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W. A. BELL & COMPANY Land Rentals Insurance NO TROUBLE TO SHOW PROPERTY PHONE 63 BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

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The court of criminal appeals today overruled appellants motion for a new trial in the case of the State of Texas versus J. A. Yancey, charg-the Thanksgiving buying. These of wide interest,

ed with the killing of his father-in- markets will open Monday. Novem-law, Hawk Madison, in the Blake ber 7 and will continue through community, in September, 1925. He Saturday, November 12. Local buyas tried in 35th judical district ers are now paying the same price purt here last December and given as was in vogue at the opening of two-year sentence in the state the season last year, but it is expentientiary on charges of man-slaughter. pected that this price will take a boost with the opening of the east-The case attracted considerable ern markets.

attention locally. The slaying was 1926 Crop Not Sold said to have been the termination. It is stated by local buyers that of a long series of quarrels, ground- the demand will not be as great this

ed on ill feeling. In the trial here the defendant claimed to have been acting in self defense and in fear of his own life ever the price is expected to inat the hands of his father-in-law. crease slightly over the prevailing The final trouble and killing occured in the barn lot of the Hawkins, day did not believe that the price this year would reach the peak of the 1926 season, which was approxi-

Waco Election pheld by Court

AUSTIN, Nov. 2 .- (A)-A section that many fowls shipped to the east

of Waco's home rule charter was were not sold. held unconstitutional and the val-| Local buyers are of the opinior idity of its successful election order- that this year's turkey crop will be ing a \$3,500,000 bond issue for a city as great if not greater than the 1920 water supply dam on the Bosque crop, which amounted to, about 4' river was upheld in a supreme court car loads of 1,500 turkeys to the car decision Wednesday. This approximately 60,000 birds.

Revocation Pardon Upheld by Court

AUSTIN, Nov. 2.--(A)-Governor Moody's revocation of conditional ardon granted by former Governor Miriam A. Ferguson to Gratton Davenport, convicted of murder and entenced to 99 years in Tom Green was upheld today by the ourt of criminal appeals. Moody revoked the pardon because originally was issued on the con-

littion that Davenport be remanded to an insane asylum and he allegedly did not go.

, The court today denied Daven-

Criminal Court Proceedings

AUSTIN, Nov. 2 .-- (AP)-Proceed ngs in the court of criminal appeals today_included:

Affirmed: Ed Wright, Nacognes; A. Smoot, Howard; Zeb Dee Martin, Navarro; Jim Hunter, Motey; J. D. Eeaman, Hunt; Joe Wim-Gillespie; Spencer Miles, Lub-

Brown county's turkey crop has BY HENRY C. FULLER

banks of Salt Creek, a pretty stream that flows between rock banks thru pecan groves and lovely valleys to the Colorado river, lives Uncle Bill Anderson, now 85 years old, and



territory includes Brown and fou or five surrounding counties **One Carload Marketed** Buyers here estimated Tuesday that there had been one car of tur-

keys bought, dressed and put or cold storage to date awaiting opening of the eastern markets fo Thanksgiving. The price current now seems to be about 25 cents per pound on foot. Dealers estimate spent that turgeys, big, little and all will average about 14 pounds which 25 cents would mean about \$3.50 for each turkey shipped from the county. At this price the turkey crop in

this territory would bring about \$200,000 for the season. TURKEYS SUFFERING FROM BLACKHEAD ON

Turkeys in flock of D. W. Kza Brown county farmer, are sufferin from a malady known as "blac head," according to County Farn Agent O. P. Griffin. One of th turkeys from the Kzar flock wa sent by Mr. Griffin to the veteri

GREAT NATIONAL PECAN SHOW UNCLE BILL ANDERSON WAS A NOT ABLE FIGURE

Two years ago, while a member of The Bulletin Staff, Henry C. Fuller became intimately acquainted with William C. Anderson, Brown county pioneer whose death occured early Tuesday, and wrote a sketch of his life which was intend-

ed for use in a history of this coun-

Six miles from Brownwood, on the one-time member of

> Above, the Anderson home in the Salt Creek Community, and (left) "Uncle Bill" Anderson sitting quiet-

> > live in Brown county, all good peoago, Uncle Bill's faithful wife died and since that time when not living Company will furnish manufactured alone, he has some of the children products. and their families in the house with His farm is one of the best him. in Brown county, level, productive and on it something worth while is always growing

Likes Jokes Uncle Bill Anderson is fond of jokes and tells many on himself. Years ago, when Brownwood was "wet," he came to town one day and

He went to the court room, which and prairie chickens added to the was crowded, and afterward sitting ing called, whispered to a man who sat near him and said: "I have to get back.

Knowing Bill Anderson, the man Anderson left the court room. Prehe made up his mind at once to go sently the case was called and as the no farther in search of a place in list of jurors was called one by one. which to locate and build a home, the man got up, and walked around So tethering his horse in as fine and took his seat in the place of

THE First National Pecan Show an Springs, Miss.; C. Rosborough in the world is to be staged in Paragould, Ark., Box 3; Clifton Kirk San Saba Tuesday and Wednesday, patrick, Selma, Ala.; R. T. Nov. 8 and 9, and plans are now kins, Fowl River, Ala.; E. W. Cole, nearing completion for the enter- Magnolia Springs; J. M. Fullilove, of a large number of Shreveport; John Murray, Shreveguests. Pecan specialists of Texas port; J. H. Garner, Arkansas; Judge Agricultural and Mechanical Col-R. King, Hope, Ark.: D. V. Schuler, Okla. are co-operating in the exposition. **Texas Directors**

BEING PLANNED AT SAN SABA

Prizes for collection of pecans and for varieties have been made so at-Ross R. Wolfe, Stephenville; A. L. tractive it is expected that a large Faris, Brownwood; R. W. Fair, Tynumber of native nuts new to the ler; R. D. Heinen, San Antonio; ost experienced pecan culturist N. Blanton, Jacksonville; Homer D. will be placed on exhibition. They Wade, Stamford; R. M. Kelley, Longare expected to show that no sec-tion alone can lay claim to all the Mrs. Edith Klingman, Lockhart; O. after having his wounds dressed at distinction in connection with pe- S. Gray, Arlington; J. A. Evans, the hospital.

Growers Take Part

ly before the great fireplace in his better in every way. Several years the raw exhibit ready. Walker-Smith Company and Ramey Pecan

South, and the great variety is ex- Leeman, manager, South Texas pected to prove an outstanding fea- Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. ure of the exhibit. From these Edgar T. Neal, San Saba.

facts it has been suggested that this a long step from an academic event. for an elaborate staging of enter-

tainment features for the two days, Wide Improvement Field In the field of nut culture there is which will embrace the second anat this time more activity in the nual coronation and court scenes of propagation of pecans than in any His Majesty, Pecan King of Nuts. ng with old-time friends and ac- the distance great hills formed an my place and hold it for me until I other nut, this, because perhaps pe- A racing program, carnival conces cans do not come true to species, sions, a mammoth opening parade cans do not come true to species, and music by several "Heart of Tex-and the field for improvement is as" bands will supplement the ex-

tensive pecan display, and furnish It is a fact, conceded by pecan attractive material for 1 000 feet of culturists, that only by a pollenfilms for service. ization process, and by budding, Officers of the national show are: grafting and top working can the grafting and top working can the E. J. Kyle, professor of horticulture, native groves, in growing areas, be dean school of agriculture, A. & M.

uing of the career of that stormy betrel of the Civil War and was with in in practically all of his raids gainst the armies of the Union. Incle Bill Anderson is supposed to the Secretary of War at Washing-he Secretary of able individual in the wrold in the tonio; E. E. Risien, San Saba; J. H. again

COLEMAN, Oct. 31 .- (Sp.)-The death of one girl, serious injury of two boys and minor injuries to another girl was the result of an automobile accident on Highway No. 7 Richard M. Mann. Little Rock: J. between Coleman and Santa Anna

Saturday night about nine o'clock. Miss Aletha Bivins was killed, Calvin Campbell is in a critical Texans named as directors are

condition with a fractured skull and other bruises, and is in the Sealy hospital at Santa Anna where all the injured were taken. Miss Ima Bible, the other occupant of the

Arlington; W. C. Cutlar, Wharton; The accident happened when a A. K. Short, Dallas: R. F. Halbert, Pecan growers of Texas, Okla-homa, Louisiana, Arkansas, Ala-bama, Georgia, Florida and Missis-Simpson, Uvalde: J. C. Armstrong, Santa Anna on the Coleman highsippi are taking an active interest Wharton; W. J. Morris, Junction; way. The car overturned in a small in the plans. Brown county men will have ex-hibits at the show, O. P. Griffin, Course, and the show, O. P. Griffin, Course, and the show, C. P. Griffin, Cours county demonstration agent and Cowan, publisher, Pioneer Pecan from a water trap that would prob-manager of the local exhibit, has Press, San Saba; Frank William, ably have caused the death of more announced. A. I. Fabis, of the Mason; H. G. Lucas, Brownwood; than the one girl, who doctors say live in Brown county, all good peo-Brownwood Pecan Nursery, and H. Gene Cochran, Luling; C. F. Denny, was drown while pinned underneath ple and doing their part toward G. Lucas of the Capps Pecan Or-making the world and humanity chards, are co-operating in getting Nishit Menard E. Rown, san Angelo; W. R. son was thought to be dead when Nisbit, Menard; E. Brown, superin-tendent of schools, Cleburne; P. L. de helow the water by the water by the water Downs, Sr., Temple; J.M. Black- of the car; however he vas revived burn, Corsicana; Col. W. P. Weaver, and is now considered out of dan-Goldthwaite; E. A. Price, Kerens; ger, although the Campbell boy on-Special rates to the show have been announced by the Santa Fe chall, Mason; R. W. Morrison, San ery. He also lost the sight of one

the best native nuts grown in the son, county agent, Gonzales; Ray Santa Anna gin man, and a broth son is the son of J. D. Simpson er of Jerry Simpson who was killed when caught in a gin saw at Santa Anna about ten days ago. Calvin Entertainment Features

Campbell is the son of Ellie Camp

Woman Slaver Not Indicted in Report of Ballinger Jury

BALLINGER, Nov. 1.-(A)-Although the grand jury today returned thirty two felony bills after

six- days deliberations, none concerned the fatal shooting of W. L. McMillan, 39, Ballinger chief of improved and new species be pro-college of Texas; F. R. Brison, A. of Mrs. L. P. Parne, 31, here last

death, but no charges were filed



many hours talking to nim about the stirring days of the ast, at his home on Salt Creek.

is connection with the famous

Reported Killed He joined Quantrell at the beginof the career of that stormy

he Secretary of War at Washing-his head was soon sleeping quietly ing a few jokes, the time passed on and dreaming perhaps of stirring velvet wings, the case at the court able individual in the w Jnion army, shows that he was kill-days with Quantrel, back in Mis-house being entirely forgotten. Two

The It was a charming place and on exwriter formed the acquaintance of treme feather edge of things; blue-Incle Bill about five years ago, and bonnets were in bloom as far as he was summoned to sit on the jury in could see and antelope. deer and oc- a case in justice court. casional buffalo, and wild turkeys Uncle Bill, as everybody knows interest and the beauty of the scene. there a long while, and no case be im is a familiar figure on the Through this lovely valley the little treets of Brownwood on Saturdays, stream that uncle Bill named Salt nd spends most of his time when Creek, wended its way between step out a few minutes, if my name n town at the court house convers- great groves of pecan trees. In is called you answer for me, take

uaintances. He seldom talks about attractive background. As Uncle Bill, then a young man and of William Quantrell, and it looked upon the scene, far removed answered that he would do so, and greater. s only to the closest friends that from strife and human habitation, he talks at all on this subject. he made up his mind at once to go

leon Taylor, Nacogcches; B. C. Fuller, Callahan; John nary department of the A. & M nders, Hamilton.

Sanders, Hamilton. Reversed and remanded: Elzie Taylor, Polk; W. A. (Pete) Enix, Hopkins; H. B. Field, Tom Green; Annie Dueschle, Faufman; Mrs. C. H. Floyd, Lubbock; Seldon McCay. Gollege for examination and diagno sis, and Dr. R. P. Marsteller, of A & M., has made the following re port: "A careful examination of the turkey sent here showed that it wa Comanche.



of this disease. This treatment i condition.

The Isham A. Smith post Ameri-an Legion, will have a four and a half inch captured German gun in Some prefer to give the powdere the big parade to be held here on ipecac. If you wish to use it instea Armistice Day, according to an an- of the fluid extract, you should giv post adjutant and one of the four the same directions as for fluid ex for the local post. The gun selected be made up in a wet ball and drop ped into the mouth. suburg field piece, hearing the material of the mouth.

Hindenburg coat of arms, and was teaspoonful of ipecac to a quart o turned out of the factory in 1916 bran for 3 successive days. Thi and used from that date until Nov. amount is sufficient for 9 birds." There had been 18 fine turkey 11 when the Armistice stopped ac-tual fighting between the German died in the Kyzar flock before thi one was sent to A. & M. Colleg-for diagnosis. The same trouble and Allied armies

M. E. Jackson left Austin Sunday ith the gun loaded on his truck Armstice Day and then will form part of the parade. The will not be put on display until Armstice Day and then will form part of the parade. The will not be put on display until they became weak in the legs and could not stand on their feet. Late they completely lost the use of their legs and would lie flat on the ground legs and roit heavy roads have delayed him.

Mr. Ingram stated that there are only a few pieces of artillery left with the head extended in fron very much like a bird with ptomain in Austin as Legion posts all over poisoning. The head did not turn black. There was very little diar-Texas have been making raids on the arsenal of captured German rhoea

guns ever since Governor Moody made it possible for them to secure these trophies. The Brownwood these trophies. The Brownwood Legionnaires were unable to get any shall arms but it is understood that the sinall arms collection will be made available to Legion posts in the near future and when this is one the Brownwood post will be hand to claim its share.

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affected with entero-hepatitis, some times called "Blackhead." We ar sending directions for the treatmen

the best that we know, of, for this

"Sick birds should be given ter drops of fluid extract of ipecac times a day for 3 days; 10 drop twice a day for 3 days; 10 drop

iding until he reached the state of Worth on ox wagons. He built a Texas, and then he rode on and on, rock chimney that is now the wonntending to go to Mexico and lo- der of the surrounding country, beate there. By and by he reached cause of the great size of the firehe lovely valley on Salt Creek, in place. vhat is now Brown County.

That is now Brown County. Nobody lived here then and once children came to bless the union, night he decided he must have medi-n a while a roving band of wild These children grew to manhood cal attention, so picking two pis-Inductor these discriminants discriminants and one ed to call it, from which he gather-ed the pecans for planting. Industry in San Saba ndians passed through the country, and womanhood, married and now tols of different calibre he opened

orn in Missouri, February 7, 1840, program committee of the Legion nd lived in that state until he came of which W. E. Heatley is chairman Texas and to Brown county. Col. has been meeting every day or two inderson was a member of Quan-rill's band which was active in promises to be one of the best ever Cansas during the time that the staged here.

hoody history of Kansas was being nade. The status of Quantrill and and singing. Judge E. M. Davis has is band has never been determined been chosen as Master of Cereby historians. With the death of monies and Hon. Marck McGee. of

Tolonel Anderson only two known nembers of the band survive. After settling in Brown county Incle Billy Anderson indulged in arming and stock raising. He made the American Legion will make the "key-note" speech. The Confeder-hood they crept through the night marked success in both but had ate Veterans are nivited to be the o cease active work several years go and since had lived with his Veterans and have accepted the in-All years

Funeral services were held Wedresday afternoon at three o'clock honoring the Soldiers of America quite. It was apparently the stillin the Staley cemetery in the An-lerson community. Rev. Wm. Creage of Zephyr, a life long friend The colleges and schools have ed from two guns in one of the

nd life time companion. Colonel Anderson is survived by wood High school.

Colonel Anderson is survived by seven children, five sons and two laughters: F. M. Anderson of Min-ral Wells, M. G., R. L. and Pat Anderson of the Anderson commun-ing which all excerning was silence again. Memorial Hall there will be a big parade starting from Howard Payne Campus at 10 o'clock in the morn-trage which all excerning was silence again. Memorial Hall there will be a big parade starting from Howard Payne Campus at 10 o'clock in the morn-trage which all excerning was heardly feebly in an adjoining the parade starting from Howard Payne Campus at 10 o'clock in the morn-trage which all excerning was heardly feebly in an adjoining the parade starting from Howard Payne Campus at 10 o'clock in the morn-trage which all excerning memory for the sevent Anderson of the Anderson commun-ty; - Storm Anderson of Roswell, invited and expected to participate "What is the matter, Uncle Bill?" ty: - Storm Anderson of Roswell, ing, which an ex-service men are New Mexico: Mrs. Ellen White and Mrs. Texas Pedigo of the Owens community. In addition to the chil-dren there are 29 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren, who survive

Jnion army, shows that he was kill-d in Ray County, Missouri, about he close of the Civil War, and was uried near where he was killed. But he was not killed. It was a

Sut he was not killed. It was a matural re-bis way to the court house. He was with other seeds, as a natural re-bis way to the court house. He was with other seeds, as a natural re-sult. With this in view, Risien, as a constant strug-de, and Anderson took advantage although he has added to it as the the wiser by the substitution of an-superior native San Saba County f the opportunity. Leaving Miss- years have passed covering it by and other man in his place. uri, he rode southward and kept on by with lumber hauled from Fort Sick and Alor

Sick and Alone he had almost as many different. On another occasion when he was kinds of nuts as he had trees in his living alone, he was taken sick. He artistically laid out grove he had planted on a 320-acre tract he had lay on the bed two or three days, thinking he would get better. His purchased because on it grew the nearest neighbor was two miles dis- "mother tree," as he has been pleas-

cal attention, so picking two pis-tols of different calibre he opened the window and fired the pistols al-the window and fired the pistols al-

ed in a battle to the death. Then loaded and emptied the guns again. It was after midnight and the

fusillade sent echoes reverberating up and down Salt Canyon. Neighbors awakened by the shots sprang from bed and hastily put on their clothes with one exclamation: "By Gatlins! They have com

hood they crept through the night silently toward the house of their

All was dark not a light, not a terson community. Rev. Wm. Teage of Zephyr, a life long friend f Mr. Anderson conducted the last ites for this pioneer citizen. Bur-al was made by the side of his wife und life time companion.

was silence again.

early, as 1862, planted nuts from a SUPERINTENDENT SWINDLE. tree, and waited years to find out ADVOCATES CONSOLIDATION

> BY J. OSCAR SWINDLE County Superintendent

The High School consolidation

Fall, come the marketing, then the of rural education. preparation of ground for seedling

nursery stock, the selection of nuts law. Section 3 reads as follows: "It is hereby further provided

white or colored population and

doing high school work exclu

sively, or such number of teach-

ers as in the judgment of the

State Superintendent is needed

and necessary, it may be grant-ed out of the yearly appropria-

tion of this Act the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars for each entire school distict in-

district is one unit in a county

wide system of such high school

for planting, as a good root stock is an important item. Following this that when a rural high school comes the selection and cutting of district is legally formed, either by action of County Board of choice bud woods in the dormant season, from native and propagated Education or by election of resident voters, containing not less

nuts of superior quality. These are placed in cold storage for the Spring budding campaign, which begins as soon as the bark will slip in the Spring and continhildren who have cared for him vitation. Veterans of the Spanish American War are expected to be through the dry grasses or rusti-through the dry grasses or rusti- to season, the year 'round and with providing and equipment, which shall meet the approval of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and employing three remarkable success.

The marketing of the pecan crop has been worked out on a systematic scale in San Saba County The Bend Pecan Growers Marketing Association pools and markets co-operatively many thousand

pounds of pecans annually. from one native tree at Bend, which is an outstanding pecan producing area of the San Saba section, are

now in demand annually from 75c to \$1 per pound. This tree is the Jumbo Hollis and has borne in a

students from rural schools it is \$340 a month. If the average term of school in all high schools out-Aid Bill for the biennium 1927-1929 tuition figured at the above rate the is worthy of careful study and con-sideration by all who are interested per term. In the city it months The total cost will b total cost in tuition alone is \$2,720 round, it being perhaps a conserva-tive estimate that 150 landowners in this county devote their exclusive time to pecan culture. All people living in the rural dis-tricts should give an unbiased, hon-est scrutinizing to the provisions of the Aid Bill and try to determine if the maker and second the group in the the maker and the second the second the second the second the transfers and some as special aid. months. The total cost will be \$6,210 it makes possible a better solution But the money is taken from the rural school and paid to

Let us notice the provisions of the the high school offering the work that the child ought to have home.

