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## Petition Being Circulated Asking For Road Bond Election

Petition is being circulated and numerous signed already to the commissioner's court to petition to determine whether bonds in the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be issued with which to pave the highway and improve lateral roads of Lynn County.

Petition proposes that \$700,000 of this bond issue, if adopted, be used on the highways passing through the county, and \$300,000 on the lateral roads passing and radiating out from Wilson, Home, Grassland, Draw, and other communities in the county, making a complete lateral system throughout the county.

Petition also provides that the \$700,000.00 with which the highways shall be null in state highway department change the routing of the highway through Tahoka and O'Donnell.

Petition will be presented to the commissioner's court which will pass on the same at its regular meeting and to call an election for the county at an early date.

Petition for a big bond election in Lynn County have been likewise and it is expected that these petitions will be taken to the commissioner's court about the county except about the southeast corner of the city of Slaton has been set aside a special road district for the highways in this territory to be hard surfaced and the roads improved if the bonds are issued.

The new elections will be held about the same time as the last election.

Petition which is being circulated in Lynn County and which is to be presented to the commissioner's court is as follows:

Hon. County Judge and members' Court of Lynn County, please petition your Honors to call an election in the Lynn, State of Texas, for the voting Road Bonds, amount of \$1,000,000.00; to hard surface Highway No. 84, or as much as is necessary; said \$700,000.00 to be null and void as said highways are now designated within the city of Tahoka and O'Donnell, \$300,000.00 and the balance \$700,000.00, if any, be the purpose of building roads from Wilson, New Island, Draw, New More, communities in Lynn County, said lateral roads to be described by the Commissioner's Court, to protect the trade of said towns and communities.

PARTY REPORTS  
GOOD LUCK SATURDAY

Mrs. Mack Garner and Mr. and Mrs. John daughters Elsie, Bernice, and Mrs. DeLoe, family were members of the party Saturday night. The event was Indian and the results were that the party could eat for nothing. Taking along camping gear the party spent the night at Mesdames J. P. Harvey Jordan were there. The entire party returned after a very successful outing.

PEOPLE ATTEND  
SINGING CONVENTION

Net Singing Convention Sunday at Okoh, with a large attendance. Among other people who attended were Mesdames Estelle, E. O. W. H. Harville, E. O. Orville Lawler. All who report a splendid afternoon of good singing.

## Street Paving To Be Rushed Says Council

(From Terry County Herald)

In view of the fact that our Mayor, Joe J. McGowan is attending the International Rotary Convention in Dallas this week, we were unable to see him about the progress that was being made in the way of getting the paving started in Brownfield, but we had a talk with one of the city councilmen, who was thoroughly familiar with all that had been done toward getting started. Of course, as stated last week there is a world of work to be done before actual paving can be started, but this preliminary work is being rushed with all haste possible, but with the view of not forgetting accuracy, for mistakes in the preliminaries will tend to hold up construction in the end.

The large engineering firm of Montgomery & Ward of Wichita Falls have been employed to set the grade lines of the city and to see that the contractors comply with conditions and specifications, and a representative of that firm is expected right away to begin his work. The council informed this company that they expected them to stir around and get everything in shape for paving at the earliest possible moment, as they wanted to get the main business section around the square paved before the fall rush if it were humanly possible. It is thought there will be no hitch in getting the attorney general to approve the issue as he now has in his office all the data about Brownfield he will need, as all this had to be gotten up in previous bond issues.

With the coming of gas in the next two months, and the paving about the same time, Brownfield will enter the class of thoroughly modern cities, for it will have everything the best of them have at the present time, such as, plenty of electrical power and light, a modern water works system, a modern sewerage system, natural gas for heating and cooking, and the business and a portion of the residential section nicely paved.

With these things in view, we look forward to rapid growth and expansion in the years to come, and here on old Lost Draw will be reared a city that all this section will be proud to call home or their trading point. The people around Brownfield are proud of the town, and lots of farmers urged the business men to vote for paving, as they wanted to see their town go forward. They feel that the people who live here are their neighbors and friends, and that they are giving them a fair deal in selling to them, and all the market affords in buying their stuff.

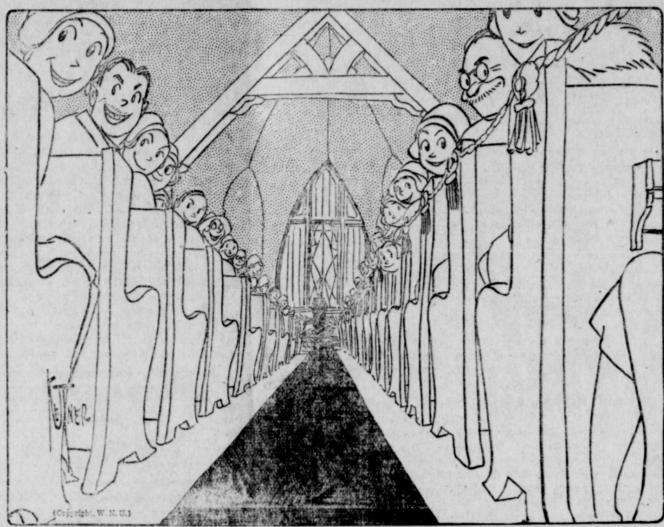
A gentleman informed us recently that a big firm wanted to put in a store here recently. In fact, they sent a representative here to look over the situation. He liked the people, the town and the huge trade territory, but our streets were not paved, and he turned us down. Lots of people want live in a non-progressive town. Lots of good will live in a slow town, but odds of very best people will not live in anything but a moving, growing town.

## C. J. Beach Opening New Offices Here

C. J. (Dock) Beach, local real estate and loan man, is opening new offices in the Warren Building just north of the old First National Bank Building. The building has been completely remodelled and the Modern Dry Cleaners will occupy all of the rear of the building and half of the front while Mr. Beach will use the north half of the front. Mr. B. M. Haymes will also be located in the offices used by Mr. Beach with his insurance agency. The new offices are now about complete and are expected to be occupied by the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Singleton, Jr., and little daughter, Lena Mae, left Tuesday morning for Jefferson, where they will spend a week or two with friends and relatives.

## Here She Comes



## Chamber of Commerce Elects Full Time Secretary Tuesday

### O'Donnell Nine Won Another Ball Game

The O'Donnell baseball team won another victory on the local field last Sunday afternoon defeating the Pumpkincenter nine 10 to 9. The locals pulled the game out of the fire in the last of the ninth inning.

The Pumpkincenter team is considered the second best club in Dawson county and gave the O'Donnell boys a tough battle. Batteries for O'Donnell: Young and Harris.

