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GREAT AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

MORE FARMS ARE BEING OPENED IN LUBBOCK COUNTY AND GREATER ENERGY IS BEING EXERCISED IN FARMING

JOHN L. WORTHAM IMPROVING LARGE TRACT

He Will Move to This County and is Busy at This Time Letting Contracts and Otherwise Arranging for Putting up Several Buildings and Doing Much Other Improving East of Town

The daily papers recently announced that Jno. L. Wortham, who has been holding the office of State Secretary for some month had resigned and that he was going to turn his attention to his private affairs more closely, but it was not understood that he was coming to Lubbock to develop his holdings east of our town at that time.

However a few weeks have developed the fact that this is what he had in mind and he is in our city now and is as busy as any man could very well be, making arrangements for building several houses on his land. He has already let the contract for four or five, and will build others as soon as he can get at it.

He informs those who have asked for the information that he will move his family to this place and will make this his headquarters as well as his home.

He will bring a number of families with him, and his coming will mean a great deal to the development of the South Plains country. He believes that there is a great future in store for the Lubbock country, and he is going to do his part to bring about the much needed development.

The Avalanche is pleased to announce the coming of men like this to our country, for it means that there is going to be a revolutionization of the agricultural interests of the country, by putting to work many acres of land that has been lying idle for years.

This year a number of men have come here from other parts of the state and are actively engaged in putting in new farms and there is going to be something doing in Lubbock county this year. Just watch the Avalanche and see the developments. Then come to Lubbock.

PLOWS UP HUMAN BONES

A. R. Groves Finds Skeleton of Human While Plowing on His Father's Farm

A. R. Groves was in the city Saturday from the Groves farm northwest of town and had a box containing a number of pieces of bones and several teeth, which he says he dug out of the ground while plowing. He stated that when his plow point scraped over some rocks that were stuck in the ground edge ways, that it attracted his attention and upon closer examination found that the back bone of a skeleton was visible, and he began to dig about it and found the whole form, but when exposed to the air it crumbled like dirt. He found the skull and though he could not preserve it whole, he stated that it was intact and showed the skull of a human being in good form.

There is no idea advanced as to how long it has been buried there as Mr. Groves has been living in that community about 20 years and has been cultivating the farm on which it was found ten years.

In this issue of the Avalanche you will find on the third page a half page ad of the Shelby Dry Goods Company. This new store is enjoying a liberal patronage, and they are wanting to get acquainted with the people of our city. They want a share of your business, and are spending money freely for printer's ink in order to get themselves before you.

Old "Head" the faithful and efficient express horse of the Wells Fargo Express company at this place, is getting a month's vacation on full rations and fine grass on the side, beginning last week. The company makes it a rule to give each horse one month's vacation each year.

The many friends of J. R. King in this city and the Lubbock trade territory will be pleased to learn that he has adjusted matters with the creditors of the former Lubbock Drug Company, and has opened the store for business again.

Rice Glenn returned Tuesday from Waco, where he had been to attend the funeral of his father, Jno. A. Glenn, who was killed in an automobile accident last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell, last Friday, a girl.

A BIG RABBIT DRIVE

Cumberland Sunday School Will Have Day of Recreation May 20th—Public Invited

The Cumberland Sunday School of Lubbock takes an outing each year for the pleasure and recreation of the members. We have gone down the Canyon three years in succession. This time we have decided to change the program. We have arranged to have a big rabbit drive. Arrangements have been made for the wire for pens, and the necessary wings for enclosing them. Also privilege on six to eight sections of adjoining land has been obtained. Arrangements further have been made that the rabbit scalps shall be marketed by a committee of the Sunday school and the proceeds go to the Sunday school, a part or all of which may be needed to pay the necessary expenses of preparations.

We have opened the invitation for assistance to the whole public. A system of officers will be appointed to marshal the drive, and any and everybody will be welcomed to enter who is willing to be orderly and participate in the drive as you may be selected and directed by the officers and managers of the occasion.

Arrangements have also been made to have some photographic views made during the hunt.

You will be expected to bring dinner and a water supply and to leave your dogs and guns at home.

Come on horseback if convenient.

The crowd will meet at the residence of Mr. Osborn, six miles south of Lubbock, at 9 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, May 20th, 1913. Everybody come, bring dinner, have a good time and see something you never witnessed before.

J. L. ELLIOTT,
E. P. EARHART,
GEO. L. DAVIS,
Committee.

J. L. Caldwell has introduced into this community a new breed of chickens that is entirely new and is quite a curiosity. He sent north for a setting of eggs, and he succeeded in getting about one third of the eggs to hatch. They are known as "Polish" and have heavy top-knots in place of a comb as the most of chickens have. He says he is going to take some blue ribbons this year, and we are quite sure that he will have a good showing so far as peculiarity of breed is concerned to say the least of it.

We are requested to announce that there will be a meeting of the Lubbock County Sunday School Association at the tabernacle on the afternoon of the fourth Sunday in this month, for the purpose of electing new officers, and a good attendance is desired of all the Sunday School workers in the city and county.

Roy Latimore, editor of the Hale Center Livewire, was a member of the troupe that put on the play for the benefit of the Eastern Star piano fund Monday night. While in the city he was a pleasant caller at this office.

Walter Canon and family who have been residing in Big Springs the past year have moved back to their home near Slide and will remain there during this year. They were here Sunday the guests of J. S. Slover and family.

The Santa Fe pay car was here Monday and gladdened the hearts of the employes of the road at this point by leaving behind pay checks for the past month's services.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dulan, were among those who were here from Hale Center Monday night to present the play entitled, "Those Dreadful Twins."

Miss Beatrice Hubbard of Slide has been visiting at the home of J. S. Slover this week. She will return home Saturday.

Mrs. Lon Holleyman, left Tuesday morning for Plainview, where she will visit for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Sears was here from Hale Center Monday and assisted in the play at the opera house Monday night.

Born Tuesday morning a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

LEE GOOD DIED WEDNESDAY

Sixteen Year Old Son of W. A. Good Succumbs to Operation for Appendicitis

Last Wednesday morning at the Lubbock Sanatorium, Lee Good died from appendicitis, after having been operated on the night before.

Deceased was born in Coke county and had resided there most all his life. He came to this place on the 7th of April and began work for Milton Good, on his ranch near this place, and was at the time stricken with the disease that caused his death, working at the same place.

He was brought to town and placed in the Sanatorium as soon as possible and was operated on as the only relief for the disease, and died at about 10:00 o'clock the next day.

His parents who reside in Coke county were notified, and the father came, and was present at the time of the son's death but his mother did not arrive till Wednesday on the forenoon train, too late to see her son alive.

The remains were taken in charge by Robinson's undertaking establishment, and prepared for shipment to the home of the young man's parents, at Bronte, where interment will take place. A number of relatives of the family reside in and around Lubbock, and their friends greatly sympathize with them in the great sorrow that they are called upon to endure.

Shot Through Window

During Monday night some time some one sent a bullet through the front plate glass in the Wells Fargo Express office, which left quite a hole in its path. It seems to be a mystery as no one is found who heard a shot fired, and the occurrence cannot be accounted for in a feasible manner.

J. H. George, formerly of Gomez, now of Warren New Mexico, was in the city Tuesday and loaded his wagons with lumber and building material with which to improve his property in New Mexico. He has just recently disposed of his property near Gomez.

Mrs. C. W. Mallard left Tuesday for Plainview where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hatley for a few days and will go from there to Lockney and Floydada, and spend some time with relatives at those places.

J. C. Duff arrived with his family Tuesday morning. He has been here several weeks and went down to Bangs last week to assist his family in moving to this place. Mr. Duff is a member of the firm of Taylor and Duff.

Mrs. W. M. Lane left this afternoon for Hico, where she will visit a few days and will then go to other points in that section, and will be absent about a month.

Prof. A. G. Harrison, who has been principal in the Gomez school the past week, was here Tuesday. His school has closed for the term, but he will teach at that place again this year.

Claude Gill who is with the J. M. Radford Grocery Company, at Abilene, was here this week looking after business matters pertaining to that Company.

Miss Florence Earnest of Plains, was here Tuesday and was a guest at the Howard Hotel while in the city.

Miss Ruth Hudson came over Tuesday from Plains, and was stopping at the Howard Hotel several days this week.

S. R. Merrill was down from Abernathy the first of the week looking after business matters and visiting relatives.

Barney Johnston, of Crosbyton was in the city the first of this week looking after business matters.

Miss Kate Reagan, of Canyon, was in the city Friday and was a guest at the Nicolett Hotel while here.

H. A. Tandy, and wife of Plains were here the first of the week.

Cook Seabold, of Plains was here this week transacting business with our merchants.

GOOD PROGRESS WITH BRICKS

WHEELLOCK BUILDING AND THE THREE STORES OF R. H. LOWREY ARE GOING UP RAPIDLY

MUCH IMPROVEMENT IS ON ALL OVER TOWN

Sidewalk Building is Moving Along in Good Shape. Grading is Doing Considerable Surveying With View to Grading Streets and Draining the Water Off the Square

Contractor Goodrum is pushing the work on the two brick business houses now under construction, and the progress being made is most satisfactory to the owners of the buildings.

Little delay is expected, though there is quite a lot of material yet to arrive, and the work will likely be completed well within the time set out in the contracts.

Both these buildings will be a great improvement to the town, and the tenants that have already secured them are anxiously waiting the announcement that they can move their stocks into them.

Willmerring & Company are going right along with their new cement sidewalks, and are turning out the usual high class work.

The city is having considerable surveying done, and grade levels ascertained so that the city can begin on the much needed street work. They will cut some more drainage ditches that will serve very materially to get the water off the square and away from the business section of the city.

Many other improvements are going on in the town. New residence buildings are being erected and old ones remodeled and added to, and the painter and paper hangers are shining up some of the old buildings till they are looking like new ones. Things are moving in Lubbock, and if you want to see a real live one, come to Lubbock.

Stock Movements.

Wolffarth Brothers this week delivered at this place 130 head of full blood Hereford cows to J. M. Bassett of Crosbyton.

Kokernot shipped about 1000 four year old steers to Kansas pastures this week, being a balance of 5000 head that they have shipped out this spring.

R. M. Clayton shipped from Post City, Monday a remnant of steers to Kansas pastures.

Ellwood & Arnett received five cars of steers and cows from Colorado the first of the week, that they will place on pasture in this county.

Bob Lemond and J. H. Reed passed through Lubbock Wednesday with 1000 two-year old steers that they recently purchased of L. Lumsden, of Lynn county, and were taking them to Hale county pastures.

Wolffarth & Lee will deliver today to Joe. Powell 300 cows and calves which are all high grade stuff.

Uncle T. Martin was circulating a subscription list to purchase himself a new invalid chair this week, and he informed us that he had raised the necessary fund, and that the order has gone forward for his new wagon. He has been using the one he is now chauffeur for, about four years and it is about ready for the junk pile, to which place he hopes to tenderly deposit it within a few weeks.

Mrs. Mary Kenzie of Olusta, Okla., grandmother of Mrs. H. N. Smith arrived Wednesday morning coming over the Santa Fe on the northbound train, and will visit at the Smith home southwest of town. She was accompanied by Bryan and Leonard Havens, of Coleman, who will reside at this place in the future.

J. C. Cope, of Palestine, Texas, who was at one time a citizen of this city, and who owns half interest in the building now occupied by the W. E. Robinson, came in Monday and was renewing his acquaintance with Lubbock people.

John L. Wortham will go to Austin the latter part of this week to wind up affairs with the State Department as State Secretary, and will make arrangements to move his family to this place where he will make his future home.

R. B. Shaw, of Abernathy, was in the city Monday, and reports everything in good condition in his neighborhood.

The regular Sunday School services will be held at the Baptist church during the absence of the pastor.

J. H. Brown, was over from Lovington the first of the week.

Felix Herbert, of Clovis was here Monday.

M. J. Riggs, of Post was in the city Monday.

J. R. King returned from a business trip to the central part of the state, Monday.

A. M. Hensley made a business trip to Crosbyton Monday afternoon.

Deputy Sheriff Mathis, of Crosbyton was over on official business Tuesday of this week.

