

CONVENTION INDEX

COMMERCE TAX DEFEATED 3 TO 1

Chamber of Commerce Judge Is Raised

COMMITTEE TO SECURE PLEDGES DOES FINE WORK

Commercial Work Is Financed For Period of Four Months During Summer

OFFICE IS MOVED

Work Will Be Done By C. of C. This Summer If All Co-operate

The work of the Community Bank of Commerce of O'Donnell for the summer has officially started with the raising and adoption of a financial budget for four months. At a meeting of the board of directors last week a financial committee was elected to raise the necessary funds with which to carry on the work.

This committee, composed of Harvey Jordan and M. B. Hood as chairman, will be in charge of the necessary amount of funds Thursday, too late for last week's index to report.

Organization Incomplete

While the general officers have been elected, President Whitsett has not yet announced his appointments. Various department heads are also to be named. They will be officially appointed and installed into office at directors' meeting to be held this week probably. Whitsett has been out of town since Friday.

BROTHER OF THOMAS GIRLS DIES IN FIRE

Brother Thomas, 27, of Abilene loses life in apartment house fire last week

Roy Thomas, brother of O'Donnell, was burned in an apartment house fire in Abilene last Wednesday night along with two companions.

The Misses Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Johnson left here Thursday morning for Abilene, and from Abilene to St. Joe, Montague County, where they arrived last Wednesday. They returned home Wednesday.

FIRE BOYS TO ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

Headed by Chief Cecil B. Hubbard, members of the O'Donnell volunteer fire department will attend the annual convention of the State Firemen's Association at San Angelo Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

Those who will make the trip are: J. P. Bowlin, E. Boyd, C. C. Frit, Mrs. Cecil B. Hubbard, Mrs. Roy Gibson, Grady Grant, D. Fahley and R. C. Willis. They will leave Monday morning and will return Saturday.

Some thirty-five dollars was subscribed by the business men of the city to help defray the expenses of the trip. The fire boys are very appreciative of the loyalty shown by the business interests of the town in their business interests and they thank them for this material assistance.

GOOD RAINS VISIT SECTION THE PAST WEEK

Two inches moisture falls last Thursday; Light Shower Tuesday Night

With approximately two inches of rain last Thursday and the light shower here Tuesday night of this week, there is now plenty of moisture in the ground to bring up late planted crops and to give those already up a good growing start.

MANY PEOPLE WANT TO COME TO SO. PLAINS

Sec'y Dowell Asks Citizens to Assist in Bringing New Folks Here

The Chamber of Commerce would like to enlist individual aid in bringing people from other states to this section of the country. The following people have expressed their desire to buy or trade for property on the South Plains. It is suggested that those who have property for sale or trade here get in touch with these people direct. Write them a letter. Some of them have stated that they would make a trip to this part of the country during the summer or fall. Suppose you help interest them in coming to O'Donnell instead of other towns.

Monroe Ash, Montreal, Missouri, wants to buy about 2500 acres and has \$10,000 cash.

A. O. Hester, Yuma, Tennessee, has \$16,000.00 worth of property that he wants to trade for property in West Texas, or may sell and buy here.

Roy D. Crane, Route B, Alva, Oklahoma, wants a half section on payment plan.

D. F. Decker, Route 3, Albertville, Alabama, wants 320 acres here.

E. K. Faust, Lafayette Springs, Miss., has \$300.00 for down payment on land here.

George A. Watson, Route 2, Bertram, has a property a section of land here and can probably pay all cash.

D. M. C. Kelley, Route 1, Batesville, Arkansas, wants to buy one-half a section but will have to sell there a finance deal. Would trade.

A. P. Blaker, Route 4, St. Joseph, Illinois, wants to buy. Has \$10,000 in money.

T. E. Speight, Rayville, Richland Parish, Louisiana, wants 800 or a thousand acres.

Mrs. H. D. Smith, Navarro, Tex., Box 296, has four or five thousand dollars and wants to buy here.

FIRST SATURDAY IS TRADES DAY INSTEAD OF FIRST MONDAY -- BIG CROWD WILL BE HERE -- MANY PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN

The O'Donnell Trades Day has been changed from the first Monday in each month to the first Saturday in each month. This arrangement will continue during the summer months, but the time will likely be changed back to Monday sometime during the fall.

Thirty-seven prizes will be given away on the street Saturday, June 7. The merchants and other business men are making many special prices, and it will pay to come to O'Donnell Saturday for the special bargains. Tickets for prizes may be obtained at the Magnolia Filling Station.

A list of the prizes follows: "M" System Grocery, one 8-lb. bucket lard; "M" Market, 3-lb. rib roast.

Popular Store, one pair men's silk interwoven socks.

C. E. Ray, one suit cleaned and pressed.

Thornhill Variety Store, one stone mixing bowl.

Gibson Hamburger Stand, three drinks and three hamburgers.

Corner Drug Store, four prizes: 1 pkg. Opoka Tablets.

C. C. Dry Goods Co., one pair of ladies' silk hose.

Economy Dry Goods, ladies' silk step-ins.

Magnolia Filling Station, one can cream separator oil.

Wayburn Garage, five gallons gasoline.

Cicero Smith Lumber Co., one quart Gloss Fast paint, any color.

Wayburn Chevrolet Co., one inner tube.

GUY GREENLEE DIES THURSDAY FROM INJURIES

Collision During Baseball Game Proves Fatal to Popular O. K. Youth

Funeral services for Guy Greenlee, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Greenlee, were conducted in the auditorium of the Okay school Friday morning, with Rev. DeGuire and Rev. Braswell in charge.

Young Greenlee was injured last Tuesday while pitching in a baseball game between O'Donnell and Okay. A "pop" was heard, and he and Lloyd Jones, third baseman, were attempting to catch it when they ran together, the bone above Jones' eye striking Greenlee in the temple and bursting a blood-vessel in his head.

The injury at first was not regarded as serious, but he later lost consciousness from a hemorrhage and was rushed to the hospital. He was operated on about 1:30 Thursday morning, staying on the operating table about two hours. Shortly after the operation another hemorrhage occurred, from which he died at 7:00 o'clock. His parents, his brother, Earl; J. E. Gray and J. L. Chiles were present at his bedside when he died.

Young Greenlee was one of the most popular young men in the community. He was prominent in all school activities, and had recently taken the leading role in his class play. He received his diploma from the Okay school, and was planning to finish his education.

He was born near Winnboro, and and Roger, Abilene.

He had three brothers, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Greenlee; seven brothers, Earl, Cecil, Cleo, L. C., Horace, Hollis and Roger; and two sisters, Mrs. Rita Lee, Bixbee, Ariz., and Doris; his grand parents, and a number of other relatives.

TAHOKA ONLY SECTION TO VOTE FOR TAX

O'Donnell Votes 182 to 11 Against Proposition; Other Boxes Are "Against"

975 VOTES POLLED

No Decision Announced As Yet For Another Election For County Fair

The election on the fair park tax question Saturday resulted in the overwhelming defeat of the issue, with 730 voters saying "against the tax," and only 234 saying "for the tax." A two-thirds majority was necessary to carry the tax, and the returns show almost a three to one vote against the proposition.

Some time ago a petition with 250 signatures was presented to the commissioners court asking for the election. Less than 250 votes were cast in favor of the proposed tax. No announcement has been made of another petition calling for another election.

Only two precincts, North and South Tahoka, gave the tax a clear majority, neither box given even the required two-thirds majority. One box, Dixie, was tied 20 for and 20 against, while all other precincts showed strong opposition.

Very little interest was manifested before the election, but the vote of nearly 1,000 showed there was more interest than was thought. Only one box was unreported Monday morning, which was Three Lakes, having a total possible vote of around 35. It is thought that about 20 votes were lost in the election and that they would stand about four to one against the tax.

Following is the vote by precincts:

Prec.	Voting Box	For	Against
1.	South Tahoka	318	38
2.	Wilson	6	120
3.	Three Lakes	Unreported	38
4.	New Home	8	123
5.	Grand	1	26
6.	North Tahoka	79	63
7.	O'Donnell	111	182
8.	Greenland	4	40
9.	Gordon	1	30
10.	Magnolia	3	31
11.	West Point	5	17
12.	New Moore	5	17
13.	Dixie	20	20
14.	Morgan	3	35

TOTAL 234 731

MOTHER OF MRS. W. H. VEAZEY DIES TUESDAY

The sad news of the death of Mrs. W. K. Hale, mother of Mrs. W. H. Veazey of this city, came Tuesday morning in Abilene, Texas, at the home of a daughter in Wichita Falls. She was 70 years of age and had been quite ill for some time.

NEW EASTERN STAR OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

Tahoka Members Assist in Ceremony; One Hundred Are Present

Mrs. E. E. Calloway and Mrs. Storey of Tahoka were here Saturday night to assist in the installation of new officers of the Order of Eastern Star for the ensuing year. The following were inducted into office: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Alice Gillespie; Worthy Patron, Clarence Gillespie; Associate Matron, Mrs. M. Estes. Elects, Mrs. M. Estes, Secretary, Miss Sue Jones. Treasurer, Mrs. Lee Johnston. Conductress, Mrs. Jennie Belle Bowlin. Associate Conductress, Mrs. Mattie Martin.

