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LIONS' FROLIC IN NEW \$80,000 HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

News Big Circulation Campaign Drawing to End; Last Chance Near

With several of the leading candidates so closely grouped in their race for the Essex Coach and One Hundred Dollars in Gold, it would be hard indeed for anyone to make a guess as to who would be the happy winner on Saturday, August 31st, in

Relative Standing of Candidates
Miss Marie McClister...289,000 Votes
Mrs. Neva Shaver.....287,000 Votes
Miss Elaine Yancy.....279,000 Votes

fact, any candidate in the race can win if they will. Up to Tuesday, August 27th, a special bonus of 50,000 extra credits will be given with each \$40.00 worth of subscriptions earned in, and the last days of the campaign positively no extra credits will be given.

Now or Never

These are the big days—the most important days of the campaign, for it is during these final days that the candidates will put forth their utmost efforts with the result that they will secure a total of subscriptions and credits that they did not think possible and it is this extra effort that will decide the future ownership of the Essex Coach and \$100.00 in gold.

Candidates who have been going at the work "hammer and tongs" fashion since the campaign started and have reasons to believe that they are among the leaders, will now put a bit more vim into their work, if that is possible, and will add many thousands to their credit total before the campaign closes. Those candidates who have not accomplished the results they are capable of seeing the end is so near, will go to the task with a spirit of firm determination, and some of those who are well down on the list may find themselves in good position to win one of the prizes.

Now for the final efforts of the candidates—the effort that will determine their right to the wonderful prizes offered. Every candidate is urged to work hard during these all important decisive days. There's a new Essex Coach worth \$885.00 at stake. Your friends are looking to you—you promised yourself and them that you would win. And you must win.

When you drive around the streets in a new Essex Coach won by utilizing your spare time, you will find yourself the center of an admiring

Three Cows Eat 300 Pounds Grain

How much grain can one cow eat at one helping? Arthur Gregg, who lives a short distance north of the city, can probably answer the question.

Last Tuesday night week two of his dairy cows and a heifer gained access to a feed bin, and by morning had consumed three hundred pounds of ground barley and wheat, with result of one dying and the other two being left in critical shape. Vocational agriculture teacher, W. M. Gourley, was called to give them relief, but one developed severe case of bloat and died. The other cow and heifer are slowly recovering.

In all similar cases, advises Mr. Gourley, where livestock consumes an abnormal amount of concentrated feed, water should be refused them as water mixed with the feed produces fermentation and gases immediately, and death will follow unless relief is given at once.

Linseed oil is preferred to salts, states Mr. Gourley, as a purgative, and chloral hydrate should be administered, one ounce to a quart of water to reduce formation of gas. Gags should be placed in the mouth and a cold, wet cloth kept over the animal's sides.

Plans underway for establishment of airport here.

Big Reception Held by Clubs Of Francis Folks

SUNSHINE AND BUSY WORKERS CLUB, UNIQUE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE COUNTY, HELD JOINT MEETING IN A. M. ALLRED HOME FRIDAY NIGHT.

Members of the Sunshine Club and the Busy Workers Club of the Francis community held a delightful joint reception for their husbands, friends, and visitors Friday night, August 16, at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allred, with eighty-five present.

A fine program was rendered, including a short play, "Cinnamon Buns." There were also talks by Prof. Martin, principal of the Francis school, and W. M. Gourley, vocational agriculture teacher of the Silvertown school, on the subject of Rural Leadership and Rural Cooperation.

Refreshments of twelve gallons of ice cream and fourteen large layer cakes were served to the happy party. The lawn of the Allred home was brilliantly lighted, and seats were arranged on the outside. They played was given on the front porch of the home.

The Sunshine and Busy Workers clubs were organized in May, and are composed of the ladies and young girls in the community. They have been holding regular weekly meetings, and much practical work in sewing and canning has been accomplished by the members. After the opening of the school in September, these clubs will function in connection with the school and will cooperate with the scholastic work.

So far as is known these are the only rural clubs for women and girls in county. The Sunshine Club, composed of married women, is officered by Mrs. Carl Wimberly, president, and Mrs. Johnnie Young, secretary. The Busy Workers Club, made up of young girls, is lead by Miss Mo-dene Jasper, president, and Miss Lois Brown, secretary.

The Francis community is one of the outstanding rural districts in Briscoe county, and the South Plains as well, and is noted for progressive-ness of its citizenship and for its community pride. Their efforts and accomplishments might well serve as an example to all the districts of the county.

Boys Show Success In Certified Oats

Heavier Yield and Uniformity Are Two Merits of Certified Seed Found Over Native Grain.

The value of certified oats can be seen this year as results of projects by boys of the vocational agriculture class, who last year imported the seed. In cases where they were not hailed out entirely, these oat fields showed two important merits over native seed.

In the first instance, the oats were of a better color and were heavier; that is, had a higher test weight a bushel. And next, the stalks were much more uniform in height, and the size of the heads were uniformly matured.

Among the students making outstanding successes were Arlon Donnell, Joe Brooks, and Obra Watson. Nathan Montague also had good oats and barley, but owing to the devastating hail he is unable to show their near merits as a matured product.

LADIES—FALL STYLES ARRIVE

Fall styles have come to Silvertown, say our drygoodsmen, and elsewhere in this paper you are told about what you can find here and why you should visit your own home market first. Trade at home and build a prosperous county.

Levelland—West Side Barber Shop changed hands.

Silvertown Has Two Fire Losses Monday Morning

ROBERTS GRAIN COMPANY'S ELEVATOR BURNED FOR SECOND TIME THIS YEAR WITH HEAVY LOSS; SOUTH SIDE BUSINESS DISTRICT HAS FIRE IN SHOE SHOP.

