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## WOMEN'S FAIR

COUNTY FEDERATION TO HOLD SHOW IN PLAINVIEW

SEPT. 22nd

men will hold their annual flower his hotel. The members of the Tech. er and ginner, and who is one of the college, returned Saturday from a show and woman's fair in the muni- college locating committee and board cipal auditorium in Plainview Septem- of regents, and many well known

the flower show exhibits of women's program and the speakers were Rep- thousand bales of cotton this year, many and France. He left this counhandiwork such as textile, art and resentative Lewis T. Carpenter of Dal- and that Plainview should receive ten try the middle of June.

the Seventh District Federation of resentative R. M. Chitwood of Sweetof the fair and show. Mrs. R. A of Snyder, Senator Bledsoe of Lub- will handle six thousand bales, and Underwood is superintendent of the bock, Dean T. U. Taylor of the State that the other gins in the county, two flower show, Mrs. W. E. Risser of the University, Representative Lee Sattextile department, Mrs. J.'M. Malone terwhite of Amarillo, Lieut-Gov. T. of the culinary department and Mrs. W. Davidson, Amon G. Carter of Fort C. A. Pierce of the art department. Worth, chairman of the board of re-

The list of premiums offered in each There was a free barbecue and acdepartment will be announced in a cording to the secretary of the Lubfew days, also those in the special bock chamber of commerce, the classes. A committee was out yester- quantities of food served were 146 day soliciting tunds from the business beeves totaling 35,000 pounds of meat, men for the expense of the show.

the auditorium in the evening, and a to salad averaging 300 pounds to the

looks forward to a very interesting The Governor was the first man into show, for the women of the county the feeding lines and he filled his are co-operating in it.

DOLLAR GETS JUDGMENT IN CIVIL SUIT

White, Schrock and Mrs. Ivey Also Win Verdicts in Civil Cases in District Court

In the case of T. L. Dollar vs. J. J. Ellerd et al the jury gave Dollar a Kate Donald, killing her instantly. He verdict for the amount sued upon and then turned the revolver on his mothfor foreclosure on residence property er-in-law, firing one shot at her which in this city. The jury also gave a physicians say probably will prove his recent trip to New York and othjudgment on cross action to defend-ants C. H. Curl, Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., and R. W. Brahan, trustee, a third shot into his head dying a against Ellerd and foreclosure on few moments later while en route to

This morning in the case of Howard Miller vs. John Schrock and A. S. home with her mother for the last few inspiration to visit him. Hanby et al, suit for alleged dam-ages growing out of the pasturing of West Texas. He arrived here this afsheep, the court sustained the demurternoon, he went directly to the home

Exparte Arthur S. Jackson, disabilities as minor removed.

Mrs. B. V. Ivey et al vs. W. J.

R. R. Fields vs. C. E. White, suit Texas. for alleged damages, jury verdict for defendant.

Petit jury, to report next Monday. -A. R. Lee, A. L. Kellar, J. W. Day, Wilson, M. S. Hudson, S. S. Sloneker, Jerrel, the two year old son of Mr. T. E. Wall, G. L. Caudle, James C. W. E. Dendy, J. I. Dyer, L. A. Har- and Mrs. H. W. Jones, whose home ral, J. B. Gage, J. O. Duensing, C. V. is eight miles north of Lubbock. Springer, W. O. Bell, W. B. Smith, Hubbard, E. A. Shackelford, W. G. of water.—Lubbock Avalanche. David Barrington, J. H. McDaniel, T. Baby Peggy Earns \$1,500,000 a Year F. Mounts, Keith A. Catto, Matt New York, Aug. 27.—Baby Peggy, Gregory, G. G. Sageser.

meeting of the Ku Klux in a hall at an annual income of \$1,500,000, ac-Perthamboy, N. Y., last night, and cording to Sol Lesser, with whom the there was a pitched battle in which contract was made. A bonus of \$500, seventy-five police and 150 firemen 000 additional brings the total took part in trying to restore order. amount of the contract to \$5,000,000. Many persons were hurt but none killed. The klansmen were routed and many had to be escorted from the hall by the police.

## **BIG SALE HERE** FIRST MONDAY

COMMUNITY AUCTION SALE TO BE HELD MERCHANTS

OFFER BARGAINS

A very large crowd of people from all over the Plainview trade territory will be here the First Monday, to at- ing. Mr. Baker was a pioneer Plainstend the Community Auction Sale and man, and was in the banking business take advantage of the bargains offer- in Lubbock and Crosbyton before be ed by the merchants for that day.

All farmers are urged to bring or send whatever they wish sold-liveoffer a number of articles of merch- was in the drug business in Plainview andise for sale in the auction.

McCraw will have it in charge.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS

FLOWER SHOW Gov. Neff Principal Speaker at Rally and Barbecue Held in Lubbock Tuesday

> Lubbock Tuesday brought together doubtless the largest number of people ever assembled on the Plains of Tex-

Gov. Neff and party arrived at 7:30 in the morning and was met by the The Hale County Federation of Wo- Plainview Boys Band and escorted to politicians of the state were present.

The fair will include in addition to H. T. Kimbro presided over the Mrs. Carl Goodman, president of the bill through the legislature; Rep-Woman's Clubs, is general chairman water, Representative E. M. Rosser He figures that the Plainview gins

418 tubs of sliced bread, 87 tubs of There will be a flower pageant at pickles, or 5 barrels, 184 tubs of potavery pretty affair is being planned. | tub, 64 tubs of fried chicken, 1,950 Mrs. Goodman informs us that she gallons of coffee, 10,000 roasting ears. plate at 12:07, the last man was fed will be nearly twice what it was last

Lamesa Farmer Kills Wife

Fort Worth, Aug. 29 .- Entering the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. A. B. Miller, of Seminary Hill, in the outskirts of Fort Worth, Clifford Donald, 35, farmer of Lemesa, today fired a shot into the body of his wife, Ruby

He then went into the yard and fired the hospital.

Donald's wife has been making her of the shooting and her condition about three hundred bushels of wheat Central Texas. would not permit the taking of a was lost. We have not heard wheth-Tubbs et al, suit on account, judg-statement by the district attorney. Donald came here from Lamesa,

Child Drowned in Tank

Funeral services were conducted at ten thirty o'clock this morning for

The child was found dead at the home Sunday morning at nine o'clock. Stovall, R. A. Lutrick, C. C. Stubbs, He had fallen into a galvanized tank Fritz Jacoby, J. D. Buchanan, W. L. which contained about eighteen inches

3 1-2 years old, film star of Los An-Five thousand persons raided a three-year period which will give her

> Singing Convention Postponed The county singing convention which was to have been held Sunday was postponed and will be held at the Church of Christ in this city next Sunday, so announcement is made by

> > Inspected 1,075 Cars Grain

L. W. Sloneker, president.

J. B. Wallace, federal grain inspec tor for the Plainview Grain Exchange informs us that since July 1st he has inspected 1,075 cars of grain and feed stuffs in the district covered by the Exchange. More than 900 cars wa

Former State Treasurer Here John W. Baker of Austin, formerly

state treasurer, was here this morncoming state treasurer.

stock, farm implements, household Long and family are moving from goods, etc. The merchants will also Clarendon to Wichita Falls, Mr. Long for a number of years, but several be held on the public square, and endon, so the children could attend Auctioneers Nash and Seale and Clerk Clarendon college. They have many friends in Plainview.

## TECH. CELEBRATION 11,000 BALES HALE COUNTY

VIEW WILL GIN SIX THOUS-AND BALES

las, who had a leading part in putting thousand bales, as it will get considerable cotton from adjoining counties. from other counties.

true it will bring considerable pros- very dull. He saw fewer automobiles tion was made effective October 1. perity to the people of Hale county, on the streets of that city of two milestimate of \$125 a bale would sell their marks were quoted at a million for \$1,250,000, or about \$125 for ev- to the dollar, and he paid 190,000 for ery person in the county.

that the total harvest of the county 000,000 for a dollar.

feed and there will be plenty of feed- saw the snow topped Alps, and sailed stuff for local consumption and con- across Lake Constance. Paris is the siderable to sell.

Second Largest Subscription Agency is a very serious matter, and he saw has the distinction of conducting the seen in America. Except in Germany second largest private magazine and and France money passed current, newspaper agency in the United without discount, and anywhere one States. He was informed of this on goes the American money is taken er Eastern cities.

White in Springfield, Mass., who conducts the largest agency. White by J. A. Meyers a very fine large wais a cripple, but Homer tells us he is termelon. a sure-enough rustler, and it was an

Mrs. Tyler's Home Burned

er there was any insurance.

It is reported that she was away fire was caused by an oil stove.

## ATWOOD BACK

The Tech. college celebration at T. J. VINES DECLARES PLAIN- GERMANY DEPRESSED - SPENT HALF MILLION MARKS FOR DINNER

> T. J. Vines, well known cotton buy- E. B. Atwood, president of Wayland best posted men on cotton in Hale tour of Europe, having visited Engcounty, declares Hale county will land, Scotland, Sweeden, Denmark, harvest between nine and eleven Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Ger-

He went primarily for the purpose of attending th eworld's Baptist conference which was held in Stockholm, Sweden, and after the conference he

at Abernathy, one in Hale Center and where Hamlet's ghost used to prowl, one in Petersburg, will handle as but on this occasion Hamlet was not much or more, for Abernathy and to be seen. He also saw some of the Petersburg gins will gin considerable famous statuary and art there and at other art centers. Germany is defor ten thousand bales at the low lion people than in Plainview. When PLAINVIEW RAILROAD dinner and a half-million for a room There is no question but what the at the leading hotel. Since then the recent rains helped cotton a lot, and mark has dropped to more than 800,-

In London there is much unemployment and lots of idle people are to be The rains also brought out the late seen; a big dock strike is also on. He most beautiful city in Europe, but France is depressed. Life in Europe Homer E. Minor, the Magazine Boy, no gayety or frolicing anywhere as is

Expecting Oil Storage Tank

The Texas Co. is erecting another from home, but a brother was about large storage tank at its plant near years, and Memphis is the logical days visiting her. She was stricken the place at the time, and that the the passenger depot. The new tank point of intersection with the Denver. with paralysis just about the time he has a capacity of 12,000 gallons.

toured the continent. He visited the castle in Copenhagen

While in the East he visited Opie ! Growing Fine Large Melons

This morning J. F. Graves sent us promotion of the line.

## Prosperity for the Plainview Country

There is question but what a goodgeles, has just made a contract for a ly measure of prosperity is coming to the all matters pertaining to the invest-Plainview country this fall and winter, and that mosf everybody will share in it. Of course the wheat crop was unsatisfactory, but the recent rains have insured a good feed crop, and the cotton crop is estimated as much as 11,000 bales for the county, and the prices for feed and cotton will be high. There is nothing that distributes money so generally in a crescent shape, and the earth in this community as cotton.

Hence, there is much to encourage Central Old Mexico. our people to optimism and a determi-We have a letter stating that R. A. nation to make the best of the situation Plainview are December 13-18. W. been rather bad ones, it seems that J. Klinger is secretary and the judges by launching out into new things that will ton. The Community Auction Sale will years ago sold out and moved to Clar- will make the prosperity of the shallowwater belt continuous and unfailing.

RANDOLPH NAMED JUDGE OF CIVIL APPEALS COURT TWO MEN

FROM EUROPE Plainview Man Will Succeed Associate Justice E. L. Klett, Resigned -Will Begin October 1

> Austin, Aug. 29.—Announcement of the appointment of Judge H. C. Randolph of Plainview, of the Commission of Appeals at Austin, to succeed Associate Justice E. L. Klett, whose resignation as a member of the said she had received notice of the transporting liquor. appointment from Gov. Neff at Lubbock where he was attending the Texas Technological celebration.

Commission has not been appointed. it in their car and leave town. He Panhandle legal circles, and friends chase and caught the car in Seth Ward say that he would rather hold a posi- addition. The bottle was found on the tion in this section than to remain on seat of the car, and had not been the bench at Austin. It is understood opened. The men were brought back here that his appointment will be- and charges of transporting the liquor come effective October 1 when the filed. They were allowed bond in the Seventh Court of Civil Appeals resum of \$1,500 each, which they made, sumes work after the summer vaca-Should Mr. Vines' prediction prove pressed and stagnated, and Berlin is tion, and that Judge Klett's resignate the grand jury at this term of court.

Between the Two Towns, Tapping Very Rich Section

composed of H. E. Skaggs, W. A. the men; he says he is quite sure who Nash, R. P. Smyth and E. H. Hum- the negro is, and that the men will phreys were in this city one day last identify him before trial. week, and met with our business men Hearne with his father, who is said and citizens, to confer on the matter to be a good old man, lives on the of the building of a railroad line from A. B. Martin farm east of Tulia, and this city to Plainview.

They presented a plan of proceedure to our citizens, and were assured that Memphis would do her part if the matter materialized.

Another meeting between Memphis and Plainview interests will be held in the near future, to go further into home in Clinton, Ky., August 9th, the matter and adopt plans for the following a stroke of paralysis and

followed ten minutes later. Mrs. Mil- Thursday evening about 6:30 o'clock. as fine as any we have seen down in served by railroad, and which already and one foreign missionary. ler is the only surviving eye-witness The building and its contents and the famed melon raising districts of furnishes a tremendous tonnage of farm products.

west railroad is going to be built thru of her death. In June just before this country within the next few sailing for Europe he had spent ten At no other point would a line tra- left this country, but it was not verse a district so rich in natural re- thought the shock was severe. sources .- Memphis Herald.

Gives Good Sound Advice

J. F. Duncan, life insurance agent, showed us the copy of a letter this week written by the president of an insurance company enclosing a check for about \$5,000 to the widow of a policyholder. In the leter the woman is warned against the wiles of stock promoters and other swindlers who would seek to have her "invest" or loan the money to them. She was urged to confer with her banker on ment of the money.

This is good advice. If people would confer with their banker before puting their money into investments they would often save losing it, or being swindled. The banker has sources of information that the ordinary person does not have, and being conservative is capable of giving the best

Sun Eclipse Will Be Visible

At about 2 o'clock on the afternoon of September 10th, there will be an eclipse of the sun which will be plainy visible in Plainview territory and which astronomers say will enable those with keen eyesight to see the planet Venus. A smoked glass will be the best through which to observe the

The sun will appear as a new moon, immediate territory, will be darkened enough so that lights will be necessary for carrying on business, it is said. A total eclipse will be visible in

Annual Poultry Show in December

will be E. C. Branch and Walter Bur- good one, and as an indication of this

## **BUY LIQUOR**

SWISHER COUNTY MEN ARREST-ED AFTER PURCHASING OF LIQUOR FROM NEGRO

Seventh Court of Civil Appeals at W. M. Dalluge, age 40 years, Swisher Amarillo, was announced, was made county farmers, were arrested Thursby Mrs. Espa Stanford, secretary to day afternoon in the Seth Ward ad-Governor Neff today. Mrs. Stanford dition to Plainview, on charges of

Deputy Sheriff L. C. Haggard saw the two men take a bottle of liquor from the stack of concrete blocks and Judge Randolph's successor on the bricks behind the Wayland Hotel, put Judge Randolph is widely known in and others of the sheriff's office gave

They claim they bought the liquor from a negro, who was to place it in the rock pile for them to get. Sheriff COMMITTEE IN MEMPHIS Faith brought most every negro man in the town before the men, but they Anxious to Promote Railroad Line failed to identify the one whom they claim sold them the liquor. The sheriff is of the opinion that the negro changed clothes after selling the liq-A committee of Plainview citizens uor and before being brought before

Dalluge is a farmer living nearby.