R. J. Murray, Mayor of Slaton, was in the city the first of the week transacting business.

A. C. Smith, of Storm Lake, Iowa, was a Lubbock visitor Monday.

W. E. McLaughlin, banker of Ralls was here Sunday and left for the east via Sweetwater.

Jno. R. Ralls, founder of the town of Ralls, in Crosby county, was here Sunday.

W. L. Sherrod, of Spur was transacting business in our city Tuesday of this week.

H. L. Kokernot, of San Antonio, came in Monday to look after his extensive ranch interests in this section of the country.

Mrs. G. S. Murphy, formerly of this city, now of Amarillo, is visiting friends here this week, arriving Monday afternoon.

J. S. Edwards, President of The State Bank of Slaton, was a Lubbock visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. W. N. Claxton, of Hale Center, was here Monday and pleased the audience at the opera house Monday night by her splendid vocal selections.

W. S. Clark has rented the Mobley old place north of the square now the property of J. C. Phillips, and has moved into the house this week. L. W. Lowe takes charge of the Neil Boarding House.

O. G. Roquemore, of Amarillo, was in the city Wednesday enroute home from Crosbyton, where he had been to lay plans before the Commissioner's Court of Crosby county, for their new court house.

A. M. Hensley has closed a contract with Jno. L. Wortham to build a commissary on his farm east of town. Mr. Wortham is going to do quite a bit of improving on his property in various ways, and is letting contracts to local men entirely, which is very beneficial to the community.

GREAT DIVIDEND SALE

\$100 IN CASH RETURNED TO CUSTOMERS DURING THIS SALE
At Wheelock's Dress Shop

**\$100.00 Cash
For Customers**

Gloves

Chamoisette Gloves, 16-button length, positively worth 75c, Dividend Sale price while they last **59c**
 Chamoisette Gloves, 2-button length, same quality as above, while they last **29c**
 Silk Gloves, 16-button length, both white and black, splendid values, 1.50 pair, during this great Dividend Sale go at **1.29**

We have a fine assortment of "Gold Medal" Muslin Underwear which includes gowns, combination garments, princess slips, corset covers, skirts and pants—all go during this sale at Dividend Sale prices, which will be 25 per cent cheaper than this grade of goods can be bought any other place on earth.

Ladies' Knit Combination Suits, regular 40c quality, Dividend Sale price **29c**
 75c quality, Dividend Sale price **63c**
 Ladies' "Comfy Cut" Vests with can't slip straps, most comfortable vests on the market, positively worth 40c, Dividend Sale price **29c**
 A good vest—splendid 15c value, Dividend Sale price **9c**
 A fine line of Wash House Dresses, 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00 values going in this great Dividend Sale at **89c**
 Summer Dressing Sacks positively worth 75c, beautiful designs and colorings, Dividend Sale price **49c**
 Crepe Kimonos, long, positively worth 1.75, Dividend Sale price **1.39**

All One-Piece Dresses 25 per cent Discount from regular price.

All Dress Skirts 25 per cent Discount from regular price.

We have only a few items priced in this bulletin, but all are on prominent display, marked in plain figures—figures that are startling. **DON'T WAIT—DON'T DELAY.** Remember each item priced is good until sold out. We cannot promise to duplicate these values.

When You See the Great Canvas Signs Enter.

Millinery

Trimmed Hats Must go

Trimmed hats positively worth 4.00 Dividend Sale price **2.25**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 5.00 Dividend Sale price **2.75**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 6.00 Dividend Sale price **3.50**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 7.00 Dividend Sale price **3.75**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 8.00 Dividend Sale price **4.50**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 9.00 Dividend Sale price **5.00**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 10.00 Dividend Sale price **5.50**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 12.00 Dividend Sale price **6.75**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 15.00 Dividend Sale price **8.50**
 Trimmed hats positively worth 16.00 Dividend Sale price **9.00**

Don't miss this opportunity to get your choice of nice new up-to-date stock. No trimmed hats reserved.

Don't fail to read this circular--This means **YOU. SOMETHING UNUSUAL, EXTRA-ORDINARY, ENTIRELY NEW.**

Our Store must continue to grow and so we are determined to make this month the largest of any previous month during our business record in Lubbock, and with that object in view we are going to return to our customers **ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN CASH** on a plan that is entirely new and original, and will, we are sure, be appreciated by the buying public.

Read the Plan--Think What it Means, And Come to the Most Remarkable Sale Ever Held in Lubbock.

Our reputation for selling goods at bottom prices, quality considered, shall be maintained, and especially during this sale we are going to make prices that will pay you to anticipate your requirements for several months on anything you will need in Suits, Coats, One Piece Dresses, Skirts, Spring Coats, Corsets, Hosiery, Gloves, Veils, Umbrellas, Parasols, Underwear, Kimonos, Petticoats, Linen Coats, White Dress Skirts, Hats and everything in Ladies' Wear. We know the buying will be fast from the very first day to the last hour of the last day of this most unique sale, **WHERE THE CUSTOMER IS PARTNER IN THE PROFITS.**

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, AT 9-A. M.
CLOSING MONDAY, JUNE 2, AT 9 P. M.

Just 17 Selling Days. Just 17 Days of Under-Price Selling. Just 17 Days of Stock Reducing. Just 17 Days We Reduce Our Profits and Pay a Dividend Back to our Customers.

WE ARE GOING TO GIVE THE \$100.00 CASH TO THE PEOPLE WHO TRADE WITH US MOST DURING THE TIME, AND HAVE DIVIDED IT INTO TWELVE PARTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1st. To the customer paying us the most money on goods purchased during this sale, we give cash **\$25.00**
- 2nd. To the second largest customer we give cash **\$15.00**
- 3rd. To the third largest customer we give cash **\$12.50**
- 4th. To the customer buying and paying for the most in one day we give cash **\$12.50**
- 5th. To the second customer buying and paying for the largest bill in one day we give cash **\$10.00**
- 6th. To the fourth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$7.50**
- 7th. To the fifth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$5.00**
- 8th. To the sixth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$3.00**
- 9th. To the seventh largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$2.50**
- 10th. To the eighth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$2.50**
- 11th. To the ninth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$2.50**
- 12th. To the tenth largest customer during the sale we give cash **\$2.00**

Making a grand total of 12 presents or dividends amounting to **\$100.00**

This sounds big, and it is, but we want to do big things and by your help we can. When you take into consideration the fact that an increase of \$2,000.00 in our sales during this month means a profit of \$200.00 to us (over the amount they otherwise would be) if we make only 1c on each dime sold, and gives us \$100.00 net profit with a total of \$1,900.00 net cash receipts to use in discounting our bills June 1st, which we think

FULLY EXPLAINS WHY WE CAN MAKE THIS STUPENDOUS OFFER.

We will have plenty of blank tickets to be filled in when you pay in money, and we will ask you to be sure to get a ticket and have the clerk fill in the amount and see that it is deposited in a box which we will have handy for that purpose. Getting the first does not bar you from winning the fourth or even the fifth dividend, as you will note they are for the largest bills in one day.

The contest closes Monday night, June 2nd, and as soon thereafter as possible we will tabulate the result and the winners will receive their money, and in case they should change their address they should notify us so that we can send the money to them.

REMEMBER, that while the largest buyers get the money, it is so divided that many of the smaller buyers will also receive something, so be sure to have all of your purchases registered and turned in to your credit.

We positively guarantee to sell you goods as low as they can be sold by anyone, quality considered. Don't miss this opportunity.

WHEELOCK'S DRESS SHOP, LUBBOCK
"THE LADIES' STORE"

**\$100.00 Cash
For Customers**

Nothing reserved in this great Dividend Sale.

HOSE

Tan Silk Boot Hose, positively worth 40c, Dividend Sale price **19c**
 Nice quality black Hose, smooth, even weave, positively worth 15c, Dividend Sale price **9c**
 Fine Lisle Gauze Black Hose, positively worth 25c, Dividend Sale price **19c**
 Large stock of Silk and Lisle Hose, black and colors, all go at Dividend Sale Prices.

Bargains

The Store will be thronged daily with purchasers of these irresistible Tremendous Bargains at prices that will astonish you.

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LUBBOCK'S NEW DRY GOODS STORE

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

We carry a complete line of Dry Goods, Notions, Men's and Women's Furnishings, Shoes, and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear. We are glad to show you our Merchandise at all times.

<p>SHOES</p> <p>For Men, Women and Children—all styles—all leathers. We carry "Star Brand" "Friedman-Shelby" and others. Let us fit you the next time.</p>	<p>Ladies' Ready-to-Wear</p> <p>We have the season's newest styles and materials in Ladies' Dresses. These are reasonably priced. Let us show them to you.</p> <p>Gingham Dresses from \$1.25 to \$3.50</p>	<p>DRY GOODS</p> <p>Our stock of Dry Goods is complete. New patterns in Summer Wash Silks, Gingham, Percales, Madris, Voiles, Linens and Lawns.</p>
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<p>Ladies' Wool Skirts</p> <p>New Spring and Summer Styles. Also Summer Wash Skirts in Linen and Pique. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$2.50.</p>	<p>LADIES' TAILORED AND EMBROIDERED WAISTS. PRICED FROM \$1.00 TO \$3.50.</p> <p>WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE JACKSON CORSET</p>	<p>Children's White Dresses</p> <p>From \$1.00 to \$4.50. A few Gingham at 50 and 75c.</p> <p>Hosiery for Men, Women and Children</p>
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<p>Laces And Embroideries—All Kinds. Men's and Women's Summer Underwear.</p>	<p>We Are Glad to Show You at All Times—Make Our Store Your Place to Shop.</p>
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<p>YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK.</p>	<p>SHELBY DRY GOODS CO.</p> <p>THE PLACE TO BUY SHOES</p>	<p>YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK.</p>
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Special Master Commissioner's Sale

The United States District Court, Northern District of Texas, Amarillo Division.

Whereas, on the 22nd day of April, A. D., 1913, in cause No. 92 in equity, wherein Caroline K. Craig is plaintiff, and J. J. Dillard, et al., are defendants, the said Caroline K. Craig recovered a judgment against the said J. J. Dillard, for the sum of Thirty Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-four and 10/100 (\$30,454.10) dollars, with eight per cent interest per annum from said date, and costs of suit, and a foreclosure of the vendor's lien on the hereinafter described property as against J. J. Dillard, A. M. Clayton, Elizabeth Robertson, E. P. Rump, E. B. Penney, W. B. Powell, Scott Wolfarth, R. Q. Pierce, R. E. Penney, J. T. Bullock, G. C. Lane, R. I. Tubbs, Cora L. Tubbs, R. C. Buras, J. F. Merritt, W. L. Handley, Albert Taylor, E. B. Green, W. H. Lewis, J. L. Dow, C. D. Lester, J. A. Wilson, J. Harvey Moore, C. W. Holt, C. C. Boyd, W. S. Posey, O. L. Slaton, J. C. Roberts, M. C. Overton, W. A. Marshall, Morrow-Thomas Hardware Company, a corporation, The First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, a corporation, Chas. L. Pickett, R. Brown and John G. Taylor, and.