The elevator of Roberts Grain Co., is again a smoldering ruins as result of a fire early Monday morning. The alarm was turned in at 3 o'clock, but by that time the blaze had broken through the windows of the top and the interior was a solid flame. The loss is estimated over \$10,000, according to R. F. Pruitt, manager, who stated that about three carloads of grain were stored in the building. Insurance was carried in the Miller's Mutual, said Mr. Pruitt.

No cause for the fire has been determined. The blaze evidently started on or near the ground floor and ate its way upward undetected, shielded by the sheetiron walls. When first noted fire was flashing through the top, and shortly afterwards the structure caved-in, as if gutted from top to bottom.

Mr. Pruitt was visiting in New Mexico when the property burned, returning home Monday at noon. The Company lost its elevator last January on the same site through a fire of unknown origin. The building was replaced in time to handle the wheat harvest in June and July. Mr. Pruitt has no information as to the plans of the company for rebuilding, he said.

KEMP SHOE SHOP ALSO BURNED.

At six o'clock Monday morning, three hours following the elevator fire alarm, the fire department was called out to suppress a blaze in the Kemp shoe shop on the south side of the square. The frame structure, owned by Jeff Gunter, was ruined, and repair machinery of Mr. Kemp was damaged by the heat with no insurance carried. Mr. Gunter stated he was unable at present to announce any rebuilding plans.

R. L. McKinney, 77, Texas Pioneer, Dies

R. L. McKinney, age 77 years and eight months to the day, was buried here last Friday with Silvertown Undertaking company in charge. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church, with Rev. W. M. Draper, Baptist pastor of Quitaque, holding the last sad rites.

Deceased was born in Alabama, December 15, 1851, and died at his home here August 15, 1929. He had been in the Panhandle for about nine years. Mr. McKinney came to Texas over fifty years ago, settling in Collins county, later moving into north-west Texas.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters and three sons: Mrs. E. L. Cochran of Tulsa, Mrs. R. M. Roberts of Amarillo, R. H. McKinney, Amarillo, and Dell and Mac McKinney of Silvertown.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bain have returned from a motor trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

Chas. W. Ferguson and wife of Crowell were recent visitors of his mother here, Mrs. M. D. Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson was taking his vacation, visiting Little Rock and Hot Springs, Ark.

J. H. Hopkins and family of Chillicothe are visiting his father-in-law, J. D. Bingham.

Mark Morris was pleasant caller at the J. M. Clayton home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberson and children are visiting relatives in Wichita Falls.

Silvertown Lions Club To Stage Entertaining Program for Occasion

The big social event of next week will be in the new \$80,000 high school building, and everybody in the county is invited, urgently requested to be present and join the Lions and citizens of Silvertown independent school district, in their first entertainment in the community's most imposing edifice.

The day has been set as Tuesday, Aug. 27, and the hour 8:30 o'clock in the evening. The doors of the

Castleberry Buys Stephens' Toggery

Merger Effected, and Puts on Big Sale of the Consolidated Stocks, Beginning Saturday.

A. R. Castleberry, recent purchaser of the McClister Dry Goods store, announces this week the purchase of the Toggery from I. A. Stephens, and the consolidation of the Toggery stock in his present location on the west side of the square.

In the merging of the two stocks of goods, Mr. Castleberry has a full store, and in order to commemorate the event has announced a consolidation and clean-sweep sale beginning Saturday to run for a period of eight days. Details of the sale are found in his advertisement.

"I am staging a clean, genuine bona-fide sale," said Mr. Castleberry, "backed up with good merchandise. The stock is tagged and marked for your convenience. My store is crowded with great money saving opportunities. The Toggery stock was bought at a sacrifice, and I am passing on to you the big reduction in these goods. Come in and be convinced. There has not been a sale like this for many a day, and you will agree with me when it opens Saturday morning."

J. R. Foust Goes As Armour Manager

Effective Thursday, Armour Creameries announce the securing of J. R. Foust as local manager of their house here. Mr. Foust has been operating the Silvertown Produce Company, which he closes to accept the position with Armour's, remaining in its old stand.

Briscoe County Has Fine Quality Fruit

Elberta Peach Crop on John Fort Farm Equals Products in Texas Peach Belt.

Among the orchards in the county showing fine quality of fruit is that found on the John G. Fort farm, recently purchased by J. F. Cowsar. Specimens of the peaches grown on this farm were brought in Sunday by Mr. Fort and turned over to W. M. Gourley, vocational agriculture teacher. These specimens were as large in size and as good in quality as would be found in the best peach belt of Texas.

The peaches are the Elberta variety and the trees are heavily loaded. It is expected that exhibits of these peaches will be on display at the Briscoe County Fair, October 11 and 12. An effort will be made to can them whole in order to show the size of the fruit.

Happy — First Baptist Church erected auditorium.

Lamesa — Telephone Company changed to new system.

Dimmitt — \$100,000 high school building completed here.

Wink — Streets paved here replacing board walks.

building will be opened at 7:30 so that visitors may view the magnificent interior of this great educational institution.

The Lions club has prepared the following program, composed of spirited musical numbers and brief talks, seriousness sprinkled liberally with levity, suited for its house-warming or open house party, a frolic for a jolly time to all guests.

Program

Toastmaster—District Deputy W. C. Davis.

Invocation—Lion Brotherton.

Welcome Address—Boss Lion Coffee.

Song—Lions.

Talk—Lion Ernest Tibbets.

Piano Trio—Marguerite and Eloise Morgan and Mrs. Bland Burson.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. T. L. Miller.

Talk—Lion C. R. E. Weaver, Supt.

Popular Selections—Morgan Trio.

Song—Lion Ned Baird.

Antics—Tail Twister and Lion Tamer.

Piano Solo—Mrs. W. M. Gourley.

Closing Talk—Lion O. K. Tipps.

Song—"America," by congregation.

