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BAPTISTS MEET HERE TUESDAY

300 Visitors Are Expected At Joint Meeting of Lubbock, Brownfield Association

Local Baptists are making preparations for at least three hundred visitors here next Tuesday, when the Brownfield and Lubbock Baptist associations will hold a joint workers' conference here. Lunch will be served in the church at the noon hour and the indications are that chicken will have a big place on the menu, according to the local pastor, Rev. O. J. Hull.

A most excellent program has been prepared and printed, the general theme of which is: "Christ's Program for His Churches". Many of the visitors and a few local people have a place on the program. Dr. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lubbock, is to preach just before the noon hour, and the last number on the program in the afternoon will be an inspirational address by Rev. T. D. O'Brian pastor at Floydada. Other pastors on the program include J. P. McBeth of Ropesville, W. H. Hughes of Levelland, M. C. Bishop of Post, J. M. Hale of Brownfield, and also J. D. Carroll, Educational Director of the Lubbock Church, and R. E. Key, Sunday School superintendent here. Among women on the program are Mrs. Kelly Sims of Post, Mrs. Tom Campbell of Lubbock, and Mrs. H. P. Caviness of Tahoka. Special music for the day is to be arranged by Mrs. J. K. Applewhite.

Members of the local church are urged to attend, for this promises to be a most interesting and inspirational program.

Kiwanians Hear Musical Program

For lack of time, a large portion of the prepared program at the Kiwanis luncheon Wednesday was dispensed with but the members present were delighted with some piano selections rendered by Mrs. M. H. Edwards. One of her difficult and entertaining feats was playing "Yankee Doodle" with one hand while she played "Dixie" with the other. Messrs. G. H. Nelson, M. O. Bridges, Joe Bovell, and Jack Applewhite also sang a couple of selections to the great delight of the auditors. Never before did we realize that Tahoka had so many real song birds.

Cabbages Given By South Texas

The Red Cross during the past week has distributed 4,200 pounds of cabbage among the people of Lynn county, according to W. S. Anglin. A car of cabbage was shipped to Lubbock and it was hauled from Lubbock to Tahoka by truck. The railroads did the hauling free of charge, or practically so, we understand, and the truck driver transported it from Lubbock to Tahoka free of charge except the cost of the gasoline used in transporting it.

These cabbages were donated and shipped by growers of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. They were distributed among practically 400 families in this county, Mr. Anglin states.

Protest Against T-P Consolidation

While in Lubbock Tuesday, W. O. Thomas attended a meeting of chamber of commerce secretaries from Lubbock, Plainview, Littlefield, Amherst, and Slaon which had been called to consider what action to take with reference to the effort being made by the Texas & Pacific Railway Company to have two of its passenger trains running from Dallas to Sweetwater consolidated. The secretaries decided to wire protests to the state railway commission against such proposed consolidation. The objection is that it would likely result in mail from Dallas and Fort Worth arriving in Plains towns many hours later than at present. The railway commission will resume its hearing on the matter next Monday, it is stated.

County Jail Is Being Repaired

Workmen are busy this week making some repairs on the jail. A new steel wall is being built into the back of the negro department which separates it from the old hanging room, three new bunks are being put in, and the doors and cells being repaired.

The old hanging room was never used for the purpose for which it was constructed and will never be so used in all probability since all executions are now performed by electrocution in the state penitentiary.

SHOWERS ARE BIG BENEFIT

Put Excellent Season In Grind; Snow Fell Monday But Weather Warmer

Rain and snow fell here throughout much of the day Monday, beginning before daylight and continuing, with a few intermissions, until mid-afternoon. For two hours or more, snow fell heavily but melted as it fell. The total precipitation here amounted to .31 of an inch. The snow was considerably heavier in the north part of the county, some of it remaining on the ground till Tuesday morning. The rain was lighter at Lubbock and extended only a few miles north of that city. It covered Lynn county and was generally welcomed for it only added to the fine season already in the ground.

A hard shower of short duration but accompanied by much thunder and lightning and a little hail fell here Friday night. The total precipitation here this month thus far amounts to 1.35 inches which is very unusual for February. The precipitation in January was .87 of an inch, the total since January 1 being 2.22 inches. The temperatures have been very mild and vegetation is unusually green for this time of year.

Harrison Signs With Cats
Poole Harrison, member of the local baseball club last year, has signed up a contract with the Fort Worth Cats for the coming season. Ruby Wells says he was accepted on the recommendation of Ivan Cathcart. Tahoka baseball fans are hoping that he makes good.

New Drouth Relief Office At Ft. Worth

The Lynn County Drouth Relief Committee composed of A. L. Lockwood, J. K. Applewhite, and Judge J. W. Elliott received a telegram from Senator Tom Connally Tuesday advising that an office was to be opened in Fort Worth through which all Texas applications for loans will hereafter be handled. Heretofore these applications have been handled out of the St. Louis office along with the applications of five other states, which possibly accounts for the tardiness in sending out checks. The local committee is of the opinion that prompter action may be expected from this time on.

Vail Pleads Guilty On Theft Charge

Pete Vail of O'Donnell entered pleas of guilty to two complaints against him in justice court here Tuesday morning.

One of the complaints charged the theft of a hat from another O'Donnell man, value less than \$5.00. Judge Rogers assessed a fine of \$1.00 and the costs amounted to \$18.50.

In the other case the defendant was charged with an affray. The fine in this case was likewise \$1.00 and the costs were \$15.00.

Upon his failure to pay the fine and costs in these two cases he was committed to jail.

Grand Jury Given Recess This Week

The grand jury was in session on Monday and many witnesses appeared before that body. If any bills of indictment were returned the same were not made public. They reported to the court in the afternoon and were granted a recess until next Monday.

NAME THOMAS AS COLLECTOR

John Thomas Low Bidder For Job; Succeeds J. S. Weatherford As Official

John N. Thomas was selected by the school board of the Tahoka Independent School District as assessor and collector of taxes for the district at its meeting Tuesday night. He was also given the job of taking the scholastic census for the district. He was awarded the job of assessing and collecting taxes upon competitive bids, his bid being one per cent for assessing and one per cent for collecting, according to members of the board. There were several bidders for the work. Jim Weatherford has been assessor and collector for the district for the past several years.

The school census will be taken in March. Patrons of the school and the people generally are asked to cooperate in every way possible in the taking of this census, for the district will receive from the State \$17.50 for each scholastic, and the district needs money. None should be missed.

Legion Membrs Visit O'Donnell

L. C. Heath, Happy Smith, Aubra M. Cade, B. L. Parker, Milt Finch, and C. R. Riley, members of the Marion G. Bradley Post of the American Legion, attended a Washington Birthday celebration sponsored by the O'Donnell Post Monday night. Mrs. Rubie D. Suddarth and the Tahoka High School Quartette composed of Coughran Ketter, Robert Benson, Clifton Janak, and Boswell Edwards also went along and furnished music for the occasion. Both the musical and the speaking program is said to have been excellent. Most of the boys were called upon for short talks but the principal addresses of the occasion were made by Messrs. Alfred Scott, attorney, and Charley Whitaker, both of Lubbock, and Judge L. C. Heath of Tahoka.

The Tahoka people report that those O'Donnell folks served a wonderful "feed" and they were loud in their praise of O'Donnell's hospitality.

BILL WOULD CUT WORK OF HIGH COURT, HE SAYS

Austin, Jan. 31.—Work of the Supreme Court would be cut in half by the enactment of a law that he has ready for introduction, Representative G. E. Lockhart said Friday. He believes such a statute would make it possible soon to dispense with the services of the Commission of Appeals.

The bill would strike from the jurisdiction statute of the Supreme Court the following provision: "If any other case in which it is made to appear that an error of substantive law has been committed by the Court of Civil Appeals which affects the judgments, but jurisdiction of the Court of Civil Appeals is made final by statute." It is that section which has congested the dockets of the Supreme Court by permitting all manner of appeals, Mr. Lockhart said.

Work has been started deepening the Corpus Christi channel under a \$515,000 emergency appropriation made available by Congress.

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Each week the readers of The Lynn County News should take advantage of the many bargains offered in our advertising columns.

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WILL ASK CUT IN GAS RATES

Mayor, Councilman Attend Lubbock Meeting, Studying Rates Of Gas Company

Judge C. H. Cain, mayor, and Otho Thomas, member of the city council of Tahoka, attended a meeting of the West Texas Municipal Association held in Lubbock Tuesday, at which plans for bringing about a reduction of gas rates for the cities and towns in this section were discussed. A permanent organization of the body was effected with Mayor Leon Goodman of Midland chosen as president.

An audit of the books of the West Texas Gas Company is to be asked by the organization in order to determine whether or not the rates being charged are reasonable, as is claimed by the Gas Company. If this request is not granted, then further action will be considered.

Resolutions were adopted looking to the possibility of inducing some competing company to enter this field in the event satisfactory service can not be obtained from the West Texas Gas Company, Judge Cain stated.

Proper Time To Plant Is Told

Don L. Jones, in charge of the Lubbock experiment station, gave some data to a farmer's meeting in Plainview recently with reference to the best time to plant various crops on the South Plains.

