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## SAM CATES WHO ESCAPED JAIL IN SEPTEMBER IS RE-CAPTURED

### INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM AUTHORITIES IN CALIFORNIA THAT HE IS AGAIN IN PRISON

## SHERIFF HOLCOMB WILL BRING HIM BACK

Accompanied by Brute Mitchell, Sheriff of Crosby County Left Friday Morning for Austin for Necessary Papers, and are Now in California to Receive the Prisoner.

Sam Cates, we are advised has been apprehended in Indio, California, and Sheriff Charlie Holcomb left Saturday morning to bring the prisoner back to Lubbock. Being a fugitive from justice, arrested in another state, it was necessary for Sheriff Holcomb to rush to Austin and confer with Governor Neff and obtain the necessary extradition papers before going to California to receive his prisoner; these were delivered to him by the Governor Sunday morning and he left immediately to bring the man he has been chasing the past four months, back to Lubbock. Our readers recall the history of the Sam Cates case, but for the benefit of those who are not acquainted with the facts, we will state the matter in brief.

Sam Cates was indicted by the Crosby County Grand Jury on May 10th, 1920, for the murder of Judge J. W. Burton on Crosbyton, on the night of March 8th that year. He was tried on May 20th, 1920, the jury finding him guilty and a verdict of 14 years imprisonment in the penitentiary, and assessed his punishment at 99 years in the penitentiary. The Court of Criminal Appeals, at Austin, reversed this sentence. The case having already gained wide-spread notoriety, it was impossible to secure another jury in Crosby county, and on change of venue, the next trial was held in Lubbock, and the jury empaneled returned a verdict of 4 years imprisonment in the penitentiary. Cates' attorneys, Bledsoe & Mullican of Lubbock, W. E. Huffines and Lloyd A. Wicks, of Dallas, immediately filed motion for new trial before Judge W. R. Spencer, and it was overruled, a second appeal was then taken to the Court of Criminal Appeals. The last trial was held June 24th, 1921, at Lubbock. It was during the pendency of this appeal and while Cates was in the Lubbock County jail that he and his cell mates, Huliet Smith, (also of Crosby County), and J. B. Callahan tried to overpower Sheriff Holcomb and his wife at the noon feeding hour, Cates during the scuffle gained possession of the Sheriff's gun and held him at bay for some ten or fifteen minutes, and their escape was prevented at that time by the quick wits of Holcomb's deputy, Jno. McCulloch who came to his rescue, firing on Cates, causing him to jump back in his cell. Deputy McCulloch was at a disadvantage as he had to shoot through the bars and in his effort to get steady aim, Cates sniped him, jumped to one side, and the bullet hit his arm. This was the second attempt, the first plan to get away was nipped in the bud. The third and final escape was perfected on the night of September 29th. Cates and Huliet Smith were confined in the dark cell, and by the manufacture of a crude mechanism, made from their cot rounds, strings, etc., they managed to work the combination on the dark cell, and gaining further access to the roof by opening five doors with a key they had manufactured from the clips on their hammocks. For almost four months Sheriff Holcomb has been chasing many suspects and following out different clues which proved to be unverified.

While very little has been said of his escape, it has all been for the better. Sheriff Holcomb is a very quiet, unassuming character, ever alert but his plans and schemes of this nature are always kept concealed. He is an untiring worker, a fearless officer, and ever attentive to his duties as Sheriff, and he is to be congratulated in his efforts in this connection. While the public has been kept in the dark, the sheriff and his deputies have been on the Cates' trail for many months, having kept track of him in Old Mexico, and his final capture was expected daily. Not only will Cates have to serve on the 14 years allotted him for the murder charge, he will have to answer a charge by indictment of assault and attempt to murder the Sheriff, a penalty of 2 to 10 years. J. B. Callahan, his companion in the attempt to get away and assault on the Sheriff and his wife on Sept. 29th, was sentenced the past week to 5 years in the penitentiary on plea of guilty. Several charges of forgery are pending in Crosby county against Cates, these, too, will very likely be tried before he is allowed to begin serving time. Huliet Smith, who accompanied Cates in the final getaway, is still at large, however, we have every assurance that he will be caught in the very near future.

### WEATHER CONDITIONS PAST FOUR DAYS

Light sleet fell for a few hours Friday, displaced by warmer weather and mist all day Saturday, Sunday morning the clouds were heavy until nine o'clock, but by noon the sun was out, and a regular spring day was enjoyed. Sunday night the misty weather became heavier again, and has not ceased to this time, Monday 4:05 p. m.

H. A. Day was here from Monday.

## Evangelist Lockett Adair in Meeting At Nixon, Texas

Lockett Adair, the evangelist, whose home is now in Lubbock, closed a most successful revival at Post City last week in which more than two hundred conversions were had, and Friday night he left for Nixon, which is only a few miles out from San Antonio, where he will conduct a meeting, which will last for several weeks. Lockett Adair is one of the most forceful preachers of this day and time. He has had enough of the experiences of the world to give him real inside information of men, and he appeals specially to them. Probably more men are converted under his preaching than any other evangelist, because of the fact that he is able to touch their lives in such a practical way, that they cannot get away from the strong arguments that he presents in persuading them to change their way of living. Mr. Adair also has great success in getting the various church organizations, regardless of denomination, to work together in the meetings, which is a great factor in the success of any revival effort, and gives him a greater opportunity to reach more people with his great messages. The Avalanche hopes to report great success in the Nixon meeting, which will hear from at intervals during its progress.

## Criminal Cases In County Court Heard Last Week

Last week some hard work was done in the county court to clear up the criminal docket, but only three cases were tried. Owing to the fact that many witnesses were tried in each case, a great deal of time was consumed in taking evidence. Attorney Baldwin, of Slaton, arrived Tuesday and assisted county attorney John R. McGee with the prosecution.

The first case tried was the State of Texas vs. Con Caraway, for gaming, a verdict of not guilty was returned. Immediately following the dismissal of this case another case, the State of Texas vs. Con Caraway was tried for gaming, and a verdict of guilty was returned, with a fine of twenty-five dollars assessed, being the full capacity of the law in a case of this kind. The third and last case was the State of Texas vs. Jesse Fulton, for gaming. Late Saturday evening the jury was evenly unable to agree, and the case will be brought up in another term of court.

## GOODNIGHT IS PRACTICAL DIVERSIFICATION FARMER

J. F. Goodnight, of the Canyon Community was here Saturday trading with our merchants. He is one of the most successful farmers on the Plains, and is expecting a bumper crop this year. The cry to all the farmers to diversify their crops is of little concern to him, as he learned through the hard school of experience a long time ago that it is the best to take advantage of everything that will grow on the Plains to make each year prove profitable. For diversification of farm products and livestock there is no country on the face of the whole world that will beat Lubbock county, for the ideal climate, abundance of feed that can be raised and plenty of pasture lands are especially favorable for all kinds of live stock, and the wide variety of field products cover so many markets it is impossible for the farmer to lose out on any of them. Men like Mr. Goodnight have proven the advisability of diversification and their knowledge of that is everywhere evident in the success they have made of farming. Goodnight, educated and well read, is doing more for advancement of Lubbock county day than we can all read and the words of their work have been proven only in comparing success with the success of those who are not so prone to diversify.

ward Welch sold his home on the 1st last week to W. M. Robb, formerly of Eastland.

## HEAVY SNOW STORM IN EAST IS CAUSE OF THEATRE BUILDING COLLAPSING AND MANY WERE KILLED

Washington, Jan. 28.—The bodies of twelve dead from the Knickerbocker Theatre collapse had been gathered late tonight in the First Church of Christ, Scientist, near the theatre. These twelve, added to police reports of others, brought the death toll to seventeen, but many whether dead or alive, no one knew were still held beneath the fallen roof.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The collapse of the Knickerbocker Motion Picture Theatre tonight, Washington, took a toll of at least thirty dead and 250 injured, according to the latest estimate by police and firemen. Figures shortly after midnight were: Identified dead, 14. Unidentified dead given as 12. Many more believed buried in the ruins. Rescuers Worked Difficultly. Difficulty in getting to the victims pinned under the heavy roof made rescue work extremely slow. The sudden disaster, brought about by the collapse of the Knickerbocker roof under the weight of a heavy snow, stunned Washington and left a trail of tragedies that reached out tonight into probably 500 households of the national capital. Only the severity of the blizzard

raging here, the worst since 1890, prevented a far greater loss of life, as the usual Saturday night movie crowd was kept at home by the snow. It was believed that not more than 500 persons were in the place when the roof collapsed, carrying the balcony with it. The great mass of metal, concrete and timber smashed into the orchestra with little warning. Soldiers Remove Dead. A detail of soldiers was ordered out to assist in removing the dead with army stretchers. Rescue work proceeded slowly during the first hour because the roof had to be torn open with crowbars and axes. This delay added to the agony of the clamoring crowd at the police lines. A fireman carried a little girl from the ruins in his arms. Then a woman, growing hysterical at the sight, plunged through the police cordon screaming for her child which was pinned in the wreckage. A small number managed to escape when the roof crashed. The biggest part of the audience were well down in front and therefore few were able to take advantage of the momentary warning given by the sound of the roof support as they gave way.

## West Texas C. of C. Cotton Farmers Get Rep. to Make Lub- in Bad Plight—Bor- bock Headquarters rows Wife's Money

B. F. Bennett, field manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Panhandle-Plains district, was here Saturday making arrangements to establish headquarters here. He will have his office at the Briggs-Denman Insurance Agency, and will make his home here as soon as a location can be found for his family. Mr. Bennett said the work they expected to do here was of the growing species, and might soon necessitate the employment of a large office force, including a publicity director, and other field representatives and stenographers. That Lubbock should become the headquarters of this office is encouraging, as the publicity we will receive through this office will be very beneficial to our growth as a town. Mr. Bennett is a booster who knows his work and will prove a great asset to this section of West Texas. He said Saturday that the business men of Abernathy had shown more interest per population than any other town on the Plains, as there are twenty-three members in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in that town. With Mr. Bennett constantly pushing the revival of business interests, the Chamber of Commerce in this section feel that they will soon find the business men of our neighborhood towns and Lubbock willing to contribute to everything that tends to make West Texas any better or more widely known.

## Cotton Farmers Get in Bad Plight—Borrows Wife's Money

A subscriber writes Farm and Ranch in part as follows: "I have been a cotton grower with a few hogs of doubtful breeding, on the side. My wife developed an interest in poultry and finally secured two good cows. It seemed to me that she had enough to do around the house and that chickens and cows were just so much added work, and for that reason I never made a move to give her encouragement. Last year and this I have borrowed money from her. I intend to pay it back with interest, but I am afraid I never will if I stick to cotton alone. So I am going to try and get into the dairy business and add some good animals of other kinds, and by diversifying, I hope to square accounts with her. At any rate, I am satisfied that she won't let me starve if I show a willingness to help her with her poultry and use my hand in planning my other farm work." This is another of our farm women demonstrating their ability in facing discouraging conditions. "Jaising" enough cows to supply the home table with butter and milk and caring for a good flock of poultry should not be considered beneath the dignity of any farmer. As a matter of fact, it is considered a highly important part of farm work by those who are making progress. Generally speaking the one crop farmer has a single track mind. Not that many good farmers do not specialize, but our best farmers all endeavor to produce and enjoy the fruits of garden and orchard and supply their table with their own dairy and poultry products and other foods in season.

## Southland is Taking on New Life and Out of The Ashes of Recent Fire New Aspiration Arises

A recent visit of a Fort Worth Record staff correspondent to Southland, brought forth the following report of the revival of business interests: "From the ruins of a disastrous fire that swept over the little village just above the capeok about two months ago, Southland is rising with aspirations to become a larger and more important city. In the first fire almost a solid block of business houses was consumed. Woe upon woe followed. A large gin with many tons of seed fell prey to the ravages of the fire demon. Roy Stevens, cashier of the Southland bank, is very optimistic over the prospects of the town regaining its former business prestige and becoming one of the liveliest towns on the South Plains. And to judge from the new buildings under erection or planned, one would find that Stevens is not prevaricating or deluded by his dreams. Joe Davies is now erecting a frame structure in the bugat district whose dimensions will be 60x75 feet. E. M. Basinger is substituting for his consumed wooden structure a brick building 50x75 feet. Beginning on March 1, the Planters gin will begin the erection of a five stand airbrist. A two story brick hotel is also being considered, and will be put up during the spring. Stevens declares there is a marked ingress of new settlers into the Southland country. Almost every freight train sets out from one to three 'sulus,' or migrant outfits. Then many prairie schooners are coming up the capeok with new people and farm chattels to settle the many thousands of pristine acreage still available in this section. During the fall of 1921 Southland shipped 2,290 bales of cotton, twen-

ty-six cars of wheat also helped make up the outbound shipments. Thousands of tons of milo-maize are now being sold and shipped to South and East Texas points. It is now bringing about \$10 a ton. The latter crop was unusually large in 1921. The Craft Grocery company gives one an idea as to what is doing in the poultry business at Southland. The manager informed me yesterday that he was paying out on an average these winter days of \$800 a week to the farmers for their chickens alone. Cream sales by farmers are averaging about \$250 a month. In the next sixty days 1,102 head of cattle fattened under the special process initiated by J. F. Hartford of Post, will be shipped to Kansas City.

## COUNTY JUDGE HAS LIVE CHASE WITH YOUNG MEN

Sunday evening while car riding with his family, Chief of Police Hustetler drove across the canyon, east of town in time to see Judge Brown in flight after five young men who he thought had set fire to the grass in his pasture near the canyon. The chief invited him to ride, and in the Ford two of the young men were easily caught, and soon convinced the Judge and Chief of Police that they were not the ones who had set the grass. Their cause for running was for other reasons, and they were turned loose. The other three were not followed. Only about two acres of grass was burned. Joe B. Stacy was here Monday from his home at Snyder. J. O. Johnson, of Tehoka, was here yesterday, transacting business.

## TODAY IS THE LAST DAY YOU CAN PAY POLL TAX AND VOTE

### THE CLOCK WILL STRIKE YOU OUT AT TWELVE TONIGHT IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A RECEIPT BY THEN

## BE A CITIZEN---DON'T MERELY LIVE HERE

If the Progress of Lubbock Continues, and the Morals of the Country are Corrected and Improved, the People Must See to it That the Proper Men are Elected to Office.

## District Contest To Be Held in Lubbock in April

The Executive Committee of the University Interscholastic League for the Lubbock district met in Lubbock, Saturday and transacted the following business: Date for district meet fixed for April 14 and 15, 1922. Contests were arranged for Senior girls basket ball (it is the opinion of the executive committee that after a year no contests for girls basket ball will be provided for in the district meet). Contests for girls' volley ball were arranged for in this meet. Contests in baseball have been arranged--contesting teams to eliminate to four teams on or before April 7th.

In addition to the regular literary contests in debate for both boys and girls teams, Junior and Senior declamation, for both boys and girls, and essay contest; contests were arranged for Class A and Class B schools in all track and field events, (for Senior contestants only. It was the opinion that Junior track and field events for boys should close with the county contests). The usual contests for both boys and girls in tennis are included. There will be contests in singles and doubles.

"Question for debate: 'Resolved that immigration to the United States should be prohibited for a period of two years.' The following are the officers for the Lubbock district: M. M. Dupre, Lubbock, director general; Miss Marjorie Griffin, Post, director of debate; Jas. E. Park, Floydada, director of declamation; M. B. Brown, Crosbyton, director essay writing; W. E. Palty, Plainview, director of athletics.

Counties--Bailey, Borden, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Scurry, Terry and Yoakum.

## HEREFORD BULLS SHIPPED TO NEW MEXICO RANCHES

A. G. Rushing, of Pearl, New Mexico, passed through Lubbock Saturday with a stock car in which he was shipping a fine Hereford bull to his ranch, which was bought at the Hereford sale of Dameron Jones, at Hereford, at the handsome figure of five hundred dollars. Dow Wood, of Lovington, New Mexico, also purchased a fine Hereford cow and calf, for which he paid two hundred and ten dollars and a Hereford bull for which he paid five hundred dollars.

