly urged that a city park should be secured now for the use of the present and coming generations.

B. F. Bennett of Abilene, field secretary of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, passed encomiums upon Plainview as the "Queen City of the West" in his address on the welfare of the Plains.

R. C. Ayers was the "big stick man"—that is toastmaster.  
W. J. Klinger drew the attendance prize.

The quartette, composed of Messrs. T. and Will Stockton, Frank Truesdale and D. D. Neal, sang, accompanied by Mrs. Guy Jacob on the piano.

#### Civic League

The Civic League will meet at the library room at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and the cemetery association will meet at the county judge's office Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

#### Mrs. T. C. Shepard Hostess

To Tuesday Bridge Club  
Mrs. T. C. Shepard was hostess informally to the Tuesday Bridge club. There were three tables for games and Mrs. L. C. Wayland won top score for the members and Mrs. J. O. Wyckoff for the guests. An ice course was served to the members and Mrs. J. O. Wyckoff, Mrs. Chas. Saigling, Mrs. John Roberts of Dallas, Mrs. Scott Cochrane of El Paso and Mrs. E. C. Adams.

#### Sunday School Picnic

At Kress this Evening  
The Baptist Sunday school at Kress will give a picnic at the church this evening.

#### Abernathy Couple Married

In Amarillo Yesterday  
Last evening at the home of Rev. R. F. Jenkins, 1711 Tyler street, Miss Grace Shaw and Orie A. Hembree, of Abernathy, were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony. The young couple left this morning for Phoenix, Arizona, where they will spend their honeymoon. They will make their future home at Abernathy.—Amarillo News, July 30.

#### Randall County Results

Canyon, July 28.—In Randall county there were only three contested offices: County Judge C. R. Flesher was defeated for a third term by Worth A. Jennings, who has been sheriff and tax collector of the county for the past eight years. W. C. Black was elected sheriff and tax collector over J. E. Rogers. Mrs. Myra Smith defeated S. H. Heyser for a third term as county treasurer.

Rev. C. O. Moore, pastor of the Methodist church in Memphis, left this morning for home after spending a couple of days here. He was for several years presiding elder of Plainview district. He informs us that he has had more than 150 additions to his church since his pastorate begun last December. He informed us that his mother died in March and his father died a few days ago. They were 84 and 85 years of age.

J. L. Jacobs is expected home tomorrow from New York City where he has been buying fall and winter stocks of dry goods, etc. Mrs. Jacobs and children, who have been visiting her parents in Dallas for several months, will return with him.

Editor Jones of the Silverton Star was here yesterday for the third time this week. He was telling some kind of a story about a snake swallowing itself near his town.

Mrs. Belle Young writes us that she is now at Hot Springs, N. M., for the benefit of her health. She said the water is so hot that it "nearly scalded mee to death."

Mrs. H. H. Johnson and children and Mr. Marrs of Commerce, who have been visiting the family of her brother, C. O. Surratt of near Runningwater, left this morning for their homes.

George McMillan, who has been here for a couple of weeks visiting his brother, A. M. McMillan, left this morning for his home in Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Linton of Louisiana, who have been here visiting her sister, Mrs. P. B. Barber, left yesterday for a visit with relatives in the North.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Porter are in Detroit, Michigan, attending a convention of salesmen for the Burroughs Adding Machines. Mr. Porter is high man for amount of sales in the United States and Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Falvey, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Percy and Mrs. Pierce Fagan of Lufkin were here this week visiting their relative, Mrs. E. T. Coleman. They were en route in cars to Colorado for a month. Charlotte Coleman went with them from here.

See the News Want Columns.

## SPECIAL LOW SHOE VALUES

That Only the Plainview Mercantile  
Company Can Offer

### Ladies' Misses' and Children's Shoes

One lot of Ladies Low Shoes, new arrivals, in black, ooze ankle and instep straps ..... **\$12.35**

One lot of Ladies Low Shoes, new arrivals, in black kid onkle and instep straps at ..... **\$11.25**

One lot of Ladies Low Shoes, new arrivals, in military heel and one eyelet tie at ..... **\$10.35**

All other ladies' and misses' Low shoes in stock are selling for the following prices:

All \$16.50 values now ..... **\$12.35**

All \$15.00 values now ..... **\$11.25**

All \$12.50 values now ..... **\$9.35**

All \$10.00 values now ..... **\$8.00**

All \$8.00 values now ..... **\$6.40**

All \$7.50 values now ..... **\$6.00**

All \$5.00 values now ..... **\$3.75**

All \$4.00 values now ..... **\$3.20**

One special lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's shoes and low shoes choice per pair ..... **\$1.00**

Another extra special values is offering in one lot of Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps in black and brown, kid and patent leather, choice, per pair ..... **\$4.95**

### Men's and Boys' Shoes

All Men's and Boys' Low Shoes are being sold at 25 per cent discount as follows:

All \$18.00 values now ..... **\$13.50**

All \$15.00 values now ..... **\$11.25**

All \$10.00 values now ..... **\$7.50**

All \$7.50 values now ..... **\$5.62**

All \$5.00 values now ..... **\$3.75**

An extra special value is being shown in an assortment of Men's Low Shoes in black and ton, sizes 5 to 8, your choice per pair ..... **\$3.50**

Early buying and early shipment enables us to offer the Ladies good values in black and brown kid shoes from our famous Utz & Dunn line for fall and winter.

We also have in our fall line of Stacy Adams and Douglas Men's shoes for this fall.

Our line of Boys' and Children's shoes is complete and our policy of early buying and early shipments enables us to offer you extra good values.

We have a large stock of tennis shoes and slippers for every member of the family and are showing them at extra good prices

**Plainview Mercantile Company**

Burns & Pierce, Props.

W. A. MORTER

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**J. J. Lash Real Estate Co.**

Land Abstracts Insurance

160 acres, 4 miles northeast of Runningwater, with good improvements, 1 mile of good school, 140 acres in cultivation, \$65 per acre.

200 acres, 6 miles from Plainview, well improved, 230 acres in cultivation. This is an ideal home. \$85 per acre.

320 acres, 3 miles from Halfway, 135 in cultivation, 4 room house, good barn, well and windmill. 85 acres of wheat in shock goes at \$42.50 per acre. Terms.

160 acres, 4 miles of Plainview, with new improvements, all tillable land. \$85 per acre.

160 acres, 7 miles east of Plainview, well improved, 140 acres in cultivation. All fenced with hog wire. Price \$100 per acre on good terms.

