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OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

CROSS PLAINS HOST TO KNIGHTS PYTHIAS

Representatives of many of the lodges in District 27, Domain of Texas, convened with the local lodge on Tuesday night of this week. The meeting attracted Pythians from all over the Domain and about forty visitors were present.

Following the business and degree work of the meeting, in which the Third Degree was conferred upon B. B. Huntington, a fine banquet was served. The degree team was composed of members of the local and visiting lodges.

The next District meeting will be held at DeLeon, the Peanut Capital of Texas, on Monday night, October 21st.

The K. of P. started the first of the year, a National drive for membership, and the result has been overwhelmingly successful. Cross Plains has a real live lodge, and each meeting adds renewed interest in the work.

Miss Annette Burkhead, teacher in local schools, visited home folks in Rising Star, past week end.

FURNITURE IS BOUGHT FOR NEW COURT HOUSE

The Baird Star of last week reports contracts for over \$13,500.00 for furniture and equipment for Callahan County's new court house have been let by the Commissioners Court.

The contract for court room fixtures \$5,800.00 was awarded the Wichita Seating Co., Wichita Falls, and Marverick-Clarke Co., San Antonio received the contract for steel equipment, 2400.00 and the contract for desk and chairs or moveable furniture 5300.00 went to Abilene Printing Co. When the new building is completed and the new equipment installed, Callahan County will have one of the finest Courthouses in West Texas and the citizens can point with pride to their place of justice as it is a monument of progress for the entire county. The building is scheduled to be completed and the date for the laying of the corner stone and celebration incident to its formal opening has been announced for Nov. 11.

Little Edwin Neeb, Jr., underwent a tonsil operation in Santa Anna last week. He is doing nicely.

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LIONS ANNUAL DOVE BANQUET OCTOBER 1

The Cross Plains Lions Club will hold its second annual dove banquet next Tuesday evening at seven thirty o'clock in the basement of the Methodist Church. The Lions, about sixty in number, will have their wives, sweethearts, and visiting Lions as their guests.

The program committee, consisting of C. D. Anderson, Dr. J. H. McGowen and A. R. Clark, are arranging a unique program and an evening of entertainment is promised. Among those who will probably appear on the program are: Paul Davis, Coleman, soloist; Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Rising Star, reader and poetess; Lions Club Cowboy Orchestra.

The Lions are busy this week killing doves which will be turned over to the Methodist Ladies who will prepare the banquet. Each Lion is required to turn in to Everett Roberts at the ice factory at least five doves or be assessed \$1.00 to take care of shells that other Lions who turn in a number of doves had to purchase.

Tickets for the Lions must be purchased from one of the Lions on the program committee before Saturday if he desires to attend or obtain invitation for a friend.

The Cross Plains Lions voted to sponsor a publicity campaign for the town and community at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting which will be held in El Paso October 24, 25, and 26. One-fourth page and will appear in the El Paso Times and Herald the first two days of the convention, which will include a number of pictures of the town and industries in this community. There will also be several articles concerning our business firms, our industries, and the untold opportunities which awaits those coming into our territory.

Leader S. S. Class Entertains

Last Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock the Leader Sunday School Class of the Methodist church, who does things in a big way, entertained the membership and friends of the class with a "Dumb Dinner" and lawn party at the Cow pasture located at the end of North Main Street. Prof. Williams presided as master of ceremonies and after the feed was spread he appointed a sergeant-at-arms and instructed him to fine any one for talking, laughing, etc., during the dinner period. An eating endurance contest was entered into which was won by S. R. Jackson.

The following honors were won: Carlton Powell was crowned king of the Alibi Ikes.

Bill Hopkins and Miss Kellar won the suit case race at 34 seconds; Rev. Howell and Mrs. Cutbirth making a close second at 35 seconds.

A new game introduced by S. R. Jackson and Phil Anderson, known as Texas Grunt was conducted and all honors went to Frank Green, that is he was champion listener to the grunting.

After enduring the grunting for a reasonable length of time the older games such as Drop-the-kerchief, Mouse after the Lion, etc., were entered into until a late hour.

The Leader Class is composed principally of young married people and will be remembered as putting on the Womanless Wedding last spring. They also plan on having the "Divorce Suit" in the form of a stage play within the near future. Mrs. Fred Cutbirth is president of the class, Mrs. S. R. Jackson is secretary, and Rev. Howell is teacher.

S. S. Promotion Services Sunday

The members of the Baptist church, in conference, set the second Sunday, in October (which is the 13th), to begin a debt liquidating campaign. While the church building is free of debt, there is an indebtedness on the parsonage. Pledges will be taken on the above date, payable on or before Nov. 1st. Every Baptist is asked to take part in this drive for it concerns every member. Bear the date in mind and make your plans accordingly.

J. E. HENKEL, Clerk.

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Every reader will enjoy and appreciate this feature.

THE NORTH AND SOUTH HIGHWAY

(Baird Star)

Several inquiries have been received by the Chamber of Commerce asking if the proposed movement for a North and South highway from Albany to Baird, Cross Plains-Coleman has been abandoned. This proposition has not been abandoned by any means and only owing to the existing general conditions in the country due to the drought, which has only recently been broken, it was decided not to call the election for a short time. Favorable reports from different parts of the county indicate that many of the tax payers are interested in having the election called as soon as possible in order that the construction of lateral roads could be started which would give work to a large number of people who will need employment. The committees representing the different precincts are in touch with the situation and as soon as it is deemed advisable the petitions will be circulated and the Commissioners Court asked to call the election. Texas has one of the largest road programs on foot of any state in the Union and numerous counties are taking advantage of the co-operation of the State of Texas in giving aid on state designated highways, and are voting bonds to build highways and lateral roads. Counties that have heretofore refused to vote road bonds are now carrying their elections by large majorities. Callahan County is as progressive as any county in Texas and the building of connecting highways and first class lateral roads will aid in the development of the entire county.

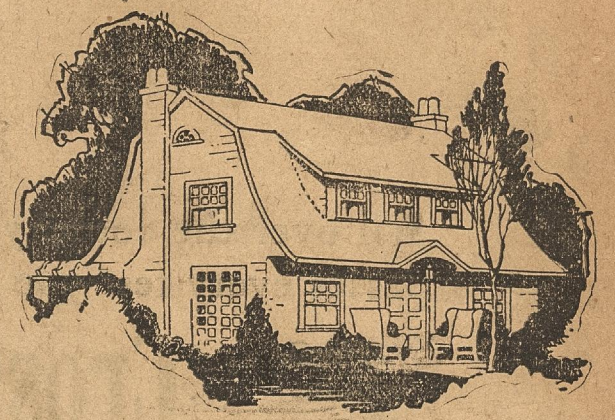
Rhymes-Ford Wedding

Another interesting wedding occurred in Cross Plains on Friday, Sept. 20th, when Mr. Willie Frank Rhymes and Miss Vera Ford were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The excellent bride is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ford of Cisco and is popularly known here, having been employed with the Lotief Dry Goods Company for sometime preceding the date of her marriage. The groom is employed with the Stacy Chevrolet Co. of Cross Plains, and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhymes of Sipe Springs. They are in home on Eighth street.

Fifth Sunday Meeting To Be At Clyde

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Callahan Baptist Association will be held at Clyde the latter part of this week, beginning Thursday evening when the opening sermon will be delivered by B. A. Philpott, and will continue through Sunday, Sept. 29.

The B. Y. P. U. rally will be Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the program will be given by the young people of the University church of Abilene.



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To Show Monster Whale at Dallas

Dallas, Sept. 24.—A sixty ton whale, killed in July on the Pacific Coast, will be one of the many attractions to be shown at the State Fair of Texas, it has been announced here by T. E. Jackson, president. More than 6,000 gallons of formaldehyde were used in the embalming of the sea monster.

This is the first whale that has ever been brought inland on tour in the flesh. Many whale skeletons have been exhibited but never before has a whale been embalmed and carried on tour. A specially built steel railroad car has been provided for the tour. It will be taken to its location on the midway in the car upon its arrival at the State Fair.

ALL AUTO TRAILERS DECLARED TAXABLE

A ruling declaring trailers, attached to any type of automobile, taxable, and persons using trailers not licensed liable to fine was made recently by the attorney general. Highway officers are instructed to enforce the regulation, it is announced, and users of trailers are notified that these conveyances must be registered. Cost of license is determined by weight.

"An optimist is a man who shows a girl how to use a revolver."—Dayton Journal. A pessimist must be a girl who thinks she'll never need one.

U. B. Drifty



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Seniors of 1930

The Senior Class of 1930 was called to a meeting September 10th, for the purpose of choosing a class sponsor. By the unanimous vote of the twenty-seven students present, Mr. Ross Newton, the Vocational Agriculture Teacher, was elected Senior Sponsor.

September 11, the class met and elected class officers; Bonnie Wayne Adams, who was president of our Junior class last year, was re-elected, with H. H. McDermott, Jr., acting as vice-president, Peggy Phelps, secretary; Earl Webb, treasurer; who hopes that all the Seniors will pay their class dues; Ila Mae Barr, reporter; Orba Booth, Zora McDermott, Roger Watson, Willie Smith and Maola Garrett the social committee. The class is expecting them to plan numerous social activities for the coming year.

The class flower for this year will be red and white Carnations, the colors are white and maroon. Class motto: "United we stand, divided we fall."

The members of the class are: Bonnie Wayne Adams, H. H. McDermott, Earl Webb, Orba Booth, Roger Watson, Stanley Carmichael, Edwin Baum, Stanley Clark, Hulian

Barr, Tom Maddux, Rubin Booth, Cecil Williams, Groom Sheppard, Phelps, Zora McDermott, Ila Mae Barr, Maola Garrett, Marie Neeb, Willie Smith, Edith Mobley, Merle Williams, Ovella Woods, Velma Gross, Dora Harris, Virginia Payne, Elizabeth Jackson, and Thelma Smith.