Dr. Atwood's Mother Dies

Mrs. T. L. Atwood, age 73 years, mother of President E. B. Atwood of Wayland college, died at the family pneumonia.

She leaves her husband and three The Plainview committee has investigated the engineering possibilities children-E. L. Atwood, D. D., presiof the line down the caprock and from dent of Tennessee College, E. B. Attown a mile and is growing very fine the foot of the cap to this city, and wood of Plainview, and Miss May melons, some of them weighing six- are of the opinion that such a line Atwood, who was at home, with her ty-four pounds. He is selling them could be built at no excessive expense. parents. She was a good Christian The home of Mrs. O. V. Tyler, six on the streets of Plainview, and will Such a line of railroad would tap a woman and taught a Sunday school rer of the defendants and threw the of his mother-in-law and the shooting miles south of town, was burned on possibly ship a carload. They are very rich stretch of country not now class out of which came five preachers

Dr. Atwood had sailed two days from France when the wireless mes-There is no doubt that an east and sage came to him aboard ship telling

Votes to Raise Tax Rates

The people of Lubbock yesterday by a vote of 247 to 28 authorized an amendment to the city charter permitting the increasing of the tax rate from \$1.50 to \$2.50 on the \$100 prop-

## **FINE SEASON** FOR WHEAT

PREDICTED THAT THE COMING YEAR WILL BRING BUM-PER CROPS

Another rain of .35-inch fell in Plainview and showers fell over the country last night. This brings the total rainfall for the month up to 2.6 inches in Plainview, according to the government observor, and in parts of the county it ranged as high as four or five inches.

These rains, in addition to greatly benefitting the cotton, adding thousands of tons to the feed and row crop harvests, also have put a very fine season in the ground for winter wheat planting, and provides good winter ranges for the cattle. There will be quite a large acreage planted this fall to wheat.

The Plains people are confident that the coming year will be an especially good crop year, for they argue that they have observed that years go in cycles-two good crop years, two mod-The dates for the annual West Tex- erately good years and one bad year the rains of this month have put a fine season in the ground and filled There is a deficit of \$3,150,000 in the lakes with water. A first-class the state treasury at present. War-rants issued now will be paid in about of the financial depression, and it will take this to do it.

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"A drop of ink may make millions think.

happiness.

Plainview will get 10,000 bales of cot- Three years ago the legislature was mer \$1,250,000, or \$125 for every per- million dollars was made out of the son in Hale county.

now complaining that the women of astic year; two million for the enthe nation are not taking much inter- suing year and two million for the est in voting. You can't make Jim next year. In order to do this it was to 75 per cent higher. Metals, build Ferguson believe it, for he knows necessary to put the state on a defithat every time he runs for office the ciency basis amounting to several women swat him good and hard. million dallars for two years." women swat him good and hard.

The rose crop in Bulgaria is reported to be very poor this year, and the peasants are facing hard times. Fifty thousand roses are required for one ounce of attar of roses, which that while he sympathizes with the sells for \$150 a pound, and the United wheat farmers in their present predi-States is about the best customer. cament, no real reason for calling Gathering theroses furnishes employ- congress in special session has been ment to many Bulgarian peasant

In an address before the state conand we believe he will be defeated.

because the Plains got the plum?

tistical expert, says: "One hour and in this roll. twenty minutes of each business day or an entire day a week-is de- which asks for or works for a greater manded of every able-bodied person government control over private busiin the United States to maintain ness, or affairs in which state, county government. That is the lesson of and city governments should exercise the recent analysis showing that one- authority, is a dangerous element. sixth of our nation income goes for Already, through its "fifty-fifty" politaxes-federal, state and local."

ple should be very careful in voting business. small amounts which can be taken estimable privilege' or 'inalienable

heretofore. Under the new rule or sive propaganda." used by corrupt interests.

seems to be the motto of each depart- mand for government aid gives some ment and institution at Austin, and politician a new idea regarding some there is a continual scramble. Re- new bureau or new commission thru cently the department of education which he can take care of his friends. took it into its head that it could pos- Every new bureau or commission calls sibly get one-fourth of all the auto- for the expenditure of more money, mobile license money, and appealed and the people pay it, either directly to the attorney-general to declare or indirectly, receiving service in retax, for under the law one-fourth of cents on the dollar. all occupation taxes go into the state, Government price fixing and govavailable school fund. Of course the ernment purchase of any commodity plea was ridiculous and the attorney- not needed in government work is general so held, declaring that the justifiable only in case of war, or only excuse for the high auto tax is when public safety demands it. If for the improvement of roads, and it were advisable at any time, it could that all money derived therefrom not be made operative without the

## FINANCING THE SCHOOLS

Many of the schools down in the just how many acres of cotton or state will have terms of only four wheat he shall plant? or five months, because the state apon the Plains the local taxes range individually and collectively, had grit

dependent and self-reliant to ask that class legislation .- Farm & Ranch . the state pay practically the whole expense of educating their children. The state should make no special appropriations for public schools, other than the regular state apportionment derived from rentals and interest on school lands and bonds and the 35c state school tax-and the local districts should by law be forced to levy sufficient local tax to keep their schools open for eight or nine months.

Speaking of school financing, Editor Lee Satterwhite of the Panhandle Herald, (Mr. S. is chairman of the ways and means committee of the legislature), says: "Four years ago the state board of education made a per capita apportionment of state To do without things you want and school funds for the succeeding school enjoy it, is the only rule for complete year of \$8.50; three years ago the apportionment was \$14.50; two years ago the apportionment was \$13; last Some people are predicting that year it was \$13 and this year \$12. lected is a dangerous citizen. ton this season. Here's hoping, for convened in extra session by Gov. that many bales would bring the far- Hobby and an appropriation of four general revenue fund of the state to supplement the available school fund. After a couple of months as a This extra appropriation made possemi-weekly, the Snyder Times, pub- sible the jump from \$8.50 to \$14.50. lished by B. F. Smith, has change Since that time appropriations have back to weekly , declaring that the been made to supplement the avail- get alongfairly well with present business does not justify a semi-week able school fund each year and in or- prices of what he has to sell if prices ly. The Lubbock Avalanche recently der that the apportionment might of what he must buy were down ac changed back from a semi-weekly to not fall below \$13 the recent session cordingly. But prices of other things of the legislature transferred from the general fund to the available fund The woman's suffrage leaders are thre million dollars for the last schol-

#### WHY ASK FOR GOVERNMENT AID?

President Coolidge has intimated advanced.

The only demands for a special session of congress comes from the wheat-producing areas of the United vention of the American Legion, held States. So far as can be learned, in Galveston this week, Senator Mor- this cry for help is not anywhere near ris Sheppard promised his support for unanimous. Farm and Ranch would the soldiers' bonus bill, and denounc- like to believe that the demand on the ed the republican party for having government to fix a price on wheat not already passed it. Sheppard is and for the government to buy and a candidate for re-election and is bid- hold the surplus grain comes only ding for votes. Sheppard is going to from the politicians who accept this have the fight of his life next year, opportunity to win favor from the producers, and from a few unthinking farmers whose financial plight causes Many of the newspapers published them to forget the dangers of increasbelow the caprock are still grouching ing paternalism on the part of the because the Tech college was located government. Thus far in the history on the Plains. The law declared it of the United States, the agricultural should be located within certain des- element of the country has been procribed territory, and it was so located, gressively conservative. The farmso why should there by any kick just ers have been the mainstay of the nation-a bulwark of defence against Roger Babson, economist and sta- radicalism. May they continue to act

Any element of our citizenship cy, the federal government has usurped the power of statesand infringed Counties, cities, towns and school on individual rights. We are inspectdistricts continue to issue bonds, to ed and spied upon from the cradle to the aggregate amount of a billion dol- the grave, and taxed almost beyon! lars a year. Bonds are debts which endurance to pay the government exmust be paid with interest, and peo- pense of interfering with private

bonds, and commissioners courts and A. Owsley Stanley, United States city councils should not be permitted senator from Kentucky, says, "There to issue public warrants except in is not at this hour left a single "incare of within the current tax year. right' mentioned in the Declaration of Independence and secured by the Texas will send only sixteen dele- constitution which is not openly ingates to the republican national con- vaded or secretly undermined by vention next year, instead of forty as some paternalistic project or subver-

basis of representation the South and Has the present generation of Am-West will not have its usual repre- ericans lost the capacity to think and sentation, and the East and North act for itself? Must we call for govwill more than ever dominate the erment aid every time we plant more party. In times past the Southern wheat or cotton than th eworld needs? republican delegations were usually Have we quit thinking except to study sold to the highest bidders, and were up some new way of tapping the pub-

lic treasury? Paternalism is encouraged by those "Get as much money as possible" in power at Washington. Every deautomobile license fees an occupation turn on the basis of nothing to 30

should be set aside for road purposes. added authority to control acreage and production, and where is the farmer who would permit some paid agent of the government to tell him

If we are to maintain ourboasted portionment for the coming year has freedom and independence, we have been reduced from \$13 to \$12, and got to buckle down to business and where people in the local districts tend to our own personal affairs. The have not voted sufficient tax the government was never intended to do school terms will be cut short. In more than give us protection against numerous counties in East Texas local foreign foes and to keep peace at taxes amounting to only three to five home. Certainly, the founders of the dollars per capita are provided, while United States believed that citizens,

from thirty to sixty dollars per cap- and sense enough to fight their own ita, for the people out here are inter- business battles on the square with ested in good schools and are too in- out seeking advantages of special

#### IN A MINOR STRAIN

It is the struggle rather than the victory that makes the game of life interesting.

The cotton season will soon be here, but so far none of the bunch on the corner has signified his intention of getting ajob picking the fleecy staple.

Do it now and save the trouble of trying to remember it.

If some men spent as much time and thought in building up their homes as they do their business the world would be happier.

A man whose intellect is trained and whose moral development is neg-

## The Farmer's Dilema

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace

The sooner the people engaged in commerce and industry frankly recognize the trouble the better it will be for all of us. The farmer could remain high. That is what hurts.

Wages in industry and on the rail roads are almost twice as high as before the war. Taxes are about twice as high. Freight rates are from 50 ing materials of all kinds, are from 50 to 100 per cent above pre-war prices. All of these items are in the farmer's cost of production. Until a fair relationship is restored between agriculture and industry and commerce, agriculture will be upset and will have reason to complain.

#### The Wonderful Horse

O horse, you are a wonderful thing; no buttons to push, no horn to honk; you start yourself, no clutch to slip; no spark to miss, no gears to strip; no license-buying every year, with plates to screw on front and rear; no gas bills climbing up each day, stealing the joy of life away; no speed cops chugging in your rear, yelling summons in your ear. Your inner tubes are all O. K. and, thank the Lord, they stay that way; your spark plugs never make us cuss. Your frame is good for many a mile; your body never changes style. Your wants are few and easy met; you've something on the auto yet .- H. R. Elliott in American Forester.

It May Come to This Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williamson announce the shooting of their sonin-law H. M. Smith

by their daughter Evelyn Marie Friday, August thirteenth hundred twenty-eight

Fort Worth, Texas.

At liberty after October first

## Changes in Fords for 1924

Five different body types constitute the 1924 Ford motor car line introduced last week. They are: Roadster, touring car, 4-door sedan, 2-door sedan and coupe. Prices are the same. Changes include larger hoods and larger radiators, giving the bodies something nearer a stream-line effect.

## Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday. THE FRIEND OF SINNERS .-

Their scribes and Pharisees murmured against his disciples, saying, Why do ye eat and drink with pub-licans and sinners? And Jesus answering said unto them, They that are whole need not a physician; but they that are sick. I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.—Luke 5:30-32.

Monday.

IN SPIRIT AND IN TRUTH .-God is a spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.-John 4:24.

Tuesday. THE KINGDOM WITHIN .-Neither shall they say, Lo here! or lo there for, behold the kingdom of God is within you.—Luke 17:21.

Wednesday. CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE.-This is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us.—I John 5:14.

Thursday. THE ONLY GOD.—Hear, O Is-rael: the Lord our God is one Lord. -Deuteronomy 6:4.

Friday. MAN'S APPEAL.—O Lord, revive thy work in the midst of the years. —Habakkuk 3:2.

Saturday. CONDITIONS OF FORGIVE-NESS.—Put on therefore, . . . bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, long suffering; forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye.—Colossians, 3:12, 13.

## RICHARD LLOYD JONES SAYS Keep Still and Study Silence

Bismarck's enemies said of him in their despair, "He knows how to keep silence in seven different languages." It was his baffling tacturnity that blunted the weapons they had forged against him.

Silence is perhaps the greatest art of conversation.

Joseph Jefferson is credited with having discovered Weber and Fields, the comedians. After seeing them play in an obscure Bowery theater, he hurried to a theatrical manager friend, saying: "They know how

A person often gains credit for sense, eloquence and wit, who merely

says nothing and does it well. Silence indicates both courtesy and consideration. It gives the other fellow his turn. It pays him the compliment that his brain may also harbor some worthwhile ideas. Every ideal relation savors of reciprocity. Every soul must have a medium and opportunity for self-expression. The one-sided conversation is always arrogant. Grant the

other fellow a chance to say his say.

Silence indicates control. We often read: "He mastered himself and was silent." The trivial gabble! When the mind is in control the machine is geared up tight. The wagging tongue always means loose tension. It is the loose gear that rattles. All nature pays homage

Silence is the great healing power of solitude. In the face of a great crisis we are silent. In a great emotion we are still. Silence can be eloquent. It is always majestic.

"Silence is the lesson of kings," said Jean du Beauvais at the funeral

of Louis XV. And Carlyle has called silence the element of great things that fashion themselves together to rule. Silence is more unimpeachable than speech because it cannot be attacked. Great thoughts are born in silence. It is the mother of truth. It is the servant of reason. It is the best help to him who mistrusts himself. "Let us be silent," says Emerson, "that we may hear

the whisper of the gods."

Noise and tumult are the signs of war. Silence is the insignia of peace. It is quite as much a mark of strength to know how to hold your tongue as to know how to wisely use it.



It's a mighty good idea to foller-when you're right on the brink of a verge, with bankruptcy holt of yer collar, the way to get out, is to "merge." With an abyss in front of yer flivver so horrible, rocky, and deep that the sight of it upsets yer liver, and turns ye as white as a sheep-when you think you are bound for the devil, in a wreck at the end of yer splurge, the way to get back on the levelis to hunt up somebody and merge!

It's the haven of refuge undoubted, fer the snoozer that's down on his luck. . . . A merger has never been routed,—you can swim in its pools like a duck. . . . The minnit the merger embraces the worm-eaten carkass you bring, you can set up in dignified places, and smoke cigarettes like a king! So, when you are mighty nigh busted, and yer balance-sheet sounds like a dirge,—if you ever expect to be trusted, there's nothin' to do, but to Merge:



METHODIST MAGAZINE OF

probably.-Floydad Hesperian.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 27 .- Produc-

tion of the Ford Motor Company has

gone to 6,900 cars and trucks a day.

