

# The O'Donnell Index

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## Christians to Build Church

The First Christian church of O'Donnell was organized last Friday evening at the Methodist church by District Evangelist Jasper Bogue. A board of directors was elected and given authority to go forward with the work.

Until a church building is erected, services will be conducted in the State Theatre. A Sunday school class organized last Sunday will also be held in the theatre.

Following are the members of the board of directors: Dr. C. P. Tate, chairman; R. L. Pirtle, superintendent of Sunday schools; Mrs. B. F. Dye, clerk; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pirtle, directors of music.

A pastor for this church will be assigned at an early date by the State Board and money will be appropriated for the building of an edifice.

## Chiropractor Locates Here

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Kibbe of Amarillo, arrived the first of the week and have decided to locate. Dr. Kibbe is a graduate chiropractor and comes well recommended as standing high in his profession. He will probably secure offices in the new Warren building.

## Bill Barrett Injured by Auto

A telephone call from Lubbock was received by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barrett Wednesday night stating their son, William, had been injured in an auto accident and for them to come at once. Meagre reports from Lubbock states that the young man was driving a car when it turned over, rendering him unconscious. His jaw bone was broken and he was otherwise injured, but it is not known to what extent. His parents are with him.

## Armistice Day Duly Celebrated

The celebration of Armistice Day started shortly after 12 o'clock Monday night by the shooting of guns, pistols, cannon crackers and other forms of noise-makers, showing that after a lapse of six years the patriotism of the people has not waned in the least. The noise was kept up until daylight. All business houses were closed and the guns ceased operation in honor of the day.

A large number of the citizens went up to Lubbock to attend the laying of the cornerstone of the Texas Tech, while others made the best of the day at their homes.

A foot ball game between the O'Donnell Hi team and the Lorenzo school team played on the school campus, the local team losing, afforded a diversion for those enjoying this great game. The State Theatre gave a matinee showing the "Eagle's Feather" and the Bert Davis Players entertained at night.

## Entertained with Home-Grown Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Scrimshire and the Index man were guests at a 12 o'clock dinner of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cook at the Tucker farm southwest of town Tuesday. The dinner was all it could be to tempt the appetite of hungry people. From the chicken to the desert, everything was produced on this farm, except the cranberries, and Mr. Cook thinks they would grow here if we had a little more water. The dinner was thoroughly enjoyed and the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Cook will long be remembered by the guests.

Miss Laynette Smith entertained the Ladies Auxiliary in her home in east O'Donnell with a social meeting. A program was rendered by the members and the hostess assisted by Mrs. Koeniger served a plate lunch to about twelve members.

## Mattie Gillespie Buried Sunday

Mattie, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillespie died in a Lubbock sanitarium Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock after an illness of more than two months. The remains were brought to the family home and on Sunday afternoon taken to the Plainview school house where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Brasswell of Tahoka, burial immediately following at the cemetery at that place. Perhaps the largest crowd to ever congregate at Plainview was present to pay their respects to the deceased, the house being filled to overflowing.

The floral decorations of the casket and the grave were profuse and beautiful, showing the high esteem in which Mattie was held.

Little Mattie Gillespie was operated on for appendicitis at a Lamesa sanitarium last August but failed to regain her strength, complications setting up which required another operation. She came out from under the influence of the ether and it was thought she had a splendid chance to recover but death plucked her sweet young life from our midst.

The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community for the loss of their darling little girl.

## O'Donnell Fast Growing Town

One town in Texas claims the record of having had a house a week built during the past year, while another claims to go this town one better by having one a day built. If only a house a day was built in O'Donnell the citizens would think that some kind of a calamity had hit the town and it was going dead. So many houses are started each day that the Index cannot keep track of them. On every street in every direction buildings are going up, gradually closing in the gaps. The owners of the townsite, Messrs. Doak and Baldrige, have refused to deliver deeds to lots to anyone until the work of construction had begun, and by this means the speculator has been kept from buying up a large number of lots and holding them. Something like 2500 lots have been sold, and a year from now will see a building on each of them. No, O'Donnell is not an oil town; just a growing town to fill the demand of the best farming section in Texas.

Since returning from his vacation on the first of September, C. H. Doak has sold close to forty thousand dollars worth of lots. Besides the houses that are now under construction, there are contracts for thirty-four more to be built at once.

This is one of the straws that show which way the winds of prosperity in O'Donnell are blowing.

## Laundry New Enterprise

There will be no need for anyone in O'Donnell to wear soiled linen in the future. We have a steam laundry. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Kennedy arrived here a couple of weeks ago and at once saw the necessity of this much needed institution. They secured the Riddle building west of the O'Donnell hotel and immediately ordered machinery to equip a first-class laundry and now have it in operation, and the class of work being turned out is said to be entirely satisfactory.

At present the plant is only equipped with two Thor washers, operated by electricity, a Hurly mangle and dryer, but as the business increases, the proprietors state they will build up to meet the demands.

A cordial welcome is extended these good people to the business circles of the town.

## Davis Show Well Attended

The Bert Davis Players have been entertaining the public this week with splendid programs, giving something new each night, and the public has shown its appreciation by filling the tent to the last seat. The plays have all been good—just the kind to make the tired worker forget his cares and have a night of enjoyment.

Between the acts, some excellent talent was shown in vaudeville specialties. As a whole the Bert Davis Players are a fine bunch of people and will always find a welcome in O'Donnell.

## Tahoka Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Haley, Misses George and Elvie Fulcher were here from Tahoka Wednesday evening. They are selling a medical encyclopedia and are making many friends in this territory by their affable manner and straightforward business methods.

## School Band Organized

Toot, toot The O'Donnell school is to have a band. This was decided by pupils of the school at a meeting held Monday night of last week, and the first rehearsal was held Sunday afternoon following, an instrumentation of fourteen pieces being represented. Prof. A. B. Taylor will instruct the band.

The band has a membership of 22 and those not having instruments have ordered them. It is expected to build the membership up as high as possible. Two girls are members and others are being solicited to come in.

Prof. Taylor states that the band desires to cooperate with the faculty in any way that it can to be of assistance to the school in any phase of work, and in return would be glad to have the backing of the school as a whole. Everyone interested in the welfare of the school should give the band encouragement, as nothing could start the day of study off better than listening to a lively air from a school band. The members intend to hold four rehearsals each week and expect to be in shape to give a public recital about the first of the year.

The personnel and instrumentation will be given in a later issue of the paper.

Prof. Taylor is experienced in band instruction, as well as in stringed instruments and voice, and comes well recommended as a teacher of ability. He loves his work and with such a splendid bunch of enthusiastic youngsters to work with, we predict great things to ultimately come from the organization of the band.

## May Invest

O. N. Ingram of Winters, and a Mr. Brasswell of Mart, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore this week. They are interested in the country and may make investments here.

## Who Is Your Banker?

The Choice of a Bank Calls for Good, Sound Judgment.

NO doubt this fact is often ignored or overlooked, but it is nevertheless true, that by having your account with a bank of very high standing you thereby add prestige to your business.

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O'DONNELL, TEX.

## It aint a goin' to rain no more

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TOILET ARTICLES  
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CONFECTIONS  
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WATCHES  
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The Corner Drug Store  
The Retail Store



# OUR COMIC SECTION

## Off the Concrete



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## It's Not the Original Cost



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**IN AN OFFICE BUILDING.**  
Nervous Man—What's the matter with this elevator? You keep trying to run it through the roof.  
Operator—You'll have to excuse me. I'm not used to one of these little 20-story buildings.

### Vainer Still

Hostess (to budding literary man)—I sometimes wonder if there is anything vainer than you authors about the things you write.  
Author—There is, madam—our efforts to sell them!

### A SURE THING.

"I've got a scheme that would make us both rich with a little capital."  
"I could help you out if I hadn't already lost all my money in similar schemes."



### Easily Dropped

Dick—Have you noticed how Dodd drops his aspirates?  
Harry—Yes, but that's nothing to the way he drops his vowels. I've more than a dozen of his I. O. U's.

### MIXING HIM UP.

The Sire—You seem to be proud of your disgraceful conduct at college. You ought to be ashamed to be proud of it.

The Son—On the contrary I'm ashamed of my conduct and I'm proud to be ashamed of it.



### ALMOST ON THE SHELF.

Mother—Edith thinks of spelling her name E-d-y-th.

Father—Oh, well, let her. It's about the only chance she'll ever have of changing her name, anyhow.



### UNREPENTANT.

So Maud is divorced, I knew when she married in such haste that she would repent at leisure.

Oh, there's no repentance in her case; she gets \$200 a month alimony.



### Interior Decoration

Little Girl—Package of pink dye, please.

Grocer—What do you want it for, woolen or cotton goods?

Little Girl—Its for ma's stonach. Doctor said she'd have to diet, and she wants it a pretty color.—The Progressive Grocer.



### PROBABLE.

Mr. Ratt: I have engaged Detective Catt to shadow my wife.

Mr. Hare: I guess you'll be a real widower then, instead of a grass widower.