Mr. Rushing told an Avalanche reporter that the better stock of cattle were taking his country in a hurry, as the ranchmen have decided that there is no difference in the keeping cost of the two kinds, and the thoroughbreds demanded much better prices. Ranchmen are making a business of their work and it is not at all extraordinary that they would pay a big price for the leaders of their herds, when it is so easy to figure the advantage gained through the better prices offered for the offspring.

## SPEARMAN LOST IN THE COUNTY SEAT FIGHT

Spearman Reporter: On the face of the returns from Tuesday's election it would seem that Spearman has lost the county seat fight. Over confidence and a lack of thorough organization of the Spearman forces may be given as a cause for the defeat. Also, the cattlemen of the west end of the county have been hit hard by low prices and they were afraid the removal of the county seat would incur an additional expense which would have to be met by an increased tax on their lands and herds. Precincts one and five, which vote at Spearman, stood by the colors loyally, counting out 248 for removal to 16 against. But Mulock takes the cake as the champion opponent of removal, giving the proposition a solid vote of thirteen. Kimball gave 10 for and 14 against; Grand Plains, 3 for and 43 against; Pleasant Hill, 5 for and 43 against, and Oslo 43 against. Total: for removal, 247; against removal, 157. It will be seen that a great majority of the people of the county favor the removal of the county seat to Spearman, but the returns show a lack of 88 votes of giving the two-thirds majority necessary for removal. Or, had the opposition received only nineteen fewer votes, Spearman would have won the fight.

C. F. Shrum, of O'Donald, was here Saturday to visit his son, John Lewis, at the West Texas Hospital.

## Today is the last day in which you may pay your poll tax and get a voting privilege with it. There is a grand rush on at the tax collector's office today, and will be till this last hour of the day is spent, but do not let this stop you from going right ahead and paying it just the same. Pay it if you have to stand in line till the clock strikes twelve tonight. It is just that important. So many things of vast importance must be decided by the voters of this city during the next eleven months, that you should qualify as a voter at all hazards. Upon this depends the future of our city, and look at the proposition as though your vote was the thread upon which the progress of the community hinged--and who knows that it will not be? The future of the city, in matters of government will be largely effected by the men you elect to carry on the work of the city for the next few years. The future of the schools of this city will be determined to a great extent this year, and if you are without the company of a poll tax receipt your will not be able to say much about it. You could not vote, and your influence would carry mighty little weight if you do not have interest enough to pay your poll tax. Then, your poll tax is a wonderful help to the school fund as the greater percent of it goes to the upkeep of the schools. Pay your poll tax today, and be ready to vote when the time comes. You folks, who have been kicking about the way the fellows down at Austin run things, and how the Lubbock school is carried on and how the city of Lubbock is going to the dogs, and how the officers have been letting the bootleggers and the gamblers run things in this city, get yourself together and get a poll tax receipt if you have not already done so, and be ready to stand up for the fellow with a red hot honest to goodness vote against him. See to it that there is a man sent to the legislature the senate, to congress elected justice of the peace, constable, judge, sheriff, and every other office that is for the betterment of the morals of the community, for the state and the United States, and this will be a better world in which to live, and this you cannot do unless you pay your poll tax before twelve o'clock tonight. You have put this important matter off a long time, and you should have attended to it several weeks ago, but if you have not done so grab your hat or your bonnet and visit the city collector and the state collector, and get a receipt before the clock strikes you out and you can have no say in matters of government, except to stand on the side line and tell the other fellows to go to it, and then they would not have a great deal of respect for you. The Avalanche and every good citizen is vitally interested in the future of the city, and we are interested in the cleaning up of the morals of the land from the smallest precinct to the wide expanse which comprises the United States, and the ballot box is the best place to begin. To the good women of the country, who feel a delicacy in voting should get away from that and take their place in helping to bring about many reforms that will necessarily have to come by way of the ballot box. The women who are on the other side will vote, and you will have to do your part to counteract this, or we men folks will have a harder time than ever putting men in office who have the nerve and ability to do the things necessary to make this country a decent place in which to live. Pay your poll tax today. Be a citizen, don't merely live here.

## EMMETT COMEDY COMPANY NOW PLAYING AT LINDSEY

A very unique attraction, combining magic, mirth and mystery, is playing at the Lindsey Theatre, the first three days of this week. It is the Emmett Comedy Company, said to be one of the best shows of its kind coming to Lubbock.

## WITH THE LUBBOCK BUSINESS COLLEGE

Miss Evelyn Jennings, a former student of the L. B. C., and who has been in the employment of the Bryant-Link Co., of Dallas, as bookkeeper, has returned to Lubbock and accepted a position with the Citizens National Bank. Among the new students who have enrolled in the past few days are: Miss Idalou Ellis of Lubbock, Miss Mary Witt of Lubbock, Miss Ruby Bradley of Wichita Falls, Mr. E. H. Robinson of Stock, Okla., Mr. J. W. Edwards of Slaton. Mr. John Witt who has been out of school since September is back at his desk and he says that bookkeeping looks good to him.

# R. & R. THEATRES

**R. & R. LINDSEY**  
Friday and Saturday  
Zane Grey's Powerful Story



**THE U.P. TRAIL**  
A Best Production  
ZANE GREY'S  
A Famous Story of the Old West with a Thrilling Climax  
The most powerful and successful play ever written  
Produced by  
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**AT LINDSEY THEATRE—**  
Tuesday, January 31st.  
**CONSTANCE TALMADGE**  
—in—  
**"THE GHOSTS OF YESTERDAY"**  
Wednesday and Thursday  
**DAVID POWELL**  
—in—  
**"THE MYSTERY ROAD"**  
LYRIC—Wednesday  
**LOUISE HUFF**  
—in—  
**"THE DANGEROUS PARADISE"**  
LYRIC—Thursday  
**WALLACE REID**  
—in—  
**"THE HELL DIGGERS"**  
LYRIC—Friday and Saturday  
Your Favorite Star  
**CONSTANCE TALMADGE**  
—in—  
**"UP THE ROAD WITH SALLIE"**

## New Requirements of the Income Tax Law Returns

The new requirement of the income tax law that returns shall be made of gross income of \$5,000 or more regardless of the amount of net income upon which the tax is assessed, necessitates careful computation on the part of the taxpayer. "Gross income" includes practically every dollar received by the taxpayer during the year 1921 in salaries, wages, commissions, rents, royalties, interest on bank deposits, cash dividends on stock, "or income from any source whatsoever." "Net income" is gross income less certain deductions provided for by the act, including all business expenses incurred in the conduct of a business, trade, profession, or vocation.

Certain expenditures, however, are not deductible as a business expense when made for the purchase of articles more or less permanent in character, or for permanent improvement of property. For example, a merchant would not be allowed to deduct the amount expended in the erection of a new store, or a farmer the cost of a new tractor or thrashing machine, since such investments are held to be capital investments. The law expressly prohibits the deduction of family or living expenses, such as rent for a dwelling, repairs to a dwelling, cost of food and clothing for the family, education of children; servant's wages, and similar items. Amounts spent during the year 1921 for any of these items are not deductible.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

Ed Henderson, a former citizen of Lynn county, is spending the week here visiting with relatives and friends enroute from his home in Los Angeles, Cal., to Dallas, Texas, on a business trip.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Brownfield Baptist Association, began in Taboka last evening at the First Baptist church. A large crowd of delegates from the various towns over the Association are expected today and tomorrow to be in attendance at the sessions held twice daily.

According to information received the first of the week, the little city of O'Donnell will hold an election within the next twenty days to determine whether or not bonds shall be voted in the amount of \$22,500.00 for the purpose of erecting a modern brick school building.

Sunday afternoon, January 22 Miss Emma Townsen and Mrs. Garland Ledbetter, both of the Wells community, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, the Rev. Mr. Upton, officiating.

Doughnuts made daily at Martin's Bakery. 33-47

**AFTER EVERY MEAL**

# WRIGLEY'S P-K



This new sugar-coated gum delights young and old. It "melts in your mouth" and the gum in the center remains to aid digestion, brighten teeth and soothe mouth and throat.

There are the other WRIGLEY friends to choose from, too:



Mrs. J. R. Kincaid, of Camp Springs, came to Lubbock last week to be operated on in the Lubbock Sanitarium. Miss Margaret Deaver, of Wilson, arrived at the Lubbock Sanitarium the first of last week for medical attention.



## Don't wait another day to know the deliciousness of Kellogg's Corn Flakes

How Kellogg's Corn Flakes appeal to the most fastidious appetites! What a wonder-picture they make—all joyously tumbled and jumbled in a big bowl; sunny-brown, oven-fresh—the gladdest good-to-eat cereal you've ever tasted—or looked upon!

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are a revelation—palate-ticklers that bring the sunshine right into the breakfast room and get the day going all right! Never was such flavor as you'll find in Kellogg's; never was there such all-the-time crispness! And Kellogg's are never leathery or tough or hard to eat!

Your happiness will know no bounds when you see the little folks come back for "more Kellogg's, Mother, please!" Kellogg's win everybody—they're so delicious!

Insist upon KELLOGG'S and you'll get KELLOGG'S—the original Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN packages!



Don't forget, KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND.

# Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLEES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled

### SLATS' DIARY

Friday—They was a man cum to are door at are house today and wanted to sell pa sum hare tonic for his bald hare & he sed he gess he woodent take none. Ma sed Go on ahead and get sum. Pa he laffed and sed Well you no they say you cant have hare and brane both. Ma winked at me & sed to him. Well they's no use in you going without both when you got a chance for a bargain like this. But something spolt the sail.

Saturday—I was a tawking to Jane today & I told her just in fun that they was a Girl at the Pitcher show smiled at me las, nite She sed That's nothing the 1st time I seen you. I laffed out loud. She acks very fickle at times.

Sunday—Pa & me went to church wile ma staid at home to get dinner but she got to reading a Society Novel by sum Auther & let the meat skorch & when we set down pa was mad & disgusted & grouchy and etc. & he sed this stuff aint fit for a Dinky to eat & got up from the Table. Ma just laffed & sed well you'll half to go somewhere else then I gess if you are hungry.

Monday—Back to school days agen. Teacher was teaching about wirt like desnt and hasnt & isnt and etc. and she ast Jake to name a Senten using the wirt Doesnt. He sed My ma sent me to the grocery to get a dozent of eggs. Poor Jake had to miss a good Boxing match with Dudds new gloves, acct. of his Ignorance.

Tuesday—Went to a lecture on Probishun with ma & pa tonite. & the speaker was tawking about the Country before and after taking Probishun. He sed—On the 1 hand we have got Poverty, crime, Disease and Drunkenness while—and he stuck out his other hand & kep on continuing on the other hand what have we got. And ole Pig iron Mike yelled so every 1 cud here plain. Warts, Ole Pigiron desnt no we have got Probishun pa says.

Wednesday—Mrs. Smith had me to go by her some meat & when I delivered it she Gave me a peace of Cake & I sed Thank you and she sed Dont mention & I sed No ma'am I wont. I diddent even tell Jake.

Thursday—Pa says the Dr. prescribed sum real beer for Mr. Jones witch is sick on Main st. And the funny part is that he got sick frum drinking home brew witch he had made hisself.

### CHIEF OF POLICE RETURNS PLAINVIEW BOYS TO SHERIFF

Six youths were here Thursday evening enroute from their homes to no telling where, and their suspicious appearance caused Chief of Police Hufstetler to inquire as to why they were here, and learned that they were leaving their homes at Plainview.

He lodged the lads in jail, and made inquiry to the sheriff at Plainview, who informed him that he would pay the return fare of four of the lads as their parents had requested their return, and they were sent home Friday.

The other two boys were released shortly after the arrest, and promised they would go home.

### DIED

Clarke A. Cozby, of Slaton, died at his home there Wednesday.

He was a member of Lubbock Mutual Aid Association No. 2, and the full amount of the policy was delivered from the office here.

### FARMER DIES AFTER SHOOTING HIMSELF

Rotan, Texas, Jan. 23.—T. L. Smith, farmer living two miles east of Rotan, shot himself in the heart early this morning and died about 10 a. m.

He was about 50 years old.

### C. A. COZY PASSED TO HIS REWARD TUESDAY NIGHT

C. A. Cozby, age 40 years, died at the family home Tuesday night, after an illness covering several weeks. He had suffered a stroke of paralysis several years ago and had been an invalid up until his death.

Deceased was a devout member of the Baptist church. He is survived by his wife and two small children. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Jno. P. Herdesty, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial followed in Englewood cemetery.—Slaton Sanitarium.

Dock Kelley, of Snyder, is at a Lubbock Sanitarium for treatment.

### REV. G. W. SHEARER LEFT FRIDAY ON TWO-PURPOSE TRIP

Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, presiding elder of the Lubbock district of the West Texas conference left Friday for Dallas, to be in attendance at a hospital meeting to be held there relative to the building now under construction in that city.

He will go from Dallas to Memphis, Tennessee, to attend a Centenary meeting with other presiding elders. The importance of attending that meeting is beyond doubt, and all presiding elders of the Southwestern district were urged to attend.

F. M. Hoover, of Atchison, Kansas, was here Thursday and Friday on business.

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	\$3.50
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Lubbock, Texas

## SOME ASPECTS OF FARMERS' PROBLEMS

Now, what is the farmer asking? Without trying to catalogue the remedial measures that have been suggested in his behalf, the principal proposals that bear directly on the improvement of his distributing and marketing relations may be summarized as follows:

First: storage warehouses for cotton, wool, and tobacco, and elevators for grain, of sufficient capacity to meet the maximum demand on them at the peak of the marketing period. The farmer thinks that either private capital must furnish these facilities, or the state must erect and own the elevators and warehouses.

Second: weighing and grading of agricultural products, and certification thereof, to be done by impartial and disinterested public inspectors (this is already accomplished to some extent by the federal licensing of weighers and graders), to eliminate underpaying, overcharging, and unfair grading, and to facilitate the utilization of the stored products as the basis of credit.

Third: a certainty of credit sufficient to enable the marketing of products in an orderly manner.

Fourth: the Department of Agriculture should collect, tabulate, summarize, and regularly and frequently publish and distribute to the farmers, full information from all the markets of the world, so that they shall be as well informed of their selling position as buyers now are of their buying position.

Fifth: freedom to integrate the business of agriculture by means of

consolidated selling agencies, co-ordinating and co-operating in such way as to put the farmer on an equal footing with the large buyers of his products, and with commercial relations in other industries.

When a business requires specialized talent, it has to buy it from the farmers; and perhaps the way for them to get it would be to utilize some of the present machinery of the largest established agencies dealing in farm products. Of course, if he wishes, the farmer may go further and engage in flour-milling and other manufactures of food products. In my opinion, however, he would be wise to stop short of that. Public interest may be opposed to all great integrations; but, in justice, should they be forbidden to the farmer and permitted to others? The corporate form of association cannot now be wholly adapted to his objects and conditions. The looser co-operative form seems more generally suitable. Therefore, he wishes to be free, if he finds it desirable and feasible, to resort to co-operation with his fellows and neighbors, without running afoul of the law. To urge that the farmers should have the same liberty to consolidate and co-ordinate their peculiar economic functions, which other industries in their fields enjoy, is not, however, to concede that any business integration should have legislative sanction to exercise monopolistic power. The American people are as firmly opposed to industrial as to political autocracy, whether attempted

by rural or by urban industry.

For lack of united effort the farmers as a whole are still marketing their crops by antiquated methods, or by no-methods at all, but they are surrounded by a business world that has been modernized to the last minute and is tirelessly striving for efficiency. This efficiency is due in large measure to big business, to united business, to integrated business. The farmers now seek the benefits of such largeness, union and integration.