A-B-Bar one of the City League teams of Lamesa will play here Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. This promises to be one of as good games as has been played here this season.

### Local Firm Introduces Electric Refrigerators

Singleton Bros. Hardware is now featuring Kelvinators, one of the best electric refrigerators on the market today. Two of the Machines are on display in the store and more are expected daily. An interesting decorative note is the fact that the refrigerators can be obtained in colors to harmonize with the color scheme of the kitchen.

Another good feature is the rubber ice tray, which permits the quick removal of ice cubes. The motor is practically noiseless and requires the minimum of attention. Both models on display are very attractive and the price is more than reasonable. When you are in town be sure and see them.

### TWELVE HOUR BATTERY SERVICE GIVEN HERE

An example of this modern type of service equipment is the new HB Constant Potential Battery Charger just installed in the battery shop of the A. & W. Service Station. This outfit will charge automobiles or re-charge batteries in just about one third the time it used to take to do the same job. A battery put on charge this morning will be fully charged and ready to go back on the job this evening.

Mrs. Phil Lieberman, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ben Coin, for two weeks, left Sunday morning for her home. She and her daughters Estelle and Dorothy were accompanied as far as Sweetwater by Mr. and Mrs. Coin. Harry Coin will go as far as San Antonio.

At a meeting of the directors of the O'Donnell Chamber of Commerce following their regular Tuesday noon luncheon which was held at the Rochelle Cafe, the directors voted unanimously on the first ballot electing Mr. J. D. Dowell of Quitaque, Texas, as full time secretary of the organization, effective June 15th.

Temporary secretary J. P. Aylor, notified Mr. Dowell this morning (Wednesday) of the board's action. Up to the time of going to press we have not received acceptance of the election from Mr. Dowell. However, we feel sure that he will accept the position, as the board's action was merely an acceptance of Mr. Dowell's own proposition made in person at a previous meeting. The new secretary will in all probability be on the field within the next few days and open offices preparatory to beginning his new duties.

He comes to O'Donnell highly recommended as a man of ability and a leader in all civic enterprises. The writer was one of a committee of O'Donnell business men who made a special trip to Quitaque for the purpose of investigating Mr. Dowell's ability, character and leadership among men. The recommendation given Mr. Dowell by the business men of that place was one of the best the writer ever heard given any man. If the new secretary lives up to the recommendation given him he will make one of the best secretaries in West Texas.

### Miss Kathlyn Aylor Undergoes Operation

Miss Katharine Aylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Aylor, of this city, who has been attending school in Houston, underwent an operation for appendicitis Monday night in a Houston Sanitarium.

Latest reports state that she is doing splendidly and that it is not necessary for Mr. and Mrs. Aylor to be at the bedside.

Miss Roxie Hancock left Tuesday for Canyon, where she will enter W. T. S. T. C. She plans to do special work, take up a course in art, a course on Home Economics and do some practice teaching, preparing for her work as teacher of the Fifth Grade in our school next term.

Mrs. Waldo McLauren, accompanied by her children, Modeno and Junior, and Misses Margaret Miller and Kathryn Veazey, was in Lamesa shopping Tuesday afternoon.

### Modern Dry Cleaners Will Open for Business

The Modern Dry Cleaners is the new cleaning and pressing establishment that will open for business in the Warren building first door north of the old First National Bank Building. Messrs Noel Sikes and Ralph Beach are the owners of the new business. Both are well known to the public and have many friends who join in wishing them much success.

Workmen have been busy the past several days installing machinery of the latest type. Some delay has been caused due to the fact that some of the equipment failed to arrive on time. However, the boys hope to be able to open for business some time next week. They will no doubt make announcement next week.

### Water System Paying Dividends Now

O'Donnell's new water system is now paying dividends to all property tax payers in the form of lower insurance rates. Fact is, the amount saved in insurance reductions will approximately double the amount of tax increase.

Mr. B. M. Haymes the insurance man, explained to the Index man this week that the Dr. J. F. Campbell residence in the northeast part of town formerly carried a fire insurance policy costing \$60.90 per year and only this week the policy was renewed at a cost of only \$38.08. This is a saving of \$22.82, while the increase in taxes caused by the water bonds amounted to approximately \$10.00. Figure it out for yourself.

Besides paying dividends to the tax payers, the new water system affords protection, convenience, and added pride to our progressive citizenship. We are proud of it.

### E. D. Holman Buys Partner's Interest

A deal was closed last week whereby Mr. E. D. Holman, senior member of the firm of the City Grocery, became sole owner of the store, having purchased Mr. Carl Holman's interest. No changes will be made in the policy of the store. Mr. Carl Holman, we understand is now in Plainview where he is expected to locate.

## HUNT'S FILLING STATION BURGLARIZED THURSDAY NIGHT

Hunt's Grocery and Filling Station just at the north edge of the city limits on Highway No. 9, was robbed of approximately \$150 worth of merchandise on Thursday night of last week.

The thieves, three in number, gained entrance by breaking a small glass out of the front door then using a pinch bar to remove the night latch. They were helping themselves to groceries, tires and tubes, cigarettes and numerous other things when Mr. Hunt who lives adjoining the station heard a noise. Upon investigating he found three men already inside ransacking his place of business.

He immediately notified Night-watchman and Constable B. L. Parker who rushed to the scene just in time to see the parties leaving. He was some two hundred yards from the place of business when the thieves left in a high powered car. He gave chase but finally lost their trail near the Randall School House. A fairly good description of the robbers was obtained by Mr. Hunt and the officers are working hard in the hope that the guilty parties will be brought to justice in the next few days.

## Joe Bailey Club To Present Program

The 4-H Club girls of the Joe Bailey School are planning a splendid program Friday evening, June 7, at the school house. Club songs, readings, novelty features and a two-act comedy are only a part of the entertainment offered.

These girls, under the capable leadership of their sponsor, Mrs. Alma Reagan, have done splendid work this year. They are well worth your support. Come out and have some fun with them Friday evening.

## Natural Gas To Be Here By August 1st

(From Terry County Herald)

In view of the fact that the City has purchased a new natural gas engine from the West Texas Gas Co., they have guaranteed that their company will have gas in the city on or before the 1st day of August, which is but two brief months away. We understand that stakes are being set along the highway from here to Tahoka for the right-of-way of the gas line, and when the 'big ditching machine is put to work, it will not take long to lay the line for the distance of 27 miles, for it will start out of Tahoka about one mile this side of that city.