160 acres, 7 miles southeast of Plainview, good improvements, 140 acres in cultivation, all tillable. \$60 per acre, easy terms. This is a real bargain.

640 acres, near Red Hill school house, fenced, well and mill. Price \$30 per acre.

640 acres, 3 miles Kress, 200 acres in cultivation. Well and mill. \$35 per acre for a short while only.

We have some nice ranch propositions to offer in Randall, Castro, Biscue and Gray counties.

#### CITY PROPERTY

5 room house on southeast corner lot. A bargain at \$3,500; \$500 cash, balance on balance.

5 room house on West 7th Street, at \$3,500. Vacant lots located to suit you.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR LAND LIST IT WITH US. We are in touch with more prospectors than ever before. Give us your very best price and terms. We can not sell your land for more than you could, but we want a list on it that will give us an equal chance.

**J. J. Lash Real Estate Co.**

Phone No. 653

Plainview, Texas

#### NOTHING TO DO IN THIS HOUSE BUT JUST LIVE

Chicago, July 28.—A home without a servant was promised the world today by Miss Leah White, designer.

She declared her new home here would be: Janitorless, servantless, basementless, plasterless, fireproof and sound proof.

The house, she said, would be automatically heated and cleaned. Living room, dining room and sun parlor combined. Made of glass on two sides and sleeping quarters on the roof.

E. A. Brown of Three Rivers, Live Oak county, south of San Antonio, was here this week visiting his brother-in-law, B. F. Cox. He was so well impressed with Hale county that he has decided to locate here, and left this morning for home to move his family here.

Tahoka this week voted \$30,000 in bonds with which to improve and equip its public school building.

When you buy an automobile do you buy one you never heard of before and from a stranger? This applies to life insurance. Buy your life insurance from home men who represent a large old line company, and who will give you service. We cover you for loss of time by accident or sickness, and it is not deducted from the face of the policy.—Knobhuizen & Boyd, Life Insurance Specialists.

FOR SALE—One Avery 8-16 engine, one Sanders four disc plow, one disc harrow, all in good order, and well worth the money, easy terms.—J. D. Yoder, Rt. A, Plainview. 23-1f.

#### CLUBBING RATES

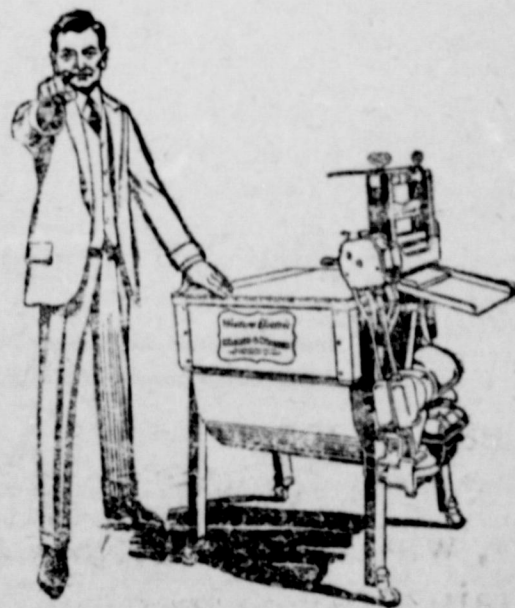
The Plainview News one year and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year ..... **\$3.25**

The Plainview News one year and Amarillo Daily News one year for ..... **\$9.25**

The Plainview News one year and Kansas City Weekly Star ..... **\$2.85**

FOR SALE—Ployer piano and a Victrola.—706 Columbia street, phone 89.

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



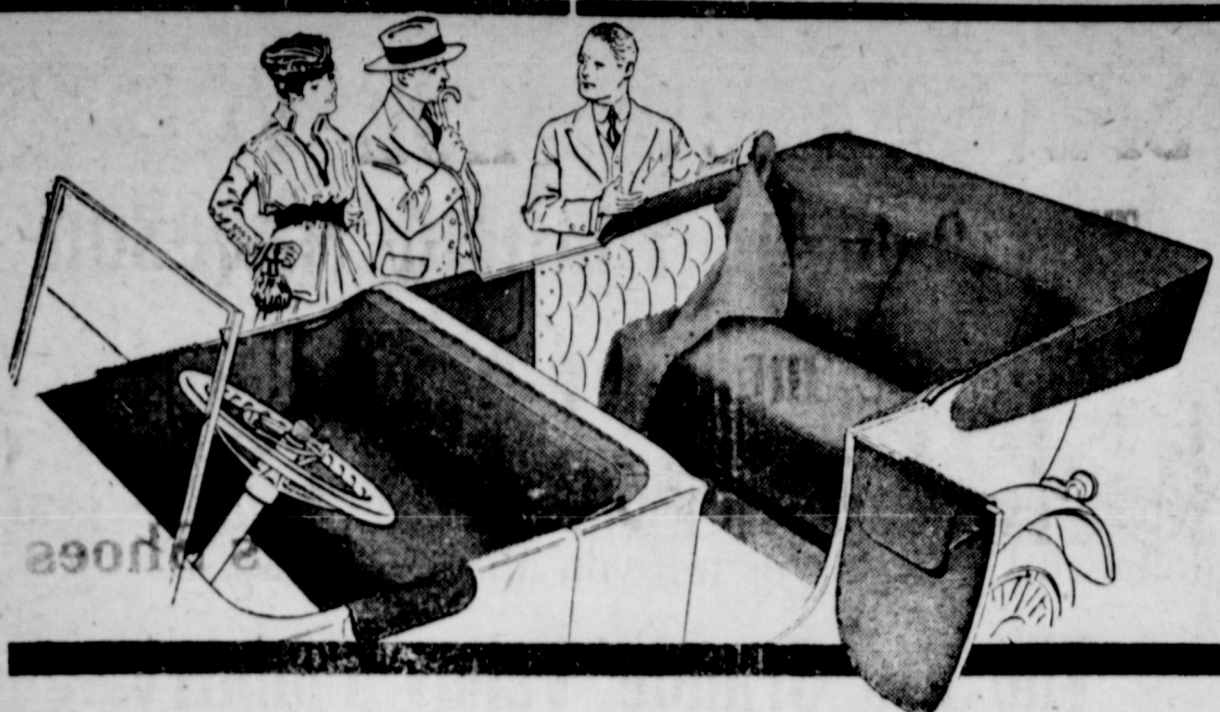
**Makes Wash Day Rest Day**

This  
**Western Electric  
Washer and Wringer**

Takes the ache, strain and tired feeling out of wash day. Keeps you feeling fit and fine and gives you a chance to get outside.