The American farmer is a modern of the moderns in the use of labor saving machinery, and he has made vast strides in recent years in scientific tillage and efficient farm management, but as a business in contact with other businesses agriculture is a "one horse shay" in competition with high power automobiles. The American farmer is the greatest and most intractable of individualists. While industrial production and all phases of the huge commercial mechanism and its myriad accessories have articulated and co-ordinated themselves all the way from natural raw materials to retail sales, the business of agriculture has gone on in much the one man fashion of the nineteenth century, when the farmer was self sufficient and did not depend upon, or care very much, what the great world was doing. The result is that the agricultural group is almost as much at a disadvantage in dealing with other economic groups as the jay farmer of the funny pages in the hands of sleek urban confidence men, who sell him acreage in Central Park or the Chicago city hall. The leaders of the farmers thoroughly understand this, and they are intelligently striving to integrate their industry so that it will be on an equal footing with other businesses.

### LOCAL REALTOR REPORTS WHOLESALE LAND EXCHANGE

Ed. F. Mann closed a deal with one Amarillo man and six Ralls men last week involving sixteen 177 acre tracts of land near Sudan and several improved farms in the Ralls country.

The deal was brought about by the increased value of the Ralls lands and the willingness of those farmers to pioneer another farm on the Plains, for those farmers of Ralls were only a few years ago pioneering the possibilities of making a living on that land and found that the Plains is the place to farm, and took the advantage of trading their improved farms for raw land at a great profit for the work of improving. The big landowners who owned the land near Sudan are also favored in this deal as it is much easier for them to secure tenants for the improved places near Ralls than for the unimproved lands, which helps them to get their money into circulation through production.

Keep an eye on those Ralls farmers who are going to the Sudan country, we learn, they will be at work in the near future preparing this land for their 1922 crops and you will see them reap the benefits of their experience on the Plains, for they know how to farm, and have learned that increased land values come in a few years on the Plains, and therefore can go about their work realizing that they are spending their time profitably, which makes for better, more earnest and well-managed work.

Of the 4,500,000 children of kindergarten age in our country, only 500,000 are receiving kindergarten training;—only one child in nine is having a fair educational start in the race of life.

# VALENTINES

We have a good stock of Valentines, Party Favors Post Cards, Etc.

We also have a good stock of—Aluminum Ware, Granite Ware, Dishes.—When in need of any staple items you will find them here.

## Lubbock Variety Store

(Next to City Drug Store)

W. B. Hilton

Mrs. J. L. Chase

### OBITUARY

Mrs. Zillah P. Copp was born in Georgia. In early youth came to Texas where most of her years from youth to old age have been spent. She has lived in Lubbock county several years; long enough to make many acquaintances and form friendships which has endeared her to the hearts of scores of people who admired the beauty and loveliness of her Christian character, and who will fondly cherish her memory in years to come.

About forty-five years ago she was married to W. T. Copp who died several years ago, leaving her with the responsibilities and cares of the home to tax her energies. She was the mother of four children, Mrs. Laura Bently, and Mr. J. E. Copp of Okla., and Mr. G. F. (Bud) Copp and Miss Lida Copp of Lubbock. In them she has left to society and her country a legacy, consisting not in money, but in well rounded characters to honor her name and perpetuate her memory in the world.

Her sojourn here was 65 years, 2 months and 7 days. The last five or six years being years of great physical suffering and pain, but she endured it all without a murmur and patiently awaited the end, which came Jan. 26 at 4:30 a. m., and her triumphant spirit took its flight from a local sanitarium in Lubbock to realms above. Her quiet unassuming but pronounced Christian character is worthy of imitation by both old and young. Doubtless her own words will praise her in the gates. The writer who for several years has been in warm and sympathetic touch with the family conducted the funeral service in the home, in the presence of a host of sorrowing friends, and at 4 p. m., Jan. 27, we laid her remains away in the Lubbock Cemetery to await the resurrection of the just.

D. C. ROSS.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Lubbock.

Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, in Case No. 1509, on the 29th day of January, 1922, on a certain judgment rendered in said Court on the 31st day of December, 1921, in favor of W. A. Bacon and J. F. Bacon and J. O. Jones, Plaintiffs against H. M. Hitt and C. R. Beaty jointly and severally, for the sum of Nine Thousand Seventy Two and 80/100, (\$9072.80) Dollars, with interest and cost of court, and against said H. M. Hitt, C. R. Beaty, Arthur Kelsey, Southern Eat-a-Bal Company, and James Bossey, for foreclosure of the Vendor's Lien on the hereinafter described property, I did on the 27th day of January, 1922, at two o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tract of land, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit: Being the Northeast Quarter (N.E. 1-4) of Survey 39, Block D, B. & S. F. Cert. No. 1780, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point where the north line of Section No. 39 intersects the west right of way fence of the Santa Fe Ry., for the north-east corner of this tract; thence west 947 vrs. to point for the north-west corner of this tract; thence south 950 vrs. to point for the south-west corner of this tract; thence east 327 vrs. to stake in the west line of Santa Fe Right of way; thence in a north-south direction along the west line of said Santa Fe Right of way to place of beginning, containing 159.5 acres less a strip twenty feet wide, reserved on the north side of said tract for road purposes.

And on the 7th day of March, 1922, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said date, at the Court house door of Lubbock County, Texas, at Lub-

bock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said H. M. Hitt, C. R. Beaty, Arthur Kelsey, Southern Eat-a-Bal Company and James Bossey in and to said property.

Witness my hand at Lubbock, Texas, this 27th day of January, A. D. 1922.

C. A. HOLCOMB, Sheriff, Lubbock County, Texas. 45-4T

### LUBBOCK WILL HAVE INDEPENDENT BASEBALL CLUB

At a meeting of the baseball enthusiasts at the court house Wednesday afternoon the plan to take over the Ballinger team and franchise was thrown down, and an independent club was organized, and will have its own team and franchise.

The new club is capitalized at five thousand dollars, stock in which is now offered for sale.

Such enthusiasts as are the men who are backing this proposition will meet with success at every chance, and we are sure that before the season opens Lubbock will have a team of the first class.

W. W. McLarty, of Perryton, Texas, was here last week on business.

F. W. Farris and wife, of Plainview, were here Friday.

### FRUIT TREES, PECANS, BERRIES

Will help you live at home—Plant them, and they will do the work; plant cotton and you will do the work.

—Fruit is the only product of the soil that has not gone down in price—Let us make your home grounds beautiful forever.—We have hardy, Climate-proof native Texas trees and shrubs that are unsurpassed for beauty.—Write for catalog. We pay express. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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### STATE SPENT \$52,226 FOR MILK AND BUTTER DURING YEAR 1921

Austin, Texas, Jan. 26.—A report compiled by the State Board of Control shows that during the year 1921 a total of \$52,266 was expended by the State for milk and butter for use in the six eleemosynary institutions in Austin, which are the State Lunatic Asylum, the State School for the Deaf, Confederate Home, Confederate Woman's Home, the State School for the Blind and the Negro Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute.

The largest sum was expended by the State School for the Deaf, a total of \$16,972. The Confederate Home was next with \$15,620; Lunatic Asylum, \$8,321; State School for the Blind, \$5,828; Confederate Woman's Home, \$4,485; negro Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute, \$1,037.

The prices for butter and milk declined during the year, the January expenditure totaling \$5,882, with a total expenditure of \$4,062 in December.

G. M. Dooley, of Hale Center, was here Friday and Saturday, transacting business and shaking hands with old friends. He was at one time a citizen of Lubbock and is well known here.

E. Carruth and B. H. Jones, business men of Quanah, were here last week.

## Are You Wealthy?

If so Buy Groceries on a Credit

But, don't feel rich when you know better—you're just making yourself poorer.

We buy groceries for cash, get the discount, sell for cash, take no loss on bad accounts, and pass a saving you shouldn't overlook on to you.

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# Wanted to Buy

Several car loads of good Maize and Kaffir Heads.

Also threshed Maize and Kaffir, some Ear Corn

Farmers, see me before you sell.

## C. C. Lindsey

(Office Over Lindsey Theatre)

# Co-Operation

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All Union Men and Women, your Friends and Families are requested to be CONSISTENT. PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY—BOOST FOR LUBBOCK and demand the UNION LABEL on all commodities you purchase, whenever possible. The following BUSINESS INTERESTS of our city solicit the support of ORGANIZED LABOR and are recommended by the

CARPENTERS UNION

<b>AUTO DEALERS</b> ACCESSORIES GARAGES Cadillac Motor Co. Red and Posey Auto Co. Lub-Tex Motor Co.	<b>FURNITURE</b> Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. Robinson Furniture Co.
<b>BAKERIES</b> Martin's Baking Co. White Front Bakery	<b>GROCERIES</b> Hunt Grocery Co. North Side Grocery E. P. Wilson Grocery
<b>BATTERY CO'S.</b> Lubbock Battery & Electric Company. Exide Battery Co.	<b>HARDWARE</b> Western Windmill Co. Moore Bros. Cole & Myrick
<b>BOOT &amp; SHOE DEALER</b> L. E. Hunt & Co. Barrier Bros.	<b>HARNES DEALERS</b> Moore Bros.
<b>SHOE SHOP</b> Electric Shoe Shop	<b>ICE CREAM MFG.</b> Clover Leaf Ice Cream Company.
<b>CLOTHIERS</b> L. E. Hunt & Co. K. Carter Barrier Bros.	<b>LUMBER</b> W. C. Bowman Lumber Co. A. G. McAdams Lumber Company
<b>CAFES</b> Busy Bee Star Cafe De Lux	<b>MANUFACTURERS</b> Lubbock Mattress Co.
<b>DAIRIES</b> Sanitary Dairy Ed. Vaughn	<b>VARIETY STORES</b> Lubbock Variety Store.
<b>DRY GOODS STORES</b> K. Carter Barrier Bros.	<b>PLANING MILLS</b> B. Quinn.
<b>DRUGGISTS</b> City Drug Co. Lubbock Drug Co.	<b>BLACKSMITHS</b> Brown & Laceywell
<b>ELECTRIC CO'S.</b> Owen the Electrician	<b>JEWELRY</b> G. K. Watkins

BUY AT HOME

## New Wholesale Produce House Is Possible In Lubbock

C. V. Dillingham, traveling representative for the Abilene Fruit & Vegetable Company, who travels out of Lubbock, was here last week.

Mr. Dillingham says the vast amount of business they are able to do in West Texas is causing the owner of this firm to take notice, and said it is only a matter of time until they will open a wholesale house in Lubbock.

Lubbock is a good trade center and we are sure there are more than a few men looking at the future possibilities of this section as a place to locate their houses, and we are sure that with these people looking into their business and its relativity to the Plains country, Lubbock will some day become wider known than it now is as a wholesale center.

Again in this instance it is to be noted that we have a splendid chance to secure a substantial lot of citizens if we only have Lubbock as well equipped to take care of them as are the other towns where they might wish to go. Traveling men making their headquarters here are a great help to the town in a general way, mainly in an advertising way, as the people with whom they talk are often prone to inquire about their home town, and it is a characteristic of those men that all of them who make good are boosters, and the good they would do Lubbock is unquestionable. There are a good many here now who have decided that Lubbock is the proper place, for them, and we are proud of every one of them.

That the Abilene Fruit and Vegetable Company would put a large and well stocked business here is seen from the fact that the man who owns it has two houses in Fort Worth and one in Wichita Falls, all of which are modernly equipped and offer employment to many people.

### LOCAL BUSINESS WOMEN LEAVE FOR ST. LOUIS

Miss Tessa Rhea, Miss Anna Mallard and Mrs. Clara Abney left Sunday morning for St. Louis, where they will purchase goods for their three millinery and ladies wear stores.

These women are alive to the needs of their trade and there is little undone to make their shops the most attractive on the Plains.

Business in Lubbock will increase rapidly as soon as prospects for a good planting season are given, and these ladies are making preparations to accommodate all their customers during that time.

The demand for turkeys at prices seldom under 30 cents per pound, live weight, has exceeded supply and those who raised a surplus have made good profits.

## Before Buying Investigate the Following Prices

Marechal Neal flour, per 100 pounds	\$4.00	Good Irish potatoes, 100-lb for	\$3.00
Peerless flour, per 100lb	\$3.85	Good kiln dried sweet potatoes bushel basket	\$2.00
Red Star flour, 100-lb	\$3.75	Pearl Meal, 25lb sk.	50c
Pure granulated cane sugar 100 pounds	\$6.15	Cream Meal, 25lb sk.	60c
Pure granulated beet sugar 100 pounds	\$6.00	Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup, per case	\$4.00
Pinto Beans, 100 pounds	\$6.00	Fresh roasted Peaberry Coffee per pound	25c

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### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS FROM THE LAMESA REPORTER

The sad news reached us on Monday of the death of the little boy of Mr. Farmer. Diphtheria was the cause. He was sick but a short time. His age was five years and seven months. Rev. Grant conducted the funeral Tuesday evening at 2:00 o'clock at the home. We deeply sympathize with the parents in this loss of their precious little one. The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away. We can only bow in humble submission to His will.

Ray Conner has been removed to Slaton with his family by the changes that are taking place in the road's employees. Mr. Thompson who for so long was conductor on this line, is being returned to this run and will move his family here. At present Mr. Hoodum is making the run till Mr. Thompson can be installed. We will welcome Mr. Thompson back to Lamesa.

Wednesday morning found the top of the ground well moistened from a drizzling rain that fell during the night. Mr. New Comer, don't get uneasy, we will get the rain when we need it, alright.

### LITTLE DAUGHTER OF J. A. JONES DIES

The little seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones, at 502 Avenue K., died last Saturday and was buried Sunday after services were conducted at the home of her parents, by Rev. Bowen, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city. Deceased, Ruby Jones, was born October 21, 1915 and died January 28th.

### TEXAS SHOWS BIGGEST GAIN ON GOLF LINKS

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Winter golf is becoming as general as all year motoring, according to former National Champion Chick Evans.

Between the sturdy golfer who follows the red ball through the snow on Northern links and the thousands who journey to more moderate climates, Evans estimates that about half of America's golfers continue play during the frigid months. Bevis of men and even women follow the rubber pellet with wood and iron over the frozen links in the North, while golf courses have been built by scores in the Southern and Pacific coast States until some 300 semi-tropical links now await the ingress of winter players. The greatest growth in recent years has been in Texas, where a friendly but spirited contest has been waged for supremacy among fast growing cities in the cotton and oil belts.

### DEAD BOY FOUND ON RAILWAY AT CANYON

Canyon, Jan. 27.—With the back of his head crushed and both legs severed from his body, a boy appearing to be about fourteen years of age was found on the Santa Fe railroad on the curve north of Canyon this morning about 9 o'clock. He is believed to have been dead sometime before discovered.

Nothing to reveal the identity of the boy was discovered on his person. He has a fair complexion, blue eyes and light hair. While his clothing was not in the best shape, he was not dressed like an ordinary tramp. The body is being held at the local undertaking establishment pending investigation of his identity.

### CEMENT PLANT TO BE ERECTED AT ROTAN

Rotan, Fisher County, Texas, Jan. 19.—The Patton Cement Plaster Company of Rotan will commence construction work on a \$550,000 factory P. H. I. The master mill man, W. P. Railford of Lamesa, says will meet the president, I. W. Patton, at Enterprise, Kan., next Wednesday to close a deal for the machinery.

W. D. Benson, formerly of Lubbock, but now residing in Breckenridge, is attending District Court this week.

Judge Cofer, senior member of the law firm of Cofer & Cofer, Austin, was in attendance during District Court this week.

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### SHEEP INVESTMENT IS GOOD ONE SAYS FARMER

Plainview, Texas, Jan. 26.—Jim Kiser, of Olten, has found a small investment in sheep quite profitable. He bought 100 ewes for \$200. From each of the sheep he has cut 80 cents worth of wool.

There was a lamb crop of 72, and the lambs were sold for \$1.30 each. Thus he has more than paid for the sheep and has the ewes clear.

Many large operators in sheep have lost heavily on their flocks because they were stocked with sheep bought at the top of the market. But with sheep bought now, at prevailing prices, many good stock men and farmers say they can make a profit. They have found there is slight cost in handling 50 ewes on 100 or 320 acres.