# HOUSEWORK NOT DRUDGERY.

## For Women In Good Health

Read How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Changed Conditions For These Housewives

### Back Don't Bother Me Now

Lincoln, Nebraska. — "My back would bother me so and when I had to do any heavy lifting it made me sick to my stomach with the pains in my back. I have my housework to do and four babies to take care of so when I heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I took it and I feel better. My back don't bother me and I can eat more and work. I do all my housework and washing for six in the family. I will tell other women to take the Vegetable Compound and you may publish my letter."—Mrs. CHARLES F. DOLEZAL, 1201 Garber Ave., Lincoln, Nebraska.

### Felt Better At Once

Volga City, Iowa.—"I will tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. I was all run down and could hardly be on my feet. I was so cold I could not keep warm. I had numb feelings and then heat flashes would pass over my body. I had severe pains in my sides and was very nervous. I saw your advertisement in the newspapers so I thought I would try your medicine. My husband got me a bottle of the Vegetable Compound and I began to feel better as soon as I started taking it. I have taken it off and on for three years now. I keep house and do all my work for my husband and two

little boys and make my garden. I feel fine and I tell others what the medicine has done for me. I think it is the best medicine in the world for women."—Mrs. THOMAS GRINDLE, Volga City, Iowa.

### Can Do Any Kind of Work

Fouke, Arkansas.—"I had the 'Flu' and after that I had a pain in my side and was not able to do my work I was so weak. I found an advertisement in a paper and it told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would do, and I took it. Now I can do any kind of work I want to. I think every family ought to keep it in the house all the time and I intend to do so."—Mrs. DORA PHILLYAW, R.R. No. 2, Fouke, Arkansas.

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98 per cent of these replies are "Yes."

This shows that 98 out of every 100 women who take this medicine for the ailments for which it is recommended are benefited by it.

This goes to prove that a medicine specialized for certain definite ailments—not a cure-all—can and does do good work. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Just after the loud cheering of his speech has ceased, any man has faith in humanity.

The man who is too busy to take care of his health is a workman too busy to take care of his tools.

# Children Cry for

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**MOTHER:**—Fletcher's Castoria is especially prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep.

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**L**AXATIVES and cathartics provide temporary relief only. Their continued use leads to permanent injury. In time, says an eminent physician, an almost incalculable amount of harm is done by the use of pills, salts, mineral waters, castor oil and the like.

Physicians advise lubrication for Internal Cleanliness

Medical science has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus, Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative and cannot gripe. Like pure water, it is harmless.

Take Nujol regularly and adopt the habit of internal cleanliness. For sale by all druggists.



**Nujol**  
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For Internal Cleanliness



## Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

### CLEAR YOUR HEART

**C**LEAR your heart of hate and go forth in the morning with all your being packed with love.

Try it today if you have not already done so and experience in the eventide the exhilarating sensation which come to him or her who has done his or her full duty to the human kind.

Our greatest happiness, our sweetest dreams, our rosiest realizations, our supremest joys come from proffering a helping hand to the friendless who are trudging up the hill alone, forgotten in the crowds that sweep like the waves on the bosom of the ocean.

Thousands of burden-bearers all about us are praying for sympathy, a kindly word, the touch of a gentle hand which you and I can bestow by being humane, thoughtful and considerate.

They are lonely, heart-broken, despondent, but doing their best to stem the relentless tide threatening to sweep them off their feet.

Scatter smiles and get a smile in return even though you are carrying a kit of sorrow yourself.

Learn who is your neighbor and what your duty is toward him and shirk not when duty calls.

Purge your heart of pride and envy. March along with the noble-hearted

whose lips are singing praises from morn till night, and whose souls are alight with eternal light.

Make this a joyous existence instead of one of tears and regrets, laden with care, dimmed with disbelief and unlighted by a single ray of beneficent faith.

Do these things and rise to an eminence where there is an enduring peace which cannot be measured or weighed.

Put forth thy hand in God's name and do for others the best you can. Be always patient, cheerful and charitable. Ask no man's favor, but seek to have it bestowed upon you as a natural reward for the kindness you have done to others.

And when the play is over there will descend upon you the unspeakable joy which comes to him or her who has made personal sacrifices and done his or her full duty.

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### No Danger of Shortage

The salt in the ocean is sufficient to cover 700,000 square miles of land to a depth of one mile.

## The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says she understands we don't have to make the first payment on the British debt until June or July.

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## The Eyes of the Heart

By REV. LEW W. GOSNELL  
Dean of the Day School, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

**TEXT**—The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of His calling, and what the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of His power to us-ward who believe.—Ephes. 1:18, 19.

Samuel Martin, who built Westminster church in London, was an eloquent preacher, a saint and a man of great spiritual influence. On week-days he would go into the great church and pass from pew to pew, praying for the individuals who regularly occupied them at the services. His successor, Dr. G. C. Morgan, remarks: "It is a question whether ministers can serve their churches in any better way than by the simple habit of praying for the flock of God committed to their care."

It seemed a strange providence which shut up the chief apostle of Christ in prison in the early days of the church's history. Yet out of his prison came his profoundest epistles, and the years spent there were years of unceasing intercession for all the churches of Christ. In writing to the Ephesians he assures them that he does not cease to pray for them and to make mention of them in his intercessions. Our text is a portion of the remarkable prayer found in the first chapter of his letter.

He is asking that the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of God may be given them. The Holy Spirit has already given a complete revelation as to God in the Scriptures, but we need the same Spirit to reveal to us, by way of enlightenment and interpretation, the full import of that revelation. The sphere of this enlightenment is "in the knowledge of Him," a word being used which indicates experimental and spiritual knowledge, rather than that which is merely intellectual. Such knowledge comes from fellowship with God and may be possessed by those who have small capacity and attainments intellectually.

The condition of such spiritual vision is given in the words of the text, "the eyes of your understanding being enlightened," the Revised Version substituting "heart" for "understanding." In Scripture the heart is the inner man, in which intellect, feeling and will unite.

Paul goes on to pray that those spiritually illuminated may see three things. The first is, "what is the hope of his calling." One says: "How comprehensive the prayer! It is nothing less than that we may know in happy experience the expectation which God's saving calling of us has begotten in our souls; and that we may know also what that calling has secured for us, and reserves for us in heavenly life which awaits us." Jesus Christ Himself is our hope (I Tim. 1:1). The early Christians looked for Him and in Him was their hope rather than in the wisdom of the leaders of the church or in reformatory agencies.

Next, Paul prays that they may know "the riches of the glory of his inheritance of the saints." It might mean our inheritance in God or His inheritance in us; here it is probably the latter. What a startling thought. It is not difficult to believe we shall inherit great things in Christ, but what can He find of value in us? We answer, only those things which He bestows by His grace, but them He does find and rejoice over. There is joy in heaven over our penitence; our worship is precious for the Father "seeketh" those who will worship in spirit and truth; our prayers and praises come up like incense; our obedience is better than the sacrifices of many altars. When at last He appears, His riches in us will be fully realized, for He shall be glorified in His saints and marveled at by all who believe (II Thess. 1:10). May we realize we are precious in His sight! The starry heavens are but the pathway for His feet, yet He is not ashamed to call us brethren.

The final petition is that they may know "the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe." How glad we are He speaks of a power, else we should be utterly discouraged. Paul alone, among New Testament writers, uses the word for "exceeding," which is an intense one. This power, as he goes on to say, was revealed in the resurrection of Christ from the dead and His exaltation to the right hand of God. In God this power is unlimited; in us who believe it is limited only by our faith.

What a wondrous petition! All the emphasis is on God. It is His calling, His inheritance, His power. The calling is mainly related to the past, the inheritance mainly to the future, the power mainly to the present.

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### RAINY DAY CLOTHES

"I love a rainy day," said the first rubber boot.

"Why wouldn't you?" said the second rubber boot. "A rainy day is the only day you get a chance to go out."

"That's true," said the first rubber boot. "I didn't say that that was not perfectly true. It is one of the reasons why I love a rainy day."

"I love a rainy day, too," said the old skirt.

"Well, I have a nice time on a rainy day," the old hat said.

"And so do I," said the old coat.

"And so do I," said the old petticoat. "Why, I'm such a wretched old rag that I wouldn't have any wearing any more if it were not for a rainy day."

"Of course," said the old skirt. "It isn't nice to belong to Rainy Day Clothes family all the time."

"I mean every once in awhile it is hard to know how very little you're really liked."

"I don't suppose there is a creature who doesn't hate her rainy day clothes once in awhile."

"I mean that every now and then people will say:

"Oh, wouldn't it be wonderful not to have to wear rainy day clothes on a rainy day!"

"It would be so nice to feel one could wear one's good clothes then



"So Do I," Said the Old Coat.

and look just as nice on a rainy day as on any other."

"But of course they realize their good clothes would not be good clothes for long if they did that."

"And so they always wear us."

"But at times we're not so popular, as they wish we weren't so old in appearance as well as in months and often years."

"They wish, too, they could be so enormously rich that they would never have such things as rainy day clothes—but I suppose all of us have our troubles, and not being popular at all times is one of ours."

"Oh," said the first rubber boot, "maybe some feel that way at times, but not often."

"The joy of rainy day clothes is that those who wear us can have a good time in spite of the weather. They don't have to worry or fret."

