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THING
AND
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Trades Day Jan. 27th.

702 Containers in Pantry Local Home Valued At \$203

ACHIEVEMENT DAY PROGRAM HELD AT FRENCH GRAY FARM

THE 4-H PANTRY PROJECT WAS DEMONSTRATED. MRS. GRAY'S PANTRY CONTAINED 702 CANS VARIOUS ARTICLES.

One of the projects sponsored by Miss Myrtle Miller, county home demonstration agent for Martin and Midland counties has been the 4-H pantries and the ones taking part in this work, celebrated their finishing of their pantries by holding an achievement day.

Monday of this week Mr. and Mrs. French Gray, were host and hostess to the members of the Stanton club and invited guests, at their farm home west of town.

The plans were to have the luncheon spread on the lawn but owing to the sudden cold weather it was impossible. Fortunately the Gray home has a large cement basement which was converted into a dining room and where the many good things to eat furnished by the club members were spread.

The pantry in the Gray home which is constructed and shelved so that the containers fit without any lost space, and with dust-proof walls and doors, was located also in the basement. The building of this pantry was a job but not anything to compare to the filling of it with all the foods, necessary to the making of a well balanced meal. There were 702 containers in which were canned vegetables, meats, and fruits, also, cured meats, dried peas, lard and vinegar. The value is \$203.

The basement is a picturesque place, with its shelves filled with canned goods, cured hams and sacks of dried vegetables hanging from the rafters, large jars of grape juice from their own vineyards, a wonderful example of the fact that families on the farm can live at home.

This demonstration is one of the accomplished projects and is open to visitors through the year. In fact, it's the hope of the club members that anyone interested will go and view it.

After dinner was eaten the president of the Stanton club, Mrs. Laura Metcalf, called the meeting to order and the members answered to roll call by telling the number of cans they had prepared this year. Following this a program of impromptu speeches was carried out by the following being called on: Paul T. Vickers, secretary of the Midland chamber of commerce; S. A. Debnam, Rev. Sharp, J. L. Hall, president of the Stanton Service Club; Judge J. S. Lamar, Miss Myrtle Miller.

Miss Miller is an enthusiastic worker and a forceful speaker with figures at tongue's tip. She stressed the point of doing things that can be accomplished and the raising of things in Martin county that the local soil and climate will let live, sounding the key note and giving a slogan for the year to come: "Twelve grape vines on every farm in Martin county." It is now up to the citizens of Martin county to make this a fact.

This is the first achievement day in Stanton and the second in Martin county. There will be three more during 1934: Mrs. W. A. Kaderli, 4-H pantry; Mrs. Lee Eubank, wardrobe; Mrs. T. E. Mashburn, bedroom.

The members of the Stanton Service Club, were the guests of the Home Demonstration club for the lunch.

Those registering were: Mrs. J. S. Lamar, Mrs. D. E. Bloomer, Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. J. E. Moffett and Mary Sue, Mrs. J. B. Harvard and Johnny, Mrs. Nell P. Gray, Mrs. Lee Eubanks, Mrs. Belle Casey, Mrs. J. M. Adams, Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Mrs. Loy Mashburn, Mrs. Lula P. Metcalf, Mrs. T. E. Mash-

Dog Eradication Campaign Under Way

PUNK SAUERS HEADS CREW OF 13 WORKING IN COUNTY

The prairie dog eradication work carried on by the federal government as one of the CWA projects in this county, was started last week. Punk Sauers is the "top sergeant" of the men on the job, there being a crew of thirteen at work in the field this week.

Following in the wake of the poison set out last week hundreds of prairie dogs, many hawks and crows are found laid out cold in death.

The crows and the prairie dogs have been a harassing menace to the farmers and ranchmen of the county as hundreds of the black birds are seen in flocks eating on stacks of feed and plucking every sprig of green vegetation that shows its head above the ground. The prairie dogs are operating on the same scale, destroying many acres of grass land on the ranches.

Next week the setting out of poisoned bait for coyotes will get under way in the county, a campaign that will be heartily received by the sheepmen and the cattlemen.

FORMER STANTON RESIDENT PASSES AWAY IN SAN ANGELO

According to a clipping from an Alpine newspaper sent to N. Kaderli, Mrs. L. H. Salter, 78, died recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Estell Yates in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Salter were residents of Stanton for a number of years, Mr. Salter being postmaster here for eight years during the Wilson administration. For ten or twelve years the Salters were neighbors of N. Kaderli on a farm just south of town.

Mrs. Yates, was married to Mr. Yates while the parents lived here. Mr. Yates is a son of Ira G. Yates, owner of the famous Yates oil pool in Pecos county.

The Salters had been residents of Alpine for several years, where Mr. Salter died in February 1932.

CLYDE E. THOMAS MAKES FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT FOR OFFICE DISTRICT JUDGE.

Clyde E. Thomas, a prominent attorney of Big Spring, authorized the Reporter to make a formal announcement of his candidacy for the office of District Judge of the 70th Judicial District.

A full announcement will appear in the Reporter at a later date.

MRS. GILBERT GRAVES RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Gilbert Graves returned Saturday to the Big Spring hospital where she will have to submit to further treatment.

It was understood that she was not responding to the operation just recently undergone as first hoped.

CWA PAYROLL AMOUNTED TO \$4,000 LAST WEEK

LAST week there were 369 men working on the various CWA projects in Stanton and Martin county and the payroll amounted to \$4,000. From CWA officials comes the report there will be as many men, if not more, employed this week, which means the largest payroll so far to be paid out.

Including the month of December there has been \$17,000 paid out of the CWA fund for labor in this county. This sum has been paid out during a period of seven weeks.

Sunday was the first breathing spell the officials in the County Administrator's office have had since starting to work. It has required night and day work. Sundays included, for the officers to keep up the work.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SPRINGS SURPRISE IN THEFT TRIAL

WITNESS FURLOUGHED FROM PENITENTIARY GIVES TESTIMONY THAT RESULTS IN CONVICTION OF ACCUSED.

(Special To Reporter)

Big Spring, Jan. 18.—In the district court now in session for Howard county, the following cases have been disposed of:

Mrs. Mary Weaver et al vs. Caprito et al, damages. Defendants' plea of privilege to be sued in Stephens county, denied by jury.

Howard A. Reid et ux vs. Magnolia Building and Loan Association, suit to cancel deed of trust on homestead. Verdict for the defendant.

