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Several weeks ago the Court of Civil Appeals certified to the Supreme Court of Texas the four leading questions of law involved. The case was argued on May the 1st at Austin by Judge J. W. Burton, of Crosbyton, and Judge Charles Rogan, of Austin, representing Crosbyton, and on Wednesday of this week, according to a telegram from Austin, all four of these questions were answered according to contentions of Crosbyton attorneys. Judge J. W. Burton, Crosbyton's chief attorney, said today:

"All of Crosbyton's contentions have been sustained by the highest courts in Texas. The Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo will now render an opinion in accordance with that of the Supreme Court."

The most important question answered was whether the old town plat of Emma constituted the County Seat. The Court of Civil Appeals held that it did and that a part of it being with

in the five miles of the center of the county, it would take a two-thirds vote to move it to Crosbyton, although the Court House and Jail and all the houses at Emma were outside the five-mile radius. The Supreme Court now rules that the plat is not the County Seat and consequently a majority of the voters will move the County Seat. Crosbyton had a big majority.

The other questions were as to the certificates which designated the center of the county. The Supreme Court held that the one issued in 1910 should govern, and not the one issued in 1891. The last mentioned, puts the Court House and all the houses at Emma inside the five-mile circle, but the one of 1910 places them on the outside.

We hope the Court of Amarillo will soon hand down its decision and forever settle this long drawn-out controversy. This has been a hard fought case, but the unexpected sometimes happens and where there is ability it always happens. Judge Burton, Crosbyton's chief attorney, has engineered this fight from the beginning. He deserves great credit for his victory, as in the final decision by the Supreme Court he is sustained in every point. Crosbyton Review.

ORIENT MOVING OFFICES

Railroad Officials to Forsake Sweetwater for San Angelo.

San Angelo, Tex., May 29. M. L. Meitz, one of the receivers of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway Company's lines in Texas, received a long distance telephone message today from Col. N. J. O'Brien, vice president and general manager at Sweetwater, to the effect that he had a wire from H. S. Garrett, general attorney of the lines in Texas, advising that Federal Judge Meek had entered an order annulling the temporary restraining order and directing the receivers of the Texas lines of the Orient to forthwith remove from Sweetwater and establish at San Angelo the general offices, shops, etc., belonging to the company. The records, furniture and fixtures have already been packed and are ready for shipment.

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ITEMIZED FIRE LOSS

Loss at A. & M. College Last Week Amounts to \$145,000

College Station, Tex., May 29. —The losses to the Agricultural & Mechanical College of Texas by the big fire here the other day are estimated as follows:

- Building, erected in 1876, cost \$100,000; secretary's office, furniture and filing cabinets, \$600; president's office furniture, \$125; dean's office furniture, \$250; English department, furniture and books, \$850; mathematics department, furniture and books, \$400; drawing department, furniture, \$1,000; military department, \$10,000; Exchange store, stock \$10,000, loss about \$5,000; janitor department, \$300; library furniture, \$500; library books, papers, periodicals, etc., \$25,000; publicity department, \$600; Dr. C. P. Foundation, professor of English, personal library, \$500; Robert F. Smith, personal, \$25; James Hays Quarles, personal, \$10; T. H. Irwin, personal, \$10; C. D. Watkins, personal, \$15; superintendent buildings and

grounds, department loss, \$100; R. A. Kruse, personal, \$50. Other teachers lost small items in the way of personal effects.

The treasurer's office lost a lot of old vouchers and records but these had passed through the hands of two or three auditors, so it will not affect the accounts. The treasurer's safe has much valuable stuff in it in the way of checks and papers, but if the safe holds there will be no loss. The safe cannot yet be opened.

The fire probably originated from wiring the upper floor of the building. There was a lot of concealed wiring in the building which had been put there many years ago. During the last few years a great deal of this wiring has been replaced with up-to-date electrical construction, but the work has not been completed as there was so much of it that it could not be cared for at once.

There is no interruption in the class work of the College. There are but two weeks of the present session, and by doubling up departments in the same office, and dividing class-rooms between two departments, the work of the College can be carried on as usual. It will also not interfere with commencement exercises in any way as the proposed program will be carried out.

Demand for Silos

Mr. A. G. Hunt, of the Harry Manufacturing Company, builders of metal silos, is registered at the Elks. Mr. Hunt has sold over two car loads of silos recently in the Panhandle and before this years crops are grown expects to sell many train loads. Panhandle farmers are learning the merit of silos as a means of getting full value for their crops. Amarillo Daily Panhandle.

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Called to Texarkana

H. M. Morrow, of the Western Windmill Company, was called last week to the bed-side of his brother, in Texarkana, who was reported dangerously ill. Mr. Morrow responded to the message immediately, and late information is that he will accompany the sick man to Kentucky with the hope that his condition may be bettered.

The Ladies of the Cumberland Aid Society will serve ice cream and cake at a convenient place on the square on election day. 47 11

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POSSIBILITIES IN PANHANDLE

H. M. Bainer, Agricultural Demonstrator Santa Fe System
Writes About Plains.

The following discussion will briefly outline the beauties and possibilities of this great country of ours. Reports have gone out at various times that this section is a waste, an arid region, that it never rains and that it has no future. The fact really is, there is not another tract of land in the United States that is as well adapted for farming or has as great a future.

Practicable the entire area of Northwest Texas is tillable. Let us stop for a moment and think of this beautiful tract of

top soil (that is all alike) will vary in depth from 18 inches to three or four feet. On account of its rich composition, great depth and good subsoil, it cannot be equalled in water-holding capacity. The soil, when well filled with moisture in the beginning of the season, practically insures a crop for that year. It is very slow to dry out after a wet spell, and in this respect far exceeds the soils of most of the older and better known sections of the East and North.

The average annual rainfall is almost 23 inches. This amount of moisture, together with deeper plowing and a diversified system of farming in connection with livestock, is producing results. One of the greatest

has the credit of the first well in that territory.

Today there are at least 100 very strong wells in this section that has been developed for irrigation purposes. To look at the development in this line, it would seem that it must have started at least 10 years ago. Today there are irrigation wells in 9 or 10 different counties of this section. While there is about 10,000 acres under cultivation now, there is no less than 1,000,000 acres in this section that can be profitably irrigated through wells from the abundant supply of water below. This water is pumped from a depth of a few feet to 60 and 70 feet and is found very profitable. The wells vary in quantity of water, throwing from 500 to 1500 hundred gallons per minute. Some of the wells will furnish enough water for irrigating as much as a quarter section. The majority, however, are supplying enough for 80-acre tracts.

The fuel cost of pumping varies from about 90 cents to \$1.25 per acre foot, depending on the fuel used. On account of the enormous expense, gasoline is being discarded and

profitable crop. Often from four to six bushels of seed are produced per acre, in addition to one or two good hay crops. This seed hardly ever sells for less than \$9 or \$10 per bushel.

WHEAT GROWING

Under good tillage methods, wheat hardly ever makes a failure in this section. Judge Gough of Hereford, says: "In our several years' experience in farming on the plains, we have never made a complete failure on account of drouth, where good tillage methods were used, and in normal years have been able to make more than 30 bushels of wheat per acre. While our yield of wheat often seems low, yet when we stop to consider that the average yield for the United States is 14.3 bushels per acre, we can see that we are getting good yields. There is no question but that this entire section can be made to produce good crops of wheat, especially when our farmers begin to plow the ground for it, deeper and earlier, and at the same time plant less and better seed."

C. N. Bargerman of Pampa, Texas, says in regard to his 1911 wheat crop: "I doubled discd

equally as well adapted to our conditions as oats, in fact, it will stand more dry weather. The yield varies from 20 to 60 bushels per acre. It makes an excellent all-round stock feed. J. W. Eller, Pampa, Texas, has produced an average yield of 40 bushels per acre for several years past. He says: "I think speltz is a stronger and better horse feed than oats, if properly fed."

FLAX IS POPULAR

Flax promises to be one of our best small grain crops. It has a tap root and therefore stands a great deal of dry weather, after once getting a good start. Like other crops it responds to good tillage. It does well on old land as well as good. The 1911 yields on flax in this section were exceptionally good, making considerably larger yields than the average for the United States. The average yield in this section last year varied from 12 to 22 bushels per acre, and the average for the United States is only nine bushels. D. L. Hicheox of Canyon produced an average yield of 15 bushels per acre on 11 acres. The present selling price of flax per bushel is \$3 per bushel.

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blessings for any country is an abundant supply of good water. All of Northwest Texas is undelaid with an inexhaustible supply of good, pure drinking water. And as described below, this supply of water is found in many sections in quantity enough for irrigation. Such a thing as failure of wells has never been known in this section, even during the driest years.

OPPORTUNITIES IN IRRIGATION.
It has only been about two years since irrigation by pumping was found to be practical in Northwest Texas. Much credit is due D. L. McDonald of Hereford, Texas, for his faith in developing the first irrigation well in the entire territory. This first big well was put down on Mr. McDonald's farm about three miles southeast of Hereford on the Frio draw about two years ago. The success of this well was so remarkable that the news in regard to it spread all over the country like wildfire. In less than one year 15 or 20 of these wells could be found in different sections of the country. Mr. Henry Slaton of Plainview,

engines are being secured that burn cheaper fuel, such as distillate, naphtha and crude oil. There is every reason to believe that the crude oil engine will be used altogether for pumping purposes in the very near future.

CROPS WE RAISE

For irrigation conditions, alfalfa, the "king of hay crops," is the standard crop. There is no crop that will bring in as great net returns and at the same time improve the soil conditions as much as alfalfa. Alfalfa is known as a subsoiling crop. It also improves the soil fertility and places the ground in better condition for the crops that follow. The farmer who is planning on raising truck, fruit, sugar beets and other crops that require a high state of fertility, will do well to raise alfalfa on the ground first.