"They can just enjoy the puddles and the swishing, sloshing, delicious rain."

"I don't know whether there are any such words. But even then you know a rubber boot doesn't get much education."

"When I and my partner here go to school we aren't taken into the classrooms."

"We're left right outside with the other coats and rubber boots in the coatroom and we just don't say anything or think anything or learn anything."

"Oh," said the old hat, "I like the rainy days. And I'm glad I am a rainy day hat."

"I'd be so nervous in a wind if I were a best hat. I was a best hat once."

"So you see I know. My time was always spent wondering if it would rain or if it would blow or if the clouds meant this or that."

"Now I am entirely carefree—yes, an entirely carefree hat."

"I have no responsibilities, and I can enjoy myself."

"Good for the rainy day clothes," shouted the two rubber boots.

"Good for the rainy day clothes," they repeated, and then they jumped about before they were taken from the corner of the back hall where they stood.

After that they jumped about just as their owner told them to do, which was really most obliging of them, most extremely obliging.

### Odd Forms of Currency

The Igaru people use broken rice for currency, this being a fairly constant percentage of their stock of rice. The Chinese in some parts use compressed blocks of tea.

## SCHOOL DAYS



WATCHFUL WAITING Copyright

## Have You This Habit?

By Margaret Morison

### GREGORY'S RELATIVES

**W**HEN Gregory was growing up, he had two grandmothers to visit. One lived in a great big house in town. Gregory remembered that house stuffed full of the spoils of yearly trips "to the other side." There were cabinets and shelves and tables cluttered with dust-covered objects of art. Some had been shipped by careless housemaids, some broken and glued hastily so that the edges showed black and sticky. No one knew anything about any of them; some were presents of the white elephant variety, and some priceless antiques.

His other grandmother lived in the country. In his school days when things went wrong, he would imagine himself back in the green-shuttered white cottage, where, in the low-ceilinged parlor, a fire on the hearth threw its light over the orderly room, and touched the Chinese chess men and the Eighteenth century cup and saucer and all the other distinct things he remembered, each with its fascinating story. He knew why a certain plate had been riveted, and he liked the pattern of the carefully darned blankets on his bed upstairs, and he knew that the lemon drops would always be in the blue glass jar.

Then Gregory grew up. It was a question in his own mind, as in every one else's, which of two nice girls he was going to marry. Even after his wedding he would ask himself why it had been Mary. Not that there was the least doubt in his mind that it was Mary he wanted. But why? Gradually he satisfied himself with the happiness of his life, and left the question blissfully unanswered.

Then he and Mary went to visit his old flame and her husband. He re-

turned home again with a breath of relief. His host and hostess were happy together—no doubt of that. Gregory was glad to know—but they lived in a turmoil, a hurly-burly of undertakings half begun and never finished, that left Gregory speechless. There were magazines a month old uncut on the table, and piles of unanswered letters on the desk; one dropped one's coat and hat anywhere; everyone was late to everything; Gregory was warned against two weak-legged chairs that had never been

mended; the children came to the table, and their manners were atrocious. "Bolshevism" was the way Gregory summed it all up to himself on his first evening home.

Then he looked across at Mary reading on the other side of the table. There was a dignity about her that took him back to his grandmother in her little white house. Suddenly he recognized a quality that went a long way toward answering that unsolved question of his early married years—he recognized the habit of personal and material upkeep.

### HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?

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### One Purpose Money Serves

"Money," said Uncle Eben, "may not bring happiness, but it does help to keep a pusson f'um bein' scared."

## Mother's Cook Book

Even the cleverest and most perfect circumstantial evidence is likely to be at fault after all, and therefore ought to be received with great caution. Take the case of any pencil sharpened by any woman; if you have witnesses you will find she did it with a knife, but if you simply take the aspect of the pencil, you will say she did it with her teeth.—Mark Twain.

### FOOD FOR THE FAMILY

**E**VERY one likes fresh, crispy rolls. These are fine when properly risen and well baked.

#### Potato Rolls.

Mash four small-sized potatoes, add one-half cupful of milk heated hot; to another half cupful of milk add two compressed yeast cakes, one tablespoonful of sugar, the same of lard, one teaspoonful each of butter and

salt; flour, four cupfuls. Add the yeast when the mixture is cool enough. Mix all the ingredients and beat well. Set to rise at ten in the morning. Roll out at four, cut and place in pans to bake at six o'clock.

#### Flemish Fish.

This is a good way to use leftover fish. Flake it and put a good layer into a baking dish, then cover with a layer of buttered browned crumbs, three-fourths of a cupful of finely chopped onions, browned with the crumbs and bread in three or four tablespoonfuls of butter, three-fourths of a cupful of white sauce. Stand in the oven until piping hot, then serve at once.

Nellie Maxwell  
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# THE INDEX

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Entered as second-class matter September 28, 1923, at the post office at O'Donnell, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

## Local Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Moore were shoppers in town Monday.

Miss Millwee made a trip to Roaring Springs Saturday, returning Sunday accompanied by her grandmother who will visit here for a few weeks.

Mail us your Kodak films. Quality prints and reasonable prices. Let the professional photographer do your work—  
WAFFLE STUDIO, Lamesa, Tex

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chelf, son and daughter, Laster and Minnie are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick. The visitors are looking for a location and are well pleased with O'Donnell. Mrs. Chelf is Mrs. Kirkpatrick's sister.

J. P. Jones, who farms south of town, came in Saturday with a load of watermelons. While a little late for this delicious fruit, yet he found a ready market for all he had at a good price. Mr. Jones raised melons for a number of years in Parker county and says this country is superior to that county for melon growing. He intends to engage in the business extensively next year.

The Morning Avalanche is on sale in the Christopher Drug Store, O'Donnell, Texas. First daily paper to our town every day.

Bob Martin, cashier of the First National Bank of Fort Worth, spent Wednesday night here on business with the First State Bank.

We have buyers for a few bargains in real estate. If you want to sell your farm or town property, come in and list with us—O'Donnell Land Company.

Frank Martin of Lubbock, was here Thursday on business.

Now is the time to have those Xmas Photographs made. 12 photos—12 Xmas presents. Our equipment is modern. Our Photos please—  
WAFFLE STUDIO, Lamesa, Tex.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harris a fine girl on the morning of the 9th This makes eleven children born to this couple and nine of them are living.

Mrs. Beardson, who has been picking cotton on the Howard farm, was taken to Lamesa the first of the week where she underwent an operation. She has been suffering with an affection of the mastoid glands.

For battery recharging, generators, batteries and starters, see Cecil Hubbard with O'Donnell Battery Company. All work guaranteed to be done right.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Davis are happy over the arrival of a prize-winning boy. The young man was born Friday morning.

Do you need a thoroughbred milch cow? I have one for you. G. A. Green, Lamesa, Texas.

Stewart Schooler is building a nifty five room bungalow on his farm. The floor space covers 24x30 with a porch in front. J. J. Caddell is the boss carpenter on the job.

Mattresses, Mattresses, Mattresses.—Have your old mattress renovated. Phone 366 or write and a truck will call for your mattresses—Direct Mattress Co., Lamesa, Texas.

The big turning post erected in the center of Doak and Eighth streets only lasted a few rounds, being knocked to smithereens Monday night. The post was 18x18 inches and stood four feet high and constructed of concrete and steel. The remains still remain.

Electrical supplies of all kinds at J. P. Bowlin's store. Come in and see our stock and if we have not got it, we can order it and get it for you quickly.

True to the prediction of the Index a couple of weeks ago, John S. Fritz is covering his lot on the south of his new building with a store room. It is 25x60, will be of stucco and will make an ideal business house for some one. It is not known what character of business will be conducted in the building.

Complete line of genuine Ford parts and accessories. Tires and tubes.—Quick Service Garage.

The Sorrells Lumber Company is making improvements at the yard by the construction of an extension to the front which will be used for the office.

REWARD—Will pay \$50 reward for return of two black mules four years old, weigh about 1200 pounds, unbranded. Will pay liberally for information leading to recovery of mules—  
R. R. Fowler, O'Donnell.

Miss Lenore Lowrie spent the week end in Lubbock as the guest the Misses Anderson.

Room for Rent.—Outside entrance, electric lights.—Mrs. H. Everett.

**A BARGAIN**  
One pair of work mares, 7 or 8 years old, weigh 1100 or 1200 pounds; 1 sorrel work mare 5 years old, weight 1000 pounds, 1 black horse mule, will work any way, 9 years old, weight 900 lbs.; 1 3 year old black horse, gentle to work and ride, weight 800 pounds, 1 good wagon and harness for all the stock, good planter and cultivator, will sell all for \$400. See L. D. Parker, O'Donnell, Texas. Information at Russell's Garage.

**The O'Donnell Mattress Factory**  
All Kinds of  
**Mattresses Made Over**  
Satisfaction Guaranteed.  
**L. L. WYATT**  
South Side Shop.

## First Baptist Church

CALENDAR.  
Preaching 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 o'clock and 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday afternoon 7:45  
B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.  
Everybody invited.  
W. K. HORN, Pastor.

