

SNOOTER KNOWS

LITTLE ABOUT EVERY THING AND NOT MUCH ABOUT ANYTHING



EDITOR KENNEDY, of the Munday Times, announced in his last paper that he would again be a candidate for mayor of his town. He stated that the city's financial condition was such that at any time the bonding obligations of the city came due there was money in treasury to pay them off. This condition exists at the present time in spite of a depression and a bank failure in Munday in which all the city's funds were lost. This situation prevailed just prior to Mr. Kennedy taking the office of mayor.

Running a newspaper is a good sized man's job, if we know our onions, and to tack onto himself the job of running the government of his town signifies that Kennedy is larger than the usual good sized man. But it all goes to prove that there are no jobs, no matter how great their proportions, that a newspaperman won't tackle. He has been hardened to hard work running his newspaper, and to hitch up to a mayor's job is a pastime enjoyed by an editor much like the average fellow gets out of going fishing.

We don't want any of our home town boys to get it in their heads that what we have said about our friend Kennedy running the mayor's office successfully, that they will petition us to run for mayor of our town we don't any job there isn't any work attached to it. We wouldn't think of accepting a position like that of mayor to which is attached such a big salary for the duties it requires one to perform. Our esteemed mayor, S. C. Houston, has grown fat, both in averdupois and finance at the job of being mayor of Stanton, two things this columnist has perfect abhorrence for. Think of us with a bank account and so fat we couldn't stand at the cashier's window and call for a "five" without danger of puffing him off his seat. But as stated, our friend "Tink" Houston, has gotten used to totin' around a fat physic and a fat pocketbook, and at our age our physique just wouldn't stand-up under the big salary connected with the mayor's office, and the growth of weight it puts on a fellow holding such a position. For the information of the boys who are not informed the physical status of our mayor when all of him is in on the scale, will tip the beam at about 120 and the last time we saw our friend Kennedy from behind ink blotches on his face he weighed no more than our mayor, if as much. So you see there is a growth of health in physic and prosperity in finance attached to holding down the office of mayor in towns like Munday and Stanton.

JAMES E. FERGUSON seems to be sitting in the saddle of Texas politics. He has been made national committeeman from Texas to succeed Jed Adams of Dallas, who resigned to accept a Federal appointment in Washington. In the past, and we suppose there will be no difference in the present situation, the national committeeman stood ace-high with the national administration forces. The fellow seeking an appointment with the endorsement of the national committeeman, generally got the grapes.

At this writing we suppose there is little chance for this columnist to secure a cushioned seat at the political pie counter, as most of the plums have been plucked from the administration tree. That being the case it would be useless and lost of valuable time for us to bother Jim for a recommendation of an appointment to some federal post. We would like to have been appointed minister to "Flying Down the Rio," but all the radios and radio artists have that country.

But all indications point to the fact that the voting populace of Texas is going to hear a great deal from Jim Ferguson before the coming campaign fades on the pages of ancient history. He is sharpening his implements of warfare preparatory to welding them high, wide, handsome in the interest of C. C. McDonald of Wichita Falls, for governor. The two are great friends, and have worked unceasingly and cooperatively in double harness since the first time Mr. Ferguson was elected governor. And, right here, take it from a guy

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COUNTY-WIDE RAIN MEASURED 1 & QUARTER INCHES

SKIDS PUT UNDER OLD MAN DROUTH WHOM WE HOPE HAS SKIDOOED FROM THIS COUNTRY FOR GOODS.

The one inch and a quarter of rain that fell in Stanton, and more than that being reported visiting other sections of the county, Saturday night and early Sunday morning, caused Old Man Drouth to pick up his dolls and seek where pastures were "greener." And from reports carried in the daily newspapers, the Old Man has been chased across the Rio Grande. The rain started falling in Stanton, Saturday evening, the section of country in the north part of the county reporting snow enough falling to cover the ground before the sun went down. Total precipitation in Stanton measured one and quarter inches, according to N. Kaderli, the official rain gauger. In the north and eastern parts of the county, reports bear the information that from an inch and a-half to two inches fell.

Big Spring reported 1.35 inches while Midland reported a quarter of an inch.

At Plainview 5-inches of snow covered the ground, while the area north of there in the Amarillo section, it was reported 21 inches of snow fell, most of it melting as it hit the ground.