Now another item that should be considered in connection with the cost of schooling a child is the matter of sending it away from home think it would be safe to say that than 40 square miles nor more than 700 scholastics of etiher of the 206 pupils from the rural districts doing work in the independent districts there must be 150 of them boarding away from home. If the average rate of board is \$30 a month it will cost \$4,500 each month to keep them in school the month, or \$40,500 for nine months.

teachers, including the principal We have in Brown county 50 rural and 5 independent districts. If these 55 districts were combined to form High School Districts as provided in the above Rural Aid Bill it would mean that the State of Texas will mean that the State of Texas will give Brown county a sum of \$27,500 to aid in the construction of the necessary buildings and equipment. But this would not mean that the small schools would have to be abandoned or torn up. If needed they could be maintained as they are, and in most cases this would be true. It only means that a cen-trally located high school should be provided within reach of the various schools so as to give high school advantages to all the children of the combined district when they had cluded in said grouping; pro-vided such rural high school wide system of such high school district mapped and planned for the entire county that has been approved by the State Superin-tendent of Public Instruction: provided that nothing herein shall prohibit any one such unit from receiving such aid as is provided herein on account of any other units in said county failing to comply with this Act or to put into effect the plans of the County Board of Education in mapping out said county." The rural school districts of advantages to all the children of combined district when they finished in the small local sc Why the necessity of all these district lines so drawn as to i a child to attend a certain so Why not fix the situation so every child can go to t

in mapping out said county." every child can go to the The rural school districts of that will jest serve his need Brown county are playing in tuition meet his requirements with for 206 high school pupils being sent much red tape about transfer to independent districts this year, thon, credits, etc.? Again, w In the city schools there are 133 necessity of the people of the children coming from the rural dis-districts paying \$50,000 annu tricts as regular transfers and some board and tuition, and overce others as high school emergency the city and town schools transfers. If we figure the tuition of adequate schools could be these pupils at the regular rate set within reach of the homes? by the Department of Education for these high schools could be high achool students, which is \$500 fully afrillated and accrede the meanth. If any unit, to \$500 fully afrillated and accrede

month, 16 appoints, of ats to 2000 a to rural school s

OF BROWN COUNTY CLAIMED BY DEATH

had been reported from two othe

farms. The first symptoms were they became weak in the legs and

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THIS BARBAROUS GAME

who are firing broadsides of vitriolic criti- blocks of rock asphalt on he same from every direction. The attack has no pavement as good as this, ally starts about the first of October and, gain- many miles of macadami ing momentum as it goes along, reaches its peak about in a fairly satisfactory man dle of November. The outstanding result usu- properly maintained. ly is the waste of a lot of good newspaper space and of a considerable amount of fervid oratory, and the casualties usually are few.

Our dear old friend, Judge E. C. Harrell, is acting as a sort of colonel for the local regiment of football foes, and has been directing the fire with his trusty typewriter. The Judge says football is so-called athletics. In reality the equivalent of a Spanish bull fight or a gladiatorial combat, When another football game is played here, the editor of this great family newspaper will undertake to convoy the Judge to the playing park, and give him adequate protection against the bull fighters so that he can see what a football game is like; and then, some day, he may be able to see a Spanish bull fight, and can compare the two with calm and deliberate judgment. The next football game, by the way, will be on Friday. November will have to come around to it and pay the cost. In 4th. at 3:30 p. m., and it is hoped that the Judge will the long run, however, the cost will be nominal when be ready on time

Football does have some faults, of course. Too much attention is paid to it, too much money is spent upon it, its value in the activity of the college student body is over-emphasized. The game itself, however, program is delayed costs Brownwood a great deal, for Young County is comparatively free from faults that are dangerous. Much of the brutality has been taken from the play. the players, and much larger groups of young men are Brownwood in one of the most important phases of given opportunity to participate in it than in former city building years. It may have little actual value, either to the college or to the players and student body, but its harm is negligible. If there are evils surrounding the game, such as betting and similar practices, they can not be charged to the game itself, nor to the players, nor to the colleges.

game is here to stay, because it is an integral part that his road recently had killed a scrub cow. He if the life of the people. That some of us lose our said the owner of the animal admitted that the cow sense of values and give to football more attention was worth little and that he was at fault for perthan the game deserves is only another evidence of mitting the animal to graze on theroad's right-ofthe modern tendency to over-emphasize everything way, and that he would be satisfied with a very nomin which we become interested. The colleges are do- inal sum in payment. ing their utmost to control football and other intercollegiate sports in such manner as to keep the games free from conditions which are objectionable, and who could frame up a claim against them, no scrub while they have not registered a complete success they have at least done much to counteract evil in- yards or grazed along the right-of-way, and met death wences which threaten such sports. They ought to beneath wheels of a locomotive, was a thoroughbred have the sympathetic support of all those who are animal, worth a large sum of money. Usually a suit Laredo District attending the colleges, and who disapprove of the tendency to commercialize college sports and give for personal injuries were exaggerated beyond all reathem an importance to which they are not entitled. Obviously, this can not be done by broadside attacks upon football or any other college game, because the games themselves are free from the faults of which the critics complain.

WORLD WAR TROPHY

CAPTURED German gun has been awarded the Those days, happily, are gone forvere. A damage ocal post of the American Legion in the govern- suit against a railway company is now very rare. ment's distribution of war trophies, and will be set Whether this has been brought about by a revision up on the lawn in front of the Soldiers and Sailors of the public's attitude toward the railway companies, Memorial Auditorium building. At a later date it is or by the passing of the damage suit lawyer, or by a expected that small arms taken from the Germans new attitude of the railway companies toward claim- Others may also be distributed among Texas Legion posts, ants, we do not know. Each railway com

WE'RE AWAY BEHIND

COLEMAN is showing Brownwood the way in street paving. At the present time Coleman has thirteen blocks of brick paving, fourteen blocks of rock asphalt

FOOTBALL is suffering the annual attack of its on concrete base, two blocks of concrete and many red streets here that serve

> Of course, the original mistake was made here when a make-shift pavement was started in the business section. For years we have had rough, bumpy streets with inadequate drainage facilities in the busisection, and it is going to be difficult to rid ourselves of what we have. For the business section, al least, there should be a permanent pavement, supported by storm sewers. The pavement should be constructed on a reinforced concrete base, and not upon the present macadam base; for the foundation for the street is even more important than its topping, and the present macadam streets are wholly inadequate as foundations for permanent pavement.

A large sum of money will be required for permanent street paving and storm sewers, and Brownwood because the upkeep costs for permanent pavements are negligible and they give service through a long period of years. Every day the permanent paving other cities of much smaller populations and much more restricted opportunities are going right ahead juries of a serious character are rarely sustained by with their paving programs, and are getting ahead of Others

FLEECING THE RAILWAYS

r to the colleges. Football is not a theory, but a condition. The Mill excitement was occasioned a few days ago when a railroad claim agent told a luncheon club

In the good old days. when railway companies were regarded as the legitimate prey of everybody cows were killed. Every animal that strayed into the minely interested in the young men and women followed the filing of a claim, and sometimes the Dale plaintiff got what he asked. At the same time, claims Others

son. Sometimes the railway companies were com- Total Texas (Outside pelled to employ skilled detectives, to set traps for claimants and secure evidence that could be used in defense when suits were filed. In every communitythere were one or more damage suit lawyers, who were Big Creek eager to accept any kind of claim against a railway

company, and for half or more of any judgment secured to bring suit and provide witnesses necessary to win a verdict for the claimant.

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Hutchinson Co. 65,700 Gray County Carson County 13,500 8,100 Wheeler Co. .. 1,350 Others

Totals North Texas

Burkburnett . 12,500 Iowa Park-KMA 2.250 11,800 Wilbarger Archer County 23,000

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> 31,400 Pecos County . Winkler County 10,300 Totals East Central Texas

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Corsicana-Powell ... Nigger Creek . Totals Southwest Texas

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Lytton Springs Some set

> Totals 26,700

Gulf Coast) **Texas Gulf Coast** West Columbia Damon Mound

3.800 Blue Ridge 3.500 Pierce Junction 7.500Goose Creek

South Liberty Saratoga Sour Lake Spindle Top Drange County

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Postal Receipts Are Heavier Than Last

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Marriage Licenses !

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Allyne Easterling. Roy Thompson and Miss Jeffie

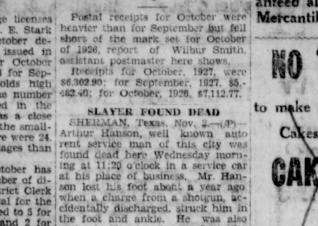
Earl F. Paris and Miss Josle Sim-8.800

Looney Mercantile Co.

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and the local post expects to secure its share of these maintains a staff of experienced claim agents, who interesting trophies.

but of the gunners. When erected here as a war without the expensive procedure of litigation and

relic, therefore, it will serve as a grim reminder of delay. the awful cost of war, and it ought to cause us to turn our thoughts to ways of peace. War is a bloody business, and in ninety-nine times out of a hundred it is entirely unnecessary. More than four million young Americans went into the fray that was started

we look at it we will shudder at the thought of the be served by making it Main street. brutality of war, and will think of the ruthless waste A street name is of relatively small importance ply of "camon fodder."

LIKE 'EM WET? HERE'S ONE.

If you are tooking at plank in its platform, prepare to give you ort to the Socialists next year. Congressman Victor Berger, newly elected chairman of the Socialists national executive committee and successor to the inte Eugene V. Debs, says there will be a platform plank that will be so wet it will ooze alcohol from every pore. Berger's public record indicates that he subject of the present state of the social support to t election of Al Smith on a Democratic ticket.

son has not only been a great baseball player, but a real man; and there are those who will remember iness long after his prowess as a pitcher has

take note immediately of every injury that may be There was no adequate reason for bringing a great sustained by any patron or his possessions, and offer mass of captured German guns to America following what they regard as fair and reasonable settlement the war, for the trophies are hardly worth the trains in a very active claim agent for the railway company usually offers a Dayton and the portation costs. But since they are here they make claim agent for the railway company usually offers a Ask the man who owns interesting relics, and the local Legion Post is to be fair and reasonable amount in settlement of every Ask the man who owns the them. For sale by United the war, for the trophies are hardly worth the trans- in a very short time. Experience has shown that the portation costs. But since they are here they make claim agent for the railway company usually offers a congratulated because it has succeeded in securing claim; and that those who refuse proffered settleone of the field guns as its share of the war loot. ments and go into the civil courts with suits actually

A four inch cannon is not an attractive thing. It lose money even though they may win judgments. is a business-like implement of war, made for the sole This method of settlement by private agreement is purpose of killing men. It may be that the gun to be, much better than the old plan of suing for damages placed on the lawn at the Auditorium actually caused and exaggerating every claim against the railway the deaths of scores of Texas men while it was in the company. It not only saves money for the roads, but German service on the western front. At least, if it actually benefits claimants because they are able to didn't cause many deaths it was no fault of the gun, get an equitable settlement for any damages sutained

NAMING THE STREETS

over in Europe and ended there, and large numbers A LIVELY row has been under way at Odessa, Texas, of them never returned. Thousands of those who did over the question of street names. The town's return would have been more fortunate had they re- principal business street bears the name Grant Avenmained in France, where there are great fields of ue, and petitioners have asked the City Council to white crosses marking the last resting places of Amer- change the name to Main street. Paralleling Grant ican heroes. A war with whose inception the United evenue are Lincoln and Lee avenues, and these names States had nothing to do was the cause of it all; and are not objectionable to the petitioners. The City the gun that is to be mounted here as a trophy of Council, after prolonged discussion of the problem, victory will be a reminder of the sacrifice of human decided there should be no change in the street lives in order that the greatest war menace in the names, masmuch as Grant avenue had been given history of the world might be removed. Every time its name forty years ago and no good purpose would

of life in order that there might be an adequate sup- Many cities have found it more satisfactory to use letters and numerals for designating avenues and streets. If names must be used, Grant avenue is as good as any. The important thing is to have each street and avenue properly marked, so that its name If you are looking for a party with a definitely find his way about the city. There ought to be a may mean something to the person who is trying to

than judgment; for he predicts the nomination and twenty years, and delivered one more year of good Arn work after he had been counted out a year ago.

work after he had been counted out a year ago. But the "Big Train" has quit forever, announcing his retirement a few days ago. It will be a long time before professional baseball produces another like him, a peace-work basis. New York Evening diamond. Like the great Christy Mathewson. Johnnd. Like the great Christy Mathewson, John-

Always Ask For Them

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WINTER'S COMING---CHRISTMAS, TOO!

Beautiful Assortment of Newest Effects

And Now, You are Preparing for the Cold, Wintry Weather - Things Needed for Armistice Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas! Never in the History of Our Store were we Better Prepared to Supply Your Needs. Merchandise Bought to Meet the Approval of our Patrons, and at a Time when Prices were at a Low Ebb. Here You will find Quality and Price, Each Shine in the Light of the Other.

The Qualities Are Far Ahead of the Prices

Men and Boy's Cold Weather Needs

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Men's two-pant Suits in a variety of models, to suit the figure. Regulars, stouts and slims. With two pair of \$25 ^{.00} , \$30 ^{.00} , and \$35 ^{.00} trousers
Overcoats and Topcoats in light, medium and heavy weights. Remarkable values and you'll say so, too,
when you \$12.50 to \$25.00
Elephant Hide Jackets. Made of chemically treated, making them water and cold proof. \$5.00 Ideal for work and out-door wear
Sweaters that are all wool. Heavy rope stitch, coat front with roll collar. Come \$3.50 and \$4.00 in marcon, cardinal and buff \$3.50
An assortment of Men's and Boys' Lumberjacks. Fancy plaids and colors. Fair run of sizes. Priced special at \$1.50 and \$3.00
Men's Union Suits of heavy ribbed cotton. Full cut with comfortable crotch. All sizes \$1.00
Men's Good quality half Hose. This is an exceptional value. Made of high grade cotton yarn, from Texas cotton and a Texas mill. Black, brown, tan 25c
Men's Hats from a well known manufacturer. In keeping with the late style trend. You will want one of these to go with \$5.00 to \$7.00

Hats and Caps for the Kiddles Priced an assortment of styles and colors. 98c



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36x36 Pure Linen Damask Sets. Hemstitched, colored, border, with four napkins, set	\$1.8
45x45 Pure Linen Sets with four Napkins, set	Start Starting Starting
51x51 Pure Linen Satin Damask Sets, with four Napkins, set	\$3.9
54x54 Pure Linen Satin Damask hemstitched Sets, with Six Napkins, set	\$5.50
64x84 Pure Linen Satin Damask, hemstitched Sets, with Six Napkins, set (And many others that space prohibits mention)	\$8.9

Sheets, each	\$1.3
1x99 Corona Spokestitched Sheets, each	\$1.4
1x90 Corona Hemstitched Sheets, each	 \$1.65

SHEETING

TOWELS

SILK I 80x105 \$2.1	ED SPREAD 5 72x108, Each	DS \$7.50
13x34 Cotton Huck Towels, pair		39c
18x30 Hand Embroidered Pure I Guest Towels, each	nen	\$1.25
18x32 Pure Linen Huck Guest Towels, each		65c
18x36 Colored Border Hemstlitched Linen Towels, each		49c
15x25 Bath Towels, Per dozen		\$1.00
20x40 Fancy Border Bath Towe		
20x40 Heavy Fancy Plaid Bath Pair Special		55c.
22x44 Heavy Bath Towels. Extra heavy, pair, Special		55c

Each

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ch Heavy Georgette Crepe in a co e desirable colors e season, yard	\$2.75
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ch Georgetie Crepe, embroidered wi thread in beautiful designs, yard	th \$6.50
ch Crepe de Chine in a good range lors, priced special, yard	\$1.69
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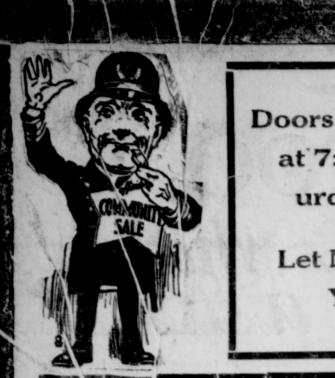
Coatings and Dress Woolens

of heel styles	SHEETING 8-4 Corona Bleached Sheeting, Per yard	COTTON BED SPREADS 81x90 Dimity Spreads Each S1x105 Cotton Spreads, Each	stik. Solors to suit every taste and purpose, yard \$1.98 to \$3.95 Coatings. 54 inches wide, in plain colors and sport plaids and figures. A complete range of the season's polorings. Our Coatings in- plude finest importations, yd. \$2.98 to \$9.85
LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLEEPING GARMENTS Ladies Outing Gowns, with hemstitched yokes, each	COTTON AND WOOL BLANKETS 68x76 Gray and Tan Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.49 66x80 No. B-99, Gray Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.98 66x80, No. 450, Plaid Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.98 66x80, No. 450, Plaid Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.98 66x80, No. 450, Plaid Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.98 66x80, No. 452, Plaid Blankets, Priced Special, pair \$1.98	COTTON AND WOOL FILLED COMFORTS No. 305, 72x78 Cotton Filled Comforts, each \$2.98 No. 305-B, 72x78, Cotton Filled Comforts, fancy top \$3.50 No. 406, 72x84, Cotton Filled Comforts, Special \$3.98	COTTON DRESS MATERIALS P2-Inch Print Cloths of the finer qualities and choicest patterns. Solid colors to match, yard
Ladies' Outing Gowns that are extra heavy, each\$2.25Ladies' Outing Pajamas in solid colors, suit\$2.25Ladies' extra quality, fancy Pajamas, suit\$3.50Misses' Outing Pajamas\$1.00	66x84, No. 478, Plaid Blankets, Priced Special, pair	No. 660, 72x84, Cotton Filled Comforts with Satine top	beautiful range of patterns. 36 Priced special at, yard
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Ladies' Rayon Underwear Bloomers that are well made and from responsible manufacturers. Special		\$1.69 and \$1.98 \$12.50 to \$19.95. On sale at the low price of	Ladies' Glove-Silk I Kayser and Vanity F
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Teds, Gowns, Step-Ins, Pajamas; all of dependable quality, attractively priced.	Corset and Brassier shelves are full Roussof-Ro	bertson 65	Tailored Gowns \$ Children's Rayon Bloomer Suits \$1.:
DOUBLE STAMPS GIVEN	a de la set set		DOUBLE STAMPS GIVEN

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CENTER OF SERVICE

Pay Your October Account in Full by the Tenth and get the S. and H. Green Stamps. In this way you will be able to obtain many of your Christmas Presents Without Cost



36-Inch Washable

FLANNEL

Good range of Colors

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Doors open promptly at 7:00 A. M. Saturday morning

Let Nothing Keep You Away

40 Inch Washable Silk Crepe,

Good color range \$1.29 yd.

Extra Quality

Pillow Cases

42x36

The purpose of this SALE is to make room for a larger and more varied assortment of merchandise. We are not going out of business and after this SALE we will be at the same old stand to greet our customers as usual.

More Excitement Than A County Make Your Have More Pull

This is not an ordinary sale---but sc you have ever witnessed! Come, see for yourself. big yellow and red sign. Only 13 days of this gro miss a single day. Read the program for t

FREE \$404 In Prize

READ How to Win

All Prizes will be given Free of Charge on last day of the Campaign to persons having the most votes. It does not cost you one cent to enter this great campaign.

Votes alone will determine the winners.

Votes will be given with all cash purchases, payments of ac-

3-Piece Overstuffed Living Ro **S160**. 4-Piece Bed Room Set: Bed. Vanit \$98.00

5-Piece Breakfast Suite. Table at

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ut something different from anything urself---you will not be disappointed! Look for the his great event, so you'll have to hurry---Don't for the 13 days at the bottom of this page.

Three Registration Days Saturday, November 5-November 12-November 19

Each Saturday of this sale will be Registration Day at our store. On these days everyone old enough to write may come to the store and register in the book provided for the purpose. To everyone who registers on that day the following votes will be given on prizes offered: 1. Everyone living in the city or within two miles from town will be given 1,000. 2. Those coming two full miles will be given 2,000. 3. Those coming three full miles will be given 3,000 votes. 4. The limit allowed anyone will be 30 miles, 30,000 votes. 5. Traveling men, tourists, visitors and all school children under 15 years of age will only be allowed 1,000 votes regardless of the distance traveled. Get your friends to register for you. No purchase necessary—it's all FREE.





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OUNTY BRIEFS

Blanket

day afternoon the Union Junior Christian Endeavor did not get to render their program. Following is the program for next Sunday

bject: Good Mottoes. president, Thelma McCulley. Business period

Roll-call, answered by scripture otations Reports made on the number of

chapters read in the Bible, also the number of visits made to the sick. Discussion of a plan for the betterment of the chapter. Devotional period.

Cleo Bird, leader Opening Song, "Jesus Loves Me."

Prayer by leader. Scripture Lesson: John 9:4

Margaret Levisay; James 1:22 by Evylin Boler. Song: "We'll Work 'Till Jesus

Comes. Talk: We Must Work by leader.

Thelma McCulley. Reading :: Ora Strickland Song. Sentence Prayer

Bible Drill: The Ten Commandments, led by Irene Falls. Endeavor Benediction. Rev. James Henderson attended

the Fifth Sunday meeting at Jorian Springs last Saturday

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Will Franklin invited a number of ladies to good time as they had years. They quilted six quilts and got them out some time before area. They quilted six quilts and wood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Carpenter, here Sunday. the day with relatives. Sunday and spent Sunday State get them out some time before night. Those present on this happy occasion were Mesdames Clifford Smith, W. C. Ramsey, Mollie Faulk-ner, J. N. Bailey, Robert Ferguson, Lane, D. P. Knox, T. M. Curry, H. Lane, D. R. Knox, T. M. Curry, H. M. Boyer, J. W. Dabney, H. L. Moore, Iris Franklin, F. G. Bettis, A. M. Betto, Mary, Polen, Status, and Market Morth Saturday. Tamily, are thinking of moving to Mrs. Claud Snow is greatly im-

Smith, W. E. Harrell, R. T. Magill, J. L. Long, Frank Parson, Lela Hicks, Oscar Sides, Marson, Lela Hicks, Oscar Sides, Marson, Lela Mr. and Mrs. Goss Cobb left the first of the week for Maizeland, Hicks, Oscar Sides, Marson, Lela Where Mr. Cobb have a message Tuesday announcing the Mr. and Mrs. A Hicks, Oscar Sides, Misses Myrtle where Mr. Cobb has a position in serious illness of her father, Mr. Faulkner and Irene Falls.

Mrs. Brown of Ennis, is here this week visiting her son, Dr. W. E. a few days ago from New Mexico, Jerry, were Bangs visitors Tuesday Rev. L. L. Felder, pastor of the eral of a granddaughter.

