



**HELP NEEDED IN THE RURAL COMMUNITIES**

Grovesville, Jan. 20, 1919.  
To The Avalanches:  
Our war with kaiser flu.  
We all rejoice that our war with Germany is over. But we are now engaged in a still greater warfare, a greater foe to mankind, than ever Germany dared to be. Influenza has invaded our coast and is spreading death and desolation abroad, in our own fair country. He is hurling his poisonous gases in the faces of our people, and dropping his death dealing bombs broadcast over our fair southland. Men women and children are falling victims every day and countless thousands are made to mourn and suffer. He is an invisible foe and comes upon us "like a thief in the night" and "vampire like" fans us while he steals our life away. He is no respecter of persons and takes his toll of the young as well as the old. He takes great delight in fastening his deathly clutches upon the very strongest of our young manhood and holding on with "bull dog" tenacity until he is victorious. He invades our homes and takes the father and sole provider away. He lays his cold iron hand upon the mother and leaves innocent children to suffer. He very often annihilates whole families and leaves no one to tell the tale. I have in mind just now one family, a very near neighbor whom I have known for a number of years. This family was all stricken about the same time. To date death has claimed three of the members, all in a very short while. Fathers and mothers are made to mourn and little children are made orphans. This is only one in-

stance that is brought home to us. Hundreds of just such cases have happened in the country. Now, I know that this family needed for assistance. Are we going to desert? Are we slackers? I know that it requires as much courage to face this disease as it does to "go over the top" in battle, but our duty calls us and somebody must go. When war was declared with Germany men and women cried out all over this country: "Just wait till the Germans land on our coast then I am ready to go." Where are you all? Come on now and help your brother in this conflict. We have some heroes, and heroines. I also have in mind two mothers that braved the cold and risked their lives and that of their family, and attended to the needs of the above mentioned family. They both now are prostrated with this disease. These two women deserve "hero medals" as much so as does the soldier that faced death by going over the top on the battle field in France. Now, this is not the general state of affairs in this country. Our country is thinly settled. It has been bitterly cold and the roads almost impassable. Whole families are in bed all around us. But let us do our duty and not wait on the other fellow. This is an enemy we must fight in the dark. I don't claim to be one of these heroes either. We are all selfish more or less. "It is appointed unto man once to die."  
A Grovesville Citizen.

**NOTICE BIDS WANTED.**

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of February A. D. 1919, the Commissioners Court of Lubbock County will receive bids up to nine A. M. for the installation of a "Flat Book System" for said county. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.  
H. H. MOORE,  
County Judge.

B. O. Groves, who died last week following a sickness of only a few days, was buried Sunday in Lubbock Cemetery.

I have for sale several small bungalows. Small cash payment, balance monthly. Louis A. Robinson.  
(307f)

**STATE DEPOSITORY BILL IS INTRODUCED**

Austin, Texas, Jan. 16.—A State depository bill was introduced in the Senate today by Senators Hopkins, Smith, Westbrook, Alderdice, Buchanan of Scurry and Dudley. The bill provides for a board to be composed of the State Treasurer, Attorney General and Commissioner of Insurance and Banking, to be known as the State Depository Board. The board shall select depositories for State funds for periods of two years by sending out circular letters and inviting bids.

As many depositories as are necessary may be used, but preference must be given the banks offering the highest rate of interest. The banks used as depositories must give security to the State Treasury by depositing in the Treasury bonds or other collateral in amount of one-fifth larger than the deposits they receive. Interest on the deposits to be paid at the end of each month, and additional security may be required at any time.

Officers of the State must deposit daily as collected all funds, and any officer failing to comply will forfeit 5 per cent per month of such funds as are not deposited daily. State officers may deposit directly into the depository or into the State Treasury. Suits may be filed by the Attorney General when necessary. Sufficient funds may be kept in the State Treasury to meet current expenses. Whenever the depository board finds that the Treasury has an excess of funds on hand, such may be invested in United States Treasury Certificates. The depository board has the right to prescribe all rules and regulations. This bill was referred to the Committee on Insurance and Banking.

Senator McNealus introduced a bill fixing salaries for officers and employees of the Bureau of Labor Statistics. By its provisions the Commissioner will be paid \$3,600, his secretary \$2,000, assistant secretary \$1,500, chief deputy \$2,400, eight deputies \$2,000 each, four women inspectors to enforce the child and woman labor laws \$1,800 each, and the chief woman inspector \$2,100 per annum. Traveling expenses are also provided for.

**Other Bills Offered.**  
Other bills were introduced as follows:

By Mr. Bell: To authorize counties, acting through their Commissioners' Courts, to supply free seeds to poor farmers, and prescribing rules and regulations for distributing same. Authorizing counties to use general funds to purchase seeds or to issue warrants.

By Mr. Caldwell: Requiring street cars and interurbans to heat their cars properly and sufficiently during winter months.

By Mr. Williford: Amending procedure in appeals from injunctions wherein appeals shall not suspend injunctions except on special order.

By Mr. Woods: Providing that the Attorney General have a peace officers' manual of laws printed and distributed.

By Mr. Woods: Amending act whereby courts may render sentence in criminal cases, whereby the court is given the option of making sentences accumulative or concurrent when two or more convictions are had.

By Mr. Buchanan of Scurry: Increasing the fees of the General Land Office.

By Mr. Woods: Pertaining to injunctions, providing that appeals from injunction shall not suspend the writ except on special orders.

By Mr. Buchanan of Scurry: Creating a board of examiners for land surveyors, which will issue licenses, fix fees and prohibit those not licensed from operating.

By Mr. Williford: Providing for making bail for those charged with crime after term of court at which tried by making recognizance before Sheriff.

By Mr. Williford: Providing for suits to be brought by State, county or school district jointly against sureties.

Senator Woods introduced a joint

resolution to amend the Constitution to provide that all State, district, county and precinct officers be paid salaries and no fees whatever.

Senator Woods said that an amendment would be added to the resolution providing that all fees collected by such officials be paid into the State Treasury. The amount of the salary of each State official, "the terms and methods of payment and the fund out of which such payments shall be made shall be ascertained, declared and fixed by the Legislature from time to time," the bill says.

By Mr. Sutter: Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution to prohibit the manufacture and sale of malt liquors in Texas.

**House Bills.**

Austin, Texas, Jan. 16.—House bills were introduced today as follows:

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To permit the taking of oral depositions.

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To provide that suit of libel or slander shall not be maintained unless notice of the action shall be filed by the claimant to the adverse party within ninety-five days after the accrual of the cause of action.

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To provide that action for damages, libel or slander can be maintained only in the county where the plaintiff lives at the time of filing suit or where plaintiff lived at the time of the accrual of the cause of action, or in the county of the residence of the defendant.

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To make privileged matter of fair, true and impartial reports of executive and legislative proceedings.

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To revise the civil statutes so as to expedite the counting and the returning of votes.

By Mr. Miller of Dallas: To provide for the consolidation of two or more insurance companies, where one or all have been organized under the laws of this State.

By Mr. Raiden: To make the keeping of billiard and pool tables for profit unlawful.

By Mr. Raiden: To increase the occupation tax on billiard and pool tables.

By Mr. Thompson of Hunt: To provide for the appointing of commissioners, who shall select witnesses to testify in all changes of venue cases.

By Mr. Hornby: To limit the time in which delinquent taxes may be demanded and to bar by limitations all taxes prior to 1910.

**HOLD YOUR BONDS**

If possible, but if compelled to dispose of them, bring them to me. I'll pay you cash for them.

**URA EMBRY**

AT THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

By Mr. Ford: To require all members of the State Ranger force to take the oath of office required of other State officers.

By Mr. Peyton: Making it unlawful after 1920 to bring a delinquent tax suit more than ten years after such taxes become delinquent.

By Mr. John Davis of Dallas: To require the employment of American citizens only on all public works.

By Mr. Beard: To require the exclusive use of the English language in conducting the work of the elementary grades of public, private and parochial schools.

By Mr. Murphy: To permit the return of foreign corporations which were convicted and paid fines for anti-trust violations more than ten years ago.

By Mr. Murphy: To require all carrier concerns to provide heated cars during the winter months. This applies to street cars.

By Mr. Lange: To regulate the practice of optometry.

By Mr. Brady: To regulate the placing of poles, wires, cables and other electrical appliances.

By Mr. Brady: To require that county superintendents of public instruction be holders of permanent certificates.

By Mr. Lange: To provide that private corporations may be formed and chartered to operate garages, with authority to buy and sell automobiles and accessories.

By Mr. Dickson: To permit accident insurance concerns to engage in business on the assessment plan.

By Mr. Dickson: To levy an occupation tax on billiard and pool parlors.

By Messrs. Hornsby and Beard: To permit fraternal benefit insurance to be issued for children between the ages of 1 and 18.

By Mr. Laney: To repeal the statute which makes the sale of a pistol illegal in Texas.

**SPECIAL OFFER TO RE-TURNIN GSOLDIER BOYS**

All the boys who enlisted in the army, whether they went to France, England, Italy or stayed in the home camps, will be admitted into the Woodman Lodge at Lubbock, if physically qualified, by paying \$1.00 Camp Fee, and \$1.00 for examination by the Camp Physician. You should have an insurance policy, and the W. O. W. is one of the best.

Let me have your application now.  
A. JUDD, Deputy,  
For Lubbock and Adjoining Counties.  
(301)

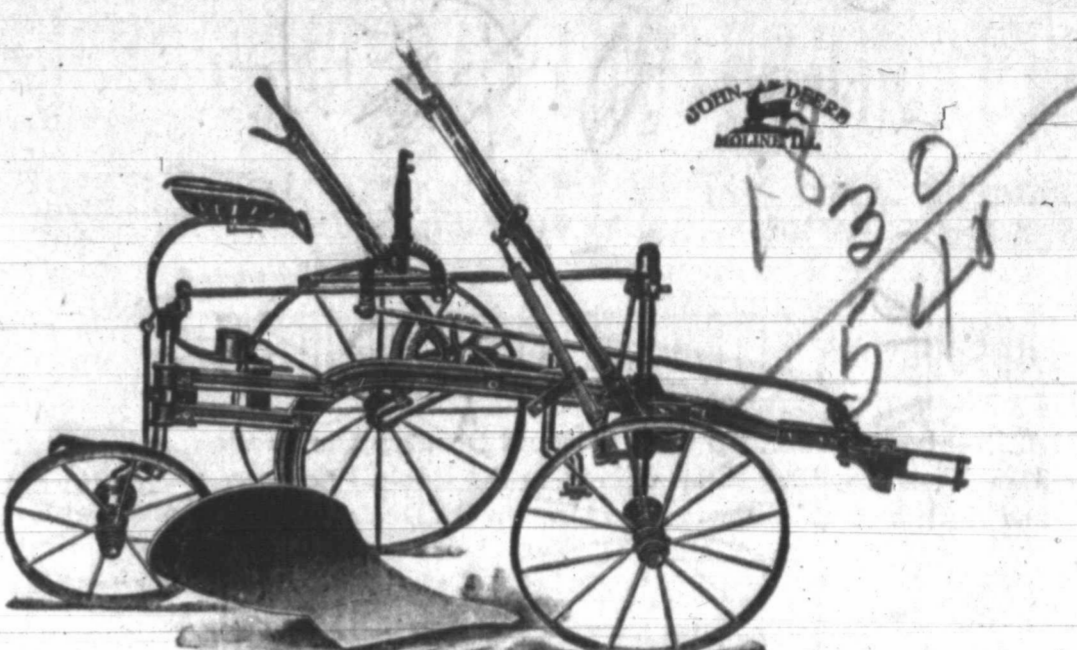
**NOTICE TO SUSPENDED WOODMEN**

All former Woodmen of the World who went suspended for non-payment of dues on account of the drought and war conditions will be re-instated if physically fit, by paying a camp fee of \$1.00 and \$1.00 for medical examination.  
A. JUDD, Deputy,  
For Lubbock and Adjoining Counties.  
(301)

H. S. Stokes and wife of Ortega, Fla., arrived in town the first of the week, and are visiting with acquaintances and relatives near Lubbock.

William Thomas Ardis, nineteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ardis, living near Meadow, was buried in the Lubbock Cemetery Monday. Death was caused by pneumonia.

**Plowing Time is Here**



**And to do the Best Work You Need Good Tools**

The Jno. Deere Sulky and Jno. Deere Disc Plows are the leaders in each class. If you are in need of a breaking plow come to see us. We have Sulkies, Disc Plows and walking breaking plows and can fit you up. Also we have the Jno. Deere Prairie Gem Rod Plows. They are the best for breaking sod.

Jno. Deere disc harrows are more easily handled, do better work and last longer.

Let us show you the Jno. Deere four horse sulky lister and planter. The shape of the mold board and the fact that the wheels are well forward of the lister bottom make the draft lighter and they do better work.

We are the headquarters for all kinds of farm tools, harness, and general farm equipment.

Come to see us we can save you money.

**The Western Windmill Co.**

Telephone 127

**"Lasses Feed"**

COLD PRESSED CAKE  
PEANUT CAKE  
BRAN  
COTTON SEED MEAL

**DAVIDSON FEED STORE**

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**A Ten-Ounce Heart**

is the average size. This may seem small, but it is partly accounted for by the fact that the average is kept down by the uninsured.

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SECRETARY.  
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That's all but it's in the price and quality. We never lose a bill that we get a chance at 'Nuf Sed.

**FARMERS GROCERY**

North Side Square J. E. GARRISON, Prop. Phone 12

**Fresh Vegetables**

**TWICE A WEEK**

We are now receiving shipments of nice fresh vegetables twice each week, and will be in position to furnish you with the best on the market in this line. Remember our stock of General Groceries is always complete, and our prices attractive.