The San Angelo area reported 1.97, Garden City received 1.1-1.5. The rain was the first of any real importance to the county in over a year. Falling as it did every drop soaked into the ground. In the plowed fields moisture had already reached a depth of from ten to twelve inches Monday, and by this time it's thought to have reached Halifax with a deluge expected to fall on the Chinese population any minute.

Monday and Tuesday nights very heavy frosts fell covering the roofs of houses with a mantle of white, but it is thought the damage, if any, was slight to blossoming fruit trees.

Activities on the agricultural section of Martin county will get under full head of steam as soon as the moisture soaks down a little further. Predicting the fall crop situation for Martin county at the present stage of the game, the outlook for a bumper one presents a very optimistic scene.

The ranch boys whose grass ranges were commencing to get as dry as a powder house are all "hoped" up over the good rain.

With the coming of a few days of warm weather, the county of Martin will be a veritable garden of green, a distinction it holds in West Texas whenever the seasons are half way kind to it.

Withdraws From Commissioner's Race Enters County Judge's

G. A. Glaser, has authorized the Reporter to state that he has withdrawn from the race as a candidate for county commissioner in Precinct No. 2, and entered the race as a candidate for County Judge.

Prior to the election of the present county judge, Mr. Glaser held the office of county judge two terms.

He has been a resident of Martin county 27 years, and is well and favorably known throughout the county. Mr. Glaser states that it is his desire and do his best to see each voter in the county before the election. However, he says, should he fail to see any voter he asks that you take this announcement as a personal solicitation for your vote and influence.

He further stated: "If I should be elected to this important office I will endeavor at all times to give you prompt and efficient service."

CAR DAMAGED BY FIRE

Last Friday night the garage at the home of Mrs. J. S. Crowder, in which was housed a 1933 Chevrolet coach belonging to Miss Rena Crowder, was badly damaged by fire. The timely arrival of the fire boys saved total destruction of the garage and automobile, the latter being severely damaged.

CHILLING WINDS AND DAMP WEATHER GIVING SHEEPMEN PLENTY WORK WITH LAMBS

Martin county sheepmen are having their hands full just at this time, caring for the lamb harvest that is in full away, and the apparent big yield of the crop. The appearance of the offspring at this season when a big rain had fallen accompanied by heavy frosty nights and chilling winds, has worked a hardship on them saving the lambs.

John Poe has several head of ewes in the T-P stockyards that have been keeping him and Sam Wilkinson busy as hound dogs after a fox, nursing the young lambs and their mothers. Mr. Poe is getting about 100 per cent lamb crop.

P. T. A. ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

The P. T. A. met in a regular business meeting March 13, and elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: V. Stephenson, president; Mrs. R. Hyde, 1st vice president; Mrs. A. R. Houston, 2nd vice president; Mrs. C. Burman, 3rd vice president; Mrs. C. Jones, secretary; Mrs. K. Davis, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Dan Renfro, treasurer.

Plans for caring for the school grounds were discussed, but nothing definite was decided.

March 27, P. T. A. had its regular program. The choral club sang several songs followed by the winners in declamation, H. A. Hull, Annie Marie Bullock, Norma Lee Hull and Leta Ruth Eidson, delivered the declamations which they gave at the county meet.

James Zimmerman, the champion story teller in the county, told a story. The program was enjoyed by all present. We wish to urge others to take advantage of these meetings by being present every second and fourth Tuesday of each month.—Corresponding secretary.

PARK MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVES NEW CHEVROLETS

The first carload of 1934 Chevrolet automobiles consigned to the Park Motor Co., was received first of this week. Due to the filling of orders for a big demand for the new kneecation type car at larger dealer points, the shipment for Stanton was delayed.

R. L. Park, head of the local firm, is applying considerable kneecation grooming the cars arranging them for display in his show rooms.

BAKERY REPRESENTATIVE HERE

The small building, next door north of the Little Cafe, has been fitted up and neatly arranged by Ollie Cook, who is handling the bakery products of My Bakery, Midland. The Midland bakery brings over fresh bread, cakes etc., every morning.

RAN OUT OF BAIT

Stanton fishing party comprised of Clyde, Ivan and Robert White, and Hugh Shaw of Rockwall, who is visiting the Whites, returned Wednesday from the Rio Grande. Running out of bait kept the boys from returning with a wagon load of fish, but in spite of that handicap they caught fish, one weighing 15 pounds and the other 5 pounds.