Whereas, on the 5th day of May, A. D., 1913, an order of sale issued out of said court, directing me, the said special Master Commissioner, to sell the hereinafter described property at public outcry at the court house door of Lubbock county, Texas, after having first advertised same for sale once each week for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper published and circulating in Lubbock county, Texas. Said premises to be sold to the highest secure bidder for cash, on the first Tuesday in any month after advertising as aforesaid and said sale to be made between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.; provided the Plaintiff in this cause shall have the right to bid on said property and credit her bid on the judgment for any amount up to and including the amount of the judgment, interest and costs, but in such event said plaintiff shall pay in cash an amount equal to at least five per cent of such bid, to cover the costs of this proceeding and of the expenses of sale hereunder.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said decree and the order of sale issued out of said honorable district court of the United States for the northern district of Texas, on the 5th day of May, A. D.,

1913 by the clerk thereof in the said case of Caroline K. Craig, plaintiff versus J. J. Dillard, et al., defendants, No. 92 in Equity, and to me as Special Master Commissioner directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law and in said decree set out, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D., 1913, it being the 3rd day of said month, before the court house door of said Lubbock county, in the city of Lubbock, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

Survey No. 1, block E, 2, on the waters of North Fork a tributary of Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, about two miles west from the mouth of Yellow House Creek, by virtue of land scrip, No. 61, issued to Brooks & Burleson, by the Commissioner of the General Land Office January 19th, 1875, and the interest of the said Brooks transferred to Jas. Burleson on January 26th, 1875 and by the said Burleson transferred to Caroline K. Craig on February 26th, 1876, same being situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and being described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a stake, the N. E. corner of survey No. 2, block O, and S. W. corner of survey No. 19, block A, for the N. E. corner of this survey; Thence, south, 1900.8 varas to a stake, N. W. corner of survey 9, block B, for the southeast corner of this survey;

Thence, west, 1900.8 varas to a stake and mound for southwest corner of this survey;

Thence, north 1900.8 varas to a stake, the northwest corner of this survey;

Thence, east 1900.8 varas to the place of beginning; 640 acres, being the same land granted to Caroline K. Craig by the State of Texas on November 18th, 1878.

Except the following tracts:

(a) The northwest one-fourth (1-4) of the southeast one-fourth (1-4) (40 acres) of said survey 1, now, belonging to J. C. Roberts;

(b) The northeast one-fourth (1-4) of the southeast one-fourth (1-4) (40 acres) of said survey 1, and

(c) The northwest one-fourth (1-4) of the northeast one-fourth (1-4) of the southwest one-fourth (1-4) (ten acres) of said survey 1, now belonging to E. P. Rump.

As to each of said last three mentioned tracts, aggregating ninety acres out of said section, the plaintiff, Caroline K. Craig, has heretofore executed releases to J. J. Dillard, his heirs and assigns and plaintiff is not entitled to foreclosure as to same.

Said property levied on this the 6th

day of May, 1913, as the property of J. J. Dillard and the other defendants herein before mentioned, to satisfy a judgment and decree amounting to \$30,454.10 in favor of Caroline K. Craig, and costs of suit, and a foreclosure of the vendor's lien, against all of said defendants.

Given under my hand this the 6th day of May, A. D., 1913:

ROLLE H. SCALES,
Special Master Commissioner named in said Decree and Order of Sale. 44 ft

No Baby Show For Him

The Soliloquies of an old bachelor, who was asked to act as a judge at a baby show, but refused.

My family for generations back are noted for their daring bravery. Nothing was ever too fierce for my forefathers to face without fear or favor. There was my great grandfather who fought in the Revolutionary war; who crossed the Delaware at Trenton with Washington, on that cold and icy night of December 25, 1776. Suffering from cold and fatigue of a long and strenuous march and the loss of sleep, went into battle the next morning, and fulfilled his duties as a brave soldier without trembling and without fear, midst the shot and shell from the British troops. Look at grandfather, who, when the couriers came running through the country where he lived in Texas, telling the Texans that the Mexicans had demanded the surrender of the cannon at Gonzales, how he dropped his plow and seized his musket and hurried to Gonzales and helped to defeat the Mexicans and drive them out. And too, look how he with comrades under Gen. Houston, only eight hundred Texans in all, met Santa Anna and his some two thousand men. How they fought so furiously and put the Mexicans to flight.

There was dear old father too, who took part in the Civil war,

and was in the memorial battle of Bull Run under Stonewall Jackson. Fearless as a lion was he. And I took after my father. Never did the bronco get too wild for me to rope, saddle and mount. I have ridden them that would kick and fight like a hyena when the rope was thrown on them. I have been out in the

wild and wooly west, down on the Gaudalupe River, miles from any settlements, and lie down at night all alone when I could hear the howl of the coyote wolf and the scream of the panther, which seemed only a short distance away, undisturbed and without any fear whatever, go to sleep. I have taken delight in entering the great caves on the Llano where there were numerous rattlesnakes, and enter into combat with the fierce catamount, which had to fight for its life, and have come out without a scratch. I'll go with you to help put under arrest the most desperate of desperadoes. I'll go when duty calls, to help put under control the most furious of rioters, I'll be banged if I'll be a judge at a baby show. I'll go with you into the jungles and capture the fiercest of wild beasts. I'll go if necessary and join the forces of Caranza, the constitutionalist of Mexico, and take my place alongside the Yaqui Indians and face the cannon of the Huerta forces,

with nothing in the way of compliments of warfare but a pop gun, but I'll be durned if I'll act as judge in a baby show. Not me. Ugh-uh! Its too sudden.

A YOUNG SHEEP.

C. E. Millican, of Fort Worth, was in the city Monday.

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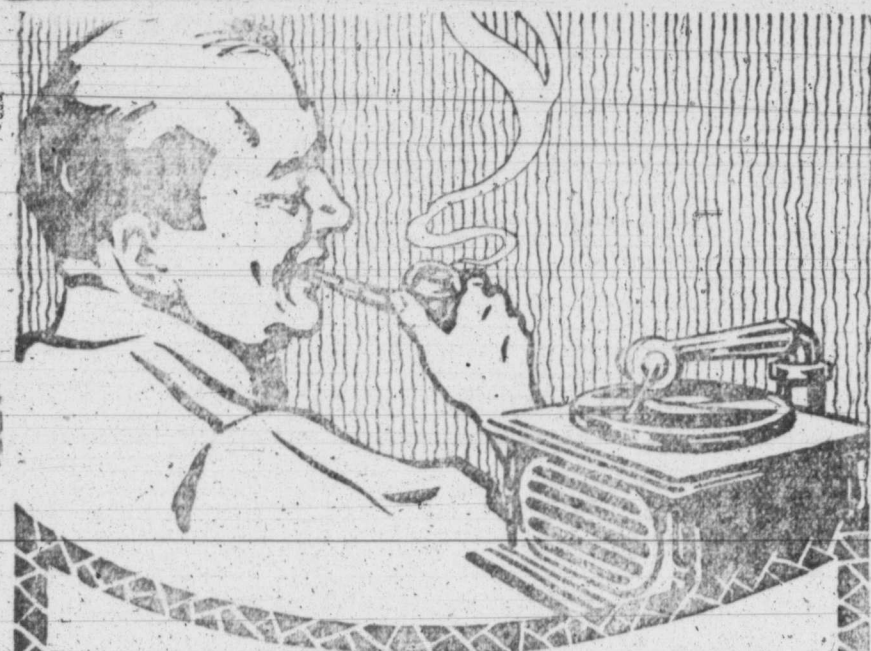
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THE SOIL MULCH

Texas Industrial Congress Issues Bulletin to Contestants. Subject: Soil Mulch.

After a crop has been planted on well-prepared soil the chief consideration in keeping it growing is the conservation of moisture. Proper efforts to prevent loss of the moisture that has been stored in the ground and in saving that that comes to the soil during the growth of the plant accomplish all that is necessary towards good cultivation. The two ways in which the moisture escapes from the soil during dry weather is by being pumped through the plant and by evaporation from the surface of the soil. When it escapes through the plant it is performing its legitimate function and before escaping in this way has supplied the plant with what food it contains, but when moisture escapes through the surface soil it is a dead loss and the plants cannot derive any benefit therefrom. When the crop is small there is generally an abundance of moisture in the soil and the more moisture present the more rapid is the evaporation. As the soil dries out it becomes harder for the atmosphere to wring moisture from them. The earth, seeming to appreciate the importance of this subject, holds on to it harder and harder as it grows less. About the only practical way of preventing or lessening this loss by evaporation is by keeping a covering of loose soil over the whole surface of the land. This layer of loose, freshly stirred soil acts as a sponge, to drink up and hold the moisture that is brought up by the capillary tubes. It should be remembered, however, that this is only a temporary action of loose soil, and if left undisturbed sooner or later the capillary tubes will be continued through the loose soil to the surface and then the loss of moisture goes merrily on. The length of time that is required for the re-establishment of these tubes to the surface varies somewhat with the soil but is pretty well completed in all soils by the end of a week or ten days. If a shower of rain intervenes then it is established immediately. So to save the maximum amount of moisture it is well to make it a rule to stir the soil at least every ten days in the absence of rain and immediately succeeding a shower as promptly as the condition of the soil will permit. The best depth at which to maintain this soil mulch varies somewhat with the soil and climatic conditions. In coarse grained soils end in the dryer sections it should be several times as deep as in other soils or sections. Remember also that the finer the soil particles of the mulch are, the more effective it will be; so every effort should be made to destroy even the smallest clods. The constant stirring of the soil to maintain this mulch will, of course prevent the formation of the roots of the plants within this area and so force a deeper root development. Sometimes it is the practice to maintain a shallow mulch in the early part of the season when moisture is abundant and to deepen it later on in the season as the moisture becomes scarce. This method is bad, as it is manifestly impossible to follow it without destroying the roots of the plants. Learn the maximum depth that is necessary for the mulch to prevent evaporation during the driest weather and establish and maintain this depth from

the very beginning of cultivation. By so doing the roots are already established deep down in the soil beyond the danger of injury and where they are assured of a maximum supply of moisture. This deep mulch does not mean deep cultivation. A three inch mulch or, in exceptional conditions, one of four inches, will be as deep as is ever necessary. What we wish to guard against is simply scratching the surface of the soil in the early stages of the plant life and then having to establish a mulch so much deeper that it is bound to destroy roots. With the mulch properly established and maintained from the beginning there will be no reason for the practice that is prevalent in some sections of cultivating only every other middle at a time. The reason given for this is that by so doing the roots of the plants are disturbed on but one side at a time, but the deep mulch from the beginning obviates this. Then every other middle cultivation only half does the job and, while evaporation is checked from the middle that has been stirred it really goes on more rapidly from the one that has been disturbed. To be most effective the mulch should be established and maintained over the whole surface. The dryer the weather the more important it is to keep the surface as flat as possible, as ridges serve to expose a greater surface to the evaporation effect of the sun and air. Keep the soil as nearly level as possible and constantly stirred to the correct depth from the beginning and with the amount of rain that most sections have enjoyed this winter and spring there should be very little complaint about dry weather this season.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS, Dallas, Texas.

Notice

Charlie Pierce has a thorough bred Jersey bull at his pen; Reynolds old stand. For service of the public. 45 tr

The Godly Shall Prosper

Pastor Hunt of the Methodist church says he has been trying for two years to get the people to put their faith in the Lord and go ahead to build a new church and now that they have done so, the seasons are coming just right. Snyder Signal.

W. E. Johnson, of Hollis, Okla., who has been working for L. O. Burford for some time left Saturday for his old home.

Geo. Nealey, an old friend of W. B. Powell spent several days here last week, and was the guest of Mr. Powell while here.

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Grade Work Finished
Contractor, Walter H. Denison, has all the grade on the Coleman Cut-off completed between this point and Lubbock and all the sub-contractors under him have decamped and shipped out. The commissary will close this week and the office force will disband Saturday. The track laying on the Cut-off, we understand is progressing nicely, there being already about 25 miles of the road completed. Texline Tribune.

Mrs. E. E. Wofford is visiting her parents in Abernathy this week.

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Funeral of J. A. Glenn, Waco, Tex., May 5. The funeral of John A. Glenn, killed in an automobile accident a few miles north of here, yesterday afternoon, will take place tomorrow afternoon. Rev. F. C. McConnell, pastor of the First Baptist church, Waco, will officiate at the residence, and the Masons will be in charge at the grave. The list of active and honorary pall bearers include representative business and professional men of this city, Mount Calm and West.

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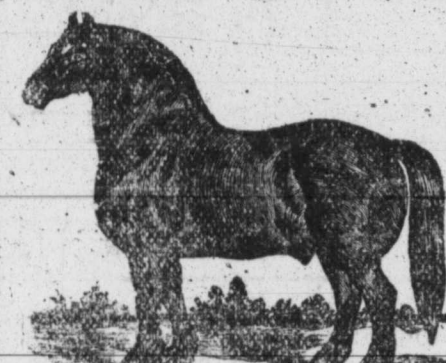
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This handsome Percheron Stallion was bred and raised in France and imported in 1904. He is a beautiful dark brown, 10 years old, 16 hands high and weighs about 1700 pounds, in good flesh. He is pronounced by many "the best Percheron horse in Northwest Texas." See him before you breed and be your own judge. Terms \$16 to insure colt, money due when colt stands and sucks.