Central Methodist church Brown-wood preached in the Methodist church here Wednesday night of last week. He was accompanied by his wife also Mesdames A. D. Por-etr and Wes Damson. A good crowd Mr. and Mrs. Brown also Dr. Dr. etr and Wes Damson. A good crowd was present to hear Rev. Felder. He was the pastor of the Methodist He was the pastor of the Methodist church here some time ago and isa Tuesday loved by all who know him

well spent the week-end here with relative W. F. Moore has been suffering

On account of the rain last Sun- for several days with a carbuncle. We are glad it is improving. B. H. Bettis of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

tend.

Ila Mae Hesler has a carbuncle on her neck and has suffered consid-Meeting called to order by the erably for some time but she is

> tives here Sunday Most of the young people here neloyed Hallowe'en to the fullest ex-

Mr. and Mrs. V. Eoff entertent. grades with a party. Prof and Mrs. Willoughby entertained the eighth

Dabney and Freida Knudson spent Peace. Miss Nichols had been mak-

the week-end here with homefolks. ing her home in Bangs for some Miss Clarice Bettis visited rela- time. The happy pair visited the

Talk: Failure Leads to Success by week-end

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart went Glen Rose last Sunday to visit Mrs. Stewart's sister, who is in a idents of our little city. sanitarium there

planning to move to Brownwood in their home. working over there for some time.

We hate for them to move from our Sunday. community. They will be missed lin invited a number of ladies to community. They will ways. Miss Wells is an come to her home to enjoy an old in so many ways. Miss Wells is an time quilting. At an early hour experienced seamstress and she will of the Methodist church met in the ladies. Mathodist church met in the ladies. Mathodist church here Wednesday. hey began to come and just such be greatly missed by the ladies Methodist church here Wednesday. quilting whom she has been sewing for. Mrs. Presiding Elder Porter preached at Cabler, Myrtle Daniel; Messrs. Fred and talking till the noon hour when Eddings has moved to town, how- the morning service. splendid dinner was spread. Ev- ever and will take Miss Wells place served at the church and the busta splendid dinner was spread. Ev-ery one seemed to enjoy the day and several expressed themselves as Wells family wish for them unlim-war as presiding Elder having enjoyed the day more than ited success wherever they may go. year as Presiding Elder. any day they had spent in several Miss Susie Carpenter of Brown-

M. Ratto, Mary Baker. Sallie Fort Worth. Mr. Dowdy is a fine proved after several days' serious was in Zephyr Sunday. A. M. Hatto, Mary Baker, Same barber and he will be greatly missed illness. Webb, A. H. Williams, Lee Stewart, barber and he will be greatly missed Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cook who

Mrs. Brown of Ennis, is here this Mrs. W. B. Rogers returned home immediately for his bedside.

where she went to attend the fun-Mrs. Joe McKinney of Hillsboro

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bettis and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

James Tackett and Miss May ter is coming.

church here some time ago and iss loved by all who know him. Bryan Richmond, who has been in a sanitarium in San Antonio for



in the Baptist church Sunday morn- D. Sanderson Sunday. Mexico, was present and held the audience spell bound by her won-derful address, Woman's part in the Mi

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Nance Wiley of Kingdom's service. It was to a woman San Saba were visiting Mrs. Wiley's and family Sunday. that Jesus gave his first message parents at this place. after the Resurrection. The thought J. L. Smith was in I J. L. Smith was in Brownwood on

was left with us that the world business Saturday. would be better, if we choose the Miss Myrtle Staggs of Brown-

better part in life; give back to the wood spent the week-end with Mr. master in service the life He has and Mrs. W. K. Cabler. given to us; one-seventh of our time Misses Vivian Belvin, Lona Lee

belongs to the Lord. This service Bingham and Maxine Boase were will be long remembered by Bingham and Maxine Boase will those who were permitted to at in Brownwood Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrison All left feeling grateful in Clair Bettis of May visited rela-their hearts to the society for their and son of Brownwood spent Sun-

wonderful entertainment through day with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bothe afternoon. Punch was served to land. each one as they left the building. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hart, Sr., left Mrs. Milton Preston returned to Wednesday afternoon for New Mex-month of October totaled 22 as THE STATE OF TEXAS, tained the tenth and eleventh her home at Winters Monday after ico to spend a few weeks. a visit to relatives here.

and minth grades with a party and the younger boys and girls were this place, and Miss Leona Nichols Saturday night a Halloweer

Misses Louise Baker, Cornelia of October, by the Justice of the crowd attended, all reporting an enjoyable time. bride's mother at Copperas Cove. Brownwood on Wednesday. Mrs. S. E. Lacy is on the sick list this week. We hope she will soon They returned Saturday and have this week. We hope she will soon They returned Saturday and have

school in Brownwood, Misses Nina Dossey and Zera Misses Nina Dossey and Zera Tidwell visited in Stephenville last Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pace, who re-side near Mount Zion, have pur-Mrs. W. S. Shesser and Mrs. D. J. Mrs. W. S. Shesser and Mrs. D. J. chased the place known as the Dan Lockett of Mullin spent Wednesday accurate as can be determined

Howell place, and will soon be res- with Mrs. J. L. Boland. Miss Vivian Belvin entertained

number of her friends with a Hal-Mrs. J. N. Vandever and daughter loween party Monday night. Var-Mrs. Milt Well and daughter are of Proctor are now making Bangs ious games were played after which refreshments were served to a few days. Mr. Wells has been Rev. W. L. Daniel filled the pul- following guests: Misses Marzelk pit in the Baptist church at Proctor Boland, Thelma and Ethelmore Pliler, Lucile Dabney, Evelyn Smith Alma and Thelma Cartwright

Beulah Fry, Maxine Boase, Eloise Lunch was Wright, Henry and Douglas Fry.

C. B. Guyger and family motored time

Mrs. Bert Penhale and children Sunday. Mrs. W. T. Timmins of Brown-wood was in Zephyr Tuesday.

Browning Roberts of Goldthwaite

Messrs. Harvey Kesler and Presley Van Zandt were in Brownwood

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney were in Brownwood Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wren and

Mrs. J. J. Vardeman and son. here, returned home Wednesday. Mrs. Bailey, who have been visiting Mrs. H. S. Locks left Wednesday for Magarett, where she will spend

a few days visiting friends.

little cooler, which reminds us win-

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Misses Lizzie and Susie Haynes

were guests in the home of H. E. Johnson of Brownwood Haynes and family Sunday Mrs. L. A. Bagley visited Mrs. R.

> C. A. Cavel and family of Brownwood were guests of S. H. Spivey

Frank Havnes and wife of Brown

ren and family Sunday.

Births in County Exceed Deaths by Four to One Rate

compared to 19 for September. Oc-Saturday night a Halloween party Deaths in Brownwood and Brown entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Tom of Copperas Cove were united in and box supper were given at the county for the year of 1927 total marriage in Brownwood on the 26th school auditorium. A very large 159.

October was also the banner month in the matter of births for Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty were in the current year with 87 recorded with the county clerk for the month. They returned Saturday and have Boland, Ferry Materia and and the Sparks home. Shirley Baker, who are attending year, according to County Clerk an apartment in the Sparks home. School in Brownwood, spent the Stark's record is 218. This figure is spent the

Coleman County Man Sells Car Load of Horses to U.S. Army

COLEMAN, Nov. 2. (Sp.)-A car heirs and legal representatives of oad of 21 head of army horses were each and all the above named percaded at Novice yesterday for ship- sons, their heirs and legal represenment to the U.S. Remount Sta- tatives, and each of them, by maktion, at Fort Reno, Oklahoma. Maj- ing publication of this citation once or Grove Cullum, U. S. A, was in in each week for four successive Coleman the past week inspecting weeks previous to the return day horses that would come up to army hereof in some newspaper published specifications. Theo Duman whose in your county, to appear at the next ranch is located near Goldsboro in regular term of the District Court of the Northwest section of Coleman Brown County, Texas, to be holden County, supplied the desired horses, at the Court House thereof in of which he purchased from Brownwood, Texas, on the third rard Kingsbury of Santa Anna. Monday in November, 1927, same be-Dunman has sold horses to the ing the 21st day of November, A. D. Army the past six years, and has 1927, then and there to answer a peon his ranch a stallion furnished tition filed in said court on the 20th him by the government to insure day of October, A. D., 1927, in a suit the type of horses they desire. numbered on the docket

November 9 with Mrs. R. D. San- BIRTHDAY DINNER AT ELLIS HOME ON SUNDAY in E. Y. Gibbs is plaintiff and ises for brings

The home of Bill Ellis, five miles Marcus Huling, M. Huling, title for the title east of Brownwood on the Zephyr Greenleaf Fisk, Mary Ann Fisk, land and for dan. A road was the scene of a birthday James B. Fisk, William A. Fisk, plaintiff pleads tith by dinner on Sunday when about one Margaret Jane Fisk, Mulliam A. Fisk, plaintiff pleads tith by virtue of the hundred and twenty assembled from Gashiev Jane Fisk, Ann Elizabeth five and ten year statutes of limihundred and twenty assembled from Cashion, Thomas J. Cashion, Josiah the Stepps Creek Community. Each one brought well filled bas-

kets of good things to eat which William Joimson, E. A. Walker were spread at the noon hour and Samuel Carothers, James Branch, wood and Otto Koch and family of were fully enjoyed. Music was fur-Bangs were guests of C. J. Tervoo-nished throughout the day. C. Mauldin, Ann E. Cashion, Thomas Bangs were guests of C. J. Tervoo- nished throughout the day.

The occasion was planned for C. Cashion, Martin J. Wells, The occasion was planned for friends who eelebrated their birth-days in October who were Mr. J. M. Ethridge, Mrs. Etto Snow, R. E. Chrane, Ben Hunt, Mrs. Cull Earp Will Page, Clarence Collie, Mrs. Lee Crain and Mrs. Lou Salyer, all of Brown County, Mrs. Fannie Scott of Sweetwater and Mrs. Minnie Wheat of Wingate, besides several children

Goodloe, Robert Goodloe, and the

Little Miss Dorothy Reasoner, who has been ill for some time, is deaths for the year to date, while STABLE OF BROWN COUN- and legal representatives, are de-

You are hereby commanded to summon Marcus Huling, M. Hulber, Greenleaf Fisk, Mary Ann Fisk, James B. Fisk, William A. Fisk, Margaret Jane Fisk, Ann Elizabeth Out by No. 207 out of M. Huling Margaret Jane Fisk, Ann Elizabeth Margaret Jane Fisk, Ann Elizabeth Cashion, Thomas J. Cashion, Jorlah Fisk, Mary Fisk, Benjamin Lennson, William Johnson E. Welker William Johnson, Walker, Lot No. 207. Thence S. 45 E. 50 feet. Samuel Carothers, James Branch, Nicholas Branch, Jno, Leinatz, Elihu Clerk Samuel Carothers, Thence N. 43% E. 197% feet to E corner subdivision D. Thence N 47% W. 63% feet; Thence S. W. 891 C. Cashion, Martin J. Wells, Hender-son Upehurch, Alexander Watson. feet to the beginning. That on said Junes Conbert Noble First Junio October 1st, 1927, defendants unlaw-

r, Mrs. M. J. Mur-Mrs. M. J. Murray, Currier, M. J. Murray, a feme sole, Ed Green, Edmund Green, Sarah A. Green,

James Cochran

Samuel Green, Mrs. S. A. Green, Bob Goodloe, Robert Goodloe, and the

of Wingate, besides several children. Edmund Green, Sarah A. Green, Samuel Green, Mrs. S. A. Green, Bob heirs and legal representatives of each and all the above named per-

court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 20th day of October, A. Mur-Ulerk, District Court, Brown Coun-ty, Texas. Oct.20-27;Nov.3-10 ty, Texas.

STABLE OF BROWN COUN- and legal representatives, are de-TY-GREETING:- fendants, said petition alleging that

Fisk, Mary E, Fisk, Mary E. Woods ejected plaintiff therefrom and ever



Austin Mill & Noble Fisk, Lydia fully entered upon said premises and W. D. Currier, Mary S. since and still are unlawfully with-



ing all claims and liens indants in or to said land.

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everal days has improved enough to come home. He is still under treatment of a physician but his many friends hope he will soon be again vell again.

Mr. Jackson Horton has been sick for several days. We hope he will oon recover.

The pupils of the public school spent quite an enjoyable day Satirday. They had a school parade in the afternoon and a program in the chool auditorium Saturday night. Mrs. Bryan Richmond came home

Thursday of last week from Brownwood sanitarium where she inderwent an operation for appen-She is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. R. Deen went to Stephenville on busines last Saturday. Mrs. Mollie Faulkner is having a w yard fence put up and her yard filled in. When it is finished she will have a very attractive flower yard

Vanfleet, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Richmond is very sick at this writing. He was carried to a sanitarium in Brownwood Sunday morning and all that skilled Harrell physicians and trained nurses can do is being done for him and the many friends of the family hope he will soon recover.

Mrs. Robinson of Eldorado came are invited to attend these devo Sunday and spent the night with tional meetings whether they ar her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leaguers or not. Come. Richmond. She was on her way to Dallas to place her baby in a

anitarium at that place. Some time ago the little fellow swallowed piece of grass and the physicians at Eldorado failed to get it and she of the Methodist church met in then went to San Angelo and they the church Monday afternoon and there, so she has gone to had invited the other societies

mied her from here Monday. W. C. Ramsey and sons, Lowal "Take my life and let it b and Leo also his daughter, Jewel Consecrated Lord to Thee.' came home Saturday from Young tional was conducted by Mrs. May

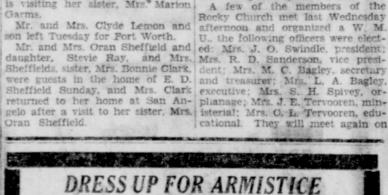
some time real soon. They will have an auction sale of stoch eed and farm implements at their here next Saturday afteroon, beginning at one o'clock. We ate for this good family to leave munity and wish for them est of success wherever they

W. E. Harrell preached if dist church here Sunday ing and Rev. J. B. Henderson, r of the Baptist church preachin the Methodist church Sunday A good crowd attended conthe threatening weather. the Nanda Yantis was real sick first of the week. We hope the le lady will soon be all-right. tile Martha Kneedson happena very painful accident one ast week when she stuck a er in her foot. The splinter ved by a physician considerably for a suffered con ut we are glad to report he

working with a hay press and in some way got his foot hurt. We hope he will soon be able to be out son left Tuesday for Fort Worth.

Senior League Program for November 6, 1927, 6:30 p. m. Subject: The Christian Attitude Toward War Leader, Heber Moore. Opening Song, No. 25. Song No. 141. Oran Sheffield. Prayer. Announcement Scripture Lesson: Isaiah 9:1-7. Luke 2.10-14; Matt. 5:9,43,44. What Should Be the Christian's Attitude? Robert Ferguson. What is responsible for Race Prejudice? by Miss Stella Moore. Is War Organized Murder? by Mrs. H. L. Moore. Ought the Church to Campaign to Abolish War? by Lois Fuller. Do you believe in Preparedness What is Your Opinion of Military Training in our Schools and Col Little Tot's leges? Is it Likely to Make Us Blue Overalls Militaristic Nation? by Rev. W. Closing Song No. 159 Boys' Havnes League Benediction. Everyone who is interested in the young people's work of the church \$20.00 grade BANGS The Woman's Missionary Dallas. Her brother Macon accom- the town to meet with them. let They are planning to by reading the ninety-first Psaln **THE PROOF** of the Biscuit is the Easting For Results Use Ladies' nev Sold By Your Grocer Silk Dresses-\$5.35 to \$9.95 Made and Guaranteed

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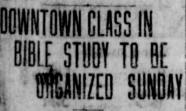
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RODUCTS

THE BANNER-BULLETIN, NOVEMBER 3, 1927

& Gas Company has in its No. 18 H. J. Ellis in nfield pool, finding 32 feet The well flowed 40 barrels first hour and produced 800 els in the 24 hours. This is an offset to the Cranfill Reynolds No, 7 on the M. L.



Downtown Bible class for men is be organized next Sunday after-n at 3 o'clock, at the McInnis el on Lee street. A preliminary ing to discuss the matter was unday afternoon, with repre-ves of most of the city's present, and P. A. Glan-elected temporary chair-usiness manager for the s. At the meeting next Sunday s expected that permanent or-ization will be effected:

time, the first Bible be held at the McInnis the scene is tense as the twins face hips began to tremble a little and her sister whispered something in nday morning at 9:30 hen an experienced teacher

churches and hools of the city will aid in con- threw an arm around her waist. ting the work.

speakers pointing out the ed for such a Bible class and sug-ting methods for making it a one.

enterprise. The McInnis noted, comfortably and attractfurnished and is conveniently ed, so that men from the hotels places in the business

is non-denominational. ouragement of all the will be sought. Competent hers will be chosen as the n the class work.



unday School of the First tist church will hold a training ol here next week, from Novem-6 to 13, it was announced Sur

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE of tegeups. Mollie drank gratefully, | lower lip. Tears had wet his eyes To the hom, of Prof and Mollie Jim, too, was served with tea. He again. Elwell in Camoonville, Indiana, one watched Mollie drink and then it seemed that he was striving vainly to tell them something-to tell them that, yes, he recalled this train. That night twin girls are born Their voices. Martha noticed thankto her and she dies without reveal- fully, were calmer now. Perhaps, she knew.

Broken

ing her name. The story then moves forward 18 was thinking, they were safe now. Presently Rusty moved over be-

World War. He then discovers that tired, too, dear.'

reported dead. Much later he is began to stroke it slowly. identified in a New York hospital, where his parents find him with his over toward Betty. "Come here, speech and memory gone. He is sister," she said, "and let's both talk like a living dead man. It's both talk

The day before he is to be taken home he wanders away from his nurse. Late that night he is found in Bellevue hospital with his skull fractured, expected to die. He had here in this room." She turned to Mollie to explain: "I think I'm all right now, Mollie. Betty and I will be careful." Mollie nodded. "Just so you don't urset him too much door."

upset him too much, dear." The two girls seated themselve been hit by a truck. The twins are in Indianapolis at

the home of their uncle, wealthy each on an arm of Jim's chair and John Clayton, the mystery of their started in, as Rusty expresed it, "to identity having cleared while Jim was away. Some time later Mollie writes that Jim will live but his man to get chummy with. He simply But this Jim was a difficult young and P. A. Glan-temporary chair-manager for the ting next Sunday

their old nurse, go to Camdenville, to look into his eyes and did get a to greet him. When the Elwells arrived home. good look at them. He was crying, "Oh!" she gasped, startled. Betty's

NOW BEGIN THE STORY her ear. CHAPTER XLV

After a the class work and as as can be induced to at-constitute the class. It is CHAPTER XLV After a moment Rusty turned to Mollie. Tha Dalton said gently, and War-tha Dalton said gently, and Wollie dear," she said. any men as can be induced to at-end will constitute the class. It is tha Dalton said gently, and "Mollie dear," she said, trying hobable that the regular classes took hold of Jim's free hand, press-dil be held each Sunday at the ing it gently between both her own conning hour, and workers chosen Betty, who was still clinging to her harp from the next room—we s chosen Betty, who was still clinging to her harp from the next room—we Sunday Jim's other hand, let go, and Rusty brought it over specially—and sing

to Jim. It may-oh, Mollie, it-it Martha Dalton led the way with may-" she stopped, her dark eyes the preliminary meeting Sun- Jim into the other room and to a big two wells of tears. a alternoon warm endorsement chair, away from the merciless glare Mollie hesitated momentarily and the Bible class plan was voiced, of the lights. There she helped him looked over at Prof. who nodded. "I

think." he said. "it will be all right, to sit down. He was apathetic, looking at no dear." Mike Hennegan said, "If you'll in a light, English tweed, excuse me, folks, I'll just move out gray suit and wore a low collar with on the porch-just for a breath of black bow tie

"Now," said Martha calmly, "we'll Prof just sit down and talk a while and "Certainly, Mike." an attend the classes with im of time and effort. The girls just sit still till you get get get got the big harp from its corner. accustomed to things a little better. She came back presently and stood I won't have you going to pieces it in front of Betty, who had seated

> "Mr. Hennegan," she called to Mike, who moved swiftly into the room at the sound of his name. "I Mollie Elwell sat hunched



Prof Elwell sat up straight. Mollie and Prof seated themselves most rigid. His face was a mask. lose to Jim and Martha. Betty Martha Dalton was thinking that took the chair next to Jim's mother she hadn't seen anything so pitiful

but Rusty remained standing. They could not, it seemed, keep their eyes Jim. her trembling hands holding on away from Jim's face, but things were beginning to adjust themselves in a measure. Martha Dalton was fighting for

smiled

And then the strings of the harp me. She wanted to smoothe over vibrated ever so softly in a harmonifrom the next half an hour, if possible, to

riage certificate here with me-and to defendant A. D. Eschberger the the rate of 8 per cent per annum sister was a witness to our marriage. following described lands and premi-Oh, Mollie, you mustn't say what ises, situated in Brownwood, Brown tional 10 per cent as attorney fees you did. I'm his wife-his wife: Oh. County, Texas, to-wit: Lots Nos. 1, and retained a Vendor's Lien against Mollie, Mollie, pity me a little too"

Whesh girl is Jim's wife? The next and his teeth were biting into his stranger

tell them that, yes, he recalled this music; it was familiar to him; he

Betty's voice went on: "And there"- she sang, but the

her, but she twisted out of reach. it" Don't you see what you are do- the downtown district. Mr. Burks

But Mollie was not to be halted. Betty looked up with a startled exlamation at sight of her white fac and Rusty uttered a protest. But seemingly possessed of a Mollie. sudden strength born of hysteria grabbed both of them and literally oushed and carried them across the oom and thrust them between the rtieres into the next apartment. Martha Dalton fluttered in Mol-

lie's wake, but Prof. white to the lips, had sunk into a chair. Jim was slumped still farther back into the his face twitching nervously seat. and the tears streaming down his moment Rusty again

> "Girls." Martha Dalton called and moved into the next room where Rusty and Betty were.

