

The Lynn County News

Lynn County, the heart of the South Plains, the home of its civilization.

Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, Thursday, July 7, 1927

Number 45

CROP TO BE SHORT

Wheat and Corn

Wheat and corn crops in this county are expected to be short.

The wheat crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The corn crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The cotton crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The sorghum crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The alfalfa crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The clover crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The timothy crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The orchard crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The fruit crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The vegetable crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The dairy crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The stock crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The poultry crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The beekeeping crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The fishing crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The hunting crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The birdwatching crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The photography crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The gardening crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The painting crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The carpentry crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The masonry crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The electrical crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The plumbing crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The mechanical crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

The engineering crop is expected to be short because of the late planting.

New Filling Station Lensed By Welch

I. C. Welch and son

The new filling station just constructed on the Jones lot at the southwest corner of the square and will open the same for business about the last of this week.

Mr. Welch will have charge and will handle American Oil Company products.

The building, constructed of tile and concrete, was given a white finish and is one of the most attractive little buildings in town.

Mr. Welch is a most excellent young man and will no doubt get a fair share of the trade in this line.

Death Claims One At Abilene Races

(Abilene Morning News)

Death and delirium—the price of Abilene's seventh annual Fourth of July automobile race.

The race of twenty motors piloted by dirt track men of the South in competition for the \$5,000 in prize money from the West Texas Fair Association, the life race of Capt. E. Costa, San Angelo youth, ended on the east turn of the fair park and Monday afternoon.

Costa, entered in the second race of his career, risked too much on his driving ability in the road chase to win. He led the field of eight cars for two laps in event No. 3 and was trailing Ray Gardner in a Graham special on the fifth lap. On the turn he cut in close to the rail, striking it with his front wheel. His little motor bounded outward, cappled in to the rail again, and overturned, sending to a halt almost the front with Costa body pinned beneath.

Nine thousand spectators, already from the 27 year old driver's wife and two babies, surrounded as R. H. Jefferson, gave the yellow flag to the driver—automobile, signaling danger ahead. An ambulance screamed its way across the field, picked up the mangled but not yet lifeless body, took out of the park on the way to the hospital—and the program went on.

Costa's leg was broken in two places, and a crushed chest that brought on long hemorrhages caused his death in the Baptist institution shortly before 9 p. m. yesterday. It hours after the accident.

That tragic incident was the last but upon a program that, failing to produce many records, was as good as the holiday crowd could have wished.

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JULY 4 QUIET DAY IN TAHOKA

With No Celebration At Home, Town Chase Up To Squat Amusement Showers

There was no excitement in Tahoka July 4.

The banks were closed, nearly all offices in the east house were closed, most of the business houses were closed; even some of the filling stations were closed. Four or five persons congregated constituted a big crowd in Tahoka Monday. Nearly everybody had gone to Post, to Abilene, to visit the wife's kin folks, to see the crops, or to take an outing.

Some left town just because everybody else was gone. The stiller tried to stay on the job but it was a terrible effort. He succeeded partially. There was tumult in the quiet old Quaker town July 4, 1927, but there was no tumult in Tahoka on July 4, 1927. The bursting of a few summer crackers and the merriment flight of an occasional rocket into the air after nightfall were about the only reminders that our forefather "We hold these truths to be self-evident—a certainty and a half ago.

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BOY DROWNS IN TREDWAY TANK

Nolan House Dies Sunday While Bathing In Tank; Is Buried At Dew

Nolan House, 14, son of Burdell House residing on the J. E. Kofner farm at Tredway, just over the line in Baylor county, was drowned in a tank on the Street place in which he and another boy were bathing Sunday.

It seems that young House got beyond his depth in the water and not being able to swim he sank. The other boy got on a horse and rode away for help. When help arrived they began dragging the tank and the body was finally found and resuscitated but life was extinct. The tank was about a mile and a half from any residence.

Interment was set for Monday afternoon.

Many friends here and elsewhere deeply sympathize with the parents in this sad loss.

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Pierce Station Is Now Open

The new Pierce Filling Station 1 block north of the St. Clair Hotel opened for business Wednesday morning, with Rev. T. Brown in charge. Harley Wells will assist. Mr. Brown is running the station.

This station will handle the Pierce products, Pennant gas and oil.

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HAIL DAMAGES SOME OF CROPS

New Home And Granddell Communities Are Principal Sufferers From Hailstorm

Cotton was utterly destroyed over a territory extending seven or eight miles from the northeast to the south west and about three miles wide in the vicinity of New Home where a terrific hailstorm struck last Friday afternoon. New Home was in the stricken district but the destructive work of the storm did not extend far this side of that place.

All the cotton in that vicinity was very young, most of it having been planted after the rain of June 23, and was therefore easily destroyed. Much damage was done to feed also, but most of it will probably come out and has a chance to make a good crop yet. The cotton acreage has been replanted in cotton, feed, and beans.

On the same afternoon a hailstorm also visited the Granddell community. The destruction wrought by this storm covered a territory a mile wide by about two miles long. Messrs. Turner, King, Ward, and Jincy were perhaps the greatest sufferers from this storm. Cotton was either totally destroyed or badly damaged by the hail, and much of the stricken territory has been replanted in feed and cotton.

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Troops To Use Glacier To Gulf

D. E. Clay, manager of the Glacier to Gulf Motorway Association, announced that the Army Motor Corps was transferring troops from San Antonio to Fort Ransom, Colorado, will pass through Canyon in a short while. Towns along the line are asked to show the soldiers as many courtesies as possible.

The Federal Trucking System has been assigned for this highway, and work will start on the markers within 30 days. The number designated is 100. Going to the fact that Ransom county will cover part of this highway, and that elections will be held in Hale and Lubbock counties soon for paving. It is expected that there will be considerable activity on this highway during the summer.—Canyon News.

Rev. M. C. Bishop, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Post, filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church here last Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. R. N. Sheppard. Brother Bishop was pastor here about 14 years ago and a number were present Sunday morning who were here when he was the pastor. He delivered a most interesting discourse, according to those who heard it.

Happy Smith, Wesley Simpson, E. H. Bullen, and Van Buren comprise a party which is spending a few days down on the Devil's River trying their luck with the pole and line. They will be back about the end of the week spinning some big ones.