State of Texas vs. Herman Sanders, robbery with firearms:

This was a companion case to one tried at the last term of court here, at which time Oliver Bruce, indicted jointly with Herman (Pee Wee) Sanders, was tried and given five years in the penitentiary for robbery with firearms of J. H. Lloyd of Big Spring, taking from the possession of Lloyd some \$330.00 in money and some checks. The Sanders' trial proved to be one of surprises not only to the Defense but to the spectators in the court room, it developing during the course of the trial that Bruce had been given a ten-day furlough by the Governor and was to be a state's witness against Sanders, who, at the opening of his case, had plead not guilty. Bruce took the stand in behalf of the State and testified that he and Sanders had committed the offense of robbery, telling in detail the manner in which the robbery took place. After the State had rested its case, the Defendant changed his plea of not guilty to one of guilty and, after the Defense had put on a number of character witnesses, the Defense then closed without putting on any other testimony and in the argument the District Attorney recommended to the jury that Sanders be given the same number of years as was given Bruce. This was done by the jury and Sanders was given five years confinement in the state penitentiary, which he accepted and was sentenced on the day he was tried.

District Attorney Bob Hamilton of Stanton, prosecuted the case for the State.

State of Texas vs. J. B. Rountree, theft of an automobile. Defendant plead guilty and given five years' suspended sentence.

State vs. M. L. Moore, possession and transportation of intoxicating liquor. Defendant plead not guilty. Verdict, 2 years suspended sentence.

State vs. Harve Porch, theft of automobile. Defendant plead guilty. Verdict 5 years suspended sentence.

In addition to the above, several small matters were disposed of, such as divorces.

All criminal cases now on the docket will be disposed of, it is believed, by the end of the week.

Car Registration Slow; So Poll Tax Payments

ONLY 78 MOTOR CARS REGISTERED, 215 POLL TAXES PAID

According to a statement issued from the tax collector's office, so far this year there have been 67 passenger cars and 11 trucks registered. Last year there were 691 passenger cars and 193 trucks on which licenses were paid.

The number of poll taxes that had been paid up to last Saturday night,

Continental Increases Appropriation For 1934

MONEY FOR ADVERTISING WILL SET NEW HIGH MARK

It has always been a conundrum never solved why a small business concern of any kind of dimensions that wishes to succeed in its chosen field, does not apply to its operations the same methods as the larger and more successful institutions of the country. The very essential and major important item the big business concern declares as furnishing the life-blood, is newspaper advertising. One of the big business institutions, a believer in the liberal spread of newspaper ink to acquaint the buying public with the products they have to sell is the Continental Oil Company of Ponca City, Oklahoma. The Reporter has enjoyed the past year an excellent patronage from this company, and in a letter addressed to this paper states the company has "again we have increased our appropriation for newspaper advertising."

The letter goes on to state: "For the fifth consecutive year (ever since 1929—when that well-known depression settled down upon the country) Continental Oil Company has again increased its appropriation for newspaper advertising—and the money to be spent in 1934 will set a new high in our history.

"Your newspaper has already received the schedule of advertising for the month of January," and the first advertisement appears in this issue—a cartoon by Tony Sarg—internationally known artist and marionette artist.

So many of the larger business institutions of the country confine their advertising appropriations to the daily newspapers when about 95 or 90 per cent of the buying public live in the rural sections where the country weekly circulates and but a very few copies of daily papers are taken.

It's not for a wise man only to determine that the course of the Continental Oil Company is dumping dollars out for advertising for the fun they may derive in seeing the public scramble for it. Any blind man can see and simpleton can figure out from the extent that his intellect goes, that the Continental expects and does receive good returns on every dollar spent in advertising.

While on this subject we wish to call attention to another one of the larger service company's of Texas that is a liberal user of printer's ink—paid printer's ink, at that—and that is the Texas Electric Service Company. This company advertises in both the daily and weekly newspapers in the district which they serve. The Reporter is aware that conditions under which Stanton has struggled the past year or more, the business realized out of Stanton, aside from its regular revenue, has been very small but no way lessened the advertising space given this newspaper, for which we are deeply appreciative. This company is not spending its dollars with the Reporter just to see the editor's bank account swell. They are doing it because they know there is a time coming when Stanton will be a liberal

EVERYBODY COME IT'S SWAP DAY TOO FREE AUCTIONEER

SWAPPING GROUNDS AND AUCTIONEERING WILL TAKE PLACE ON VACANT LOT NEAR MARTIN COUNTY LIBRARY.

Much interest is manifested in the coming Trades Day, Saturday, 24th in Stanton, by the newly organized Stanton Service Club. Interest is also becoming aroused among the many persons over the county who have articles to swap. It will be a mighty fine opportunity for the candidates who have announced for various offices, and others who are entertaining the proposition of entering the campaign, to come and swap yarns and see if they can't interest the voter in a trade for his vote.

Stanton will have its swapping clothes on that day, so if you have anything to trade, bring it to town. If you have anything to put up for auction, bring it—there will be an auctioneer present to offer it for sale, and his services won't cost you a thin dime.

Stanton merchants will have many bargains to offer you, and the prices will be in line, if not a little under prices the same article can be purchased in any town this side of Fort Worth.

This is the first Trades Day for Stanton in many moons, and the Stanton Service club has set the fourth Saturday in each month to hold this event. The club, whose membership includes about every business and professional man in Stanton, aims to make Trades Day the most popular event for the year.

The next meeting day of the club is February 6th. The program will be in charge of the oil interests of the town, and we expect to hear many "lubricating" speeches, as the speakers spout forth. In fact, we expect to see some of the oil men spout over the crown block.

The program committee for this oily entertainment, is composed of Willis Whitson, Horace Blocker, and Henry Hull, a trio that is saturated to the gills in selling refinery products.

So make your arrangements to be in Stanton, Saturday, January 24th. There may be a side issue such as opening a "keg of nails," one can never tell in these days of national recovery.

Orders 2,000 Baits To Poison Coyotes

THAT NUMBER OF BAITS WILL BE PLACED AROUND BAR X

Saturday of last week Earl Powell of the Bar X ranch placed his order with the Midland chamber of commerce for 2,000 baits to poison coyotes. The baits are expected to arrive next Tuesday, and will be set out around his ranch by government agents. Cecil Hamilton placed an order for 500 baits to be set out on his ranch.

Recently Powell has lost a dozen sheep by coyotes breaking through, over or under his sheep-proof fence. Last week he succeeded in running down and killing four coyotes in his pasture.

Federal agents are at work on his ranch and others, setting out poison for prairie dogs. So within the new few days the Bar X ranch will be "pizen" for coyotes and prairie dogs as well as other animals or birds that happen to swallow one of the poisoned baits.

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THE fame, the acquaintance, or whatever you may call it of this columnist is spreading ground. Last week he received a letter from the Union Pacific System, comprising the Union Pacific Railroad, the Oregon Short Line Railroad Company, the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation Company, the Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad Company, enclosing a "lucky piece" made of aluminum alloy, "the same material of which the new Union Pacific train is built—as strong as steel of the same dimensions but of only one-third the weight," is a quote from the letter.