Mike Hennegan, hearing the commotion, had entered quietly and he stood just inside the door from the porch, a careful eye co "ed on Jim. Mollie rushed back to her son and now Mike turned his head. Presently

he went out again. "Oh, my boy, my boy!" Mollie

Now, Mollie, don't let yourself go like that. Everything's all right, you Why don't you-"Prof's voice know. had faded in a futile whisper. Jim's mother, her body shaking

understandingly man's hair. "My boy," she said, over and over

"they shan't do it. You've done your part. They shan't cut into your heart any more like that. herself in the chair at Jim's side. she see what she was doing? They The girl was trembling as though Mollie Elwell sat hunched forward

> is, has no right"-She stopped short and fell to cry-

doorway.

"Now, now, dear." Martha Daltor

us. You can't shut Jim off from me like that."

shook her off

summer night before Jim had arm. But the vehement little figure

was at her side,

(To Be Continued)

chapter tells that-and something

ELABORATE PLANS FOR

The story then moves forward is years. The twins have been adopted and named Margaret and Elizabeth. They are called Rusty and Betty. Jim Elwell, the son, enlists in the Prof said, gently, "I think Jim is Presently Rusty moved over out of the Prof said, gently, "I think Jim is the prof said

World War. He then discovers that tired, too, dear." The is shell-shocked at Sedan and and took one of Jim's hands and took one of Jim's hand men of Brownwood to discuss plan "My God!" she was saying, "Stop for Christmas holiday decorations in

"Mollie!" Prof cried, and Martha decorations with colored lights in will present to them plans for street Dalton moved quickly to his side, to keeping with the holiday spirit. The help him quiet the half hysterical system of decorations that will be offered to the business men wil

Imake Brownwood one of the most Her fingers had grasped the arms beautifully decorated cities in West of both girls with a cruel intensity, or Central Texas if adopted by the merchants of the city. Secretary Burks gave a report on

a recent trip to Cisco, Rising Star, Blake and other towns and cities north of Brownwood. Mr. Burks told the board of direc

ors that he had reliable information the effect that the Roxana Petroleum Company had given wor 200 men in the Rosenfield field this morning, which makes a total of 300 now at work on the new gasoine plant being built by Roxan ther

Mr. Burks informed the board of ors that he would have a peanut buyer in Brownwood not

week. - The Brown county peanut

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STATE OF TEXAS

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the District Court of B shan't; they shan't. They've gone to be held at the Court House there-

ing silently, her head down in Jim's there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of Jan-

parted and a wild figure of a girl, Oscar Eschberger, are Plaintiff, and her hair streaming about her face, A. D. Eschberger and W. L. Wall her dark eyes dilated, stood in the are Defendants and said petition alging that on or about November

"I do so have a right. Mollie El- 14. 1926, plaintiffs sold and conveyed coordes coord

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you shan't. Don't you

Barton - Durstine Debarn.

PAGE SEVEN

WHEREFORE. plaintiffs following described lands and premi-ises, situated in Brownwood, Brown County, Texas, to-wit: Lots Nos. 1, and retained a Vendor's Lien against upon a hearing hereof they have 2 and 3 of Tannehill's Second Ad-said lands. That on November 5th, judgment for their debt, interest lon to Brownwood, Texas; that 1925, a written agreement duly sign- attorneys fees and said Deed of conveyance fully de- ed by plaintiffs and defendant was a foreclosure of the Vendor's Lien scribed the above numbered lots, entered into extending the time for and for general and special relief. but has never been filed for Record and is now in the possession of said A. D. Eschberger. page 452 Brown County Dess Rec- thereon, showing how you have exe Strict cuted the same

Plaintiffs further say that defend-ant A. D. Eschberger did as part of the consideration for the convey-ince of said land to him eventued. Note has been demanded, the de-fendant has failed and refused to Given under my hand and the pay same or any part thereof to seal of said Court, at office in pay same or any part thereof to seal of said Court, at office in this the 19th Brownwood, Texas, on this the 19th and delivered to plaintiffs his one certain promissory note in the prin-cipal sum Eight Hundred Ninety ant W. L. Wall is in possession of day of October, A. D. 1927.

CHAS S. BYNUM

said lands and premises, and is as-serting some claim of title to same. Clerk. District Court. Brown Coun-ty. Texas. Oct. 20-27,Nov.3-19 Said Note providing interest at serting some claim of title to same. ty, Texas.

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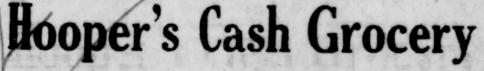
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uary, A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered

And then from the other room came a stifled cream. The portieres 5008, wherein Walter Eschberger and

Lecture will be 45 and second class perwill last from 8:15 to 9 p. m. officers teachers, deacons, laynbers of organized classes nbership in general are to attend, the pastor, Dr. A. e following classes will be open,

ussell of Dallas; cra-Mrs. Ricks of Hope, Ark.; growing, Dr. Prince; win-Christ, W. T. Curtis; teachteach, Mrs. E. Godbold ard Sunday school building. wiley, Duquinn, Illinois.; young ple and adults, Miss Beulain ra Sunday school secretary and ord system, Mr. Cook. We want to have the greatest thers training school next week

t any of us have ever seen." Rev. hee stated. "To accomplish this have arranged classes suitable everyone, and we are counting embers of the church t

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break the tension and let the twins ing, as they had done accustom themselves to the sight of iless face. Jint's expr gone away to war "Tell me." she said to Prof, "did you have a nice trip. Are you tired? I have a kettle on the stove and we'll have tea. Did you eat dinner?" They had, he told her. "But I'd be obliged for a cup of tea-if you don't mind, Martha. Mollie's tired

I know "A little," Mollie confessed. and returned presently with a tray in his eyes. His face was

Betty's voice, shaky but infinitely "You can't say that, Mollie Elwe! You said once that we should go on with our plans just as if Jim was 'Oh promise dead, but think my heart is broken as well as Will take our love to yours? You say I have no right, but tant sky.

on that long

have as good a right as you. "I-I have the right of-of a Jim Elwell was looking at her, still Jim's wife! Hear me? He gave me The old nurse went to the kitchen with that strange, baffled expression that right that day in Chicago be-

fore he went away. I have our man

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MORTUARY

TOMASA ROMERO

Tomasa Romero, the one year old ughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eastern the esteem and respect of all who ero, died Tuesday at the family knew him. home here. Funeral services were held Wednesday at two o'clock p. m. in the St. Mary's Catholic church were conducted by Father He was married Nov. 11, 1874, and Fletcher. Burial was made in Greenleaf.

MRS. MARY JENNINGS

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Mrs. Mary Jennings, age 90, one of the pioneer citizens of the Winchell community, died at the home of her son. Will Jennings, of that Tuesday. Mrs. Jencommunity. nings was born in Llano county and had lived in Texas all of her life, 40 years of which had been spent in the Winchell community. Funeral services were held at the Cox centery near Winchell Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Burial was made there.

Mrs. Jennings is survived by three ons. Luke Jennings of Globe, Ari-Will and Joe Jennings, of ona: Winchell. In addition to the three ons there are several grandchildren Eliabeth Strother, Miss Anna Strogreat grandchildren who and two survive their grandmother.

DANIEL LUTHER NICHOLSON Luther Nicholson, 1203 ther funeral were Steve McHorse, Brady Avenue, a citizen of Brown- R. A. Snider, Ernest Morris, J. A. wood and Brown county for the Speaker, W. E. Wilson, Jr., and C. J. past 20 years, died at the family Gilliam. esidence Sunday Mr. Nicholson was born in Titus County, January E. Wilson, Sr. H. C. Rucker, Bob 23, 1868, and had lived in Texas all Jones, W. A. Ewing, J. M. Eaton, G were born five children, four of

whom survive Mr. Nicholson joined the Missionary Baptist Church in 1896 and had Brownwood, age 48 years, died Satseen active in the work of his urday as a result of injuries reburch ever since. He was a regular ceived in an automobile accident attendant at the Coggin Avenue Tuesday night. Funeral services Baptist church, although he had were conducted at the McInnis never placed his membership with that congregation. Chapel Sunday afternoon at two o'clock by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, and congregation.

son were held Monday afternoon at tery, seven or eight miles from five o'clock at the Coggin Avenue Brownwood on the Thrifty road. church and were conduc- Pallbearers were: Bob Parker, Jim Baptist church and were conduc-ed by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pastor Gwathmey, Ed Gifford, Perry Tay-Gwathmey, Ed Gifford, Perry Tayof that church. Dr. Hornburg was lor, Angus Evans and Roy Geeler. assisted by Rev. W. D. Watkins. Burial was made in Greenleaf. Mr. Nicholson is survived by his Tuesday night when he was thrown wife, two sons, C. R. Nicholson, of from a car driven by William Rich-Worth and F. A. Nicholson of ownwood: two daughters. Mrs. L. H. Allsup of Fort Worth and Miss Thelma Nicholson of Brownwood; and two brothers, J. W. Nichon, of Oklahoma and Sam Nich-

olson, Burleson. Pall bearers for the Nicholson were Joe Alley, David uneral Jones, Albert Stevenson, Will Talort. Charlie Hallum. R. L. Benson Silas Drake, and A. M. Ward.

MRS. ORPHA JANE HANNAH SAWYER

Mrs. Orpha Jane Hannah Sawyer wife of J. M. Sawyer, died Saturday at the family home at 611 Avenue D. Mrs. Sawyer had been a citizen of Brownwood for 21 years. She was born in Alabama, Oct. 29. 1852, and was exactly 75 years of

age at the time of her death. Mrs. Sawyer was a member of the Baptist church at the time of her death and had been a faithful member of that church for many years.

lowing a short illness. Mrs. Stroth-er was born in Bastrop county. Oct. 25, 1857, and lacked only two days of being 77 when death claimed him He had been a prominent citizen of Brownwood for 25 years and held

Mr. Strother was a member of the Baptist church and was at all times faithful in the work of his church. is survived by his life-time companion. To this union was born nine children, all of whom survive and will be here for the funeral services

of their father. Funeral services were held morning at ten o'clock Tuesday week. from the family residence at 2015 Avenue D, and were conducted by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pastor of the Coggin Avenue Baptist church. Dr. Hornburg was assisted by hi brother, L. D. Hornburg of Menard. Burial was made in Greenleaf.

Relatives surviving Mr. Strother are his wife, four sons, J. L. Strother of Coleman, P. J. Strother of Fort 12. Worth. S. C. Strother of Shreveport. La., and Rev. E. N. Strother of pleased with the reception given to Chectah, Oklahoma, five daughters Mrs. J. C. Barnett of Mercury, Mrs. W. B. Taylor of Corsicana, Miss

ther and Mrs. A. P. Ewing, all of Brownwood, many grandchildren nd other relatives Active pall bearers for the Stro-

other branches. Honorary pall bears were: w

be of his life. He was married in A. Hoffman, W. S. Westcott, W. Gatesville in 1890 and to the union Jarrell and R. L. Holt.

W. J. HOFFMAN

William Jackson Hoffman 0 000 pupils from the Brown county schools to visit Brownwood on that day. An early meeting of the commit-Funeral services for Mr. Nichol- burial made in the Rockey cemetee to work out detailed plans for the day is expected.

> Mr. Hoffman's right arm was crushed and other injuries sustained ardson. He was hurled from th car when, swerving to one side of the street to dodge another car, it struck a telephone pole.

EARLY MAKES INSPECTION

has not been set. J. B. Early, division engineer for

this district of the state and a re-presentative of the State Highway the company is much higher than Department, with Hilton Burks it should be. He declares the rate secretary of the local Chamber of proposed by Council is fair and rea-Commerce, went over every foot of sonable, and that Brownwood has with married men? the Rising Star to Brownwood road been paying higher rates than were Wednesday afternoon, from the necessary.

Wednesday afternoon, from the necessary. Eastland-Brown county line to the The original franchise granted city limits of Brownwood. Every W. A. Letson for the Brownwood culvert and bridge was examined by Gas Company set rates at 50 cents fort and more satisfaction in the two men and a close study was a 1,000 cubic feet. On July 7th, tamily residence Sunday afternoon the two men and a close study was a 1,000 cubic feet. On July 7th, Dayton Thorogred Tires. Mr. Early pointed out all of the 20th, 1927, Council passed an ordi imum rate for 1000 cubic feet. June For sale by United Tire Co., the First Baptist Church. Burial was made in the Staley cemetery Senday afternoon. Mr. Early pointed out all of the 20th, 1927, Council passed an other changes that must be made on this nance ordering the company to road before the State Highway De-partment will take it over as a State same rate. The company secured an other sourt enjoin. Mrs. Sawyer is survived by her husband, three sons, L. D. and Lewis Sawyer, of Brownwood and J. D. Eawyer of Eastland; and two daugh injunction in district court enjoin-toon of all that must be done and will clearly set out the changes, im-ter the transformation of Luke 1 and the survey made by Major Pow-R. F. D. No. 1-J. C. HALL. 1tp. ters. Mrs. W. A. Jarvis, of Hooker, Okla, and Mrs. W. B. Redner, of Buon wood In addition to the male before he will recommend that the before he will recommend that the before a state bight Biownwood. In addition to the road be taken over as a state high- the company by the Lone Star Cas imme tiate family 21 grand children and 6 great grandchildren survive. Pall bearers for the funeral were: Mr. Burks stated this morning that Mr. Early was very reasonable pany. Cliff Redner. John Barber. O. E. in his demands and it is expected pany. A. J. Gates, Brownwood engineer, Winebrennir, Earl Batton, Charlie that it will be possible to comply Gilliam, Hal Jackson, Britt Towery with the requirements as outlined The report, together w The report, together with the by the division engineer. As soon as Mr. Early's written statement is received Burks will confer with the the hands of Judge R. E. Lee, city attorney, who is preparing for a commissioners court hearing before railroad con Forces Hostile to Relinquishment Act First Christians Win Point in Court Move Into New



In proposing a county rural school day to be held in Brownwood, he has in mind that it should be made an educational day, with incidental

the month of October amounted to social and pleasure making feaonly \$25 according to the records of tures, states County Superintendent Fire Inspector F. M. Morgan. Only Oscar Swindle, who presented the two calls were made by the local suggestion for such an event at the fire department and only one of Chamber of Commerce and Young these amounted to anything, the Men's Business League banquet last other being a trash fire. Fire orig-

inating in the kitchen of Joe Since the week of November 7th Leach's home caused a loss estihas been designated by Governor mated at about \$25. September passed without a sin-Mr Moody as Educational Week, Swindle believes the schools of the gle fire that did any material damcounty should have a program of There was one fire in the age. work arranged that would carry month of August that caused a loss out the expectations for the week, of approximately \$1,500. The total climaxing it with the meeting in

property loss by fire in Brownwood Brownwood on Saturday, November January 1 amounts to \$21,535, most of which was incurred in one single The County Superintendent month.

The fire loss in Brownwood for

the school idea by the board of di- Attorneys to Appeal to Higher Court

rectors at their luncheon last Mon-COLEMAN, Oct. 24.-(SP)-A moday. Until their committee has met with him to work out the plans. tion for a new trial for Oliver nothing definite can be announced C. Wells, convicted here last week as to the program, but it is hoped and sentenced to death for the slayto have such a schedule worked out January 27 of J. A. Mitchell, Coleas will enable teachers and pupils to man storekeeper, was overruled by gather information that will be of Judge J. O. Woodward in a hearing help to them in their work in civics. in district court Saturday afternoon possibly in their history and Judge J. K. Baker, who has been retained to aid other defense attor

It is hoped that arrangements can neys, immediately gave notice that made to have committees from he would file appeal to the court of the schools to visit the various incriminal appeals in Austin. Roy dustries, wholesale houses and oth- Hill and B. W. Patterson representer institutions in the city Mr. Swin-dle says, and he trusts there will be

Three witnesses were placed on a hearty co-operation on the part the stand at the hearing Saturday of the heads of all institutions, in

They included H. F. Rucker, Joe order that the visits may be made Arnold and Fred L. West. The latinteresting and profitable. Te ester two were members of the jury timates that there will be 500 to 1.- in the case Heard Too Much

The defense contends that the jury had heard and read too much about the purported details of the case.

Conversation in the jury room while the body was deliberating was repeated on the witness stand Satirday.

Jugde Baker offered in evidence

story from the Coleman Democrat

Voice of Feb. 4, in which the slaping

of Mitchell was described, and Arn-

old declared on the stand he read

After hearing evidence and argu

the article at that time.



nent, Judge Woodward overruled the appeal and gave Judge Baker Detailed report of the survey of until Jan. 12 to prepare his appeal the properties of the Community to the higher court. If the court of Natural Gas Company by Major W. criminal appeals affirms the trial. J. Powell of Dallas, utilities expert, Wells will have no recourse other as been given to City Council.

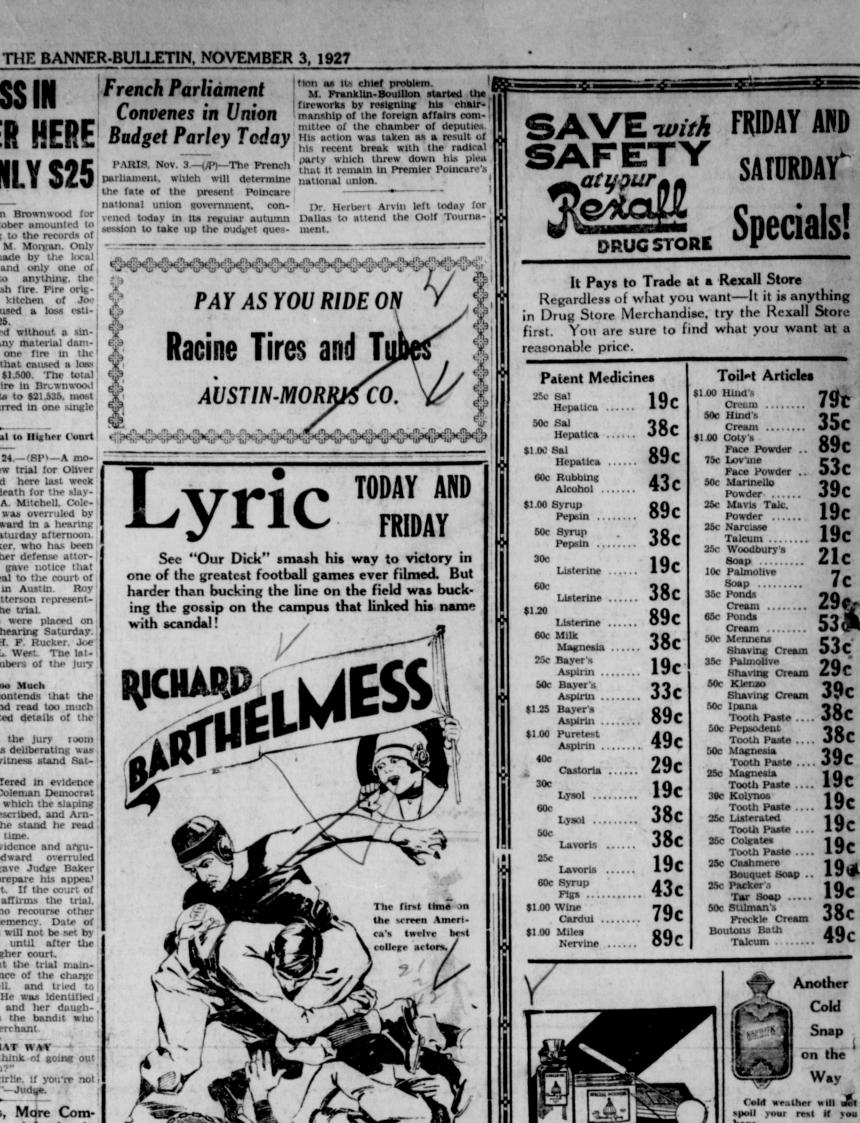
than executive clemency. Date of The investigation was made fol- execution of Wells will not be set by owing an ordinance passed by the Judge Woodward until after the uncil lowering the present rates, hearing in the higher court. hich ordinance was enjoined by Wells throughout the trial main-

hich ordinance was enjoined by he company and appeal made to tained his innocence of the charge he railroad commision. The case is of killing Mitchell, and tried to now pending and a date for hearing prove an alibi. He was identified Mrs. Mitchell and her daugh-

Major Powell finds, his report in- ter, Josephine, as the bandit who FINE THAT WAY

"What do you think of going ou "It's all right, girlie, if you're no married to them."-Judge.

Children's Outing Gowns.



aeral services were held at the the First Particle Prince, pastor of Mr. Farly Star.

and Mose Denman.

JOSE MENDOZA

Jose Mendoza, four months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Benito Mendoza, died Saturday afternoon at the family home, 812 Sharp Street, following a brief illness. Funeral ser-vices were held in Greenleaf Sunday afternoon and burial made there. Deceased baby is survived by his parents.

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH YOUNG Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Young, age additional to the Sarah Elizabeth Young, age 77, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Eggleston, of lands fifteen-sixteenths of any mintorn Sept. 3, 1849, in St. Louis but had spent most of her life in Texas. the past ten years as a citizen of the court granted application of the services in the old church,

Prownlwood. Mrs. Young was left a Jos. S. Sheldon, Bexar county, for Last services in the old church, which has served the congregation bald last then had lived with her children. During her long life Mrs. Young was a member of the Methodist Holmes, Pecos county land holders, urch and was true to the faith of forcing Robison to grant him permit She leaves ten children to mourn be passing of a mother one who have a stand who have a stand the beaution of a mother one who have a stand the beaution of th per church.

he passing of a mother, one who plans the owners have made. The court a few weeks ago grant-eachings will live on in her chil- ed an identical petition. If the Funeral services were held Monday held by dozens of oil companies will

ffernoon at four o'clock in the First be invalidated.