Chaplain, Mrs. Fannie Gates. Marshal, Mrs. Marie Yandell. Organist, Mrs. Florence Edwards. Ada, Miss Hester Gates. Ruth, Mrs. Lena Singleton. Esther, Mrs. Frances Bolch. Martha, Mrs. Margaret Middleton. Elizabeth, Mrs. Lena Singleton. Warder, Mrs. Beulah Orson. Sentinel, Ollie Harris.

Refreshments were served to about a hundred members and guests. The meeting closed at 10 o'clock.

Delivers Address

Rev. L. S. Jenkins delivered the inspirational address yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the monthly meeting of the Dawson County Baptist Workers' Conference. He was to have preached at the Terry County Workers' Conference at Tokio Tuesday but was prevented by illness from attending.

LOCAL FOLKS ATTEND MEET AT TAHOKA

L. N. Nichols Elected President of Lynn County Carriers Association

The rural letter carriers from the local post-office, S. M. Minton, R. C. Willis, and L. N. Nichols, along with their families, attended a meeting of the Postal Workers' Association of the Eighteenth Congressional District at Tahoka, on May 30. In spite of the fact that the attendance was curtailed by weather and other things, the rain of the night before making it almost impossible for those carriers and other employees living at a distance to attend, there were some seventy-five postal employees present.

The meeting was lively from start to finish with a number of addresses and discussion of the different phases of the postal work lending interest to the meeting. Among other things of importance was the organization of a Ladies Auxiliary to the Rural Letter Carriers Association, the object of which will be to aid the Association in their efforts to render better service to their patrons and to the Post Office Department.

At the close of the meeting, the Lynn County R. L. C. A. held a business meeting for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. L. N. Nichols, of O'Donnell, was elected President, and W. E. Sullivan, of Tahoka, was named as Secretary-Treasurer of the organization. Jess Eubanks, also of Tahoka, and L. N. Nichols were chosen as delegates to represent Lynn County at the State Convention which it meets in Lubbock July 3-4-5.

COUNTY TRUSTEES MEET AND APPROVE TUITION APPLICATIONS TUESDAY

The County Board of Trustees met Tuesday and approved applications to the state for high school tuition amounting to \$1,824.75, according to a letter from H. P. Caviness, county superintendent.

The board also decided that the Lynn County Teachers Institute would be held this year in connection with the institute held at Texas Tech if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

Members of the County Board are H. M. Larkin, chairman, Clyde Shaw, A. Williams, S. Williams and J. M. Payne, with Capt. Caviness executive secretary.

Arrested for parking the car too long, R. W. Claitor of New York said he had been waiting for his wife who said she would "be right back."

When a person uses an unusual word frequently, it is a good indication that it is a recent acquisition.

NOW GETTING "JUICE" OVER NEW HIGH LINE

Lamesa and O'Donnell Now Getting Power From Super-Station at Big Spring

The Texas Electric Service Company high line from Big Spring has been completed, and the "cut over" was made Sunday afternoon.

Lamesa and O'Donnell now get their power from the super-stations serving other towns on the high line. The plant at Lamesa has been shut down, but will remain equipped to serve as an emergency generating station should it be necessary at any time during a rainy season.

The "cut over" was made last Sunday afternoon, all four circuits being in operation at once. The longest interruption was for a period of only three minutes.

This new line is in line with the policy of the company in rendering better service, since better service can be rendered by having centralizing and centering high line or due to an extra heavy load.

According to C. E. Cameron, manager of the Lamesa office, the change was made just in time to eliminate a long interruption of service due to the bad condition of the Lamesa plant equipment. On Friday night the "cut over" was made because of the burning out of all its bearings which necessitated the use of the reserve equipment which was able to carry for the demand for only a short period of time.

J. H. B. KYLE SERIOUSLY ILL IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

J. H. B. "Daddy" Kyle, well known in Lynn County, was taken to the Lubbock Sanitarium last week suffering with a serious case of erysipelas in his face. News from Lubbock yesterday stated that he was very much improved. The numerous friends of Mr. Kyle are hoping that he will soon be well again.

HANCOCK FOLKS WILL PRESENT FOUR-ACT PLAY

The Hancock Home Demonstration Club will present a four-act play, "Farm Folks," at the O'Donnell High School auditorium Friday night, June 6.

The club is endeavoring through this play to raise funds to send one club member to the Short Course to be held at College Station the latter part of July.

Read their ad in another part of the paper.

Subscribe for the Index today.

Produce Market

The following prices are being paid for produce in O'Donnell, effective Thursday, June 5. Prices subject to change.

Heavy Hens	16c
Light Hens	13c
Colored broilers 1 1/2 lbs. up	20c
Colored broilers 1 1/2 lbs. up	17c
Capons, 8 lbs. up	20c
Capons, 6 to 8 lbs.	18c
Capons, under 6 lbs.	17c
Slips	17c
Stags	20c
Corn, 1 1/2 bushels	50c
No. 1 Turkeys	12c
No. 2 Turkeys	10c
No. 1 Old Time	12c
No. 2 Turkeys	10c
No. 1 Green Hides	20c
Butterfat	18c
Eggs, dressed	18c

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RULES OF THE GAME

Many rules for the government of human conduct have been laid down...

- An exchange prints a few, attributed to Walter Johnson, famed pitcher and manager...

HEALTH FAD SKEPTICS

The subject of how to live long is always of interest, which perhaps accounts for the eagerness of the average mortal to seize upon various methods...

In spite of all the propaganda on the subject, however, there are many who are skeptical regarding the real benefits of such a physical activity...

Commenting on the letter, William Feather, a well-known editor, declares that several years ago he adopted a vigorous health program...

"Acute indigestion led to the abandonment of vegetarianism on doctor's orders. Another doctor recommended discontinuance of cold baths...

Still we may find many who swear by the health fads and feel that their lives have been saved thereby. As the proverb has it, "What is food for some is black poison to others."

TEACH BOYS POWER USE

More extended instruction in the handling of machinery, and particularly in the use of electricity, is advocated for farm boys...

He declares that electricity is rapidly becoming used to a greater extent on farms, particularly in the South and in other sections where waterpower is available...

Recently a specialist in the Department of Agriculture pointed out that mechanical power can be produced at less than half the cost of animal power...

The farmer of the future must have a certain amount of mechanical knowledge, hence the farm boy should begin as early as possible to master the practical operation of power-operated machinery...

Still another candidate for governor, a milk-dealer named Loven living down at New Braunfels, where they have rivers of water as clear as crystals, says that he wants to bring booze home...

The Bureau of Standards announces a new and rapid method of analyzing the human breath which takes only six minutes...

The June Bride



By Vernon Martin, V. A. Teacher, O'Donnell High School

There will be a call meeting of the directors of the Community Fair in the near future for the purpose of outlining plans for the fair and drawing up a premium list.

Prospects thus far look good for a good crop, and we have reason to believe that better fair can be put over this fall than either of the past two fairs.

The O'Donnell Community Fair was first held in 1928 with three communities in the trade territory represented. Last year we had three communities represented—this year four.

There are some ten communities in the O'Donnell trade territory that are eligible for competition. It is reasonable to believe that at least six or seven of all of these communities interested in competing in the fair.

We have advertised our fair well in the past two years, but advertising will mean but very little growth unless we are to enlist more workers. The workers need not be all in O'Donnell, but in the trade territory communities.

The purpose of the fair is to serve the farmers, and it is they who will draw up similar to last year's list with the possible changes on the community score card in order to be in line with the larger fairs.

The B. & O. county fair premium list have not yet been made, the meeting of the O'Donnell fair will follow the completion of the county fair list.

DISCOURAGING OUTLOOK

"The most pessimistic report yet heard on reorganization of the business system of the country has been Government comes from source which lends it high authority—Representative Williamson of South Dakota, who has served two years as chairman of the House Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Department," says the Baltimore Sun editorially.

"From time immemorial the machinery of government operation has been said to be antiquated, wasteful and inefficient, and bureaucracy has been attacked as standing obstinately in the way of betterment, but no criticism of the system has been more severe than that of Representative Williamson after fresh study of the payroll, a staggering few days ago at Louisville is filled with reflections upon the government has become loaded with multiplied departments."

"Layers of barnacles that show a surprising capacity for hanging on," "Permanents who have striven bravely to reform it have given up in despair." With approximately 590,000 employees on the reform it "Seigba employees on the payroll, a staggering total in peace time, overlapping of functions by various departments and bureaus is the rule rather than the exception."

"Nor does Mr. Williamson hold out much hope of correcting conditions. President Harding evolved a plan which looked so beautiful on paper. It was riddled by bombs of expediency and only relics of the Dark Ages, according to the Department of Agriculture."

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In France before the revolution there was a law forbidding the cutting of trees between the new moon and full moon.

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SWINDLING THE FAT

Due to the feminine craze for slim figures, thousands of women are being swindled by vendors of alleged fat-reducing preparations, which have no value whatsoever.

Put up in the form of "fat reducing chewing gum," or "fat reducing gum drops," some of these fakes several of them which have been analyzed were found to contain nothing commensurate to determine a drug having a slight laxative effect.

These reducing remedies are usually accompanied by instructions to eat only about half as much food as usual, to take long walks, and to be sparing in the use of bread and potatoes. Following these directions would tend to secure the desired results, of course, without the chewing gum or gum drops.

Doctors tell us that it isn't unhealthy for fat people to be slim, anyway. "Be yourself" is their advice.

AT BILOXI

Within eye-reach of the home of the President of the United States, the veterans who fought to maintain, the depleted ranks of the Confederate Veterans opened Tuesday at Biloxi, Miss., their annual reunion.

