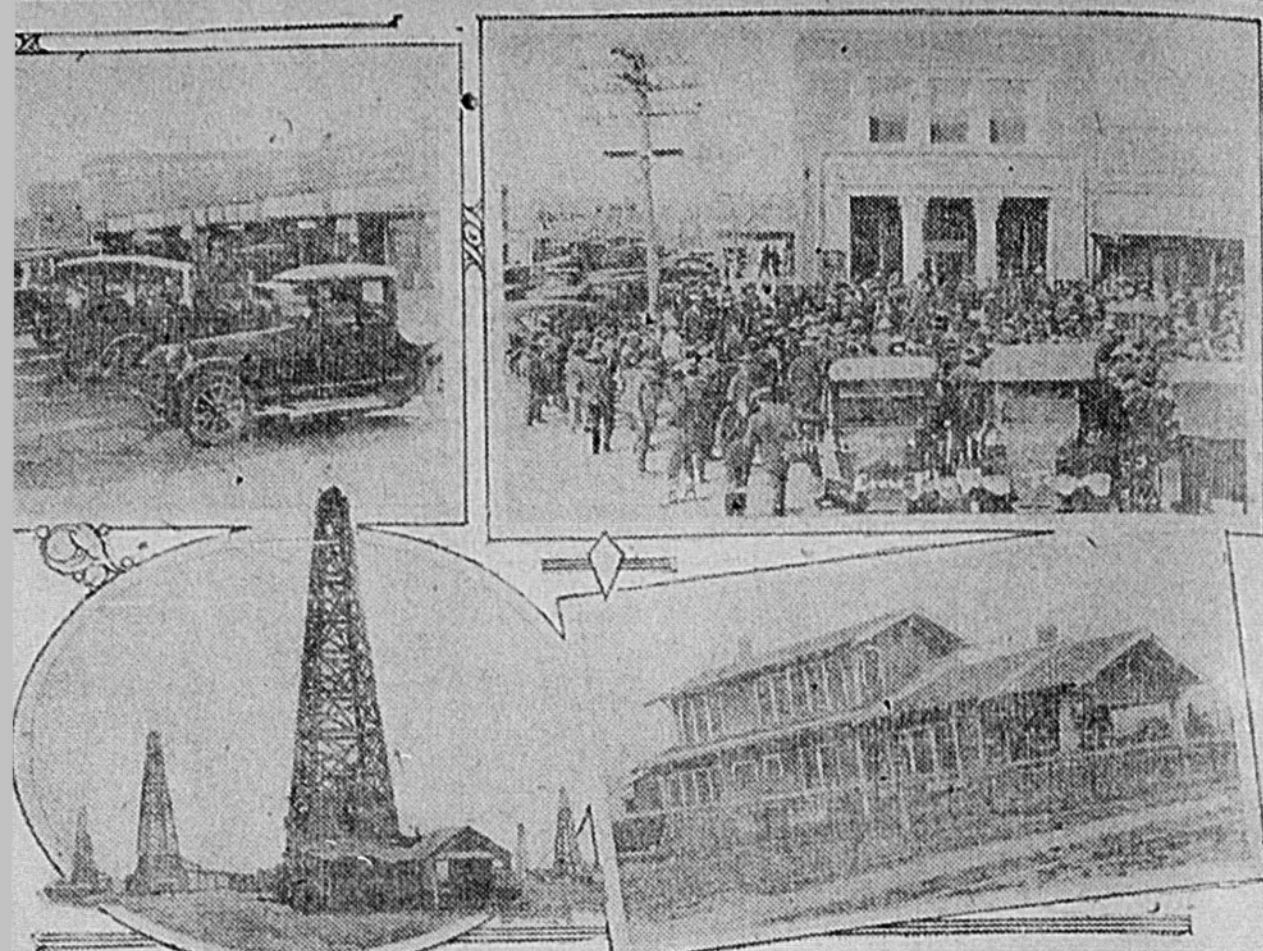


ITY OF CROSS PLAINS. Upper left, Main Street, with its usual light, oil crowd at Eighth and Main Streets. Below, left, a few of the half miles from Cross Plains. Right, Home of Tom Anderson.



—Courtesy Ft. Worth Sta., Telegram.

ctors maintain headquarters of the numerous hotels. Cross Plains owns its water supply system. Pure water is obtained from wells sunk to the level of water sands that underlie the town. One of the best electric plants in Texas supplies the town for service. The town has had gas in inexhaustible quantities by the Cross Plains Gas company.

Good Trade Territory
Cross Plains is geographically favorable as a point of vantage for the oil fields. It is 30 miles west to Baird, 28 miles north to Cisco, 34 miles southwest to Dan, 35 miles southeast to Abilene and 16 miles east to G Star. The town has a trade territory of 15 to 18 miles in every direction.

Side from its oil possibilities Cross Plains is somewhat of an agricultural town. It has shipped as many as 300 cars of grain in a season and 160 cars of cotton. Many cars of live stock are shipped annually. The territory surrounding this city is very fertile. It produces all the crops common to West Texas and is particularly good fruit and truck crop. Hence, aside from oil it has a bright future ahead of it which insures it a continual growth.

Oil Operations
At present, however, Cross Plains is giving almost undivided attention to its oil potentialities. And it may. The history of the field shows that it will continue to expand and increase in production. The Little Oil Trust drilled the Gooch No. 1 which was completed in the summer of 1920. The initial production was 100 barrels, which has since steadied down to 55 barrels. The depth was 2,504 feet. It is situated 3.8 miles east of Cross Plains. Until 1921 there was no further developments in this field that made it history. Then Semans and A. G. Crabb drilled the Webb No. 1 and brought in 240 barrels production. This well now makes 55 barrels. It has been producing for a year. The pay was reached 2,500 feet. The Pennant Oil and Gas Co. then drilled its Teston No. 1, commencing it last October. It came in for 250 barrels production. Since then five wells have been sunk on the Webb lease and more have been completed on the Teston farm and four on the Gooch, making a total of 17 producing wells, each with initial production ranging from 100 to 500 barrels. It is a remarkable fact that not a single dry hole was drilled on any of these tracts.

Other Wells
F. W. Stone & Co. on their Eakin lease south of the Gooch arm completed their first well in February of this year, with flush production of 900 barrels. This well was the first "big boy" of the field.

Since its inception wells have come in fast and thick in that locality. The Pennant Oil Company brought in its famous 7,800 barrel Bryson No. 1, T. B. Slick his big Eakin No. 4 with an initial daily production of 13,500 barrels; F. W. Stone his Eakin No. 2 with an initial production of 3,300 barrels. A number of other large wells have been brought in, until the field between Cross Plains and Pioneer now has 28 producing wells with a total daily production of 25,000 barrels. The townsite of Pioneer now boasts three wells producing 1,000 barrels.

About 100 strings of tools are now running within a radius of five miles of Cross Plains. It is said that the field between Cross Plains and Pioneer is the most active in the State.

The Chamber of Commerce of Cross Plains, F. M. Gwin, secretary, has created a road fund of over \$1,000 for maintenance of the highway to this field and Pioneer. This fund is being increased every day and in addition County Commissioner Clifton is building substantial bridges in Callahan county and Commissioner Robinson is preparing to grade and surface several miles of the same route in Eastland county. This assures that in a short time the best highway in the State will traverse this new field.

Gas Development.
Developments are just now beginning in the field south of Cross Plains, around the big gasser drilled two years ago by the Phillips Petroleum Co., and the Pennant Oil Gas Co. This well came in for about 5,000,000 cubic feet of gas and increased within six months to 12,000,000 feet. It has supplied the town of Cross Plains and several drilling wells with fuel for the last 18 months. About three months ago it began making a showing of oil with the gas and this has now increased to a production of from 60 to 100 barrels of oil per day, which is trapped from the gas flow, which is the waste line when opened. This well is 2,900 feet deep and is located

eight miles south of Cross Plains. It is about 9 miles west and south of the field toward Pioneer.

Three producing sands are now known to exist in that locality, two of which are extremely shallow and have recently been discovered. Bob Crabb et al, first active operators in the east field, and who may be truthfully termed the men who opened the field toward Pioneer. Crabb and his associates are now opening an extensive drilling campaign in the south field. They have an 8,000,000 foot gasser at a depth of 1,516 feet in their Star No. 1, located about one half mile south of the old 2,900 foot gasser of the Pennant Co. further south. While drilling on Helms No. 1, 1,000,000 feet of gas and a nice little show of oil was encountered at a depth of only 190 feet. However, as arrangements had already been made to drill to the 2,900 foot pay this sand will be cased off and the well continued on down to the gusher stratum at 2,800 feet.

Big Field Expected.
Drilling with machines will doubtless soon begin to this 190 foot level as the depth is so shallow that even small wells will pay big returns. It is now predicted that this field will, within a few months, equal or possibly far surpass other districts near by, as the area of the structure seems to be larger, and judged by the history of this old gas well and its rapid turn to oil, its stability is no longer questioned.

The importance of the south field to Cross Plains can readily be understood when its location is considered. It is eight miles from Cross Plains, the nearest railway point. Other railway points and districts are Brownwood, 24 miles southeast and Coleman, 23 miles southwest. With these developments Cross Plains looks for a big play in production shortly, production that will create a city of great business and commerce.

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JOE H. SHACKELFORD IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Late reports from the bedside of Joe H. Shackelford, who is at the home of his brother, Pierce Shackelford in Panam, state that there is but little improvement in his condition. His illness resulted from stomach poisoning contracted while on a camp outing on the Clear Fork of the Brazos River about three weeks ago. A number of other members of the camping party, among whom were Albert Clements and his little girl and two of Scott Gilbert's children, poisoned through the same source, have about recovered. The condition of Mr. Shackelford is more serious through having become complicated with inflammatory rheumatism. The poisoning of the party was the result of eating canned goods, a variety of which was consumed at an early night dinner, and it is believed the poison was contained in a can of corn. The

dinner was served in the early part of the night, but it was not until about four o'clock the next morning that the members of the party became violently ill, and medical aid was sought as quick as possible by the party returning to Putnam, where Mr. Shackelford has since been confined to his bed.