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Located on West Side  
Satisfactory Service Guaranteed  
Call and see us  
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North Side—just east of Bank

W. ROWE BROWN, Prop.

# La France Flour

The best that you can buy.

For Sale at

# Singleton's Store

Mrs. J. F. Campbell left Wednesday for Temple where she went to be with her sister, Miss Cox, who will undergo an operation at a hospital at that place.

It pays to advertise. Monday O. D. Riddle came in the Index office to advertise a house for rent. Before the editor could write the advertisement, Dr. C

T. Kibbe came in and rented the house.

## Dr. Campbell will Build Residence

Dr. J. F. Campbell will soon let the contract for the construction of a brick bungalow. The building will be modern in every respect, will contain three bed rooms, living room, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, bath and a large basement. The building will be heated by steam. The lots on the corner to the east of Ben T. Brown's home have been purchased where the home will be built.

## Announcement

THIS is to announce that we have opened a steam laundry in O'Donnell and invite the patronage of everyone. We also ask that you visit our plant and see our machinery in operation

We guarantee satisfaction. All work called for and delivered.

We want your business. Give us a trial.

## O'Donnell Steam Laundry

L. H. KENNEDY, MANAGER

## F. W. Thacker

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# South Plains Farm Lands FOR SALE

10,000 Acres of Wilson Ranch in south part of Bailey County, Texas, for sale in 160 acre tracts.

Good rich catclaw and mesquite, wheat, corn and cotton lands. No sand. Good schools. Will make more cotton than black lands.

Come and see cotton and other crops grown on adjoining lands where settled, improved and virgin soil plowed since January 1st, 1924.

Price \$20 per acre. \$5.00 acre per cash; \$5.00 due on or before 5 years; \$5.00 due on or before 10 years; \$5.00 due on or before 15 years, 6 per cent interest.

Now is the time to buy a farm. See us for particulars

ADDRESS

## Frost & Bailey O'DONNELL, TEXAS

### Will Build Two-Story Brick

Bell Burleson has made so much money this year on his farm that he just could not see it lay idle in the banks, so last week he purchased the northeast corner of block A and planked down a thousand berries in cash for the property and had enough left on his roll to build a two-story brick, the plans for which are now being worked out, the construction to start at an early date, No, gentle reader, Mr. Burleson will not move to town and wax fat on his returns from his investment. He will stay on farm and pet those black horses with cuss words and ride them after that fleet pack of grey hounds which he keeps—no city life for Bell Burleson.

Carload of fine unregistered, though thoroughbred, Jersey milch cows will arrive in Lamesa on or about November 1st. This is not a picked up bunch of cattle. All of them were raised on the same farm and are fine milkers. Get ready to buy your family a thoroughbred milch cow. See G. A. Green.

A. Z. Stevens and Earl Powell were business visitors here from Lamesa Saturday.

J. H. Baldwin made a business trip to Slaton Sunday to see his other girl.

Comforts on top of your blankets are the thing to keep out the cold. We have all grades of comforts. Come in and see them.—Hart Mercantile Co.

For Indigestion and Stomach Troubles  
Take

# KARNAK

THE MASTER HEALTH-BUILDER

Get it at  
CHRISTOPHER DRUG CO.  
and the leading druggist in every town

Raymond Sisk is a new arrival from Emory and has accepted a position in the First State Bank. These Emory folks are mighty fine people and there is room for more of them in O'Donnell.

See City Transfer Company for all kinds of hauling. Satisfaction guaranteed. Office with O'Donnell Land Company. Phone No. 81.

John Latham, carpenter, who was injured last week, was able to leave the hospital and is now around town on crutches.

The best investment a farmer can make is a good Jersey milch cow that will give from three to five gallons of milk daily for his family. See G. A. Green after Nov. 1st, at Lamesa, Texas.

C. E. WALLER  
DENTIST

Office at  
CHRISTOPHER DRUG STORE  
O'Donnell — Texas

O. E. S. No. 725.

Order of Eastern Star meets every first and third Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. All local and visiting members cordially invited.  
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All work done under the supervision of an expert electrician which we have for the particular work

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Gasoline, Oil and Auto Accessories  
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EVERYTHING  
FOR THE  
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WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

## O'Donnell Mercantile Co.



# O'Donnell School Notes

Edited by the pupils of the O'Donnell Public Schools.

Vol. 1 No. 3

## BOOKS CONTRIBUTED

The following have contributed books to the library this week: F. J. Brown, "Robinson and Beard's Development of Modern Europe," "Outlines of Modern History," and "Mill on the Floss."

Lee Weir, "Cheyney's Short History of England."

Roxie Hancock, "Myers General History."

Miss Rice, Shakespeare's "A Mid-Summer's Night Dream," "As You Like It," "Hamlet" and Cooper's "The Spy."

## SOPHOMORE

We, the Sophs, had a class meeting Friday, and elected a new president and secretary-treasurer. Juanita Millsap was elected president and Nell Warren, secretary-treasurer.

We are glad to welcome Lena Silverman as a new member in our class.

## JUNIOR CLASS

We Juniors are just as good as ever. We think that we have the best class in the whole High school. We are progressing fast in English under the skillful leadership of Miss Rice. In geometry we are learning much under Mr. Brown. Superintendent Rickard is guiding us wisely through the stormy paths of history, and Prof. Jones is leading us through science with the help of a belt or ferule now and then. After a fine time with lots of fun on November 11th, we are ready to get down to work again.

## FIFTH GRADE

The Fifth grade pupils in Miss Lowrie's room are enthusiastic over their work and are doing everything they can to bring their lessons up in good shape. The attendance has not been as good as it will be a little later when the cotton is gathered, but the following have neither been absent nor tardy during the second month: Julia Holtzclaw, Murrid Russell, Dorothy Wilhite, Hazel Potter, Carrie Mae Webb, Glynn Everett, Wesley Davis, Monroe Holman, Snookum Shumake, Curtis McMillan, Ester

McMillan. We want to see a larger number in the report for next month.

## FOURTH GRADE

The Fourth grade room was very sorry to have lost one of its good pupils last week, Alma Green, who has moved back to California. But we get a new pupil added to our list to take her place, though Alma will be missed from our group. Our attendance this last month is not quite as good as it was the month before, but we have several in our room who have been neither absent or tardy during the entire month. They are as follows: Lois Burnett, Ruth Marie Howard, Verda Ballew, Flavil Heathington, Evelyn Bailey, Mozelle Edwards, Georgia Mae Smith, Hollis Hunt.

## HIGH FIRST

For regularity and punctuality, the following have been placed on the Honor Roll of the High First:

September—Woodrow Barber, Hazel Page, Louise Edwards, Kirby Musick.

October—Avery Penion, Odell Herman, Veda Shumake, Louise Edwards, Helen Cox, Hazel Page, Woodrow Barber.

Mrs. C. E. Ray, Teacher.

## Parent-Teachers

The teachers and parents of the public school met at the school building last Friday for the purpose of organizing a Parent-Teacher's Club, the meeting being held in the library.

The meeting was called to order by Superintendent J. A. Rickard and after stating the object of the meeting and the advantages to the school and community of a live club, the matter of organization was gone into and the following officers elected:

Dr. C. P. Tate, president; Mrs. J. P. Bowlin, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Ray, secretary; Mrs. R. L. Wagner, treasurer.

Twenty-three members were enrolled as follows: Mesdames J. A. Rickard, S. J. Pfrimmer, C. E. Ray, J. W. Shaw, R. L. Wagner, C. J. Beach, A. F. Edwards,

John J. Stokes, W. O. Ballew, M. E. Herman, J. P. Bowlin, Don Edwards, C. P. Tate, Misses Winnie Fairley, Crysta Kennedy, Lucy Cathey, Leta Rodgers, Lenore Lowrie, Lulu Rice, Messrs. J. A. Rickard, W. A. Jones, Jr., F. J. Brown, Dr. C. P. Tate.

The first meeting of the new organization will be held at 4 o'clock, November 19, at the school building. Come. We need your help.

Mrs. C. E. Ray, Secretary.

## Manay Had Had Enough of "Tant'lizin" Husband

"Am dis Misto Gibbs, de lawyer what handles divo'ce cases?" inquired a buxom-looking colored woman, opening the door of an attorney's office.

"I handle some divorce cases," admitted the lawyer. "Do you want one?"

"Ah suttinly does. Mah name am Mrs. Mandy Purdin, an Ah wants to sot mahse'f shtet of dat good-fo'nothin' husband o' mine, Lysander Purdin."

"On what grounds?"

"Groun's? Says which, groun's? Why, right heah in Houston."

"What is your complaint against him? What has he done?"

"Complaints, Misto Gibbs, is somethin' Ah ain't got nothin' else but. An' dat low-life he's done ever'thin'. But de lates' is dat he's up an' gone an' went an' insured his life fo' five thousand dollars! Kin yo' imagine dat?"

"But my good woman, his insuring himself is no grounds for complaint."

"Tain't, huh? Looky here, suh. Dat man done tuk out all dat insurance when he ain't got no idea a-tall o' dying. He done it jes' to tant'lize me! Yassuh, jes' to tant'lize me!"—Cravens, Dargan Company Review.