Mr. Jones is of the opinion that the best time to plant sorghum grains is from May 20 into early June. Milo maize is his choice of all feeds. It matures in 100 days from the time of planting when the planting is done in May, call in 109 days, and hegrira in 113 days, he says. Sorghums in general planted over a series of years on April 20 matured in 128 days, on May 20 in 109 days, and on June 20 in 100 days. May planting showed 23 per cent better yield than April and eight per cent better than June. He gave no figures on March plantings, that being regarded too early to plant any of them.

His experiments have showed that May 20 is also better than April 20 or June 20 for planting cotton. June plantings yielded almost as much as May plantings but there is an increase in amount of bolls. Burnett, West Tex. Acala, 804 Mebane are the quickest maturing varieties, according to his experiments. All of these varieties matured more quickly than the half-and-half cotton.

YOUNG COMMUNITY WILL PLANT PURE-BRED COTTON

Pedulah.—A young community only three years old in Cottle county has organized itself to plant nothing but one variety of pure-bred cotton this year. One hundred men of Cee Vee community in the northwest part of the county have signed agreements to plant one variety only, and have brought 4000 bushels of seed from a registered plant breeder, according to H. M. Cantrell, county farm demonstration agent.

Texas has an automobile for each 3.93 inhabitants as compared with an average for the United States of one for each 4.23 inhabitants.—Authority: American Motorists Association.

384 Ask For Loans 38 Get Checks

A total of 384 applications for drouth relief loans had been approved by the local committee when it ceased work Wednesday afternoon. The applications averaged about \$211.00 each, according to A. L. Lockwood, the total amounting to approximately \$81,000.

Ray Shaver had received 38 checks from headquarters and had distributed about \$5,500 to those to whom these checks were issued.

ATTEND RED & WHITE MEETING

Local Grocery Merchants Intend To Enter Cooperative Buying Organization

B. R. Tabe, L. E. Weathers, Frank Larkin, J. J. Massengale, Harvey Freeman, and E. H. Boulloun, all of this city, and V. E. Cook of Grassland attended an organization meeting conducted by the H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery Company at the Lubbock Hotel Tuesday, and they report that about 100 merchants from over the Lubbock wholesale trade territory were present.

Plans for the opening of the "Red and White Stores" in this territory were discussed. Much "pep" and enthusiasm were in evidence, according to the Tahoka gentlemen present. The exact date of the opening has not been fixed but those present were assured that it would be some time soon. Practically all the above named merchants have signed up contracts for handling Red and White goods. The most vital feature of this service, as we understand it, is cooperative buying Red and White labels will be used and a designer will visit each of the number of stores soon to give suggestions and instructions as to interior arrangements and display of goods.

The local merchants are very enthusiastic over the new system, for it will enable them to purchase goods cooperatively and cheaper than otherwise. These benefits, of course, will be passed on to the consumer in a large measure, and all their customers will profit to some extent from the system.

District Boy Scout Meeting Held Here

Members of the committee for the southern district of the South Plains area council and others interested in boy scout work met in the county court room here last Thursday night and discussed plans for the work. Representatives were here from Lamesa O'Donnell Slaton and Tahoka. D. T. Jennings of Lubbock, the scout executive, presented the various matters to be considered by the body. There was much discussion as to the various phases of the work and a number of matters decided upon. It was in every respect a most helpful meeting.

Income Tax Man Coming March 3

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file Federal income tax returns, a deputy collector of Internal Revenue will be at the First National Bank in Tahoka on March 3 to assist taxpayers in filing their returns. No charge will be made for this service. The matter of filing income tax returns should be given immediate attention in order to avoid penalty and interest.

Income tax returns for the calendar year 1930 shall be filed not later than March 15, 1931, with the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the taxpayer resides or has his principal place of business. JOHN TAENSMEIER, Deputy Collector.

Little Petty Baby Died On Tuesday

Wanda Fern, the little infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lowe of Petty, 11 days old, died Tuesday morning. Interment was in the cemetery at Lubbock Wednesday, the little body being prepared for burial by Harris and Applewhite, undertakers, of this city. Many friends extend genuine sympathy to the bereaved parents.

MOLLIE TURNER CASE REVERSED

Was Under Eight Year Sentence For Murder of Husband At Wilson Eleven Years Ago

The court of criminal appeals at Austin Wednesday handed down an opinion reversing the judgment in the case of the State vs. Mrs. Mollie Turner, who had been convicted in this county on a murder charge and given a sentence of eight years in the penitentiary.

The court held that the State's chief witness, Mrs. Esther Turner, defendant's daughter-in-law, was an accomplice and that therefore it was necessary for her testimony to be corroborated.

This was the second appeal of this case. On the first trial the defendant was convicted and given a sentence of 20 years in the penitentiary; but this judgment was reversed and the case remanded for another trial.

Mrs. Turner was charged with the murder of her husband at their residence near Wilson on October 5, 1920. She was indicted soon thereafter but the case was dismissed because of the insufficiency of the evidence that could be adduced at that time. Two years ago, new evidence came to light when the daughter-in-law repudiated the statements she had made before the grand jury at the time the case was first investigated in which she testified that the shooting which resulted in Mr. Turner's death was an accident. She claimed that this testimony was given through fear for her own life and that it was untrue. She then proceeded to relate in detail what she claimed were the real facts in the case. Upon this new testimony a new indictment was returned into court, followed by two trials and two reversals of the case as stated above.

No statement could be obtained from District Attorney T. L. Price as to the probable disposition of the case, since he is in Austin this week on official business.

Road Bonds In Howard Defeated

The voters of Howard county again defeated a proposed highway bond issue of \$900,000 at an election held last Saturday. The vote was 1260 for the bonds and 939 against them. A two-thirds majority is required to authorize the issuance of bonds. Less than two months prior to this election, bonds in a like amount had been defeated but by a closer vote than in last Saturday's election. The purpose of the proposed bond issue was to pave highways 1 and 9 through the county.

O. J. Jackson and Edd Hamilton, who made a trip last week to Fort Worth and thence up the Denver to Amarillo and over to Pampa, say that they were surprised to find the wheat suffering from dry weather on the north Plains. In fact, it was very dry north of Plainview. The grain was very fine further east, however.

Jeffreys Farming On A Big Scale

L. P. Jeffreys is planning his faith to the soil. He thinks this is going to be a good year to farm. He believes in doing things on a big scale; therefore he is planning to cultivate a large acreage this year. But he has not gone hog-wild on cotton. He will plant most of it in feedstuffs.

He has 900 acres leased near New Moore and is planning to plant every acre of it in red maize. He has 300 acres under lease a few miles east of Tahoka and will plant this in cotton. He has 700 acres leased in Hale county, which he will plant in various kinds of feed crops. He also has 125 acres of wheat in Hale county, which he also has planted. He also has 1,000 acres of pasture land under lease in Hale county, on which he is raising live stock. "I believe in diversification", he told the News man, and he is going to prove his faith in this kind of a program by his works.

SOCIETY

Club and Church News

LIVE WIRE LEAGUE UNION MEETS AT GRASSLAND

Last Sunday afternoon the Live Wire Epworth League Union met at Grassland for their regular monthly meeting. An exceptionally good program was rendered following the general theme of "Kingdom Extension". An unusual feature of the program was the music by both the Tahoka and Draw orchestras. All of the Leagues in the Union, with the exception of Post, were represented by large delegations of leaguers, and in every case the pastors were present, as well. There were approximately a hundred and fifty persons present, and they were all amply repaid for their time and effort in coming out.

The Union banner was presented to the League having the best record according to the banner rules and Tahoka won it. It is quite an honor to win the banner in this Union be-

cause there are several exceptionally good leagues in it, and now that Tahoka has it they are going to try to keep it permanently. However, in order to do this they will probably have to make very nearly a hundred per cent showing at every meeting because they have some strong competition.

The Union is going to have a Credit Institute at Tahoka during the week from the fifth to the tenth of April. They are expecting enrollment of at least seventy-five, and will be prepared to take care of more than that number if necessary. Mr. V. M. Gore, the Northwest Texas Conference Field Secretary, will be Dean of the institute, and all of the instructors are well trained and especially fitted for their respective subjects.—Reporter.

Mrs. D. H. Goodnough, who has been sick of tonsillitis, is now able to be up again.

METHODIST CHURCH

We had exceptionally good attendance at both services last Sunday, and especially at the evening hour. The Missionary pageant which was given at that time was well carried out, and I wish to thank all who took a part for their splendid cooperation. I also wish to thank those who so generously contributed to the Missionary offering. Those of you who were not able to be out missed a treat, and I only hope that you will not fail to take advantage of the opportunity to come out to the services next Sunday.

We expect to begin our spring meeting on March 22, which is the fourth Sunday. Let's everyone do our best to be ready at that time for our part in these services.

Sunday School begins at 9:45. An interesting class and a good teacher awaits you. Will you be there?

Preaching is at 11 o'clock. All the Leagues will meet at 6:30 in their respective places. It is hoped that all Leaguers will be in their places. Our Juniors are always on the job; also, the Hi-Leaguers are doing mighty good work; and our Seniors are coming to life. Young people, if you are missing these League services you are missing something worth-while. They put on a good program every Sunday evening at 6:30. A word to the parents: encourage your children and young people to attend the Leagues. There is no better place for them on Sunday evenings. Preaching is at 7:30. The subject for the morning hour is "A life-brim full of service"; for the evening hour, "God loves a cheerful giver". The Pastor.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE HAS EXCELLENT PROGRAM

The Senior Epworth League had an exceptionally good program last Sunday evening. After a brief summary of the lesson the remainder of the program was composed of musical numbers. This proved to be so interesting to the majority of the members that the program committee has decided to have similar programs quite often. In addition to this there will be some special feature, either musical or something else that will be quite out of the ordinary, in every program. This is in keeping with the policy of the League to make every meeting of interest and value to every person who will attend.