Call for S. & H. Green Stamps.

**Hugh L. Henry Grocery Company**

NORTH SIDE SQUARE PHONE 594

# ECONOMY DAY!

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## Saturday Jan. 25th

Next Saturday is the day of extra value giving at this store. This day will mark the beginning of a series of one day economy events to be held each Saturday following until further notice. Read the "Saturday Wonders" listed below and the special values prepared "Just for Saturday." Read every one of them and be sure to come early Saturday and share in the Economy Day opportunities in various sections of this store.

Just for Saturday	SATURDAY WONDERS	Just for Saturday
\$1.75 men's ribbed union suits <b>\$1.29</b>	<p>A special lot of well made indigo blue overalls for men, all sizes <b>\$1.75</b></p> <p>1 Buckle overshoes for men <b>\$1.75</b></p> <p>\$8.50 Wool plaid blankets <b>\$5.95</b></p> <p>35c grade bleached domestic <b>25c yd.</b></p> <p>27½c Brown Domestic <b>19c yd.</b></p> <p>10-4 Bleached Sheeting <b>65c yd.</b></p> <p>9-4 Bleached Sheeting <b>62½c yd.</b></p> <p>A lot of unbleached canton flannel <b>15c yd.</b></p> <p>E. Z. Union Suits for children, all sizes <b>95c</b></p> <p>A lot children's wool sweaters at <b>30 per cent off.</b></p>	All wool Serges, \$2.50 grade, navy, green, grey, burgundy, etc, at per yard only <b>\$1.79</b>
\$2.50 Men's heavy ribbed union suits at <b>\$1.85</b>		\$2.25 Serges, popular shades <b>\$1.48</b>
\$1.00 Men's Heavy ribbed underwear <b>75c</b>		Wool Charmoise, \$3.00 grade at per yard <b>\$2.15</b>
Lot of boys ribbed union suits <b>69c</b>		\$2.25 wool poplin, yd. <b>\$1.45</b>
\$8.50 Flannel Overshirts <b>\$5.95</b>		85c Cotton plaids, yd. <b>59c</b>
\$7.50 Flannel overshirts <b>\$5.45</b>		45c Cotton plaids, yd. <b>29c</b>
\$5.00 Flannel Overshirts <b>\$3.95</b>		40c Bleached Domestic, best grade, at yard <b>32½c</b>
\$3.50 Men's Sweaters <b>\$2.59</b>		35c Bleached Canton Flannel at <b>25c</b>
\$4.50 Men's wool sweaters <b>\$3.35</b>		35c India Linen, yd. <b>25c</b>
Lot of Men's Elastic Seam Drawers at <b>59c</b>		Lot of wool caps <b>25 per cent off</b>
Lot of Jersey Sweaters for men and boys at <b>59c</b>	Lot of \$5.50 and \$6.00 woolnap blankets <b>\$4.35</b>	
\$1.25 Men's Heavy Wool Hose <b>89c</b>	Women's 1 Buckle overshoes <b>\$1.45</b>	
35c Men's Hose, black only <b>25c</b>		

We are Offering What is Left Over  
In Our Ready-to-Wear Department

NEW STYLES IN GIRLS' COATS



Including Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists  
at a saving of---

**From 25% to 50%**

THIS IS POSITIVELY THE  
FINAL CLEAN UP

ON THIS SEASON'S READY-TO-WEAR FOR  
WOMEN—COME AND TAKE ADVANTAGE



# C. H. Grollman & Co.

The Store of the Plains

INCORPORATED

Lubbock, Texas



# THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

## HALF PRICE SALE

**1 Price**  
**2 Sale**

After a long three-weeks, being shut up inventory taking we are now open and are glad to announce a

### Half Price Sale

**1 Price**  
**2 Sale**

Beginning Saturday January 25 and closing February 15

THERE ARE SO MANY ITEMS WE WON'T ENUMERATE THEM BUT YOU WILL FIND:

NOTIONS	UNDERWEAR	THINGS
PIECE GOODS	WOMEN'S HATS	PRICED 1-2
SILKS	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	FROM EVERY
CORSETS	WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR	DEPARTMENT

MEN'S HATS  
 MEN'S CAPS  
 MEN'S CLOTHING  
 BOYS' CLOTHING  
 MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES

**BEGINS**  
**SATURDAY**  
**JANUARY 25**

LACES  
 EMBROIDERY  
 HOSIERY  
 BLANKETS  
 COMFORTS

The Barrier Brothers old stand has been closed and we have consolidated the stocks on the west side of the square. This is now an immense stock of goods and you will find the biggest bargains possible for the bulk of the goods were bought in 1917, before prices went up too. The quality of the goods made then was better.

### DON'T MISS THIS

At Mallard Sisters' old stand we shall remain open and you'll find in the Women's Ready-to-Wear Department there these extra special prices---

### Just One Half Price

As many items as possible will be put on at this price for this is to be a half price sale. We believe in the policy of a clean stock. This is the way to clean it, by putting a price on it that will make it move.

**1 Price**  
**2 Sale**

Not every item will be put on at a reduced price, but many heavy reductions are to be made even though we can't make the price 1/2.

### LOOK FOR THE RED TAGS

Green Stamps given on all sales. Ask for them. Start your book today. We've tried this proposition long enough now to know that it is a good thing for both ourselves and customers, else we'd have quit it when the business was changed.

**1 Price**  
**2 Sale**

## BARRIER BROS. DRY GOODS COMPANY

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

Stores at Brownfield and Floydada, Texas

# ANNOUNCEMENT

I have purchased the Hopkins Drug Store and am now in charge of same just as soon as it is possible to do so I will refill every department with the best lines of drugs and drug sundries to be bought on the market. It is my intention to give unsurpassed service and I cordially ask that you give me a share of your patronage. Come to see me.

## FLOYD BEALL, Drugs

Phone 22

Hopkins' Old Stand.

Lubbock, Texas.

### LAFOLLETTE IS RELEASED ON DISLOYALTY CHARGE

Washington, Jan. 16—The senate voting 50 to 21 today adopted the resolution and election committee recommending that no ground be taken for the disloyalty charges brought against Senator La Follette of Wisconsin because of a statement made by him September 20, 1918, before the non-partisan league of St. Paul. Senator La Follette showed no undue expression on his face or in his features at the decision.

O. O. Gray of Crosbyton, was in town the first of the week.

### CAUSE OF HEAVY CASUALTY TO THIRTY-SIXTH GIVEN

The cause of the heavy casualties in the 36th division in the battle of the Argonne was stated before the house of representatives at Washington Tuesday in a resolution introduced by Representative Campbell. The cause of the loss of life as given in the report was improper support, not supplied with ammunition and improper support in the air.

Mr. Frank McElroy and sister, Mrs. S. J. Dawson, of Wilton, Iowa, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. McElroy.

### REPORTS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS AT TEXAS POINTS

Weather reports from Texas points under date of the 16th indicate that considerable territory was covered by snow on that date, or moisture of some nature.

Weatherford—An inch of snow fell here yesterday afternoon and last night.

Colorado—This section received a ten-inch snow here last night and today, all of which has melted.

Waxahachie—Considerable sleet fell here last night and rain has been falling practically all day.

Hillsboro—A thick carpet of snow covered the ground here today and snow was still falling tonight.

Denton—A steady rain fell here all day today. Wheat is being seriously damaged by the excessive rainfall.

Ennis—Rain has fallen here almost continually for the last twenty-four hours. Sleet fell for a short time.

Cleburne—A nine-inch snow fell here up to tonight and indications point to a continuation of the snowfall throughout the night.

McKinney—A steady rain has fallen here since early last night. Farmers are complaining that the continued rains are hindering them from preparing their land for this year's crop.

Gainesville—Rain which began here last night has fallen for more than twelve hours. The 1918 cotton crop gained to Jan. 1 in Cooke County totaled 14,773 bales, slightly more than half the 1917 crop.

Waco—Rainfall for the last two days here, up to 7 this morning, totaled nearly an inch. The precipitation was fairly general throughout McLennan County. The rain here this morning was mixed with snow.

San Angelo—The total snowfall here for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning was thirteen inches and there was a light fall for some time after that time. Much of the snow had melted by late afternoon.

Snyder—Five inches of snow fell here Wednesday evening and last night. The temperature at no time was below 35 degrees above zero. The snow has practically all melted. It was an unusually wet snow and gives a good season to the land.

Ahrens—Snow fell without a let-up here for twenty-five hours ending at 10 o'clock this morning. The temperature was barely freezing. This snow will be of great benefit to wheat, which had begun to suffer from continued freezing.

Santa Anna—This county has been visited by a heavy snowstorm. Snow fell for forty hours, melting as it fell for several hours and measured seventeen inches today on the level. This will insure the largest small grain crop ever grown in this county it is believed.

Plainview—Before the heavy snow of Dec. 22 has melted another snow is falling and already the ground is covered in the places where the snow

had thawed. It has been many years since this country had such a winter season, and wheat growers are feeling jubilant.

Temple—This city was visited by a snowstorm of short duration today. The snow melting, however, as fast as it fell. It has been raining at intervals here for the last three days with no indications of clearing up. Farmers are well pleased with weather conditions and are looking forward to a bumper crop year in Bell County.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM RALLS BANNER

The Banner is sorry to note that owing to pressure of unfavorable conditions, the Star Drug Store made an assignment last week for the benefit of creditors. We understand the liabilities are something like \$9,000. Just what the assets amount to, we are unable to learn at this time. It is hoped matters will be arranged so that the business can be continued.

The weather man has been giving us some very pretty weather during the past week, and as a result the snow has almost entirely disappeared, and should old Sol continue on the job, and the icy winds stay confined in the north for a reasonable length of time, farmers will be able to gather the remainder of their cotton, thus adding considerably to their bank accounts and relieving the troublesome clamor of creditors.

That a flood of immigrants will flow to the Plains in the early spring, there is no doubt. Conditions now point to 1919 as being one among the most prosperous years in the history of this section. Not for several years has Mother Earth contained such a splendid bottom season, and as is well known, a bottom season is about two thirds of the battle in making a crop.

Paul Stockton left this week for LaFayette, Ind., his old home. Some time ago Mr. Stockton was kicked by a horse, as a result of which his leg was broken. It seems that the limb was improperly set, and while it knitted together left him a cripple. One motive of his trip is to enter a sanitarium at LaFayette, where it is his intention to have the leg broken and reset in the hope that his crippled condition may be remedied.

Edison Mazda Electric light globes. Cole-Myrick Hardware and Implement

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Cheap, quick way to stop rheumatism

Try toning your digestive and eliminative organs with NR. Free your body from poisonous waste and relief is quick.

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Are you willing to be convinced that sore, stiff, aching joints or muscles can be relieved and rheumatism greatly benefited if not entirely conquered, for the insignificant sum of 25c.

Sounds too good to be true, doesn't it? You've tried the high priced and expensive things, found that they failed, you still have your trouble, why not try a simple, economical, safe, reliable plan, and let results speak for themselves?

Just get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and begin taking it tonight. It acts on the digestive and eliminative organs, improves digestion and assimilation, cleanses the body of accumulated waste, impurities and poisons. With good digestion and assimilation, the best is nourished and vitality and natural

power of resistance against disease greatly increased. With the kidneys and bowels acting vigorously and regularly and the body freed from irritating poisons, relief must come.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) though mild and gentle in action, does its work thoroughly and quickly, nothing to upset the stomach, and no gripping pain or any disagreeable results. The only result is pleasant, glorious, welcome relief and benefit.

So you take no risk in doing so for Nature's Remedy costs only 25c (contains 25 tablets—five days), and is sold with the distinct understanding that it must relieve and benefit or money back. More than one million people in this country are using Nature's Remedy today. Five million boxes are used every year. What better proof is there that it could be cured? It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by the druggist?

FLOYD BEALL, DRUGS, LUBBOCK.



NR Tonight—Tomorrow Feel Right Get a 25c Box

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM LAMESA REPORTER

This week we must chronicle the death of Charley Still which occurred Tuesday. He had only been sick for a few days with Flu and pneumonia. His remains were shipped to Childress, the old home for burial. Mrs. Still's father, Mr. King and family live at Childress.

School opened again Monday, and whether it has to close again remains to be seen. We certainly hope for the best but it is our opinion that there will be more deaths from now till spring than we have had. However we had not been near any one that we knew of that had Flu, nor in any assembly or loafing place we could avoid when 3, yes 4 of our family took it. Be on the safe side and avoid it is the advice and we say amen.

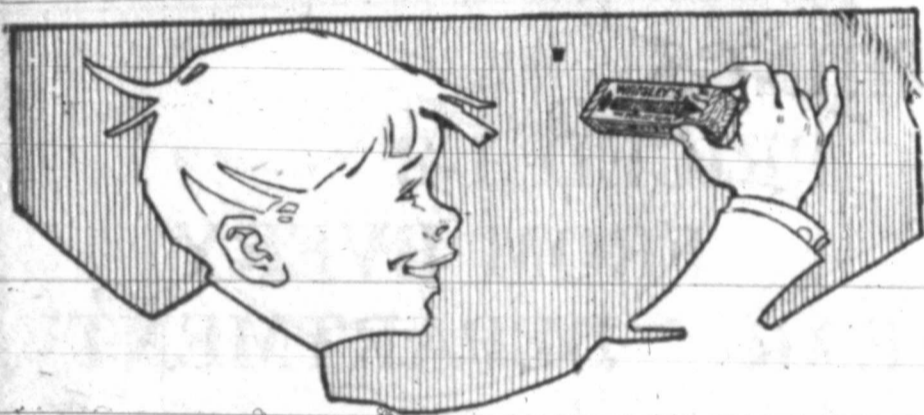
Ye editor has tried twice to get back to the office for duty, but twice has had to return home and go to bed again. This is the meanest disease any mortal has to deal with. It looks like you can't get over it at all. We are up now, however, and hope to stay on our feet.