## Effective Maybe, but Price "Done Tuk 'Em"

Gen. Sterling Price of Missouri was one of the best fighters in the Confederate army, but he was a scholar in inverse radio. Complex tactical movements in practice did not stagger him, but tradition has it that the simplest problem on paper was beyond his power.

During the early days of the Civil war he visited General Beauregard, who was a graduate of West Point, an expert mathematician, a civil engineer and an authority on military tactics and strategy.

At Corinth, Miss., Beauregard had opportunity to put his theory into practice, and had placed about the city what he termed "a series of impregnable fortifications." He took General Price in his carriage to view these fortifications, carefully explaining their merits. Then he asked Price what he thought of the system.

Price straightened himself up and said thoughtfully: "Well, hain't never seen one like 'er but onct before."

"They were pretty effective, weren't they?"

"Yeb. fine. I done tuk 'er."—Kan-

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Tom Mix in "Eyes of the Forest" at State Theatre Saturday, November 22.

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Regular Dinners - - Short Orders

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Prepared under the skilled hands of one of the best French Chefs in the country

Courteous Waiters :: Splend Service

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We have opened a yard in O'Donnell on the Singleton lots near the depot and invite those who are contemplating to build to call and get our prices.

We Guarantee Our Lumber As Represented.

We specialize in everything that it requires to build a house.

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**Corner Drug Store**

Mrs. S. F. Singleton left for Marshall hursday morning to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Record.

**Goes to Market to Buy Goods**

C. A. Baldwin, manager of the Jones Dry Goods, left Monday for St. Louis where he will be joined by the other buyers from the chain of Jones Dry Goods stores over the country, and purchase the holiday and winter stock. Mr. Baldwin stated before leaving that he was going to open the eyes of the people of O'Donnell's trade territory by the extensive purchases he expects to make for the store. He says the store will sure enough look like Santa Claus was making it his headquarters, and there will be no need for anyone to order a thing for the holidays through his favorite catalog.

**Nance to Open New Restaurant**

A. B. Nance just can't keep out of the restaurant business. After having sold his interest in the City Cafe to his partner, he immediately commenced the construction of a stucco building on a vacant strip of property on the north side and now has a dandy little place of business all his own, which he has furnished for a restaurant and will open for business at once.

**Believes Index Better Than Letter**

Miss Lenore Lowrie has subscribed for the Index to be sent to her sister, Miss Minnie Lowrie at Christine, so as to keep the young lady posted about the growth of the town, and the to save writing letters. Miss Minnie was a student at the O'Donnell school last term.

**Lecture At Presbyterian Church**

Mrs. McMasters, State Secretary of Christian Women's Board of Missions, will lecture at the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock next Thursday. The ladies of the Christian church extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of the Woman's Missionary Societies to hear her.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE.**

Will trade clean stock of general merchandise, doing good business, dwelling and 2 1-4 acres of land, for one section or a half section of land. If interested write, **E. F. POPE,** R. F. D. Funston, Anson, Texas.

**ANCIENT RELICS TO BELONG TO MUSEUM**

**Fine Archeological Collection for Houston, Texas.**

One of the largest and most interesting archeological collections in the Southwest is that of Prof. W. F. Cummins, oil geologist for the Southern Pacific railroad. Professor Cummins has announced his intention of presenting this wonderful collection of ancient relics to the Houston museum. It consists of several hundred stone and clay images which he found in the Maya ruins in Yucatan, Mexico, and many strange objects which he unearthed in exploring prehistoric mounds in Missouri.

One specimen is a sacred image carved in stone, found nearly forty years ago in a Missouri mound, pronounced by expert geologists of the government not only genuine, but the finest specimen ever found from the mounds and cumuli of the prehistoric civilized race of the United States, probably thousands of years old. Professor Cummins refused an offer of \$5,000 for it, or for a cast of it, from a government scientific institution. But he kept it as the only one of its kind for presentation to the Houston museum.

The workmanship of this stone image is perfect, requiring high artistic skill in conception and execution, indicating that an advanced degree of civilization had been reached, as well as a knowledge of species of animals that have not existed for thousands of years on this continent.

The image has the beak of an eagle, the horn of a rhinoceros, the feet of an elephant, the shell of a tortoise, the flippers of a seal and the tail of a Gila monster, also the wings of a grasshopper or locust. It is stained with a brown pigment of some unknown substance, and when discovered was incased in red clay. It is carved from a fine-grained hard white limestone, is 38 inches long and weighs 98 pounds. When found a small creek had cut away part of the mound, leaving some of the image exposed. It has been in Professor Cummins' possession since 1885.

As the ancients of central Asia had the tradition of the Noachian deluge, destroying the most of the world, so also the ancient American races had a similar tradition. Having suffered from great destruction of vegetation in what are now some of the western states, their tradition was that the world was destroyed by swarms of grasshoppers. This image commemorates the destruction of the world by grasshoppers, according to Professor Cummins.

**The Worry Killer**

"Don't worry," says the doctor and "don't worry," says the friend, but "how can I stop worrying," says the worried one. "When I have so much to worry about?" Recreation offers the means, says one who knows. Every man should have a hobby or two to divert his mind and relax the tension of business and other cares.

Chauncey Depew took up speech-making as a hobby. In order to prepare and deliver his after-dinner speeches, he was compelled to completely forget his duties as railroad president. He is more than ninety years old now and is still serving the New York Central railroad. Gardening, music, reading, art and a thousand other things offer opportunities for persons to forget their troubles. Play is the best kind of exercise and callisthenics will help. Keep busy and do not eat too much.

**Rev. Eldridge Pleased with New Charge at Stratford**

Rev. Joseph Eldridge returned from his new station at Stratford Wednesday to wind up his affairs here. Mr. Eldridge states that he was well received when he preached his first sermon last Sunday, the church and parsonage being modern and only second to the Amarillo church in that district. Mr. Eldridge leaves many friends here who wish him success in his new home.

**STRAYED**—From my place northwest of town, one bay horse, raw-boned, high headed, no brand; one bay horse, heavy set, knots on shoulder. Both horses have been roached. Horses may be found with two mules. Notify Joe T. Moore, O'Donnell.

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### Junior Missionary Society Entertained

Mrs. T. J. Knight entertained the members of the Junior Missionary Society Saturday afternoon. Each member present was costumed to represent advertisements, among whom were, Mary V. Shook and Mary Joe Gates, representing Gold Dust Twins, Louise Edwards, Congoleum Art Rag; Oleta Moore, Young Christian Worker; Bennie Moore, Junior Membership Committee; Hazel Potter, Bon Ami; Christine McDaniels, Cream of Wheat; Dorothy Wilhite, Saniflush. After a number of games had been played, refreshments were served.

#### CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of expressing our thanks for the lovely shower given us just before leaving for our new appointment. It has indeed, been a pleasure to work with the people of O'Donnell. May the richest blessings be yours.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eldridge.

Misses Ethel and Mate Kelley Singleton went up to Lubbock Friday where the former had her tonsils removed. The young lady is getting along splendidly and will soon be at her accustomed place at the post office window.

### Crop of Turkeys Bring Neat Sum

Mrs. R. I. Rains came in one day last week with her crop of turkeys which she sold for \$112.14, and the first money she spent of this amount was with the Index, paying a year's subscription. Mrs. Rains says she raised these turkeys with very little cost and believes that there is no better country on earth for growing turkeys than in this section. She will raise a larger flock next year.

### Cooper Men Pleased with Investment

J. M. Shackelford, C. W. McBrayer, Tom Faughther, John M. Lancaster and Joe McGaha, all of Cooper, came in last week. Mr. Shackelford and McBrayer came in to look over the farms they bought last year and stated that they were well pleased with their investment. The other gentlemen are prospectors and will likely invest in Southplains lands.

Justice of the Peace Phillips has moved his court from the Index building to the City Hall where he will conduct his court in the future. Any offender of the law drawing a jail sentence will be saved the publicity of a journey across town in reaching the city bastille.

### Takes Land Off Market

S. P. Keny of Knox City, was a business visitor here Monday. At one time Mr Keny had listed his farm property in this section with land agents to sell, but he stated that the wonderful crop that was produced on the place this year convinced him that it would be folly to sell it, and he notified his agents to not sell. That is what they all think about the Southplains country.

### Building House

Mack Noble and Hugh Thomas are building a modern two room bungalow for their own private use. Some say Mack and Hugh are contemplating matrimony while the boys themselves deny the allegation. Anyhow, if some O'Donnell girls do not tie on to these fine young men soon, some outsiders are going to grab them.

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 O'DONNELL, TEXAS.  
 Manager, E. T. WELLS. PHONE 3

## Lucky Thirteen Club Entertained

The Lucky Thirteen Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. E. L. Sorrels Friday evening, the fascinating game of forty-two furnishing the chief amusement. The hostess was assisted in a charming manner by Miss Willie Schooler.

Dainty refreshments of fruit salad on lettuce leaves, hot tea and cheese crackers were served to the following members: Mesdames Harvey Everett, B. F. Dye, Koeneger, C. I. Kuyndall, C. L. Waller, Ben T. Brown, Tom C. Brown, A. A. House, J. R. Sandors, Carl Cox, E. L. Sorrels and Miss Willie Schooler.