The League extends to everyone between the ages of eighteen and thirty, a hearty invitation to come out next Sunday at 6:30 and enjoy the program. If you have not attended yet you have missed something, and if you will come we feel sure that you will consider it an hour of pleasure and profit. Don't deprive yourself of this good time. Come!—Reporter.

SQUARE DANCERS FORM CLUB FOR DANCING

The Tahoka Pioneer Dancers is the title of a new club recently formed in Tahoka for the purpose of sponsoring square and other old time dances. Dr. L. E. Turrentine is president of the organization and J. S. Weatherford is secretary.

Twenty-five couples are members of the club, and it is planned to hold a square dance on each first and each third Friday nights in the month. Merle and Aubra Redwine will furnish instrumental music for the affairs.

P. T. A. THANKS THOSE WHO HELPED "42" PARTY SUCCEED

The Tahoka Parent-Teachers organization wishes to publicly express its sincere thanks to the many friends in the town and community who so generously contributed to the success of the "42" tournament which it sponsored last Friday night at the Central Ward school.

The officers and membership are grateful to everyone who was present adding to the evident enjoyment and good fellowship of the occasion, and desire to particularly thank those who assisted actively—in the donation and serving of the refreshments, the musical program, or in any of the ways that made the evening a success from every angle.

It is the desire of the Association, through its medium of the school, to be helpful to the entire community, and the cooperation of the parents and citizens is thoroughly appreciated. Do not forget the regular monthly meeting next Wednesday, March 4, at 4:00 P. M. at the Central Ward building. Let there be a banner attendance and interest as there are so few more meetings this school year.—Chairman of the Publicity Committee.

Texas consumes 800,000 tons of steel products annually. (Authority: Ray Miller, vice-president Intra-coastal Canal Association.)

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MORGAN GIRLS' 4-H CLUB MAKES GOOD REPORT

Last Wednesday afternoon, February 17, Miss Thelma Greenwade met with the Morgan 4-H Club girls at the home of Mrs. J. N. Townsend. The recreational leader took charge, and led a few songs. The Club secretary called the roll and the girls answered as to the preparation of their work. All girls made good reports. One new member was enrolled making a total of seventeen girls.

Our next club meeting will be held March 3.—Reporter.

MRS. RAY SHAVER IS HONORED AT SHOWER

On last Tuesday evening Misses Charlotte Barnett and Allene Taylor honored Mrs. Ray Shaver with a miscellaneous shower. Bridge was the diversion of the evening and at the end of the games the honor guest held high score and the gifts were presented to her.

A salad course was served, using Valentines for favors, to the following guests: Mesdames Ray Shaver, Clyde Thomas, Buck Barnes, Harlan Cook, Roy Taylor, and Misses Gertrude Bishop, Lucille McCord, Lilla Mae Reid, Loyce Shaffer, Virginia Sanford, Catherine Stinson of Brownfield and the hostesses.

P. T. A. SPONSORED BIG "42" PARTY FRIDAY NIGHT

The Parent-Teachers Association sponsored one of the largest entertainments last Friday night at Central Ward that has been held in Ta-

\$50,000 Cigarette Contest Under Way

A contest offering fifty thousand dollars in prizes has been announced by R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, makers of Camel Cigarettes, with special announcements in practically every newspaper in the United States. Eight days are allowed for submission of essays, the contest closing at midnight on March 4.

Prizes will be awarded for the best answers to the question: "What significant change has recently been made in the wrapping of the Camel package, containing twenty cigarettes, and what are its advantages to the smoker?" Answers are limited to two hundred words in length, must be written on one side of the paper only and are to be mailed to the contest editor, R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

First prize is twenty-five thousand dollars, with second and third prizes of ten thousand dollars and five thousand dollars. Numerous smaller prizes will also be awarded. Judges of the contest are Ray Long, president of the International Magazine Company and editor of Cosmopolitan Magazine; Roy Howard, chairman of the board of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, and Charles Dana Gibson, internationally known artist and publisher of Life Magazine.

The contest is part of what advertising experts declare is one of the most intensive advertising campaigns ever staged. Practically every daily and county seat weekly newspaper in the country will be used as well as college periodicals and financial newspapers. This campaign is to be followed by an aggressive advertising drive through newspapers, magazines, radio and outdoor display.

hoka in many months. Approximately 125 people were present and engaged in a "Forty-Two" tournament, at the close of which refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served. Music was furnished during the evening by Mrs. Suddarth and her orchestra.

An admission of twenty-five cents was charged by the Association in order to raise funds for the school libraries and with which to help entertain the visitors to the county Interscholastic league meet soon.

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Edith

We had a good singing Sunday night with the new chairman having charge. We are expecting the Tahoka quartet out next Sunday night. Come!

We wish Mr. Stevens and family who recently moved into our community, where Uncle John Campbell vacated, happiness and success while in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of New Home spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet.

Grandma Sanders is visiting in Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nowlin of O'Donnell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nowlin.

A. C. Magee and a specialist from College Station have been in this community taking the inventory of a few farmers who are to cooperate in the farm management study of the Texas Experiment Station.

E. D. Payne and family visited his brother at O'Donnell Sunday.

E. S. Tippit and family spent Sunday with Mr. Tucker and family of T-Bar.

Several went to New Lynn's singing Sunday afternoon. All reported a good time and a good singing.

Little LaVan Bearden has been very ill the past week.

Grandma Jones of Tahoka spent a few days last week with J. T. Owens and family.

A few people attended the play at Redwine Friday night.—Reporter.

Midway

Everyone is invited to attend "A Southern Cinderella", a three act play which is to be given at the Midway school house Friday night, Feb. 27.

The League met Sunday night and gave a short Bible program.

Miss Vern Headstream spent the weekend in Ropesville visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Headstream.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Head spent the week end visiting in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tunnell and family spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tunnell.

Miss Dorothy Hudspeth spent Friday and Saturday visiting Clove Nell Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Appling spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell.—Reporter.

West Wilson

The warm spring weather we have been having the last few days has been of great benefit to the wheat. Most of the farmers around here have wheat patches, and they are a great help in grazing stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geteslou of Posey visited in the Shambeck home Sunday.

E. L. Swope and T. G. Dulin attended preaching at Wilson Sunday afternoon. They reported a big crowd and a fine service.

Oscar Corley and family attended preaching in Tahoka Saturday.

Rev. Hardy Powers and family left Monday for their new home in Iowa.

The party last Thursday night at Mr. Shambeck's was enjoyed very much by everyone that was there.

Miss Goldie Krocha has been ill with the "flu" but is better at this writing.—Reporter.

South Ward

The Church of Christ meets every Sunday afternoon for Bible study. Everyone is invited to attend. Bro. Eubanks will preach next Sunday. We urge all to come hear him.

There was a large attendance at B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening. Come join us at 7:00 P. M. each Sunday.

We were sorry to hear about Bro. Dykes' having pneumonia but we are glad to know he is recovering.

Mrs. John C. Switzer was brought home last week but returned to the hospital at Lubbock again Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. O. Parr of Hamlin are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Disheroon.—Reporter.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LYNN.

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of W. B. Farmer, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of W. B. Farmer, deceased, late of Lynn County, Texas, by G. C. Grider Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 12th day of February, 1931, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having

claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence about twelve miles southeast of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, Route No. 3, where he receives his mail.

Dated this 12th day of February, 1931.
J. M. FARMER, Administrator of the Estate of W. B. Farmer, Deceased. 26-4tc

SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—Jane says to me says she that she has learnt that all of the bristest boys is very consoated. Well I don't think she has got enny reason to say that becuz I haven't never acted consoated. Not a round her no ways. But I will mebbly.

Saturday—Well when I cum up to my room tonite why ma reminded me that it was Saturday nite and I hadda take my bath and she complemented me on the fact that I have not mist menty Saturday nites doing the past yr. But when the tub was full I found out the water was too cold so I tuk a vace and splashed it in the water and will wait until next Saturday night to take my weekly bath.

Sunday—I was down to Pugs house this p. m. but I won't never go there no more. His dad is so stingy that the onley entertainment a fella gets is when his dad takes out his falls teeth and waggles his face.

Monday—Ma was a saying at the table that she wood like to have the new banker and his wife up here for a evening visit but that the new banker is a vulgarjian. Ant Emmy wanted her to go on ahead and envide them ennyways becuz she had allways wanted to hear a human converse in that langwidge.

Tuesday—I wood of got a pritty fare Grade in the test today onely I was under the empression that a Quorum was a place where they kep live fish. Elsey mist the one about Cromwell. She sed that it was where the Egiphens carried there drinking water from.

Wednesday—Joe Blunt nocked down the Ostopath Dr. today and cracked 2 ribs and spraned his ankel and punched him in the back and stomped on his chest and choaked him and then tuk \$2 away from him. Pa says this is News and he shud ought to no becuz he wrks on a noose paper or other wise my diry woodent get printed I Xpeck.