LOCK POUCH FOR CROSS PLAINS-COLEMAN MAIL

Beginning the seventeenth of this month the Post Office Department has inaugurated a lock pouch service between Cross Plains and Coleman, Texas.

The pouch leaves Cross Plains at 1:00 P. M. and arrives at Coleman at ten the next morning.

The return pouch leaves Coleman at twelve o'clock (noon) and arrives at Cross Plains at 4:30 P. M.

This pouch only carries letters and small parcels.

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SECOND WELL AT CROSS CUT NEARING COMPLETION

The completion of the second well in the Cross Cut field which was nearing the pay sand the first of this week is being watched with keen interest by many operators. The six-inch casing to be used in its completion was delivered at the well last Sunday morning, and has doubtless been placed in the well by this time. This well is being drilled by the Junior Oil Co., on the Jesse Byrd tract and is an offset to Prater No. 1, which came in a gusher about three weeks ago and has since averaged 25 barrels per day with a gradual increase in production. General activities in the field are steady, but many new locations have been made and drilling contracts are being sought by many operators. A brief report from this field, including a number of wells in the nearby territory, as given by W. A. Prater of Cross Cut, who was a visitor at the Review office Monday, follows:

The Bob Gilman Fomby No. 1, is on the pump and expected to make between 50 and 100 barrels per day. The Gillett-Margess Prater No. 1 is steady at 25 barrels per day and showing an increase in production. The Junior drilling Co. Jesse Byrd No. 1, is down 1,200 feet. This well is an offset to the Gillett Prater No. 1, and is expected to reach pay at 1,320 feet within the next few days. It is being watched with great interest as it is a deep contract of 2,800 feet.

There is much activity at and around the T. B. Slick or Pennant gas well.

The C. A. Leonard Co., Prater No. 1, is set down at 750 feet but drilling will be resumed soon.

The McDonough land on the south will have a rig up soon where drilling will be started at an early date.

GIRL BITTEN TWICE BY LARGE RATTLER

The young daughter of Allie Yancy, aged about six years, was bitten twice by a large diamond rattlesnake at their home on the E. DeBusk farm near Cross Cut Wednesday of last week. The father of the child was making some repair work about the premises and instructed the daughter to bring him a small plank that was lying under the edge of the house near the chimney, and while in the act of removing the plank the snake bit her twice on the fore finger of the left hand. The child was attended by Dr. Howard and at last reports is doing nicely.

J. R. ADAMS BRINGS IN FIRST BALE COTTON

The first bale of this season's cotton raised in the Cross Plains territory was brought in by J. R. Adams from his Bayou farm near Burkett last Monday, August 21. The new bale was ginned by the Mercantile Gin Co., classed as excellent staple and was purchased by Tom Anderson, manager of the Higginbotham Bros. & Co., at a price of 20.95c per pound. The bale weighed 463 pounds. Mr. Adams was donated a premium of \$38.20 by the business men of Cross Plains.

The first bale of 1921 crop was brought in by W. P. Wheeler on August 16th of that year, and sold for only 12c per pound, or a little more than half the price paid for the first bale of this season.

During the week ending last Saturday there were nine new oil wells completed in the Cross Plains-Pioneer field. Seven of this number are good oil producers, correctly estimated from gauge reports as making from 200 to 1,400 barrels per day respectively of high grade oil. The other two wells are reported as being valuable gassers, a commodity that is more essential to future operations than if all wells were producers of oil. The local field has averaged the completion of nearly one well per day for the past two months. The recent decline in the price of oil will naturally retard the beginning of a great many new wells for at least the next forty or sixty days, but all "inside" wells that have been started up to this date will be completed, thus maintaining an activity but little less than the discovery days of the field. All of the weeks completions have been in the eastern part of the field except the Moore well on the Aker farm near Cross Plains. This well is the first to extend the field into Callahan county, and will doubtless lead operations rapidly in the direction of Cross Plains when the cause of the present quietness in oil-dom is overcome.

The F. W. Stone & Co. well on the McDermott ranch is drilling Wednesday's report, at 1,700 feet. If the knowledge of geologists, backed by former operations in the nearby territory can reveal anything reliable, the McDermott well can not be cased altogether as a wild venture, and for that reason and the great boost that it would give the town of Cross Plains should it come in a good producer, is making it the center of local interest.

103 POUND MELON SELLS FOR \$20.00

There was an exhibit at Weatherford Saturday of last week perhaps the largest watermelon ever raised in Texas, and what is claimed to have sold for the highest price of any watermelon in the world. The Weatherford territory holds the record for being the best watermelon growing section of the State. R. A. Voorheis, who has marketed several hundred of these jumbo melons this season, many of which tipped the scales at 90 pounds, brought in this 103 pounder last Saturday, and after exhibiting it on the streets, sold it to G. A. Holland of the Citizens National Bank of Weatherford for \$20. The melon was bought by the banker to ship to a friend in California. The express on the melon to the point in California was \$7, making a total cost to the purchaser of \$27. The melon is of the Jumbo variety and will be used for exhibition by a bank in California.

DAMON-PYTHIAS STORY ENACTED IN BAIRD COURT

The story of Damon and Pythias, with added trimmings, was enacted in the District Court at Baird last week. Here is the story as given in a news item from the county seat: Bob Blackwell and Ode Slaton, baseball pitcher, of Baird, were arrested by State Rangers and Sheriff Corn on the charge of operating a still. The jury disagreed in the case against Slaton, but sentenced Blackwell to one year in the penitentiary. While sentence was being passed yesterday by District Judge E. R. Ely, Slaton interrupted the judge with the statement he was not only guilty, but had persuaded Blackwell

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to aid in operating the still. Slaton said that Blackwell had only worked one day at the still. "I plead guilty and want to go to prison with him," Slaton said.

A special jury called immediately after the confession promptly found Slaton guilty and he was sentenced to one year in prison.

Paralleling the Damon and Pythias story, Slaton asked that he be allowed to see his wife and remain with her until an expected child is born.

The request was granted. Judge Ely telling him that Blackwell would be held in prison until Sept. 2, when his respite would end.

"I'll not fail my friend," he choked, as he wiped tears from his eyes.

The Church of Christ protracted meeting which has been in progress at Cottonwood for the past ten days, conducted by Rev. Forehand of Austin, closed last Sunday night. Four admissions were received into the church.

PIONEER CITIZEN DIES SUDDENLY

J. S. Connelly, another knight of the pioneer days of Callahan county, passed away at his home near Dressy last Sunday morning, August 20th. Mr. Connelly's death came suddenly and was indeed a great shock to his relatives and friends, having appeared up to the time of his death in the best of health. He was 67 years of age and had been a resident of Callahan county for the past 36 years. Mr. Connelly was a good citizen, prominent member of the Masonic order and leaves an excellent family of children, whom he has raised in this county, and a wife to mourn his death. His remains were brought here from the family home near Dressy and buried in the Cross Plains cemetery Monday afternoon with Masonic honors, the initial and closing part of the services being conducted by Rev. R. O. Bailey of the local Methodist church, and Rev. C. T. Pledger, who is visiting in Cross Plains.

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RAIL AGREEMENT IS ABOUT EFFECTED

EXECUTIVES AND BROTHERHOOD CHIEFS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE COMPROMISED.

NEW PLANS FOR SENIORITY

Strikers Will Take Rights Behind Men Who Stayed on Job, Ahead of New Employs.

New York—Railroad executives and chiefs of the big brotherhoods have agreed on a compromise proposal for settling the strike of shopmen. It was indicated after an all-day session Friday. The conference adjourned to meet at an unfixated date next week.

Meanwhile, the brotherhood chiefs will discuss with the shopmen the proposals on seniority that were put forward, and the committee of executives will confer with the other railroad heads. It was intimated that a vote of the complete membership of the Association of Railway Executives would be required.

After a session Friday morning the brotherhood chiefs, who are acting as mediators, conferred with heads of the shop crafts unions. Another session was held during the afternoon.

The nature of the proposals on seniority was not revealed. They are understood, however, to call for the return of the shopmen with seniority rights behind men who remained on the job, but ahead of new men employed from each side. The executives have insisted that the new men should have first rights in seniority, and that returning strikers should go back as new men. Shopmen have held out for full retention of their seniority rights.

All parties to the conference are carefully refraining from discussion. Bert M. Jewell, leader of the shopmen, said that the situation is a "delicate" one, and declined to comment. Spokesmen for the executives would go no further than intimating guardedly that they were optimistic for a settlement.

ALLIES' DELEGATES WILL GO TO BERLIN AT ONCE

To Determine Whether Germany Can Mobilize Securities to Float A Loan.

Paris—The reparations commission is to send to Berlin delegates to confer directly with the German capital with Chancellor Wirth and other officials on the reparations problem. The delegation will consist of Sir John Bradbury, British member of the reparations commission, and Eugene Mauciere, president of the allied commission on guarantees, and two experts. The party will leave Paris for Berlin at once.

One of the chief purposes behind the decision of the commission to have referees confer direct with the German authorities is to determine whether Germany can mobilize sufficient securities to float a loan of 12,000,000 lbs. with which to meet the remaining cash payments due this year. The commission has reason to believe that if adequate collateral can be found certain international bankers would arrange the loan.

With such a loan effected the reparations commission would be able to avoid the question of a moratorium for at least six months, and the feeling is gaining ground that at the end of this time the allies would be ready to meet in conference to discuss the general reparations settlement in connection with a reduced indemnity and cancellation of war debts.