**G.-C. ELECTRIC CO.**





## Do You Want to Sell Your Car?

It is your intentions, we could not seek a more opportuned time in which to explain how you can add to the resale value of your car.

As a rule one will always overlook the outside appearance of the car, the one important item that is a deciding point in most purchasers minds.

### Painting Tops Upholstering

Either of the above mentioned are always neglected and the repairing or replacing either of the three jobs will add their share towards improving the appearance of that particular part, but the combined results created from the effects of the three causes a favorable impression upon the purchasers mind that in nearly every case means a sale.

Call and Let's Talk It Over  
**Richards Auto Top & Painting Co.**

We Can't Do All the Work, So We Do the Best



#### PERSONAL MENTION

M. J. Lemhan of Lakeville, Minn., is here.  
E. Evans of Eastland is here on business.  
N. S. Lanier of Carbon was here Saturday.  
V. T. Williams of Tahoka was here Wednesday.  
A. N. Enderson of Brownfield was here Saturday.

Dr. J. A. Robinson of Plains was in town yesterday.  
Chas. Barrett has been very sick with typhoid fever.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Reed of Tulia were here Tuesday.  
A. M. Hickman left yesterday for Hico to visit relatives.  
Miss Vada Bussell returned yesterday from a visit in Canyon.  
Mrs. T. M. Wiley of Bronte has been here visiting relatives.

Floyd B. Adams of Wayside was here yesterday on business.  
N. N. Rodgers and O. M. Hart of Post City were here Monday.  
Burke Mathes returned from a stay of several days in Canyon.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Walker of Littlefield were in town yesterday.  
J. L. Fritch has been in Crosbyton this week reporting for the court.  
Miss Vencil of Stamford is here spending ten days with homefolks.

## Grain On Farms

A shortage of cars make it almost impossible to move the present crop. Large values are represented by this wheat, in some cases an entire year's profits is there. Therefore, it is highly important to protect this wheat, whether it is threshed, in bins or on the ground, against fire. This office furnishes complete insurance protection to farmers, and we shall be glad to furnish our companies' protection to you. Why carry your own risk, when for the price of a few bushels of wheat you can protect a thousand.

**Knoohuizen & Boyd**  
First National Bank Building

A. L. Goff and C. W. McDaniel of Desdemona are here on business.  
R. A. Craushey of Crosbyton, a grain buyer, was in town Wednesday.  
Rat Jowell and R. R. Boyer of Hereford are here today on business.  
B. A. Stafford, J. A. Hill and son of Canyon Normal were here Saturday.  
Mrs. Hohlaus and children went to Crosbyton yesterday to visit relatives.  
W. T. Alspach of Carroll, Iowa, a real estate agent, is in the county this week.  
Miss Ethel Jackson of Chattanooga, Tenn., is the guest of A. Allison and family.  
Mrs. Rosa Rushing and children went to Lubbock yesterday to visit relatives.  
Mrs. Henderson of Mart arrived yesterday to visit her uncle, C. H. Buttolph.  
H. L. Smith, H. Schrierer and R. C. Hopping of Littlefield were here yesterday.  
J. T. Denson, C. Warestrong and J. E. Errison of Memphis were here Wednesday.  
John Hayden and family left yesterday in their car for a trip to Wichita Falls.  
Miss Myrtle Bryant, who is employed in Amarillo, is here this week visiting relatives.  
Emmitt Moses has gone to St. Louis to buy Christmas goods for the Texas Variety Co.  
Flake Garner left this morning for Santa Anna to look after his oil and gas well operations.  
County Clerk Simpson of Tulia was here yesterday. He was re-elected in the recent primary.  
Misses Arminta and Alva Blair have returned from a visit with Miss Bessie Boyle in Amarillo.  
Jim Phillips returned this morning from Midland, where he has been looking after some cattle.  
B. B. Bailey, who formerly conducted the Depot Cafe, returned this morning from a trip to California.  
Mr. and Mrs. Adams and son of Glen Rose arrived this morning to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Wayland.  
Mrs. Lynch returned today to her home in Claude after a week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tye.  
Lyman Perley, who has been here looking after his landed interests, left yesterday for his home in Omaha, Neb.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKee and son of Oklahoma City arrived yesterday to visit friends. They lived here until several years ago.  
Mrs. Bertie Jordan returned Monday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. B. D. McClure at 1921 Hemp-

## THE NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph With a Soul"

Music makes your life and your home better and happier. You cannot have too much music in your home, members of your family who sing or play should be encouraged, the gift of making music is a divine gift. However, there is no household whose members can supply all the music that is needed in that household. The gigantic task which Mr. Edison undertook was to meet this greater need by developing a phonograph which would give not a mere mechanical travesty on fine music, but instead an absolutely perfect reproduction, so exact in its realism that reproduction and original could not be told apart.

We are prepared to prove to you that Mr. Edison produced the only phonograph that can stand this test.

WE HAVE THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF RE-CREATIONS EVER BEFORE IN PLAINVIEW, and you can likely find what you want here. Do not delay buying your Edison as we expect an advance in prices, we have several models in stock.

**McMillan Drug Co.**

## SALES FOR JULY

BY

**PERRY & CRAM**

**Quarter Million Dollars**

This is a pretty good record, and proves that we are well organized for business, and can "deliver the goods."

One of the very gratifying features in connection with this big business is the fact that so far as we know there is not a single dissatisfied customer, either buyer or seller.

We naturally want to beat this record during August, and with our large list of properties in general, both in Farms, Ranches and City Property, in connection with our recent contract to handle the magnificent body of land known as the "Price Brothers Holdings," northeast of Plainview, near Whitfield, we see no reason why we should not do so.

It is a well known fact that there is no finer land on the Plains, nor in Texas, than this body of land. The soil is peculiarly adapted to the raising of the two Great Staple crops—WHEAT and COTTON. Any farmer who will apply himself, using the scientific methods of farming now so well established in this wonderful Shallow Water Belt, can not only make this land pay for itself in a very short time, but will build up a good bank account in addition.

This is Really CHOICE LAND.  
It is WELL LOCATED.  
There is NONE BETTER.  
The terms of sale ARE GOOD.  
It is a GOOD INVESTMENT.  
We can sell in 160, 320 and 640 acre tracts.  
We can secure first class rental contracts for purchasers who want to lease it out.

Land values will be CONSIDERABLY HIGHER by January. Those who are in touch with conditions know that prices are advancing rapidly.