Thursday—Ant Emmy says she all ways looked at marryage as a sorta adventure, but personally give me a nice war or a nest of Bumble bees, ketching a pile cat isent so bad neather in comparisen, she sed.

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POINTS OF VIEW

I knew a farmer, Jimmy Bright, Who used to work and sweat and grin. He pioneered, an uphill fight, But never doubted he would win. He dug out rocks and grubbed up stumps, And while he turned the fresh sod o'er.

His slogan, sure to cure the dumps, Was "Every round is one more round more!"

A different chap was Jacob Grouse, His father was a pioneer And left him farm, and barns, and house,

And stock and tools, and wide fields clear.

Jake did just what he HAD to do, And thus his feelings would express

(Still keeping quitting time in view): "Every darned round is one round less!"

Some days ago I passed that way, Jim's fields are broad, his house well-kept;

His farm's three times as big today; A tractor hums where oxen crept.

I saw a cat, and stock well-fed, And happy children round the door.

He laughed: "How did I get ahead? Well, every round was one round more."

I had a look at Grouse's place (They say it won't be his for long) Jake met me with a scowling face

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
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Any erroneous reflection upon the
reputation or standing of any individual,
firm or corporation, that may appear
in the columns of the News, will be
gladly corrected when called to our
attention.

Persistent rumors that Chairman Raskob intends to undertake to commit the Democratic party against national prohibition when the committee meets on March 5 has set Democratic politicians in Washington all agog. The militant dries have given notice that they will fight any resolution to this effect to the last ditch and claim they can defeat it. More conservative dries are making frantic efforts to prevent the introduction of any such resolution. But still the rumor persists that the matter will come up. If the wets decide that such a course would stir up too great a storm they may wait and take their chances in the next national convention. We don't know when the storm is going to break loose but it's coming. The wets, led by Raskob and Al Smith, and Ritchie, and other wet leaders, seem determined to make prohibition the issue in the next campaign, even if they have to wreck the Democratic party in doing so.

Now comes Cordell Hull in the midst of all this furor about the reported intention of Raskob to have

the National Democratic committee commit the party against prohibition and says that he fears they are going to try to commit the party to a high tariff policy. Al Smith and the Democratic convention at Houston committed the party to the time-honored Republican doctrine of a protective tariff in 1928. And if we are to surrender to the Republicans on this issue, the main issue between the parties heretofore, why keep up the Democratic organization at all? The fact of the business is that Raskob has always been a Republican, but he could not get what he wanted on the liquor question in the Republican party. He thought he saw a chance to get it in the Democratic party and so Smith made him national chairman. And the Democratic party is in the middle of a bad fix.

Nobody knows what the future has in store but this looks like a good crop year. The prospects are that the crops will be earlier than usual also. With a wet winter and the promise of an early spring, farmers will doubtless begin planting feed earlier than usual. Most of them already have their land ready for the planter, and since the soil is in fine condition and feed is scarce they will want to raise a feed crop as early as possible. An abundance of feed with dairy cows, hogs, turkeys, and chickens on every farm will help wonderfully in bringing prosperity back to the country.

There were only two jury cases on the docket in district court this week. One of these was continued till the next term of court and the other one reset. The jury for the week was accordingly dismissed Monday morning.

One or two non-jury cases may be disposed of during the week, otherwise there is not much doing in the court this week.

Eggs and cream and butter are not worth much on the market now but it is mighty fine to have plenty of all of these commodities on the farm. We have noticed that most people who give considerable attention to turkey and poultry raising and to the production of dairy products are best prepared to meet adversity when it comes.

The churches in Tahoka are being well attended, but there are many people here yet who seem to have little appetite for anything of a religious nature. Why not attend church next Sunday or next week when a meeting will be in progress at the Presbyterian house of worship?

Quite a good many farmers in Lynn county have made it a point almost invariably to keep about one year's feed supply ahead. Then when a drouth and a feed failure comes along, they are still "sitting pretty". More of our farmers hereafter will probably pursue the policy.

The South has some good Presidential timber, but we guess no Southern Democrat would have a ghost of a show now. After this wet craze passes then a Southern man may have a chance. We hope to see Texas furnish the nation a President yet.

Wilson

Wilson enjoyed another nice shower last Friday night. This added to the fine season we already had is keeping everything in tip-top shape. Wheat is doing as fine as it could and the other ground is ready to be tilled. Lots of people are plowing right along and others are getting ready to start at it. So far the prospects are as good as we have seen in our 30 years of citizenship on the South Plains.

Word was received from Slaton by the Wilson branch of the Red Cross last Thursday that there was a nice lot of cabbage for free distribution through that organization and in a short while Messrs. Will Kinnard and Eugene Richardson, who volunteered their service free of charge were on the road to Slaton in a truck, the service of which was donated free of charge by Mr. J. T. Williams, to get our portion of the cabbage. They returned in a short while with something like 4,000 lbs. of as fine cabbage as ever came to Wilson. We understand that it was donated by the vegetable growers of the lower Rio Grande Valley, loaded free by the chamber of commerce, hauled free by the railroad. We appreciate this fine gift and the fine spirit in which it was sent us.

The mid-week prayer service at the Baptist Church is gradually growing in number of attendants and in interest. On last Wednesday night there were 34 present and the fifth chapter of Romans was very ably discussed by the pastor. Everybody is invited to attend this fine service as well as all other services of the church. Come next Wednesday night and bring some one with you. We feel like you will enjoy it.

Wm. D. Green and family left for their home in Shiner, they having spent several weeks here and in Lubbock looking after business interests.

Mrs. Fannie Dawson returned from Ft. Worth Saturday where she had spent several days at the bedside of her aged mother who has been very ill several days. Mrs. Dawson states that her mother is still very ill but some improved to what she was the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw spent the week end in the home of Mr. Shaw's sister, Mrs. Don Hatchett of Idalou.

Thirty four Wilsonites attended the B. Y. P. U. zone meeting held at Tahoka last Sunday afternoon. They report a very enjoyable as well as a profitable afternoon. A splendid program was rendered by the Tahoka B. Y. P. U.

Webbie Williams of Sierra Blanca spent the week end in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams. He returned home Sunday, accompanied by his mother and brother who will visit in his home a few days after which they have planned to visit friends and relatives in and near San Antonio.

Sunday was a fine day at the Baptist church, the records showing there were 143 present at Sunday School and one of the largest attendances in church service in a long time. There were 81 in B. Y. P. U. Sunday night. Rev Partin preached a very wonderful sermon after which he made an appeal to those who were lost and a fine young man who was a visitor was converted.

Basketball Tournament

The Wilson High School boys again attended the district basketball meet at Lubbock. This is the fifth consecutive year they have represented Lynn county. We did not win the tournament but did give a

good account of ourselves. Our first game was with Petersburg which we won after getting off on a slow start. Our boys played hard but they seemed not to get to clacking as a team. Leroy Crews was high point man in the game with 21 points. The above game was played at 5 p. m. Friday. The final score was 25 to 36. At 10 p. m. Friday we played Levelland and again won by a score of 20 to 32. We got a good start in this game and the half stood 18 to 1 in our favor. At the start of the second half, the Levelland boys began to ring the basket at all angles and soon the score was 18 to 15. Soon our boys realized what it was all about and braced and won the game easily. All our team played well in this game and again Leroy Crews was high point man with 12 points. By winning this game we won the right to play Meadow in the semi-final game. What a ball game this was! We lost it by a score of 22 to 26. Meadow outgassed us and started to shooting from all angles, running up a 16 to 4 score the first half. This was a big handicap for our boys to overcome but they thought that it could be done and the second half saw our boys fighting with all of their might. We did not overcome the lead but we proved that we had one of the best teams at the meet. Plainview won the championship by defeating Meadow. Leroy Crews was again high point man for Wilson against Meadow and was mentioned as an all-round man of the meet. Capt. Stiles was all over the court and was in every play. Coleman's getting the ball off the backboard was good. Traveek gave a good account of himself in this game as did Harold Key and Olen Crews. Both Crews and Traveek were selected as two of the outstanding men of the meet. Our boys were complimented very much on their good playing and all-round good sportsmanship.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dawson of Terry county were Wilson visitors the first of the week.

The little daughter of Mrs. C. C. McCormick is quite ill with "flu".

A number of youngsters were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forrester on Monday night, the occasion being a birthday party in honor of their niece, Alene Hughes, who is making her home with them this winter.

Texas 1930 farm crops, exclusive of livestock, were valued at \$134,512,000 by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The cotton crop represented \$332,872,000 of the total.

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SOCIETY

Club and Church News

PRESBYTERIANS WILL HOLD REVIVAL; BEGINS SUNDAY

Beginning next Sunday at 11 a. m. and continuing all next week there will be special services at the Presbyterian Church both morning and night. Rev. John Thorns D. D., of Big Spring, will do the preaching.

Dr. Thorns is a most genial and sociable fellow and liked by all who know him—always pleasant and cheerful and inspiring others to helpful and worth while lives; a great and good man who loves his fellow man and every interest of God's Kingdom; a good preacher of the "Old Gospel" that saves and keeps our social order as well as every religious interest. He thinks the trouble with our world is not a new trouble but an old one, sin; and that there is nothing more needed today than a revival of the "Old Time Religion" that exalts the Bible, enthrones Christ, and makes people want to be and do better, on all the levels of life.