The engine the city purchased is the latest type of natural gas engine, and they are said to develop the full power rate capacity. In fact, the 165 horse power engine that was purchased is said to develop as much power as the largest engine of the fuel oil variety now in use which is rated at 240 horse power. This will give the city two complete power units, except when the peak load comes on about dark, and remains on until bed time. The company promised to rush the order thru for this engine and have it here by the time gas is ready for use here.

Another thing that is probably rushing the gas company is the fact that Brownfield is preparing to pave the streets, as they want to lay all their mains before paving is put down, as it will save them quite an item of expense, as to come later, they would have to tear up quite a bit of paving and replace it, and it can never be put back as well as it was originally.

Most of the people who are now building either residence or business buildings, are laying gas pipes in them, in order to be ready to tie on the moment gas is available. Others are also getting ready to pipe their property for gas. The gas company has a franchise for the next 25 years we understand.

Talk to each other more—about each other less.

If you can't profit by your mistakes, there's no use making 'em.

### Winners in Stock Judging Contest

College Station, Texas, June 1.—Winners in students livestock judging contest held at the A. & M. College of Texas shortly before the close of the past session were announced as follows:

Freshman division: Six high individuals in judging all classes—H. F. Kothmann, Mason; Leon C. Ranson, Lamesa; M. G. Perkins, Mt. Pleasant; J. B. McCaughan, Yancey; H. D. Pool, Dallas; C. C. Apperson, Jr., Commerce. Three high individuals in beef cattle judging—Kothmann, McCaughan and O. Dawson, Crockett. Three high individuals in sheep judging—R. J. Roeder, Jr., Yorktown; Kothmann and Perkins. Three high individuals in swine judging—Perkins, first; C. E. Reese, Hillsboro, Ranson and G. W. Davis, San Antonio, tied for second. Three high individuals in horse judging—C. A. Taylor, Dublin; Kothmann, Mason; C. A. Ward, Henderson, and C. A. King, Jr., El Paso, tied for third.

Sophomore division: Six high individuals—D. H. Taylor, Victoria; M. B. Airhart, Yoakum; R. G. Cagle, San Antonio; F. E. Jarratt, Eola; C. T. Herring, Tulia; C. J. Van Zandt, De Leon.

College Station, Texas, June 1.—Winners of this year's freshman crop judging contest, conducted by the agronomy department of the A. & M. College of Texas, have been announced in order of rating as follows: G. K. Jessup, Dallas; Y. J. Henderson, Ingram; C. D. Moulden, Cisco; L. R. Pool, Dallas; W. E. Thomason, Decatur. A total of 140 agricultural freshmen competed.

### What's Doing in West Texas

MOBETTIE is growing a new town within the radius of the old since the new railroad has been secured. Lots were recently sold at a hitherto unheard of price. Plans are made and foundations are being laid for buildings which are to make the town a bigger and better place to live.

MEMPHIS sold a lot of 98 Jerseys in auction last week. They were auctioned by W. A. Nash who lectured on the value and recent progress of dairying in the South Plains. A great number of the cattle were graded, some registered, and all good producers.

MIDLAND has a farmer who makes \$750.00 an acre on his garden. Noah Kinnemore has been growing peas under mulch paper, and sells his entire supply to consumers who drive to his truck patch. His dewberries, and strawberries, are bringing \$500.00 an acre. He intends growing sweet potatoes this year. The paper lasts three years.

Two CROSBYTON people have no dread of drouths and short crops of cotton and wheat for they have a good source of income from their chickens. Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Findley's flock of 300 chickens bring from \$80.00 to \$100.00 income every month. The Findley's say that the demand for poultry and poultry products continues to increase every day.

DENTON's annual Field Day at the experiment station showed what progress was made in the experi-

ments on wheat, oats, grain, sorghums, sweet clover, corn, alfalfa, peas and other legumes. Crop rotation and the value of good seed was given attention. Some pure bred southern seed was given to those present.

THE ROSWELL-CARLSBAD, N. M. road is being put into good shape for the summer travel. The road is being graded up and a gravel trench cut preparatory to the surfacing treatment. At the same time the new weed destroyer is having a tryout on the road. Traffic is not interfered with.

THE PORTALES, N. M. Canning Company is now signing up tomatoes for the coming season, and has already secured the output of 300 acres. In 1928 the company canned 31 carloads, and shipped 15 carloads of fresh tomatoes. The average for 1927 and 1928 was 500 acres and the 1929 acreage is expected to be larger.

LUBBOCK's young Texas Tech Chamber of Commerce has for some of its objectives the molding of the traditions of the college while it is still young, welcoming visiting teams to the camps, cooperating with local civic clubs and the offering of a prize for a school song.

LITTLEFIELD'S Trades Day, on Monday, June 3, was a huge success, attended by a large crowd. Reduced prices were offered for contests held during the day, and Col. J. W. Horn was Marshall of the events of the day. A registered Jersey Heifer, Registered Sow, and pen of Pure bred chickens were some of the prizes.

CLAIRMONT, county seat of Kent county wants a gin. It is 17 miles from the nearest cotton gin at this time, and offers a good location. Seven thousand acres are being planted to cotton now, with the acreage increasing each year.

BROWNFIELD has 18 boys and girls 4-H clubs with a membership of 350. There are 150 in the pig club. The boys who were in the pig club last year are realizing \$4.12 a head for their pigs. The poultry club members have secured pure bred chickens. Thirteen Jersey calves were shipped in for the dairy club members.

BIG SPRINGS entertained the members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Oil and Gas Bureau Thursday, May 30. W. B. Hamilton, chairman of the Oil & Gas Committee and H. J. Adair, Manager of the Oil & Gas Bureau of the regional organization were present.

### THE GAS FUTURE

Increasing demand, caused by an almost limitless field for service, lies ahead of the gas industry, in the opinion of experts.

At the present time, one-fourth of the country's production of manufactured gas is being used in in-

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dustry; yet this represents but two per cent of our industrial heat requirements.

Gas refrigeration, incineration and house heating and cooling are new developments that are still in their infancy.

Both in home and in industry the public is growing increasingly interested in the advantages of gas appliances. For many years gas has been supreme in the field of cooking; now a great development has begun that promise tremendous progress in other important fields.

Mothers who want their children to have sun baths on a beach or in a park playground sometimes have to take them in a street car or automobile to the place where they are to play. An attractive sun ensemble can be made, consisting of the sun suit itself, with the lower part of a soft printed cotton material and the upper section of cable net, and a matching dress which is slipped on or off as occasion requires. The little sun suit is made from an ordinary romper pattern, cut away around the arm holes and neck, with very abbreviated legs.