The time to buy is NOW. Don't wait. Delay means additional cost to you. Let us show you this land. Your own judgment will tell you what to do after you have seen it.

In five years OUR LANDS WILL BE WORTH \$250 per acre, or the present values in Central Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio MUST come down at least 50 per cent. And you never knew of really choice land EVER falling back in values. Present high prices in these states WILL BE MAINTAINED, which means BIG ADVANCE in our lands. THIS MUST RESULT. Are you going to profit by experience of others and make yourself solid while you have the opportunity?

We have some choice modern homes in Plainview, and some fine suburban homes. Tell us what you want and we will do the rest.

**Perry & Cram**

116 West 7th Street

Phone 437



## LABOR QUESTIONS ARE PUT TO VOTE

### Ballot to Decide Stand of Business Men on Industrial Relations

New York, July 25.—Business and labor throughout the country are waiting with the greatest of interest for the outcome of the referendum being taken of trade and commercial organizations in all parts of the United States to definitely determine the stand which American business men will take on the labor question. More than 1,300 trade and commercial bodies are taking a vote this month on twelve principles of industrial relations and two proposals with reference to employment in public service corporations. These proposals were drawn up by committees of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The referendum when the vote is finally tallied will register the opinions of trade organizations with an underlying membership of nearly 1,500,000. The vote gives the business men of the United States an opportunity to place themselves on record as to their view on the most fundamental principles of relation with labor and will furnish the opportunity for determining a common ground on which all business is expected to stand.

Two of the principles which are being voted on are receiving the greatest attention and the vote on them is being watched with the keenest interest particularly by organized labor. These are the question of the open or closed shop and the right of employer to deal with his own employees without the interference of outside agents. The two proposals with reference to employment in public service corporations are embodied in the following questions:

Should strikes by employees of all public service corporations performing public service essential to the lives, health, well-being and comfort of the people be explicitly prohibited by law?

Should suitable tribunals be created by law to adjust differences between employees of public service corporations and their employers and should the decisions of such tribunals be final and binding upon both parties?

The first referendum was prepared after a study of conditions by a special committee of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States appointed following the close of the President's first industrial conference and instructed to consider the principles presented by the employees group in the conference.

### NEFF HEARS FROM THOMASON AND LOONEY SUPPORTERS

Waco, Texas, July 27.—Joseph W. Hale, secretary to Pat M. Neff, gave out the following here tonight:

"Pat M. Neff announced tonight that he had received during the last two days literally hundreds of letters and telegrams from former supporters of Mr. Thomason and Mr. Looney in every section of the state, pledging to him their unqualified support in the coming campaign. Among the telegrams were many from chairmen of county organizations who spoke in behalf of their co-workers. The Thomason Club of Gainesville was the first club to send such a message. Assurance is given that both Thomason and Looney leaders have taken a prominent part in the reorganizing of the Neff forces in many leading counties."

### At Odds to Grass

Grass is the forgiveness of nature—her constant benediction. Fields trampled with battle, saturated with blood, torn with the ruts of cannon, grow green with grass, and carnage is forgotten. Streets abandoned by traffic become grass-grown like rural lanes, and are obliterated; forests decay, harvests perish, flowers vanish, but grass is immortal. Beleguered by the sullen hosts of winter it withdraws into impenetrable fortress of its subterranean vitality and emerges upon the solicitation of spring. Sown by the winds, by wandering birds, propagated by the subtle horticulture of the elements, it softens the rude outlines of the world. Its tenacious fibers hold the earth in its place, and present its soluble components from washing into the sea. It invades the solitude of deserts, climbs the inaccessible slopes and forbidding pinnacles of mountains, modifies climates, and determines the history, character and destiny of nations. Unobtrusive and patient, it has immortal vigor and aggression. Banished from the thoroughfare of the field, it hides its time to return, and when vigilance is relaxed, or the dynasty has perished, it silently resumes its throne, from which it has been expelled, but which it never abdicates. It bears no blazonry of bloom to charm the senses with fragrance or splendor, but its homely hue is more enchanting than the lily or the rose. It yields no fruit in earth or air and yet should its harvest fail for a single year famine would depopulate the world.—By Senator John J. Ingalls.

Experts conducting experiments in long-distance wireless telephonic communications, have recently announced that words of a message were transmitted audibly over a distance of 2,000 miles, from Chelmsford, near England, to St. Johns, N. F.

## Less Work Wanted

Organized labor's newest demands made at the convention in Montreal recently, are that the working day be shortened to six hours in order that a job may be provided for every worker. Apparently organized labor is not familiar with the scriptural injunction that the laborer shall be worthy of his hire, for a job for every body means that everybody shall have a job whether he is capable of doing his work or not. There should be no quarrel with organized labor as long as organized labor stays reasonable, but is it reasonable for one class of men to say we will have our share of world's goods by working one-fourth day, while the other great class of producers on the farm must work from one-half to two-thirds of each day to provide food for himself and the rest of the world? Those who belong to labor unions perform only a part of the world's work. The rest of us must work a full day, sometimes with uncertain pay, that all may be filled. No man or class of men can live long upon the sweat of other people's brows. Organized labor would do well, therefore, to revise its working days and help produce more than those who also work may be able to have the things that labor produces.—Farm & Ranch.

## Car Prices Not Unjust

Leon J. Pinkston, automobile editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, has this to say about the price situation, as it is viewed on the Pacific coast:

"Here in the west the demand for automobiles is showing a wonderful impetus. Many have been waiting for price reduction in motor cars. This is an impossibility at present. Every unit that goes into the making of a motor vehicle has increased and on top of this, labor costs have gone skyward. As a matter of fact, motor car prices have increased less than any other commodity that we eat, wear or use."

"Clothes have increased nearly 100 per cent in price, food over 100 per cent, and there is not an automobile built that has increased in price anywhere near that figure, and, added to this, the motor car that you get today is twice as good as the one you bought before the war."

## America Again Wins Trophy

The American yacht Resolute Tuesday won the third out of five races against the British yacht, Shamrock V, thus again winning the trophy cup. The races were sailed off the coast of New York.

This is the thirteenth continuous time the Americans have won the yachting cup, having never lost a single time since 1853.

Sir Thomas Lipson, the owner of the Shamrock, says the races were fair, and the Resolute is the best boat. He has tried for the cup four times, and will try again next year.