### ARMY TRAINING PLANS ARE TOLDCOMMITTEE

Washington, Jan. 23.—Training of 3,000 officers and 20,000 men in each of the nine army corps areas during the coming Summer is planned by the War Department, Brig. Gen. William Lassiter informed the Senate Military Committee today.

### GARRETT OF BIG SPRING IS DISPOSING OF SHEEP

Big Spring, Tex., Jan. 26.—W. J. Garrett has sold to A. L. Wasson 1200 head of ewes and to Dave and John Christian the remainder of his flock consisting of about 500 ewes. Garrett has announced he is out of the sheep business permanently.

Dr. P. H. Engor, of Atlanta, Georgia, was here Monday representing a surgical equipment company.

### MANY CLAIMS BEING FILED AGAINST MEXICO

Mexico City, Mex., Jan. 25.—Eighteen hundred claims against the government, aggregating 250,000,000 pesos, for damages alleged to have been suffered during the revolutionary periods since 1910, have been presented by foreigners and Mexicans, according to the newspaper El Universal.

The time limit for presenting such claims, in accordance with an executive order issued several months ago, expires January 31.

### DALHART SELLS \$45,000 SERIAL SCHOOL BONDS

Dalhart, Texas, Jan. 25.—Forty-five thousand dollars worth of 20 year, serial bonds of the Dalhart, Texas, Independent school district, today were sold to the International Trust Company of Denver, for \$102.18, per hundred and accrued interest. Ten competitive bids were offered.

### SENATE PASSES BILL TO COIN GRANT DOLLAR

Washington, Jan. 23.—Authority for the director of the mint to direct coinage of the Grant Memorial gold dollar and silver half was granted in a bill passed today by the Senate and sent to the House. The measure provides for the coinage of 10,000 gold dollars and 250,000 half dollars.

Judge W. F. Schenck, of Graham, is attending district court this week. Judge Schenck and family are temporarily absent from Lubbock, but it is their intention to move back to this city in the near future.

Lubbock, Texas, January, 27th, 1922.

Financial Statement of

# Lubbock Building & Loan Association

Lubbock, Texas

At the Close of Business, December 31st, 1921.

### RESOURCES

Loans on Real Estate	\$4,400.00
Loans and Stock Pledged	66.30
Installments on Stock due and Unpaid	660.00
Furniture, Fixtures and Supplies	143.39
Cash in hands of Treasurer	1,593.10
Cash in hands of Secretary	5.00

Total Resources \$6,867.79

### LIABILITIES

Regular installments on stock paid	\$2,568.50
Installments on stock paid in advance	834.65
Installments on stock due and unpaid	660.00
Prepaid Stock	1,200.00
Repaid Loans	1,400.00
Interest	204.64

Total Liabilities \$6,867.79

We, the undersigned officers of the Lubbock Building and Loan Association, do hereby certify that the above is a true statement to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. O. JONES, President.  
JOE HESS, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of January, A. D. 1922.

(Seal)

L. C. ELLIS,

Notary Public, Lubbock County, Texas.

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A selection of this line now on display at our store will insure successful entertainments.

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## Hereford Was Host to About 400 At Dinner uring the Recent Swine Breeders Convention and Auction Sale

Hereford, Jan. 18.—More than four hundred citizens gathered from over the entire Panhandle and Plains Country of Texas, and several from other portions of the state and in other states, partook of a great banquet Tuesday night in the basement of the Christian Church, served by the ladies of that organization, as a compliment at the hands of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce.

The major number of those present were from the rural districts of Deaf Smith County, including men, women and children. The Hereford band discoursed music throughout the banquet and received much attention from the gathering.

D. L. McDonald, president of the Chamber of Commerce, acted as chairman and toastmaster of the meeting, which began with invocation of divine blessing, by G. A. F. Parker.

The toast program was informal and opened by an address from A. L. Ward, secretary of the Texas Swine Breeders' Association, on balanced rations for hogs.

G. S. Warren from the feeding department of A. and M. College, gave results of an actual feeding experiment at the college, in which kaffir

chops and water constituted the entire ration, in a dry pen; another in which kaffir chop and ten per cent tankage and water were supplied, and still another in which kaffir, with ten per cent tankage and water were supplemented by green pasture. These experiments gave conclusive assurance of the worth of a balanced as against a one item bill of fare for the hogs.

Sterling C. Evans in charge of the pig club work of A. and M. College, extension service, gave a brief talk on the work among the juvenile farmers. This included some specific examples of interesting success among the boys.

Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, told of the attitude of his organization towards all this portion of the state, and the ability of the same to render service, through its various departments.

Mrs. Fred W. Boerner, wife of the president of the Panhandle Swine Breeders' Association, made a witty and interesting address in which she gave information concerning the canning and curing of meats. For the entertainment of the company, she declared that she has the reputation of "canning" everything on the place except Mr. Boerner, and had been thinking of some thing of doing that.

Urging co-operation between the people of the entire country including Hereford, Joe L. Pope, of the Amarillo Daily News spoke on the worth of such meetings as the present. He declared that there is no

division of the interests of the people, and that a good program is worthy of all consideration whether it be suggested in the town or country.

Henry Wilkinson, member of the directorate of the Chamber of Commerce and a banker, spoke on the financing of the hog industry in the Hereford Country. He gave assurance that the bankers of Hereford are now sold to the idea of acting co-operatively with the farmers.

A. E. Boyd, president of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, made an interesting address in which he displayed the famous spirit of progress back of his organization. He complimented Hereford on the present event, and predicted that great good will result from it.

Throughout the meeting Mr. McDonald interspersed statements and remarks which kept the attention centered on the main idea of the program, that of bringing about a heartier co-operation between all of the people of Deaf Smith County, whether they live out of, or in Hereford.

**Auction Sale Big Feature**  
The fourth annual sale of registered purebred sows, with Earl Lewis as manager and Col. E. F. Heriff as auctioneer, assisted by J. W. McCreey of Wayside, L. S. Palmer of Amarillo, and others, was a great success.

Following were the animals sold, the owners and prices obtained:

**Duroc-Jerseys**  
Reece's Fair Lady, John I. Hammonds, Floydada, \$105.  
Queen Sensation Fifth, John I. Hammonds, Floydada, Texas, \$110.  
Demonstrator Gano Girl, D. L. Kutch & Son, Mobeetle, \$285.  
Type's Golden Orion, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$80.  
Miss Sensation, Twelfth, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$185.  
Jack's Sensation Lady, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$80.  
Jack's Sensation Lady Second, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$90.

King Jack's Happy Lady Fourth, John Knight, Canyon, \$80.  
King Jack's Happy Lady, John Knight, Canyon, \$77.50.

Pathfinder Clover Second, J. C. Frye, Tulia, \$140.  
Golden May Pathfinder Third, A. G. Ross, Lubbock, \$60.  
Orion Cherry Lady, W. D. Wright, \$125.

E. Colonel Lady Sensation, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$100.

Colonel Lady Sensation First, Alexander, Michie & Jones, Childress, \$90.  
High Orion Lady Tenth, Merie Morgan, \$125.

Pathfinder Beauty Twelfth, Merie Morgan, \$70.  
King's Orion Lady Twelfth, F. W. Boerner, Lubbock, \$72.50.  
Dixie's Pathfinder Lady, Dixie Hog Farm, \$90.

**Poland Chinas**  
Bob's Perfect Lady, J. H. Bowers, Happy, \$102.50.

Miss Sterling Price, J. H. Bowers, Happy, \$75.  
Miss Price Avalanche, Adams Bros, \$77.50.

Black Queen, Adams Bros., \$95.  
Miss Defender Buster, Ludwig Iribeck, Happy, \$140.

Orange Lady, S. G. Sanders, \$85.  
Model Wonder, S. G. Sanders, \$100.  
Avalanche Lady C., Cox Bros., \$77.50.

Orange Queen, Cox Bros., \$125.  
Miss Orange, Bourland & Sharp, \$110.

Victoria Price, M. O. Meeks & Son, \$65.  
The Ranger's Maid, S. E. Lewis, Childress, \$190.

Ranger Lill, S. E. Lewis, Childress, \$105.  
Gladiator's Giantess, Earl Lewis, Childress, \$75.

Gladiator's Maid, Earl Lewis, Childress, \$75.  
Lady Chief Prize, L. M. Zook, Childress, \$50.

The sale was held in the elegant sales pavilion, and prior to its consummation the ladies of the Methodist Church served lunches to the residents and visitors.

Through courtesy of the Chamber of Commerce, transportation was furnished to those who remained for the sale, to Canyon, so that trains might be made for points east and south.

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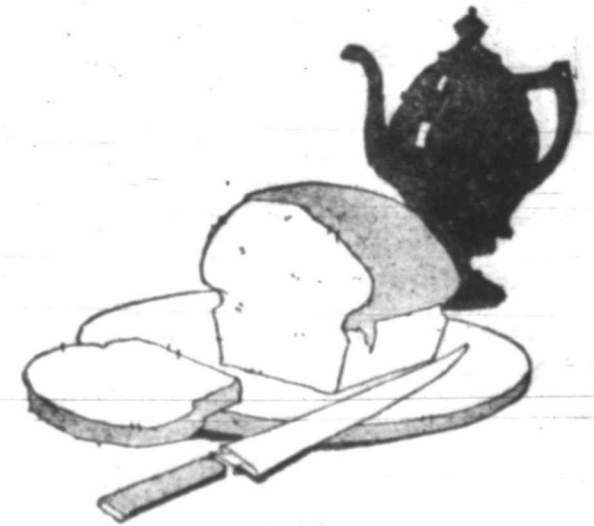
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### MISS PANSY POSEY IS HONORED AT PLAINVIEW

Saturday night Miss Wynona Guest was hostess at an informal dance honoring her guest, Miss Pansy Posey, of Lubbock, Texas.

The guests were Misses Faye Martin, M'belles Groves and the honoree, Messrs. Glenn Greene, Sam Curry, Jones Goode, Hill Epley, Olin Brahear, Shiny Price and Bob Meador. —Plainview Herald.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County,

Greetings: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for more than one year in Lubbock County, Texas, for twenty days, the following notice:

The State of Texas: To All Persons Interested in the Estate of J. J. Dieter, Deceased: Know Ye, that Minnie L. Dieter, Administratrix of the estate of J. J. Dieter, Deceased, having on the 30th day of December, 1921, filed in the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas, her application to sell the following described land belonging to said estate:

Situated in Throckmorton County, Texas, being 200 acres off the west side of Survey 3033, T&E L. Co., described by metes and bounds as beginning at a stake at the N. W. corner said Survey 3033; Thence S. 1344 varas; Thence E. 840 varas; Thence N. 1344 varas; Thence W. 840 varas to the beginning.

Therefore, these are to notify all persons interested in said estate to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 20th day of March, 1922, said court to be held at the Courthouse of Lubbock County, in the City of Lubbock, on the third Monday in March, 1922, then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, this the 30th day of December, 1921.

SAM T. DAVIS,  
Clerk County Court, Lubbock, Texas.  
C. A. Holcomb, Sheriff.

Scratch pads for sale at this office.

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And Leave it to RAY and FRANK

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Our "Family Wash" Way Got Ten New Customers This Week

### FAMILY EATS POISON BREAD BY MISTAKE

Bronte, Texas, Jan. 26.—Charles Borders is dead and his son and the latter's wife and child are seriously ill at Maverick, a small town eight miles from here, as the result of eating bread in the making which a poisonous powder was mistaken for baking powder, according to belated word here today. Before he died Sunday morning Borders recalled

that he kept the poison in a baking can. Prompt work of physicians probably saved the lives of the other three.

### NOTICE

Call Home Laundry, Phone 787, for your laundry, quick service. 40-49 T

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**A SPENDTHRIFT OR A THIEF.**

Monday morning the appearance of an unaccompanied ten year old boy on the streets here attracted no special attention, until that night, when he asked for a room at a local hotel, and said he had no money with which to pay. He was admitted, and after lounging around for a while, produced some new articles which he offered for sale to the other lodgers. The chief of police immediately went to work on the case and found that the articles had been stolen from local business houses. The boy then "fessed up" and was made to help distribute the articles to those from whom he had stolen them.—Lubbock Avalanche.

This is one of our old social problems, and one which is commanding the best thought of men and women everywhere. What will we do with the youthful thief? States have had to solve the problem. Texas has a reform school, other states have this or that method of reforming the youth of the land, and making honest boys and future citizens out of them. We have studied much on this question, as naturally we would do in raising two boys. The greatest shame that could come to us, and the greatest sorrow would be for our boys to turn thieves. Of all the horrors and sorrows that could befall parents would be to know that their son had turned thief. There is a way to avoid this sadness that comes to so many homes. Parents should study this question deeply and earnestly. Of the boys raised in the towns and cities this day and age, there is more temptation for them to turn thief than with the boys raised in the country. There is so much to spend money for, there are so many more temptations for boys in towns than in the rural districts. Our policy has been to furnish the boys with spending money, not extravagantly, but let him know that you are back of him in his childish desires and necessities. At the same time teach him economy and the necessity of saving money. We would rather raise a spendthrift than a thief. There are some parents who have turned their boys thieves by the niggardly way they give them spending money. When they see other boys with spending money, it is quite natural for them to want some for themselves, and if you don't supply it, or encourage them to work for it, they will form the habit of stealing. Some say that dishonesty is hereditary, but we think more boys become dishonest through environments than they do through inheritance. At any rate the question of raising boys and girls is a perplexing one and commands our very best and deepest thought.—Lockney Beacon.

Some people seem to have an idea that beating a child is the only way of correction and they work this theory overtime, and as natural consequence as soon as the child is big enough to make its get away from such treatment they usually get, and we dare say that the unmerciful applying of the "rod" has been the cause of many a boy or girl leaving home and seeking a more congenial place to live, and when they drift out into the world without shelter or money, they are forced to do things that they would not otherwise do. The parents of today seem to not have the same control of the home that they did in the days of old, and while not many of us wish to take a back track and go back to the days of yore, still in this respect the world would probably be better if a little of the old time restrictions were placed around the family and children made to feel that home is the best place on earth, and therefore would rather be there than anywhere else. The home should be the most pleasant place on earth. Yet, (we are sorry to say) it is often anything else, and the devil knows it, for he is the chief guest in such homes, and takes advantage of this condition and prepares a place down town for the boys, where every comfort is provided, and everything done to make the boy enjoy himself, and finally there is trouble in the land and a case in court and a new occupant in the penitentiary and thus it goes. We must revive the old time. We must fight for the safety of the home in this land, and for purer, more sacred marriage relations. Old American must wake up. She must brush the cobwebs from her eyes, and get down to real work of improving the morals of this country or the breakers ahead will be the destruction of the country. But back to the boy subject: It is a great one, and one that naturally must be governed according to the individual disposition of the boy. This is found to be so different—hardly one of the same family being disposed alike, and parents must naturally study the disposition of each and rule accordingly. The main thing we believe is the keeping of every boy at home as much as possible, and this will prevent most of the evils that engulf them, and cause them to do wrong things that are apt to get into their minds. The whole thing comes back to the place of beginning, home training, and pleasant home environments.

**MARRIAGE THE STANDARD**

The Bolsheviks tinkered four years with Russia's marriage and divorce laws. Family ties became so loose that divorces could be brought for the equivalent of 15 cents, and practically all restrictions were removed from marriage. The pendulum swings back. Regulations are tightening. Divorce and marriage statistics are returning to normal, says latest reports from Russia. If our dear United States does not tighten up on this divorce business soon and most rigidly, the same conditions will exist as in Russia. When the home is destroyed, the foundation of the nation is in danger and any old fool knows that no matter how magnificent the building, if the foundation is defective, the building will not, cannot stand. More rigid marriage laws and divorce laws should be made for the United States.

**QUITYERACHIN.**

Aching about business being bad will not cure it, but will rather make it worse. A fellow with a bad case of the backache is not going to cure it by howling or 'aching.' The thing to do is to apply some well-known remedy that will hit the spot and relieve the pain. The same is true about business. If business is bad, get a hustle on and make it better. The hen does not quit scratching because the worms are scarce, but scratches the more. Keep on hustling!—Lubbock Avalanche.

