

# The O'Donnell Index

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## PLAYS FOR COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

### E. M. Wilder Announces for Re-election in April

Mayor E. M. Wilder who has served the city the past two years in his official capacity, authorizes the Index to announce he is a candidate for re-election to the same office, subject to the April election.

Mayor Wilder states he is again leaving the race entirely upon the merits of his past record. He points out some worthy achievements of his administration, among them being the saving of the tax payers of O'Donnell some \$1200 in salaries of the city officials during his term of office. He also states that said salaries for the coming two years have already been set by the Council which will save the tax payers approximately \$2400 during the coming administration.

Under his administration O'Donnell has made some civic improvements that place her among the most modern towns of the South Plains. A \$60,000 water system has been completed that is second to none in this part of the state for towns the size of O'Donnell. A \$40,000 sewer system has also been completed which was installed by the Southwestern Sewer Co., of Dallas without taxation of the taxpayers of the town.

Last but not least was a two cent reduction in the light and power rate of the city which means a big saving to the users of electricity.

Mr. Wilder states that if the people of O'Donnell believe all monies have been spent wisely and that the city has had a good administration during the past two years, he will appreciate their vote and influence in the coming April election.

### W. M. S. MEETS WITH MRS. J. B. LINE, MONDAY

An unusually interesting meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Line, who has been unable to attend meetings for some time.

The subject of the Mission book, "The New Africa," was begun and much enjoyed. Mesdames Roberts and Christopher and Bro. Duncan were pleasant visitors.

We are sorry to record the passing last Friday of Ace of Clubs, well-known to O'Donnell people as a loved member of the Wells family. May her canine heaven be filled with best bones and dog biscuits and plenty of playmates.

### MR. AND MRS. BEN COIN RETURN FROM MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Coin returned Wednesday from St. Louis and other eastern markets where they purchased new spring merchandise for the store. The new goods have been arriving every day and the store is brim full of the latest things in new spring merchandise.

### NOTICE TO WATER CUSTOMERS

Notice is hereby given to all water customers of the City of O'Donnell that in case of trouble of any kind, please call Mr. J. J. (Jim) Weems, supt. He will be glad to attend to your wants at all times.

### CITY COUNCIL LOCAL ALL-STARS WIN

The O'Donnell All-Stars overwhelmed the Tahoka Outlaws by a score of 22 to 9.

Indications now are that the All-Stars can't be defeated. They are exceptionally good at passing the ball and their eye for the basket is one of the best in this section.

Manuel Medley scoring seven of the points was high point man.

A health authority warns that currency is covered with germs. Possibly this explains the reason for the editor's good health.

Mrs. Major H. Rodgers of Leveland, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Doak.

## It Won't Be Long Now



### Local Fire Department To Present 'Rose Time'

According to announcement made by Chief Clyde Ash, this week, the local fire department will stage an all home talent play, entitled, "Rose Time." The date has been set for March 8th at the High School Auditorium.

"Rose Time" will be directed by a Wayne P. Sewell Co., representative, who is expected to arrive in the city about February 26th at which time rehearsals will begin. Last year the local fire department presented one of Wayne P. Sewell Company's plays entitled "The Flapper Grandmother," that proved a decided success.

Mr. Ash states that "Rose Time" will be more pleasing to the public than was the "Flapper Grandmother."

### L. N. NICHOLS MAKING ADDITION TO HIS HOME

L. N. Nichols, the popular mail carrier of Route 3, who lives in the east part of the city, is building an addition to his home which will also include bath room with complete equipment.

### CHANDLER-DEAKINS

A romance of several months' standing culminated in a pretty home wedding last Sunday when Miss Frances Chandler became the bride of Mr. Homer L. Deakins, of Big Springs, Rev. W. C. Hart speaking the words which made them man and wife.

Both these young people are well-known here, Mrs. Deakins having spent most of her life in O'Donnell. Our only regret is that her marriage takes her to another city. Very few young ladies are as universally loved as is Frances, with her shy smile and gracious winning manner.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish in this way to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends of our dear one, Mrs. W. H. Schooler for the sweet words of love for her and of sympathy for us in the heart-breaking sadness of her going away, also for the lovely floral offerings. May God bless each of you.

W. H. Schooler and children, her parents, brothers and sisters.

### Court Session Opens February 18

District Clerk Truett Smith, and Sheriff Sam Sanford are making preparations for the district court which meets here on Monday, February 18.

Mr. Smith says that there promises to be quite a heavy civil docket but the length of the criminal docket is uncertain yet and will be so until the grand jury meets and reports.

The following citizens have been summoned to appear on the first day of the court to serve as grand jurors: R. C. Woods, D. H. McDaniels, B. W. Baker, B. C. Carroll, Frank Crews, Lester Phillips, J. D. Martin, W. G. Allen, John Rhea, J. E. Rice, A. L. Lockwood, Sailor Williams, Jack Applewhite, W. E. Sikes, A. H. Davies, I. M. Draper.

### Grand Jurors and Petit Jurors Announced; Civil Docket Promises To Be Heavy

Petit jurors have been summoned for the second, third and fourth weeks of the term, as given below: Second Week C. H. Wakefield, J. H. Izard, Sam Russell, Clyde Sargent, John Fulford, R. B. Miller, H. C. Fountain, J. O. Patterson, Oliver Todd, J. W. Edwards, E. O. Slaughter, E. L. Howard, R. E. Painter, L. S. O'Neal, W. P. McDaniel, Egbert Evans, N. J. Hudspeth, L. H. Moore, Fred Math W. F. Lancaster, Wiley Curry, Harvey Lines, A. Y. Pemberton, Lonnie Williams, H. W. Callaway, J. H. Yarbrough, P. O. Cabines, Tom Brewster, R. Bosworth, T. W. Brown, D. J. Balch, G. A. Brasfield, G. H. Heard, Gray Lemond, C. E. Yatts, H. H. Johnson.

### Third Week

Paul Goeh, J. H. McMillan, L. F. Craft, Ellis Martin, J. H. Bullman, Borden Davis, W. L. Gardenhire, T. H. Bonds, C. W. Conway, T. E. Marrow, R. B. Floyd, J. T. Owens, P. E. Askew, J. C. Hamilton, J. E. Crooks, Frank Lisemby, C. C. Nettles, L. A. Welch, B. H. James, J. H. Hardberger, M. E. Harris, W. L. Palmer, Tom Mansell, O. R. Cook, C. W. Dean, Frank Larkin, J. M. Lee, Henry Higginbotham, L. E. James, W. A. Hinkle, J. R. Hayo, B. C. Dollens, H. C. Harter, C. R. Honeycutt, Guy Bradley, A. M. Case.

