



### How to Kill Mites, Lice and Blue Bugs

(By F. W. Kazmeier, Poultry Husbandman, A. & M. College)

In warm weather all kinds of poultry vermin multiply very rapidly. Unless special efforts are made to control these vermin, many small chicks will die and many more will

be stunted. Hens infested with lice will give decreased egg production and are also more subject to diseases.

#### Begin Early

Too many people wait until the hen houses are literally alive with mites before they commence applying kerosene to kill them. It is surprising how fast they will multiply. A few days sometimes makes a great difference because of the fact that they multiply so fast. The hot sun appears to hatch them out in great numbers. It is important to get after them as soon as the weather begins to get warm.

#### Mites

The common red mite is one of the most injurious vermin. Large numbers of them have been known to kill small chicks in one night. The red mite stays in the cracks and crevices about the hen house including such places as the perches and nest boxes in the day time. At night they crawl out of their hiding places and on to the chicks or mature stock where they suck themselves full of blood. The red mite is a blood sucking insect. Large numbers weaken mature stock and kill small chicks. The thing to be dreaded about red mites is the incredible speed with which they multiply.

We have found kerosene or crude oil very good with which to kill mites. We apply it very liberally over the entire inside of the house including the fixtures, roof and floor because the mites will hide in any of these places. Kerosene may be applied with a brush or sprayer. It is important to use it liberally and regularly, say once every ten days or two weeks. Some people use carbolineum for killing mites, with excellent results. Keep the houses clean. Start early and use kerosene liberally and it should be an easy matter to control red mites.

#### Lice

Chicken lice stay on the fowl all the time. They live and breed on the chickens. They do not suck blood but cause great injury by worrying the chicken and irritating the skin. Lice live on dead skin and scales of the fowl. There are many species of lice but all can be treated and killed in the same way.

We have found the use of Sodium Fluoride as very excellent to kill all kinds of lice on fowls. Sodium Fluoride is a mild poison and may be purchased at any up to date drug store. Generally it retails for from 60 cents to 90 cents per pound.

There are two dependable ways of applying it. One is the powder applied by the so called "pinch method" and the other is by "making a dip." For treating setting hens the dry powder applied by the pinch method, we take all the powder we can hold between two fingers and place it close to the skin. It is necessary to place ten pinches on a grown hen, on ten different parts of the fowl. One pinch on each wing, one on each thigh, two on the body and fluff, one under the vent, one on the neck, one on the back and one on the breast. This powder may also be applied by the old style powder-sprinkling box method.

Sodium Fluoride when used on setting hens should be applied when the eggs are placed under the hen and not at hatching time. If it is used at hatching time, it will kill many of the little chicks as they hatch. Always remember that it is a mild poison.

In using it as a dip, take one ounce of Sodium Fluoride to one gallon of water and mix thoroughly. We have found a common wash tub very good. Keep the hens confined and early in the morning place a catching coop or box in front of the fowl exit. Drive a number of hens in here from where they are easily caught. Place them standing in the tub of water and Sodium Fluoride, with one hand on the back of the chicken to keep it from getting away. With the other hand fluff up the feathers all over the body to permit the dip to penetrate to the skin. Just before removing the bird, pour the head under the solution for a moment. We do not recommend dipping in cold weather. In warm weather, if the birds are handled carefully, it may be done to advantage without affecting the laying production. One dipping a year as a general rule kills all that is necessary; certainly two dippings should be sufficient. Dip everything on the place that has feathers. If this is not done, those that are not dipped will soon infest the remainder of the flock with lice.

**Out of Date Ways**  
Some people feed sulphur, nux vomica and other drugs to kill lice on chickens. We know it for a fact that the above method of killing lice on chickens is not practical and will not kill the lice. Do not let your neighbor advise you to practice any of these foolish indirect methods that will not work. It is much more sensible to put something on the louse to kill it than to feed something to the chicken to kill the louse.

#### Blue Bugs

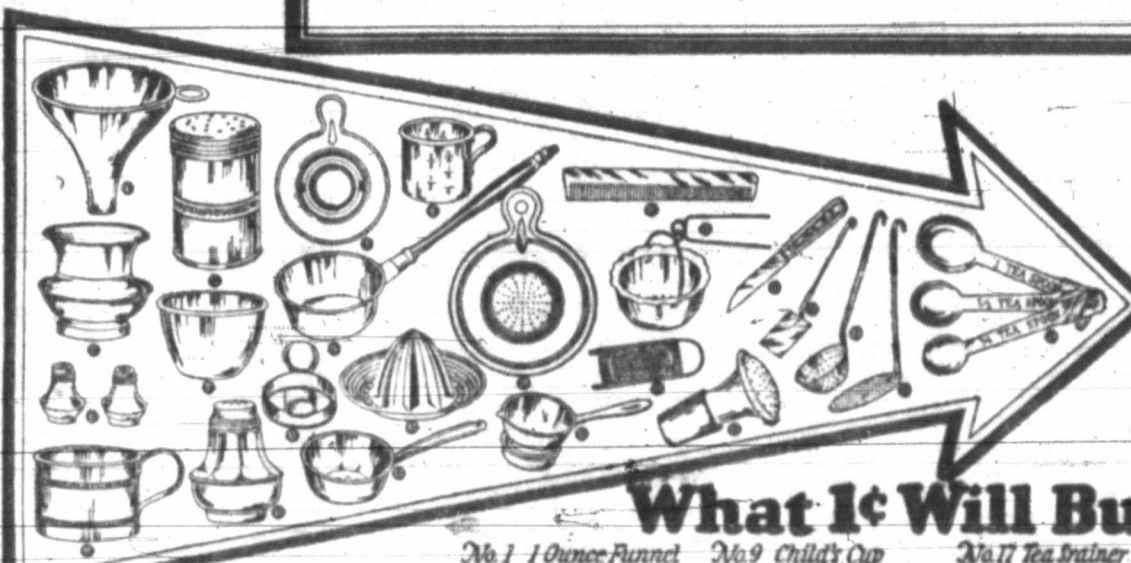
The blue bug is here to stay and unless strenuous efforts are made to control the spread of the blue bug especially in West Texas, he will make serious inroads on poultry profits. We would not be surprised to find the blue bug in some sections drive the poultry men out of business. This vermin lives like the red mite. They are blood sucking insects and hide in the cracks and crevices, or any other place about the hen house, in the day time. They do their work at night. The life history of the blue bug is different from that of the red mite. It is not possible nor practical to try to starve the blue bug. It is unwise to feed something to the chickens to try to kill the blue bug. The only practical plan is to get a strong insecticide on the bug. We have found spraying (or better still) painting the inside of the house and