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Blood bay, black mane and tail, 16 1-2 hands, coming four year old. Sired by Zola Rex No. 2349, Standard and Registered, bred by Col. Henry Exall, of Dallas. Dean's dam was from registered sire and dam. Terms: \$12.50 to insure colt. Money due when colt stands and sucks.

TONY H.

This Jack was bred and raised in Kentucky. He is black with white points about 15 hands high. This is the McGee Jack. Terms \$10.00 to insure colt. Money due when colt stands and sucks.

Any mare bred to the above stock if traded or transferred before foaling time, money is due. All care is taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Mares pastured at 60c per head per month.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS



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Raise Chickens.

At the present rate that chickens are selling, there is no question that the chicken industry of this South Plains country is going to become one of the most profitable. Chickens, in fact poultry of every description do well in this climate. The health of poultry is good, and it is an easy matter to raise chickens and turkeys in large numbers.

The demand is heavy and great numbers are being shipped out of here every day. The farmer that does not raise a big lot of chickens this year is going to be minus a big roll of easy money that he might as well have had. Raise Chickens!

Rural Route Mail Boxes

I can furnish them and at reasonable prices. See me before buying. The kind I sell are approved by the Government. City Plumbing and Sheet Metal Works. 44 tf

Mrs. C. L. Adams and little child left Saturday for central Texas. They will be absent several weeks visiting relatives at various points in that part of the state.

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Sylvan Sanders who is now making his home in Amarillo, and who visited his parents at this place Saturday and Sunday, returned to Amarillo, Monday forenoon.

J. L. Higginbotham, was here from the ranch the early part of this week looking after business matters.

H. T. Kimbro, of the realty firm of Kimbro & Parks, made a business trip to Amarillo the first of the week.

C. D. Lester, cashier of the First National Bank has been confined to his room this week, nursing a severe case of mumps.

Bradley Auto Company have recently delivered Ford cars to Sheriff Flynn of this city and Jim McPhaul of Brownfield.

EPISCOPALS WILL BUILD

Have Necessary Funds Subscribed With Which to Build Church. Adequate to Their Needs

Bishop Temple, of the Episcopal church was here Saturday and Sunday, and while in the city preached twice in the First Presbyterian church. By his visit here the question of a church building was taken up and we understand sufficient funds were subscribed to build a house modern and complete in every detail, and entirely adequate to the present needs of the organization.

They have had a location procured for some time, and the building will be located one block south of Mrs. Arnold Brown's residence, which was formerly the residence of A. J. Towle. Bishop Temple will have plans drawn for the building in Amarillo, and sent here for approval of the building committee, and it is hoped that the work will be commenced on the new building within a reasonably short time.

Monte Bowron returned Saturday morning from Dallas where he was called to the bedside of his mother. We had the information last week that his mother had died before he reached her home, but we are pleased to state that she is still living and on the road to recovery.

T. E. Heath, of Houston, was in the city Monday.

Notice of Sale by Guardian

No. 64

Guardianship of the estate of Ruth Overton, a Minor.

In the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas, April Term, A. D. 1913.

Notice is hereby given that J. Jas. P. Kivett, guardian of the estate of Ruth Overton, a minor, will, on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, at Lubbock, Texas, in the county of Lubbock and state of Texas, at the court house of said county, at the legal hours sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land in Lubbock county, Texas:

1-4 interest in lot 1, block 236, town of Lubbock, Texas, valued at \$250.

1-2 interest in lots 22, 23 and 24 in block 69 of the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, Texas, valued at \$25 per lot.

1-2 interest in lots 23 and 24 in the Neal & Alexander Addition to the town of Lubbock, Texas, valued at \$75 per lot.

1-4 interest in lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 84, of the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, Texas, valued at \$50 per lot.

1-4 interest in section 22, in block 20, certificate 208, H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co., valued at \$8 per acre.

Said real estate is to be sold for cash, but it is provided by order of the county court that if any of the said property shall sell for a price less than its appraised value as stated above and as heretofore fixed by the appraisers duly appointed by this court, that the sale of such property will not be confirmed by the court, unless it appears to the satisfaction of the court, upon a careful investigation when the report of sale is made, that such sale was made fairly and for a fair price and in conformity with law.

Witness my hand at Lubbock, Texas, this 7th day of May, 1913.

JAS. P. KIVETT,
Guardian of the Estate of Ruth Overton, a Minor.

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T. M. Bartley, representative from this district, was here Monday.

He has moved back to Tahoka from Austin, and will remain in his district till the special session of the legislature in July, when he will return to the capitol city to look after the affairs of the people in his official way.

Mesdames Cap Ellison and John McDermott, of Crosbyton, were passengers over the Crosbyton South Plains Monday, and boarded the 11:55 Santa Fe for Hereford, where they will visit their sister, Mrs. Gray.

Rev. L. T. Grumbles, of the Baptist church left Monday for St. Louis, where he will attend the Southern Baptist Convention. He hopes to be back by the 21st inst., and resume his pastoral duties.

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Weekly Band Concerts.
It is the intention of the management of the Lubbock Cow Boy band to give weekly open air concerts at the band stand in the court house lawn as soon as the light plant people can put lights in the band stand.

Local post card views 5 cents each at R. C. White's photo shop, first door north of bakery, 45 2t

Little Miss Mona, DeShazo, daughter of J. W. DeShazo is down with a case of the measles this week.

Married.
Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in this city Rev. W. M. Lane said the ceremony that united Mr. J. B. Brown and Miss Dollie Reagan in holy bonds of wedlock. They will make their future home in Ralls, Crosby county.

Manager McElroy will run three reels of moving pictures for benefit of the Eastern Star order at this place. See the ad in another part of this paper.

A. J. Allen of Channing, Texas was here Monday.

Ice Plant Runs Overtime.
The Lubbock Ice Company is having to run over time in order to fill the orders for ice that is coming to them. During the past week they have been furnishing Amarillo a car load every day, and with the orders from Slaton, Crosbyton, Snyder, Lamesa and other places together with the local business the plant is taxed to its full capacity, and in fact is not able to supply all the demands made upon it.

Lubbock ice is the good kind and the management is such that people like to buy from them.

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—3, 1-2 sections of land in Terry county, 2 sections in Yoakum county, 1-2 section in Lynn county and about 25 broke mares bringing colts, 1 fine Coach stallion.—A. F. McDonald, Abilene, Texas. 44-4t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two well located lots in the Overton Addition, Lubbock, Texas. Would trade for perfect diamonds. Address or call on Dr. Wm. L. Baugh, Lubbock. 45-4t

FOR RENT—Store room, Surrey for sale. See J. W. Lamb. 45 1t

WANTED—Hair switches and plain sewing. Mrs. Cora Sanders, one miles southeast of Square on the Useleaman farm. 45 1tp

Ed Green made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday.

G. H. Meadows, of Lovington New Mexico, was here looking after business affairs Friday.

J. N. Hopkins was here Tuesday from Post City, looking after business matters.

Geo. C. Cooper, one of Lubbock County's best farmers, was in town Saturday.

Am still in position to handle both your patented and school land loans. J. F. Perry. 42 1t

H. A. Davidson made a business trip to Crosbyton Wednesday.

Sheriff Flynn accompanied by T. O. Henry, the Wells Fargo Express agent, made a business trip to Slaton Tuesday morning.

Tom Cutler at one time a citizen of Lubbock but now located at Post, was here the first of the week.

W. D. Shaw has moved from Abernathy to Lubbock, and will make this his home for the present.

Surveyor Guinn went over to Cedric, where he did some surveying the latter part of this week.

J. H. Graham, of Monument New Mexico, was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

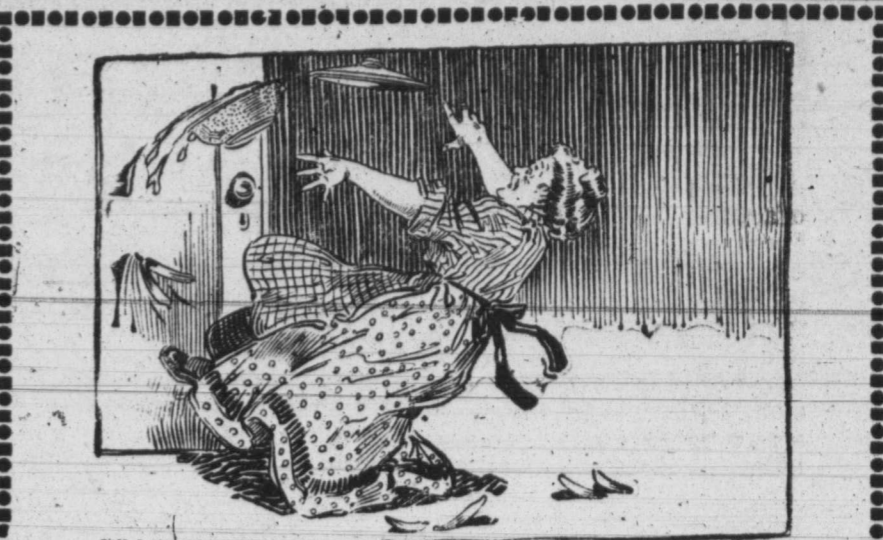
Among the improvements noticed in the city this week is that J. A. Coekrel has treated his residence to a coat of attractive paint.

Card of Thanks.
We desire to thank all who in any way assisted us at the time of the death of our son and especially we wish to thank Mrs. Nick Beal for the floral offering. May God's richest blessings repay you all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. GOODE, and all other relatives.

The West Texas Fair circuit has been organized by Pecos, Midland, Big Springs and Roscoe. Other towns are invited to join. Dates have been fixed as follows: Pecos, third week in September; Midland, fourth week; Big Springs, Oct. 1, 2 and 3; Roscoe, second week in October.

Congress soon will be called upon to pay a bill of nearly \$1,000,000 for food, clothing, shelter and medical service supplied by the army and navy to the flood sufferers in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys recently. Secretary Garrison is preparing a deficiency estimate which must be allowed during the present session, as the army funds have been so depleted that unless they are reimbursed the entire military service will be tied up until July 1st.



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Rape Seed—Davidson Feed Store. 45 1t

Leslie Ellis was over from Crosby county this week, buying supplies and renewing his acquaintance with the people of Lubbock. He says he is doing some of that farming this year just as it should be done.

Jewell and Dovie Fullingim, of Crosby county came over Wednesday morning, and are visiting at the home of S. C. Spikes at this place.

Society Items
BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

The Ripley Embroidery Club enjoyed Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Stokes. As usual the time was spent in merry conversation and work. Delicious refreshments, consisting of cake and ice cream were served to the following members: Mesdames Farris, Will Wright, J. M. Wright, Vance, Denton, Brown, McCrummen; Misses Mamie and Katie Belle Crump, Pearl Wright and Lillian Brown. Everybody is requested to be present at next meeting with Mrs. Vance, as new officers will be elected.

Mrs. R. A. Barclay, in her hospitable way, entertained, on Friday, May 9th, in honor of the unmarried members of the faculty of 1912-13. In spite of the threatening weather chivalry and bravery won the evening and relieved "John" and "Bill" of the humiliation of playing the role of the couple who do not move. Forty-two held the attention of all till the evening was far spent when delicious punch, ice cream and cake were served. All acknowledge their indebtedness to Mrs. Barclay, a queen among entertainers, for an evening's pleasure. Those present were: Misses Nevels, Rucker, Crosett, Brown, Word, Abney, and Dean, and Messrs. Burgess, Klett, Wilson, Swift and Johnson.

The Bridge Club met with Mrs. O. L. Slaton Tuesday afternoon and spent a couple of hours playing the game. Sandwiches and ice tea were served to Mesdames Merrill, Moody, Thomas, Priest, Boerner, Powell, John Penney, Posey, D. Robinson, Peebler, Rush. The club will meet with Mrs. M. E. Merrill May 20th.