Preaching Dates Of

W. E. Hawkins

W. E. Hawkins, who conducts the radio revival over KRLD, Dallas, will preach as follows:

Friday night, Sept. 27, at Live Oak School House.

Saturday night, 28, 11:00 A. M., Cottonwood School House.

Sunday, Sept. 29, 11:00 A. M., Kid Peak School House, with dinner on the ground. 7:30 P. M., Sunday, Ray School House.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To enable our employees to attend religious services our store will be closed Sunday from 10:00 A. M. to 3:30 P. M., starting Sunday, Sept. 29th.

THE CITY DRUG STORE
"Better Service"

H. L. Gantz, traveling representative of Farm and Ranch, was a visitor in Cross Plains last Wednesday. Mr. Gantz was superintendent of the Cross Plains Public Schools about fifteen years ago and this was his first return visit since that time. He was greatly surprised at the growth which the town has made from a small village of a few hundred population to one of the cleanest and most progressive little cities which he has found in West Texas.

Mrs. Russell McGowen entertained the bridge club Tuesday afternoon. The guest list included: Mmes. T. S. Holden, H. A. Dubey, Mike Cook, and the Mmes. Dave Rockmaker and Claude Vaughn of Coleman. The club high score was awarded Miss Hazell Dorr, the guest high to Mrs. Vaughn, and the general cut to Mrs. Fred Cutbirth.

The following were in Coleman Tuesday evening to attend the show, "Showboat": Mrs. Geo. Scott and grand-daughter, George Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McGowen, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and daughter and Mrs. Ben Garner.

The following were among those present at the show in Cisco Monday evening: Mr. John Aiken and the Misses Zalie Aiken, Marie Long, Melba and Aletha Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGary were in Cisco Monday evening.

Mrs. Sam Long, daughter Marie, and son, Fred, spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Miss Mary Clem Wilburn who was accompanied to Oklahoma last week by her mother, underwent a tonsil operation and will remain in Okla. for several days.

Luke Clark and family have moved to Cross Plains from Rising Star. Luke is now working for his brother, at Clark's Grocery.

Mrs. Johnnie Henderson and son of Dressy were in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson left Friday for San Angelo for a visit. Mr. Henderson was taken ill and will remain until he is better.

Mrs. D. J. Smelley, Jr. of Cross Cut was in town Tuesday.

Dr. Walker of Burkett was in Cross Plains Tuesday on business.

Earl J. Byrd of Cross Cut was in Cross Plains Tuesday.

R. A. Watson of Burkett was in town on business Tuesday.

Mr. Hill, with the El Paso Times, was in Cross Plains Tuesday in interest of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in El Paso Oct. 24, 25, and 26.

John Newton of Brownwood, formerly of Cross Cut and a director of the First State Bank, was in Cross Plains Tuesday.

J. W. Stedum was slightly ill the first of the week.

There will be no preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday, and the Sunday School grade promotion services will be conducted during the morning hours. The evening hours will be devoted to the services of the B. Y. P. U., which will meet at 7:00 P. M.

Drew Baum of the Cross Plains Furniture Co., accompanied by Mrs. Baum, left Wednesday of this week for Fort Worth on a business trip.

The three Baptist Missionary Circles will meet at the church Monday, Sept. 30, at 3:00 P. M. The work of the meeting will be in charge of Circle No. 1.

Miss Avie Tate, who has been running a rooming house in Hamlin for the past year, has returned to her home in Cross Plains.

Ed Schaffner, local oil operator, and son, Ed, Jr., have returned from a visit with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Dick Penecost, real estate man of Cross Cut, was in Cross Plains the first of the week. He has recently closed a number of good real estate deals, and was enroute to Winters in the interest of another deal.

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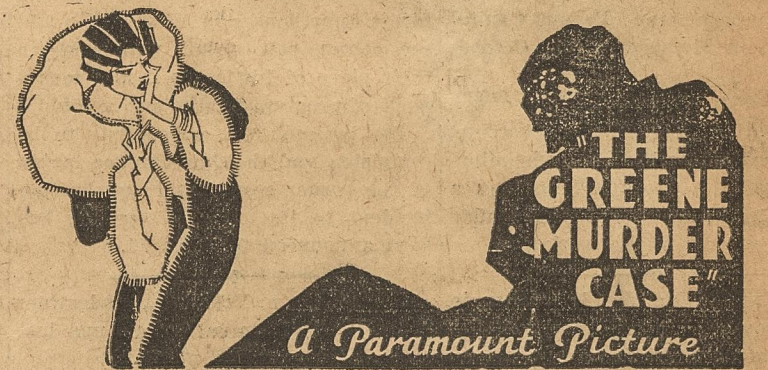
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Yams—lb. 4c

Spuds—10 lbs. 38c

Rutabagga Turnips-lb. 5c

Apples—delicious—doz. 35c

Fly Gas (Sprayer free)

Pint 68c

Little 21c

Soap-(Swifts Quick Naptha)
10 bars 35c

Small Milk—all kinds—
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Smoked Bacon-half or whole
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GRAPES—PER POUND—TOKAYS' 12c

BUFFALOES ARE HARD FIGHTERS

C. P. H. S. Buffaloes to Play First Conference Game At Albany Friday, Sept. 27th.

"Fat" Clark Elected Assistant Coach Under (Pancho) Vilha

The Cross Plains High School Buffaloes performed some creditable work in their first practice game last Friday when they met the Daniel Baker Reserves on the local field.

That W. E. (Pancho) Vilha, football coach of Cross Plains High School, has excellent prospects for a winning team this year is forecasted for the Buffaloes when they out-fought, but lost the game to the Daniel Baker Reserves last Friday.

Although the Buffaloes lost the game, they completely out-played their opponents throughout the game.

The Cross Plains team had been doped to lose heavily. Other clashes between Class A and B and college "frosh" teams this season have resulted in victories with large scores for the Class A Gridmen. That the Buffaloes not only held their strong college reserves to a low score, but actually out-played them should convince Cross Plains fans that they have one of the strongest Class B teams in this section.

Playing steadily against the "brakes" the Buffaloes held their opponents to a scoreless tie the first half of the game, and for that period no more evenly matched teams were seen on a gridiron.

In the third quarter the Billies had a slight edge on line plunges, which resulted in a touchdown after which neither team was able to cross the 30-yard line.

It was early in the fourth quarter that the Billies second touch-down was made—speedy Hill Billie back managed to get past the first line of offense and side-stepped his way to block a Buffalo's punt, covered by a Billie on their own five-yard line.

After the two touchdowns, the Buffaloes kept the ball most of the time. The Buffaloes went down fighting,

and the game closed.

The line men seldom get credit for their work, as people keep their eyes on men with the ball; but his progress is made possible by interference from the line. However, much depends on the man carrying the ball. He must be fast, a good dodger and be able to judge distance and angles, as he must time his plunges to out-wit the tackles. Capt. "Sweetie" Webb, 125 pounder, demonstrated his ability in that art last Friday by making several yards. "Fat" Clark, lineman, has made a record. He played all the game, but the men in front of him are not always lucky. He is short and weighs about 187 pounds; they can't go under him, so they must go over or around. Both line and back-field showed up good Friday.

Daniel Baker Hill Billies Reserves were composed of high school stars from over the country, namely Rising Star, Santa Anna and Coleman, and averaged around 180 pounds. Each of them out weighed the average of our small Buffaloes by 25 pounds to the man. However, they cannot go back "home" and say the Buffaloes gave them their 14 points.

A STAR ON THE SIDE-LINE

You have heard about players who did not get to start on the first round, always saying, "I wish I were in there; I could do better." It was one of the Freshmen who was sent in to play, and it was funny when he first entered. But things changed; he was disabled by a Buffalo and forced to the side. He informed the rest of the "frosh" that they had better stay out here, they sure are hard hitting Buffaloes.

BUFFALOES PLAY ALBANY

The Fighting Buffaloes will play their first conference game with the Albany pack at Albany on Friday, Sept. 27th. This will be the first time these teams have clashed. Most of the Albany pack are those tough cowboys from around Albany, but they cannot play more than eleven men, so why be afraid of them. They cannot be so bad as reported. Last year the Rising Star Wildcats defeated Albany on their gridiron by a score of 6 to 0, and the Buffs de-

feated Rising Star 45 to 0.

The Buffaloes will win, and all C. P. H. S. "Boosters" and students ought to be there Friday and see Who's Who.

Cheesie Carmichael, Buffalo left tackle, who received a broken finger in Friday's game, will be unable to play against Albany. H. H. McDermott, Buffalo left guard, also received an injury in Friday game.

Starting Line-up for Buffs: Adams, R. E., Clark, R. T., T. Webb, R. G., Harlow, Center. McDermott, L. G., Carmichael, L. T., Sipes, L. E.; Capt. E. Webb, fullback, A. Booth, Quarter, DeBusk and Kelly halves.

Buffs tried two passes one completed for first down.

Billies tried two, one completed. First Downs: Buffs 1, Billies 6. Scores: Buffs 0, Billies 14.

Following is a part of an articles clipped from Gorman Progress warning the district to watch the Buffaloes.

There are several new teams in the district which will make things hum for somebody, and we are going to warn all the boys to watch out for Cross Plains. They are new in the game but any team which could pour it on the Rising Star team as did last year will be a good one to keep your eyes on. They are big and generally tough from all reports.