Refusal to Move Coal Investigated. Washington, D.C.—Attorney General Daugherty announces he was "giving attention" to the situation in Southern Illinois resulting from the refusal of workers on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad at Cypress, Ill., to move or permit the movement of nonunion coal from Kentucky and Alabama. "That is a violation of law—when men do that," said Mr. Daugherty. "I do not care to say at this time what the department's action has been or will be."

Coal and Oil Bids Rejected. Austin, Texas—The State Board of Control has rejected all bids for coal and fuel oil believing the prices quoted too high and that with the settlement of the coal strike lower quotations will be had. The board will purchase emergency fuel where necessary, but expects to open new bids in about two weeks at a date yet to be fixed.

Sweet Potato Men Meet. Texarkana, Texas—A largely attended meeting of sweet potato growers from various sections of Arkansas and Texas was held here. Delegates from all over Arkansas and a large territory in Texas were present and the sweet potato growing industry was discussed at length and plans carefully considered for bringing about standardization of the sweet potato as a commercial product of value.

DISTRICT SYSTEM IS FAVORED BY TILLOTSON

Direct State Control of Development of Water Resources Believed Wrong in Principle.

MINING RESUMED IN A FEW PLACES

Union Men and Anthracite Operators Are Meeting in Effort to Settle Hard Coal Strike.

Chicago, Ill.—Coal digging was resumed in a few scattered mines as a result of the partial settlement at Cleveland of the soft coal strike. Other sections were preparing to resume mining soon and conferences in three States had been set for operators and union leaders to consult regarding agreements for their districts.

The situation, according to the statements of union chiefs and operators, was set forth as follows: The miners will receive the same wages as paid last year under the Cleveland agreement, which John L. Lewis, international president of the union, characterized as a basic agreement under which State and local supplement agreements could be drawn up between operators and miners. Neither an effort to reduce wages by the operators represented at the Cleveland meeting nor demands for a six-hour day, formulated by miners' meetings previous to the strike, were pressed.

Seven States were represented in the Cleveland meeting—instead of the four Ohio, Pennsylvania—Indiana and Illinois—of the central competitive field which Mr. Lewis formerly had insisted must make the basic agreement. The States represented were West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Oklahoma and Washington, with a combined tonnage of 60,000,000 according to Mr. Lewis. Operators elsewhere questioned the tonnage figures and declared only a small part of the total central competitive field tonnage was represented. The National Coal Association, however, announced that regardless of the relatively smaller presentation of the agreement would lead the way to settlement in most sections of the country.

U. S. MARSHAL SEIZES STRIKE CIRCULARS

Claims Matter Distributed At San Antonio Was "Bolshevik Literature."

San Antonio, Texas—United States Marshal Walker seized what he termed "Bolshevik literature" of striking railway shopmen when the shopmen attempted to distribute it on street corners. More than 500 circulars were taken from one man near the postoffice by the marshal in person.

Further distribution of such literature will be considered good ground for charges of contempt being filed in Federal Court against the strike leaders, the marshal declared.

The circulars seized by Marshal Walker termed Postmaster Lucas a "pork appointee" of President Harding, insinuated the Federal Government is having its agents overlook breaches of safety laws as far as the roads are concerned and, lastly, asserted the newspapers have sold out to the railroads.

The circulars are issued daily, Marshal Walker said, and he has always allowed them to be distributed "until the working took on a decided radical tone."

"The principal contention of the strikers in the circular is that Postmaster Lucas will not permit issuance of reports of arrivals of trains," the marshal said.

Premium For First Bale. Nacogdoches, Texas—Nacogdoches' first bale of the 1922 cotton crop was sold at auction to the Hal K. Brown Cotton Company for 25c a pound. The bale weighed 500 pounds and was classified middling. The cotton was raised by W. C. Thomas of the Melrose community and ginned by Oscar Buckner. Mr. Thomas received a premium of \$47.50.

Hold Up Telegraphers' Strike Order. Indianapolis, Ind.—No strike order for telegraphers of the Big Four Railroad will be issued by union officials, pending a hearing of the union's grievances before the Railroad Labor Board at Chicago, Aug. 21. It was announced by Edward Whalen, general chairman of the Big Four division of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

First Bale at Mineola. Mineola, Texas—Mineola has received its first bale of cotton of the 1922 crop. It was raised by Clarence Reeves south of the city and sold for 21.25c. A premium was given. The bale weighed 509 pounds and grade middling.

Kaufman Poultrymen to Meet. Terrell, Texas—The Kaufman County Poultry Association will meet in this city Aug. 19. Walter Burton, poultry expert of Dallas; Mr. Jeter of Kemp and Mr. White of Dallas will have parts on the program.

Germans Deathbed. Berlin.—"We are now standing at the deathbed of the German people," declared Chancellor Wirth in a remarkable interview with the foreign newspaper correspondents in Berlin. "Further gold payments in reparations are impossible," the Chancellor declared. "Payments in kind are approaching the impossible as the marks drop. And when that impossibility comes, then comes social revolution."

Approves \$60,000 Deficiency Fund. Austin, Texas—For pay of National Guardsmen on strike duty at Denison and rangers on similar duty at a number of Texas towns, Governor Neff has approved a deficiency fund of \$60,000. The Comptroller at the request of the Governor issued deficiency warrants amounting to \$18,000 for immediate use, and other warrants are to be issued as the money is needed to pay the troops and rangers.

TEXAS NEWS

Arrangements are being made for holding the annual South Texas Fair at Yoakum October 5 to 8. The fair promises to be one of the largest ever held.

THE MARKETS

Prices quoted below were those obtained from jobbers and commission men and are subject to constant fluctuations. They are given here as an approximation of the actual market.

Dairy Products. BUTTER—Creamery 36c. CREAM CHEESE—Dairy 23-24c. Domestic Swiss 35-45c, brick 24c.

Beans and Flour. DRIED BEANS—California navies, small white 9 1-2c pound. California pink beans 7 1-2c lb., California black-eye 8 1-2c, Pinto 8 1-2c, Lima 11 1-2c. Baby Lima 11 1-2c. RICE—Fancy blue Rose 6 1-2c.

Sugar and Syrup. SUGAR—Beet, \$8.00 per 100 lbs., pure cane \$8.10 per 100 lbs. SYRUP—Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans \$4.00-\$4.50 a case, No. 5 cans \$4.25-\$4.75 a case. No. 2 1-2 cans \$4.25-\$4.75. No. 1 1-2 cans \$4.60-\$4.90.

Poultry and Eggs. HENS—15-16c per lb. ROOSTERS—8-9c pound, Young Chickens 1 3-4 to 2 1-4 lbs. 17-18c per lb. TURKEYS—22c-23c. DUCKS—2 and 3 1/2c per lb. QUAIL—\$3.60 per dozen. GESE—10c lb. EGGS—Fresh 20-21c per doz., new cases included. BUTTER 18-19c.

Grain, Hay and Feed. HAY—No. 1 prairie \$15.00 per ton, alfalfa \$16.00 per ton. John's grass \$10.00-12.00 per ton. CORN—8c per bu. OATS—50-55c per bu. CORN CHOPS—\$1.70-\$1.80 per 100 lbs. BRAN—\$1.80 per 100 lbs. FEED—Extra quality \$2.50 per 100 lbs., standard grade \$2.10. COTTONSEED MEAL—12 and 14c per lb. SWEET POTATOS—\$2.00-2.10 per 100 lbs. BROWN SHORTS—\$1.70 per 100 lbs.—\$1.00-1.10-1.25. MILO MAIZE—\$1.00-1.15.

Fresh Vegetables. EGGPLANT—10c per pound. GREEN BEANS—12c per lb. LETTUCE—36-90c per crate. POTATOES—California White 2 3-4c per lb. Burbanks 2 3-4c. BEETS 7c per lb. 7c per dozen bunches. CABBAGE—12 and 14c per lb. ONIONS—Green, 40-50c doz bunches. Crystal Wax 6c-7c lb. Brumda 5c per lb. PARSLEY—50c per doz. bunches. MUSTARD—10c per lb. 80c per doz. bunches. TOMATOES—California \$2.50 per doz. CELESTY—\$1.50 per dozen. CAVILLOW—17c per lb. CUCUMBER—14c per lb. TURNIPS—10c per lb. SWEET POTATOS (new crop) 5c per lb. OKLA—8-10c. BLACK-EYED PEAS—8-10c lb.

Flour and Meal. FLOUR—Extra Patent \$7.50, basis 192 lbs. 48-lb. sacks \$8.25. 24-lb. sacks \$4c. 12-lb. sacks 49c. 5-lb. sacks 25c. MEAL—Cream Meal, 50-lb. sacks \$3.95. 25-lb. sacks 55c. 10-lb. sacks 22c. 4-lb. sacks 12c.

Packing-House Products. HAM—Extra, 31-32 per lb. extra skinned 22-24c. BREAKFAST BACON—Strips 27-28c. SLICED—40-42c. LARD BELLIES—18-20c. PURE LARD—14 and 15c. COUNTRY BUTTER—14-15c. BUTTER—24-26c. LUT MARGARINE—22-24c. FRESH PORK—Loin 20-25c, hams 24-25c, shoulders 14-16c.

Fresh Fruits. BANANAS—6 1-2-7 1-2c per lb. LIMES \$1.00 per bushel. LEMONS—46-90c per box. ORANGES—California navel 89-10c. CANTALOUPE—\$3.50 per crate. ELBERTA PEACHES—\$2.50 and \$3.00 per bushel. APPLS—Arkansas \$2.50 per box. PEARS—California Bartlett \$4.50 per box.