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Band Concert Sunday Afternoon

A band concert will be given here on the public square Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Post band is coming over and this band and the Tahoka band will render the concert jointly. Some good music is promised. You are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McKinnon returned Tuesday afternoon from a few days visit with relatives at Vernon and Chillicothe. Mr. McKinnon has a farm near Chillicothe and says that he brought back a sack of roasting ears from the same. Water melons were also ripe and they had a glorious fourth. Crops are very promising in that section.

ICE CREAM SUPPER

There will be an ice cream supper at the New Home School House on Saturday night, July 9, given by the Home Demonstration Club.

COMMITTEE

There is none better than Honey Toast. Try one loaf and you'll call for it next time. adv

Stomach Gas Drives Man From Bed

"I had gas so bad I had to get up nights on account of the pressure on my heart. I used Adierka and have been entirely relieved."—R. F. Krueger.

Even the FIRST spoonful of Adierka relieves gas and often removes astonishing amount of old waste matter from the system. Makes you enjoy your meals and sleep better. No matter what you have tried for your stomach and bowels, Adierka will surprise you.—Thomas Bros Drug Company.

ONE IN TEN

Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the feet may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borosone and apply the Borosone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

THOMAS BROS DRUG CO.

DIZZY SPELLS

They Would Come On This Lady And Last For Several Days.

"I have known Cardui for a long time," writes Mrs. Hattie Bourk, of Jacksonville, Fla. "Recently, I used Cardui for bad spells which came on me . . . I would get very dizzy and would often be out of my head for a short space of time, from sheer weakness."

"Having taken Cardui before as a tonic, I began to use it regularly. I improved at once. I kept on taking it and do not know how I should have got through this time, without it. I have been feeling normal now for some months."

Cardui has helped thousands of others. It should help you.

Buy it at your druggist's.

CARDUI

In Use 45 Years

SHEPHERD SHOWING SATISFACTORY IMPROVEMENT

Letters received from Rev. B. N. Shepherd to the family indicate that he is making satisfactory improvement in Baylor Hospital at Dallas, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis recently. A communication received Tuesday stated that he was sitting up and would probably be allowed to leave the hospital Wednesday or Thursday. He is not expected however, before the end of the week.

The first car of wheat ever shipped from Hockley county left Levelland on Monday of last week, according to the Hockley County Herald. It is estimated that 35 to 50 cars will be shipped this season. Some fields are reported to have made as high as 25 bushels per acre, though the average yield perhaps was not over 10 or 12 bushels. Development of Hockley county began only five years ago. It is one of the best farming counties on the south plains.

The Terry County Herald is authority for the statement that 109 cans of cream were marketed in Brownfield by farmers and ranchmen in a single day recently. Much poultry and eggs and butter are also being marketed each week, it states. All this helps to keep the wolf away until another crop can be harvested.

Emmett Fleming has returned from Richland Springs, where he spent his vacation visiting relatives and friends. Emmett says that cotton and other crops are most promising in San Saba county. Roasting ears are plentiful, gardens are good, water melons are ripe, and Emmett had a high rolling time for about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Maggart and son Woodrow of Roscoe were here Sunday and Monday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Maggart are Mrs. Williams' parents. Mr. Maggart is engaged in business in Roscoe.

Geo. W. Phillips, representing the Folger Coffee Company, was here Friday and Saturday conducting the coffee demonstration at the store of the Thomas Grocery Company and serving sample cups of the delicious concoction.

R. C. Wood, public weigher, thinks it probable that he will weigh 10,000 bales of cotton here next season. Seven thousand to ten thousand is the guess he made to the News man. He weighed more than 12,000 bales last season.

Supt. J. E. Watson of Spur has been elected superintendent of the schools at Post and has recently removed to the latter place. He has been superintendent at Spur the past three years.

County Superintendent H. P. Caviness and family left this morning on a visit to Greenville and other points in east and central Texas. They expect to be away ten days or more.

Little Annie and Annette Brewer, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Brewer of the Joe Bailey neighborhood, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brewer, in Tahoka, this week.

G. T. Brewer says that there are almost 600 acres in feed on the Brewer farms in this county, all of which is very promising, especially if rain should fall within the next few days.

Methodist Missionary Society Meets

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met in regular business session in the basement of their church on Monday, July 4.

Mrs. Patterson acting as devotional leader read the Bible lesson as found in Joel 2:13 and gave helpful comments on it. Mrs. Adair led in a concluding prayer.

In the absence of Mrs. Satwart, the discussion leader for the day, Mrs. Fenton, the President, called the roll, asking each member to give the name of a missionary and a few words about her work.

The object of a stockholder's meeting was then explained, after which the society "took stock" of its foreign work by the following program.

Our Foreign Mission Enterprise—Mrs. Childress.

Our Missions in Korea—Mrs. Clinton.

Information Test—All Members.

Mrs. Coopwood was a welcome visitor and gave valuable assistance in procuring many of the Spanish names of the mission schools.

The society felt very fortunate in having Mrs. Adair present again after her long absence. Her presence is always an inspiration and her experience of over thirty years in the work enables her to give much helpful information.

In closing, the "stockholders" agreed that truly interest in missions is best aroused by study and information.

—REPORTER

LUBBOCK SANITARIUM NOTES

(From Lubbock Sanitarium News)

Mrs. A. W. Early of O'Donnell had a very serious operation last week and is getting along nicely.

Beatrice Rodgers, the little two year old child from O'Donnell who has blood poisoning, is now slowly improving.

Holland Simpson of O'Donnell is in the sanitarium for treatment, on account of an injury received several days ago.

HEAVY WHEAT SHIPMENT

Santa Fe train No. 3940 passed through Snyder Monday with 91 cars of wheat. Ten of these cars taken at random contained by the card stenciled on each one, showed that the total of ten cars contained 863,000 pounds or 131,949 bushels of wheat, which was perhaps the largest single consignment ever shipped over this part of the Santa Fe system. Imagine the total number of bushels in the entire train of 91 cars, when only ten of them contained over 130,000 bushels.—Snyder Times Signal.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company last week began improvements in its system at Slaton that will entail an expenditure of about \$77,000 according to the Slatonite.

A fireproof, steam-heated building, 33 by 47 feet in size is being erected. A new switchboard will be installed, of the flashlight type, underground cables will be laid, new telephones installed, and other improvements made.

Jim (Moco) Wakefield returned Monday from a trip to Clovis, Hereford, and other places in that section of the plains. He says that the wheat crop there was exceedingly short. Feed is late and small but looking good. He came back thinking more of the south plains, of which Lynn county is the center.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Weathers left Friday to visit relatives at Jefferson, over on the eastern border of the state, where the fish bite and the pines grow tall. Louie will return to Tahoka within a few days but Mrs. Weathers will spend several weeks over in the historic old town.