Alfalfa is our best paying money crop, especially under irrigation. The price seldom falls below \$12 per ton for the baled hay, and five tons per acre per year, is a good average yield.

J. H. Slaton of Plainview, Texas, makes the following statement in regard to the 1911 crop of alfalfa: "In all, I irrigated 110 acres of alfalfa, a portion of this was watered four times, cut five times, yielding fully five tons per acre, and selling rapidly at \$15 per ton. The cost of the irrigation was 84 cents for each watering per acre." Mr. Slaton reported later that his alfalfa netted him \$51 per acre for the 1911 crop.

In many sections alfalfa seed raising is found to be a very

160 acres and plowed 240 acres five inches deep, and harrowed twice. One hundred and twenty acres of early plowed ground produced 20 bushels to the acre.

In fact, all the plowed ground was much better than the discd ground. The deeper I plow and make a firm seed bed, the better results I obtain. I plow about two inches deeper every year and as early as possible. J. C. Cummons of Plainview says that with early nine-inch plowing for the 1911 wheat crop, he produced from 20 to 25 bushels per acre.

OATS MAKE GOOD YIELD

Oats is a good spring crop for all of this section, especially when the spring moisture is favorable. This is one of our best small grain crops, under irrigation. Oats, like most other crops, require good tillage. Like wheat, best results come from deep and early plowing.

J. C. Cummons of Plainview says: "I prepare my oat ground in the same manner I do the wheat ground. I believe most emphatically in fall and winter preparation of all ground for either row crops or small grain. In 1911 I produced 60 bushels of oats to the acre." Mr. Cummons had an 80-acre field, all of which had been plowed deep, which yielded 60 bushels on the entire field. Several other farmers scattered throughout this territory produced equally good results.

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Cotton is one of our best money crops for the South Plains.

In fact, all the counties as far north as Donley can raise cotton very successfully. The best varieties raised are those that are early maturing and storm-proof. One of the best varieties for the entire section is the Mebane Triumph. This variety is early in maturing, good size of boll, storm-proof, good staple and is easily picked.

While the average yield of cotton is not high on the Plains, yet last year our yield averaged

with the state, or about one-fourth bale to the acre. Many of our farmers produced very much more than this, some almost a bale per acre. The average yield on all Santa Fe demonstration cotton last year (676 acres) was one-half bale per acre. One of our demonstrators L. E. McCravey, of Floydada, produced 8 1-2 bales on 10 acres last year. His net profit, after deducting all expenses, was \$36-70 per acre.—Texas Farm and Ranch.

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J. H. Burson, of Silverton, Texas, was in this city yesterday and today. He delivered a shipment of 262 head of yearling cattle to J. E. Wilson, of this city yesterday, the selling price being \$30 per head. Mr. Burson says that there is a good demand for good cattle on the South Plains, but that it is difficult to find a buyer for poor cattle. He says that the buyers are more discriminating this year about the kind of cattle they buy than ever before. Cattle on the South Plains wintered fine, but there was a great demand for roughness and cattle-men bought about all the surplus feed in the country. The result will be that a larger acreage of milo maize and kaffir corn will be put out there this year than ever before. The grass has been good there this spring and some of the cattle on the Plains are ready for market right now. The rains in that section have not been general. In some places heavy rains have filled up

the lakes, while in other places, not many miles away, there has been a lack of rainfall. Wheat and oats are looking fairly well in the districts where there has been plenty of rainfall.

Would you like to sell your land? If so, list it with me at once, naming lowest prices and best terms. I have people that are interested. Frank Bowles, Austin, Texas. 47 2t

Stranger's Body Found
Amarillo, Tex., May 29.—The body of a neat-appearing man, about 30 years of age, was found with a portion of the head blown away in the Elk Hotel here today. The stranger has destroyed all marks of identity except the initial C. C. or C. G., found on his laundry. He said in notes left: "Suicide for personal reasons." Officers are puzzled over the man's identity. He left some money.

LATER—Information has been gathered since the above was printed that marks in his trouser's watch pocket indicates that his clothes were made for a person by the name of G. A. Gholson, by the International Tailoring Company, and it is hoped by that clue to locate relatives of the unfortunate man.

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PHYSICIAN IS CANDIDATE

Dr. J. W. Overton, of Sweetwater, To Run for Senate Will Make a Good One

Sweetwater, Tex., May 29.—It is announced that in response to the requests of friends in twenty-two counties of the Twenty-Eighth Senatorial Dis-

trict, Dr. John W. Overton has become a candidate for the State Senate. He is a prohibitionist, Democrat, Vice-President of the State Medical Association, President of the Big Springs Medical Society and President of the Sweetwater Commercial Club. The above dispatch from Sweetwater comes as quite a surprise to the many friends of Dr. J. W. in Lubbock. He is

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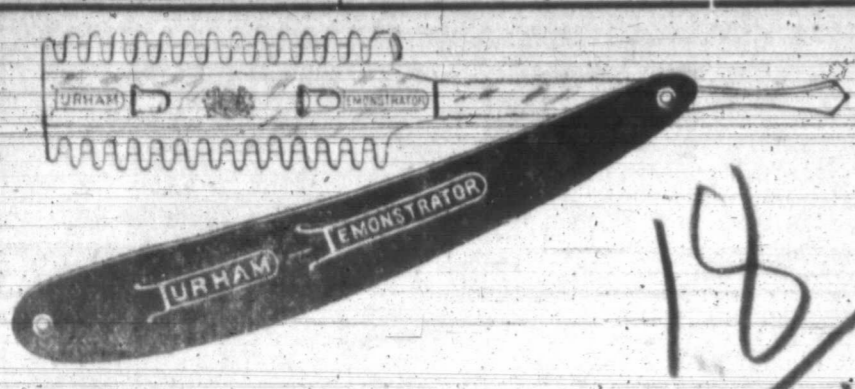
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WEST FINDS BUYERS

Boston Financiers to Buy A. R. & E. P. Bond Issue—Party Goes Over Route

Considerable curiosity has been evidenced this week as to the status of the A. R. & E. P. railway situation. This has been largely on account of Mr. West and party being here last Saturday. The facts seem to be about as follows:

Mr. West has arranged for the floating of his bonds in Chicago, but just on the heels of this he has got in touch with some Boston capitalists who offer even cheaper money. He came here with a representative of the Boston capitalists and was met here by an automobile from Lubbock and left right away for a trip over the line. They were accompanied by Sam Houston and went through to Lubbock. The bonding representative was much pleased and after landing there they left at once for Boston where Mr. West is now closing up with the eastern people. It is expected he will be here soon after the first when some forward movement along active lines may be expected. Every indication is indeed most encouraging. The matter of ascertaining the condition of the right-of-way in this section is being pushed and it is believed that it will be possible to begin work here and push westward. Additional light will be shed upon the subject in the very near future and the Herald will keep its readers posted on every move.—Memphis Herald.

The new dumping ground is now ready and I am prepared to haul all the trash, etc., off your premises. Phone No. 162. J. W. Graves. 47 tf

Mrs. Wat Fitzgerald and daughter Fannie Lee of Haskell, Texas, arrived in Lubbock Monday and will visit Mrs. Fitzgerald's brother Mr. S. I. Johnston, on the Kokernot ranch.

Mrs. C. E. Parks and children left Tuesday for Hartford, Kan., where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Died Friday Afternoon
P. P. Stringer, age 56 years, died at his home in Lubbock Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, after several days suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Stringer had just returned from a visit to some of his children in New Mexico, and while gone contracted a severe cold which soon developed into pneumonia.

Mr. Stringer was the father of 14 children, 12 of which survive him, also his wife. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Belle Bankston, of Corpus Christi, Texas, who could not come and get here in time for the funeral.

Walter and Edward Stringer, of Plainview, N. M., Mrs. Minnie Anderson Festus and Lena Stringer, of Loyington, N. M., arrived at a late hour Friday night, leaving their home in the afternoon, as soon as advised of their father's serious condition, but his soul had left this earthly home before they arrived.

Deceased was a member of the M. E. Church South and was known by those most intimately acquainted with him to be a straightforward christian gentleman.

The funeral services were held at the home by Rev. W. M. Lane, pastor of the Methodist church, and concluded at the grave in the Lubbock cemetery.

The bereaved family has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in the loss of their loved one.

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Sam Sanford has taken the management of the T Bar ranch, seven miles north of Tahoka and is now moving his family there. Borden Citizen.

STORAGE can haul your goods and take care of it till you can get a place for it. Let me unload your cars and save demurrage. H. H. Simpson, the drayman. 35 tf

Howard Hoke, brother of Mrs. H. T. Kimbro, of Taylor, Texas, who visited here last week, returned home the first of this week, accompanied by Miss Bernice Kimbro, who will visit in that city a few weeks.

The enterprising land firm of Kimbro and Parks had a number of prospectors here from the North the first of last week and closed a deal for several tracts of Lubbock county land.