176 TEXAS RANGERS ARE NOW UPON STRIKE DUTY

44 Regulars and 132 Specials Are Assigned to Various Texas Towns.

Austin, Texas—Regular rangers to the number of forty-four and 132 special rangers are on strike duty in Texas towns, according to a compilation made by Captain J. W. Aldridge, quartermaster of the State Ranger force with headquarters in the Adjutant General's Department. In addition to the rangers in service there are over 500 National Guard troops maintaining martial law at Denison, which is the only place in the State where military rule prevails as a result of the strike.

The regular ranger force consists of forty-seven men. All except three are on strike duty, and these include Captain Aldridge, a ranger at Presidio disabled by reason of a broken leg and another ranger who was left to care for the horses of Captain W. V. Wright's company at Mission. The regular rangers are stationed at the following places:

Texline, two rangers; Dalhart, two; Amarillo, four; Childress, three; Big Spring, one; Quanah, one; Stamford, one; Smithville, two; Lufkin, two; Palestine, two; Marshall, two; Greenville, one; Longview, one; Baird, one; Denison, two; Sherman, three; Gainesville, one; Cleburne, three; Texarkana, two; Kingsville, two; Sanderson, one; Uvalde, one; DeLeon, two.

Officers Arriving For Encampment. Austin, Texas.—Preparatory to the annual encampment of the Fifty-Sixth Cavalry Brigade, Texas National Guard, which will open soon at Camp Mabry, field and staff officers of the brigade are beginning to arrive. These include Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters of Houston, brigade commander, who made the trip on horseback, starting five and one-half days ago. Nearly 1,000 troops will attend the camp, which will continue fifteen days.

Horse Racing at Fair. Temple, Texas.—Three days of old-time horse racing will feature the Bell County Fair, which will be conducted here Oct. 3-7, inclusive. Last year the fair management, acting under the impression that interest in the sport of kings had waned, failed to include it as an entertainment on the program. Results showed that the policy was a mistake and a change was made this year.

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Dairy Products. BUTTER—Creamery 36c. CREAM CHEESE—Dairy 23-24c. Domestic Swiss 35-45c, brick 24c.

Beans and Flour. DRIED BEANS—California navies, small white 9 1-2c pound. California pink beans 7 1-2c lb., California black-eye 8 1-2c, Pinto 8 1-2c, Lima 11 1-2c. Baby Lima 11 1-2c. RICE—Fancy blue Rose 6 1-2c.

Sugar and Syrup. SUGAR—Beet, \$8.00 per 100 lbs., pure cane \$8.10 per 100 lbs. SYRUP—Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans \$4.00-\$4.50 a case, No. 5 cans \$4.25-\$4.75 a case. No. 2 1-2 cans \$4.25-\$4.75. No. 1 1-2 cans \$4.60-\$4.90.

Poultry and Eggs. HENS—15-16c per lb. ROOSTERS—8-9c pound, Young Chickens 1 3-4 to 2 1-4 lbs. 17-18c per lb. TURKEYS—22c-23c. DUCKS—2 and 3 1/2c per lb. QUAIL—\$3.60 per dozen. GESE—10c lb. EGGS—Fresh 20-21c per doz., new cases included. BUTTER 18-19c.

Grain, Hay and Feed. HAY—No. 1 prairie \$15.00 per ton, alfalfa \$16.00 per ton. John's grass \$10.00-12.00 per ton. CORN—8c per bu. OATS—50-55c per bu. CORN CHOPS—\$1.70-\$1.80 per 100 lbs. BRAN—\$1.80 per 100 lbs. FEED—Extra quality \$2.50 per 100 lbs., standard grade \$2.10. COTTONSEED MEAL—12 and 14c per lb. SWEET POTATOS—\$2.00-2.10 per 100 lbs. BROWN SHORTS—\$1.70 per 100 lbs.—\$1.00-1.10-1.25. MILO MAIZE—\$1.00-1.15.

Fresh Vegetables. EGGPLANT—10c per pound. GREEN BEANS—12c per lb. LETTUCE—36-90c per crate. POTATOES—California White 2 3-4c per lb. Burbanks 2 3-4c. BEETS 7c per lb. 7c per dozen bunches. CABBAGE—12 and 14c per lb. ONIONS—Green, 40-50c doz bunches. Crystal Wax 6c-7c lb. Brumda 5c per lb. PARSLEY—50c per doz. bunches. MUSTARD—10c per lb. 80c per doz. bunches. TOMATOES—California \$2.50 per doz. CELESTY—\$1.50 per dozen. CAVILLOW—17c per lb. CUCUMBER—14c per lb. TURNIPS—10c per lb. SWEET POTATOS (new crop) 5c per lb. OKLA—8-10c. BLACK-EYED PEAS—8-10c lb.

Flour and Meal. FLOUR—Extra Patent \$7.50, basis 192 lbs. 48-lb. sacks \$8.25. 24-lb. sacks \$4c. 12-lb. sacks 49c. 5-lb. sacks 25c. MEAL—Cream Meal, 50-lb. sacks \$3.95. 25-lb. sacks 55c. 10-lb. sacks 22c. 4-lb. sacks 12c.

Packing-House Products. HAM—Extra, 31-32 per lb. extra skinned 22-24c. BREAKFAST BACON—Strips 27-28c. SLICED—40-42c. LARD BELLIES—18-20c. PURE LARD—14 and 15c. COUNTRY BUTTER—14-15c. BUTTER—24-26c. LUT MARGARINE—22-24c. FRESH PORK—Loin 20-25c, hams 24-25c, shoulders 14-16c.

Fresh Fruits. BANANAS—6 1-2-7 1-2c per lb. LIMES \$1.00 per bushel. LEMONS—46-90c per box. ORANGES—California navel 89-10c. CANTALOUPE—\$3.50 per crate. ELBERTA PEACHES—\$2.50 and \$3.00 per bushel. APPLS—Arkansas \$2.50 per box. PEARS—California Bartlett \$4.50 per box.

176 TEXAS RANGERS ARE NOW UPON STRIKE DUTY

44 Regulars and 132 Specials Are Assigned to Various Texas Towns.

Austin, Texas—Regular rangers to the number of forty-four and 132 special rangers are on strike duty in Texas towns, according to a compilation made by Captain J. W. Aldridge, quartermaster of the State Ranger force with headquarters in the Adjutant General's Department. In addition to the rangers in service there are over 500 National Guard troops maintaining martial law at Denison, which is the only place in the State where military rule prevails as a result of the strike.

The regular ranger force consists of forty-seven men. All except three are on strike duty, and these include Captain Aldridge, a ranger at Presidio disabled by reason of a broken leg and another ranger who was left to care for the horses of Captain W. V. Wright's company at Mission. The regular rangers are stationed at the following places:

Texline, two rangers; Dalhart, two; Amarillo, four; Childress, three; Big Spring, one; Quanah, one; Stamford, one; Smithville, two; Lufkin, two; Palestine, two; Marshall, two; Greenville, one; Longview, one; Baird, one; Denison, two; Sherman, three; Gainesville, one; Cleburne, three; Texarkana, two; Kingsville, two; Sanderson, one; Uvalde, one; DeLeon, two.

Officers Arriving For Encampment. Austin, Texas.—Preparatory to the annual encampment of the Fifty-Sixth Cavalry Brigade, Texas National Guard, which will open soon at Camp Mabry, field and staff officers of the brigade are beginning to arrive. These include Brigadier General Jacob F. Wolters of Houston, brigade commander, who made the trip on horseback, starting five and one-half days ago. Nearly 1,000 troops will attend the camp, which will continue fifteen days.

Horse Racing at Fair. Temple, Texas.—Three days of old-time horse racing will feature the Bell County Fair, which will be conducted here Oct. 3-7, inclusive. Last year the fair management, acting under the impression that interest in the sport of kings had waned, failed to include it as an entertainment on the program. Results showed that the policy was a mistake and a change was made this year.

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WORN OUT AFTER SHE COOKED A MEAL

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Read the Result

Cincinnati, Ohio.—"I suffered for years with nervous troubles and irregularities before I took your vegetable compound. My back pains all the time and I was unfit for household work. I was worn out if I cooked a meal, and was unable to do anything. My girl friend and my sister told me if I would take your vegetable compound and Liver Pills I would be relieved. After taking the first bottle I felt better, and neglected it awhile, but found I could not do my work until I was stronger. So I took the Vegetable Compound, and in a few days I am a fat and healthy and I am sure I can never have carried him if it had not been for your Vegetable Compound. I recommend your medicine to all women who are afflicted with any of the ailments mentioned. Mrs. CHRIST, Paragon 318 W. Liberty St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound contains no harmful drugs and can be taken in safety by any woman.

Why and Where. Relieving Officer (to applicant who is slightly deaf)—And where did you marry your wife? Applicant—I'll be hanged if I know.

Relieving Officer—What! Do you know where you were married? Applicant—Beg pardon, sir, thought you said why—London Town.