Pretty timely suggestions for the man of short business vision. The trouble with so many in business these days is that they have thrown up the sponge. We heard a traveling man remark a short time ago in this wise: "For the past several years a boy could sell goods, but now it takes a full-grown experienced business man to get by." This is a time that is trying business men, and there are going to be some that will not be able to weather the storm. The man who studies his business, and the man who has faith in the country and in his own business ability, will be able to get through and make some money. The man who sits down and whines like a dog on his haunches, is going to come out of the little end of the horn. Some men drive business away from them by talking hard times, and telling ever customer that comes into their store that the country is going to the dogs. One pessimist can do more harm in a community than a half a dozen optimists can correct. This is no time to talk about hard times and business stagnation, but get up and hit the ball. Find something to do if it's nothing but keeping your stock and cleaning your stores. Be a business booster and getter instead of a pessimist and a stampeded of business.—Lockney Beacon.

**WOULD SAVE EMBARRASSMENT.**

A bill introduced in the New York Legislature would make it unnecessary for any citizen when qualifying for a voter, to give his or her—particularly her—age. The only question asked the prospective voter would be, "Are you twenty-one?" That is presumably all the election officials need to know. Any citizen is as competent to vote on his twenty-first birthday as he will ever be afterward. Why, then, insist on being specific, at least in the case of the sex that is sensitive about its age? There is doubtless a certain value in having the exact age set down, as a means of identification; but the gallant legislators who put forward this new rule could doubtless take care of that by registering the elector's finger-prints, complexion and height. If this ruling had been in effect when Texas was trying to elect a governor the last time, friend Neff would have been saved a wonderful lot of explaining about how old he was then.

**OLD CLOTHES AND NEW**

Lubbock must increase her facilities during this year—she has outgrown her old clothes and a new suit must be procured.—Lubbock Avalanche.  
The above is the headline on a leading article on the first page of the Avalanche of Jan. 24, and in the story which followed many needed improvements were mentioned. Lubbock has truly outgrown her "old clothes" and as a matter of fact the local newspaper is the one to mention and begin to work for new ones. The people may wonder in astonishment at the big things the editor has "dreamed about," but they begin to think over and talk it and the result is the business men and commercial organizations get behind the proposition and put it over.—Crosbyton Review

**RETIRING OUR BONDS**

Uncle Sam bought up and retired from circulation about \$677,000,000 worth of Victory notes during 1921. So much less for taxpayers to pay interest on. It was taxation well spent. Uncle Sam, like all wise business men, is trying to liquidate his loans as rapidly as possible.

**TRAFFIC RULES NO. 1922**

- STOP riding last year's Trouble Bus.
- STOP feeling sad and blue;
- STOP knocking Nineteen-twenty-one.
- STOP doubting Twenty-two.
- STOP wailing of mistakes you've made
- STOP saying gloom endures;
- STOP envying your rival's luck.
- STOP now lamenting yours.
- STOP springing ancient alibis.
- STOP thinking them at all;
- STOP crying to each friend you meet,
- STOP backing toward the wall.
- STOP eating noyl the husks.
- STOP throwing up your guard;
- STOP wearing undertaker looks.
- STOP saying times are hard.
- STOP worrying about your tires.
- STOP driving 'round in low;
- STOP saving on the Peppy Gas.
- STOP all that stuff—and GO!

- GO get yourself a Grinmobile.
- GO get equipped for speed;
- GO after everything in sight.
- GO get the joys you need.
- GO smiling to your daily task.
- GO after business, too;
- GO where it never was before.
- GO where it waits for you.
- GO where the jokers congregate,
- GO tell a few and then
- GO home and tell them to your wife,
- GO pass them 'round again.
- GO where you think the blues abide,
- GO where the gloomers sit;
- GO hear their pessimistic plaint,
- GO talk them out of it!
- GO make them all stand up and shout:
- "GO Twenty-one! Adieu!"
- GO flood the world with just one song:
- "GO big in Twenty-two!"
- William Herschell in the Indianapolis News.

The conference is really making progress in extracting the fangs of the sea serpent.

The elimination of scrub stock would be as advantageous in the security market as on the farm.

**This is Not a Speculative Proposition**

Some people are under the impression that we handle only cigars, whereas, in addition to cigars we handle a complete line of grocers sundries and it will be a pleasure for us to show you through our warehouse at any time.

We have just taken on an exclusive contract for a leading brand of coffee for all the territory that we intend to work with our regular salesmen, with a nice profit on all sales made in our territory. These coffee people have an established trade on this coffee in our territory and will turn all this business over to us. They surely must think that the possibilities of this company are good or else they would not care to send a man, at their expense, to work with our salesmen introducing this coffee to merchants who have not handled it before and seeing that the old customers keep a good stock on hand at all times.

We also carry a good line of cakes and crackers in addition to such things as Carter's ink, tablets, pencils, Magic yeast, paper napkins, paper bags, wrapping paper, twine, paper pie plates, shoe polish, Old Dutch Cleanser, soaps, chewing gum, tobacco and cigarettes, and other things too numerous to mention here.

Now mind you—it is your business!—We are not trying to advise you for advice is cheap and we have no desire to engineer your destiny—we have tried to explain to you how and why you have an opportunity to make an investment in a company today that has possibilities of being one of the largest of its kind in the Southwest.

If you elect to take the broad road of "Wait a while" that leads to nowhere; if you decide to wait until all the stock is sold in the hopes that you can buy it cheaper than par we think that you will be disappointed for the men who are putting their money into this proposition are men who are satisfied themselves as to the possibilities before they invest and we feel that they will be with us when the stock is worth a great deal more than par, so if you decide to wait until this stock is selling at possibly several times the present prices—it is your own lookout.

Your better judgment—I feel quite sure is telling you right now this is a big opportunity for which you have waited; you are right now deliberating as to whether you should wait and see how big the business will grow—but then it will be too late, for men with foresight as to the possibilities will have bought this stock and it will be off the market. Your innermost self is telling you "Delays are fatal" and if you do not embrace this opportunity to the full extent of your financial ability, you may never have another!

Time is flying, and while time is flying we are busy with the sale of this stock and while some of you are asleep we are getting closer to the point where there will be no more stock in this company for sale, for we have every reason to believe that we will be oversubscribed within a very short time—This is no oil proposition nor a proposition that holds out to you that you will receive big dividends the first few months and we are not appealing to men who are accustomed to buying speculative stocks but instead we appeal to people who have idle money to invest and who wish to have it invested in home propositions that help to upbuild this country and which have possibilities of growing and paying good dividends.

You have known of people who have had opportunities of making investments that would make them several times the amount of their original investment—but they waited to see what would happen or to think it over before they acted—while they were doing this others were making thorough investigations and soon made up their minds to act and today are profiting by their decision.

Now, we are not hurrying you but do suggest that if you have any idea of investing with us that you make up your mind one way or the other for this stock will not be on the market forever.

**Proposed Capital Stock \$100,000, Divided  
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—87 lots scattered through the original town at prices ranging from \$50.00 to \$350.00 per lot. See Hess-Sears Co., Room 101 Security State Bank Bldg. 40-8

FOR SALE—Bundle Kaffir, 4c per bundle delivered to Lubbock. J. F. Goodnight, Phone 9008, Lubbock, Texas. 40-8p

FOR SALE—Big type Poland China boars and gilts, all ages at farmers' prices. W. B. Trotter, Lubbock, Texas. Route 1. 44-4

FOR SALE—At a bargain on easy terms, one Emerson 20-35 Horse Power Engine and one Emerson nine Disc plow. Roscoe Wilson, Lubbock, Texas. 44-4

FOR SALE—Long Staple Acala Cotton Seed. Shipped from Paducah, Tex. Absolutely no boll weevils. Cleaned and culled. Order now. Lubbock Grain and Coal Co., Lubbock, Texas. 43-4f

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and disc plow in good order. Price \$500. See R. A. Rankin, Lubbock, Texas. 41-3pT

FOR SALE—Large flour sacks for sale. Martin's Bakery. 194f

FOR SALE—Modern 5 room house within 2 blocks of High School. Phone 524. 39-4f

FOR SALE—Two good, close in rooming houses. Cheap for quick sale. Phone 725, P. O. Box 143. 44-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For bundle feed, one team horses; also some farm implements. Hawes Mattress Co., Phone 625. 44-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—6 head of small work mules and six head of horses, will trade for good car, or will sell cheap on good terms. J. L. Brabham, at First State Bank, Idalou, Texas. 42-4f

FOR SALE—Government harness. A. F. McDonald. 43-4f

FOR SALE—4 room house and 1 lot. Phone or call Weisenborn, at Lub-Tex Motor Company. 44-4f

FOR SALE—Hot Blast heater, Phone 583. 44-4f

FOR SALE—Or would trade my 160 acre farm, 10 miles west of Abertamy, for small place within 2 miles of Lubbock. C. W. Wall, Abertamy, Texas. 44-1p

FOR SALE—Finest imitation leather cushions, well constructed, built for office chairs, just the thing for auto cushions. Only \$2.00 each. Call at Lubbock Business College, Phone 335. 44-4p

FOR SALE—Mebane cotton seed, \$1.00 per bushel. T. B. Clifton, on Dr. Rumph's place, Lubbock, Texas. 45-4f

FOR SALE—Good Buick roadster at a bargain. O. C. Graves at Beall's Drug Store. 45-1p

FOR SALE—Duofold, rocking chair, new Perfection short burner cook stove, refrigerator, Coles heater and bicycle. 1954 Avenue I. 45-1p

FOR SALE—5 room house, bath, servants house, cement walks, 1 1-2 blocks from Square. Price \$3000, cash \$500, balance payable per month. This is an opportunity to buy and save money lost by paying rent. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—Lots in any part of the city and acreage property from 5 to 40 acres. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1p

FOR SALE—4 room house, lights, water and nice garden spot, 4 blocks from Square. Price \$1800, cash \$500, assume \$1300 payable \$25 per month. Another opportunity. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—18 acres 1 1-2 miles from town, 4 room house, offered at a sacrificed price with easy terms. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—New modern 6 room house, bath, double garage, walks, driveway, two 50 ft. lots. Located in Overton addition on 11th. Three rooms furnished, fine new furniture goes with place. Price \$8750. If you are in the market for a real home, this is another opportunity. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—5 room house, bath, walks, closets, screened porch and driveway, also garage and servants house. Price \$5000, cash \$1000, balance easy terms. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—We are offering you on Broadway, a new modern 5 room house, bath, hall, and all built in features, such as bookcases, buffets, linen-closets, kitchen cabinets, etc. All inside work hand finished. Price \$5250. You can not afford to build, when you can buy one like this for the money. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—9 room house, 2 halls, 2 baths, 7 closets, also 5 room house on same lots with all modern conveniences, double garage. This is an A-1 proposition for a man who wants a rooming house, and is offered at a sacrifice. Close in. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—An A-1 proposition in Acreage stuff in McCrummets Second addition, with 5 room frame house, well and mill, tank, orchard and barn. Priced right, or will trade for 5 or 6 room residence close in. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—5 room house West of High School at the remarkably low price of \$1300. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—Nice 3 room house, at a bargain. South part of town on Ave I. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—5 acre block in Wheeler 2nd addition, offered at a bargain. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE—A grocery stock, cheap rent. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR SALE OR TRADE—My green Buick, for lots, house, or seed. R. Q. Stubbs, Lubbock, Texas. 44-4p

WANTED

WANTED—To rent a farm on halves, prefer 150 or 160 acres. Write Paul Hardy, Lubbock, Texas. 45-2p

WANTED—To trade good car and balance cash for residence. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

WANTED—To exchange nice modern home in West Overton addition for smaller place close in. Texas Land Exchange. 45-11

WANTED—A list on your lots, city property and farms that you have for sale. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

WANTED TO TRADE—Equity in 320 acres for a good home in Lubbock, balance due on land on or before 8 years at 7 per cent interest. Also have small residence and good car will trade for a nice residence in Lubbock. What have you? Box 648, Lubbock, Texas. 42-4f

WANTED—A capable woman to do house work. Phone 509. Mrs. Walter Myrick. 44-4f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5 room house, two blocks from the square for sale or rent. See Jno. W. Aucutt. Phone 562, or 245. 44-4f

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms, upstairs. Call 607. 42-4f

FOR RENT—Rooms. Phone 99, 1707 Broadway. 41-4f

FOR RENT—Modern 7 room house on Eighth Street. Inquire of J. W. Burleson, Citizen National Bank. 42-4f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 563. 43-4f

FOR RENT—2 furnished light housekeeping rooms, no children. 1602 Avenue I, Phone 288. 44-1

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms. Phone 454. 45-3

FOR RENT—5 room house with bath, also five acres of land. Located near High School building. Want to lease by year. J. A. Hodges, at Hodge Brothers. 45-1

FOR RENT—3 apartments, downtown. See M. Fulton. 44-4f

FOR RENT—After February 9, five room house and bath with all city conveniences and out buildings. Dr. O. H. Westlake, Phone 188. 44-4f

FOR RENT—Large front room, close in. Modern conveniences. Phone 681. 45-1p

FOR RENT—Hotel centrally located, cheap rent. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

MISCELLANEOUS

Commencing February 1, and until Saturday night, February 4, will pay: Hens and friers 17c per pound, stags 10c per pound and cocks 5c per pound. Read the dates and sell your chickens. Rucker Produce Co., Phone 11. 45-1

BOYS WANTED to sell the El Paso Herald, the Southwest's Greatest Newspaper, on the streets of Lubbock. This is a golden opportunity for boys to earn money. For full particulars, address H. H. Frie, Circulation Manager, El Paso Herald. 42-27

FOR TRADE—Some good revenue bearing town property for a small farm near town. Clyde Lokcy, 40-4f

Now is the time to cull your chickens. We will pay 17c for hens, stags 10c, and cocks 5c per pound. Between Feb. 1, and Feb. 4. The last car. Rucker Produce Co., Phone 11. 45-1

WE HAVE some exceptional bargains in houses with small cash payment and long time on balance. We also have cheap building sites. See us for bargains. Sears and Powell, Lubbock, Texas. 43-4f

NOTICE—Full blood jersey bull, will make the season at my barn. A. F. McDonald. 204f

POST—Will trade car of hold'arc post for maize heads. M. T. Warick, Phone 9016. 45-1

Box Supper at Posey, Friday night, February 3, 1922. 44-2p

FOR TRADE—Some good farms for city property. Texas Land Exchange. 45-1

FOR TRADE—Good city property, well located, good improvements. I want to trade for farm near town. T. A. Curry. Phone 799. 44-4p

We want an Agent in Lubbock, and other towns to sell Potato slips, Cabbage, Onion, and Tomato plants, write us and send reference. Milano Plant Co., Milano, Texas. 44-5

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2 Chandler cars, worth the money. F. N. Payne, at Lub-Tex Motor Company. 42-4f

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Black good sized purse, inside there was some small change, keys, silver pencil, and papers with my name on them. Finder leave at Avalanche office and you will be paid for your trouble. Mrs. J. C. Bowles, Shallowater, Texas. 40-4f

LOST—1 Bay mare, one white hind foot and black mule colt; also one brown mare, 16 hands high. Will give \$5.00 reward and pay for trouble. Call phone 562. 44-2p

LOST—Jan. 28, large red leather pocket wallet, full of papers. Finder kindly return to Avalanche office. R. G. Dunn and Co., Amarillo, Texas. 45-1p

LOST—Black handbag, between Ralls and Crosbyton, Tuesday, Fred Herd, of Amarillo, owner. Return to Lone Star Stage-Line, Lubbock. 45-1p

San Jose Scale

Is Death to the Peach Trees

One of the most serious enemies of the peach tree is the San Jose scale. This insect and the root-knot organism are jointly responsible for the short life of peach trees. The scale alone will kill a tree in a short time. Under favorable conditions the scale will kill all the trees in an orchard during one season.