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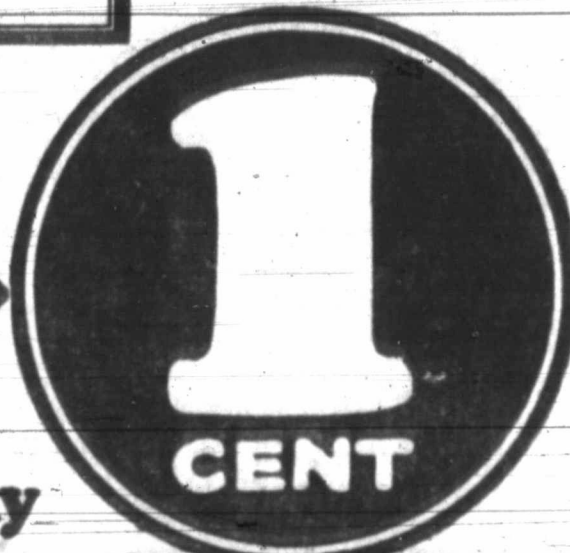
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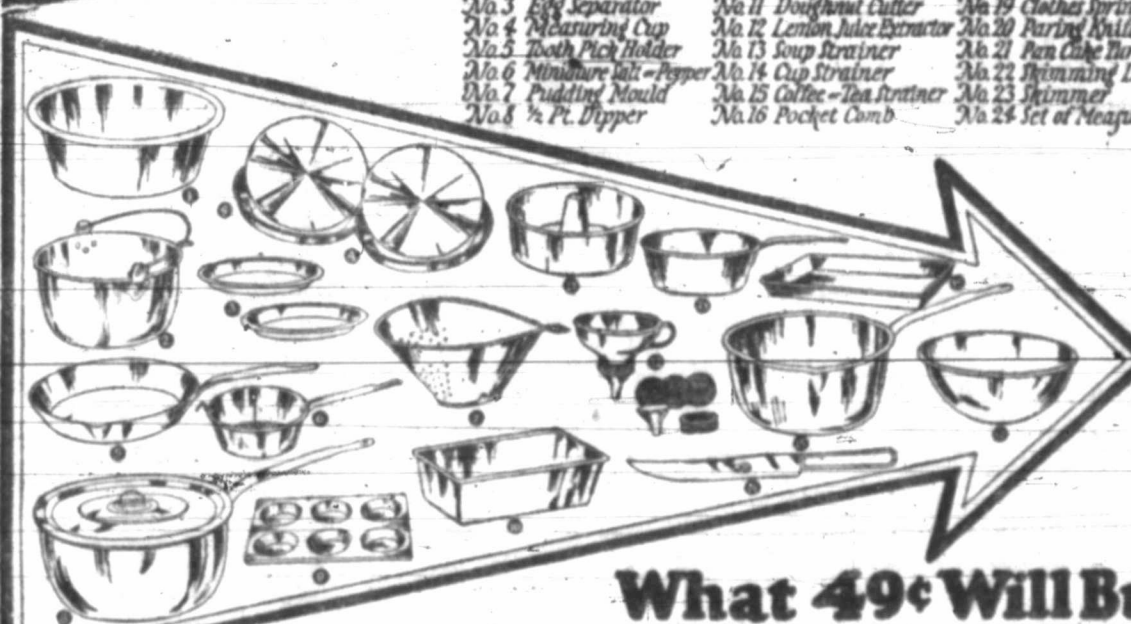


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Blow torches may also be used to kill blue bugs.  
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Some men  
Do as their wives  
Tell them  
Others  
Are not married.

Sadder than a man who loses his last friend is the chap who loses his appetite.

### Methodists Retain Bishops' Life Time System of Office

At the 19th quadrennial conference here of the Methodist Episcopal Church south, and representatives of several branches of Methodism were scheduled to be received by the conference. This evening a greeting from the Northern branch of the church will be given by the Rev. David A. Downey of New York. Representatives also are expected to be brought by representatives of the Methodist Churches of England, Canada and Japan. One of the more important matters still in committee, but which is expected to be reported out possibly today is that of unification with the Northern branch of the church. Persons in touch with the deliberations say one of the principal questions is whether there shall be appointed a joint commission on

unification together with a provision for a joint convention of the two bodies or whether only a commission should be named.  
**SLATON BOY KILLED BY LIVE LIGHT WIRE**  
Slaton, May 10.—The 6-year-old son of Mrs. J. M. Slaton was killed here late this afternoon, when an electric wire carrying 2,200 volts fell on him as he was playing in the back yard of the family home. High wind is believed to have caused the wire to fall.  
Solomon never had the satisfaction of seeing his paragraphs quoted by The Literary Digest.—Canton News.

THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

Many People Attend Opening of The Tumble N Pool Last Wednesday Evening—Big Time Is Reported

At five o'clock Wednesday, a large crowd gathered to celebrate the opening of the Tumble N pool for the summer and to participate in the contest for the prizes that were given by the merchants.

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ROTARY NOTES

The Rotary Club held its weekly luncheon at the Manhattan Parlor Wednesday, May 10, with quite a large attendance. A short talk was made by Roscoe Wilson on "What Rotary Will Do For a Man."

L. T. Martin made an apology for not having made mention of C. L. Griffin being one of the new members of Rotary in last week's notes.

The Chautauqua, which will start May 25th, will be held in the new auditorium. Tickets will be placed on sale Monday, May 15.

The Freshman year work is very simple, and the first real problem is a foot stool. They vary somewhat as to the project, but they always use the same joints.

The Sophomore class makes tables, table lamps, candle sticks, small boxes, nut bowls, etc., and their work is in the larger joints. They also use the turn lathe, which is very dangerous for the fresher to use.

The Junior and Senior work is combined. They have mechanical drawing twice a week, and as this is the first year they have had this, they have no affiliation on this subject, but hope to get on unit this year.

Monday, May 15, these classes will have samples of their work on display in the windows of Rix Furniture store.

I think you gentlemen are finding that out. I think that my friend, Walter Myrick, should have been elected as the vice president of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night.

A short complimentary talk was also made by Mr. White, who is connected with the Texas Utilities here, and has just recently come to Lubbock.

The following guests were present: Miss Lone Brandt, guest of L. T. Martin; Frank A. White, guest of Sherlock Allen; J. O. Smith, guest of J. R. Germany; E. J. Jennings, guest of J. R. Germany.

Recently the Chamber of Commerce underwrote funds for the necessary improvements to the stables that are to be used by the local Battery.

Everyone, whether business man or not has the privilege of helping put on this fund. If you feel like you want some share in the progress, Lubbock is making, get behind some of these movements, and let's go.

Col. Clark M. Mullican \$10, J. A. Medlock \$10, E. L. Klett \$10, Avalanche Pub. Co. \$10, San C. Arnett \$10, C. E. Maedgen \$10, John P. Lewis \$5, Lubbock Grain & Coal Co. \$10, Lubbock Produce Co. \$10, W. K. Dickinson \$10, W. E. Gravens \$10, Rix Furniture Company \$10.

P. B. PENNEY WITHDRAWS FROM RACE FOR SHERIFF. P. B. Penney authorizes us to withdraw his name from the announcement columns as a candidate for sheriff.

A CARD OF THANKS TO DR. AND MRS. WAGNER. My heart must be the medium to convey to you my thanks for the beautiful flowers so kindly presented to me on "Mother's Day."

In London they have temporary movable laws. Many of our laws are temporary but not movable.

MRS. NELLIE KNAPP HAS RETURNED TO HER HOME

Mrs. Nellie Knapp, who has been in Lubbock for several months and has been employed in the West-Texas Hospital as matron, has returned to her home in Fort Dodge, Iowa.

FORD CAR STOLEN HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Wednesday night, May 10, C. L. Dickson, insurance man of Toluca, drove up by the Lubbock State Bank and parked his car by the curb.

Ed Alexander, of the Texas Land Exchange, attended a meeting of the Lubbock County Singing Convention Sunday evening at the club house at Slaton.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

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: P. F. BROWN, Lubbock, (Re-election); D. W. PUCKETT, Lubbock; GEORGE W. FOSTER.