## Labor-Saving Machinery

A trade journal reminds its readers that in the steel industry a single steam shovel with a gang of half a dozen men now performs the work which used to require 500 grimy toilers. At the docks in Duluth, appliances have been installed that make it possible to load in less than half an hour a big lake ore car which 100 men could not fill in two days. There is a reminder also that the world has invested its savings for the last 100 years to the extent of billions in labor saving devices. "Do men do more."

## May Have to Ration "Gas"

Washington.—A gasoline rationing system to be applied throughout the entire United States now is being considered by big refiners.

The rationing system is designed by the refiners as a last resort to curtail consumption and to keep the price from being forced to more than 40 cents a gallon.

Refiners say curtailing consumption is the only way to keep down prices. Before adopting the rationing system they plan to issue a nationwide appeal to the country to cut down on riding.

Confederate money has been found circulating on the Baltic and officials of the American Red Cross say that many thousand of bills of the Confederate states of America are being circulated in the Baltic states. Natives have paid from 50 to 80 rubles for each dollar of this worthless paper which is supposed to have been brought over by Americans.

Several European countries are still living under the war-time bread restrictions, a fact which indicates a shortage of this class of food.

Mrs. James Adair of Clarendon, owner of the J. A. ranch, has sold this year's crop of calves numbering between 4,000 and 5,000 head. The calves were sold to Ralph Price of Reading, Kansas.

## DON'T FORGET

Riley Duff and Co.

Will save you money on your furniture.

## SMALL LOANS TO BE MADE TO FARMERS

Dallas, July 24.—A loan fund for the purpose of encouraging small land owners, tenants and their wives and children to remain on the farm and devote their time to agricultural production has been outlined by the Texas Industrial Congress, according to E. W. Kirkpatrick, president of the congress, who said that the fund will amount to \$100,000 or more. Loans will be made at a low rate of interest, he said, to individuals who are not in position to borrow from banks, after the applicant has been passed upon by a committee of business men. Most of the loans are expected to be made to those who are good moral risks, but who have not sufficient collateral to secure financial assistance through ordinary channels.

## America's Great Resources

In the American Magazine for August there is an interview with Clarence W. Barron, described as the foremost financial newspaper owner and editor in the world. Mr. Barron is quoted as saying: "There is not a single reason why this great continent should not enjoy a continuance of vigorous, healthy, booming business. We produce 60 per cent of the world's cotton, 62 per cent of its copper, 66 per cent of its oil, 50 per cent of its pig iron and steel, 85 per cent of its automobiles, 45 per cent of its grain, 75 per cent of its agricultural machinery, 70 per cent of its telephone apparatus, 85 per cent of its typewriters, 50 per cent of its ships and 75 per cent of its packing products. We have wealth in coal, in gold, in silver, in lead. We have the right soil, the right machinery, and the right men to produce abundantly, efficiently, and economically. We lack only one thing, intelligent direction of the country's capital and supplies of gold, money and credit by the authorities at Washington."

We have tucked up in the twelve federal banks throughout the country a greater amount of gold than any other country has ever possessed, an amount sufficient to warrant the issuance of a great deal more credit to legitimate business borrowers than the federal reserve board has been in favor of. Some two billion dollars more credit could be granted by our financial institutions, without bringing the percentage of our gold reserves down to anywhere near the percentage of gold held by Britain, or France, or any other leading country. Both our exports and our imports must be larger, not smaller. We must buy more from other countries. The more we work, the more we can buy. And the more we buy, the more we can sell to the people of whom we buy. We can send steel and copper to the Orient, and take silks and bronze in return. We can sell cotton, grain, oil and coal to the whole world, and bring in return the fruits of the world's labor. We have only to furnish the necessities of life, which we possess in superabundance, to the rest of mankind in order to receive into our own life the wealth, the luxury, the comforts, the things artistic, which can make the American working man a prince and capitalist—though he must still work with both brain and hand. The world is empty of reserves and supplies of food, fuel, clothing, oil, houses and other buildings, railways, locomotives, cars, and in fact, practically everything else, except machinery. Machinery had to be maintained during the war to produce steel and clothing. But everything else has been drained to the dregs. The shelves of the world are bare of goods, and production is disorganized. To advocate rigid deflation—that is, the calling in of loans on a very severe scale, and refusal to grant reasonable applications for new loans by the right kind of borrowers—would be a crime under the conditions existing in the United States and in the world today. During the war we stimulated production. And we knew how to do it. We bid for men and materials; we used our credit; we put our reserves into active use. But the war is just as much with us today, for all practical purposes, as it was when the men were in the trenches. If we were still fighting, the government would be selling bonds by the billion, and the country would be rushing clothing, food, etc.; and the nation's entire financial resources, including the federal reserve banks, as well as all the national and state banks' credits, would be working at full speed."

## Will Build Up Certified Flocks

Ten poultry breeders in Johnson county have undertaken to raise poultry by the certified flock method. A certified flock as defined by the county agent is one headed by a male from a hen with a record of 200 eggs or better, a flock from which all low producing hens are culled out by expert poultrymen, and a flock having no standard disqualifications. Male birds will be selected from a certified flock by disinterested persons. Those which meet the requirements will receive a leg band and be called a certified male. These males will be placed in the farm flocks and it is hoped that their continual use will result in increased egg production.

## Additional Credits Granted Lockney

Lockney, Texas, July 27.—The Lockney High school has been granted additional affiliation in arithmetic, one-half-unit; chemistry, one unit; biology, one unit. This brings the total credits of the Lockney High school up to fourteen and one-half units and gives it full affiliation.

# If You Are Interested In An All-Year Planting Season

## Where Crops Are Always Sure

Where the winters are balmy and the rest of the year delightful, then let us tell you about

## The Rio Grande Valley Country

Where with irrigation men are taking from \$300 to \$2,000 an acre each year from their crops and orchards.

Where you will live longer, work less, make more money and be free from pneumonia, asthma, rheumatism or bronchial troubles.

Where there are the best schools in the state, and wholesome social and religious surroundings.

We have an excursion leaving every week, and the fare for the round-trip including sleeper fare, meals, and all other expenses is only \$50.00.

All we ask is, are you financially able to buy our land provided you think it the best section you have ever seen. There are no strings to our offer.

Call and let us tell you all about the Rio Grande Valley, and what is being done there.

**J. W. Patterson, Dick Groves,  
J. M. Coffey**

Suite 37, Grant Bldg. Phone 518  
W. E. Stewart Land Co., Kansas City

## Francisco Villa Surrenders

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 28.—Francisco Villa has surrendered unconditionally to the provisional government of Mexico.