Trees badly infested have grayish scruddy bark. The active scales winter in the small black stage; that is, the covering over the scale is black. These can be seen with the naked eye, but the scales themselves are too small to be noticed without the aid of a lens. During summer the insects attack the twigs, fruits and branches. On tender shoots it makes its presence known by a reddening of the tissue. This must not be confused with natural colors.

According to Professor J. E. Watson, entomologist of the Florida Experiment Station, the most efficient method of fighting the pest is to spray with lime sulphur solution use one part of the commercial solution to nine parts of water. Spray the trees thoroughly with this, but only when they are dormant, leafless and not growing. The solution is strong enough to burn foliage. December is the best month to do the spraying, but if the trees have not started budding in January it may be done that late.

The grower should prepare to spray every year because enough scales to ruin a whole orchard the following season may remain undetected by one not familiar with them. The time during which this strong spray can be applied is short and the grower should not let it pass.

Some spraying can be done in the summer but a much weaker solution must be used. Mix the solution one part stock to thirty of water. This is not very effective and can be depended on only to hold the insects in check until winter offers opportunity to deal the death blow.

Roy Riddel and H. W. Wyle were here Monday from Aspermont.

Dr. J. W. Carter, of Crosbyton, was here Sunday and Monday.

O. E. Barfoot, of Hermleigh, was here Monday.

MY WIFE'S BEEN TENDIN' COURT

The dishes have all gone unwashed. The floor has gone unswep; The bed not once has been made up. Tho for six nights we have slept. Everything seems upside down. The house all out of sort— My wife, like everyone else in town, Has been tendin' court.

She saw the judge upon the bench. The jury in the box; She heard objections overruled. But she didn't darn my sock. She listened to the lawyers speak. She saw them pound and prance— But I've been going one full week With no buttons on my pants.

She counts the jury every day To see if they are there. She knows exactly what they'll say.

When their verdict they declare. She quotes the law on this and that; She can find it in the book— Her mind is all on lawful things With no time left to cook.

She dreams, now, she's a lawyer And up to plead her case; She swings her fist 'round in her sleep And lands it in my face. I know I'm kind o' easy— And a pretty good old sport— But darned if I "ain't" gettin' tired Of my wife a tendin' court.

Frank Carl and wife, of Ralls, were here Sunday and Monday.

Henry Bledsoe, of Muleshoe, transacted business here Thursday and Friday.

B. L. Frost was here Friday from Roscoe.

J. W. Jones, of Childress, was here on business Friday.

Mrs. S. S. Kerby, of Plains, was here Friday and Saturday of last week.

Snubbing a high price will make it feel cheap.

Lots of people are on the right tract, but headed the wrong way.

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ANSEL HINES CANDIDATE FOR TAX COLLECTOR

To the Citizens of Lubbock County: I am hereby announcing for Tax Collector of Lubbock County. I am 27 years of age, am married and have lived in Lubbock County eleven years. I attended the Lubbock High School and then went to work. I have been with the Hunt Grocery Company of Lubbock about eight years.

Two out of the eight years mentioned I spent in the Army during the war, going to France with the 142nd Infantry of the 36th Division and remaining with it throughout. In the Army as Company Clerk and on the job at home, I have gained a great deal of experience in clerical work and the keeping of accounts. I feel that I am qualified in every way to hold the office I seek and I think the office needs an active, wide-awake young man in charge.

At the proper time I shall go before the people. My finances will not permit me to engage in an active campaign from now until election day.

I submit my candidacy to the will of the people.

Sincerely yours, ANSEL HINES.

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Collin Myntt and Miss Ella Hoge, January 24.

H. A. Shaw and Miss Lo B. Pepper, January 26.

Geo. McBee and Miss Bertha Anthony, January 27.

D. T. Ross and Miss Artie Mae Aycock, January 28.

C. C. Friezel and Miss Francisca McBee, January 28.

I. R. Powell, president of the Citizens-National Bank, of Crosbyton, was here Friday transacting business.

Doughnuts made daily at Martin's Bakery. 33-4f

Robert Scott, of Slaton, transacted business here Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. W. James, of Abilene, was a Lubbock visitor last week.

Henry Kelley, of Snyder, was here last week on business.

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**Boys from the Panhandle and South Plains Organize a Club at the A. & M. College and Meet Twice a Month**

Early in the fall the boys from the Panhandle section called a meeting for the purpose of organizing a Panhandle Club of A. & M. College, and elected G. W. Harris, of Mobeetie, president; F. Hale, of Tulia, vice-president; C. E. Bairfield, of Clarendon, secretary; and E. R. Duke, of Claude, treasurer. Mr. Harris is 2nd Lt. Co. C. Inf., and will graduate in June from the school of agriculture. Mr. Hale is major 1st. Battalion and will graduate in June from the school of agriculture. Mr. Bairfield, Sgt. Co. D, junior agricultural administration. Mr. Duke, Sgt. Co. D. Inf., junior in agriculture. Data on the other members follow:

From Vernon: A. D. Boger, corporal air service, sophomore mechanical engineering; A. M. Hiatt, Co. C. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering; C. R. Robertson, C. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering; and H. Sewell, C. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering. From Plainview: J. F. Buchanan, Co. C. Inf., freshman, agriculture; J. K. Stevens, corporal air service, sophomore chemical engineering; and L. R. Ebling, graduates in June from the school of mechanical engineering. From Lubbock: W. B. Blankinship, A. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering; C. S. Denham, air service, freshman electrical engineering; and R. H. Waters, Co. C. Inf., freshman electrical engineering. From Pampa: O. H. Caruth, Sgt. A. signal corps, junior electrical engineering; and W. N. Roberts, A. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering. From Totus: O. D. Dinwiddie, 2nd. Lt. Co. C. Inf., graduate

in June from the school of agriculture; and W. R. Hutchinson, corporal C. Inf., sophomore agriculture. From Quanah: F. O. Griffith, Sgt. A. signal corps, junior electrical engineering; and L. H. Griffith, corporal A. Art., sophomore civil engineering. From Lieb: R. Jarvis, corporal Co. D. Inf., sophomore agriculture; and B. Jarvis, Co. C. Inf., freshman agriculture. From Dalhart: F. M. Kraft, corporal C. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering; W. D. Weeks, A. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering; N. Conley, Perryton, Sgt. B. signal corps, junior civil engineering; L. L. Collins, Floydada, 2nd Lt. A. Inf., graduates in June from the school of chemical engineering; C. E. Gath, Miami, B. Cav., freshman agricultural engineering; J. C. Moore, Matador, Capt. Co. B. Inf., will graduate in June from the school of chemical engineering; E. G. Ross, Goodlet, corporal C. Inf., second year two-year agriculture, and will receive a certificate in agriculture in June; W. B. Smith, Sanger, air service, freshman mechanical engineering; and D. G. Bell, Hereford, C. signal corps, freshman electrical engineering.

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We want the people at home to also know that this is a state institution, our institution, offering courses in all phases of agriculture and engineering, veterinary medicine and agricultural administration second to none in the whole world. The A. & M. System of Education includes the A. & M. College of Texas; Extension Service of A. & M. with all its agents throughout the state; Experiment Stations of A. & M. over the state; John Tarleton Agricultural College, a junior A. & M., Stephenville; Grubbs Vocational College, a junior A. & M., Arlington; and Prairie View State College (for colored), Prairie View, Texas. The total valuation is slightly over six and one-half million dollars with a total acreage of nearly six thousand. There are over two hundred and fifty magnificent brick structures, and there is at this time over seven thousand students enrolled in this system of education.

**BOX SUPPER AT POSEY FRIDAY NIGHT FEB. 3RD.**

There will be a box supper given at the Posey School House Friday night, February 3rd, for the purpose of creating a fund for the purchase of a piano for the Sunday School at that place, and the public is cordially invited to attend. The ladies will bring boxes, and the men and boys come with well filled pocket books, to buy the boxes. 44-2p

**HOUSTON HAS MORE NEGROES THAN ANY TEXAS CITY**

Washington, Jan. 23.—Houston has the largest negro population of any city in Texas and the largest percentage of negro population. There are 33,960 negroes there. Dallas is second with 24,023 negroes and Fort Worth third with 15,896. San Antonio has 14,341.

New York leads with 152,000. Philadelphia second, Chicago third and Washington fourth, in the United States. More than one-fourth of the people in Washington are negroes; nearly half of the people in Charleston, S. C., are negroes. There are 70,000 blacks in Birmingham, the scene of fiction stories of negro life.

The majority of people living in Besseler, Ala., are negroes.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lubbock.

Whereas, By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 13th day of December A. D. 1921, in favor of W. A. McDonald and against C. W. Sargent and Mrs. E. J. Payne, a feme sole No. 1491 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I did, on the 10th day of January A. D. 1922, at 5 o'clock P. M., levy up on the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to C. W. Sargent and Mrs. E. J. Payne, a feme sole to-wit: Lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block No. 4, Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, as per map thereof in the Deed Records of said county and on the 7th day of February A. D. 1922, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the Court-house door of Lubbock County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said C. W. Sargent and Mrs. E. J. Payne, a feme sole in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of January A. D. 1922.

C. A. HOLCOMB,  
Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas. 40-3f

**MUCH HIGHWAY BUILDING COMPLETED IN DECEMBER**

December with its snow and wintry weather is not the best month of the year for building roads, yet during last December there were completed 155 miles of Federal highways under the supervision of the Bureau of Public Roads, United States Department of Agriculture. The mileage is represented in roadways that were nearing completion as winter started and were finished during the month.

In addition, according to a compilation just completed by the department, considerable progress was made toward the completion of 15,834 more miles of highways still under construction. At the end of November these roadways were 68 per cent complete; at the end of

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## Agricultural Agent Says Sweet Clover Adapted to Texas and is Fine Forage Crop and Helps Land

White-flowered sweet clover grows wild in all counties between Fort Worth and Texline which shows its wide adaptation to varying climatic and soil conditions. These wild growths show that it thrives in hard soil and in waste places; also that it can make its way even when growing among all kinds of woods and grass. Sweet clover is also resistant to drought else it could not thrive in such places as it is often found.

Many farmers have been watching these wild growths for the last year or two and a few have been experimenting with it in a small way. These observations and experiments have created genuine interest and farmers all along the Denver road counties are planning to make a seeding of sweet clover this winter.

The hardy habits of sweet clover have caused farmers to realize the possibilities of getting it established on rough pasture land or in waste places thus converting much unprofitable land into good grazing that will return a profit.

Sweet clover will probably prove more profitable when used as a pasture crop than when used as a hay crop. However, sweet clover hay is almost equal to alfalfa hay in feeding value, and it will grow on many farms where alfalfa will not grow.

Many good stands of sweet clover have resulted from seed being scattered on top of hard ground along

road sides. Seed have been blown into pastures from nearby fields and there settled into the ground, germinated and grew. This is mentioned to show that sweet clover seems to thrive on a hard seed bed. On the other hand many farmers have carefully prepared a loose seed bed and had very poor results in getting a good stand. Often times they failed.

So, if one contemplates seeding sweet clover on cultivated land it should be prepared in such a way as to keep the soil as compact as possible or in the case of loose or sandy soil some means should be used to settle the ground as thoroughly as possible. Perhaps disking shallow and rolling would do this best. For pasture land, a shallow disking would be all that is necessary. Then sow when there is plenty of moisture in the soil and cover as lightly as possible. The seed bed must be compact. This is essential.

Sweet clover seed are very hard and do not come up quickly unless they are scarified. Scarified seed are those that have been mechanically scratched so that the seed coat is roughened thus permitting them to absorb moisture, which hastens germination. Better stands result from using scarified seed, although they cost more per pound (about 8 to 12 cents.) The rate of seeding with scarified seed is about 10 to 12 pounds per acre. Unscarified seed should be sown at the rate of fifteen pounds per acre. These will sell for 1 to 2 cents less per pound. Unhulled seed are still cheaper but it will take twelve to twenty pounds of seed per acre. They, of course, are not scarified.

In nature sweet clover seed mature in the summer, fall to the ground gradually absorb moisture, freeze and thaw, then germinate early the next spring. This absorption of moisture and freezing and thawing softens the hard seed coat and causes most of them to germinate the next spring. For this reason winter seeding is better than March or April seeding. Seed should be sown in December or January. On the plains seeding may be postponed until February or even the first of March.

One man at Memphis, Texas, has already bought seed for forty acres. He has been experimenting with it for two years. In Wise county many farmers are going to plant sweet clover. In Mortague county several men will sow from ten to forty acres. Donley county farmers are going to

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sow some. In Dallam county sweet clover grows so luxuriously in a wild state that farmers have become interested and some will make a seeding this winter.

No doubt sweet clover will become a common crop within two or three years or as soon as it has proven its value as a pasture and hay crop.

### CLARENDON FARMER GOES TO NEW FARM AT SEAGRAVES

T. H. Dale passed through here Saturday with an immigrant car well filled with farming implements, livestock and household goods which he is shipping to his new home at Seagraves. He hails from Clarendon, and said that there were four other families of that town making preparations to go to Seagraves.

Among the livestock in the car was a thoroughbred sow, which he paid one hundred and fifty dollars for at Clarendon several months ago, and her litter of seven fine pigs will help to make the pork producing records of the Seagraves country look mighty good.

These farmers are welcomed to the Plains, and their bringing such fine stock shows that they are going to help in developing this great territory.

Mr. Dale will farm two hundred and fifty acres there this year, and said he would be ready to start to work in a little while, as his implements are all modern and new, and he has a fine bunch of horses to push things along with.

The name of a "good farmer" is worth much to those who have products. Consumers like to deal with good farmers. Try to emulate the example of the best farmer in your community.

## Over Production Sure to Cause Continued Low Prices

The law of supply and demand may not always work true to form, but there is one thing certain, that it is in good working order every time the farmers of the country produce a few more bales of cotton than is needed or a few more bushels of corn or wheat than the average annual yield. Overproduction, no matter how slight, furnishes the best opportunity to beat down prices and for reason, if for no other, farmers should keep posted on the supply and probable consumption of every commodity they produce to sell.

In planning the crops for 1922, producers must remember that Europe is making every possible effort to live at home. They have not the money to spend for imported products they once had and so every acre available is being used to produce grains and other food products. Neither have they the money to buy all the cotton they should have to keep their mills occupied or to properly clothe themselves. Therefore, it would be good policy on the part of our own farmers to plan their year's work to include a variety of products in sufficient quantity or acreage to supply their own needs, and, of course, some to sell, and if they have any spare time, put it in fixing up the fences, repairing the house or barns, and in other ways make the farm home more comfortable and attractive. Most farms need more attention than they get. Many a field could be made more productive. Terraces could be built to save washits. The orchard could be cleaned up and made productive. There will be plenty to do on the farm, which will prove more profitable in the end than raising more cotton or other commodities than can be sold at a profit.

### MILAM COUNTY FARMERS PURCHASE LAND HERE

Lowell Russell and son, T. L. Russell, of Milam county, are here this week, prospecting, and we understand have purchased, or at least contracted for property near Lubbock on which they will move their families in the very near future.

Lowell Russell purchased the twenty-eight acre tract of land east of the road two miles south of town, known as the Lowrey place. T. L. purchased two hundred acres of land out northwest of Lubbock on the Lubbock-Shallowater road.

These men are among the best citizens of Milam county, and Lubbock is to be congratulated on their removal to this county. They will no doubt be useful citizens in the further development of this great South Plains country.

## Health Officers Fear an Epidemic of Flu Again

New York, Jan. 24.—Another epidemic of influenza is feared by health authorities here. The disease is thought to have been brought here from European cities and is alarmingly prevalent. Within the last two days sixty-four cases have been reported to the health authorities. However the sickness has not reached the stage of an epidemic. Inspectors have been sent to watch all incoming ships although port officials report that the number of cases of influenza and la-grippe among the incoming passengers is no greater than usual.

Bronchitis and other diseases of the respiratory tract, including pneumonia are reported unusually prevalent, according to health officials. Report to the Public Health Service Department indicate that there is no danger of an extensive recurrence of the influenza epidemic.