For County Attorney: JOHN R. MCCREE, Lubbock, (Re-election); OWEN W. MCWHORTER, C. W. BEENE, Lubbock.

For Clerk of the District Court: LOUIE F. MOORE.

For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS, G. T. CRAWFORD.

For County Treasurer: J. S. SLOVER, WILL MCKINLEY, CHRIS HARWELL, LESTER L. MILLER.

For Sheriff: C. A. HOLCOMB, Lubbock, (Re-election); JOE W. PERKINS, Lubbock; R. L. TUBBS, Lubbock; L. J. OSBORNE, H. L. (BUD) JOHNSTON.

For Tax Collector: SAM SPIKES, Lubbock, (Re-election); TONY Q. DYESS, Lubbock; A. J. CLARK, Lubbock; ANSEL HINES, Lubbock.

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

For County Superintendent: E. R. HAYNES, (Re-election) (Lubbock).

For County Commissioner, Prec. 1: M. M. CRAWFORD, Lubbock, (Re-election); J. H. BURROUGHS, MARVIN T. WARLICK.

For County Commissioner, Prec. No. 3: B. N. WHEELER, Idalou, (Re-election).

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4: J. C. SHAW, L. C. DENTON.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1: J. WESLEY SMITH, (Re-election); J. H. RICHARDSON, GEO. B. MULLINS, COL. W. E. JOHNSON, (Auctioneer).

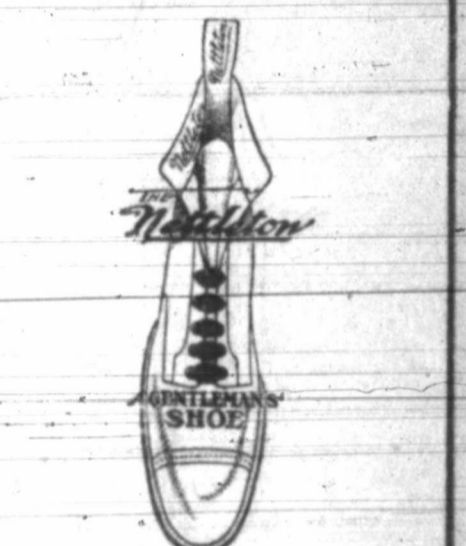
For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: C. T. JACKSON, Lubbock, (Re-election); J. F. BUMPASS, Lubbock; T. W. McNEELY, Lubbock; J. P. NELSON.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 2: (Idalou); J. D. FUGITT.

HOCKLEY AND COCHRAN COUNTIES: W. C. FRASIER, LEONARD C. TOW, For Sheriff and Tax Collectors: J. A. STROUD, (re-election).

OF INTEREST AT BARRIER BROS.

Just a few minutes of your time and we will try to point out a few articles worthy of your attention right now. These pretty spring days the men will be more comfortable without coats and too, that is the way now.



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# AN INVITATION TO THE FARMERS OF THIS COMMUNITY TO ATTEND THE FIRST DAY OF CHAUTAUQUA

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### CHAUTAUQUA COUPON.

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L. T. Martin, Sec'y-Mgr.

### CLARENDON BUILDS SWIMMING POOL

Clarendon, Texas, May 10.—One of the recent improvements for Clarendon is the new bathing pool, made of concrete, thirty-five by seventy-five feet and with a depth from two to eight feet. It is equipped with two sets of pumps, one pumping in fresh water and the other pumping out, making a continue flow of fresh water.

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### PRINCESS MARY RECEIVED MANY DUPLICATION PSEUDOS

As wedding present Princess Mary received bracelets, 9 necklaces, 52 pendants, 6 tiaras, 2 brooches, 22 rings, 7 chains, 8; caskets, 10; boxes, 39; pins, 10; fans, 12; miniatures, 6; watches, 2. Among the 893 gifts made from precious metals there were: jugs and bowls, 65; trays, 29; vases, 24; cups, 31; goblets, 12; inkstands, 18; ornaments, 86; statuettes, 25; ash trays, 53; cigar cases, 9; and work-boxes 7. The largest individual number of gifts of any particular type was books, which total 197. Next were pictures, totaling 87. There were 71 articles of furniture, and the list of household gifts included 22 clocks, 10 mirrors, 14 cabinets, 17 umbrellas, 14 lamps, 17 rugs, 40 glass bowls and 22 candelabra. She also received 70 pairs of gloves and 10 wedding cakes. Years ago nearly every American was embarrassed by getting too many pickle casters. Now it is cut glass nappies.

### JESSE WILSON OF TAHOKA DIED HERE THURSDAY

Jesse Wilson, born January 6th, in Grant County, Indiana, died at his home on his ranch southeast of Tahoka, May 11th, 1922. He is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter. The wife and one son live on the ranch, one son is in Kansas and the daughter in Seattle, Washington. Mr. Wilson was one of Lynn County's oldest settlers, was a man held in the highest esteem by all who knew him, and leaves behind a host of friends, who, with the family mourn his loss. Funeral services were conducted at Tahoka, Sunday, May 11th. C. H. Carter, of Seattle, Washington, member of the United States Automobile Protective Association, was in Lubbock Friday of last week. He travels the entire U. S. in the interest of this association, almost continuously. He was high in his praise of the progress and good will of the citizenship of Lubbock.

As a girl looks so does a man look.

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### Sam Cole Elected President of the Harwarde Ass'n.

Amarillo, May 10.—Ways and means by which the hardware and implement man can co-operate with the farmer in making the farms of the United States show a balance on the profit side of the ledger were discussed before the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Dealers Association Tuesday by Hamp Williams of Arkansas, board governor of the national organization. Service and personal interest in his farm customers were the methods urged by Williams in his address on how to operate a hardware store and know when a profit is made. The relation of the traveling man to his customer and price information were subjects for general discussion.

S. E. Cole of Lubbock was elected president for the ensuing year and Clarence Thompson of Canyon was re-elected secretary.

S. H. Ball of Amarillo was named president of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Travelers, known as the Phit Club, and W. B. Allaman, secretary. Jim Hagan of Amarillo will have charge of the entertainment features provided for the convention in 1923 by this club and J. M. Davis will look after the finances.

Mrs. Claude Jackson was named chairman of the women's entertainment committee.

### NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:  
You are hereby Comanded to cause to be posted for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, in three of the most public places in your County, one of which shall be at the Court House door, and no two of which shall be in the same city or town, copies of the following notice; which notice shall also be published for same period in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published in said county more than one year prior hereto:

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To All Persons Interested in The Estate of Frank Miller, deceased, Clem Kitten and Joe Kitten, have filed an application in the County Court of Lubbock County, on the 6th day of May, 1922, for probate of will of said Frank Miller, deceased and that letters testamentary be issued to said Clem Kitten and Joe Kitten, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 17th day of July 1922, at the Court House of said County, in Lubbock, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so. Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writing, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal, at Lubbock, Texas, this 8th day of May 1922.  
(Seal)  
HERBERT STUBBS, Clerk  
County Court, Lubbock Co., Texas.  
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### Republicans Will Not Hold Primary in Texas This Year

Dallas, May 3.—Members of the State Republican executive committee, in session here Tuesday afternoon decided to nominate State district and county tickets by convention instead of by the primary system. Plans are being made to put out complete tickets and the opinion was expressed at the meeting that never before have prospects been better for the election of Republicans to office in Texas than they are this year.

Twenty-four out of thirty-one members of the committee were present at the meeting. Most of those absent were detained by the flood. Eugene Nolte of Sequin, vice chairman, presided.