Fruit whips can be made of any pulp of pronounced flavor and color. Heat the pulp to dissolve the added sugar, and combine while hot with the stiffly beaten egg whites so as to cook the eggs partially and give body to the mixture. For one cup of apricot or prune allow one half cup of sugar and the whites of three eggs. Whipped cream is a delicious addition to cold fruit whips.

Make a rhubarb betty for dessert, with fruit and buttered crumbs, alternately, just as you would make apple betty. You can use either stewed or uncooked rhubarb and sweeten to taste. If you use the uncooked rhubarb, cover the baking dish for the first part of the cooking, then remove the lid and broil the top crumbs. Sift a little cinnamon or nutmeg over the top.

Stains made by water containing iron can be taken off a porcelain bath tub or basin with oxalic acid solution. Oxalic acid is a poison and should be carefully washed off after using. Keep it out of reach of the children.

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"Sometimes, I would have severe spells of indigestion and would be

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in misery for hours, and would not recommend any particular although attention is called importance of having the kettle equipped with the pressure gauge for proper control.

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Delivery Chassis	\$400
The 1 1/2 Ton Chassis	\$545
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ment was made this John S. Fritz, of O'Donnell, has purchased the Finley drug store from R. E. Finley. Fritz was formerly in the business of O'Donnell and is highly recommended as a highly experienced business man. He states that he will make a few changes in the store and will have a first class store that will thoroughly meet the needs of this city.

**FERTILIZER SALES IN TEXAS INCREASE THE PAST YEAR**

College Station, Texas, June 1.—An increase of nearly 55,000 tons in fertilizer sales in Texas for the present crop year as compared with sales for the preceding year is shown in a report on fertilizer tag sales issued by Dr. G. S. Fraps, who, as state chemist, has administration of the Texas fertilizer law.

Records of the state chemist show a total of 194,377 tons of fertilizer sold in Texas for the period beginning Sept. 1, 1928, and ending June 1, 1929. This compares with 139,477 tons for the nine months period ending June 1, 1928; with 79,213 tons for nine months period ending June 1, 1927, and with 123,712 tons for nine months period ending June 1, 1926.

More than half of the fertilizer used in Texas is used for cotton. Dr. Fraps pointed out, much of the remaining being used for fruits and vegetables.

While the use of fertilizer in Texas shows a steady upward trend, this state is far behind others of the United States in the amount used. One reason for this is in the fact that Texas soils are relatively new to farming in comparison with soils of some of the other states. Fertilizer used during the calendar year 1927 in some of these other states amounted to 1,171,499 tons in North Carolina, 726,000 tons in South Carolina, 713,000 tons in Georgia, 408,000 tons in Virginia. For that year 80,000 tons were used in Texas.

**Thursday Club Meets With Mrs. Bowlin**

The lovely home of Mrs. J. P. Bowlin was beautifully decorated with vases and bowls of roses and other cut flowers Thursday afternoon when she was the gracious hostess to members of the Thursday Club and several guests.

Four tables were placed for forty-two and several hours were passed at the fascinating game. Mrs. Mack Garner sang a clever little song, "Japanese Love Song," Mrs. J. W. Roberts assisted in singing "Carolina Moon," singing the soprano while Mrs. Garner sang alto, and then Mrs. Roberts sang "Precious Little Thing Called Love." Mrs. L. P. Hardy played all accompaniments, and then pleased the guests with several instrumental numbers. The informal concert was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Bowlin served appetizing strawberry shortcake piled with whipped cream and garnished with whole berries, and mint ice tea to Mesdames L. P. Hardy, J. W. Roberts, Mack Garner, E. L. Sorrels, Glen Allen, J. W. Campbell, Edgar Ellis, George Shumake, Waldo Mc-Lauren, W. E. Robinson, Harvey Jordan, Irvin Street, and M. J. Whitsett, Boss Johnson and John Harberger.

**THE NECESSITY OF MINING**

Probably few people realize the extent to which our modern civilization is dependent upon metal mining.

Without mines there would be no telephone or telegraph or electricity, no stoves or machinery or jewelry. There would be no medical instruments or any of the thousands of necessities and luxuries that play a prominent part in our industrial and social existence.

At the present time metal mining is in the midst of the most progressive age in its history. Scientific and engineering progress have resulted in higher recovery, overhead is cut and production increased. Executive

genius is stabilizing the price and equalizing supply and demand. Great industrial projects of many kinds have caused an unprecedented demand for the base metals. The results is high standards of employment at good wages and increased mining activity that is playing an increasingly important role in forwarding our epochal prosperity.

**KNOW TEXAS**

The Texas public road system comprises about 180,000 miles of which nearly 20,000 miles are known as "improved." State and Federal improved highways total 9,645 miles and there are about 10,000 miles of gravel, sand-clay or other "improve roads."

Texas' assessed values have increased 50 per cent since 1913. Actual property values in Texas (\$9-

850,888,000 in 1922) are estimated at more than \$12,500,000,000 now. In 1861 Texas assessed values were \$256,784,482.

The sweet potato has the distinction of leading in value the strictly vegetable crops of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Hardberger, of Lubbock, were visitors in O'Donnell, Saturday.

**If You Want To BUY, SELL OR TRADE Anything, Anywhere, See**

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Long before your General Motors car is built, specimen models are sent to the Proving Ground. This fleet is tested in actual use. It has to meet every bad driving condition, from heart-breaking hills to slambang bumps.

But that isn't all. Other cars of American and European manufacture are bought and put through the same tests, so that General Motors always knows how its products compare with others.

The tests involve speed, power, endurance, braking, riding comfort, handling ease; fuel, oil and tire economy; body strength—every phase of car construction and performance.

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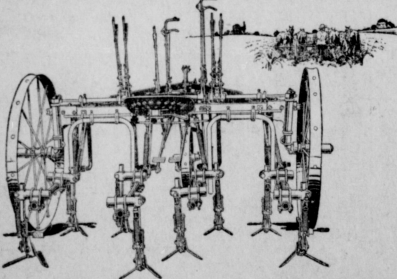
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### New Currency Habits Loom

WASHINGTON, June 3.—The American public will have to begin tapering off July 10 on the long established habit of breaking old fashioned bills and start acquiring the habit of spending the new variety, which are different in size but represent the same amount of purchasing power.

The new bills, six and five-sixteenths inches long and two and eleven-sixteenths inches wide, with black and white faces and green-backs, will go into circulation on that date, as far as the popular \$1 and \$20 denominations are concerned. Those for higher amounts will be introduced later.