### Fourth Week

G. E. Hogan, M. C. Thomas, J. P. Aler, W. L. Burleson, J. E. Richardson, Frank Williams, Chas. Litthey, M. C. Edmunds, Pete Coleman, W. B. Fortner, H. B. Howell, L. E. McCarty, A. M. Cade, J. C. Ferguson, M. E. McCord, Guy McGill, Waldo McLaurin, H. A. Dial, J. W. Kirpatrick, J. W. Link, Jeff Music, Ed James, W. W. Caswell, S. A. Billington, H. O. Crouch, Walker Crump, L. D. Looney, T. B. Cowan, S. M. Fuller, Cecil Hubbard, O. D. Howard, G. W. Hickerson, J. H. Henderson, L. E. Miller.

There are 106 daily and 862 weekly newspapers in Texas.

### Mayor and Three Aldermen Elected in April

At a regular meeting of the City Council of that City of O'Donnell, held at the city hall on February 7th and election was ordered and passed by unanimous vote to elect a mayor and three aldermen.

The election was called for the first Tuesday in April, the same being the second day of said month, J. M. Christopher, C. H. Mansell, J. R. Mayo and Clyde Ash were pointed as election judges.

### THE RANDALL NEWS

The bright sunshine of Sunday and Monday is a welcome change from the continuous cloudiness and bad weather prevalent since the first of February. Farmers will welcome a chance to do more plowing and other farm work for which some dry weather is now needed.

We are anxious for good weather and the health of the community to improve so we can get back to Sunday School and Singing. Therefore let us not become discouraged, discouraged but look forward to the future as the dark days must come, but later sunshine.

Quite a number of young folks attended the singing convention at Draw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham and daughters Wilma and Sammie, Miss Estella Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Conner, Earl and Paul Snow were delightfully entertained in the Davis home on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stephens returned from a visit to Comanche Co., Her brother, Mr. Graham returned with them for a few days visit.

The Randall School is improving fast and we hope it will continue. Just a few people were out at Sunday School Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Smith was called to the bed side of her sick daughter, Mrs. Robert Meadow.

Everybody is planning on a big time Thursday night, and expecting many Valentines which we hope they receive.

A singing was given at Mr. Glispies Sunday night. Quite a few attended on account of bad weather.

### The Ground Hog

Mr. Graham has organized a basket ball team for the boys. The basketball girls hope they are as tickled as they were with their team.

Waldine to Jewell: Jewell did you know a preacher has an easier time than a doctor or lawyer.

If you wish to fill your job properly, first fill your mind.

A pedestrian has been defined as one who gets in front of a car.

Every driver who drives on the road, but not the middle half.

### J. H. Yarbrough Announces For City Marshall

We are authorized to announce this week the candidacy of J. H. Yarbrough for the office of City Marshall, subject to the city election to be held on April 2nd.

Mr. Yarbrough is no stranger to the people of O'Donnell, having lived in this territory the past three years and in the city the past year. He is an experienced peace officer, having had eight years experience in this line and is well qualified to fill the office to which he aspires.

Mr. Yarbrough made the race for Sheriff of Lynn County during the last county election and polled a very strong vote showing the esteem in which he is held by his fellowmen. If elected as City Marshall, he will no doubt make the city a good peace officer performing the duties of the office as he deems best without fear or favor. He asks your support in the April election.

### W. M. S. HOLDS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

W. M. S. of Baptist Church held its regular monthly business meeting February 4. It was decided to divide the society into circles. Three circles were designated, namely the South Side Circle, with Mrs. Harville as leader.

Center Circle, with Mrs. Vermillion, leader, and North Side Circle, with Mrs. Perry Howard as leader. All circles met in their first meetings Monday, February 11 as follows:

South side circle with Mrs. A. C. Lambert. Five present.

Mrs. Vaughn was elected secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Middleton appointed Mission Study Chairman.

Next Monday this circle will meet with Mrs. Harville and begin the study of the W. M. S. Manual of Methods.

Center Circle met with Mrs. Vermillion, with seven present and the North Side with Mrs. Sutton, having five present.

### H. D. CLUB TO STUDY VALUE OF HOME GARDENS

Next Wednesday afternoon, February 20, the Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. John Earls. The subject of the lesson will be the Value of Home Gardens. All members are urged to be present, as there are some pressing business matters to discuss.

### MRS. W. H. SCHOOLER

The death of Mrs. W. H. Schooler which occurred Sunday evening February 10, came as a shock to our entire community. She had been ill for several days, but the immediate cause of her death was paralysis of the heart. She was born August 2, 1897, in Erath County, being twenty-nine years, six months and eight days of age at the time of her death. Her husband and four children, parents and brothers and sisters are left to mourn her loss, joined with a host of loving friends. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church, Rev. C. A. Duncan, speaking the words of consolation.

Words means so little when used at such a time, but after talking with friends who knew her well, we wish to offer a small tribute to this lovely woman. Only occasionally is one privileged to meet one wholly fitted to be a home-maker, one of all we have known Mrs. Schooler was the best fitted. Her sunny, joyous nature, her unbounded love and patience and her unfailing faith that God doeth all things well, were an example, a beacon and an inspiration to all who knew her. One friend expressed it in this manner: "Her life was one living prayer," and another said that "she was one person really prepared to meet her God."

To the heartbroken family we can only say that you are not alone in your grief; your friends join with you, and the Father who was her source of strength and comfort will help you to bear her loss. May He lend you strength to bear her loss.

Jewell, No, I always thought he had the hardest time of anyone. Why does he have the hardest.

Waldine: Because it is easier to preach than to practice.

# Robinson Crusoe Advertised

Robinson Crusoe was stranded—and sick of it! Only his man Friday and a goat and a parrot for companionship! He wanted to get off the island, and to do this, he knew he must communicate with people who might pass, afar off, in ships. So he did what any man does who wants to reach people—He advertised!

True, he had only a ragged shirt with which to do his advertising, but he stuck it on a pole, secured the pole in the ground and waited—for days! Didn't get discouraged at the first days of failure, you see. No good advertiser does! And finally—he got results!

If Robinson Crusoe, with one old shirt, could accomplish his purpose, could reach the folks he sought, what do you think you could do with the infinite advertising possibilities offered you in The O'Donnell Index? Artistic type and excelled illustrations at your disposal—skillful printers to set it into whatever message you choose—and the folks you want to reach all near at hand! Doesn't stand to reason you'd get results, too?

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of the bill. Proponent of the bill testified that there is a wide range in the price charged for ice and that there is no dependable rural service. Successful supervision of ice companies in other states is cited by the advocates of the measure.

W. D. Hart, Austin ice manufacturer, stated to the Committee that the same thing was happening to the independent ice manufacturers that "happened to the individual grocer with the advent of chain system grocery stores." He cited instances where in two small towns in the vicinity of Austin, where small independent plants were forced out of business by big companies, who then raised the rates to an exorbitant figure.