Fred Harden, a barber with Jess Walker, died on Tuesday. Fred was a trail young man in appearance. He took Flu and soon succumbed to its terrible poison.

Young Mr. Horace Wright who was operator at the depot and made many friends here died the past week at Littlefield with the flu.

Mr. Jones whom it will be remembered was sick here last summer for treatment for heart trouble died this week in the country with the flu.

A Mr. Croft, as near as we could get the name, died this week with the flu.



Be Sure to Get

## WRIGLEY'S

THE wax-wrapped sealed package with WRIGLEY'S upon it is a guarantee of quality.

The largest chewing-gum factories in the world—the largest selling gum in the world: that is what WRIGLEY'S means.

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The Flavor Lasts!

## Art Squares and Rugs

Cedar Chests, Harness and Auto-Top Repairing. We excel. Have we had the pleasure of proving it to you?

## Moore Brothers

North Side Square

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Lubbock, Texas

# If You Buy Grain Hay or Coal

either wholesale or retail we have a price that saves you money. And we are always ready to meet the demands of the occasion. Kindly remember to see us before you make a purchase.

**Jackson Brothers**  
Lubbock, Texas

D. Whitley, a young man living near Lubbock, who has just underwent a successful operation for appendicitis, is convalescing.

T. C. Ivy, of Yoakum County, was in town transacting business the first of the week.

## CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver and you lose a day's work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic—a perfect substitute for calomel.

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## "VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN" TO BE NAME OF NEXT ISSUE

Washington, Jan. 16.—The name of the next war loan will be "The Victory Liberty Loan," Secretary Glass announced today. The exact date in the spring when it is to be floated has not been fixed.

The honor flag of the loan will bear a blue "V" on a white field surrounded by a red border, the "V" indicating both five and "Victory."

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE BILL UP IN HOUSE

Austin, Jan. 15.—The woman suffrage amendment was brought before the House in House joint resolution No. 2, introduced by Tillotson of Austin County. The resolution calls for an election on May 24, the same date provided for the prohibition amendment election, and it was referred to the committee on constitutional amendments.

## BIGGEST SUB IS TURNED OVER; IS BOAT U-139

Paris, Jan. 16.—The German submarine U-139 has arrived at Brest, a fortnight later than the other submarines, which were turned over to France owing to her damaged condition.

She is the world's largest submarine. She made only one cruise before the armistice was signed.

## RECONSTRUCTION SESSION OF TEXAS LEGISLATURE

Austin, Texas, Jan. 16.—The Thirty-Sixth session of the Texas Legislature has already been referred to as the Reconstruction Session, on account of the number of constitutional amendments that are to be considered. Much of the important legislation calls for constitutional amendments, and there is talk of a constitutional convention, although politicians are rather non-committal upon the subject.

A summary of the matters that are expected to be considered shows as most important:

- The woman suffrage amendment.
- The prohibition amendment.
- Oil and oil field legislation.
- State depository bill.
- Agricultural department changes.
- Decreasing state boards or commissions.
- Budget bill.
- Creation of a board of control for state institutions.

- Homestead law amendment.
- Judiciary reforms.
- Highway law amendments.
- Land reclamation measures.
- Revision of State University and A. and M. College matters.

Recommendations by heads of various departments will be considered as practically every member of the Legislature has some idea which he hopes to crystallize into a law.

It is expected that the session will be marked by an unusual degree of harmony, and most of the legislation is considered to be constructive.

Predictions are that the prohibition and woman suffrage amendments will be disposed of during the early part of the session in order to clear the way for constructive measures. It is also predicted that both these amendments will be submitted to the people by the legislature. What effect the large number of amendments to be considered will have upon later ones to be taken up remains yet to be seen.

It is considered probable the harmonious and concerted action on many of the measures will allow the completion of all the work of the legislature within ninety days.

There is also every indication that the legislature will carry out the platform recommendations of the Waco convention. Included in these are the woman suffrage, the prohibition, and the alien suffrage amendments, judiciary school, and election reforms, and drought relief legislation.

## THIRTY-SIXTH DIVISION MAY LAND IN TEXAS

Austin, Texas, Jan. 16.—Disembarkation of the thirty-sixth division at Galveston upon their return from France is requested in the House concurrent resolution adopted by the house today.

Mrs. J. E. Coffee was taken to the Lubbock sanitarium for treatment first of the week.—Hale Center Record.

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## A FEW ITEMS FROM THE SLATON SLATONITE

A big bunch of fine Grayson County folks moved to Slaton last week with their immigrant cats, five families in all coming in one party. Their cars were unloaded Monday, and they will soon all be at home on the land Mr. L. B. Olive purchased just south of Slaton.

In the party were L. B. Olive and his son-in-law, B. F. Jones and J. L. Drewery, and their families, and Mr. Olive's brother, J. M. Olive, and his son-in-law, J. A. Tucker, and their families.

Mr. L. B. Olive last fall purchased just south of Slaton 1,600 acres of as fine land as can be found anywhere, and these families will make quite a neighborhood of their own on that land. The land had some improvements, other houses have built and further work will be done on the land until it is improved with the best farms on the Plains. The land is in what might be termed the shallow water district of this portion of the South Plains.

R. J. Murray came home from Burk Burnett yesterday and reports splendid progress with the Slaton Lubbock Oil Co. well. He expects to get the drill started next week. The Burk Burnett field is growing in leaps and bounds, says Mr. Murray, and in six weeks has doubled itself. The oil business there is too large to comprehend, and the production of oil is increasing every day.

W. O. Davis died at his home in South Slaton last Friday night of pneumonia. He had been sick only three or four days. His wife took the body back to their old home in Grayson County, for burial. Mr. Davis was a Southland farmer and he had moved to Slaton to work in McDonald's Gin during the winter. He was a cousin of Mrs. J. S. Edwards.

Monte Bowron is making a business trip to Brownfield this week.

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## TROOPS IN AMERICA ORDERED DISCHARGED

Washington, Jan. 16.—Demobilization of combat units in the United States has been ordered. General March, chief of staff, told the House Military Committee today. This means, he added, that every unit of the army in the United States, with the exception of two regular regiments held for police duty at each camp, has been ordered demobilized.

Secretary Baker supplemented General March's statement by saying it was hoped to get the flow of troops homeward from Europe up to between 200,000 and 300,000 men a month. He could not forecast definitely when the entire army would be returned, but said that with the alteration of thirty cargo vessels to carry troops the rapidity of the movement could be increased.

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W. F. Porsch and W. P. Jones of Slaton, were in town the first of this week.

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### COKE'S SHERIFF CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

San Angelo, Jan. 17.—L. J. Cowart, sheriff of Coke County, was in the Tom Green County jail here last night awaiting arrival of Constable E. W. Eeves, for the present Coke County's only acting officer. A complaint charging embezzlement was filed against Cowart at Robert Lee yesterday, after the County Commissioners on Tuesday had declared his office vacant. Almost \$4,000 is said to be missing.

Cowart will be taken to Robert Lee today. He has lived there ten

### FRENCH STEAMER STRIKES MINE; 500 SINK BELOW

Rome, Jan. 17.—The French Steamer Chaproni struck a floating mine in the Straits of Messina, sinking in a few minutes. Five hundred passengers, mostly Greeks, Serbians and Russians have been drowned. Another steamer has saved 150 of those on board.

E. E. Warren of Plainview, was in town the first of the week.

### A FEW NEWS ITEMS FROM LYNN COUNTY NEWS

Sunday morning the Swan home was the scene of the wildest excitement when the cry of fire sent the town hurrying to the rescue. The fire started on top of the linen closet in the bath room. A box of Christmas decorations was entirely destroyed and a lot of other things badly damaged. A hole was burned entirely through the top of the closet before the fire was discovered. The only theory of its origin is that the oil heater in the bathroom furnished the spark that set things going. When the heater was lighted it was turned too high and the air vent was left closed. Carefully handled an oil heater is a great comfort, but they are a menace to safety when carelessly managed. The helpers were so prompt in their arrival and the cistern furnished a handy water supply and what might have been the tragedy of a lost home, turned out to be a little strenuous exercise and neighborly excitement.

The First National Bank held their annual election of officers Tuesday, re-electing the present incumbents as follows: O. L. Slaton, Pres.; W. D. Nevels and A. L. Lockwood, Vice Pres.; W. B. Slaton, Cashier; W. C. Wells, Asst. Cashier; W. C. Wells was also added to the board of directors.

Mrs. R. B. Haynes received a message Tuesday stating that her mother, Mrs. C. J. Hargis, had died at her home in Kimmiswick, Mo. Mrs. Haynes was in Lubbock at the time and the message was telephoned to her in that city. A host of friends in Tahoka and surrounding country will deeply sympathize with her in the loss of her mother. She was notified of the death too late to reach Kimmiswick to attend the burial.

At the regular meeting of the Stockholders of the Guaranty State Bank the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: A. D. Shook, Pres.; J. A. Brashear, Vice-Pres.; Frank H. Weaver, Cashier; Directors elected were: A. D. Shook, J. A. Brashear, S. D. Sanders, W. A. Waller, Frank H. Weaver.

### YOUNG WOMAN KILLS SELF IN GORMAN HOTEL

Gorman, Texas, Jan. 17.—A young woman about twenty years old shot and killed herself in a local hotel Wednesday night. She and a man were registered at the hotel as man and wife, having come here from Cisco Wednesday afternoon.

The man is now under arrest. It is said the young woman sent her companion from the room for water and fired the fatal shot while he was out.

Officers are trying to locate relatives of the young woman, who are said to live near Gainesville, Texas. W. D. MacMillan shipped one car of hogs to Ft. Worth the first of the week. Mr. MacCauley of the Shallowater community was in town the first of the week transacting business.

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### ONE CANDLE WOULD BURN 5,250 YEARS

Washington.—The signing of the armistice left the American Expeditionary Forces with a quantity of candles aggregating 7,600,000 pounds or forty-six million individual candles, the War Department reported recently.

Each candle burns ten hours and on this basis a statistical expert from the subsistence division has figured that the quantity of candles on hand is sufficient to burn one candle continuously 5,250 years.

The primary use of the candles was to furnish light in the trenches and dugouts, but there is also a very extensive use for them in billets and camps. The supply on hand probably is no greater than the amount necessary to meet the requirements of the army for the immediate future—Chicago Tribune.

### GOVERNOR HOBBY NAMES MILITARY STAFF PERSONNEL

Austin, Jan. 18.—Governor Hobby Saturday afternoon announced the appointment of his personal military staff. This is the personnel of the staff:

Leroy A. Smith, Fort Worth; Winchester Kelso, San Antonio; B. Deutscher, Beaumont; Clint Woods, Wichita Falls; J. L. Hamon, Ranger; Frank Andrews, Houston; C. M. Fanning, Marlin; W. P. Wofford, Dallas; F. A. Chapa, San Antonio; Andrian Pool, El Paso; H. M. Farrier, Omaha, Morris County; E. W. Marshall, Waco; Hamp Abney, Sherman; J. L. Hunter, Austin; James E. Lacy, Austin; Maj. W. N. Mayfield, Houston; Lieut. Col. R. E. Webb, San Antonio, and Maj. E. M. Reardon, Dallas.

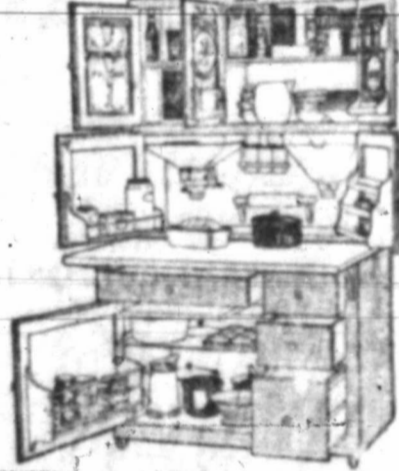
The last named three are from the Texas National Guard, while the others are from civilian life.

### K. CARTER BUYS BROWN. FIELD MERCANTILE STOCK

K. Carter last week purchased the stock of merchandise owned by the Brownfield Mercantile Company, at Brownfield, and will conduct the business under the firm name of K. Carter's Store. This is one of the largest if not the largest stock of merchandise in Brownfield, and Mr. Carter will no doubt enjoy a liberal patronage among the Terry county people. The business at that place will

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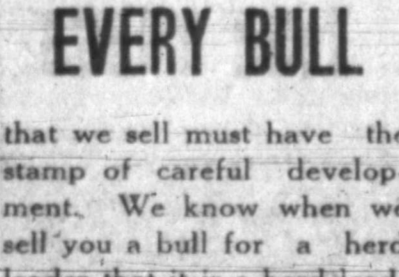
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## HEAVY SNOWFALL IN WESTERN TEXAS

San Angelo, Jan. 17.—Sleigh riding and snow-balling were popular sports in San Angelo and all West Texas Thursday. One of the heaviest snows in history hid the ground to a depth of from eight to fifteen inches. The snow began falling before daylight Wednesday morning and by night had totalled three and a half inches. It melted as it fell. Nine and a half inches came down Wednesday night, however, and did not begin to melt until almost noon Thursday. Feed is scarce on many

reaches and it will not be surprising if losses among cattle and sheep are heavy. The benefit derived from the moisture, which amounts to 1.36 inches, will be inestimable.

Hico, Texas, Jan. 17.—After about twenty-four hours slow rain, snow began falling here and continued for twenty-six hours, but melted almost as fast as it fell. There is now less than four inches of snow on the ground.