Each year the march time increases the fear that age and infirmity may preclude another gathering of the little number who remain today the veterans.

There might well be a brave endeavor now at Biloxi, the home of the childhood and young manhood of Jefferson Davis, within sound of whose plantation crows he courted and wedded, and from which he left, soldier and statesman, to direct a military campaign in the defense of his memories, and in the memories of these grayed, heroic survivors of his battles, who honor today the anniversary of their leader's birth.

No one would wish to keep these gallant gray heads from meeting. As long as they are strong, to direct a march, to lead a parade, to meet a veteran no longer young, their spirit should be fostered and their honor should be maintained.

It was today, June 15, 1861, that the smaller now than a year ago, some perhaps have been wiped out entirely. Five years in the past, the veterans of the United States produced one-third of the cotton and one-fifth of the iron of the world and contributes 45 per cent of exports in those commodities.

KNOW TEXAS

Texas produces one-third of the cotton and one-fifth of the iron of the world and contributes 45 per cent of exports in those commodities.

Texas is among the leading ten salt-producing states in the Union. Nearly all the production is from Grand Saline and Palestine.

Texas is drained by 3,680 rivers, bays and creeks, including only carry a sufficient importance to carry a name to the runoff into the Gulf of Mexico is estimated at 33,000,000 acre-feet annually. Mileage of 1,676 streams is controlled by the State Board of Water Engineers at 125,000 miles.

From 1922 to 1929 inclusive Texas increased its electrical output nearly 310 per cent. Between 1927 and 1929 the increase was 53 per cent in round numbers 962 million kilowatt hours.

COOL THE MILK QUICKLY

Prompt and proper cooling of all milk cream on farms would improve the grade of dairy products and thus add greatly to the income of dairy farmers.

To make sure that milk reaches its destination in the best condition, cool it to 50 degrees F. or below immediately after milking, and protect it during shipment, says the Bureau of Dairy Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

PLANTING BY THE MOON

Sowing, reaping, breeding, butchering, shearing and other farm activities are regulated by man according to the "light" or "dark" of the moon. Such practices are foolish and only relics of the Dark Ages, according to the Department of Agriculture.

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Canal street, New Orleans, is the widest street in the world, 232 feet, with 21-foot sidewalks.

A statistical shark has figured that Americans drink 75,900,000 cups of coffee every year. And no telling how many more.

Read the ads—save money!

OLD BATTLEAXE OPENS FIRE ON TIMELY ISSUES - NEGAOES

TWO MILLION LAWS

Heavier Armor, What? DIVIDES MILK 50-50

The best weekly editorial appearing in the Floyd County newspaper last week was one of the best of this page. It is the column writer "Old Battleaxe (Himself)" who, at last week's ravings on interesting subjects:

Folks, you have all heard that there are some objections to every business. Well, I had just decided that newspaper work was the biggest objection that I had to my magazine.

Somebody had the nerve to send me a copy of a newspaper last week. It was "Chicago Defender," complete with 48 pages and edited exclusively by negroes. The issue said that my "Twenty-five" was "The Edition," and as a newspaper just have to confess that it was by dog gone good.

About the dearest thing to me is a bunch of black negroes, organized and declaring that they are "good as white as I am." "The Negro" (I have a good many even put it in quotes) is strictly on the race question. I picture a better than any advertisement is about negroes. The front page is a quotation from "The Washington Post" out are such quotations as "Race Prejudice must be done and other silly remarks.

I don't know how my feel about it, but I believe that a negro is just as good as a white just lowering themselves to a level of a negro and not raising theirs. I don't know how many when they do it. I ain't a bit when I say that I'm a white man, but I ain't a white man, whether he be a doctor or just a plain salaried driver. If it takes lynching to get a white man to "lynch em." Though they go "Hoover-act" or Ferasse and may do lots of other things, but I ain't a white man. I see the day when this will be "negro loving state." Any old Battleaxe is going to stake for points unknown.

Step lively, folks, and walk! All kinds of thunder is to break loose in the next few graphs. Brace yourself right now. The negroes are the largest "pack" of wolves he ever knew of was a mother wolf and her six young ones. Many an exciting fight has taken place in the light of this information.

Wearing of massive steel armor was advocated by King James I. of England, on the theory that it not only protected the knights from injury, but also prevented them from injuring anyone else. If disarmament fails, we might try heavier armor.

Stefansson, the explorer, declares that the many stories we have read of hungry Russian wolves traveling in packs, seeking whom they might devour are all bunk. He says the largest "pack" of wolves he ever knew of was a mother wolf and her six young ones. Many an exciting fight has taken place in the light of this information.

INTERESTING NOTES

Oftentimes I have been by strangers in our town, just strictly on the Floyd County newspaper. Now, I don't know how secret, if I didn't like this, I would do good sure in my town. Now, I don't know how secret, if I didn't like this, I would do good sure in my town. Now, I don't know how secret, if I didn't like this, I would do good sure in my town.

I sure had to admit that we people here in Floydada had nothing but whittle and spous. From morning to night, if they were married, they were there and everywhere, on every corner of the square, to put their stuff into the hands of a lawyer. There are Howlers and Saliva Slingers sure got the upper hand in dog gone more than I can count.

Mme. Celestine d'Arpignac whipped her husband after he defeated her in a lawsuit at Bordeaux, France, and she was sent to jail.

William Harrison found a lot of wine while burglarizing the home of Dr. W. H. Horton in St. Louis, got drunk and was arrested when discovered asleep in the house.

Mrs. Susan Arnold of Leagrave, England, lost her shoe in the mud on the main street and is suing the village board.

A stone used as a paper weight for years by an official in India has been found to be the world's largest sapphire worth \$35,000.

Paris tailors have agreed to charge men with more than 43-inch waist measurements a ten per cent advance for their suits in the future.

An explosion of a gas tank near Thousand Oaks, British Columbia, yesterday, lost her hearing which he had, restored through shell shock.

Upon testimony of physicians that the heart of Mrs. Anna Selk of Newark, N. J., had been permanently out of position in an automobile accident, she was awarded \$4,000 damages from Howard Burch.

Following a peculiar hobby, A. E. Huenner of Dorchester, Mass., has in 33 years collected more than 300 birds each from some historic buildings razed to make room for a modern structure.

To keep people off the grass and prevent flitting, 50 women have been added to the Buenos Aires police force.

Prof. Kurt Viesinger of Zurich, Switzerland, has invented a simple device which will help in the production of a simple process of hohlruckkondensationdampfkomfortive.

Some natives of Isabel Island in the Pacific live in trees, among the branches of which, ruse huts are built.

It is amazing to see how misinformation may be secured by one who earnestly seeks it.

Bank examiners can't see money from banks, being in respect like a good many men.



Six Years Ago News items taken from files of The O'Donnell Index published here six years ago.

FATHER ATLAS

Did not meet the famous Father Atlas who he lived in the mountains after him in Africa. He said to meet Father Atlas. He said to meet Father Atlas. He said to meet Father Atlas.



Met the Famous Father Atlas.

Did you know, or maybe you don't know.

Order on Short Notice have been playing "build all the available furniture, piled skyhigh in the corner. Goodness me! Will you things back right and be you it! (oldest)—Mother, it can't be here's a general strike on my Miles to the Gallien said his son Charles, "do you will ever find a substitute here" have one now," replied his I wish you'd give it a trial," replied Charles. "I've never of it. What is it?" "Father," retorted his father.

EAST SIDE NEWS

Every one is now to be seen back in the fields planting since the fine rain of Thursday night. Better hurry or the weeds will get what you have up. There was a large crowd at Berry Flat Sunday to hear the one hundred year old preacher preach. We were glad to have the old brother with us and hope he will come again in the near future. David Brewer visited in the Pride community Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Hal Johnson and family, Mr. Wil Brewer and family of Amberst attended church at Berry Flat Sunday. We are always glad to have these good people back in our community. Bill Hopper and family from Pecos came in Saturday night to visit Mrs. Hopper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Beyer. On their way they got stuck in the lake just east of town. Bill took his pump and tried to blow the water out, for he thought it still as dry as when he left here. Mrs. R. I. Rains is still on the sick list. Quite a few relatives and friends visited in the H. L. Brewer home Saturday and Sunday. Charlie Isabelle and family passed through our community Tuesday on their way to South Texas. Mrs. Jim Sythmore is sick at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eldridge visited at the Wallace Rains home Wednesday. Carey Whittington of Philadelphia teaches canaries to sing by allowing them to listen to flute solos on a phonograph.

NEW MOORE

NOTE—Miss Eunice Pendleton is the new correspondent for New Moore since the resignation of Miss A. B. Gilliam, who was recently married. Send your news to Miss Pendleton early so she can get her news letter to the Index by Monday evening. Miss Willie Mae Crutcher was operated on at Lubbock for appendicitis Sunday morning. We surely miss her and hope she will be home soon. Miss Lovell Lester spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Rachel Pendleton. Miss Gladys Bullock has spent the past week with her parents and friends here, but she has gone back to Lubbock now. A crowd of New Moore girls took their supper out Friday night and cooked it on a camp fire. It seemed like being back in East Texas on a creek or river, if there had been a big fish to fry. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King gave the young folks of this community a party Saturday night. Everyone reported a good time. Miss Babe Rodgers and her mother from Lubbock spent last week with relatives and friends here. New Moore was rather dead until it came that nice rain and it is like grass, having begun to live up some now. Don't be afraid to come to New Moore to church and Sunday school. We have a real good church and Sunday School and you are missing something. We guarantee you a hearty welcome here. New Moore 4-H Club girls are doing fine; most of them have all their club work finished, except cooking. Reporter.