No action was taken in regard to the situation in the Fourteenth District, the home of Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach, whose recent address in Washington before an audience of negroes has created considerable comment among the voters of his district. The State committee will maintain a "hands-off" attitude and let the Republican leaders of the district settle the matter as they see fit. Congressman Wurzbach has been spoken during the last few days in San Antonio and his home town, Sequin, setting forth his view in regard to his speech.

R. B. Creager, State chairman has given his unqualified endorsement of white leadership in the Republican party of Texas and there are indications Wurzbach will have opposition for re-election in the ranks of his own party.

Come to Lubbock.

### Dry Agents Hold Radio and Catch Bootlegger Gang

Longview, May 10.—Posing as cowboys at a rodeo here, revenue officers not only succeeded in making eighteen arrests on charges of violating the prohibition laws, but confiscated a large quantity of liquor. Before the enforcement officers had concluded their efforts, 22 indictments had been returned against alleged infractors of law.

The rodeo was held at the fair grounds, which is seldom visited at this time of year. The affair was well advertised, and the attendance was large. The participants in the events besides the disguised officers, included a number of well known real cowboys, and others noted for their prowess with the rope while riding a well trained pony. The latter never for a moment suspected but that the event was an honest to goodness rodeo.

There were expert bull-doggers, too. And men who had never been known to hunt leather while in the saddle.

And, according to the revenue agents, there were a number of bootleggers present, too. They were attracted by the event, and the hope of selling much of their wares to the rough and ready riders and others who thirsted for a "kick" while horses bucked and bulls fought against being roped.

The alleged bootleggers did a thriving business. Everyone almost seemed anxious to buy a pint of "big water." Soon some of the arrested vendors of "kicks" had exhausted their supply, and went in search of more.

It was about that time that the alleged bootleggers began to discover that the rodeo was a "frame-up," and that they had seemingly "been caught with the goods," by selling to officers of the law.

Before the show was over eighteen arrests had been made, and the supply of confiscated liquor was almost equal to that which had already been disposed of to erstwhile revenue officers disguised as cowboys.

### CONVOY OF FOURTEEN TRUCKS TO PASS THROUGH LUBBOCK

In a communication received recently by the local Post of the American Legion from the Commander of the Eighth Corps Area, at Fort Sam Houston, we are advised that a Truck Train Convoy will leave Fort Sam Houston on May 10th en route to Denver, Colo., and en route will pass through or camp in Lubbock. This convoy will carry with it a full-sized military band, and it is hoped that it will be possible to secure the services of this band in giving a concert on the Public Square, or at some central location where a short program may be rendered by them, assisted by some of our local speakers.

Leaving Fort Sam Houston on the 10th, the Convoy will probably reach Lubbock about the 15th or 16th of this month. They will be camped on the Fair Park and Free Tourist's Camp. This is an annual outing planned by the War Department, and not only is it interesting to the public with whom the convoy comes in contact, but is a nice vacation for the boys in the service. Announcement will be made of the arrival of the Convoy in Lubbock.

### Joe Bailey's Son Weds Daughter of W. T. Waggoner

San Antonio, May 11.—Weldon Bailey son of the ex-Senator, Joseph W. Bailey, and Mrs. Electra Waggoner Wharton, daughter of W. T. Waggoner, Fort Worth millionaire cattleman, were married here early today after a quick decision at Dallas and are now speeding on their way to Tucson, Ariz., where Bailey owns a cattle ranch.

Bailey and Mrs. Wharton had long been friends and when they unexpectedly met in a Dallas railway station, he on his way to home, she on a trip to Waco, they made a suit case arrangement to become wedded upon the earliest opportunity, presumably in Tucson.

They had not gotten far out of Dallas, however, when they encountered former Chief Justice Nelson Phillips, who, discerning their intentions, stopped off at Austin and telegraphed to San Antonio.

A marriage license was prepared in the late hours of the night and when they arrived here a small party was awaiting who rushed them to the home of a Baptist minister, where they were married shortly after midnight.

Their wedding breakfast was an unromantic one, and the hours up to 5 a. m. when the train for Tucson pulled out were spent in the lobby of a hotel.

Bailey is a graduate law student from a Virginia University but practiced only a few years before taking up ranching. He served over-

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### Interesting Article Regarding the Feed For Hogs As Outlined by C. G. Cates in The Swine World

By C. G. Cates in The Swine World  
 Leading swine producers have found that the economy of production in hogs lies not in the use of cheap grain, but in the substitution of cheap forage for the grain, and its supplements. The most successful growers provide forage crops for their hogs as many months in the year as possible.

In selecting a suitable crop for pasture or forage there are many things to be taken into consideration. For hogs it should not have too much crude fiber as their digestive apparatus will not permit the handling of a great deal of bulk. In the corn belt the forage should rank high in protein as it is used to balance a wide ration. Approximately twelve one-hundredths of pounds of live weight is necessary to supply a hog's need. This should be exceeded a little as there is a factor of waste. Alfalfa is probably the best forage crop to supply this need with medium red clover a close second.

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forage crop will supply all of these essentials, but alfalfa, the clovers and rape come the nearest. The clovers are adapted to a large range of climate and a variety of soils which makes them very popular as hog pasture in that respect. Alfalfa and clover are staple forage and hay crops. They can be grazed in the spring, summer and fall; then fed as chopped hay during the winter months.

More pasturage will be secured if the hogs are not turned on the clover until it has made a good start in the spring. The hogs relish red clover when it is green or prior to July or August when it ripens and begins to get woody. When the clover is growing rapidly shoats do best with about one pound of grain, such as corn, per head per day, but when it gets dry it would be better to feed them three to five pounds per day. Clover in bloom will need no supplementary feed. Hogs will eat enough to make a gain of three-fourths of a pound per one hundred pounds of live weight per day from the clover alone.

Missouri in some experiments with hogs on medium red clover, alfalfa, blue grass, and rape, oats and clover (latter three a mixture) obtained some very interesting results. They found that alfalfa produced 596.8 pounds of pork per acre of pasture worth \$41.78 if pork sold for 7 cents per pound, its advantages are, remains in the ground, for a long time, has a long growing season, yields are large, resists drought, and has a high protein and lime content, which is important. In some cases two cuttings of hay may be secured. Red clover produced 572.7 pounds of pork worth \$40.05 while blue grass produced only 295.2 pounds of pork valued at \$20.66. Red clover is shorter lived, has a shorter growing season and is not as high in protein content as alfalfa but pigs make almost as good gains. It is very much superior to blue grass according to their results. Red clover gave an increased income of \$19.41 as compared to blue grass.

In an experiment reported in Bulletin 95 of the Missouri station, results indicate that corn is worth 98 cents per bushel when fed to hogs running on clover if the rent of the land is \$10 per acre. An acre of clover will carry between 12 and 18 shoats of 50 or 75 pounds.