The ladies were charmed with the manner in which the hostess entertained them and will look forward with great pleasure when they can meet with her again.

## Tolbert Will Have New Home

W. V. Tolbert is constructing a five-room bungalow on his lots in the southeast part of town and his family will join him here the latter part of this week, coming from Lamesa. Mr. Tolbert is operating a mule and horse market here and has already disposed of a large number of work stock since engaging in business. A hearty welcome is extended these good people.

## Mrs. Singleton Will Build Soon

Mrs. Della Singleton is preparing to build a modern bungalow on the acreage she recently purchased from F. M. Vaughn adjoining the northwest part of town. As soon as the building is completed she will move to her home and place the children in school.

## T Bar School to Open Monday

While in town Wednesday, J. R. Thomas stated that the school at T Bar would start next Monday. While Mr. Thomas has no children of his own to send to school, yet he is a booster for his neighborhood school in particular and the county in general. He not only takes the Index for himself but sends copies to E. M. Dent and M. W. Bell at Millsap.

## Barrett Makes Land Sales

R. L. Barrett reports the sale of 160 acres of the Newman Land & Development Company's land to a Mr. Lyons of Delta county, and 160 acres to a Mr. Touchstone of Oklahoma. Mr. Barrett operates with his brother, W. F. Barrett of Lamesa in the sale of lands.

## New Preacher

Rev. Hicks, the new Methodist pastor arrived last week and preached his first sermon to a well filled house Sunday. Rev. Hicks was formerly stationed at Idalou, the town George Cowan made famous by establishing a newspaper there. Cowan being a Methodist received many special dispensations from Preacher Hicks and advises the Index man to throw in with him, as he is in direct sympathy with newspapermen.

## O'Donnell Tin Shop

We have one of the most expert tanners in Texas and are better prepared than ever to do all kinds of  
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When you can buy a home off the famous spade ranch from 20 to 30 miles west of Lubbock the hub of the Plains, located not on the going-to-be railroad but the main line of the Santa Fe.

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Best 50c. Meal in the West.



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Divorce Judge—What proof have you that it was always your husband who started these family rows? Mrs. Leatherneck—He's a marine.—American Legion Weekly.

# MOTHER!

Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"



Tongue Shows if Bilious, Constipated

Hurry Mother! Even a fretful, peevish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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The powerful, healing warmth of Hunt's Lightning Oil gives instant and positive relief from throbbing, nerve-racking pains of Rheumatism, Neuritis, Headache, etc. At your druggist, 35c and 75c a bottle.

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**GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES**

correct internal troubles, stimulate vital organs. Three sizes. All druggists. Insist on the original genuine GOLD MEDAL.

**Grow Young!**

Thousands have received the vigor of youth through Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic. Appetite is sharpened, digestion improved, the whole body toned up.

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For Constipation use Munyon's Paw Paw Pills

Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded

That cruel burning inflammation is cooled and soothed by **Heiskell's Ointment**

Perhaps the trouble is Eczema. Heiskell's Ointment will heal it just as effectively as it does less serious skin trouble. At your Druggist, send for a sample. Johnston, Holloway & Co., Philada.

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Influenza, Grippe and Pneumonia usually start with a cold. The moment you get those warning aches, get busy with good old Musterole.

Musterole is a counter-irritant that relieves congestion (which is what a cold really is) and stimulates circulation. It has all the good qualities of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blister.

Just rub it on with your finger-tips. First you will feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief.

Have Musterole handy for emergency use. It may prevent serious illness.

**To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.** 35c and 65c, in jars and tubes.



**Cuticura Loveliness A Clear Healthy Skin**

Insured by Every-day Use of Cuticura Soap



## Are You One of the 80%?

**E**IGHTY people out of a hundred are handicapping themselves in life. Eight of every ten are victims of Anemia—blood starvation—and don't know it.

rich, successful, complete lives need rich, red blood... vitalizing, energy-building above. Try the test pictured above: unless the inner eyelid shows a rich scarlet color, it means that your lack of energy may also be due to Anemia.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan for thirty-two years has been the choice of thousands of physicians. It is the sure way to add energy-building iron and manganese to your blood.

Your druggist has Gude's Pepto-Mangan in liquid or tablet form.

**Gude's Pepto-Mangan Tonic and Blood Enricher**

**Described**

"How's the new baby?" "It's a scream," responded the flapper aunt in correct parlance of the day.

**Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION**

**BELLANS** 25 CENTS

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Money back without question if HUNT'S SALVE fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER, Etc. Itching skin diseases. Price 75c at druggists, or direct from A. S. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Tex.

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Don't take chances of your horses or mules being laid up with Distemper, Influenza, Pink Eye, Laryngitis, Heaves, Coughs or Colds. Give "SPOHN'S" to both the sick and the well ones. The standard remedy for 30 years. Give "SPOHN'S" for Dog Distemper. 60 cents and \$1.50 at drug stores. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., GOSHEN, IND.

**AS SURE AS DAWN BRINGS A NEW DAY**

**CASCARA QUININE**

Will Break That Cold and Make You Fit Tomorrow. W. H. HILL CO., CINCINNATI, OHIO.

## Condensed Austin News

Tom Williams, convicted in Rockwall County of theft and sentenced to three years, has filed appeal in the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The Attorney General approved a \$2,000 schoolhouse bond issue of Cockrell independent school district, Dallas County, payable serially, and bearing 5 per cent.

The deficiency in the general revenue fund of the State Treasury has passed the \$2,000,000 mark. The State Treasurer reported total deficiency at \$2,114,198.

The State Board of Water Engineers has granted the city of Corsicana permit for creation of a reservoir of 7,653-acre feet capacity for the city's future water supply.

C. R. Crawford, convicted in Dallas County of driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated and sentenced to ninety days in the county jail, has filed appeal in the Court of Criminal Appeals.

S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has been in Needville, Fort Bend County, where he addressed the Fort Bend County Teachers' Association on the subject of general education.

ed in 1922 of murder in connection with the slaying of Lee Duke, taxi driver at Orange, and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary, has been granted a full pardon by Gov. Neff. It was the second pardon the Governor had granted in the last fourteen months.

Gross receipts taxes amounting to \$192,000 have been paid into the State Treasury by the Humble Oil Company and the Gulf Production Company, the former paying \$122,000 and the latter \$70,500. These taxes cover the last quarter.

Because Roy Mitchell, under death sentence for murder of Jesse Leo Fulbright in Lamar County Dec. 28, 1923, escaped from jail pending his appeal, the Court of Criminal Appeals ordered the appeal dismissed. Unless executive clemency is given Mitchell will be sent to the electric chair at Huntsville.

State Ranger W. M. Molesworth reported to Austin police that some time during Monday night a thief entered his residence and stole from beneath his pillow his six-shooter. Molesworth said that he was awakened by some one reaching under his pillow but the intruder escaped before he could apprehend him.

The Texas Qualified Druggists' League, without capital stock and principal office at Dallas has been granted a charter. Incorporators are Sam P. Harben, Richardson; Walter D. Adams, Forney, and John A. Weegs, Ballinger. The purpose clause reads: Establishment, maintenance and support of an educational association, composed of owners of drug stores in Texas and of qualified druggists.

The total amount of tax collected by the State on the 1c per gallon of gasoline sold within the State during September was \$329,082, according to the Comptroller's Department. The Gulf Production Company paid on 9,478,763 gallons, Magnolia Oil and Refining Company 6,465,836, the Texas Company 6,956,730 gallons, Pierce Petroleum Company 2,886,940 gallons, Humble Oil and Refining Company 1,955,497 gallons, Cities Service Oil Company 1,343,552.

Passenger motor vehicle registrations in Texas have reached the mark of 695,399, according to figures compiled by the State Highway Commission, and all records will be broken in registration numbers at the close of the year. Commercial motor vehicle registrations number 58,340, motor busses 3,467, trailers 2,091, tractors 116, dealers 2,875, motorcycles 2,552, chauffeurs, 11,912 and transfers, 156,169.

As a token of esteem and reward for her efficiency Gov. Neff appointed Mrs. Espa Stanford, his private secretary, as a member of the Texas Industrial Accident Board, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of J. E. Proctor, who has represented the employes on the board. The appointment of Mrs. Stanford, which takes effect immediately, is the first woman to serve as a member of the State Industrial Accident Board, and it is expected that she will devote a considerable portion of her time to looking after "women in industry."

**Cuticura for Sore Hands.**

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Advertisement.

**Queer Treatment for Ills**

In some parts of Ireland a spider's web is believed to charm away fevers, and the spider itself, if soaked in treacle, is given as a cure for ague. A haddock's bone is hung round the neck by the Indians of Labrador to exorcise toothache; and there is Bacon's authority for "the wearing on the finger rings made of seahorse teeth" as a charm against cramp.

There is nothing more satisfactory after a day of hard work than a line full of snowy-white clothes. For such results use Red Cross Ball Blue.—Advertisement.

**Not Alone**

It was at a summer camp and Caroline was nowhere to be seen for more than an hour. When she came back she told her mother she had been for a walk with her best friend. Alarmed, the mother said: "Never do so again. You little girls must not go to the woods alone."