DAWSON COUNTY JOURNAL TO BE PUBLISHED AGAIN

The Dawson County Journal, owned and edited by Charles Hurst of Lamesa up until last November, will resume publication soon, the former publisher announced this week. A county-wide circulation campaign will be made during the first few weeks of publication, Hurst said. The paper will be issued weekly and will appear each Thursday.

BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School, 10 a. m., C. H. Mansell, superintendent. Preaching service, 11 a. m. L. S. Jenkins, pastor. B. Y. P. U. 7:15 p. m., Miss Roxie Hancock, general director. A county-wide circulation campaign will be made during the first few weeks of publication, Hurst said. The paper will be issued weekly and will appear each Thursday.

CARNIVAL ATTACHE RELEASED FROM JAIL

Gertie Kirby, who has been in jail six weeks or more on a charge of theft from a hotel in O'Donnell, entered a plea of guilty in the county court Tuesday. Her fine and costs amounted to a little more than \$50. It was paid by Tahoka citizens and she was released from jail. Miss Kirby was connected with a carnival company when the alleged theft occurred.

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To The Cotton Farmer

Q. How is the Texas Cotton Co-operative Association different from the old Farm Bureau Cotton Association? A. (1) All cotton is sold by the new association through the American Cotton Co-operative Association, under the supervision and with the aid of the Farm Board. (2) The new membership contract may be cancelled by the member any year after the first two years. (3) Under the new contract the member is not required to deliver all his cotton to the association. He is required to deliver every other bale until he has delivered ten bales. After that he is free to deliver or not. The man who grows two bales must deliver one, and may sell the other as he pleases; the man who grows twenty bales must deliver ten. After that, there are no more compulsory deliveries. The member may sell all the rest of his cotton in any manner he pleases. (4) The new contract provides that the cost of handling cotton shall not exceed 3 per cent, unless 3 per cent is less than \$2.50, in which event \$2.50 may be charged. (5) It provides for supervision by the Farm Board. (6) The new plan provides for branch offices in the larger cotton points in Texas. They will be in charge of federally licensed cotton classifiers, who will grade and staple members' cotton free, tell them what price is that day according to grade and staple, give them general market and crop information, and render general service. (7) The new plan provides for separating Texas into six or more districts, each to become independent as soon as possible, and in the meanwhile, each to have an advisory committee to represent it on the state board. (8) Receiving agents will be located at points where there is not sufficient cotton to maintain a branch office. The work of the receiving agents will be to make out drafts, bills of lading and deliver cotton to railroads. Under certain conditions they will draw samples and arrange for prompt classification by nearest branch office. (9) Members will be allowed to place their cotton in "optional" pools, and to order it sold at any time, as well as in the "seasonal pools" formerly used.

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Trail Riders of Canada's Rockies to Make Long Treks



TRAIL RIDERS HOLD A "SING SONG"



CROSSING AN ICE FIELD

Lovers of the great outdoors, particularly those fond of horses and life in the saddle, will be interested to learn that the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, an organization of artists, authors, cowboys, Indian guides and scientists, will make a four-day camping and riding trip during the forthcoming season from Banff, Alberta, to Marble Canyon. This variegated cavalcade will leave Banff the noted resort in the heart of the Canadian Rockies, on July 31, motor to Red Earth Creek where they will mount their ponies and ride past Shadow Lake, up Hailuak Creek over Ball Pass, 8,000 feet high and down Hawk Creek, thence up Elk Creek to Floc Lake and then across timberline along the rock wall of the Groschen Range of mountains with its hanging glaciers to the Wolverine. After camping there on the 2nd day, weather the, will resume their ride down Turnbush Creek to

Canyon where they will hold their annual Pow-Wow—a general gathering which affords old-timers the opportunity to sing the old songs of the trail and gives the younger a chance better to acquaint themselves with their fellow and the old-time songsters. As the ride takes one of the most scenic routes of the ordinary tourist, and the mounting party accounts for practically all the miles or more of trail riding in the Canadian Rockies and that the section is very beautiful and that the crops are looking good.

POLITICAL COLUMN

The following candidates have authorized the Index to place their names in our announcement column subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 26:

For State Representative, 119th Legislative District:
JOHN N THOMAS

For District Attorney:
T. L. PRICE, (Re-Election).

District Judge, 106 Judicial District:
GORDON B. McGUIRE (Re-Election).

For District Clerk:
W. S. (SKIP) TAYLOR

For County Judge:
G. C. GRIDER, (Re-Election).

For County Attorney:
G. H. NELSON, (Re-Election).

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
B. L. PARKER, S. W. SANFORD, (Re-Election), J. H. BULMAN

For Tax Collector:
L. T. (TOM) BREWER, WASH HICKERSON, W. S. SWAN, A. M. CADE

For Tax Assessor:
T. W. (WILL) BROWN, A. I. THOMAS, NEWTON M. BARHAM

For County Clerk:
TRUETT B. SMITH, (Re-Election)

For County Superintendent:
H. P. CAVENESS, (Re-Election).

For County Treasurer:
MISS VIOLA ELLIS (Re-Election)

For Public Weigher, Precinct 4:
MELL PEARCE, (re-election), D. J. BOLCH, D. S. (MITT) TODD.

For Commissioner Precinct 3:
T. J. YANDELL, (Re-Election), W. G. ALLEN, WALDO McLAURIN.

DRAW ITEMS

There are several who have started go-deviling their crops since the shower.

The Sunday school will go on a picnic Thursday down at Two Draw. Every one is to take a basket full of dinner.

Myrl Sherrill spent Sunday night with Mrs. Gus Porterfield and children.

Milton Uzzle returned home Sunday from Abbott where he has been attending school the past term.

Lee Veech is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Veech and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Veech.

The Thomas Brothers were over looking to see about what they needed in repairing their gin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Hays and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Sewell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lemond and Gy Lemond on Snyder spent the latter part of last week in Abilene visiting Roy and Claude Lemond.

Theodo and Tressie Cook went to Lubbock Monday.

Miss Leda Martin left Monday for Lubbock where she will attend the Tech this summer.

Little James Childs' on the 2nd list this week.

Grandma Crabtree returned to Mrs. Green Cook Monday. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kirkland, near O'Donnell.

Mrs. Rankin visited Mrs. Berry Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Sewell and Ed Young made a trip to Tahoka and O'Donnell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin went to Tahoka Saturday.

O'DONNELL TO ENTERTAIN SINGERS OF DISTRICT ON FIRST SUNDAY IN JULY

O'Donnell was selected as the next meeting place for the District Singing Convention at the regular meeting at Woody school house last Sunday afternoon. O. K. had also invited the singers.

The school auditorium was crowded to capacity, and much interest manifested in the afternoon activities. President Mansell urges all communities to be represented next month with a full class and plenty of special numbers. The O'Donnell group is promising something "extra special".

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.. About O'Donnell People ..

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Oscar Tucker at Levelland.

Charley Lawler spent Saturday and part of Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lawler.

Jack Veazey is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Veazey, before resuming his duties with the West Texas Utilities.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Whitsett left Thursday for Munday and will continue their journey to Ft. Worth and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer May and little daughter, Frances, went to Santa Anna Thursday to visit Mr. May's parents.

A. A. House of Rotan was in O'Donnell Friday and Saturday looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dowell and family spent the first part of the week with Mr. Dowell's mother at Tullia. Mr. Dowell is attending the Texas Chamber of Commerce Executives' School at Plainview.

Mr. Wiley and Will Phillips left Tuesday for Hobbs, N. M. They have leased a lot there and are putting in a sandwich and hamburger stand. Mrs. Phillips will go to Hobbs as soon as a location is made.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rayburn and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hood drove over to Hobbs, N. M., Sunday.

E. D. Curry of Snyder was the week-end guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Ritzenthaler, who accompanied him back to Snyder Tuesday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore and Mrs. Waldo McLaurin were in Lamesa Tuesday to meet Mrs. Beulah Rawlings of Johnson City, who was there to install officers in the Lamesa chapter of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Rawlings gave examinations in Lubbock Wednesday night.

J. W. Chandler returned Friday after visiting in Big Spring, Abilene and Snyder. He reports a fine time at all these points, especially at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore spent Monday in the breaks southwest of O'Donnell visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Orson. Mr. Moore says that section is very beautiful and that the crops are looking good.

Misses Sue, Hester and Mary Joe Gates, Edwin Clayton and Mrs. John Johnson are attending the Northwest Texas Epworth League Assembly at Canyon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Fritz and daughter, Zell, went to Tredway Sunday.

Pastor L. S. Jenkins of the First Baptist Church announces that he will preach Sunday morning on the subject of "The Personality of the Holy Spirit." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Roy Gibson and W. H. Ritzenthaler were in Lubbock Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard and J. A. Cornett made a trip to Hobbs and Lovington, N. M., Tuesday.

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Pete Edgerton and Charlie Weems of Ruidoso spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weems. They were accompanied on their return Tuesday by Misses Clara Weems and M. E. Spears of Goldthwaite, who will spend several weeks in Ruidoso.