He will preach twice a day in Tahoka in keeping with the state-wide evangelistic campaign, now on in the Presbyterian Churches of Texas. You are invited to every service. Other pastors and their people of Tahoka are invited to attend these services and to help and cooperate in every way possible. We will greatly appreciate your presence and help in the choir.

The slogan of this year is "mutual helpfulness" in every way and place. Give the Lord and the preacher a chance with you. Give others the inspiration of your Christian life. Think about our religious needs and start next Sunday and don't miss a service—only one week. Let us encourage and help Dr. Thorns while he is in Tahoka all we can.

The pastor of the Tahoka Church will be in a meeting at Sterling City at this time and cannot be present, except in prayer, for the good work. I hope our ministers and their people and our members and our friends as well as strangers in Tahoka will each do our best to make this a good meeting and help our visiting ministers among us. No good thing we do is ever lost. Fall in line and help make the revival go. Everybody is most cordially and specially invited to every service and to take a part. Start next Sunday. Dr. Thorns arrives Saturday, and will only be here one week. Come! Invitation Committee.

DRAW-REDWINE H. D. CLUB REPORTS RECENT SESSION

The Draw-Redwine H. D. club met on Wednesday, Feb. 18, with Mrs. W. Z. Florence as hostess.

The subject for the day was: The Living Room.

Roll call: What I enjoy most in a living room.

Importance of the living room as a family center—Mrs. John Berry.

Living room floors—Mrs. C. D. Uzzle.

Dying of rugs: Methods of making both braided and hooked rugs—Miss Greenwade.

We have 21 quarts and cans of fruits and vegetables and some clothing donated to the Red Cross by the Club ladies. It was reported that 40 pounds of American cheese

have been made by our Club women. We had 13 ladies present. Our meeting days are the first and third Wednesdays of each month. We would be glad to have all of the women in Draw, Redwine, and adjoining communities to attend our meetings. We have had some very interesting demonstrations and are going to have more. Our next meeting will be held at Mrs. D. G. Cook's at Draw. Our subject will be: Special Vegetables. We will have a seed and plant exchange. Those of you who have seeds and plants that you care to exchange, please bring them. —Reporter.

BIG BIRTHDAY DINNER IS GIVEN FORD INGRAM

The home of Ford Ingram seven miles west of town on the T-Bar Ranch was the scene of a merry gathering Sunday to celebrate Mr. Ingram's sixty-fourth birthday. A wonderful dinner was served to the following guests: Cass O. Edwards, Dave Childers, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Greathouse and two daughters, Margaret and Grace, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crouch, H. O. Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nolen, W. J. Nolen, Y. T. Nolen and children, George, Faye, and Leona Nolen, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Ingram.

Most of the older people present had been neighbors and friends in other years at Fort Worth.

MISSSES SHERROD HOSTESSES AT BRIDGE PARTY FEB. 11

Wednesday night, Feb. 11, Loyce Shaffer and Floyce Sherrod were joint hostesses at a bridge party in the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Beacher Sherrod on North First St. in honor of Miss Kathryn Stinson of Brownfield.

High scores were won by Miss Allyne Taylor and Mr. Sherman Davis.

Dainty refreshments of hot chocolate and individual wafers were served to the following: Messrs. Sherman Davis, Jack Fenton, Jim Webb, Garland McMahan; Misses Charlotte Barnett, Allyne Taylor, Dede McCoy and Kathryn Stinson; Messrs. and Mesdames Clyde Thomas, Beacher Sherrod and the hostesses.

B. Y. P. U. MEET HERE IS LARGELY ATTENDED

The B. Y. P. U. zone meeting held at the Baptist Church here Sunday afternoon was largely attended. More than seventy-five came from O'Donnell and more than thirty from Wilson, while quite a number were present from Central Church and from Wells. Almost a hundred home people were present.

This zone includes most of Lynn county. Quite a friendly rivalry has developed among the larger B. Y. P.

U. organizations. O'Donnell took the banner both for attendance and efficiency. These meetings are to be held regularly in Tahoka hereafter on each fourth Sunday.

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Readers**



Prove Up Or Shut Up!
Perhaps some of your readers read the figures I printed in the Star-Telegram about how the crime rate in Texas had dropped 40 percent in 40 years of prohibition progress. This in the face of great oil, city and railroad booms and a 400 percent increase in population of towns of 6,000 and up—also, that a dozen crimes have in this time been raised to the felony grade since Texas began to go dry early in the nineties. One outstanding fact is that most of the larger

Tahoka, Texas,
Feb. 25, 1931

Dear Friend:—

Another lady made happy! She came in yesterday with a dress she had worn in the rain. It looked like it had been through the Galveston flood and she didn't see much prospect of saving it. But CRAFT did. And I wish you could have seen it this morning when it was ready for delivery.

Looked like a brand new dress; she certainly was pleased. "That's the fun of being in the cleaning business", says the boss. "I like to please 'em."

Ben J. Jire

P. S.—We clean the Gloverized way. Will tell you next week about that.

Texas cities have grown more in wealth and population in 14 years of prohibition than in 50 previous years of open saloons—Fort Worth in the dry period having doubled and being today six times as large as in 1900 when it had 150 saloons and speakeasies and bootleggers without number.

In spite of these well known facts you hear a swarm of would-be intellectuals constantly repeating the worn out old falsehood that everybody today is drinking more than in wide-open saloon days. Now if this is really true, let us suppose that saloons were opened up in Texas as thick as they were in "them good old days". In towns the size of Borger, Coleman, Electra, Ranger, and Cisco clear up to Houston there would be a total of over 10,000 "liquor stores" for the entire state and about 3,000 more in the smaller towns. The same quota for the various West Texas cities would scatter saloons around about as follows: Fort Worth, 900; Wichita Falls and Amarillo, 250 each; San Angelo, 135; Abilene, 120; Lubbock, 110; Big Spring, 75; Vernon, 50; Plainview, 45; Lamesa, 18; Brownfield, 10; Post and Tahoka, 8 each.

In making these estimates, remember the census of 1930 is the basis, admitting as the wet press and its readers claim that prohibition has done nothing to decrease drinking from what it was in saloon days. But even the wettest of the wets will admit that even two saloons are as little needed in our own little city as two dozen would be needed in the modern city of Lubbock, which today is larger and richer than Waco was when it had nearly 100 saloons. A question naturally arises when anyone advocates destroying prohibition is this: Where will we put the saloons? It makes no difference whether you call them saloons, liquor stores, dispensaries or bolags (Swedish system) a saloon by any other name would smell just as rank as in the days when Upton Sinclair wrote "The Jungle" and Chicago with half its present population boasted 22 miles of saloon frontage. If you wish the saloons would come back, how would

you like to have one or two open up in your own block?

How about the Keeley cures? Texas once had several large ones treating many hundreds of sots annually. Now in spite of our vastly increased population barely fifty patients a year are treated for alcoholism in these once-great Texas drunk cures. Either prove up or shut up! Instead of saying "I read in the Illiterate Drychest, the Lookout and the Libertine that drink conditions in "the cities are worse than ever", dig up some facts right here in Texas, right here in Lubbock, that never built a school or paved a street with saloon revenue, or right here in Tahoka where never a drop of beverage liquor was ever lawfully sold. Prove up or shut up! CHRIS L. ADAIR.

Lamesa, Texas.

Poultry raisers:—
Low egg prices are frightening the lower class poultrymen to dump their laying hens on the market and close up their poultry houses.

At the same time, the same low prices are rapidly depleting existing stocks of eggs. For these reasons, and many other reasons, the coming season promises to be one of the best seasons ever experienced by progressive poultrymen, with the vision and foresight and the courage to stay on the job.

Now is the time to ride on an ideal market situation. Buy when prices are low—sell when prices are high. Now is the time to buy into the poultry business.

Every index to the poultry industry points to a shortage of poultry by this fall, which means good prices for poultry and eggs, which will likely continue through 1932.

The United States department of agriculture reports a factor of considerable support to the early 1931 poultry market is the relatively short holdings of dressed poultry in storage at the beginning of the new year. The 104,600,000 pounds reported in storage on Jan. 1 was approximately 36,000,000 pounds short of the holdings of Jan. 1, 1930, and 20,000,000 pounds short of the five-year average for that date.

This would indicate that broilers and friers will command a fair price this season. We also believe there will be a good demand for 3 and 4 month old pullets this year, for as eggs begin to advance in mid-summer or early fall, those who failed to raise their pullets, will want to buy them from the fellow who was more foresighted than they were, and you can demand a good price for them. J. H. BARRON.

Morgan

We are still having rain with some snow but not very cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Pear visited his mother and father at Union last Thursday.

Our women met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Thompson and reorganized our H. D. Club. Mrs. Cato was elected president and Mrs. Milliken, secretary and treasurer. Miss Greenwade was present and gave a demonstration on rug making. There were six present and two visitors. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cato.

Mesdames Crews and Massengill of Slaton spent a few days with their mother last week and canned greens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pruitt entertained the younger set with a party Saturday night.

R. B. Milliken and family of Wilson visited Ed Milliken and family Sunday.

J. M. McAnnally went to Tulsa Saturday to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Inez Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparkman are entertaining a new girl at their home.

Mrs. Ann Davidson is still unable to be up all the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Voigt have returned from Bertlesville, where he had gone for his health which seems very much improved.