C. A. Thomas and family returned last week from Blooming Grove, Emis, and other places in that part of the state, where they spent a few days visiting relatives. Mr. Thomas reports crops fairly good but too much rain in that section.

The three banks at Plainview have deposits aggregating more than four and a quarter million dollars. The deposits have been greatly augmented the past few weeks by the proceeds from the wheat crop.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells are expected home today, after a visit of several days with relatives and friends at Dallas.

V. N. Bursleson and James Connolly spent a few days this week out in New Mexico on business.

WILSON MAN HAS PAINFUL ACCIDENT

Mr. Swan, manager of Tate Grocery, had a very painful accident last Saturday. While dusting off the counters, he ran a needle through his finger, it breaking three times in his finger. Mr. Swan was taken to Tahoka to a physician by Mr. Roquemore, and was advised to go to Lubbock to a sanitarium, and there the needle was removed, and Mr. Swan is doing nicely.—Wilson Point.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one that helped in any way in our time of distress, when our house and all belongings burned last week at T-Bar.

—Mr. and Mrs. Anderson & Family.

It is estimated by the Lamb County Leader that at least \$20,000 was added to the wealth of Littlefield during the past season. A total of 120,000 eggs were set, from which 75,000 chicks were hatched.

Twenty-two more city blocks are to be paved in Plainview, according to the Plainview News. Bonds in the sum of \$40,000 have been issued for the purpose.

The weekly shipment of cream from Littlefield amounted to more than \$1200.00, according to the Lamb County Leader, or about \$5,000.00 each month.

Uncle Jimmie Fleming says he celebrated the glorious Fourth cutting weeds. A lot of us could have spent the day profitably in that way.

A cotton compress is to be erected in Littlefield, Lamb county, by A. S. Underwood & Co. Material for the structure is already arriving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith and Mr. Grough of Texarkana are here visiting the family of W. L. Knight and other relatives.

Miss Mary Slater returned Monday from Clovis, where she visited the families of H. E. and Buddie Baldrige.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Henderson and the latter's mother, Mrs. Slaughter, are visiting relatives in Austin.

A new foundry and supply house has been opened in Big Spring, carrying all kinds of oil field equipment.

Work has been resumed on the test oil well being drilled at Fluvanna in Scurry county.

Uncle Frank Vaughn left Saturday for Hillsboro to visit a sister, who is very ill.

Mrs. O. E. Adams is in the West Texas Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. E. N. Weathers left Friday for a visit of several days with her son and family at Abilene.

J. A. Weathers of Lockney was here the first of the week visiting his brother, E. N. Weathers.

Try one loaf of Honey Toast bread and you'll want another.

Have faithfulness and sincerity as first principles.—Confucius.

Hundreds of big Texas ranches have been broken up into farms in recent years but Texas still has ranches of more than 100,000 acres.

Texas has more miles of railroad than any other state and in this year building more new miles than any other state.

The Texas cotton crop is almost enough to supply the entire world.

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Our Specials for Saturday

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Syrup	Medium Log Cabin	51c
Pie Peaches	Solid Pack Yellow Cling, Gallon size	61c
Pineapple	Sun Kist Brand, Crushed in Syrup, No. 2 1/2 Size	26c
Pie Peaches	Cotton Brand, Yellow No. 2 1/2 Size	20c
Tissue	Waldorf, 650 sheets 4 1/2 inches, per roll	06c
Crackers	Saltine Flakes 6 lb. box	91c
Hams	Armour Star, Skinned 8 to 10 lb. average, lb.	27c

PLEASE PRINTING for PARTICULAR PEOPLE



LYNN COUNTY NEWS

T-Bar

We have our new song...
 Mrs. Jones of Wells spent...
 Mr. and Mrs. McCarty...
 Mrs. Thompson went to...
 church Sunday and to...
 Mrs. Leslie Crews enter...
 Mrs. D. Henderson...
 her forty-fourth birthday...
 were Rev. and Mrs. H...
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nichol...
 Mrs. Lindsey, Mrs. Johnson...
 Mrs. Beasley, and others...
 who enjoyed this occasion...
 for her many more

Johnson returned home Sat...
 after a very pleasant visit...
 in the near future...
 have been...
 representation of our fourth...
 anniversary. It was brother...
 Shattuck's appointment, and if...
 there a good crowd was...
 anticipated hearing him, but...
 Rev. Matthews...
 of our coming term of school...
 a talk. We are looking...
 to brother Hicks being with...
 the afternoon of the second...
 We have missed him...
 being with us, but we...
 that he would have been here...
 for him to have done so...
 Mrs. Willie Lazenby received word...
 of the death of her...
 W. F. Lazenby, of Al...
 where she is dearest to...
 property. Miss Willie Lazen...
 the eldest daughter of Mrs...
 and is attending business col...
 O'Donnell.

Miss McMillan came home...
 from the sanitarium at Lubbock...
 two weeks ago but did not...
 improve. In fact she grew...
 and was again taken to the

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As it's been some time since we...
 saw anything from this neck of the...
 woods, will send in a little gossip to...
 let you know we are still on the...
 map.
 The health of the community is...
 good just now. Some few cases of...
 whooping cough yet.
 The blue weeds, thistles, and care...
 less surely are doing fine these days...
 though the farmers are surely play...
 ing havoc with them in most fields.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tunnell and...
 children spent the day Sunday with...
 W. L. Tunnell and family, where...
 they were joined by Mr. and Mrs...
 Hansford Tunnell of Tahoka.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Henry of the...
 Bethel community spent Sunday af...
 ternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tra...
 week and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alva Welch of Tah...
 oka and Miss Lorene Welch spent...
 Sunday with Mrs. Welch's parents,
 Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson.
 Mrs. Howard Tunnell and children...
 spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs...
 Tom Smith.
 Mr. Lucian Nelson has gone to...
 Crane City to the oil fields to work.
 Mr. Lamb and Mrs. Richard Tray...
 ler spent Sunday with Tom Smith and...
 family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Pribble Adams of...
 the Grassland community visited in...
 the home of Tom Smith Saturday...
 afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Scott were vis...
 itors to the capital city Saturday.
 Most of us are feasting on fried...
 chicken and green beans now, but I...
 fear Mr. Drouth has done cut and...
 eaten our best water melons.
 If we are not in the way, we may...
 visit you again.
 — OLD GOSSIP