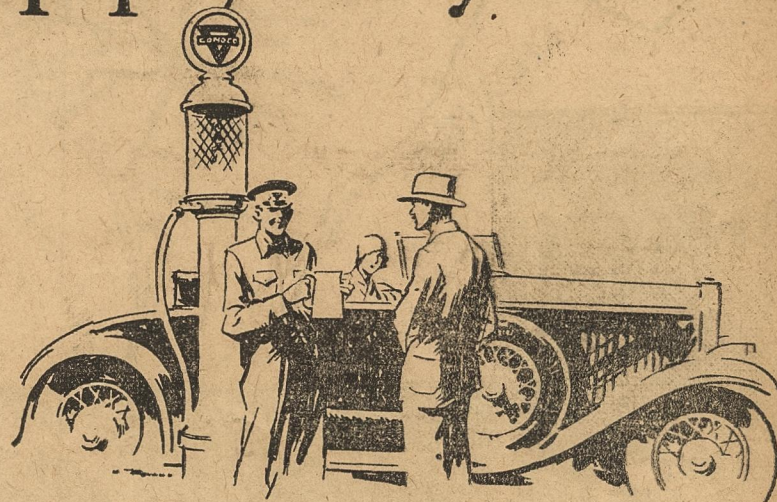
BUFFALOES SCHEDULE FOR 1929 SEASON

- September 20—Daniel Baker Reserves at Cross Plains.
- September 27—Cross Plains at Albany.
- October 4—DeLeon at Cross Plains.
- October 11—Moran at Cross Plains.
- October 18—Dublin at Cross Plains.
- October 25—Cross Plains at Gorman.
- November 1—Open.
- November 8—Stephenville at Cross Plains.
- November 15—Desdemonia at Cross Plains.
- November 22—Clyde at Cross Plains.
- November 26—Cross Plains at Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wimberly and Okie Lewis were in Cisco Sunday.



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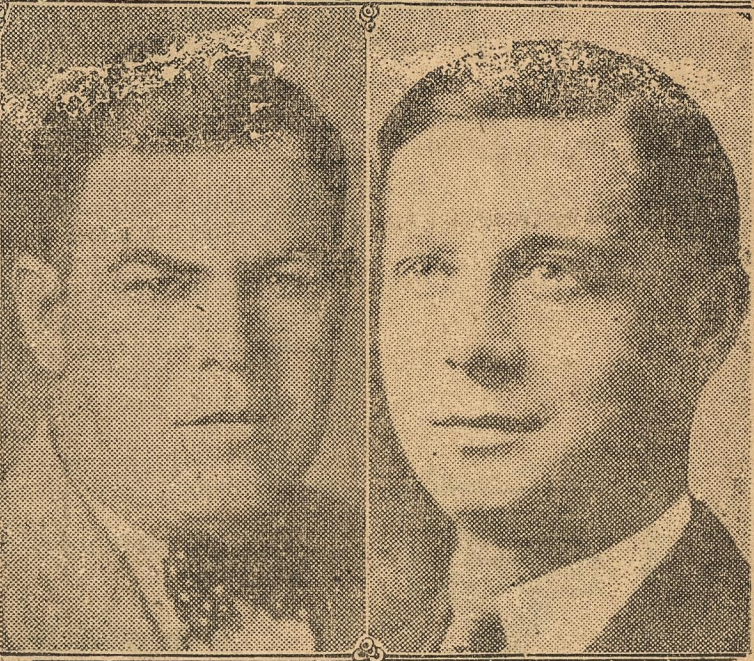
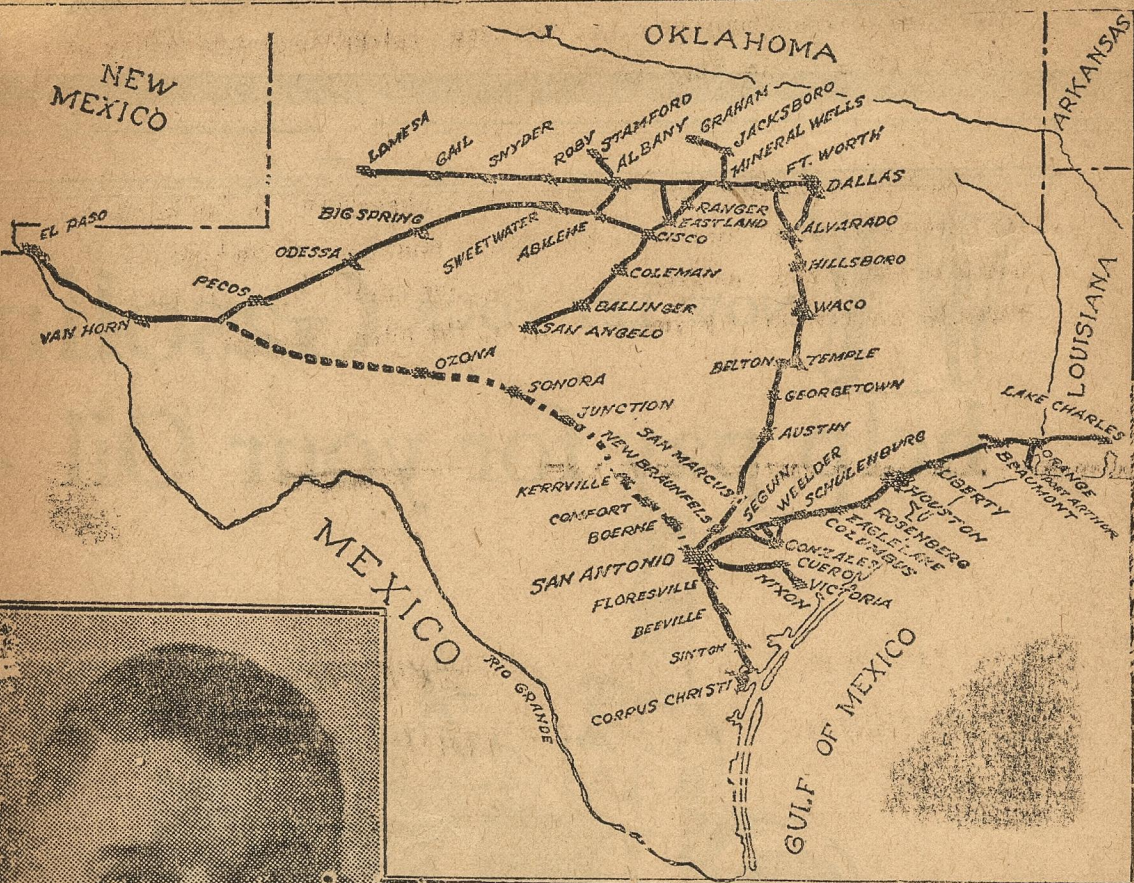


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Network of Bus Lines
In \$1,150,000 Deal

Map shows network of bus lines now owned by Southland Greyhound Lines following close of \$1,150,000 transaction. Dotted line from San Antonio to El Paso indicates option line, one of a number of options. Solid lines present lines of company which formerly was known as Southland Red Ball Motorbus Company. Same officials head Southland Greyhound and announce that \$1,000,000 will be spent on replacement of equipment and improvement of service. Below, left to right, E. C. Ekstrom, president and general manager; Guy Shields, assistant general manager; and R. E. Ekstrom, secretary-treasurer.

HAWAIIAN FISH GODS STILL HOLD POWER

Ancient Form of Worship Adhered to on Island.

Honolulu.—Ancient "fish gods" of Hawaii still retain their power to aid or hinder fishermen, according to the beliefs of many Hawaiian and Oriental followers of the Wai-tonic art. Though Hawaii has been for more than one hundred years nominally Christian, any old resident can point out the hidden fish altars and relate that they are still used.

An unbeliever in this ancient magic recently visiting the Kohala coast of Hawaii, where the old customs linger to a greater extent than in many parts of the islands, relates that three schools of akule, a popular food fish, were sighted near the mouth of Kapanaina bay. A fishing "hni" or association from the neighboring port of Kawaihae came with its nets and surrounded a portion of the school. Two men, one a Chinese, the other a Hawaiian, took up a lease on the land through which all vehicles must pass to and from the fishing ground and warned all fish venders that one sack of fish would be levied upon each car going through the gate with fish for sale.

People from all parts of the neighborhood approached the shore with bags for the akule, as the fishermen prepared to bring the fish in. Prospects were for a huge catch. But the old Chinese toll taker looked on with disgust.

"No good," he said. "No can catch. He no give akua some fish." The fishermen maneuvered until they had a much larger school surrounded, in combination with the first. The people shouted in glee. But suddenly the akule broke loose, left the net and headed for the open sea. No fish were caught.

The fishermen had neglected to lay offerings before the rough stone "akua," the fish gods of the place.

Illiteracy of Males in Japan Decreasing

Washington.—Thanks to the progress of home study methods of education, Japan is making marked headway in decreasing the illiteracy rate of its male population living in remote regions of the empire, the national home study council, Washington, D. C., asserts.

"This fact was confirmed recently in an announcement given by the Japanese ministry of war, which revealed that only 50,000 of the young men from rural districts, who were called to the colors this year, are unable to read or write. In 1926 and 1927 the number of illiterates included in the recruiting classes was 59,000 and 54,000 respectively," the council states, adding:

"While education is compulsory in Japan, there are many of the natives, who, for economic reasons or official carelessness, evade the law and do not attend school long enough to master the rudiments of character writing. Most of this evasion is found in the rural regions among folk far removed from the government schools. This situation is being relieved by the extension of home study programs for these people."

Guards Watch Barber as He Shaves King Zogu

Tirana, Albania.—King's barber has soft job.

A handsome young man is King Zogu's barber, with thick, dark hair, a fashionable tiny mustache and the added "charm of married brows." He is said to have been not only "guaranteed" as a real fascist by Mussolini, but also personally introduced to King Zogu by him.

Whether or not this is true, Giuseppe Falgari is King Zogu's best-paid servant. He receives, in addition to board and lodging, a "retaining fee" of \$175 a month, as well as a daily fee of \$4 when he shaves the king. Perhaps this compensates for any loss of dignity Giuseppe may feel when the two armed guards stand by during the shaving. The Albanian king takes no risks and these knights protector of the lather, as one might say, are always on hand for the daily operation.