Miss Jessie Middleton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Rice, at New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mansell returned Saturday from Abilene where they attended the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

Mrs. Paul Gooch leaves today (Thursday) for Canyon where she will do special work toward her degree.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Edwards are attending school at Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Johnson and Misses Alice and Jeanette Thomas attended the commencement exercises of the Baylor school of Dentistry Monday when Robert Johnson, well known here, received the degree of D. D. S.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Greenlee and children returned to their home Sunday in Winsboro after attending the funeral of their grandson and nephew, Gay Greenlee, in the O. K. community.

Hal Singleton Sr., who returned to his home here last week from the Lubbock Sanitarium, is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Davis and Mrs. Davis spent Sunday afternoon in the country with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis.

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INDEX TO PUBLISH AVIATION ARTICLES

History of Flying

Courtesy North Texas Flying School
Dallas, Texas

Increasing numbers of readers are interested in flying and this newspaper in these short articles, will give information which will be helpful and instructive, as well as entertaining, to the prospective student and others. It is the intention of this newspaper to lay before the student certain facts which will save him many mistakes, some of which are expensive.

From time immemorial man has been interested in flying. The earliest actual experimenter of whom we have record was Leonardo Da Vinci. He experimented with actual models and left a treatise on flight. This occurred in the 15th century.

In every century thereafter we have records of experiments of various kinds of machines. In the 17th century Blaise Pascal made the first successful flight in a glider. Venetian, Bonelli and Hooke left writings which added greatly to the history of flight.

During the 18th and 19th centuries there were quite a few successful flights made in gliders and balloons. It was not until the internal combustion engine made its appearance, however, that flying was proven practicable. Up to that time men had tried to make flying machines powered by steam engines and such heavy cumbersome power plants. Internal combustion engines made possible the first successful airplane flight, which was accomplished by the Wright Brothers at Kitty Hawk, in 1903. The flight lasted twelve seconds. The first officially recorded flight was made by Orville Wright just two years later, and covered a distance of 11.12 miles in approximately 12 minutes.

From 1905 to 1908 was a period of experimentation. We have few notable flights in that period. In 1908, the first flight with a passenger was made. That year saw a number of endurance flights. The first was made by Wilbur Wright and lasted one hour. A few days later Wilbur Wright remained in the air for four and 31 minutes. A few months after that, Wilbur Wright bettered his own mark by staying in the air two hours and 18 minutes. Henriot, a Frenchman, created a sensation by making a light over water on July 25, 1909, when he flew the English channel, a distance of 32 miles. In November of the same year Henry Farman flew 150 miles in four hours and 22 minutes.

In 1910, Glenn H. Curtiss made the first successful landing on water at Hammondsport, N. Y. In September of that year Ralph Johnstone set world's record for distance and duration, flying 101 miles in three hours and 14 minutes. Agagneux, France, set world's record for altitude of 9,150 feet at Pau, France.

The first airmail in the United States was carried from Massau Boulevard Airdome, Long Island, to Mineola, Long Island, in the year 1911. Each year shows more and more activity in aviation. The world was proved that airplanes could be used extensively. It was the war trained pilots who were after the war that gave aviation its real impetus. They struggled against public opinion, often going hungry and putting up with all kinds of hardships. The public interest in aviation jumped in the year 1927 when Col. Charles Lindbergh flew solo from New York to Paris. There had been transatlantic flights before that time, but they did not catch the public imagination as Lindbergh's flight. After his flight, Clarence Chamberlain and Rear Admiral Byrd made flights to Europe.

Once the public interest was stirred, aviation began to take big strides forward. More airplanes were built, passengers began to ride and hundreds of young men showed their desire to take up flying. It is only three years since these epochal flights, but an airplane now has the record of having stayed in the air continuously for over four hundred hours. The continent has been spanned numerous times, each time a little faster. It is now possible to go between almost all principal cities by air at a great saving of time and at not much greater cost than other forms of transportation. The volume of air mail is increasing daily and we get better and faster equipment.

Aviation has gone through a period of great public enthusiasm in the past three years and has finally settled down to a steady growth. This growth is sounder economically than the wild enthusiasm of three years ago. We now find that the public will ride our lines, but we must give them fast, safe, dependable service. The growth of aviation now depends entirely on the industry itself.

Wild speculations have no part in the program any more. The public wants dependability and safety and it is up to the industry to give it to them. To this end a group of men interested in aviation met in Washington some three years ago at the invitation of the Department of Commerce to help draft regulations governing the industry. These regulations were drawn up by the industry itself and have been amended from time to time as conditions warranted. The Aeronautics Branch of the Department of Commerce is authorized to execute these rules. The functions of the department of Commerce will be taken up in the next article.

Questions concerning aviation will be answered in this department. Enclose stamped self-addressed envelope.

JOE BAILEY

Mr. and Mrs. Hero Mitchell had as their guests Sunday their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Holt from Priddy.

Lisa—Mandy, my husband is so black I ain't saw him for five years.

Mandy—Dat ain't nothin', gal; dat dar man of mine ain't so dog gone black but he will follow me home around in the daytime.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mathas and grand-children, B. and J. E. of Windy Hill, H. W. Kyle and daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ham and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons' mother from Johnson is visiting him.

Velma Harris visited Mrs. Hines Sunday.

Wife's Society

MRS. J. W. CAMPBELL, Reporter

MRS. EDWARDS ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Mrs. D. A. Edwards entertained her Methodist Sunday School class Monday afternoon from 5 to 7 with a delightful party at her home. After many interesting games were played, the hostess served delicious punch and cake to the following: Sammie McLaurin, Francis Foster, Aleene Gates, Evelyn Kirkland, Annie Belle Estes, Johnnie V. and Opal Debusk, Gladys Williams and Terry Edwards.

MRS. STREET HOSTESS AT FORTY-TWO

Mrs. Irvin Street was the gracious hostess to a number of her friends last Thursday afternoon when her charming home was the scene of a lively forty-two party.

Perhaps the inclement weather had something to do with the high spirits of the guests, but whatever the reason, those present declared that they had never had a more enjoyable afternoon's entertainment.

Four tables were in play during the afternoon. Dainty refreshment plates containing salad, cheese chips, and wafers were passed with punch to the following guests: Mrs. Gibson, Garner, Line, Hood, Wells, Everett, Robinson, Campbell, Vaughn, Carter, Jordan, Starnes, Christine Milwee and Sue Gates.

MMES ALLEN, McLAURIN HONOR BIRTHDAYS OF SONS

Mmes. Glenn Allen and J. L. McLaurin were hostesses on May 27 to a large number of children when Alfred Fern Allen and Blanton McLaurin celebrated their eighth and seventh birthdays.

All kinds of group games were

played until the refreshment hour when two white cakes decorated with pink candles were brought in and each guest received a slice with delicious ice cream.

Those present were Henry Clay Goodwin, Leland Jordan, James Turner Barnes, Harold Cook, Cleatus Askew, M. L. McLaurin, Martin C. Scott, Junior Yarbrough, Blanton McLaurin, Alfred Fern Allen, Melvin Pierce, Deava McMillian, Billie Louise Etter, Elsie Bernice Etter, Elsie Jewel Scott, Yona Lee Simpson and Dorothy Yarbrough.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE IS ORGANIZED

The Senior Epworth League of the Methodist Church was organized last Wednesday night. The following officers were installed at the Sunday evening services: Christine Milwee, president; Alice Thomas, vice-president; Sue Gates, secretary; Claire Ruth Nichols, treasurer; Jeanette Thomas, Era Agent; Louise Edwards, first department superintendent; June Gary, second department superintendent; Vernon Kirkland, third department superintendent; and Hester Gates, fourth department superintendent.

FISHERMAN'S LUCK

Contrary to the fondest hopes of the Index force, we were badly disappointed last Friday when B. L. Davis informed us that he "had no luck" or only "fisherman's luck" on his recent jaunt to the Rio Grande with E. Robinson, Earl Curtis and J. D. Bolch. At least, they "came clean" and admitted they just couldn't catch 'em. Honestly plus, we'll say!

Help make O'Donnell grow.



After A Long, Strenuous Day Try An "Emergency" Cleansing

APPLY make-up only to a scrupulously clean skin. This will prevent your pores becoming clogged, and will help you to keep your skin fine-textured. But if you are in town all day shopping or working, and then have an engagement for dinner, you probably will say to yourself, "That cleansing rule is all very well sometimes, but what can I do when I haven't the time or opportunity to give my skin a thorough cleansing?"

Occasionally it is impossible to cleanse your face thoroughly, and you must be content with the next best thing—an "emergency" cleansing. In the morning carry with you a small bottle of skin freshener, and a few pads of cotton. Carefully wrap cleansing tissues around the bottle to keep it from breaking.

For your emergency cleansing, saturate a small piece of cotton with skin freshener and whisk it up over your neck and face. This will remove the dust and excess oil that have collected during the day, and will leave your face feeling cool and refreshed. Then saturate pads of cotton with skin freshener, and wipe those damp pads up over your face and neck to remove every remaining trace of cream. This will leave your skin really clean.

Here's to Beauty!
Doris Hale
BY BARRY BEAUTY CONSULTANT

powder cake, and gives your skin that not-quite-clean appearance we all want to avoid. Too much trouble? Of course not, for I believe even a plain woman who always looks immaculate makes a better impression than one who is beautiful, but untidy. There is a pleasant element of surprise about someone who preserves an air of freshness and perfection after a long, tiring day that would leave most women wilted-looking.