PENALTY OF 20 PER CENT GOES INTO EFFECT MARCH 31

Motorists who took advantage of the extension of time for payment of automobile license will have to buy the tags on or before March 31 in order to avoid a penalty.

The extension granted by an act of the Texas legislature in special session ends the last day of this month and the penalty goes into force after that date. March 31 was set by the act as the time limit for auto license payment not only for 1934 but for future years.

After March 31 a penalty of 20 per cent or an estimate average of about \$2 to each auto, will be imposed. Because of confusion caused by the action of the legislature, no penalty was charged persons registering their cars and trucks between January 31 and the time the legislature finally passed the bill granting extension.

SAND BELT AND KAT KLAW GOLF CLUBS SCHEDULES

STANTON WILL TAKE ITS POSITION IN BOTH TEAMS AS SOON AS THE BOYS GET THROUGH CLIMBING THE LADDER.

It's funny, to the extreme, that they have ladders in golf clubs. Ladders are supposed to be for hod carriers and boys who work on buildings; and for housewives to fall off of while stringing vines to porches in the spring tra, la, la. But we suppose golfists are humans like the rest of us natives, and they have to have something around to elevate their spirits and enthusiasm and keep them away, so at preliminaries staged before the opening of the season of play the clubs are provided with a ladder, and all the golfists get on it. The ones that can reach the top rungs of the ladder and remain there, are eligible to enter the high-rating golf club. We learn that all the golf boys of Stanton are on the ladder somewhere, contesting for select positions, but as a rash of business demanding their immediate attention has kept some from making their daily batting average, the suffering populace will have to remain disappointed a while longer before his moral toned weekly can carry the information what local golf enthusiast is a Kat Klawer or a Sand Belter.

Sand Belt Schedule
Following is the schedule for the Sand Belt clubs:
April 8—Stanton at Snyder; Colorado at Big Spring; Lamesa at Midland.
April 22—Big Spring at Stanton; Snyder at Lamesa; Midland at Colorado.
May 6—Lamesa at Big Spring; Midland at Snyder; Stanton at Colorado.
May 20—Colorado at Lamesa; Stanton at Midland; Big Spring at Snyder.
June 3—Snyder at Colorado; Lamesa at Stanton; Midland at Big Spring.
June 17—Snyder at Stanton; Big Spring at Colorado; Midland at Lamesa.
June 24—Stanton at Big Spring; Lamesa at Snyder; Colorado at Midland.
July 15—Big Spring at Lamesa; Snyder at Midland; Colorado at Stanton.
July 20—Lamesa at Colorado; Midland at Stanton; Snyder at Big Spring.
August 12—Colorado at Snyder; Stanton at Lamesa; Big Spring at Midland.

Kat Klaw Schedule
Following is the schedule for the clubs of the Kat Klaw league:
April 15—Stanton at Hobbs; Seminole at Lamesa.
April 29—Lamesa at Stanton; Hobbs vs. Crane at Odessa; Midland at Seminole.
May 13—Stanton at Seminole; Hobbs at Midland; Lamesa vs. Crane at Odessa.
May 27—Crane at Stanton; Seminole at Hobbs; Midland at Lamesa.
June 10—Stanton at Midland; Lamesa at Hobbs; Seminole at Crane.
June 24—Hobbs at Stanton; Lamesa at Seminole; Midland at Crane.
July 8—Stanton at Lamesa; Crane vs. Hobbs at Seminole; Seminole at Midland.
July 22—Seminole at Stanton; Midland at Hobbs; Crane vs. Lamesa at Midland or Stanton.
August 5—Stanton at Crane; Hobbs at Seminole; Lamesa at Midland.
August 19—Midland at Stanton; Hobbs at Lamesa; Crane at Seminole.
Dates revised due to April 1st being Easter. The games will follow in order as above, but the dates are subject to being moved forward at any time, due to any good reason such as tournament at some place within the league.

NAME LEFT OFF ROLL

Through an error the name of Travis Yater was omitted from the first grade honor roll published last week in the Reporter.

Tommy Lea has remodeled the interior of his Little Cafe, making it more roomy and comfortable for patrons as well as adding greatly to the appearance.

LOANS TO BE MADE THRU FED. LAND BK. 3 1/4 PER CENT INT.

FEDERAL FARM MORTGAGE CORPORATION BONDS ASSURED BY GOVERNOR TO BE AN ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT.