The "lucky piece" was designed to commemorate the completion of the new high-speed, light-weight, streamlined Union Pacific passenger train.

To quote from the letter it said: "The Union Pacific is deeply appreciative of the interest which has been shown by the publishers, editors, and writers in the development and construction of this train. Its completion in January marks an epoch in transportation history. A total of 1,000,000 of these lucky pieces have been made. These will be given school children and to visitors to the train on its exhibition tour. You may be interested to know that it took five tons—10,000 pounds—of aluminum alloy to make the million lucky pieces," and to think this columnist was the lucky 9,999th person to be presented with one.

The lucky piece is the size and shape of a 50-cent piece, bearing the picture of the new streamlined train. Just what's all about the new train we are not familiar but a look on the page "The News of the Day Revealed in Pictures," will see the picture and give you some idea.

The world is getting faster and faster, and there is nothing to do about it only tune up our motivating power to a faster pitch and keep up with the procession. Airplanes are now built that skim through the air at 125 miles per hour. Automobiles, "knee action," are tripping over the terra firma at a 90 to 100-mile clip, and now we have new railway trains clicking over steel rails better than a mile a minute.

In the horse and buggy age competition was not so very keen. Rustling about for business was accomplished on foot or behind Ol Beck pulling a buggy. If it required fast transportation to get a particular business the merchant who had the fastest buggy horse, or was the fleetest on foot, got the grapes.

But when the automobile came along the fellow who had one was about to scamper off with all the business from his competitor. For instance, we remember when the first automobile hit a well known West Texas town we lived in, was purchased by a doctor. It was of the four wheel buggy type, iron tires, steered with a crank similar to the steering apparatus on a street car, and chain drive. There were several other doctors in the town younger and more advanced in the ideas of prescribing medicine and diagnosing the ailments of patients. But the old doctor of the "old range" days had accumulated a snug little fortune and he was able to purchase an automobile while his competitors looked on with a longing for the day to hasten when they could buy a car. The business of the old doctor began to grow and his territory of practice spread out into a new area. He answered a call so much faster than with a horse and buggy, and its usually the case when a fellow wants a doctor he wants him now! The younger doctors found that if they were to retain what little business they had and get back some of the lost to their aged competitor, they too, must invest in an automobile. Following the doctor's chain-drive and buggy-shaped car, came a later design, one that moved faster and was enclosed with curtains to keep out the bad weather. The young doctors secured the latest model and soon had the old doctor's practice and more besides because they could answer calls with more haste and could travel a longer distance in less time. The old doctor was soon laid on the shelf so far as practice was concerned because he could

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEES CHARGED:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Fee. Includes Congressman (\$25.00), District (15.00), County (10.00), Precinct (5.00).

The following candidates have announced for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934:

For Congressman 19th Congressional District:

ARTHUR P. DUGGAN of Littlefield

For District Judge 7th Judicial District:

CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH (Re-Election)
CLYDE E. THOMAS

For District Attorney 70th Judicial District:

CECIL C. COLLINS

For County Judge:

J. S. LAMAR

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor:

J. F. WILLINGHAM

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never see his way clear to get out of the chain-drive car class—a class entirely too slow for the times. The same illustration applies today to various lines of business. The modern plan to follow to regain business that has been lost or to retain business and gain more, is advertising. The merchant locates in a town among the older heads in the same line of business employing the chain-drive method. He comes with a late model vehicle for getting business. He makes use of it while his competitors rely on the old chain-drive method to bring them in their business. The result, the new merchant soon commences to do a thriving business and secures much of the business that went to the chain-drive fellows. His late model vehicle rushes his business to the very firesides of all the homes

in the community, and that vehicle of the latest model type, is the home town newspaper, transporting his advertising.

Towns are placed in the same category. Some of them have been using the chain-drive method of non-advertising so long that it seems they cannot loosen itself and get in the late model bandwagon. Today, those towns are suffering acutely for the want of business. In keeping abreast of the times neighbor towns apply the latest model methods of doing business and they get their wants and desires at the very doorsteps of the people in the trading area. The chain-drive merchants become puzzled over the loss of business, and the town standing still. This sad omen can be attributed to nothing more than the town persists in pitting its old chain-drive method of moving along at a snail's pace, without cooperation from the business interests, against the late fast-moving vehicle—advertising—that has a rapid pickup and gets up and goes after business in a constructive way.

Those towns will have to get out of the chain-drive method of doing business. If they don't the towns whose merchants and business men are traveling in the late model vehicle, will leave them to eat their dust.

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burn, Mrs. Estelle Gray, Mrs. Allen Mashburn, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. W. A. Kaderli, Mrs. F. King, Miss Cloe Lewis, Miss Margaret Straub, Mrs. Angela Schell, Miss Rita Schell, Miss Zona Lee Jones, Miss Lorine Jones, Miss Margarie Dobbs of Midland; Miss Nettie Cromer of Midland; Miss Betty Wilson, Midland;

Messrs. Lee Eubanks, C. F. Gray, J. S. Lamar, F. Haynes, J. N. Woody, E. P. Autrey, James Jones, Johnny Whitson, O. S. Maggart, B. T. Graham, W. A. Kaderli, J. A. Wilson, O. B. Bryan, J. D. Renfro, H. A. Hull, H. S. Blocker, J. L. Hall, B. A. Purser, M. F. King, Rev. J. H. Sharp, Paul T. Vickers, Midland; J. R. Martin, Midland; S. A. Debnam, county agent; Miss Myrtle Miller, home demonstration agent.

WOODARD

MRS. J. F. MAXEY

Margaret and Talmadge Sisson visited in the community last week.

Jim Francis of Coahoma, visited recently in the J. F. Francis home.

Ruby Cason of Stanton, attended the singing here Sunday night.

Francis Dismukes of Lamesa, is visiting in the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shick.

J. J. Francis, T. J. Francis and Elbert Francis, were visitors in Coahoma last week.

J. F. Maxey and family were in the Lenora community Saturday.

J. J. Francis visited relatives in Lamesa last week.

Don Cupid has not been asleep as many people seemed to think. Saturday, Miss Loleta Carter of this community, surprised her friends when she married Mr. Joe Long of the Badgett community. Mr. and Mrs. Long will make their home at Badgett. We extend them our congratulations.