Of course this emergency cleansing never should take the place of your daily basic cleansing. Your face and neck should be thoroughly cleansed at least once daily in this way. Beginning at the base of your neck, spread a generous coating of cleansing cream up over every portion of your neck and face with your cushioned finger tips.

Let the cream remain on your skin for a minute or two, and then again working up from the base of your neck, wipe away the cream with soft, absorbent cleansing tissues. Never use towels to remove cream, for even the finest towel is not as soft as cleansing tissues, and the week's laundry problem certainly is no small item if towels are used in place of cleansing tissues.

After wiping away the cleansing cream, saturate pads of cotton with skin freshener, and wipe those damp pads up over your face and neck to remove every remaining trace of cream. This will leave your skin really clean.

Mrs. Caroline Becker, of Detroit, has been pardoned after serving ten years of a life sentence for killing a woman neighbor. She is 73 years old and the mother of 17 children.

THANKS DOCTOR McILROY FOR HIS SERVICES

"Dr. McIlroy: We wish to thank you for the interest you took in adjusting our baby. It was through a former interested patient that we called you. He said you had done so much for their baby who case resembled the symptoms of the baby's case. We think your chiropractic work, especially your electrical treatments did the baby a world of good. He is doing nicely at present. Yours truly, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Payne—Adv.

Tell the merchants you saw their ads in the Index.

WITH THE CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

Cumberland Presbyterian

The Cumberland Presbyterian Auxiliary met the church Monday afternoon, with Mrs. W. O. Parr leading the devotional. The regular program was carried out, and then plans for the work of the year were discussed. All officers were re-elected. A Ladies' Aid was organized with Mrs. Hal Singleton, Sr. as president. All are urged to attend this part of the Lord's work.

First Baptist

The M. W. U. met at the church Monday afternoon for the study of "Royal Service". Mrs. J. T. Middleton was the leader for the afternoon.

REV. W. O. PARR NOW IN UNION REVIVAL AT BROWNFIELD

Rev. W. O. Parr, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church here, is doing the preaching in a union revival meeting at Brownfield which began Sunday morning. He will be there all the week but will be in his pupil Sunday morning and will preach on that subject, "The Holy Ghost." Next Sunday is the nineteenth hundredth anniversary of the coming of the Holy Ghost into the world, which fact makes Rev. Parr's subject interesting and appropriate.

FORMER O'DONNELL SCHOOL HEAD GETS PH. D. DEGREE JUNE 9

J. A. Rickard, who was superintendent of the O'Donnell Public Schools from the fall of 1923 to the spring of 1927, has taken the examination for his Doctor of Philosophy degree at the University of Texas and will get his degree June 9, according to a letter received by County Superintendent H. P. Caviness.

Mr. Rickard, according to Mr. Caviness and numerous school bookshelves here, was one of the best school men O'Donnell has ever had. He is remembered by many here who are glad to know that he has gone to the very top in academic training.

He will be professor of history at Tennessee Tech this coming year.

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LUBBOCK MAN ACCEPTS POSITION WITH LYNN COUNTY MOTOR CO. HERE

Jack Noble of Lubbock, who was a resident of O'Donnell up to about two years ago, has this week accepted a position as manager of the Lynn County Motor Co., Ford dealers of this city. He was formerly employed at the First National Bank here. Mr. Nobles assumed his duties Monday morning. He takes the place of B. F. Evans of Post, who has been acting manager here for the past six months.

Mr. Noble is widely experienced in the automobile game. The citizens of O'Donnell are glad to welcome this former resident back home. He is unmarried.

George Anton, a steeplejack of London, carried his baby and 2-year-old daughter to the top of a church steeple 180 feet above the ground.

Miss Nora Cairles of Belfast took off the ear of burglar she caught in her home, but he escaped to be caught a few hours later.

Joseph Rogers of Liverpool swallowed his false teeth during dinner and died while undergoing an operation for their removal.

The proud possession of L. E. Clemen, 70, of Bristol, N. Y., is a shaving brush which he used for 54 years.

The United States will proceed to comply with the naval "reduction" pact by building seven new cruisers carrying 8-inch guns.

Mrs. Sarah Reeves of London will her \$200,000 estate to her husband, but he will forfeit it if he remarries.

Dr. M. R. Volleman, a dentist in Dublin, pleaded guilty to stealing instruments from a fellow dentist.

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Well everyone is smiling over the fine rain and sure are pushing the planting.

We had a large crowd at church Sunday and Sunday night.

Montell Smith has gone to Colorado City to work for Mr. Elvison, a contractor.

Several ladies visited at Mrs. Clark's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Trice's son is visiting them.

Mrs. Duff of Lamesa visited E. Q. Smith and family Sunday.

There was sure a large crowd of young people that enjoyed the party at V. L. Smith's Saturday night.

Mrs. Garrett entertained her B. Y. P. U. class Friday night, with a cake and refreshments.

Mr. Daniels is on the sick list.

MESQUITE AND TREDWAY NEWS

We have had fine rains the past week and have good prospects for a crop this year.

There is Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Mesquite. Every one come and let's build it up.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Street have moved back to this community. We are very glad to have them back.

Mrs. W. S. Street is visiting her son, Hlanston Street, and family this week.

Lorene Fletcher will leave Wednesday for Canyon to attend school.

George L. Jr. and Olene Stephens went to Lubbock Monday where they will enter Tech.

There was a party at J. B. Barrett's Wednesday afternoon. Everyone reported a nice time.

Misses Fairy Knapp, Nannie Crump, Olene and Anna Lou Stephens were visitors in the Bearden home Sunday afternoon.

Louis Bearden took dinner with Jo Lene Stephens Sunday night.

Mrs. Gray has been very ill but is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bradshaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Boydsun Sunday afternoon.

Stanton Thigpen of Tahoka was visiting relatives here this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Leebetter have moved here from Olney. We are glad to have them back also.

KONJOLA PUT ME ON ROAD TO GOOD HEALTH

Dallas Lady Eagerly Endorses New Medicine—Keeps Relief After Other Medicines Failed

"For four years my system was in a rundown condition and for the past eight months, stomach and kidney disorders have caused me much suffering," said Mrs. F. L. Bethel, 406 Avondale St., Liberty Heights, Dallas.

"Gas formed after each meal and I had a burning sensation from my throat to the pit of my stomach. My kidneys were sore and did not function properly. I had pains across my back, and I was steadily losing weight and strength.

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In Buenos Aires a law requires men to wear collars and ties when they appear in public.

In France taxes are imposed on bachelors, old maids and childless married couples.

What is said to be the earliest English silver tea set, made in 1632, is exhibited at the Victoria and Albert museum, South Kensington.

BABY'S MENU



CHICAGO—Danger point in a baby's first year occurs when it is necessary to add supplementary foods to his diet, according to Esther Ackerson Fischer, nationally known dietitian, in an address here.

"The hazard at this period," Mrs. Fischer pointed out, "is that many mothers will add foods which they fancy without regard to their effect on the child.

"Foods which should not be in the diet may work havoc with the infantile digestive apparatus. Neighborhood consultations over the baby's feeding with friends and relatives in the role of advisers may produce harmful results. The person best qualified to determine what the infant's dietetic needs are is the family doctor and he should be consulted frequently."

POLITICAL CALENDAR FOR TEXAS

The fourth Tuesday in May—State Presidential Convention.

The first Monday in June—Last day for candidates for state offices and District offices, in districts containing more than one county to file requests to have their names placed on the ballot.

Saturday before 3rd Monday in June—1st day for County and Precinct candidates in districts composed of only one county to file requests to have their names placed on ballot.

Third Monday in June—County Executive committee meets to determine the order of names on ballot and estimate expenses of election.

Fourth Monday in June—Last day for candidates to pay assessment for ballot.

First report of Campaign expenses—Candidates must file their first report of campaign expenses not more than thirty nor less than 25 days prior to the date of the primary.

Second Monday in July—Primary Committee meets to prepare ballot. Request for ballot—not more than twenty nor less than ten days before date of primary voters who are absent from County must appear before a Notary Public and request a ballot.

Second report of Campaign expenses—not more than 12 nor less than eight days before primary candidates, must file second statement of campaign expenses.

Absentee voting—not more than ten nor less than three days before primary voters who intend to be absent from the County on the date of election should appear before the County Clerk and vote an absentee ballot.

(The same rule with reference to the number of days applies to absentee voting in the second primary.)

Primary election day—Pre-conventions will be held to elect delegates to the county convention.

Election day returns canvassed—County Executive Committee meets August 2nd to canvass election returns. County convention will be held the same day.

Third report of campaign expenses—ten days after the date of election all candidates must then file third report of campaign expenses. An additional report of the expenses should be filed with the county judge not later than this date.

Second primary—The second primary will be held on the fourth Saturday in August.

General election will be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

Final expense report—Ten days after the election candidates should file report of the expenses with the county judge.

If you have not tried making a budget for a year, you might make one for the month just ahead. This is a good plan when changes are likely to occur in the family situation and there is some uncertainty as to what the income will be or the demands upon it. At the end of a quarter or a year you can look both backwards and forwards, determine better what the probable outlay for ordinary household expenses comes to each month, and so make a more comprehensive budget.

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DRILLING ON WILDCAT TEST GOES FORWARD

McCamey Well, 5 Miles West of Tahoka, To Be Drilled To 5,280 Foot Depth

Drilling on the McCamey well five miles west of Tahoka was resumed Monday. A depth of 5,057 feet had been reached when drilling operations ceased a few months ago.