Ontario, Calif.—Every one admits that the public library here is a mighty sweet place. A few swarms of bees have been storing their honey in the attic for the past three months and the finished product is beginning to ooze through cracks in the ceiling.

Express Agent Flops as Terrier Chaser

Harbor Springs, Mich.—A dog was shipped by a veterinary to its owner, Mrs. H. S. Woods, Harbor Springs. It was a clever Irish terrier and pet of the family. The crate arrived marked with Mrs. Woods' own tag. It was her crate but the dog was a stranger who showed fight. He was an airedale and tough.

Investigation developed that the terrier, firing of the confinement, escaped from the crate at Fort Wayne. The express agent chased him four blocks. In the chase the agent spied the airedale, grabbed him and shipped him to Harbor Springs.

Tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen Real Treasure House

King Tut's tomb is still disgorging wonderful relics. These include a number of boomerangs, hitherto known as throwing sticks, used for the purpose of killing birds. Many examples in new forms suggest that, like the Australian boomerangs, they could be thrown to return to the thrower. They are made of ivory and wood. Another interesting addition is a piece of bread in an openwork basket. There is another bead-covered basket portraying scenes with captives, and one sickle of wood instead of the usual flint with teeth of glass. There are also variously shaped blue faience vases and several vases in shades of green, these being larger and looking not unlike old-fashioned teapots. One of the most interesting exhibits is an ivory fan with the handle elaborately decorated in colors of a kind not hitherto seen. Other objects include finely decorated writing palettes, a pair of leather slippers decorated in gold, and innumerable bracelets in ivory and blue faience with gold decoration showing scenes of the chase.

Value of Specializing Recognized Long Ago

About 2,400 years ago Herodotus, the Greek historian, wrote this about the Egyptian: "The art of medicine among them is distributed thus: Each physician is a physician of one disease and of no more. And the whole country is full of physicians, for some profess themselves to be physicians of the eyes, others of the head, others of the teeth, others of the affections of the stomach, and others of the more obscure ailments." . . . And here we've been going along imagining that we have something new when we say we are living in an age of specialists. Every age is an age of specialists, and always has been—even in caveman days when each clan had its champion spear thrower. The key to wealth and fame is specialization, doing some one thing better than others can.—Capper's Weekly.

Balsa Lightest of Woods

Balsa (Ochroma lagopus), called gano in Porto Rico and lanera in Cuba, is a common tree, particularly along the seashores in the West Indies and Central America. It is said to be called moho in British Honduras, lanilla in Guatemala and gano in Spanish Honduras. The tree is rarely more than 40 or 50 feet in height and the trunk is sometimes from four to five feet in diameter. The wood of balsa is nearly white or sometimes tinted with red, showing practically no distinction between heartwood and sapwood. It has a silky texture, is rather coarse but straight grained, and is the lightest of all woods, even lighter than true cork. A sample of balsa from Trinidad exhibited at Philadelphia in 1876 had a specific gravity of .120, or about 7 1/2 pounds per cubic foot.

Calendar Almost Perfect

The present calendar, which is called the Gregorian or New Style calendar, is probably as nearly correct as it is possible for a calendar to be without becoming too complicated. The average year in the Gregorian is 365.2425 days long, while the mean solar year or the exact time it takes the earth to revolve around the sun is 365.2424 days. The annual error is therefore only .00026 of a day, which means that it will take 3846 years for the error to amount to one day. This is a very great improvement over the Old Style or Julian calendar, which was abandoned by Great Britain and her American colonies in 1752.

How False Oath Got Name

Goodwin's oath is the proverbial name of a false oath. Goodwin was earl of the West Saxons in the time of Edward the Confessor and he was accused of murdering Prince Alfred, the king's brother. While dining at Edward's table, and according to tradition while in the very act of denying any part in the prince's death, Goodwin was seized with a fit, which caused his death three days later. The Normans started the story that Goodwin choked to death because of his false oath. At any rate, this incident and the fabulous report of it gave rise to the expression "Goodwin's oath."

"Joystick" is the term given the world over the control bar by which a pilot actuates the ailerons and flippers of an airplane and it originated from the name of its inventor, Joyce a pioneer English aeronautical engineer.

The stick method of control has remained practically unchanged since the early days of flying, but with the recent introduction of large planes and flying boats, the wheel control is coming into favor for these craft.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

As Richter Saw Things

Except by name, Jean Paul Friedrich Richter is little known out of Germany. The only thing connected with him, we think, that has reached this country is his saying, imported by Madame de Stael and thankfully pocketed by most newspaper critics—"Providence has given to the French the empire of the land; to the English that of the sea; to the Germans that of the air"—Thomas Carlyle (1795-1881), "Richter" in the Edinburgh Review.

GODBOLD QUILTS HOWARD PAYNE

Dr. Edgar Godbold, president of Howard Payne College at Brownwood, announced Tuesday of this week his resignation. He will become secretary of the Baptist state organization of Missouri.

The resignation is to take effect Oct. 1. Dean Thomas Taylor probably will act as president until a successor to Dr. Godbold is chosen, it was said. The college's board of trustees was to meet Tuesday afternoon to accept the resignation and provide for operation of the school's administration until a president is selected.

Dr. Godbold has been head of Howard Payne since August, 1923.

Fort Worth Cats Play at Comanche

The Fort Worth Cats will play an exhibition game in Comanche Thursday, October 3rd, playing an inter-sectional team under the management of Wesley Couch of Comanche.

The Cats are now making a tour of the state and will come to Comanche from Abilene.

The team handled by Mr. Couch will have on it some of the best players in this part of state.

METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday is the last day in September, and then comes October.

OCTOBER
"Who else of the months ever dresses

In a riot of crimson and gold,
With ribbons agleam in her tresses
All agleam with their colors untold?
What other month are we admiring,
Or see we so gaily appear?
No, October is not so retiring
She's the fittest month of the year!

Watch for our "PROGRAM OF ADVANCE" coming off in October.

Let the Sunday School open promptly, not one or more minutes late. Let every fellow be on time, in his place and ready to go on the minute. All together: Lets GO.

Preaching 11:00 A. M. Subject: "Spirits, Just Spirits!" 7:30 P. M. Subject: "REST, JUST REST!" "These are two messages you should hear. Come and bring a friend! A welcome awaits you.

A glad hand to greet you. A place to serve or to be served.

Class promotion services will also be conducted next Sunday.

School Juniors Elect Officers

The Juniors, appreciating the need of a well organized class, met the first day of school and elected Miss Vivian Jennings as sponsor. Two days later, a class meeting was called and the following officers were elected:

Claude Mayes, president.
Athalie Adams, vice-president.
Zora Mae Webb, Secretary and Treasurer.
Margaret Robbins, Class reporter.
The flowers chosen were roses, and the colors were yellow and white.

BAPTIST CHURCH

League Program:
Introduction, Euel Woods.
John Writes of love, Eva F. Love, Loyed B.
The Love of Jesus for us, Lenoard.
We ought to love Jesus, Carl Childs.
Obedience in the test of Love, Evelyn Stacy.

Our love for each other, Carlton Holder.
Carlton Holder, President.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their words of sympathy and encouragement, and for the many beautiful floral offerings, during the death and burial of our mother, Mrs. Ellen Minton, at Pioneer. Most especially do we thank Mr. and Mrs. Billingsly and Mr. and Mrs. Stroup.
The Loved ones of Mrs. Minton's family.

SOME AUTOISTS DUE REFUND ON LICENSE

In accordance with House Bill No. 178 which became effective on the 23rd day of May, 1929, I have received refunds from the State Highway Dept. on all motor vehicles registered between the 23rd of May and the 18th of June, 1929, on a three fourth of a year basis. These cars should have been registered on monthly basis but the Department did not give me the authority to begin registering on monthly basis until about the 18th of June.

Motorist who are entitled to a refund are requested to mail me your registration receipts and proper refund will be made.

W. J. EVANS,
Tax Collector Callahan County.

RETRIBUTION OF VANITY

By R. F. GAFFORD,
Cross Plains, Texas

"I'll take care of the situation, Craig, just leave it to me," said Ainsworth, with a smile, then turned and left the room.

I finished dressing, and went out to see about Hazel. She was some better, but still very sick. Mary better, but still very sick. Mary sure she had not slept any.

"Why don't you lay down and get some rest Mary, and let the nurse look after Hazel?" I asked. "You are tired and wore out I know, from your looks."

"Craig, I just can't sleep. I am so worried. I am worried about Luther too," she said.

"Why do you worry about him?" I asked. "Just forget about him for a while, and you'll find that he will come around right in the end."

"But the way he acts Craig, towards Hazel and I," she sighed. "I sometimes wish that he had never been promoted. He even asked about Hazel's condition, and went off to work without coming into her room even. I wish he would loose that job and we would become as poor as we were when you first came to see us. I think we would be happier."

"He will," I said, "this very day." She looked at me suddenly.

"How do you know this?" she asked.

"Because I am his employer Mary. I am the one responsible for all of your sorrows. I am sorry."

"You mean that you own the Mill?" she asked amazed.

"Yes, Mary," I sighed. "I bought the mill so that I could give Luther and you a lift, in a way that you would feel indebted to no one. I wanted to do something for you, because you had done so much for me. And I did it this way so that you would not feel like it was charity; so you would feel like you had earned it, and was entitled to it, and could appreciate it, and enjoy it more. But I never dreamed it would change him in such a way, and bring so much sorrow upon you, or I never would have done it."

"I am very, very sorry Mary, and I hope that you can forgive me. I will do everything that's in my power to do, to try and make up in some way, for what I have done to you."

She sat and stared at me in astonishment all the time I was talking. When I had finished, she remained silent for sometime, staring vacantly out at the window.

"Can you forgive me Mary?" I asked hopefully. "I know I don't deserve it, for I have caused you a lot of grief. But I am very sorry."