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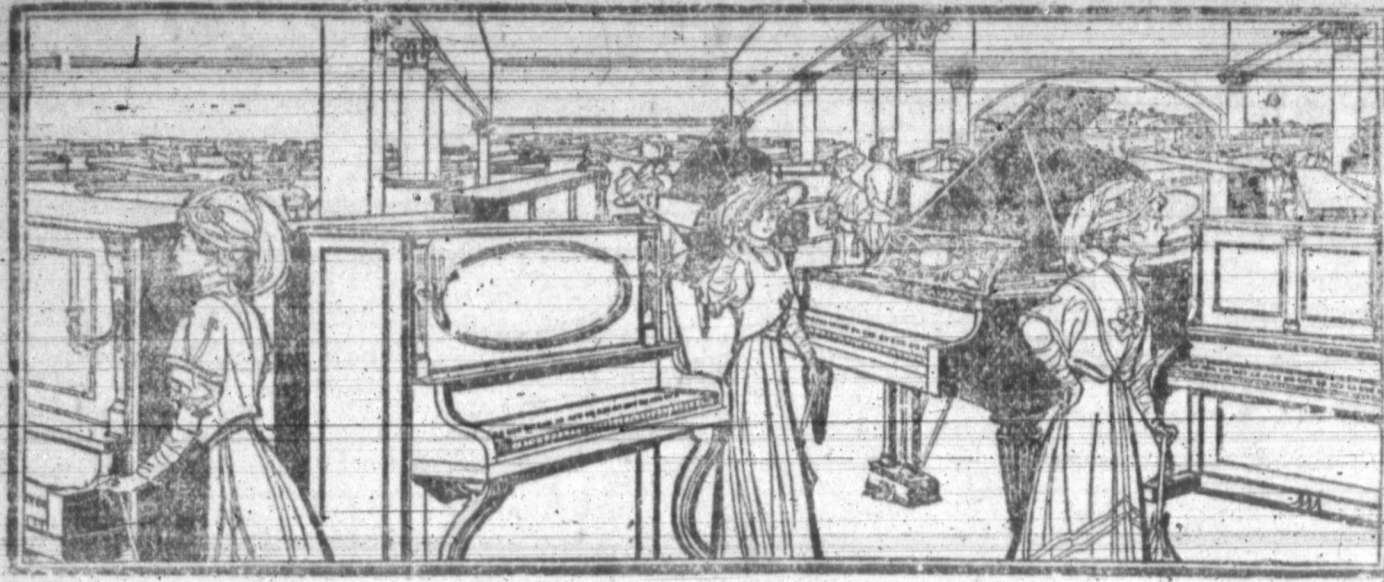
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I am now in my new location in the Balcony of the Lubbock Mercantile Building, and invite the Ladies of Lubbock and Trade Territory to call and see me. I am offering

ALL MID-SUMMER HATS AT HALF PRICE

It will be big money saved to you to purchase hats now. I also have a big stock of Flowers and Ribbons (sample lines) which I purchased at 50c on the dollar that I am offering real cheap. Call and see my stock of hats and this line of Ribbons and Flowers.

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LEYHE PIANO CO.,

respectfully invite all who have Pianos, with no one to play them to call at the store and see how reasonable we can offer you a Player Piano. We have a Pianista on display this week in Weathered Oak Mission Case, a very attractive instrument at only \$450.00, regular price \$500.00. To appreciate this Piano one must see and play on it. Think of it, a full sized scale 88 note Player, and that don't get out of order, at the price mentioned. We will offer full values on used Pianos in trade for Players. Will have for this week's inspection a new line of pianos ranging from \$200.00 up to \$550.00. Easy terms. Come in and let us figure with you. Remember Leyhe's is the Greatest Piano Company in Texas. 31 Makes of Pianos to select from. We especially invite out-of-town prospective buyers to write for prices and terms. We are sure to save you money on that piano you are going to buy. And we also have to the public advantage a fine variety of Pianos to select from, and at bargains that can't be duplicated elsewhere in Texas. If you have a certain fixed amount to invest in an instrument, we have it at the very lowest possible price. We buy in sufficient quantities to get all discounts and offer the very best values obtainable. Come in and visit. Let's talk Piano.

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ORGANIZE A COUNTY FAIR

To all who think seriously the advantage of the county fair must be apparent. The local pride it stimulates, in better crops, purebred stock, fancy work and products from the kitchen is far-reaching and it generally bears fruit in larger crops and better farming.

Every county in the South-west should have a fair. The county fair will supplement the district and the state and enable your county to make a better showing at these fairs.

The county fair is no money-making investment for those who begin it. Its value cannot be estimated in money.

Those who take stock should do so for the benefit of the county and the farming interest and not with a view of getting dividends on their investments. The county fair is the best means of advancing educational organizations as corn clubs, hog clubs, canning clubs, gardening clubs, etc. Business men who assist the fair have the satisfaction of rendering assistance to agriculture, which is the

source of this country's wealth.

It is none too early to begin an organization for the County Fair. The organization should be made early and subscriptions taken to insure the success of the fair. The premiums should be liberal enough to cause keen competition and make it worth while to exhibit the products of the county.

The county fair is a great factor for education, as from it young people may get inspiration for better things in agriculture. It teaches the possibilities of our farms, encourages handicraft and increase the pride of living in the country. There is no better advertisement for a community than the county fair; it is an investment that will bring returns in better farming and better home life. —Texas Farm and Ranch.

It is the same story that the Avalanche has wrote a number of times, and one that is true; one that there is no fiction connected with, yet it seems that people as a rule are prone to pass it up. A move was made

several weeks ago for the purpose of organizing a Lubbock County Fair Association, but the poor little thing died.

It died because the people who should have been interested sit back in their office and either did nothing or said "we can't do it," one of the other was the dope that put the little child to sleep. Then like a great many men, who have lived good lives, have done many good deeds, have been a blessing to the community in which they lived, but no one ever thought about them before they were gone, but after he is laid away flowers in great profusion are heaped upon the little mound of soil that indicates where his body was laid to rest, a number have come to us and inquired what have "you" done with the County Fair? (The same as we, the Avalanche) were the whole cheese and ex-

pected us to buy the grounds, built the exhibit halls, put the stands, raise the fine stock, poultry, farm and orchard products, fancy work, etc. Had they been interested enough in the proposition at the time it was in need of their assistance, we would not have felt it our duty to write an article like this.

We believe it is the thing to do yet. We believe that we will not be doing the proper thing to let this proposition remain in the grave. There should be a resurrection, and a second coming of this fair proposition. We would suggest that another effort be made to organize a county fair—we know it is what the county needs. We know that it is a benefit to the county and town. Other places have them and have proven beyond a doubt that it is a good thing. Every county that has an organization has the honors

of carrying away the blue and red and striped ribbons at the State Fairs. Why? Because the county fair encouraged the farmers to make a greater effort, and to see that their exhibits are placed on the exhibition. We cannot get out and gather up a creditable exhibition in three days prior to the opening of the State Fair. But if a county fair is to be held, then preparations for the preservation of exhibits will be made.

Lubbock county raises as good and oftentimes better products than take the prizes at the State Fair, but we do not get the premiums, because we do not have the exhibit there. Think about it, and lets try again. Lubbock can do it. It is not her style to turn such things down, and we are not satisfied with the outcome of the other attempt because we do not think it the real wishes of the people.

SCHOOL FACULTY NAMED

Few Changes Made in Teaching Faculty for 1912-13

As was stated several weeks ago, Prof. J. K. Wester was re-elected as superintendent of Lubbock Schools and his faculty as named by the school board are: Geo. N. Atkinson, P. F. Brown, H. P. Webb, Rodger A. Burgess, Misses Flora McGee, Maude Nevils, Mae Murfee, Crossett, Grace Rucker, Jewell Watkins, Fay Scott and Mesdames E. R. Haynes and J. K. Wester.

Lubbock had a splendid school last term and as most of the same teachers are re-elected for another term, we see no reason why the 1912-13 terms should not be as good and possibly better than any previous year. With the co-operation of the patrons of the school we can have a school equal to any and second to none in the state.

A. W. Blankenship and wife of Meadow, were in town today trading with our merchants.

WE HAVE FORTY-FOUR TONS OF NIGGERHEAD NUT COAL

For cooking stoves. And expect another car of Niggerhead Lump in a few days

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Red Cross Moving

The Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Company are moving their stock from the old stand to the brick building recently vacated by the Lubbock Mercantile Company. They will install new fixtures, etc., and otherwise improve the appearance of their store. This enterprising firm is anxious to furnish the trade the very best accommodations possible. The balcony of the new building will be cut up into rooms for offices, and have been secured by two of Lubbock's prominent physicians.

The new location will show up the stock much better and the Red Cross people will be prepared to handle the trade in a more satisfactory manner than heretofore.

Three Weddings Sunday

Capit got busy in Lubbock last Sunday and as a result County Clerk Wilson issued three marriage permits, and three copies of Lubbock young

people were united in marriage, as follows:

Mr. Ed Arion and Miss Pearl Rhodes.

Mr. Forest J. Blalock and Miss Vida Acuff.

Mr. G. C. Jones and Miss Annie Phipps.

The Avalanche joins their many friends in wishing them much happiness while traveling life's journey together.

C. J. Levey, of Weinert, Texas, son of J. H. Levey, of this city, was here this week visiting and had us send him the Avalanche for a few months so as to keep posted about this section of the State. He said it was rather dry at Weinert when he left.

Card of Thanks

Through the medium of the Avalanche we desire to express our profound gratitude to our many friends for their helpful assistance during the short illness of our daughter and for

the many expressions of sympathy and other evidences of friendship extended to us at the time of her death. These tokens of friendship have consoled us not a little and helped us to bear this great sorrow that has come upon us.

J. W. DALTON AND FAMILY.

Mrs. Wheelock, wife of Mayor Frank E. Wheelock of Lubbock, is steadily improving, following serious surgical treatment at the Amarillo hospital. Mrs. Wheelock has been in rather indifferent health for the past several months, and was finally brought to Amarillo for treatment. —Amarillo Daily News.

Jess Joplin was in the city Wednesday from Slaton and said he expected to move to Lubbock soon.

Miss Wilson, of Hereford, sister of S. C. Wilson of the Western Windmill Company here, is visiting her brother a few days this week.

Bakery's New Wagon

Martin's Bakery started their wagon Tuesday. It is one of the finest in the state. It is equipped with bread boxes and equipments for carrying cakes, pies, etc., and also ice cream, soda water and such like.