LENORAH

I. H. Beene and Jim Webb, made a business trip Thursday to Lamesa.

Mrs. Kermitt Fortune of Wolcott, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

SARAH'S BEAUTY SHOPPE

Permanents \$5.35 2.00
Range from

MRS. RUBINOFF'S COSMETICS USED

LET ME HELP YOU SELECT THE THINGS YOU NEED MOSTLY

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Flowers

FOR All Occasions. Telephone your orders—

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BIG SPRING or MIDLAND

C. M. Edwards, Sunday.

J. R. Smith of Trunk, was in the community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bass visited in Brown, Sunday.

Miss Verda Beene, who has been attending college in Cisco, has returned

S. J. and Vergil Foreman made a business trip Monday to Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pinkston and family, and Miss Opal Gregg, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and friends at Courtney.

Rev. Garnett of Stanton, filled Rev. Sharp's regular appointment Sunday afternoon as he had an appointment elsewhere.

Mr. Jim Webb spent Monday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. McClure in Stanton.

Mrs. Eiland and children of Magdolene, N. M., are visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Coxie.

Jim Webb spent Monday in Big Spring.

Considerable Increase In Business Noted

CWA PAY ROLL CHECKS RESPONSIBLE FOR UPWARD TREND

Following the several weeks of pay checks paid out of the CWA funds for labor performed on the various projects under way in the town and county, the local merchants report that they have been enjoying a noticeable increase in their business, especially it is noticeable on Saturdays following the issuance of pay checks on that day. One class of business in the town, that of the local cafes, have been doing a good business during the week days as many of the CWA laborers take their noon-day meal there. It is a mighty good time for the local merchant or business man to do some advertising in the home newspaper. There is still room for improvement in the business line, as Stanton is still not getting the trade that it should, and that rightfully belongs to it. The right kind of persistent advertising is the proper medicine to dose a sick business and get it back on its feet and a-going again. Other towns are fighting for this trade and they are doing it through constructive advertising.

METHODIST CHURCH

Our crowds are increasing at the regular services and we hope that they will continue. We need you and you need the church. We have a place in Sunday school for every member of the family, so come and bring them all.

Our subject for Sunday night will be "The People and Politics." We want every person that is interested in what your State or County does the next few years, to come. We want all the candidates to be sure and be with us if they can.

JIM SHARP



We DELIVER

Phone 50

WE ARE JUST AS NEAR AS YOUR TELEPHONE

STANTON CASH GROCERY

EARL AUTREY

PHONE 50

We Buy Cream

First National Shows Increased Business

POE WOODARD MADE ASSISTANT CASHIER OF THE BANK

According to the December statement of the condition of The First National Bank of Stanton, issued for December 30th, 1933, a considerable increase is noted in the various items over the statement issued October 25, 1933.

The loans and discounts for December 30th, showed a decrease of \$5,718.65 over October 25th, 1933. Cash and Quick Assets for the December statement was \$29,023.76 increase over the October statement.

Individual deposits subject to check, according to the December statement statement was \$177,259.93, an increase of \$26,986.30 over the October deposit.

Among the first banks over the country to open following the bank holiday, was the local banking institution, proving that its business affairs had been operated on a basis that was declared safe and sound by the federal government banking department.

The First National was established in 1906. Under the new federal insurance plan the deposits of the bank are insured.

The bank held its election of officers and directors last week and no change was made in the personnel except that Poe Woodard was elected assistant cashier.

Following are the officers: J. E. Millholon, president; C. M. Houston, vice president; Jim Tom, cashier; Poe Woodard, assistant cashier.

CRAWFORD BEAUTY SHOP PROPRIETOR BACK HOME

Mrs. Elta Martin, the proprietor of

Better Than Whisky For Colds and Coughs

Your money back while you wait at the drug store if you don't feel relief coming in two minutes by your watch. Try this quick and most pleasant relief. You will be delighted or it will cost you nothing.

ASPIRONAL

For Sale by HENRY ORR, Druggist 10-24

We need more people saying "Rah" for the home town, and fewer saying "It can't be done."

the Crawford Beauty Shop at Big Spring, has just returned from a very enjoyable trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. She combined business with pleasure.

The Texas Association of Beauty Culturists held their annual meeting in Dallas at the Baker Hotel to which meeting Mrs. Martin was a delegate. Many worth while things were gone into at this time and a lot of new ideas gathered by association. There was a large crowd present and after

business hours they enjoyed a lovely banquet.

Returning home, Mrs. Martin stopped in Fort Worth where she attended Sellers School of Beauty Culture. There she learned the new methods of facial molding, electric manicuring, hair trimming and dressing and is prepared to better serve her customers from Stanton and is ready to get back to work.

Mrs. Martin not only learned all the "new wrinkles" in beauty work but learned as well how to get rid of "wrinkles."—Advertisement.



EVERY DAY 2c PER MILE ANYWHERE on the Texas and Pacific Lines

—and throughout the West. Also very low fares to the Southeast, East and North.

Examples of One-Way Coach Fares from STANTON TO

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Fare. Includes ABILENE (\$2.57), DALLAS (6.42), EL PASO (6.55), FT. WORTH (5.78), LITTLE ROCK (13.01), LOS ANGELES (18.55), MEMPHIS (15.78), NEW ORLEANS (17.06), PHOENIX, ARIZ. (14.82), ST. LOUIS (19.00), SHREVEPORT (10.27), SWEETWATER (1.74), TEXARKANA (10.77).

10% Reduction for Round Trip



CONSULT TICKET AGENT TEXAS AND PACIFIC RAILWAY



Stop shootin', Slim, we'll run 'em down with Conoco Bronze!



At the Sign of the Red Triangle

Few city dwellers know the getaway and speed of the jack-rabbit—but it parallels the performance of Conoco Bronze very accurately.

Instant starting, lightning pick-up are assured by a special blending of three types of gasoline. That is not all—so is long mileage, smooth performance at all speeds, great power and high anti-knock—features that will make this winning gasoline of 1933, the leader in 1934... No, there is not a premium price to pay.

CONOCO BRONZE GASOLINE

INSTANT STARTING—LIGHTNING PICK-UP—HIGH TEST

Get a free Tony Sarg book of these eighteen advertisements. Go to any Conoco station or dealer, who will give you a postpaid, self-addressed postcard. You will receive this large book of entertaining advertising illustrations by mail.

FRESH VEGETABLES FOR FRIDAY and SATDY. CARROTS, BEETS, GREEN PEAS, NEW POTATOES, CELERY, LETTUCE, CABBAGE, TOMATOES, BELL PEPPERS. Phone Your Order Early! BRYAN'S CASH GROCERY Phone 38 We Deliver

WE WILL APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WILL RENEW SUBSCRIPTION

FINE STATIONERY—is a mark of good taste; boxes \$1.00 up. A woman's correspondence is frequently taken as a very definite index of her social status. Don't let her stationery detract from the place she may rightfully deserve.

