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## HAS KU KLUX KLAN BEEN ORGANIZED IN PLAINVIEW?

REPORTED THAT A SMALL BAND WAS FORMED SATURDAY NIGHT

Much interest was created Saturday when a young man named M. D. King, Jr., from Kingsland, Milam county, came into Plainview, and distributed cards to a number of citizens asking them to meet him at the depot that night at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Klan of the Ku Klux. At once a number of leading citizens got together and formulated a petition protesting against the organization of such a body in this community. Five of these petitions were circulated through the business part of town for a couple of hours and 410 signatures attached to them. About thirty persons approached declined to sign the petition, practically all of them giving as their reason that they didn't want to get mixed up in the matter. Possibly six or eight indicated that they were either favorable or not opposed to the Klan.

A committee of citizens went to the depot at night to attend the meeting and present the petitions. Quite a large number of people had congregated through curiosity, but when the organizer didn't show up at the appointed hour the crowd began to leave and soon nobody remained. Of course, where there is mystery, many rumors are always put afloat. It is said the organizer with four or five persons was seen to leave the square in a car, and that they stayed out until 2 o'clock, hence it is thought by some that they organized a Klan. Others say that they understand that a Klan of dozen or more has been formed. But nobody knows anything about it, except those in it, if it is organized, and our opinion is that no such organization was formed.

The federal government is going after the Klan, and already the head officials of the order are beginning to resign, hence it is only a short matter of time until the whole thing will blow up, and the dopes that have paid their initiation fees will enrich the head men it is said more than five million dollars.

### Ware Hotel Changes Hand

J. B. Gilliland, who has been operating the Ware hotel for the past several years, has sold his half interest in the lease to Arthur G. Williams, who with Craig Gilliland, son of J. B., will continue the business. They have already taken charge. Craig has been interested in the hotel for some time. The building is owned by J. N. Donohoo and R. C. Ware. These are two energetic and genial young men, and they will make a success of the business. They expect to make extensive improvements soon.

### Organize to Oppose Klan

Conehatta, Miss., Sept. 24.—The order of the White Horse Knights, whose announced purpose is to oppose the spread of the Ku Klux Klan and to outlaw the existing order of the klanmen, was organized here today. National headquarters will be opened in Jackson. James C. Johnson, West Jackson, was elected grand chief. Officials of the organization have not as yet outlined their plans for combating the Klan nor have they announced just what form their opposition to the present order will take.

### Public Auction Sales

R. D. McMaster will hold a sale Friday, Sept. 30, at his place 5 1/2 miles north of Runningwater, and will offer cattle, horses, mules, hogs, chickens, farm implements and household goods. Auctioneer C. F. Sjogren of Kress will cry the sale. L. F. Roberts will hold a sale Friday, Oct. 7, at his place 4 1/2 miles south of Plainview, and will offer mules, farm implements and household goods. Auctioneers Nash & Seale will have charge of the sale.

### Mrs. Auld's Father Dies

Mrs. S. C. Auld's Miss Mattie Givings had suddenly died at his place, saying that their father, W. A. Givings, had suddenly died at his home in Simsboro, La., and they left last night for that place to attend the funeral. The deceased was seventy-three years of age, and leaves seven sons and daughters. His wife died some years ago.

### Will Judge Poultry Show

Jarvis M. Edgcomb is off on a trip to judge poultry shows in Shamrock, Angleton, Elk City, Okla., Canyon Dalhart. He will again be superintendent of the annual poultry show to be held in Plainview in December.

### Bain Fall Saturday Night

Good rains fell over Hale county Saturday night and some Sunday. These continued rains have put a good season for fall wheat sowing.

## A Successful Convention

The Hale County Singing Union convention met with the Happy Union class Sunday, Sept. 25th, and despite the inclemency of the weather a good program was rendered.

The president, Prof. Cobb, being absent, L. W. Sloneker called the convention to order and led the opening song. After which God's blessings were invoked upon the convention. Chas. Wilson from Plainview followed with two good songs. Two songs led by each of the following gentlemen: W. H. Hand, Mr. Slaughter, Tom Vines, J. H. Dennis, Gordon Hanson, C. M. Haddick, Jasper Neill. After which dinner was announced and, every one enjoyed a delicious dinner. The good folks of Happy Union are to be congratulated on knowing how to care for the convention.

After the noon hour the convention was again called to order. Several more singers had arrived by this time, among whom were the famous J. B. Vaughn Music Co. quartette, composed of Prof. Virgil O. Stamp, bass; Prof. Clyde Burleson, first tenor and alto; Prof. W. R. Seale, baritone leader; and Prof. F. X. Trigg, second tenor. Most of the afternoon was spent in listening to this splendid male quartette. The convention has never had a greater treat than these singers. The music was perfect. Harmony and rhythm blended together with beautiful words, indeed it would be fine, if we could have them often. Prof. Virgil O. Stamp is manager for the J. B. Vaughn Music Co. at Jacksonville, Texas. This quartette travels through many states giving concerts. This quartette will give a concert at Snyder school house Thursday night, Sept. 29th. Also at Happy Union school house Friday night, Sept. 30th. Ten per cent of the admittance fee will be donated to the school where the concert is given.

Prof. R. J. Wilson from Lubbock attended the convention. Mr. Wilson is secretary of the Lubbock county singing convention and invites the people of Hale county to attend their convention, which meets Sunday, Oct. 30th, at Monroe. We urge all the classes over the county to do their best to attend the convention.

C. M. HADDICK, Sec'y.

### Marriages

W. F. McDaniel and Miss Mamie McPeak, were granted a marriage license Friday.

T. E. Lutrick and Miss Mabel Pipkin, were granted a marriage license this afternoon. They are popular young people of the Abernathy community; she being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pipkin. They will be married tonight in Canyon.

T. J. Taylor and Mrs. Catherine (Welch) Hodges, were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Rodgers, Friday afternoon, Justice E. A. Young performing the ceremony.

### Two Jewish Holidays

Rosh Hashana, the Jewish New year, falls this year on Monday, Oct. 3, and as usual it will be observed by the J. L. Jacobs family, and the store will be closed. According to practice it is celebrated from Oct. 2 to the evening of the next day, Yom Kippur, another significant Jewish holiday, will be observed on October 11 and 12.

### Four Local Novices Initiated

Not very many Plainview shrimers attended the Khiva Temple ceremony in Amarillo Saturday. The Hale county novices who "crossed the hot sands" were Frank Elwood Norfleet, Otto, J. P. Crawford and Dal P. Miller. Editor E. A. Carlock of the Paducah Post won the shrine ring.

### Paid Claim In Four Hours

A policy of \$1,000 was held in the South Plains Mutual Life Insurance association, by Mrs. W. M. Turner, who died Saturday morning at 6 o'clock. By 10 o'clock W. N. McDonald, secretary, had turned over to the bereaved family a check for the full amount of the policy.

### Will Give Judge Randolph Banquet

The Kiwanis and Rotary clubs, the members of the local bar and a few close friends of Judge H. C. Randolph will tender him a farewell banquet tomorrow night, before his departure for Austin, having been appointed to membership on the supreme court commission of appeals.

W. C. Clubb and A. S. J. Martin of Petersburg are in town today, and are relieving over the fine rains that have fallen in that community, the past several weeks, the latest being a good rain Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Irma Dunnington, who has been the summer guest of Mrs. P. E. Berndt, left yesterday for her home in Rockdale. She is quite a bright young woman and has had considerable experience in the newspaper business.