Three Lakes
 As we did not get to seed in our...
 items last week, we will do our best...
 to interest you this week.
 The crops are doing well except...
 where the weeds are abundant. We...
 could use a rain in a great many...
 ways with the crops and gardens.
 Very few gardens are growing.
 Those who irrigated gardens have...
 some few vegetables to eat now.
 Misses Lena and Lillian Shewmake...
 Ouida and Alta Duckett, and Mr...
 Bob Shewmake attended the services...
 at Bethel Church Sunday. Splendid...
 services were held there. They...
 have a lively R. Y. P. U. there.
 The church crop will be knifed...
 Thursday. The cotton is growing...
 fast, with a good stand. If a good...
 slow rain should fall within a week...
 there would be no fear of the cot...
 ton not producing enough to pay for...
 the work.
 A number of young folks were...
 guests in Miss Irma Shaw's home...
 Sunday.
 Mr. W. B. Edwards is very busy...
 reaping grain at his farm. He is...
 progressing rather slowly, different...
 ly from what he wished.
 —REPORTER

**BAPTIST W. M. U. HAS
 BUSINESS MEETING MONDAY**
 The W. M. U. of the Baptist...
 Church met in the monthly business...
 session Monday afternoon, July 4.
 Among the items of business at...
 tended to was the election of Mrs...
 L. F. Frasier as Sunbeam leader to...
 relieve Mrs. Shepherd, who had been...
 working with them the past month.
 In that time she had aroused an in...
 terest among the children to the ex...
 tent that about 25 or 30 were pres...
 ent on Monday, July 4. Mrs. Fran...
 sier has entered heartily into the...
 work and will make the children an...
 interesting and consecrated leader.
 The women voted to pay \$10.00 on...
 the Post Encampment expenses; and...
 we were all urged to attend and take...
 the W. M. U. courses under Mrs...
 McGarity.
 Next Monday the regular mission...
 study will be in the Circles.
PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

**MEMBERS CROSSY COUNTY
 TO MEET ON GIN PROJECT**
 Crosbyton, Texas, June 28.—The...
 co-operative gin project being fo...
 tered by the Texas Farm Bureau...
 Cotton Association throughout the...
 state by one of its subsidiaries, will...
 be among the important subjects to...
 be discussed at the next regular...
 meeting of the Crosby County Farm...
 Bureau, which will meet at Ralls...
 Saturday, July 15, 2 o'clock in the...
 afternoon, at the Methodist church.
 This announcement was made by...
 H. M. Reed, who stated that the...
 women Board of Director members...
 would have charge of the introduct...
 ory program. A very interesting...
 and instructive program is being...
 provided.

BILLY'S EXPLANATION
 "Is there any difference between...
 sight and vision?" inquired the...
 young schoolmarms of a class of farm...
 boys and girls.
 "No," chorused all of the class...
 with the exception of Billy who al...
 ways took the opposite side of every...
 question.
 "Well, Billy, tell the class how you...
 figure there is a difference between...
 the meaning of the two words," said...
 the teacher.
 "Last night Tom and I called at a...
 neighbor's home to take two city...
 girls who were visiting at the farm...
 to a dance. They were at the gate...
 when we arrived and we didn't get...
 a good look at them until we arrived...
 at the house. In the light my girl...
 was a vision, but honest to goodness...
 Miss Sanders, his'n was a sight!"

A Big Spring lady got her hand...
 caught in an electric sausage grinder...
 as a result of which 4 fingers...
 had to be amputated, while a boy had...
 a thumb cut off by a lawn mower in...
 that city last week. Another lady re...
 ceived a fracture of the hip and the...
 collar bone and other serious injur...
 ies by an automobile accident on the...
 Friday preceding.

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SHALL OUR FEE SYSTEM BE ABOLISHED?

One of the constitutional amendments to be adopted or rejected by the people of Texas on August 1 would authorize the legislature to abolish the fee system and to provide salaries for district and county officials.

The evils of the system have long been apparent to those who have been in official position and those who have had opportunity to observe

its operation. The fee system is especially objectionable as it applies to criminal cases. It is no criticism of magistrates, justices of the peace, judges of city courts, and of the judicial officers to say that there can be no assurance that even-handed justice will be dealt out by them when they have a financial interest in each criminal case filed. It is well known to the public that these officials as well as county attorneys and peace officers get fees in misdemeanor cases only when there is a plea of guilty or a conviction upon the trial. If the defendant is acquitted, they get no fees.

If we concede that every justice of the peace, every city judge, every county judge, sheriff, every constable, every city marshal, every police man has a high sense of honor and justice and wants to do the right thing, yet the fee system holds out to him the constant temptation to do the wrong thing. We do not think that our laws should place this temptation thus before them.

But, every man of ordinary intelligence knows that some of these officials throughout Texas do not have the highest sense of justice and honesty. We believe that it is frequently the case that misdemeanor cases are filed in some of the city and justice courts, when there is scant basis in fact for the charges, the officers knowing that the defendant will plead guilty and pay off rather than incur the expense of employing an attorney and being humiliated by the publicity that a trial would give. If the officers had no financial interest in these cases they would never be filed.

The argument is made on the other

hand that the fee system spurs the officers to activity and that it is an incentive to them to be vigilant in the detection and prosecution of violations of the law. There is some merit in this contention, but the officer who will do his duty only so long as he can see a dollar in sight is not worth much as an enforcement officer any way, and that kind of fee-law usually turns blind to violations of the law when the violators make it profitable to him to be blind.

We believe that every judge should receive the same compensation and no more compensation for finding an accused person guilty as for finding him not guilty. He should have no financial interest in the outcome of the case. He should deal out exact and impartial justice. It is because the fee system does this thing that the supreme court of the United States recently held in an Ohio case that it is illegal for any judge to sit in the trial of any case in which his compensation depends in whole or in part upon a conviction. A Texas case is now pending in the supreme court, we believe, and if it meets the same fate as the Ohio case, which seems very probable, we will have no method of legally paying the judges of our minor courts unless this amendment shall pass.

We believe that there are ample reasons why this amendment should be adopted.