**COLDS HARD TO CURE**

Colds are often hard to cure but they are comparatively easy to prevent.

If you feel one coming on, or if the other members of your family are suffering with colds and you are quite sure that your turn is about, due, you owe it to yourself to adopt preventive measures.

This does not necessarily call for medicines, or at least what one usually looks upon as medicines. If the cold is actually upon you in full force, your physician should of course be called, but quite often an ounce of prevention will be found worth the full pound of proverbial cure—and prevention is relatively inexpensive.

One of the simplest preventives is old-fashioned bicarbonate of soda and fresh lemon juice, a combination of which seems to be very effective against those colds which begin in the stomach. Take a teaspoonful of soda and the juice of one lemon in a glass of water. Thirty minutes later repeat the dose, and in another half hour take the third. Soda has always been recognized as a decided alkaline agent, and of late, lemon and orange juice have been placed in the same class. Probably more of us have acidosis to some extent than not, so a combination of two alkaline agents like bicarbonate of soda and lemon juice (taken unsweetened by all means) plays havoc with any acid condition in the body. It's a simple remedy, very easy to take and you will be surprised at what it will do.

**MOTHER'S SHIPTON'S PROPHECY**

We rather like to point the finger of scorn at modern prophets, but almost five hundred years ago old Mother Shipton made a prophecy in poem that causes us to scratch our heads in wonder—to say the least.

**Bill Der Says**



**That New Home?**

If you have no home of your own, or if your home is not as good as you would like to have, just drop around to our office and let us help you plan one that all your neighbors will admire and that you can easily pay for. If we furnish the material, you'll get your money's worth. If we build the house, it will be both beautiful and substantial.

**HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT COMPANY**

"EVERYTHING TO BUILD ANYTHING"  
E. T. WELLS, Mgr.

O'Donnell, Texas

She wrote thirteen stanzas in all. The choice was not particularly luckily so far as the correctness of her prophecy was concerned, for almost every prognostication came true. If this holds true to the last stanza, we are in for more trouble.

Here are four of the thirteen stanzas. If you would like the entire poem, write the editor and he will secure it for you and print it in a later issue. It will make an interesting souvenir to say the least:

Beneath the waters men shall walk:  
Shall ride, shall sleep, shall even talk.  
And in the air men shall be seen,  
In white, in black, as well as green.  
A great man then shall come and go,  
For prophecy declares it so.

The states will lock in fierce strife  
And seek to take each other's life;  
When North shall thus divide the South

The Eagle build in lion's mouth.  
Then tax and blood and cruel war,  
Shall come to every humble door.

In nineteen hundred twenty-six,  
Build houses light of straw and sticks  
For then shall mighty war be planned  
And fire and sword sweep o're the land.

For those who live the century thru  
In fear and trembling this will do.

Flee to the mountains and the den,  
To bog and forest and wild fens,  
For storms shall rage and oceans roar  
When Gabriel stands on sea and shore  
And as he blows his wondrous horn,  
Old worlds shall die and new be born.

**FRIZZLED BEEF SUPREME**

Melt butter in hot frying pan, add dried beef, and stir until it browns and curls. Add more butter for the cream sauce. Add flour and stir well blended. Add milk gradually until desired consistency is obtained, Stir to avoid lumps.

Use the proportion of 2 tablespoons of flour to 1 cup of milk. If the dried beef is too salty, soak it for 10 or 15 minutes in cold water, drain thoroughly and dry by patting between folds of clean, dry cloth. Have dry before adding to melted butter. Serve on toast if you wish.

**GOLDEN GLOW**

- 1 package lemon junket.
  - 1 pint of milk
  - 1 cup of stewed apricots
  - 1 egg white
  - 1 tablespoon sugar
- Prepare half the lemon junket with half the milk according to directions on package; pour into five individual dessert glasses. Rub the stewed dried apricots through a sieve and sweeten to taste. When the junket is firm add a layer of apricots. Cover with

**FAIRLEY & HAYMES**

**INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE**  
OF ALL KINDS  
O'DONNELL, TEXAS

the other half of the lemon junket prepared as the first. When firm set away to chill. At time of serving top with apricot whip, made by beating the egg white until stiff, then adding sugar and two tablespoons of apricot pulp.

The old capitol of Texas burned in

1881 and the present capitol at Austin was completed in 1888. The present structure was built at a cost of 3,000,000 acres of land.

The present constitution of Texas was ratified by the people in 1876.

Index Ads Get Results—Try Them

**Worth Your While**

YOU HAVE TO PAY for the gas you burn, but you do not need to burn any more than JUST ENOUGH to get the results you want.

IT IS A UNIQUE VIRTUE of natural gas that RESULTS ARE BETTER when you burn just enough than when you burn more than is necessary. Economy and satisfaction make a happy combination that comes from burning gas in the RIGHT WAY.

THESE RIGHT WAYS of burning gas are worth your while. The recommendations and suggestions which our experts offer you mean money and satisfaction to you if you will but use them.

You may be satisfied, and, yet, we can show you how to get still better results. It's very simple and easily done. The great rub of the matter is that the better you burn gas, the less you need to burn. It is an actual fact that improving the results you get from the gas also cuts gas bills. We want you satisfied.

**West Texas Gas Co.**  
(Headquarters for Gas Appliances)

**Cleaned Suits Wear Longer**

Once when a man bought a suit to wear, He never cleaned and pressed it till some big affair:

Then he did it mainly to make it look new, With little thought of the good it would do. But now he has found beyond all doubt, That pressed suits wear longer than those without.

**C. E. RAY**  
Phone 66

If You Want To  
**BUY, SELL OR TRADE**  
Anything, Anywhere, See  
**M. A. Scott Real Estate Co.**  
PHONE 157  
At Rear of Old First Nat'l Bank Bldg.  
O'Donnell, Texas

**LET US DO YOUR LAUNDRY WORK**

Let us do your laundry work for a few weeks. Then you'll know the economy of our plan.

**JUST PHONE 31**  
**WE CALL FOR AND DELIVER**  
We are here to stay and absolutely guarantee all work entrusted to us.  
**O'DONNELL STEAM LAUNDRY**  
Dewey Parker, Owner

**SORRELS LUMBER CO.**  
PLETE STOCK OF BUILDING MATERIAL  
**STAR WINDMILLS and PIPING**  
Barbed Wire and Posts, Poultry and Hog Wire, Paints, Oils and Varnishes

**Baby Chicks--**

From our first hatch will be off in about two weeks.

Our big 18,000 egg Petersine Electric Hatchery is now in operation and we invite everyone to call and see it. We are located in the Fritz Building and will be glad to show you the new wonder.