And the new production figure means

that within one eight-hour working

day domestic assembly branches of

the company are at present turning

out four times as many cars as were

produced in the entire first year of

The new production record was set

up Friday, July 27th, when domestic

output reached 6,907 cars and trucks,

the Ford News announces. This is

23 better than the previous high day

of June 30th when production was

During the first year the company

produced 1,708 cars, so last Fridays

production was just 75 more than 4

times that figure and was 1,905 more

than the first three years' output of

Many Secure Normal Certificates

The following Hale county students

received certificates of different de-

grees from the summer school at

Freshman elementary certificates-

Second year, normal elementary

certificates-Effie Miriam Krebs, of

Petersburg; Charles Gambrell Ran-

kin, Lottie M. Struve, Abernathy;

First year elementary certificates-

Sophomore temporary high school

Fresh first year certificates-Floyd

Freshman high school certificate .-Mrs. F. E. Matthews, Plainview.

So far this year 603,927 motor ve-

hicles have been registered in Texas,

Clint Young is back from a busi-

of which 2,973 are motorcycles.

ness trip to Wichita, Kans.

certificate-Lenna V. Cox, Plainview.

Alta May Stewart, Hale Center.

Emma Wilson, Plainview.

E. Matthews, Plainview.

Ellen Fay Stambaugh, Hele Center.

Canyon normal:

the company which totaled 5,002.

CARS EVERY DAY

OVER SIX THOUSAND

the company's existence.

the entire year.

#### WILSON'S PIGS SHOW 1798 HOPKINS HEIRLOOM

A very interesting heirloom of the family of Dr. E. A. Hopkins, now of pigs, a litter of ten, will easily make months of adverse markets have made White Deer, father of Maury Hop- the "Ton Litter" requirements by profitable hog raising impossible in kins, secretary of the Floydada September 7th, when the pigs will be this section. Chamber of Commerce, is a bound six months of age. In fact, the pigs Mr. Wilson will not sell his pigs, copy of "The Methodist Magazine," already average 200 pounds apiece and however, but has them nominated for made up largely of sermons, poems, the question now is how much more show in three different hog shows of letters and articles of John Wesley, weight he can put on the pigs, Mr. the Panhandle country this fall. Dewritten and published during the year Wilson thinks, for them still to be in tails of his feeding operations, showof 1798. The bound copy of the mag- good show condition, by September 7. ing how the litter were raised to the

The book is in Floydada and is in required by the terms of the "Ton ada Hesperian. the possession of Maury Hopkins. It Litter Contest" management, in order has been in the Hopkins family for to avoid any fraud on the part of more than a hundred years. The fore- would-be contestants. The contest is himself is a Baptist. The book was competing.

greatly prized, it is evident, and has The part about the contest which for appendicitis. At last reports she come down in an excellent state of pleases Mr. Wilson most is the fact was resting well, and improving. preservation, a cover of home-tanned that he has brought his pigs to the leather with buckskin binding threads being responsible in large part for this though he has bought his feed-stuffs Memphis Sept. 19-22.

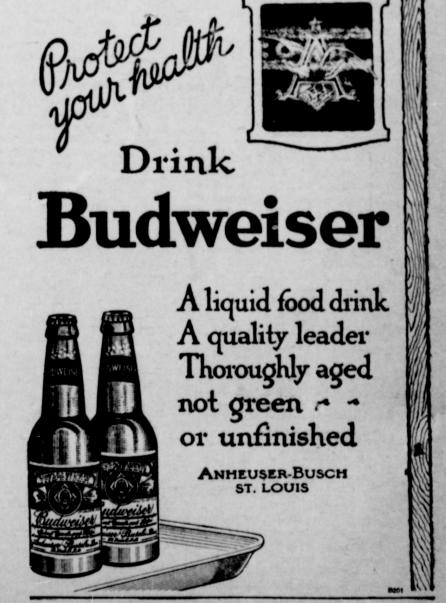
for them. Marketed tomorrow, Mr. PROFIT AS TON LITTER Wilson says, the pigs will show a cash profit, although some hog raisers T. Scott Wilson's ten Duroc Jersey have declared that the past several

azine covers each monthly edition for The pigs will be weighed up on "Ton Litter" class at a profit will be scales in Floydada. Certificates are given after September 7th .- Floyd-

## Undergoes Operation

Leo, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. fathers of the family were practically a state-wide affair and hundreds of and Mrs. H. S. Bolin, who live east of all Methodists, though Dr. Hopkins breeders of hogs are interested and Lockney, underwent an operation at Plainview Sanitarium Saturday night

The Hall county fair will be held in



Nobles Bros. Grocer Co. Distributors

Plainview, Texas

Mrs. Housewife: This newspaper will publish "Helpful Hints" in this form at regular intervals. We suggest you clip this column and paste it in your recipe book.

In a Sewing Basket—Tie a little bow of bright ribbon on the handle of your scissors and they will be much easier to find.

Salad-In fixing a lettuce salad a

leaf of mint and grating of onion is a pleasant addition to some tastes. Try it. Mice-If one wishes to catch

mice, put some pumpkin seeds in the traps. It is very attractive balt. Scorch Spots-A scorch spot may

be removed from a very delicate fabric by wetting with clear water and sprinkling with Borax. Ice Cream Spot-A very ordinary stain which few people know how to remove is an ice cream stain. Take the spotted material and lay on a clean folded cloth and rub lightly with luke-warm water. This

will take the protein (sweet) out of

the stain. Then take some ether or benzine and rub lightly but firmly.

The latter to remove the grease. Lemonade—If the whole lemon is put through the food chopper for lemonade, instead of just squeezing the fruit, you will find it to have a much better flavor and have twice

Singeing Feathers—When singe-ing chickens, hold over an oil or gas stove and the skin will not blacken, as where a burning paper is used. Also use a pair of tweezers to remove pin feathers. They will take hold of the very small ones.

Camisole Straps-If underneath the plain ribbon used for shoulder straps a piece of narrow elastic is sewed, there will be no trouble about "straps sipping."

Fine Linens—Fine linens and em-broidery will have a longer life if they are washed in cold water with white soap and a little dissolved

Borax.

Snappers on Curtains-If one wishes to save laundry bills, trouble, and have curtains stay clean, sew a snapper at each side on the lower part of the curtains. Then sew the corresponding fastener ab. t eight-een inches from the top of the cur-tains. At night just snap them up and they will not be soiled blowing against screens, etc.

### MISCELLANEOUS

WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE is the best

Mrs. R. E. Rampy will again teach a primary class this winter, beginning Sept. 10th, at her home 1106

WELL AND WINDMILLS-All kinds of repair work .- J. C. Cook, phone

don't cuss, call us. Phone 577. Ser-103-13t

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Moline Universal tractor, in good condition, at a real bar-

gain.—See E. Q. Perry. FOR SALE—12-25 Avery Tractor and 5 disc Sanders plow, almost good as new, only broke 300 acres. Complete outfit \$600. Will take some good paper .- A. L. Davis, Sudan, Texas. 29-9t

FOR SALE-Fifty-five feet two-inch galvanized well piping and brass Plainview Mercantile Co.

money .- G. W. McIlroy, four miles south of Hale Center. FOR SALE-Practically new Ford-

-See Frank R. Day. FOR SALE-Brand new modern bungalow, five rooms, breakfast room and bath, on West 11th street. Small payment down, balance like rent. No taxes due till January 1925. See N. R. Northcutt, at Northcutt's 5-10-25c

See us for used Fords .--L. P. Barker Co.

FOR SALE-One horse and one-row wheat drill in god condition. See Mrs. S. E. Leckliter, 14 miles southwest of Hale Center.

FOR SALE-2 new Moline Corn binders, \$50 less than retail price. Also used McCormick binder, cheap .-See E. Q. Perry.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS - The News carries in stock a complete line of typewriter ribbons, for all kinds of machines. Also typewriter paper, back sheets and carbon paper.

## FOR RENT

MY residence furnished for rent, for middling staple. eight months or more. Give possession Oct. 1 .- C. W. Tandy.

Close in apartments, suite of two, three, and four rooms, modern con veniences, reasonable rent .- Phone

FOR RENT-Modern five house, furnished or unfurnished .-L. P.

FOR RENT-Desirable unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 131-J, and call at 229 Broadway. 28-tf

FOR RENT-My home place, near high school. See Oliver Anderson at Postoffice.

FOR RENT-Three rooms, 1 block each of high school .- Mrs. J. Formby, Box 925, city.

FOR RENT-Furnished room, close in, man and wife or two nice girls who want to keep house, attend school or work in town .- 725 Date St. 29-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT-Farms, also twelve thousand acre ranch .- James Bush, Amarillo, Texas.

MODERN RESIDENCE-for rent on Sept. 1 .- D. W. McGlasson. FOR RENT-Two, three or five

rooms, furnished or unfurnished .-- 808 32-3t-F Austin Street FOR RENT-Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, modern

conveniences .- Phone 455.

Try a want-adv. in the News. Only | FOR RENT-Two furnished rooms .ic a word, minimum charge 15c a Frank E. Pearson, 308 W. 10th St. 2t

FOR RENT-Rooms for light housekeeping .- Mrs. T. J. Shelton, 801 W. Seventh, Phone 470.

#### WANTED

south of draw.

WANTED-1000 auto tops to rebuild .- W. H. Fletcher, successor to Kirby L. Smith.

the county after a load.

WANTED-Good single buggy, suitable for children to drive to school .-C. B. Thomas.

#### FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE-Good Samson tractor, Rev. Y. F. Walker, pastor of the Oliver plow, to trade for live stock .-- and patrons at the high school audicylinder at half price.-J. P. Smith at W. L. Harrington, Plainview. 22-tf torium, at 8:45 o'clock Monday, Sept.

NOTICE-To all parties who market dairy products and meats in the city FOR SALE-I have a few real good of Plainview. You are urged to famregistered Hereford bulls, worth the iliarize yourself with the city rules and regulations, and can get free by calling at the city hall a pamphlet containing all the laws and regulations governing some .- City Health was done to the residence by both the son Tractor, with disc plow, bargain. Officer.

#### FLOYD COUNTY CLUB STAGES PICNIC

The Floyd County Club, fifty strong, met down town at 6:30 Tues- glasses were broken, and the wall paday afternoon and proceeded by per in most every room was either "Lizzie Caravan" to the Gordon-Cemming Country Club. An hour and water. spread that followed.

This club is one of the strongest in the institution and promises to be second to none in "peptomistic" dan Construction Company started its sport and social activities as well as more serious functions of will be in school this fall .- Canyon ing of streets in the business section of 88 students, a majority of which three sons and three daughters, and

Visits of the Stork Born to Mr. and Mrs.: J. A. Hayhurst, Runningwater, Aug. 29, girl.

Down in the state the price of cotton this week has been around 23c

## Robs Calomel of

Qualities Removed. Perfected Tablet from the present growing crops. Called "Calotabs."

tablet known to the drug trade as 'Calotabs." Calomel, the most generally useful of all medicines thus enters upon a wider field of popularity,-purified and refined from those the Lone Star cmmunities are overobjectionable qualities which have flowing, it is reported. heretofore limited its use.

In biliousness, constipation, headaches and indigestion, and in a great variety of liver, stomach and kidney troubles calomel was the most successful remedy, but its use was often neglected on account of its sickening qualities. Now it is the easiest and most pleasant of medicines to take. One Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water,-that's all. No taste, no griping, no nausea, no salts. A good night's sleep and the next morning you are feeling fine, with a clean trict. liver, a purified system and a big appetite. East what you please. No

sealed packages, price thirty-five cents entire building. for a large, family package; ten cents for the small trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs.

## SCHUUL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 10th

SOME GRADES TO USE COLLEGE TO RELIEVE CROWDED

CONDITION

From Yesterday's Lockney Beacon Next Monday week, September 10, vacation days will be over, and the DRESSMAKING-PLAIN SEWING- long silence will be broken by chatto do at home, rates reasonable.- tering voices of boys and girls, as Mrs. H. H. Angel, Petersburg road, they plod their weary way to and 29-4t-pd from the old school house.

Teachers this year in the Lockney schools are as follows:

High school-J. J. Wilson, E. F. Baker, Mrs. E. M. Randolph, Misses Otelia Graham, Gladys Roach and WHEN your clothes get in a muss, WANTED-Clean, cotton rags at the Lena Malone. The grade teachers at the high school building are: Miss Alma Livingston, sixth grade: Miss IVEY PRODUCE CO will pay the Rose Stewart, fifth grade; Miss Sam highest prices for turkeys, chickens, McFall, fourth grade; Miss Lauream eggs and hides, will go anywhere in Christian, third grade. Teachers at College ward: Mr. Ivy Hart, seventh grade; Miss Honea, second grade; Miss Roy Riley, mixed grade; Miss Mable Reeves, first grade; Miss Cochran, primary and kindergarten.

> The kindergarten school will begin next Monday, September 3rd, according to Miss Cochran.

8-ft. Tandem disc and three-disc Baptist church will address students 10th, and all patrons are invited to; be present.

> The fire department responded quickly to the alarm, and in a very short time the blaze was quenched. but not until considerable damage fire and water from the hose. Mr. 3 Gentry, assisted by his neighbors, removed most of the furniture from the house before the fire truck arrived, 2 thereby saving it from being badly damaged. Several large window burned or otherwise ruined by smoke

Only Mr. Gentry and four of his and a half of vigerous swimming sharpened everybody's appetite to children were at home at the time of such an extent that there was no de- the fire, Mrs. Gentry and her two oldlay in "falling to" the sumptuous est sons and the baby having gone to Clovis on a visit to relatives.

> At one o'clock yesterday the Jorbig concrete mixing machine to work, laying the concrete base, for the pay-

This work was begun on West College street, and is moving toward Main. A large delegation of workmen are being kept busy on this part of the paving job.

J. N. Jordan, senior member of the contracting firm, was present when this concrete work was begun.

The recent rains which have fallen over the entire county are proving very beneficial to both feed and cotton crops, it is very evident and especially have they benefitted the

A heavy rain Sunday night, cover-Nausea and Danger ing a large portion of the county, and especially the north end, put a spendid bottom season in the Medicinal Virtues Retained and Im-proved—Dangerous and Sickening addition to the benefit to be derived

Some of the farmers of the Rose-The latest triumph of modern land community, a few miles north-twenty-six grand children present, science is a "de-nauseated" calomel east of Lockney, report as much as and a very enjoyable family reunion two or three inches of rain, falling was had. Sunday evening and night, and some of the lakes, or basins, of that and

As late as Tuesday afternoon water of Sunday night's rain was reported to be running along the roadside.

A brick addition of two rooms and Texas. an auditorium will be built to the Roseland school house, in district No. 17, about eight miles northeast of Lockney, it is announce by the trustees, C. S. Cummings, D. M. Smith- that there will be produced as many erman and W. J. Meyers, of that dis- bales as last year on the basis of 20

ground floor of the present brick ing to be some 20 to 30 per cent building, and the auditorium is to greater. Calotabs are sold only in original, form the second story, covering the In the section surrounding Floyd-

stills and arrested thirty-one men in- county, or rather of the territory or- On Auto Row

# PUBLIC SALE

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5th As I am leaving the State, will sell all my property to the highest bidder, on above date at the Dowden Farm, 6 miles southwest of Plainview, on Hale Center road. Will start selling promptly at

#### WORK STOCK

- a real good one.
- 1 Bay Horse, 7 yr. old, wt. 1200, 1 McCormick 6 foot Binder. a real work horse.
- 1 span Brown Mules, 14 yrs. old, 1 5-shovel Garden Cultivator. wt. 2600, sound.
- 1 Grey Mule, wt. 1200.
- 3 Small Horses.