Mr. Martin is trying to make every thing as convenient as possible for the Lubbock housewives and it looks like he is succeeding admirably. With this new equipment he is prepared to sell you any of the products of his bakery right at your door. It is an undertaking that is seldom ever tried in a town the size of Lubbock, but Mr. Martin is progressive; he appreciates the liberal patronage he has received and the people in return should be even more liberal than heretofore, and thereby show appreciation of the excellent service

that he is giving. Walter

Stringer is now chief engineer on this wagon.

L. B. Wright, the hardware and furniture man is displaying a safety razor in his show window this week that is attracting considerable attention, and he informs us that he is selling a great number of them. See his ad in this issue of the paper.

Fred Robbins, auditor of the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association was here this week looking after business connected with company affairs.

Miss Watkins, who has been teaching in the Lubbock school the past year left this week to spend her vacation with home-folks.

E. W. Estes, formerly of this

county, now of Sahans, Tex., was here this week.

Prof. G. N. Atkinson left Tuesday afternoon for Canyon City, where he goes to enter the Summer Normal.

Miss Maude Nevils will attend the Summer Normal of Canyon this summer, and left Wednesday for that place.

J. B. Stokes was here from Tahoka Wednesday, visiting relatives and looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Gallion of Hereford, spent a few days in Lubbock this week. Mr. Gallion was attending court.

Mrs. W. R. Evants, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnson, was here a few days this week from Hereford.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We are moving this week into our new quarters three doors north of our old stand, in the building recently vacated by the Lubbock Mercantile Company, where we will be found better prepared to accommodate our customers than we have ever been in the past. It has ever been our desire to give the people of Lubbock and surrounding counties the very best service, and our constantly increasing business would lead us to believe that we have to a certain extent carried this desire into execution sufficiently to please those who have dealt with us. In our new quarters we will have better fixtures and better equipment in every department, and feel safe in promising the trade better accommodations in the future than in the past. Our stock, as usual, will be kept as complete as possible, and many lines will be extended and this will enable us to supply your every want.

We invite you to call and see us in our new location, and if you have not been our customer, we want to add you to our list, and if you have been trading with us, feel sure you will be willing to remain with us.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1912

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BY MRS. S. P. STURBS

Daniel A. Poling, head of the Christian Endeavor Society, and prohibition candidate for governor of Ohio, gave the key note speech of the convention. It is so replete with good sense and political sagacity that I wish the whole speech could be read by every thoughtful voter in Texas, but we can only quote in part this speech in accepting the nomination he merely said: "I thank God for the privilege that I have. It means for more than anything I could have sought. I look upon it as the call to service from the prohibitionists of Ohio. I pledge you my best. I do not know when we shall win, but we shall win, for right is right and God is with us. We will do the things that God gives us power to do, and wisdom to see. It would give us no little satisfaction to tell in His presence the story of the prohibition party."

It is a tale of truth untarnished and of faith that does not compromise. The pages of its book is wet with tears of women and the hit of its sword is red with the blood of heroes and heroines. From its birth nearly a half century ago it has cried aloud and spared not without promise of reward. It has called to its banners hundreds of thousands of clear-eyed patriots, who have marched and stood and fought and died. Without the emoluments of political victory, and having cheered, few winning its leaders, its rank and file through unnumbered campaigns where the qualifications of its enemies were less disheartening than the refusal of those who should have been its voting friends, it has offered unflinching its political prayer and declared unceasingly, PROHIBITION FOR THE STATE AND NATION.

"The past has been a glorious past—for truth is glorious and defeat cannot destroy it. That which is genuine when it passes from the Creator's hand will neither be dimmed by age nor cheapened by familiarity. Honor is not decreased by contact and truth is never out of tune. Divorce and insanity are increasing; nine-tenths of the former are due directly or indirectly to the influence of liquor. Crime is increasing under the stimulus and example in every rum bound community and the great cities of the commonwealth are charnel houses for virtue and police sanction dens for white-slavers. The liquor traffic makes men and women unfit socially and lacerates to death every finer instinct."

Doling says, "Local option is too local and to optional." It intoxicates with present victories creating an appetite that is satisfied only by immediate results

and willing to sacrifice principal on the altar of expediency. It becomes finally the destroyer of civic conscience. Herein is our vital danger whether we are conscious of it or not. This commonwealth faces today a situation so momentous as to be almost terrifying.

The Chicago Record Herald has very well presented in this bit of doggeral verse the present campaign from the old party standpoint:

"Same old issues same old game.
Same old charges same old blame.
Same appeal to shop and farm.
Same old viewing with starm.
Same old rearbacks rearing back.
Same old spell binding too slack.
Same old racket far and wide.
Same old pointing out with pride.
Same old tariff same old war.
Same old foemen to the fore.
Same old fussing same old broil.
Same old horny handed toil.
Same old bluffing same old fears.
Same old bosses same old cheers.
Same old boosting for effect.
Same old little to expect."

What's the matter with Lubbock going after one of these cleanest towns in Texas premiums offered by Col. F. P. Holland, of Holland's Magazine? Suppose we scrub up and present a clean face to the world for the good of all. Besides the infinite number of benefits that would accrue to us through the state of being clean if we try to qualify for part of that \$1,000 the value of being heralded as the cleanest town in Texas is unlimited. Not only is cleanliness next to godliness but it stands in mighty close kin to all worldly perfection. Where could our brave, strenuous clubwomen as well as our men's organizations find greater activity.

Rector Lester, of this city has successfully passed the examinations of the Seventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas and is now licensed to practice law in the State. Mr. Lester has been in an Amarillo law office for sometime, but is now at the parental L. T. Lester home in Canyon and is undecided just where he will locate for his future practice.—Canyon City News.

Roscoe Wilson and E. L. Klett, who attended the State Convention at Houston, returned Monday afternoon. They report a pleasant trip and enjoyed steering the steam roller splendidly. They visited Galveston while in that section, crossed the new causeway and took in the sights generally.

Mrs. Jno. P. Slaton, of Hereford, arrived Monday afternoon, and is spending the week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Slaton, of Lubbock.

W. A. Bacon spent several days out about the line of New Mexico, looking for cattle to buy.

J. R. Hill, of Brownfield, was a pleasant caller at our office Monday.

Will Run Anyway

Theodore Roosevelt will be a candidate for the presidency regardless of the action of the Republican National convention.

That much is made almost certain by statements that have been made by certain Texas Republicans known to be high in the confidence of the candidate. These men cannot be quoted

just at present, but another man who is close to the state Republican leaders and who was an official of the Republican convention last Tuesday openly made the statement, declaring he made it on the highest authority. This man was Geo. W. Armstrong of Crawford, sergeant-at-arms of the convention.

"Theodore Roosevelt will be a candidate," he said. "He may not be nominated at Chicago. I think he will. But if he is not, I've got it straight from high authority that he'll run anyhow."—Fort Worth Record.

Move Cattle to Lubbock

R. D. Benson and wife arrived on the Wednesday morning train from Fort Worth, on their way to the ranch of Ingham & Son, where Mr. Benson will receive 1,000 head of two and three year old steers. Mr. Benson's trail boss, S. J. Palm, of Blythe, arrived Tuesday with a number of "jolly cowboys," and will trail these steers through to the ranch near Lubbock.—Midland Reporter.

According to statistics recently given out by the Revenue Department at Washington, \$200,000,000 is squandered annually by hard working American husband and fathers to furnish their petted wives and daughters with jewelry, lace and other extravagant adornments from abroad.

Mrs. Clara Abney is now in her new location in the balcony of the new Lubbock Mercantile building. It is a splendid place, cool, convenient and pleasant. She wants you to come and see her stock of millinery.

A letter from J. B. Stone to this paper, states that after spending several weeks at Mineral Wells, he and wife accompanied by their daughter, Miss Nellie, will return to their old home at Perry, Oklahoma.

W. A. Brown, of Baskin, La., an experienced dry goodsman, is in the city this week, and will make this city his future home. He will probably engage in business here in the near future.

D. M. Davis of the Acuff community, was in town Tuesday of this week and made arrangements to read the Avalanche a year.

A. W. Callahan, formerly in the newspaper business at Tulia, Texas, has purchased a plant and will start a paper at Silverton, Texas, in a few days.

Miss Ruby Ellis, who has been away attending college at Millford the past school season, returned home the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Dean, mother and Miss Franklin niece, of Mrs. K. Carter are here from Amarillo this week, the guests of Mrs. Carter and family.

W. D. Kincannon was in the city Monday and reports the arrival of a new daughter in his family a few days ago.

Mrs. M. G. Abernathy is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Harding, at Amarillo.



SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP

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L. B. WRIGHT

Texas Industrial Notes

Furnished by the Texas Secretaries Association

<p>Died J. W. Flinn died at his home in the south part of Lubbock last Thursday and his remains were laid to rest in the Lubbock cemetery. Mr. Flinn has been suffering for some time with cancer on the face and for some time has been very feeble. Funeral services were held at the grave and his remains laid to rest in the Lubbock cemetery Friday afternoon. He leaves a family and large circle of friends to mourn the loss of his presence in our town and our home. The family has the sympathy of this community in their sad hours of bereavement.</p> <p>Notice to Voters I have decided not to make the race for Hide and Animal Inspector as I have other business that demands so much of my time; and I take this method of informing the voters, and my friends who have stood by me in the race up to the present time. I thank you for your support and your willingness to help me in the campaign. My name has been withdrawn from the announcement column and I am out of the race.</p> <p>Yours truly, FRANK CHASE.</p> <p>A Correction Last week we stated that Mr. Paschal, of the experimental farm would begin his series of lectures in the Normal, on the subject of Agriculture beginning next Monday, he informs us that it was next Monday instead of last Monday. We understand a number are interested in this cause and are desirous of knowing the time the instructions will begin.</p> <p>Wm. Collins of six miles east of town, was in to see us Saturday. Mr. Collins is one of those jovial kind of fellows that we like to meet.</p>	<p>Franklin—An election is to be held on June 4th for good roads bonds to the amount of \$100,000.</p> <p>Tyler—Four hundred cars of peaches are expected to be shipped from this territory this season.</p> <p>Fort Stockton—A petition has been circulated in favor of an issue of \$100,000 for good roads bonds in precinct number one.</p> <p>Eagle Pass—Local capitalists have purchased a 2,500 acre tract of land near here and will develop the land under irrigation.</p> <p>Giddings—The Houston and Texas Central Railway is asking for bids on the construction of five miles of roadbed from Giddings eastward.</p> <p>Waco—According to estimates made by the contractors, there are fifteen miles of right-of-way for the Waco-Dallas-Corsicana Interurban ready for track.</p> <p>Kress—The Kress Co-operative Produce Association has been organized here to encourage the raising of more produce and to secure better market facilities.</p> <p>Oran—A movement is on foot here to build a large reservoir, which will cover 300 acres of land. It is planned to construct a pleasure resort in the near vicinity of the lake.</p> <p>Wichita Falls—Five hundred extra freight cars have been</p>	<p>secured by the Wichita Falls and Northern Railway to assist in handling the alfalfa crop along its lines.</p> <p>Lometa—It is reported that the Schoiten Bros. Cedar Company of this city will build a railroad from Lometa to the company's cedar fortress, a distance of twenty-five miles.</p> <p>Cleburne—Track laying work on the Fort Worth-Cleburne Interurban has reached a point near this city, and surveyors are now running lines in the streets over which the rails will pass.</p> <p>Post City—The Post Power Company has filed its charter with the secretary of state. The object of the company is to manufacture and distribute gas and electricity in this section of the country.</p> <p>Petrolia—Twenty cars of pipe have been received here to be used in construction of the Magnolia Oil Company's pipe line to Corsicana. This is the second pipe line from Petrolia to the refineries.</p> <p>A. J. Stricklin, editor of the Brownfield, Terry County Herald, was here Monday looking after business matters.</p> <p>Paul Gerdus, a real estate man of Silerton, is here prospecting this week.</p>
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Where you will find the popular drinks of the season, prepared by experienced men who know how it is done. Call and get a refreshing drink or a dish of ice cream. **THE LADIES HAVE A SPECIAL INVITATION** to visit our store.

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Neighboring County News

From Our Exchanges

GAINES COUNTY

UNVEILING SERVICES SUNDAY AFTERNOON
The local W. O. W. Lodge will unveil the monument of Sov. Charley Trimble, deceased, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The camp will leave the Woodman Hall at 2:30 o'clock and march to the cemetery where the services will be conducted.

DEAD MAN MAY BE NATIONAL BANK ROBBER

In the general opinion of the citizens of the Eunice, N. M., community that the body found recently near the San Simon ranch is that of one of Seminole National Bank robbers. The man had black hair instead of red, as stated in last week's issue of the "Sentinel." Egg shells and other evidence goes to show that someone had been camping at the spot where the murder was committed.

LAMESA AUTO ROAD COMPLETE

The long looked for and greatly needed auto road from Lamesa to Seminole has been completed, and parties who have been over the new road pronounce it a good one. It is useless to state that this road will be of great benefit to both Seminole and Lamesa. Almost every day there are people waiting transportation between the two towns, but the old road was in such condition that the automobile owners could not run their cars over it at a price within the reach of the general public. Parties who came over the road today state that the trip was made in about two hours and that the road is in good condition.

TERRY COUNTY

Mr. Henry George of Lubbock, who is visiting his father near Gomez, paid the Herald a pleasant call Tuesday. Vernon Seitz, recently of Lubbock, moved down this week and is occupying one of the Brownfield residences. He will have charge of a small ranch Northwest of here. Mat McPherson went to Lubbock this week after the Court House seats which are eight feet long and twenty-four in number. Judge Neal informed us that they were capable of seating

over 100 people. This will not only be a great help toward beautifying our District Court room, but they have been needed for some time for those who attend court as observers. A gentleman is here from Roswell, N. M., on a deal with W. R. Harris for his ranch four miles south of town. We understand Mr. Harris is trading for some fruit property near Roswell.

Dad Ellis was in town last week in his brand new 4 cylinder Buick touring car. Dad said a steering wheel felt awful awkward after several years experience with buggy lines and bridles.

MARRIED

The Herald learned this week that it had a new brother-in-law in the person of George H. Erwin of Iowa, who married Miss Annie Holden, of D'nuba, Cal., on May 12th. The wedding was consummated in the Methodist church at Reedles, Cal. Herald extends well wishes and hearty congratulations.

CAUGHT WITH THE GOATS

George E. Tiernan received a phone message from Bronco Tuesday night that a man was coming this way with two horses that did not belong to him, and George got busy and intercepted the gentleman on his road to Lubbock, about eight miles of Brownfield and is holding him for New Mexico officials. When they think they can pass up Tiernan they're off their kazoot.

HALE COUNTY

Col. R. W. Lemond is in Lubbock tonight installing the officers of the Eastern Star there. At the Presbyterian parsonage Saturday, May 25, Rev. J. H. Bone united in marriage Mr. C. C. Powell and Miss Grace Meester. Miss Meester is the daughter of H. B. Meester of Iowa Avenue, and Mr. Powell is an industrious young farmer of the Stonebeck community. Messrs. Y. O. McAdams, Vice President of the McAdams Lumber Company and W. B. Atkins, manager of the Company's yard at Lubbock were in Hale Center Wednesday. Mr. McAdams is an ardent advocate of the silo for the South Plains;

and he is making a tour of the Plains for the purpose of arousing the farmers to the use of them.

On Monday J. F. Norfleet received here for J. H. Nations, of El Paso, a mixed train load of cows, calves and steers. They are a part of several thousand head which Mr. Nations is pasturing west of Hale Center. The cattle were in exceptionally good condition. Besides the cattle there was one car of mares which will be sold here.

Telling the other workmen in the G. W. Frazier blacksmith shop that he was going up town and would return in a few minutes, C. W. Martin was found five minutes later in the office of Dr. S. J. Underwood yesterday, demented and raving wildly. According to the statement of the physician in charge, the man is a tubercular subject, and brooding over his condition is supposed to be the principal cause of his derangement. His condition is improved today.

CROSBY COUNTY

Lee and Hinds have installed a first-class soda fountain and will serve cold drinks in connection with their restaurant.

E. C. Brown received a letter from his wife this week, who is at Lubbock having her throat treated, stating that she was getting along nicely, and would be home Friday.

A fifteen thousand dollar stock of general merchandise will be put in the Ralls building just as soon as the goods arrive, they are on the road now. We already have as good a mercantile store as can be found anywhere but there is room here for three mercantile stores at present.

Mr. Davis of near Emma, was in to see us Monday. He says he has lived on the plains ten years and never has made a failure during that time. He is a man who believes in living at home, not out of the tin can and paper sacks, he raises all his commodities at home. If all our farmers would adapt this rule they would be better off.

The storm Friday night proved disastrous to a number of our neighboring towns although Ralls escaped any damage. The residence and contents of Tom Martin, near Lorenzo, was completely wrecked, blowing him under a windmill tower and his wife received inward injuries.

the particulars of which we failed to learn. A petition was circulated among our people this week in behalf of the unfortunate family, from which a neat little sum was realized. Any one wishing to contribute further to this good cause may leave same at the Banner office.

YOAKUM COUNTY

A protracted meeting will be commenced in Plains on Saturday before the second Sunday in July. Rev. Robt. Jamason of Knox City will do the principal part of the preaching.

Noah Bell, one of the leading stockman of Terry county, spent two or three days in this community this week, prospecting for stock cattle. We understand that he contracted for two hundred cows and calves from Geo. Bond, living near Slige.

Mrs. J. T. Redding, who resided in the northeast part of this county, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. W. D. Shaw, in Abernathy last Sunday. Mrs. Redding had recently underwent an operation for cancer of the liver, from which she got no relief, and the doctors held out no hope for her recovery, and she had only to await the speedy and

inevitable approach of death. In the loss of this wife and mother the family has the sympathy of many friends, but sympathy does not relieve the sorrow which follows such heart rending occurrences.

It is learned here that A. G. Cash, now residing near Colorado, Texas, has traded one of his sections of land near Plains for a farm in Callahan county, which has a 20-acre orchard on it. Mr. Cash will move to his Callahan county farm soon and the party with whom he made the deal will move here.

Mr. E. M. Madden sold his section and a half of land near the J. Cross headquarters yesterday to Dr. W. M. Fulbright, of Jayton, Kent county. Dr. Fulbright will move on the place at once and Mr. Madden will move to the old Joe Lane place on the road between Gomez and Brownfield. This deal was made through J. J. Kendrick, of Plains.

Mrs. T. O. Henry is visiting her two brothers and their families in Amarillo this week. Mr. Henry will go to Amarillo the latter part of the week and Mrs. Henry will return home with him Monday.

Card of Thanks

We take this method of expressing our thanks to all who so willingly helped us during the recent illness and death of our husband and father. We cannot express our thanks personally to all who helped us in this time of need, but pray the Heavenly Father to bless you and reward you for your kindness.
MRS. V. H. STRINGER & FAMILY.

Telephone Girls Strike

We understand that five of the telephone girls went on a strike last night. We are not advised as to the cause of the strike. It is said that the manager has wired to Tulsa, Okla., for operators to take the place of the strikers.
Plainview News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Payne and L. E. Butler and family are now in California, according to letters received by friends here from them. They expect to locate somewhere in that state.