ORR DRUG STORE

Science says Today use a LIQUID Laxative

If you want to **GET RID** of Constipation worries—

Any hospital offers evidence of the harm done by harsh laxatives that drain the system, weaken the bowel muscles, and in some cases even affect the liver and kidneys.

A doctor will tell you that the unwise choice of laxatives is a common cause of chronic constipation.

Fortunately, the public is fast returning to the use of laxatives in liquid form.

A properly prepared liquid laxative brings a perfect movement. There is no discomfort at the time and no weakness after. You don't have to take "a double dose" a day or two later.

In buying any laxative, always read the label. Not the claims, but the contents. If it contains one doubtful drug, don't take it.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a prescriptive preparation in which there are no mineral drugs. Its ingredients are on the label. By using

it, you avoid danger of bowel strain. You can keep the bowels regular, and comfortable; you can make constipated spells as rare as colds.

The liquid test:

This test has proved to many men and women that their trouble was not "weak bowels," but strong cathartics:

First. Select a good liquid laxative. 2. Take the dose you find is suited to your system. 3. Gradually reduce the dose until bowels are moving regularly without any need of stimulation.

Syrup pepsin has the highest standing among liquid laxatives, and is the one generally used. It contains senna, a natural laxative which is perfectly safe for the youngest child. Your druggist has Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

Sunland Play Clothes



The clothes worn by winter vacationists usually are forerunners of those which will be seen on beaches and in vacation camps during the coming summer. The play suit above, worn by Miss Frances Jones at Miami, consisted of Tyrolean in grey flannel shorts, a concolor red shirt and peasant type hat.

Nothing To Do



Major Grant E. Miller of the "Town of Tomorrow" which is to be a feature of the Chicago World Fair re-opening in June is snowbound in his village with nothing to do. Mayor Miller is secretary of the Brick Mfrs. Ass'n. and directs the work of building the model town.

Let's Whoop Up Again!

If the people of Stanton would show as much interest in building up the local community as they do in the election of candidates to public office we would be in vastly better condition than we are today.

We would have more money floating in from the surrounding territory, more people would be employed, local business firms would be doing better business, there would be fewer vacant buildings, local institutions would be in better condition, and money would be more plentiful in every home.

We get out and whoop our heads off for some candidate who doesn't even remember that we are in existence after the votes are counted. We spend our time and money urging everybody and his wife's Aunt Sally to vote for "our man." We consider it a duty to "aid the party" in every way. And we do it without expectation of any reward.

We are just exercising our rights as American citizens for the good of all of the people.

But why not expend at least a portion of that energy and brain power for the benefit of our town and our community and our own people? Why not work and talk just as zealously in an effort to encourage the business interests of this town? Why not take as much interest in our personal incomes as we do in the salaries of the officials we elect to public office?

We make them, but they will not make us. We must make ourselves, and by our own efforts.

Entirely too much money is being sent away from this town and country-side which could be spent right here to just as good advantage, but it will not be spent here unless we take measures to make it worth while for the people to trade here.

The recently organized Stanton Service club is a step in the direction of building up the town, and we predict if the club will stay in there and pitch the town will scoop off the cream and give the other towns the skimmed milk.

We will appreciate that dollar on your subscription.

BREAD, PIES CAKE

THE KIND YOUR MOTHER USED TO MAKE.

AT

MY BAKERY

MIDLAND, TEXAS

Makes Mirth for Conoco



Tony Sarg, internationally known artist, toy designer, and marionette showman, is the creator of a series of funny Conoco Bronze Gasoline cartoons which will appear in this newspaper during the first three months of 1934. Sarg, shown above with several characters from his marionette show "Treasure Island", was born in Guatemala and educated in Germany. News of his employment was accompanied by the announcement that Continental Oil Company will spend more for newspaper advertising in 1934 than during any previous year.

T. AND N. M. RAILWAY DISCONTINUES TRAIN NORTH TO LOVINGTON

January 1, 1934, was a sad day for the "doodle bug" of the Texas and New Mexico railway. It was a sad looking doodle bug when the officials of the company said, "your services will not be needed any longer," and W. L. Goodwin drove the little train to Big Spring, Monday of this week where it will probably pine the rest of its life away, longing to be back at Monahans serving the people from there to Lovington, N. M., as the owners of the Texas and New Mexico railway agreed to do when the road was established.

We understand the people of Wink, Kermit, and all other towns north which was formerly served by this train with daily mail, express and passenger service, are doing plenty howling about the train being discontinued. It is hoped by business people here that the owners of the railroad will see fit to put this or some

other train into daily service over the road and give the towns north daily mail and express service.—Monahans News.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer West and son, Junior, have returned from a visit to relatives at Rising Star and Brownwood.

for BILIOUSNESS Sour stomach gas and headache due to CONSTIPATION



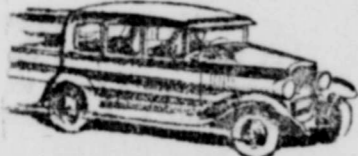
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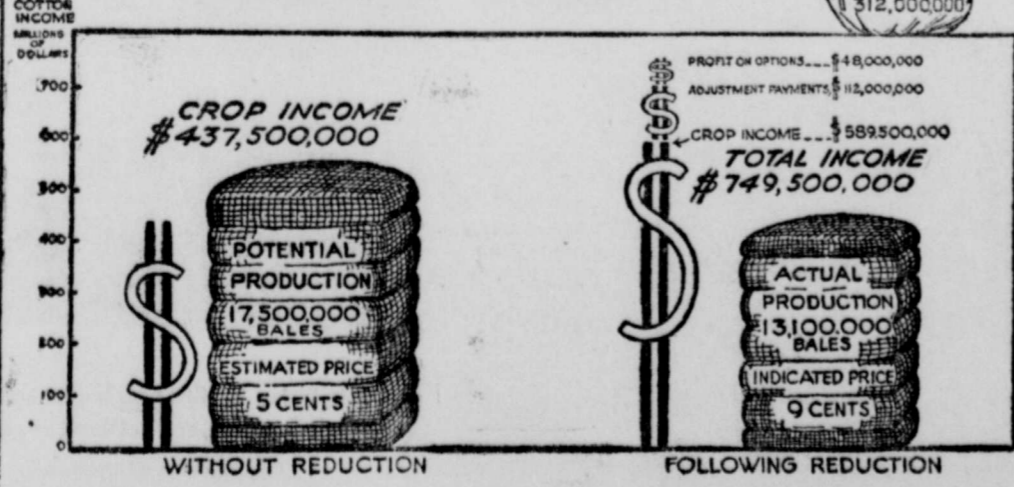
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THOMASONS DAIRY

1933 ACREAGE REDUCTION NEARLY DOUBLES COTTON INCOME



THIS graph shows what happened when the cotton grower cooperated with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to reduce the cotton acreage in 1933. Had it not been for the plow-up campaign and the low yield of cooperation exhibited by southern growers, disaster would have befallen the Cotton Belt in the fall of 1933. The above graph tells this better than words. A potential yield of seventeen and one-half million bales was reduced to thirteen and one-tenth million bales by the action of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, and, as a result, the income that the cotton grower received from his first cotton was nearly doubled. Realizing these facts, cotton growers are expressing a desire to cooperate in future adjustment programs.