The larger bills with which most folks are familiar will continue to be used until worn out, and for a time all orders for fresh paper currency will be filled by the Treasurer with both varieties. Recognizing that this may cause inconvenience, Treasury officials are hopeful that the public will be patient until the supply of old type bills is exhausted and uniformity of currency again established.

A distinctive paper developed in the last few years, which can withstand more folding than the kind now in use, has been adopted for the new currency, together with striking new designs, making it easier for the average person to distinguish the denominations of the bills at a glance and to detect counterfeit.

### "The Randall News"

A crowd of young people visited Mr. and Mrs. LaVoie O'Conner, Sunday night.

Miss Lee Spencer spent last Monday night with Bernice and Lois Meares.

Mrs. Allen Moore visited her mother-in-law, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith and children visited their daughter, Mrs. Earl Lankford, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bryant spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Curtis, at Southland last week.

Mr. Jack Snod and his bride, formerly Miss Irene Phillips of Bangs, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Lawler visited her parents, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

## Notice

TO NEWSPAPER MEN WHO READ THE INDEX

ARE YOU BOTHERED WITH STATIC ELECTRICITY?

I HAVE A DEVICE THAT WILL TAKE FROM 95 TO 100 PER CENT OF THE STATIC OUT OF YOUR PAPER PRESS. ON PRESS DAY YOU WON'T HAVE TO WAIT TILL THE ELECTRICITY IS OUT OF YOUR PAPER BEFORE YOU CAN MAKE THE SECOND RUN. ALSO YOU CAN TAKE THE PAPER RIGHT OFF THE PRESS TO THE FOLDER IN ANY KIND OF WEATHER CONDITION AND YOU WILL NOT BE BOTHERED WITH STATIC. IF I CAN'T TAKE IT OUT IT WILL NOT COST YOU A RED CENT.

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S. T. PRICE, The O'Donnell Index, O'Donnell, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meares visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd James, Sunday.

### Boy Scouts Assist in Birthday Festivities

Last Wednesday evening the Boy Scouts and their scoutmaster, Clyde Ash, assisted in the pleasant duty of celebrating the birthday of Parks Singleton. Mrs. Singleton invited them down to her spacious grounds where they found a plentiful supply of wood and an even more plentiful supply of campfire eats, which the boys cooked themselves. Bacon, eggs, nickles, onions, potatoes, all the outdoor food was there, and at the climax to a wonderful meal, the hostess brought out a huge birthday cake and six gallons of real home-made ice cream.

After the meal, the boys were entertained by Miss Etta Mae, who played several piano numbers. Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson came late in the evening and added to the pleasure of the occasion with his stories and a beautiful reading from Mrs. Wilson.

The eighteen boys who were lucky enough to partake of the hospitality of Mrs. Singleton declared that they had never had so much fun.

### DAWSON COUNTY FARMER HAS FINE JERSEY COWS

LAMESA.—J. M. Peterson, farmer of Dawson county and Jersey Breeder of the Lower South Plains has the distinction of owning some of the very best Milk Cow Stock in this section. Recently, Peterson refused \$500.00 for a bull calf he has. This calf has the following record: A double great grand-son of Sophie 19, the world's champion long distance dairy cow, a grand son of Sophie Agnes with a record of 16212 No. M. 1000.01 No. Butter fat. He has 7 own Aunts that produced 114 pounds of butter fat, in 30 days, 211 pounds in 60 days or 325 pounds fat in 90 days. He has a first cousin on his mother's side that holds the world's record for one year with 23077 pounds milk, 1167 pounds butter fat. His mother made 9033 pounds in 365 days at 2 years, 5 months old. Sold to Ed C. Lasater at the age of 5 years for \$2500 has made all the big fairs of the United States and a tour of Old Mexico, taking Blue Ribbons in most places.

### T. E. L. CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. NELSON

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School held its regular meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Cecil Nelson, with Mesdames Myers and St. Clair joint hostesses.

Mr. St. Clair led the devotional, after which the lesson in Winning to

Christ was taught by Mrs. Joe Wilson.

In a short business meeting it was decided to change the meeting hour from three o'clock to four.

The hostesses served delicious ice cream and cake, with plate favors of lavender larkspur to the following ladies: Mesdames Wilson, Sutton, Mansell, Hardberger, Yandell, Cabiness, Middleton, Hinkle, Lambert, and Sorrels.

The next meeting will be held June 14th, at the home of Mrs. Sorrels.

### W. M. S. PLANNING PLAY SOON

With the new church rapidly going up, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church are busy making plans to earn the money for new pews. One plan decided upon at the meeting Monday afternoon was the presentation of a play, using local talent. The name of the play has not yet been disclosed, but we feel sure that it will be a good one.

Another plan is the Mile-of-Pennies. The circles will work together in this project. Sixteen pennies make one foot, and when the mile is completed there will be \$800.00 all in a row. So watch your pennies, for the ladies are coming after them. The proceeds from both these efforts will be applied on the purchase of pews for the church. This organization has also decided to buy one of the windows for the building.

### NEW MOORE 4-H CLUB MET

The New Moore 4-H Club met at the school house, Monday, June 3. Nine members were present. 3 visitors were present. After singing a club song meeting was called to order by president Miss Lola Mae Baxter. The roll was answered by each girl about what they had done on their productive project. One girl reported that she had about 115 chickens some of which are frying size.

All others reported that their gardens were up and real pretty. One girl has canned six cans of spinach and mustard out of her garden. We are working on our towels and will have them completed by next meeting.

Miss Greenwade, County Home Demonstration Agent was present.

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and gave us a demonstration on tfe improvement. We are going to continue our work through the summer and be a real good club.

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HEMSTITCHING—I have moved my Hemstitching machine from Wichita Falls to O'Donnell. Located upstairs in the Edgar Ellis home. Six years experience. Mrs. J. N. McKay. 37-1tp

WILL HAVE plenty of Sweet Potato slips, Chili and Sweet Pepper and Tomato plants about the first of June. See me for your plants. J. W. Nichols, Box 87, O'Donnell, Texas. 35-4tp

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But it is not in these more spectacular inventions alone that human progress has leaped ahead. Since the dawn of civilization women have aged faster than men. The deadly monotonous routine of drudgery of housekeeping has borne them down.

But modern science has taken away the chief causes of drudgery. Through advertising, women by the millions have found a way to have water, light, heat, cold—at the touch of a finger. No woman of even the most modest means needs be a drudge today if she reads advertising.

It is advertising that has stimulated an overwhelming demand for these newer, better things of life. And this demand has made possible tremendous new industries furnishing well-paid work for millions of men. An endless circle that has made the average American family today the healthiest, happiest and most prosperous in all the world.