The Eastern Star will meet Tuesday night May 20th. As it is the election of officers all the members are invited to attend.

Mesdames Crosby and Copeland were hostess for the Wednesday Needle Club May 14, this club decided to adjourn for the summer. Ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames Maddox, Posey, Dodson, McWhorter, Kimbro, Lane, Thomas, Sim O'Neal.

Will be here in a few days, Wilson, the expert sewing machine repairer. Will also repair watches, clocks, jewelry and organs. Will be here for a few days only. Look for the big repair wagon. 45 1t

E. A. Clousnitzer, head of the electric light and ice company at Quanah probably was fatally injured at 9:30 a. m. Monday, when passenger train No. 19 on the Denver struck his automobile at a crossing. Mr. Clousnitzer was hurled a distance of forty feet and suffered a broken back and was otherwise injured internally. The chauffeur escaped injury by jumping. Physicians hold out little hope for their patient's recovery.

The little son of P. G. Selman while wagon fell and cut piece of tin, which was able, but the considered serious.

W. L. Davis, of in town the first

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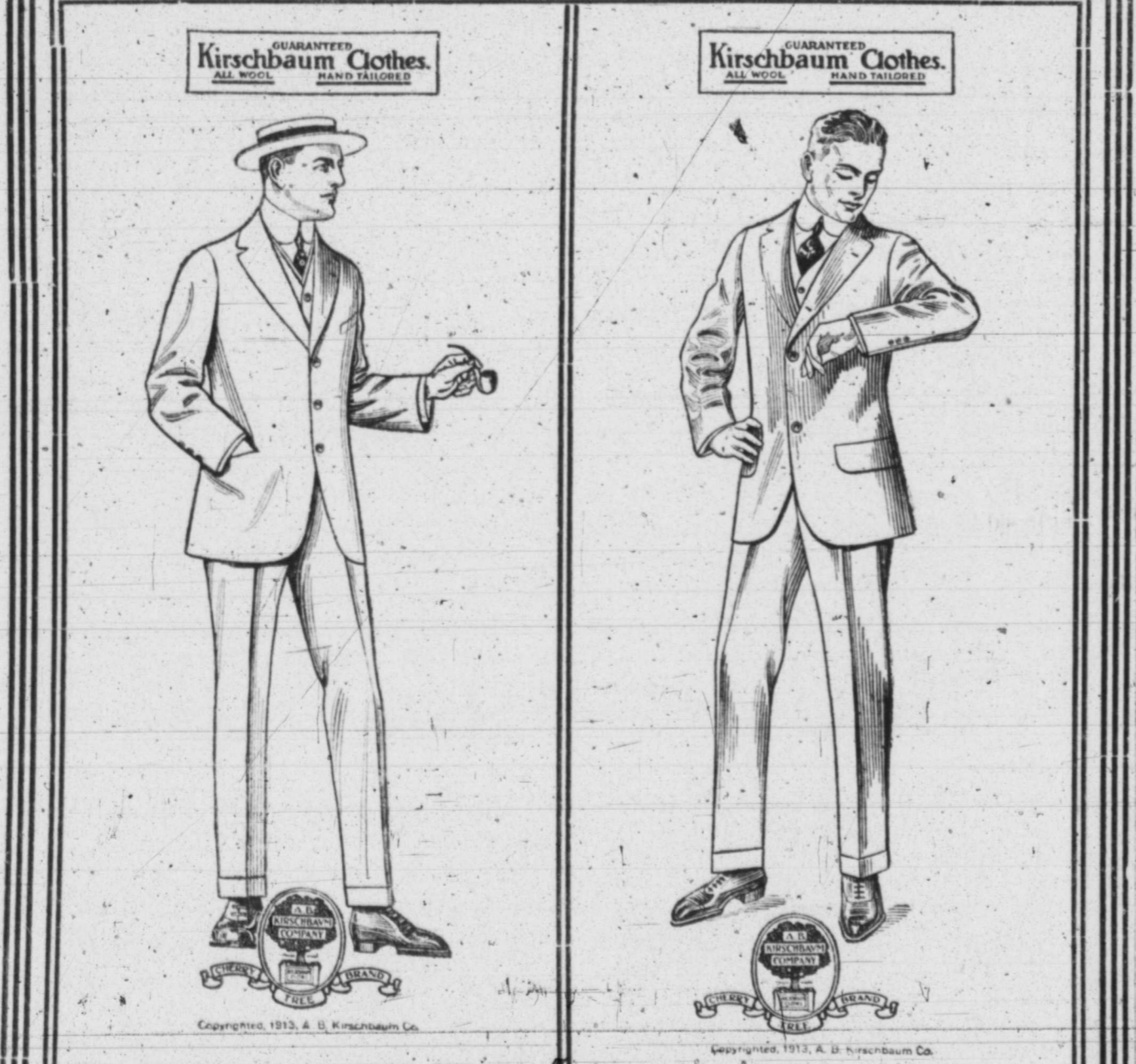
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Walter Royalty has purchased a half interest in the garage business of Newt Wilson and the business will be conducted under the firm name of Royalty and Wilson. See their ad in this issue of the Avalanche.

Dr. D. C. Rump of Leila Lake is here this week visiting his family.

COMING MAY 26TH

THE LITTLE MINISTER

In Three Reels

At the Airdome

BENEFIT EASTERN STARS

Remember the date and come

Church Notes

We will be glad to make any announcements of Church Service, Programs, etc., in this column free of charge, where no revenue is received from the services.—Editor.

METHODIST MISSIONARY NOTES

A very interesting business session was held by the W. M. Society Monday.

Trades day dinner, the 1st Monday in June will be in charge of the Methodist ladies.

Plans are being made for the Annual Fall Bazaar by the ladies of the Missionary Society. Do not wait for the committee to see you but at once begin to make articles for this sale.

The annual meeting will be held at Seymour beginning June 17. The following is an extract from the report of Mr. Bishop, who is principal of the Vashiti School at Thomasville, Ga.

It is estimated that fifty thousand girls go astray annually in the United States; and if we have our proportion, sixteen thousand Southern girls are led into haunts of vice every year, and twelve thousand of these, according to the conclusion of the Rocketeller Commission, might be prevented with ordinary protection.

To care for these twelve thousand girls as we do here would require four hundred institutions as large as Vashiti Home, and the cost of support alone would be four millions of dollars per annum. Girls seem to be one of our cheapest live stock products. The United States government is now prosecuting a firm of white slavers, accused of delivering four hundred girls to Chicago divs at from twenty-five to thirty dollars per head.

It is probable that the South is the safer and best field for the white slaver, because our laws are so lax and protective agencies so few. In Georgia a girl can consent to her own ruin at fourteen, and the maximum penalty for persuading her to leave her home is only one year on the chain gang. Stealing a hog would receive a greater penalty. The age of consent should not be less than eighteen, and the penalty of the white slavers not less than a life sentence.

Press Reporter.

ATTENDING DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Rev. W. M. Lane, pastor of the Methodist church at this place leaves today for Plainview, where he will attend the annual meeting of the Plainview District Conference. He will return in time to fill his pulpit at the regular hour Sunday evening. There will be no preaching in the Methodist church at the morning hour Sunday, on account of the commencement sermon at the High School auditorium Sunday School at the regular hour.

BAPTIST PROTRACTED MEETING

We are authorized to announce that the Baptist protracted meeting will begin in this city, the second Sunday in August. Rev. Grumbles has secured the assistance of Rev. L. E. Finney, of Midland, in this meeting who will do the greater part of the preaching.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

While no prepared program was rendered at the Baptist church Sunday, we had a lively and impressive "Mothers Day" service.

Bro. Grumbles gave us a touching sermon on the Christian home and the grandeur of true motherhood.

Mrs. Carl Roberds, sang in her own sweet voice "Our Mother's Way". Many an eye was dim

with tears and in fancy the writer swept along over the hills and valleys and stood once more in sight of Virginia's blue mountains in the shadow of which, the angels keep watch and ward over "mothers grave". Services closed by singing "Home Sweet Home" a song that is as immoral as the man who composed it.

Reporter.

The Methodist Sunday school was well attended last Sunday; notwithstanding there were a number of absentees on account of measles in the families. There were about 200 in attendance, and 17 "new" pupils were added to the list and quite a number of visitors. There is always a cordial welcome to those who wish to come, and we will be pleased to have you visit the school, even if you cannot come regular enough to become a member of any of the classes.

Superintendent.

The East Side Christian Denomination will begin their annual protracted meeting at this place the 2nd Sunday in July. Elder Jack McCarty, of Kileen, Texas, will conduct the meeting, and do most of the preaching. He is well known by a number of the people of Lubbock and especially his own denomination, who will be pleased to have him with them again. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day was observed by many of the people of this city by attending the Mother's Day service at the Methodist church at 11:00 o'clock.

A special program had been arranged, and was carried out in full and was greatly enjoyed by those present. The house was filled to its seating capacity.

MISSIONARY PROGRAM FOR MAY 19TH

Subject—Koreans and Japanese.

Scripture lesson—John 17. Leader—Miss Ella Overton.

Prayer. Song—242—Love to Tell the Story.

Korea's Message to the World—Miss Margaret Jones.

Korea's Opportunity—Mrs. Bean.

Song 181—Tell it Out. Influence of Americans Upon Orientals in Our Midst—Mrs. Craig.

Influence of Oriental Religion Upon Americans—Mrs. Norton.

Song—187—Gathering Home.

PROGRAM FOR JUNIOR LEAGUE SUNDAY MAY 18.

Song—God Will Take Care of You.

Prayer. Scripture lesson. 23 Psalm—Fannie B. Carter.

Reading—Bernice Wolfarth. Song No. 172.

The Golden Rule—Weldon Woodridge.

Reading—Homer Greenhill. Remarks—Mrs. Ratliff.

Closing—League Benediction.

Am still in position to handle both your patented and school land loans. J. F. Perry. 4211

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Lemonds, were here Monday from Hale Center. Jinks was one of the star actors in the play at the opera house Monday night.

Morton J. Smith left yesterday for Dallas.

Notice

If you need help of any kind write or phone Plainview Employment Agency. We have help of nearly all kinds, always on hand ready to go. Box 684 Plainview, Texas. 4511

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Your deposits will be handled in a way that will please you, if you will permit us to handle them for you.

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PHONE 375.

L. B. Wright and B. P. Hopkins, are in Dallas this week attending a meeting of the Imperial Council of the United States, both being members of that order.

On account of the absence of Rev. Grumbles from the city, Rev. J. L. Elliott, will preach the commencement sermon at the High School Auditorium, on the 18th.

Mrs. Porter Hendricks, who has been in the Sanitarium at Plainview for some weeks returned home Monday afternoon, and is much improved in health.

H. H. Stewart, of Amarillo, District Manager for the Singer Sewing Machine Company, was here this week looking after local affairs connected with his company.

HAVE YOUR PIANO TUNED

Your piano should be tuned each year by a competent tuner. You should know who to trust your instrument with, and at the same time be sure that the man who represents himself to be connected with any reliable concern has in his possession such credentials as to identify himself to you. There are lots of so called pluggers who tell you they are with such and such Tuners Bureaus and Tuners Associations of which they boast of being the only identified member in your state belonging to same, when they are misleading you to get your money, and at the same time leave your piano in worse condition than they found it.

Beware of he who is the factory tuner or representing Tuners' Associations.

We have in our employ some good tuners, and men that will do you a good job of work.

There is no such thing as a Tuners' Association, nor Bureau—there is a Tuners' Guild, at Boston, Mass., only one, and they have only three hundred and some odd members consisting principally of Factory tuners of the best type; men that don't have to solicit from house to house for work. The best reference of a man is the company he represents, and the only way to get results and satisfactory tuning is to pay the price and have the work done right.