The Big Advantage is under the hood—

A V-8 Engine



IF YOU want 8-cylinder performance, but not at the usual 8-cylinder cost—step into the new Ford V-8 for 1934!

Here is a car that will do better than 80 miles an hour. At 50 to 60 miles per hour it is actually running at ease. This reserve power means acceleration unequalled by practically any other make of American automobile, regardless of price.

The Ford V-8 for 1934 offers you many other advantages. 20 miles per gallon at 45 miles per hour, in exhaustive test runs. More actual body room than in many more expensive cars. Riding comfort—with free action for all four wheels plus the proved safety of a front axle.

Before you buy any car at any price, drive the new Ford V-8 for 1934.

Before you buy any car at any price, drive the new Ford V-8 for 1934.

AUTHORIZED FORD DEALERS OF THE SOUTHWEST

FORD V8 for 1934

FROM \$515. F. O. B. DETROIT—IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

Convenient Terms Arranged Through Universal Credit Company

News of Day Revealed In Pictures



CHICAGO: The above three trains represent the last word in streamlining as applied by the railroads. In the foreground is a new Burlington three car train which can operate at 40% of the expense of a steam locomotive. Center, is the train introduced by the Great Western and which can travel at 60 miles an hour. Upper left, is the Texas and Pacific train now running daily in Texas. It can attain a speed of 78 MPH.



These four American girls, reading left to right, Marion Delman, Orclid Henson, Majare Williams and Patti Patton, are among the first of U.S. Exports for 1934, having been selected from thousands of chorus girls to go to Europe for appearance in the Monte Carlo Follies, in London and Monte Carlo.



Above, Mrs. Frances Marsalis and Miss Helen Bichey, below, are the two women flyers who established a new endurance flight record at Miami by remaining in the air more than 8 days, 5 hours and 5 minutes.



NEW YORK: While Milo Reno was here to make an address he did not admit that his farm holiday movements were dying out in the middle-west. Reports from his home territories however indicate that federal funds to agriculturists is causing farm holiday strikes to peter out.



LONDON: Mrs. Nathaniel Mayer Victor Rothschild, (above) former Barbara Hutchinson of Hastings, is now the bride of the nephew of Lord Rothschild and heir to the Rothschild peerage and famous fortune.



NEW YORK: Billy Sunday, famed baseball playing evangelist, brought his sawdust trail religion here for a two week campaign at the Calvary Baptist Church, "not because the city is so full of sin, but because it was invited," said Sunday.



William H. Woodin, Secretary of the Treasury, was ordered to the Desert Sanitarium in Tucson, Ariz. several days before Christmas when his throat ailment became serious.



Marion Talley, Kansas farm girl who at 17 stormed into grand opera ranks, now 27, made a comeback from retirement on New Year Eve as soprano with the Chicago Grand Opera Company.



Prof. Geo. F. Warren (above) Cornell University, monetary adviser to President Roosevelt, states that in his opinion we cannot return to a metallic standard now . . . unless protected by some kind of a "safety" valve.

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SUPPLIES IN HARDWARE

With the wear and tear of the production season at an end, now is the time to turn attention to needed supplies and equipment for winter months. . . Our stocks have been replenished and we were fortunate in buying at rock bottom prices—thus enabling us to pass along savings to our customers.

J. H. BURNAM HARDWARE COMPANY

J. H. BURNAM CLAYTON BURNAM

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a Voice that is never stilled*

NIGHT comes on and spreads a blanket of darkness upon sleeping cities and towns. Here and there a lone policeman. In the distance a clock tolling the hour.

In the dark silence of the night, there is one light forever burning . . . one voice that is never stilled. That light is the light in the telephone exchange. That voice is the voice of your telephone.

A city without telephones would be a city afraid—a city of dread.

For the telephone brings security. Its very presence gives a feeling of safety and nearness to everything. In times of stress and sudden need it has a value beyond price. In business and social activities of a busy day it is almost indispensable.

The wonder of the telephone is not the instrument itself but the system of which it is the symbol. . . the system which links your own telephone with any one of eighteen million others in the United States and thirteen millions in other countries.

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MAKING THE BANKS SAFE

Every bank account of \$2,500 or less in the United States, except, of course, those in banks which have not been reopened because of unsoundness, is now insured against loss to the depositor. How this will work out for the banks is as yet uncertain. Some people think it will make bankers careless with other people's money since they have the nationwide insurance fund to fall back on in case they make mistakes. Our idea is that it, among other things, will make banks a great deal more careful than many of them were up to a year ago. When ten thousand out of thirty thousand banks fail or temporarily

have to close down because they have been involved, directly or indirectly, in careless or risky use of their deposits, here isn't much to brag about in the matter of careful banking in the past.

We believe that the banks of the nation, generally speaking, are in sounder position than they have been for many years. We know that there is no risk to any small depositor now in placing his money in any bank which the Government allows to stay open. We think there is still a good deal to be done before the banking system of the United States can function in all respects as efficiently as it ought to. What has shaken public confidence

in banks and bankers is not only the thousands of failures of small banks, but the shocking disclosures in the Senate Committee investigation, of the way in which the heads of some of the big banks enriched themselves at the expense of the public. We realize that a sound banking system is essential to the conduct of business and we do think that bankers generally are in a good position to protest against being regulated and restricted

Anton Noerskov Johnson, of Copenhagen, who claims to be the oldest active bank manager in the world, has celebrated his one-hundredth birthday.

GULF

Great! It gives me real power on hills and not the slightest sign of a knock.

How do you like this new higher anti-knock Good Gulf Gasoline?

STOP in today for this new higher anti-knock Good Gulf Gasoline, and get these free services:

1. Clean your windshield.
2. Fill your radiator.
3. Check your oil.
4. Inflate your tires.

Full line high grade Batteries, Tires, Accessories.

Gulf Stations
STANTON

Gets New Home



DETROIT: Two-year-old David Cruise now has many homes from which to select one, if the court so rules. He was found in the home of a negro here, to whom his mother had given him last July. The court now has David. Also many applicants for his adoption.