Miss Wilma Ward of Tahoka visited homefolk Saturday night.

Mrs. B. Stoltz is visiting her sister, Mrs. Calvert, in Slaton.

A. B. Pruitt and Ed Milliken, our Red Cross committee, went to Tahoka Tuesday afternoon to meet with the Red Cross central committee.—Reporter.

T-Bar

(Delayed)

The Seniors of the T-Bar school met Thursday, Feb. 12, and organized their class, electing the following officers: Florence Perry, president; Johnnie Eaton, vice president; Willard Moore, secretary; Mrs. F. C. Thorpe, sponsor; Althea Tucker, reporter. The sweet pea was chosen as the class flower and orchid and purple as class colors. "Work and win" was selected as the motto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thorpe enter-

tained the Senior class on the night of February 17. Several guessing games were played of which Egbert Adams and Florence Perry were winners. Progressive "Forty-Two" was played throughout the evening. Refreshments were served which were enjoyed very much.

The high school honor roll consists of the following: Florence Perry, average 93; Althea Tucker, 92; and Jonnie Eaton, 90.

We have begun preparing for the Interscholastic League meet. The following have been selected as declaimers for the seniors: Dwain Peters, senior boy; Florence Perry, senior girl; Althea Tucker and Florence Perry senior spelling.

The girls have organized a volley ball team and will begin playing soon. They are also planning on playing tennis.

The senior boys are working hard on the track work. They will have a strong track team this year. The senior track team is composed of Willard Moore, Egbert Adams, Dwain Peters, Ray Moore, Buster McMillan, John D. McMillan, and Benton Wills.—Reporter.

New Lynn

Everyone is enjoying the rain that has been falling and are hoping it continues the way it has started for the coming year.

Singing was fine Sunday afternoon—lots of visitors and sure enough singing.

The farmers are all busy getting their land put up ready for planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bussell of Slaton were visitors in the Stephenson home Sunday. After Mr. Bussell had filled his appointment Sunday morning to preach at the Baptist Church the crowd was small but all enjoyed the sermon he preached.

The New Lynn declaimers will have their try out Friday night. Everyone is invited to come and hear them.

Misses Jewel and Dorothy Bingham of Post were visitors in the Perkins home Sunday and were present at singing Sunday afternoon. Temptation was too great for them to miss singing.

Mrs. E. B. Terry entertained the young people at a birthday party given at her home last Friday night. All had a fine time, even though the rain did make them late in getting home.

Be sure and not forget that we have singing at the school house every Saturday night that the weather will permit. Also every fourth Sunday P. M.—Reporter.

Redwine

A good play was given at Redwine Friday night. A large crowd was present and all enjoyed it very much.

We have Sunday School every Sunday. All are invited. We had church last Sunday; preaching by Brother Rankin, with a large crowd present.

We had a nice rain Monday. It snowed some. Nearly everybody have their land up.

There is no sickness here; everybody in good health; lots of smiles now; just wait till July and see the change.

Brother Braswell was on the sick list and missed preaching here on the second Sunday.

(The above items were sent in by

Do Motor Truck companies pay for the use of the Highways?

THE FIGURES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES.

Motor trucks make up 2 percent of the total number of motor vehicles on the highways; they pay 18 percent of the TOTAL tax that goes to the building and maintenance of highways.

The motor trucks not only pay a great deal of money into the State highway fund; they also save wear and tear on the roads already built by reducing the number of light-weight private carriers, which Government statistics show are much more destructive to hard surface roads than the vehicles are.

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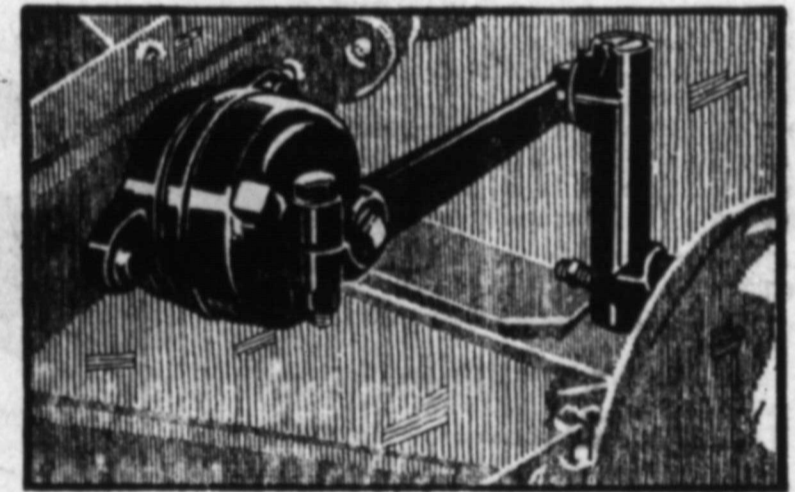
Specials for Saturday

- Pink Salmon 11c
- Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can 15c
- Rice, 2 lb. box 19c
- Oats, large 21c
- Chipso, 2 boxes 15c
- Magic Washer, 2 boxes 15c
- Lard, 8 lb 85c
- Wes Tex Syrup 73c
- Ribbon Cane Syrup 67c
- Potatoes, No. 1, 10 lbs. 17c

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**FORD
COMFORT**



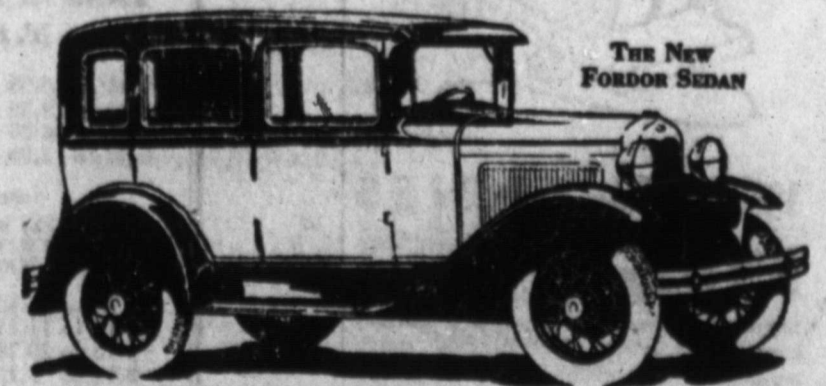
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Other features that make the new Ford a value far above the price are the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, silent, fully enclosed four-wheel brakes, more than twenty ball and roller bearings, extensive use of fine steel forgings, aluminum pistons, chrome silicon alloy valves, torque-tube drive, Rustless Steel and unusual accuracy in manufacturing.

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We Offer 10,000 Sacks
Bright, Finely Ground, Milo Heads,
F. O. B. Mill in Ton Lots at

\$1.10 Per Hundred

Delivered in Truck loads of four tons up to six tons at

\$1.20 Per Hundred

This Offer Until March First

The Standard Milling Company
Phone 719 LUBBOCK, TEXAS

The Cash Store

Oranges	Dozen 17c	No. 2 1/2 Can Peaches	18c
Sausage	Vienna 8c	Seed Potatoes	3 1/2c
Cocoa 1 lb.	27c	Matches	12c

COFFEE, Toastmaster 3 lbs \$1.13

Soup	No. 1 Tomato 7c	Pure Cane Syrup	67c
Kraut	9c	Potted Meat	4c
Hominy	7c	FLOUR	98c

Tomatoes	9c	Beans Assortment	
Soap	8 bar 25c	Pork and Beans Brown Beans, Red Beans, Baby Lima, Black Eyed Peas	
		Dozen	85c

Try our Chancellor Flour & Toastmaster Coffee

Locals

Just a few farmers have already planted a little corn and some maize according to reports reaching this office Monday. This is probably the earliest planting on record in this county.

Turning Dollar Cash Grocery Closing Out Sale

Everything goes at Cost. We must have money now. A few of our prices:

Spuds 10 lbs 16c

No. 2 Can 3 For
Tomatoes 25c

No. 1 can 15 for
Tomatoes \$1.00

White Swan 7 For
Corn \$1.00

3 Cans For
Pork, Beans 25c

No. 2 1/2 Cans 3 For
Beets 50c

Sugar 10 lbs 57c

Maxwell House 3 Lbs.
Coffee 98c

Folgers 1 Lb.
Coffee 41c

3 For
Macaroni 19c

Pinto 10 Lbs.
Beans 43c

K. C. 25c size 19c

25c Size
Oxydol 19c

Brooms 33c

Lard 4 lbs. 49c

Sun Kist Oval 2 For
Sardine 25c

8 Bars
P. & G Soap 31c

Cereals 11c

Dried
Peaches 11c

25c Size
Borax 19c

Campbells 3 For
Soup 29c

Oysters 5 oz 15c

Olives 6 oz. 15c

Chewing 3 For
Gum 10c

George Knight made a little run out to New Home Tuesday and came back reporting an eight-inch snow out there the day before. The snow was still two or three inches deep on the ground Tuesday, he declared. He was corroborated to some extent by Joe Bovell, who says that he was out there in the snow Monday while it was falling. He got into the ditch and had a terrible time. He declares it was a whopping big snow and the coldest one he ever saw.

Mrs. B. G. Morton returned home Monday after having visited her sister, Mrs. M. B. Cavanaugh, at Floydada for a couple of weeks. Mr. Morton drove over for her on Sunday, bringing her home Monday. Mr. Morton says plenty of rain had fallen all along the route from here to Floydada and that the wheat on that portion of the plains is looking very fine.