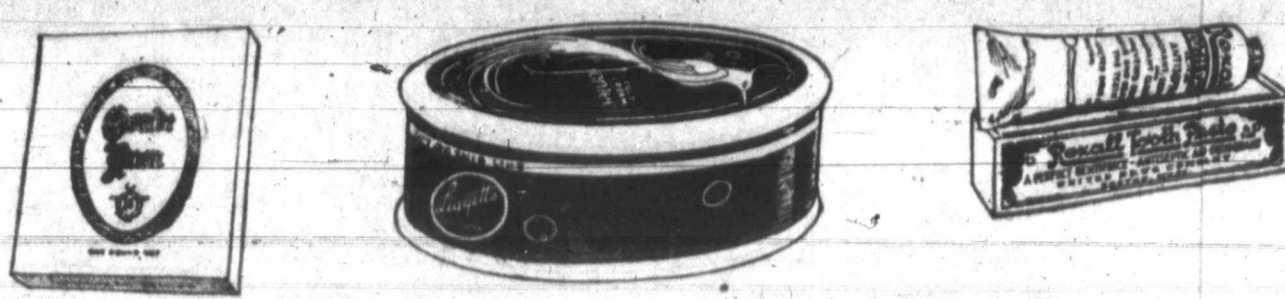
An acre of fifty bushel corn land devoted to good forage, with corn at 50 cents per bushel and hogs 5 cents per pound, returns from thirty to eighty dollars per acre, net profit when grazed with pigs, according to Iowa bulletin 136. They found that the cost of a 100 pound gain, all expenses, included, with corn at fifty cents per bushel, on young pigs with best forage, alfalfa, rape and the clovers, runs from \$2.88 to \$3.96; with older and heavier hogs, from \$4.23 to \$5.31 per 100-pounds gain.

Dry lot gains are slower and more costly. No greater opportunity exists for cheapening pork production in Iowa and Illinois than through the general use and adoption of a successful forage crop system in the growing and fattening of spring pigs.

On the basis of net profit of an acre, Iowa found that medium red clover yields the greatest profit with late rape a very close second. A protein supplement pays if prices are high otherwise it is not economical.

At the Illinois Experiment station gains were cheaper and more hay was secured from an acre of clover than from an acre of alfalfa. Grain was fed as a supplement to the pasture crops. Attempts to carry the spring pigs through the summer with no grain or alfalfa and rape in 1917 were unsuccessful. Two or three pigs died. The loss of a part of the pigs and the small gains may make it inadvisable to follow the "no-grain" method.

On the farm, we found that shoats running in a clover field made very satisfactory gains when fed about one-half ration of corn without a protein supplement. The pigs were thrifty and when fattened proved to fatten quicker than any previous bunch of hogs. In Colorado, where grain is high they expect to make one-half of the weight of a 200 lb.



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**BART GREEN, HUBBER TWIRLER, MARRIED TUESDAY**

Tuesday morning at the hour of 10 o'clock, accompanied by a close friend or two, Bart Green and Mrs. Ola Reed drove up to the home of the Baptist minister, Rev. W. A. Bowen of this city, and were quietly united in marriage.

Mr. Green is one of the Hubber's pitching staff, and not only is a ball player of note, but is a young man whom to know is to appreciate. The many friends that he has made during his short sojourn here attest the high esteem in which he is held locally.

Mrs. Reed has been here only about a month, coming from Plainview, but numbers her friends by her acquaintances. She is a young lady of high social standing and refinement.

The happy young couple will be at home to their friends at the Liddell Hotel. Their many friends join us in wishing for them long and happy days and the best that life affords.



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The Annual Meeting of the Directors of said Company will be held on the same date and place, immediately after the meeting of the Stockholders.

W. S. Posey, Secretary.  
 19-10

Ralph Bedford, of the Lubbock State Bank, left the first of this week for Post, where he will be joined by his mother, and they will go from there to points in the central and eastern part of his state, for a two weeks' vacation and outing.

There are many automobile accessories, but a pocketbook is the main one.

Fisherman found \$10,000 on the banks of the Potomac. Maybe that's the dollar George threw across with interest.

During the past few months between ten and twelve thousand bankers, brokers, and others who handle money in the Wall Street district of New York, have taken out permits for employees to carry revolvers.

<p>Here to Stay  <b>BRIGGS &amp; DENMAN</b>                  ALWAYS ON THE JOB</p>	<h2>COTTON SHOULD BE A GOOD PRICE THIS FALL</h2> <p>Therefore the farmer who wants to be sure of a crop had better take out a Hail Policy. It's better to have it and not need it, than to need it and not have it.</p> <p>We are fully equipped to give you good service in this department as in all others. If you want the best in Insurance, we write it.</p>	<p>IF YOU HAVE HAIL AND NO INSURANCE? WHAT THEN?</p>
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News and Views of Local Sports

TELL ANY MEMBER OF THE AVALANCHE FORCE ABOUT WHAT YOUR TEAM OR CLUB IS DOING AND HELP US KEEP THESE COLUMNS FULL OF LUBBOCK'S ACTIVITIES IN THIS LINE.

LUBBOCK HI BEAT OUT SANDHILL SATURDAY

Saturday afternoon immediately following the game between the Hubbers and the Abilene Eagles, the local High School beat out the Sandhill aggregation by a score of 10 to 8. Boyd worked on the rubber for the locals for six innings when he was pulled in favor of Woodridge, a brother of the Hubber twirler. Ingram, for the visitors, drove out a homer, while Meredith, Hensley, Tabbs and Ater for the locals smashed out circuit drives, Ater's smash coming in the 10th inning after the score was tied in the 9th. The game was hotly contested from the beginning with the exception that the local boys were a little too easy and lacked pep, however they have had no practice in a couple of weeks. The score by innings: Lubbock Hi 002 311 1002 2-10 Sandhill 100 330 001 0-8 Boyd, Woodridge and Hensley; Holmes and Holmes.

Standing of Teams

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Clubs, G, W, L, Pct. Rows include Amarillo, San Angelo, LUBBOCK, Abilene, Sweetwater, Clovis, Ranger, Stamford.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with 4 columns: Clubs, G, W, L, Pct. Rows include Fort Worth, Beaumont, Wichita Falls, San Antonio, Dallas, Houston, Galveston, Shreveport.

HUBBERS OUTPLAY EAGLES IN FRIDAY'S BATTLE

Friday afternoon on the local park in the most free hitting contest of the season, engaged in by both clubs the Abilene Eagles were nipped out by the Hubbers by a 9 to 5 victory.

In the first frame Speegle walked, Gober sacrificed, King flew to left, but on Scroggins error reached first, Langford took first on a fielder's choice, filling the bases; Brown singled, scoring Speegle. Then Battle's drive to deep left for four sacks was disastrous to the visitors, giving a lead which they were unable to overcome. Gober, for Lubbock, and Moore, for Abilene, smashed a four-sacker each in the sixth. Langford, Earnshaw and Scroggins got three baggers.

Bean, for the locals pitched excellent ball, and the visitors could not locate his wicked curve.

Box score table for the Abilene vs Lubbock game, listing AB, R, H, O, A, E for both teams and individual players.

Summary of innings pitched and totals for the game.

Summary of innings pitched, by team, and totals for the game.

fourth straight victory. He allowed only six hits, while eleven were charged against Keisler. Speegle smashed out two home runs, one in the third and one in the fifth, then White, with Abilene, not to be outdone, drove out one each in the seventh and ninth, but the visitors were unable to handle Woodridge's delivery for further gains.

Box score table for the Lubbock vs Abilene game, listing AB, R, H, O, A, E for both teams and individual players.

Totals and summary of innings pitched for the game.



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WATCH FOR LATER ANNOUNCEMENT of our Big FORMAL OPENING which will occur in about two weeks.

HUBBERS TAKE THIRD OF SERIES FROM ABILENE

Saturday afternoon in another free hitting contest, the Hubbers beat out the Abilene Eagles by 10 to 5. Woodridge pitched excellent ball for the locals and won his

Table with 4 columns: Clubs, G, W, L, Pct. for Hubbers vs Abilene game.