Cameron, pastor of that church, in sixted by Rev. C. A. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church. Burial was made in Greenleaf. Mrs. Young is survived by the fol-lowing children, Mrs. C. A. Emile

as made in Greenleaf. Mrs. Young is survived by the fol-, wing children. Mrs. C. A. Eggles-m, of Brownwood: Miss Susa oung, Elmer Young, Marvin Young, hn Young, Miss Gertrude Young, hrs. M. L. Bowden and Mrs. San-erson, all of Brownwood; Ben oung of San Antonoi; and Mrs. cager of Bangs. Besides the chil-ren there are many grandchildren. here are many grandchildren, relatives and a host of friends. l bearers for Mrs. Young's fun-were: Orville Turner, Emmett as, Clarence Knight, Roy Byrd. nd M. T. Bowden.

LIAM NELSON STROTHER

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72x80 Part Wool Nashua Blankets in plaids	\$2.05
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Church Sunday

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Racine Tires and Tubes

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First Christian church will hold

Last services in the old church, for some forty years, were held last Sunday. The preaching hour at that service was turned over to Judge C. H. Jenkins, the only surmany reminiscences of early days of historical data.

Why worry with tire

"ouble when you can buy



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MORTUARY

TOMASA ROMERO

Tomasa Romero, the one year c aughter of Mr. and Mrs. Easte ero, died Tuesday at the fam here. Funeral services we held Wednesday at two o'clock p. n the St. Mary's Catholic chur were conducted by Fath cher. Burial was made Greenleaf

MRS. MARY JENNINGS Mrs. Mary Jennings, age 90, o of the pioneer citizens of the Wi tell community, died at the hor of her son, Will Jennings, of th nunity, Tuesday, Mrs. Je nings was born in Llano cour and had lived in Texas all of h life, 40 years of which had be spent in the Winchell community Funeral services were held at t ox cemtery near Winchell Wedn av afternoon at two o'clock. Bur cas made there.

Mrs. Jennings is survived by the sons, Luke Jennings of Globe, A zona; Will and Joe Jennings, Winchelf. In addition to the th ons there are several grandchildr and two great grandchildren w survive their grandmother.

DANIEL LUTHER NICHOLSO Luther Nicholson Brady Avenue, a citizen of Brow and Brown county for ast 20 years, died at the fam residence Sunday. Mr. Nichols was born in Titus County, Janua 23, 1668, and had lived in Texas of his life. He was married Gatesville in 1890 and to the un were born five children. four

whom survive. Mr. Nicholson joined the Missie ary Baptist Church in 1896 and h een active in the work of burch ever since. He was a regu attendant at the Coggin Aver Baptist church, although he I never placed his membership w at congregation.

Funeral services for Mr. Nich on were held Monday afternoon five o'clock at the Coggin Aver Baptist church and were cond ed by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pas of that church. Dr. Hornburg v assisted by Rev. W. D. Watk rial was made in Greenleaf.

Mr. Nicholson is survived by wife, two sons, C. R. Nicholson Pt. Worth and F. A. Nicholson srownwood; two daughters, h L. H. Allsup of Fort Worth : Miss Thelma Nicholson of Broy wood; and two brothers, J. W. Ni ison, of Oklahoma and Sam Ni lson, Burleson.

Pall bearers for the Nichol funeral were Joe Alley, Da Jones, Albert Stevenson, Will T Silas Drake, and A. M. Ward.

MRS. ORPHA JANE HANNAL SAWYER

Mrs. Orpha Jane Hannah Saw of J. M. Sawyer, "died urday at the family home at Avenue D. Mrs. Sawyer had b a citizen of Brownwood for 21 ye She was born in Alabama, Oct. 1852, and was exactly 75 years age at the time of her death. Mrs. Sawyer was a member of? Baptist church at the time of death and had been a faithful me her of that church for many ye Funeral services were held at amily residence Sunday aftern t three o'clock and were condi d by Rev. A. E. Prince, pastor the First Baptist Church. Bu made in the Staley ceme Straday afternoon. Mrs. Sawyer is survived by nusband, three sons, L. D. and Le Sawyer, of Brownwood and J Eawyer of Eastland; and two da ters. Mrs. W. A. Jarvis, of Hoo Oklas, and Mrs. W. B. Redner Brownwood. In addition to immediate family 21 grand child and 6 great grandchildren sur Pall bearers for the funeral w Cliff Redner, John Barber, O Winebrennir, Earl Batton, Ch Gilliam, Hal Jackson. Britt Tot and Mose Denman.

BUFFALO HUNTING the

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By ISAAC MOTES.

T seems a far cry back to the days when great herds of wild buffaloes, or bisons, covered the plains of many of our western States from Texas northward and up into the far Canadian Northwest. However, quite a few western plainsmen are still living who well remember those early days, and some there are who had an important part in helping well-nigh to exterminate these large herds of buffaloes, as well as ridding the American frontier of hostile Indian tribes.

An uncle of mine, now quite an old man, was a Texas ranger during part of the time when the prairies of Western Texas were oftentimes black with big droves of these great shaggy animals, I was put on wagand it was always interesting to me to hear him tell of his experiences in those days when conditions were so different from what they are now. Many of our Western States which were then inhabited only by buffaloes, hostile Indians and coyotes, are now thickly populated of rangers this agricultural States, and in formerly wild, remote places where once were heard the yapping of coyotes or the miles, which seems war whoop or Indians chasing buffaloes and shooting them with their big bows and arrows are now located great cities and thriving towns wherein

happy, prosperous people. One of the most interesting experiences which I have ever heard my uncle relate was of his first buffalo hunt when he was a young man and a new ar-rival in the West. The story follows, as near as I can repeat his words:

The Hunt.

"In the spring of 1875 I came West and joined the Texas rangers under Captain Foster. His company was stationed at Big Springs, Texas, an important trading point where the buffalo hunters brought the hides and bones to sell to buyers from St. Louis.

ed to the Indian Territory at this time, but there were a few prowling bands on the plains, mostly engaged in stealing and driving away horses, and the main business of the rangers was to guard the frontier and protect widely scattered settlements from Indian attacks.

"Soon after I joined the rangers we toward the headwaters of the Brazos. The buffalo hunters had been thick in the country around Big Springs, and the prairies and valleys were white with the bleaching bones of these noble-looking animals. "On short scouting expeditions the looked very clumsy.

rangers took only a pack mule or two to carry provisions, but on this trip, as we intended to be gone two weeks or more. we precured a wagon. The main body of rangers generally rode ahead of the wagon some distance on along elevated ridges to the right or left, leaving two men with the wagon to guard it.

"It was always amusing to the old rangers when a new man from the East joined the ranger force, to see how he would become wild with excitement at first sight of a big herd of buffaloes. The tenderfoot's attempt to kill his first er, these rangers began popping away buffalo would often invoke much fun and laughter.

the second day out

at

on guard with another ranger. Thundering and

tance from them,

Bellowing. "The main body morning were ahead perhaps two a very short distance on the flat. level plains. About 11 o'clock they sighted a good sized herd of buflive and work hundreds of thousands of faloes far off to the right, and be-

ing to leeward of the rangers, the buffaloes ran while the rangers were quite a dis-

but fortunately for me-or unfortunately, just as you care to take it—instead of gocame somewhat toward the wagon just as we got in a narrow fringe

"Most of the Indians had been removof live oaks between two sections of en with gullies and buffalo wallows. They came thundering toward us. a little to our right, bellowing, and when they ran across a strip of rocky ground their hoofs made a clattering roar that drowned all other sounds.

falo coming, while the ground reverberstarted on a long scout up on the plains ated under the pounding of their away from the wagon and into the brok-

so, especially on the neck, shoulders and head, but their sides and hind quarters were more of a dark reddish color. and I noticed one buffalo almost snow white, bobbing up and down in the center of the herd, a very conspicuous sight among so many black animals. "A half dozen rangers had turned

A White Buffalo.

back toward the wagon to intercept the herd, and as the herd came nearthe animals with their Winchesters. I drew my Winchester from "It is needless for me to say that I its scabbard and spurred my horse lowered. At bay, with eyes glowing, was very sorry when, on the morning of out to the right, to be within range he shook his head menacingly.

got deeper and the banks more nearly perpendicular farther down. I turned my horse and ran along the side of the chester. As I turned the buffalo made "Most of them were black, or nearly gully, up on the bank. I could easily have gotten another shot at the animal now, and killed it, but I was so excited that I hardly knew what to do. I had not entered the gully near the beginning where it was shallow, and now the bank was too nearly perpendicular for me to get my horse down into it. A little farther, as the gully got deeper and the banks steeper, it made a sharp turn, al-most at right angles. Here the buffalo stopped against the farther bank and turned back toward me, his shaggy head

> "In my excitement at this unexpected move I jumped off my horse, laid my Winchester on the ground and slid own the bank with my Colt's sixshooter in my hand. My blood was on fire as I rushed up within fifteen feet of the animal and fired at its head with my revolver. (I might say here that what deer hunters call 'buck

"Buffalo Fever"

compared to 'buffalo fever.') "The bullet had no effect whatever, apparently, on the flinty skull of the bull. He

foretop hanging down between his

horns, black and matted with grass and

gravel where he had perhaps been but-

ting some rocky bank. I fired again, knocking a cloud of dust and gravel out

of his foretop, but seemed not to hurt

him at all, for he stood there shaking his head and blowing up little clouds of

"Probably the rifle ball didn't pene-

trate the skull at all, because of the

kinky hair matted close against the ani-

mal's head. I fired four more times at its

head, with no effect whatever except

Narrowly Escaped.

Shipwrecked Vessels.

dust with his nostrils.

ing in the opposite direction, they when the buffalo would pass. There were | simply shook his head at me, his several bulls on the outskirts of the herd, and as soon as I got within good range I blazed away at a big bull. I tried to shoot him in the shoulder or just behind it, and saw by the way he lunged forward that I had hit him. I shot again, but being so excited, I don't think I shot at the same bull this time. The other ranger on wagon guard was near me, shooting into the herd, and the cracking of our Winchesters drove the buffaloes a little hoofs. They saw our wagon and bore off en ground. But the bull I had shot and more to the right. I thought they were | wounded kept straight ahead, ran down | to knock clouds of dust and gravel out the most awkward animals I had ever a gully, bellowing furiously, with his of its foretop. seen, with their low hind quarters and head down and nose almost touching

humped shoulders. They ran with a the ground at times, it seemed to me. bounding, up-and-down movement that "This gully was shallow at its

fever' is a mild mental discord

a lunge at me, and should in all probability have been quickly gored to death had it not been for the other ranger of the wagon guard, who had run up on the left bank at this grim moment. Quick as a flash he raised his Winchester, just as the bull lunged at me, and shot him behind the shoulder; he douhim behind the should have and horns bled up with head down and horns sticking in the hard clay. Then he over on his back and lay there quivering. The ranger vowed afterwards that the bull's heels as they went over didn't miss me more than six inches.

" 'That was a foolish thing for you to do, Henry!' said the ranger sharply. 'You came near losing your precious life. However, you're not the first tenderfoot I've seen go wild over his first buffalo.'

"I didn't realize just how rashly I had acted until Captain Foster learned of my narrow escape. Whereupon he gave me a severe lecture, telling me never again, under any circumstances, to get off my horse near a wounded buffalo, or to loose my hold upon my Winches-

"The longer I stayed on the buffal range the more I realized how thoughtless I was, and shudder even now when-ever I think of the dangerous situation in which I was placed.

A Hide That Brought \$500.

Several buffaloes were killed during this hunt, including the white one I had seen, which they followed nearly a mile before they got a chance to shoot it. It was a very large buffalo, with soft, fine hair, and we heard afterwards that its hide brought five hundred dollars in St. Louis. It was the only white buffalo ever seen on the range in West Texas, according to the oldest ranger in our company.

"Among the buffaloes killed wa 'Old Bone Beater,' as they called him. He was a big shaggy bull, of considerable age, whose running could be easily distinguished in any herd, because of loud rattling noise he made, like a a shod horse running over cobblestones. Older rangers had often heard this pecu-liar noice in chasing herds of buffaloes, and wondered what could have produced it.

"This hunt solved the mystery. They heard the clatter again and followed the animal who made it. He was an old-ball, and his hoofs had grown till they were nearly a foot wide and a foot long, brok-en and split on the inner side. When running his hoofs would strike together, and on account of this noise he had long source, with very sloping banks, but my Winchester lay on the bank near my Bone Beater."



JOSE MENDOZA

Jose Mendoza, four months baby of Mr. and Mrs. Benito 1 doza, died Sate-day afternoon a ily home, 812 Sharp Street, lowing a brief illness. Funeral vices were held in Greenleaf i day afternoon and burial i there. Deceased baby is survive his parents.

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH

YOUNG Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Young, 77. died Sunday at the home of daughter, Mrs. C. A. Egglestof 500 East Chandler. Mrs. Young born Sept. 3, 1849, in St. Louis had spent most of her life in T the past ten years as a citize rownwood. Mrs. Young was 1 vidow several years ago and hen had lived with her chil During her long life Mrs. Y was a member of the Meth church and was true to the fai

her church. She leades ten children to ut the passing of a mother, one has meant much to them, and y teachings will live on in her dren's lives for years.

uneral services were held Me fternoon at four o'clock in the hodist church with Rev. (peron, pastor of that church rge. Dr. Cameron was sisted by Rev. C. A. Johnson, j of the First Christian church.

vas made in Greenleaf. Mrs. Young is survived by th owing children. Mrs. C. A. E. on, of Brownwood; Miss Young, Elmer Young, Marvin Y John Young, Miss Gettrude Y ohn Young, Miss Gertrude Y frs. M. L. Bowden and Mrs. erson, all of Brownwood: 'oung of San Antonoi: and tenger of Bangs. Besides the ren there are many grandchi ther relatives and a host of fr Pall bearers for Mrs. Young ' ral were: Orville Turner. Er Mans, Charence Knight. Roy F and M. T. Bowden

LLIAM NELSON STROTHER

the deeds of freeoboters, back in the days when Jean La Fitte and his bold strip of land known as Padre Isure trove of legends bearing on "pieces since it is two to three miles wide and 130 miles long. This peculiar formation of nature which has lately been linked of eight."

Money Hill.

Money Hill, the largest sand due on | cargo of silver must have been shipthe island, has been the mecca for treas- | wrecked near the island back in the late ure-seekers for a number of years, due fifties, and in order to save their money to the excitement aroused a decade ago the crew buried it among the sand by the discov-

ville, near the mouth of the Rio Grande ery of a chest, river, and proceeds near and along the near the base Gulf coast for about 130 miles. At the of the hill, which containnorthern end, by means of the Corpus ed several Christi Pass bridge, Padre is joined with Mustang Island, which extends on down thousand dollars worth of Before Colonel Sam A. Robertson of old Spanish coins. The hill Brownsville, who has always lived on is so called bethe frontier, decided to make Padre Island accessible to the world by means cause it is beof the Don Patricio Causeway, the populieved that here the pilation of the island consisted of Pat rates that rov-Dunn and family. Mr. Dunn, a cáttleed the Spanish man, has lived on the island for nearly main found in 50 years, without neighbors, and alone Padre Island with his family and herds of cattle.

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Once Owned By Spain.

place for their The island gained its name, which in loot. Numbers itself is steeped with the romance of of coins have the Gulf country, from Father Nicholas been found at Balli, who was granted the island by various times, Spain during the Spanish supremacy in many of them Mexico. For a time it was called Island dating as far of Santiago, and the channel near the back as 1700 and as late as southern tip of the island is still referred to as Santiago Pass. The light at the Point Isabel lighthouse is referred to by the navigators as the Brazos de Santiago light. Though Father Balli did not live on the island, maintaining his home 1802. in Matamoros, he kept a large herd of cattle there. Later when Mexico became a republic, the grant given by the king of Spain was no longer valid, but in 1829 the island was given to the nephew of the priest. For many years the seamen and natives of that, region spoke of the island as "La Isla dei Padre Balli," and as the years wore on this name dropped to Padre Island.

Rich in romance and adventure, hold- Corpus Christi, advances the theory hunters, with the aid of charts, coming the secret of buried treasure and that in December, 1904, a deposit of gold was found at the edge of the island. uncovered by the breakers of the Gulf buccaneers roamed the Texas coast, of Mexico, which amounted to a possi-Padre Island gives to the world a treas- ble million dollars. The chests were located about 35 miles south of Corpus Christi Pass.

According to Mr. Dunn, who has lived Island a safe and silent hiding place. on the island for forty-eight years, a Shinwreeked Vessels.



Money Hill, Padre Island, the mecca for treasure seekers.

building the driveway several coins were the crew discovered "pieces of eight" found near Money Hill, one of which left in hiding by former shipwrecked was given to Colonel Robertson, dated

lous cargo was buried. Later many of the survivors escaped into Mexico, leaving behind derelict vessels and remnants of spoils. Delving into historical docu-ments and, in part, tracing the routes of Caribbean pirates, A. M. Muely, of Recently an expedition of treasure-of Caribbean pirates, A. M. Muely, of Recently an expedition of treasure-

1810. Recently, when workmen were | dunes. While burying their own silver, | a stone's throw from the Merrimac is was given to Colonel Robertson, dated 1802. As early as 1553, according to histor-ical data, more than 500 survivors of a marked treasure fleet were cast upon behilted the island. Some of the spear-behilted the island. Some of the spear-or from ships which have met with dised from the battling winds and waves of the Gulf, the derelict vessel is slowly sinking into the sand. Strewn along heads measure from one to five inches. On one occasion Mr. Dunn discovered a Now the isolation of Padre Island has

1879 that Dunn decided to move his passes and maps, undertook to extract family from the mainland to their new from Money Hill other prizes supposed home on the island, and for months at. to have been hoarded there, but the a time the Dunns saw no living soul ex-rugged old sandy hill revealed nothing. cept an occasional fisherman whose craft passed within view. The only way Mr. Dunn could get back to the main-However, time after time, coins have been found which indicate buccaneers and distressed seamen found in Padre land was by fording Laguna de la Madre, and this he did until the recent causeway was built.

Second Robinson Crusoe.

Keepers of the old lighthouse at Point Isabel, a lone sentinel for many years Dunn does not find that Padre Isthat guided the destinies of mariners, land holds the same charm for him have witness- it once did. For years he had the island ed the destruc-tion of many ships whose Crusce. But he plans to stay on for two more years in order to round out fragments floated in and his half century on the island, and after lodged on the that time expects to go in search of a beach. In 1915, when trouble with Mexico was rife, the Marrimac a dology the little still graze unmolestbeach. In 1915, Merrimac, a ed along the little sand hills, he finds tugboat, laden that this contact with the outside world breaks into the former peace and soliwith salvaged a m m u n ition tude of the island.

and supplies Bird life on the island is prolific and from a sinking well represented. There are pelicans, vessel, ran treasure birds, herons, cranes and gulls that make their nests under the she ashore on Padre Island. The of the sandy beach, near the Gulf. The old tugboat birds are yet tame and even the en-still lies half- trance of the automobile on the island buried in the does not seem to bother them. sand, approxi-

An Engineering Feat.

forty Closely associated with the history of miles up the Padre Island and its discovery as beach from Point Isabel. far as progress is concerned is Colonel a stone's throw from the Merrimac is the Nicaragua, a 2,500-ton vessel which went aground there in 1913. Unprotect-ed from the battling winds and waves of the Guif, the derelict vessel is slowly quer and make accessible. His achieve-ment is the causeway which connects Corpus Christi with the island, and also the 150-mile Ocean Beach driveway, the longest beach driveway in the world, and one of the most beautiful. Looking ahead for the comfort of the traveling public, Colonel Robertson has installed telephone service reaching from one end of the island to the other, and (Continued on Page 4 Column 5)

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"I was greatly excited as I saw the buf-

TEXAS' Treasure ISLAND

P ARALLELING the Gulf coast, in Southeast Texas, is a coast, in

est island for its length in the world.

up with Corpus Christi by a causeway.

reaches at the other end to Point Isabel.

a rugged and picturesque little seaport town whose fame goes back to Civil War

days. The island begins at the south

about twenty-seven miles from Browns-

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to Port Aransas.

CURRENT COMMENT By J. H. LOWRY

Fall Flowers.

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For his gayer hours she has a voice of gladness, And a smile, and eloquence of beauty; And she glides into his darker musings With a mild and healing sympathy That steals away their sharpness Ere he is aware."

So wrote William Cullen Bryant in Thanatopsis, perhaps the most glorious view of death that has been given to the world. I have not in mind, as the poet had, the separation of the soul and body that men call death, but to me the first stanza of his masterpiece speaks so truly of the floral beauty that now brightens and gladdens our world that I am prone to believe it must have been penned in late autumn, when the fall rose wore its most radiant robes and the many-shaped, many-colored chrysanthemums bordered the gardens and yards. . . .

Truly, to the lover of flowers, and to those who "hold communion with them," they speak a various and a glorious language. No person can walk through the flot ering rose gardens of today, if his eyes be susceptible to the beauty of form and color, his soul in love with the Maker and Giver of all beauty, and be unhappy. No man can gaze upon the snowy white, the delicate pink, the glowing yellow and the ruby red com-bined in the vase collection of November roses and withhold a paean of praise to the God of the Beautiful.

Flowers, angels of mercy, joy, peace and love; singers of songs of gladness, crooners of love-notes of sorrow that "glide into our darker musings with a mild and healing sympathy." They car-ry the message of love from the bashful school boy to his rosy-cheeked angel in th's golden morning, when innocence is in the heart. They weave themselves into garlands of matchless beauty and bedeck the hair of the bride as she marches beside the man she loves to Hymen's altar. They carry a message of hope to the couch of the suffering, and at last they nestle upon the hallowed mound under which reposes all that is mortal-love's final tribute.