"Why, Craig, there is nothing to forgive, and you never know how much I appreciate what you have done. Luther is the one to ask forgiveness of you. You have did your part well, with the best intentions, and had Luther been the man that you are, things would have been different now. You are not responsible for the things he has done. He is the one that has fell short, and failed to do his part; and I am sorry—on your account," she finished with a profound sigh.

"Mary," I whispered, but could say no more, my heart was too full.

"Oh Craig! Its terrible to think how he has tried to injure you," she continued. "And all the time, you was his best friend, and doing so much for him, I'm so sorry—"

"Lets forget it Mary. He really didn't do me any harm." I put in. "He did himself more harm than he did me. Because he has robbed himself of much happiness."

That afternoon, I saw Ainsworth, and he said that Luther had taken it pretty hard, and was drinking heavy. There was a little sympathy revived in my heart for him, and I went out and looked for him, but could not find him. Then, I did not want to get in such a condition when Hazel was in such a critical shape. He was needed at home, and should be there.

When I went back to the house that evening, I was in hopes I would find him there, but I didn't. But I found Hazel's condition critical. I called in a couple of Doctors, but they didn't seem to be able to do any good.

I became anxious about Luther, and called Ainsworth. But he had not seen him, I told him to go out and look for him, and bring home if he found him.

Twelve o'clock came, then one, then two, and still he had not come, and Hazel did not seem to get any better.

She lay in a stupor like. But her fever abated along towards three. As the clock down in the hall struck the hour, she aroused and called her mother. She seemed to arouse every time the clock would strike the hour.

"Mover," she said weakly. "I'm going away."

"Where are you going Darling?" Mary asked.

"Up there where God lives," she said, raising her hand slightly. "I saw a beautiful Angel Mover, and he said he was going to come and won't be sick Mover, but I don't want to leave you." Is daddy here Mover?

"No darling, daddy isn't here," she said, brushing a tear from here eyes.

"Is Unky Craig here?" she asked. Yes sweetheart, Unky Craig is here. I said approaching the opposite side of the bed from Mary. She looked at me and smiled sweetly.

"You love me and Mover, don't you Unky Craig?"

"I love you lots, and lots; more than anything in the world," I said affectionately.

"My Daddy don't love us anymore, does he Mover?"

"Of course Daddy loves us baby-darling," Mary answered tremulously.

"But he won't ever come Mover, when I am sick and want him so bad," Mary was weeping silently, and did not answer.

He don't love us like Unky Craig, does he Mover?"

"You mustn't talk too much now dear, you must go to sleep and rest so you can be well again."

"I love you an' Unky Craig very much Mover," she whispered. But I'm going away now. Will you be very lonesome when I am gone?"

"Mary was sobbing, and could not answer."

"Mover, you are crying—I don't want you to cry. Unky Craig, won't you get Mover to stop cryin'? Kiss her for me Unky Craig, and she'll hush."

I was at a loss what to do. I would not have denied Hazel anything, and I wanted to do this, oh, so bad—clasp her to me and kiss those tears away, but I had not the right to do it, yet. Hazel was asking it of me, could we deny her this request, when it would probly be her last?

"Mover, you will let Unky Craig kiss you for me, won't you?" she said, laying her little hands upon one of each of ours. "I want you to stay here with her always Unky Craig, for she will be lonesome when I am gone, and will need you. Mover, you love Unky Craig, don't you?"

Mary's only answer was a sob. Our hands unconsciously sought each others across the bed. I clasped her's tenderly, and she returned the pressure lightly.

"See Unky Craig, she's crying. Kiss her for me so's she'll hush. I don't want her to cry."

Mary looked at me thru her tears, and a lump rose in my throat and choked me to where I could not speak. I felt myself being drawn towards her, by some power that I could not resist. I leaned across the bed, she met me half way, and our lips met in as pure and holy a kiss as God ever sanctioned, and we were lost in etherial for the moment.

We felt Hazel's hands gently slide from ours. We looked, and there was a sweet and tender smile on her face, but her eyes were closed in death. At the breaking of a new dawn in this world for Mary and me, there was the breaking of new dawn in another for Hazel.

Mary fell sobbingly into my arms. I clasped her tenderly, and tried to console her with comforting words. Oh how my heart did bleed for her! How I would have liked to hold her thus always, and kissed away her tears of sorrows. But alas! in vain, she belonged to another, bound by the Holy bonds of matrimony that could be broken only, by the hand of God. I released her and sat her down in a chair, and tried to comfort her.

It was sunrise before Luther came. Mary had gone to her room, tired and worn out and bereaved almost to the point of a nervous break-down. I heard him coming, and suspected the condition he would be in, and met him in the hall, with the intention of trying to straighten him up a little before Mary saw him.

His appearance were worse than I had expected. His eyes were blood-shot and swollen; his clothes were

wrinkled, and hair disheveled, and had a strong odor of liquor about him. He looked as if he might have spent the night in the gutter, and probably had. He was in a terrible disgraceful condition to appear at such a time.

"Craig, I know all," he began. "Ainsworth has told me, and I'm—"

"Never mind about that," I cut him off short. "There is something more to think about now. Come." I said sternly, leading him to the door of Hazel's room.

"Look at that," I said, pointing to the bed where Hazel's body was covered with a sheet. "Before making any apologies, and be sure you apologies to the right one."

There was a terrible expression came over his face, a look of horror came over his face, a look of horror and agony.

"You mean—that—that—she—?"

"Exactly," I said sternly, cutting him off. "How, who do you think I owe apologies to?"

"Craig!" he gasped hoarsely. "This can't be true! Tell me Craig that it's not true, that you are trying to deceive me to make me repent. I have repented already. How tell me it's not her under that sheet. For God's sake Craig, speak! It must not be true! I can't hear it! O God! O God!" he wailed despairingly, falling upon his knees by the side of the lifeless body. "Oh Hazel! my little girl! my little innocent baby. Why did I neglect you! Why did you leave me darling! Daddy, ve you still! O God, please give her back to me. My sorrows are greater than I can bear. O God! O God! His voice trailed off into echoes of despair.

FINDS PETRIFIED WALNUT

W. B. Steddum of Shackelford county, who is visiting with his son, J. W. Steddum, in Cross Plains, found on the latter's farm, about three miles southeast of here, a petrified walnut, which he brought in and exhibited at the Review office. It was perfectly shaped and in every appearance was formed into the solid at its green stage of growth, which its outer surface indicated. It is of an iron granite in color and weight. The peculiar find is doubtless the product of a large and old walnut tree that is still growing near the farm home. Mr. Steddum states that he will keep this relic, but will try and find another, and if successful will break and note the interior formation.

The Review received a letter, the first of this week, from Mrs. L. E. Davanay, who has been visiting the past months with her son, Hugh Davanay, and daughter, Mrs. L. J. Pruitt, at Houston. She states that her general health is improving, having gained several pounds in weight, and notes reading the Review each week with interest. She commends the Cross Plains Lions Club for the great interest they are taking in the progress and advancement of the town and community. Her son Hugh, who was formerly superintendent of the Cross Plains schools, and postmaster during the last democratic administration, and daughter, Mrs. Pruitt, have held good positions with the Humble Oil & Refining Company for several years.

W. H. Duke of Sabanno, was a visitor at the Review office the first of this week. He states that Mrs. Duke, who has been seriously ill, is improving. She was recently visited by her three sons, J. N., L. H. and C. M. Duke of Canuello, Texas, and her daughter, Mrs. Ella Sadler and husband, of Loraine. The three sons returned to their home Friday, but the daughter, Mrs. Sadler, will remain with her mother until the latter's health further improves. Her step-son, J. H. Duke, and family, have also been with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gregory of DeLeon, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Barber and Mrs. J. H. Short of Dublin, visited with Mrs. Gregory's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, the first of this week. Mrs. Short is a sister of Mrs. Wilson, and Mr. Barber is manager of the Walker-Smith Wholesale House at Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Powell were Baird visitors over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Anderson spent Sunday in Walnut Spring.

Mrs. G. I. Philips of Big Springs, and Mmes. Otho Lydia and J. B. Cutbirth of Baird, visited with Fred Cutbirth and family Monday.

SERVICE

Business today is based upon Service. People have come to depend upon Consistently advertised merchandise. They have confidence in this. They have confidence in the dealer who places himself on record month after month as to the merits of his products. They know he will maintain that product at the standard he has set, not only for their protection but for his own. Should he drop below, the buying public would soon discover it, and his business would be faced by ruin. No merchant who is spending large sums in the operation of his business, advertising and selling an article is going to take that risk.

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Will We Know

At evening when the twilight is stealing
On the earth at the set of the sun,
When the light in the far west is fading
After the day's toil is done;

Then I gaze at the stars gleaming yonder
Like jewels in heavens bright dome—
I view them with awe as I wonder
If each is a world like our own.

Is each lovely star shining yonder
A world like this old world of ours;
Are its prairies covered with cattle
And planted with grasses and flowers;
Does each have its ranges and ranches
Where the cowboys ride over the plains,
Have they hills and deep wooded canyons
That ring with the riders refrains.

Does our world when seen from another
Seem lovely and bright to the eye;
Does it sparkle and glitter and twinkle
Like a diamond set in the sky?

Are the people who dwell there immortal—
Live on while the ages roll by,
Or are they like us always dreading
The day when they'll falter and die.

Perhaps we some day in the future,
If worthy and faithful will know;
There may then be a well traveled highway
Over which glad immortals may go.

And visit the orbs shining yonder
And others now lost to the eye;
Then the things that we now view wonder
We may know in the sweet by and by.

The things God has made in his wisdom
Are too great for we mortals to know—
How the sun on its course through the heavens
Sheds its light on the earth far below;
How that man made of dust ever dying
Can live on while the ages roll by,
And be free from all sorrow and sighing
We may know in the sweet by and by.