S. D. McWhorter, secretary-treasurer of the Stanton National Farm Loan Association, received word today from Wm. I. Myers, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C., that Federal land bank loans and land bank commissioner's loans will be made in the future thru the Federal land bank in bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, which bonds are guaranteed by the United States Government both as to principal and interest, which will be at the rate of 3 1/4 per cent. per annum for the bonds to be issued at this time. These bonds will take the place of the cash distribution in the disbursement of the unclosed loans previously approved by the Federal land banks.

The bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, according to the statement by Governor Myers, will have behind them not only the unconditional guarantee of the Federal Government as to both principal and interest, and the capital of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation amounting to about \$200,000,000, but also the consolidated bonds of the Federal land banks issued in exchange for the bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation and the mortgages accepted by the land bank commissioner as security for loans.

Governor Myers assured Secretary McWhorter that the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation bonds will be an attractive investment. "They will be as readily marketable as bonds of the United States Government and they will be quoted in all of the principal markets," he continued. "Holders who have to dispose of these bonds should not sell them without first ascertaining their real market value."

The Governor particularly stressed the fact that country bankers probably will be large investors in these securities since the creditors of farmers who are being refinanced may not all be in the position where they can hold the bonds so acquired and will find it necessary to sell them. Secretary McWhorter states that these bonds, which will be tendered to farmers' creditors in payment of the refinanced indebtedness, are "exempt from all Federal, State, municipal and local taxation, except suitcases and estate, inheritance and gift taxes. They are lawful security for fifteen-day borrowings by member banks of the Federal Reserve system. They are lawful investments for all trust, public and fiduciary funds of which the deposit or investment is under the authority or control of the Government. The payments of the interest on these bonds and the repayment of their principal are guaranteed by the United States, which means that if the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation should ever be unable to meet the payments on the bonds, the Treasury will assume such payments.

"These bonds will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, and \$1,000. However, amounts less than \$100 will be disbursed in cash. For example, a loan of \$965 would be made in a \$500 bond, four \$100 bonds and the rest in cash. In addition, to provide for certain debts, such as taxes which cannot be paid in bonds, cash covering the required amounts will be provided.

"Loans which have been applied for and approved, but on which the cash has not been paid out, as well as those approved by the bank in the future, will be financed on the above basis. This arrangement in no way disturbs or alters the other provisions of the loans. The interest rate on new loans will continue to be 4 1/2 per cent for the emergency period when made through a national farm loan association and 5 per cent when made directly by the bank."

STANTON GIRL HONORED

Nola Shelburne, a Soph in Abilene Christian college, has been elected to membership in the "W" Club, a honor club for women in A. C. C. The "W" stands for Worthy Women. To be elected one must have a B average on all work for four preceding terms, each term taken separately, and must be well known on the campus and have a good reputation. These regulations limits membership of the club.

Recently, G. B. Shelburne, Jr., attending A. C. C., was elected to membership in the Scholarship Society.

This society requires the same high grades and reputation as the "W" club. The Reporter rejoices to hear of our boys and girls doing such efficient work and living reputable lives.

TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPS IN INT. L. ARE ANNOUNCED

WINNING SCHOOLS ARE COURTEY, STANTON WARD SCHOOL, LENORAH IN CONCLUDING EVENTS HELD WEDNESDAY

County championships in the Interscholastic League for Martin county, were determined Wednesday night by W. C. Glazener, County Director General, after the completion of the county track and field meet, which had been postponed to Wednesday from last Saturday because of the unfavorable weather conditions. The winners in the three classes are:

Courtesy in the Class B or High School Class.
Stanton Ward School in the Ward School Class.

Lenorah in the Rural School Class. Standings of some of the competing schools are as follows:

Courtesy High School, 287 points;
Stanton High School, 125 points;
Valley View High School, 82 points.
Stanton Ward School, 250 points;
Courtney Ward School, 125 points;
Valley View Ward School, 49 points.
Rural Schools:
Lenorah, 267 points; Pleasant Valley, 215 points; Brown, 150 points; Merrick, 75 points; Wolcott, 42.

Those in charge of the different events in the meet were highly gratified with the fine attendance, and the large number of pupils participating in the contests.

It was estimated the attendance here last Friday was the largest seen at a county meet in the past seven or eight years. Teachers of the county are to be congratulated on the manner in which they have worked out the meet and carried it to such a successful finish.