. . . At times I am constrained to believe sdied hid not make the flowers for ma.raione. Surely, the Perfect One on High loves the beautiful and the perfect, and when He looks so longingly last rose of summer o'er the bed of its for the perfect and the beautiful in man, fallen mates.

His highest creation, and His great heart sorrows because He finds them glorious painting of the rose.

not, how delightful it must be to rest His gaze upon the perfect form and the *. * *

Come to think of it, it was a rose that inspired the world's most popular bal-lad. Doubtless it was a November rose, for it was the last rose of the season. Tom Moore's name has long been carv-ed on the tomb, but the ballad he wrote while gazing upon the "Last Rose of Summer," will live while the cycles of time roll on and the heart of man is soothed and thrilled by the cadence of song. A few years ago one of the prominent journals of the East sent out thousands of letters, reaching every corner of the United States, asking the persons addressed to name their favorite song. The replies received showed that the old-time favorite, "The Last Rose of Summer," is easily the most popular ballad with the people of America. The time is near when we shall see again the last rose of the season, and I ask the privilege of having the words of the old

and popular song printed here: "Tis the last rose of summer, left blooming

alone. All her lovely companions are faded and gone. No flower of her kindred, no rosebud is nigh, To reflect back her blushes or give sigh for

I'll not leave thee, thou lone one, to pine on the stem;

Since the lovely are sleeping, go sleep thou with them:

Thus kindly I scatter thy leaves o'er the bed Where thy mates of the garden lie scentless and dead.

So soon may I follow when friendships decay, And from love's shining circle the gems drop away When true hearts lie withered, and fond ones are flown.

Oh! who would inhabit this bleak world alone!"

Beautiful indeed the sentiments expressed in the last stanza of the sweet old ballad, and as true as it is beautiful. The world is a delightful place to live because of its friendships and its circles over which love presides, wearing the crown that gently presses. If all the friendships were but a memory, and all the gems of love's holy circle had fallen away, then miserable indeed would be the hours through which we would pine and sigh alone, and kind indeed the sympathizing hand that would remove us from the bleak and unsympathizing world, even as the singer of the beautiful ballad scattered the leaves of the

Cook said Peary didn't discover it. The knocking ruined both. If Peary had Dr. Cook pulling up to the north pole just as he was on the edge of the hill on the return trip, and Cook had said he saw Peary's tracks all around the pole, both would have won fame and fortune. They would have been wined and dined by kings, and been accorded receptions equal to those given Lindbergh, the aviator. But they knocked each other, and both lost out. * *

When Emerson advised man to "hitch his wagon to a star," he expected the hitcher to select the right kind of a star. The constant, faithful North star is all right as a mooring and guide for any man's wagon, but there are bright, glittering stars that scintillate for a time and then go hence leaving a fellow without a route thereunto and without a wagon. I know a young man who selected a moving star, a would-be movie star, as the object of his adoration. He is out a good automobile and his "star" is now looknig for another sucker.

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November.

November was put on the calendar by Numa Pompilius, who was the first weather prophet of any consequence. He divided the year into four equal parts, which has worked a great hardship on the people of our day and time. It was all right to have four seasons, equinoxes, solstices, etc., in old Numa's day, because people wore bearskins the year around then, but it's very expensive now. The divisions cause the women to want four kinds of clothing and four hats, which makes it very hard on men who have to keep up a large family, a Ford car and a radio on a small salary. I do not care to say very much about November at present, but must pay my respect to the poet, who in writing of the month, said, "The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year." That poet was a dyspeptic, who couldn't eat Thanksgiving turkey or country sausage, and an old cynic who couldn't get a thrill out of a football game.

It is true that there is a little more gray than gold in the world these November days, for the fires of summer and much less expensive than sending have burned out and the cold of winter men over the country to wage a camcreeps closer and closer with its chilling | paign of education.

Never knock on your competitor; it's winds, but this island season, which a destructive policy. Twelve years ago the explorers, Peary and Cook, had the front pages of the papers. Peary said Cook didn't discover the north pole and Cook didn't discover the north pole and air is a tonic for the blood; the subdued sunshine which brightens and warms, come out in a neat card saying he saw but does not excite or depress, is a builder of energies, and a painter of pictures that touch into human beings the nobler sentiments. There is not the lusty life seen in field and garden when summer sent its simmering rays on the tasseling corn and ripening meadow, neither is there the nakedness of trees or brown hillsides which follow the long lashings of northern winds, but there is a merging of the glories of gold with the sad beauties of the gray. Indeed it is a magnificent panorama that nature spreads before us when autumn's rich and variegated colors are upon the trees and shrubs, and autumn's purple haze is upon field and forest. It is a glory that is soon to pass away, and perhaps we love it more because the ever-drifting leaves, the withering flowers and the northern blasts have sounded the alarm in our hearts that soon this splendor. like man, must fade as the grass.

> I used to crave riches, but have quit it. I lugged around the idea that if a man possessed several thousand dollars he could be truthful and wouldn't have to worry over anything, but I have been disillusioned. I owe a few fellows who are worth a quarter of a million dollars, or more. They have worried themselves nearly to death trying to collect what I owe them, and each of the scoundrels has perjured his soul by swearing he is hard-pressed for money.

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Like all other Southern economists, I am in favor of a big reduction in the cotton acreage next year. There is just one way to bring about this happy consummation, and I cannot but wonder why some smarter man hasn't sprung the scheme long ago. The only way to keep cotton from being planted is to keep cotton seed out of the hands of the farmers. Let the government, or some great organization, buy up seventy-five per cent of the cotton seed, leaving the farmers just enough to plant a small acreage. Hold the seed until planting time has passed. Having a corner on the seed market, the buyers could earn a handsome profit next summer and fall by selling to the oil mills at a big price. This plan would prove far more effective

Life's Darkest Moment.

Cartoonists have tried their hands a long time at picturing life's darkest moment, and some of them have done very well indeed. Some of the pictures print-, ed under this heading would move the Egyptian sphinx to tears and melt the proverbial heart of stone, but I saw, in real life, not long since, a scene far more sorrowful than any the cartoonists have offered. It was not a deathbed scene, not a Rachel weeping over her young, not a mother bending over the marble clay of a dimpled darling, not the destruction of a beautiful home by the cruel flames, or a promised bride deserting her fiance at the altar, but it was a scene to make men and angels weep. A circus was advertised to exhibit in a certain town and had covered every billboard in town and every barn in the surrounding country with flaming posters telling of its wonders. The circus train reached town and was greeted by hundreds. But soon after the train pulled in the flood gates of heaven were opened and a rain fell that hasn't been equaled many times since the days of Noah. Water ran in rivulets through the town and the mud became so deep that it was impossible for the circus people to get their big wagons to the show grounds. Just before time for the big street parade to move the manager mounted a box on the square and in stentorian tones announced that there would be no show. As the words of the showman fell like a pall upon the large and waiting crowd a little boy burst into a cry and refused to be comforted. Candy and other sweets were tendered him, but these neither softened his cries into a lower pitch nor gave surcease of sorrow. As his parents led him toward his home he continued to scream, and even after he could no longer be seen his cries could still be heard. Talk about blasted hopes, about golden fruit turning to ashes on the lips-the failure of a promising cotton crop, the wreck of a fashionable spring bonnet, the postponement of a wedding, is not worthy to be compared to the bitter disappointment of a small boy when a circus is rained out. For weeks the little fellow had stood entranced before the flaming show posters, and in his dreams he had seen the elephants, the ponies and the spotted clowns, but right at the hour for the street parade to move the rain fell in torrents. The old world is filled with sorrows and disappointments clear through the stretch of years from the cradle to the grave, but from pink toes to tottering age there isn't a deeper sorrow than missing a circus by a lad of tender years.

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By CLARENCE E. GILMORE. (President Texas Council of Safety.)

OME one has said that accidents have come to be an epidemic and that this epidemic constitutes the most appalling situation before the American people. When we realize the loss of life, the suffering, and the destruction of property resulting an-nually from accidents, we are forced to accept the truth of this statement.

The loss of 90,000 and the injury of 2.500,000 of our citizens from any one cause in one year is unthinkable, to say nothing of the inexpressible suffering and sorrow of those who are left to mourn the loss. Yet that is the toll taken in this country in 1926 by acci-dents. According to reports, this was more than twenty times the casualty toll to the American soldiers during the World War. The records also show that 22000 of the lives lost by accidents were produced by motor vehicles, and of this number, 6,000 were children under fifteen years of age. The annual prop-erty damage on streets and highways one has been estimated at more than \$600,000,000.

The losses in our own State are alarming. Daily the cries of loved ones who mourn the accidental death or injury of father, mother, brother, sister, or other relatives and friends are heard in some community. From September 1, 1926, to June 1, 1927, a period of nine months, accidents of all kinds in Texas were re-sponsible for the loss of 1,310 lives and 4.244 personal injuries. This is a greater loss than was sustained in three of the leading battles of the Texas Revoution.

The automobile alone caused 534 of the 1,310 deaths and 2,624 of the personal injuries. During the same nine onths period, there were 85 fatalities and 334 injuries at railway grade crossings in the State. Is not the situation enough to make every heart ache and every good citizen do his very best to prevent these appalling tragedie??

Causes of Accidents

Accidents do not just happen, they are caused. The causes of accidents, in-cluding both remote and immediate, are cluding both remote and immediate, are improved streets and highways, increas-ed highway mileage, the large number of motor vehicles in operation, speed-ing, contesting the right of way, poor lights, failure to observe traffic signals,

competent drivers.

It is not to be understood that reference here to improved streets and highways as a cause of accidents is in any development should be encouraged. It and co-operation.

great extent the result of good streets and roads, is in large measure responsible, remotely at least, for the increase in accidents.

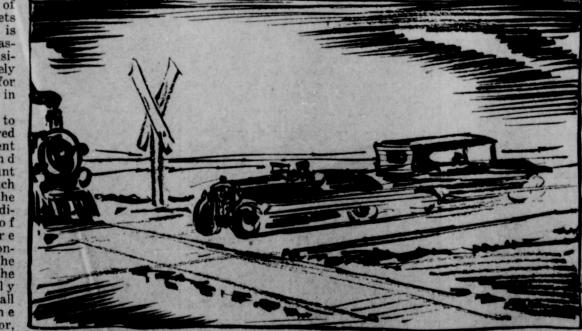
It is not to be wondered that accident fatalties and injuries mount so high each

week when the more immediate causes of accidents are taken into consideration. The drunkard, the physically maimed, small children, the law violator, and other in-

competent drivers are

found operating motor vehicles. The lack of courtesy or proper regard for the rights of others deserves special mention as a cause of accidents. The "road-hog," the "speed-demon," and the "chance-taker" are on every street and highway and are a menace to society and a detriment to the safety society and a detriment to the safety and happiness of the traveling public. With such operators as these in charge of motor vehicles going up and down the thoroughfares of the country, the good citizen who does not and will not abuse the privilege of driving an automobile has limited protection. The Remedy. An adequate remedy for the accident society and a detriment to the safety and happiness of the traveling public. With such operators as these in charge of motor vehicles going up and down the thoroughfares of the country, the good citizen who does not and will not abuse the privilege of driving an automobile has limited protection.

disregard of safety principles, defective epidemic is the most important thing in roadway, defective machinery, and in- connection with the situation. During the past several years safety engineers, safety workers, and others interested in accident prevention have made many careful and conscientious investigations way intended as an argument against of the problem. These investigations paved streets, good highways, or the use of motor vehicles on these thorough- conclusion that the solution, so far as fares. When properly used, these are it is possible to solve the problem, lies among our greatest blessings and their in education, organization, legislation



"The 'road-hog,' the 'speed-demon,' the 'chance-taker' are on every highway and a menace to safety of the traveling public." are now accom-

the most effective factor. The value of | in the prevention of accidents. In 1926 a safety education is readily recognized in industrial plants, schools, and other or-ganizations where accident prevention is systematically and efficiently taught. Reports show that a decline in the num-ber of accidents and fatalities is practiber of accidents and fatalities is practi-cally the universal result where safety is being taught. It has also been ob-served that any slacking of interest or failure to emphasize necessary precau-tions is quickly reflected in an increase in accidents in places where safety

the child in the home and the school, es- city of more than 50,000 population had pecially in the school. Pratical safety training helps to establish safety habmore alert to his own safety and the safety of others, and, through him, influences older persons to a deeper realization of their responsibilities.

Value of Organization.

Organization is also of inestimable value as a factor in accident prevention. cannot be denied, however, that the In accident prevention, as in many As in the case of many other worthy great increase in traffic. which is to a other important matters, education is movements, the success of the safety

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two accidental deaths and 210 accidental injuries less in 1926 than in 1925. It its in the life of the child, makes him is an acknowledged fact that these accomplishments are the results of organized co-operative effort. It is not unreasonable to believe that with an active safety council in every community in Texas accident hazards could be reduced to a minimum?

Need More Practical Safety Laws.

The work of accident prevention in Texas could progress much more rapidly with the enactment of a few more movement, practical safety laws. Among the measwhether considered from a ures needed most just now is an autonational, State, mobile operators' license law. According to reliable information, automobile county, or mudrivers' license laws have been enacted nicipal standin eighteen States and the District of point, depends large-Columbia, and worthwhile results are ly upon organ-ization. Much being accomplished, especially where examination is required.

of the progress Reference has already been made to incompetent drivers. A locomotive en-gineer on any railroad is checked conmade and good a c c omplished in accident stantly and if he displays a natural tenprevention dency to disregard safety, he is removed work through- from service. But careless, thoughtless, out the coun- and incompetent drivers of all kinds try during the may continue to be a menace to the publast decade has lic as long as they have sufficient been due to a strength to step on the gas. A practical automobile drivers' licence law proper-ly enforced will eliminate most of these very great extent to practiincompetent drivers and thereby provide greater safety in street and highway businesslike safety organizations. traffic. Many safety

Co-operation.

The effective dissemination of safety information, the creation and perpetua-tion of practical safety organizations, the enactment of needed safety laws, plishing gratifying results the enactment of needed safety isws, and the observance and enforcement of these laws in any State or municipality will be in proportion to the co-operation given. In fact, the successful execution of the whole safety program will depend upon co-operative effort not only on the part of those officially in charge of the work but on the part of the former

the part of those officially in charge of the work, but on the part of the forces of family, school, industry, science, re-ligion, and government as well. The Texas Council of Safety, under the directorship of W. E. James, is de-voting much time and energy is dis-seminating safety information throughseminating safety informat out the State. The splend complished by the council i (Commund on Page 4, Co

AGE EIGHT

MORTUARY

TOMASA ROMERO

Tomasa Romero, the one year : aughter of Mr. and Mrs. East mero, died Tuesday at the fam me here. Funeral services w held Wednesday at two o'clock p. in the St. Mary's Catholic chut were conducted by Fatl Burial was made

MRS. MARY JENNINGS Mrs. Mary Jennings, age 90. of the pioneer citizens of the Wi hell community, died at the of her son, Will Jennings, of th nunity, Tuesday, Mrs. Ji nings was born in Llano cous and had lived in Texas all of 1 life, 40 years of which had be spent in the Winchell community Funeral services were held at 1 Cox cemtery near Winchell Wedn lay afternoon at two o'clock. But was made there. Mrs. Jennings is survived by th

sons, Luke Jennings of Globe, A zona; Will and Joe Jennings, Winchelf. In addition to the th sons there are several grandchild and two great grandchildren v urvive their grandmother.

DANIEL LUTHER NICHOLSO Luther Nicholson Brady Avenue, a citizen of Brow wood and Brown county for past 20 years, died at the fan esidence Sunday. Mr. Nichol vas born in Titus County, Janu 23, 1668, and had lived in Texas of his life. He was married Gatesville in 1890 and to the un were born five children, four whom survive. Mr. Nicholson joined the Missi

ary Baptist Church in 1896 and 1 en active in the work of church ever since. He was a regitation of the coggin Aver aptist church, although he never placed his membership w hat congregation.

Funeral services for Mr. Nich were held Monday afternoon five o'clock at the Coggin Aver Baptist church and were cond d by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pas of that church. Dr. Hornburg ' assisted by Rev. W. D. Watk Burial was made in Greenleaf.

Mr. Nicholson is survived by ife, two sons, C. R. Nicholson, Pt. Worth and F. A. Nicholson Brownwood: two daughters, J L. H. Allsup of Fort Worth Thelma Nicholson of Broy wood; and two brothers, J. W. Ni on, of Oklahoma and Sam Ni Burleson

Pall bearers for the Nichol funeral were Joe Alley, Da Jones, Albert Stevenson, Will 7 bot, Charlie Hallum, R. L. Ben Bilas Drake, and A. M. Ward.

MRS. ORPHA JANE HANNA SAWYER

Mrs. Orpha Jane Hannah Saw wife of J. M. Sawyer, died urday at the family home at Avenue D. Mrs. Sawyer had b citizen of Brownwood for 21 ye 1852, and was exactly 75 years age at the time of her death. Mrs. Sawyer was a member of Baptist church at the time of ith and had been a faithful m Funeral services were held at ily residence Sunday aftern at three o'clock and were condi ed by Rev. A. E. Prince, pastor the First Baptist Church. Bu was made in the Staley ceme Staday afternoon. Mrs. Sawyer is survived by husband, three sons, L. D. and L. Sawyer, of Brownwood and J. Eawyer's of Eastland; and two da ters, Mrs. W. A. Jarvis, of Hoc Okla., and Mrs. W. B. Redner Brownwood. In addition to nmediate family 21 grand chile and 6 great grandchildren sur Pall bearers for the funeral w Cliff Redner, John Barber. O Winebrennir, Earl Batton, Ch Gilliam, Hal Jackson, Britt '10 and Mose Denman.

TEXAS BRIEF NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

SAN ANGELO HAS NATURAL GAS. CONVICT POPULATION INCREASES.

San Angelo now has natural gas, which was turned into the pipes about the middle of October. The gas is piped into San Angelo from the Coleman county field by the Western Gas Service Company.

STATE WARDS COST LESS.

An average of \$20.40 was spent during the month of August for support and care of each of the 13,348 inmates of the fifteen State eleemosynary institutions. This was \$1.07 below the twelve months average, as shown by the Board of Control's report.

HENDERSON WILL SOON HAVE GAS.

A franchise has been granted the Dixie Gas and Fuel Company, of Hous-ton, by the City Council of Henderson, for the distribution of natural gas in Henderson. The company expects to have gas ready for use by January 1.

MORE ROADS FOR BASTROP.

In road district No. 8, of Bastrop county, a bond issue of \$60,000 has been voted. The road for which the money was voted will be constructed from the Bastrop precinct line, by way of Waterton, Red Rock and Bateman, to the Caldwell county line. Caldwell county will then construct an extension to Lockhart.

NEW COMPRESS AT COLORADO. The new compress recently completed

at Colorado is now in operation and is handling cotton from Mitchell, Scurry, Howard, Martin and Midland counties. The compress replaced the one destroyed by fire last spring. It cost \$125,000, and is one of the best in that section of West Texas.

FINE THEATER FOR JACKSON-VILLE.

Announcement has been made that a new \$75,000 theater will be erected in Jacksonville by the East Texas Theaters, Inc. Plans have been drawn and doubtless the contract has been let ere this. The new theater will be the sixth in a chain operated by this company, the others including Lufkin, Longview, Nacodoches and Beaumont.

TRAIL DRIVERS UNION.

The Old Trail Drivers Reunion, which recently held its annual session at San Antonio, re-elected Geo. W. Saunders, of San Antonio, president, and W. B. Slaughter, vice president. A resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a committee to investigate the sisted of Dunpossibility of securing a State appropria- can choice tion to complete the \$100,000 fund need- | grapefruit, ed to erect a memorial to old trailers. Eureka lemons It was declared that the historical asand Ponderosa pect of the project might justify State lemons. They aid. A fund of about \$20,000 has been were grown on raised for the memorial, and \$10,000 the orchard of paid for the memorial model, which was G. E. Lovett of designed by Gutzon Borglum, famous San Benito. sculptor. A memorial service was con-Predictions ducted for thirty-two members of the are that more association who had died since the meetfruit will be movedthis ing of the year before. year than ever

There were 323 more convicts in the State penitentiaries on October 4 than there were on the first day of the present year. There were 3,548 convicts on October 1, against 3,225 on January 1. The lowest prison population last year was on December 30, when it went down to 3,209, and the highest was on June 10, when it reached 3,671.

At the time the report was made the largest number of prisoners were on the Ramsey farm, picking cotton. Most of the others were scattered over other farms.

8,118,978 BALES OF COTTON GINNED.

Cotton of this year's growth ginned prior to Oct. 18 totaled 8,118,978 running bales, counting 252,978 round bales and excluding linters, the Census Bureau has announced.

Ginnings to Oct. 18 by States were: Alabama 977,686, Arizona 28,630, Arkansas 480,545, California 20,926, Florida 15,534, Georgia 916,464, Louisiana 418,865, Mississippi 947,094, Missouri 22,048, New Mexico 25,116, North Carolina 361,739, Oklahoma 382,256, South Carolina 489,314, Tennessee 141,309, Texas 2,886,822, Virginia 3,700; all other States, 930.

TEXAS HISTORY ON DISHES.

One of the new hotels of Houston will show a fair history of Texas in its chinaware. All of the dishes used in the hostlery carry historical scenes, telling of the development of the State. Pictured on the borders or in the centers of the dishes are such historic scenes as the surrender of Santa Anna, fights between Indians and white families, cowboys riding the range, families pioneering in covered wagons, drawn by oxen, cotton fields, early farming, etc. Other pieces of chinaware have borders of blue connets and magnolias with inserts of the Lamar shield.