After a conference last night and this morning with General Eugenio Martini, commander of the northern district, Villa surrendered, it was learned.

Carl Haeglin, the American who was made prisoner when Villa took Sabinas, and held for ransom, has been released, it was also learned.

It is expected that Villa will now go to Mexico City and make arrangements for settling down in some state as a ranchman. The 600 reported followers will be given the opportunity of settling near the retired leader, it was learned.

Francisco is a brother of Pancho Villa, the well known Mexican revolutionist.

Texas has enough land to supply every man, woman and child in the United States with one and one-half acres.

## LIGHT CRUST FLOUR

"The Flour of Quality"  
For Sale By

**LINN & BOTTS**

Kress, Texas

J. P. Linn

W. G. Botts

One year ago cotton seed oil was bringing 26 cents per pound or \$1.95 per gallon with a strong demand. Now the market quotations are 10c a pound or 75c a gallon. Extensive importation of Chinese and Japanese vegetable oils are said to have forced down the price of cotton seed oil in the United States to a third of what it was last year.

of the year 1919 totaled approximately \$227,000,000. Farmers are said to have been among the heavy buyers.

Texas is larger than the combined area of Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware and Rhode Island.

Kansas' wheat crop this year is said to be the second largest on record. The production is given as 147,030,665 bushels in a forecast of July.

Motor truck sales for the last half

We have the latest thing to be found in the way of musical instruments. We handle the

# Famous Baldwin Line of Pianos and Player Pianos

## Also the New Symphony Talking Machine

The phonograph that is all but human. This machine plays all records.

We also have a choice line of sheet music, player rolls and phonograph records.

We will accept livestock until Sept. 1st, on pianos and phonographs, as we will ship out then, so if you have any thing in the way of live stock that you want to trade on a phonograph or piano come and see us before September 1st. We are in a position to accept time sales on musical instruments. Call in and see our line of instruments.

Yours to serve,

**J. W. Boyle & Son**



## HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

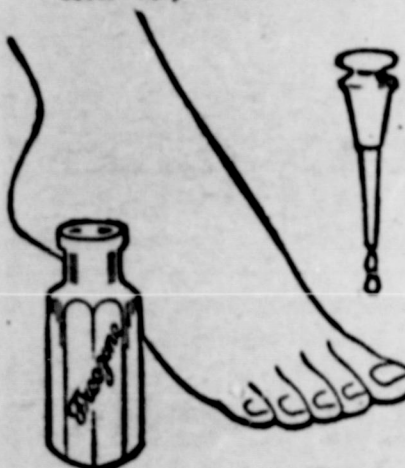
And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

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 and I could not take any more of this. I was 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 housework 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, should help you, too. Try it.

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Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.



With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard calluses from bottom of feet.

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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 years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. It cures Catarrh cure all 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 with Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and you will rid of catarrh. For technical information, write to J. C. HENNING, Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists.

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Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic acid ester of Salicylic acid.

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## NATION'S TAX BILL IS \$5,410,284,874

This Is About 75 Per Cent Larger Than Taxes Paid in Years of War

Washington, July 26.—The nation's tax bill—\$5,410,284,874—was collected during the fiscal year ending June 30.

Official figures tonight showed that the tax paid in the last twelve months had exceeded all estimates, congressional and official, by approximately \$300,000,000 and was nearly 75 per cent larger than the total taxes paid in either of the war years of 1918 or 1919.

The 1918 tax levy yielded \$3,694,619,639 and the taxes in 1919 aggregated \$3,839,950,612.

Collection of this record-breaking assessment cost the government \$29,750,000, or about 55c for each \$100.

Revenues derived from income and excess profits alone were \$3,944,555,737 for twelve months, which is nearly \$1,250,000,000 larger than collections from the same sources in either of the last two years. An increase for this year also was shown in the receipts from miscellaneous taxes, which brought in \$1,465,729,136. These taxes totalled \$1,243,941,909 and \$855,591,700 for 1918 and 1919 respectively.

New York State continued to maintain its record of leading the nation as a tax payer. Its tax burden amounted to \$1,416,939,276. Of this amount \$1,135,097,403 came from the heart of America—the Wall Street district.

## LOONEY WILL NOT GIVE HIS SUPPORT TO BAILEY

Greenville, Texas, July 27.—Ben F. Looney, eliminated 2nd candidate for Governor in the Democratic primaries, Saturday declared in a formal statement today that he would not support former Senator Joseph W. Bailey, leading candidate, or any other enemy who has tried to destroy the democratic party.

Looney did not mention Pat M. Neff, who will oppose Bailey in the run-off next month. The statement said:

"I would no more think of supporting Bailey than any other enemy who has tried to destroy the Democratic party. He has forfeited all claims on Democrats. His triumph would be a victory for the forces in Government that I have opposed all my life. Certainly I will not surrender now. In order to stop speculation as to my position, I make this definite statement now."

## LORENZO

July 23.—Earl, the 13-year-old son of T. L. Holt of Idalou was painfully injured last Saturday afternoon when a horse he was riding fell and shattered the bone just above the knee of his right leg.

Mrs. E. S. Welch, aged 73 years, died at her home in the Estadado community last Saturday night after the very brief illness of two days. Funeral services were held at the family residence by L. B. Hankins.

August 17 an election will be held in the Lorenzo independent school district to determine whether or not bonds to the amount of \$60,000 shall be issued to build and equip a modern and first class school building. Enterprise.

## Texas An Empire

With its variations in elevation, equable climate, graduated rainfall, diversity of soil and rich natural resources, Texas could cradle a nation. The 1910 Federal census gave Texas 112,435,000 acres of tillable land with but 27,360,000 acres, or less than one-fourth, improved. If the state's population of approximately \$5,000,000 were to be increased tomorrow to 25,000,000 it would still be no more densely populated than is Missouri today.

## Much Wool Being Stored

There are more than five hundred thousand pounds of unsold wool stored in Lubbock country according to reports compiled thru the South Plains Wool Growers Association of officers of that place. Approximately half of this stored in Lubbock and a committee is working now on details to provide sufficient storage to handle the remainder until the market recovers.

## Thomason Will Support Neff

R. E. Thomason of El Paso, defeated candidate for governor, announces that he will support Neff in the run-off primary.

Cone Johnson, M. M. Crane, T. M. Campbell, T. N. Jones, and many other prominent supporters of Thomason have announced their support of Neff.

## The Time

The historic and proverbial Mike and Pat were discussing riddles.

"Mike," said his compatriot "kin ye tell me what time it is when one Ford car is chasing another?"