New hatches will be put on Mondays and Thursdays of each week. Make your reservations early for that Spring hatch.

We will have baby chicks for sale at an early date. So leave your order now. Bring your eggs in on Saturdays and on Wednesdays.

**O'Donnell Electric Hatchery**  
Fritz Building



**Cheertal Service Promptly Given**

When you are having trouble with your present plumbing, or wish new plumbing work done—call us. We are prepared to give prompt attention to your work. Every job we do is guaranteed.

**Eaton and Street**  
Phone 144 Plumbing of all kinds

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ADVERTISING IS NEWS

The Editor of the O'Donnell Index frequently hears complaints against the use of the radio for advertising purposes.

Possibly some of these complain- ers are unreasonable. Perhaps they should realize that advertising enables the broadcasting station to present a delightful program without cost.

But public attitude cannot be ig- nored. Advertising that arouses re- sentment does not pay.

Advertising is or should be news— news having a commercial value.

THE LOCAL DOCTOR

Of all the follies to which human flesh in heir there is none more ridi- culous than the belief that a commod- ity or service is better by virtue of the fact that it was secured in some other town.

This attitude not only injures the business interests of a community but reacts also to the disadvantage of the citizens who persist in sending their dollars out of town.

It is even causing a considerable amount of alarm in medical circles. "How long," it is being asked, "will small communities retain the services of good, general practitioners if their citizens persist in running to cities when the roads are good and calling the family doctor only in cases of emergency or when the roads are almost impassible?"

Why do they do it? It is hard for an intelligent man to answer this question. Everyone familiar with the practice of medicine knows that the city is the great haven of the quack and unskillful practitioner. A poor doctor can exist indefinitely in a city where the public is not aware of his record.

Furthermore, to treat most ailments successfully it is necessary for the physician to have some knowledge of the peculiarities of a patient. The sympathetic, friendly family doctor is the only one in possession of such information.

By all means rely on your local doctor—to assure for yourself the best medical treatment possible and to assure for the community the services of capable members of the medical profession.

The building of the new modern Rock Springs vocational agriculture two story brick, Masonic hall at Ralls, is under way, the corner stone having been laid recently.

One of the major projects of the class is the construction of kid shel- ter boxes for ranchmen. This is done with no expense to the ranchmen provided they supply the desired amount of material.

The University of Texas at Austin was established in 1883.

CITY TAX NOTICE

The following described real estate in the City of O'Donnell, according to the delinquent rolls, is subject to foreclosure for delinquent City taxes, and the present names and addresses of the owners are unknown:

Lot 12, in Block 57, (Dawson Heights Addition) year 1927.

Lots 13, to 16, Block 79, year 1927.

Lots 1, and 2, in Block 136, year 1927.

Lots 1, and 2, in Block 187, year 1926 and 1927.

Lot 4, in Block 8, year 1927.

Lot 4, in Block 23, year 1927.

Lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block 130, year 1927.

Lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block 129, year 1927.

Lots 1, and 2, in Block 119, 1925 and 1926, formerly O'Donnell Motor Co.

Lot 14, in Block 93, year 1926.

Lot 70-70 in Block 57, year 1924.

Lot 9, in Block 77, 1924, and 1926.

Lots 4, and 5, in Block 130, 1924 and 1926.

Lots 1, 2, and 3, in Block 129, 1924 and 1926.

Any owners, or persons claiming any valid lien on said real estate should see the City Tax Collector, Mr. J. Y. Everett about this at once.

CITY OF O'DONNELL.

By W. H. Crunk, City Attorney.

HIGH GRADE COTTON SEED

Carefully selected, well matured from cotton, which made from 1-2 to 1 and 1-2 bales per acre, of the Western Wonder variety 40 per cent and better lint, 7-8 to 1 inch staple, germination over 95 per cent. Will mature two weeks earlier than seed grown anywhere in the east or south, free from insects. Prices 12 to 48 bushel bags. Special prices on car up \$2.00 per bushel, 3 to 9 bushels, \$2.50 per bushel, all in new three bushel bags. Special prices on car lots. Freight prepaid. Mail orders to Hall County Seed Co., Memphis, Texas, 19-5c

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of O'Donnell, Texas, held at the City Hall, on February 7th, A. D. 1929, a quorum being present, it was ordered upon motion by Alderman Singleton, and seconded by Alderman Hardberger, and passed by unanimous vote, that an election be held in the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1929, at the City Hall, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three Aldermen, a City Marshall, and City Attorney, for the ensuing two years, and in pursuance thereto, the following notice is hereby ordered published as the law provides, to-wit:

"Notice is hereby given that an

election will be held in the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas, on the 1st Tuesday in April, A. D. 1929, the same being the 2nd day of said month, said election to be held in the City Hall, City of O'Donnell, Texas, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three (3) Aldermen, a City Marshall, and a City Attorney, for the said City of O'Donnell, Texas, for the ensuing two years.

The polls of said election will be open at eight (8) o'clock, A. M., and will close at seven o'clock (7) P. M. Every person not disqualified by law, who shall have attained the age of twenty one years, and who is entitled to vote for members of the Legislature, and who shall have resided within the corporate limits of Said City for six (6) months next preceding the date of said election, shall be entitled to vote.

J. M. CHRISTOPHER, C. H. MANSELL, J. R. MAYO and CLYDE ASH are hereby given authority to hold said election, in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Texas governing such elections, and make returns thereof as required by law.

Dated at O'Donnell, Texas, this 7th day of February, A. D. 1929.

E. M. WILDER,

Mayor, City of O'Donnell, Texas.

ATTEST: W. A. Tredway, City Secretary, City of O'Donnell, Texas.

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WHISKERS AND PROGRESS

Amanullah Kahn, the educated ruler of barbarous Afghanistan, assumed his hereditary throne not long ago, and proceeded to put into effect many reforms destined to make his country a western nation. For one thing he ordered that boards be cut, and immediately stirred up a veritable hornet's nest. The priests exhorted the mob, declaring that the precepts of the prophet were being violated. An uprising started. The wild men came down from the hills, and with a righteous wrath that these traditions of the past should be so violated, drove the new ruler from the throne.

How we may smile at the seriousness of these barbarous men in their high regard for whiskers and tradition, but after all the veneer of civilization is pretty thin on most of us, and right here in O'Donnell we have many citizens who are more closely related to the bewhiskered wild men of Afghanistan than they themselves imagine. How they look fondly back to the past, and greet with an inhospitable attitude the advent of any thing new.

Let a man advance a new idea on how O'Donnell may be made a better community, and all of those who lean heavily on tradition will step quietly aside and scoff. As our town was in the past so it should always be in the future, they feel. They differ from the Asiatic barbarians only in that they wear the

that they wear the

Progress to the bounding world, by or passively by or practice

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(From Wa We will let the answer the ques

In the past the business in the about the duller business in the Mr. Owen has the nice little This amount is to reduce alone, the higher if the merchants for added to the al

No use taking a country any greater opportunity. People are to see the advance program and higher strides made ever before.