**READ ADVERTISING. DON'T MISS THE NEW THINGS—LIVE LIFE TO THE FULL.**

### Hydroelectric Developments Curtailed

In the opinion of Thomas Edison and many other recognized experts, scientific progress in utilizing coal and other fuels to produce electricity by steam has resulted in a curtailment of hydroelectric developments.

Many great hydroelectric projects now under construction were started some years ago when the price of coal and the expense of steam generation was at a maximum. But for some time past new hydroelectric developments have been appreciably decreasing.

In certain localities, hydro plants can be so propitiously located as to make them most advantageous. Niagara Falls, with its vast volume of potential power, is a good example of this. But such situations are exceptional and in the main it has been found that steam generation has greater economic possibilities.

In 1920 in the State of New York, it was necessary to burn 2.38 pounds of coal to generate a kilowatt-hour of electrical energy. Last year but 1.45 pounds of coal were required to generate the same amount. The average for the United States was 1.76 pounds.

Our water power resources are, of course, valuable, but their importance has been vastly exaggerated. Steam generation of electricity, with constantly increasing economy and efficiency, appears to be the great field open for future progress.

### POOR LOGIC

Crime reformers, citing the fact that England, where possession of small arms is forbidden, has fewer crimes of violence than the United States, reach the conclusion that an anti-pistol law is the panacea that will save this country from the criminal.

This logic is superficially persuasive but far from complete. The lack of crime in England is due mainly to the fact that its courts are efficient and justice swift, and that it has the greatest centralized police system known.

Scotland Yard officers are sent to all parts of England to investigate major crimes. In this country it is up to small town sheriffs and constables who usually lack both facilities and training.

In England curio evasion, technicalities and red tape, designed to cloud the facts, are unknown. Immediately on commission of a crime, expert detectives are giving on the evidence and in most cases find the criminal. He is immediately tried, and sentenced and adequately punished.

American crime reformers would do well to imitate the real causes of English efficiency instead of promoting a law vulnerable in theory and which in practice tends to disarm the law-abiding and not the criminal.

### GASOLINE TAX PROBLEMS

Ten years ago Oregon and Colorado inaugurated the gasoline tax. On August 1, when the new Illinois three-cent tax goes into effect, every state and the District of Columbia will be levying a tax against motor fuel.

The tax now runs from two to six cents a gallon and the trend has been

one of constant increase.

Last year the average tax was 3 cents. In 35 states the entire net revenue, after deducting collection costs, was used for rural road purposes. In three states a part of the tax was used for public school purposes; in five a portion went for street construction; in two states the small sums were placed in the general state fund, and in several other states part of the gas tax was employed for purposes beside road building.

Here are the two great imminent dangers of the gasoline tax. One is to increase the amount until it is out of economic proportion to the cost of fuel; the other is to use a special tax, levied against a certain portion of the population, for general purposes. When these are done, the tax becomes unfair, confiscatory and an obnoxious example of class legislation.

Because the gas tax is easily levied and collected is no reason why legislatures should increase it when funds for some purpose or other are needed. The automobile, from a social and business standpoint, has almost unlimited benefits. To raise the tax beyond natural limits or to use the money for other purposes than road building and maintenance, legislatures against a great agency of pleasure and progress.

### COMMENT FROM CALIFORNIA

The Los Angeles Times editorially comments on some of the results of the Massachusetts compulsory automobile liability insurance law, in effect since January 1, 1927.

It seems there has been a great proportionate increase in accidents in the state since that time. "Thousands of people have set up claims for personal injuries which they did not receive," says the Times. "Compulsory insurance provides a rich harvest for 'ambulance chasers' and other slysters, makes it impossible for insurance companies to select risks, raises rates, increases litigation, crowds the courts, makes reckless drivers more reckless and makes the large majority pay for the incompetence or negligence of the small minority."

"During the first four months of 1929 motor fatalities increased 16 per cent, 197 persons having been killed in the Bay State as compared with 169 in the corresponding period of 1928. The increase in the number of deaths of motorists was 40 per cent. Of course it is impossible to ascertain what proportion of these deaths was due to the extra recklessness by compulsory insurance, but some of the State officials say it must have been quite large.

"Massachusetts has about 700,000 registered motor vehicles. Automobiles registration has not increased in the Bay State in the same proportion that fatalities have increased. "About all that can be argued for compulsory insurance is that it affords a means for persons injured by motorists to recover damages. But as this advantage seems to have been more than offset by increased recklessness and fatalities, it is not likely that many other States will follow the lead of Massachusetts by the adoption of a similar insurance law."

On January 1, 1929, there were 955,000 milk cows and heifers in Texas, an increase of 19,000 over 1928. Their value at \$61 a head was \$58,255,000.

### Making Automobile Transportation Safe

Every year, as thousands of additional automobiles come into use and traffic congestion grows, the accident risk increases.

This is being offset to a great extent by the trend in automobile construction and modern highway design.

Present-day cars, with four wheel brakes, non-shatterable glass and all-steel bodies, give the rider a maximum of mechanical protection. In an emergency any one of these features may very easily mean the difference between a fatality and a slight mishap.

The new trend in highway building is likewise conducive to the highest possible degree of safety. Engineering specifications call for wider roads, many of them capable of carrying four cars abreast, with smooth "non-skid" surfaces and banked turns.

New roads are being built and old roads rebuilt to conform to these modern standards of safety and comfort. Motor car manufacturers are using all-steel bodies and equipping their machines with modern safety devices. As a result, in spite of high-speed driving and heavy traffic, motor dangers are being minimized.

### TWO STUDENTS AT TECH GET COURSE AT PURINA CO.

College Station, Texas, June 1.—O. W. Thompson, Winnsboro, and Frederic W. Hall, Eden, Junior agricultural students at the A. & M. College of Texas, have been awarded the two Danforth Foundation fellowships recently allotted for agricultural juniors of this institution for the present summer, Dean E. J. Kyle of the school of agriculture has announced. These fellowships, each paying \$400, are among a total of twenty distributed among the different colleges of the United States by William H. Danforth, president of the Ralston Purina Company, and each provides for a six weeks business course at the mills of the company in St. Louis, followed by two

weeks vacation on Lake Michigan, where the students will attend the American Youth Foundation program.

Thompson is specializing in dairy husbandry at A. & M. and has been elected president of the Kream and Kow Club for next year. He was a member of the Junior dairy judging team.

Hall is specializing in animal husbandry and has been elected president of the Saddle and Siroin Club for next year. He was a member of the Junior livestock judging team. Both Thompson and Hall have outstanding scholastic records. Seventeen agricultural juniors made application for the two fellowships.