Missionary Zone Meeting Here Thurs.

The Missionary Zone Meeting will be held in Silvertown next Thursday, August 29, with the Silvertown Auxiliary as hostess to many visiting ladies. A program will be carried out during the day, with various auxiliaries of the zones taking part in the numbers.

HAYLAKE

Robert London and aunt, Mrs. Austin London and Clarence Redding are visiting relatives and friends in Hill county.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Wheelock and son, R. D. are visiting their old home near Decatur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Newman left last Tuesday for a visit to their old home at Hagerman, New Mexico.

Mrs. Alice Baker of Silvertown visited Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Baker several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard and Mrs. Page visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks Saturday evening.

Misses Louree and Sylvia Burson visited in Clarendon last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Vaughan have returned from an extended visit over the South Plains country. They visited in Sudan, Lubbock, Lamesa, Big Springs and Stanton. Mrs. Vaughan's brother, J. L. Kitchens came home with them.

C. A. Grewe is building three more rooms to his house.

Jim Brook's new home is nearing completion. We need more good homes.

Mrs. Rampley and Miss R. E. Cornett visited Mrs. Fred Buchanan last Thursday.

A. T. Brooks and family returned Monday from a week's visit among relatives in New Mexico.

Miss Helen Lawler of Panhandle spent last week visiting with Miss Faydene Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welch and Mrs. J. C. Welch visited at Lamesa last week.

Johnnie McClendon of Hereford visited homefolks Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. O. Riddle left Monday for Ft. Sumner New Mexico, to attend a family reunion at the home of their oldtime friend, J. W. Cowart.

Misses Helen Lawler and Faydene Lee visited Miss Althea Brown of Silvertown Thursday night.

J. H. McClendon visited in the Folie community the first of the week.

Fred Dudley and Wade Welch left Sunday for a visit with friends in Texas City.

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UNDER THE COURT HOUSE DOME

Marriage License Henry Watson and Miss Mary Thompson.

Deaths

Joe Lee Ferguson of Haskell county to J. D. Seal, East 1-2 Section 79, Block M-10; \$9,600.

Kate R. Price, Dorn McMurtry, A. D. McMurtry, J. C., J. D., R. B. Burleson to W. E. Burleson, Cation 48, 42, 49, and N. W. 1-4 Section 44, Blk. B-2; \$100.

W. S. Derr of Johnson county to J. W. Crosier, 41 acres out of C. C.

Classified Advertising

BUYING OR SELLING - THEY GET RESULTS

RATES—Two (2) Cents per word for the first insertion; One (1) Cent per word for each insertion thereafter. Minimum, 25c per insertion.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — 320-acre sheep Ranch, west of Magdalena, New Mexico. Good improvements. Price \$2,000. Terms. Further information write J. H. Saul, Box 351, Los Angeles, Texas. 9:30 p.

COME—to Burson Motor Co., for a good reconditioned used car for the kiddies to go to school in. We are going to give you a dollar's value for your dollar. 8:22

See Mrs. A. L. Meredith for ROOM and BOARD, northeast part of city. 8:22p.

WANTED—To trade. Best 60 acres dairy and chicken farm in county, 2 1-2 miles of Sherman for farm near Silverton. Bob Richardson, City Cafe, Sherman Texas, 9:5p.

Special For Sale

A leading piano manufacturer has in this vicinity a Grand and an Upright Piano, they will sell cheap for cash or on terms to responsible parties, rather than reship to our factory. These pianos are perfectly new and of the latest designs and can be bought at a bargain.

DEPT. C. P. O. BOX 1041 Chicago, Ill. 8:29



Give Your Live Stock Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders

An efficient tonic, appetizer, conditioner and regulator. FREE Sample package of Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders and Dr. LeGear's Stock Book to the first 50 persons bringing this coupon to our store.

"IT PAYS TO PAY CASH" BOMAR DRUG CO. REGISTERED DRUGGISTS

ANTELOPE

Mrs. Henry Edens is home after a visit with relatives near Grandbury, Texas.

Mrs. Dan Dean and son, Dan Nelse, returned home Wednesday night from Denton, where they attended a family reunion of the Salmons family.

Roy Hickman of Silverton was a pleasant visitor at the home of his brother, Albert, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Elmer Sanders is home after a three weeks stay at the Modern Health Home at Abilene.

M. L. Durham entertained the young folks with a party Tuesday night. Mrs. W. F. Durham and Mrs. J. R. Mullis acted as chaperones.

Elmer Sanders and family were shopping in Lakeview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Mullis made a trip to Silverton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nobles of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bullock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hobbs of Alva, Oklahoma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Salmons of Brice visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvis Graves are the proud parents of a newly arrived baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans entertained the young folks with a dance Saturday evening.

Quite a few were present at church services conducted by Rev. C. B. Ingram of Clarendon Sunday.

First Cotton Bale

V. J. Young took a bale of cotton to gin Monday evening. The cotton was raised on the D. W. Evans farm and was the first bale to be picked in Antelope this year.

Agriculture Teachers Met In Floydada

Vocational agriculture teachers of the South Plains section met Wednesday in Floydada for a discussion of project work and annual teaching plans. W. M. Gourley attended, representing the Silverton high school. Other schools represented were Tulia, Ralls, Abernathy, Matador, Lockney, and Floydada. This is the first meeting of the kind by the school agricultural department of this section.

Deer Preemption and E. Birch Preemption; \$1230.

W. M. Amason to Robert L. Amason, South 1-2 Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 32, Silverton; \$810.00.

Robert L. Amason to W. M. Amason, lot 7, east 1-2 lot 8, block 85, Silverton; \$150.