Mr. Vaughn is in Lubbock to do your tuning and will make your town regularly. Satisfaction is what you want, and that is what we want, and if your work is not in any way satisfactory and is done by one of our men, tell us, don't tell others. We want to know it. We want our men to do good work. A good tuner is worth the money, makes no difference who he is with, if he is a good tuner he will tune your piano. It is much easier for him to tune it right than wrong, because he knows how.

Mr. J. V. Vaughn, Mr. Y. H. Nunn and Mr. Ed Arion are all connected with the Leyhe Piano Co., and if either one of these three men want to tune your piano we will assure you it will be done right.

Mr. Vaughn and Mr. Nunn will make the South Plains territory from now on, save your pianos for them, their prices for tuning are as consistent as will permit the expense of getting it and making any money out of it.

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this week looking matters.

H. T. Kimbro, of the firm of Kimbro & Parks, made business trip to Amarillo the first of the week.

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Neighboring County News

From Our Exchanges

CROSBY COUNTY

Crosbyton Review:
We are glad to announce the coming of the noted evangelist, Rev. Abe Mulkey and his singer, Mr. Burchine, of Corsicana, Texas, to hold a ten days' meeting at the Methodist tabernacle, to begin June 13 to 23. Everybody invited. The best arrangements possible will be made for those who come from a distance. Don't fail to hear this noted man of God. He will probably never visit the country again on this mission. Don't forget the date, June 15 to 23. Special arrangements can be made for all who attend from a distance by writing or seeing the pastor,

MOTION PICTURES

I will move into the Airdome this week, and the first motion pictures of the season in the Airdome will be shown

**THURSDAY NIGHT
MAY 15TH**

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THE STROLLERS THE MALE QUARTETTE

At the Opera House

MAY 21ST

who extends to all a cordial welcome. The singer will begin the song service on the evening of June 11. Come and hear for yourselves, the man who has power with God and man.

Yours for a great meeting,
C. D. Pipkin, pastor.

Mr. Guy F. Gebde of San Antonio, Texas, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burton for a few days. Mr. Gebde is interested with Mr. John L. Wortham, the present Secretary of State in a large body of land in Lubbock County. Mr. Gebde states that they are putting in large improvements on their land and are going to irrigate extensively. He is here looking over the farms of the C B Livestock Company for the purpose of obtaining data on the best method of farming and the most productive crops. Mr. Gebde is a young man of pleasing personality and good business ability and we feel sure that his organization will make a great success.

Judge J. E. Vickers of Lubbock was in Crosbyton the first of the week looking after business for his clients here. Mr. Vickers informed us that he expected to get moved to Crosbyton as soon as the District Court was over for the next term in Lubbock. He has many cases to come up at the next term of court and therefore he cannot get moved before.

YOAKUM COUNTY

It is to be hoped that a contract will be closed next week while the Commissioners' Court is in session to fix the road east of Plains to the county line. It is well known that this little piece of road needs improvement, but its actual condition has been greatly exaggerated and advertised far and wide, which we learn from parties passing through in automobiles. If action in this matter is postponed much longer, it may result in great detriment to the town as well as the whole country, by reason that the transcontinental auto line may be established north of here on account of entering a few miles of sand on the line while passing through Yoakum county. This is one of the reasons that is being strongly urged against this route.

Sam Weaver came in Saturday evening from the lower country. He returned to Lubbock Tuesday and will be there a short time and then come back to Yoakum where so many of his best friends live.

TERRY COUNTY

Boone Hunter had the misfortune to fall off a corn planter last Friday and sustain serious injuries. He is staying at the Hill Hotel where he can get close medical attention. He is getting along fine at this writing.
Rev. A. D. Jameson has returned from Scurry county, where he went to attend the funeral of a little niece whose death occurred Sunday April

20th. On the following Wednesday her little sister died and was laid to rest beside her. Both died of scarlet fever. This is a terrible blow to the parents as these were their only children.

Dr. Treadway's horse became frightened last Friday afternoon while Misses Catherine May, Ivy Green and Lucile Treadway were occupying the buggy, throwing the girls out, but did not hurt them other than the loss of a few patches of cuticle.

While Dick Brownfield and Leslie Green were trying to catch a bronk last Friday afternoon, the horse made a break, knocking Dick down. He sustained a broken rib, a strained shoulder and a lacerated lip, though he was able to be down town by Monday.

We are glad to state that the Brownfield Mercantile Company has again opened up for business as they have come to an agreement with their insurance people. They will begin the erection of a new building in the near future.

Scudday & Tiernan delivered their cattle last week to Taylor and Milwee of Lubbock. There were 415 head delivered for which they received \$30 around.

PRIMROSE

Mrs. C. W. Dickinson left this week for Lubbock. She is going to make that her home for the next year.

Mr. A. W. Blankinship has a new auto, and they make the trip to Lubbock and back much quicker than they did in the wagon. Cars are getting cheap; we'll all have to buy one.

Mr. Frank Howard spent the night with A. K. Huckleberry, on his way to Lubbock, where he will take the train for Waco.

Mr. Albert Lee is working for H. L. Smith. Mr. Smith put in a phone this week, so he could talk to his neighbors.

Mr. Ellington has his new bungalow almost done, which will be a nice building when finished.

Mr. Oscar Byrd and family took in first Monday at Lubbock.

HARRIS HAPPENINGS
Roy Harris made a trip to Lubbock after goods for the store last week. Reed Wolfarth accompanied him on the trip.

Mr. Bird passed through here Wednesday with 675 head of one and two year old steers and heifers which he had contracted to the Kokernot ranch, near Lubbock, two years ago at \$20 per head. When Mr. Bird made that contract he had no idea that cattle would be so high now.

We failed to state last week that Reed Wolfarth had come home from Lubbock where he has been attending school all winter. Reed bought himself a motor cycle in Lubbock and has it at home now.

GAINES COUNTY

DECLAMATION CONTEST
An important news item unintentionally omitted last week was the Declamation contest held at the school auditorium on Friday night, April 25th. This was one of the most interesting affairs that has been given by the school during the present term, and it was greatly enjoyed and

appreciated by a large audience. The contestants were Paul Slaton, Leland Needham, Glenn Stark, Foster Averitt, Charles Eubank, Floyd Stark, Reube Hoover, Isam Blythe and Judson Roach. The first prize was won by Floyd Stark and the second by Reube Hoover. The prizes consisted of several volumes of valuable books and the winners were fortunate in securing them.

PAINFULLY HURT
Malley Taylor, youngest son of W. H. Taylor, happened to an accident Saturday which came near being a fatal one. Malley was just this side of the Brennan ranch east of town when the accident occurred. He was standing in a wagon when the team started suddenly, throwing him under the wagon which passed over his shoulders and head. The wagon was not loaded, and while the boy was bruised up considerably it is not thought that his wounds are all serious.

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Lubbock, Whereas, By virtue of an alias Order of Sale, issued out of the District Court of Lubbock county, Texas, of a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of November A. D. 1912, in favor of J. T. Lofton and against W. E. Monk and M. C. Overton, No. 924 on the docket of said court, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I did, on the 28th day of April A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and belonging to W. E. Monk to-wit: Situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and known as Lots eleven and twelve in Block Fifty-two, in the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, in Lubbock county, Texas, on the 3rd day of June A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of Lubbock county, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. E. Monk, and all persons holding under him in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of May A. D. 1913.

W. H. ELYNN,
Sheriff of Lubbock county, Texas.

Big Dividend Sale
The Wheelock Dress Shop is this week right in the midst of their big Dividend Sale, and they are having a real rushing trade. This popular firm goes after the business in no uncertain way. Aside from their page ad in this issue of the Avalanche they have sown the country down with big circulars that are attracting the buying public's attention.

J. E. Vickers had business in the District Court of Crosby county, which is in session at Crosbyton this week. He went over Monday and returned the next day.

Roche Newton left Tuesday for Wichita Falls to attend the State Fireman's Association.

Samuel Tinnley, of Minnesota, who owns some eighteen or twenty sections of land in this county was here this week looking over his property.

Miss Ruth Essex, who has been teaching school near Justiceberg the past few months returned home the latter part of last week.

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The celebrated Padgett Saddles, recognized as the best on the market. Come in and figure with me if you need a saddle. I will make you interesting prices on all saddles in stock. All kinds of leather goods.

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Commissioner J. M. Wright is
in town this week attending to
his duties as Commissioner.

NEW STATION AGENT

L. B. Ewing of Post City suc-
ceeds Mr. Cox as Station
Agent Here

L. B. Ewing and family left
this morning (Thursday) for
Lubbock, to which place Mr.
Ewing has been transferred as
Santa Fe ticket agent. We re-
gret very much to lose this es-
timable family, but our loss is
Lubbock's gain, and we com-
mend them to the good people of
Lubbock and wish them much
prosperity in their new home.—
Post City Post.

Mr. Ewing was checked in at
this station last Friday and is
now in charge in the capacity of
station agent for Lubbock.

Mr. Ewing is not a stranger to
a great many of our people hav-
ing been connected with the de-
pot force in our city before being
transferred to Post City, and his
many friends here will be glad to
have him back again.

Mr. Cox, as we have been in-
formed, will not be in the service
of the company any more at the
present time, and will probably
engage in business for himself in
the very near future.

44 Page Edition
The Plainview Herald last
week eclipsed anything that has
ever been gotten out on the
South Plains in the way
of a newspaper special edition.
It printed a 44-page number, and
stated that it required a ton of
blank paper to print it on. It is
well filled with good reading
about Plainview and the South
Plains in general, and will be the
means of telling many thousands
of people about this country.
The people of Plainview should
justly feel proud of their news-
paper men.

Plainview's New Postmaster
Letters have been received in
Plainview from Congressman
Stephens, stating that he has
recommended Ben Sanford post-
master at this place.

Mr. Sanford is a young man of
quiet, industrious habits, and
while his appointment to the
position is quite a surprise to
many people, yet everyone con-
cedes that he will make a very
competent official. He was at
one time a railway mail clerk,
and prior to coming to Plainview
several years ago, he resided at
Fort Worth.—Plainview News.

Snyder Bests Moore
In a wrestling match at the
opera house in Plainview Mon-
day night Joe Snyder of Plain-
view won over Bomar Moore of
Lubbock, on account of a foul.

In the first round Moore threw
Snyder in thirteen minutes with
a step-on toe hold. In the second
Snyder threw Moore in nine
minutes with a body scissor, and
in the third the referee gave the
decision to Snyder because of a
foul, Moore butting him in the
stomach.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE-BROMO Quinine. It stops the
Cough and Headache and works off the Cold.
Druggists refund money if it fails to cure.
E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box, 25c.

Penry Representative
In the election held last week
for the purpose of electing a suc-
cessor to J. C. Hunt, former rep-
resentative, who succumbed to
meningitis during the recent
session of the legislature, L. C.
Penry, of Plainview, was elected,
and will take his seat in the next
session of the legislature, which
will be a called session in July.

INVITES BAND TO GO

Manager of Lubbock-Cowboy Band
Receives Invitation to go With
Fort Worth Grays

Manager E. M. Taylor is in re-
ceipt of the following letter:
"With reference to your pro-
posed trip to the reunion at Chat-
tanooga, I take great pleasure in
advising you that the Texas &
Pacific and Queen and Crescent
Route have restored the old rate,
which will be approximately
\$20.85 from Sweetwater. I as-
sume that the Santa Fe will put
on this rate also. If you will
call on your local agent, I am
quite sure that he will take
pleasure in giving you this in-
formation.

"Capt. Barr's Confederate
Grays of Fort Worth have select-
ed the T. & P. and Queen and
Crescent via Shreveport and
Vicksburg as their official route
to the reunion, and have request-
ed that I invite your band to ac-
company them. They say that
they will feel very much honored
indeed if they may have the
pleasure of your company again,
and they are looking forward to
a great deal of pleasure in meet-
ing you again.

Very truly yours,
C. F. Woods,
Western Passenger Agent.

Prof. Boone Convicted

In county court at Floydada
last week Prof. S. L. Boone, well
known in Plainview as head-
of the Boone Institute of Massage,
was convicted by a jury on a
charge of practicing without
medical license and was fined
\$100 and costs and sentenced to
twelve hours in jail. We under-
stand that he paid the fine and
served the time in jail.—Plain-
view News.