Roads are almost impassable. Rural mail delivery was stopped.

Hamilton, Texas, Jan. 17.—Snow has been falling here two days and nights. The snow is about six inches deep.

Menard, Texas, Jan. 17.—At least ten inches of snow has fallen here in the past twenty-four hours, and it is still snowing. A large acreage has been planted in small grain in this county and this snow is of vast benefit to same.

Baird, Texas, Jan. 17.—It began snowing Wednesday about noon and continued for more than twenty-four hours, covering the ground to a depth of eight inches. It is melting very fast.

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## IN MEMORY OF ED COPELAND, DECEASED

On Sunday evening, January 5th, 1919, Ed Copeland, son of Judge W. N. and Martha Copeland, of Lubbock, Texas, died at his home near Tatum, N. M., after a brief illness of influenza and pneumonia.

Ed, as we were wont to call him, was born in Bosque County, Texas, on April 21st, 1875, and moved to Runnels County with his parents in early infancy, when it was indeed the frontier, and grew to manhood there. He was married to Miss Larrie Clayton, of Runnels County, and of this union one child, a daughter, Edith, was born, who with her mother, survive him.

He leaves in addition to his wife and daughter his mother and father, Judge and Mrs. W. N. Copeland, a sister, Mrs. G. M. Cosby of Lubbock, Texas, and four brothers, Otis R., and Harry Copeland of Terry County, Chas. Copeland of California, and W. N. Copeland of Tatum, N. M., to mourn his loss.

The deceased was a pioneer by nature and moved to Lubbock county in 1901 when it was a frontier county, being one hundred miles from the nearest railroad. About eight years ago his love for the frontier caused him to dispose of his property in Lubbock County and move further on, and he settled near Tatum, N. M. where he resided at the time of his death. He was a man of rare humor and always saw the bright and funny side of things. His laugh was contagious and his wit was a sparkling and pleasant addition to the entertainment of a crowd.

The deceased was ever an honorable and law abiding citizen, assisting in maintaining law and order in every community in which he resided. He was a good man in all the term implies. He was fair, honest and just in all his dealings, and was a good juror, a man to whom litigants were pleased to submit their controversies, and was often selected as an arbitrator of disputes and differences among his neighbors.

He united with the Baptist church at Ballinger in early manhood. The writer knew him from his childhood and can bear testimony to his upright and honorable character.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bacon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Wolfarth.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hunt.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt.

Percy Spencer went to Tahoka the first of this week.

## BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM TEXAS MILITARY CAMPS

Examinations were begun last week preliminary to the discharge of most of the soldiers at Camp John Wise, Balloon School, San Antonio. Discharges have been under way for several days at Brooks Field, San Antonio, and only a small garrison force is to be kept at either field. Kelly Field No. 1 is also on the verge of a general demobilization, but Kelly Field No. 2 will probably be retained with some improvements, according to present indications.

The 1st Battalion and headquarters company, 43rd Infantry, will form the permanent guard at Camp MacArthur.

Rich Field aviation cadets last week began a garrison school for officers of the flying corps, a corps of machinists and instructors being retained here.

Twenty-seven children of Waco were the guests of the men at the Remount Unit of Camp MacArthur at a Christmas party which will never be forgotten by the little ones, a real Santa Claus telephoning to the kiddies just a few minutes before he arrived.

Serving in the army since 1898 without missing a roll call, answering a sick call, or being in the guard house, Sgt. Thurlow Smith is nearing the period when he can retire from the regular army on a life pension, that will make him independent and he is but 41 years old. This incident is making men at Camp Logan think of the possibilities of soldiering as a life work. Sergeant Smith has a son recently discharged from the army with the grade of Sergeant.

Y. M. C. A. men stationed at Camp Logan are doing a lot of traveling these days with units being sent to other camps for discharge. The Y. M. C. A. men are arranging games, keeping the soldiers doing something every minute, and bringing them to the end of the trip in fine condition.

Only about 6,000 men are left at Camp Logan as the result of transfers to other camps, but the future of the camp is uncertain. Many men from overseas are arriving for treatment in the Base Hospital. The 57th Infantry has been sent to Camp Pike and the 43rd Infantry has been sent up, one battalion each going to Fort Worth and Waco, and one staying here. The 79th and 80th Infantry and other units of the 15th Division are still here.

Large numbers of stock buyers are attending the auction of several horses and mules at Camp Logan Remount Station.

Elmer Donnell, field director for the Red Cross at Camp Logan for some time has been made camp service director for the Southern Department with headquarters at St. Louis.

Maj. Gen. B. B. Buck, Commander of Camp MacArthur, formerly colonel of the 28th Infantry, had a reunion with his old regiment while commanding a brigade at Berry, Lesec. He won the French War Cross with palm and the American Medal of Honor.

In a test recently ordered by the War Department in the replacement camp at Camp MacArthur, 95 per cent out of 5,000 soldiers ran 100 yards in 15 seconds.

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### D. P. PECK MOVES TO LUBBOCK TO RESIDE

D. P. Peck, of Andrews county, father of Claude Peck, of this city, has recently moved here with his family, and will occupy the residence built by Rev. J. E. Chase in the northwest part of town. He recently purchased this property of Rev. Chase. The Avalanche is pleased to welcome this family to our city.

### CASCARETS' WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels—Take Cascarets tonight.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, four gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret to-night will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.

### ROAD BOND ISSUE FOR HALE COUNTY PROPOSED

A proposition was put up to the commissioners' court at its meeting this week, to issue bonds and build approximately one hundred miles of perfect concrete roads across the county both ways—north and south, and east and west. The estimated cost of this road program is \$12,000 a mile, or about \$1,200,000 for the entire project. It is argued that three-fourths of this amount could be secured from the federal and state highway funds as on like road projects the federal government has been appropriating 50 per cent and the state 25 per cent. This would leave the county's expense between \$250,000 and \$300,000—Plainview News.

Friends and acquaintances of Mrs. A. P. Seitz formerly of this place, but now living in Bowie, Texas, will be pleased to hear of improvement in her health, which has been critical the past few months.

On account of the recent advance in market quotations on live stock, numerous shipments of cattle and hogs out of this county left for Fort Worth this week.

### ESTACADO'S EARLY DAYS

GEO. M. HUNT  
Lubbock, Texas.

The following poem was written for the Crosbyton Review, and was published in that paper last week. The Review is publishing a history of Crosby County and in addition to much information given by Mr. Hunt he contributed the following poem which we are glad to reproduce in the Avalanche:

How oft our fancy takes us back,  
Along life's well remembered track  
Thru buried years, to long ago,  
And great old friends we used to know.

Thus, pleasant memory remains,  
Of Estacado on the plains,  
Where we would share each others joys,  
From old folks, down to girls and boys.

We also found, these early days,  
Brought trials to us in many ways,  
Provisions were so far away,  
That some were short most any day.

O'er Colorado's sandy roads,  
We often passed with four-horse loads  
Sometimes we had steep hills to climb,  
And we would double teams each time.

Upon the ground we made our bed,  
When stars were twinkling overhead,  
And we would spend a cheerful night  
Beneath fair Luna's mellow light.

Much needed goods, we must obtain,  
And often went thru mud and rain,  
When we were short on things to eat,  
We neither stopped for snow nor sleet.

And some would start without delay,  
With grub to eat while on the way,  
And thru the snow or summer rains,  
We made these trips upon the plains.

We often went for loads of wood,  
And always camped where grass was good,  
We sometimes took a steak to fry,  
Some coffee, cakes and apple pie.

And we would sit awhile at night,  
Around a fire warm and bright,  
About our camp when it was dark,  
We plainly heard the coyotes bark.

Also the antelope and deer,  
Would very often venture near,  
While moving round to get a gun,  
They always started on a run.

In passing over Texas plains,  
Thru solitudes where silence reigns

## Conserving Force

Is the only dependable method of progress. In your youth, when the heart beats quick and strong it is well for us to be alert, accumulate and conserve. If we but do this old age will have no terrors. And a bank account is your best protection. Bank with us.

# Lubbock State Bank

## EVEN THE LITTLE FOLKS

Are friends of ours because we try really harder to please them than the grownups. And in every case we strive to please. Our store shows an increase each month and we are thankful and appreciative of every favor. Keep us in mind through the year.

### City Drug Store

THE REXALL STORE  
Thomas-Cain Building Phone 422

# Odds and Ends

In Winter Weight Ware Now on Sale at Prices That Will Make Them Move You know how it is at our store We Have the Prices and the Goods

Today is the time to buy. And it will always pay you to buy when we say buy. Watch us and see if we are right.

## Cash Dry Goods Company

G. L. MILLS, Proprietor

## EXTENSIVE

Development is a promise of the future that we feel every man is preparing for and in view of this fact we are always prepared with the building materials that meet every requirement. See us for prices.

## A. G. McADAMS LUMBER CO.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

It often gave us great delight,  
To watch wild horses in their flight.

And where the farmers ought to be,  
Wild game was all that we could see.

Till Quakers came for honest toil,  
There was no one to till the soil.

In picnics of our royal band,  
Every one would take a hand,  
And thus we found that in this way,  
We always spent a pleasant day.

But now those happy times are gone  
While fleeting years go rolling on  
And till life's pilgrimage is o'er,  
We'll not forget those days of yore

### LETTER OF SYMPATHY TO GEO. M. HUNT AND REPLY

My Dear Mr. Hunt:  
I want you to know of my deep sympathy for you and all the family, and wish it were possible for me to be with you. You have suffered a great loss in Irvin's death, but I know you will be comforted in the thought that his life was well spent. He was a truer man than the average, in his quiet thoughtful way, and I feel a very great personal loss in his going.

Please convey to Mrs. Hunt and all the family our very great sympathy. Mrs. Thomas joins me in love to you all.

Sincerely your friend,  
Colby Thomas.

Lubbock, Texas, 1-15-19.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Colby Thomas:  
Your letter of sympathy has just been read with heartfelt gratitude. I want to assure you that at a time of bereavement like ours, such a message of condolence, coming from substantial friends, certainly helps to lift the burden of sorrow, and I want to express my very deep appreciation of your kind remembrance. I trust that we may so live, that when called to take our places among those who sleep in silence, it may truly be said of us, we spent our lives in usefulness.

Very kindly and sincerely yours,  
Geo. M. Hunt.

### BOGGED DOWN ON LUBBOCK PUBLIC SQUARE

Last Saturday a gentleman driving down a prominent street here, drove his car into a mudhole, directly on the square, and stuck. Fortunately his family was along to push him out.

Some of our most prominent people believe the street should be paved at this place, while a few others seem to think they are alright, but we advise that you take your family with you as a Safety First measure.

Messrs. B. C. Thomas and John Marth were in town Monday visiting acquaintances.

### REV. J. W. HUNT CHAIRMAN OF RELIEF CAMPAIGN

Rev. J. W. Hunt, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, was elected county chairman of the Armenian-Syrian campaign which is to raise \$650,000 in Texas from February 3rd to 10th.

President Wilson, Mr. Daniels, secretary of the navy, and Mr. Hoover have all publicly and enthusiastically endorsed this campaign. Figuring on an average there are at least 1500 stricken and destitute people absolutely dependent upon your own county for rehabilitation. Governor Hobby has accepted the chairmanship of the campaign for the state of Texas.

The campaign will be inaugurated by the different county councils of defense in connection with the State Council of Defense.—Abilene Reporter.

W. E. Webb returned to his home in Central Texas the first of the week, after visiting with his son N. W. Nicholson who lives near Lubbock.

Miss Grace Rogers of Knoxville, Tennessee, arrived in town the first of the week, visiting relatives in and near Lubbock.

### THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Try it! Hair gets soft, fluffy and beautiful—Get a small bottle of Danderine.

If you care for heavy hair that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dispels every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. Surely get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store and just try it.

J. R. Reed of south of Lubbock, was in town Monday and renewed his subscription to the Avalanche, also for his brother, F. M. Reed, of Coleman.

It is reported that there is at least one hundred cases of influenza in the town of Brownfield.

W. F. Coker of Yoakum County was in town Monday transacting business.

# REFURNISHING THE HOME IS A PLEASANT TASK

If you only come to our store to make your selections. We have large stocks from which to select and we know that we'll please you both in quality and prices.

# ROBINSON FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING COMPANY

BURRUS BUILDING  
E. C. Simmons, Funeral Director and Embalmer  
Day Phone 153. Night Phones 645-510.

## ITEMS FROM THE POST CITY POST

Geo. W. Herd who has been in army training camp at Camp Pike Little Rock, Ark., is back in Post and can be found at the First National Bank where he has accepted a position.

Friends in Post will be made sad to learn of the death of T. A. Robinson, which occurred last week at his home in Georgia. He was for a long time superintendent of the Postex mill. It has just been a few days since his son, William, left Post to be with his father.

A. L. Marhoff left Tuesday afternoon for Livermore, Colorado, where he goes to make his future home. Mr. Marhoff is an "old timer" in Post and Garza County, and was chief engineer of the crew of engineers who surveyed off the townsite of Post and the Post farms. He has a host of friends here who will miss him. May the Marhoff's find success and happiness wherever they may be is the wish of this paper.

M. Collier of Plainview, was in town the first part of the week.

## A FEW LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM BROWNFIELD

From The Herald:

Clyde Lewis and wife came in from San Antonio last Friday, he having just received a discharge from Camp Travis, where he has been in training for some time. He is back at his desk as bookkeeper at the Brownfield State Bank.

J. R. Hill was in from his farm near Tokio, Monday, and brought along just 298 dressed rabbits, which he put on the market. J. R. informed us that he would have about 300 bushels of shelled corn to sell, for which he would get about \$2.25 per bushel, and had a fine lot of ricked feed, more than for his own use off of about 36 acres, besides a lot of other etables, etc. We believe he worked last year alright, for he had taken up his belt about four notches we noticed, and he claimed Mrs. Hill was feeding him good, too.