If our memory is not at fault, there has hardly been a Fourth of July celebration in Alabama in recent years without some one having been killed or badly injured in the automobile races. It is dangerous enough to run an automobile at high speed on a straight highway, but when a number of racers vie with each other for a prize around a circular track, then the pastime becomes extremely hazardous. All this is done by the promoters for gain and is witnessed by vast throngs for amusement. We have been taught to regard the Spanish and Mexican bull fights as inhuman and barbarous. We have forbidden them by law. We are unable to see where in the automobile races that take their toll of human life in almost every contest are less dangerous and reprehensible. The Mexican spectators get a thrill out of the life-and-death contest between a human and a bull. If the man wins, it is only a dead bull. If the bull wins, it is just too bad. The spectators have had their thrill. It is the expectation of a thrill that lures the thousands to the auto races. The faster the speed demons go and the more daring they become the better the show. If a human life is snuffed out in an instant, that is only the misfortune of the lone widow and the fatherless children who are left behind. The crowds have been entertained, the promoters have taken their profit, and the show was a great success. Are we more civilized than the Mexicans?

In a speech at Henrietta Monday, O. R. Colquitt announced his candidacy for the U. S. Senate. He declared his opposition to all efforts to repeal the prohibition amendment and favored its enforcement. He also declared his opposition to Al Smith for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency. In early life, O. R. Colquitt was a prohibitionist. When he entered politics, he did so as an anti. He vehemently opposed the liquor cause and was twice elected governor of a liquor platform. His name has appeared upon the pay roll of the brewers, according to information brought to light by Attorney General R. F. Looney. Prohibition was written into the statutes of Texas and into the constitution of the United States over the opposition of O. R. Colquitt. He might make a good U. S. Senator, but if he is to make his name as a prohibitionist we prefer some one of the strong men of Texas who were on the firing line for prohibition when Colquitt was in the service of the saloons.

Acting Governor Barry Miller refused to grant clemency to Rev. A. A. Davis of Georgetown, who was convicted of perjury in connection with a grand jury investigation of a Klu Klux Klipping case four years ago when Dan Moody was district attorney of the Georgetown-Alexandria district. We know nothing about Davis personally. He seems to be of that type of reformer who would counsel all men to conform to his notions as to the proper standard of morals and to be attacked sometimes justifies the use of unbecoming means for its attainment. They can not wait for the slow process of the law. They have little respect for the law that does not measure up to their conception of what it ought to be. They will violate the law themselves to

correct the other fellow's morals. And it seems that having participated in a violation of the law Davis did not have the moral courage to tell the truth about it when brought before the grand jury. To shield his associates, he committed one of the most common and yet one of the most reprehensible of all crimes, the crime of perjury. He is no doubt one of those narrow-minded but mentally weak individuals who merits our pity as much as our condemnation. We believe that Davis and hundreds of others like him in Texas have gotten their lesson. His offense was the result no doubt, of over zeal and under-mentality on his part, and otherwise it is probable that he is a good man. We hope, therefore, that after Davis shall have served a few weeks in the penitentiary, Governor Moody will find it in his heart to grant a pardon.

We believe that a general weed-cutting campaign should be inaugurated in Tahoka. There are some blocks adjacent to the business district on all sides on which unsightly weeds are being allowed to grow uncontrolled. They detract greatly from the attractiveness of our town. Weeds are being allowed to grow in the ditches along some of the principal streets. This is true of the streets along which the two highways pass through the town as of other streets. These unsightly weeds almost in the heart of the town have a bad impression on tourists passing through. At very little expense of money and time we could cut and destroy these weeds and greatly enhance the beauty of our little city. Let's do it.

Barry Miller says that he greatly enjoyed his stay in the governor's office during Dan Moody's absence. There is a suspicion that he would like to spend two whole years in the same place.

PAVING OUR ROADS

The voting of bonds for the improvement of Hale County highways marks another epoch in the development of Hale county. It has been the history of the highway improvement programs in various counties of Texas that even those who opposed the highway bond issue, the highways completed, see the benefits to be derived from the good highways. In many counties small programs have been undertaken by precincts and later the movement has taken on a county-wide scope.

There is always the argument advanced against bond issues that it is unfair to saddle posterity with debt. There was never a more fallacious argument. Take for example our schools. Without bonds it would have been impossible for one-third of the good school buildings in Hale county to have been erected. Most of these buildings will be good and serviceable for many years after the bonds have been retired. Without a bond issue in the early stages of development in Plainview, as another example, we would not now have our present excellent system of water distributing mains and sewer mains. We are yet paying for improvements which were made when James E. DeLay was mayor of Plainview. The debt for these improvements was saddled on us by the early city debt; yet we are using the conveniences they provided and should help pay for them.

Why not saddle posterity up with reasonable debts? Are we not indebted to our forebears for the things which they made possible for us? Will not our posterity be similarly indebted to us? The more constructive things we do for them the greater will be their moral debt.

Public debt for the right things is no more harmful than private debt. Who of us have progressed in our individual affairs without using our credit and going into debt? Isn't there a strong parallel between public and private debt?

Hale county has set an example that will be followed by other counties in this section. As other counties pave their roads the value of our roads will be enhanced.

If this election secures the paving of Hale county's roads we will look with pride in a very few years on the foremost looking citizens of the county who have by their vote made possible the paving of our roads.—Plainview Evening Herald.

J. M. CHRISTOPHER OF O'DONNELL INJURED

Mr. J. M. Christopher was partially injured Wednesday afternoon while at work on his farm in the Tredway community. Mr. Christopher was planting feed when in some unaccountable way the four horse team came loose from the plow which frightened the

horses causing the to lunge forward jerking Mr. Christopher from his position on the plow and landed him on a bar dedicating a rib on the left side. The accident is very painful but is not thought to be serious, but will keep him from work for two or three weeks according to the doctor's report.—O'Donnell Index.

Loulynn Briefs

Every one is very busy farming now since our recent rains. Crops look fine. The writer visited in the Dixie community Sunday and crops in that vicinity are first rate.

Miss Essie Wood, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Terry Noble, for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Tahoka Saturday.

A singing was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tankersley Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Noble and baby son Gerald of Tulsa visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noble Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn and sons, J. R. and Ted Mayo, visited the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wade, of Dixie Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noble and Mrs. Robert Noble were all Tahoka visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Furberry were Brownfield visitors Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ella Seaberry visited Miss Opal Jeffrey Sunday.

Miss Mary Wood of Tahoka is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Terry Noble.

Mrs. James Blackburn and sons, J. R. and Ted Mayo, visited Mrs. Leslie Seaberry Monday morning.

—A Reporter.