## GREATEST SHOWING OF FINE HOGS EVER SEEN ON PLAINS AT EXPOSITION

### Prize Winners at State Fairs--One 900 Pounds--Dairy Cattle and Agricultural Exhibits Are Good.

The Fall Lice Stock Exposition and Agricultural Fair opened in Plainview this morning, and will continue Wednesday and Thursday.

The swine exhibit is composed of the largest number of hogs ever brought together on the Plains, so the manager declares, some of them having won championships at several state fairs. There are hogs that weigh 700, 800 and 900 pounds each. More than eighty pens are required to care for the more than two hundred and fifty hogs shown, the numbers of animals being more than twice as many as at the fair last fall. The pens are placed under the shade trees on the east-side of Broadway at the corner of Ninth street.

The dairy cattle and agricultural exhibits are in a large circus tent just north of the swine exhibit, and are very creditable, especially in the quality of stuff shown.

The attendance of people today is fair, it being the first day, and a larger crowd is expected tomorrow, when the judging will take place. The show will also be held tomorrow, and this will bring many club women of the county and lovers of flowers.

There are a number of amusements including a show each night, and the C. of C. Boys Band and Brunk's Comedians Band are furnishing music. A number of concessions are located on the block north of the Ellerd iron building.

This afternoon there will be a boys' and girls' hog judging contest, in which boys and girls under 18 years will take part. There will be lectures on swine judging by J. W. Jennings, Lubbock county agricultural agent, T. Scott Wilson, Floyd county agent, and R. C. Mowery, teacher of vocational agriculture in Lubbock high school.

### Entries in Swine Division

H. S. Hilburn is superintendent of this division, and the following entries have been made at 3 o'clock this afternoon:

Poland-Chinas—J. E. Lee, Lockney; Homer Ehresman of Kress; S. P. and O. L. Evans of Runningwater; Chas. F. Scott, Abernathy; J. E. Marshall, Hale Center; L. A. Donnell, Tullia; R. E. Cooper, Turkey; Adams Bros., Tullia; Elliott & Rudd, Kress; Posie Coningham, Spring Lake; T. S. McGehee, Lockney; Schrock Ranch, Plainview; Claude Wofford, Lockney; Chas. D. Merrick, near Lockney; J. E. Stambaugh; Hale Center.

Duroc-Jerseys—Ebeling Brothers, Plainview; Helen-Temple Farm, Plainview; Fred Boerner, Lubbock; W. R. Ferguson, Hale Center; C. L. Barnes, Hale Center; P. H. Scott, Hart; R. E. Stewart, Plainview; J. L. Hammonds, Lubbock; Fred W. Nickles, Floydada; Woods Bros., Kress; W. A. Stambaugh, Hale Center; Irl Ludwig, Happy.

Chester White—W. H. Bohner, Oltion.

### Many Hogs From Hale Center

Hale Center has a good showing of fine hogs at the fair. Dr. W. R. Ferguson has fifteen registered Duroc-Jerseys, Dr. C. L. Barnes has twelve of the same breed, and the Poland-Chinas are represented by Olie Stephens who has eight, J. E. Marshall who has seven, Mr. Stambaugh with eleven and Mark Griffin and T. J. Hubbard, each with a fine boar. Some very fine herds of hogs are being built up at Hale Center.

A very important feature of the show is the Duroc-Jersey spring fetivity show, held under the auspices of the National Duroc Record association of Peoria, Ill., in which the winners will be given a national standing that is worth while.

Chas. Shaddock of Hastings, Neb., one of the noted judges at many state fairs, is the official judge in Plainview.

R. E. Cooper of Turkey has six pens of Poland-Chinas, some of them being almost as large as elephants. He brought his hogs sixty-five miles in two trucks, having cleaned up at the Hall county fair last week. Among his hogs shown is "Anna Buster," a sow that has won grand champion at the Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas State fairs, and won in the aged sow

class over the sow of Fred B. Caldwell of Topeka, which won second at the national swine show.

Mr. Hammond of Floydada will show "Pathfinder's Equal," a northern Duroc boar at the Dallas Fair.

Helen Temple Farm near Plainview has a very large showing of Durocs, one of them weighing 900 pounds, so we are told.

Ebeling Bros. also have a fine bunch of Duroc-Jerseys, of which they are justly proud.

### High-Class Dairy Cattle

W. M. Barrett is superintendent of the dairy cattle division, and is proud of the showing being made, not so much in number but in quality. The exhibitors are as follows:

Jerseys—Z. T. Northcutt, Plainview; A. A. Hatchell, Plainview; Mrs. L. B. Cargile, Plainview; P. M. Bowen, Plainview; Johnson & Hendricks.

Holsteins—C. B. Rees, Plainview. Shorthorns—Chas. F. Scott, Abernathy.

Guernseys—Johnson & Hendricks.

An interesting sight is a large Holstein cow, with twin calves which were born a few days ago. This cow is owned by Mr. Rees, and gives eight gallons of milk a day.

### LARGE DISPLAY OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

The display of agricultural products is especially fine in most every line, both in field and garden products. The showing of maize, kaffir and feterita heads, and sugar beets are especially noticeable.

E. H. Perry and Sam Scalings have charge of the agricultural division, and so many products have been received that the tables for their display have had to be added to considerably.

### Two Individual Farm Exhibits

There are two individual farm exhibits which are very interesting, each being comprised of several dozen products. The exhibitors are Mrs. Jaks-Cargile of near Plainview and J. F. Dyer of the Norfolk community. The News will publish in its Friday's issue the winners in all divisions.

The Red Cross society, Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., G. C. Electric Co., and Dowden Hardware Co. have displays in the agricultural tent.

### Band Concert Each Night

The Chamber of Commerce Boys' band will give concerts each night of the fair at 8 o'clock, at the bandstand on the square.

### Beats Oklahoma Hog Show

E. Dowden is just back from Oklahoma City, where he attended the Oklahoma State Fair. He declares the swine show in Plainview is far ahead of the swine show he saw at Oklahoma City.

### Oil Well Down 700 Feet

The Bledsoe oil well being drilled five miles west of Abernathy, is now more than 700 feet in depth, and the drill is working in blue shale.

### Lubbock Boosters Coming

A large delegation of Lubbock people will come to Plainview tomorrow about noon, to visit the Live Stock Exposition and Fair and also advertise the Lubbock fair.

### Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs.: J. L. Quinby, near Plainview, Sept. 15, boy; named James Willard. L. N. Standefer, Runningwater, Sept. 20, boy; named Howard L.

The allies certainly did Germany a good turn when they forced her to dispose of her navy and reduce her standing army to a very small one. By eliminating the great expense necessary to have kept up a large armament, the Germans are able to pay the huge war indemnity off at a less tax burden than are the people of the United States and the other allies are burdened with to maintain their armies and navies. W. J. Bryan in a speech yesterday declared that if the disarmament council soon to meet in Washington fails to bring relief the world will soon be enslaved through militarism.

## FITZ HUDGINS, PIONEER STOCK-MAN, DIED VERY SUDDENLY

Was Sitting In Chair at Home When Stroke of Apoplexy Struck Him

Fitz G. Hudgins, one of the best-known ranchmen on the Plains died very suddenly at his home near Hale Center and Abernathy last night. It is said that he was sitting in a chair when a stroke of apoplexy struck him. The funeral will be held at Hale Center Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Pastor Hembry of the Abernathy Baptist church will conduct the service.