Presiding Elder W. E. Lyon, of this Methodist District, with headquarters at Lubbock, passed through last week on his way to Seminole. He informed us that he could show some stereopticon views of Mission Work that is being done by his church, during the Quarterly Conference here.

Bill Cook went to Lubbock Monday, to take further treatment at the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Mr. Irvin Rambo and Miss Annie Pearl Cardwell drove to the residence of Rev. M. D. Williams last Sunday afternoon where they were plighted together till death do separate them. Irvin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rambo, was practically reared and educated at Gomez, and has a host of friends and well-wishers.

Mrs. B. F. Dixon, of Lubbock, left last Saturday for home after a weeks visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Scudday. Her little granddaughter, Mary D., returned home with her.

## A FAMILY MEDICINE

In Her Mother's Home, Says This Georgia Lady, Regarding Black-Draught, Relief From Headache, Malaria, Chills, Etc.

Ringgold, Ga.—Mrs. Chas. Gaston, of this place, writes: "I am a user of Theodor's Black-Draught; in fact, it was one of our family medicines. Also in my mother's home, when I was a child. When any of us children complained of headache, usually caused by constipation, she gave us a dose of Black-Draught, which would rectify the trouble. Often in the Spring, we would have malaria and chills, or troubles of this kind, we would take Black-Draught pretty regular until the fever abated well, and we would be up and around again. We would not be without it. It certainly has saved us lots of doctor bills. Just a dose of Black-Draught 'wakes' you up, well saves a lot of days in bed."

Theodor's Black-Draught has been in use for many years in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles, and the popularity which it now enjoys is proof of its merit.

If your liver is not doing its duty, you will suffer from such disagreeable symptoms as headache, biliousness, constipation, indigestion, etc., and unless something is done, serious trouble may result.

Theodor's Black-Draught has been found a valuable remedy for these troubles. It is purely vegetable, and acts in a prompt and natural way, regulating the liver to its proper functions and cleansing the bowels of impurities. Try it. Insist on Theodor's the original and genuine. E 79

**ON HAND**

3 Ford Cars 28

2 Ford Trucks 18

6 Fordson Tractors 234

Only a limited  
Number for Delivery in the  
next few weeks.

Prices may be advanced, but not reduced so if you want one get it now.

Come let us explain why we got these cars while other agents did not.

# Bradley Auto Co.

Lubbock, Texas

## SLIDE HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK

Slide, Jan. 18—Wade Smith of New Home was at the store Monday morning.

J. Walter Smith and wife visited at Mr. Smith's parents last week.

James Grady Harriet came in Saturday on a ten day furlough from Camp Sheridan in Alabama.

Joe Bailey Rieger has the pneumonia.

T. J. Davis and family, J. W. Ellison and family all had the flu last week.

Vol Farris went to town Friday after his wife who has been visiting J. N. Farris and family.

Budley Arnett and wife motored to town Sunday evening.

R. M. Foster and family returned home from Seymour the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Helen Barnett of Lubbock has been in the Slide community for the past few days, nursing the flu patients.

J. H. Rieger of Lubbock is out with their son, J. H. Rieger while he is sick.

Mr. Chatman and Joe Stokes was at the store last Sunday.

J. C. Stanford and son Walter, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mabray were in town last Saturday.

Robert Oxford moved to Lubbock last Saturday and Mrs. A. B. Wilson moved where Robert Oxford lived.

Lee Reiger was at the New Home store last Monday.

Dud Arnett and wife returned home from Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Nixon received word Tuesday morning that her mother was low with a relapse of influenza. Mrs. Nixon left at once for Vernon,

Texas, the home of her mother.

Mrs. Helen Barnett went to town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Lakeview passed through the community last Tuesday morning.

James Grady Harriet left Wednesday for training camp, after visiting homefolks and relatives for a few days.

Dewey Farris went to town Tuesday.

B. T. Sumner went to Slaton last Sunday.

Miss Yvonne Sumner is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ed Schroeder, going to school at Lubbock for the rest of the term.

Lonnie Williams and family went to town last Tuesday.

W. M. Millsap has moved to Bro Cole's place near Slide.

Joe Henderson of near Lakeview, was at the store Wednesday.

Walter Rieger of near Joe Stokes school house was at the store Wednesday morning.

W. B. Copeland and Robert Ellison motored to town Thursday.

Sam Moore and Penn Posey went to town Thursday.

Price Nettles of Lakeview was at the store Friday on his way to town.

Dr. M. C. Overton called at the home of J. W. Ellison's last Friday evening.

J. B. Nail went to town last Friday.

Wynette Copeland is on the sick list this week.

H. H. Nixon and R. W. Harriet motored to town last Friday.

John M. Teague, of Clovis, N. M. was here last Thursday enroute to Seminole, where he went to look after some business matters. Mr. Teague formerly lived in Gaines County, but has within the past year acquired interests in New Mexico, near Clovis, where he has a splendid stock farm proposition, and is doing well. He reports lots of snow this winter, but most of the people in that section raised plenty of feed for their stock, and no losses are reported to amount to anything.

Sgt. Roy Scudday of Field Artillery with the 19th Division, stationed at Fort Sill, passed through Lubbock this week on the way home to see his parents who live near here. Mr. Scudday expresses great regret that he did not have chance to go across, although he is pleased with the fact that he was in position to go immediately on call.

R. H. Crie, of the Avalanche, visited his parents at Tehoka the first of this week.

Final cleaning on all women's ready-to-wear, 25 to 50 per cent off. C. H. Grollman and Company. 294

## Battery Tonic

There's only one real battery tonic—only one kind of stimulant that helps keep your battery in trim.

**That's pure water.**

Just pure water—no acid. Add a little every week or so and you'll sidestep a lot of battery troubles.

Or bring your car in and we'll add it. Be sure to drop in at regular intervals and let us test the battery.

Ask while you're in about Threaded Rubber Insulation. Don't forget to mention that you want a copy of the booklet, "A Mark with a Meaning for You."

## Lubbock Battery & Electric Company

Flynn & Paulger, Proprietors

Next Door Buick Garage Phone 262

## Still Loaning Money

I make it easy for you. No red tape about it. Just tell me your needs and I get busy and you get the money.

**WANTED—Liberty Bonds.** Pay highest cash prices.

### F. M. MADDUX

Lubbock State Bank Bldg. Phone 302.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

Owing to increased business in our bakery department we have decided to discontinue the restaurant feature of the establishment and devote our entire time and attention to bakery products and confections. The patronage we have enjoyed is appreciated and you will find us ready at all times to meet you fair and square in every way. Remember us for your bakery and confection needs.

## MARTIN'S

## SOUR, ACID STOMACHS, GASES OR INDIGESTION

"Pap's Diapepsin" neutralizes excessive acid in stomach, relieving dyspepsia, heartburn and distress at once.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress, due to acidity, will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas or flatulencies of undigested food, no flatness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pap's Diapepsin is noted for its rapid, regular, upset stomachs. It is the sweetest, quickest stomach sweetener in the whole world, and besides it is harmless. Put an end to stomach distress at once by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pap's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach distress caused by fermentation due to excessive acids in stomach.

**NOTICE.**  
Reefers More eggs- tonic. Sold at Jno. W. Appleby & Company's Phone 669. (292)

Mrs. J. M. Tinkler left Monday for her home in Eastland county after visiting a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bynum, near here.

## THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

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One Year \$1.50 Six Months 75c (Strictly in Advance)

ADVERTISING RATES:—Locals 10 cents per line each insertion (no ad taken for less than 30 cents. Display advertisements 20 cents per single column inch per week; special rates for year contracts; 25 cents per inch for 3 inches or less. Cards of thanks, 1c per word; resolutions, obituaries, 1/2 cent per word. Church advertisements, where a revenue is derived therefrom, 10 cents per line. Professional cards \$1.00 per month for 1 inch space or \$10 per year if paid in advance.  
Phones: Business Office 14; Residence 242

### LUBBOCK ALWAYS HAS GOOD PREACHERS.

Bridgeport is just now shy on preachers—the Methodist and Baptist pulpits having no regular pastors—but this difficulty will be obviated as soon as suitable men can be procured to take charge of the work. In the meantime both pulpits are supplied by pastors from other points. Bridgeport is entitled to the best there is to be had, in preaching as well as other things, and the congregations of these two churches will each secure a pastor who will be a credit to them and to the town.—Bridgeport Index.

The Bridgeport Index has on several occasions printed unkind things about West Texas. Its editor seems to know nothing about the Western part of the State, and knows nothing more about the Staked Plains than the old geography taught, that it was an arid-desert country. Uncivilized and unfit for white folks to live in. But there is one thing sure. The editor of the Avalanche has been here a little over thirteen years and we have seen development here that means much for Texas. This section of the country, we dare say is now helping to maintain some of the schools in Dear Old Wise County, from the taxes we pay. Our teachers are paid better salaries out here, our communities have better school buildings, and the Methodist or Baptist churches here have never during that time been without pastors, and we have never had to call on our neighboring towns to send a preacher over to preach for us. The Index possibly meant that Bridgeport people needed the very best preachers, but we doubt under the present conditions that they are entitled to the best. Things has to get pretty rocky when preachers can't stay.

On account of heavy snows in the northern counties, Lubbock and surrounding counties are being filled with cattle and with the prospects which these counties now have, this will be one year of prosperity for cattlemen.

### LUBBOCK A LIVE NUMBER.

The editor of the Review has never been in Lubbock but once. Passed through on the train when we moved to Crosbyton, and then only spent a few hours on her streets. But we have learned to believe our sister city is one of the best towns on the plains. This belief has been brought about by visits of the Avalanche, her local paper. It is one of the best patronized papers in Texas. Each week it comes forth with not less than sixteen pages all home print full of good reading and "running over" with ads of the local professional and business firms. A town can always be sized up by its local paper. If the paper contains very little local advertising you can put it down that there is not much push in the town, and the town without push isn't much town at this day and time.—Crosbyton Review.

Lubbock business men have long since realized that money spent for printers ink is well invested. The results show up in their business every day, and they know that a town is largely judged by the paper that is published therein, hence they invest liberally in space in the local paper, and the reflection of their actions is shown in the above mention by the Crosbyton Review man.

### A BOOSTER HAS HIS HANDS TIED.

Lack of patronage forced the Lockney Beacon to put on a ready print service. It is a poor advertisement for any town when the business men will not patronize the local paper sufficiently to keep it up to a standard that will make it first class in every way. Editor Smith is capable of giving the Lockney people a local newspaper second to none, if the people will give him a chance. As it is, they are tying his hands and limiting his space to boost for Lockney by forcing him to four pages printed at home. Every cent invested in a paper like the one Mr. Smith would print if properly patronized would be worth dollars to the man investing same, and we hope that the merchants of Lockney will soon realize their mistake and rally to the support of the Beacon in such a way that the editor of that paper will be able to get in the booster line with both feet and toot 'em up for the South Plains.

The South Plains is soaked, and as soon as the farmer can get into his field to plow there is going to be the greatest turning of the South Plains upside down that has ever been known in this country. Back to the farm is the popular announcement among our town people too. There will be the biggest acreage tilled this year in Lubbock county than has ever been known in the history of the county. Look out for the bumper crops.

The women of eligible age are required to pay poll tax if they would be a legal voter during the next twelve months. Some important matters are likely to come up in the state to be voted on during this year, and The Avalanche would like to see the women of the state get a whack at the issues involved.

As a "safe and sure" investment, we think a good farm properly handled in Lubbock County, the best to be offered.

### NEVER TOO OLD TO ADVERTISE.

There are now appearing in the newspapers and magazines a series of illustrated advertisements put out by a well-known mercantile house that was established in 1723. They deal with phases of the company's business which are not generally known to the purchasing public, showing the methods of collecting the raw material, the adventurous life of its agents, episodes in remote lands, etc. all of which are interesting because they possess the charm of novelty.

Reference is made to the matter here not because such advertising is now, which, of course, it is not, but because this long-established institution, lacking only five years of being two-centuries old, feels that it is well worth while to keep its name constantly before the public. New competitors are constantly rising, and only by meeting changed conditions in the spirit of the day can the old timer hold his own.

This is a point which should not be lost upon any line of business. Age carries with it no great privilege in trade, but must hustle to keep the place it has won. Advertising, well-managed, is a prodigious help in this direction. If this famous old house dating from 1723, before Washington was born, finds printer's ink essential to its prosperity, how much more important must such an aid be to the individual, firm or corporation that is in the flush of youth?—Publisher's Auxiliary.

### DID YOU KNOW?

An appreciation of the local news paper and of what its editor does for the community is well expressed in an article we have noticed in some of the exchanges credited to ex-Governor Francis of Missouri. It follows: "Ex-Governor Francis once said the following of newspapers:

"Each year the local newspaper gives from \$500 to \$1,000 in free lines to the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means does more for his town than any other ten men, and in all fairness he ought to be supported, not because you like him or admire his writings, but because the local paper is the best investment a community can make. It may not be brilliantly edited or crowded with thought, but financially it is more benefit to the community than the preacher or teacher. Understand me, I do not mean merely and yet on moral questions, you will find most of the papers on that side. Today the editor of a local paper does the most for the least money of any people on earth."

Lubbock without paving is not the city it should be. Get in line with this progressive move, and before the present year has gone into history may it be said of Lubbock that she has paved streets. Numbered houses and all other modern improvements that go along in this class.

No thank you, Lucy, we will not need the trees to make the rain to make the moisture to make the crops on the South Plains this year. The weather man has already sufficient moisture on deposit in the South Plains to make a mighty fine start on the crop for 1919.