A standard rig is being installed at the Meadow well, twenty-five miles northwest of Tahoka, being drilled by the Penn Oil Company.

Several truck loads of material for the derrick passed through Tahoka Wednesday morning. The drillers are under contract to sink this well to a depth of 5,000 feet, according to A. F. Joslin of the Penn Oil Co.

THOMAS HAS FIELD ALONE

Bob Murry, president of the Lubbock Board of City Development, will not be a candidate for the Democratic nomination of the office of Representative in the legislature from this district, according to a news story appearing in the Lubbock Avalanche last Thursday morning.

Mr. Murry is quoted by the Avalanche as saying, "I appreciate the honor suggested for me but my other interests will not permit my entrance into politics for this or any other year. I am deeply interested in legislation touching upon south plains business, agriculture and Texas Tech, but I know as well as any one that there are many other bet-

ter equipped who have time available to serve."

Al M. Hill, agricultural editor of the Avalanche Journal publications and editor of the South Plains Farmer, who had previously announced for the office but withdrew when it was thought that Mr. Murray would become a candidate, has announced that he will not re-enter the contest, according to the Avalanche. This leaves the field open for John Thomas of Tahoka, who is the only remaining candidate.

T. A. Wimberly, proprietor of the Corner Service Station, announces this week that he has installed Gulf pumps and made several improvements at his station. He formerly handled Pierce products.

Attorney H. J. Borjse, of Memphis pleaded an insurance case for the widow of J. E. Williams, winning the case and also the widow, whom he married.

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CHAPTER IX

Metzger Sets His Terms

Neither Metzger nor Sam were on deck. They had retired to the accommodation aft, which had so lately been taken by the captain. They knew that the joint authority they were to exercise would not be disturbed by risings. They were not assured of the course to be taken. At the table before them they put their revolvers. Not in anticipation of disagreement, but rather lest Hallett might come in armed and ready. "I don't like this Andy Orme," said Metzger. "I don't like him any more than you do that young 'Sparks,' who sits around with the girl."

It was curious that in the moment of grave danger seemed to involve them, Metzger thought only of Mrs. Radway. Sam lacked the volatile spirit of his companion. "You'll have time enough for that," he said heavily. "What ain't working me. What are we going to do?"

"We can sell this boat," Metzger asserted. "I told the doctor that, but he made excuses. He shall force her seas. I know where they can find a Portuguese trader who will buy her. It will not give much, but what he gets will be out two ways."

The treachery to the others was visible to Sam. It was the only way. They continued to discuss the situation. There was Hallett to reckon with and his two adherents. They would be warned directly by the room where he was hidden; there was no danger to apprehend. Metzger found Clements had been based on a wicker lounge. His faded eyes peered up into the bright air; there was still the unfolding smile on his face. Even death kept a secret. Perhaps none would ever know by what name in the world of life he had been called.

A deckhand called Mike was at the door. "Where's Sam?" Bettington asked. "Went below with Metzger," Mike answered. Bettington followed them. Metzger and Sam ceased their talk when he was in. They wondered if he had and any of it. It was a discussion which should have interested any man concerned with the length of his days. "Well," said Bettington, seating himself, "what's to be done?" Metzger elaborated on the simplicity of his scheme.

"The money would have to be split five ways and there'd be a nice little bit left over for me," Metzger said. "I know men who will buy and no questions."

"You'll never sell the Albatross," Bettington asserted. "Then I know where we can run and live aboard. It's the Gulf of Nicoya in Costa Rica. There nobody would ever find us." Metzger's eyes beamed at the thought. "That's silly," Bettington answered. "You suppose we would not pass five days in the Gulf of Nicoya? I've got the wrong idea. You are not to go back to New York, I know."

"Not for me!" said Sam. "The sea never lied to us. When he spoke I knew all about us when he was speaking truth. I'm not goin' to run my life into noose." "Doesn't the same fate hang over you? You know it does. I look on it a different light. Nobody could see of Clements' death for a month, least. He said the paper wasn't opened for a year. I'm willing to take a chance. We all want money, a lot of it. Mrs. Radway will pay just the same as she would have if Clements and we had not been with him. Why throw it away? I ought to take it and then go we'd be safe for life." "Go north and wait for me. I'll go north with him to go to his death, or dead, he feared the man I followed. Rather a short life, a gay one in some tropic isle, I'd rather have. Also, he distrusted doctor."

Metzger saw the scheme as a ruse to cheat him of the pleasures he had found on land. He had not forgotten how long hours when he had watched doctor and Mrs. Radway walking and down the deck. That he did immediately counsel the doctor's death was due to the necessity of giving him force a new set of ship's papers. There are others on board besides himself, he reminded Bettington. They will not run the risk you took. We have enough coal to get us to Limon.

"Can you navigate?" Bettington asked. "Can you take us to Limon?" "Learn's death!" Sam said suddenly. "Hallett shall," Sam said suddenly, "I'll force him." "I've handled him before, than he is and I've been

sem." He stretched his gigantic limbs and the table groaned as he struck it. "I'll break Hallett."

"You've killed him," Hallett said gravely. "We'll leave Bettington out of the question and concentrate on you." "Did I get him, after all?" Sam asked. He sat for a moment thinking of the excellence of his aim. He did not realize the extent of the disaster until Bettington spoke.

"That leaves us with the task of getting some one who can work out a reckoning and get us where we want to go. Otherwise we drift hither and yon till we are picked up by a passing vessel, or have to wireless for some one who can navigate."

"I'll," said Sam; he turned to the engineer. "Can't you?" "I thought not," Bettington remarked. "Apparently Metzger doesn't know that Nicoya is on the Pacific side of Costa Rica and to get there we should have to go through the Isthmus of Panama, under the jurisdiction of the United States. Find out who is capable of navigating."

A search revealed none capable. Metzger and Bettington looked at one another dubiously. Metzger feared that Sam was likely to favor the surgeon's plan and, for that reason, raised new difficulties.

"If we run back to New York," he said plausibly, "how are we going to account for Hallett's murder?" "It wasn't murder," Sam contradicted. "It was self-defense. Wasn't Hallett armed?"

"They'll call it murder in New York," Metzger assured him, "and you'd go to the chair for it. The Doc knows that as well as I do."

Sam was brought to a realization of the effect of his shots which, for the moment, he had considered unimportant. He looked angrily at Bettington.

"You want me to be put out of the way so you get the money?" The surgeon shrugged his shoulders. "Anything the majority can enforce is best," he said cryptically, "from their point of view. I am looking farther ahead than most of you. I see the Albatross drifting aimlessly around the seas, which will soon be a little too rough for a vessel of this sort. If they wonder if he had reported by passing vessels and a search will be instituted and we shall all be taken into an American port. What is Metzger going to say to a naval officer who may board us?"

"Send Mike down to help me removed Hallett's body. It's got to be buried decently."

"Anything you say," Sam observed, almost with gratitude. "Radway'll have company now. I'll send Mike down right away," he added, as Bettington moved toward the door.

"He laughs at me," Metzger stormed when the surgeon was gone, "and he



"He laughs at me," Stormed Metzger When the Surgeon Was Gone.

despises you. He thinks he is my equal because he is taller and stronger. He looked at me as one looks at a child. He will be a child there in Limon when he sees my knife."

"I ain't sorry I got Hallett," Sam muttered. "This bird will be easier." He sighed when he thought of Clements. Had he lived Sam would have been certain of success. Clements had made only one mistake. He had not believed Captain Hallett would be capable of shooting him.

Bettington experienced a feeling of dread at the coming interview which would not be banished. He knew that even in so short a time as he had been absent a great deal had been said. Crosby Todd had a quiet obstinacy about him which would, by its very persistence, influence the two who looked to him for leadership.

He found that the unoccupied maid's quarters had been turned into a sitting room for common use. The two boys had berthed forward in Elear's stateroom. Alone in the four, Mrs. Radway gave him a friendly greeting. But there was a new look of anxiety on her face which he did not like to see.

"Doctor Waite," she began, "I have told them about the ransom."

"There were some things we all had to understand," Todd remarked. "Just what did you tell?" Bettington demanded.

"To make us want to ask a few leading questions." It seemed that Crosby Todd was constituted spokesman. "They're questions you've got to answer?"

by what unbelievable ways he had been brought to the Albatross? Three of the four would think he lied; perhaps the fourth might wish she could believe.

"If I told you," he said, "you would hardly credit it. I have no time now for bickering and cross-examination. You will discover the truth later. For the moment I am concerned only with your safety. The unfortunate death of Clements has placed all in a terrible predicament."

"Have you the gall to be sorry my uncle killed him?" Todd said angrily. There was disloyalty in allowing such a remark to go unprotested.

"Yes," Bettington said. "That unlucky shot let him loose. Clements controlled his men absolutely. If he were alive we could count on getting back to New York unharmed. The men are afraid of touching at any port now where our flag flies because they know jail years for them. They propose to take the yacht to Limon in Costa Rica. There they'll try to sell her. You understand that if they get to Limon we shan't have a chance. We are four to ten. They are armed and we are cooped up here without food. It will take us almost two weeks to get to Limon."

Evelyn Radway shuddered as the image of Metzger impressed itself upon her. Now she knew why he had stared with such insolent triumph. She had no doubt in her mind that the doctor had put the matter as mildly as he could to avoid terrifying Mary.