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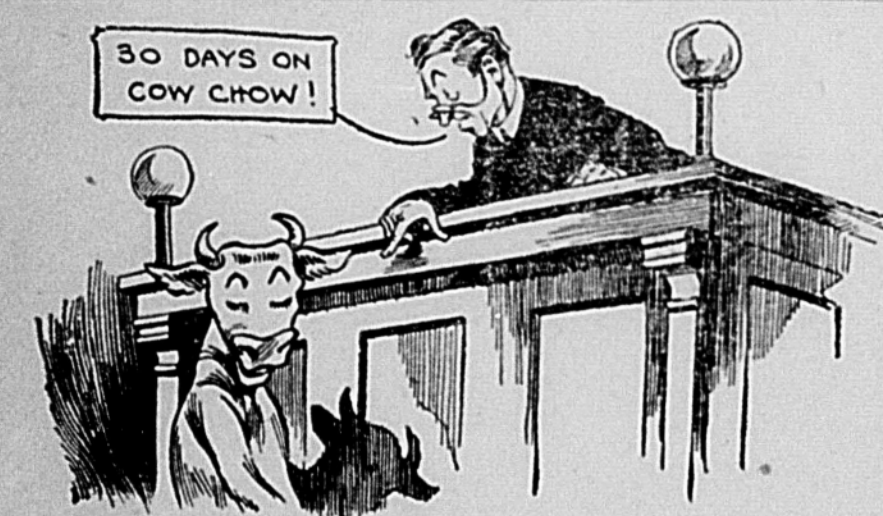
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to make the following announcement, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, August 26:

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W. P. Mahaffey, Abilene.
M. S. Long, Albany.
- For County Tax Collector:
Clyde White.
W. C. Martin, Baird.
- For Sheriff:
G. H. Corn (re-election).
G. E. Gray, Belle Plaine.
- For Tax Assessor:
W. J. Evans, Cottonwood.
W. L. Bowls, Baird.
- For County Judge:
Victor B. Gilbert, Putnam.
- For County Attorney:
B. F. Russell, Putnam.
- For County Treasurer:
Mrs. J. Roy Jackson, Baird.
- For District Clerk:
Mrs. J. Winston Hearn.
- For County Clerk:
Grady G. Respass, (re-election)
- For County Superintendent:
B. C. Christman, (re-election).
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
A. R. Kelton, (re-election.)
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
J. H. Carpenter, Dudley.
J. B. Dickson, Oplin.

Mrs. J. H. Roach, who has been with her father, C. S. Boyles, since the recent death of her mother, accompanied by her brothers, C. S. Jr., and William and little sister, Patsy, returned to her home at Big Lake Monday morning. C. S. Jr., after spending a week with relatives at Big Lake, will enter college at Brownwood.



"Thirty Days on Cow Chow"

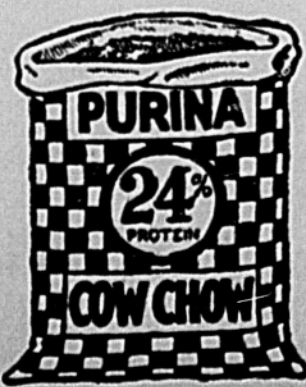
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JUDGE MILLER ON FERGUSON IN 1918.

Judge Barry Miller is now stuning the state for Jas. E. Ferguson. Judge Miller's change of mind since 1918 is only another peculiarity of modern politics. He simply has assumed the job of political equestrianism in riding two horses going in opposite directions.

Judge Miller stumped the State against Ferguson four years ago, after voting him guilty as a member of the State Senate, and on July 10th of that year he made one of his speeches at Galveston. Here is one choice passage in the speech:

"What are you going to say, you mothers and fathers of Texas? Are you going to clear him of crime by your vote, in that primary? Are you? Well, go ahead and vote Jim Ferguson innocent when you cast your ballot. Say by that act that you approve the things that he has done. But when you do that, go back home and tear down your churches, destroy your Sunday schools, burn your bibles and teach your children to steal. Aye, go ahead and give your babies an even break with that gang. Let them in on the loot. Show them the way to graft and get away with it. Do that, and Texas will be a state of criminals for the next hundred years—and the people will have only themselves to blame if it is so."

Would Judge Miller be as compromising with himself now as he seems to Ferguson and admit that four years ago he was a political hypocrite? Otherwise Judge Miller believed his statements in the above speech to be true then, or he would not have used such uncompromising language. The entire record of Jim Ferguson shows it to be true. It is now pertinently asked, if it was true then, has it lost any of its truth in four years? Truth never changes. It is as fixed as the divine laws of the universe.

In another excerpt from that speech accredited to the Judge four years ago, he is further quoted:

"I say to you that the man who violates that law, enacted for the protection of the peoples money—every man who violates that law should be put in the pen; and the Governor who violates that law should be hanged."

And now Judge Miller is using all his energies to promote the election to the United States Senate of a man whom he said four years ago should be hanged. Earle B. Mayfield, the people's choice by a big majority over Ferguson in the first primary, has at least held his job on the State Railroad Commission without interruption, and cannot fairly be accused of a single official act that was contrary to the people's interest. Don't forget that fact while casting your vote in the primary next Saturday.

ORIGIN OF THE MINERAL WELLS "CRAZY" WATER

The editor of the Review returned last Saturday from a ten days sojourn at Mineral Wells. Mineral Wells is a great place. It is worth while a visit by a well man who can afford it as much so as one who feels compelled to visit there from a health standpoint. It is a clean town and possessed of many attractions besides health water and surrounding picturesque mountains. There are thousands of people there from all parts of the United States, and a number from Arkansas and Canada. Two were registered at the Crazy Hotel from far-off Japan. In fact Mineral Wells' average population, during the open season for health hunting, of about five thousand souls are nearly all visitors. Premature old age and that alarming "tired feeling" caused from over mental and physical work, fail to victimize men and women, young and nature, who have discovered the secret of health. And the story runs on, that forty years ago, a family of pioneers named Lynch, found the secret hidden in the beautiful valley of the Palo Pinto Mountains. In search of health they had traversed much of the southwest. Through sheer exhaustion they were forced to camp in the valley. As they rested they bargained with another traveler to dig a well. Thus it is claimed one of nature's greatest health treasures unlocked, and to the world was given water of magic healthfulness. As the fame of the well spread among the Pioneers, two women were brought to the valley suffering from hysteria mania. They drank the water, and it is claimed were soon restored to health and sanity. Hence the origin of the name "Crazy Water." This water is now produced from fifty different wells.

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The cotton leaf worm, more familiarly known to the farmers of a few years ago as the army worm, has made its appearance in many parts of the cotton-growing South this season. The adult moth from which the army worm is produced, is a native of tropical America and migrates into the United States whenever it reaches a degree of great abundance in its native home. The bureau of entomology of the United States department of agriculture appears much concerned about infestation which has spread over a large portion of Louisiana and Texas. The worms have already reached detriolating abundance and are injuring the cotton in many sections. Farmers are urged to watch their cotton fields closely, and if the infestation justifies, begin poisoning at once and not delay a single day. A dry arsenious preparation, commercially sold as Paris Green, is the common remedy used to destroy the army worm.

For Sale—Household goods, complete outfit for three rooms. You can buy complete outfit and rent the house. G. W. Cain, three blocks north of postoffice.

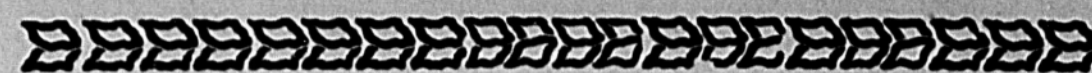
Four burner Perfection Oil Stove, in good condition, \$10; Dressers, \$8 and up. Cross Plains Furniture company.

A small sleeping porch for rent reasonable. Apply Mrs. Tom Anderson.

For Sale—New fourroom house. See A. J. Gidsley.

For Sale—Several nice ranches, from \$7.50 to \$15.00 per acre. Cox & Dudley, Ozona, Texas.

For Rent—Four nicely furnished rooms, two apartments with bath, reasonable. Mrs. W. M. Adams.



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THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon O. R. Davis and his wife Anna Lee Davis, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 6, of Callahan County, Texas, to be holden at Cross Plains, Texas, in Callahan County, Texas, on the 2nd Friday in September 1922, the same being the 8th day of September 1922, then and there to answer the suit filed in said Court on the 15th day of July, 1922 by Higginbotham Bros. and Co., a corporation doing business in Cross Plains, Texas, Plaintiff, against O. R. Davis and Anna Lee Davis, Defendants, being No. 286 on the docket of said court, Plaintiff's demand being for the sum of One Hundred and Ninety-Nine and 70/100 Dollars due by Defendants upon verified account filed among the papers of this suit, said account being for merchandise bought from Plaintiff by Defendants on the dates and for the amounts set out in said verified account, and for Twenty Dollars attorney's fees.

This suit being for Judgment against Defendants for the sum of \$199.70, and all cost including, 20.00 attorney's fees, and such other relief special or general, in law and in equity to which Plaintiff may be entitled. And Plaintiff further prays that citation issue against the defendants according to law.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of July, 1922.

A. J. MATHIS, Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 6, Callahan County, Texas.

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further prays that citation issue against
the defendants according to law.

Herein fail not, but have before said
court on the first day of the next term
thereof, this writ, with your return
thereon, showing how you have exe-
cuted the same.

Given under my hand this 22nd
day of July, 1922.

A. J. MATHIS,
Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 6,
Callahan County, Texas.

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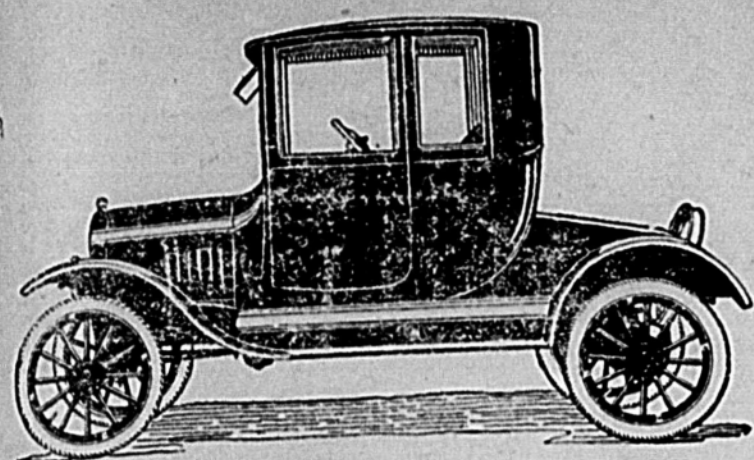
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"The thrifty man can't afford
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and yet that old suit simply won't
do as it is—but he breathes a
sigh of relief at the happy thought
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clean it thoroughly and press a
crease in it that will flatter the
vanity of the most critical
observer."