### MRS. ADAIR LEAVES \$45,000 TO TWO TEXAS INSTITUTIONS

London, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Cornelia Adair, who died last September at Corsham, near Bath, left property in the United Kingdom of a gross value of 40,840 pounds, says the London Times. According to the newspaper she left \$35,000 to the Adair Hospital at Clarendon, Texas, and \$10,000 to St. Matthew's home for children, Dallas, Texas. In addition she made bequests to Irish churches, members of her household and the staffs on her ranch in Texas.

Mrs. Adair was a daughter of the late Gen. James S. Wadsworth of New York, who was killed in the battle of the Wilderness. For years she was prominent in English society. She was 84 years old when she died.

Mrs. Adair was widely known in Texas, especially in the Panhandle, having spent much time on her ranch the J-A, near Clarendon.

### AS OTHER FOLKS SEE LUBBOCK'S PROGRESS

If a town should be judged from its substantial church buildings, then Lubbock is certainly one of the best towns on the Plains, which it truly is. Three new brick church houses have been built in that place in less than a year, representing an expenditure of \$165,000, and the Christians are now figuring on a new brick church building, which will run the sum total up in the neighborhood of \$200,000. Lubbock is no Sodom or Gomor, but a dandy good little city of Christian people. —Crosbyton Review.

H. Barker was here Saturday from his home east of town.

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## State Weights and Measure Inspector Returns From Trip

G. R. Scott, State Weights and Measures Inspector who has been spending several weeks on the North Plains in connection with his official duties, returned Saturday and has been making a pretty thorough inspection of the weighing and measuring apparatus in several of the towns and cities of the North Plains. Mr. Scott gave out the following statement to the newspapers of Ama-

rillo, which information might be of benefit to the people of Lubbock.

"I have just completed an official inspection of all weighing and measuring devices in Amarillo, and would state that as a whole, I found them in good shape, yet there were some short weights and measures in the city.

"I wish to state that on my next visit to Amarillo, I shall inspect closely and if any short weight and measures are found, I shall promptly file complaints against and give publicity on the party or parties found violating the law. This is a warning to all who sell any commodity by weight or measure.

"It is the duty of a merchant to know that his commodity is standard net weight, or measure, not including

the sack, wrapper, carton, or container. In selling commodities they must be sold to the customer net and not gross weight.

"I have tested scales, milk bottles, gas pumps, yard measures, counter measures and other devices and equipment used to determine the weights and measures and placed a seal upon those found to be correct and condemned for repairs those found to be inaccurate. I feel sure that there has not been an instance in which a merchant of Amarillo has willfully violated the law; but it is the duty of all such to know that they are giving their customers net weight and full measure in every instance."

### ANNOUNCE REDUCTION OF \$230 ON FORDSON TRACTORS

What is said to be the largest single reduction ever made in a product of the Ford Motor Company is announced this week in the reduction on the price of Fordson tractors amounting to \$230. This brings the price of the Fordson down to lower than the selling price of a Ford Touring car or from its former price of \$701 in Lubbock to \$471.

Coming at the time of year it does this reduction will prove to be a great thing for the farmers who are in the market for a tractor according to Mr. Benson of the local Ford Agency, who is now emphatic in his claim that a Fordson tractor is a paying investment for any farm and practically a necessity at the present price. Arrangements can be made whereby the Fordson can be bought for a cash payment of \$175, according to Mr. Benson, and the balance paid at the rate of \$29 a month. Prediction for a big tractor buying spring is made by the local agency.

### ABERNATHY MAN IN LOCAL HOSPITAL WITH BAD FOOT

E. E. Sanford is in the West Texas Hospital having his foot treated, which was crushed in a hay press on his farm seven and a half miles southeast of Abernathy Friday.

The heel of his shoe was caught by the plunger and the forepart of the foot was lodged against the bale of hay, and the heel of the shoe pressed into the flesh, twisting and crushing the bones forward, creating a very ugly and painful wound.

He is resting well at this time and will be able to go home before long.

### SOUTH TEXAS PEOPLE TO FARM PLAINS LAND

Mrs. Bessie G. Rowland and son, F. F., of South Texas, were here last week and bought 177.10 acre tract of the Slaughter lands of Smith and Chipley, local dealers.

They are well equipped and will begin to cultivate the land in the near future, as a great deal of their farming implements and live stock are here.

### ANOTHER CANDIDATE HOCKLEY-COCHRAN COUNTIES

W. G. Murray, of Hockley county, was here Saturday and placed an order with the Avalanche for cards announcing his candidacy for Sheriff and Tax collector of Hockley and Cochran counties.

## Freshly Ground Bulk Coffees

Not a Chance to Beat It at Near the Price

We're ready to fill your order for everything good to eat at the lowest prices possible for sound business. Bulk coffees freshly ground, full of fine flavor and ready to sell at a saving.

**THE H. E. MILLER GROCERY**

2 Phones

## Look for Me!

Your car will be repaired correctly at

**75c PER HOUR**

Horace Denham is the man. Located where Poultry House used to be, near Seitz Barn.

# IT IS OPEN NOW!

**Phone Palace Grocery [261] for Groceries**

We're ready with the freshest stock of fine groceries in the city. We will fill your bill with the best the market affords and do so at the very least expense possible to you.

### DELIVERY SERVICE

You will find that the prompt delivery of groceries from the Palace Grocery fills a long-sought wish for quicker services.

JUST PHONE 261

**THE PALACE GROCERY**

Directly across street from Cadillac Garage. Ave. I

## Another Shipment Of Rugs

We want you to come in this week and see them. Our prices will be recognized as extremely low on this class of new goods.

**HAVE YOU SEEN OUR CEDAR LINED TRUNKS?**

We have some beautiful ones priced right. Combine the protection of a Cedar Chest in your trunk purchase.

We Specialize in Picture Framing

**Simmons Furniture and Undertaking Co.**

## The Comptroller Explains nowaiting Poll Tax Status

Austin, Texas, Jan. 26.—In answer to inquiries from Tax Collectors regarding a nonvoting poll tax, Comptroller Lon A. Smith today announced that a nonvoting poll does not carry voting privileges and is receipted for on the regular property tax receipt.

A voting poll is covered by a separate and special receipt which carries voting privileges, but the same can not be issued unless payment is made between Oct. 1 and Jan. 31, following. All poll taxes paid subsequent to Jan. 31 are nonvoting polls.

All persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years are required to pay a poll tax, unless specially exempted, irrespective of whether or not they desire to vote. The payment of a poll tax by any person, who is otherwise disqualified to vote, is regarded as a nonvoting poll tax. An alien residing in this State on Jan. 1 is required to pay a poll tax for such year, but is disqualified from voting until he has taken out his naturalization papers and become a naturalized citizen of the United States.

### MORE HORSES NOW THAN IN 1900

The country now has about 20,000,000 horses, compared with 13,537,000 in 1900.

That is how the auto is making the horse pass out. Horses have practically disappeared from city streets. Apparently, though, they've just moved to the farm, where they're plugging away same as ever.

Like most new things, the auto merely has added to our list of conveniences, instead of driving out something already established, to make room for itself.

### RUTH HART OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

Ruth Hart who was brought to Lubbock last week from Roaring Springs by her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hart, was operated on at a local sanitarium Wednesday, and is reported to be rapidly regaining her strength. Rev. Hart is pastor of the Methodist church of Roaring Springs and has many friends here who are glad to learn of the little girl's chance to return to normal health.

### CATHOLICS OPPOSED TO BIRTH CONTROL

Washington, Jan. 27.—Propaganda in favor of birth control was decreed as an "affront to all genuine Christians," and a warning was sounded against "the growth of bureaucracy in the United States" in a resolution adopted today by the National Catholic Welfare organization which concluded a two days' session here.

### EIGHT CARS CATTLE SHIPPED BY LOCKNEY

Lockney, Texas, Jan. 27.—Virgil Teaver of the live stock commission company of Teaver & Dodson is accompanying a shipment of eight cars of cattle to Kansas City. Mr. Dodson will make a like shipment in the next day or so.

Owing to the exceptionally mild winter and the good condition of the range this winter, the stockmen are able to get their beef cattle on the markets without very much feeding, and at the same time the Plains cattle are topping the market where they are fed only a short time on the small grains grown in the Plains country.

Haakel Cooper, of Slaton, was operated on in a local sanitarium last week.

## Standard Battery Station

We Recharge Your Battery

**75c**

We Repair Your Battery—Our Prices conform with the times.—Starter and Generator Work.

**Lubbock Auto Co.**  
PHONE 354

## Farm and Ranch LOANS

Plenty of money available for good farm and ranch loans on the best terms at the current rate of interest.

**Claude B. Hurlbut**

Citizens Nat'l. Bank Bldg. Lubbock, Tex

### CARD OF THANKS

To the friends and neighbors of Dear Old Grandpa Jackson and the family, we wish to express to you our thanks and appreciation for your aid, assistance, sympathy, words of comfort and floral gifts received from you during his sickness and burial. May our Savior who died for us and who rose again that he might rise up, reward you for your kindness; and may we all meet dear old Grandpa where sickness and death never come.

J. B. Jackson.  
W. M. Jackson.  
A. W. Jackson.  
Hattie Bray.

Scratch pads for sale at this office.

### SHALLOWATER WOMAN LEFT LOCAL SANITARIUM

Mrs. C. R. Moore, of Shallowater, left Saturday for her home, after two days in the sanitarium under treatment of Dr. Feebler. The woman broke her arm the first of last week, and is reported to have been out of danger and in good condition at the time she left the institution.

C. S. Inman was among the farmers on the streets Saturday. He has a nice farm four and a half miles northeast of town, where he raised a splendid crop of feedstuff and some cotton last year. Mr. Inman has been farming in Lubbock county the past five years, and has made a reputation as a producer of the first class.

## MONEY to LOAN on FARMS and RANCHES

Can handle some good brick building loans. Loans closed promptly.

**F. M. MADDOX**

Lubbock State Bank Bldg. Lubbock, Texas

Give the children all the milk they want. It is a child's best and most healthy food. Don't deny them when the cost is so small.

And while you are giving them milk, be sure that it is pure, wholesome and rich, from tuberculin tested cows.

Just like we sell

**Medlock's Dairy**

Phone number is in your directory.

**LITTLEFIELD COTTON CROP TO BE LARGER**

Littlefield, Texas, Jan. 26.—The gin here made its final run for the season this week, ginning several bales of cotton. The farmers here have contracted for huge quantities of cottonseed for planting this year. The absence of weevils and worms and other pests in this country has made cotton raising very profitable here.

**FUL-O-PEP**

Will make your hens lay.

**Sugar Shumake**

Will make your cows give more milk

**SCIENCE**

Compounded these valuable feeds.

We Distribute Them

Let us fill your coal bin or sell you grain and hay.

**Thomas Grain and Fuel Company**

**PARENTS AS EDUCATORS**

**Play Places in the House**

By Katherine Beebe  
During the many days and hours when children can not be told to "run out and play," they must play in the house, as a matter of necessity. Where the abode is a spacious one there is of course no problem, but the majority of families live in small houses, and, alas, apartments.

Time and again it has been my lot to spend visiting sessions in houses where to all intents and purposes the only play places were under the visitor's feet, on the arms and rockers of grown people who were going through the vacuous form of conference or conversation. The usual apologies were always forthcoming "The weather is so bad!" "The house is so small!" "The children are so full of life!" "They love so to be with mother!" and so on.

Now an A B C application of ordinary sense would make it plain to that mother that consideration for her guest, for her own comfort, for her children's good, demands some other play place, and a little ingenuity would make one possible. Play is so vital a part of a child's life that a place for it, both indoors and out, is a necessity, not a luxury.

One mother whom it is my privilege to know, following the modern custom of opening windows at night, has several little beds in a row in one room, the smaller one, a larger one being reserved for the necessary bureaus, play space and playthings.

In another home the dining room is the play place, and the very fact that it must be put in order before meal times is giving one group of little folks invaluable lessons in neatness, order, consideration and helpfulness.

But the ideal play place is the attic, and there often is one of some sort. Such a space kept reasonably clean, and having its windows protected, would solve many a household problem. The fact that the attic is cold is in its favor rather than otherwise. Indeed while the children are playing there the uprush of the windows should be open. There is no reason why with coats, sweaters, caps, and even mittens on, the children should not be told to "run up and play" at such times as rain or cold make outdoor sport impossible. There being no occasion for putting on the despised and clumsy rubbers is also an advantage. Wise parents would see to it that such an attic contained an old mattress for "jumping on," a ladder, a clothesline, some odds and ends of discarded furniture, wooden boxes, a trestle or two, boards, hammers and nails, an old tarpaulin or other cloth for tent-making enterprises, together with such toys as the children choose to take with them.

I have seen many porches which would make fine play places on wet days and wondered why none of them was in use. I suppose mothers consider the weather "too damp." But when I remember a neighbor's healthy brood of children, who, equipped with rubber boots, coats and caps, played out of doors every day in the year, except when the thermometer was twenty below and a wind blowing, I am of the opinion that a few hours in damp fresh air would be much less fraught with dangerous possibilities than whole days in furnace-heated rooms.

**"CAN'T DO WITHOUT AVALANCHE" SAYS ROPES MAN**

George W. Carter, of Ropesville, was here Friday and called on the Avalanche to subscribe for the paper for another year. He said the Avalanche was such a necessity on his place there was no way of doing without it.

We will hang the office towel if there is anyone on the list that enjoys the Avalanche any more than Mr. Carter says he does, and from his statements we learn we have been printing a "pretty good paper" and at least one that it is "almost impossible to do without and be a good citizen of Lubbock county."

If there is anything in the world that makes a newspaper man feel like his readers are getting their money's worth it is to have them call and tell him about it, and even if this is a good old world all the time it is better at times to the editor, and that is when the readers make such fuss over the paper as did Mr. Carter.

E. F. Arm, of Childress, bought a labor of the Slaughter lands of Smith and Chipley, local dealers, last week. The number of farmers these lands are bringing to Lubbock trade territory will be felt in the increased business they will create next year.

J. W. White, of Wilson, was here Friday and Saturday, transacting business.



**Who knows more about music than the world's greatest artists!**

*What they think of the Victor*



**CARUSO**

"I have an exclusive agreement for twenty-five years with the Victor to make records of my voice. The records made by the Victor process are far superior—in quality of tone, natural reproduction, and in every detail—to those made by any other process in the world."



**MELBA**

"I have found Victor Records really wonderful reproductions of my singing."



**FARRAR**

"I am delighted to contribute a word of approval to the records of the Victor, and congratulate myself that my selections are brought before the public in so admirable a manner by means of its wonderful merit."



**GLUCK**

"I would like to express my delight at renewing my contract with the Victor Talking Machine Company for ten years more. During my extensive travels I have had such a vivid illustration of the great work you are doing for the world that it is with the deepest feeling that I say I'm proud to be a part of such a great work, and that I may long enjoy the privilege of the career with of"



**GALLI-CURCI**

"As any true artist must realize, it is of great benefit to sit in the audience, as it were, and be the critic at one's own performance. In this way I have learned a great deal from listening to my records on the Victrola and can truly state that it has been my best teacher."



**MC CORMACK**

"I believe that the process by which the Victor Records are made is the most perfect of all methods of voice reproduction. I have made records exclusively for the Victor since February 1910 and my present contract does not expire until February 1928."



**HOMER**

"The reproductions of the Victor Records are wonderful. It is my great joy now to seal up and preserve a complete set of my Victor Records for my children."



**DE LUCA**

"I consider my Victor Records absolutely life-like reproductions of my singing—that is the reason I make records only for the Victor."



**MARTINELLI**

"I wish to express my appreciation of the series of reproductions of my voice which the Victor Company has made. They seem to me remarkable in their life-like and faithful."



**SCHUMANN-HEINK**

"The Victor today is the most reliable but the most just critic, as it reproduces absolutely what the artist has done."