Mr. Hudgins was a pioneer stockman of the Plains, having settled here in the eighties. For many years he held large ranch acreages in this county, but sold considerable of it the past year or two. He was for a long time a director in the First National Bank of Plainview.

He was a good man, and had many friends who deeply deplore his death.

### Transient Works Smooth Swindle

A transient young man worked a very smooth swindle on some of the merchants of the town yesterday. His scheme was to go into a store, buy a small article costing a dime give a \$5 bill and follow the clerk to the cashier's window and when the change was given over which usually was a \$5 bill and the rest in silver, to put another dime with the change and ask for a \$5 bill in exchange, and when this was given him to throw it back at the cashier and say, "just take these fives and give me a ten." And as he selected a time when the cashier was busy he actually succeeded in fleeing the store out of \$5, and was gone before the error was discovered. These days people should look out for all sorts of smooth swindlers, for the country is being overrun with persons who had rather steel than work.

### Amarillo Kiwanians Not Coming

The trip of the Amarillo Kiwanis Club baseball team and members to Plainview next Wednesday has been postponed, it was announced yesterday because an insufficient number could not go. The baseball team was scheduled to play the Plainview Kiwanis nine during the big West Texas fair there.

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### Will Ship Exhibit By Truck

The Hale county exhibit for the Dallas fair is being prepared and packed at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and will be shipped to Dallas the fore part of next week. M. H. Gassaway will carry it in his big truck. The committee figures that the cost of sending by truck, will be about one-third of what it would be if sent by express, and it will be handled more carefully and quicker, and with no loss. At past fairs a number of articles in the Hale county exhibits have been lost in transit.

### Mrs. W. M. Turner Buried

The funeral of Mrs. W. M. Turner, who died Saturday morning following an operation for appendicitis, took place at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, with many sorrowing friends in attendance. The service was conducted by Rev. Harlan J. Matthews, pastor, and interment followed at the cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Garner. A number of relatives from elsewhere came for the funeral.

### Prominent Railroad Men Here

F. L. Myers, assistant general manager of the Santa Fe lines, headquarters in Amarillo, and J. F. Antone, superintendent of the Slaton division, are here on their special cars on a tour of inspection, and will spend the night in Plainview.

L. Kerschner, whose family recently removed here from Roswell, will build a home just east of the high school. He is now erecting a tiling garage, which the family will occupy until the residence is erected.

Attorney A. S. Moss of Memphis came in yesterday to visit the S. P. Brown family.

The next meeting of the Panhandle Penwomen will be held in Amarillo Wednesday, October 12 and the announcement to penwomen has been sent out by Miss Laura V. Hamner, Claude, president, and Mrs. Mildred Cheney, Amarillo, corresponding secretary.

E. T. Gunther of Cisco is here on business.

Canyon and Lubbock are soon to have new postmasters. Civil service examinations will be held Oct. 14.

## HALE COUNTY FEDERATION WOMAN'S CLUBS OCT. 29

INTERESTING PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR MEETING IN HALE CENTER

The semi-annual meeting of the Hale County Federations of Woman's clubs will be held in Hale Center, Saturday, Oct. 29, and the following interesting program has been arranged for that occasion:

Collect—Club. Address of welcome—Mrs. S. J. Underwood, Hale Center. Response—Mrs. Marcus Gregory, Petersburg. Address—Mrs. Mary V. Dye, Plainview.

Reports of Committees. Good Roads—Mrs. Walter Leonard, Hale Center.

Americanization—Mrs. S. W. Meharz, Plainview. Thrift—Mrs. R. A. Underwood, Plainview.

Paper, "The Ku Klux Klan"—Mrs. A. B. DeLoach, Plainview.

Reports of Committees. Home Economics—Mrs. Bucks, Abernathy.

Finance—Mrs. Nine McComas, Plainview. School—Miss L. B. Neal, Plainview.

Paper, "Texas Centennial"—Mrs. W. L. Porter, Hale Center. Reading—Miss Groves, high school, Plainview.

Lunch, picnic style. Paper, "Duty of the Public Toward Disarmament"—Mrs. Legg, Abernathy.

Music—Hale Center. Paper, "Care of Hale County's Public School Grounds," followed by general discussion.—Mrs. A. L. Putnam, Plainview.

Child Welfare—Miss Kritzer. Report of Flower show and benefits derived from same.—Mrs. Tom Carter, Plainview.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

L. A. White, J. E. Gilbert W. W. Speer to O. E. Brashear, lot 6, block 30; consideration, \$4000.

J. H. Smith and wife to N. A. Price and J. W. Boswell, northwest quarter section 1, block D-08; consideration, \$800 and assumption of indebtedness. R. C. Ware and wife to B. E. Sebastian and wife, west half of lots 15 and 16 in block 40; consideration, \$4000.

G. W. Graves and wife to Mrs. Cora E. Stevens, one acre of the M. A. Lowe homestead survey; consideration, \$500.

C. B. Thomas and wife to M. M. Raney, lots 5, block 64, Highland addition; consideration, \$1,500.

B. E. Sebastian and wife to H. J. Beck, west half of lots 1g and 16, block 40; consideration, \$6000.

J. J. Hickey and wife to W. E. Moon, lots 1 to 12 and 7 to 9 in block 148 in the town of Abernathy; consideration, \$900.

W. B. Anthony and wife to Craig Gilliland, west half of lots 9 and 10 and all of lot 11 in block 31 in the Highland addition to the town of Plainview; consideration, \$800.

Frank Hart and wife to E. Hay, all of block 16 in the Boswell Heights addition to the town of Plainview; consideration \$1162.

L. H. Bellah and wife to Walter A. Young, lot 4, block 3, Consideration, \$695.

Plainview Defeats Lockney, 35-12. Plainview high defeated Lockney high 35 to 12 in a practice football game at Lockney this evening. Plainview showed unexpected strength both on the offensive and defense.

Fern Bain, a Plainview freshman, was the outstanding star of the first clash of the season. This speedy youngster made repeated long gains through the line and around the end. McVicker and Yates also did well in the back field.

All of the 38 men were trying out for Plainview's team were given a chance to play. Coach Henry of Lockney has developed a fast little team out of the material at hand and it will give teams from schools of the same size some tough competition. Plainview will meet Tullia here next Friday.—Beacon.

### The New Commandment

Jesus said:—A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another.—John 13: 34-35.

Lawrence Kerr and children of Amarillo are here. He came to confer with the city council relative to plans for the municipal auditorium, and they to visit their grandparents.

Mrs. Meade F. Grisham left Thursday for A to visit relatives in



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If Uncle Sam would insist as strongly on the European nations paying their debts, as he does on Americans paying their taxes, he would get some results.

Why not hold the next Panhandle Press convention in Paris? The dispatches declare that members of the American Legion now visiting France have been kissed by 137 French girls.

Henry Ford is quoted as giving utterance to the following bit of sure-enough wisdom: "Money doesn't change men, it merely unmasks them. If a man was naturally selfish or arrogant or greedy, the money brings it out; that's all."

Thousands of unemployed are reported in the cities—but the want ads in the papers don't bear it out, for there are from five to twenty times as many "help wanted" as there are "situations wanted." There are a lot of people in this land who are hunting work, but praying not to find it.

A scientific sharp declares that in 25,000 years we shall all be eleven feet tall. But, pray, why should a person want to live that long in order to get that tall. However, we don't believe a word of it, for on account of the high prices of paper, printers' wages and other expenses we are getting "shorter" every day.