Mr. Howell of Crosbyton, who has been holding a position with the White Printing Company, at that place, was in the city Monday and paid this office a pleasant call.

Read the ad of Mrs. Clara Abney in this issue of the paper.

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We are sole agents in Lubbock for the Murray Engraving Company, one of the foremost Engraving concerns in the United States, and we will be pleased to take your orders for Calling Cards, Announcements, Etc.

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Classified Ads.

Society Items

By Mrs. D. Robinson

FOR SALE - My electric range and my house hold furniture bargain...

FOR SALE - Seven room residence, three lots, young orchard, trees, good wall, wind...

WANTED - Job on farm or by day...

LAULINE - that is my business, and how to do the...

W. G. Harden, candidate for City Judge of Terry county...

Something Extraordinary - personally conducted first Special Train Excursion...

Program for Sunday, June 9th. Leader - Eunice Brooks. Song, Prayer, Reading - Mabel Guinn...

Church Notes

We will be glad to make any arrangements of Church Service, Prayers, etc. in this column...

Program for Sunday, June 9th. Leader - Eunice Brooks. Song, Prayer, Reading - Mabel Guinn...

Mrs. R. S. Van Tuyl, President of Foreign Missions, El...

Little Ruth Slaton assisted by her brother Oscar, charmingly entertained a number of their little friends...

After all had arrived and were made welcome by the little hostess, they played a number of games and as the sounds of childish laughter...

Two tables were placed in the yard under the shade of the trees, and the little folks were served to delicious ice cream...

The little guests reluctantly took their leave hoping little Ruth and Oscar would entertain them again real soon...

In spite of the inclement weather quite a crowd gathered at the Masonic Hall last Friday evening to witness the installation of the Eastern Star officers...

The installation ceremony was beautifully given by Brother R. W. Leonard of Hale Center...

Quite a jolly crowd of young people, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pierce and Mr. W. T. Cox, went out to the canyon Tuesday night...

the guest and enjoyed very much. All the young people wore "dunce caps" which added much merriment to the occasion...

All report a delightful time and wish for many happy returns of the occasion.

The old 42 club and Thursday afternoon club were delightfully entertained by Mesdames Simeon O'Neal and Chas. Rush...

There were 10 tables, after a number of games were played several of the ladies tied for high score.

Refreshments, consisting of creamed mushrooms, nut sandwiches, olives, fruit salad, lettuce leaves, ice coffee, two course ice cream and cake...

George W. Bryant, of Waco, who owns some town property as well as some land in Lubbock county, was here Wednesday...

Quite a number of young people, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pierce and Mr. W. T. Cox, went out to the canyon Tuesday night...

Rev. Weary, of Amarillo will be here Sunday and will preach in the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock...

Miss Ona Webb, accompanied by her mother is spending a few days in Lockney. Miss Ona is one of the salesladies in the Lubbock Mercantile Store...

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Rural Items

County News from Various Sources

CUFF - Weather fine and everybody busy. Crop prospects good, grass fine and stock getting fat...

A number of our folks attended the Farmer's Institute at Canyon school house Saturday night, and considerable interest was manifested.

Miss Trudie Burford is visiting relatives in the eastern part of the state. She expects to be away till sometime in June.

D. M. Davis had business in Lubbock Tuesday.

Sheriff Tiernan, of Terry county, spent Monday in our city.

GETS APPROPRIATION - Sundry Bill Contains Many Items For Improvements in Our Lone Star State

Washington, June 3. - Texas is well provided for in the sundry civil bill which was reported today by the appropriations committee of the house.

The Texas items include the following: Bonham, for continuation of work on federal building, \$5,000; Austin, continuation of building, \$50,000; Brownwood, commencement of building, \$40,000; Clarksville, commencement of building, \$30,000; Del Rio, continuation of building, \$10,000; Galveston, continuation of appraisers stores, \$25,000; Galveston, rent for temporary headquarters, \$8,000; Hillsboro, continuation of building, \$5,000; Marlin, commencement of building, \$1,000; Paris, continuation of remodeling of

building, \$20,000; Weatherford, commencement of building, \$85,000; Galveston, furnishing and equipping immigration station, \$15,000; regular and annual appropriation for quarantine service at Laredo, Angle Pass and El Paso; San Marcos fish culture station, \$5,400; improving Aransas Pass and bay, \$250,000; improving Sabine and Neches canals, \$25,000.

The Lyhe Piano Company, of Lubbock, under the management of Ed Arion, is developing quite a good deal of interest in musical instruments. They have the greatest assortment of pianos and piano self-players, that has ever been shown in Lubbock. This company is advertising quite extensively in the Avalanche, having a quarter page ad this week also issues prior to this. They believe in telling the people what they have and they are building up a good trade on the strength of it.

Moving To The Square

Does not mean that our prices will be changed. We will be in our new quarters sometime next week and we want you to call and see us and let us show you how you can save money by trading with us...

\$1.00 OFF THE REGULAR PRICE OF STETSON HATS

See our new shipment of Ladies Orders in Black, Tan, White Canvas and Velvet. Extra close prices still prevail in all departments.

Special Prices on our Gilt Edge Soft Wheat, Extra High Patent Flour Fully Guaranteed.

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Lard Lard Lard

Why Buy Cheap Compounds When You Can Get PURE LARD Made in Lubbock?

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Alfalfa Lumber Company

Phone 311

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Deputy United States Marshal
Bolton, has returned from
Lubbock and Canyon.
He has been serving a large
number of legal processes in
connection with a case which
came up here in the United
States District Court in Septem-
ber. The case involves a land
claim and there are thirty-seven
defendants in the case. - Ama-
Daily handles.

THE GALVESTON CAUSEWAY

After Ten Years of Agitation and Building the Greatest Achievement of the Kind is Announced

The completion of the famous Galveston \$2,000,000 causeway was celebrated Saturday, May 25, 1912, on which day it was officially opened.

Governor O. B. Colquitt and many of the state officials were present on that occasion, and the Galveston News presented a detailed story of the celebration of this gigantic piece of engineering. This causeway will withstand fire, storm and water. It practically makes Galveston a part of the mainland. Galveston's achievements in raising the grade of the city and building four miles of sea wall have attracted the admiration of the world. The agitation of the building of the causeway covered a period of ten years. This causeway is the most unique structure of its kind across salt water anywhere in the world. The causeway has a total length of 12,642 feet, or a little more than two miles. This total length is made up of a causeway proper, or filled and protected roadway, on the mainland side of the bay 4,640 feet long, a reinforced concrete arch bridge portion measuring 2,472 from back to back of end abutments with a bascule or Scherzer type lift bridge, having a clear opening of 100 feet, in the center of this arch bridge, and a causeway or

filled and protected roadway on the island side of the bay 5,530 feet long. The causeway is spoken of as the protected roadway portion, the arch bridge portion and the lift bridge.

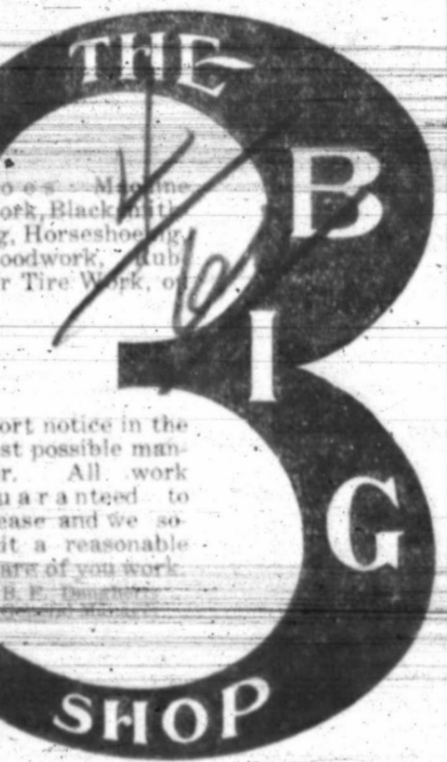
THE LIFT BRIDGE PORTION
The lift bridge is forty-four feet wide and carries two railroad tracks for the steam roads, one interurban track for the Galveston-Houston Interurban, and the county highway. The two steam road tracks occupy twenty-seven feet of the bridge and the interurban and county highway seventeen feet. An iron hand rail separates the steam tracks from the interurban tracks and the county highway. The lift bridge is less in width by twenty-two feet than the arch bridge portion, the difference being on the side where the county highway crosses. The county roadway in crossing the bridge goes into the interurban tracks. There can be no danger of accidents between vehicles and interurban cars, however, for there is an interlocking device with the gates, so that when the county roadway is open the interurban tracks are closed, and when the interurban tracks are open the county roadway is closed.

ARCH BRIDGE PORTION
The arch bridge portion has a width of sixty-six feet, including the space occupied by the concrete railing. Of this the steam roads have twenty-nine feet, or room for two tracks, the Galveston-Houston Interurban fifteen feet, and the county highway twenty-two feet. The county highway is separated from the interurban tracks by a reinforced concrete railing which extends all the way across the causeway on both the arch bridge portion and the protected roadway.

The protected roadway portion of the structure, or the causeway proper, has a width of 110 feet at the top, of which fifty feet is reserved for the steam roads, twenty-seven feet for the interurban and forty-three feet for the county highway.

Passage close in, \$1 per month, in head. Phone 90. 44-1f

W. M. Rice, the well known contractor left last night for Arnett, Oklahoma, where he is finishing the work on the new court house, for which he has had the contract. - Daily Panhandle.



Dealing With the Fly

A booklet setting forth the seriousness of the fly pest has been received from the National headquarters of the movement. It calls attention to the discoveries of the entomologists that the fly carries the bacilli of typhoid, tuberculosis, dysentery and intestinal disorders, and emphasizes the fact that the fly's tremendous rate of reproduction, warning the public that unless the most heroic measures are taken to bar flies out of homes, stores and factories and to kill them whenever found, the battle against the pest will be useless.