J. M. Wise to J. T. Ray, 16 acres out of N. W. Section 31, Block 3; \$1200.

FRANCIS

A Revival is in progress at this place. Rev. Shaw of Whitfield is the Evangelist. Everyone has a hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allred were dinner guests in the U. D. Brown home Sunday.

Mrs. P. D. Jasper underwent an operation at the Plainview Sanatorium Saturday. She isn't doing so well at this writing, however, we hope she may be able to come home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin have returned from a trip in the eastern parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Young and daughter were afternoon callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Montague of Lakeview community, Sunday.

Hav Mayo of Oklahoma is visiting in the John Bradford home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Strange, his brother, Silas and wife were dinner guests in the Bryan Strange home Sunday.

The ladies of this community are very busy canning fruits and vegetables of all sorts.

Mrs. S. E. Rush was a caller in the John Bradford home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jones spent Sunday night in the U. D. Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pool motored to Plainview Tuesday.

NORTH ROUTE

Miss Gladys Olive was a guest of Miss Opal Johnson Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs W. S. and Charlie Morris motored to Dill City, Okla. last Thursday, returning home Monday. They report a enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watters were callers in the J. N. Pitts home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie of Cleburne, old-time friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson surprised them with a visit in their home last Wednesday.

Mr. Purdy and children spent the day Sunday in the Mark Jordan home.

Mrs. W. S. Morris and sons, Billy and Bobby are spending a few days with relatives in Amarillo now.

The families of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clayton spent an enjoyable time Monday evening in a favorite spot on the North Canyon with fishing and eating the main feature.

Mr. Kilser made a trip to Knox Co. last week.

Reports from lots of the sight-seers in different directions are that droughty weather prevails with very short crops generally. A good rain would be greatly appreciated here, as the row crops are suffering severely and burning up fast.

ROCK CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. O. Mulder and son, Arby were callers in the C. M. Chappell home Sunday afternoon.

Hazle Chappell spent Saturday night with Viola Jones.

Jewel McCain spent Saturday night with Ruby McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones and children were bed time guests in the W. W. Reid home Saturday night.

Viola and Frances Jones and Jewel

See This New WHITE STAR and PREFERENCE GAS RANGE

The more pride you take in your kitchen, the more need you have for this new gas range. It is made of Armco Ingot Iron covered with three coats of gleaming white porcelain—has all of the latest improvements—cleans with a damp cloth in a jiffy.

The Low Price Will Amaze You

Come! See this newest style range. It will win your praise for beauty, strength and cleanliness—and the low price will amaze you.

See It Today

SOUTH PLAINS LUMBER CO. Silverton, Texas

McCain and Ruby McDaniel were Mildred and Hazle Chappel guest Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCain and family spent Sunday in the Elmer McCain home.

Billie McDaniel spent Sunday with Clifford Jones.

John Estell McCain day night with Marvin Mr. and Mrs. John T. McCain children and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. McCain were callers in the Alvin Dudley home Sunday.

There will be a Revival Meeting start at this place Sunday morning.

Advertisement for Zane Grey's 'THE WATER HOLE' featuring Jack Holt and Nancy Carroll. Includes showtimes: SAT. & MON., August 24 - 26 at the Palace Theatre.

Advertisement for Farmers Produce Company. Text: 'We are Opening up a Produce House of our own in Silverton. OPENING SATURDAY AND WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS. Best of Service and Courtesy to All! Highest Market Prices CALL AND SEE US! FARMERS PRODUCE COMPANY J. B. CASTLEBERRY (At Old Silverton Produce Company Stand)'

Advertisement for Armour Creameries. Text: 'Oyez! Oyez! Poultry, Egg and Cream Producers of Briscoe County—SELLING TO US MEANS HIGHEST CASH PRICES TO YOU. J. R. FOUST, Manager. Armour Creameries (Formerly Farmers Produce Co.) SILVERTON, TEXAS'

Advertisement for Stevenson & Kirk. Text: 'FIRE--- Can destroy the savings of a lifetime in a few minutes. It happens when you least expect it, else it would not. Protect Your Home by Insuring at Once With— Stevenson & Kirk Real Estate — Insurance Office 2nd Floor of Court House. Our Motto:—"COURTESY — SERVICE — INTEGRITY"'

Large advertisement for Phillips 66. Features an image of an airplane and text: 'Phillips 66 The AIR was the testing ground In August, 1927, Art Goebel fueled an airplane with Phillips gasoline and flew from San Francisco to Honolulu—2600 miles in 26 hours—to win the \$25,000 Dole prize. In Phillips 66 you get this famous air-tested gasoline adapted for use in modern high compression motors. Phillips 66 is a gasoline of controlled volatility—starts easily, always— is full of pep—accelerates quickly—has abundant power—gives remarkable mileage—yet costs no more than ordinary gasoline. Try it. Phill-up with Phillips John F. Lewis, Dealer Silverton, Texas'

BOY SCOUT CAMP STARTS AUG. 20

Two Hundred Boys of District Expected at Holmes Creek Camp Near Quitaque.

A host of boys, members of Boy Scout troops of the Plainview district, are in attendance at the annual Scout Camp on Holmes Creek, near Quitaque, according to E. L. Roberts, Boy Scout executive of the district. Included in the number are several members of the Silverton and Quitaque troops.

Counsellors assisting Mr. Roberts in the the activities of the camp are especially well qualified in their various lines, the executive reports, and the boys are expected to have a profitable as well as an enjoyable, camp session.

A big swimming pool, 150 feet in length, has been prepared near the camp site, and special attention will be given this year to water sports, swimming instruction and the like.

In addition, the boys are given the usual instruction in Indian lore, bead work, archery and manual training.

A nominal charge is made scouts attending the camp.

FALL HATCH WILL BE TRIED IN SEPT.