D. A. STEWART.
Cross Plains, Texas.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Mr. Mellon Eorrows A Better War Mussolini Preparing Baltimore 200 Years Old

Secretary Mellon, needing \$500,000,000 for Uncle Sam's use, invited subscriptions to treasury certificates. He was offered \$1,486,000,000, almost a \$1,000,000,000 more than he needed. By the way, he did not pay 9 per cent, or the federal reserve 6 per cent discount rate, either.

It looks like a real fight by Standard and other big oil companies against the British "Shell" invading these United States.

Standard Oil cuts prices. Shell says, "I call you" and also cuts prices. Interesting war and a better kind, with dollars instead of men lost.

In his government Mussolini held eight posts, minister of foreign affairs, marine, colonies, war, aviation, etc. Now the powerful Italian resigns seven of his cabinet offices, remaining premier and minister of the interior only.

The king announces the changes by royal decree. Mussolini told him what to announce.

The years are passing. Mussolini knows it, and seeks to build a government machine that will survive.

The Italian question is "After Mussolini, what?"

Lord Rothermere in a signed article asks Britain to give up the mandate and withdraw from Jerusalem. He thinks Jews would prefer "a national home in the United States to patriarchal poverty in Palestine."

A majority of Jews do prefer such a home. There are only 2,000 American Jews among 160,000 in Palestine.

But for a minority there is a passionate desire to restore Jerusalem. It may not be understood by a Scotchman not interested in returning to Edinburgh. But a Frenchman who never loses the memory of Paris understands it.

Baltimore, planning to be the country's greatest airplane city, celebrated its two hundredth birthday with flags, speeches, and warships, on water and in the air.

More than one hundred years ago the guns of Fort M'Henry kept the British fleet from descending on Baltimore. "The Star-Spangled Banner" was written to celebrate that event. Baltimore, two hundred years old, is younger and more energetic than ever.

Twenty-seven European nations are working at a plan called "the United States of Europe plan." Germany says she will join but not if there is an "anti-American pact."

That's another hint to President Hoover, and others responsible, to make this country strong enough to take care of itself.

A young German, J. F. Bohnhoefler, climbed out of the trenches, took off his steel helmet when the war ended, aged seventeen.

Instead of spending the rest of his life telling what a hero he had been, he went to work. He now amazes a scientific gathering at Minneapolis, proving that he can divide the supposedly indivisible molecule of hydrogen gas into two different substances.

No money in it, as yet, but Doctor Taylor, of Princeton, calls it the "greatest scientific discovery of 1929."

Britain considers the situation safe and has withdrawn from Malta the battleship "Royal Sovereign" that had been ordered to stand by for Palestine trouble.

Britain also has "naval experts" that object to progress.

They object now to building a tunnel under the English Channel to connect France and England by rail and automobile.

Nevertheless, the tunnel will be built. It will cost \$150,000,000, and employ 12,000 men for four years. With the arrival of the airship, Britain is no more an island than France or Germany, and no longer fears invasion by tunnel.

Big business grows bigger and bigger. Everybody was excited, and muck-rakers raked furiously, when old Standard Oil was supposed to be worth half a billion. Now, split up, it's worth many billions. No one worries.

Highway sign painters and their customers make the country hideous. Illinois has a plan to fight that evil.

Trees and shrubs will be planted close together along highways, beginning with places where offensive signboards are already located.

Other states might adopt the idea, not patented.

If you are a bear, waiting for that "big smash in stocks" that is to make you rich, postpone your hopes awhile.

Our Commerce Department says everything is going admirably. For the last quarter of this year net earnings of corporations will run 25 per cent ahead of the same quarter in 1928. That means not a little money, but BILLIONS. We do things on a big scale.

With everything from lunch counters to steel mills incorporated, corporation earnings reflect national prosperity.

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7 TRAINS MATERIAL FOR BROWNWOOD DAM

(Brownwood News)

It will take at least seven long train loads of equipment in the construction of the dam at Lake Brownwood, Pecan Bayou at Jim, Ned Creek, nine miles northeast of this city, according to Engineer Keese, who has recently finished a chart of the approximate amounts of materials to be used.

Sand.

Sand will be the largest item as far as carloads are concerned but will lack a great deal of being the most expensive of the materials. There are to be 300 carloads, or approximately three train loads of this commodity alone. These cars will contain approximately 40 cubic yards each or a total of 12,000 cubic yards.

Cement.

Two and one-half train loads (230 carloads) of cement will be used in the construction of the mammoth dam at the intersection of the two streams for the purpose of impounding a domestic and irrigational water supply for Brownwood and Brown county.

This cement will be brought into this city in 138,000 sack or 34,500 barrels.

Lumber is to be the third most important item on the project as 115 carloads, about an average train, of that material must be used here. This lumber will weigh in the neighborhood of 4,600,000 pounds—which will make quite a freight bill for some railroad company.

Other Materials.

There are to be 13 cars of steel sheet piling, two cars of structural steel in gates, one car of culverts and flumes, six cars of diesel engines generators, pumps and motors, three cars of special fittings for pipes and valves and forty cars of reinforcing steel.

Should the 710 cars be lined up along a track with the engine of such a string in Brownwood, the caboose would be slightly more than half way to Bangs, or a distance of 5.3 mile away.

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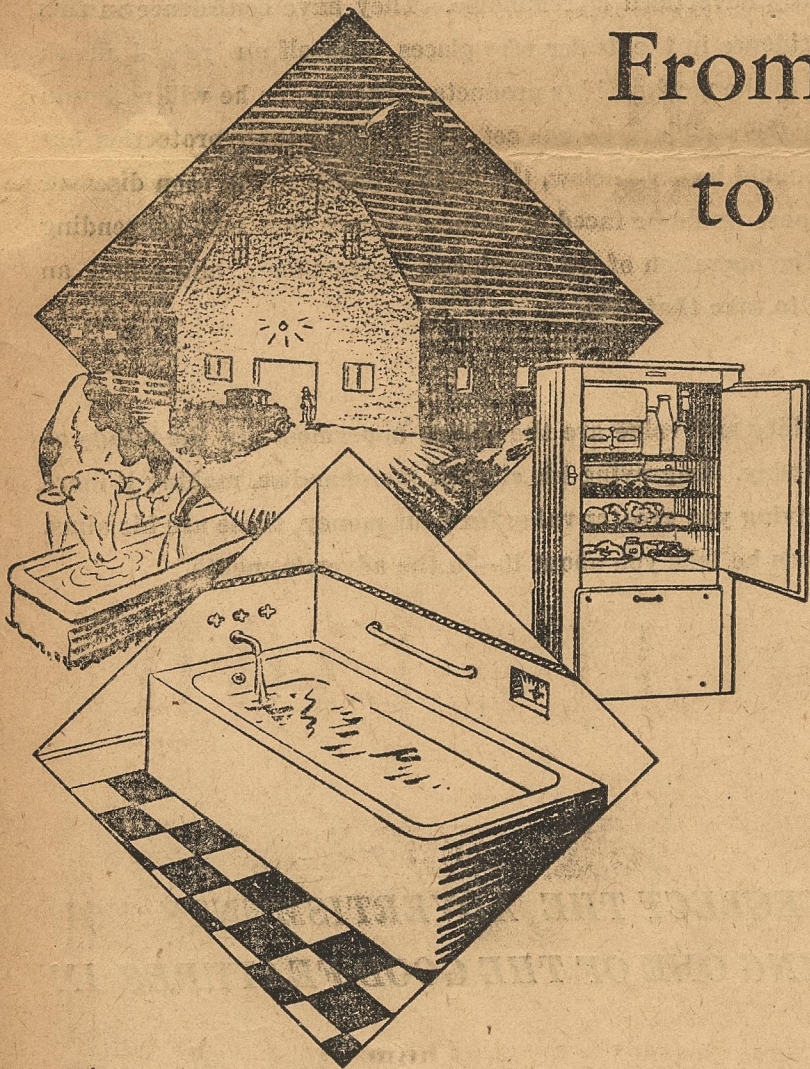
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BROTHER OF C. P. MAN GETS BRAVERY MEDAL

News reports the first of this week notes that Chester Bailes, brother of F. O. Bailes, manager of the local West Texas Utilities Co. office, and Braniff pilot who flew to Fort Stockton to get two men wounded in an airplane fall, taking a daring chance of landing there after dark, has been awarded the Chicago Daily News heroism award. Bailes, who is chief pilot of the Wichita Falls-San Angelo division, received a wire advising him of the award.

The award consists of \$100 in cash and a medal.

Bailes took a San Angelo physician, Dr. H. P. Rush, and a nurse, Miss Gertrude Motes, to Fort Stockton when it was learned that three men had crashed in a plane there the evening of July 25. They landed after dark by automobile lights. They considered the take-off from the field too hazardous at night and returned next morning. Harry Wilson, San Angelo oil man, died of injuries received in the fall. "Tiger" Flowers, of Borger, and D. K. (Paul) Thompson were also in the plane, sustaining injuries.

Bailes reported on his return that had the plane gone 100 yards further in landing, it would have toppled into a deep ditch.

BROWNWOOD HAS ODD COURT CASE

Habeas corpus proceedings were invoked recently in court at Brownwood by Mrs. Rose Bowden Turner in an effort to force her husband's parents to produce his person.

The plaintiff and her husband, Wm. L. Turner Jr., were married July 20, and the wife in her petition alleges that her husband's parents have kept him away from her. She is the daughter of a local furniture dealer and her husband is the son of the postmaster. The application for the writ of habeas corpus has not been passed on.

PLACING ASPHALT ON HIGHWAY TO CISCO

The Rising Star Record reports the work of placing the asphalt topping on Highway No. 23, between Rising Star and Cisco, which was begun recently, is now proceeding nicely.

The work was started at a point one mile north of Romney and is coming this way. It is estimated that something more than 30 days will be required to complete the work to Rising Star.