BASEBALL SUMMARY

Summary table of baseball games, listing clubs, scores, and key players.

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HEAD OF SCHOOL TO VISIT LUBBOCK

Dr. B. F. Gurden, president of the Texas Chiropractic College at San Antonio, Texas, will be in Lubbock next Saturday and will give a free lecture and clinic, beginning at 7:30, at the Odd Fellows hall on eleventh street.

By applying at the offices of either Dr. M. T. Council or Dr. Ralph Hardy anyone wishing an analysis will be instructed as to what is necessary in order to take advantage of Dr. Gurden's services.

The lecture and analysis are FREE to all. M. T. Council, Ralph Hardy, Chiropractors. (adv).

NOTICE NON-RESIDENT LAND OWNERS OF LAMB COUNTY

All renditions on valuations of properties in Lamb County were burned in the Courthouse fire, May 1. I will greatly appreciate it if all non-resident property owners will send to me at the earliest possible date a new rendition of their properties. The extra work necessary is going to be very heavy and this assistance and co-operation on your part will be very helpful and much appreciated. E. N. Burrus, Tax Assessor, Lamb County, Texas. P-2

Bathing Caps and Suits at Malard Sisters' Dress Shop. 23-1. If you don't vote, don't kick if things don't go to suit you.

ON TO PLAINVIEW CONVENTION OF WEST TEX. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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## How the Federal Pension System Works and the Holding of the Stupendous Sums of Money

By Washington Gardner  
The average citizen—and certainly the average taxpayer—knows that one of the many government problems is that of pensions, and that there exists at Washington a Bureau of Pensions. The building that houses the bureau is one of the points of interest to the visiting tourist, but it is hardly likely that this casual visitor, realizing the magnitude of the business administered within its historic walls. Yet more than \$6,000,000,000 have been disbursed for pensions and for maintenance of pension systems from 1790 to 1921.

The pensioners of the United States are subdivided into several classes. They include pensioners of the Revolution—the oldest class on the roll—of the War of 1812, of the early wars with the Indians, of the Mexican War, of the Civil War, of the Spanish-American War and the subsequent insurrection in the Philippines, and of the World War, where services therein were rendered prior to October, 1917. There are also other pensioners of the regular military and naval forces and a few unclassified pensioners.

The pensioners are not all soldiers, or even former soldiers. They represent widows, minor children, dependent persons and army nurses. More than 3,000 of them are scat-

tered over wide areas outside the United States, from Tasmania to Mauritius, and from China to Norway.

**Half Million Pensioners**  
At the end of the fiscal year 1921 there were 566,053 pensioners on the roll. The largest number of names in any one year was in 1902, when it totaled 999,446—a total that may be better understood if one thinks that it is only 554 less than a million. In 1866, one year after the close of the Civil War, there were 126,722 pensioners.

Losses to the pensions roll are caused chiefly by death, but there are also other causes, such as remarriage of widows, minors attaining the age of 16 years, failure to claim for three years, and the like. Gains are made chiefly by original allowances, but also, in some cases, by the restoration of forfeited pensions. Since 1910 the loss of Civil War soldiers has averaged about 30,000 a year. Last June there were 218,775 of them, as against 243,520 the preceding year, while the largest number of them on the roll was reached in 1898, with a total of 745,822.

The exact amount paid to pensioners between 1790 and 1921, a span of 131 years, is 6,089,536,537.71, while the cost of maintenance of the pension system from 1866 has

been \$128,683,653.30. As the disbursements have been made in sums ranging from a minimum of \$2 a month to a maximum of \$416.66 2-3 (the greatest number of pensioners received, however pensions of \$30 or \$50), it is evident that a vast amount of careful clerical work and accounting is necessary.

It is not the stupendous sums paid out annually or the number of persons served that makes the record of the work of the Bureau of Pensions remarkable, but the close scrutiny which must follow every application for a pension to insure that, if granted, the money shall go to the rightful recipient for the purposes intended.

On May 1, 1920, there was approved by the Congress an act to revise and equalize rates of pensions to certain soldiers, sailors and marines of the Mexican and Civil war, including widows, former widows, dependent parents and children, and certain army nurses. A few weeks later another act was approved to pension soldiers and sailors of the Spanish-American War including the Philippine Insurrection and the relief expedition in China.

**Painstaking Care Necessary**  
The passage of these acts required the forming of a section of experts to investigate and determine promptly where increases could be granted to the pensioners already on the roll in cases not requiring new applications. This work has been well and expeditiously done, and yet on January 1, 1922 there were 65,541 claims on hand under the operation of these two single acts.

It is needless to say that with hundreds of thousands of pensioners scattered in 48 states, the District of Columbia, five insular possessions, and 67 foreign countries, (including dependencies), there is much possibility of mistake and misunderstanding, if not necessarily of fraud. Nothing must be taken for granted. The operation of the pension laws, furthermore, in many respects makes the bureau's work quite complicated.

Handling pension claims is routine work, but it requires painstaking care. Many persons have an erroneous impression that is a simple thing for the Pension Bureau to take up a pension claim and immediately dispose of it. As a matter of fact, it is often a most difficult matter to adjust.

In claiming a pension, an application must be filed in the Pension Bureau, stating under what law the claim is made, accompanied by the facts on which it is based. After the validity of the declaration is determined by the Law Division, a record is made and the claim receives a number. This record is made in various ways for statistical purposes and for information, and so that the claim may be found readily. There are about 3,000,000 record cards on file today.

The claim thence is submitted to adjudicating divisions made up of experts who by training, study and

experience have qualified themselves for obtaining, examining and weighing the evidence on which pension claims are based. In due time the Board of Review gets the case. No claim is rejected unless it has been considered and disallowed by an examiner, a reviewer and a final reviewer, while every claim that is allowed must have the concurrence of three experts of the same class.

Many times it is necessary to make an inquiry in the field. These inquiries are made in the case of doubtful or difficult claims, or those in which criminal features are involved. Should a medical question present itself for solution, it is sent to the proper division, which has the assistance of about 4,000 physicians throughout the United States. If questions of law are involved, too, these are sent to the Law Division, which passes on questions relating to attorneyship, guardianship, marriage and divorce.

The Bureau of Pensions under these circumstances is not a mere administrative office. It is called upon to construe the law and to exercise judicial functions, determining the rights of claimants and of the government under the law and facts, and in this manner acts as a court. The numerous pension laws have required much consideration and interpretation, and there are 20 octavo volumes containing the opinions of the Secretary of the Interior on questions that have arisen in pension cases.

Of course, the Pension Bureau cannot undertake to determine in advance of the filing of a claim and necessary evidence, whether a pensionable status exists, yet requests for information of this kind are constantly being received from individuals who believe they have claims, such as dependent parents, invalids, minors and widows. Each class, as well as each case of each class, is governed by laws and regulations, and as already pointed out, every claim must be analyzed by experts after it has been filed.

**Delay a Serious Matter**  
The speed with which the work is handled depends, of course, on the number of employes. In 1921 there were 867, a decrease of 37 from the previous year. The claims last year were disposed of at a cost for salaries and other expenses of administration of \$17.25 per claim, while the actual cost of disbursement was 10 1-4 cents for every \$100.