Will Bring Fryers and Broilers on Market During Holiday Season Says Wright.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, August 20.—

For the first time since it opened for business, a fall hatch will be tried by the Quitaque Hatchery & Feed Co., according to Dave Wright, manager. The hatch will be started between the 1st and 15th of September, and chickens from the hatch should reach the frying and broiler stage in time to catch the profitable holiday markets, in Mr. Wright's opinion.

Good growth should be made by the chicks, according to Mr. Wright, as cool weather brings with it a freedom from the various diseases which usually infest the young chickens.

A representative of the Smith incubator Co. was a recent visitor at the hatchery, going over the incubator and putting everything in fine shape for the fall venture.

Texas' Story Is Being Told World

Texas is being advertised to the world as it never has been before. Not only are several of the larger cities expending thousands of dollars in advertising themselves in notable media throughout the country, but sectional groups also are being organized to help direct attention to Texas as a whole and to those sections in particular.

Thirty-six Panhandle-Plains counties are carrying on the work of the Panhandle-Plains, Incorporated, begun last year, and in even a larger way. Exhibits at fairs in the North, newspaper advertising and informative literature are being used, and the movement has the substantial backing and help of the railroads of that section.

South Texas, Incorporated, has been recently formed to promote the welfare of that part of the State, with a board of directors representing ten different sections within that area. Data are being gathered from all counties and communities interested and will be put before the people of the North and East with the purpose of selling Texas to them.

The Medicine For Pellagra

Dr. J. L. Leverett, prominent Paris, Texas, Specialist, is attracting National attention with his NEW method of treating Pellagra and certain forms of stomach trouble closely resembling Pellagra. Under a rigid test of more than 3000 patients the treatment proved to be all that was claimed. A 28 day trial treatment for \$5 and this money back if the patient is not benefitted and the patient alone is the judge. The medicine doesn't make you sick to take it. For particulars, testimonials and blank for FREE diagnosis write

DR. O. T. BUNDY

Special Attention Given to Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children.

SILVERTON, TEXAS

Six Parachute Jumpers Take Off at Once

Six parachute jumpers taking off at the same time during the Royal Air Force pageant staged at Hendon, England.



Snappy Stuff

Johua Anderson, 114, and his wife Mary, 94, of Cambellford, Ont., recently celebrated their 74th wedding anniversary.

For eight years Mrs. Dora Wilson has been a charity worker at Bakersfield, Calif., and during that time has baked 104,460 cookies.

Martha Well of Salisbury, Md., was unable to talk for two years. After a violent fit of coughing she found that her voice had returned.

Mrs. Viola Razor of Chicago asked for a divorce on charges of cruelty declaring that her husband found amusement in making her dance to the tune of pistol shots at her feet.

When Miss Lois Parchman of Chicago refused to tell bandits the hiding place of her jewels, they tortured her with glowing cigarettes until she fainted.

Flying a box kite as big as himself from the room of a factory, Milton Fisher, 12, of Brooklyn toppled back-

ward from the roof, but the kite acted as a parachute and dropped him gently to the ground.

After writing his obituary notice and addressing it to the newspapers, Joseph Boulasger, 65 of Nashua, N. H., hanged himself.

Charles Sproul of Los Angeles filed suit for divorce because his wife insisted on displaying her legs in public.

Friends affixed to the bridal car of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowman of Chicago an additional license plate reading "WE. R. 1."

F. R. West, Labor member of Parliament, will use a bicycle instead of an auto for his daily trip to the House of Commons.

Mrs. Mary Loxen of Belfast admitted she had thrown hot ashes on her husband when he refused to get up in the morning.

Harry Hill and Ada Robinson of Belfast tied their hands together to drown, but found the water too cold and abandoned their death pact.

Otto Braun of Vienna, who broke the world record for continuous piano playing, trained for the endurance feat on vegetables only.

Johua Williams, professional beggar in London, bequeathed an estate

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722 Broadway St. — Plainview

Gas Is Fuel for 14 Million Homes

More than 14,000,000 American homes are now served by gas, according to survey by the American Gas Association. The exact total, 14,560,000, is divided between manufactured and natural gas 10,830,000 for the former and 3,730,000 for the latter.

Gas has become the chief cooking fuel, the survey figures show, with approximately 13,000,000 gas ranges in service.

Coal and wood are used for cooking purposes by 8,290,000 families, second to gas. Six million use oil and 590,000 electricity.

ERNEST TIBBETS Attorney-at-Law

Office on 2nd Floor Courthouse Silverton

Let's Have Some Sidewalks in Silverton

Says everybody. Now that gas and sewer are assured, all property owners want sidewalks. They are good property investments; you enhance your values probably double what the sidewalks cost.

Easy PAYMENTS

There is a number of good concrete men in town, and we are willing to finance sidewalks for property owners on monthly payments, in order to encourage this kind of improvement.

Willson & Son Lumber Company

Silverton, Texas

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STAR TIRES

Size—All Black:	Price:
30 x 3 1-2	\$5.25
29 x 4.40	\$6.15
30 x 4.50	\$7.35
28 x 4.75	\$7.45
31 x 5.25	\$10.55