10:30 a. m.

### CATTLE

- 1 Registered Jersey Cow, 5 yrs.
- old, giving milk, none better. 1 Black and White Cow, 6 yrs. old, milking now.
- 1 Red Cow, milking now.
- 2 Jersey Heifer Yearlings, bred 1 Jersey Heifer Calf.
- Several dozen Chickens and a few Ducks.

### FARM IMPLEMENTS

- condition.
- 1 John Deere Tandem Disc.
- 1 John Deere Disc Harrow.
- 12-row Emerson Lister, good. 1 1-row P. & O. Lister.
- 1 VanBrunt 12 hole Wheat Drill in good shape.
- 1 John Deere 2-row Go-Devil. 1 Sulky Plow. 1 Hay Rake.

- 1 Spring Tooth Harrow.
- 1 Black Mare, 6 yr. old, Wt. 1450 1 Milburn Wagon. 1 Cultivator
  - 1 Moline Wagon, new.

  - 1 Slide Go-Devil. Log Chains.
  - 1 Blacksmith outfit, forge, anvil
  - press drill and vice.
  - 1 Potato and Peanut Digger. 5 Oil Drums. 1 Beet Digger. Post Auger. 1 Oil Pump.
  - 30 gallon Copper Kettle. And just lots of small tools you might need.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Monarch Range. 1 Cupboard 2 Coal Heaters. 1 Wardrobe. 18-qt. Lard Press. 1 Commode
- 1 4-burner Oil Stove.
- 1 6-qt. Cream Feezer.
- 4 Iron Beds, complete.
- 1 McCormick Combine, in good 1 Large Dresser. Small Dresser 1 Dining Table. Kitchen Table.
- 1 Titan Tractor, running good. 1 Large Kitchen Cabinet. 1 5-disc Oliver Plow, good one. 1 Mason Rotary Sewing Mach
  - ine. Lot of Chairs and Rugs. 1 Melotte Cream Separator, 700
  - lb. capacity, good one. Some Dishes and Cooking Uten-
  - sils. 1 Oil Heater.
  - Some Canned Fruit. 1 Large Cabinet Phonograph plays any records.

TERMS OF SALE—Sums of \$20.00 and under cash. Sums over \$20.00 10% discount will be given. Nothing moved away until set-A GOOD FREE LUNCH AT NOON tled for.

## H. FELNAGLE, Owner

NASH & SEALE, Auctioneers.

M. A. McCRAW, Clerk

cluding the sheriff and county attor- dinarily termed Floydada trade terriney, all of whom were taken to Waco tory, which seems to have an actual and placed under bonds.

children and grand children. All increase in production in other direcchildren except one son, Oliver, of tions .- Floydada Hesperian. Stamford, were present. There were three sons and three daugthers, and

Cochran and family of Big Spring; Worth interurban car near here this Lawson Cochran and family of Man- afternoon. She was struck when she gum, Okla.; Floyd Cochran and family attempted to cross the track in front of Oklahoma; Mrs. Lucy Jordan of of the approaching car. Erick, Okla.: Mrs. R. H. Fluty and family of Memphis, Texas; Mrs. T. W. Bowels and family of Rising Star is in town today. He says the rains

The Cotton Outlook

Outlook for the production of cotton in Floyd county at this time is to 30 per cent less acreage, meaning The two rooms will be joined to the that the per acre average yield is go-

ada th eacreage west, southwest, north west and northeast seems to have Federal officers made raids in the been reduced considerably, although mountains of Somervel county last to all appearances this spring was week, captured a number of whiskey not true. The only section of the

increase in acreage is southeast. In that section, too, the best yield of cot-Last week J. O. Cochran of Lock- ton per acre is expected unless the ney, had with him thirty-two of his rain of last week makes a material

Clovis Woman is Killed

Fort Worth, Aug. 29 .- Mrs. Anna and a very enjoyable family reunion L. O'Connell, 45, of Clovis, N. M., who was visiting relatives here, was struck The children present were: Joseph and instantly killed by a Dallas-Fort

> L. L. Ragland of near Abernathy helped the row crops a lot and benefitted cotton some.



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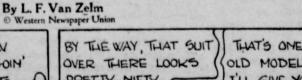
AW, WHAT'S THE USE



PLATE

GAY AREN'T THE WOMEN EASILY BUNKOED, THO —THESE FASHION DESIGNERS JUST WIND EM AROUND THEIR FINGERS











Country Club Elects Officers Dr. Nichols is President

The Country club last night elected officers for the coming year. E. O. Nichols was made president, W. E. Risser, vice president; Arthur Lamb, secretary; R. H. Knoohuizen, trea-

The club enjoyed a chicken barbecue families, about one hundred persons moon. being in attendance.

The Country club has a very pretty piece of land four miles east of Plainview on the Lockney highway, with a nice lake, fed by several windmills, and also a number of young shade trees. There is a good golf course. In time the club expects to erect a club house.

Meet in Plainview and Marry

Fred A. Groves of Canyon, and Miss Zoda G. Stanfield of Lamesa were J. Matthews, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. married in Plainview Wednesday, J. L. Blankenship, singers, is growing Justice E. A. Young performing the in interest and goodly congregations ceremony in his usual rechercha man- are attending the services. The larg- are visiting her parents at Bowie.

Informal Reception for Younger Set

Miss Katherine Wooldridge was Wednesday night with an informal fession and four by letter. dance at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wooldridge.

Afternoon Bridge for Waco Guest Dye entertained Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. H. E. Potter of Waco, St. Mark's Episcopal Church who is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. A.

play. The Martin home was fragrant mon 11 a. m. with the lovely flowers of late sum-

After the games an ice course was served. The plate was in colors pink and white.

Social Meetingof the Business Men's Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church

pleasant time pitching horseshoes. ings. Then it was announced for all to re-Tire to the house where sandwiches Church of Christ and cocoa was served, and we were then called out in the yard to partake Church of Christ. One hundred and of a feast of watermeions, after which fifty were in Bible school. Teachers, an apple race was declared in order. and people are greatly enthused over It was declared that J. M. Johnson the work. was the winner. Johnson says that

except that L. W. Slonker, under a ple. He preached three fine sermons. pretence that he had to get home in We had dinner on the ground. Quite order to take his wife and children a number of members came down to church, declared that he would have from Kress; Bro. Reynolds has just to go. But we noticed that he went closed a fine meeting for them and away carrying his hands in a peculiar quite a few were baptized just after Miss Hazle Zimmermann last week. nanner, and upon investigation it was the afternoon service. found that he had been to the back of the house and secured some of the California. His work here has been Little Charles Truston Willard was nicest melons and proceeded to place very satisfactory with the church, sick last week. same in his Hup and was gone be- and we regret very much to see him | Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taack and fore members of the class could reach leave. Any church that secures his daughters, were in Plainview Saturhim. A committee will go before the services will do well, for he is a good day. next grand jury with the matter when preacher, a fine man, and one of the Mrs. Willie Smith and husband it meets again.

ed expressing appreciation to Mr. family, and they will be greatly miss-Huston and his good wife for a good ed. He is leaving of his own accord. time enjoyed by all. Those who were -Member. not there missed a good time and should not fail to be present next time .- One Who Was Present.

Misses Wayland and Foxhall

Guests at Friday Tea Last Friday afternoon, Misses Josephine Wayland of Plainview and Emma Foxhall of Memphis were the guests of honor at an afternoon tea in the home of Miss D'Laurel Beville. The house was tastefully decorated with garden flowers. Misses Muffet Sims, Evelyn Patman and Sybil Johnson poured tea. Forty guests were served the following menu between the hours of four and six: Tea, olives, cakes and ribboned sandwiches tied in black and gold, the S. W. U. colors .- Clarendon News, Aug. 30.

New Books at Library

The following new books have been placed on the shelves at the public library:

"Come Out of the Kitchen," by Alice "The Shaft in the Sky," by John

Graves. "Voices of the Southwest," by Hil-

"The Middle of the Road," by Phillips Gibbs.

Burgess' Commercial Law. The monthly meeting of the library board will be held at the library next Tuesday at 3 p. m.

Bereans Entertained by

Fidelis Class school, with Miss Kate Bryson, as hostess, entertained the members of cured with two or more stations, the the Fidelis class at the C. V. Bryson exact position of the vessel is found home, west of Wayland college, Fri- by cross-bearings. The value of such day night, with a lawn party, at a direction finder in thick or hazy which enteresting games were played | weather is obvious,

and iced watermelon was served. Those present were Misses Oressa Cleva Gunter, Beulah Shelton, Coleen world would be happier.

Mary Whitesides, Gladys Lovelady, ADJUIIVIIVU Buchanan, Buyrene Abney, Prue Joiner, Ruth Bryson, May Bryson. Messrs. Z. T. Huff, Paul Flake, Boyd Williams, Bonnie Williamson, Floyd Rees, Frank Fletcher, Raymond Rees, Herbert Gunter, Bill Formby, Carrol Gunter, Elmer Atwood and Donald

Former Plainview Man Marries

Mr. A. E. Harris and Miss Lillie Campsey were married in Electra on August 23rd. Mr. Harris formerly Willis White this week. at the club grounds, the chickens be- lived in Plainview and was connected ing cooked over a pit, and there were with the Nobles Bros. wholesale groall "the fixings" that go with such a cery store, but moved to Electra sevfeast. Practically all the members eral years ago. The couple went to were present with members of the North Texas points on their honey-



Baptist Revival is Growing in Interest

under the preaching of Pastor Harlan in being rendered. est attendance in the history of the church are at the day services and

night services.

Mrs. A. B. Martin and Mrs. E. L. Worthwhile sermons and good music.

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, Rector. 14th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Bridge was the diversion of the af- communion 7:30 a. m. Church school ternoon, there being twelve tables in 9:40 a.m. Holy communion and ser-

All are cordially invited.

Christian Endeavor Society

We are requested to state that though the pastor of the Christian church is absent, the Christian Endeavor society will continue to meet at 7:30 o'clock, and will close in time for those present to atend services at The class met with Mr. R. E. Huston other churches. All young people are community Sunday night. The crops on Seth Ward. The "boys" had a urged to attend the Endeavor meet-

Sunday was a fine day at the

It was Bro. Reynolds' last day with a man has to have good legs in order us and we put forty-seven chairs in ter visited relatives at Idalou Frithe church in addition to our regular Everything went well and nicely, seats an dthen couldn't seat the peo-

best church workers, and builders I visited her aunt, Mrs. Taack, Thurs-After an enjoyable time, all depart- have ever seen. He has a very fine day.

Order Has Spread.

The Order of De Molay was organized in Kansas City, April 1, 1919, by Frank S. Land, secretary of the social service and employment bureaus at ford in the edge of Castro county the Scottish Rite temple. Since that last week. time the movement has spread from coast to coast and to several foreign holding a meeting in the basement of countries. De Molay is an order for young men between the ages of sixteen splendid atendance. The building is and twenty-one. It is sponsored by the Masonic lodge. The order is based on the closing events in the life of Jacques de Molay, grand master of Hereford attended a railroad meeting the order of Knights Templar, burned held at Dimmitt last Friday. Colonel at the stake in 1329 by decree of Philip the Fair, king of France.

Wanted It Settled.

The old man regarded his last unmarried daughter critically.

"Let me see, Alice," he reflected, "young Smythe has been calling on you regularly for six or eight months, hasn't he?"

"Yes, father," simpered Alice. "Well," continued her parent, "if he asks you to marry him when he comes tonight tell him to see me. Understand?"

"Yes," giggled Alice. "But suppose he doesn't ask me to marry him?" "H'm!" reflected papa. "In that case just tell him I want to see him."

Does Away With Ocean Peril.

The latest in wireless direction finders has been installed on the steamship Mauretania. With this device it is possible to ascertain in a few sec-The Bereans of the Baptist Sunday onds a ship's bearing toward any one land wireless station. If touch is se-

If some men spent as much time Hembree, Kathleen Terrell, Kathleen and thought in building up their Smith, Myrtle Hembree, Mavis Davis, homes as they do their business the

## **COUNTY NEWS**

SPRING LAKE

Aug. 27.-Linville Bros., Gehres Bros., and J. L. Henson are shipping cattle out of Muleshoe this week. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott announce the arrival of a ten pound boys, born

Mrs, Ida James of Abilene is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs.

Ray Axtell returned Wednesday from Kansas City, where he went with a shipment of cattle.

M. E. Cleavinger returned home Sunday from a short visit with relatives in Kansas. After returning Mr. Cleavinger contracted blood poison in his foot from a blistered heel and is now in Plainview where he can e near medical assistance.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Botsford are visting relatives in Hereford this week. The Children's Day program given Sunday was very interesting and enjoyed by all present. On account of whooping cough in the community the The revival at the Baptist church program was about two months late

> Miss Mable Vore of Amarillo i visiting homefolks here this week. Mrs. Arthur Barton and children

A very enjoyable occasion in the form of a miscellaneous shower was the house is filled with people at the given on Aug. 22 by Miss Ruth Linville at her home southwest of Spring To last night seventeen had been Lake honoring Miss Gladys Axtell, hostess to a number of her friends added to the church, thirteen by con- bride-elect, whose wedding will take place in the near future. A color The meeting will continue through scheme of pink and white was beauti next week, with services at 10 and 8 fully carried out in a profusion of o'clock each day. A cordial invitation flowers, ferns and hearts. Music and is extended to the people to attend, appropriate readings added to the pleasure of the afternoon. This was followed by a flower romance. Later in the afternoon a small table, deco rated with pink and white hearts and a centerpiece of two large hearts intertwined with the inscription, "Two hearts that beat as one," and laden with many parcels was placed before the bride to be, to be opened by her. A dainty refreshment course of cake and iced punch carrying out the color Miss Naomi Phipps of Plainview is

visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlie Jones.

IRICK

Aug. 27 .- A good rain fell in this look much better now. There will be some very good maize and cotton here if it rains some more soon.

Mr. Omar and Miss Verda McCoy were here last week visiting their mother, Mrs. S. T. Cooper. Mrs. Kate Schuster and daughter,

of Graham, visited her sister, Mrs. W . Taack last week. Mrs. Taack and daughters and sis-

Several of the boys from this com-

munity went to the brakes Sunday to get some grapes.

There was a party at the Murphy home Saturday night. Miss Mami Lee McDougal visited

Mrs. Roy Phillips is on the sick

DIMMITT

Aug. 28 .- A most interesting meeting of the Tierra Blanco Association of Palmer, Swisher, Castro, Randall Deaf Smith counties was held with the Summerfield Baptist church about eight miles southwest of Here-

The Rev. G. R. Fort of Dimmitt is the Summerfield school house with a provided with electric lights.

Messrs. E. S. Ireland, J. E. Hill, Jeff Gilbreath and W. S. Higgins of Powell, promoter of the proposed Plains railroad, had asked the Castro county people to make him a proposition but it was decided to invite a proposition from him instead. Judge Kerr was elected delegate to represent the county at the hearing on the proposed line before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington soon, and funds were raised to pay his expenses on the trip. Edwin Ramey was named alternate delegate. -Hereford Brand.

Of Course Men Change.

'Two months ago I was desperately in love with Ronald and now I can't stand him. How men change !"-London Opinion.

X Rare in United States Towns. There are fewer than a dozen towns in the United States whose names begin with X. The most of those are

Parents Take Heed.