Fred Hegi, who has been employed at The First National Bank the past several months, returned to his former home at Petersburg Sunday, where he will engage his time in looking after his farming interests. Fred says he has a nice wheat field and is hoping to harvest a bountiful crop.

Mrs. C. C. Barnes was taken to a hospital in Lubbock Monday morning and an operation was found necessary. Surgeons did not expect to operate for two or three days after her entry into the hospital, however. Many friends here are hoping for her complete and speedy recovery.

T. L. Price, district attorney, is in Austin this week representing the State in the McKee case on appeal in the court of criminal appeals from Dawson county. McKee was convicted and given the death penalty for murder committed while attempting to rob a filling station.

Uncle Ben Rogers, Justice of the Peace, hid himself away from the duties of his office Saturday afternoon in company with an old-time East Texas friend who now resides near Brownfield and spent the night and most of Sunday in the latter's home.

Mrs. Laura C. Harrison returned last week from Winchester, California, where she spent the winter. After visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McGonagill, a few days, she went to O'Donnell to reside with another daughter, Mrs. E. J. Bean.

Walter Chaney was released from jail Tuesday after having been incarcerated almost five months as a punishment for an offense of which he was convicted in the district court here last fall.

M. L. Handley, who is in a hospital in Lubbock following an operation more than a week ago, is said to be improving and expects to come home soon.

H. C. Crie has been suffering intensely from an attack of Bright's disease, being unconscious for a time Sunday night, but is much better since.

L. K. Bray of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Bray, at this place last week end and also attended the Frigidaire school which was conducted in Lubbock.

Judge J. W. Elliott, A. L. Lockwood, J. K. Applewhite, and A. J. Edwards are planning to leave Friday for Corpus Christi to inspect some cotton seed.

Marjorie Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wells, is visiting an uncle, Dr. J. G. Wright, and family in Fort Worth this week.

GOOD PEDIGREED cotton seed for sale at \$1.25 per bushel. Connolly Motor Co. 26-3tc

Mrs. Spurgeon O'Neal, formerly Miss Jonsye Walker, now of Lovington, is visiting her parents here this week, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker.

Mrs. Fred Pleaser and little daughter are due to arrive tonight to visit a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker.

Miss Velma Nelson returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday after an extended visit here with her aunt, Mrs. S. N. McDaniel.

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Edgar Hays, formerly employed by The News, is now working for the Olton Enterprise.

Mrs. L. D. Anderson of Abilene is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coltenback.

Three Lakes

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo McLaurin and children and Mrs. White of O'Donnell visited in the Wash Johnson home Sunday afternoon.

Misses Elmore Sikes and Dollie Johnson visited Misses Sarah and Adelle Ellis in Tahoka Sunday.

Frank Adams of T-Bar was in Three Lakes Sunday.

Fagan and Arch Johnson and Ernest Dial went to Lubbock on business Tuesday.

There was some excitement in Three Lakes last week. Some one poisoned most of the dogs—came to the homes and threw poisoned meat out. Most of us are still trying to figure out why it was done. Nearly every farmer is through plowing.

There will be preaching here Saturday night and Sunday by Brother Vinson. Every one come.—Reporter.

T-Bar

Rev. Duncan filled his appointment Sunday afternoon at 3:00. Mrs. C. C. Whipp returned home last Wednesday after a month's visit in Lubbock with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Billings of Kopperl are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moore and family.

Mrs. C. M. Whipp and daughter, Miss Marguerite, and Miss Lyna Tipton of Lubbock spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whipp. Miss Lucille Townzen spent the week end with her brother of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alexander of Tahoka were at Sunday School Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thorp visited Carl Richter at Lubbock Saturday.—Reporter.

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 7:30. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. C. R. RILEY, W. M. J. L. HEARE, Sec.

Winter Garden A Success On Plains

Dr. G. W. Beakley, who lives in the northern part of town has demonstrated that it is possible to have a good winter garden in this section and that it is possible to supply the family table with fresh vegetables in almost every month of the year; even though the altitude is a little over 3,000 feet with its attendant winter temperature.

Although there has been sufficient rainfall this season, Dr. Beakley has solved the moisture problem on his eleven acres by drilling two wells, one of which is equipped with a large windmill capable of throwing a large stream of water, and a large reservoir. If the season be dry he will have plenty of water for irrigation. He has turnips, greens, collards, winter onions leek, salsify and carrots larger than we have ever seen in the lower Rio Grande Valley where thousands of acres are grown each winter.

With a hot house a large and more tender list of vegetables could be added to the above list. In fact by making necessary preparations, which would cost very little money, almost any family could make a living on ten acres of ground in this country by providing irrigation and intensive cultivation of those things for which a local market can be found.

It is to be hoped that in the near future we will have access to larger consuming markets by better rail transportation and the building of cities on the Plains.—Levelland Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilonsky are visiting in Dallas this week.

ENGINEER GAVE UP

Says He Could Not Stand Indigestion Any Longer.—Relieved By Black-Draught.

Pulaski, Va.—How a railroad engineer was relieved of indigestion was described by Mr. C. K. Nelson, a Fourth Street resident of this city. Mr. Nelson said:

"I was suffering from stomach trouble in 1917, and had been suffering for some time. I had a tightness in my chest, a shortness of breath. There seemed to be a heavy weight in the pit of my stomach, and quite a bit of nausea, yet I couldn't vomit. I tried different remedies, yet suffered on just the same. When in West Virginia, on a work train, I was in such a condition that I just gave up and came home. I couldn't stand to work, in my condition. "Some one told me about Black-Draught. I started taking it in small doses after meals. It helped me, and I went back to work."

"One morning while on my engine I felt like I would smother. I stopped in a little town, bought a package of Black-Draught, took a dose and later in the day took another dose. It relieved me and I have not had a bad spell like that in more than two and a half years."

Theodore's Black-Draught contains no chemicals. Composed of pure botanical roots and herbs. 2c-10c

THEODORE'S BLACK-DRAUGHT for Constipation Indigestion Biliousness

Clearing of land for the Pecan Bayou project at Brownwood—a \$2,500,000 expenditure to provide water for the city and irrigation of 12,000 fertile acres—has begun.

If the sun were not refueled, it would burn out in about fifteen trillion years, according to Dr. W. D. McMillan, professor of astronomy at the University of Chicago. The theory is that energy from the sun moves through space, is condensed into atoms, and attracted back to the sun and stars.

Retail trade in the United States in 1929 amounted to about forty billion dollars, and estimates show that about nine per cent of this was done on the installment basis.

Advertising schemes by the traveling high-powered salesmen is having hard sledding in these conservative times. When business was booming along at an easy rate, these fellows

had "easy pickin's", but now since business men are examining carefully even the most appealing propositions, their schemes have fallen into hard lines and most of them have quit for the time being. Of course, they don't quit for long; they will be back with a new song and dance, and if the merchant isn't careful he will be falling for the same old schemes under new names and in a new dress. Conservative advertising—steady advertising—in the Old Home Paper is still the best paying advertising in the world. It is intimate. It is direct. It delivers.—Clarendon News.

Work has been started deepening the Corpus Christi channel under a \$515,000 emergency appropriation made available by Congress.

Grady Howard of Crosbyton is visiting relatives in Tahoka.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

PLANT SEED		Per lb.
Potatoes		3c
1 2 lb. box RICE	2 lb. Jar Peanut Butter BEST	1 4 lb. box Prunes
17c	39c	30c
1 2 lb. box Peaches		1 4 lb. box Raisins
25c		30c

Pintos BEST GRADE 10 POUNDS Limit 1 to family **35c**

10 lbs. Salt	3 Bars Face Soap 1 10c Box Oxydol All For	10 lbs. Sugar
19c	25c	55c

—Help Your Self—

Lard 8 POUND Pail WITH EACH \$5.00 PURCHASE **69c**

Onions PLANTS 300 FOR— **25c**

PORK & BEANS, 3 cans **25c**

—See Us For Your Needs—

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HOME COOKED MEALS SERVED FAMILY STYLE

All Kinds Of Short Orders

COFFEE PIES SANDWICHES

We appreciate the business you have given us in the past, and want your patronage now. Give us a trial!

West Side Of Square

Saturday Jones' Specials Monday

Men's Work Shirts
59c 79c 89c 98c
Blue and Gray

Men's Overalls
Heavy Blue 79c
Red Ball \$1.29
Hawk Brand \$1.39

Boys' Blue & Gray
Shirts 49c
Shirts 59c
Shirts 69c

Men's and Boys' Dress Trousers
1/4 off

We have remodeled our ready-to-wear department in order to have showing room for our new dresses, coats, and hats, and to make shopping more convenient to you. And we have it jam full of pretty new ready-to-wear. We invite you to visit our store.

For One Hour Saturday, 4 to 5 p. m.

We are going to sell our 36 in. dress prints, guaranteed fast colors, 29c grade, per yard, 17 1/2c

For One Hour Monday, 3 to 4 p. m.