### Helping to Build Texas

Contracts have been let for a 12 story and basement annex to the Hilton Hotel at Waco.

Sherman recently celebrated "manufacturers' week" with practically all of its 57 factories participating with displays that ranged from milled products made of Grayson County grain to machinery and parts, from Sherman-made candy to Sherman-made clothing.

Roger Davis, whose success as a chamber of commerce secretary and country agent at Jefferson attracted wide attention in that section, has begun his new duties as agricultural director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, succeeding John E. Starnford, who becomes editor of the Southern Agriculturist.

Camp County has joined Henderson in the commercial planting of blackeye peas. So successful has the crop been that around Athens this year there will be a 50 per cent increase in acreage, and most of the crop has been contracted for at \$2 a bushel as compared with an average price of \$1.80 last year. Athens last year shipped 52 cars that brought \$60,000 in cash. Three-fourths of the acreage is planted in alternate rows with corn.

Ben Cowden left Sunday night for Fort Worth.

## BARGAINS

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Manufacturing must move to the doorways of large markets, where raw material, favorable transportation facilities, taxes and labor supply combine with abundant and economical electric power to afford ideal locations.

Texas cities and towns served by this Company supply each of these needs for a host of industries, but, since physical advantages do not always determine the selection of industrial locations, certain other vital things must be thrown into the balance.

Sound exploitation must be persistently used. The manner in which Texas tells its story will determine its industrial accomplishments in 1929.

The Texas Electric Service Company, employing several hundreds of Texas men and women, endeavors to give each of

**TEXANS LET'S TALK TEXAS**



them a clear conception of the natural resources of Texas and to impress upon them the importance of their development. Basically the purpose of this Company is to render an electric service to a large number of Texas cities and towns.

Having done this, and having charted courses of growth that anticipate vast developments in the Texas of tomorrow, this Company feels that its duty to Texas extends still deeper. Therefore it is telling the story of Texas' advantages to industries through the use of paid advertising in sectional and national trade magazines. The purpose of this advertising is to stimulate the movement of industries to Texas.

For many years the Texas Electric Service Company has worked not only to serve an appreciative public but to help build a greater State.

Texans! Let's make 1929 the greatest year of sound development Texas has ever had.

## TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY

The Silent Partner of Progress

### Grider Presides Midnight Wedding

Judge G. C. Grider had to be so anxious to sleep that he was unable to attend the wedding which was held in the court house Sunday night. The bride and groom were Jimmie Lee Grider and Miss Bobbie Reed.

The couple were married by Judge Grider at midnight. The ceremony was held in the court house. The bride and groom were Jimmie Lee Grider and Miss Bobbie Reed.

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### Plant Commit- ment Report

Lawson County Journal) of people interested in plant assembled in the Dis-Room, Tuesday morning. The report of the investigation recently returned from the Texas milk plants.

Norman, gave a detailed report of his findings. The following conclusions:

These plants are operated by a success, daily, technically, and in sense of improving and the prosperity of the territory they are located.

The process, which is used for the Lamesa plant brought out.

Doughtitt Engineering have offered to put here, on certain considerable sound integrity.

Sum to be paid for the higher than was paid for Marshal or the Tyler

heard Mr. Norman and Messrs Evans, Barrett, were unanimously at the committee made report on their confidence of the in their competence to station in all its as-

up to the citizens of to determine by their whether they will object which, we believe, the most important position that has ever to the community since the Railroad.

that if this opportunity be the one big mistake have made since the Lamesa.

We urge every one to support the Milk Plant to the utmost of their capacity; and we predict with every confidence there will be a single disappointed Subscriber.

A number of men will now get busy on the work of obtaining subscriptions. We ask again that this proposition be given whole-hearted support, both financially and otherwise.

We have never heard a single argument against it; we know of a number of overwhelming arguments in its favor.

### Free Attractions at Lubbock Fair Will Be Better This Year

LUBBOCK, TEXAS, June 1.—Free attractions, fire works and other amusements at the Panhandle South Plains Fair at Lubbock, this fall, September 30 to October 5, inclusive, will be more interesting and more expensive than ever before, officials of the fair have announced.

Contracts for six feature free acts and for fireworks each night have been signed.

The fireworks program will cost the fair association \$75 more each night than any previous year.

Each of the six free act troupes have played with the leading vaudeville and circus organizations in the nation and have an outstanding record for entertaining crowds.

Prince Nelson, ace of dare-devils, the highest paid actor in circus or vaudeville work in the world, comes to do stunts of all kinds on a wire, 75 feet high without a net below. He has crossed the Niagara Falls on a wire 9 times. The Chicotta Novelty, a double act will have special appeal to the "kiddies" that see the fair. The Francis Trio, comedy act, is the head comedy act at the Oklahoma State Fair this fall and at other big fairs. The Hadono & Co. troupe will do "high diving and the Three Mozozlas, an imported French act will entertain with balancing swinging, and other acts, carried out with style and beauty, that only ability can produce.

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### ORDER AND NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF LYNN, CITY OF O'DONNELL:  
On this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1923, the City Council of O'Donnell, Texas, was convened in special session at its regular meeting place in the City Hall of the City of O'Donnell, Texas, with all of its members present, to-wit: E. M. Wilder, Mayor, R. C. Carroll, W. E. Singleton, G. A. Haney, C. L. Davis, and J. H. Hardberger, Aldermen, and W. A. Tredway, Secretary.

WHEREAS, application having been made by certain citizens of said City to the City Council, requesting the passage of a law prohibiting the keeping of hogs within the corporate limits of said City of O'Donnell, for the reason that the keeping of same constitute a menace to public health.

WHEREUPON, it was moved by Alderman, G. A. Haney, and seconded by Alderman R. C. Carroll, that an election be called upon said question, and that there be submitted to the qualified voters of said City of O'Donnell, the following proposition:

"Shall the City Council by Ordinance prohibit the keeping of hogs, hereafter, within the corporate limits of the City of O'Donnell, Texas." Such election to be held at the City Hall building of said City on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1923. The motion was unanimously carried by the following vote: AYES, G. A. Haney, J. H. Hardberger, C. L. Davis, R. C. Carroll and W. E. Singleton. NOES, None.

THEREFORE, be it ordered by the City Council of the City of O'Donnell, Texas, that an election be called in the City of O'Donnell, Texas, to be held on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1923, same being the second Tuesday in said month, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the resident, qualified voters of said city, for their action thereupon:

PROPOSITION  
"SHALL THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF O'DONNELL, TEXAS, PROHIBIT BY ORDINANCE THE KEEPING OF HOGS HEREFTER WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF O'DONNELL, TEXAS."