The available force of employes is not sufficient, however, as shown with the great influx of claims, to be in arrears in the consideration of claims for pension is a serious matter. Comparatively few persons who are entitled to a pension are in such financial condition that they do not stand greatly in need of the money granted by a generous Congress. All we can say is that the delay is absolutely unavoidable and that claimants must wait with patience until their claims are reached in their regular order. Congress alone can remedy the conditions as they exist by authorizing a temporary addition to the working force.

On the other hand, liberalization of practice has been effected lately, for the sake of efficiency. The Bureau of Pensions has been often reproached for a policy and practice thought to be too narrow, restricted and technical. This has been accentuated when brought in contrast with the liberal treatment accorded the veterans of the World War both by Congress and by those charged with the administration of the laws passed for their relief. In the belief that like liberal treatment should be accorded to those coming within the purview of pension legislation, the present administration has made several modifications of the practice of the bureau. Whatever grounds there may have been for criticism, the object now is to do justice to all by eliminating technicalities as far as possible.

**Helpless Helped First**  
An instance of the new policy will be cited. A provision of the Act of May 1, 1920, grants \$72 a month to Civil War veterans "helpless or blind, or so nearly helpless or blind as to require regular, personal aid and attendance." Under this provision 38,938 Civil War veterans applied for the \$72 rate during the last fiscal year, and additional claims

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are now coming in at the rate of approximately 3,000 monthly. In view of the great age and the helpless condition of these applicants, their claims are being given special attention and everything is being done to bring about their early settlement.

Another instance provides that the ratings granted Spanish War veterans shall be proportioned to the degree of inability to earn a support by manual labor. Departing from a fixed, arbitrary scale of rates the test in each case now is the extent to which inability to earn a support is lessened.

In other instances, however, the Bureau of Pensions cannot exercise authority in expediting legislation at hand without remedial legislation. One of these relates to the proof of marriage. This law's requirements have given rise to some complaint, and in numerous cases imposed upon widow applicants a peculiar hardship, made more manifest by the lapse of time. Yet the Pension Bureau has no power to change the law. The recent legislation in behalf of the widows of World War veterans is much more liberal in this regard and permits the independence of presumption of marriage in the absence of proof in certain cases and under certain conditions. It is hoped that this liberality of law favoring widows of veterans of the Civil War, the war with Spain, or of those who served in the regular establishment prior to April 6, 1917.

There seems to be a general demand among all classes of pensioners for the monthly payment of pensions. Congress has recognized this demand. The Bland bill has been passed by the House of Representatives and is now in the hands of the Senate. The arguments in favor of monthly payment of pensions are patent to everybody. The passage of this bill for monthly payments is strongly recommended.

Another activity of the Pension Bureau has to do with the administration of the Civil Service Retirement Act, approved May 22, 1920. Under its provisions are included all employes of the classified civil service of the United States, representing one of the largest groups of employes ever to be covered by a single retirement fund.

**62 Widows of 1812 Soldiers**  
Since the organization of the new retirement division 18 months ago, 7,076 claims for age annuity and 1,261 claims for retirement on account of disability have been filed. This branch of the work is considered as being practically current.

During the same period 80,500 applications for refund have been filed by former employes who have become separated from the service because of resignation, dismissal or necessary reduction of force. The work of adjudicating this class of claims is about four months in arrears. An amendment to the act which has already passed the Senate and is now pending in the House

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will, if enacted, facilitate the adjudication of claims for refund.

A few figures on the pension situation will be undoubtedly instructive. The number of certificates issued on account of all claims allowed since the establishment of the pensions system down to the end of the last fiscal year was 6,302,836. Congress granted 59,124 pensions by special acts since March 4, 1861. Of the total number of pensioners on the roll last June—566,053—by classes they are as follows: soldiers, 267,629; widows, 290,955; minors, 2,163; helpless children, 919; other dependents, 4,285, and nurses, 102.

Sixty-four pensions were still being paid on account of the War of 1812, although more than a century has passed since the termination of that war. All these, with one exception, were drawn by soldiers' widows, there being now no survivor of the men who fought in that conflict.

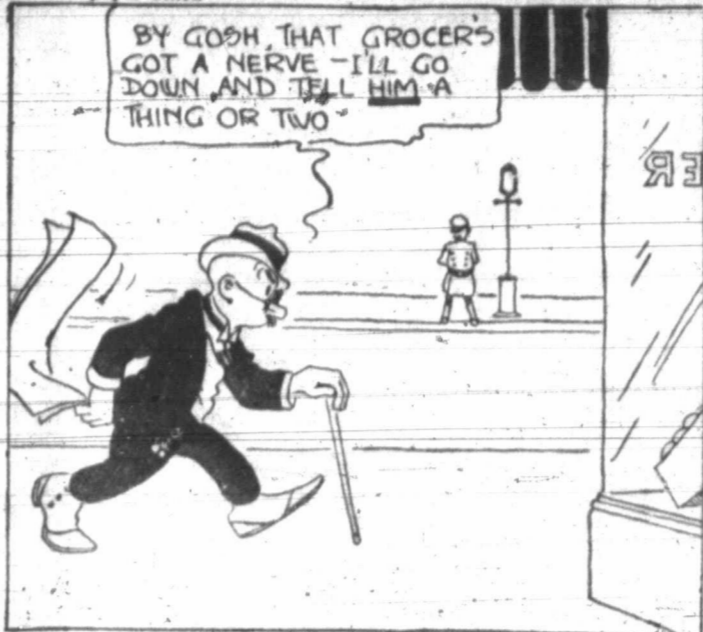
**109 Mexican War Veterans**  
There were still 2,244 pensioners of the Mexican War, 73 years after it ended. Of these, 109 were survivors, and 39 of them died during the fiscal year.

In the past year 24,775 Civil War veterans died. During that period widows who filed claims for pensions numbered 14,753. From these figures some idea can be formed of the number of widow claims that will continue to come in as the veterans yet on the roll gradually pass away. In fact, during the year 1919 the number of veterans on the roll, and at the close of the fiscal year the number of widows was 241,225, as against 218,775 veterans.

Even the brief war with Spain was noted on the pension roll by 39,282 entries on the date stated. By states, Ohio led in number of pensioners with 55,960. Nevada holding last place with 270. Alaska had 43. Of the foreign countries of their dependencies, Canada led with 1,625, and 16 places from British Guiana to Egypt, Portugal to Siam, had each one pensioner. The total amount of foreign disbursements was, for the fiscal year, \$1,946,022.37.

Subdivided by different wars, the total disbursements last year were: Civil War, \$246,584,640; War with Spain, \$6,171,570; War of 1812, \$24,160; War with Mexico, \$885,025; Indian Wars, \$1,363,362; regular establishment, \$3,455,191, and World War, \$25,394. The average pension for each class was \$477.74, \$164.34, \$356.65, \$373.37, \$203.71, \$183.49 and \$238.69, respectively.

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The Report in Detail of the Work Done By the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce During Past Year

The detailed report of the Secretary of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce for eleven months of 1921 and '22 starting June first of last year and ending April 30th of 1922 is given below as a matter of information and history to the individual members of the organization and to those citizens of the city who are not acquainted with the work of the organization.

With a population of more than 6,500 in the city the Chamber of Commerce has a total membership of approximately 200, with an additional 100 members in the Junior Chamber of Commerce. The monthly income of both the organizations will run approximately \$750 to \$800. With this amount of money the Chambers of Commerce endeavor to handle the thousand and one things that forever come up in a growing city of this size.