"U tell'em mule; you've got
the kick."

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Milk delivered to your door every
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Mgr. Phone 104.

Have you ever tried "Peace
Maker" flour? You will find it
better. Cross Plains Mercantile Co.

Alex Ogilvy, prominent citizen of
the Deer Plains community and a
long time reader of the Review was
among the business visitors in Cross
Plains last Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Warren, who lives on
Cross Plains Route No. 1, accom-
panied by her daughter, visited the
Review office last Monday and
ordered the paper sent to her address
for another year.

New and second-hand cars for
sale or trade. W. E. Butler.

S. R. Jackson, bookkeeper for the
Joe H. Shackelford lumber yard in
Cross Plains, returned Sunday from
a trip to Putnam, where he was
called on account of the serious ill-
ness of Mr. Shackelford.

Some special bargains in slightly
used Furniture. C. P. Furniture
Store.

Jeweler L. M. Bond attended a
special meeting of optometrists in
Brownwood Wednesday of this week.

Dressmaking and remodeling
Lizzie Rone. Cross Plains Route
No 2 4t:pd

We are handling the Watkins
line of soaps, extracts etc.
W. E. Butler.

Bill Bowell, clothing salesman in
the Higginbotham Store, is spend-
ing the first days of this week in
Dallas, where he is purchasing fall
goods.

Four Burner Perfection Oil stove,
good condition \$10.00. Dressers
\$8.00 and up. C. P. Furniture store.

Bob Young who was formerly
with the City Barber Shop, pur-
chased the first of this week, the
Cain Barber Shop on West 8th St.
Mr. Cain and his family will return
to their native home in Alabama.
D. W. Beauchamp, after returning
from a visit at Slaton the first days
of this week, will continue with Mr.
Young in his new quarters.

Milk delivered to your door every
morning and evening. Call the Cross
Plains Dairy, Bob Cunningham,
Mgr. Phone 104.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Garrett,
Mrs. Tom Anderson and Mrs. Kate
Brewer have returned from a week's
camping trip at Neuces and other
attractive camping places in the
southeast part of the state. They
were visited with Mrs. Anders n's
relatives and report the entire trip
as being one of great pleasure and
recreation.

Lee Pool of Clyde visited with
relatives and friends in Cross Plains
and Pioneer last week.

J. P. Wilkinson of Tower Hill, Ill.,
is visiting this week with his brother,
Depot Agent W. C. Wilkinson, in
Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Thurston left
Tuesday morning for their home at
Delos, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs.
Thurston will drive through in their
new Chevrolet car, going by way of
Sweetwater, Plainview, Amarillo,
Denver, Yellowstone Park and
Chicago. Both these good people
were frank in their expressions of
regret in leaving Cross Plains as
they had made many warm friends
during their stay here. Mr. Thurston
was employed as a driller in the
Cross Plains-Pioneer oil field, and
stated on leaving that he would be
mighty glad to return to this place
when conditions get more stable.

FASHION SHOPPE
IN NEW LOCATION

The Ladies' Fashion Shoppe,
owned by Mr. Shannon, who located
on South Main St. when first coming
to Cross Plains about three months
ago, has moved his stock to the
building formerly occupied by the
Wilson Furniture Store on North
Main St., opposite the postoffice,
and has arranged one of the most
attractive stores of its kind in this
part of the country. The Style
Shuppe has ample room in its new
quarters, and Mr. Shannon will also
carry a well selected line of gents'
furnishings, including Fashion Park
clothes and Manhattan shirts for
men, and Buster Brown shoes for
ladies and children.

**DRILLS IN FIRST TWO
DEEP WELLS IN CALLAHAN**

To Ed Schoffner belongs the
credit of having superintended the
drilling in and completion of the first
and last deep oil wells that
have been discovered so far in
Callahan county. He completed the
drilling on the famous Vestal well
northeast of Cross Plains more than
two years ago, and was on the job
at bringing in the Moore well on the
Acker farm, just inside the county
line and a part of the big Cross
Plains-Pioneer field two weeks ago.

**7,000 AT CHRISTOVAL
BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT**

Claiming to have been the largest
outdoor religious gathering in the
south with 3,000 campers and in
attendance exceeding 7,000 Sun-
day, the Christoval Baptist encamp-
ment closed its twelfth annual
meeting last week. The association
re-elected Rev. E. F. Lynn, pastor
of the First Baptist church and
encampment founder, president; C.
H. Riddle, Winters; W. R. Horn-
burg, Brownwood; J. D. Sanderfer,
Abilene, and M. B. Bishop, Colorado
vice presidents; Rev. J. H. Garrett,
San Angelo, corresponding secretary,
and Gus Jones, San Angelo, board
secretary and treasurer.

**W. P. PINKSTON ON
STATE RANGER FORCE**

W. P. Pinkston, former city
marshal of Cross Plains, has been
appointed on the special State Ran-
ger force and has been on duty since his
appointment at D Leon. Mr. Pink-
ston is a good and courageous officer,
and a better selection could not have
been added to the Ranger force.

**DR. H. C. BOWDEN TO LO-
CATE IN CROSS PLAINS**

Dr. H. C. Bowden of Ranger was
among the visitors in Cross Plains
Monday of this week and informed
the writer that he will locate in
Cross Plains for the practice of
medicine and surgery within the
next ten days. Dr. Bowden, previ-
ously going to Ranger, was located at
Maytown.

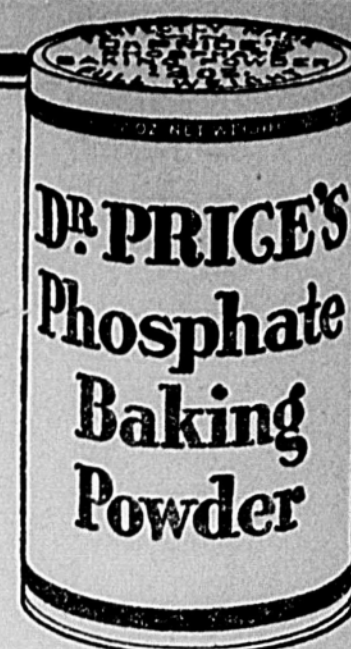
B. W. Webb and family, who
have lived near Pioneer for many
years, left last Tuesday for Kress,
Texas, where Mr. Webb has pur-
chased a fine home and farm. Mr.
Webb was among the first to
prosper through the discovery of oil
in the great Cross Plains-Pioneer
field, the second, and is a well known
fact, the well that opened the gate
to the great pool that was brought
in on his farm by Crabb-McNeal and
associates.

Misses Mina Montgomery, Syble
Barr and Thelma Lamar, three of
the prettiest girls in Callahan county,
or any other county for that matter,
were pleasant visitors at the Review
office Monday of this week—just
to see the inside workings of a news-
paper shop.

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acres in cultivation, two room dwell-
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Brownwood, Texas, Indian Creek
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6000-acre ranch near
Bradshaw at 2-3 of price
paid by owner. Plenty of
land in cultivation; water.
L. P. Henlee,

ALMOST WRECKED STATES R. R. MAN

Stomach Trouble Had Him Nearly Fast Going, Declares Mower.

"Tanlac has helped me to gain ten pounds," said J. E. Mower, 157 Park St., Akron, O., well-known railroad man.

"My stomach was in such bad fix that for several days at a time I could hardly retain any food. I had no appetite and often the very sight of food made me sick. I was intensely nervous, too, could not rest at night, felt tired and worn out all the time, and lost weight and strength until I was almost a wreck.

"Tanlac has made me feel like a different man. My appetite is enormous and I haven't a sign of indigestion left. I never felt stronger. Tanlac certainly does the work."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists. Advertisement.

The Princess Threatens. The friend of a New York girl who, some years ago, became a European princess, tells of an incident in the royal household.

The friend was just entering the princess' dressing room when she chanced to overhear this colloquy between mistress and maid:

The Maid—But, madame— The Princess—If I catch you and my husband kissing again, one of you will have to go.—Exchange.

No Pleasure Without a Partner. A man would have no pleasure in discovering all the beauties of the universe, even in heaven itself, unless he had a partner with whom he might share his joys.—Cleere.

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Ask Pedestrians to Keep to Left

Strollers on Country Roads Urged to Face Oncoming Traffic in Rambles.

PERILS OF NIGHT ARE BARED

Dark Clothing Often Shuts Man on Street From Gaze of Driver in Automobile—International Road Congress to Meet.

New York.—Pedestrians along country roads and those who walk in the streets at night in preference to using the sidewalks can contribute materially toward the reduction of automobile accidents by walking on the left side of the road, facing oncoming traffic, according to D. H. Lewis, acting executive chairman of the American Automobile association.

"Courtesy on the part of the automobile driver demands the use of dimmed lights at night," said Mr. Lewis, "and this factor, while it contributes to the safety of passing motorists, makes it exceedingly difficult for the automobile driver to see a pedestrian walking along the edge of the road in the same direction the car is traveling. This difficulty is increased if the pedestrian happens to be wearing dark clothing. The result is that the driver is practically on top of the pedestrian before the latter becomes visible.

Warning to Pedestrians. "Walking on the left hand side of the road is just as good for the pedestrian and enables him to see the approaching automobile in time to step aside if the motorist does not see him in time to swerve.

"The pedestrian should remember that the rules of the road require the motorist to keep to the right and should contribute to the factor of safety by keeping to that side of the road which best enables him to escape the oncoming car and especially the occasional speed fiend or 'flivverboob,' who cares nothing for consequences and speds regardless of the rights of others, for

Man Hangs Himself by Strength of Imagination

London.—Dr. Henry King testified at a coroner's jury that Alfred Manning, a despondent man, planned to take his own life by hanging, and tied a handkerchief around his neck, but not tight enough to cause strangulation. The physician said that death was due to the fact that Manning had convinced himself that he was hanging himself. Through auto-suggestion the heart stopped beating.