Said election shall be held in the City Hall Building in said City of O'Donnell and the following named

persons are hereby appointed as Judges and Clerks respectively of said election: J. M. CHRISTOPHER, Presiding Judge; C. H. Mansell, Judge; J. D. Fairley and J. Y. Everett, Clerks.

All persons, not otherwise disqualified by law, who shall have attained the age of twenty one years, and who are entitled to vote for members of the legislature, and who shall have resided within the corporate limits of the City of O'Donnell, Texas, for six months next preceding the date of said election shall be entitled to vote at said election.

All voters who favor the proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "FOR THE PROHIBITING BY ORDINANCE OF THE KEEPING OF HOGS, HEREFTER, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF O'DONNELL, TEXAS."

All voters who are opposed to the proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words, "AGAINST THE PROHIBITING BY ORDINANCE OF THE KEEPING OF HOGS, HEREFTER, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF O'DONNELL, TEXAS."

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Secretary of the City of O'Donnell, Texas, shall serve as proper notice of said election; AND the Mayor and City Secretary are hereby authorized to cause such notice of election to be posted at the hereinbefore named polling place in said City of O'Donnell, Texas, for thirty (30) full days

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prior to the date of said election, and also cause such notice to be published in some newspaper of general circulation which has been regularly published in said City for at least one year before the date of such election, the date of the first publication thereof to be not less than thirty (30) full days prior to such election.

E. M. WILDER,  
Mayor, City of O'Donnell, Texas.  
ATTEST: W. A. Tredway, City Secretary. (SEAL)

TIRES VUNCANIZED at Foster's.

Mr. W. M. Mask, of the O'Donnell Cash and Carry Grocery Store, spent the early part of the week in moving his family from Haskell to O'Donnell. They will occupy the Stuart house in the north part of town. We are very glad to welcome his family to our little city. Mr. Mask has already made a host of friends here.

Mrs. C. M. Harshaw, of San Antonio, is the guest of Mrs. W. E. Robinson.

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### Services Are Held For E. T. Burleson

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning in Lamesa, for Ely Talt Burleson, 45, of Portales, N. M., who died in a Lubbock hospital Sunday afternoon. Mr. Burleson was fatally injured in a fall from a windmill tower at his home

Friday and was rushed here for medical aid. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Burleson 1702 Thirtieth Street, and besides his parents is survived by his widow, two daughters, Misses Hazel, 16, and Doris, 13, and Ely Taft, Jr., 9, three sisters, Mrs. H. G. Donaldson, Mineral Wells, Mrs. W. L. Housour, of Slaton, and Mrs. Harvey G. Gibbs, of Littlefield. Four brothers, Elzie

Burleson, of Tahoka, Odie Burleson, of Roscoe, and Mrs. Frank Stockton, of Lubbock, an aunt, survive the deceased.

Services were in the First Baptist church of Lamesa with Bynum brothers, local morticians, in charge. Active pall bearers were: Otto Kapitina, Harvey Walton, Abe and A. D. Ribble and Lee Carter, all of Portales, N. M., and Whit Stafford, of Lubbock.—Dawson County Journal.

Mr. Burleson was a cousin to Mrs. E. T. Wells, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Wells went to Lamesa Monday for the funeral.

Dr. Kenneth Campbell spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Edwards and son Terry, returned Saturday from Paint Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore, of Slide, accompanied by their son, L. H. Junior, spent the week-end in O'Donnell with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henderson, of Tahoka, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Henderson's brother, S. M. Clayton and family.

Mesdames Charles Shook and H. C. Crie, of Tahoka, accompanied by Miss Shirley Jean and Rita Shook, Elizabeth Crie and Master Charles Allen Shook, were guests Friday of Mrs. S. M. Clayton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miles left last week for an extended vacation. They went from here to Beville, but will visit other points before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradley and Mrs. Bradley's sister, Miss Annie Maud McVickers, were summoned to Plainview last Thursday where their mother was seriously ill. They returned Saturday with the welcome news that she is much better.

Mr. John Hardberger is in Littlefield this week looking after his gin there. Mr. and Mrs. Hardberger will make Littlefield their home after August. We regret losing them, and congratulate their new home on securing such splendid people as citizens.

### O. E. S. Installs New Officers

At the last meeting of the local O. E. S. officers for the coming year were installed. They are as follows: Worthy Matron—Addie Moore. Worthy Patron—J. W. Gates. Associate Matron—Alice Gillispie. Associate Patron—Will Orson. Conductress—Maria Estes. Associate Conductress, Fannie Eaton.

Secretary—Jennie V. Bowlin. Treasurer—Florence Edwards. Chaplain—Fannie Gates. Marshal—Ruth Shook. Organist—Sue Gates. Adah—Mattie Martin. Ruth—Blanche McLaurin. Esther—Alta Line. Martha—Grace Harville. Electa—Lee Johnson. Warder—Etta Schooler. Sentinel—Clarence Gillispie. With this corps of efficient and conscientious officers we are confident that much work will be accomplished this year.

### KNOW TEXAS

Texas is the leading Jersey cattle state in the Union, having passed Ohio, which formerly held the distinction.

Texas truck growers are annually shipping 60,000 cars of fruit and vegetables to market, a development that largely has come about within the past fifteen years.

One-third of the commercial spinach crop of the United States is grown in Texas, most of it in the Rio Grande Valley.

The Texas public road system comprises about 180,000 miles of which nearly 26,000 miles are known as "improved." State and Federal improved highways total 6,645 miles and there are about 10,000 miles of gravel, sand-clay or other "improved roads."

Texas' assessed values have increased 50 per cent since 1913. Actual property values in Texas (\$9,350,888,000 in 1928) are estimated at more than \$12,500,000,000 now. In 1861 Texas assessed values were \$256,784,482.

The huge army that invades the grain crops of the country each year might be more effectively combated if advances were detected earlier and remedies applied sooner, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Grain crops should be watched carefully for the earliest signs of insect outbreaks and fields examined daily, if possible, in the growing season. It is well to keep a small supply of some standard insecticide, such as Paris green, calcium arsenate, or lead arsenate, on hand, as delay is often fatal to the crop. Watch especially for army worms, cutworms, and grasshoppers.

Petroleum and natural gas are the most important sources of Texas. Petroleum, graphite, gold, silver, iron, ketchup, lead, zinc, (mercury), sulphur, borax and mica are found in central Mineral or the Trans-gion, while coal and lignite are known to exist in the carbon black, celestite, including several deposits fuller's earth, gas, natural guano, limestone and lime—all are produced by

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