The United States for construction highways, exclud nearly \$1,500,000 of the Chamber of United States.

Advertisement for Borden Milk Company featuring an eagle logo with 'EAGLE BRAND' and 'GAIL BORDEN' text. The main headline reads 'BORDEN comes to Texas!'. The ad includes text about the company's expansion into Texas, mentioning Waco and the Borden Milk Company's products. It also features a testimonial from a local farmer and a list of agents for the company in Texas.

About the Chamber Of Commerce Here

(From Wilson Pointer)

What are we going to do about it fellows? Are we going to let it die and in a year or two try to revive it and have prospective members say you tried it once, but nothing ever came of it.

Now it doesn't take much of our time to meet once each month and discuss the community problems. That isn't asking much of our time, let's do it.

There is not a town anywhere near about that amounts to a hill of beans that doesn't have an active Chamber of Commerce. Most of them have a paid secretary. We can't have a paid secretary, the town is too small to even think about that at the present, but there is not a single reason why we should not keep the Chamber of Commerce alive and doing something.

The South Plains Inc., is doing a lot of advertising for the South Plains in several different farm journals, and they are getting a bunch of inquiries about this great country. Sure as shooting some of those fellows are likely to come our way, we sure ought to police up a bit and be ready to receive them.

It is just a little hard to get around doing these things in the winter time, but we can do it, won't be long 'till spring will roll around and we want everything humming by then.

Come on fellows let's go, we are letting the moss grow under our feet, let's get that lead out of them and see if something can't be done.

Monday night, February 25, is the next regular meeting night and the president urges every one to be there and be there ready for duty.

ST. PAULS LUTHERAN CHURCH

(From Wilson Pointer)

Last Wednesday was "Arbor Day" at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, when about ten members of the congregation gathered at the church and set out no less than thirty trees around the church and parsonage. The trees are of the black locust variety. They are a gift of one of the members, Mrs. J. E. Noack, of Southland. It is hardly necessary to state that these trees will add much to the appearance of the church property.

During the season of Lent, which began on Wednesday, February 13, we shall have special Lenten services on Wednesday nights. One half of these services will be in the German language, the other half in the English language. The German services will be on February 13, February 27, and March 13. The English services will be on February 20, March 6, and March 20. Kindly preserve this article for ready reference. You are cordially invited to come and hear of the Suffering of the Savior. We also have services regularly every Sunday morning, at 10:30.

On last Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Gus Limmer, and the undersigned and wife, were at Abernathy, where the undersigned substituted at a service for the Rev. M. Ploniet, of Kress, who is ill and could not serve. M. J. Seacer, Pastor.

A Registered Jersey Bull For Wilson

(From Wilson Pointer)

A fine registered Jersey Bull arrived in Wilson Tuesday to make his home. Messrs John Heck, R. A. Kallch, O. L. Woody, S. A. Cummings and J. E. Richardson are the owners.

The Bull comes here with a wonderful record behind him. One of his grandfathers having sold for the fancy sum of \$10,000.00 and one of his grandmothers holds the record of having produced 1,000 pounds of butter fat in one year.

We congratulate these men for the been an excellent effort before him, he also has two brothers in the printing business.

Coldest Wave of the Season Hits Wilson

(From Wilson Pointer)

For three days last week Wilson was shivering from the coldest wave of the season, with the thermometer hovering around the zero mark. Some snow fell, however not enough to be of benefit.

Rail falling Thursday and freezing as it fell made traveling precarious. No accidents were reported here, but south of here many accidents occurred some of them proved fatal.

Farmers Optimistic Over Prospects

(From Wilson Pointer)

With plenty of moisture in the ground for farmers to proceed with the task of preparing their land for another crop, optimism prevails among them over the crop outlook for the spring.

Practically all the cotton has been gathered and plowing will start in earnest now. Some farms even now are ready for the planter, but the majority are yet to be prepared.

County Championship To Be Decided This Week

(From Wilson Pointer)

The County Basket Ball Championship will be decided Friday and Saturday night at Tahoka when four teams will meet there for a battle royal.

The four teams to fight it out are:

Wilson, Tahoka, O'Donnell and one rural school. Each team will play all teams and the winner will be decided on a percentage basis.

With the pace the Mustangs under Coach Nix have been setting they stand a fair chance of copying the hurting. However the other schools represented will offer stiff opposition.

Pneumonia Proves Fatal to Mrs. Hugo Maeker

(From Wilson Pointer)

After an illness of three weeks with pneumonia, Mrs. Hugo succumbed from the effects of that dreaded disease Monday afternoon, at 2:30 p. m.

Funeral services were held at the St. John Lutheran Church Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the Pastor, Rev. C. N. Roth.

Mrs. Meaker was born March 14, 1902, lacking only a month and three days reaching the age of 27.

Besides her husband and 3 small sons, Arvel 6, Ray 4, and Arden 1, she is survived by her father and mother, three brothers and one sister, all who reside in Nebraska and none of whom were present at the funeral.

Mrs. Meaker was a member of the St. John Lutheran Church, having become a member April, 1928. As Rev. Roth looked down in the face of the deceased reposing in a beautiful flower covered casket he told the story of her joining the church hardly a year ago.

Mrs. Meaker leaves a host of friends who will mourn her death and we extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Interment was made in the Wilson Cemetery.

Index Ads Get Results—Try Them

LYNN THEATRE

Friday—Bringing up Father VANSHING WEST—NEWS

Saturday—The Girl Shy Cow Boy VANSHING WEST—NEWS

Sunday & Monday The Fleets In with Clara Bow COMEDY AND NEWS

Tuesday & Wed. Pola Negri in Loves of an Actress NEWS AND COMEDY

Thurs. & Friday JOAN CRAWFORD & JAMES MURRAY Rose Marie NEWS & COMEDY

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- Clean their teeth with an advertised brush and advertised tooth paste,
—Shave with an advertised razor,
—Wash and save with advertised soaps,
—Put on advertised underwear,
—Advertised hose, garters, shirt, collar and shoes,
—Seat themselves at a table and eat
—Advertised breakfast foods and bread
—Put on advertised hat and gloves,
—Go to the office in an advertised motor car,
—Give down letters to a typist who types on an advertised machine,
—Using advertised carbons,
—Signs their letters with an advertised pen,
—Containing advertised ink,
—And turn down a proposal to
—Advertise on the ground that
—Advertising doesn't pay!

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TEST YOUR HEFT!

For men or horses, grain or whales We have the proper kind of scales: You'd better Weigh than merely guess— 'Twill save you money, we'll confess!