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Silverton, Texas

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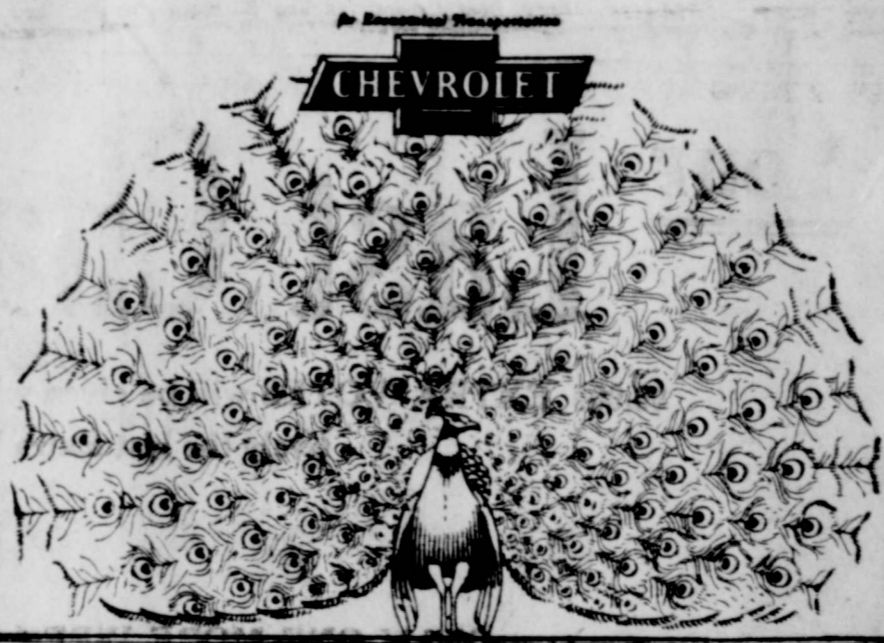
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In keeping with the progressive policies that have carried Chevrolet to record-breaking heights of success—the new Chevrolet Six is now made available in a wide variety of colors at no extra cost.

Still further enhancing the inherent beauty of the marvelous bodies by Fisher, these striking new colors give to the Chevrolet Six an order of smartness unapproached in any other low-priced car in the world.

And when you drive the Chev-

rolet Six, you will realize that its performance is equally as outstanding as its beauty. It flashes away at the traffic signal. It tops the steepest hills with an abundant reserve of power. The steering wheel responds to your slightest touch. And the quiet, non-locking, four-wheel brakes are unusually quick and positive in action.

Come in today. See this sensational Chevrolet Six which actually sells in the price range of the four.

The Roadster, \$525; The Phaeton, \$525; The Coach, \$595; The Coupe, \$595; The Sport Coupe, \$645; The Sedan, \$675; The Imperial Sedan, \$695. All prices f. o. b. factory, Flint, Mich.

COMPARE the delivered price as well as the list price in considering automobile values. Chevrolet's delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.

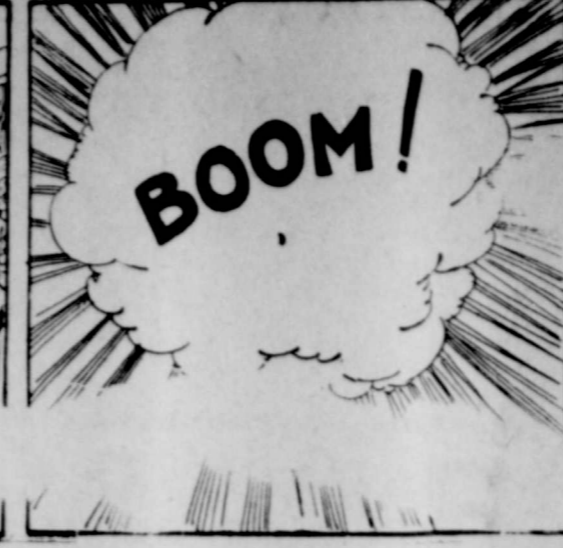
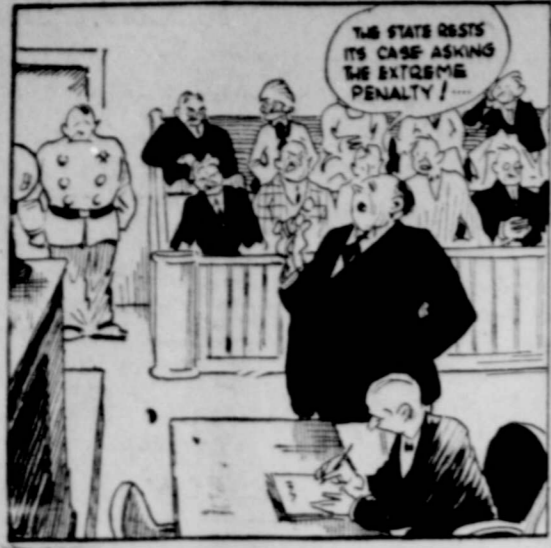
Patton Motor Company

Silverton, Texas

A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander



Us Girls Has Got Nerves

ROUND BALE GIN TO BE BUILT AT QUITAQUE

QUITAQUE'S THIRD GIN TO BE READY FOR PRESENT CROP—WORK STARTED TUESDAY—MACHINERY HAS BEEN SHIPPED.

Construction work on Quitaque's third cotton gin started on Tuesday of last week, according to B. U. Malone of Plainview, and Glenn Hafer of Quitaque, who will be associated in the new enterprise. The gin will be located directly east of the Fort Worth and Denver depot.

Four 80-saw Murray stands will give the new gin a capacity of 100 bales every 24 hours, Mr. Hafer states, adding that all machinery to be installed is brand new and has been ordered direct from the factory. When completed the gin will represent an investment of approximately \$40,000.

Both round and square bales will be turned out by the Malone-Hafer Gin, the owners state, this being the only round bale gin located in this territory. Among the advantages outlined for the round bale, Mr. Hafer mentioned that compressing was not needed, saving the farmer the compress charge, and also the weight

charge. Spinners prefer the round bale, according to Mr. Hafer.

The gin will be ready for operation by September 15th, it is expected, and the concern will also operate as buyers of cotton as well as ginners. Natural gas will be used as fuel, assurances having been received from the West Texas Gas Company that gas would be here, ready to use, by the time the gin is ready for operation.

STEAM LAUNDRY MACHINERY IS ON ROAD, SAYS G. E. JONES

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, August 20.—Machinery for the Quitaque Steam Laundry is expected to arrive in the city in the very near future, according to G. E. Jones, operator, and the laundry will be in operation within a short time. The institution is located in the building erected for Mr. Jones by O. W. Stroup on the south side of West Main Street.