A device in a radio patent is deas "Resistance included in Fathers and mothers will ap-

Not Much Soil.

The reason a floorwalker wears a flower in his buttonhole is because it won't stay in his hair .- Malteaser.

Myriads of the Insects Strip Trees in Bohemia-Peasants Carry Umbrellas in Woods.

HATE I LOT OF CATERIALENTS

Oscar John, a New York musician who returned recently from Czecho-Slovakia, said that the great forests of northern Bohemia were being destroyed by a caterpillar pest, accord-

ing to the New York Times. "The caterpillars in northern Bohemia," said Mr. John, "originate in myriads from the black butterfly called the nonne, or nun in English, which lays its eggs on the ground in the forests. Directly these insecis are hatched they swarm up the trees, sapping its life as they climb up the trunk by eating all the green shoots and leaves

"On reaching the top the caterpillars swing by their own saliva across to the next tree and destroy it as they go down to the ground. Millions of these crawling pests make a miss when they are doing the aerial trapeze act and fall to the ground so thickly that it is just like rain.

"Peasants walking through these dense forests have to carry great cotton umbrellas to prevent themselves from being smothered by the caterpillars. There are no picnics under the trees, because a soup basin would be filled up before there would be a chance to eat the contents.

"The only thing that can be done with the trees after the caterpillars have finished with them is to cut down the dead trunks and saw them up into logs for firewood.

"It gives one an uncanny feeling to walk through the great dark forests of northern Bohemia and hear the gloomy croak of the buzzgloak from the lofty branches of the trees and the pitter-patter of the caterpillar rain on the big umbrellas carried by the peas-

#### MOTOR CAR CAMPERS MANY

They Are Doing Good Work Building Great Fraternity of Outdoor Sports Lovers.

We have heard the lure of the outdoors preached as long as we can remember, says the Sportsman's Digest, and while no one disputed the value of time spent close to nature, it remains a fact that only since the motor car has come into universal use have appreciable increases been made in the number of people who spend a part of their spare time in the open.

A few years ago the motor car camper was a rare specimen-a curiosity that would attract attention at any cross roads. Today he is a fixture to be found on every highway and byway of this broad land. Each season he is carrying more and more of his fellows out into the open, thus aiding. to a great extent, the purpose that the outdoor press has so long advo-

The camper is to be encouraged, for through him a great fraternity of outdoor sports lovers is being built. The community which has not made provision for the camper and is not ready to welcome him is far behind the times, not only in the way of fallure to co-operate in a growing movement, but from a selfish standpoint also. camper, depending on the treat ment he receives, can become a great asset to a community.

Yes, the camper is a fixture and it seems to be up to the various communities to receive him well and to send him on his way pleased with the courtesy shown him-an ardent booster for the communities which he has

Wilder Than the Animals.

"With all our so-called wisdom and civilization, we have not learned much about dress," said one park bench philosopher to another, wiping the perspiration from his brow and from beneath a wilted collar.

"You're right," said the other, his roving eye catching a glimpse of a feminine apparition as it flitted by, "some of the styles in women's dress I've seen would make Mark Anthony weep."

"What I was about to say," the other continued, "was that a sweltering day like this is no time for a coat." He began to shed that part of his raiment. "Speaking of extremes, I just passed a woman wearing a heavy cape and furs about her neck. Even wild animals shed their fur in summer time."

"The trouble is," said the other, some women are wilder than the animals."-Exchange.

Effects Not Pleasant.

An Evansville young woman, teaching her first term at school, was not only impressed with the nobleness of her profession but had determined that all her friends should so be impressed.

"Oh, it is wonderful work," she said when at a friend's home, "this teaching the young to shoot." The friend pointed to her kitchen window, which had been broken ear-

"Yes," she agreed, "It is wonderful work, but you must make it still more wonderful by teaching them how to take poorer aim."-Indianapolis News.

lier in the day by a shot from a sling-

Canada's Urban Population.

The population of Canada is about equally divided between city dwellers and country dwellers. The total urban population is given as 4,352,773 and the total rural population 4,435,710. In Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan the rural population runs about 75 per cent of the whole.

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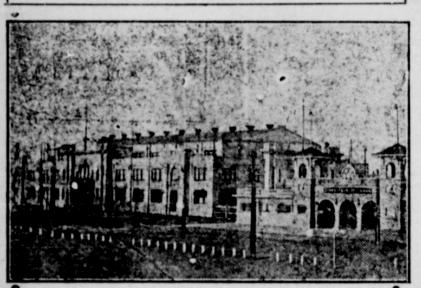
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## The Plainview News

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certain order of sale ssued by the Clerk of the County Court of Hale county, on the 30th day of August, 1923, in a certain cause wherein Henry Driesel is plaintiff, and C. Stewart and P. G. Fletcher are ginia Military Academy. defendants in favor of said plaintiff for the sum of One thousand, twentynine and no-100 Dollars, with interest through South Texas. thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per gether will all cost of suit, that being near Albuquerque, N. M. he amount of a judgment recovered in the County Court of Hale County, home during the winter. on the 5th day of June, 1923, I have of September, 1923, at the Gilbert ager of the Texas Oil Co. highest bidder all the right, title and relatives in Trinidad, Colorado. interest of C. Stewart and P. G. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wells have re-Fletcher in and to the following des- turned from a very interesting auto ing closes. cribed personal property, levied upon trip to the mountains of Colorado.

Driesel, together with the costs of said spotted. suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

SAM FAITH, Sheriff Hale County, Texas. Church of Christ.

Sweaza of near Olton were married tist association. at the home of Judge E. A. Young, They belong to very prominent fam- Tom Vaughn. ilies in the Olton country.

**Personal Mention** 

Ira Smih went to Amarillo this morning.

H. S. Hilburn had business in Mc-Lean this week. Travis Helm has gone to Center,

Colo., where he will work. Melvin Hall left this morning for

Chicago to attend school. Miss Dollie Miller has gone Kansas for a visit with relatives. Mrs. W. A. Miller left the fore part

of the week for Merkel for a visit. Mrs. A. L. Talley and child went to Snyder Thursday to visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Maple Wilson of

Cochran county were here yesterday R. R. Ranport has returned from a visit with his mother in Gainesville. Miss Katy Morrison arrived Wed-

Misses Mildred and Casille Marsh have gone for a visit in Post City

nesday for a visit with Mrs. M. W.

and Abilene. Thos. Norris of Wichita Falls is the guest of J. F. Norfleet and family west of Hale Center.

Britain Minor of Olney has come to spend the winter with Homer Minor and attend school.

Everett Dye, Jr., left this morning for Lexington, Va., to attend the Vir- W. H. Gregory, has returned from a

annum, from date of judgment, to- back from a trip to th emountains

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Galbreath have by the said Henry Driesel, plaintiff, gone to Kansas City, to make their are doing nicely.

hours, proceed to sell for cash to the eral days for an extended visit with received into the church by baptism

as the property of C. Stewart and P. Miss Bettie B. Bledsoe returned this

Mammoth Jack, and 4 three year old with her grandmother in Tucumcari, Lord for special service. Rev. L. W. The above sale to be made by me P. J. Naab returned Tuesday from

to satisfy the above described judg- a trip of several weeks to Iowa. He he was taken sick and had to go home. ment for \$1,029.00, in favor of Henry says crops in that state are rather Since then Rev. C. A. Joiner has been

where he will become pastor of the

college went to Southland this morn- meeting at the church next Sunday Mr. Tom Dotson and Miss Beuna ing to attend the Garza County Bap- Sept. 2nd. Let every one come.

Young performing the ceremony. a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. not contested. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burns of Tu-

> is rejoicing over the recent fine rains in Swisher county. for Eastland, where she will again proving.

teach home economics in the public schools of that place.

for Lexington, Va., where he will re- case of typhoid fever. Lee University for another year. Frank M. Butler, president of the baby in their home.

Rotary club, attended the conference of presidents and secretaries of Texas Christian church have been attending and two children of Hale Center, Mr. Rotary clubs in Austin this week. the meeting at Petersburg. Mrs. Tannehill and daughter, who The stockholders in our local tele-

Eastland tomorrow. Misses Margaret Barnhart and Hel-

en Howard of Childress have been her friend, Miss Della Kelley of here this week visiting Mesdames Wheeler. George Wyckoff and Casey Hughes, Miss Barnhart being their cousin.

Monday here the guests in the home returned from a trip to Oklahoma. of E. Ray Smith and family.-Tulia

Miss Roberta Tudor left this morn- Colo., were visitors in the home of ing for Columbia, Mo., where she will his nephew, Mr. Luttrell. attend the State University. Her brother, Vincent Tudor, also went and will attend Wentworth Military Academy at Lexington, Mo.

cate demonstration farm, and declared the guest of his cousin, Charles Garit to be the prettiest piece of land he ten at the phone office.

Mrs. H. R. Trotter of Waco and Sunday, Sept. 2nd. Bro. Clark has wood. Mrs. Trotter is the sister of united with the church. Mrs. Underwood an dhas visited here several times before.

Mrs. Fred Wood and children, who home the past week end. Mrs. Nelhave been here for several months son is a niece of Mr. Shankle. visiting her parents ,Mr. and Mrs. W. thier home in Boise, Idaho.

northbound train en route to Amaril- church. Congratulations. o, where he and his family will make Mrs. Tom Jay and children of Lubtheir home. He will open a general bock visited relatives here this week. stenographic office there, and has also been appointed official stenogra- smith, has gone to Marlin to take phic reporter for the Dalhart District treatment for rheumatism. We hope count. Mr. Baker was reporter for he finds relief and soon returns to his the Hale county district court and liv- home and business. ed here until several years ago, when John Allen Jr., and family attendhe moved to the oil fields at Cisco and ed services at Lakeview Sunday. engaged in the oil business. Of late | Ernest Hughes left for Denver, he has been operating in the Arkan- Colorado, Tuesday. He has been sas oil fields, and informs us that he spending the past two months here has a lease on one thousand acres of with his parents. oil lands close by the big gushers.

## HALE COUNTY **HAPPENINGS**

LAKEVIEW

Aug. 28.—This section was visited by several good rains the past week, so now the farmers are not quite so

Most of the old feed had been cut, but the late feed and cotton will be greatly benefitted.

W. P. Carraway and family of Lacossa, Texas, spent a few days in the home of Mrs. Carraway's sister, Mrs. P. L. Wimberly.

Mr. Lee and family of Beaumont, spent last week in the home of his

uncle, J. H. Brown. Miss Tucker of Collinsworth is a visitor in the home of her brother, H.

C. Tucker. Misses Lee are visiting their brother on the Harry Ragland place. Mr. Pulliam and son are spending awhile in the home of his daughter,

Mrs. Jim Sikes. Mr. Chatman of California spent last week in the home of his daugh-

ter, Mrs. Hill.

Mariam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. visit in Mitchell and Howard coun-Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hendricks ties. She was accompanied home by have returned from a two weeks' trip her aunt, Mrs. Flem Anderson, and husband of Big Spring. The crops J. G. Haltom and Arthur Clark are were beginning to burn up in that section. The Anderson's are anxious to locate on the Plains.

Our B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school

The Baptist meeting, which has been J. H. Housley of Strawn is here in progress the past two weeks is dolevied upon, and will, on the 11th day visiting his son, Drew Housley, maning much good. We believe that up to date there have been sixteen con-Barn in Plainview, Texas, within legal Mrs .C. H. Patton will leave in sev-versions and several reclaimed, eight and a number by letter. We feel sure Saturday. there will be others before the meet-

Three of our girls, Misses Sarah and Murtice Smith and Lena Wimber-G. Fletcher, one black 3 year old morning from a visit of several weeks ly have surrendered themselves to the Williamson of Plainview did the preaching until Friday night, when doing the preaching. We thank the Rev. O. M. Reynolds and family Lord for his presence with us and left yesteday for Ontario, Calif., for the good meeting and pray that much good may yet result.

Rev. L. H. Davis of Abernathy, the President E. B. Atwood of Wayland Methodist pastor, will hold an all day

A number from this community at-Irick Vaughn, who has been in tended the Tech celebration. We cer- much benefitted. this afternoon at 7:45 o'clock, Judge California for some time, is here for tainly hope that the Tech college is

> Garry Thomas of Abilene is visiting in the home of his aunt. Mrs. W. F. lia were here yesterday. Mr. Burns Gregory.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Moore, who is in a Lubbock sani-Miss Zola Campbell left last night tarium, is thought to be slowly im-

Will Landers, who has been in a Lubbock sanitarium for some time, growing showers. Cameron Shropshire left yesterday is not doing well. He had a severe

sume his studies in Washington and Mr. and Mrs. Lee on the Harry Ragland place are proud of a new ing. All the children except the son

A number of the members of the

have spent the summer with the fam- phone line held a meeting at the ilies of A. A. and W. V. Hobbs, left school house a few days ago and elec-nue, with other relatives, W. C. yesterday for their home in Fort ted the following officers: W. T. Young, president; J. M. Craig, vice-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meadows of president; and Ed Lutrick, secretary. was spent by all. Austin arrived this morning to atend They assigned each patron a portion he wedding of his sister, Miss Flora, of the line to keep up. We hope each to Mr. Allen Gardner Barnard of one will do his duty and that the line will soon be in good shape.

Miss Laura Wimberly is visiting

Roy Bersher spent a few days with his mother in Seagraves last week. Mrs. J. H. DeJarnatt and daughter, Frank E. Jackson and little son, Ella Dale, and sister, Toots Duncan, William, and his father and mother, of Plainview, spent last Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Will Jackson, have just Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor and two sons, R. L. and W. L., of Trinidad,

## PETERSBURG

Aug. 30 .- Petersburg did its part in attending the jubilee at Lubbock, for Judge Tom Bledsoe of Abilene was most of the community were there. here Wednesday visiting his brother, Cecil Garten of the Bledsoe com-A. C. Bledsoe. He visited the syndi- munity spent the week end here, as The Christian meeting will close

Mrs. W. Z. Mason of Mexico, Mo., are had fine congregations and much inguests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Under-terest is manifested. Several have

Rev. Nelson and wife of Dallas were guests in the E. B. Shankle

The marriage of Cecil McFarland B. Armstrong, left Wednesday for and Miss Corine Stoball came as a pleasant surprise to their friends. They were married Saturday after-W. N. Baker was on this morning's nnon, after services at the Christian

J. B. Spiller, our efficient black-

Miss Rosanell Gray leaves tomor-

row for her home at Lamesa, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Sam

Mason. Rev. Chas. Watkins has returned nome from his preaching tour and has been entertaining some friends the past few days.

#### ABERNATHY

Aug. 30 .- A. B. Hix of Collingsworth was in Abernathy last week visiting C. H. and J. M. Williams and family. Mr. Hix is looking for a location here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crow went to Hedley Saturday to visit Mrs. Crow's father for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dickinson of Plainview, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dickinson. W. E. Bledsoe returned Friday from a trip to Colorado.

Miss Nettie Roberson left Abernathy Friday morning to return to her home in Hale Center after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Nelse Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Green of Canyon are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Price. Mr. and Mrs. Green are one of the pioneer families of West Texas, settling in Brown county in the early fifties. They have many old acquaintances in our neighborhood.

Miss Lottie Struve came home from Canyon Monday bringing with her Miss Helen Croson, and Miss Lorena Fireze. They were accompanied by Messrs. Jack Pipkin, Newton Harral and Chester Croson. The party will spend several days with friends in Abernathy.