Old Sam Johnson said several hundred years ago, "The first years of man must make provision for the last," but few persons have learned of saving in the producing years, most people spend everything they earn, and are willing to let old age or the rainy day take care of themselves—even if the road leads to poverty and the poor house.

Possibly Cullen F. Thomas is the ablest man in the race for U. S. Senator, but the fact that his wife is a sister of Senator Morris Shepard is going to cause him to lose many votes for the people do not propose to make the two senatorships from this state a family affair. If he could get Shepard to promise not to run for re-election it would help his candidacy considerably—besides, Shepard has about served his usefulness and should be retired, anyway.

The Lockney Beacon has just completed its twentieth year of existence. Editor Ben Smith has been owner and publisher for eleven years. When he bought the plant it was valued at \$1,250; today it is very modern and is worth \$15,000. It is one of the most influential, interesting and successful country newspapers in Northwest Texas, and is doing a very effective work in the development and upbuilding of its town and county. The News extends congratulations, and wishes for the Beacon and its editor many more years of usefulness.

W. J. Bryan, in an address in Lansing, last week declared that Dr. Birge, president of the Wisconsin State University, and other professors in that institution are teaching atheism, and trying to tear down the faith of the people in the divinity of Christ. The reply of Dr. Birge is very weak and unsatisfactory. The fact is, the average university professor is "buggy" and his mind runs to theory, hence he embraces atheism, infidelity, socialism and other isms, thinking it is smart to do so. We have never seen but few university professors who were all-round men—usually they are unbalanced, and "buggy" on at least one subject.

During the campaign President Harding, while strongly opposing the League of Nations, declared himself in favor of an international court, where disputes between nations could be adjudicated. The League of Nations has created such a court, and it is ready to do business. The question naturally arises—what will Mr. Harding do about the matter? He will give his endorsement and lend his help to make it a success, or will he attempt to build up another and competing tribunal, and thus weaken both? If he gives his approval of the present court, it will be an endorsement of another of the "hated Wilson policies." However this would not be the first time since March 4th that the roughies have left their endorsement to the establishment of President Wilson; in fact, on many important questions they have been fearful to lead out into the jungle and have kept in a covey to the way he blazed. This is the same way that the Americans like to do things, and it is well amply verified in last year's campaign when they listened to the new and bumper crop of politicians in order to have some mortals

President Lewis of the coal miners' national union in his annual report last week, again recommended government ownership and control of the coal mines. Considering the manner in which the government handled the railroads, it is not likely the American people will ever again countenance any further government operation of great public utilities that can be handled by individuals. Of course, government operation is splendid means by which organized labor can rob the people through extortionate wages and decreased production, just as was the case with the railroads. Where the government foots the bill you can depend upon poor service and wastefulness. The Wilson administration deserved great condemnation for the manner in which it handled the railroads during and after the war—it was a gigantic blunder from start to finish.

## PAUL, THE GREAT CONQUEROR

The international Sunday school lessons during the past three months have been studies in the life of Paul, the great apostles to the Gentiles, and have dealt with him as a fanatical Pharisee, his conversion to Christianity, his boldness in proclaiming Christ as the messiah, his missionary journeys and the conversions and persecutions resultant from his preaching.

Except for the Christ, whom he preached of, no man has ever lived who exerted so much influence for good upon the world, as Saul of Tarsus, who later became Paul, the apostle.

No man's writings have ever been so generally printed, read and discussed as those of Paul.

For thousands of years the great armies of the world have marched and fought in and about the Hellesponte and striven for world empire, but the greatest and far-reaching event that ever occurred on this stream which separates Asia and Europe was that day at Troas when Paul, weak-eyed, frail in body and his health wrecked by persecutions, stood on its banks and decided to harken into the vision of the man of Macedonia, who was beckoning to him to "come over and help us." When he landed in Europe forces were set in motion by him that changed the history of the entire world, recast them in a different mold from what they would have been had he gone east instead of west. Ever since that time "Westward the Star of Empire" has taken its way. While the Christian religion is world-wide and fits perfectly into the lives of the oriental and the occidental yet it could not have accomplished its effectiveness in so short a time had it gone East, where the people are slow, conservative and tied down to false teachings and prejudices, as it did by coming west, where a virgin and rich soil was ready for the planting and cultivation, and results were abundant.

Paul's crossing into Europe stands out as distinctive. He carried a message of peace and not of war. In his hand he bore the strands of the bonds of Christian love and good will which ultimately will bind the nations together. His imperialism was that of universal brotherhood. By giving all mankind one Master he provided the necessity of their becoming truly brothers. After we have got through with the Cyrus way and the Alexander way and the Caesar way and the great powers way, perhaps we shall try the Pauline way. Until then the Hellesponte will continue to echo to the clash of arms. Then there will be no longer a possibility of another tragedy of Gallipoli, more Home than any enacted on the neighboring Plains of Troy.

Paul was an imperialist of a different sort from Alexander, Caesar, Napoleon, the kaiser and other military chieftains. His imagination had magnitude. He was too great to care for any petty, tawdry display or power for himself; he wanted to bring every last man on earth under the dominion of the cross, the truly imperial emblem. He thought in terms of cities and of countries and continents and of worlds. All the strutting and posing and pompous parading which made the Kaiser absurd are entirely lacking from the record of this staggering imperialist, Paul. He was too great for any of it.

Just as from the first he drove his missionary campaigns into the strategic city centers of Syria, Cilicia and Asia Minor, so it was inevitable that Paul should aspire to carry the message of peace to the seats of intellectual and political power, such as Athens and Rome. Doubtless he saw beyond into the dark forests of Western Europe, where virile peoples dwell as painted savages. He wanted them all for his Master and King.

Without a single soldier, without the clash of a sword or the blare of a trumpet, the hosts of Christianity invaded and subdued the great Roman empire within a few decades of time, and then reached out for new lands to subdue. Very Christianity is the most wonderful force the world has ever seen or experienced. And Paul, its great captain and conqueror, deserves the love and admiration of the billions of people who bowed before the cross of the Nazarene because of his wonderful preaching and writings.

As a scholar and a preacher Paul is the highest rank, and the more we study his sermons and epistles the more wonderful they become to us. Surely much good is to be derived from a close study of this great man.

perceptibly all over the earth a new and more righteous standard. An ever-increasing number of persons are viewing events from the Pauline standpoint. The latest books and the most recent editorials and speeches display a remarkable trend toward an insistence upon the code of religion in the practice of statecraft. It is becoming daily more and more apparent that nothing is politically expedient which is not normally right. Simple integrity is coming to its own in public affairs; and that means that religion will yet save politics to both breadth and honor.

## SMOOTS SALES TAX BILL

Senator Smoot of Utah has proposed a sales tax in place of the excess profits tax, sur-tax and other numerous federal taxes, and would levy a three per cent tax on manufacturers.

A sales tax will of course bear heaviest on the poorer and medium classes of people than the rich. While on the surface the present excess profits tax and sur-tax seems to bear heaviest on the rich, the fact remains that the rich are able to pyramid their profits and pass the tax on to the common people, hence, a sales tax will possibly be a less burden to the common people than the present system.

The sales tax of 3 per cent on the manufacturer is very simple, and the middleman and retailer in passing it on to the consumer would be unable to camouflage it to the extent of multiplying it several times, for everybody would know that the federal tax was 3c on each dollar of the price the manufacturer charged for the article.