Caroline answered: "But we were not alone, muvver. Evelyn was wis me, and I was wis Evelyn."—Everybody's Magazine.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills contain only vegetable ingredients which act as a gentle purgative. 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

**Lightning Not Zigzag**

Down to the middle of the Nineteenth century people did not even know what lightning looks like! For ages artists had been drawing and painting it in zigzag streaks, with sharp angles. In 1856 James Nasmyth, the famous Scottish engineer, expressed doubts about the existence of such lightning, says Nature Magazine of Washington. Shortly afterward lightning began to be photographed, and it was thus found never to be angular, but always more or less sinuous, like a river with numerous branches.

Study of the migration of English sparrows is now being conducted by the zoology department of the University of Wisconsin.

**Hall's Catarrh Medicine** will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

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**Wasted Anxiety**

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SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians 24 years for

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Kills Headache Relieves Pain 25¢

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To clean your bowels without cramping or over-acting, take "Cascarets." Sick headache, dizziness, biliousness, gases, indigestion, sour upset stomach and all such distress gone by morning. Nicest laxative and cathartic on earth for grown-ups and children. 10c a box—all drug stores.

**STYES relief quick!**

Get soothing, healing relief from pain-throbbing boils (styes) on the eyelids quickly and surely. Just apply—

**BULL'S GOLDEN EYE SALVE**

## STRENGTH!

**Get It Back Quickly**

Strength is your best "life preserver". If your strength is failing — your vitality lagging, be warned! Get a bottle of Bull's Herbs and Iron from your druggist and begin taking it regularly. You will see an immediate improvement in your appetite, digestion, sleep, strength, endurance and general health. For the last half-century this restorative tonic has helped thousands. Its wonderful success has encouraged many imitators. Refuse counterfeiters or substitutes. Demand—

**W.H. BULL'S Herbs and Iron**

Nature's own tonic 123

**Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic**

Old Standard Remedy for Chills and Malaria. 60c

**Dickey's OLD RELIABLE Eye Water**

relieves sun and wind-burned eyes. Doesn't hurt. Genuine in Red Folding Box. 25c at all druggists or by mail, DICKEY DRUG CO., Bristol, Va.—Tenn.

SALESMEN—Big profits. Dozen quick selling specialties. Write postal card now. N. W. Supply Co., 309 Ross, Bellingham, Wash.

**Effect of Occupation**

"Mrs. Gibbs' temper can't be of the best. She complains that her husband is continually putting her out."

"What else could she expect in marrying a fireman?"



# WRIGLEYS

After every meal

A pleasant and agreeable sweet and a l-a-s-t-i-n-g benefit as well.

Good for teeth, breath and digestion.

Makes the next cigar taste better.



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Better Than Pills For Liver Ills.

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## SHOW CASES

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Somebody can always be got to fool the people if they show signs that they want to be.

### Is Your Work Hard?

Is your work wearing you out? Are you tortured with throbbing back ache—feel tired, weak and worn out? Then look to your kidneys! Many occupations tend to weaken the kidneys. Constant backache, headaches, dizziness and rheumatic pains result. One other annoying kidney irregularity: feels nervous, irritable and worn out. Don't wait! Use **Doan's Pills**—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Workers everywhere recommend **Doan's**. They should help you, too. Ask your Neighbor!

**A Texas Case**


W. T. Mathews, prop. butcher shop and grocery, 403 S. Twentieth St., Corsicana, Tex., says: "My kidneys were weak and acted too freely. My back was weak, lame and sore and when I stooped, I had a sharp catch and could hardly straighten. I used **Doan's Pills** and they gave me relief from the trouble."



**DOAN'S PILLS** 60c  
STIMULANT DIURETIC TO THE KIDNEYS  
Foster-Milburn Co., Mig. Chem., Buffalo, N. Y.

For that skin eruption You can have relief within an hour

PERHAPS you have given up hope of getting relief from that maddening itching and burning, but Resinol does bring comfort when many other remedies have failed. One who has used this healing ointment writes—"Resinol Ointment is so soothing it stopped my itching at once and I got the first night's sleep I had had in weeks. Now my skin is well. What it has done for one it can do for others."



**Resinol Soap** contains the same soothing ingredients which enables it to thoroughly cleanse the skin yet leave it free from sensitiveness and smarting.

# RESINOL

W. N. U., DALLAS, NO. 46-1924.

## BLAME MUSSOLINI WITH ARMISTICE DAY RIOTS

GEN. GARIBALDI ALLEGES ITALIAN PREMIER PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE.

MUSSOLINI RESPONSIBLE

For What Has Taken Place We Consider Directly Responsible the Head of the Government.

Chiasso, Italo-Swiss Frontier.—In consequence of the Armistice Day disorders in the Piazza Popolo, Rome, between Fascisti and members of the Italia Libera, an organization of Fascisti the central committee of the latter organization, as well as General Peppino Garibaldi, have issued manifestos protesting against what they term the unwarranted attack by the Fascisti upon unarmed soldiers and accusing Premier Mussolini of being personally responsible.

Both manifestos were stopped by the Italian censor when the foreign correspondents in Rome attempted to cable their contents abroad. General Garibaldi's manifesto follows:

"Thousands of compatriots, while accomplishing their most sacred duties today (Nov. 4), the anniversary of the victory in Rome, were cowardly assaulted, revolver shots coming from an ambush prepared and carried out by members of the Fascisti militia.

"We, heirs to the Garibaldi tradition and representatives of the combatants for all liberties, denounce to the people the vile ambush, which dishonors the nation. The Red Shirts have always fought on all battlefields for the liberty of the people. It is repugnant to our thoughts that bands of the Government, knowing we were completely unarmed, surpassed in baseness the past tyrannies.

"For what has taken place we consider directly responsible the head of the government."

General Garibaldi is indignant because the newspapers published his protest in censored form. He declared that, together with other ex-soldiers, he would address an energetic protest to the King, asking him to free Italy from turbulent factions and insure to all "that peace which since the end of the war has been vainly invoked."

He concluded: "I trust the Crown will not refuse to intervene in such a grave moment for the safety of the country."

## WILL GO BEFORE THE U. S. HIGH COURT

Keeling to Appear in Red River Oil Case at Washington.

Austin, Texas.—Attorney General Walter A. Keeling left for Washington, D. C., to appear before the United States Supreme Court in two cases, one formal and the other informal.

The first matter will come up next week when the court will determine whether or not the State of Texas is entitled to one-twentieth of the gross receipts on oil proceeds in Red River, awarded to Texas under the Court's decision in the Oklahoma boundary case. The one-twentieth is the portion given the Railroad Commission for the support of the oil and gas division under the pipe line act. The oil companies have denied but the Texas Attorney General will insist that they owe Texas the levy.

On Nov. 17, the Attorney General will argue the Texas-New Mexico boundary case before the court. This is the case wherein the State of New Mexico is seeking to take 30,000 acres of rich, irrigable land now recognized as within the borders of Texas. It also includes the site of the El Paso Country Club property which, with buildings, is valued at \$1,000,000. The remainder of the land is subject to irrigation from Elephant Butte Dam.

The boundary dispute arises out of the changing course of the Rio Grande, which is made the State line, under treaties.

Steamer Jamaica Burns. New Orleans, La.—The steamship Jamaica of the Cuyamel Fruit Company was destroyed by fire at Bluefields, Nicaragua, according to a message received at the offices of the concern here. All passengers had gone ashore and the crew escaped without injury.

## Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Should Use Swamp-Root

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing, be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Everything comes to the man who waits—and the bill collector heads the procession.

## DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Take Tablets Without Fear if You See the Safety "Bayer Cross."

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

## The Highest Talent

There is no higher talent than that of being able to maintain kindly and helpful relations with uncongenial human beings.—Selected.

Information on how you can earn \$300.00 or more a month will be sent to the first person in each locality who writes. Become local distributor for recognized household necessity in rural districts and small towns. Men or women. Full or spare time. No money needed. Write quick to O. J. Johnson, 609 West Lake Street, Chicago, for particulars and state territory desired.—Adv.

Look out for the man who uses too many adjectives.

## New Patented Apron NO STRINGS TO TIE NO SHOULDER-STRAPS

Now you can wear an apron that will not muss your hair when you put it on or take it off; that has no strings to become untied or tangled.

Women, everywhere, are wearing the STA-PUT APRON; because it is so convenient. You just open the form-fitting girdle and walk in,—nothing to hook or fasten. Wear it either high or low; because it stays snugly and comfortably, no matter where you put it. Fits any sized wearer.



Just open the form fitting girdle and walk in. It stays in place wherever you put it.

### Good Opportunity for Agents

Some one in your town will be appointed to make extra money easily. You can sell these patented aprons to your friends,—every woman who wears an apron will be interested. Write for our liberal agent plan.

**We Will Send An Apron**

Remember, you cannot buy the STA-PUT in any store. Do not send any money; but write what color (check or design) you want. When it comes, give the postman one dollar. We prepay postage. If you are not delighted with the apron, we will refund money.