"What must we do?" she asked. "I have made terms with them," he answered. "They have nobody about who can work out a reckoning now the captain and first officer are gone. It happens I am the exception. I said I would take her into Limon if you were unmoored."

"What will happen to us at Limon?" she demanded. "I don't like the idea of that."

"Not do I," Todd cried. "I'll tell you what will happen. We shall be at the mercy of men like that savage beast Sam who frightens Mary."

The three looked at him as though he had betrayed them.

Bettington tried to be patient with his explanations. "I shall not take them to Limon. If I did I should most certainly be going to my own death, for they'd knock me on the head and pitch me overboard directly land came in sight. I'm going to take a chance that they will pass their days in gambling and drink. They won't come to take fresh air. They will drink, gamble, eat, sleep and fight."

get there in the early morning when they are too far gone in liquor to see the landmarks."

"Won't they find you've changed your course?" Mary asked timidly. "That's the only possible danger that I see. There's a deck hand named Mike at the wheel now. I shan't let him take any more tricks at it. I shan't send him below to carouse with the rest. We ought to be able to make Savannah in forty-eight hours, if the men in the engine room do their share."

"You can't be at the wheel two days and two nights on end," Mrs. Radway exclaimed.

"I can, and will," he said cheerfully. "I think," he added deliberately, "that I can succeed if I meet no opposition here." He looked across the table to Crosby Todd.

"Supposing they do find out you're double-crossing them?" Bob Urwin said, with feverish interest.

"More bloodshed," he answered gloomily; he thought oppressed him. He rose heavily to his feet. "I must impress on you to remain here and run no risks; here you are safe. Outside, I can't answer for your safety."

"There's nothing to eat," said Bob Urwin. He realized he was hungry.

"I'll get something," Bettington answered. "Don't open the door to anyone but me."

A few minutes later they heard a strange voice in the corridor. It was Mike aiding him to remove the captain's body. Todd had been much attached to his uncle, who had brought him up since his father went down with his ship at sea, almost a score of years since. There was a certain boyish, passionate loyalty in his regard for the dead man, which increased his suspicion of the doctor into some harder quality of hatred.

"I don't believe a word of his lies," Todd cried. "Mrs. Radway, can't you see he's deceiving you? He knows about these men and yet he pretends it was all news. How can we tell it doesn't suit his purpose to hold us here and pretend he's taking us to Savannah?"

what would become of me? I'm not afraid, dear. I shall not weaken when the moment comes."

Mrs. Radway put her arms about the girl's shoulder. Her eyes were moist.

"Oh, my dear," she said, "you mustn't give up hope. If only you were not so prejudiced against Doctor Waite you wouldn't feel so. I am certain he will protect us. None of you know him as I do. If you did, you would never condemn him. I know we are in danger, but he's standing between the crew and us."

She felt utterly unable to give reasons which would convince the group around her. Every action and word of the doctor's could be distorted into something sinister and threatening. She could not communicate to them the sense of security his protection afforded.

On deck, early in the evening, they heard sounds of scuffling and shouting. The voices were too far off for any of the prisoners to hear what was said. But they knew some dreadful scenes of violence were being enacted, some such scene, perhaps, as that which had ended in Hallett's murder. Mrs. Radway spoke in a level, hard voice. She addressed her remarks to Crosby Todd.

"I suppose you realize by this time, what chance we stand if Doctor Waite has been killed?"

The thought that he had gone bravely to a doom which could not be averted, and had gone from a group of people who plainly did not trust him, was horrible to her. She had always esteemed ingratitude among the blacker sins, and now she was forced to accuse herself of it. It was strange, she thought, that the only thing he had ever given her was a loaded automatic pistol. But there was no other gift so welcome to her. Images of Metzger's grinning face came unbidden. She took the weapon from a drawer and counted its six cartridges.

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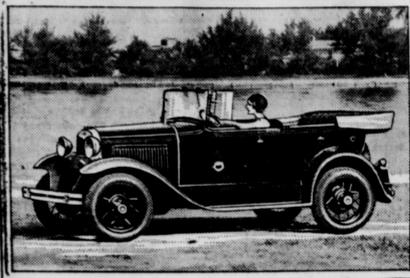
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Reason for this is that the present rate of acceleration of today's motor car is three times as great as its 15-year-old predecessor, according to bulletin of the American Research Foundation, just made public here. But then, the bulletin points out, deceleration also is three times as great as in 1915.

But greater care in driving is not in combination with other factors that cause motor mishaps, the bulletin states. "Sheer carelessness would seem to be the cause of the vast majority of automobile accidents—carelessness in looking after the mechanical needs of the automobile itself, such as failure to have the brake drums tried up and retined after every 10,000 miles of

driving; failure to look over the steering apparatus occasionally and examine the other vital parts necessary to driving; inattention to traffic rules, and carelessness in stopping at through streets and highways.

"All things considered, the present-day motor car—with its lower center of gravity, steel body, greater improvement in visibility due to narrow steel body posts, its superior braking power and powerful motor—is twice as safe as the car of 1915."

But greater care in driving is not one of the improvements in the safety situation, the bulletin concedes. Were carefulness an attribute with the average motorist, the death toll would be a fraction of what it is and the monetary loss from automobile crashes would not have reached close to \$1,000,000,000 in the last twelve months, it is stated.

French experts have devised means of greatly amplifying phonograph records for radio use without distorting the quality of sound.

The first United States park was established at Hot Springs, Ark., in 1832.

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How the crops will grow in bright sunshine!

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PARTIES who took my go-devil discs last summer should return them now and save trouble. W. L. Walker, Rt. 1. 36-2p

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WANTED—to hear from owner having farm near O'Donnell for sale. Write me full description and lowest cash price. John D. Baker, 1418 First National Bank, Dallas, Texas. 37-3c

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking the people who so graciously responded to our needs during the illness and death of our dear beloved son and brother Guy. No one can know how much our sorrow is alleviated by the sympathy and assistance of our friends and neighbors. May God bless each and every one, and may such a calamity never befall any of you; but if it does we shall try to repay to the fullest measure, the kindness you have extended to us. We shall always bind in our hearts the cherished memory of the good people of Okay, O'Donnell, Grandview and Lamesa.

Especially do we thank Bro. DeGuire and Bro. Braswell for their consoling words; also those who brought or sent flowers. The floral offering was beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Greenlee and Children. 1-tp

LYNN COUNTY FARM DIRECTORY NOW ON PRESS AT THE INDEX

The Lynn County Farm Directory, which is being compiled and printed by the O'Donnell Index, is now being printed. A great amount of work has been necessary in getting this valuable book in shape, and the publication has been somewhat delayed. It will be finished in a week or two, however.

We read that the American public now consumes \$75,000,000 worth of 5-cent packages of peanuts a year. At 20 packages for a dollar that would mean \$900,000,000 packages. And if there were 97 1/2 peanuts in a package—well, figure it yourself.

A new boxing glove is inflated with air instead of padding.

T-BAR NEWS

Everybody remember Sunday school at 10:30. Preaching at 3:30 every Sunday afternoon; second and fourth Sundays by Rev. C. A. Duncan of O'Donnell, first and third by Rev. Hames of this community.

As the sand is still blowing, our farmers do not know if they are through planting or not, as the season is still good. However, they have plenty of time to plant over again.

Misses Johnny and Louise Edwards of O'Donnell are spending their vacation with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Whipp, Mrs. Charley and D. Henderson returned from Lubbock where they attended the funeral of Rev. Weems.

A chicken dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McMillan. Those who attended enjoyed the dinner very much and are hoping that they will give another one soon. They might invite the rest of us, for we all like young fried chicken.

Little Miss Linley of Tahoka spent the week-end with her uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Linley.

Carl Richter, after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Townzen, left Friday accompanied by his sister, Lucille Townzen for Brownwood where they will attend Howard Payne College during the summer months.

Friday night, June 6, the Home Demonstration Club will have a pie supper at the school house. They will sell their quilt, and the trustees will hold a meeting. All the candidates for office in Lynn County will be here. Everybody come!

WHOLL INFORM THE INDEX HOW TO SPELL NAME "O. K.?"

Will some wise citizen please step forward and inform the Index how to spell the name of the community five miles southwest of O'Donnell, is it O. K., Okay, Okeh, Okey, Okea, or what? Every time we see the name it is spelled a new way. Will someone also give the origin of the name. There may be some room for argument, but if you think you know, let's have your ideas.

It's the little things that bother us—you can sit on a mountain, but not on a tack.

A stone used as a paper weight for years by an official in India has been found to be the world's largest sapphire worth \$35,000.

Paris tailors have agreed to charge men with more than 43-inch waist measurements a ten per cent advance for their suits in the future.

Some natives of Isabel Island in the Pacific live in trees, among the branches of which rude huts are built.

Rival factions of Christian converts staged a riot at Taiku, Korea, in which many were injured, after a controversy over mission property.

Be at T-Bar tonight and eat pie and hear the candidates!

Calling By Number Takes Less Time

If you know the numbers on your out-of-town calls you can get many of them about as quickly as local calls. It is worth while keeping a list of numbers you frequently use. If you do not know them, "Information" will get them for you.

If there are a lot of them, write to our business office and ask us to make out the list for you.

If you want someone in a hurry, the telephone number is as important as the street address. Knowing the number will help you to speed your long distance calls.

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