A brave soul is a thing which things sever.—Alexander Smith



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Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Tahoka, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1927

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and Dollars, etc. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U. S. Government securities, Other loans, stocks, securities, etc., Building loans, Landed reserve with Federal Reserve Bank, Cash in vault and amount due from national banks, Assets due from State banks, banks, and trust companies in United States, Checks on other banks, Miscellaneous cash items, Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury.

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES and Dollars, etc. Includes items like Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Less current expenses paid, Chequing notes outstanding, Amount due to State banks, banks, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries, Cashier's checks outstanding, Demand deposits, Individual deposits subject to check, Certificates of deposit due in less than 90 days, Dividends unpaid, Total of demand deposits, Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Other time deposits.

State of Texas, County of Lynn, ss: (SEAL) I, W. R. Slaton, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. R. SLATON, Cashier, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1927. A. L. Lockwood, W. D. Nichols, R. F. Washburn, Notary Public.

ATTEND POSTAL WORKERS CONVENTION AT ABILENE

Jess Eshanks, Guy Le Mond and family, and W. E. Suddarth and family, attended the Postal Workers Convention of Texas in session at Abilene on July 4-5-6.

They report a great convention and royal treatment by the host city. There were about six thousand visitors in the city for the convention, and many splendid addresses were heard by the delegates.

Among the speakers was W. E. Suddarth of this city, who spoke Monday night on "The Responsibilities and Privileges of a Rural Carrier." Postmaster John W. Phillips of Dallas was present as the representative of Postmaster General New, bringing a message from the Department. Leonard Whittington, prominent in the councils of the Republican party in Texas, made an address Tuesday morning, and Congressman Thos. L. Blanton of Abilene addressed the body Tuesday afternoon. Other prominent speakers were on the program, and the boys from Tahoka feel that they received great benefit from their attendance upon the meeting of the convention.

ELECTRIC COW ATTRACTS MUCH ATTENTION

A very life-like cow has taken up her abode in the show window of the Tahoka Drug Company. Operated by electricity, she continually swings her tail, at the same time slightly turning her head and mooring at brief intervals. She appears to be a thoroughbred Jersey and her maneuvers have been furnishing much delight to the kiddies and grown folks.

BRINGS BACK THE EVIDENCE

Sheriff Wesley Simpson knows that in order to make out a case he must produce the evidence. He arrived early this morning after an all night drive from the Tahoka boys' camp on the Devil's River with the most convincing evidence that luck had smiled on the fishermen. He had in his car a beautiful cat fish that weighed 16 1/2 pounds dressed, which the boys had caught on a trot line. The other members of the party, Happy Smith, E. H. Beall, and Van Bates, remained with the stuff and will not return until Sunday, according to Mr. Simpson.

Albert Curry, who has been with the Index for the past 2 years, left Saturday for Chillicothe, where he has accepted a position with the Chillicothe News. The editor misses Albert very much and hopes that it will not be long until he will be coming back home. By close cooperation, the "devil" and editor is able to carry on for the present.—O'Donnell Index.

J. P. Clark of Roscoe was here Monday looking after his farm interests in the New Mosby community. Mr. Clark reports that it is still so dry in the Roscoe country that many of the farmers have not been able to get cotton up. They had a about a half inch rainfall last Friday.

D. C. Fritz and two daughters, Mary and Madeline of Monday were the guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Bray. Mr. Fritz and Mr. Bray are brothers-in-law.

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Grassland News

Grandpa Warrick is convalescent after a serious illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Noble Melton and little daughter of Crane are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hoel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Reeves and family have returned from a pleasant trip to points in central and east Texas. While gone they visited Mr. Reeves' mother and other relatives and friends. They had the pleasure of some good fishing.

Mr. Frank Williams, who moved from here to Eastland about a month ago, has been back to Grassland on business for a few days.

Brother Shelton and family and several other families have been attending the Nazarene Encampment at Post last week.

We had another good rain Friday afternoon, and in some places west and south of Grassland hail ruined the young cotton. Several farmers are replanting their land in something that they think will make quickly. The crops not haled out are looking fine, and most people are feeling good over crop prospects.

At the last meeting of the Mothers' Club we had only about five present. We are studying some fine subjects this summer and wish more of our women would come to our meetings. Our subject on the last Friday afternoon was, "Children's Work in the Home." The next subject will be, "Children's Pleasures and Dreads." You are missing something worth while when you miss one of these meetings.

We are also meeting occasionally and cutting weeds and cleaning off the school yard. The women who have been doing this wish some help. Any day you have time, don't wait. Just go to the school house and carry your hoe. You will find something to do. Men invited also.

Mrs. Ann Chest of Oklahoma is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Price Thomas.

Mrs. Verma Bragg, who has been visiting her mother in Wichita Falls for a few weeks, has come home. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCord and family have gone to Alabama to visit their old home and many friends in that state. They are making the trip in their automobile.

The Fourth of July passed very quietly at Grassland, nothing out of the ordinary happening. Many of the farmers who were haled out spent the day replanting.

Who said it did not pay to advertise, especially in the Lynn County News? I wrote a few weeks ago that we were living on our farm near Central Church and would be glad to entertain our friends there. So, who should come the next Sunday but our old friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Briley of Abilene. They saw in the Lynn County News where we lived and came by.

We don't have a Lindbergh at Grassland, so about every two weeks is as often as we can rake up enough news to print.

REPORTER

AGED MEXICAN WAR VETERAN DIES AT STERLING CITY

James N. Kelle, Mexican War Veteran, Indian fighter, peace officer, Baptist preacher, and frontier trail blazer, died at the home of his son in Sterling City Monday night at the ripe old age of 101 years. He is the father of W. F. Kelle, 74, editor of the Sterling City News Record, and T. J. Kelle, who for about 3 years was editor of the O'Donnell Index. He left a great host of descendants, some of whom are prominent in public affairs. His was an interesting career.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each one for the kindness shown us in the death of our darling son, Nolan James. We pray that God's richest blessings may rest upon you.

We loved him, yes, but Jesus loved him more. And He came and took him to yonder shining shore. The Golden Gates were open, a loud voice said Come; So he sweetly and calmly entered his eternal home. B. B. HOUSE, WIFE and CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Knight and Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas returned Tuesday from a pleasure trip out into New Mexico. They visited Roswell, Edmore, and other scenic spots in the White Mountains and then turned their faces southward toward the border. They spent some time in El Paso and Juarez, especially Juarez. They came back via Orléans and Midland. Mr. Knight says they enjoyed the trip very much.