FIRST SHIP-MENT GOES TO GOV-ERNOR The first shipment of this year's citrus fruit from the lower Rio Grande Valley left Oct. 2 consigned to Governor Dan Moody. The shipment con-

cars.

DALLAS FIRST IN TAXABLE VALUES.

Dallas county leads all of the counties of the State this year in taxable values. Harris county, which includes the city of Houston, comes second. According to the records of the assessor of Dallas county, the assessed valuation of the county this year is \$285,345,020. This is an increase over the assessed valuation of last year of \$23,571,990, when the assessed valuation was \$261,-773,030. Dallas county also led in taxable values last year.

THE "GRAY LINE" IS THIN IN TEXAS.

The thinness of the ex-Confederate gray line in Texas was emphasized by the recent State meeting of ex-Confed-erates at San Angelo. The records exhibited at the meeting showed that there remain in this State only 12,000 of those who followed the Stars and Bars in the early sixties, and in the gray ranks the percentage of deaths is very large and growing each year. Of the 12,000 whose names are on the records only 380 attended the meeting. The small attendance was due to the fact that the survivors of the great inter-necine strife which bathed the Southland in blood are so advanced in years that the infirmities of age render them unable to make a journey, even to meet their comrades. At the meeting many of the veterans, some who had not seen each other since the Stars and Bars were furled at Appomattox, fell upon each other's necks and wept for joy. It has been the custom for many years for the "Confederate Quartette" to sing at the State meetings, but since the meeting of 1926 two members of the famed quartette had joined Lee and Jackson and many other immortals on the other shore. The two surviving members sang "The Boys in Gray." About 110 widows, sons and daughters of Confederates attended the meeting.

HOGS

On September 6, 1926, Milton Nalley, a vocational agricultural student, purchased a registered Duroc Jersey sow, for which he paid \$41. The sow has farrowed twenty-five pigs, eleven of which had grown to an average of 278.7 pounds on the 1st of October, a total of 3,066 pounds, beating the winner of last year's prize 39 pounds.

Figuring the litter at top price on the market October 1, the total return would have been \$327.26. The approximate value of feed for the litter and the sow, during gestation and nursing periods, was \$139, leaving a profit of \$198.26.

Milton Nalley lives in Hill county, near Itasca. In addition to his handsome profit on the first litter of pigs from this sow, he has fourteen pigs of the second litter, all of which are vigorous and healthy.

HENDERSON COUNTY VOTES BONDS FOR ROADS.

Determined to get out of the mud, the people of Henderson county have voted bonds in the sum of \$1,450,000 for road making. The bond issue was carried by a majority of about seven to one. The voting of this bond issue will make it possible to remove a big gap from the paved highway leading from Dallas eastward to several important points. When the road through Henderson county is completed there will be a continuous hard-surfaced road from Dallas, via Athens, to both Palestine and Tyler, making another link in the paving in the shortest route from Dallas to Houston. Outstanding bonds to the amount of

\$450,000 will be taken up, leaving \$1,-000,000 for construction. This will be matched by \$2,000,000 from the State and Federal governments, giving sufficient funds to pave three cardinal high-ways entirely across the county.

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BOY MAKES GOOD PROFIT ON

PLANTS. The Texas Power & Light Company has recently increased its holdings by the purchase of four additional plants in Central Texas. The plants purchased are located at Round Rock, Leander, Pflugreville and Hutto. The Texas Power & Light Company has served Taylor, Granger and Bartlett for a num-ber of woors and in addition to the ber of years, and in addition to the above-named towns, recently purchased, it has completed its lines from the west, taking in Burnet and Bertram, in Burnet county. It is now pushing its lines from Bartlett west to Schwertner, Jar-rell, Florence, Amdice and Briggs.

> ILLITERACY DECREASING IN THE STATE OF TEXAS.

POWER COMPANY ADDS FOUR

PLANTS.

Illiteracy among children of school age in Texas is decreasing, according to reports from the Federal Bureau of Education. The percentage of illiteracy is placed by the board at 8.32 in a survey placed by the board at 6.52 in a survey covering a period from 1900 to 1925. The highest rate of illiteracy ame g school children of this age is in Louis-iana, where it reached 21.89 per ant. In the northwestern States the rate of In the northwestern States the rate of illiteracy is very low. In Idaho it is 1.51, in Minnesota 1.34. The rate is higher in some of the Southern States on ac-count of the large proportion of negro population, of which the northwestern States are view for States are virtually free.

There are more than 1,000,000 chil-dren of school age in Texas, and school property is valued at \$148,457,000.

TEXAS' HIGHWAY STANDING.

Some interesting comparisons are ob-tained from the "highway inventory" of States, published by the American Highway Magazine. In the list of States, under various headings, Texas' position ranges from first to eleventh.

Texas ranks first in total road role age, and also in mileage of the State designated highway system. This is not surprising, since Texas is by far the largest State in area, and nearly all of its territory is well-settled and requires roads. It is surprising, however, to most Texans to learn that Texas ranks no lower than third in respect to total mileage of surfaced roads in the State highway system. This figure for Texas is 9,256.3, not including streets in cities and incorporated towns. Only New York and Ohio have a better standing than Texas in this respect, and States lead us only by a few hundred miles. It is also somewhat surprising to learn that in the matter of basic wealth, consisting of mines, forests and farms, Texas ranks second, being ex-ceeded only by Pennsylvania. In na-tional wealth, which figures all values,



JOSE MENDOZA Jose Mendoza, four months by of Mr. and Mrs. Benito 1 doza, died Saturday afternoon a amily home, 812 Sharp Street, lowing a brief illness. Funeral es were held in Greenleaf day afternoon and burial there. Deceased baby is survive

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH

YOUNG Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Young. 77. died Sunday at the home of aughter, Mrs. C. A. Egglestor 500 East Chandler. Mrs. Young form Sept. 3, 1849, in St. Louis had spent most of her life in T the past ten years as a citize Brownwood. Mrs. Young was I idow several years ago and ien had lived with her chil During her long life Mrs. Y s a member of the Meth urch and was true to the fai her church She leaves ten children to n'

the passing of a mother, one has meant much to them, and v teachings will live on in her dren's lives for years.

Funeral services were held Mc rnoon at four o'clock in the hodist church with Rev. (ron, pastor of that church Dr. Cameron was sisted by Rev. C. A. Johnson. made in Greenleaf.

Mrs. Young is survived by th wing children. Mrs. C. A. E wing children. Mrs. C. A. Eq. n. of Brownwood; Miss aung, Elmer Young, Marvin Y hn. Young, Miss Gertrude Y rs. M. L. Bowden and Mrs. rson, all of Brownwood; bung of San Antonoi; and ager of Bangs. Besides the en there are many grandchi her relatives and a host of fr r relatives and a host of fr il bearers for Mrs. Young s were: Orville Turner. Er ns. Clatence Knight, Roy 1 and M. T. Bowden.

LLIAM NELSON STROTHER 76. d for the

FORTY DAIRIES IN ONE COUNTY.

The development of the dairying interest in Harrison county has been both extensive and rapid. The dairying interest has been considerable in this county for several years, but much greater interest has been manifested and much better results obtained during the last year than in any similar period of time. Dr. A. W. Dunn, the county health officer, is given much credit for the rapid development of this industry.

In the county of Harrison there are now forty modern dairies, in which 1,350 gallons of milk are produced each The income from this product is \$15,187.50 per month and \$182,250 a year. In addition to these modern dairies, are numerous farms on which milk is produced for the market in smaller quantities.

Stringent regulations must be complied with by Harrison county dairymen. In May, 1925, an ordinance was adopted by the City Council of Marshall specifying that only "Grade A" milk could be distributed in that city. There is a monthly inspection of the dairies. Among the regulations are that the cattle must be tested for tuberculosis once a year, the barns must have three square feet of light and 500 cubic feet of air space for each cow, floors must be of concrete and must be kept clean, walls and ceilings must be whitewashed once a year, or painted every two years, and no manure must be allowed to accumulate. Steam sterilization is required after use and utensils must be devoid of rust. All employes who milk the cows must have health certificates, the milker's hands and the cow's udder must be washed in a disinfecting solution before milking. The clothing must also be clean, and as soon as the milking of a cow is completed the milk is carried to a cooling room, where the

Millions of fish have been saved this summer for Texas sportsmen by the Isaac Walton League of

Texas, as a result of its activity in seining drying streams of the State. Members of the league are shown here seining a water hole in Tarrant County that has almost dried up. More than 10,000 young fish were gathered on this one day, according to Dr. J. A. Stanfield of Fort Worth, State President of the league, and placed in larger bodies of water. Next summer the league, according to Dr. Stanfield, expects to have every drying stream in Texas seined. before, estimates being around 1,500

Texas Technological College, at Lubbock, reported an increased attendance over last year. At the beginning of the second week the enrollment had reached 1,383 students. Of this number 861 were men and 522 women. The percentage of women is greater this year than last. There are 81 seniors and graduate students.

COMMERCE MAY GET CHEESE FACTORY.

There is a strong probability that the Lone Star Cheese & Butter Company will locate a cheese and butter factory at Commerce. At last reports a considerable sum had been subscribed toward such an enterprise by local citizens. This company is incorporated for \$100,000. and is establishing factories in several northeast Texas towns. Factories will probably be located at Sulphur Springs and Mount Pleasant.

BETTER LIGHTING SYSTEMS FOR AUTOS.

The State Highway Department has issued orders that beginning with January 1, all automobiles, no matter how old, must be provided with perfect lighting systems. The department says that all regulations providing for the lighting of cars will be very rigidly enforced, beginning with the new year. Thousands of cars, it is said, are now being operated in violation of highway laws, and are adding largely to the death rate from accident. The department says cars will be denied registration unless they are made to conform to require-ments of the law before the first of the year. During one week in September temperature is reduced to 50 degrees Fahrenheit. After the milk is cooled by pouring it over an areator, it is put in bottles that have been steam sterilized, and then placed in a refrigerator, where the temperature is kept at 45 degrees or lower until delivery to the customer.

TECH ATTENDANCE INCREASES. | SCHOOL DESK FACTORY FOR TEM-PLE.

Construction of a large iron building, 110x90, is under way in Temple, and the same is to be used for the manufacture of a school desk chair, which was designed by A. P. Brashear and W. C. Jackson, head of the Texas School Equipment Company. The plant will be in operation in a very short time. The factory will have a capacity at the beginning for the manufacture of 10,000 desks annually.

NEW LIVE STOCK RULE.

On October 15 new rules were adopted by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, effective under a proclamation issued by the Governor of the State. The new rule provides that all cattle for dairy and breeding purposes moving from a public stock yard in Texas where federal inspection is maintained, except movements to another similar stock yard, must be accompanied by a health certificate, including tuberculin test issued by a veterinarian approved by the commission and the Bureau of Animal Husbandry.

DONATED FOR STATE PARK.

Robert Smith has donated 22 acres of land near old Rock House, in Crosby county, for a State park. The West Texas Old Settlers Association, which recently held its annual meeting at Mount Blanco Canyon, expressed its intention of assisting in the work of developing and beautifying the park. The first house in Crosby county was built by Mr. Smith's father, Hank Smith, and Robert Smith was the first child born in the county. Robert Smith now owns much of the land upon which his fath-er's cattle grazed half a century ago. He has lived there all of his life.

The park is located on the highway between Crosbyton and Floydada. It is intended to erect on the site a permanent monument to the memory of Uncle Hank Smith and his wife.

INHERITANCE COLLECTIONS GROW.

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Inheritance tax collections in Texas promise to exceed those of last year. The first collections from this source in Texas were in 1909, totaling \$7,595, although the first State law on the subject appears to have been approved in 1907. For the next succeeding ten years the collections did not reach as much as \$50,000 a year, with the exception of one instance. In 1919 the amount collected reached \$254,995. Collections continued to increase until during the last fiscal year the total reached \$1,416,799. The entire cost of collecting this sum, according to the State Comptroller, was \$21,808 in fees paid

officials pursuant to the laws, being about 11/2 per cent of the total. Non-residents contributed \$161,228 of the total during the last fiscal year. The Comptroller estimates that receipts from this source for the present fiscal year will exceed \$1,500,000.

TEXAS LOW IN TEXTILE INDUS-TRY.

Just how far down Texas ranks in the cotton textile industry is revealed by a report from the Census Bureau. The average number of persons employed in cotton textile mills in Texas is set at 4,613, or about enough to make up one good-sized mill village. Compared to this, Massachusetts' total is 98,939, while that of North Carolina is 66,378 The value of cotton goods manufactur-ed annually in Texas is slightly less than \$22,000,000; in Massachusetts \$345,-864,000; in North Carolina \$316,068,-600; in Georgia \$193,423,000; in Ala-bama \$85,000,000.

bama \$85,000,000. Although Texas raises nearly one-third of the cotton in the United States, and although conditions here are as fa-vorable to the growth of a cotton tex-tile industry as they are in such States as North Carolina, Georgia and Ala-bama, the great Southward movement of textile mills has passed Texas up.

by the Texas ranks eleventh. Hutchinson

This State's showing in respect to surfaced roads is less when it is placed on a comparative basis with the total The new bridge extent of State highways. Texas has 18,728 miles of designated highways, but more than half of the State high ways are virtually unimproved roads between the since the term "surfaced," used in this two oil towns report, includes brick, asphalt, bitumen, and will give concrete, macadam, gravel, sand-clay the new oil and all other surfaces other than digt. ... field above the The roads not included are entirely u Canadian its improved or merely graded roads. first direct

The report further shows that in the total number of vehicles in 1926, Texas stood seventh, with 1,049,869, and in receipts from auto licenses and gas tax the State was sixth, with \$19,589,769. That was in 1926, before the two-cent increase in the gasoline tax became effective in Texas. The vastly increased re-ceipts from this tax doubtless will bring about, during the next two or three years, a sufficient increase in surfaced roads to place Texas farther up the list, both in total mileage and in the percentage of the whole mileage within the State.

TEXAS' TREASURE ISLAND

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two hotels are being built in order that

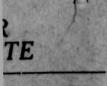
the fisherman's haven may be complete. Had it not been for the invincible energy and practical vision of Colonel Rob-ertson, Padre Island might still be closed to the world, and its unrelated legends and unwritten history remain buried along with the "pieces of eight," under mute and silent Money Hill.

CARELESSNESS KILLS THOUSANDS

(Continued from Page 3.)

man lives and in arousing a deeper in-terest in accident prevention have been made possible by the co-operative spirit manifested by civic organizations, city officials, school authorities, transporta-tion and industrial concerns, and the press. To accomplish the greatest good in the future, the greatest co-operation on the part of every good citizen is notessary.

"It is not the guns or armaments Or the money they can pay, It's the close co-operation That makes them win the day. It is not the individual Or the army as a whole, But the everinatin' teamwork Of every bloomin' soul."



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\$200,000 HOTEL FOR ODESSA.

In October the Elliott Hotel, at Odessa, was opened to the public. Only three stories of the structure had been completed at that time, but more stories are to be added. The total cost of the building will be in excess of \$200,000. The hotel was built for and will be owned by Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott. Mr. Elliott is an ex-cow puncher, but is now

THIRTY MILES OF ROAD FOR FREESTONE.

italist.

a well-known oil man and cap-

Work is now in progress on about thirty miles of hard-surfaced roads in Freestone county. A concrete road will be constructed on State high-y No. 7 from Geppert Hill wast through Fairfield to the new all-weather bridge across the Trinity. Asphalt will be

tion for material and equip-

ment. A newspaper contain-ing news of all Beaumont schools will be printed in the

plant, as well as the annual

ELLIS HAD 28 COMMUNITY

Ellis county doubtless leads the State in the number of

community fairs held this

year. There were twentyeight such community events

in this county. All the fairs were well attended and had fine exhibits.

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Jokes to Make LITTLE FUN You Laugh

Wise Boy.

First colored boy: "Whut youse all limpin' fer, niggah?" "Why was Solomon the wisest man in the world?" asked the lady teacher. Second colored boy: "Ise got fallin' arches frum bein' hit on de head wid a sledge hammer.

Some Crack.

He Is a Busy Man.

A colored man being interviewed by authorities in regard to a shooting af-fray gave to the world this bit of phi-

losophy: "Ah didn't see nothin' so ah don't know nothin'!" "You alls know, boss, ah spends six months of every year 'tendin' mah own business and ah spends de odder six months of the year tryin' to keep frum 'tendin' other people's business.'

Wake Up the Preacher !-

Many years ago a country preacher wrote to Henry Ward Beecher and asked what ought to be done by the pastor when members of his congregation went to sleep during the sermon. Beecher wrote somewhat to the following effect: "Dear Brother-when any member of my congregation goes to sleep my dea-cons are instructed to come and wake me up."

A Good One.

When Mark Twain was editor of a paper in Virginia City, a subscriber who found a spider in his paper wrote asking whether this was good or bad luck. Twain answered through his paper: "The finding of a spider in your copy of the 'Enterprise' was neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our pages to find out what merchant was not advertising, so that it could spin its web across his door and lead a free and undisturbed existence ever after."

Do You Blame Him?

O'Shaughnessy came to Ellis Island in the steerage, and made his pile with-in ten years. He decided to make a splurge, and started by strutting into the swellest Broadway restaurant he could find, and ordering the waiter to bring him everything on the bill of fare. Luckily, it was a table d'hote.

O'Shaughnessy consumed the soup, the lobster, the lettuce garnished with parsley; and then was served with fried eel

"Waiter!" he roared. "I've drunk yer dishwater, I've et yer insecks, I've swallered yer grass; but I'll be damned if I'll eat yer wurrums!"

He Found Out.

"Because he had so many wives to advise him," answered the bright boy. "Well, that is not the answer in the book, but you may go up to the head of the class," replied the teacher.

Surplus Disposal.

"How was your peach corp this sea-

son?" "Why, a heavy storm blew down 50 per cent of it. And we'd hardly gathered that when another wind came along and took down the remaining 50 per cent.

"Hard luck! Could you do anything with them?"

"Oh. my wife ate one and I ate the other."

Little Mary.

Mother was teaching little Mary, age three, the prayer, "Our Father," by hav-ing her repeat each short sentence, as mother said it. Mary was learning nice-ly the first week of her lesson.

The second week, when mother came to the sentence, "Give us this day our daily bread." Mary hesitated slightly. looked up at mother and said "Mother." I want some peanut butter on my bread."

Another Washington.

Casey hurried down to where poor Ri-ley's body lay, after Riley had fallen five stories from the building on which they were both working. "Are ye dead, Pat?

"That Oi am."

"Faith, an' ye're such a liar Oi don't know whether to belave yez or not." Riley did his best to lift up his head. "That proves Oi'm dead, ye dirthy doubter; if Oi wuz alive, ye wouldn't dare to call me a liar!"

Surprising Her.

A farmer brought some produce to the city and sold it. Thought he, "I will surprise my wife." So he bought a suit of clothes, a hat and a pair of shoes and put them under the back seat of his wagon. On his way home he stop-ped at the river and, taking off his old clothes, threw them in the water. Then he looked under the seat for his new outfit. It was gone. Finally, he got into the wagon and said, "Giddap, Maude, we'll surprise her anyhow."

His Cross.

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through Teague, which A shortsighted man who was also will give a continuous pavevery inquisitive was walking in the ment from Teague to the country one day when he saw a notice board nailed on a tree that stood in a field. As he could not read the notice at that distance, curiosity prompted BEAUMONT SCHOOLS ADD PRINTING PLANT.

across the field toward the tree. The art of printing is now A few moments later he managed to being taught in the schools of scramble back over the fence just in Beaumont. Students who so time to escape the horns of a charging bull.

desire are taught linotype composition, press work and other branches of printing. The Board of Education re-"Well," he gasped breathlessly, "I had the satisfaction of finding out what the notice was.' cently set aside an appropria-

It said: "Beware of the bull."

POULTRY

FEEDING FOR WINTER EGGS.

Eggs are again worth real money. Those people that fed their flock well the entire sum-mer and fall are now beginning to reap rich rewards; those on the other hand, that stop-ped feeding a balanced ration, explaining that

they wanted their flock to go on a vacation, because of low-priced eggs, will now realize their mistake and by the time their flock will be back in laying condition, the price of eggs will again look downward.

Bred-to-Lay Stock.

Feeding is an important factor to get fall and winter eggs. Breeding is equally as im-portant. Unless you have bred-to-lay stock, it will be more or less discouraging to get good egg-production at this time of the year. Egg-production is bred into hens by careful breeding, selection, culling and trap-nesting. Hens do not inherit it by accident.

Time of Hatching.

Time of Hatching. Early hatched pullets, especially among such breeds as Rocks, Reds, Wyandottes, etc., are necessary to get heavy egg production at this season. Among these breeds and other so-called medium weight breeds, we recommend hatching in January, February and March. In the case of White Leghorns and other small breeds, we recommend hatching in March, April and May. In case of these small breeds, when hatched too early, you will find them going into a so-called "Neck Moult" at this time, instead of laying eggs. April and May hatched Leghorn pullets are not as apt to go into this neck moult. Pullets in this neck moult will not be laying much for several weeks.

who wished to become citizens of the United States, he had asked one applicant the usual questions and had received satisfactory replies, although it was evident that the man had a hard time fathoming some of the questions. At him to climb over the fence and walk last he asked:

HINTS

"And now, do you belong to any so-ciety or organization inimical to the Government of the United States?"

This was too much for the man, and he was silent. Judge Dyer explained the meaning, and again asked the question. gleam of understanding overspread A the face of the man, and he replied: "Yes, judge. I'm a Democrat."

bred-to-lay hens will start back to laying soon

after they complete the moult. Hens as an average will not do much laying until January or latter part of December. Pullets hatched at the right time can be handled to give their best events and the second second

Feeding.

best production during these months.