Laddie Boy Gets Birthday Cake



Laddie Boy, the White House dog, celebrated his third birthday recently, and his father, Tintin Tip Top of Toledo, O., sent him an elaborate cake made of dog biscuit.

THEY WILL PROTECT TOURISTS

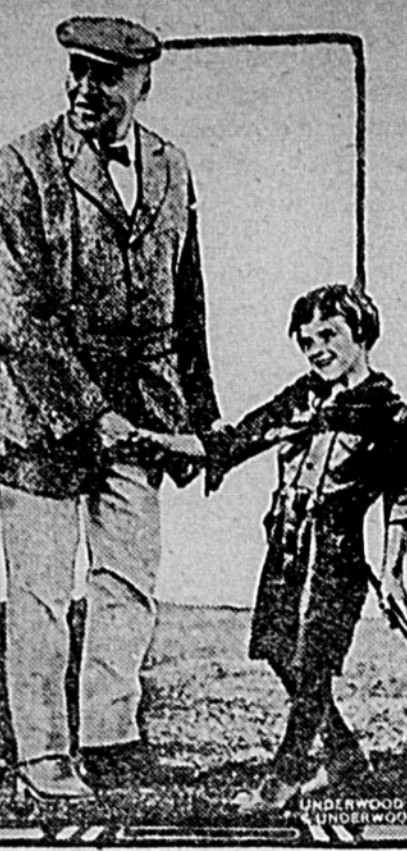
Minnesota Citizens War on Overzealous Officers.

Organize to Save Motorists From Unjust Fines by Small Town Authorities Who Prey on Highway Tourists.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Tourists, especially those from other states than Minnesota, will not be the prey of overzealous authorities in the small towns of Minnesota, who are rigidly enforcing local traffic codes with a zest, bent upon enhancing their own salaries or enriching the coffers of the village, if a movement started among several towns continues to spread.

Vigilance committees, composed of residents of the communities, have been formed, which the tourist who has been haled into court may depend on for fair, reasonable treatment. These committees will see that too rapid jus-

HAPPY GOLF WIZARD



President Harding shaking hands with little James Frazier, son of Jim Frazier, golf professional, after the youngster gave an exhibition before Mr. Harding and his party on the links at Sea View, N. J., where the President was the week-end guest of Senator Walter E. Edge. At five years, Jimmy Frazier, Jr., is a wizard with the golf clubs.

Army in Need of Lieutenants

Examination in September Designed to Meet Demands of New Appropriation Bill.

ARE GIVEN CHOICE OF BRANCH

Scarcity of Officers Means Every Man Who Passes Should Get Commission—Regulations Provide Liberal Exemptions.

Washington.—Examinations conducted by the War department to fill up the ranks of the second lieutenants among 1,771 officers required by the new army appropriation bill will be started throughout the country early in September. The number of second lieutenants now with the colors is exceptionally small, so that it is expected that every man who qualifies will receive a commission.

Appointments will be tendered successful candidates as soon as practicable after December 31, 1922. These appointments will be made in all branches except the judge advocate general's department. It is the policy of the War department to appoint an officer in the branch of his choice.

The elementary portion of the final examination embraces the subjects of history, grammar, geography, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, trigonometry and physics. The advanced part of the examination consists of a large number of subjects, including mathematics, advanced mechanics, surveying, languages, literature, electricity, chemistry, law and minor tactics. Examination is required in but three of the subjects of the advanced group, these to be selected by the candidate.

Candidates for appointment in the air service, engineers, signal corps and ordnance department are required to satisfy certain technical requirements, either by examination or by having graduated from technical schools.

- The regulations provide liberal exemptions from examination in various subjects according to education, training and experience of the candidate. The granting of exemptions has been placed entirely in the hands of the examining boards and requests for exemption cannot, therefore, be considered by the War department. Where to Apply. Application blanks may be secured from the commanding general of the corps area in which the candidate lives. All information concerning the examinations may be obtained from the same source or from the adjutant general of the army. The location of the various corps area commanders is as follows: First corps area—Army base, Boston, Mass. Second corps area—Governors Island, New York. Third corps area—Standard Oil building, Baltimore, Md. Fourth corps area—Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Ga. Fifth corps area—Columbus barracks, Ohio. Sixth corps area—1819 W. Pershing road, Chicago, Ill. Seventh corps area—Army building, Omaha, Neb. Eighth corps area—Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex. Ninth corps area—The Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.

a definite and increased salary basis. Also it is planned to have moneys procured from fines placed in road funds to help along the general work of bettering the state highway conditions."

Communities lying along the state highway leading to and around Millcreek lake, on trunk highway No. 15, were first to organize the "vigilantes." Princeton led the way with the organization of a highway vigilance committee and similar groups are being formed at Omaha, Milaca and Isle.

Indian Relics Found.

Salina, Kan.—Relics of the days when the Indians roamed the central Kansas prairies are being taken out of the sand pits east of Salina. Bones of large and unnamed animals have heretofore been found in this neighborhood, but these bones that are now being found in the sand pits are unlike anything ever seen here. The most of the specimens have large teeth, well preserved, while others are badly decayed. In addition to the bones many large bullets of lead, flattened by having come in contact with some object, are found.

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Comparisons Sell Chevrolet

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SENATE FORCED TO COMPLETE TARIFF

PRESIDENT WILL NOT SUGGEST ADJOURNMENT BEFORE THE BIG JOB IS FINISHED.

REST OF PROGRAM DROPPED

Administration's Ship Subsidy Measure Evidently Hasn't a Chance of Getting Through During the Present Session of Congress.

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So far as the defense of the continental United States is concerned, the law evidently contemplates as a minimum requirement for security that the country should be definitely organized to prevent an invasion in force at the outbreak of hostilities.

The military experts say that before the war was such a definite and comprehensive plan was impracticable. Our military resources were too limited and there was no legal sanction for the development of such a system. Since the World war, with the large number of war-trained officers available, with the initiation of a system for the training of younger men ultimately to replace them, with more adequate sources of military equipment and material, and with a settled legal sanction for the development and training of our traditional citizen army in time of peace, the general staff has been able to prepare definite plans for what has aptly been termed "A National Position in Readiness." Under this plan, the military organizations required to secure critical landing places on the coast line and favorable lines of advance upon the land frontiers can be definitely formed and prepared.

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"For purposes of illustration, let it be assumed that a National Guard division is assigned the initial mission of defending a given beach section. Upon mobilization the combatant elements of this division at peace strength would be ordered to a training area within reach of this section, which would be prepared for defense. Thereafter it would be practicable to complete the mobilization, equipment and training of the division at war strength. Continuous development in the beach position would not be necessary after its preparation for defense. The troops could be moved back to a convenient training area and could rely upon naval and air reconnaissance to give ample warnings of a possible attack. Thus the initial mission for this division determines the minimum degree of training which must be assured in time of peace, the extent to which it must be initially supplied with equipment, and the place where it will have its original concentration."

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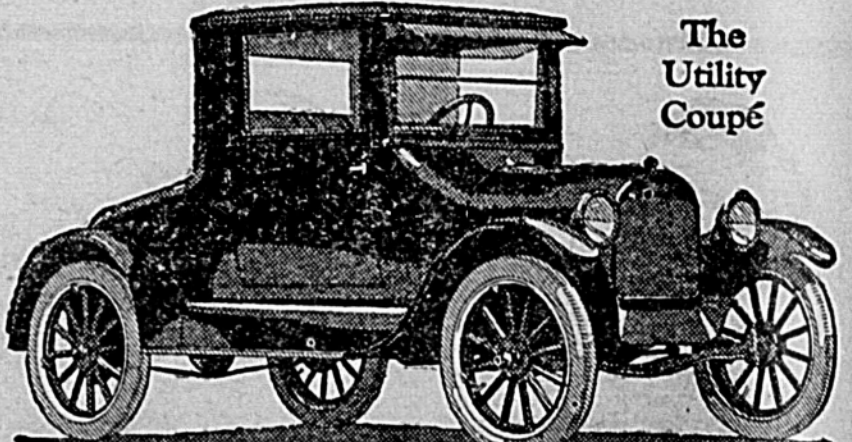
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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

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PELICANS' WAYS

"I've been given permission to tell the story," said Master Brown Pelican. "There's my cousin, Master White Pelican, and he'd like to tell it too, but the keeper said it was fair to let me tell it. I'm smaller and not quite so beautiful so I have been granted this favor."

"Fair enough, fair enough," said Master White Pelican. "Tell the story, cousin. I'd be glad to hear of myself, too, for you'll tell of me when you're telling of pelicans and their ways, won't you?"

"Of course, of course," said Master Brown Pelican. "There have been so many silly rhymes made up about us. People don't half take us seriously enough. Now they're so apt to laugh the minute they see us," complained Master White Pelican.

"That is all very true," said Master Brown Pelican. "But still I would rather have my rhymes made up about me even if they were of very good than not to be noticed at all."

"And, dear me, I'd much rather people laughed when they saw me than to have them weep at the sight of me."

"Yes, I'd rather have that, too," said Master White Pelican. "I like to think I'm so cheerful in appearance that they feel like laughing."

"Well," said Master White Pelican. "I suppose it is because of my free long bills or beaks that they laugh. They are very long."

"It is good to have them long," said Master Brown Pelican. "Besides it is well to be generous in things especially in our bills. That is well, indeed."

"Well, indeed," repeated Master White Pelican.

"Now, Master Brown Pelican," he added after a moment, "do tell your story of the ways of Pelicans."

"You know it all, Master White Pelican."

"Ah, yes," said Master White Pelican. "But I think the next best thing to talking about one's self is to listen to some one else talking about one. If I am not to talk about myself I look forward eagerly to hearing you talk about me—and about yourself, too," he added. "Do begin."