Lubbock and Lubbock county have great prospect for the coming year, many people are coming in looking for farms to rent, it is a great opportunity for a man to secure a home that will be a paying investment.

We believe the money expended at once to pave our streets will result in a saving to all concerned before many months pass and would it not enhance the value of our property to the amount of the expenditure?

There has not been more than two licenses for marriage issued from the clerk's office in the month of January, in Lubbock. Surely Cupid has not found that oil and influenza a foe too formidable.

Did you know that you only have a few days to trim your fruit trees and grape vines, and that it will be money in your pocket to attend to this.

Tax—Don't forget your poll tax, men and women. Your auto tax too. Your income tax also. Tax. Remember.

The Plainview News says Plainview lost out on their telephone fight on account of too many "limber tails" in the town.

What about that new sidewalk toward the new school building? It sure is needed.

Trouble-makers in Germany should be reminded that in a republic the place to fight is at the polls.

Profiteers are also abdicating here and there. This thing is becoming epidemic.

# Please Bear in Mind

That beginning Friday, January 24 the following discounts will be in effect at this store for the balance of this month and February. Nothing reduced except articles mentioned below. If you are in need of any of them now is a splendid opportunity to buy at a great saving.

## MEN'S DRESS WEAR

- Overcoats, regular price \$18.50, \$20 and \$25, Reduced price **\$13.50, \$15.50, \$19.50**
- Mackinaws, regular price \$7 to \$15, Reduced Price **\$4.85 to \$10**
- Army Sweaters (sleeveless) regular price \$3.50 Reduced Price **\$2.25**
- Army Sweaters (with sleeves) regular price \$7, Reduced Price **\$4.95**
- Dress Pants regular price \$4 to \$8.50, reduced **15 per cent.**
- Auto Gloves (Lined Only) regular price \$2.25 to \$4.00, Reduced **15 per cent**
- Underwear, in cotton, mercerized and all wool Reduced **15 per cent**
- Neckwear, regular price 50c to \$3, reduced **10 per cent**

### SHIRTS AND HATS GREATLY REDUCED

Don't Fail to Call and See the Values Offered in These Lines. All Caps Reduced 15 per cent. All Sweaters Reduced.

### CLOTHES FOR THE MAN OUT OF DOORS

- Sheep and Blanket Lined Coats, regular price \$9.50 to \$18.50, reduced **20 per cent**
  - Bootees, regular price \$9 and \$10, reduced price **\$7.15 and \$8.15**
  - Boots, Kirkendall's Bench Made, being closed out at **\$12.45 per pair**
  - Flannel Shirts, regular price \$2.50 to \$6.75, reduced **20 per cent**
  - Blue Work Shirts, regular price \$1 and \$1.25, reduced price **80c and \$1.00**
  - Khaki Shirts, regular price \$2.75, reduced price **\$2.30**
  - Overalls, regular price \$2.50, now **\$1.95**
- A FINE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY A GOOD SHOE**
- One lot of Florsheim Shoes in broken sizes, regular price \$8.50 and up, your choice now **\$6.50**
- Act Quick while your size is here.**

### BOYS' WEAR

- Sweaters, regular price \$2.75 to \$7 reduced **20 per cent**
- Mackinaws, regular price \$7.50 to \$9.50, reduced price **\$4.75 to \$6.35**
- Caps reduced 15 per cent
- Children's Hats reduced 15 per cent
- Underwear, reg. price \$1, reduced price **80c**
- Pants, regular price \$1.50 to \$3.25, reduced **15 per cent**
- Overalls, reg. price \$1.25 and \$1.50, reduced price **95c and \$1.20**
- Unionalls, regular price \$2.50, reduced price **\$2.05**
- Brown Elk Shoes, regular price \$3 and \$3.25 Reduced **15 per cent**

## OUR NEW SPRING AND SUMMER SAMPLES

from the celebrated J. L. Taylor and Co. are here. We especially invite every man and boy to come in and give them a thorough looking over, whether you care to buy clothes or not. **We have all the new Unrestricted Fashions too.** We would appreciate measuring you for your next suit. Keep us in mind.

# I. L. Hunt & Son

MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS  
"We Will Make Right That Which is Not Right"  
WEST BROADWAY LUBBOCK, TEXAS

## Hayes' Healing Honey

STOPS THE TICKLE  
HEALS THE THROAT  
CURES THE COUGH

Its Soothing Healing Effect soon gives relief. Price 35c. Sold by all Druggists. If your Druggist should not have it in stock, he will order it from his nearest Wholesale Druggist.

# 2 IN 1 SHOE POLISHES

LIQUIDS & PASTES FOR BLACK, WHITE, TAN, DARK BROWN OR OX-BLOOD SHOES.

KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT

A QUICK BRILLIANT LASTING SHINE. PRESERVE THE LEATHER.

THE F. DALLEY CORPORATION, LTD., BUFFALO, N.Y.

# BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENT

I have sold my entire interest in the C. Meek Jewelry Store to G. K. Watkins and I take this method of expressing my sincere thanks to the public for past favors. It has been my ambition to give to the public an honest deal. I have never been too busy to satisfy a customer.

You will find me at the same old stand in the employ of the present owner and I trust that my friends will patronize the business in the future as they have in the past. I have absolute confidence in the integrity of Mr. Watkins and recommend him to my friends and patrons.

Again thanking you for the loyal patronage and co-operation given me during the past three years, I beg to remain yours sincerely,

## C. MEEK, Jeweler and Optician

### CHURCH NOTES

#### Baptist Church.

Last Sunday was both a sad and yet a happy day for our church. At the Sunday school hour we learned of the going to her Heavenly Home of Sister Nooy. We all loved and believed in the dear woman and felt that amid the bright light of that good Sunday she had met with the joyful congregation in the Father's House. Here her large class of little ones were gathering to meet her and their faces were aglow with smiles to greet her. They cast their eyes toward the door to see her enter. As the pastor watched them well knowing that the teacher could not come he wondered if others up in Heaven were not also gladly looking for her coming. A splendid crowd came to Sunday School and church and we were all stricken with the sense of loss and death among our number and in our beloved city. May the Lord deal with our hearts in a healing way as we pass through these scenes. We can but trust and pray.

The pastor preached about the birth of our blessed Saviour and His mission of light and life and love.

The second sermon in the series on the Climaxes in the life of Jesus will be preached next Sunday morning, the subject being "Jesus Coming to His Baptism." At night the sermon will be on the life of Noah.

Several strangers were in the congregation Sunday and we welcome them. Some of the returning soldiers were at church. We are delighted to see them safe at home again and invite them to worship with us and we open our hearts and homes to them. May the Master lead them to be as

#### No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROWING TASTELESSE CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion and act as a General Strength giving Tonic to the whole system. Nature will throw itself off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Please to take 60c per bottle.



FLOYD BEALL, DRUGS, LUBBOCK

great soldiers for him as they were for Democracy.

Worship with us next Sunday. Your friend and brother, J. B. COLE.

**Special Program at Methodist Church**  
Rev. W. E. Lyon, our efficient and successful Presiding Elder, will preach for us next Sunday at 11 o'clock and at the evening hour he will favor us with his attractive, stereoscopic lecture. In this lecture Bro. Lyon will give us a history of the organization and plan of the Centenary movement. The missionary program of the Methodist church is the only constructive program before the world today. Therefore hear Bro. Lyon next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Then at the evening service every child and young person should be present and the older ones cannot afford to be absent.  
J. T. GRISWOLD

#### Be Fair With the Pastor.

We have heard people complain at pastors, not only in Lubbock but elsewhere that they went to his church and the pastor did not pay them a bit of attention. Now had you ever stopped to think that that pastor was possibly as new to that church as you were. Possibly he has just come to town and taken up the new pastorate. Possibly he has been here several months, yet he is a stranger to many of the people of the town, and does not know but what you are an old timer in the community and when the truth is known you may have been here several months longer than he has. Take these things into consideration. Be fair with the pastors of the churches.

#### Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Junior Endeavor 3 p. m.  
Senior Endeavor 5:15 p. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.  
The services on last Sunday were well attended and every department of the work seems to be taking on new life.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us at the church where people cease to be strangers.  
A. A. Collins, pastor.

#### Episcopal Church Notice.

Bishop Edward A. Temple and Rev. Wm. Garner will hold services at the Episcopal church next Sunday morning, the 26th. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Charles Wild, of Slaton, was in town the first part of the week.

In this issue of the Avalanche appears a page ad of C. H. Grollman and Company, featuring their Economy Day. It will pay you to read this ad carefully.

George Shumake, pioneer settler, and prominent cattleman of Dawson county, was in Lubbock the first part of the week, visiting with acquaintances.

The road drag on the streets the past few days has made a wonderful improvement, and should be applied on every street in the city.

We invite the attention of auto owners and drivers to the ad of the Quick Service Filling Station which appears in this issue of the Avalanche.

Virgil Bynum brought his sister, Mrs. John Hays, of Gaines County, to a local sanitarium Monday. Mrs. Hays has pneumonia.

Feed buyers are coming in from all parts of the country looking for feed stuff, which Lubbock county generally has an abundance of.

Rev. Lofton, Minister of the Church of Christ, from Yoakum county, was visiting in Lubbock the first of the week.

J. H. Henderson of Snyder, Texas, bought three cars of cattle near Lubbock the first of the week, for shipment to Fort Worth.

The trial of F. W. Anderson for the alleged killing of Otto Smith in Jones County on August 3, last year is now in progress in Anson.

H. P. Bohanan, living south of Lubbock, returned the first of the week after an extensive trip through the Brownwood Oil Fields.

A. Duke of Brownfield, was in town first of the week looking for a location here. Mr. Duke is expecting to make Lubbock his future home.

Mrs. Denman, after visiting with her son, John Denman, of this place, left Thursday morning for her home in East Texas.

W. A. Johnson with his son Emmitt of Snyder was visiting with acquaintances of Lubbock this week.

G. H. MacGowen of Baird, was in Lubbock the first of the week, attending to his interests here.

C. E. Parks shipped two cars cattle and hogs to the Fort Worth market the first of the week.

C. Meek has an important announcement in this issue of the Avalanche. He wants you to read it.

Dr. L. W. Kitchens of Post City is making a business trip to Lubbock this week.

R. A. Bethany of Post City, was in town Thursday transacting business.

## A WIFE

Thoughtless and unwisely said that she did not want her husband to insure his life. He respected her whims and failed to insure, and when he died she inherited "memories" instead of money.

## THAT SAME WIFE

(who is now a widow) called at the undertaker's office—the Doctor's office—the landlord's office, and the butcher shop, and strange to say, each of them demanded MONEY instead of "MEMORIES" in settlement of the account.

DID THE HUSBAND DO HIS DUTY?

SEE

W. C. RYLANDER, District Manager  
KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

### TEXAS GOVERNOR IS ANNOUNCED ELECTED AT SESSION

At the joint session of the Texas legislature Monday the official count of the votes cast in the election for governor and lieutenant governor was reported by the joint committee having charge of the canvass of the votes as follows:

For Governor—	
Hobby	148,982
C. A. Boynton	26,719
W. D. Simpson	1,660
Scattering	29
Total	177,384
For Lieutenant Governor—	
W. A. Johnson	152,345
John C. Scott	22,969
T. L. Hurlbut	1,630
Scattering	0
Total	177,389

All the Democrats in the Texas House of legislature voted Aye when the report of the committee of the state wide amendment was received last Monday. One lone republican member of the house stood firmly for his platform recommendations and voted "no."

The sentiment of the Texas Senate seems to be against an amendment to the State Homestead law. There seems to be little chance for the people to get a vote on this proposition just at this time.

W. I. Atkisson, of Abernathy was in to see us Tuesday and renewed his subscription to the Avalanche for another year. He reports everything lovely in his community.

J. M. Slagle is just back from a business trip to portions of Smith County. He says the "oil fever" is not so prevalent in that part of the state as in Lubbock.

W. A. Patterson from the Badger Lake community, has moved into town. Mr. Patterson will go into some kind of business here, also make his home with us.

Will the party from Shallowater who answered the advertisement of Box 282, Lubbock write again, as his letter was misplaced. 301

I have for sale several small bungalows. Small cash payment, balance monthly. Louis A. Robinson. (301)

I. B. Marcy and father, of Meadow, were in town the first part of the week, looking after business interests, and visiting with relatives.

If the returning tank drivers insist on having a continuation of rough riding, there's the water wagon.

D. L. Benton of Ralls, shipped two cars cattle from his pasture near Muleshoe to Crosby county this week.

A would be Missouri highwayman "held up" a profiteer. The highwayman lost his overcoat, boots and \$6.

Walter Posey is able to be up and down town, after several days confinement with influenza.

Marvin Murphy of Littlefield was transacting business in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. R. M. Harkey reports that his family is improving, after weeks of severe illness.

Raymond Miller of Ralls was transacting business in Lubbock the first of the week.

I. H. Vinnum of the Tokio community was transacting business here this week.

Roy C. Harris and wife, of Harris Postoffice, are visiting in Lubbock this week.

Ross Renfro, prominent cattleman from Terry county, was in town on Tuesday.

Edison mazda electric light globes. Cole-Myrick Hardware and Implement Co.

F. M. Maddox made a business trip to Abernathy the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Black, of Amarillo were in town first part of the week.

The City of Abilene has elected a lady secretary, Miss Ola Belle Hawes.

Paul Ryler of Plainview, was down on business the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jeter of Childress are visiting in Lubbock. Come to Lubbock.