The present system of collecting federal taxes is cumbersome, unfair and expensive—no two federal tax officials seeming to hold the same opinion on any question or controversy that arises. So, the simple sales tax undoubtedly has points to commend it—for most any sort of a change would be for the better.

And, get this into your bean, under the present or any other system devised the ultimate consumer is going to foot the tax bill. Hence, the person who practices economy has the lightest burden to bear.

## IN A MINOR STRAIN

None of the bunch on the corner is interested in perpetual motion—but strong for perpetual rest.

A husband living in West Plainview came down town yesterday morning with a large bump on his head, and expressing a hope that the coming disarmament council will abolish rolling pins.

Things are looking up in Old Mexico—the bull fighting season is now on, and all that the people need is food and clothing.

## PRESS COMMENT

There are more beggars, "salesmen" and solicitors out working for money right now than at any time within five years. All kinds of excuses are offered by the beggars; all kinds of schemes, mostly fakes, are proposed by the solicitors; the "salesmen" have all kinds of things, mostly junk, to exchange for real American money. Since work became scarce it is easier to make a living through some fake agency than through real labor. It is a good idea to leave such fakers alone; ninety per cent of the solicitors do not represent any sort of an organization or institution. The "salesmen" have nothing to offer that you cannot beat in quality and price at the local stores. To give money to these individuals is simply to assist in promoting a nationwide grafting institution which lives and thrives through the softness of the American public to give up their money without knowing what they are getting.—Canyon News.

One of the most worthless junketing trips that has been made in a decade by the Texas legislators was made this week by a committee, to inspect Palo Verde Canyon and the Davis mountains with a view of studying their desirability as State Parks. To his credit, he said that Governor Neff vetoed a concurrent resolution providing for the trip by a joint committee. Then the legislature passed a simple resolution in each house for the trip, and provided for the payment out of the contingent fund. The governor, thus disappointed to go about it. The trip is absolutely useless to the taxpayers. In the first place, Texas has owned the Davis mountains for 85 years, and no one has cared a flip for them. In the next place, it would take a million dollars to buy back the Palo Verde Canyon now, that was forty years ago given to the H. & G. N. railroad. The trip is nothing more or less than a wild-eyed dream and a pleasure junket.—Memphis Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ewalt, who have been visiting in Hale Center for several weeks, will leave tomorrow for their home in Santa Barbara, Calif.

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We wish to announce to the people of the Plainview trade territory that we have bought the McClain Bros. stock of groceries, located in the Campbell building, on Ash street. We will continue to conduct the business at the same place.

The new firm is composed of L. D. (Dutch) Sewell, and his father-in-law, Mr. T. S. Maples. Mr. Sewell has been in the grocery business in Plainview for many years, and is well known, and his experience enables him to cater to the wants of the people of this community. Lonnie Sewell will also give his attention to the business. Mr. Cliff McClain remains with us, and extends to his many old customers and friends an invitation to continue trading with the firm. He wishes to voice his appreciation of past business and assure everybody they will be treated right by the new firm.

We will carry a complete line of the best and freshest groceries obtainable, at right prices, and give the very best service possible. We shall certainly be glad to have your patronage.

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## MURDERERS MUST HANG IS ONLY REMEDY FOR CRIME

Norris Says It Is Easier to Lose Life Right Here in Texas Than War Stricken Europe

That a man's life was in greater danger right here in Texas than it is in the battle torn countries of Europe, was the sensational statement of the Rev. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist church, in a sermon delivered before a large congregation at the church Sunday night.

The pastor took for his text from Genesis 9:6: "Who so sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed, for in the image of God, made He Man."

"Last year I went all over Europe, Russia, North Africa and Asia Minor," said Dr. Norris. "I was all through the Balkans, Turkey and through the war-torn regions, and I am ashamed to confess that a man's life is in greater danger in Texas than it is in all that vast region. Murder is cowardly. In these later days, the murderer seek the most cowardly ways to take advantage of his unsuspecting victims. Here is the case of a man who gives hospitality to tramps, and they in turn, brain him. Notice these murderers are idle. They were not only not working, but they were not seeking work. The cotton seeds are white, and a good price is offered for picking. I could pick as much as any negro that ever pulled a sack, and what a whole lot of these loafers and degenerates are trying to keep out of work and flock to the cities and commit crime—what they need is to be put to work.

## Too Much Sentiment

"We have come to have little regard for the law, and excuse a red-headed murderer on cheap, sickly, sentimental grounds. When I was in Cleveland last March a woman killed her husband, for which she is now serving a 99-year sentence in the penitentiary. Recently in Los Angeles another similar murder occurred, and the guilty party is under a 99-year sentence. We need quickened public sentiment on punishment for crimes. My soul goes out for the unfortunate criminal. The first trophy of the cross was a redeemed criminal. But that is another question. Old Governor Pollock of Pennsylvania, a Christian gentleman, refused to commute a man from the gallows, and at the same time took his Bible and went to his death cell and prayed with him that his soul might be saved.

"Human society must find protection. Human life is too cheap. Break down the law, continue to cheapen human life, and the land will be filled with violence while the red flag of anarchy takes the place of the Stars and Stripes.

"The scriptures are very plain that the man who sheds his fellow's blood shall by man, his blood be taken."—Farr Worth Record.

J. G. Biffle of Ralls is in town.

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M. Hutchinson of Houston, owner of Helen-Temple farm, came in yesterday to look after the farm, and attend the hog show, where Helen-Temple has a herd of fine registered Duroc-Jerseys. Mr. Hutchinson tells us that business is dull in South Texas, as the crops are bad, especially cotton, which will average about a bale to fifteen acres.

A. H. Porter of Ellen was in to see us Saturday. He reported that about three-fourths as much land will be sown to wheat in his community this fall as was last year, as the farmers will devote more land to row crops.

Miss Thelma Jones of Abernathy has gone to Canyon to attend the Normal.

Sunday Services 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Congregational meeting 2:30 p. m. Services, 8 p. m.

A. B. WEISS, Pastor.

### Church of Christ

Last Sunday 90 were in attendance at Bible school. At 11 a. m., R. M. Peace made a talk to a large crowd on the subject of "Walking With God." Every seat in the house was filled. O. M. Reynolds of Madill, Okla., is moving to Plainview to work with the Church of Christ. He will preach next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Subject, "What Made Paul Succeed;" at 7:45 p. m., "What Is Man?"

Prayer and training meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:45.

O. M. Reynolds, evangelist, writes to the Church of Christ in Plainview, "I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the House of the Lord. I am glad to move to the well known and much talked of little town of Plainview and to be associated with one of Texas' liveliest bands of New Testament Christians for service for our Lord and Redeemer. I come with love for all and malice for none." The good people of Plainview and those in reach will always find a glad hand and cordial welcome to all the services of the church. Come and be with us it will do thee good.—A member.

### Nazarene Church

Sunday was a good day. Good interest, good congregations.

Next Sunday our Dist. Supt., Rev. Allie Erick, is to be with us, holding our annual church meeting Saturday night and preaching for us Sunday. Bro. Erick greatly endeared himself to our people while here in April, and his many friends will no doubt be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him again.

Everybody is invited to attend all our services throughout the day.

J. P. INGLE AND WIFE, Pastors.

### Christian Business Men With a Purpose

The young men of the First Baptist church have organized their class under the name of "Berean Bible Class."

The officers are as follows: President, H. H. Floyd; 1st vice president, John Austin; 2nd vice president, Rufus Brazil; 3rd vice president, Taylor McCallin; secretary, Paul Flake; reporter, A. B. Chambers, teacher, Z. T. Huff.