We are going to sell our 25c dress prints, 36 in., guaranteed fast colors, per yard 15c

Ladies' Hose
rayon silk-silk to top
3 pr. for \$1.00

Assorted Shades
Ladies' Rayon Silk Non-run Bloomers
Asst. sizes & colors
2 pr. for \$1.00

Printed Linens
Beautiful Patterns
89c

Domestic
Bleached or Brown
A very good grade
Yard 10c

CLASSIFIED ADS

CLASSIFIED RATES
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 The News is not responsible for errors made in ads except to correct same in following issue.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

BALED HEGARI and MAIZE, 45c per bale. See Howard Tunnell or Roy Appling on my place 9 miles S. E. of Tahoka. H. M. Anthony. 22-3tp

WRITE FOR NEW PRICE LIST—We are offering some wonderful "Frost Proof fruits and our prices are lower than ever. Most shrubs and shade trees as low as 15 cents. **LUBBOCK NURSERY**, Route Six, Lubbock, Texas. 48-tfc

FOR SALE—1500 bu. Half & Half Cotton Seed, Vernon variety. Has been run two years; recleaned and graded. Staple from these seed run from 7-8 to 11-16 inch. 75c per bu. L. P. Jeffreys, Tahoka, Texas. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—One car load Mebane cotton seed. Farm Bureau Gin 22-tfc

QUALLA COTTON SEED for sale at 75c per bu. First come, first served 2 mi. NE Tahoka. E. J. Cooper. 24-tfc

PLANTING COTTON SEED—I have several hundred bushels of pure Mebane and Kash seed for sale. Also I have some seed I raised last year from pure Mebane seed. This cotton ginned 40 percent lint and had 15-16 inch staple. I. M. Draper. 22-tfc

FOR TRADE—For city property or for farm anywhere on the Plains, 358 acres of land in Terrell country. See Jim Wetzel. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—Sweet Milk, per qt., 10c; butter milk, per gal., 20c; butter, per lb., 40c. E. J. Cooper, Phone No. 901F. 19-tfc

SPECIAL NURSERY OFFER
 Beginning Saturday, February 23, for ten days, we will sell 4 to 5 ft. 2 year old Peach, Apple, Plum and Cherry trees in leading varieties; adapted to this country at \$4.00 per dozen; 2 year monthly roses in fifteen leading kinds and colors \$3.00 per doz.; nice grape vines \$1.50 per dozen.

You will save money on your Evergreens, Chinese Elms, Flowering Shrubs and other items by coming direct to the Nursery and seeing what you want to buy.
BROWNFIELD NURSERY
 Brownfield, Texas

HALF & HALF Cotton Seed for sale. Raised one and two years, direct from Georgia, \$1.60 and 80c. W. L. Gardenshire, O'Donnell. 26-4tc

FEED FOR SALE, delivered to your barn. Call 296 or see C. C. Johnson at Tahoka Wrecking Yard. 22-tfc

KASH—600 bushels of Kash cotton seed, culled and recleaned, for sale at 75 cent per bushel. L. P. Jeffreys. 27-tfc

GOOD PEDIGREED cotton seed for sale at \$1.25 per bushel. Connolly Motor Co. 26-3tc

BALED FEED for sale or will trade for heifers or milk cows. P. O. Box 931, Tahoka, Texas. 26-2tp

GREER STAPLE COTTON SEED for sale. Harley Henderson, Phone 231. 26-3tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—two residences, close in. See Don Bradley in the Court House. 26-2tp

FOR RENT—Five room stucco, all conveniences, close in J. J. Massengale. 24-tfc

FOR RENT—Nice two room house, newly papered, piped for gas; has kitchen sink and closet. In nice part of town and convenient to school. Frank Hill at News Office.

WANTED

COTTON SEED GRADING—Improves staple and makes seed plant better. Will grade your seed for the culls. Geo. S. Aikin, Box 912, Tahoka, Texas. 19-tfc

WANTED—Good smooth, gentle, young saddle pony. A. R. McGonagill. 24-tfc

LOST & FOUND

STRAYED—1' three yr. old Jersey cow, thin shape, dark neck and knees, cream colored body. Horns, 8 or 10 in. long, turn in; right one lower at point. Notify News office. 27-1tp

LOST or STOLEN—Police pup, two months old. Reward for return. Bart Cowan. 27-2tc

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—All owing for McNess products please pay to N. G. Emerson, collector, or at my residence, the first house west of Camp Max. A. J. Moore, McNess dealer. 21-tfc

NINETY DISASTERS CALL FOR RED CROSS RELIEF, AT COST OF \$1,200,000

Vice Chairman Fieser Cites Readiness to Act of National Society, Which Lessens Loss of Life—3,500 Chapters Aid in Work.

Readiness to act in an emergency, should a disaster strike, has become part of the Red Cross Chapter program in thousands of communities. The need for this training of local committees was revealed last year, when more than ninety communities required disaster relief work by the Red Cross.

As in former years, tornadoes brought the greatest damage. Twenty-four serious tornadoes occurred. Fire also took toll of life and property in twenty-four communities. Seven forest fires did great damage; eighteen areas were affected by floods, and nine storms caused heavy losses. Other disasters were cloudbursts, cyclones, epidemics, mine explosions and shipwrecks. In the insular possessions of the United States the Red Cross gave relief in twelve disasters, chiefly from hurricanes. In foreign countries relief was given by the American Red Cross in six instances of earthquakes, floods and to refugees.

The disaster relief work of the Red Cross cost \$1,208,151 last year. Statistics showed an approximate death rate of 790 persons in these disasters; buildings destroyed or damaged, 19,573; persons injured, 1,487, and persons assisted by the Red Cross, 96,872.

Through disaster preparedness of Red Cross Chapters, undoubtedly great numbers of lives were saved, and much distress and grief following the calamities was prevented, according to James L. Fieser, vice chairman in charge of domestic operations of the Red Cross.

This type of work is supported by the memberships of citizens of the United States, their volunteer contributions, and their devoted work," Mr. Fieser said.

"Every man and woman is urged to join as a member of the local Red Cross Chapter, not only to be a partner in supporting the work through his membership, but also to serve should an emergency occur."

Life Savers Numerous

More than a quarter of a million persons are entitled to wear the American Red Cross insignia, denoting they have been taught the expert life saving methods of the organization. The number enrolled to date is 272,208.

ODD BITS

The last two hundred years have strained "exceeding thin" the blue blood of royalty. Emperors and kings were quite the fashion in 1730 but today, out of a total of 59 "qualified rulers", 35 are presidents. Of kings—so-called—there remain sixteen, although the title is often merely nominal as is the case with King Victor Emmanuel of Italy.

Japan boasts the one surviving absolute monarchy and calls its ruler an Emperor. Hungary has a Regent, Russia the President of the Council, the Netherlands a Queen, Luxembourg a Grand Duchess, Estonia, a State Elder, Persia a Shah, and Danzig a High Commissioner.

Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands is the older ruler in point of service having ascended the throne in 1898. Haakon V. of Norway, holds seniority over all the kings, his accession dating from 1905. Albert I of Belgium ranks second. He was elevated to the throne in 1909. Geo. V. of England, comes third with a coronation ceremony dating back to 1910.

There are no female presidents. When they uprooted rulership by the "Grace of God" woman's chance at the highest political office was swept away.—Editorial Digest.

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Foreign Cotton Being Improved

Austin, Feb. 4—Southern cotton farmers may not generally appreciate the advantages of growing pure bred seed, but foreign growers have been quick to profit from American research, in the opinion of R. V. Miller, chief of seed certification work for the state department of agriculture.

Miller said that certified seed produced in Texas has found an increasingly large market in foreign countries, being shipped to China, Syria, Belgium, Russia, Mexico, and other countries.

He called attention to the fact that countries showing the greatest interest in the work being done toward purification of strains in Texas also were the countries whose cotton has shown an increasingly higher quality over a period when the American product was showing a lower quality, according to charts of the federal government.

A fourth of the American crop of 1929 was unexportable on contract, Miller said, which means the staple was less than 7-8 inch.

Farmers may know whether their cotton seed has passed state standards by the bright red tag which certified seed growers use.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are candidates for office at the city election to be held Tuesday, April 7, 1931:

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Tomatoes 8c
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No. 1 Can, 2 for
Pineapple 27c Oranges doz 19c

Crushed or Sliced
 Everlite 20 lb. Sack
Meal 49c P'nut Butter 33c

Shorts, sk. \$1.19

SOAP P. & G. 33c
 10 BARS—

Baking Powder 25 oz. Can
K. C. 19c Bran, sack \$1.09

Coffee 36c
 MAXWELL HOUSE 1 POUND CAN—

Market Specials
 Pure Pork Pound Best Grade Pound
SAUSAGE 15c SALT PORK 17c
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BEEF 10c SALT JOWLS 12c
PORK CHOPS 17c PIG LIVER 10c
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OATS, White Swan, lge. pkg. 19c

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Crackers 25c P'nut Butter 78c

PINTO BEANS CHOICE RECLEANED 48c
 10 POUNDS—

Choice Grade Dried 2 1/2 lbs DRY SALT Pound
Apricots 39c Bacon 14c

Breg Rabbit Gallon Solid Pack Gallon Can
Syrup 74c Peaches 53c

LAUNDRY SOAP LUNA WHITE 29c
 10 BARS—

Standard, No. 1 can, 4 for California, size 2 1/2's Dozen
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Famous Brand 48 lb. Sack Small Winesaps Dozen
Flour \$1.05 Apples 22c