Winners in the events are eligible to participate in the district meet at Midland on April 13th and 14th.



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When a merchant makes a dollar on a well advertised merchandise and loses a dollar on unknown merchandise, it should not take him long to find out which one is more profitable to handle.

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SNOOTER NOSE—

Who knows him personally and has heard him speak on the political stump, McDonald is dynamite, and things are going to pick up when he gets strung out campaigning in behalf of his candidacy.

NOT for long does the fellow get by throwing dirt in another's face until he is made to eat his own. For instance, East Texas has for a long time many years taken delight in casting all sort of dirty remarks into the face of West Texas. The dirt throwing has been mostly along the line of sandstorms, drouth and the varied freakish weather, charged to this area. Last week an East Texas editor was made to eat some of his own dirt he had been flinging at West Texas. The Wood county editor published a news item to the fact that his county enjoyed a sandstorm, rain, snow and sleet, all in one day. West Texas may have a sandstorm or a rain in one day but not such a combination of weather as the East Texas editor spoke of hitting his country. We may be shy, some years, on rain, but we would rather be that way than live in a country where they have to grow web feet so as to walk about to keep from drowning.

The somewhat wry or dry faces that have been carried around by Stanton and Martin county people for sometime have been converted into pleasant and smiling ones this week due to the good rain that fell over Martin county last Saturday night and early Sunday morning. We are going to be only half so lavish with our estimate of the value the rain was to this county compared to the figures our youthful editor Harry Schwenker prints in his Brady Standard every time it sprinkles in McCullough county. His standing estimate of every sprinkle is a Million Dollars. Our estimate in dollars and cents of the rain last Saturday night for this county is worth \$500,000, and if we have another rain of equal magnitude this week, we'll tack on another \$500,000. However, it doesn't require much rain to be worth a million dollars to Martin county. Things will grow and thrive well on tear drops



SEEDS It's high time to plan your garden. And that time is the right time to come to **BRYAN'S** for information and guidance in your selection of seeds of the highest quality. Whether your garden is to cover acres or just a few square feet, we shall be pleased to assist you for the best results.

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Welcome

Sarah Henson, Prop.

from the bull frogs, a considerable advantage that we have over counties in the McCullough area where lots of rain is required before a bull frog can wet up his whistle to croak.

Why, we know a fellow in Martin county who, last year, planted a few short rows of cotton in his garden patch and sprinkled it with water from his lawn sprinkler. When the cotton matured the stalks were so high he had to climb the stalks on their limbs to pick the lint off the top. Had the plot been an acre it would have made two bales.

If Old Man Jupiter Pluvius will deal just half-way reasonable with his rain water Martin county will produce more and a better quality of crops than any half dozen East Texas counties. We can do that and spend half the time riding in our late model automobiles enjoying the entrancing scenery around about that only a country like West Texas can boast.

THE turning over of the air mail transportation to the army, followed by the suspension of air mail service by the new agency, produced some bitterness and heartaches on both sides. The commercial carriers naturally took it hard that their industry was wiped out at one sweep, and the army, shafted under the implication that they were not up to the job. Possibly all concerned are too deeply aggrieved. If there were dishegonest commercial carriers, they will be uncovered. The innocent will

CLASSIFIED ADS

SPECIAL PRICES on Chinese Elms, all sizes; Evergreens, Flowering Shrubs, Roses, etc. West Texas Nursery, 1201 N. Main Street, Midland, Texas. 25-26pd

FOR SALE—50 bushels Mebane cotton seed 65c bushel. Also set plow harness. J. B. Harvard. 26-27pd

Chickens — Turkeys

Don't wait and have diseased Fowls from Worms—and Lasses from Blood-Sucking Lice, Mites, Fleas and Blue Bugs this Spring. Begin NOW to give **STAR PARASITE REMOVER** in their drinking water for both Fowls and Baby Chicks. It will keep them Free of these destructive Parasites, their system toned up, their health and Egg Production good at a very small cost—or money refunded.

Henry Orr Drug Store. 24-35

emerge without stain and will be garbed with increased public confidence. Upon the other hand, it is not just to assume that army fliers and army equipment can be prepared in the twinkling of an eye for a new and highly specialized service. The deaths among army fliers are to be deplored but they indicate that, ready or not, the military forces of the United States can be relied upon not to shrink from untried or unknown dangers.

How about a wash and rease job on your car? Stanton Service Station, W. E. Whitson.