The result is—an unjust burden on a few with the great majority of the citizenship out of touch with the needs, wants and accomplishments of the city—and in some instances, as much as we regret to say it, openly antagonistic towards the programs and efforts of this constructive organization.

The following detailed report of the year's work gives a good idea of some of the major problems the Chamber of Commerce attempts and puts over. The thousand and one details that come up every day cannot be incorporated of course.

Gentlemen:  
Few Secretaries ever have the pleasure of being placed in my position tonight in making a report

upon the past year's work. I can either criticize or commend without seeming to most my own job or danger of getting fired. So my report will, therefore, be just as I see the year's work—without any trimmings.

In the first place Chamber of Commerce work cannot be measured in dollars and cents—either from the view point of the Secretary or the company contributing to its support. The man that spends \$25 for a year's membership in the organization with the idea of getting 30 silver dollars out of the investment before the end of the year simply has the wrong view point in the whole matter and needs to be actively connected with the work of the organization.

**Finances**  
In round numbers the organization has collected through membership, sale of tickets for Traveling-men's banquet, premium on the Dallas Fair Exhibit and from other sources, \$8,428.70. It has spent a total of \$8,460.20 divided into the following heads:  
Salary to hand master \$450; supplement to County Agents salary, \$150; office salaries, including Secretary, \$4,042.50; office expense, including office supplies, telephone, telegrams, stamps and incidental expenses, \$566.78; advertising, including folders, signs, cards, pamphlets paid advertising, maps, banners, trade excursion mats and supplies, \$1,270.96; tourist park—before the Junior Chamber of Commerce took it over, \$364.25; general expenses, including Secretary's travel-

ing expenses, expenses of delegates to West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, West Texas Fair, Secretary's meeting, and similar expenses of a general nature that do not come under any of the above heads; \$900.50; expenses of the Dallas Fair exhibits, \$385; and checks returned, cold, no account, temporarily cancelled, etc., etc., \$303.95.

As for the various Chamber of Commerce activities—they are practically innumerable and cover too wide a scope of territory to recount in detail. Some of these activities have been very effective in accomplishing definite results—some of them have been wasted energy as far as visible results and some of them will bear fruit in years to come that we can know nothing of at this time.

The Farmers' Union Convention and Chautauqua programs opened the year and were both very satisfactorily handled.

**Holidays**  
Through the combined efforts, organized by the Chamber of Commerce, the Retail Merchants' Association, the American Legion and the Chamber of Commerce a definite agreement was reached between the merchants in regard to closing days or holidays for the year as follows: Memorial Day for May 30th, Independence Day, July 4th, Armistice Day, November 11th, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. These days have been observed in the past and it is expected that they will continue to be observed. It marks an intelligent settlement of the much understood problem of just what days of the year to observe as holidays.

**Agriculture**  
With regard to the encouragement of agricultural development and advertisement of the section along that line, the Chamber of Commerce was of material assistance to the Lubbock County Livestock Association in a financial way in maintaining the work of the County Agent in spite of the action of the Commissioner's Court—and then in the past fall in securing favorable action towards reinstating the work for the present year. Also in maintaining a creditable County Exhibit at the Dallas Fair, the very successful show course and poultry show recently held, as well as a number of visits to schools and meetings in various parts of the county, in connection with the educational campaign put on by Mr. Hingway of the Mistletoe Creameries, the International Harvester People and others during the year through the direction of the County Agent.

**Highways**  
In the promotion of highways, development of tourist travel, and the wide advertising that comes from such activities the past year has been favored with exceptional success. Lubbock now has five marked and designated highways passing through the city, carrying a volume of traffic that it is impractical to estimate but numbering considerable in excess of 100,000 people a year through the city and section. The tourist park established thru the generous co-operation of the South Plains Fair officials and since taken over by the Junior Chamber of Commerce is one of the most comfortable and complete plants in the State with hot and cold water, cooking ovens, free light, wood, water, and shelter—plenty of Lubbock Post Cards for free distribution and I suggest that provision be made for a reading and writing room for the coming summer to be kept supplied with Lubbock literature, current newspapers and magazines to be furnished thru the personal co-operation of the businessmen with the Junior Chamber of Commerce. There is a permanent keeper in charge to see that the visitors are taken care of and to prevent any abuse of the prop-

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The Roger Q. Mills has recently been completed across the State in an East and West direction, passing through Lubbock. All roads lead to Rome—and Lubbock.

The Judget Sound to Gulf Highway has been recently re-marked through Lubbock—as has the Canada-Plains-Gulf Highway.

**Public Utilities**  
The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce has established a reputation of fair dealing with the public utility corporations and has at all times worked for a closer understanding between these corporations, the organization with the view to improving the service through co-operation and a fuller appreciation of the difficulties and viewpoints of each other. The results of this attitude is easily seen in the material improvements in grade crossings within the city during the past year—completed upon the suggestion of the Chamber of Commerce; the extensive piece of gravel and crushed stone work completed around the station by the Santa Fe upon their own initiative, the promise they have given the Chamber of Commerce that plans are already under way for the enlargement and improvement of passenger station facilities and other improvements in their facilities to care for the growing demands of the City.

The ice situation was gone into during last summer and a material reduction in price secured through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce and city officials. The telephone company has always been very reasonable in all adjustments of the minor difficulties that arise from time to time and have made extensions and improvements to care for the growth and development of the city from time to time and assure the organization that extensive improvements are already planned for the very near future that will greatly improve the service and care for the great increased demand made upon the company. Our telegraph service has been exceptionally good during the past year and is steadily improving. The Express service has improved not less than 50 per cent during the past year, in point of time of pickups and deliveries, extension of delivery territory and decrease in breakage and loss through handling. Improvements in station facilities are greatly needed however, and the full efficiency of the service cannot be realized until this situation is properly cared for.

Railroads, freight and traffic matters are growing in importance in the Chamber of Commerce work. With 27 wholesale houses distributing good out of Lubbock and as many more ready to come to the city with the proper adjustment of the freight differential, the agitation of a Fort Worth to Plains con-

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nection, the Kansas City, Quanah, Lubbock to Roswell connection and other proposed routes—the need of an effective railroad committee has already been felt and capable men appointed to fill that need and work is under way, along constructive lines, to care for all of the situations that development in this connection.

Contracts have been closed and plans are in the making for the opening of a modern oil mill in the city in the fall. This is not a fly-by-night promotion scheme but a plant being put in by a recognized company as a permanent investment, backed up by a string of gins representing heavy investments toward the development of the section and an organization that knows the oil mill business. While it is true that they have had their eyes on Lubbock territory—as shown by their investment in the string of gins—it still was directly through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce that the mill was located at this time.

The Community auditorium is being built. It's need has long been felt and discussed. The first definite plans were submitted to the Board of Directors July 1st last year. By July the first it will be paid for.

No report of the activities of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce is complete without special reference to the Board of Directors and the President of the organization during the past year. It has been my pleasure to have been under boards of directors of commercial organizations, corporations and others for the past fourteen years. Never, during that time, have I known a board of fifteen men work as harmoniously, as conscientiously, as earnestly and as unselfishly as has this board worked—and never have I known any man fill any job as satisfactorily as has your retiring president, Mr. Rix. Outside of the board of directors no member of the organization can realize how much time it takes to handle the work of the organization—and even the Board of Directors themselves, have no idea of the demands made upon the President of this organization.

CURTIS A. KEEN,  
Retiring Secretary.

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