The work on the Cisco end of the pike, it is understood, is to be taken up soon as the roadbed has already been widened and placed in shape for the preparatory re-topping work, progresses, but as long as the community roads are dry will not cause but little inconvenience.

COTTONSEED TRUST IN TEXAS CHARGED

Texarkana, Sept. 24 — Investigation of an alleged "cottonseed trust" which Congressman W. R. Wright estimated might cost Texas farmers \$20,000,000 this year is in the hands of Attorney General Polard.

Congressman Patman charged, in a letter to the attorney general, that the cottonseed oil interests controlled many gins, had divided the gins up between them and that they were paying far below the market price for cottonseed.

The attorney general has turned the matter over to Galloway Calhoun, assistant attorney general.

Patman charged many gins could afford to gin cotton free at the price they were getting for the seed.

FOR SALE—House on Main Street, East front, in block adjoining school. Has five rooms, bath and hall. All conveniences. Will sell for bargain. Furnished or unfurnished. Pay out like rent. See A. R. CLARK, First State Bank.

Price Odom and family of Valeria were Cross Plains visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson and children were Cisco visitors Sunday.

H. A. Dubey was in Dallas Sunday, to see the Wichita VS Dallas base ball game.

Mrs. H. A. Dubey and children were in Cisco Sunday.

BORGER IS WORST CRIME CENTER

Borger has the worst "bit of organized crime" he has ever encountered in his 23 years in the Ranger service, Captain Frank Hamer told Governor Moody in reporting his estimation of the situation.

Governor Moody returned today from Dallas and Terrell. He held a conference with the Ranger Captain, the two riding from Dallas to Terrell together.

The Governor refused to declare his intentions and said he had no opinion as to the likelihood of martial law.

Captain Hamer did not make any recommendations, he merely reported on the situation and declared it the worst he had encountered in his long career," Governor Moody said.

He said he did not know what steps would be taken to combat the crime "ring" described to him.

He said Captain Hamer said some of the law enforcement officers had either served terms in the penitentiary or were now under indictment.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Anyone desiring to rent or buy any of my residential property in Cross Plains, see E. D. Priest of Bryant Insurance Agency. Mrs. L. E. Davanay. 28-mp

E. D. Priest was a Cisco visitor Sunday.

Geo. Cavanaugh and sister of Dressy were Cisco visitors Sunday.

John Bryant was in Graham Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Galloway, special agent for the Craven-Gargens Co., Houston, visited with the Tom Bryant agency last week.

Mr. Grogenski and Bob Brians of Fort Worth were here Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anbra Dodson left Monday for Corpus, where Mr. Dodson has gone into the automobile business.

Bill Hopkins spent Sunday in Rising Star, visiting with his little daughter, Bonnie Bill.

Ike Kendrick was in Burkett Thursday.

Robert Eubanks and son, B. K. were in Cross Plains Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gracey and Mr. and Mrs. Don Harvey of Star, visited in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Frank Green and Fred Cuthbert were in Cisco Saturday.

"Ye gods!" said the motorist, who had stopped to ask the mountaineer directions, "you don't mean to tell me all these children are yours?"

"Sure thing, stranger," yawned the mountaineer.

"Good heavens!" exclaimed the motorist, "how do you keep track of them all?"

"Don't," he replied, "No other baby in our family is like another rattle in my old car."

Town Clock 132 Years Old

One of the oldest, and probably the oldest clock in continuous use in America is an old German-made time-keeper which surmounts the town hall at Frederick, Md., reports a writer in the Farm Journal. It was installed in 1797, soon after John Adams had succeeded Washington as President, and it has tolled the hours without interruption during the years since.

But If He Fails

Charles Levine, of flying fame, was talking about an aged millionaire's marriage to a beautiful stenographer of 19 summers.

"The old boy should be happy enough in this marriage," Mr. Levine said, "for his bride is a sensible, level-headed girl, and she'll cling to him for all he is worth."

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Amethysts and Opals Used as Road Material

A street almost literally paved with amethysts has been reported to the Berlin geographical society by Prof. Otto Quelle of Bonn university, says an Associated Press dispatch from Berlin.

He found it in Brazil, in the province of Bahia, where he visited German gem cutters and polishers' colonies that have mined and handled 9,000 hundredweight of amethyst.

Whole streets, he said, are paved with the waste material, that gives them a lovely violet sheen. Doctor Quelle said he knows of a place in Siberia where opals are so plentiful that the coarse grades are used as road building material.

The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung reports roads at Bernstein, in the Austrian Pugenland, graveled with waste from the semi-precious serpentine stone.

In the same country, near Rejnitz, are roads of a beautiful green shade, said to be free from dust. They are surfaced with waste from asbestic stone.

Vegetables Offered to Gods of Ancient Times

Turnips, beets and radishes were a respected trio of ancient Greece, all three having been acceptable offerings at the temple of Apollo in Delphi. Their respective rank may be judged from the custom of dedicating turnips in dishes of lead, beets in silver and radishes in beaten gold.

Though radishes are thought to have come originally from China, their cultivation is of great antiquity in Europe. In earliest times they were generally boiled, but later Roman physicians recommended that they be eaten raw, with salt, before breakfast. A sirup made from them was used to cure whooping cough and maladies of the chest.

Turnips, too, were thought good for hoarseness and coughs, and also effective as a poultice for the feet. So important were turnips to the poor in the Middle Ages that they appeared on armorial bearings to denote a person of good disposition who relieved the destitute.

Tracing Popular Idioms

Professor Smith in his "Words and Idioms" gives many expressions coming from the chase, and from hounds and horses in particular. A few of the canine idioms, he points out, come from dog fighting.

From his list we pick the following: "To dog the footsteps of," which points to the faithfulness of the friend of man; "Not to have a dog's chance," meaning having no chance at all; "To have a bone to pick with"; "To teach old dogs new tricks"; "A bone of contention"; "To bristle up"; "To go off with one's tail between one's legs"; "Top dog"; "Under dog"; "His bark is worse than his bite," and "A hang-dog look."

The commonest phrase of all is "dog-gone," especially as used as an expletive with "it" following.

Governor Obeyed Orders

A governor, the talking motion pictures reveal, was giving a memorial address in the South, before a large crowd which applauded his utterances, but those who saw the pictures found humor in the scene which his gathering probably missed.

The microphone, being on the stage, gives the theatergoer some of the conversation which is missed by the most earnest listener in the crowd which stood in front of the platform.

The governor was closing his address and as he sat down he put his hat on, but, as the applause began, a woman standing beside him, probably his wife, spoke up quickly, "Take your hat off."

And the governor did.—Springfield Union.

Johnny was complaining of a badly bruised knee. It had always paid him well when he took his hurts to mother because she soothed his feelings with a 5-cent piece.

On this occasion Johnny needed 5 cents for a top. He remembered that he had a small bruise on his knee and if he could only make mother believe that it pained him, all would be well.

Mother listened to Johnny's tale of how he had fallen on his knee and bruised it. She asked to see the knee and Johnny sensed victory. He hurriedly pulled his stocking down, but alas and alack! It was the wrong stocking!—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Good Customer

"I've forgotten what the other thing was I came for," said the small girl in the grocer's shop.

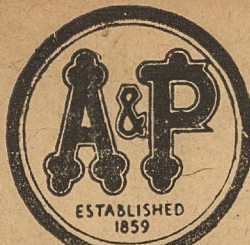
The grocer tried to be helpful.

"Was it cheese, bacon, butter, margarine, lard, tea, coffee, cocoa, sugar, jam, marmalade, biscuits, bottled fruit, chutney, piccalilli, bloater paste, potted meat, baking powder, soap, soda, spice, rice, tapioca, semolina, macaroni, currants, raisins—"

"I remember now. It was can you tell me the right time, please?"

Don't Be a Quitter

Quitting is one of the worst traits of the human race. And one of the most common, too. One little setback and we throw up our hands in disgust. The fellow who wins is the one who can take a reverse and come back smiling.—Critt.



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5-lb. Pail 32c

Rich Creamy CHEESE

Pound 29c

Van Camp's TOMATO SOUP

2 Cans 15c

Encore Macaroni and Spaghetti

2 Pkgs. 15c

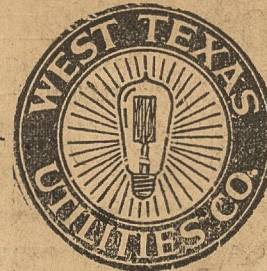
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One Lot heavy khaki work shirts Regular \$1.45 Values—**\$1.00**
to close out

One Lot Baby Blankets, 30x40, "Esmond" Brand, a good one Saturday—**\$1.00**
Special

Box Stationery, up to \$2.25, values High grade linen paper, Envelopes to match, to close out—**\$1.00**
any size

Only two silk sofa pillows left, \$5.00 values—**\$1.00**
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Ladies, Misses and Children winter weight union-suits, Both long and short sleeves, to \$2.00—**\$1.00**
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Mens' heavy knit undershirts and drawers, Regular 75c values, 4 pieces—**\$1.00**
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25 Tablets for

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One Lot Fibre Suit Cases Sizes—**\$1.00**
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36-inch, Hope Bleach Domestic, Regular 20c Value—**\$1.00**
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10 yards

Hickok Initial Belt Buckles, and Belt Chains, regular \$1.00 Values, Saturday Buckle and Chain—**\$1.00**
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Plow-Boy Cheviot Shirting, Regular 25c Value—**\$1.00**
6 yards

Outing Flannels in dark colors, just the thing for quilt—**\$1.00**
linings, 10 yards

Heavy Brown Garza Sheeting, 79-inch wide, Saturday—**\$1.00**
2 1/2 yards

100 yards Curtain Serim, assorted pattern, \$1.25 Values, for—**\$1.00**
to close out, 2 yds. for

Buckskin Cheviots, just the thing for every day and school shirts, Saturday—**\$1.00**
6 yards for

Vanity Puff, Boxes \$2.25 Values—**\$1.00**
Choice

Mavis Toilet Water, Regular \$1.00 Size—**\$1.00**
2 for

Turkish Towels, size 20x42, a very heavy knap, Colored Borders, 29c Values—**\$1.00**
Saturday 4 for

High grade Tissue Cream, 75c values Saturday—**\$1.00**
3 for

Turkish Towels, 20x40 a good heavy knap, 25c values—**\$1.00**
6 for

Ladies and Misses Flannel Gowns, All sizes, Assorted patterns Saturday—**\$1.00**

A Dandy Turkish Towel, 15x30, Colored Borders—**\$1.00**
Saturday 12 Towels

Again we offer a nice selection of patterns in Peter-Pan Gingham Special Saturday—**\$1.00**
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One Lot of Gingham specially priced for Saturday—**\$1.00**
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One Lot Ladies House Shoes, to close out—**\$1.00**
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29c Cretonnes, All New fancy patterns Saturday—**\$1.00**
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One Lot Childrens' School Dresses, All fast colors, size—**\$1.00**
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How to Raise Poultry

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-six years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.