All young men are welcome. The class meets each Sunday at 9:45 a. m.

### Circle No. 4 Meets With Mrs. J. T. Mayhugh

Circle No. 4 of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Mayhugh Monday afternoon with Mrs. Hien presiding.

During the business session it was decided to plan a "dollar social" at the home of Mrs. J. H. Leach, Oct. 12, the amount being that each lady sell of the means she employs in a dollar.

A favorable report of financial matters was read and the ladies enthusiastically entered into a study of the "Psalms" after which the hostess recounted her experience in Kansas City during her visit last summer, and the ladies chatted on matters of interest brought out by her tour of inspection.

A fruit course accompanied by home-made cake was served by Mesdames Hien and Carter.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. C. Hooper, the fourth Monday in October.

### Services at the Baptist Church

There were 502 in Sunday school Sunday and great interest and enthusiasm was manifest. Next Sunday is promotion day in the school and we expect 600 in attendance. Come and be one of that number.

The pastor preached at the morning hour on "The Savior's High Priestly Prayer." Harriet Vandervoel played the offertory and Mr. Stockton sang. At night the sermon was on "The Conversion and Call of Matthew." The orchestra gave the offertory and Mr. Clements sang. There were two additions at the morning service.

The Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of the pastor. The Rosa T. Jones circle gave the program and there were 65 women present.

All services next Sunday as usual. The pastor will preach at both hours and special music will be provided.

Our congregations are encouragingly large for which we are very grateful. Come and bring your friends.

HARLAN J. MATTHEWS, pastor.

Miss Josephine Wayland has gone to Cactus town to attend Southwestern University.

Miss Bettie Merrill underwent surgical operation in Plainview Saturday last week for appendicitis.

Randal and Harris Kerschner spent the weekend with their grandmother in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barnes of Hale Center have moved to Plainview and he will attend Wayland college.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Scudder and child arrived Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Scudder. They now live in Stray

## Personal Mention

Ritter, here and in property interest in the County of Sil-

White McIlroy of day visiting his McIlroy and family,

Mrs. R. C. Joiner returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dan Cooke, in Mt. Pleasant.

J. E. Shropshire and family have returned from a visit with relatives at Grandview, in Johnson county.

Hershel L. Byers left Sunday night for St. Louis, in response to a message saying his oldest brother had died.

Rev. Harlan J. Matthews went to Amarillo this morning to spend the day.

Sheriff Omar Moore of Marlin, Falls county, has been here visiting his son, M. T. Moore.

Mrs. Vera Williams from Hughes Springs has moved to Plainview and has a position in the Jacobs Bros. Co. store.

Miss Mary Ruth Matthews has come to Belton to attend Baylor college.

Mrs. E. Lee Barrett of Amarillo is in town today.

Atty K. Bruner of Hereford and A. I. Wagner of Amarillo were here Friday.

G. C. Breazeale of Lubbock, district deputy collector of internal revenue, has been here this week looking after federal tax matters.

Staff Correspondent Dealey of the Dallas News and Henry Ansley of the Amarillo Tribune are here attending the livestock show and fair and get stories for their papers.

Miss Mary Ferguson, who has been here visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, left Sunday for her home in Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keck spent Sunday visiting friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. M. A. Lattimore of Amarillo came in Sunday to visit here.

Mrs. Campbell returned Sunday from a trip to Denton.

A. J. Chambers of the post office left yesterday morning for Tendam, Mo., in response to a message saying his father, A. J. Chambers, was dangerously sick. He is 88 years of age.

Frank Case returned Sunday night from Denver, Colo., having driven H. W. Harrell through in a new Hun coupe, which he bought from Shepard Motor Co.

Mrs. Geo. Perdue came in Sunday from Parral, Mexico, to visit relatives here. George is employed with a mining company operating at Parral.

Mrs. O. G. Durring of Van Alstyne came in Monday to visit J. B. McBride and family. She had been visiting relatives at Hale Center for a couple of weeks.

Thos. Campbell of the Iowa Avenue community has returned home after serving an enlistment in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cunningham of the Sunshine community have moved to Jacksonville, in East Texas.

Midshipman Harold Bawden, who has been here for a month visiting his parents, left this morning to resume his studies in the Annapolis naval academy.

Afternoon Bridge  
Monday afternoon Mrs. S. C. Ross entertained at her apartments in the Wave, eight tables of bridge. Cut flowers were used for decorations and a salad course was served. Miss Elaine Davis won high score for the afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Ross entertained again that evening with eight tables of bridge. Mrs. M. C. McGlasson won high score for the ladies and Mr. Robt. Horne for the gentlemen.

Prominent Lubbock Young People Will Marry Today  
Claude B. Hurlbut and Miss Opal Weaver, prominent young people of Lubbock, will marry today. They will pass through Plainview this afternoon, en route to Kansas City on their honeymoon. He is head of the Claude B. Hurlbut Loan Co., with offices in Lubbock and Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hurlbut went to Lubbock this morning to attend the wedding.

Jake Purkett Will Appear In a Song Recital  
Friday evening, Sept. 30th, at 8 o'clock Jake Purkett, pupil of Mrs. Arilla Peterson, will appear in a song recital. He will be assisted by Mrs. A. A. Beery, Mrs. R. W. O'Keefe, Mrs. Guy Jacob and Matt Cram.

The following program will be rendered:  
Organ Solo, Selected—Mrs. Guy Jacob  
The Good Shepherd—Barri  
The Bandolero—Stratt  
On the Shore—Neidlinger  
Largie O'Mine—Walt  
Violin Solo, "Heira Kati"—Hubay  
The Little Town—Piggott  
Little Woman O'Mine—Burlleigh  
The Mother O'Mine—Von Tilzer  
Bye and Bye—Burlleigh  
De Ole Ark's Amoverin'—Guion  
Hath Its Place—Hartiet.

## HALE COUNTY HAPPENINGS

### HALE CENTER

Sept. 26.—Mrs. A. Y. Whitacre entertained the Needlework club Wednesday afternoon. A very enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Mrs. Ivey Moon returned from Canyon Thursday morning, where she had spent several days with homefolk.

Mrs. Ben Maxey of Lubbock spent the first of the week with her mother, Mrs. A. Y. Whitacre.

Mrs. E. H. Horton, who has been in Iowa, the past three weeks, with her mother and other relatives, returned home Sunday night.

Messrs. M. J. Ewalt and O. C. Sanders visited the Biedsoe well Thursday afternoon.

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the reception given the teachers by the Mothers' Club Friday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Porter. Touches of the senior colors, red and white, and a profusion of beautiful flowers made the pretty home even more attractive. The senior girls, wearing their class colors, presided over the punch bowl in the dining room; tables were placed on the spacious porch for "42"; vocal and instrumental music and good readings added to the enjoyment of the evening. The young people enjoyed a stroll through the "Art Gallery." Refreshments of delicious cake and ice cream were served and at a late hour all wended their way homeward expressing themselves as having spent a very enjoyable evening.

Leland Mounts left for Austin Friday night, where he expects to enter the University. He will visit his sister, Mrs. F. F. Fowler at Denison, en route to Austin.

Hale Center has sent a goodly number of her young people to the Canyon Normal this year. Clyde Whitacre; Howard Lemond, Oba Reed and Grady Burson, Lola May Jeton, Jesse Ritchie and Gladys Horton are among those in attendance.

Miss Sylvia Sears is attending school in Abilene.