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SINGLETON Hardware Co.

Galloping Gus, the Hotfooted Cuss. Comes when you call without flurry or Fuss!

LOW FOURTH

The first day that the grade had a 100 per cent spelling, those making 100 per cent were Garland, Phillip Lawler, and...

FIFTH GRADE

It was well pleased when sent ten high 4th pupils to our room. This is the first time since...

SIXTH GRADE

It was glad to have four new members. They are Ruth Edwards, Lois Burdett, and...

SEVENTH GRADE

The seventh grade met on Monday and organized their new room. This is the first time since...

EIGHTH GRADE

Whitehead and J. R. Nixon, enjoying the measles, were absent from school...

ROPE HUSTLER

Publication makes its appearance on our exchange desk the "Ropes Hustler." The name came out February 1...

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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

One of the major projects of the Rock Springs vocational agriculture class is the construction of kid shelter boxes for ranchmen. This is done with no expense to the ranchmen provided they supply the desired amount of material.

The building of the new modern two story brick, Monica hall at Ball, is under way, the corner stone having been laid recently. The building is to cost \$20,000, the upper story to be used exclusively for lodge activities and to include lodge rooms, banquet rooms, kitchenette, and all modern conveniences.

Guy Powell is the new Wise County Agent according to the Decatur News. He has had practical and college experience in every department of farm and rural life, having graduated from A. & M. He was manager of the first cow testing association organized in Texas.

A swimming pool to cost approximately \$20,000 is one of the objectives of the Kerville Chamber of Commerce. Visiting engineers assure the city of a supply of water that will be as pure as drinking water. This will be the initial step in the building of a large recreation center.

The work of remodeling and enlarging the showroom for the Morgan Chevrolet Company at Olney has just about been completed, and the new arrangement will more than double the floor space. A hundred foot frontage completely enclosed in plate glass is one of the features of the building.

A \$75,000 school building program is now under way at Stamford, and will be completed by March 1. A Manual Training building, a Home Economics department, a new elementary school, and a keepers cottage are being erected on the campus. An addition is also being built on the high school.

Work is to start on road paving in Fabens according to County Judge, E. B. McClintock and County Engineer Fred Wilson. The paving will extend from below the Fabens Cross through town, and to the Hansen road on the Island.

Because there were no destructive fires last year Moran was granted a 3 per cent reduction in fire insurance rates for the first of the year. Moran also has a fire marshal and an active fire department.

Stamford—(WTCC)—During the past week, President A. M. Bourland of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by E. H. Whitehead, Publicity Manager, has made a tour of West Texas towns in behalf of the Small and Woodward Bills now pending in the State Legislature. Mr. Bourland declares the Small Bill which has to do with land validation is one of the most important pieces of legislation to confront the people of Texas for the last half century. Many Texans who for 40 years have thought themselves secure in the titles to their land, have recently discovered that when the old time land maps and surveys are checked by modern instruments that errors are found which make vacant strips in the middle of the best farms and ranches in the State. Because of recent oil development in West Texas this land has been very alluring to land grabbers.

Under the old laws a navigable stream is any creek that is 30 feet wide, even if it is dry all year thru. The beds of these streams revert back to the state if the land becomes valuable, as in case of oil discovery.

The Small Bill seeks to validate titles held by the present owners, or to give the adjacent property owners prior right to purchase the "vacant" land.

The Woodward Bill would give the use of water in Texas streams for domestic and irrigation uses to municipalities prior to power companies for hydro-electric power, and other uses. The fight against power companies using the water in Texas when it was needed for drinking and other domestic purposes has engaged the West Texas chamber for over a year. Of several Bills in the Legislature now the Woodward Bill gives the most protection, according to Mr. Bourland.

LET'S PRAY

The story is told that in a certain town a preacher was delivering a sermon on the virtue of keeping out of debt. When he had finished his address, he asked all those who were paying their debts to arise. Every man and woman in the congregation, except one, immediately rose. "Now," said the preacher, "will those that are not paying their debts stand up? The silly individual

came to his feet. His clothing was old and shabby. His collar was frayed at the edge. His hair needed cutting. He was gaunt and unkempt.

"How is it, my friend," asked the preacher, "that you are the only member of the congregation who is not paying his debts?"

"I am a newspaper publisher and these brothers and sisters who stood up ahead are my subscribers, and—"

"Let us pray," exclaimed the preacher. A number of subscribers are a little behind on their subscriptions to The O'Donnell Index. If you are one of the number you can earn the lasting gratitude of the publishers if you will renew your subscription right away. The price is \$1.50 a year. Yours Truly.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Fort Worth—(WTCC) A warning to West Texas farmers contemplating pecan planting, that trees which have been bred to high rainfall conditions will not develop properly in West Texas has been issued by Col. R. L. Penick, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The West Texas organization, conducting an extensive pecan planting campaign at this time, advises planters to be constantly on their guard against any trees which were not developed for comparatively dry climates.

Col. Penick stated that many West Texas farmers have been interested in planting pecans to the extent that they have bought a few trees for experimental purposes and were very much disappointed when they died. This failure of the trees to live has been caused by the high rainfall in a climate where from 60 to 70 inches of rain fall each year and were planted in a climate which averaged 20 inches of rainfall per year.

The western varieties have smaller leaves than the eastern varieties and require less water. Reputable western nurseries sell no other kind.

Originally the West Texas Chamber undertook to distribute one thousand trees at very nominal prices but a new deal whereby all orders for trees during the season can be filled has been made. The orders will be received at the headquarters office at Stamford for Halberts, Nuggetts, Burketts, and Success, all proved western varieties.

CONGRESSMAN MARVIN JONES BEFORE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

Jute

About 900,000,000 pounds of jute is being used in the United States annually, and it is gradually increasing.

It is important principally from India.

About 150,000,000 pounds of jute is used for cotton bagging, but as about one-half of this covering is re-woven, about 80,000,000 pounds of new jute is used each year for cotton bagging. In other words, about ten times as much jute is shipped into this country every year as is necessary to cover the entire cotton crop of the United States. The other 90 per cent is used for other purposes, for sacks, bags, wrapping material, for the body of carpets and linoleum and various other purposes.

If cotton were substituted for all

of the jute that is now being used for all purposes in the United States, it would occasion the use of more than a million additional bales of cotton, which, according to the estimates of the Department of Agriculture, would very greatly increase the average price of cotton, and thus increase the returns to the cotton growers many million of dollars.

Just now a decided effort is being made to find new outlets for our surplus cotton. In a great many of these attempted new uses cotton runs into competition with jute, which is manufactured largely by the cheap labor of India. But for this competition cotton would now be commanding into a great many of such additional outlets. The tariff would be of great advantage to the grower in the disposal of surplus cotton.