Twenty Major Oil Companies Are Watching Plains

Twenty oil men, representatives of major companies, are centered in the "Hub of the Plains" and watching closely the revolving wheel of the great South Plains as it sinks slowly into the mire of liquid gold.

Sevens, drillers and tool dressers are flocking to Lubbock in increasing numbers. Trucks, loaded with heavy derrick supplies are passing through the city each day with their tales of new industry for this section.

Formation Display Planned
Plans are being made for a display of theories and formations in the oil men's headquarters at the Hotel Lubbock. Each company operating in the South Plains territory will have samples of discoveries of various depths encountered, which will be on show for the convenience of geologists who are coming into Lubbock each day.

Oil heads and representatives of major companies who are headquarters at the Hotel Lubbock are: A. S. Mims, Wagner Supply company of Fort Worth; E. T. H. Oxford, Sinclair Oil and Gas company; Martin Munich, Texas company; Edward King, Phillips company; E. P. Critchlow, Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil company. Geo. McCamery, individual; Dan Fred and Bob Campbell, individuals; E. W. Anguish, Humble; Tom Ferguson and Tub Tyler, Amerada; Pat Bridges and party of three, Gulf Production company; Jack Perkins and Delmar Gunn, Empire; Jack Frost, Penn. Oil company; Bob Callahan, Westheimer and Daube; E. L. Shelton, Simms; Bob Waterbury, Hope Oil company and R. W. Talbot, president of Center Oil company.

Mims-Ritcher Test
Mr. Mims is financing the drilling of the Mims-Ritcher well, 25 miles northwest of Lubbock, a well which spudded in Monday. R. W. Talbot, president of the Center Oil company, is watching developments of the company's well on the Bolen Ranch, 6 miles southwest of Lubbock.

Operations on the Mallican tract of land 35 miles north of Lubbock, where the Kepans-Mallican number 1 has made a showing of oil, have attracted the bulk of the scouts to Lubbock. In addition to the spirited Hale county activities, showings in Floyd, Lamb, Hockley, Yoakum, Garza, Gaines, Cochran, Motley, Terry, Lynn and Dickens counties have focused the eyes of the oil fraternity on the "Hub of the Plains" territory.—Lubbock Daily Journal.

The Board of Regents for Teachers Colleges answer the critics who are howling about duplication, that so long as public schools are allowed to teach numerous and sundry subjects, the Teachers College must provide teachers capable of teaching those subjects. The high school graduate should have sixteen credits for graduation, but the average high school thinks it is not doing much unless it offers 27 to 35 units. If these various branches are to be offered, then it is strictly up to the Teachers College to train public school teachers for the public school who know how to teach the high school students those subjects. There is no doubt about public schools offering too many subjects. The high school kid has not such idea as to what he should take, and if left with a wide variety of subjects to choose from, is pretty apt to take subjects which will do him the least good in getting into college, or to assist him in his college work.—Caryon News.

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BILLMAN FAMILY MOVES TO HOANOKE WEDNESDAY

F. M. Billman and family left Wednesday for Hoanoke in Denton county, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Billman has acquired an interest in a gin there with Mr. E. E. Allen and will operate the plant this fall. Mr. Billman is a most excellent gentleman and we deeply regret that this good family is leaving Tahoka.

Just a little premium for baby with every loaf of Honey Toast bread

Paul T. Davis, manager of the W. W. Texas Hospital, and Jan. L. Dow, Jr. the founder of the Avalanche lance, with their families, passed through Tahoka Wednesday on their way to San Antonio, Austin, and Galveston, just for an outing. Mr. Dow is the founder of the Avalanche and has guided its destinies for many years. During that time he has not often found time to take a vacation and no doubt he will enjoy this trip greatly. Messrs. Dow and Davis called a few minutes at the News office while stopping in Tahoka.

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SECOND SHEETS — 8 1/2 x 11, good grade, 75c per 500 at The Lynn County News.

KINDLING for sale.—Apply to C. W. Wheeler at New High School building.

KODAKERS — Free enlargement with each roll of film or pack. Glossy finished pictures, finished and mailed same day received. Send negative for enlargement — Westex Kodak Co., Box 368, Lamesa, Texas. 44-3tp

TYPEWRITER Second sheets 8 1/2 x 11, good grade, 75c per 500 at The Lynn County News.

FOR SALE — 300 bushels of white corn at 75 cents per bushel. W. D. Benson, 3 miles north of Tahoka. 44-3tp

The Lynn County News can still be had for \$1.50 per year—52 issues. We are also still offering the combination of The News and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for only \$2.00

Tahoka People At Workers' Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Workers' Council of the Brownfield Association was held at Brownfield Church Tuesday, July 5. Several churches were represented, possibly one hundred or more attending. Interest ran high throughout the day. Stewardship was the theme of both the men's program in the morning and the women's in the afternoon. At the 11 o'clock hour, Rev. Graves Derby of Wilson talked very feelingly on the wealth of the heritage of God's children. After the women's program, Rev. Marcellus Walker, an evangelist of Lubbock,

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FOR SALE — A medium good work horse, cheap.—J. C. Welch. 44-1tc

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STRAY COW —Have had a stray, brown, Jersey cow at my place since March 1.—H. G. Manning, near Edith. 1tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice south-east bedroom, just east of the Methodist Church.—Mrs. W. S. Swan. 44-1tc

FOR RENT — 3-room house near present school building. In my absence call at News Office. Geo. B. Law. 39-1tc

FOR RENT—3-room house in south Tahoka on O'Donnell highway. Cleoro Smith Lumber Co. 34-1tc

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Making Plans For Boy Scout Camp

Purpose:
To give the scouts of the South Plains Area Council a properly conducted summer outing under Scout Leadership, thereby giving them every opportunity to advance in the Scout work.

Leadership:
There will be an adult leader for every ten boys. The following leaders will attend the camp. Some of these for part time but most of them for full time. A more complete list of the camp leaders will be announced later:
L. S. Harkay, President.
G. S. Link, Vice-President.
L. G. Williams, Commissioner.
K. N. Clapp, Chairman of Camping Committee.
H. B. Yates, Scout Executive.
William Bralley, Scoutmaster, Lubbock.
J. G. Bishop, Scoutmaster, Sudan.
A. B. Sanders, Scoutmaster, Ralls.
J. B. Caldwell, Scoutmaster, Slaton.
V. E. Wilson, Scoutmaster, Lubbock, Tr. 5.
J. W. Mason, Scoutmaster, Lubbock.
Sam. B. Barton, Scoutmaster, Bartonite.