**OVER-EATING**  
is the root of nearly all digestive ills. If you are weak or out of kilter, doctor or not, use **KI-MOIDS** the new old laxative. Pleasant to take, effective. Let KI-MOIDS help straighten out your digestive troubles.  
MADE BY SCOTT & BOWNE  
MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION

**A Tonic Laxative**  
that will remove the bile from the liver and cleanse the system THOROUGHLY without griping or disturbing the stomach is truly a Perfect Laxative.

**LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN**  
is the name of a Reliable and Perfect Laxative with Pepsin relief of Backache, Dizziness, Indigestion, Stomach Trouble, Gas and Piles caused by a Torpid Liver and Constipation. Always use a Reliable Laxative in the treatment of Colds, Grip and Influenza.

**LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN** is a Liquid Digestive Tonic Laxative excellent in its effect on the System, both as a tonic and as a laxative. It is just as good for Children as for Adults. Pleasant to take. Children like it. See Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., manufacturers of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

I. J. Johnson living near Lubbock returned the first of the week from an extensive trip through the Texas oil fields.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**  
Druggists refund money if PAGO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Smart, Bleeding, Swelling Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, had you can get relief also after the first application. Price 60c.

T. S. Jackson returned Thursday from the Burk Burnett Oil fields, where he has a well rig drilling.

E. C. Murphy of Lorenzo was in Lubbock the first part of the week attending to business interests.

Robert Graves of Terry county was in town the first part of the week on business.

J. W. Catching of Lorenzo spent one day this week in Lubbock, transacting business.

Charles Jackson and wife of Slaton were in town the first of the week, visiting with acquaintances.

James Mitchell was down from Amarillo Wednesday, reports snow still laying on the ground there.

P. O. Brock was called to Plainview the first of the week, to see relatives who are very ill.

## Quality, Service and Price

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- We Sell for Less
- Fresh Vegetables Arriving Daily

## Martin & Wolcott

West Broadway RALEIGH MARTIN, Manager Phones 309-310

Mrs. D. A. Dodson came down from Muleshoe last Monday with her daughter, Rete Lee, who was operated on at a local sanitarium for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. C. Still of Lamesa, passed through Lubbock Wednesday, after visiting with her people, living near Lubbock.

### A Coated Tongue? What it Means

A bad breath, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, languor and debility, are usually signs that the liver is out of order. PROF. HEMMETER says: "The liver is an organ secondary in importance only to the heart."



We can manufacture pills which our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom. The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the poisons and ashes from the general circulation. A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from headache, yellow coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of Aloe, Jalap, put into ready-to-use form by Doctor Pierce's, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

STOCKTON, CALIF.—"For constipation, sick headache, an inactive liver, indigestion and biliousness there is nothing to equal Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I have tried other things but like the 'Pellets' best of any."—Mrs. F. CALVINO, 229 S. Grant Street.

### PRAIRIE DOGS MUST BE EXTERMINATED

Under the direction of the commissioners court of Lubbock County, Texas, all land owners whose lands are infected with prairie dogs are hereby given notice that they must destroy the prairie dogs that inhabit their respective lands. This applies to both resident and non-resident owners. The prairie dog is an economical waste and has rightly been declared by the Legislature a public nuisance. Under the law it is made the duty of the commissioners court to notify all land owners in the county to rid their respective lands of these pests where they exist, and if the land owner after notice fails or refuses to destroy the dogs on his land then the commissioners court has authority under the law to employ the sheriff of the county to destroy the dogs at the expense of the owner of the land and to fix a lien on the land to meet this expense and to foreclose the lien and sell the land or such part as may be necessary, in order to recover from the owner of the land the cost of this work at very much less expense than for him to allow the sheriff to do the work for him at his expense. Suppose that the residents in the various neighborhoods organize and work together in destroying the dogs and in this way destroy their own dogs and let the sheriff work on the lands owned by the non-residents in case it should be necessary. In any event every land owner is hereby given notice that the prairie dogs must be destroyed and it must be done at once. Now is the best time of the whole year in which to kill the dogs. Do it now.

J. H. MOORE, County Judge.

J. T. King and wife of Childress, were visiting in Lubbock the first part of the week.

Dr. Elliott of Lorenzo was in Lubbock the last of this week.

### FATHERS AND SONS WEEK TO BE CELEBRATED

Fathers and Sons Week will be celebrated in Lubbock February 14th to 16th. At a meeting of the representatives from the various churches it was decided to comply with the request of the President, through the Y. M. C. A., and celebrate this week.

The following plans have been arranged:

A field day will be held Friday afternoon, February 14th, at 2:00 p. m. in which the fathers and sons will take part. At 6 p. m. a dinner will be served to all fathers who bring their sons, at the Methodist church. This dinner will be followed by a short speaking program.

Sunday night, another program will be given at the Methodist church. Everyone knows the purpose of such a week, and it is hoped that all will take part in these various programs and make every effort to make the celebration a success.

The following committees have been appointed to arrange for the various events:

Field Day Committee: J. E. Chase, Chairman; Lee Duggan, Jno. Simpson; M. M. Dupre; B. O. McWhorter; Miss Stella Thurman.

Dinner Committee: Mrs. D. Robinson, Chairman; Mrs. H. T. Kimbro; Mrs. Carl Roberts; Mrs. L. T. Martin; Mrs. R. Martin; Mrs. A. A. Collins.

Speakers Committee: Rev. J. B. Cole; Percy Spencer; E. L. Klett.

Sunday Program Committee: W. C. Rylander, Chairman; Mrs. Ed Robinson; Miss Huff; Miss Mae Murfee; Geo. W. Briggs.

### CENTER NEWS ITEMS OF THE PAST WEEK

R. H. Haney was seen hauling a load of cow feed from Abernathy one day last week.

Those who were in Abernathy Saturday were: Messrs. Robert Myers, B. F. Struve, W. A. Dunn, Bruno Fuchs, Dick Habbinge, Chas. Goeth, and Edgar Abney.

Mr. Cunningham died last Wednesday night. He was very aged and had been blind for some time. We greatly sympathize with his wife, which survives him, as well as other relatives.

W. D. Haney and family were out pleasure riding in their farm wagon last Sunday and visited relatives of this vicinity. They thought the roads were rather muddy for a car. There doesn't seem to be any new cases of the flu at this writing and those who were ill last week seem to be progressing very nicely now.

School is still pushing along with the number of new students. We hope the others will be back soon. Those present are now enjoying the new playground equipment which have been put up recently.

We are very glad to see the ground clear of snow once more for the first time in over a month. The farmers seem to think that they will get started to plowing right away if the weather keeps on improving as fast as it has in the past few days.

Little Miss Eugenia Emery spent two days with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Haney, this week.

Mr. Norwood was looking after business matters Monday morning.

A. W. and Ernest Jones were called to the bedside of their brother, who was in a very serious condition at Abernathy, but Ernest was unable to go on account of just getting over quite a siege of the flu.

Messrs. Felix and Alois Goetz were blacksmithing last Monday. They say that they are ready to start to farming as soon as the weather is permissible.

Mr. Potts, of near Abernathy, was in this vicinity one day this week trying to buy grain.

Mr. R. Ricken was in town shopping Friday.

B. F. Struve motored to Lubbock Monday to attend to business matters.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO-DUNING is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause dizziness, nor cause a headache. Remember the full name and look for the signature of J. E. GROVE.

# Mr. Auto Man

When in need of Auto Casings or Tubes we recommend for good service the FISK, and we have them in stock in a large range of sizes. We also keep a good assortment of accessories, and general auto supplies. Drive in and let us fill your car with gas and oil.

## We do Repairing of any Nature!

Your attention is also directed to the EVERREADY BATTERY—the best that is made. It carries with it an eighteen months guarantee of service under any condition. FREE AIR AND WATER DAY AND NIGHT.

## Quick Service Filling Station

W. N. WOODS, Proprietor  
North Side Square Telephone No. 673

### NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS.

The law requires that all highway licenses shall be paid in advance and allows no extension of time for such payments. Under the present laws these payments must be made at the office of the tax collector of the county of the residence of the owner of the motor vehicle. So all owners of automobiles and other motor vehicles are hereby notified to call promptly at my office and pay their highway licenses for the year 1919, and all those who are in arrears for the year 1918 to pay for that year also. This is necessary to avoid the heavy penalties imposed by law for failure to pay for and obtain the licenses required by the highway law of this State. It is a violation of law for any one to run or drive an automobile or other motor vehicle on the public roads, or public streets, without having paid the license tax required. I did not make these laws, but it is the duty of the sheriff and other peace officers of the county to enforce them. My policy is and shall be all the time to enforce the laws as sheriff, and all my deputies are so instructed. You will greatly oblige me as well as yourselves to come promptly, those of you who have not already paid, and attend to this matter without further delay. It will save you money to give this immediate attention. Please bring your registered number and the engine number of your cars and other vehicles, and what other means of identification you may have.

Respectfully,  
C. A. HOLCOMB,  
Tax Collector of Lubbock County (363)

### MANY AMERICAN SOLDIERS TOOK OVERSEAS BRIDES

More than one hundred men of the Sixth Battle Squadron were married during the year's stay of the ships in English waters. These figures given out by the official matrimonial statistician of the fleet, with headquarters on the Flagship New York.

The officer in charge of this Bureau pointed out that these figures do not include the brides probably to be accredited to the ships of the ninth Division, which made its headquarters at Bantry Bay, Ireland—the Utah, the Nevada and the Oklahoma—or the big destroyer and patrol flotilla.

It is considered quite likely that when the entire count is in at least 250 Scotch, English and Irish brides will be coming to America to join their sailor husbands on this side. It has even been suggested that a special ship be sent over to bring back the wives.

Most of the marriages in the Sixth Division took place at Edinburgh, near which the ships were anchored most of the time. Newcastle, however, also proved to be a popular matrimonial port, as separate ships would go there for a quick trip in drydock. Individual vessels would remain at Newcastle for ten days or two weeks at a stretch. This was responsible for an unusual number of marriages at this port.

Only one commissioned officer of the Sixth Division was married while the ships were abroad, according to the matrimonial report. This lone exception was Lieutenant Beatty of the New York, son of the American Admiral Beatty.—New York Sun.

O. W. McKee, a young man, living fourteen miles out of town, who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is improving.

### NOTICE OF SELECTION OF DEPOSITORY FOR COUNTY FUNDS

The Commissioners Court of Lubbock County will receive proposals from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker, in said county that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of such county for the next ensuing two years. These bids will be received and acted on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock a. m., on said day, at the commissioner's court room in the court house in Lubbock, at which time and place all such bids will be publicly opened and

## JUST MAKING THE LANDING AT CARTER'S

- Shipment of Men's and Young Men's Pants. The dress pants priced \$4.50 to \$8.00.
- Men's heavy work pants such as corduroy and moleskins, priced \$2.50 to \$5.00.
- I continue previous special prices.
- 36-inch plaid woolen suiting, regular \$1.25, now 95c yd
- 36-inch cotton checks suiting, regular 75c, now 60c yd
- 36-inch all wool serge, regular \$1.00, now 80c yd
- 27-inch heavy outing, 35c quality, now 29c yd
- 26-inch Outings, 25c quality, now 20c yd
- Best fancy ginghams 30c yd
- Men's Rubber Boots \$3.50 and \$3.75 pr.
- A complete line of knit goods such as scarf sets, caps and men and boys sweaters 20 per cent off
- 3 Cans Jergens Oriental talcum 25c
- 3 Cans Air Float talcum 25c
- 1 12-oz. can Dellwood Talcum 20c

Not room to mention all our specials. Always as Cheap as the Cheapest.

## I SELL SHOES K. Carter's Store

NORTH SIDE SQUARE PHONE 434

It does the work, use SANOL ECZEMA REMEDY to get rid of those Black Head, pimples, or Rough Bumpy Skin. Leave skin smooth. Cures any case of Eczema. Is pleasant to use. Trial will convince you. 50c and \$1.00 at the drug store. 8-52

### RANGER WANTS NEW COUNTY IN OIL FIELDS

Ranger, Jan. 17—A movement has been started here to create a new county.

Petitions probably will be circulated in the next few weeks, according to M. A. Turner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. The present Legislature will be asked to create a new county, which would include all of the Ranger oil field. The county would be one of the richest in the world.

Needs of various county departments being located in Ranger is given as the reason for starting the movement.

Miss Fannie Osborne will leave this week for Pampa, where she will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Osborne.

O. W. McKee, a young man, living fourteen miles out of town, who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is improving.

entered upon the minutes of said court.

Any banking corporation, association of individual banker in such county desiring to bid, shall deliver to the county judge of said county on or before the first day of the term of the commissioners court at which the selection of a depository of the funds of said county is to be made, a sealed proposal, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker, offers to pay on the funds of said county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a county depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding year as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that, if his bid should be accepted, he will enter into the bond provided by Article 2443 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas as amended at the regular session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, page 17; and upon the failure of the banking corporation, association, or individual banker, in such county that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages, and the county judge shall readvertise for bids for such depository. The commissioners court may reject any and all bids. The interest upon such county funds shall be computed upon the daily balances to the credit of such county with such depository, and shall be payable to the county treasurer monthly, and shall be placed to the credit of the jury fund or to such funds as the commissioners court may direct. All persons interested herein will please take due notice of the time and place when and where such bids will be received and given consideration as above stated.

J. H. MOORE, County Judge of Lubbock County. (363)

## LYRIC THE PLAYHOUSE OF QUALITY

It is a wonderful subject—thrilling by its vivid portrayal of the habits and home life of these little known people. You'll sit spellbound as you see approaching the camera the burly chief of the tribe of "Big Numbers," you'll wonder how Martin Johnson, who filmed it, escaped with his life. He risked his life to make this living, historical record of the savages, man-killing, man-eating—



## "Cannibals of the South Seas"

Will be here Friday and Saturday. Come early for standing room will be at a premium. Prices—Matinee and night 10-25c. Including war tax.