Phillie Manager



PHILADELPHIA: Jimmie Wilson (above) new manager of the Philadelphia Nationals, is now on the job shaping up his team for the 1934 race. Wilson, former St. Louis Cardinal catcher, says his team will finish higher than many now suspect.

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PUBLIC HEARING

CHAPTER 3 TITLE 4 REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF 1925 AS AMENDED IN ARTICLES 74 AND 75 BY HOUSE BILL 162, ACT OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE 41st LEGISLATURE provides that the Governor shall appoint a Pink Boll Worm Compensation Claim Board consisting of three (3) members.

ARTICLE 75 OF SAID AMEND-

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ED CHAPTER provides that "The Compensation Claim Board shall conduct a public hearing in the county or counties from which the claims for compensation have been filed. Due notice of this hearing shall be given by publication in some newspaper publisher in or near the county or counties in which the claimants reside not less than 10 days before the date of such public hearing."

In compliance with the above provision, notice is hereby given that the Pink Boll Worm Compensation Claim Board will hold a public hearing in the County Court House at Midland in Midland county, Texas, on January 29th, 1934, and in the County Court House at Stanton in Martin County, Texas, on January 31, 1934.

FRED W. DAVIS, Chairman
R. J. MURRAY
J. E. EDMONDSON

Attest:
Ben F. Chapman, Secretary

GLASSCOCK TEACHER'S ASS'N. MEET IN REGULAR SESSION

Friday night, Jan. 12th was the regular meeting for the teachers and trustees of Glasscock county. The meeting was at Lise, where Mrs. Smithson and Mrs. Echols are teaching.

All the teachers in the county except Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood of Fairview, were present, and all the trustees except two who were appointed the first of the year. They are E. W. Holcomb, Lucian Wells; Mr. Cox, Garden City. We hope they will be with us next meeting night. There were also several visitors present.

A delicious supper of baked ham, slaw, pickles, lettuce, fruit salad, pie, ice cream, and coffee was served. A number of games and contest were enjoyed the remainder of the evening.

The next meeting will be at Fairview where Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood are teaching, February 16.

Asks Continuation Co-operative Support

To Patrons of Stanton Public Schools. The success of a private business or enterprise depends largely on the ability, aggressiveness, industry, and diplomacy of the individual and diplomacy of the individual in charge of owning such enterprise.

But in the management of a publicly owned institution a different problem arises. It not infrequently happens that an individual, just as in his private affairs, measures the success of such public business, in terms of benefit to himself. A great philosopher, in endeavoring to formulate a definition for the term "right," finally concluded that "any act is right that works for the best interests of the immediate group concerned." If only an individual, therefore is concerned in a matter the group is indeed small and whatever is to his best interest is right for him. But if three are interested equally the best interest of two might well be the course to pursue. And if a hundred persons are directly interested

that which is best for probably seventy-five would be likely be the interest to seriously consider.

Thus in this business of the Public School, publicly owned and controlled, supported by public taxation, managed by publicly employed persons, it stands to reason that not every private interest can be equally gratified and very often our personal interests must be subordinated in order that the larger public interest might be cared for.

A public enterprise, therefore, is one of a co-operative nature, something of a give and take proposition. It has been said that Switzerland has the most perfect form of Democratic Government known to humanity. It is claimed that this is due to their uncommonly accurate sense of the meaning of co-operative action. And what is best for Switzerland is what the Swiss community desires, or at least concedes.

As your public school superintendent I crave the continuation of your co-operative support in the management of your public schools. Let us make every effort to lay aside some private notion that might so easily distort our community progress and work together for a successful public school in a happy and contented community.

A. M. Limmer, Supt.

Subscription Pay Slow As Well As Taxes

HOWEVER, SEVERAL HAVE RENEWED IN LAST FEW DAYS

Following the recent appeal made to subscribers who knew themselves to be in arrears, several have come in and paid up and had their expiration date advanced another year. To these subscribers we wish to extend our deep appreciation.

We have had some subscribers come in and tell us they appreciated the paper and didn't want to miss a copy but at present they didn't have the money to pay up. In cases where the subscriber wants the paper and not able to pay now, and will request that we continue sending it we will keep it going to him until Gabriel blows his horn. We know that subscriber deems the paper valuable piece of furniture in his household, and we have no desire to remove any article of value from his fireside if that article be The Reporter.

But with the payroll of \$2,000 and \$3,000 issued weekly for labor, in this county, we are satisfied there are some subscribers into whose hands a dollar falls they could spare to clear up their arrearages and it would be greatly appreciated by the management.

This month is the last in which to pay taxes and The Reporter has a considerable amount to pay, as little as one might think. We are as eager that our schools continue to run their full terms, and that the operating expenses of the county government be kept at a

mark that our officials be paid their salaries promptly and in full, as any loyal citizen of the county, but if obligations due us are not paid and business continue to come in from other sources, we will not be in a position to pay our prorata of the expense to run the schools and the county government.

While The Reporter has a good subscription list, more than it is usually the case with newspapers in communities this size, we admit that we haven't the number of subscribers we should have.

There are a number of people living in Stanton and Martin county that should be weekly readers of The Reporter. More especially, should they be subscribers this year because it is election year, and they will want to keep with the candidates that are running for the various offices in the county and district, besides there will be other matters of a political nature, or of a local nature in which you are likely to be vitally interested, that will appear in this newspaper. This feature will be aside that of publishing the local happenings and other news matter that will be of interest to you. So why not make your New Year's resolution cover the price of a subscription to The Reporter.

We have decided to continue the bargain offer of \$1.00 per year for a short time. The regular price of The Reporter is \$1.50 per year. To new subscribers we will make the low price of 50 cents for six months. This is a rate that we know is within reach of anybody. We believe after you have read The Reporter six months you will have become sufficiently interested in its news value that at the end of the six months period you will renew for a year.

Let's have that new subscription as well as a renewal today.



MISS MYRTLE MILLER
County Home Demonstration Agent
BED ROOMS OF COMFORT

The first consideration in planning any room is its purpose. Bed rooms are set aside primarily for rest and, since the good health depends so largely on comfortable sleep and relaxation, physical comfort is of the utmost importance. In addition, bed rooms should provide facilities for dressing, which include bathing arrangements if these are not taken care of by a bath room. The storage of clothes and an opportunity for quiet reading or study should be provided also.

Essentials of a Good Bed Room

There are four essentials which should be present in every bed room if it is to fulfill its function satisfactorily. First of all it should be spotlessly clean, for cleanliness is a safeguard to health as well as the first principle of beauty. Plenty of fresh air is the second important consideration. Third, the sun should shine into the room during some part of every day. And the fourth essential is a restful atmosphere.