Cost:
The cost of the camp to each scout attending will be eight dollars (\$8.00) for ten days. This covers the cost of food, cook hire, labor, rent on tents, and some permanent kitchen equipment for the camp. One dollar is enough spending money, none is required.

Archery supplies will be sold at the camp to more advanced scouts that want them for one dollar and seventy five cents a set, at cost. The first 100 scouts to register for the camp will make up the first period, unless they ask for the second period. The two dollars and fifty cents registration fee is required. In case of serious illness or other unavoidable cause for failure to attend the camp this fee will be returned. The remaining camp fee must be paid at Scout Headquarters by July 30th.

The best of food will be prepared by a competent camp cook and served by the scouts.
All scouts and leaders will be housed in waterproof tents.

Precautions:
Every known precaution to safeguard the scouts on camp will be used. The swimming will be at stated periods, in charge of Red Cross Life Savers, and the "Buddy System" will be used. An effort will be made to teach all scouts to swim. A doctor will visit the camp daily and all scouts will be examined when they enter the camp. No scouts will be allowed to leave camp without permission.

Camp Museum:
The old ranch bunk house will be used as a camp museum. Every troop is urged to send a contribution of some kind. This will include mounted specimens of wild life, hand-crafted work, collections, etc. Have your exhibit marked by the name of the scout and the troop number.

Prizes and awards:
A gold medal will be given to the best camper, silver medals will be given to the best swimmer and the best entertainer. A system of belt awards will be used whereby a scout may have the award stamped or painted on his belt for certain accomplishments. The general idea being that the most active and efficient scout secures the most awards.

Camp Store:
A camp store will be operated to sell candies, soft drinks, gum, etc. No boy will be allowed to spend over ten cents a day.

Parents and friends are asked not to visit the camp except in the evenings from 6 to 9 and on Sundays. Mail to Scouts should be addressed Boy Scout Camp, Post, Texas. In case of an emergency, adults on camp can be reached over the Camp telephone, 29A, Post Texas.

Meals to visitors will cost thirty five cents.

Required personal equipment:
Two or three blankets or equivalent, canvas cot, scout uniform and shorts if you have them, extra trousers, two extra shirts, extra underwear, sweater or coat, 2 pair stockings, 4 handkerchiefs, 2 towels, tooth brush and paste, comb or brush, bathing suit, soap, scout handbook, note book and pencil, mess kit or tin plates, cup, knife, fork and spoon. Bring equipment in a small box, suit case or clothes bag.

Not Required Personal Equipment:
Pajamas or night shirt, camera, signal flags, knife, scout axe, boxing gloves, musical instruments, baseball ball equipment, chestnut, flash light, pop bottle, handkerchief

work for museum, and fire building sets.
Suggestions:
Don't buy equipment unless absolutely necessary. You should be able to borrow a canvas cot if you do not have one. In case you don't have a uniform, bring two complete changes of clothing.
Any additional announcements concerning the camp will be made at a later date.

Daily Program
6:00 A. M.—First Call, Exercises, Wash-up.
7:00 A. M.—Breakfast, Clean up.
8:45 A. M.—Inspection.
9:00 A. M. Scout work, instruction and tests.
12:00—Dinner.
1:00 P. M.—Swimming, hikes, and games.
5:45 P. M.—Retreat.
6:00 P. M.—Supper.
8:00 P. M.—Camp fires, and stunts
9:30 P. M. Taps.
CAMPING COMMITTEE:
K. N. Clapp, Chairman, Lubbock
Marshall Mason, Post.
Harry Roberts, Lubbock.
H. B. Yates, Scout Executive.

(Adapted from Kipling by Cantrell)
"A fool there was, and he flung a match,
Even as you and I,
Carelessly down on a sun-dried patch
Giving no heed that a fire might catch
And spread to the timber with quick dispatch,
Even as you and I.
"The fool passed on with a wondering look,
Even as you and I,
He couldn't explain the fire that took
The forest away and dried the brook
And left the region a place forsook.
He was a fool—that's why."

Man Convicted In Arson Case

DALLAS, July 5th.—The first conviction in an arson case in Dallas in many years was secured by William McCraw, District Attorney, last week. Sam Hayden Ellis, a Dallas contractor, was convicted and given a two year term in the penitentiary. Ellis made a confession that he gave a negro \$50 for burning a dwelling, and collected \$2,600 insurance. He afterward repaid the insurance company, but this did not save him from conviction.

The Crime Suppression League of Dallas recently started a campaign against arson, when insurance men appeared before the directors of the League and said that seventy-five per cent of the fires in Dallas were of incendiary origin or the result of criminal arsonists. The District Attorney and peace officers were requested to give special attention to arson cases. Several years ago there were a score of indictments in arson cases. One man was tried and acquitted and the remainder of the indictments were dismissed.

A life sentence for burglary under a Texas law similar to the Rasmus law of New York has been asked in the case of Frank Williams, negro, by District Attorney McCraw on the ground that he is an habitual criminal.

The negro has been convicted twice for burglary, once serving two years and once four years. He comes up for trial this week in Judge C. A. Phippen's court for the third time. The negro signed a confession that he has committed twenty burglaries, eighteen of them since he served the last term in the penitentiary.

The Crime Suppression League of Dallas is urging the strengthening of the habitual criminal laws in Texas, so that it may be applied to more effect in criminal cases. A bill for this purpose was presented at the last session of the Legislature but it was not passed, and will not be, in the opinion of officers of the League, until public opinion in favor of it becomes more insistent.

Judge C. H. Cain and J. E. Applewhite attended the funeral of A. I. Kuykendall at Slaton Sunday afternoon. Mr. Kuykendall was one of the pioneer citizens of Slaton and had long been prominent there in public affairs until a few months ago, when he removed to California. His death occurred in that state Wednesday, and the remains were shipped back to Slaton for interment. He had a number of friends and acquaintances among the older settlers here.

Two test oil wells are now being drilled in Hockley county, one about six miles north of Roswell and the other between Sayer and Anton. It is said that a third well will be started soon about twelve miles east of Loveland by the T. & P. Oil Co.

A new addition has been added to Fairview recently. Lots were sold at auction yesterday. It is situated on the southern limits of the town along highway No. 9, soon to be paved, and it is expected that it will become one of the most beautiful residence sections of the town.

R. B. McCord and family left last week for Tuscaloosa, Alabama, to visit relatives. Mr. McCord was granted from that state to return about fifteen years ago and he has his sisters residing there. The family will be away possibly three or four weeks.

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