"No," said Mike, "I ain't so sure that I kin."

"Tin after tin," said the son of Erin.

At Slaton, work has started on a twelve-acre park donated by the railway company. The county has appropriated \$8,000 for improvements and will spend \$2,000 a year for upkeep.

The West Texas Normal College at Canyon has established a tractor course.

## See How Simple

Just undo the buttons there under the waist band and the seat drops down full length. No need to remove this suit during the day!

## DROP SEAT

### Comfort and Convenience

Try on this practical suit at your dealers. Pass your hand under the waist band, undo the buttons, see the seat drop; you'll like it man, you'll like it!

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## SHIELDALS CALOMEL



Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury—quicksilver; and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work.

## Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead!

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful to-night. 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 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 savorate, so let them eat anything afterwards.

**OVER-EATING**  
is the root of nearly all digestive evils. If your digestion is weak or out of kilter, better eat less and use

**KI-MOIDS**  
the new aid to better digestion. Pleasant to take—effective. Let KI-moids help straighten out your digestive troubles.

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## DON'T RISK NEGLECT

Don't neglect a constant backache, sharp, darting pains or urinary disorders. The danger of dropsy or Bright's disease is too serious to ignore. Use Doan's Kidney Pills as have your friends and neighbors. A Plainview case.

Mrs. T. R. Alexander, says: "My back 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 irregularly. I was advised to try Doan'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."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Anderson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Notice of Cancellation

Whereas, on the 9th day of July, 1920, J. E. Spencer and W. E. Spencer filed with the Commissioners' Court of Hale County, Texas, their application for cancellation of certain sub-divisions of East College Heights Addition to the town of Plainview, Hale County, Texas, of which application the following is a substantial copy, to-wit:

"Plainview, Texas, July 3rd, 1920. To the Honorable Commissioners Court of Hale County, Texas:

Your petitioners, J. E. Spencer and W. E. Spencer respectfully present:

(a) That they reside in Eastland County, Texas;

(b) That they are the owners of all of Blocks A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, same existed before such sub-divisions were made and here petition for permission to do so.

(c) That said blocks are not included in an incorporated city or town.

(d) That the cancellation prayed

for herein will not interfere with the established rights of any purchaser or purchasers owning any portion of such sub-divisions.

That such cancellation should be made so as to respect the streets on the North, South, East and West J. K. M. N. O. P. R and T of East College Heights Addition to the town of Plainview, Hale County, Texas, as shown by the recorded plat thereof and being all of the East half of Survey No. 2, Block D-4, except twenty acres known as Block "C."

(c) That your petitioners as the owners of said land divided into blocks as aforesaid desire to cancel said sub-divisions so as to throw said land back into acreage tracts as the boundary line of the East half of Survey No. 2, Block D-4.

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that notice of this application be published as provided by law for the length of time required by law and that this petition be heard at a regular term of the Commissioners' Court of Hale County, after due publication of said notice, and that upon consideration hereof an order be entered by said court cancelling said sub-divisions so as to throw said lands back into acreage tracts as the same existed before such sub-divisions were made and so as to respect the streets on the North, South, East and West boundary lines of the East half of Survey No. 2, Block D-4, and petitioners pray for such other proceedings as may be necessary or proper in the premises and to comply with the law.

J. E. SPENCER,  
W. E. SPENCER.

Petitioners. Notice is hereby given that said application will be heard and considered at the next regular term of the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Hale County, Texas, to be begun and holden at the Court House of Hale County in the town of Plainview, Texas, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1920, and all persons interested in such lands described in said petition are hereby commanded to appear on said 9th day of August, 1920, and protest, if they desire, against the action prayed for in said petition.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th day of July, A. D. 1920.

JO. W. WAYLAND,  
Clerk County Court, Hale County, and Ex-officio Clerk Commissioners' Court of Said County.

## C. F. SJOGREN Auctioneer

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## Authorizing One and One-half Per Cent Ad Valorem Tax by Cities and Towns of Five Thousand or Less Population

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12... Proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by cities or towns having a population of five thousand or less than one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent, and making appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 4. Cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less may be chartered alone by general law. They may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law, but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year which shall exceed one and one-half per cent of the taxable property of such city; and all taxes shall be collectible only in current money, and all licenses and occupation taxes levied, and all fines, forfeitures and penalties accruing to said cities and towns shall be collectible only in current money.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less from one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less from one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year."

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

Sec. 4. That the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expense of such publication and election.

C. D. MIMS,

Secretary of State.

(Attest—A True Copy).

## Relating to Taxation by School Districts

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17... Proposing an amendment to Section 3 Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by exempting independent and common school districts from the limitation of a total tag of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year, and making an appropriation therefor. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution be so amended as hereafter to read as follows: (Creating a new Section 3.)

Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State taxation taxes and a poll tax of one (\$1.00) dollar on every inhabitant of this state, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem state tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollar valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this state for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this state; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the state and the legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law with the local notice required in other cases of special legislation; and all such school districts, whether created by general or special law may embrace parts of two or more counties. And the legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And the legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one

year one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to Section 3 Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law," and all those opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, "Against the amendment to Section 3 Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax or one dollar on the one hundred valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

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

Sec. 4. That the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expense of such publication and election.

C. D. MIMS,

Secretary of State.

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## Relating to the Manner of Compensation of Public Officials

House Joint Resolution No. 7... A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new Section, to be known as Section 60; providing for the compensation of public officials.

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

Section 1. That there is hereby added to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, a new section to be known as Section 60 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which shall read as follows:

Section 60. Compensation of Public officials: All State, district, county and precinct officers within this State shall receive as compensation for their services a salary, the amount of which, the terms and methods of payment and the fund out of which such payments shall be made, shall be ascertained, declared and fixed by the Legislature from time to time; provided that the Legislature may make such exceptions as it may deem advisable.

This section shall supersede all other provisions by this constitution fixing and declaring the compensation of officers by salary, fees or otherwise and all provisions for salaries or other compensations for public officials, executive, legislative or judicial.

Section 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall the publication required by the constitution and the laws of the State shall be held under in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters, the following words:

"Official Ballot" "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials." "Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Section 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

C. D. MIMS,

Secretary of State.

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Mrs. Thomason Organizing Neff Club  
Gainesville, July 28.—Mrs. Robert Ewing Thomason, whose husband was eliminated in last Saturday's primary from the gubernatorial contest, has started a movement among the

women here to organize a Cooke county Neff for Governor Democratic club. Mrs. Thomason proved a splendid campaigner for her husband and she is expected to be a force in the democratic pro-administration fight to be made in Cooke county.