K. A. Sells of Petersburg, county commissioner was here Saturday to do some badly needed work on the county road which leads into Abernathy from the northwest.

Mrs. Burr Meyers, who has been visiting her mother in Plainview for the past week returned to her home

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woods of Canyon arrived in Abernathy Sunday to spend several days with Mrs. Woods' parents east of town.

Albert Overton and sons accompanied by his mother have been in Abernathy for several days.

Mrs. Ola Legg has for her visitors in Plainview, her father, brother and sister. Mrs. Legg and Eugene accompanied by Miss Myrtle Pinson and Ray Pinson and their father were in Abernathy Friday.-Review.

Aug. 28 .- We received another nice growing shower Sunday, which was much appreciated. Our row crops are Frank Simonton is serving as juror

in Plainview this week. Cheston L. Bayley was in Hale Cen-

ter with some nice watermelons Sat-

Quite a number in this part are cutting their row stuff. We are glad to hear of the fine

rains in other communities all around us, but so far we have had only nice

There was almost a family reunion in the Leckliter home Sunday, but neither party knew of the others com-Those present were G. E. Parris, wife and Mrs. Vollie Fort and two children of Center Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Benson and baby of Iowa Ave-Smithee, a nephew, wife and three children of Ralls. A pleasant time

Mrs. S. E. Leckliter is reported on the sick list.

FOR SALE-2 new Moline Corn binders, \$50 less than retail price. Also used McCormick binder, cheap .--See E. Q. Perry.

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some one at the door.

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and taken possession."

THE I LOT UT UNILDITE MAN

A Pension for

Old Dan

By MORRIS SCHULTZ

.....

"WELL, Dan, what is it?"

tient remark.

of day, sir."

(@, 1923, Western Newspaper Union.)

watchman with the Snyder company

for forty years, shuffled from one foot

to the other at the president's impa-

"I-I just come in to pass the time

The president nodded indulgently,

for old Dan had been a privileged

character. "Always pleased to see

Dan beat a retreat. How could he

tell Mr. Lucas what he had come for?

He was too old for work, the company

said. Dan was seventy. And he had

come to ask for his job back instead

of the pension. Only his courage had

Ten dollars a week, and another six

from his investments of a lifetime, and

nothing to do now that Kathleen was

married. A lonely life for a lonely old

man. It had been so fine when he was

night watchman. Not a bit lonely

then, with Mulligan, the cop, to gossip

It was just a sixth sense, that was

Probably an old man's folly. But

Dan took to watching the warehouse,

though more for the sake of old times

than to keep an eye on Corrigan-at

least, until that night when, from his

post across the street, he saw the two

It was on the third night thereafter

that he saw the motor van turn into

the empty yard of the Snyder com-

consultation with him.

watchman.

you, Dan. Getting on all right?"

"Yes, thank you, sir."

failed him at the last.

life of the city.

all.

Dan, who had been night

SPARROW-HAWKS GOT SNAKE

of March it seemed evident that they his home now and that possession were mated and were considering the

> locality as a summer residence. We now saw them almost daily, and the perfect domestic harmony, indeed I should say affection, shown between them, and the tender care and gallantry on the part of the male, would seem to suggest a high plane of evolution, and reminds one again that all the world is kin. Indeed, what have we of altruism which may not

have its beginning in the humblest

In accord with history and tradition the male was chief hunter, but very often shared the game with his mate after the "killing." Rushing to the back window, attracted by a loud call of killee, killee, killee, we would frequently see him returning from the hunt with a rat, a mouse, or an English sparrow, and it must be confessed that even small song-birds were not strictly prohibited under his liberal interpretation of the law. In a moment the female would light on a perch nearby, whereupon the male would immediately remove the mouse from his talons, with which the prey

is almost always carried, and politely

deliver it to his mate from his beak.

One bright, sunny afternoon there was an unusually excited call heard. It seemed that a garter-snake had glided forth from its hiding place 12 enjoy the early spring warmth, a cir-cuinstance which proved more fortunate for the "early bird" than for the early snake. It was most picturesque and exciting even to a spectator to see this fierce little bird, slightly smaller than a flicker, flying about from tree to tree as if in search of a more favorable stand, struggling with his writhing prey. When the snake had been decapitated and several inches of its length devoured, it seemed sufficiently subdued to be offered to the mate, although it was still wriggling when she accepted the offering. She ate it with evident relish. holding it firmly on the branch under her foot while she pulled off small

pieces. When the tall was reached it

became very difficult to hold this

slender, apering morsel.-S. Harmpany. That was no Snyder van. And sted Chubb in Scribner's. then Dan knew. He knew without any need of seeing the stealthy conference, Was Marcus Aurelius a Persecutor? or Corrigan's disappearance down the Under the reign of the princeflight of stairs that led to the warephilosopher, Marcus Aurelius, were house by way of the packing house. the Christians persecuted? After Re-The cop, no longer Mulligan, wouldn't nan, Linsenmayer and Allard have know that-he was green. But Dan charged the memory of that emperor with this infamy, now A. P. Lemercier, professor of Caen, in a preface to his just published edition of his "Pensees," at the hand of history, conthe motor van. He wanted the thieves tests the statements of these savants. According to him, the instructions given by Marcus Aurelius to the legate store it all-then-thenof Lyons were of a political and not a religious nature. Besides, the prince police assistance in the way that even was then ill, and it was impossible for him to control the legate's reports. Aurelius alleviated certain measures taken against the Christians and that

lius had had foreknowledge of the

The Old Family Toddy.

tral Kentucky man prides himself in

the possession of a "toddy glass" that

has been in his family for over a cen-

tury. The "toddy glass" recalls an

old Kentucky custom that was an in-

stitution down to ante-bellum days.

the mixing of an old-fashioned toddy

that was passed around and partaken

of by company and the family. The

common toddy existed before the sani-

tary crusade started and individual

toddies became the vogue. In these

days even if prohibition did not stand

in the way, the old-time "toddy glass"

likely would be placed under the

health law along with the common

New Kind of Auto.

has been around automobiles ever

since he was born, but was never at

David Cook, age five, of Wabash,

The "toddy glass" was utilized for

According to a rural paper a cen-

calumny run its course."

the green cop could not mistake, and Several texts intimate that Marcus lcaped at the figure in the van. those which he dictated were perhaps for twenty years past. Then he turned road of the lie. exceeded. The discussion bears on to face the two other figures. They very remote facts. If Marcus Aure- sprang at him.

There were a few moments of furlcontroversy he would undoubtedly ous struggle. He was glad that was have cried with Antisthenes: "It is a Corrigan whom he had hit. He liked royal virtue to act well and to let the sound the truncheon made on the

third thief wrested the stick out of his easier to keep right on going. hand. His hands closed on Dan's throat. To and fro they wrestled. Dan was a strong old man, but he was an old man. In his prime he would have been

more than a match for this gangster. Now he felt his strength ebbing from him. had no time to lose. At any moment

now. Drawing a gun from his coat pocket, the gangster fired. Dan heard the roar and a thousand lights seemed to flare out in his brain. He felt no pain, but his clutch relaxed. Down he sank upon the cobbles just as

the police rushed in and captured the confederates. "He's going fast," said the night

nurse at the hospital. Dan opened his eyes. Wonder of wonders, they fell upon the face of

president bent over him. Lake Wawasee until last Sunday. A "What is it. Dan?" "Would ye take me back, sir, instead of my pension? It's kind of lone-

ly, sir." Kathleen's lips made an imperceptible signal to Mr. Lucas.

"Yes, Dan, yes," answered the pres-

Monday."

Dan smiled. He sank back happily on the pillows. He would not be lonely in the evenings any more.

Natural Conclusion.

A gentleman rancher fell in love with a society girl from the East who was visiting at the adjacent ranch. It | fourth incandescent gases which they was decided to have the wedding in a little cow town near by. Many fashionable folks came on to attend. The foreman of the groom's ranch was to be head usher. The evening of the wedding found him on hand very ill at ease in a dress suit. He was explained his duties and told that it was important to seat the friends of the groom on one side of the church, the friends of the bride on the other. On hearing this he cheered up visibly and sent for his revolver. The groom asked

him what on earth that meant. "Why," said the foreman, "I see you expect a fight."

SCHOOL DAYS



# Uncommon

#### AT CROSS ROADS

The cross roads of life are just as dangerous as were the cross roads in

Standing in one of the recesses of the old rambling building Dan watched ways, make up your mind quickly the bolts of silk being carried out to which is the right way to go, and go. Sooner or later you will come to a to take all that they intended to, to situation where you can save yourself a lot of trouble by departing from your Then he blew his whistle and usual rule of truthfulness and telling

That is a cross roads.

If you linger at it, wondering which way to turn, vacillating between the He felled him to the cobbles with two courses, the chances are greater the old truncheon that he had carried that you will take the wrong road-the

The same thing will be true of every road parting which you encounter. To Still, he clung to him, fighting for linger there will be dangerous. To all he was worth, and the gangster wabble back and forth between the two routes will mean that you are the cops would be down upon them liable to be engulfed in a disastrous chain of circumstances before you have made your move. It is just like the soldier who stands at the cross roads until a shell searches him out and its

> The armies shelled all cross roads at frequent intervals because they knew that somebody was likely to be there, either because of congested traffic or because of indecision as to

Chief among your enemies are your the president. His lips moved. The own weaknesses and habits. They will deliberately attack you while you are

> Do not loiter there. (@ by John Blake)

Volcano Goes on Strike. For the first time in history, per-

And That's That. Henpecke-Oh, life isn't worth liv-

Flubdub-Cheer up. Nothing is so bad that it couldn't be worse. Even you must have something to be thank-

Henpecke-Yes, I suppose I might

CROSS roads are dangerous places. men sneak up to Corrigan and hold a In the Great war allied and Ger-Of course that might have been all man soldiers alike shunned all points right, only there was something myswhere roads crossed. When a motor terious in the way they acted, and truck or an ambulance or an ambuafter that old Dan was on the watch lance wagon neared such a point, the every night. He was drawing his pendriver put on full speed and rushed sion; he was still in a way night past in the direction he had decided to follow.

There was no hesitating and wavering, backing and filling. This was because it was just about as dangerous to stand at a cross roads in the combat zone as it is to stand on a railroad track. If you stood long enough at the cross roads a shell would hit you. If you stood long enough on a railroad tracks a train would hit you.

Flanders and France. When you come to a parting of the

rapped, rapped on the sidewalk for a lie.

Your first impulse will be to take the course of truth. You will know it is the right road. Don't stand at the cross roads. Go full speed down the route you know is the right one. Next time you come to a cross roads with new night watchman's head. But the the same signs displayed, it will be

> And if you select the road of truth you will come to fewer puzzling corners than you will on the road to lies. It will be much easier to stay on the right road than to get back to it. Sometimes it is impossible to get back.

explosion destroys him.

which way to go. at the parting of the ways.

haps, men are eager for a volcano to ident. "You can come back to work on | beich forth flame and gas. The volcano in question is one of the largest in the Hawaiian islands. The men who want to see it in action are scientists. They have traveled a long distance from overseas, but the volcano now refuses to perform. The scientists are bent on analyzing volcanic gases and this particular volcano has poured wish to observe, and have taken with them a spectroscope in order that they may study the gases at long range. Obviously it is not practicable to bottle the hot gases and so study them in the laboratory.

| ful for.

have been a bigamist.-New York Sun.

#### with when he made his rounds, and all the sights and sounds of the night After that he never dared approach the president again, but he took to haunting the vicinity of the warehouse by night. He didn't altogether trust Corrigan, the man who had taken his place. He was suspicious of Corrigan.

## JOHN BLAKE

Old Adam called her woeman. When she wooed with love so kind He then pronounced her woo-man. But now with folly and with pride Their husband's pockets trimming The women are so full of whims That men pronounce them wimmen. SEA MOSS AND ITS USES

Mother's Cook Book

THESE IS THE HAPPY DAYS!

SEA moss or carrageen is not well enough known to any but our New England friends, who have used and enjoyed it for years. The whitish sea weed which has the pleasant tang of salt water may be gathered freely on the coast or may be purchased at stores in various places. A pound goes a long way as a substitute for gelatin, sago and rennet.

Of course in its preparation it should be carefully washed in several waters, until every individual piece is clean. Tie the moss in a piece of cheesecloth or put into a small bag, drop it into the milk and cook for a half hour, or until the sea moss is well softened. Remove the moss, add such flavoring as desired with sugar to sweeten. A good flavor is orange, almond or caramel, while honey is also good; a plain unflavored blanc mange served with maple sirup is especially deliclous. A bit of sait, a few chopped almonds with almond extract makes a dainty dessert.

Peach Pudding.

Add one-third of a cupful of sea moss to one quart of milk and cook for half an hour in a double boiler If fresh peaches are to be used add two or three crushed peach kernels to the milk or three peach leaves. Strain and partly cool, add one stifflybeaten egg white, four tablespoonfuls of coconut, a little salt and one-fourth of a cupful of peach jam. If fresh peaches are used add sugar to sweeten and heap the sliced peaches in the

center of a dish, cover with marshmal-

low cream or whipped cream and sur-

round with the blanc mange. There

are any number of combinations which

will prove most delightful, using the

sea moss as the foundation with milk. Necie Maxwell (@. 1923, Western Newspaper Union.)

#### THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

DURING the early years of the past century it was customary for those who were invited to an outdoor entertainment to bring their own refreshments. A list of what was considered necessary would be made out and passed around among the guests, and each person would agree to furnish a certain portion of the repast, the name of each article being then crossed, or nicked, off the list. For this reason, this form of what the French refer to as fete champetre became known as a "pick-and-nick," referring to the selection or picking of the various articles and the crossing them off upon the card, and. through the usual contraction, the central word was dropped and the term shortened to "pic-

Though this word does not appear to have been used prior to 1802, outdoor entertainments of this nature were common during the two centuries which preceded. Mainwaring, in a letter dated November 22, 1618, describes a birthday party for the Prince of Wales, at which "every man did bring his dish of meat.' "Sir George Young's invention," adds the writer, "was four huge brawny pigs, piping hot and harnessed with ropes of sausages. all tied in a monstrous bag pud-

ding." (@ hy Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

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## THE RIGHT THING at the RIGHT TIME By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE TOPICS TABOO

"Who Was It, but Mr. Squirrel!"

By and by Mr. Woodpecker flew

away and after a while Mrs. Wood-

mecker came out and off she went.

Mr. Squirrel knew that she would

quickly return and he must not lose

out of sight of the tree.

safe, my dear."

THERE are some people-one finds like to bring up for conversation topics and unconventionality and this when the place of joining the two lines really is just as much to her discredit as it is to the discredit of the woman who jests about such matters. It shows an underlying and abnormal insterest in subjects which are quite

sproperly taboo in polite society. Stop and ask yourself if you are of this number. It is really an indication that you are living a narrow, onesided life, that you are losing your wouthful attitude, and that your mental attitude is not as normal nor as wholesome as it should be. And when you permit yourself to verge on these subjects taboo you just increase this unwholesome, crabbed side of your na-

And remember that in this country well-bred persons generally keep off topics of this sort. You will never queer yourself socially by keeping clear of them and there is much probability that you will spoil your chances for social success if you don't keep

clear of them. ( by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

#### Has Anyone Laughed At You ETHEL R. PEYSER Decause -

You don't approve of dancing? No doubt you have seen some dracing which has upset your sense of decency! Maybe your parents did not approve and gave you their prejudices; maybe you've never tried the thing yourself. There is dancing and dancing. You are quite right to be against the wrong sort. You are not alone in this. If you still are against it when you know the whole story you won't be laughed at if you are not snobbish about your point of view. No one will laugh at you if your reasons are healthy. No one will laugh at you if you y and hurt others in re-

Your get-away here is-That experience and reason and not guesswork or prejudice lead you to disapproval.
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them.