B. F. Chisolm, of Rockwall, is
in the city, and will probably lo-
cate here. He is well pleased
with our town.



All Bound Round with a Telephone Line

In a Bell connected communi-
ty it's not how far is it to
neighbor Perkins? But "Is
neighbor Perkins' ring three?"
The ring of a bell and you have
him.

In marketing in matters of
farm routine, in emergencies,
the telephone adds to the farm-
er's ease and profit.
Are you connected with the
Bell system?
Ask our nearest Manager for infor-
mation or write to
THE SOUTHWESTERN
TELEGRAPH AND
TELEPHONE
COMPANY
DALLAS, TEXAS



Announcement

I wish to state to the public and my friends that I
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Holcomb and can supply your wants in this line.
My line is fresh and of the staple varieties. I also
wish to say that I have moved into this building
my stock of

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W. S. CLARK

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES
Lubbock, Texas

W. J. Bryan at El Paso

Enroute east over the Rock
Island, Secretary of State Bryan,
while in El Paso, declined to dis-
cuss the alien land bill of Cali-
fornia, the Mexico situation or
any other affairs of State. The
Secretary was met at the station
by Gen. H. E. Scott, commander
of the Second Cavalry Brigade,
with headquarters at Fort Bliss.
The conference was regarding the
Mexican Federalis now prisoners
at the post. The Secretary said
to the commander that he would
acquaint himself regarding the
prisoners upon arriving in Wash-
ington.

Gone to Association

Three members of the Lub-
bock Volunteer Fire Department
left on the ferenohr train for
Wichita Falls, where they go to
attend the State Firemen's As-
sociation, which meets in that
city this week. The three at-
tending were: A. M. Rankin,
Chris Harwell and Ed Twitty.
The city of Lubbock is paying
the expense and the County Com-
missioners came in liberally also
toward sending them.

Telephone to Littlefield

Littlefield, Lamb County, Tex-
as, May 10, 1913.—The Olton
Telephone Company has just
completed its phone line from
Olton to Littlefield. This line
connects with the Southwestern
at Plainview, and Littlefield is
now in phone connection with
the outside world. The phone
line also takes telegrams from
the Western Union at its Plain-
view office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robertson
were here from the ranch in the
southeast part of the county,
last Saturday, transacting busi-
ness, and were guests at the
Howard hotel while here.

B. T. Sumner, of the Slide
community was transacting busi-
ness with our merchants Satur-
day.

The Palace Barber Shop

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Our shop is fully equipped with the best of
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in every legitimate manner.

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W. A. Carlisle, Vice Pres.

I. L. Hunt, Cashier
S. R. Pierce, Asst. Cash.

G. L. Davis left Monday morn-
ing to go out on the Jno. L.
Wortham property east of town
where he begins the erection of
five houses for Mr. Wortham.

Mrs. Jno. Long left on the
south bound train Sunday for
Tyler county where she goes for
several days visit with her grand
mother.

The Close Price Store

This store is not called the Close Price Store merely to fill space, but we live up to the name and give big BARGAINS IN GROCERIES every day of the
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compare prices—you'll be surprised. We have a nice assortment of Groceries and Racket Goods.

J. H. MOORE, The Close Price Store

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Residence 242

LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1913

L. C. Benton returned Saturday from a business trip to Amarillo. He says they had some good rains up there that did not reach this far down on the plains.

Mrs. Annie Webb, who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monte Bowron last week, left on the Saturday afternoon train for her home in Snyder.

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

LESSON FOR MAY 18

JOSEPH MEETS HIS BRETHREN.

LESSON TEXT—Gen. 42:1-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—"Whatsoever a man sows, that shall he also reap." Gal. 6:7.

Joseph was thirty years of age when he reached his position of supreme authority, but we ought not to allow ourselves to forget those thirteen years of humiliation, during which he was betrayed, sold into slavery and neglected by those whom he befriended. Yet those were days of fidelity in his service, of victory over fierce temptation, of enduring unjust imprisonment—a long period of patient waiting but a valuable period in that now at thirty years of age he comes to this position of power fully equipped with that knowledge of men, control of himself and faith in God as to be properly fitted for the burden of responsibility thrust upon him.

Did Not Forget.

I. The Brothers Need, vv. 3-6. The famine was not confined to Egypt, but reached over to Canaan, where Jacob and his sons lived. The desperate need of the famine is indicated by Jacob's command to buy, "that we may live, and not die." But Jacob is too old to travel, hence the brothers undertake the journey. Twenty-two years have passed since that experience when Joseph's brethren cast him into the pit. They have been years filled with wonderful experiences for Joseph. Now their attitude is changed; instead of being his tormentors they are suppliants at his feet. During those seven years of earning Joseph had set up his own family and two sons were born, the names of whom were significant.

The possession of a child of his own would naturally quicken his inquiries as to his father's household, for he assumed that in the order of events his father must be dead.

II. A Brother's Memory, vv. 7-17. Joseph once recognized his brothers, but treated them brusquely, demanding from whence they came and the purpose that brought them hither (v. 7). Again (vv. 8, 9) the text reminds us that Joseph remembered. Only God can forgive and forget. But Joseph is an inspiration to us that though we may not be able to forget we can forgive. The question might be raised, "Why then did Joseph discriminate?" The answer is threefold: (1) Joseph desired to ascertain the characters of his brothers. Did they remember? Yes, for they replied that they were "twelve brethren." Ten years before him, one at home and "one is not." That their characters were not entirely changed is evidenced by their words, "We are true men" (v. 11), which of course was not the truth. (2) Joseph desired to know of his father and of their home life. The accusation that the brothers are spies called forth the statement that the father, Jacob, is still alive. The third reason for this treatment developed out of those first two, viz., Joseph desired to reach his father and Benjamin, whom he had never seen. We do not commend Joseph's method as being of the highest ethical value, for his standard was not the standard of the man who knows Christ. Joseph is a type; there is only one perfect man, Jesus Christ, and Joseph points toward that promised Saviour.

Guilty Consciences.
Joseph knew his brothers told the truth about their not being spies, but he also knew that they lied when they asserted themselves to be true men and that one brother "is not." Here is the lesson of mistaken estimates of one's self and that a man's true value is known and appreciated. Little did they realize, however, that their falsehood was being read as it was uttered and that the man before whom they were standing was this same brother. Joseph affected not to believe any of their story and demanded proof (vv. 15, 16) of their assertions. After three days in jail he appeared to relent and ordered that only one of their number should remain as hostage. The result of all is shown in v. 21. After involuntarily leaving Simeon shut up in the Egyptian prison their minds traveled back to that time twenty years before and they remembered Joseph's anguish and distress when they would not hear, "therefore is this distress come upon us." Their guilty con-

sciences are aroused. Jacob's cry, "All things are against me," v. 36, was a mistake. Joseph was alive and exalted that he might save the life of Jacob and his children. Simeon was alive and drawing his brothers back to Egypt. Benjamin would come back safely.

Emphasize the fact that we cannot forget our wrong acts and that Joseph was not troubled by any such memories. Also emphasize the return of good for evil, Rom. 12:20, 21. Joseph's brethren were sowing the fruit of the seeds of envy and malice they had sown twenty years previously. So also was Jacob reaping the seeds of his deceit; for in spite of his great material prosperity he has great anguish of heart. We try to sow and not to reap. See that the seed thoughts in the heart are right. The grace of God forgives sin, but it remains a terrible fact in our lives.

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The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Ointment. It relieves Pain and Itch at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

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Jno. P. Lewis returned from Waco Monday where he had been attending the funeral of Jno. A. Glenn. He reports that Mrs. Glenn, who also got hurt in the accident that killed her husband, has recovered.

"Granite disintegrates and crumbles into particles of mica, quartz and feldspar; marble soon moulders into dust or carbonate of lime, but hard, well burnt clay endures forever in the ancient landmarks of mankind."—Sir Charles Lyell's Antiquity of Man.

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LUBBOCK MADE A HIT

Secretary of Chamber of Commerce, Dallas, Writes the Avalanche About Their Trip.

The Avalanche is in receipt of the following from the Chamber of Commerce Secretary, written after their return from the western trip:

Dallas.—"Lubbock made a hit with the members of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce excursion party which visited that city Wednesday, April 23. This was evidenced by comment of the most favorable kind at a recent meeting of the directors of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, when a vote of thanks was unanimously extended Lubbock and its citizenship for the hospitality shown on this occasion. Members of the party were especially impressed with the evidences of substantial business progress. In this connection T. E. Jackson, chairman of the excursion committee, said:

"Lubbock proved to be one of the liveliest and most up-to-date cities of the entire itinerary. The citizenship is wide awake and progressive. The business interests are substantial and growing. In fact that entire section of the country was a revelation. Every member of the party returned impressed with the importance of getting in closer trade relations with the merchants and business men of that city."

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Neal left Saturday for Sterling City, where they will visit their son, A. B. Neal and family. They will be absent several weeks, and grandpa Neal says he is going to have a big time tickling the skulls of the finny tribe while he is away.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

Purity in food, lower cost of living—these are the demands of the day.

Pure food is health, and health is economy itself. We cannot have health without healthful food.

The most healthful foods are the quickly raised flour foods—biscuit, cake, muffins, crusts and other pastry, when perfectly made from wholesome ingredients.

Dr. PRICE'S baking powder makes these foods in specially attractive, appetizing and wholesome form, and for both economic and hygienic reasons, such food should be more largely substituted for meat in the daily diet.

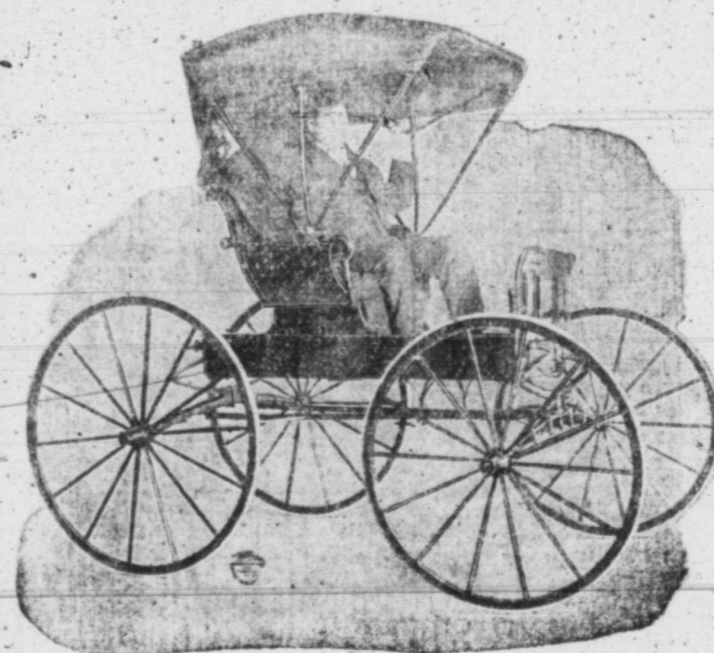
But bear in mind that alum, or unwholesome baking powder, can never make pure, wholesome food.

J. H. Pettit and family, of the north part of the county, were here this week trading.

E. E. Lomax, of Ft. Worth, was registered at the Tremont Sunday.

L. B. WRIGHT EMERSON BUGGIES

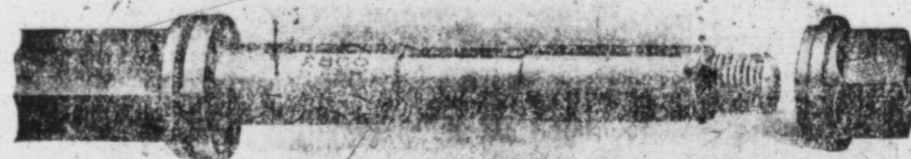
I have just received a new car, if you are contemplating buying a buggy any time soon it will be to your interest to see me. Come in and examine my stock. I have some of the most stylish as well as buggies that will give the best service of any to be found on this market. Don't fail to see my line. My prices will be interesting when you learn what they are.