## Just Received CAR LOAD

## Bed-Room Furniture

We have just received direct from the factory a big carload of Bed-Room Furniture. It is of the very latest and most popular styles and finishes, and you should come at once and see it. We know we can please you.

We have a very choice selection of all kinds of furniture and furnishings.

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## CHURCHES

### Methodist-Presbyterian Revival

Will Begin Sunday Morning  
The union Methodist-Presbyterian revival will begin at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, so it is announced.

Evangelist L. L. Evans of Muskogee, Okla., will do the preaching and Mr. C. G. Spindle of Tulsa, Okla., will have charge of the choir work.

### Nazarene Revival Meeting

At Bartonsite  
A revival will begin tonight at Bartonsite, and will continue until Aug. 8. There will be services twice each day, morning and night, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Rev. J. P. Ingle, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, Plainview, will be the preacher in charge, and will do most of the preaching. Mr. Manly M. Lewis of Wellington, will have charge of the song service. He is a good singer, and we will have some special music and singing. We expect to have several extra workers present who will help push the battle for God and the salvation of souls.

There will be old-fashioned bible preaching of the gospel of full salvation, with the "Holy Ghost sent down from heaven." Soul stirring music and singing. And we are praying for and expecting a tidal wave of salvation before the meeting closes. In these days of scepticism and worldliness, we surely need an old-time revival of Bible salvation.

We invite every one who possibly can to come and take part, get blessed and be a blessing. We want everybody to come. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

J. P. INGLE, Pastor.

### Methodist Church

Sunday school at the church at 9:45 a. m.

The revival will begin at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 a. m., Rev. L. L. Evans will do the preaching and Prof. Spindler will lead the singing.

The Methodists and Presbyterians will hold a union meeting. The public is cordially invited.

### First Christian Church

Services next Sunday as follows:  
Bible school at 9:45, Sermons at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by Pastor G. W. Davis. You are invited to attend.

### Circle No. 4, Methodist Church

Met With Mrs. McCall  
Circle No. 4 met in regular monthly session at the home of Mrs. S. B. McCall, with Mrs. C. E. White acting as chairman.

Regular routine work of committee reported payment of dues, etc. were the only items of the business session.

Mrs. Pickett then taught the first twelve chapters of numbers for the Bible study.

Mrs. Rodgers gave her name for membership and the meeting adjourned to meet with secretary August 26.

### Epworth League Program

Subject—"Through Nature to God."  
Leader—Mrs. E. E. Robinson.  
Devotional.

Scripture lesson—Ps. 65: 1-13—Miss Beulah Henderson,  
Matthew 6:24-34—Miss Minnie Webb; Acts 14: 13-18—Miss Estelle Allison.

Topic—"What Nature Teaches Us About God."—Roy Firth.

Topic—"Nature Is Proof That God is True."—Mr. Henderson.

Consecration meeting led by leader.

R. O. McWhorter has been in Vernon this week on business.

Kansas' wheat crop this year is said to be the second largest on record. The production is given as 147,039,665 bushels in a forecast of July.

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### Citation on Application for Probate of Will

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hale County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Hale County, a copy of the following notice:

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Lilburn Lee Dye, deceased, E. Lee Dye has filed in the County Court of Hale County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Lilburn Lee Dye, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of Lilburn Lee Dye, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court commencing on the first Monday in Sept. A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of Sept. A. D. 1920 at the Court House thereof, in Plainview, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Plainview, Texas, this 29th day of July, A. D. 1920. Jo. W. WAYLAND, Clerk County Court Hale County, Texas

## CARTER-HOUSTON'S PIECE GOODS SPECIALS

75c Windor Lingerie Crinkle of plain and tinted ground and floral designs ..... 49c  
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75c 40-inch Vooile and 32-inch Loraine Tissue of plaids, stripes and figured. A assortment ..... 49c

\$1.50 40-inch Marquesette in large plaids with embroidery dots in old rose, blue, etc. .... 98c  
\$1.50 Imported Organdy, permanent finish in white, pink, blue, etc. .... 98c  
\$1.25 Imported Voile and Organdy in pink, lavender, scarlet, blue, etc. .... 89c  
95c Minuette Silk in white, black, pink, blue, etc. .... 69c

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All Organdy and Point de Sprey Net, Flouncing in white and colored.  
All fancy Georgette, and one lot fancy Silk of plaid, stripe, etc.  
All go in this sale at

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The demand for houses is great and I can sell your place if placed with me upon a reasonable basis. Want all the houses I can get that are really for sale.

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Third National Bank Building Up Stairs

Visits of the Stork  
Born to Mr. and Mrs.:  
E. E. Degge, Plainview, July 8, girl; named Fraras Louise.  
Virgil John Stewart, Plainview, July 13, boy; named John Saffle.  
E. B. Green, Plainview, July 21, twin boy and girl; named John Ellsworth and Mabel Clare.  
Alford Papania, Plainview, July 17, girl; named Mary Ellen.  
Henry D. Evans, Plainview, July 29, boy; named B. Q.  
O. R. Ogg, Plainview, July 25, boy.  
W. T. Cordell, Seth Ward, July 27, boy.  
Lum Greene Pierce, Plainview, July 28, girl; named Virginia.  
R. H. Knoohuizen, Plainview, July 28, girl; named Olga Jean.

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The College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Texas, enrolled during the past session 1462 students and during the summer session 666, or a total of 2128 Texas girls, making it the largest College for girls in the United States with the exception of two, both of which are located in Massachusetts. It is a college of the first-class; and gives literary, technical, industrial, and vocational education and training of the best quality, designed solely to develop mental discipline, social culture, industrial efficiency, and spiritual vision and outlook.

Its courses of study are composed of correlated subjects, including every necessary phase of woman's education, and are grouped as follows:

(1) literary, (2) household arts, (3) fine and applied arts, (4) manual arts, (5) rural arts and science, (6) music, including piano, voice, violin, and public school music, (7) reading or expression, (8) secretarial studies, (9) kindergarten training, (10) home making, rural and urban, (11) teacher-training for public school music, public school art, household arts, vocational home economics, primary grades, and high school subjects; practice teaching under expert supervision, (12) vocational training of both college and non-college rank for many of the most remunerative and attractive vocations, rural and urban, for women. It confers the degrees of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Literary Interpretation, and Bachelor of Business Administration; awards vocational diplomas and certificates of proficiency; and issues teachers' state certificates.

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