MR. AND MRS. WOODPECKER had finished their home and had four eggs resting on the soft sawdust

proved it.

Mrs. Woodpecker flew away to find her husband, but he met with no better success, for Mr. Squirrel told him the same thing he had told his wife and drove them away.

But the Woodpeckers knew that Mr. Squirrel would not stay in the house who was it but Mr. Squirrel asking if all the time so they patiently waited for revenge.

"The very idea," said Mrs. Wood-It was not until the next day that mecker, when her husband told her Mr. Squirrel ventured far from the what Mr. Squirrel had asked; "he knew perfectly well that we were liv- new home. Then he came to the door ong here. What he wanted to find out and took a look all around, but he was if we were at home and if we did not see the Woodpeckers, who were were not he would have come right in flattened against the tree far over his

head. Mr. Squirrel had been busy storing "I gave him a good sharp peck," away food and while the Woodpeckers caid Mr. Woodpecker, "and he knew knew they would never be comfortable again in their home they determined that bad Mr. Squirrel should not live in comfort there either, and as soon as they had watched him running down the path they flew over to Reddy Squirrel's and told him about

> the food in the hollow of the tree which had once been their home. Now Reddy Squirrel liked nothing better than to find a store of food which Mr. Gray Squirrel had hidden. When he heard the news he did not even stop to thank the Woodpeckers, for Reddy is not a very polite crea-

ture. Off he scampered. It was late in the day when Mr. Squirrel returned to his new home, and when he discovered he had been robbed he ran to the door of his home

and chattered angrily. was at home and on guard. He Mr. and Mrs. Woodpecker knew that swon't come back. I think we are quite they were revenged, but before they flew away from the limb where they But Mr. Woodpecker was wrong, sat watching, Mr. Woodpecker said, for Mr. Squirrel had his mind set "Reddy Squirrel called while you were apon that very house for a home and out, Mr. Squirrel, and we told him to the intended to have it, so he ran up go right in and make himself at home. We knew that was the way you did the a place where he could watch unseen by the Woodpeckers and waited.

when folks were not at home." Mr. Squirrel watched the Woodpeckers fly out of sight and then he ran down the tree and away from that part of the wood to look for a new home, for he knew it was no use livtime, and he didn't, for he was in her ing there now that Reddy Squirrel had

home before Mrs. Woodpecker was discovered his storehouse. "I wonder if they told him," thought Then that wicked Mr. Squirrel ate Mr. Squirrel. "I guess I won't let any the four eggs for his breakfast and bird know where I make my home this when poor Mrs. Woodpecker returned time. Little birds are always telling

home he met her at the door like an things you don't want known." .angry cat, chattering that this was (@. 1923, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

How to Read Your Characteristics and Tendencies - the Capabilities or Weak-Bosses That Make for Success or Failure as Shown in Your Palm

"SHALL I TRAVEL?" them everywhere—who seem to TN SOME rare cases the line of travel (either horizontal or vertical, on the a morbid or salacious interest, mount of the moon) runs into the line Sometimes you will find the most of the head, which is the lower of the prudish women in the world, who two main lines crossing the palm horiwould be extremely indignant if any, contally. We may then foretell, or hold came fold a questionable story in her as indicated in the past, some danger to presence, who has a penchant for talk- the head, or some other malady, aris-Ing in a shocked way about immoral- ing from a journey. This is confirmed is marked by a spot, an island or a

When travel is indicated by the little hair lines that leave the line of life (encircling the thumb) and travel with it, the indication is similar to that shown by the line of life. If one branch of the divided line goes on its way around the mount of Venus, the fall of the thumb, while the other proceeds to the base of the mount of Luna, the subject will make a great change from his native land to another. When the line of life divides toward its end and there is a wide space between the branches the subject will most likely end his days in a country other than

that which gave him birth. (© by Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

Odd Expression. from the hospital, where she had had her tonsils removed, and Betty asked mother for some money to buy some flowers for Cora. She got the money and hurried to the corner, purchasing a large bunch of sweet peas. Arriving home, she left the flowers in the hall, went to the writing desk, and

found an old business card. On the blank side she wrote: "To

Class. "Flowers, plate, fine china-you

"It is in honor of our new cook."-

A LINE O' CHEER

SORROW SORROW like some poisoned dart
Often comes to pierce the heart.
But from out the scar there

Sure relief from present pain.
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drinking cup.-Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sister Cora had just returned home

Cora from Betty. Happy sickness."

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seem very particular about this din-

Detroit News. ---0-

Like a fair and fragrant rose Sympathy for other's woes— Sympathy to help them bear Some too heavy load of care, Whereby we ourselves may gain

By John Kendrick Bangs.

friend of the Cook family had the youngster out showing him the sights, and finally pointed out a sail boat which was traveling in the distance. For several minutes the boy was unable to find the boat. Suddenly he spied it and said, "Oh, you mean that auto with the side curtains on!" Since then he has been telling his

playmates of the automobile which puts on side curtains and then runs on water.-Indianapolis News. Steel Used in Railroad Cars. One million, five hundred thousand

tons of iron and steel were consumed

in the production of 1,667,000 passen-

ger cars and trucks in the United

States the past year. This amount of

metal is approximately 4 per cent of

the entire output of the mins of the nation.

Mixed. The teacher had asked the children to bring in sentences containing certain words. One of the list was the word squash. It was almost fatal to the young woman's dignity when one little boy read from his paper "Squash is what an Indian calls bi-

## Weak Back

Mrs. Mildred Pipkin, of R. F. D. 8, Columbia, Tenn., says: "My experience with Cardui has covered a number of years. Nineteen years ago . . . ! got down with weak back. I was run-down and so weak and nervous I had to stay in bed.

## The Woman's Tonic

and sent for it. I took only one bottle at that time, and it helped me; seemed to strengthen and build me right up. So that is how I first knew of Cardui. After that, . . . when I began to get weak and 'no account', I sent right for Cardui, and it never failed to help me."

If you are weak and suffering from womanly ailments, Cardui may be just what you need. Take Cardui. It has helped thousands, and ought to help

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## **ASPIRIN**

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Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

## **EVEN CAREFUL CALOMEL USERS** ARE SALIVATED

Next Dose of Treacherous Drug May Start Misery for You

Calomel is dangerous. It may salivate you and make you suffer fearfully from soreness of gums, tenderness of jaws and teeth, swollen tongue, and excessive saliva dribbling from the mouth. Don't trust calomel. It is mercury, quicksilver.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggust and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides it may salivate you, while if you take Dodosn's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not sali-

## IT IS SERIOUS

Some Plainview People Fail to Realize the Seriousness of a Bad Back The constant aching of a bad back,

The weariness, the tired feeling, The pains and aches of kidney ills May result seriously if neglected. Dangerous urinary troubles often

A Plainview citizen shows you what

E. J. Smith, farmer, Plainview, says: "I was troubled with my back and kidneys and was badly in need of a kidney remedy. My back was sore and lame and ached most of the time. It seemed to bother me mostly when I stooped. Sharp pains shot through my back and up through my shoulders. Morning when I got up, my back was so sore and lame I could hardly straighten. I also suffered from dizzy spells. My kidneys were weak and irregular in action and 1 had to get up oftean at night. heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and begin using them. In a short time I was relieved. I haven't used any medicine since, as the cure Doan's gave me has been permanent."

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

## CLAIMS ITS OWN WILD ANIMALS KNOW FRIEND

Old Ocean Wipes Out South Carolina Coast Town.

Advancing Atlantic Long Ago Took Over the Little City of Edingsville, Summer Resort.

Most of the barrier islands of the South Carolina coast are wild and lonely places. Some of them are lonelier today than they were 75 or 100 years ago. Thus there is one small island, where I have often fished in the surf, which was once the site of n town.

Here stood Edingsville, the summer come of the prosperous planters who farmed the fertile soll of larger islands lying between the more southerly barrier isles and the mainland and who lived like lords on their fine plantations, where they grew the best long staple cotton in the world.

There were three churches, it is said, and more than sixty houses in Edingsville, some of them large, three-storied structures, handsomely finished, with carved mantles and fine woodwork, for the landowners of the coast were of the best blood of the South, and some of them were men of great wealth as wealth was reckoned then.

Today scarcely a trace of their little senside city remains. A few short, broken posts projecting from the sand at low tide, here and there a lifter of loose bricks washed about by the waves, some fragments of the old "tabby" concrete in common use in those days-only these are left to tell the story. Long ago, no man now living knows just when, the ocean began to march against the town, and year after year it advanced, inch by inch, foot by foot, steadily and relenttessly.

The disastrous ending of the Civil war, reducing most of the planters from affluence to proverty, had already dimmed Edingsville's gayety, and the invading ocean seemed bent upon completing the destruction which war had begun. Finally a great hurricane in the 'seventies or 'eightiesaccounts vary as to the date-sent giant breakers surging through the place, and the planters realized that it was no longer safe to trifle with the Atlantic.

Most of the remaining houses were dismantled for the sake of the good lumber in them; and now, the sea having continued its slow onward march, a man might walk from end to end of Edingsville beach and never guess that out where the long rollers are curling once stood three rows of dwellings, extending for nearly three miles along the sands.

I have caught many a channel bass where the village houses once stood, and have seen great sharks swim over the site of the town, and herds of porpoises plunge and roll in the breakers where, half a century and more ago, men and women walked along the sandy streets; and some the dunes and see a big turtle come | ties. up out of the surf. I have found turtle trails there, and I can see the turtles themselves if I take the trouble to look for them in the season of

It will be worth the trouble, for I can think of few sights more strange than the sight of one of these armored, barnacle-incrusted sea monsters coming up in the night out of Edingsville's watery tomb.-Herbert Ravenel Sass in Harper's Magazine.

## Self-Loading Rifle.

That a perfectly strong and welldesigned navy rifle for one of the battle-ships would unlock its massive breech and open itself when fired with the light charges used for saluting, but when used with the high-pressure fullservice charges would remain as firmly locked as the vault of a great city said: bank during the hours of darkness, is an interesting fact revealed by Capt. Edward C. Crossman in Popular Mechanies.

The resulting line of investigation terminated in the application for a patent by Commander Blish on a form of breech-locking device for big and tittle guns which would remain firmly locked during the high and dangerous pressure of the explosion in the gun chamber, but would then unlock itself and permit the breech to open when the pressure had fallen to a safe point and the projectile had left the barrel

## Hardly to Blame.

Recently I gained considerably in weight. On the main street at theater time my daughter turned to look in a window, and wondering why I did not answer she looked back, and there I lay flat on my face.

Two thin young men ran to pick me up, but to no avail, and one, a big sigh escaping, said to my daughter, "I'm so sorry, but I can't budge her."

His contrition was genuine and my daughter went into gales of laughter. -Exchange.

## The Hit That Falled.

I sing in a vested choir in a church in my home town where we end each hymn by singing, "A-men."

Not long ago I visited a girl friend of mine and on Sunday went to church with her. I sat next to a gentleman she had been anxious to have me meet. I sang lustily on the first hymn, thinking all the time how much of an impression I must be making. At the close of the hymn I ended with "a-men," discovering too late that I was the only one singing it .- Exchange.

Man, Sole Resident of Island, Has Won Confidence of Deer to a Remarkable Extent.

A wonderful wild-animal sanctuary is to be found on Hardy island, a dot of rocks and trees off the coast of British Columbia, where a veteran prospector has achieved the feat of winning the confidence of wild deer so completely that now they come from leng distances to visit him. This remarkable man, T. B. Brazil, has built tables for the deer near his house. Each deer has a separate bowl, and their table manners are exceptionally good. This is the first wild-deer restaurant in the world, writes Francis Dickle in the Christian Herald.

That animals communicate with one another is strikingly shown by the fact that when Mr. Brazil first took up his residence on this island, where he is the only human being, he saw only two deer. He put out feed for them, and after a few weeks got their confidence. In the autumn those deer brought five more. The next year there were 30. Today, six years later, hundreds come to the island. They make it their refuge during the shooting season, knowing they will be protected, and the does here give birth to their young, so that in the early summer the island is alive with little ones.

The deer come and go at will, and the minute they are parted from their protector are absolutely wild deer. It has not been easy work for the man thus to establish himself in perfect trust of the hundreds of deer and it has taken him nearly a decade, but now the deer are coming to him from distant islands and the mainland. It certainly is an achievement, for it must be borne in mind that all these deer were born in the wild and came to maturity in the fear of man. Most of them will vanish at sight of a stranger.

While the animals are well fed at the open air restaurant, some of them Insist on coming to the house and knocking on the door with head or horns, or rattling the door knob with their teeth, in this way begging for extra food delicacies, such as oatmeal. One great buck came every night in this manner for a period of a year, often forcing the man to get out of bed to feed him.

#### Drink.

Could you drink seventeen large glasses of wine (more than half a gallon) in six minutes? Edmund Gwenn, English actor, does it in the musical play, "Lilac Time." Result: He's the theatrical sensation of London. The English mob can't understand how anyone can guzzle over two quarts in six minutes, and do it twice a day. Gwenn lets them in on his secret-the "wine" is colored water. But that only puzzles the English still more.

Swallowing half a gallon of water in six minutes is an achievement. Gwenn says he has to drink on an empty stomach, doesn't dare eat before the show. All of which may seem unimportant. But the English public is giving it about as much attention as the situation along the Rhine. Thus

## The Canary's Airing.

George, age five, is a pretty sharp youngster and picks up much of the slang that goes the rounds. He was greatly interested last summer in his neighbor's canary and when the bird was put on the porch on the warm days often stood beside the cage and submitted various questions as to birds' habits generally. One of his questions was, "Why do you put the bird outdoors?" He appeared satisfied when told that it was to give the canary fresh air.

A few days go George dropped into the neighbor's house. Spying the bird, he said he guessed it was too cold to put the singer outside now, and when told that his guess was correct, studied for a minute, and then

"Oh, well, I suppose you'll 'give him the air' again next summer."

## Real Family Life.

An Indianapolis plumber with offices in North Delaware street is the father of seven children and is in the habit of buying their clothes at the same time of the same firm.

Saturday he walked into a downtown shoe store, followed by his children, and in response to the question, "What size?" answered:

"Oh, mix 'em up." That same plumber was afraid to go home from a party because he had only four balloons, three short of enough to satisfy his children. He stayed and stayed until he obtained three more, and went on his way, retolcing, at 1:30 in the morning.-Indianapolis News.

## Books They Read.

The books people read are always interesting and amusing. Today in one office a dignified financier buried his head in a book on Checker Playing, a clerk read a Russian novel, a telephone operator was reading some of Walt Whitman's poems, while the office boy discussed the best way to end the last act of a play he is writing .- Detroit News.

## By Comparison.

Chicago's new railway station will be 40 stories high, says a report. This will make an upper berth seem like

## Boy Claims Prize.

A fifteen-year-old boy in Medford, re., claims a \$100 prize for long-disnce reception. He picked up an ades delivered in Cuba.

## BACK TO ICE AGE

Date of Human Being's Appearance in America.