**RIX**

**FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING CO.**

"THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION"

RIG SPRING LUBBOCK

**EMBARRASSED**

—Did you ever try to eat steak which was so tough you felt like asking for the butcher knife to get it into pieces small enough to eat; so tough you couldn't tell which side of the knife you were using judging by the progress being made? There is one way for you to escape such a situation—that is to regularly call on phone 340 to send you meats—tender and flavory.

**SID CARAWAY--the Butcher**

PHONE 304

**GROCERY STORE CHANGED HANDS LAST WEEK**

The Tennessee Grocery, owned by Judd & Ford has increased in size a little the past few days, as what was once the Hodges Bros. Store, No. 2, is now the Tennessee Grocery No. 2, and Mr. Judd is behind the counters waiting on his many customers.

Mr. Judd has been in Lubbock for the past fourteen years, the greater part of which time has been spent in the grocery business and he has made many friends in Lubbock and surrounding territory who will be glad to learn that he is better equipped to care for their needs.

Lon Blankenship, of Plains, came to Lubbock Friday to be placed under the care of local specialists. He will no doubt be cared for in one of our medical and surgical institutions.

"I hope the time may come when our country shall guarantee to all an unfettered start and a fair chance in the race of life."—Abraham Lincoln.

**FOUR AMBITIOUS LOCAL GIRLS CHECKED BY OFFICERS**

Thursday evening Deputy Sheriff Ingram received word from Slaton that four local girls were registered at a Slaton hotel, and an investigation was made, revealing that three grammar school girls, ranging from 13 to 18 years, and a girl of about eighteen years, who has been employed as domestic help in the homes of Lubbock, had started to Dallas to find work, and had planned to go to Slaton, and draw on their fathers bank accounts for enough money to go on to Dallas and find work.

The parents requested that the girls be returned home and Chief of Police Hufsteler and Special Police McKinney went to Slaton and returned them to their parents Thursday night.

The number of young people who are running away from home at this time is appalling, and something should be done to check the popularity of that pastime. The writer believes that a return to normal conditions is "too monotonous for the younger people, and all caution should be taken at this time to remove that restless spirit from within them. A mighty good sermon was preached by a local pastor only a few Sundays ago urging parents to take more care of their children, assuring them that "mock modesty" is the cause of more discontent and wrong doing by children of good homes than anything else, and maybe the pastor was right.

Teach the children the duties of their home and community, keep them busy working for the best interest in their churches and general welfare and there will be no room for this restless spirit to exist among them.

**LITTLEFIELD MASONS RECEIVE CHARTER LAST WEEK**

Littlefield, Texas, Jan. 26.—District Deputy Grand Master B. D. Woodlee of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas, was here this week and delivered to Littlefield Lodge No. 1153 a charter. He also properly installed the officers of the new lodge and set them to work. This was followed by a banquet served in the lodge room to all Masons present and their families, and a very delightful evening was enjoyed by all.

Frank Haskell, of Plainview, was here Saturday.

The things we cook for you must be the best that can be had. Cleanliness in preparation is assured.

**Come Here to Eat, Drink or Smoke**

**THE MANHATTAN PARLOR & CAFE**

**TAX ASSESSOR HAS NEW TYPEWRITER FOR OFFICE**

The Commissioners' Court approved the order of a new model No. 3, Underwood typewriter, with 20 inch carriage, which will be used in the office of R. C. Burns, tax assessor, and which replaces an older typewriter of the long carriage type.

That this typewriter will be a great asset to the office as compared with the service of the old machine is easily determined by typist, as there is only one shift, as compared to the two shifts on the Oliver, and as the type is the gothic series it carries no capitals, therefore the shift will be necessary only for characters, etc.

Mr. Burns is assisted in this office by L. F. Holland, who told an Avalanche reporter Saturday that the machine has been ordered and was expected in at any time.

The Avalanche is glad to see the county offices be equipped with the best equipment possible, as the best is always the cheapest in the long run when efficiency is counted, and the clean-cut appearance of the tax

lists will bear out this statement, and the time saved through the use of this modern and latest improved machine will be noticeable.

**OKLAHOMA MAN SURPRISED AT RAPID GROWTH HERE**

T. S. DeArmon, of Mangum, Oklahoma, who owns a track of land west of town was here Friday and Saturday of last week for the first time in seven years, and expressed great surprise at the rapid growth Lubbock has made during that time. He is well pleased with conditions here, and will be a great booster for Lubbock and Lubbock county hereafter.

**BOX SUPPER**

At Pecos, Friday night, February 3, 1922.

Neal Douglass, Sr., real estate man of Littlefield, was here last week, transacting business.

Doughnuts made daily at Martin's Bakery.

# SOCIETY, CLUBS and PERSONALS

BY MRS. CURTIS A. KEEN

PHONE 427 RESIDENCE 1119 FOURTEENTH ST.

**A Thought for Today.**  
Sundays the pillars are  
On which heaven's palace arches  
lies.  
The other days fill up the spare  
And hollow room with vanities;  
They are the fruitful beds and  
borders  
In God's rich garden; that is bare  
which parts their ranks and or-  
ders.—Herbert.

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**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT**  
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The following parties authorize the placing of their names in this column for the various offices, subject to the Democratic Primary, in July, and ask a favorable consideration of their claims:

**For County Judge:**  
F. F. BROWN, Lubbock,  
(Re-election)  
D. W. PUCKETT, Lubbock

**For County Clerk:**  
H. F. STUBBS, Lubbock.

**For Sheriff:**  
C. A. HOLCOMB, Lubbock.  
Re-election.  
JOE W. PERKINS, Lubbock.  
E. L. TUBBS, Lubbock.  
P. B. PENNY, Lubbock.

**For Tax Collector:**  
SAM SPIKES, Lubbock.  
TONY Q. DYESS, Lubbock.  
A. J. CLARK, Lubbock.  
ANSEL HINES, Lubbock.

**For Tax Assessor:**  
R. C. BURNS, Lubbock.  
(Re-election).  
A. B. JONES, Lubbock.

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.**  
M. M. CRAWFORD, Lubbock  
Re-election.

**County Commissioner, Pre. No. 3:**  
B. N. WHEELER, Dalou,  
Re-election.

**For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1.**  
C. T. JACKSON, Lubbock.  
(Re-election).  
J. F. BUMPASS, Lubbock.

**CITY OFFICIALS**

**For Mayor:**  
PERCY SPENCER.

**For Commissioners:**  
L. H. SIMPSON, Com. No. 1.  
J. O. JONES, Com. No. 2.  
GEO. C. WOLFFARTH,  
Com. No. 3.  
W. S. POSEY, Com. No. 4.

**Hockley and Cochran Counties:**  
**For Tax Assessor:**  
W. G. FRAZIER.

Mrs. R. D. Benson entertained on Wednesday evening with an informal house party. The guests for the evening were Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Castleberry, Mr. and Mrs. Mast, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oliver, Mrs. Anna Faulk, Mrs. Hattie O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Moore, Miss Braudt, Mr. Boyd, Mr. Raleigh Brown and David Benson. Dancing was in order for the evening. A delicious lunch was served about eleven thirty. Mrs. Benson being assisted by several members of the jolly party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith spent Sunday in Post City, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

The 1911 Needle Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Rylander, with Mrs. Dr. Overton as assisting club hostess for the afternoon.

The home of Mrs. W. B. Powell was the scene of a delightful "surprise" party on Saturday, when about a dozen friends dropped in for an all day bridge party, bringing with them all manner of dainties for the noon luncheon and afternoon tea. After an hour of bridge, followed by a pleasant social chat, the members of the happy party donned aprons and prepared lunch. The guests of the afternoon were: Mesdames J. O. Smith, McLarty, D. Arnett, F. Winn, J. Hilton, Penny, Miss Rosson.

**Parent-Teachers Club.**

The Parent-Teachers Club met on January 26 in the school auditorium for their first literary program. Mrs. W. C. Rylander was in charge of the meeting. The first part of the program was given by the pupils of Mrs. Dupre, Miss Meador and Miss Johnson and was greatly enjoyed by all. Mrs. Rylander dealt with one of the most vital questions, which confront the home school today, and that is the influence of home surroundings on the child's progress in school. Mrs. Rylander pointed out the fact that no child can successfully study when the home fails in its mission of caring for the child, in various ways. She asked, for instance, what chance the under-nourished child had, in competition with the child who had good wholesome food and who had been taught the value of cleanliness. Then again there is the home atmosphere of interest in the progress of the boy and girl which plays an important part in the child's school life. Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Jenkins also made helpful talks along similar lines, emphasizing the fact that greater co-operation was needed between the home and school. The mother is responsible largely, for the child's mental attitude, upon reaching school and Mrs. Jenkins said that every child should leave home with

mother's encouragement in his heart and a determination to live up to the ideal of success she pointed out for him. Professor Dupre explained in detail the important duties of both teachers and parents in order that real success may result. The Parent-Teachers Association is doing real work and have recently added several new members to their roll. There is still room for more and every mother and father interested in the welfare of, not only his boy and girl, but every boy and girl, will do well to add his or her name to the list. There were thirty-five members present at the literary meeting. The next literary program will be held in the High School Auditorium, instead of the Primary Building as the program stated and the next regular business session will be held at the Geo. Hunt Bldg. on February 9.

**Merry Bidder's Club**

One of the most charming afternoon parties of the week was given last Friday at the home of Mrs. O. B. Trinkle when Mesdames Trinkle and J. W. Lamode were the Club hostesses to the Merry Bidders.

There were six tables with the following party guests: Mesdames J. H. Moore, J. L. Dow, Joseph Jennings, Rufus Ruff, W. E. Baskin, J. S. Tom, H. W. Sims, W. W. Royalty, E. T. Norwood and Miss Myra Stanley.

Following the games a short business session was held and two additional ladies, Mrs. Earl Hunt and Mrs. Walter Myrick, were made Club members.

Dainty refreshments were served before the guests dispersed, including pumpkin pie, whipped cream and coffee, with crystal spin baskets filled with marshmallows and nuts as favors.

Miss Delia Wilkerson will be the Club Hostess Tuesday afternoon at the regular meeting of the K. K. Club at her home, 1702 Avenue K.

**Music and Dramatic Club**

The Music and Dramatic Club met at the home of Mrs. O. E. Sears last Thursday evening. Plans were made for a program to be given in the near future, the proceeds from which will go to the Parent-Teachers Association, that organization being responsible for the sale of tickets and detailed arrangements.

The first practice upon this program was held Monday night at the home of Mrs. Barkley, 1602 Twelfth Street, at 7 o'clock. The exact date of the program will be announced in Friday's paper.

The Mariposa Bridge Club were the guests of Mrs. Morton J. Smith, last Thursday afternoon at her home on Thirteenth Street. The guests of the afternoon were: Mesdames W. B. Powell, Herd Jones, Cooper, Arnett, Hilton, Sears, J. O. Smith and Miss Rosson.

At the conclusion of the games a dainty salad-course was served.

**BORN**

To Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stambo, of Abernathy, Friday, January 27, a fine girl. The young lady is doing well at this time and will no doubt make Lubbock a good citizen.

J. W. Ames and son, proprietors and managers of the Crosbyton Mercantile Company, of Crosbyton, were here Friday transacting business.

Mrs. A. L. Long and Misses Della Vance and Dorothy Henderson, of Amarillo, were registered at the Cova Sunday.

W. T. Brooks, of Snyder, transacted business here Saturday.

J. A. Mayes, of Slaton, was here yesterday on business.

S. R. Fulmore, of Austin, Texas, was a visitor in our city, Monday of this week. Mr. Fulmore is interested in a civil suit pending in District Court.

Will Brooks was here from Post yesterday.

W. H. Farlow, of Jayton, visited in Lubbock Sunday and Monday.



## WHITE GOODS SALE

Is now in full blast. The response already convinces us that you appreciate our efforts in this event. Those who have not taken advantage of this will find saving prices on sheetings, muslins, pillow cases, bed spreads, linens, towels, etc. Save by buying now.

**SOFT-SPUN TOWELS**

81x90 Wearwell Sheets, regular \$1.50 value, White Sale **\$1.29**

9-4 Bleached Sheetting, White Sale Only **49c**

Men's White Handkerchiefs.....7c  
Men's White Sox.....11c  
Arrow Collars.....18c  
Good grade oxford cloth white soft shirts.....\$2.69

Many Items of every day use at worth while savings. —Come See!

Cloth of Gold Domestic (better than Hope) White Sale price only 16c

**SHOES**  
White kid, soft soles, sizes 0 to 5; for .....89c  
Best white kid first step, size 1 to 5, only .....\$1.78  
Best white kid, child's size 5 1-2 to 8, .....\$3.45  
Same shoe, 8 1-2 to 11.....\$3.60  
Best kid, pretty low heel, rubber cap, Utz & Dunn quality, for ladies, only .....\$7.95

Save "Gold Bond Saving Stamps" at Barrier Bros., Martin and Wolcott, Sid Caraway's Market.

**BIG REDUCTIONS IN ALL WINTER READY-TO-WEAR**

Pretty Table Linen, \$3.50 value, White Sale Price **\$2.50**

**WEARWELL SHEETS**

Soft spin towels \$1.25 value, White Sale price .....79c

Be Sure to See Out New Palmer Suits —New Merchandise Arriving Daily.

# Barrier Bros. Department Store

YOU CAN JUST EAT AND EAT AND EAT

## BUSY BEE CAFE

WHY?  
Because we have the cooks and the foods that make for the most palatable meals.

QUICK LUNCHESS A SPECIALTY

A. A. BRATCHER, Proprietor

**AT THE CHURCHES**

**Methodist**

Sunday School was as well attended as usual, and much interest was shown by those who were fortunate enough to be on time, and when time for the preaching hour was on a large representation of the church was on hand to receive another good lesson from Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson.

Senior Epworth League was well attended and the discussion of Methodist missionaries and their part in church development was interestingly handled. Rev. Ferguson contributed a splendid talk on those men and their lives which was very short, but mighty interesting.

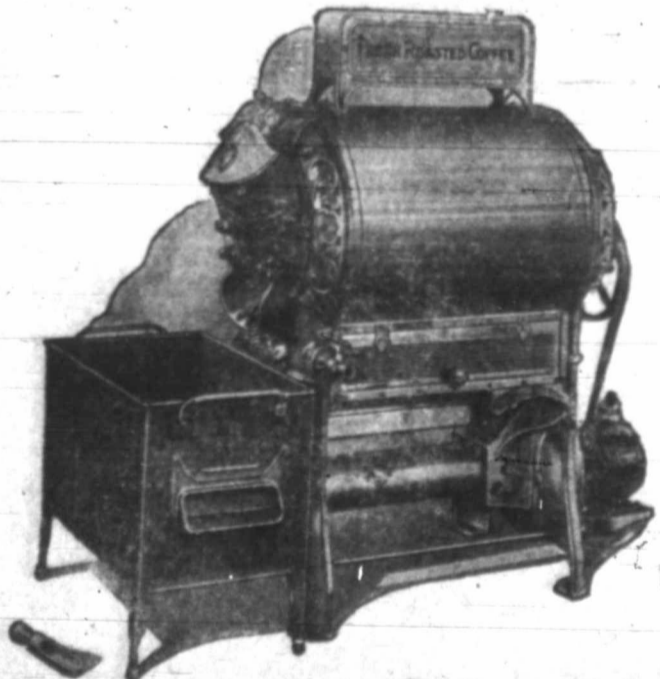
The evening sermon found a larger attendance, and the pastor's sermon on "The Prodigal Son," was marked by that enthusiasm, sincerity and knowledge of the subject so evident in all the pastor's sermons. A teachers' class for Sunday School is organized, and each Wednesday after prayer meeting the teachers of the Sunday School are instructed in their work by the pastor.

**Baptist**

An average Sunday-School attendance with considerable interest in the work is reported.

The morning sermon was well received by a large audience, and the subject, "The High Priest," was handled in a commendable and instructive manner.

A large number of the people attended the evening sermon, "The Delusion of Sin," was the subject.



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