REPRESENTATIVE OF COSDEN REFINERY HERE WEDNESDAY

Wendell Bedichek of Big Spring, stopped at the Reporter office Wednesday afternoon long enough to "punch" out copy for an advertisement which appears in this issue. "Beddy," his print-shop nomdeplume, was formerly editor of the Big Spring Daily Herald, and is now publicity director and salesman for the Cosden Refinery of Big Spring. Representing the Cosden products in Stanton is the Consumers' Oil & Supply Co., of which Horace Blocker is the head.

Charter No. 8094 Reserve District No. 11

Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Stanton, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 5, 1934

ASSETS
Loans and discounts \$166,454.75
Overdrafts 232.29
United States Government securities owned 25,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned 3,000.00
Banking house, 88,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, 83,500.00 11,500.00
Real estate owned other than banking house 1,746.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 23,392.44
Cash in vault and balances with other banks 77,549.94
Outside checks and other cash items 76.15
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from other banks 1,250.00
Other assets 1,132.00
TOTAL \$511,333.66

LIABILITIES
Demand deposits, except U. S. Government deposits, public funds and deposits of other banks \$170,279.14
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities 38,294.70
Circulation notes outstanding 25,000.00
Other liabilities 23.71
Capital account \$25,000.00
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share
Surplus \$50,000.00
Undivided profits—net 2,736.11 77,736.11
TOTAL, Including Capital Account \$311,333.66

State of Texas, County of Martin, ss: I, Jim Tom, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JIM TOM, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1934.
Mrs. E. P. Woodard, Notary Public
Correct—Attest: J. E. Milhollen, C. M. Houston, S. C. Houston, Directors

EASTER FOOD SAVINGS

Of all things offered for Easter, eggs will probably catch your eye first. There are egg dyes, too, for that exciting egg hunt for the children. We sell the eggs. And loads of price savings on many other items.



Maggart's Grocery

Classified Ads.

LENORAH

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Foreman spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents at Colorado.

Harden Harvard of Dallas, visited a few days with his brother, Frank Harvard.

David M. Ellis, Chiropractor Stanton Hotel, 8 to 12 A. M.

S. J. Foreman made a business trip Monday to Lamesa.

T. W. and Johnnie Scott of Pleasant Valley, spent Friday night with their brother, Richard Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Webb attended the funeral Friday of R. O. Spencer at Klondike. Their daughter, Ova, returned with them to spend the week end.

David M. Ellis, Chiropractor Stanton Hotel, 8 to 12 A. M.

Mrs. B. P. Eidsen of Stanton, transacted business in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Campbell and daughter of Midland, spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. W. C. Greenhaw.

David M. Ellis, Chiropractor Stanton Hotel, 8 to 12 A. M.

Cecil and Elvin Randolph of Tar-

How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of Fat

LOST HER PROMINENT HIPS, DOUBLE CHIN, SLUGGISHNESS

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If you're fat—first remove the cause.

Take one half teaspoonful of **KRUSCHEN SALTS** in a glass of hot water every morning—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—you feel younger in body—**KRUSCHEN** will give any fat person a joyous surprise.

Get an 85c bottle of **KRUSCHEN SALTS** from any leading druggist anywhere in America (lasts 4 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—your money gladly refunded.

zan, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Blanche Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wozen-craft and daughter, Jaunita, are visiting her father who is seriously ill.

LINE

Mrs. W. S. Woolsey spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Wren at Midland.

Louise Rogers of Stanton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Echols, visited Sunday with Mrs. Echols's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eidson at Lenorah.

Art Rogers and Lewis Woolsey have been sick with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Woolsey vis-

ited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Edwards at Lenorah.

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Line won 104 points at the county meet last Friday at Garden City. This school has won first place for three years straight, and we are all very proud of this record.