Use Color Understandingly

Color is indispensable, and if used intelligently it is a means of making a room interesting and attractive. There are three main colors—red, blue, and yellow. Every other color is made by mixing these one with another, or all together. Some times it is said that colors have a language. Red seems to speak of heat and is therefore a "warm" color. Yellow reminds one of the sun and gives a feeling of light and cheer. While blue is a cold color—the color of the distant sky and of deep water. When the colors are combined they may have a somewhat different meaning. Yellow and blue mixed give a green which expresses the cheerfulness of yellow and the coolness of blue.

In the rooms which have a tendency to be rather dark and gloomy yellow or shades which are derived from yellow can be used to impart some of the warmth and cheerfulness which are lacking. If a room has an abundance of light and sunshine cooler colors may be more desirable. Size also has much to do with the color treatment of a room. A small bed room may be made to seem larger with light colored walls.—cream or pale green for instance. Again colors differ according to the ages of people occupying the rooms. For a young girl's room colors that are light and airy and more vivid are suitable, for they speak of youthful beauty. While for grown-ups richer, deeper colors are usually preferred.

Neutral Colors Best Back Grounds

The walls and ceiling, together with the woodwork and floor constitute a background for the furnishings and pictures. Soft neutral colors should be selected for the walls. If blue, yellow or green, and grayish shades of green will give restful effects. A greater variety of color can be used in the room when neutral shades are used for the background.

Simple Flour Finishes Boiled Linseed Oil

These floor finishes are suggested for bedroom and other floors. Boiled linseed oil gives a floor finish which is comparatively inexpensive, easy to apply, and suitable for close-grained woods. This has been somewhat in disrepute because when carelessly applied it collects dust and becomes unsightly. This condition can be avoided by applying the oil hot and wiping off the excess after it has stood about an hour. The hot oil penetrates deeply and is absorbed by the wood fibre more quickly than cold oil. The oil should not be allowed to stand until it becomes oxidized and gummy before the excess is wiped off. This finish protects the wood from grease stains and from the action of water and also prevents the wood from drying out. It can be wiped with warm soapy water without harm whenever more thorough cleaning than dusting is needed.

Oil New Floors

Mix 1 pint boiled linseed oil, ¼ pint turpentine. To make it dry quickly add a small amount of Japan dryer. This should be applied to floor while it is as hot as can be handled. It should be rubbed in and after it has set, wipe off any which has not soaked into the wood. When dry apply wax.

The floor may need two coats of wax. If a stain is needed a very small amount of burnt umber may be added but in most cases the oil will darken the wood somewhat and other stain is not needed.

- Home Made Finish for Old Floors
1 qt. new lubricating oil (medium)
(Linseed oil may be used instead).
1 qt. vinegar
1 qt. kerosene
1 cake paraffin
Apply to floor while boiling hot.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our dear neighbor friends for deeds, words of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved baby daughter. Words cannot express our deep appreciation for these many acts of kindness.

- Father and Mother—
Arthur and Nora Shortes
Sisters—
Nora Shortes
Wanda Shortes
Sarah Del Shortes
Bernedine Shortes
Jo Nel Shortes
Betty Lee Shortes

This is sufficient for the floor of two medium-sized rooms and some left.

Caution should be used in adding kerosene.

For a very old floor which is rough and splintery, paint is more satisfactory than varnish or oil. A deck paint will give much better service and wear longer if it is protected by a coat of hard clear varnish and then waxed.

YUCCA PREVUE SAT. NITE
MIDLAND SUN-MON



NOW PLAYING
Ronald Colman, Elissa Lands in
"THE MASQUERADER"

If Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haislip will present this Ad. at the box office any time during the week of January 20th to 26th, they will be given two guest tickets.

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J. L. HALL THE DRUGGIST

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cows, gentle. F. Springer, Tarzan. 16-17p

FOR SALE—Bundle hegari and cane. W. H. Munns, near Courtney school house. 16-17c

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CONTINENTAL INCREASES—
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purchaser of their products, and they are not going to allow the people to forget they have service to sell as well as electrical appliances.

Another utility company the Reporter wishes to thank for the business given the paper during the old year, and hope a continuance of the same the new year, is that of the West Texas Gas Co. Hardly was there an issue of the Reporter in the year 1933 that this company was not represented in its columns with an advertisement. This company, too, has suffered the loss of old business and enjoyed, perhaps, no new business at all from Stanton because of the depression and the total drought, but they are not going to allow Stanton to forget they are still in business

and are paving the way to reap the business when times change.

We have a local business man who has never allowed his Ad to fail to appear in the paper since entering business in Stanton in 1907, and that is none other than our prominent druggist, J. L. Hall. If his advertisement failed to appear any issue in the 27 years, The Reporter didn't issue. Twenty-seven years of continuous advertising by one business firm in a small town like Stanton, we claim it a record hung up for others to shoot at.

Constipated 30 Years
Aided By Old Remedy

"For thirty years I had constipation. Sourcing food from stomach choked me. Since taking Adlerika I am a new person. Constipation is a thing of the past."—Alice Burns, J. L. Hall, Druggist.

The church and school bells don't ring as much as they used to, but the doorbells ring enough to make up.

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State Service Medal
For Texas Veterans



By a Joint Resolution the 43rd Legislature of Texas has honored all its military veterans who have served the nation's armed forces during time of war. Above is shown the attractive new medal authorized by the 43rd Legislature for all residents of Texas who have honorably served in the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps during the Spanish War, Mexican Border, Mexican Expeditionary or World War. Veterans may secure the necessary application blanks by writing The Adjutant General, Austin, Texas.

VALLEY VIEW

Misses Bernice and Estine Rutledge, spent the week end in Big Spring with their aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Newsom.

Mr. and Mrs. Orby E. Orby family spent Sunday in Courtney with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hull.

W. J. Clements and C. M. Lee were in Stanton, Saturday.

Elbert Lovelace spent the week end in Stanton with his sister Mrs. Bud Jones.

N. E. King was in Stanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crawford near Hart Wells.

Floyd Haynes and A. L. Caffey were in Big Spring, Saturday.

J. W. Meeks and H. M. Glendening made a business trip Sunday to Big Spring.

Miss Lorette Massey, who has been employed near Colorado, has returned home for a visit with her parents.

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THE TOGGERY

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Massey.

A. L. Caffey was in Midland, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Prather and family, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Malone in Big Spring.

The Valley View Junior basket ball team played Lenora Junior team Friday afternoon. The game enjoyed by both players and spectators, was won by Valley View with a score of 16-10.

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