Mrs. A. Y. Whitacre entertained her daughters from Lorenzo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ferguson announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to Lamar West, Saturday, Sept. 17. These young people will be at home to their friends in the Dent property after Oct. 1.

Sept. 3rd Miss Orleana Sears and Bob Hudson were united in marriage. His couple will reside on the Hudson farm southeast of town.

Miss Margaret Alley and Dennis Scalings were married Sept. 15.

A. A. Hatchell of Plainview was a Hale Center caller Sunday.

A number of the Christian people of Plainview came over Sunday afternoon and held services in the Texas theatre.

Ben Lewis and family have moved to a farm near Lockney. Mrs. Sebastians and family occupy the Lewis property.

The Delphian Chapter met with Mrs. Silas Maggard Saturday afternoon. A very interesting lesson on the life and works of Beethoven was studied.

The Mothers Club will meet Friday Oct. 7. Following is the program. Roll call cabinet members with some interesting fact concerning each. Paper—New Primary Methods, Miss Lona Johnson; Paper, School Athletics—Mr. Charley Jowell; Round Table Problems and Needs of Coming school year led by Prof. G. W. Sears. It is hoped that all the patrons of the school will attend.

Boyd Elliott and sister, Miss Eula, are down from Amarillo calling on friends here.

### LAKEVIEW

Quite a bit of wheat is being sown.

The J. K. club met with Mrs. I. S. Mitchell Friday. Several members were present also two visitors. The hostess served cake and fruit. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Oct. 3rd.

Sept. 26.—We are having some cool rainy weather.

W. C. Jernigan and family have returned from a visit near Fort Worth. They report short cotton crops in that section.

Mr. U. L. Moreland is on the sick list.

### PROVIDENCE

Another fine rain fell here Saturday night. We are having too much at present, that it is keeping our farmers from sowing wheat.

Marvin Dallas had the misfortune of getting three fingers cut off his hand. He caught them in the clutch of a tractor he was working on.

Will Sammann and sister, Ella, and Erna Boedeker visited Miss Betty in the Prairieview community Sunday.

A number of young people attended church at Whitfield Sunday night.

Miss Lydia Ratjen spent Sunday with homefolk.

C. L. Barrett and family are moving to Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Miss Hettie Sammann came in Tuesday from McGregor where she has been visiting for a month.

Mrs. Ooley and children of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hannon.

### PETERSBURG

Sent 25.—We received a



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Interment was in the cemetery here. He had suffered for some time and death finally relieved him.

The Community Club met Friday in the pretty country home of Mrs. M. J. Gregory, west of town. Quite a large crowd was present. After the business was disposed of a social hour was enjoyed. Mesdames Baisden and Waddill played a beautiful duet and the victrola music added very much to the success of the afternoon entertainment. A salad course and cake and chocolate were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Louise Dendy and Mrs. W. E. Dendy. The club will meet with Mrs. N. N. Sell, Friday, Oct. 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Dooley Morris are the proud parents of a dainty baby girl, who came to live with them Sunday.

The Methodist quarterly conference convened here the past week and Elder Clements was present. The weather was very inclement, so attendance was not very large.

Misses Victoria Lawless and Kathleen Smith of Plainview were guests of Miss Mavis Smith in the L. C. Claitor home Saturday and Sunday. Several of our young people called Saturday night and quite a nice time was spent. We here the Plainview girls were pleased with their visit and will come again for they certainly made a good impression on everyone they met.

Miss Hattie Thorpe is visiting her brother here.

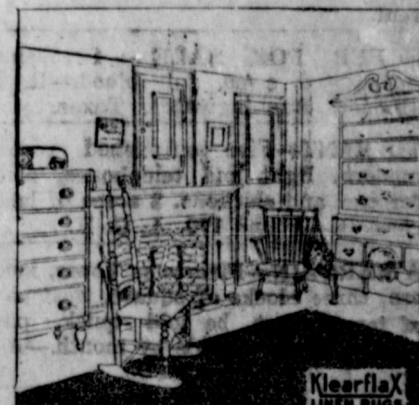
Miss Hazel Mayo has accepted a position with Miss Bessie Gartin in the telephone office.

Mrs. Clyde Barnes entertained a few of the young people with a party Saturday night.

Miss Nettie Roberson spent the weekend with her relatives here. Miss Nettie is a senior in the Abernathy high school.

Raymond Clements of Plainview was here with his father during quarterly conference.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown spent the weekend in Lubbock.



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**FOR SALE**—5 room California bungalow, 2 porches, one lot, lights, bath, toilet in house, hot and cold water, shade trees, east front, garage, barn chicken house, garden. Price \$4,250. Phone 97.

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**FOR SALE**—Several good young nares and some farm implements.—See W. S. Meharg.

**FOR TRADE**—for land in Hale county or residence in Plainview, forty acres, or half-interest in eighty acres of land in Missouri, containing rich bank of iron ore, within 1-2 miles of second largest smelter in the world. Address News, Plainview.

**WANTED**—Inactive stocks. Give par value and number of shares you own.—Consolidated Trust Syndicate, 12 Harrison-Everton Bldg., Box 1676, Wichita Falls, Texas. 38-4t

**STOP THAT ITCHING**—Use the reliable Blue Star Eczema Remedy for all skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, Poison Oak, Prickly Heat, and old sores on children. Sold on a guarantee by McMillan Drug Co.

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**WANTED**—20 more milk customers, will deliver twice daily, 7 a. m. and 6 p. m.—Farmdale Dairy, phone 390. 37-9t-c

For guaranteed mattress work, leave orders at Haltom & Haltom's furniture store of write C. E. Draper, Runningwater, Texas. Mattresses called for and delivered in Plainview. 24-fri-tf.

**ENGRAVED PRINTING**—The News has a line of samples of engraved visiting cards, wedding invitations, announcements, etc., and can furnish such work promptly.

**FOR RENT**—Two unfurnished rooms, West 12th and Lexington, 4 blocks from high school. For information phone 593. 39-4t-T

**CHICKENS**—Lot of 10-crownbred White Leghorn and pided Ancona roosters for \$1 each or will trade for any breed of pullets.—J. R. Shackelford, half mile south of Lamar school. 37-4t-F

**STRAYED**—Two dark bay mules, (horse and mare), mare has bridle and halter on. Notify H. F. Burton, Runningwater. 37-2t

**TRY CHIROPRACTIC**—The failure of one thing to bring satisfying results constitutes a real reason for the trial of another. DR. J. A. ZIMMER, Chiropactor, Lady In Attendance, 406 East Sixth St., One block east of McAdams Lumber Co.

**WANTED**—Two single young men of neat appearance, and the work habit to travel in crew with manager as salesman for well established Chicago house. Experience not necessary. Expenses advanced.—Address J. D. Bateman, gen. Del. Plainview, Texas.

**FOR RENT**—Nice 7-room house on Wayland.—Wofford & Gullede. 2t

**ROCK BOARDING HOUSE**—I have taken charge of the Rock Boarding house, and want the continued patronage of the people. Having been in the hotel business for many years, I am prepared to give the very best service—clean rooms and surroundings, the best table the market affords and courteous treatment.—M. A. Browning, Rock House, Southeast of square.