The question of the tariff may be a debatable one, but for the time being, at least, it is the adopted policy of this country. Any tariff that is levied should be upon every article coming through the custom house from which a revenue may be derived—on the raw products as well as the finished articles. Any tariff bill should be a fair and uniform one covering all such commodities.

The cotton grower must pay tariff upon the very ties with which he binds his cotton; he must pay a tariff upon his supplies and the utensils with which he produces his cotton. So long as this is the settled policy of the country, it is unfair to force him into competition with the cheap labor of India.

If it has been decided to plant clover, the next question is, "Which clover?" Where the soil is sour and liming not practicable, alsike clover is advised; it will make only one cutting but usually a good one. Sweet clover needs limed land, which is supplied gratis from the Mississippi north and west to the semi-arid country, and if grazing is wanted or the crop is to be turned under for corn, you can't do better than to plant sweet clover. In the East also sweet clover does well, but the land may have to

be limed. For hay or to maintain soil fertility in a rotation, nothing beats red clover. It makes better hay than sweet clover and yields more than alsike, but must have better soil.

FRUIT FRITTERS

- 2 oranges
  - 1 egg
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt
  - 1/2 cup milk
  - 1/2 cup flour
  - 1/2 tablespoon baking oil
  - 1-3 teaspoon cooking powder
  - 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- Beat egg until light; add milk, flour, sifted with baking powder, sugar and salt, and oil or melted butter. Beat until smooth. Pare a few oranges, removing membranes with peel; cut in slices and sprinkle with sugar and a few drops lemon juice. Have deep fat, hot enough to brown a piece of bread while counting to sixty. Dip orange sections in butter mixture and fry in deep fat until puffed and brown. Do not fry too many at one time. Drain on brown paper, sprinkle with powdered sugar, and serve with orange sauce.

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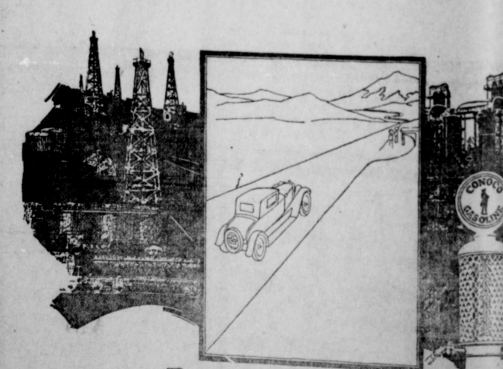
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TOURNAMENT BE HELD AT MUNDAY

... 150 Boys' High School ... teams have been extend ... invitation to partici ... West Texas A. A. U. ... Tournament, which is to ... Munday, February 28 and ... and 2, and which is being ... by the Munday Chamber ... and other civic organi ... that city. ... silver loving cups will ... to the winning teams, run ... third team and fourth team, ... first two teams in the con ... nurnment. Solid gold ... is to ten members of win ... sterling silver basket ... members of runner-up ... year teams.

... will be staged in the ... high school gymnasium, ... capable of accommodating ... tators. The court is of ... size and is floored with ...

... is ideally located for this ... exactly midway between ... hills and Abilene, it is ... amble by good highways ... in West Texas. Com ... ve been chosen by the ... mber of Commerce to ... every detail pertaining to ... Committee on registra ... tainment, housing and ... ils have been selected and ... to make the occasion a ... tical one to the membe ... ring teams. ... plastic and A. A. U. rules ... the meet and it is expec ... less than fifty teams

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will enter. The final date for entry is February 23, and all entries should be in the hands of J. E. Rhodes, Munday, Texas, or with the secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, Dallas, Texas, on that date.

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The U. S. Bureau of Mines is constructing the "coldest spot in the world" eight miles west of Amarillo, Texas, to supply the navy's giant dirigibles of the future with helium. The new government plant will recover helium from the natural gas of the Amarillo field by cooling it to a temperature to 300 degrees below zero. At this temperature, all the constituents of the natural gas, except the helium, are liquefied, permitting it to be drawn off as gas and leaving the residue as liquid.

The United States spends annually for construction and maintenance of highways, exclusive of city streets, nearly \$1,500,000,000, according to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Frock of Printed Velvet a Necessary Luxury



No frocks are more directly in the spotlight of fashion at this moment than are those of sheer printed velvet. The rich autumnal color glory and wealth of design expressed in these velvets is their description. The browns are enchanting, ranging from deepest tone to brightest copper and rust tones.

Continued progress in raising the American standard of living will depend more upon progress in eliminating waste in distribution than on cutting down cost of production, in opinion of Dr. Julius Klein of the Department of Commerce.

During the last 10 years, the people of our country have destroyed by fire property values amounting to almost five billion dollars. Think of this terrible unnecessary waste!—and be careful!

A negro truck driver presented an itemized bill to his employer for service rendered—hauling ashes. The bill read: "Three comes, three goes, at fifty cents a went. Total amount due me, \$3."

The Texas Railroad Commission was established in Governor Jim Hogg's administration in 1891.

Fur Shawl Collars Are Most Popular



Lavishly furred cloth coats crowd the autumn and winter style parade in conspicuous numbers. There are novelties galore, to the point of being almost bizarre. Light furs on contrasting cloths and vice versa are shown. However the shawl collar with deep cuffs plays the leading role.

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WANTED—To trade a good Jersey cow for double row cultivator. See Grover Sutton, O'Donnell, Texas. 21-1tp

FOR SALE—Half and Half Cotton Seed. See Grover Sutton, O'Donnell, Texas. 21-1tp

FOR SALE—We now have a full line of Men's, Women's and children's shoes. If we can't fix your old shoes we will sell you a new pair. Electric Shoe Shop. S. A. Billington, Proprietor. 21-tfc

STRAYED—Dehorned brown Jersey cow, branded TX on left hip. Came to my place 13th of January. Two miles north of O'Donnell, Chas. McConnell, O'Donnell, Texas. 21-1tp

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Close to school. Lights, water and gas. Call at Index Office for particulars.

See us before you sell that corn. We pay highest market price at all times. Henderson & Koeninger.

Having added the services of Mr. Walker, we are better prepared than ever before to do your shoe repairing, while you wait. Electric Shoe Shop. S. A. Billington, prop.

We buy Maize, Kaffir and all kinds small grain. Highest market price paid at all times. Henderson & Koeninger.

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### CHINESE ELMS

Fruit trees, evergreens, shrubbery, roses, hedges, etc. Write for price list or call at 13 street and Avenue L. Lubbock, Texas. tfe

WANTED—Good second hand windmill, tower and pipe. Goddard Edwards, Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., O'Donnell, Texas. 20-1tp

There has been so much agitation recently about off-color jokes that we announce with extreme great pleasure the arrival of an absolutely clean joke, as witness:

He: "You are a little Fairy. May I hold your Palmolive?"