TURKEY ROAD BOND ISSUE ELECTION CARRIED SATURDAY

TURKEY, TEXAS, August 20.—By an almost unanimous vote, the Turkey road district of Hall County August 10th approved a \$200,000 road bond issue. At the same time a \$150,000 issue was carried in the Estelline precinct. Proceeds of the issues will be used to hard surface Highway 18 to the Briscoe County line and to build lateral roads.

LAWYER LOCATES IN QUITAQUE

W. L. Clary, formerly of Paducah, Hangs Out Shingle—Native of Cottle County.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, August 20.—W. L. Clary, formerly of Paducah, and a native son of Cottle County, is Quitaque's only lawyer, having opened an office in the second floor of the Burgess building the first of the week.

A graduate of Harvard University in the class of 1923, Mr. Clary obtained his law degree from Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, in 1926, and has had three years' experience before state and district courts.

Active in the work of Lions Clubs,

Dr. R. F. McCasland DENTIST Nunn Building Silvertown, Texas

J. E. DANIEL ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Practice In All Courts Office on South Main St.

Mr. Clary is a past president of the club at Pecos, served as delegate at large to the Des Moines convention, and has assisted in the organization of 40 clubs throughout the state.

He is an ex-service man, having served as radio operator on the U.S.S. New Mexico during the World War.

Tulla—National Tailoring Company opened for business in old Grand Theatre building.

Ralph Buell Named On Quitaque Council

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, August 20.—

Passage of an ordinance providing for the manner in which gas piping shall be done within the city limits occupied the major portion of the meeting of the city council. Resignation of O. C. Arthur as a

member of the council was accepted at last meeting, and Ralph Buell appointed by the council to fill his unexpired term of office. Mr. Arthur immediately entered upon his duties as city secretary.

Miles—Rock building on Robinson street being rebuilt and redecorated for occupancy by new dry goods store in the future.

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Your Last Chance for Extra Votes \$0,000 EXTRA VOTES will be given with each \$40.00 turned in up to Tuesday, August 27th, 7 p. m., this is positively the last Extra Vote offer that will be made during the Campaign. WAKE UP ONLY ONE MORE WEEK and some lady will receive a new Essex Coach Value \$855.00. WHO'LL BE THE HAPPY WINNER? First Grand Prize, New Model Essex Coach---Fully Equipped---Purchased of Tony Burson Motor Company---Value \$855.00 SECOND PRIZE \$100 in Gold EVERYBODY WINS All non prize winners will be paid a cash commission of ten percent on all money turned in. All to Gain! Ambitious, Energetic Ladies by utilizing their spare time for the next four weeks have a wonderful opportunity to win a new Essex or \$100.00 in Gold. NO CHANCE TO LOSE! The Campaign is Now Open, and Positively Closes Aug. 31 THIS IS THE SHORTEST CAMPAIGN OF ITS KIND ON RECORD

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

The Woman's Home Page

CHURCH AND CLUB

Surprise Farewell Party for Bufords Social Feature

Preceding the leaving of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Buford for Lelia Lake, their future home, the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright was thrown open to the young Presbyterian matrons for a farewell entertainment in honor of Mrs. Buford Monday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. T. M. Nichols received the guests at the door. Mrs. Fred Lemons ushered them into the receiving rooms, or to the guest-boog where Mrs. John Bain presided as registrar. Mrs. O. T. Bundy and Miss Jo Hayness arranged the gifts. Mrs. Gourley at the piano, and Miss Evelyn Kolb with her violin, entertained with a delightful little musical.

Presently Mrs. Buford stopped in to get her sister and Mrs. Wright to join her in attending a meeting with Mrs. Nichols—and as she entered the house "the meeting" greeted her. Immediately her daughter, Josephine Daniel with her young bunch—Christine Bundy, Wanda King and Gladys Murphy, entered dressed as a "section gang." Signaling with their lanterns they called: "Next stop, Lelia Lake! Transfer car 285 to the Fort Worth & Denver." A miniature box car, number 285, and a flat car were switched down the line, and came to full stop before "Miss Mary". The cars were loaded with many useful articles for the new house keeping enterprise.

The refreshment committee: Mrs. Walter Lee Bain, Mrs. Elmer Allard, Mrs. John Bain, Mrs. Bruce Burleson, and Mrs. Guy Whitacre served delicious sandwiches, Oriental fruit punch and cakes; Mrs. Jim Daniel, Misses Jonnie Bundy and Elva Wright helped in serving. The plate favors were golden-glow, blossoms symbolic of the bright future which the Bufords' friends wish for them. The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary and a few old-time friends were present for the occasion.

Mrs. W. L. Jewett Entertained Guests

Mrs. W. L. Jewett entertained this week her sisters, Mrs. B. A. Smith and family of Oklahoma City, Mrs. C. E. Herrington and daughter of Dallas, and Guy Smith and family of Greenville.

After spending a few days in the home here, Messrs. B. A. Smith and sons, B. A., Jr. and Dempsey, and Guy Smith, accompanied by Mr. Jewett left on a motor trip to El Paso, over into Old Mexico, and on their return visited Carlsbad Caverns and other points in New Mexico.

Approximately \$8,000,000 appropriated by Highway Commission for maintenance of Texas Highways for next fiscal year which starts September 1st, according to State Engineer Gibb Gilchrist.

Muleshoe—50,000 pounds of wool shipped from neighboring ranches in one carload recently.

Miles—Miles Public School building being redecorated.