Wednesday and Thursday  
NORMA TALMADGE  
in  
"THE FORBIDDEN CITY"

## Every Little Bite

You eat will either give you strength or fail in its purpose. Eating is an art. Preparing and serving the quick lunch is an art. The above propositions meet on common ground at our place.

## MANHATTAN PARLOR

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Grove's Pleasant Chiff Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You will feel its strength giving, invigorating effect. Price 40c.

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**Briggs & McWhorter**  
INSURANCE SPECIALISTS—ALWAYS ON THE JOB  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

**PLAINVIEW GETS ONE INCH SNOW LAST WEDNESDAY**

About an inch of soft warm snow fell in Plainview Wednesday in a short time, the sun came out early next morning and most of the snow was gone by noon.

Mr. H. J. Lowrey has accepted a position with the City Drug Store and cordially invites his friends to visit him in his new location. Mr. Lowrey is well and favorably known to the Lubbock trade and enjoys the confidence of all who know him.

**ADVERTISE**

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**United States Votes to Stop the Liquor Traffic**

Washington, Jan. 16.—Ratification today of the Federal constitutional prohibition amendment made the United States the first great power to take legislative action to stop permanently the liquor traffic. Nebraska's vote gave the necessary affirmative three-fourths majority of the states to make effective the amendment submitted in Congress in December, 1917. It was followed by similar action in the legislatures of Missouri and Wyoming, making thirty-eight states in all which have approved a "dry" America.

Affirmative action by some of the ten state legislatures yet to act is predicted by prohibition advocates.

Under the terms of the amendment, the manufacture, sale and importation of intoxicating liquors must cease one year after ratification, but prohibition will be a fact in every state much earlier because of the war measure forbidding the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages after June 30 until the demobilization of the military forces is completed. Under the war-time measure, exportation of liquor is permitted, but the great stocks now held in bonded warehouses will have to be disposed of before the Federal amendment becomes effective.

Discussion as to whether the new amendment becomes a part of the Constitution now that thirty-six states have ratified it or whether it becomes a part of the basic law only when each state has certified its action to the Secretary of State, led today to a series for precedent which showed that the only two amendments ratified in the last half century providing for income taxes and direct election of senators were considered effective immediately the thirty-sixth state had taken affirmative action.

Senator Sheppard, author of the prohibition amendment, held that national prohibition becomes a permanent fact January 16, 1920.

Only 14 of the states have certified their action to the state department. The vote of the Mississippi legislature, the first to act, has not been received at the state department. The Mississippi secretary of state said today at Jackson that the

certificate had been mailed to Washington immediately after the legislative act and that a duplicate would be sent if the original had been lost. Proclamation of the ratification of a new amendment is made, but this was said to be a formality and not a requisite part of changing the constitution.

New problems of government are arising by the prospective stoppage of the manufacture and sale of malt liquors as hundreds of millions of dollars derived from internal revenue will have to be obtained from other sources. Laws for enforcement of the amendment also will have to be passed by congress.

Only a minimum of unemployment is expected to result, as the cumulative severity of successive restrictive measures adopted since the war began already has caused many distillers and brewers to seek other uses for their plants. Hundreds of millions of dollars are invested in distilleries and breweries.

More than half the territory of the United States already is dry through state action of local option elections. Until recently the movement of limited quantities of liquor for personal use was permitted, but the supreme court ruled several days ago that the Reed "bone dry" amendment made such traffic illegal.

Western and southern states took the lead in prohibition. In the west only California, Nevada, and Wyoming still license the sale of intoxicants and in the south only Louisiana. The remaining wet states from a belt through the Mississippi and Ohio river valleys to New England, the states including Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire.

**MEXICAN PLAN UPRISING AND DEATH OF CARRANZA**

A handbill printed in Spanish and signed "Mexican Bolsheviks" was distributed at El Paso last week urging death for President Carranza, Diaz, Esteban Cantu, Governor of Lower California; Villa, Dr. Vasquez Gomez, Francisco De La Barra and all other political leaders and rich men in Mexico.

**NOTICE**

I have bought the accounts of Hopkins Drug Store in connection with the business and ask all those knowing themselves indebted in any way to the Hopkins Drug store to please call and settle at once as I wish to get this part of the business straightened up.

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B. R. McWhorter returned Wednesday from a trip to Burkburnett where he went in the interest of the Lubbock-Slaton well. He reports everything lining up in good shape.

Ed Liskey of Lorenzo, brought his wife over to a local sanitarium, to be operated on for appendicitis this week.

Lonnie Williams was in from Slide Tuesday and showed his subscription date up on the Avalanche list for another year.

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**OBITUARIES**

**In Kind Remembrance.**

Elder Bolden Penney was born September the second, 1884, and died at Lubbock, Texas, December 31, 1918. He was one of a large family of children most of whom live in and near Lubbock. Our friend was a western reared man and loved the wide plains and the big roomy out of doors. He was a happy good natured and hopeful man always sure of the future and filled with enthusiasm and cheerful life.

When a young man he met and loved Miss Mary Lee, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Lee. Their love and devotion to each other was beautiful and endured unbroken through all the years of their lives together. To them were born two sweet children, a boy and a girl. These strong joyous growing children were a continual source of delight to the proud father. Indeed the life in their home was most pleasing to observe. They lived for almost a year next door to the writer and it was a glad sight to see the whole happy family as they met in the evenings and enjoyed themselves together.

Elder was not a regular attendant at church but was friendly to the preacher and kind and obliging as a neighbor in every way. Years ago he made a profession of faith and joined the Baptist church, but for the later years did not work with the church. His respect for Christian people was evident to all who knew him well.

As a friend he was true and ever ready to serve and sacrifice on all occasions. His friendship showed itself in kindly acts when needed and in all times of need. His sudden going leaves a little family saddened and lonely and without a husband and father's care. His aged mother is bereaved of one she devotedly loved while brothers and sisters mourn over their broken circle of love and cherished memories. May the Blessed Master comfort the widow and sustain her in her double responsibilities. May the tender little children be guarded and shielded by the Father in Heaven from all the ills of this life and grow to good and useful manhood and womanhood.

May the Lord comfort the dear mother as the years bear her toward the home above. May gentle and soothing hope brighten the future for the brothers and sisters. May all of us as friends of the one departed be faithful to the bereaved and prove well our devotion to the friend gone by our truest

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friendship for those he loved and left with us. With tenderest sympathy his friend,  
**J. P. COLE.**

**THE KANSAS CITY MONDAY MARKET REPORT**

Kansas City Stock Yards, Jan. 20.—Cattle receipts today 17000 head, 10000 head less than last Monday. Market strong to higher, top steers \$18.00. Hog receipts today 20000, market steady to 10 lower, top at \$17.65. Sheep receipts 6000, top lambs \$16.60, killing ewes \$10.

**Beef Cattle.**

Bulk of steers that arrived today, are of common quality, one lot of Missouri short fed steers bringing \$18.00, market active, 10 to 25 higher than a week ago. Colorado pulp fed steers selling today up to \$18.10, Colorado pulp fed cows selling up to \$10.75, butcher cows \$8 to \$11.25, choice fat cows selling up to \$13.50, veal calves \$11.50 to \$14.25.

**Stockers and Feeders.**

There is a good demand for stockers and feeders, some selling 10 to 15 higher with close of last week, feeders selling from \$11.75 to \$15.75, stocker steers \$8 to \$14.75.

**Hogs.**

Market opened today steady to 10 lower, top \$17.65, heavy hogs selling from \$17.25 to \$17.65, butchers \$17.10 to \$17.60, lights \$17 to \$17.40, bulk selling from \$17.10 to \$17.40. Stock pigs firm at 12 to 16.

**Sheep and Lambs.**

Receipts continue to run far below this time last year, market closing strong to higher, choice lambs selling up to \$16.60, killing ewes up to \$10.

No yearlings on the market today.  
**J. A. RICKART,**  
Market Correspondent.

F. L. Childers, former manager of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company, at this place, now District Traffic Manager with headquarters at Amarillo, was here Tuesday on official business.

Rev. A. B. Roberts and wife passed through Lubbock the first part of the week enroute to their home near Plainview, after visiting with their daughter at Ralls.

**HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD**

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and sniffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end your misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs. It promptly opens congested nostrils and air passages, stops sneezing, discharges or watery running, relieves sore throat, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. "Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores.

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is worth coming to our store with. Hides are real money. And we buy junk at the top market prices all the time. Save and conserve.

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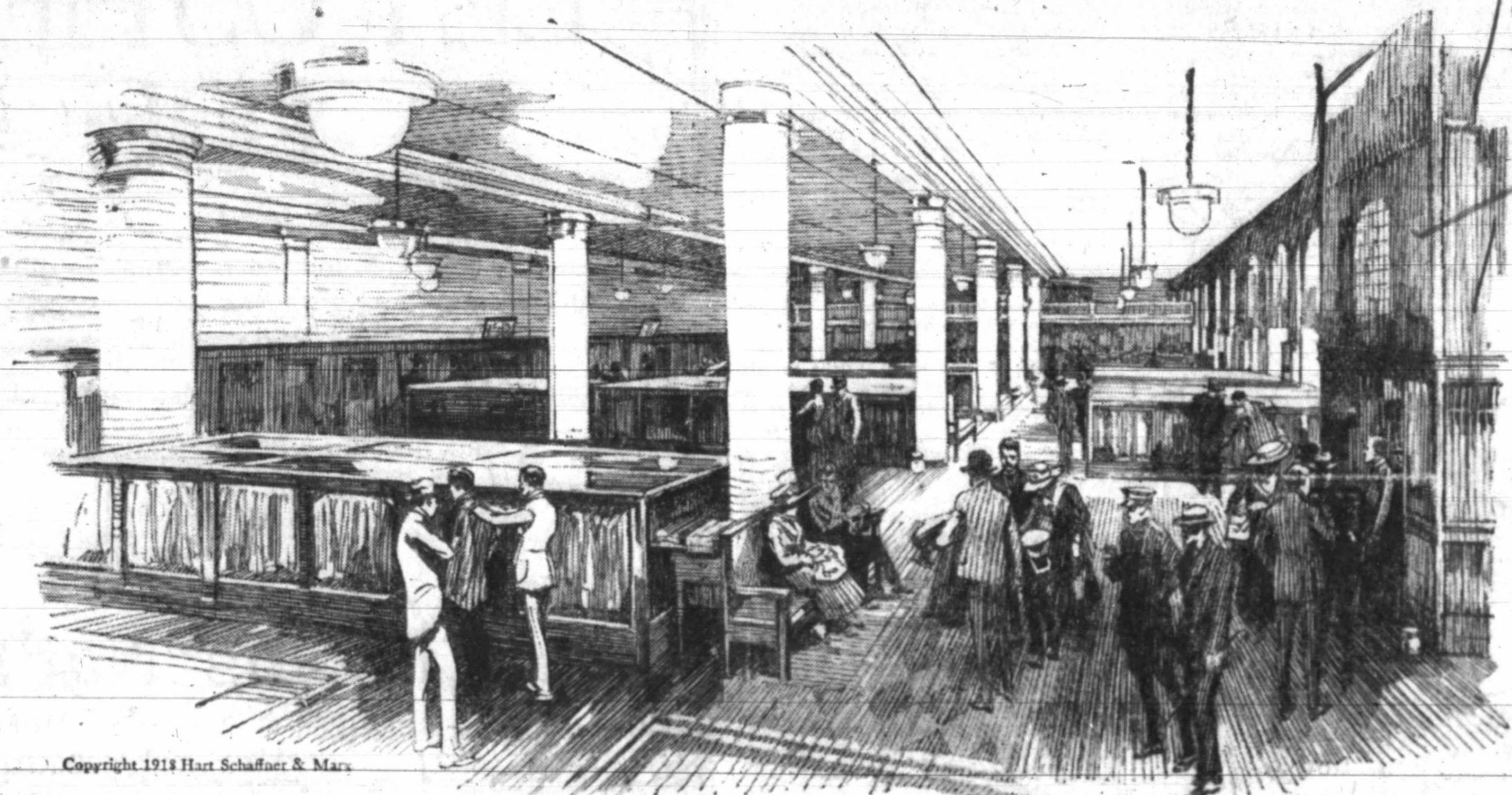
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# A. B. CONLEY'S WINTER CLEARANCES OF 1919

## Continues Until Night of Feb. 8



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### Women's, Misses' and Girls' Apparel

First of all in connection with the sale announced here it is well to remember that apparel from this store is justly celebrated for its style-individuality and superiority of quality.

**All Have Been Reduced Radically**  
Affording Values Which Can Not Again Be Duplicated This Season

Then one must note that every garment which comprises these splendid groups are taken directly from our own stocks. All are of this season's modes--the very fashions worn with great success at this moment.

While the sale continues until February 8th, such a sale as this, where no garments are held in reserve, where all are displayed in readiness for the very first comers--early choice will prove the best investment. Only a brief outline of the groups is possible here.

### Georgette and Silk Waists---Your Unrestricted Choice 1-2 Price plus \$1

While it is in the Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department where you will find the heaviest reductions, EVERY! EVERY!! Article in the store is on sale at a reduced price--An early selection is advised although the sale continues until night of Saturday, February 8th.

Buy now while your dollars will do double duty. Liberty Bonds taken same as any other kind of money.

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Prices Sacrificed to Make Room for New Goods

Our entire stock of Fall Suits, nothing reserved--Velours, Tricotine, Serge and Mixtures--colors Navy, Black, Taupe, Brown and Henna; some plain tailored, others beautifully fur trimmed. Women's and misses' sizes. All at  $\frac{1}{2}$  Price Plus \$1.

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