She: "Not on your Lifebooy. Your head's solid Ivory."

He: "This is where I get the Colgate."

She: "I Woolbury that joke if I were you."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Everett a fine boy, John Lafayette Everett. The fine boy arrived on February 1, 1926, and all parties doing nicely.

Mr. M. C. Hamilton was taken Thursday morning to a Lubbock hospital for a serious operation.  
H. E. Gillispie made a business trip to Levelland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowden left on Wednesday for Mildred Midland, Mrs. Cowden plans to go on to Dallas for a minor operation.

Rev. Joe Wilson and family late of Ideal, are now occupying the Baptist parsonage. We are very glad to welcome them to our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cole returned Wednesday from Dallas and Fort Worth. They report a wonderful trip, even though the nursery behaved 19 during most of their stay.

### W. M. U. HOLD THEIR FIRST CIRCLE MEETINGS

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church has been divided into three circles, which are well organized and ready for detailed work. The North Side Circle met Monday afternoon at the home of the leader, Mrs. Grover Sutton, the Center Circle met with Mrs. W. E. Vermillion, and the South Side Circle with Mrs. A. C. Lambert. Meetings next week will be held at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, at the following places:

North Side, Mrs. Ed James; Center Mrs. John Hardberger.

The study of the W. M. U. Manual will be continued.

There was once a young lady who had never rode on a street car before. The man came by for fares and when he came to this lady he said "Your Fare Lady." The girl put her finger in her mouth and said "Thank You."

Mrs. Cynthia Goodman of Hollis, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Zura Brester from Ballinger, have been at the bedside of their father Mr. J. C. Turner, who is very ill from high blood and Bright's disease. Mr. Turner is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Martin.

Miss Leta Rodgers came up Saturday morning to spend the weekend with her parents. She returned to her school Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. L. Rodgers and Mrs. W. B. Fortner went to Pores Sunday to the funeral of the twenty-six month old son of Mrs. Rodgers' niece, Mrs. Claude Redman. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mrs. N. M. Wyatt of Tahoka is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rodgers.

Rev. W. K. Horn of Close City, was in O'Donnell Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. C. Tull spent the past week with relatives and friends in Plainview.

Those who dispute the doctrine that human beings have descended from lower animals find it difficult to explain the close relationship between some men and all mules.

### Anniversary Celebration

(From Wilson Pointer)  
Last Sunday, February 10th, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Spurgeon and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forrester celebrated their wedding anniversary with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrester. It was the second anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon and the twenty-fourth anniversary of the Forresters.

It was a very enjoyable occasion as well as a sumptuous dinner. Those who attended this celebration were: Misses Walker, Wright, Forrester, Mrs. W. L. Forrester and Rev. Philip C. McGahey.

### Many Inquiries Received of South Plains

(From Wilson Pointer)  
453 inquiries have been received by The South Plains Inc., in answer to recent advertisements inserted in Farm Journals over the Nation. This 453 was in addition to 838 already received, making a total of 1291 inquiries.

Thirty states were represented in the last 453 requests for information concerning the South Plains.

Advertisements are yet to appear in The Country Gentleman and The Daily Farmer.

### Slaton Is To Have A Creamry Soon

(From Wilson Pointer)  
According to the Slaton Slatonite, preliminary surveys have been made and the committee appointed to work out plans to bring a creamery to Slaton, will now begin in earnest.

The Red River Creamery Co., of Fredrick and Waurika, Okla., will establish the creamery at Slaton. The company has been investigated by Slaton business men and found to be making a success of the business in the two above mentioned towns. They also found them to be financially responsible.

Slaton is to be congratulated on bringing this enterprise to that town. It is a forward movement for them and will aid the diversification program now being advocated for this

country. Not only will it be of benefit to Slaton, but Wilson will benefit as well, for it we understand the proposition right the plant will afford a market for whole milk.  
It is hoped that the plant will be in operation by April 1.

### Sunday School Speaker Visited Wilson

Dr. B. L. Nance, Supt. of Sunday School Work in the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church, was with the Wilson Methodist Sunday School last Sunday. Dr. Nance spoke on the Standard of Work as required by the General Sunday School Board of the Church. After checking it was found that the Wilson School rated 61 per cent. Those present were impressed by his deep devotion to Sunday School Work, his Christian Conservatism, and his superior knowledge of the Methods and plans by which a greater efficiency may be brought about in the work. In spite of the extremely cold weather there were 45 present including 6 of the officers and the teachers. Dr. Nance will spend the next twelve days in the Lubbock District, going from here to the Plainview District.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

(From Wilson Pointer)  
We should like very much for every one to keep in mind our Sunday Revival which begins the third Sunday in March. Brother Darby will do the preaching. He will need no introduction, every one knows him and will be happy to hear him again.

Services Sunday, February 17. Sunday School—10:00 a. m. Morning Services—11:00 a. m.

Brother R. E. Key will speak at the 11:00 o'clock hour, he has a great message on the Southern Baptist School Convention. This will be a great message, don't fail to hear him.

E. Y. P. U.'s—7:00 p. m. Evening Service—8:00 p. m. Subject—"The Tragedy of Renounced Service."

We want every church member for these services, but especially do we invite the strangers and visitors who

are moving into our community with us in order to give you a welcome.  
Phillip C. McGahey

Come to the community  
(From Wilson Pointer)  
Program for the Subject—General Seed Selection  
Garden.  
Hostess—Mrs. Leader—Mr. Opening Exercises—Roll Call—Address of a new vegetable this year and all learned to eat.  
1. The Garden, (b) Preparation, by Mrs. E. Carl Holden.  
2. Selection of Vegetables for the Garden, by Mrs. A. L. Park.  
3. Seed and Club Members.  
4. The Plan in the Diet—Mrs. E. G. etables—Mrs. L. D. Diseases of Vegetables—D. Server.  
5. Distribution for Preparing Members.  
6. We had a Club Day with an expecting party afternoon and you. Remember are on the first 3 o'clock.  
7. During the winter of our country fire property was almost five billion of this terrible—and be careful.  
8. Mrs. Philip C. day for Veg who is ill there.

## Specials For Saturday

Gal. Pears Per Gallon

Comb Honey Per Gallon

Comb Honey Half Gallon

Dixie Jelly Per Quart

Fig Preserves Per Quart

Pickles Sweet Mixed Per Quart

Country Maid Syrup Pure Ribbon Candy Syrup, per gal.

Delicious Apples Per Doz. 3

### PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

We will keep a full line at all times of Cow Feed, Chickens and Hog Feed. We will pay highest market price for your chickens and turkeys.

We have just received a fresh car of Kimbell's Best Flour are selling per sack \$1.85. Per hundred, \$3.60. If you take me back.

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"Where Cash Talks"