Why Children Need a Liquid Laxative

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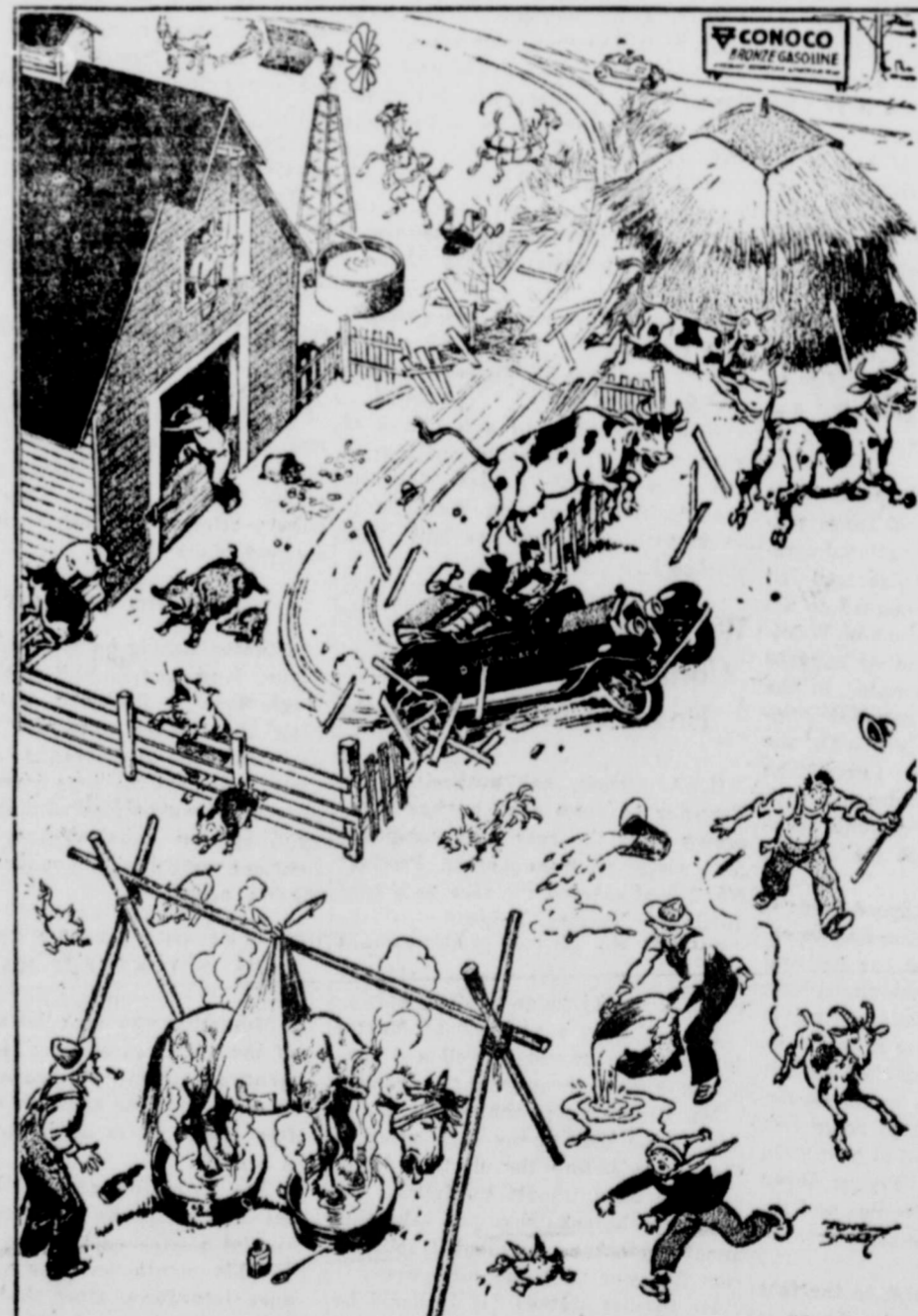
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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Griffin, of Olney, paid a short visit Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelly. They were in Big Spring on their way to their ranch in Borden county, to which place they expect to move from the Young county oil town and make their home.

4-H CLUB NEWS

"To Make the Best, Better"

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FLOWER GROVE CLUB MET WITH MRS. J. ARCHER

The Flower Grove Demonstration club met March 2, at Mrs. J. Archer at 3 o'clock. There were six members present who all joined in making cheese.

On March 16, we met at the home of Mrs. J. I. Brown with Miss Miller, home demonstration agent present, at 10 o'clock in the morning and discussed spring wardrobe. Eleven members and one visitor, were present. Miss Jones of Stanton, was the guest.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. D. L. Bond, 2:00 p. m., April 6th.—Reporter.

TARZAN CLUB PUTS OUT OVER GRAPE VINES BERRY VINES

The Tarzan 4-H Pantry Club met March 21, at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. M. H. White. A report was made of the work done by the club members so far this year, and if each member continues her progress in the future as she has in the past the club certainly will have accomplished much by the end of the year.