The rules for dealing with the fly nuisance, as adopted by the movement, are as follows:

- Keep the flies away from the sick, especially those ill with contagious diseases. Kill every fly that strays into the sick room. His body is covered with disease germs.
- Do not allow decaying material of any sort to accumulate on or near your premises.
- All refuse which tends in any way to fermentation, such as bedding, straw, paper, waste and vegetable matter, should be disposed of or covered up with lime or kerosene oil.
- Screen all food whether in the house or exposed for sale.
- Keep all receptacles for garbage carefully covered and the cans cleaned or sprinkled with oil or lime.
- Keep all stable manure in vault or pit, screened or sprinkled.

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led with lime, oil or other cheap preparations, such as are sold by a number of reliable manufacturers.

See that your sewerage system is in good order; that it does not leak, is up-to-date and is not exposed to the flies.

Pour kerosene into the drains. Burn or bury all table refuse. Screen all windows and dining room.

If you see flies, you may be sure that their breeding place is in nearby fifth. It may be behind the door, under the table or in the cuspidor.

If there is no dirt and filth there will be no flies.

If there is a nuisance in the neighborhood, write at once to the health department. - Cleburn Review.

Ice! Ice!! Ice!!!
Buy coupon books and save 5 to 15 cents on 100 pounds on your ice. 46-1f

Wichita Dynamiting for Rain
Wichita Falls, Tex., May 29. - A fund was raised here this afternoon to purchase dynamite for rain making experiments and a sufficient supply of the explosive is coming in a special shipment from Dallas tonight, 6,000 pounds having been ordered. If it arrives in time the explosions will take place tomorrow afternoon north of this city. The dynamite will be set off in charges of half a pound each over a considerable section of country.

The outcome of the experiment is awaiting with much interest.

Attorney W. F. Schenck made a business trip to Amarillo Friday of last week.

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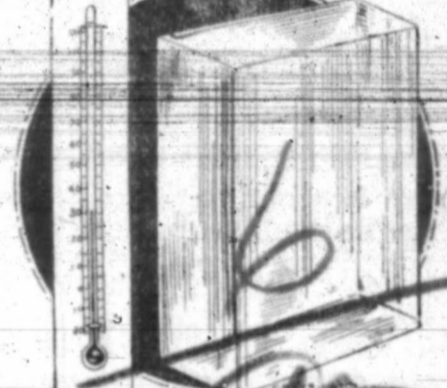
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Geo. M. Cosby, accompanied by his wife and baby returned Thursday of last week from a visit to Kaufman and other points in that section of the State.

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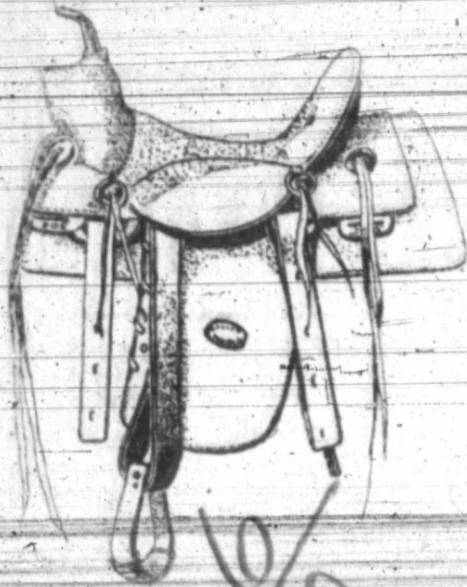
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Geo. M. Hunt visited his daughter, Mrs. Frank E. Wheeler, who is in the Sanitarium at Amarillo, Saturday and Sunday.



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If you are still skimming milk by the old-fashioned "setting" system you are losing about one pound of cream every four and you are not giving your cows a fair deal.

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Get a bottle at the Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Store and if it doesn't do all that you think it ought—if it doesn't make billious spells mere trifles—if it doesn't "live up your liver," your money will be waiting for you.

Frank E. White, candidate for Representative of the 122 District, visited Lubbock the latter part of last week, in the interest of his campaign. He is well pleased with the outlook for his election. He is receiving much encouragement from the voters of this district.

Notice

The Light Plant will be run Friday's of each week from now on till further notice. Users of Electric Irons please take notice. Lubbock Light and Ice Company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Judd spent Friday and Saturday in Amarillo.

AFTER MEXICAN VOTES

Colquitt Makes a Plea for Votes Through Pardoning Power Has He the Right?

Among the documents which are being circulated to boost the campaign of Governor Colquitt for re-nomination is an issue of "El Imparcial De Texas," of May 2nd, a paper printed in Spanish at San Antonio for circulation among the Mexicans of Texas. In this issue of that paper there appears on the front page a large four column cut of the Governor together with an article under the title "El Gobernador Colquitt" in which an appeal is made to the Mexicans of Texas to vote for Colquitt, and among the principal reasons given appears the following remarkable statement:

"In respect to our race, he has borne himself as no other Governor up to now, since there is no complaint which a Mexican puts before him which is not attended to with solicitude, and he has remembered the celebration of the 16th of September, anniversary of the Mexican independence, by giving liberty each year to twenty-five of our fellow men, who being prisoners have observed good conduct. Moreover, during his administration he has not given the occasion for a Mexican to go to the gallows, a common thing with the former Governors."

We have not investigated the truth of this statement, but as we have seen no denial, and as it is being used for campaign purposes among the Mexican voters of Texas we assume it correctly states the facts. Whether true or untrue, however, matters little. If untrue, it evidences an unpardonable appeal to the Mexican prejudices which would be even more reprehensible than the indiscriminate use of pardons for political purposes. If true, it shows the most unwarranted and palpable abuse of the pardoning power of which we have ever known. That Governor Colquitt was under great obligation to the Mexican voters of Texas for his election is no doubt true, and that without this vote his hopes for reelection would be futile is equally true. But that the Governor of a State should seek to discharge such a debt or seek the suffrage of this class by annually selecting from the penitentiaries of Texas twenty-five Mexican convicts sentenced to servitude for crimes committed against the people of his State, in order to enliven the

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festivities of a Mexican holiday, and have his friends boast of the fact that he had saved from the gallows men of any nationality whose right to live had been legally forfeited by the juries and courts of Texas upon conviction for crimes of murder, rape or robbery, seems almost unbelievable.

That there may be instances where Mexican convicts deserve to be pardoned we do not doubt, and for the proper exercise of the pardoning power in such cases we should be the last to criticize. But that the courts of Texas have so greatly erred as to justify the Governor of the State in "discriminately turning loose each year as a part of a Mexican holiday festival twenty-five Mexican criminals we cannot believe. Such an article may win votes for "El Gobernador Colquitt," from some of the pardoned convicts and their kind, but it will hardly obtain such results from the law abiding voters of Texas of any nationality.—Cleburne Times

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Summer Pruning Fruit Trees
A reader from Anderson county writes: "I failed to prune my peach trees during the winter and I want to summer prune them. Give me some general instructions that I may make a good job of it." There are so many things to be considered in pruning an orchard in summer time that it will be difficult for us to discuss them all. Each tree presents a different proposition and every tree must be considered individually. It is very important in pruning to obtain a well balanced tree. A tree is strong or weak in its ability to endure winds, ice storms, and heavy burdens of fruit according as the branches are well anchored to the main trunk. Main branches that are "bunched," or that come out so as to form V-shaped crotches should be avoided. An eminent authority says that trees grown in the nursery now are apt to have all their branches growing on two sides of the trunk and the leading branches turned sharply upright. Each individual tree is a problem according to its individual needs. As a general proposition, low-headed trees are preferable to the high-headed tree. The limbs should be so cut but that the space in the center be open for penetration of light and heat. Fruit must have light and heat to develop perfectly. The limbs around the trunk should be evenly dis-

tributed to give proper balance to the tree. A perfectly balanced tree is not so easily injured by ice or winds. Our reader must be reminded that summer pruning tends to promote fruit-bearing wood growth. Summer pruning should be undertaken with cautious care. It is not the best time to give form to a tree.

Announcements

- FOR DISTRICT JUDGE**
I hereby announce as a candidate to succeed myself as Judge of the 72nd judicial district subject to the action of the democratic primary July 27th 1912.
W. R. SPENCER
- FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK**
We are authorized to announce H. Wilson as a candidate for the office of county treasurer for Lubbock and attached counties subject to the action of the democratic primary.
- FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR**
We are authorized to announce Wilson as a candidate for the office of county and district surveyor for Lubbock and attached counties subject to the action of the democratic primary.
- FOR HIDE AND ANIMAL INSPECTOR**
We are authorized to announce the name of C. R. (Bob) Jasper as a date for the office of hide and animal inspector, Lubbock and attached counties.
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE**
We are authorized to announce Jno. R. McGee as a candidate for the office of county judge to succeed himself of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the July democratic primaries.
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**
We are authorized to announce E. R. Haynes as a candidate for county judge of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the democratic primary.
- FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR**
We are authorized to announce W. H. Flynn as a candidate for re-election to the office of sheriff and tax collector for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primary, in July, 1912.
- FOR TAX ASSESSOR**
We are authorized to announce J. H. (Hurd) Standerfer as a candidate for the office of tax assessor of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of democratic primaries of 1912.
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER**
We are authorized to announce S. C. Spikes as a candidate for the office of tax assessor for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primary, in 1912.
- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**
We are authorized to announce L. Knight as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace of precinct N of Lubbock county, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

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Amarillo Daily News.
W. L. McAdams of Hale
County spent a few days here
this week.

EMMA-CROSBYTON FIGHT
Supreme Court Judicial Justice
Dibrell Makes Extended
Reply.

hearing" filed by the County
Judge.