"Well, I will," said Master Brown Pelican. "And as you have allowed me



to tell the story I will tell about you first."

"Kind of you, kind of you," said Master White Pelican.

"Well," said Master Brown Pelican. "I think it is fair that I should be allowed to tell the story because I'm smaller, but I don't believe in the smaller person always having everything their own way. The bigger creature has rights, too."

"You're a fair-minded pelican," said Master White Pelican. "Now do not let me detain you in your talking any more."

"I'll begin this moment," said Master Brown Pelican. "In the first place my cousin, Master White Pelican, is one of the largest birds of this continent—and the continent has both South America and North America on it."

"Master White Pelican has beautiful white feathers, as his name tells you—but he is not wrongly named—go, his name is excellent. It just describes him. He is as white as white can be and he is a pelican. His name, therefore, is perfect and fits him like a glove, as the saying goes."

"Or in other words, it's a name that just fits him! He has a golden-amber colored beak or bill which is truly a magnificent one. You have a fine pouch as a pelican should have."

"They say that your family eats as much fish as the sea lions. In fact your family are even greater fish eaters than we are. We're good fish eaters, too. We're handsome, sociable, and enjoy zoo life immensely. It agrees with us and we like the care they take of us. We are at our best when we're full grown and then we're at the height of our good looks, too."

"Pelicans have fine pouches and we can hold the food there, too. It's like a private icebox of our own—only there is no ice in it, ha, ha. That's a good pelican joke."

"Yes," said Master White Pelican, "and all you have to say about pelicans is true. But let us continue talking another time, for here comes the keeper with our luncheon of fish."

And all the pelicans rushed toward the keeper and opened wide their bills for their beloved and favorite food.

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Self-Confidence an Asset

Have not too low thoughts of thy self. The confidence a man hath of his being pleasant in his demeanor is a moans whereby he infallibly cometh to be such.—Barton.

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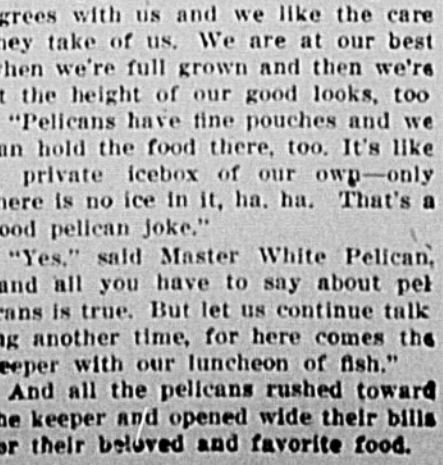
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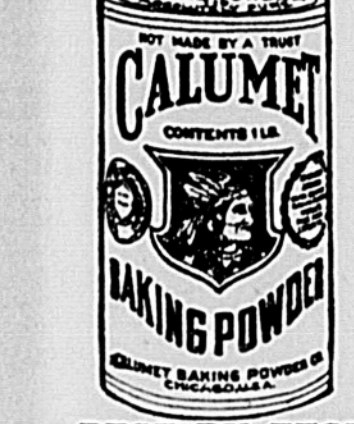
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"I will speak to the bishop and make that right," said the friend. "It was a mere accident."

He did speak to the bishop, to this effect:

"By some mischance, Professor Jones has not been invited to the entertainment. Of course you mean him to come?"

"No, indeed, I do not," said the bishop. "Nothing can induce me to ask under my roof a man who has defamed the execution of Socrates!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Emergency Call. Alicia is very much interested in a disappearing stairway in grandma's new bungalow which leads to a loft above, used for sleeping quarters in an emergency. So the other evening when a carload of relatives drove up just at dark Alicia said:

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Confirmed Woman Hater

Estes Svedevor, president of the International Association of Rotary Clubs, said at a luncheon in New York:

"I would not admit a misogynist to our great organization. Woman is the home builder, not the home destroyer, and any man who takes the latter view of her is a fool. No fool is worthy to be a Rotarian."

"I was talking to one of these fool misogynists the other day."

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McDERMOTT RE-UNION AND BARBECUE

A real old fashioned "Texas" barbecue and picnic was held Wednesday, August 23rd, on the 4,200 acre ranch of J. C. McDermott west of Cross Plains. The feast and fun was given in honor of the 35th birthday of Hugh McDermott, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDermott. Two fine herefords were slaughtered for the occasion and the many friends of the family invited to come and participate, and they came; yes, from far and near they came, and when the noon-day feast, consisting of barbecue, fried chicken, fried young turkey, home-canned pickles, cake, pie, ice cream, watermelons and what not else, was spread, it was found that more than 400 people were in attendance around the hundred foot table that had been erected under the beautiful live oak trees near the drilling well of F. W. Stone & Co., known as McDermott No. 1—gusher to be sure.

Many were there who were here when antelope, deer and other wild life peopled that section; back in the days when "Uncle Charley", as he is familiarly known, was pioneering out on the ranch; when fences were few and cow rustlers plenty, for C. J. McDermott settled in Callahan county 45 years ago this month; Others were there who have been residents for more than 40 years, were J. A. Wagner, J. M. Coffman, J. E. Harrel, J. W. Payne, G. W. Catts, Alex McQuarter, J. W. Westerman, "Uncle" Wiley Jones, J. A. Causey, Wm. Cuthbert, Addison Golson, Uncle Ep Bond and Nick Brightwell.

The two brothers and four sisters of Hugh McDermott, with their families, were also present bidding welcome and good cheer to the assembled friends and expressing regrets that some who were expected were unable to attend.

V. V. Hart of Cross Plains gave voice to a few well chosen words of welcome in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. McDermott and the feast was on; first the feast of food which was followed by the feast of good old fashioned "visiting" as neighbor to neighbor and friend to friend.

West Texas hospitality stands without peer in the United States and the hospitality of "Uncle" Charley McDermott and wife stands without peer in West Texas, say the throngs who were there to share in the feast and fun, and all departed with the hearty wish to Mr. Hugh for many happy returns of the day, and may peace, prosperity and good cheer ever abide with "Uncle" Charley and the good helpmeet with whom life's buffets have been shared through the many years. Yes, not only was a son honored and a father revered but a community has been made better and the bonds of fellowship drawn closer as always when old friends meet again.

MICKIE SAYS

IRENE, GIT ME A GLASS OF WATER! I JEST HAD A AWFUL SHOCK! THAT OLD HARD-BOILED EGG WHO'S BACK SIX YEARS ON HIS SUBSCRIPTION, HE COME IN AFTER WE BEEN THREATENIN' T' SUE HIM. 'N HE WANTED THE BOSS TO THROW OFF SOMETHIN' ON THE BILL BECUZ IT WUZ SO LARGE! 'N YOU BEAT IT??



MANY USES FOR OLD THINGS

Foolish to Say That Anything is Worthless Until Science Has Rendered Its Verdict.

It has been discovered that gelatin can be made from old leather. Consequently it is quite possible that the worn-out pair of boots that you throw away may reappear on your tea table in the form of a delicious jelly!

In the same way you may accomplish a feat that for years has been looked upon as an utter impossibility—that of eating, or rather drinking, your hat, remarks a writer in London Tit-Bits. The best fertilizer for hops is shoddy, which is made from old felt hats. The roots of the hop feed upon the felt and produce lime, which is made into beer, so that your old hat may come back to you disguised as your favorite beverage.

Hats and boots are not the only things that are turned into useful commodities after they have been discarded. The bones from your Sunday joint can be bleached until they look like ivory, and then made into tooth-brush handles and so on. Bones also contain grease, which is turned into boot blacking, soap or match heads. Old sponges are used in the manufacture of iodine, and the old billiard balls make excellent electric bell pushes.

KNEW HABITS OF TOWNSMEN

Prescription Invariably Given by Bristol Physician Not Altogether Complimentary to Citizens.

Though there is said to be a revival of the demand for leeches, no practitioner of the present day is likely to prescribe their use so freely as John Paull, who figures in Dr. Munro Smith's "History of the Bristol Royal Infirmary," and who was appointed to the staff of that institution in 1772, remarks the Detroit News.

Doctor Paull's first question to a patient in the admission room was almost invariably, "Are you a Bristol man?" If the answer was in the affirmative, Mr. Paull wrote down in his book "vs.ad.xx."—venesection to twenty ounces—as a beginning. Mr. Metford once asked him why he bled Bristolians in this way without making any diagnosis of their complaints. The doctor answered:

"Because, sir, if he is a Bristolian, I know that he sits of an evening smoking tobacco and drinking your abominable fat ale. The first thing to be done, therefore, is to let some of that run out and then we shall see what else is the matter."

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CROSS CUT POOL MAY NOT EXTEND NORTH

Failure to strike oil in paying quantities in the well that was completed to the shallow depth this week on the Byrd tract at Cross Cut, drilled by the Junior Oil Co. as an offset to Prater No. 1, may cause the abandonment of further drilling in that direction for the time being and change immediate operations to the opposite direction, a number of locations having already been made and awaiting the outcome of this test in order to more definitely locate the trend of the pool.

The McDermott well near Dresssv. which is being closely watched by operators as a promising deep test, has reached a depth of 2,100 feet, and the 8 inch casing is now being placed.

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FARMER DEVELOPING A NEW VARIETY OF COTTON

According to the Rising Star X-Ray of last week, J. Leathwood of the Blake community may before many years become known far and wide as a man who developed a new variety of cotton. Last year he found his cotton field one stalk cotton that was decidedly different from all the other. It had red leaves and a purple bloom light foliage and heavy fruit and was not touched by weevils that destroyed all the other cotton. He saved every seed from this stalk in this year planted them in orchard away from other cotton and every one of the twenty-five seed came up true in color to original stalk.

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