**Milk, the National Drink**—Milk is rapidly becoming the national drink, as well as one of the chief foods of workers. Not many years ago many laboring men dropped their tools at noon hour and departed for the corner grocery, where they lunched off beer and sandwiches, or else returned with a bucket of the foamy liquid. Today you see these same men surround the milk wagon, where they purchase a much more nutritious and satisfying fluid at 10 cents a pint, or else they go to a nearby grocery for the same thing. Grocers report on increasing demand for bottled milk. Office men, office girls, the boss himself, are all consuming milk with their midday lunch. In this they are not one whit behind the laboring man. The beverage seems to be in universal demand in all of our cities. If our country people consumed as much proportionately there would not be enough cows

# CHIROPRACT

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**Thrice-Candidate for President Still Has Hope In Politics**

Washington, Sept. 23.—The political wheel of fortune is turning toward a Democratic victory at the polls next year, in the opinion of William Jennings Bryan, three times candidate of his party for the presidency and ready to run again should the opportunity arise. He based his opinion, he said, on an observance of conditions the country over during a three months' lecture tour which he has just completed.

The commoner stopped off in Washington for a look in at the latest prohibition fight in congress before proceeding to New York.

"There are five causes which will contribute to Democratic success next year," he said.

"1—The revenue bill relieves less than 5,000 men with big incomes and makes the burden relatively heavier on the rest of the people. It also repeals the excess profits tax for the benefit of a few corporations and relatively adds to the taxes of the rest. It will please few and displeases many.

"2—The farmers have suffered. They are selling their products at half price and buying at high prices. There is revolt among them.

"3—Wages are falling and wage earners will not be in a happy frame of mind next year.

"4—The ex-service men are not pleased with the treatment they have received.

"5—The small merchant will be taking his loss by next year and it will not make him especially enthusiastic.

"Add these together and you have a formidable complaint which will be registered at the polls next year."

Colonel Bryan was chary in commenting on the present lack of leadership in his party.

"We need voters instead of leaders," he said. "Issues always develop leaders."

Asked point blank concerning his own aspirations toward the leadership, the commoner replied enigmatically:

"There has been no time in forty years when I did not feel a deep interest in politics. I do not notice any appreciable decrease in my interest now."

## About People You Know

Rev. J. T. Burnett is starting a new house just west of his new home on Chestnut street. It will be a six room bungalow, and will be the fifth house Mr. Burnett has built in Canyon in the past year.—Canyon News.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Dawson of Kansas City, Mo., stopped over in Canadian three days last week on their way home from California, where they spent the summer. While in the city they were the guests of their son, Dr. Lerton V. Dawson. Dr. E. B. Dawson is a prominent surgeon of Kansas City, and is the author of several books. He is one of the eighty-five persons in Kansas City who have the distinction of being "Who's Who in America."—Canadian Record.

Mrs. Otis Trulove presented her piano pupils in recital recently at her home on South Taylor Street. Mothers and friends of the pupils were present to hear the program, which was creditably presented.—Amarillo Tribune.

Major E. E. Roos returned Saturday from a business trip to Clarendon. He became ill enroute and was confined to his room in the evening, following the visit to the Donley county capital.—Amarillo News.

Rev. R. F. Jenkins is improving steadily following a surgical treatment in a Dallas sanitarium recently. His condition is such that he has been able to be on the streets again for a short time.—Amarillo News.

J. Q. Johnson, formerly of Plainview, who has been living in Littlefield for nearly a year, has moved to Dimmitt.

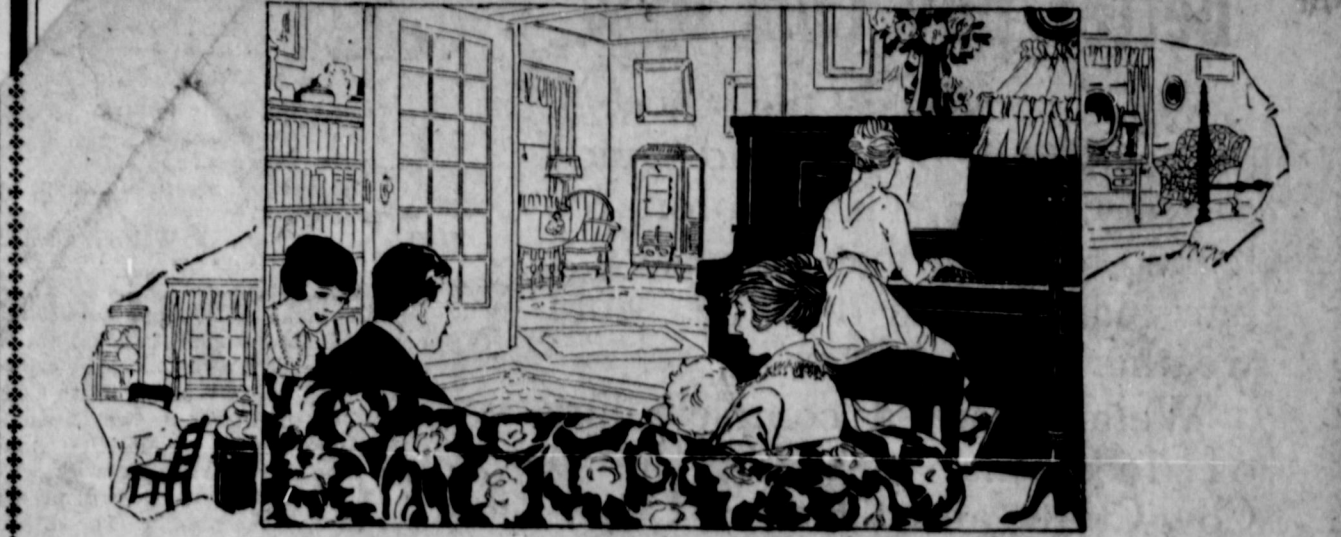
Wm. F. Nix, formerly of the Happy Union community, who moved to Hcopup, in southeastern Colorado, last spring, writes for us to change his address to Boulder, Colo.

In federal court in Waco last week J. B. Nichols of Crawford was awarded \$15,000 damages against the Bradstreet Commercial agency, because it published erroneous rating concerning Nichols who is a prominent business man. The verdict will doubtless cause the commercial agencies to be more careful in publishing statements.

J. B. Weaver living two miles northwest of Canyon, has been arrested on a charge of operating a whiskey still. A. F. Bohne of Happy has been arrested, having been found with a pint of whiskey.

Thursday the enrollment at Canyon Normal was 405, which was 69 ahead of the enrollment the first two days

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# DOWDEN HARDWARE COMPANY

Howell McElya, 14-year-old boy of Lelia Lake, in Donley county, was smothered to death Saturday, when a sand bank in which he and a playmate had dug a tunnel, caved in. The other boy crawled out before he was suffocated.

A woman at Dallas, reported to police that at night her husband bound her to his side with cords, in order to prevent any chance of her going out of the house.

With thousands of world war veterans walking the streets and begging meals, the American Legion at Chicago is opening a hotel for unemployed former soldiers, to tide them over the winter. The men will be expected to pay them when they are able; meanwhile more than 1,000 can live in the hotel and secure meals while obtaining work.

Geo. W. Gilley of Floydada died in Abilene the latter part of the week

## CLUBBING RATES

The Plainview News one year	\$3.35
and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year	\$3.35
The Plainview News one year and Amarillo Daily News one year	\$9.35
The Plainview News one year and Kansas City Weekly Star	\$2.85

and the remains were brought through Plainview Sunday for Floydada, where burial took place.

# SPECIAL THIS WEEK

## Women's Two-Button Kid Gloves

We have made a special purchase of this big assortment of Women's Two-Button Kid Gloves, consisting of the wanted colors of blacks and greys.

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