Austin, Tex., May 29.—Assoc-
iate Justice Dibrell in the Su-
preme Court today, answers
questions certified by the Ama-
rillo Court of Appeals in the in-
teresting fight over the location
of the county seat of Crosby-
ton County whether it shall be
Emma or Crosbyton. These
questions, in the case of John H.
Ralls et al. vs Pink L. Parrish
(County Judge) do not directly
decide the controversy, but are
for the guidance of the Appel-
late court.

The latter tribunal, in a
written opinion, hitherto re-
versed and rendered the cause,
holding Emma to be the county
seat "upon the theory that part
of the original town plat being
included in a circle described
within a five-mile radius from the
center as described by the last
certificate, and all of the origi-
nal town plat being included by
the first certificate is in either
event, within the meaning of
the law, within five miles of the
geographical center of the county;
and that Crosbyton having fail-
ed to receive two-thirds of the
votes cast necessary to remove a
county seat under such condi-
tions, was erroneously declared
by the County Judge to be the
county seat."

These are, in effect, the ques-
tions certified:

Does the original town plot of
Emma as it existed at the time
it became the county seat in 1891
constitute the county seat; and,
secondly, if as much as one-
fourth of the original town plot
of Emma is within the five-mile
radius from the county center,
as fixed by the last certificate,
but the court house and jail are
without the five-mile radius
from the county center, is the
county seat then situated within
five miles of the geographical
center, within the meaning of
statute, or is it more than five
miles from such center?

The Appellate Court explains
certification "in view of the great
interest involved and the ex-
tremely insistent motion for re-

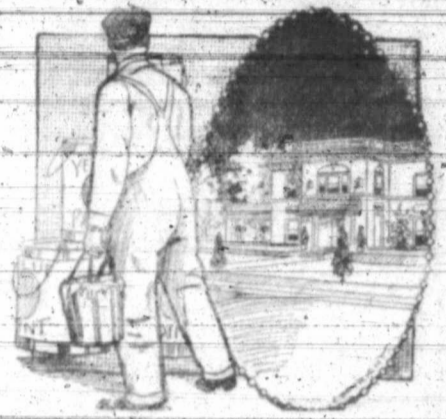
Depending on a negative an-
swer to the first query, the Ap-
pellate Court inquires also as to
the application of the fact that
the two certificates were made
out by different officials, the first
by the Land Commissioner and
the latter one by a draftsman in
the General Land Office. It is
inquired whether, since the sta-
tute requires the Commissioner
to determine such geographical
centers, etc., would a certificate
prepared by the draftsman be
valid?

Justice Dibrell answers the
first question negatively and
writes that the situs of an unin-
corporated town will not be con-
trolled by the platted area if
such town without reference to
the collection of inhabited houses,
which, together with the appur-
tenant area, constitute a town in
the ordinary signification of the
term. A town may be within
the meaning of the Constitution
and laws without being incorpo-
rated. The intention of the
voters to remove the county
seat originally from Estacado to
Emma must control.

As to the second query, it is
held that if any portion of the
town of Emma, as the town was
known and recognized at the
time of the proposed change of
county seat was voted on, is lo-
cated within the five-mile radius,
then the town in contemplation
of Art. 811 is within the radius.

The answer goes on to hold
that it is not necessary that the
Land Commissioner himself do
the manual labor incident to
certifying as to the geographical
center, but the labor may be
done by his employe or repre-
sentative and certificate issued
by the Commissioner.

"We regret that in answering
these questions it is impos-
sible to be more definite," Justice
Dibrell comments. "This re-
sults either from an existing
condition or from an imperfect
record. The certificate is silent
as to the condition of the town
of Emma prior to the filing of
the map and plat in October,
1891, and we are left in doubt as
to whether there was prior to
that time any plat of the town
showing that the streets and
area embraced within the town."



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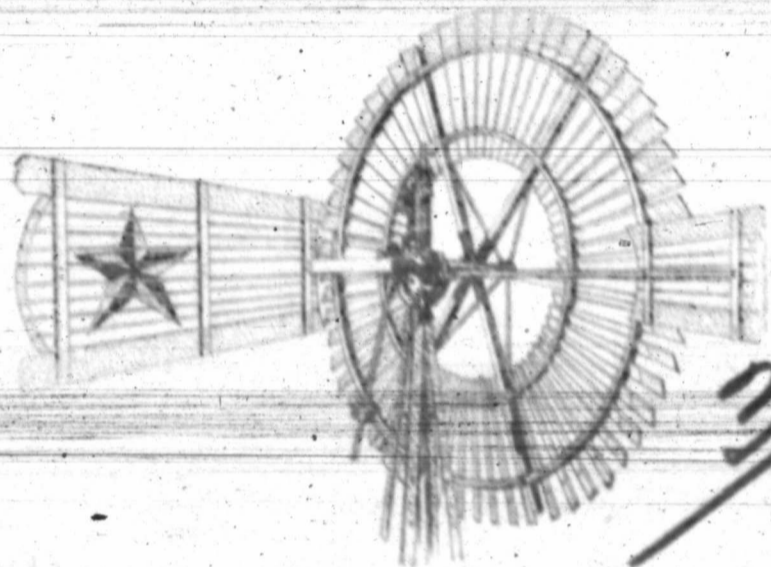
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ISSUE DEFICIENCY WARRANT

For Re-Building Agricultural and Mechanical College at College Station—No Special Session.

Austin, Texas June 3.—An emergency deficiency warrant will be issued to replace the burned main building of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. This announcement was made following a conference between Governor Colquitt and Walton Petzet, John L. Guion and Ed R. Kone, directors of the institution, and R. T. Miller, its President, today. Incidentally the Governor made it clear that he had no idea of calling the legislature together in extraordinary session to make the needed appropriation, as has been suggested in some quarters.

A special session of the legislature would cost at least one-third as much as the new building," said the Governor in this regard. "Then there is the probability that it would spend most of thirty days in considering other matters and that it might not even vote the appropriation at all.

It is the plans to have the banks of the State carry the proposed warrant for the cost of the main building as well as the deficiency warrant issued to replace the mess hall last winter.

AID IS PROMISED

Chairman Petzet of the Board of Directors announced during today's conference that the bankers of Fort Worth already had promised him to carry \$60,000 worth of the warrants and that the bankers of this city today promised he could count on cashing at least \$25,000 worth of the warrants here. Then Mr. Petzet said he had laid a proposition to place \$75,000 worth of the warrants with Houston financial institutions and that the Clearing House association of that city had promised to give him a definite answer in the matter within the next few days. Help is also expected from the bankers of Dallas, San Antonio, Galveston and other large cities of the State.

Gov. Colquitt will himself address a letter to the bankers of Dallas asking them to come to the state's aid in this effort to replace the burned college as soon as possible.

\$200,000 NEEDED

It is estimated of Chairman Petzet that at least \$200,000 will be needed to replace the

burned college building. However, he said he and his associates did not feel justified in asking for more than \$100,000 for the building itself, especially in view of the fact that the amount must be raised through a deficiency appropriation. Mr. Petzet and his associates will spend the ensuing week conferring with the leading bankers of the state on the plans for carrying the warrants. The board will meet at College Station again next Monday and then the matter will be brought to some definite shape. At this meeting the board will advise the governor of the result of its negotiations and the issuance of the warrants will follow.

Governor Colquitt made it plain today, however, that the rebuilding of the big hall does not hinge on the response of the bankers to the college board's call for aid. Instead, he announced to his conferees that he had another plan for replacing the building and that he felt confident of his ability to put it into execution if the bankers should, by any chance, be unable or unwilling to carry out the emergency warrants. He intimated that failure in the first plan would move him to an endeavor to negotiate a contract on a credit basis.

The paving around the capitol here was laid by this plan, it will be recalled, although in this instance the money has been appropriated but will not be available until September. Governor Colquitt feels that there are a number of contractors in Texas who are both able and willing to rebuild the A. & M. hall and await an appropriation, holding in the meantime of course the emergency warrants as security.

WORK TO BE RUSHED

It may be that the new building can be far enough along toward completion to warrant its partial occupancy with the beginning of the next school term. President Miller of the institution expressed such a hope while here today. It is the plan to have the work begin as soon as the plans can be designed and the funds raised.

The new building is to be fire proof in every detail. All were agreed on that. Gov. Colquitt, it might be incidentally mentioned, is anxious to see the cause of the fire which razed the main hall of the college ferreted out. He indicated his wish in this respect during the conference. State Fire Marshall English will leave for College Station tomorrow to assist in the further stages of the investigation.

Anniversary Celebration

Slaton, Texas, June 4, 1912.

To the Commercial Club and Citizens of Lubbock: Realizing that you are as much interested in the development of the South Plains, (the greatest agricultural section of the west,) as we are, and that Lubbock is one of the important towns of the great agricultural center looking forward to development and expansion of its varied resources, and believing that in unanimity of progressive spirit is the means by which great immigration movements are started for the permanent development of the South Plains.

We, the commercial club members and citizens of Slaton, invite you to participate in our anniversary and development anniversary on June 14-15th with the view that your city be well represented, and that a more binding and friendly feeling be established between Lubbock and Slaton.

This celebration will be of lasting good to you as well as ourselves, as it will be the means of turning the eyes of hundreds of people to the South Plains,

and their ultimate establishment of residence and cultivation of the soil.

We hope that you will send down a large delegation to represent Lubbock at this celebration.

Respectfully yours,
E. H. EDGELL,
Secretary Commercial Club.

Grain Elevator For Pampa

Pampa, Texas, June 3.—Work on a new grain elevator has begun in this city, which, when completed will be one of the finest structures of this kind in Texas. The building, while being erected especially to handle the enormous wheat crop in Gray county, is being so constructed that all kinds of grain can be handled at all times.

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