ARTICLE II Pullets For Profit When Winter Comes

Depend on the Youngsters for Heaviest Laying in Fall and Winter Months When Prices are Highest, Says Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis, Mo.

Editor's Note—This is another story in a series of 52 stories on poultry raising written by the well known national poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

ARTICLE III The Cash Value Of Cleanliness

Sanitation, by Insuring a Healthy, Productive Flock, Pays Actual Cash Dividends, Says Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis, Mo.

Little Johnny, in his bath, with ears full of soap and soul full of rebellion, undoubtedly has no use whatever for the doctrine that cleanliness is next to Godliness. To him it is just a pain in the neck—a devilish invention of grown-ups to keep a boy from his rightful occupation of play. Left to himself, he will most certainly have as little as possible to do with that particular kind of Godliness.

Most grown-ups recognize the desirability of personal cleanliness and of common sense sanitation in their homes and places of business. It is more comfortable to be clean after one has reached maturity and too inconvenient to suffer the expensive ills that result from unsanitary surroundings. When it comes to their poultry, however, that is quite a different story in all too many instances.

The same man who would recoil in horror from a filth-encrusted dish placed before him on his table allows his fowls to eat and drink from utensils that are no less an offense to decency because they are in the poultry yard instead of a dining room. He will howl his head off if Junior tracks a little mud onto the living room rug, but he will allow droppings, decomposed food material and other offensive litter to accumulate in his henhouses until they smell to high heaven. He is scrupulously careful about the lawns near his house, but his chicken yard looks like that lower corner of the "south forty" after the last batch of city picnickers had done their worst to it. Then he wonders why his fowls are such poor layers, look so droopy and dispirited and so readily taken on all the ills that chicken flesh is heir to.

The discoveries of Dr. Gorgas in Panama and of Dr. Noguchi, who recently died a martyr to science in Africa, have shown how certain kinds of mosquitos transmit the germs of yellow fever. This suggests that such parasites as lice, fleas, mites, ticks and bedbugs, which so often infect chickens, may also be carriers of disease. There is reason for believing that such is the case, but whether they do or not, such parasites cause a heavy drain on the vitality of the fowls. That means decreased to block the progress of disease should

infection occur from other sources. The simplest kind of sanitary measure will make poultry houses and yards very unhealthy for germs and parasites, so why should be tolerated is past understanding. Simple cleanliness is the first essential of sanitation. Poultry houses should be made so they can be scrubbed out occasionally and they should be regularly sprayed with coal tar dip and disinfectant.

No animal or vegetable matter should be allowed to remain exposed in yard or house until it begins to decay. All such material should be removed and burned or deeply buried. Be particularly careful so to dispose of fowls or animals that have died from one cause or another.

Drinking vessels and feeding equipment should be watched carefully. All fountains, troughs and hoppers should be so constructed that the fowls cannot get in them with their feet or roost on them, thereby befouling the contents with dirt or droppings. Fresh water should be given at least once a day. All feeding and watering equipment should be thoroughly scrubbed out, scalded or disinfected at frequent intervals.

Droppings are perhaps the most dangerous of all possible sources of infection. They are almost invariably breeding grounds for disease germs and also frequently harbor intestinal worms. These may be picked up by fowls not already affected, thus spreading the evil. Furthermore, nothing could be worse for fowls than to be compelled to roost just above a filthy droppings board. The odors and gasses arising from droppings are extremely unhealthy. Continued breathing of air so contaminated weakens the lungs, thus making easy the progress of any disease which may be contracted later on. Both roosts and dropping board should be frequently cleaned and disinfected, as well as the whole house. It is also advisable to cover the droppings board with wire netting so the fowls cannot get into the droppings with their feet.

Birds that show signs of disease should always be put to themselves and treated until it is safe to return them to the flock. If any considerable number of them show signs of the same trouble, they should all be taken out of the flock and a wholesale clean up should be made; clean out and disinfect all houses and equipment; clean up yards and in every way attempt to remove all possible sources of infection.

Not all of the possible sanitary measures can be discussed in an article of this kind, but some of the most important ones are described above. A good dip and disinfectant used regularly and conscientiously will go a long way toward making disease impossible in your poultry flock, not forgetting the most effective of all—God's own great sterilizers, fresh air and sunshine. It is not as easy to keep things sanitary as it is to let them go to pot, but it does keep down disease and THAT PAYS.

Hens that are healthy, robust, strong, free from parasites and disease are better layers, better breeders and are worth more on the market than those that are neglected and compelled to get along as best they can. Maintaining sanitary conditions may mean work, but it is neither difficult nor as trying as fighting disease and it is infinitely more profitable.

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.
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PIONEER REBEKAHS WIN HONORS

(Reported for the Review)

The Rebekahs of Pioneer Lodge No. 235 attended the county association of the I. O. O. F.'s of Texas at Eastland Thursday, Sept. 12th. A fine program was rendered, with President Mary Klemmer of Cisco presiding.

The principal address of the morning was given by J. A. Robinson, D. D. G. M., of Ranger, which was enjoyed by all.

At the noon hour a splendid lunch was served by the Rebekahs and Odd Fellows of Eastland.

At 1:30 P. M. business session began, at the concluding of which was the ritualistic work. Two of the Pioneer members won the prizes. Those winning were Mrs. Bettie Ward, first on the Chaplain's charge, and Mrs.

Virgil Carmile second. Mrs. Inez McLaughlin first on the Past Noble Grand's charge, and Mrs. Alice Lamb, second. These two were rewarded with a beautiful pen and ring.

There were seventeen certificates of perfection in the unwritten work. Those receiving them were, Mrs. May Cole, Mrs. Bell Hickey, Mrs. Virgil Carmile, Mrs. Inez McLaughlin, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Bessie Lamb, Mrs. Alice Lamb, Miss Clara Shumake, Mrs. Lula Stutez, Mrs. Lilla Lawson, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Nora Woods, Mrs. Lola Pancake, Mrs. Myrtle Cash, Henery Lamb, Blake McLaughlin.

The Pioneer Lodge also won the President's gift, a vase, for the best attendance of any lodge in the county at the day session.

At six o'clock we were served a splendid meal, which was enjoyed by all.

At 7:30 the lodge was called to order. After a short business session was held the degree work, conducted

by the staff from Pioneer. There was no competition, so the judges awarded the banner to the Pioneer staff, with an average grade of 94.7.

HOME FENCED WITH PETRIFIED WOOD

One of the most remarkable examples of rock work in the city, is the petrified rock fence which A. H. Bibby has recently had erected around his residence, the place formerly known as the Mrs. S. F. Hampton property, is now surrounded by about 200 feet of fence of a very attractive and unique design.

There are seven pillars, about thirty inches square and about four feet high, on each side of the entrance, the driveway, at corners and ends. Extending between these is a fence or wall, thirty inches high, and some

eighteen inches thick, erected wholly of petrified formations. Much of the material still has the natural wood color, so much so that one would think a log had been inserted. But upon examination it will be found that every piece is solid stone. The wall is topped with a colored gravel finish.

The material for this wall was picked up from several farms, much of it on a place owned by J. O. Hampton, Webb Tolands farm yielded some. While the writer has seen petrified formations for years, he never imagined there was so much petrified wood as is in this fence, in the entire county.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE

To lease for a term of years, my 500 acre place; about 200 in cultivation in four different fields. Just the place for a dairy 3 1/2 miles from town. A Ogiley, Cross Plains, Texas.

A few complaints were heard Tuesday morning when local members of Phil-Pe-Co Club received from Secretary Ted Smith statements reading as follows: "To Federal Tax on Membership fee, \$3.50." Very few of the members were aware that there was a federal tax on Club dues, but such is the case and members of all Clubs are required to pay a tax of 10 per cent for the privilege of belonging to such clubs. On account of the low initiation fee the tax in the local club is small and when members consider that the Phil-Pe-Co Club gives more for the money than many Clubs charging a fee of from \$150 to \$250 the tax is indeed a small item. But be that as it may Uncle Samuel has a way of getting his and there is no way around it.—Rising Star Record.

WANTED—Two boys in large bed room. At Dr. Mary's. I-tp

Mr. Lipscomb spend the week end in Albany.

"The coldest spot in the world" will soon be in existence near Amarillo where the United States is constructing a helium gas plant to supply its dirigibles with a non-explosive gas. The process by which helium is extracted from natural gas is by cooling it to 300 degrees below zero, when all the elements in the gas except the helium are liquified, permitting the helium to be drawn off from the fluid residue.

At 300 degrees below zero, air will be liquid, carbon dioxide and mercury will be solids, lead and copper are like steel and rubber is as brittle as glass.

FOR SALE—Good 3-inch wagon. Good condition. M. C. Baum 28-2tp

—NOTICE—
My home in Cross Plains for Sale. Mrs. GEO SCOTT.