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KIMBRO & PARKS, REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENTS

Mrs. Lance Suits, came over Crosbyton Saturday, and boarded the south bound train the same afternoon for Snyder, where she will visit with relatives. Her husband is an employe of the White Printing Company at Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams returned to their home in Cross Plains Saturday, after spending a few days visiting their son, C. L. Adams and family, of this city.

R. L. Henry, of Louisville, was here Sunday and Monday.

H. A. Davidson, the grain man, returned Saturday from a trip covering a large scope of country. He made the trip in an auto, and visited Meadow, Brownfield, Plains, Bronco, King, Lovington, Knowles, Seminole, Lamesa, Tahoka, Wilson, Slaton and probably other points. He loaded himself up with advertising dope before he left and told them to come to Lubbock.

I will close my school in music July 19th and will resume work first Monday in October.
44 2t (MISS) MARGARETT HUFF.

Mrs. E. Wilkes, a sister of W. A. and J. F. Bacon, of this city, accompanied by her three daughters of Brookfield, Missouri, are visiting at the home of W. A. Bacon this week.

LESTER-HAGER NUPTIALS

Miss Blanche Lester of Canyon Was Married Last Week to Mr. Hager of Dallas, at home of Mr. Lester.

Miss Blanche Lester, of this city, and A. B. Hager, of Dallas, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Lester, Rev. Holmes of Nichols officiating. The wedding was very quite and attended only by the immediate family.

Miss Lester is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Lester and has lived in this city since childhood. She is very prominent in social circles in the city and has large numbers of friends who wish her a very happy wedded life.

Mr. Hager is from Richmond, Va., and during the past few years has been in the brokerage business in Dallas, he is a successful business man.

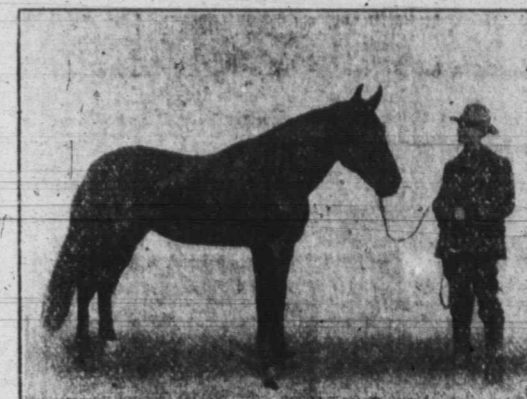
The bridal couple left on the evening train for Dallas, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower and daughter, of Portales, and C. D. Lester, of Lubbock, were guests at the wedding.—Randall County News.

Miss Lester has at different times visited her brother, C. D. Lester, cashier of the First National Bank of this city, and formed many warm and lasting friends here, who join the "Avalanche" in extending congratulations to her, and wishing for the couple all the happiness possible in life's journey together.

For Hail Insurance see J. B. Mobley. 44-tf

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Gager, of Paris, were in the city the first of the week.



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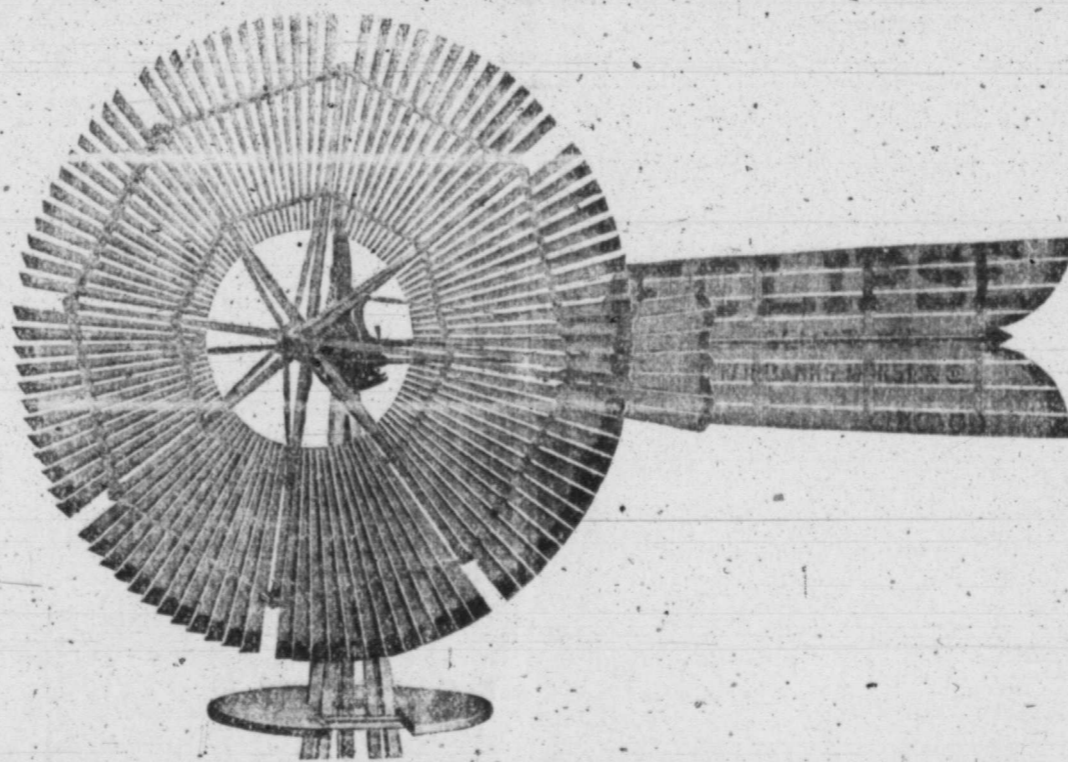
Announcement

I am pleased to announce to the people of this section of the country and my former patrons that I am again in the Drug business in Lubbock, and will be pleased to have you call at the old stand and let us serve you as your drug needs may demand.

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By Walter K. Towers; A. B., J. D., of the Mich. Bar

CONTRACTS: ENFORCEABLE AND UNENFORCEABLE

When, in the ordinary dealings of life, you arrive at a business agreement, you expect to carry out your part, and expect that the other party will carry out his. Almost invariably,



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from your work to bring your clothes to us to have them cleaned and pressed, just phone us and we will do the rest. ALL WORK GUARANTEED. We represent some of the leading tailoring establishments of the land. Let us take your measure and order a suit that will fit you correctly. LUBBOCK TAILOR SHOP Phone 85.

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even if you can, that would involve you in an action for assault and battery. You want the contract in such form that if you must assert your rights you will have them in form which the law—the procedure provided for the enforcement of rights—will recognize.

Probably the principal reason why the average man finds his contracts unenforceable is because of the lack of the written evidence which the law requires in certain classes of cases. In the sale of the standing timber the law of most states requires that it be evidenced by a writing signed by the party against whom it is to be enforced, otherwise the courts would not enforce it. A statement of the principles which determine in what form a contract must be evidenced to be valid may not possess the interest attaching to other branches of the law, but they are of the utmost practical importance to the average individual in the guidance of the business affairs of everyday life.

There are probably no two sections of written law which possess the practical importance, or have had the far-reaching influence of the 4th and the 17th sections of the Statute of Frauds, enacted by the English Parliament in 1676. These provisions have been re-enacted by the legislatures of the various states in but slightly varying form, and the principles are firmly embodied in our law and are set down to guide all of us in the formation of our contractual agreements. Every student of the law memorizes these provisions.

What is known as the 4th section specifies certain classes of contracts which must be evidenced by a signed writing if they are to be enforceable. The first of these is an agreement by an executor or administrator to answer damages out of his own estate. Of course, one holding such a position is not personally bound to pay the debts of the deceased out of his own pocket; but if he does so agree, it must be in writing, if he is to be bound by his promise.

The next class of agreements covered are those "to answer for the debt, default or miscarriage of another." If some third party suffers under an existing, or contemplates a future, liability and you agree with his creditor to make it good for him, that agreement must be evidenced by a writing signed by you if you are to be bound by it. Suppose John Sims comes to you, tells you he has no money, and must have a pair of shoes, and you agree to see that he gets them at the store. You go with him to the storekeeper and say, "Let Sims have a pair of shoes, I will see you paid." By this statement you have become directly and personally liable and it is not within the statute. But if you say, "Let Sims have a pair of shoes, if he doesn't pay you I will." Then this is a contract to answer for the debt of another within the statute and there must be some written memorandum signed by you if the agreement is to be enforceable.

One of the most important of the provisions is that any contract or sale of lands, or any interest in or concerning land, must be evidenced by a signed writing. This is the provision that requires that a contract be in writing for it is with reference to realty. So, too, contracts to buy land, or for mineral rights are within this provision and must be in writing. It is to be noticed that if the contract calls for the delivery of timber or of coal from the lands of the owner by the owner, that is not within this provision, since he himself is to cut or mine it, thus severing it from the land so that it loses its character as realty. But if he sells coal or oil as it lies beneath his farm the contract must be in writing. The same applies to all leases, which are excepted in most of the states.

Of if a contract is not to be performed within a year from the making thereof it must be evidenced by writing to be enforceable. This applies only to contracts which cannot be performed within a year. Thus leases for a period of over a year from the date when they are made, contracts to work for over a year, etc., must be in writing. But if you agree to support Sam Allison for the rest of his life, that contract is not within the statute for, though Sam is but twenty years old and in good health, he may die within a year and thus the contract be performed. True, if you hired Sam Allison to work for

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you for a year and a half he might die and that would end the matter but it would not be a performance of the contract as would the other.

The seventeenth section provides that contracts for the sale of goods, wares and other merchandise for the price of \$50, or over, shall not be good unless there is written evidence signed by the party to be charged, or part delivery and acceptance, or part payment. The amount below which the statute does not apply is varied by the statutes in the various American states which have re-enacted this provision in varying forms.

It is to be noticed that the contract is the agreement, not the writing. The writing is merely evidence of the contract. It may be made at any time after the contract has been agreed upon, up to the time of suit. The writing may not be a formal document to comply with this statute. Any note or memorandum is sufficient as long as it contains all the material terms, as the names of the parties, the subject matter, the consideration given, etc. There may be several papers, as a series of letters or telegrams, so long as they are consistent and connected. The necessary signature of the party to be charged may appear at any point, and may be affixed either by the party himself or his authorized agent. Thus at an auction the auctioneer is the agent of both parties and if his memo contains the essential terms his entry of the names of the parties will amount to the necessary signatures and complete the required writing.

The law of some states requires that some contracts be under seal as well as in writing. In many states seals have been abolished. In all states the tendency is to lessen their effect. The principal reason that makes the seal, of comparatively little import is that it is required only on the most important and formal of contracts, as deeds. The printed forms provided for these instruments include a seal; and further, these are instruments of an importance that requires the services of a competent attorney who is familiar with the requirements of the particular state and will see to it that the necessary formalities are complied with. The simple legal scroll (L. S.) has now been generally substituted for the more formal wax seal. Seals used were not necessary, are merely superfluous.

It should be remembered that all contracts need not be in writing. The general rule is that if no statute requires that the particular kind of contract be in writing it need not be.

and so contracts other than those specified in the statutes may be oral. Of course, even though no writing be required, prudent men frequently draw their contracts in writing that the evidence may be preserved in more permanent and indisputable form should trouble arise. If the matter is of considerable importance, better embody the terms in a letter addressed to the other party, sign it, keep a copy, and see that he replies over his signature accepting the proposal and terms. (Copyright, 1913, by Walter K. Towers.)

Bill Spikes who has been spending several days with relatives in Crosby county returned home Wednesday morning.

Sheriff's Sale
The State of Texas, County of Lubbock. Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the District Court of Potter county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 21st day of February A. D. 1912, in favor of The First National Bank of Canyon and against M. G. Abernathy and Jasper N. Haney, No. 1257 on the docket of said court, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I did, on the 6th day of May A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and belonging to M. G. Abernathy, to-wit: Lots Nos. 15 and 17 in Block 134 and Lot No. 6 in Block 104, all in the original town of Lubbock, in Lubbock county, Texas; on the 6th day of June A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of Lubbock county, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title, and interest of the said M. G. Abernathy, in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of May A. D. 1913.

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