Club members have set out over 200 grape vines and a number of berry vines, besides working at various other things such as setting out rose bushes, making hot beds, etc. Most of the time so far has been devoted to sewing and making quilts, but spring is here now and we will begin working our gardens, yards, and caring for our baby chicks.

Miss Miller gave an interesting lesson on clothing and sewing for the family, which was a great help to all.

A club as well as any other organization of your home, should have a little money in its treasury if it is carried on in the proper way. So this club is planning to put on a play in April to raise some funds. The small amount of 10-cents a family will be charged. The club will furnish enough entertainment for you to get your money's worth, and you will be helping your community also. Watch your paper for the date.

The club will meet with Mrs. White again the first Wednesday in April. The program will be how to see and hear beauty in nature. All members are urged to be present. Visitors are invited.

There was one new member joined the club, Mrs. W. C. Mattingly. We always welcome new members and visitors.—Reporter.

FLOWER GROVE

Sunday school session failed to materialize Sunday owing to the bad weather.

R. P. Mayfield is confined to his bed with the measles.

The rain of Saturday night was much appreciated by the farmers of this community.

Mr. Scott suffered a chill at school last Friday and is not able to be back at teaching.

The Flower Grove correspondent wishes to correct an item appearing last week in his column. The item reported the name of R. P. Mitchell and it should have been R. P. Mayfield.

Don Sullivan and son, and D. J. Ward, Tom Mitchell, were in Stanton last Thursday.

Friday the trustees held their regular meeting.

Fred Cave, Lorene Mitchell, J. C. Billingsy, Imogene Mitchell, John Billingsy, Clarence Roberts, attended the play, "Go Slow Mary" Thursday

night at Ackerly.

The boys that went to the Colorado river fishing, have returned, report quite a good catch.

Miss Lorene Mitchell is a new student in the Flower Grove school.

VALLEY VIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryant and son were in Big Spring, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King and son Elmer, were Big Spring visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. King and son, Jim, of Big Spring, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. N. F. King and family.

Mrs. Arthur Alexander, who has been in the Big Spring hospital for a serious operation, will return home this week.

Elvis Clements, Jr., of Stanton, spent the week end in the home of W. L. Clements.

Messrs P. L. Crawley and W. H. Seales of Midland, visited Sunday in the home of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Caffey.

Bobbie and Frances Clements spent the week end with Miss Pauline Cathey at Stanton.

Noel Glendening of Garden City visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glendening of this community.

Woodrow Daves of Garden City, spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glendening and family.

Bob Bryant of Stanton spent past week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glendening and family.

Edward and Willard Pollock were Midland visitors Sunday.

Howard and Nerine Parker of Odessa, spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stanley and son A. L. Jr., of Midland, spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. John Whitson, Tuesday evening. They drive over quite often to buy nice fresh eggs at J. H. Zimmerman's.

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Miss Eunice Melleyolds was called Monday to Sweetwater to the bedside of her grandmother.

The outsiders baseball team is requested to meet at the school house Tuesday night, April 3, to organize for the coming year.

David M. Ellis, Chiropractor Stanton Hotel, 8 to 12 A. M.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. White and daughter, Ruth, left Thursday for Mt. Pleasant to the bedside of Mrs. White's uncle, who has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Redlock filled his regular appointment Sunday. Because of weather conditions, very few attended the services.

A large crowd of Courtney folks attended the Interscholastic League meet held in Stanton Friday and Wednesday.

School was closed Thursday and Friday of this week because of sickness in the homes of three of the teachers. These two days will be made up at the end of the semester.

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FIRST NATIONAL STATEMENT SHOWS INCREASE OVER LAST

The statement of the First National bank of Stanton, appearing in this issue of the Reporter shows the institution in excellent condition with an increase of business over the statement issued December 30, two months ago.

The March statement reveals an increase in the items of Cash and Quick Assets of \$26,000 over that of December, and an increase of over \$31,000 in deposits compared to the December statement.

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Reading the Haskell Free Press of last week we noted that Jim McCoy, city marshal of Rule, together with deputy sheriffs of Haskell county, raided three stills, seizing 1200 gallons of wash and a small quantity of liquor. The stills, located west of Rochester, were in operation when the raid was made and three men arrested.

Mr. McCoy is a son-in-law of J. H. Burnam of Stanton, and was at one time a building contractor here.

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