POULTRY FOR SALE

About 200 breeding hens, Johnson stock, 300 to 350 egg strain, about 100 master bred yearling breeders White Leghorn. About 30 selected Hoffman's best grade Cockerels. Come and see them. A bargain if sold at once. Terms if desired, Dr. J. J. Breaker

Trench Mouth Healed

Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy heals worst cases if used as directed. It is not a mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee.

SILVERTON DRUG COMPANY

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the good people of Silvertown and community for their assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father, R. L. McKinney. We ask the rich blessings of Him who gives and takes away for all these kind friends and

consolation for their every sorrow.

—Mrs. R. L. McKinney and Family

Estelline—\$6,000 bond issue approved to provide funds for erection of city hall, fire station and pail.

Tulia—Work started on Tullia Bank building extension and also remodeling.

PALACE THEATRE

—SILVERTON, TEXAS—

SAT. & MON., AUGUST 25 & 26

Jack Holt and Nancy Carroll, In—

"The Water Hole"

Depicted in Technical Colors.

TUES. & WED., AUGUST 27 & 28

Wm. Haines and Lionel Barrymore, In—

"Alias Jimmie Valentine"

Notorious Safe Cracker at Work

THURS. & FRI., AUGUST 29 & 30

William Powell and Louise Brooks, In—

"The Canary Murder Case"

Baffles Police—Arouses the Public —Famous Detective Story.

"New Gulf Breeze Cooling System"

ALSO MATINEE EVERY SATURDAY Starting at 2 o'clock Admission 10c & 25c



W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D.

sick. I especially want you to write for my booklet.

Mrs. J. B. Massey of Odessa, Texas, Box 112, whose picture appears here, writes: I wish to thank you very much for restoring my health from one of the most dreadful, miserable diseases that anyone can have. I was in bad health for several years, under care of Doctors for three years. I do not think I could have lived much longer. I am in better health today than for several years; weigh more than I ever did in my life. I believe I am rid of an awful disease that the other Doctors failed to cure. FOR FREE DIAGNOSIS AND LITERATURE WRITE: W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D. AUSTIN, TEXAS



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Money Spent—in Silvertown helps to build a prosperous community. You will profit thereby.

Have Come to Silvertown

Why Go Elsewhere?

for your clothing, dry goods and notions, when your own home town has the same access as other cities and firms, to the best the market affords. Buy it in Silvertown. Your own interest calls for it.

Come Shopping

AT HOME—Take off a few hours, and visit Silvertown's dry goods stores on a sightseeing trip. Let us show you our stocks,

what we have brought to Silvertown for your approval. You will be surprised. "See Silvertown's Markets First." We welcome your visits always.

Complete Styles Here

How well Silvertown is able to serve you in the matter of supplying your fall and winter wardrobe needs is but partially told by the following items. A visit here will prove most interesting inasmuch as it will prove to you that you can and do get more actual value for your money than elsewhere. We guarantee you complete satisfaction with each and every purchase.

What You Can Buy Here

Hundreds of New Fall Silk Dresses.

Hundreds of New Fall Hats.

Hundreds of Men's New Fall Suits from the best makers the market affords.

New Fall line of men's

hats in all the new styles and shades, and the best known brands.

All the leading lines in shoes, all styles and lasts from "AAA" to "EE".

All Dry Goods shelves loaded in piece goods from 15c prints to woollens and Silks.

Sprowls-Cronin Company :- Castleberry Dry Goods Store :- Whiteside & Company

An Event of Extraordinary Importance Don't Miss It --- Our Great Consolidation and



Clean Sweep Sale

We have purchased the stock of Stephens' Toggery and have consolidated it with our store. To commemorate the event we have

mapped out an epoch making sale for Silverton. The Toggery's full line of ladies and men's apparel has been moved to our new store,

west side of square, and we have marked our goods to sell. What you have been waiting for all this summer. The more you buy, the more you save. Be here on the first day.

STARTING SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH
The Greatest Sale in Silverton's History --- Runs Through Sat., Aug 31st

FREE! The Doors Swing Open at 8 O'clock and the First Ten Ladies Entering the Store Will Be **FREE!**
Given a \$1.95 HOUSE DRESS FREE!

<p>Good Hickory Stripe Unionalls—Size 1 to 8— 49c</p> <hr/> <p>All Ladies' \$1.95 HOUSE DRESSES— 95c</p> <hr/> <p>One Lot Ladies' and Childrens Felt Hats, at— 50c</p> <hr/> <p>200 FALL HATS, At— 1-2 PRICE</p> <hr/> <p>\$1.00 Grey Work Shirts— 69c</p> <p>\$1.50 Work Shirts— 98c</p> <hr/> <p>\$1.95 Work Pants— \$1.45</p> <hr/> <p>One Lot Men's Dress Caps, \$2.00 Values— 98c</p>	<p>Ladies' Silk Dresses</p>  <p>One group of ladies Fall Dresses, g e o r g e t t e s and crepes in all the new styles and colors. Special at— \$6.95</p> <p>One group of ladies Silk Dresses, beautifully made... the very newest advanced styles. Every fashionable new color— \$12.95</p> <p>One Lot Linens, Flat Crepes, Etc. at ONE-HALF PRICE.</p>  <p>PRICES CUT TO THE BONE</p>	<p>LADIES SILK HOSE, \$1.50 & \$1.95 Values \$1.19 -- 1.49</p> <hr/> <p>ONE LOT LADIES BLOOMERS— 75c</p> <hr/> <p>Men's Dress Shirts, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Values— 98c</p> <hr/> <p>HAINES ATHLETIC UNDERWEAR— 49c</p> <hr/> <p>Entire Stock Men's Hart-Schaf. & Marx Suits 1-2 PRICE</p> <hr/> <p>Smith Smart Shoes, \$10 & \$11 Values— \$6.95</p> <hr/> <p>STORE-WIDE SALE Everything Reduced Except Stetson Hats.</p>
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