Probability Is That He Crossed From Asia When the Continents Were Connected

Leaving aside for the present the tooth of the Nebraska "ape-man," no trace of human beings other than homo saplens has ever been found in America. A million years ago the "promises of men" lived in Africa, in Malaysia, in Asia itself, and even in Europe. We see dim remains of a whole troop of extinct humans behind the horizon of the present, the short upstanding Java Pithecanthropus, a man in body but an ape in head; the African ape man, tall, erect and dark skinned, but with no forehead; the heavy-jawed Heidelberg man, a creature whose children had mouths as big as those of large adults of today; the dog-faced Piltdowns, and squat, stoopshouldered Neanderthals, who bobbed along on the outside of their feet, peering with timld, furtive eyes from beneath their shaggy brows,

None of these men ever saw America. Our continent was devoid of human habitation until the middle of the Ice age. Man came into America only yesterday, in a geological sense. He appeared here 50,000 or 60,000 years ago at most. And the surprising fact still remains that he was the American Indian, everywhere from Patagonia to Alaska when he did come

There are different kinds of Indians. Some have round heads, some have long heads; there are Indians with wide cheeks and there are Indians with narrow faces. Yet the more the evidence is studied, the stronger is the conviction borne in upon the minds of science that Indians are derived from one common parent family.

Where did they come from? glance at the shores of Asia opposite us reveals Mongols. A bridge with Asia in the past there certainly was; civilizations on both sides are much the same, but now the people are different. Culturally the northeastern Indians are more related to European white men of the Ice age than to the rest of America. The land bridge of Atalantis may have been above water when the first tribes of Indians reached America.

The answer to this riddle lies in Asia. Indians are Asiatic, but in most of their former homes they have been submerged by the yellow men whom we call Mongols. Historians will record that the 40,000 years centering about the Twentieth century A. D. saw the rise of two rival races of men, who totally eclipsed and outdistanced all other races, the white Arvan and the yellow Mongol.

We know how our race has grown. The strides of the Mongols are even greater. They are now spreading with much rapidity; they have either crowded out or absorbed the native peoples moonlit night in June I am going returns normalcy, the period in which over most of eastern Asia. They are down to this beach and hide among public attention is chiefly on triviali- even in America as Eskimos. Mongol head carved on the prow. Vertical of other races with whom it intermarries, leaving only slant eyes, flat faces and high heads.

The Eskimos are much later comers to our shores than the Indians. They arrived here only a few score centuries ago. They are still coming. The whole ocean littoral from Greenland to British Columbia knows them.

Men of unmistakable Indian cast have been found in out-or-the-way valleys of Siberia, in Formosa, in the Philippines, and even in Sumatra. There was a time when eastern Asia was inhabited by the prototype of American Indians.

Mongols came down from the highlands of Tibet, and have all but eradicated their breed. They would have followed them to America but for the rapid sinking of Bering strait, which right hand. This thumb stands out at separated the two continents and made the migration wait for the invention of means of navigation .- Chicago Trib- ically. He soon found it of great une.

## Radio's Predecessor.

Broadcasting wireless as a news service is merely a development of a relief to many illustrious patients. plan inaugurated many years ago, in 1893, in Budapest by the establishment of the Telefor Hermode or Telephonic Newsteller, which soon counted its subscribers by thousands, at the rate of a penny a day. News was collithography on long strips of paper and telephoned by specially trained "stentors." It provided also for advertising. For one florin the stentors would reel off advertisements for 12 seconds, carefully sandwiching them between interesting items of news so that the subscriber would not disconnect for fear of missing something he zette.

## Vaccination Must Be Thorough.

In order to be of value for protective purpose against smallpox the operation of vaccination must be thoroughly carried out. The more thorough the vaccination the more pronounced will be the immunity and the believes that forewarned is forearmed. longer will it be effective.

The examination of smallpox patients in hospitals has shown that those who have only a small scar of vaccination are more numerous, and have the disease more severely, than really so .- New York World.

## THOUGHT "GUN" WAS DRAWN

Western Bad Man Deceived by Position in Which His Enemy Happened to Have Hand.

Tazewell Woody, famous as Colonel Roosevelt's guide in the West, was standing in a saloon with left elbow on the bar, right hand hanging by his side, and eyes luckily pointed at the mirror behind the bar. He caught in the mirror the reflection of a head poked momentarily into the saloon's doorway, and belonging to a man who had publicly stated his purpose of killing Woody at sight. This man having apparently thought the coast to be clear, and that the saloon contained a sufficient audience, turned his horse, rode through the doorway, and boldly said: "Has any gent here seen that feller Woody? I'm huntin' for him." At that instant the man realized, for the first time, that Woody was in the room, and he realized also that, though he himself was facing Woody's back, the mirror negatived this advantage. He saw that right hand hanging idly down. Woody did not move a muscle. The man's jaw dropped. He remained quiescent for a few seconds, then back out through the doorway, and on his own initiative rode out of the state.

These preannounced attempts on human life were far less bloody than were the onslaughts by the real "killers," the actual "bad men." These latter men did not announce. They merely shot. Billy the Kid, at twenty-three years of age, had committed 23 murders, and had made the question of his extermination a political issue in New Mexico, Incidentally, the sheriff, elected to "get" him, loaded a weapon and "got" him.

In the '80's some "rustlers" "holed up" in a cabin at the outlet of Jackson lake in Wyoming. Range detectives surrounded them. One of the "rustlers," a wondrously accurate shooter, seeking to escape, rushed from the cabin's door, and, without warning, began to fire. At each shot he "crossed" his rifle-that is, he fired alternately from his right and left shoulder, thus increasing the width of his zone of fire without making him rotate his body, and thereby unduly affect his running. He hit five men before he dropped dead at the end of his race of but a few feet .- The Cow-

#### An Early Helicopter.

While inventors in Washington, Chicago and Dayton are working in secrecy to construct a practical helicopter, D. E. Garber, airplane expert of the division of mechanical technology of the Smithsonian institution, is making a model of the first promising design of this type of vertically rising aircraft.

This model, soon to be added to the National museum, is being built after the design of Sir John Cayley, the Englishman who is regarded as the father of modern aeronautical science. Mr. Garber says that this design, made in 1843, was astonishingly sound in principle, although the body of the Cayley machine was fancifully fashioned after that of a bird with a bird blood is thirsty; it drinks up the blood | lift was to be obtained by two windmill-like propellers which were to act as a sustaining plane when the machine was driven horizontally by another propeller situated at the rear. Equilibrium was obtained in much the same way as the most successful of the recent European helicopters.

Sir John Cayley showed in his writings, however, that he realized that aerial navigation depended upon new material and power such as has been found in aluminum and gasoline.

## Thumb Made Him Wealthy.

Not long ago a famous physician in Saxony, Doctor Metzger, celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday. He had retired from active practice for some years, having become immensely wealthy through the thumb of his a right angle from his hand, and, it is said, cannot be bent back automatservice in massage, and when he became a specialist in intestinal disorders he was called as assistant to the greatest surgeons of Europe, bringing

The queen of Rumania sent for this doctor with the curious thumb when she suffered from facial neuralgia, while the king of Sweden once drove a beautiful span of horses over the border of his kingdom to consult lected in the ordinary way, printed by the doctor, and, on returning, left the horses as a token of gratitude to his preserver.

## Sign Worries Diners.

Evidently they believe in Key West that advertising is advertising, just as some people believe that pigs is pigs. In one of the local restaurants located less than a block from the main street really wanted to hear.-Montreal Ga- there is a large poster with the words "Prepare to Meet Thy God." No matter where one sits in the restaurant he cannot help but see this poster with its cheery message. And no matter how good the soup tastes or how tantalizing is the aroma from the roast, the diner cannot help but sit and eat and wonder. Possibly the proprietor

## Apple Pests in Pictures.

"King Apple's Enemies" is a motion picture lately released by the Department of Agriculture. It shows the mobilization of insects and fungi those who show a higher number of against the apple kingdom, and shows scars. Imperfect vaccination in a the spraying and dusting "guns" movcommunity is almost worse than ne ing into action, and the repulse vaccination at all, for the immunity of the foe. The film is one of 150 is short-lived and the individual who that are being used throughout the imagines himself protected is not country by agricultural extension and field workers .- Scientific American.

## OFFERED TO IDOL

Maidens and Children Unhappy Victims of Baal.

Archeologists Have Unearthed, Im Ruins of Carthage, Temple Where Infamous Rites Were Practiced

Unearthed among the ruins of Carthage, in northern Africa, according to official notification received by the French government from Count Byrons Prorok, famous archeologist, is the great temple of Baal, where pagans priests practiced their indescribable

human sacrifices centuries ago. Count Prorok has sent word to his government that a set of sacrificial urns believed to contain the bones of maidens and children sacrificed to Baal have been unearthed and identified.

Identification of the temple of Baay beyond any question of doubt is possible through the discoveries already made. Baal, or Baal-Hammon, is the monstrous deity mentioned hundreds of times in the Bible and in other ancient writings. Students of the Bible and children who attend Sunday school remember passages in the Old Testament telling how the Israelites were warned against this idolatrous wer-

ship and its infamous practices. The chief characteristic of the Baat-Hammon worship was the sacrifice of human beings in cruel and varied forms. Each temple of Baal contained a huge and monstrous idol, usually of bronze, but sometimes of stone, and it was to this idol that the vietims were sacrificed. Occasionally young children were offered up, but usually it was some beautiful maiden who was chosen to become the "bride of Basl."

Sometimes the victims were tornsumed by fire. Frequently they were subjected to longer and even moreatroclous torments. When the victima was to perish by fire, three different methods were used. In every case, however, the maiden was first placed "in the arms of Baal," or, rather, one a sort of platform on the knees of the seated idol between the arms.

By one method fire was made tospout from the mouth of the overhanging head. By another the platform itself was heated redhot. By a third the platform was tipped backward by a mechanical contrivance and the victim was hurled into a seething flery furnace in the interior of the idol.

More cruel even than the death by fire was the placing of the "bride" on luxurious cushions laid in the lap of Baal. When the priests departeds. sealing the great stone doors after them, lions or other savage beasts were turned loose to roam the temple floor. The terror-stricken maiders could then remain on the cushions slowly to starve to death or might choose the quicker method of casting herself to the beasts below.

## Nothing for Nothing.

It was said by all the neighbors of Ir. Tightleigh that he had never bee known to give away anything in his life. He either sold it or demanded something in exchange.

On one occasion he was making as long railway journey. The seat directly in front of him was occupied by a man who had been coughing amil sneezing at frequent intervals for more than an hour. At last Mr. Tightleigh leaned forward and spoke to

him. "That's a pretty bad cold you seems

to have," he said. "Worst I ever had in my life." wheezed the other.

"Well, I know of a simple and harmless remedy, absolutely sure, that will cure it inside of two days."

"Some patent nostrum?" "No, you can make it up at home." "I shall be very grateful if you will tell me what it is."

"I'll do it," said Mr. Tightleigh, narrowing his eyelids, "if you'll tell me what'll drive away these warts I've got on my left hand."-Milwaukee

Dog Cures St. Vitus Dance.

Curing St. Vitus dance by having as poodle dog sleep with the patient has been announced by a Denver woman as the most effective remedy she has found yet for her two daughters.

The woman, Mrs. J. C. Morris of 2064 South Grant street, declared that for six years she has kept a French poodle dog that alternately sleeps with her young daughters, both of whom are afflicted with St. Vitus dance. One of the daughters, the elder one, now isvirtually cured of the disease, according to Mrs. Morris, and the other is

showing rapid improvement. "An old time physician told me about this remedy," Mrs. Morris sald, and as an experiment I tried it and found it more soothing to the nervess of a St Vitus dance patient than any medicine ever prescribed."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Bernard Shaw's Manners.

"Hoist by his own petard" was the fate the other day of Bernard Shaw. To a woman of London's best society who had invited him to lunch he are swered with this telegram: "Never in my life! What have I done that you want me to change my cherished babits?" The woman rentied with a veritable "tit for tat" in the following:

dispatch: "I do not know what your cherished habits are, but I am sure that they are not worth more than your . . .

manners." To this G. B. S. ventured no re-

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Begins Wednesday, September 5th. Runs Twelve Selling Days

—one hundred and thirty-two hours—seven thousand nine hundred and twenty minutes—and something doing every minutes! Sale closes Tuesday, September the 18th.

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY TUESDAY, THE 4TH, TO GET THE GOODS ARRRANGED FOR EASY SHOWING.

We are going to celebrate our Sixth Anniversary with a real old-time, value-giving sale—not just odds and ends and summer merchandise; but to show you a spirit of appreciation for your loyal patronage for these past pleasant six years we are offering every article, item, garment and yard of goods in our store at reduced prices.

School opens Monday, September 10th. This timely sale affords you an opportunity to save money. Don't forget this important event, don't forget opening day and date, and remember ONLY 12 SELLING DAYS.

Don't forget to register your name for the FREE HAT on the SIXTH DAY.

Don't forget to call for the S. & H. Green Trading Stamps; also remember double-stamps day on opening date.—BURNS & PIERCE.

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SIX YEARS OLD

—September the third, nineteen hundred and seventeen, we made our bow to the good folks of the Plainview Country, opening in the Hull Building, on the east side of the square, where our store had a floor space of 2,400 square feet.

—February the first, nineteen hundred and eighteen, we moved to the Moreland Building, on the north side of the square, next to the Third National Bank. Here we presented bigger and better stocks, with a floor space of 3,000 feet.

—October the fourteenth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, we purchased the Plainview Mercantile Company, and, after inventory, opened the store in its present location, on the west side of the square, on November second. Here we have 6,975 square feet of floor space, with correspondingly bigger and better stocks.

—In January, nineteen hundred and twenty, we moved the stock of fixtures fro mour north-side store to Tulia, Texas, and there opened a store, with Mr. Douglas Burns in charge. This store also continues to grow bigger and better.

WE ARE SIX YEARS OLD IN PLAINVIEW

Six years ago we believed that Plainview was a good town, that Hale was a good county, and that all the people of Plainview and the Plainview country were good people. We haven't changed this viewpoint in but one respect. We now believe that Plainview is the best, town in Texas, that Hale is the best country in Texas, and that they don't grow folks any better anywhere than in the Plainview country.

## HERE'S THE POINT!

If you have an eye for economy and are anxious to save money, then the S. & H. Green Stamp is just the token you need. You'll find it the best money saver in existence, and there's no needle in the hay-stack about that. On the first day of this Anniversary Sale you get two stamps for one.

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## FREE! FREE!

On the 6th day of the sale, at 6 o'clock, we will give FREE ONE MAN'S \$6.00 HAT and ONE WOMAN'S \$6.00 HAT. You are not required to make any purchase in order to participate in this drawing. You write your name on a slip of paper and place it in a container which we have arranged—one each for men and women. At 6 o'clock on the 6th day we will have some child draw six names from each container, the 6th name in each box to be the lucky person.

## **RULES**

The following rules we will observe during this Anniversary Sale: No approval tickets, no hold checks, no post dated checks. We will exchange any merchandise or refund money, as is our custom.

All Garments in Ready-to-Wear, Women's, Men's and Children's Hose, Shoes, Men's Work Clothes, Millinery Department, Woolen Piece Goods, Silks, Notions, Wash Dress Goods, Men's Hats, Staple Cotton Goods, Men's and Boys' Clothing. The whole store in every department is offering extra values during the, Our SIXTH ANNIVERSARY SALE. Don't miss it.

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