**STA-PUT APRON COMPANY**  
719 N. 11th Street - St. Louis

And when a man bumps up against hard luck he always blames some other fellow for shoving him.

Baby's little dresses will just simply dazzle if Red Cross Ball Blue is used in the laundry. Try it and see for yourself. At all good grocers.—Advertisement.

A single London fog, according to a recent estimate, costs the residents as much as \$5,000,000 in damages to fabrics and laundering.

### An Expert

A—"She's just like a chess game."  
B—"Yes?"  
A—"Plays with 32 men at once."  
—Williams Purple Cow.

Many people imagine that Worms or Tapeworm cannot be expelled entirely. A single dose of "Dead Shot" proves that they can. 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

He who envies the happiness of others will never be happy.

Lots of women get married before they can afford to.

## Cut Your Shoe Bills with USKIDE


YOU'VE always wanted a sole that would wear like this, and now here it is.

USKIDE—the wonder sole for wear. Wears twice as long as best leather. Comfortable, healthful, waterproof, protects against slipping.

The hardest job, the toughest footing, can't faze USKIDE. It wears and wears and wears.

Tell your repairman you want USKIDE Soles on your shoes. Insist on new shoes soled with USKIDE. Look for the name on the sole—it's there for your protection.

And—for a Better Heel to Walk On!—"U. S." Spring-Step Rubber Heels. Made of Sprayed Rubber, the purest, toughest rubber known.



**United States Rubber Company**

# USKIDE Soles



## A Hint for Housewives

The United States Department of Agriculture, in Farmers' Bulletin No. 535, says:

"A special form of cookery is the making of preserves, jams, jellies, etc., and in these sugar in thick, heavy solution not only adds to the palatability and character of the flavor, but it also acts as a preservative. On the contrary, thin solutions of sugar alone or with fruit juices, etc., are very readily subject to decomposition by micro-organisms. Hence, in order that it may act as a preservative, a solution of sugar must be concentrated."

For good jellies and preserves, and as a valuable inexpensive table food, use plenty of

# DIAMOND STAR Pure Cane Sugar

Ask your grocer for it and watch for our recipes.

Made in the Southwest — Sold in the Southwest

# TEXAS SUGAR REFINING CO.

TEXAS CITY, TEXAS





## Cotton Record of Last Year Smashed by 59 Bales

The cotton record for last year was passed today when Weigher Busby reported 7,705 bales weighed. The amount ginned last year was 7,646 bales. Those who have been watching the crop closely estimate that the crop is half in. The weather has not been so good this week for picking as last, the foggy mornings keeping the pickers out of the fields.

## Christian Sunday School

Instead of running the State Theatre on Sunnys and raking in a lot of loose change, as some of the theatres in the neighboring towns are doing, J. R. Sanders has given the use of his theatre to the members of the Christian church as a place of worship and for holding their Sunday school.

The first meeting was held last Sunday and a Sunday school was organized with a membership of 25. R. L. Pirtle was selected as superintendent. The members invite everyone to attend the Sunday school and other services they expect to hold. Dr. Bogue will be here next week to organize a Christian Women's Board and Ladies' Auxiliary.

## Dr. C. P. Tate Equipping Office

Dr. C. P. Tate has leased a suite of rooms in the new Warren building and is now equipping the rooms with medical paraphernalia that he has had in storage since coming to O'Donnell. An X-Ray machine is being set up and connected with the electric line. This will prove a great convenience to the public. Dr. Tate says he will have an office equal to any in the country in a few days.

See Mr. S. D. Singleton's stock of Princess Hose in silk and wool for men and women. There are none better and the price is reasonable.

## Lampasas Man May Locate Here

L. W. Yarborough came in from Lampasas the first of the week with a string of used cars which he is selling. Mr. Yarborough is gradually persuading himself that O'Donnell is a good town for a live young man like himself to locate in, and we would not be surprised if he will not soon throw in with the satisfied bunch who have preceded him.

Joe Baucum of Jones county is looking the country over and just aching for some land agent to sell him a farm.

Fort Lyon, Colorado, Veterans' Hospital has acquired a print shop. The newspaper has not been started yet but the first issue will appear shortly. A small hand press has been donated to the hospital by friends and the print shop has been opened in the Red Cross Headquarters. Patients in the hospital who are printers by trade have volunteered to set the type and make up and print the paper and other patients who have been newspaper writers and advertising copy writers will edit it. It is believed this is the first print shop to be run by the patients in any of the veterans' hospitals, and much enthusiasm already is manifested in the forthcoming initial issue of the paper.

## TEMPLE, TEXAS, TO STAGE LIFE-SAVING CONTEST

Three-Day School of Instruction to Precede Championship Meet.

Two important life-saving events are scheduled for mid-winter in Temple, Texas, as a result of the life-saving campaign conducted by the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, in Texas during the summer just ended. This will be a school of instruction for physical directors of high schools, Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations, and state normal schools. Between 75 and 100 will be in attendance from all parts of the state and the school will last three days, December 27, 28 and 29.

The second event is the state Red Cross Life Saving Championship meet to be held in February or March. A trophy, to be known as the Campbell trophy, will be presented to the Red Cross chapter in the state meet to which the winning team belongs.

The Life Saving instruction course will be conducted by Captain Joseph S. Law, Assistant Director of Life Saving in the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross. Law also is busy organizing life saving teams and working in conjunction with the physical departments of the various colleges and universities in the division. He reports enthusiastic co-operation on the part of all the universities which he has had an opportunity to approach on the subject thus far.

## TEXAS PHYSICIANS ENDORSE RED CROSS HEALTH DRIVE

The Medical Societies of Eastland and Comanche Counties, Texas, in a joint session at Cisco, Texas, passed a resolution pledging the moral and professional support of the members of these two organizations to the health service covered by the American Red Cross among the youths and school children of Eastland County. Twenty-eight physicians were present and voted unanimously for the resolution, which is here given:

"Be it resolved by Eastland and Comanche Counties Medical Societies, held in joint session, that we, the members of the above named organizations, do hereby endorse and promise our moral and professional support to the Health Service Campaign now being planned by the Executive Officers of the American Red Cross of Eastland County among the youths and school children of the county as described by Mrs. J. B. Nunn of Eastland City, Texas, and Mrs. Phillip Pettit of Cisco, Texas, and that we pledge the above named officers of the American Red Cross and the Nutritional Expert Nurse to soon come into the county our very best efforts and service gratis in the furtherance of the work of meeting health problems among the school children of the county. (Signed) W. H. Guy, M. D., Carbon, President. Joseph W. Gregory, M. D., Cisco, Secretary."

## JUNIOR RED CROSSER SEVENTY YEARS 'YOUNG'

The oldest "Junior" Red Crosser in the United States is Dr. Elliott Smith of Kansas City, Missouri, who is 70 years young. Dr. Smith is port scout master of the Kansas City, Missouri, Boy Scouts and has been active in Sea Scout work for several years. He took the original Red Cross Life Saving test in 1919 at the Kansas City Y. M. C. A., and is an expert swimmer, canoeist and life saver. He is Chairman of the First Aid Committee of the Kansas City, Missouri, Red Cross Chapter.

Seventh Annual Red Cross Roll Call, Armistice Day, November 11 to Thanksgiving Day, November 24. Answer when your name is called.

"In the service of all who suffer"

## THE Cotton Patch BY FARMER

Well folks, we're going to keep cool with Coolidge for another four years.

A car from this town turned turtle recently, but we have not as yet heard of soup being made of it.

Pass the crackers.

Lies slumbering here One William Lake; He heard the bell, But had no brake. News, Detroit, Mich.

Wasn't very cool Thursday.

No, it was cold.

FAMOUS SAYING: Pour it on.

## Presbyterian Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. All are welcome.

Miss Elvie Fulcher of Alpine, lost her satchel Sunday evening, from the car on the Tahoka road. The young lady notified the Index man to advertise for it. Before the advertisement even appeared her property was returned to her. W. T. Griffin and companion found it, and notified the Index. Miss Fulcher has her satchel and Mr. Griffin has the lasting gratitude of the young lady for returning it to her. Yes, we have remarked before, that it pays to advertise, especially in the Index.

## PROGRAM ...AT... State Theatre

Week of Nov. 17

MONDAY Fox Special

6 Cylinder Love

TUESDAY Marion Davies in

The Young Diana

WEDNESDAY Excitement

THURSDAY Cast Out

FRIDAY Tom Mix in

Eyes of the Forest

SATURDAY Lester Cuneo in

Lone Star Tex

WESTERN

New shipment of **SHOES** for Ladies, Men and Children also Coats and Ready-Made Dresses marked low New line of Leather Jackets Wool Shirts Sport Coats Sweaters Be sure and see our line before buying **PAT NORTHCROSS** The Store of Quality In west side of Warren Building

**Mules! Mules! Mules!** I have received a car load of good mules They are the very kind you have been waiting to see Come to yard and look them over **W. V. TOLBERT,** OWNER Yard north of Telephone Office.

**Fritz Filling Station** Corner of Eighth and Baldrige streets Gasoline, Oils and Auto Accessories - Free Air - Free Water Your business solicited **BERT FRITZ, Proprietor**