By F. W. KAZMEIER

Poultry Breeder, Bryan, Texas.

muskets, one of which it is said was used by a Texan in

the Mexican war; with the other Capt. Bob Smith is said to have killed Chief Bowles in a battle fought by Texans and Cherokee Indians in Van Zandt county in 1839. The rifle last mentioned is ornate with carved silver and gold, and its stock is of bird's-eye maple. It was originally a flintlock, but Capt. Smith changed it into a percussion cap model.

Chief Bowles, who, it is said, was killed with this old gun, led the semi-civilized Cherokees from along Smackover creek, in Arkansas, to the three forks along the Trinity, near Dallas, said Mr. Tower, who is a close student of early Texas history.

VALUE OF TEXAS CROPS. The total value of Texas

crops this year will probably be \$100,000,000 or more above the value of the crops of 1926, according to preliminary production estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture. Last year the value of Texas crops was given at \$631,000,000. The greater part of this year's increase over last year's crop value will be due to the better price of cotton. While the production of cotton this year will be under the production of 1926, yet due to the higher price the total gross income to the farmer will be far above that of last year.

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MEXICAN WAR. Collections from the 3-cents month. Three-fourths of this Rev. C. A. Tower, pastor of per gallon tax on gas lines in tax goes to the State Highway the First Methodist church of August amounted to \$1,700,- Department and one-fourth to Jefferson, owns two ancient 000, which was an increase of the available school fund.





<text><text><text><text><text><text><text> weeks. Yearling hens, or older, cannot be expected to give much of a fall or early winter egg pro-duction because they must go thru the annual moult. It is part of nature's provision for hens to moult each year. While they are moult-ing they do not lay very much. The better



AGE EIGHT

MORTUARY

TOMASA ROMERO Tomasa Romero, the one year aughter of Mr. and Mrs. Easte nero, died Tuesday at the fam here. Funeral services w held Wednesday at two o'clock p. in the St. Mary's Catholic chut and were conducted by Fatl Fletcher. Burial was made Burial was made Greenleaf.

MRS. MARY JENNINGS Mrs. Mary Jennings, age 90. (of the pioneer citizens of the Wi hell community, died at the ho of her son, Will Jennings, of th unity. Tuesday. Mrs. Je nings was born in Llano cour and had lived in Texas all of 1 life, 40 years of which had be spent in the Winchell community Funeral services were held at 1 lox cemtery near Winchell Wedn day afternoon at two o'clock. But was made there.

Mrs. Jennings is survived by th ons, Luke Jennings of Globe, A ona: Will and Joe Jennings. Winchell. In addition to the th sons there are several grandchild) nd two great grandchildren v survive their grandmother.

DANIEL LUTHER NICHOLSC Daniel Luther Nicholson, I Brady Avenue, a citizer: of Brov wood and Brown county for past 20 years, died at the fan ence Sunday. Mr. Nichol was born in Titus County, Janu 23, 1868, and had lived in Texas of his life. He was married Gatesville in 1890 and to the un were born five children, four shom survive.

Mr. Nicholson joined the Missis ary Baptist Church in 1896 and 1 seen active in the work of church ever since. He was a regt attendant at the Coggin Ave. Baptist church, although he l never placed his membership w hat congregation.

Funeral services for Mr. Nich son were held Monday afternoor five o'clock at the Coggin Aver Baptist church and were cond by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pas of that church. Dr. Hornburg assisted by Rev. W. D. Watk urial was made in Greenleaf.

Mr. Nicholson is survived by wife, two sons, C. R. Nicholson, Pt. Worth and F. A. Nicholson Brownwood: two daughters, A L. H. Allsup of Fort Worth Miss Thelma Nicholson of Broy wood; and two brothers, J. W. Ni m, of Oklahoma and Sam Ni olson, Burleson.

Pall bearers for the Nichol funeral were Joe Alley, Di Jones, Albert Stevenson, Will 7 bot, Charlie Hallum, R. L. Bens Silas Drake, and A. M. Ward.

MRS. ORPHA JANE HANNA SAWYER

Mrs. Orpha Jane Hannah Saw se of J. M. Sawyer, died urday at the family home at tvenue D. Mrs. Sawver had h a citizen of Brownwood for 21 ye She was born in Alabama, Oct. 1852, and was exactly 75 years age at the time of her death. Mrs. Sawyer was a member of Baptist church at the time of death and had been a faithful m ber of that church for many ve Funeral services were held at unily residence Sunday aftern at three o'clock and were condi cd by Rev. A. E. Prince, pastor the First Baptist Church. Bt was mode in the Staley ceme Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Sawyer is survived by usband, three sons, L. D. and L Sawyer, of Brownwood and J Eawyer, of Eastland; and two da ters, Mrs. W. A. Jarvis, of Hoc Okla., and Mrs. W. B. Redner Brownwood. In addition to immediate family 21 grand child and 6 great grandchildren sur-Pall bearers for the funeral w Cliff Redner, John Barber, O Winebrennir, Earl Batton, Ch. Gilliam, Hal Jackson, Britt '101 and Mose Denman.



Sale of 500 steer year-Hogs from the Lillard The combined harvester-Hogs by W. L. Foster, of Farms, of near Arlington, thresher, so well known to Sterling City, at \$55 per have set some great records the great grain farms of head, set a new high record with Tarrant county hogs the West, are now being defor these cattle in Sterling at many of the important manded in such numbers in county. The young steers shows of the country. Af- other sections of the counwere shipped to northern ter taking 62 prizes at the try that it is said manufacfeeders and will be cornfed Kansas State Fair at turers have been unable to for the Chicago and Kansas Hutchinson, where more meet the demands and have than 1,200 hogs were gath- had to "ration" sales in on City choice beef trade. ered in the strongest com- States east of the Mississip-

Reports from Llano say petition ever known in the pi river. More than 15,000 the turkey business of that United States, the Lillard of these big machines have section will surpass that of show moved on to Lubbock. been sold. It is claimed that last season, when more At the Panhandle-South the combined thresher-har- FOR SALE-750-scre farm and past than 50,000 birds were Plains Fair the Lillards vester cuts the cost of pro-dressed in the local plant. made the greatest winning ducing a bushel of wheat The dressing plant has been record ever recorded by one enlarged and can care for a exhibitor in any hog show ably 45,000 to 50,000 to 50,000 ably 45,000 to 50,000 men larger number of birds than were handled last season. The Lillard herd of 85 hogs

A progressive hog move- has been the big attraction machines, while fully 135,ment has been started in at many fairs. the Lone Oak, Mote and

Village Creek communities The National Rhode Is- came on the scene. of Ellis county, which have land Red Show will take formed a purebred hog cir- place in Dallas November Twenty-five farmers 17 to 20, according to an- mer experience in cotton will purchase each a regis- nouncement made by the growing, and bothered by tered Duroc gilt. The manager. The rapidly grow- the drouth, Alvin White, of farmers will also purchase ing popularity of this type near Slaton, planted no Texas. outstanding Jersey of chicken in the Southwest cotton this year, and he is FOR SALE-214 acres good black land, 160 male.

male. William and Earl Pres-cott, of the Lone Star com-munity, were winners in this section and is expected and and the loss area solutivation, good barn, seven-room house, 23 area solgoroof fence, one mile not sorry that he did not. He excluded cotton from his farm and gave his en-tire attention to poultry this section and is expected and grain sorry burget the section of the annual show in munity, were winners in this section and is expected and grain sorry burget the section of the source of the munity, were winners in the Mitchell county pig contest this year, accord-ing to the county demon-stration agent. William's and cost him 4.9 cents per pound. Earl's pig, which weighed 255 pounds, was produced at a cost of 4.7 weighed 255 pounds, was produced at a cost of 4.7 cents per pound. The pigs were fed milo, cottonseed meal and milk. West Texas is furnishing a very large percentage of

a very large percentage of 1,500,000 lambs that will be River county farmer, who ery on a 50-50 basis for a fattened in Will and Lara-mie counties, northwestern Colorado, this winter for e a r l y marketing next next with results. Mr. e arly marketing next spring. Ten cents a pound was paid for most of the lambs, with 11 cents for a few. It is expected the animals will average 55 to 56 pounds. Feeding over a period of ninety days will increase the weight from 28 to 35 pounds per animal. Northwestern Colorado has plenty of hay and a good more beet encrease the seed from several of the severa early marketing next pleased with results. Mr. White \$500, excluding ex-

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JOSE MENDOZA

Jose Mendoza, four months baby of Mr. and Mrs. Benito doza, died Saturday afternoon a amily home, 812 Sharp Street, lowing a brief illness. Funeral vices were held in Greenleaf day afternoon and burial in there. Deceased baby is survive his parents.

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH YOUNG

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Young. 77. died Sunday at the home of daughter, Mrs. C. A. Egglestor 506 East Chandler. Mrs. Young born Sept. 3, 1849, in St. Louis had spent most of her life in T the past ten years as a citize Brownwood. Mrs. Young was I widow several years ago and then had lived with her chil During her long iffe Mrs. Y was a member of the Meth durch and was true to be fail hurch and was true to the fai

She leaves ten children to n' the passing of a mother, one has meant much to them, and v teachings will live on in her dren's lives for years.

eral services were held Mc fternoon at four o'clock in the dist church with Rev. (eron, pastor of that churc ge. Dr. Cameron was ted by Rev. C. A. Johnson, of the First Christian church.

was made in Greenleaf. Mrs. Young is survived by th lowing children. Mrs. C. A. El ton, of Brownwood; Miss Young, Elmer Young, Marvin Y John Young, Miss Young, Elmer Young, Marvin Y John Young, Miss Gertrude Y Mrs. M. L. Bowden and Mrs. Herson all of Brownwood; Young of San Antonoi: and Reager of Bangs. Besides the tren there are many grandchi ther relatives and a host of fr Pall bearers for Mrs. Young that wans, Clarence Knight, Roy & hit Lane and M. T. Bowden.

LLIAM NELSON STROTHER felson Strother, 76, a rownwood for the past ed at his family home,

Northwestern Colorado has plenty of hay and a good sugar beet crop, providing lots of pup. Lacy Baker, a student of weighing 25 pounds each and developed time for assic to the greatest division of ag profit of \$260.40, which profit of \$260.40, which and developed it into a net profit of \$260.40, which was a labor income of \$1.77 an hour for the 147 hours he spent on it. Other pigs were added from time to time until he had 24. In November he sold 14, aver-aging 170 pounds, at 12 cents per pound and in the

aging 170 pounds, at 12 cents per pound, and in the following February he dis-posed of 231 pounds at 11.75 cents per pound. His financial statement makes the following showing: Cost of hogs, \$208.50; cost of feed, \$89.62; sale of hogs \$558.52; net profit, \$260.40. **mondville section of Willa-**(291,000,000. From these figures all must agree with the Iowa journal that the adiry cow produces more new wealth, is the greatest to the welfare of mankind figures, the Iowa Journal says, are United States De-**South Dakora**. **ALABAMA ALABAMA ALABAMA ALABAMA THIS AD will appear once only. Best 640** acres in cultivation. Very good improve-ments. A barrain. See P. H. NOLEN, Wilkar NISON County secured first premium ballas Fair: great dairy industry develop invotance in that section. About 4,000 acres within a radius of ten miles of Ray-ity of the patches range in size from ten to forty acres, \$558.52; net profit, \$260.40. **ALABAMA**

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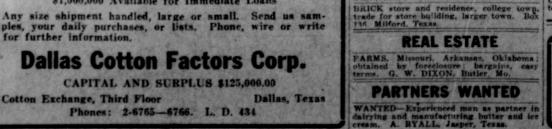
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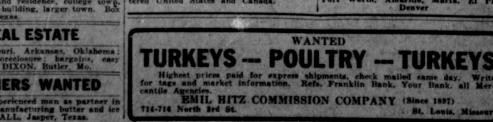
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SUNSHINE CLUB NEWS.

Now is the month for Thanksgiving and what a lot we have to be thankful for, too. First of all, if we have good health it is one of God's greatest bless-ings and we should thank Him in our daily prayer. Second, if ill health has stopped at our doorway we should praise God that he gives us kindly and devoted friends and grace to bear our griefs. We should be thankful for many more things, too. Each one of us has been given a special blessing.

USED MOTORCYCLES. All models. Easy payments. Free catalog. WESTERN MOTORCYCLE CO., 902 15th, Kansas City, Mo. Here are some letters from Club members and what they think about our Sunshine Club:

Lula Harris, Choice, Texas, writes: "I en-joyed the little story you told me very much. Have already had several nice letters and cards which are a comfort to me. I think the Sunshine for Shut-Ins Club is grand. I have been crip-WANTED-Rabbit skins, all varieties. Val cauda Fur Co., 2103 Western, Seattle, Wn **Miscellaneous** For Sale "DEER FOR SALE-Follow variety, white, speckled or brown." C. E. THOMAS, Prattville, Ala. pled since I was seven years old. I was con-fined for two months last spring; I feared I would never wakk again. But glad to say I can now walk even without the crutch. I enjoy reading good literature and piecing quilts (when I get the scraps). I took a three weeks' wastion this summer which I enjoyd FOR SALE-Two vault doors, good an new, ARNEY HARBERT, Ada, Okia. SEND 35 cents for 1928 song book. 45 songs by Beazley. T. R. CRAWFORD, Lavonia, Ga. (when I get the scraps). I took a three weeks' vacation this summer which I enjoyed very much. * * I attend church and Sunday school occasionally. I try to endure my affliction with patience and bring cheer to others." (That is a wonderful letter full of love and appreciation, the thing that makes this club so hanve) OLD TEXAS NEWSPAPER. What is believed to be one of the oldest Texas newspaso happy.) pers now in existence is a copy

so happy.) Virga Reed, Mtn. Park, Okla., wrote this sweet letter: "Must write again and tell you how much I am enjoying your wonderful Sun-shine Club. The club get's better every month. I can't hardly wait for the Boys' and Girls' Page to come. I enjoy sending sunshine to the cripples. I get enjoyment out of the club, too. Love to you and the wonderful club members. I am, forever yours and the club's loving friend." of the Houston Weekly Tele-

Robert Baker, Irving, Texas, in joining the club, sends in the names of his grandmother and aunt who are both Shut-Ins. We are happy to have Robert and hope we can bring cheer his dear ones.

to his dear ones. Leta Varnell, Sand Creek, Okla., says: "I am a Shut-In and belong to your club. I have gotten some real interesting letters from some of the members. But I am unable to write, so could not answer their letters. I am taking this way of thanking each one for the sunshine they have sent. During the last three months I received a letter from Othela Kell, Chicka-sha, Okla., and from Elmer and Velma Rain-water and enjoyed them very much. I want to thank them through the Boys' and Girls' Page. My address is Sand Creek, Okla., and not Wakita, Okla. (Thank you for the letter, Leta.) Leta.)

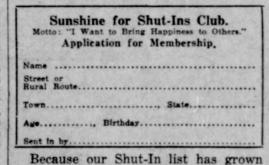
Clara Bell Keathley, Olney, Texas, wrote a very sweet letter and says she enjoys the club so much. I am sorry we do not have room this month to print the poem, Clara Belle, as it is very sweet.

Mrs. Dona Hail, Loraine, Texas, writes us a sweet letter and here it is: "I am writing you to let you know that I am no longer a Shut-In, and I sure do thank the Shut-In Club for the letters; I was so lonesome. But now, thanks to our Saviour, I can go where I want to. Still I am not entirely well, but would like for you all to send sunshine to some one who needs more than I do. Now I appreciate the

Shut-Ins and send little thoughts of kind-In list is very long, there will be very few after each name. So each and every member must do their part or someone will be forgotten. Don't you think it would make some little Shut-In very unhappy if no one remembered him or her? If you have lost or forgotten your num-ber, write Aunt Mary, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas, and it will be sent as soon as possible. We want to make this the happiest Christmas that our Shut-Ins

have ever had. Come on, boys and girls, and do your bit! Christmas is just around the corner and we must be getting busy. Please no not send your sun-shine for Aunt Mary to forward. If you should lose the address of the Shut-In, ask the editor of your paper for another copy of the Boys' and Girls' Page. It is impossible for Aunt Mary to take care of this work. Watch for the extra big Christmas issue—it will be great. Aunt Mary will try her best to print only the latest and most correct address of each Shut-In. She will appreciate the co-operation of all members and Shut-Ins in the effort to get names and addresses correctly, as well as change of addresses. In order that all readers of the Boys'

and Girls' Page who have not yet join-ed our Sunshine Club and who wish to do so in order to "be in" on this wonder-ful opportunity to bring happiness and sunshine to the afflicted, I am printing a membership coupon below. There are no charges for membership; it is free to all readers of this page. You will re-ceive a membership card with a number in the right-hand corner that will be printed after the name of the Shut-In to whom you are to send sunshine. This sunshine may be in the form of a letter, cut out picture, or any kind of little gift, not to cost over ten cents. Fill in the coupon and mail to Aunt Mary, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas.



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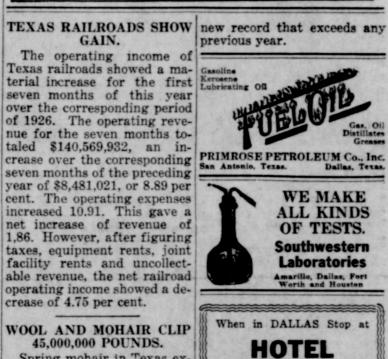
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W. A. Palmer, scoutmaster of the Quitaque, Texas, Troop of Boy Scouts, asys the troop is making preparations to beautify Quitaque. Trees are to be planted over the town by the scouts.

work of the club and thank you over again for your kindness. May God's richest bless-ings be with each and everyone of you, is my prayer." (I think this letter is wonderful, and I believe it should encourage all of us to do better and more work in the club. I know each member is glad Mrs. Hail is better and wish her God's help to complete recovery and The editor also paid his respects in vigorous language to the Cincinnati Commercial, which had printed an untrue story of what was termed Southern outrages. The Comhappiness.)

wish her God's help to complete recovery and Estelle Ponder, Spur, Texas, one of our most faithful and devoted members, writes, sending love to all, and wonders why all her friends who read the Boys' and Girls' Page do not join the club. presses, refineries, etc., to keep them from falling into

Catherine Weathers, Canyon, Texas, writes a very sweet letter and sends love to all.

a very sweet letter and sends love to all. Ruthie Whorley, Paducah, Texas, says her school has started and she expects to be very husy. She recently found a member of the Sunshine Club living near her that she did not know belonged to the club. (Perhaps many of the members could find other members near them if they tried). Ruthie sends the follow-ing, which she read in a paper and that I think is fine, too: "A smile costs nothing but gives much. A smile creates happiness in the home and fosters good will in business. As a coun-tersign of friendship it brings rest to the weary, cheer to the discouraged, sunshine to the sad. Yet it can not be bought, begged, borrowed or stolen; for it is something that is of no value until given away.' (Ruthie wants a photo of Aunt Mary. Aunt Mary had her picture on the Boys' and Girls' Page about a year ago, Ruthie.) year ago, Ruthie.)

year ago, Ruthie.) Here is a sad letter from Frances Whaley, Eldorado, Okla. I hope all of you will heed it: "I'm writing to tell the sad news that Mr. C. Richson, Eldorado, Okla., on Sept. 8th, was called to that heavenly home. Mr. W. H. Kelly is very sick. Please send him sunshine. Now, members, come on, let's do our best, for we do not know when we will be called." (Write Mr. W. H. Kelly, Rt. 4. Eldorado, Okla., all mem-bers of the Sunshine Club. And, Frances, will you please extend the sympathies of the Sun-shine Club to the bereaved family of the de-ceased?—Aunt Mary.) Ruby Williams. Santa Anna. Texas, has been 338,348 is to pay the salaries

Ruby Williams, Santa Anna, Texas, has been kuby winnams, Santa Anna, Texas, has been picking cotton and will be glad when school starts. Ruby also says she received a nice letter from Mrs. Bessie Jones. We are glad to hear from Ruby and hope she will write often. Ruby is the sister of our beloved Leta Gay.

Gay. Hazel Fitch writes about her sister's mem-bership. I am sure you will have received per-sonal news before this appears, Hazel, and we are so glad to have your sister, as you have been such a faithful and true member, and one well spoken of by the Shut-Ins that have heard

the spoken of by the Shut-Ins that have heard from you. A new member and Shut-In writes the fol-lowing very wonderful letter. It is from Min-nie Brown, Richmond, Mo.: "One of my friends, Mr. W. R. Smith, of Pryor, Okla., sent me the Boys' and Girls' Page and I want to join your club. Hope you will send me a mem-bership. I want to help others to be happy. I belong to several societies and am trying to cheer up the lonely overywhere letters can reach. * * I have been a life-long wheel chair invalid since 1916. I have a very kind mother who helps me. My paps is dead. I al-ways try to be cheerful and know that only God's ways are best. May we all live and be happy, though our way he rough and rapped. The way of the wrost lands Heme. Jown acid. "I am the Way, the Truth and the Light." And lot us follow Him. I have to write to the

so long we will not be able to add any new ones until after the first of the new year.

LETTER CONTEST. Three Prizes.

Here is a contest so many of my readers have asked for. It is going to be a letter contest. Here are the conditions and rules:

First: Write a letter of not more than 200 words on the subject, "Why I Love to Do Things for Others." Second: The letters will be judged by (1) interest of the subject, (2) neatness of paper

and penmanship. Third: Write on one side of paper only. Fourth: Write your name, address, age and number of words in letter at the top of each page of letter. (Do not neglect this point.) Fifth: Letters may be written with pencil

Fifth: Letters may be written with pencil or pen, but must be in your own handwriting. Sixth: Letters must be mailed by midnight, December 16th. None accepted later. Seventh: Winners will be announced in the January issue and the prizes mailed by the first of the New Year.

Prizes Given.

First Prize: For the most interesting and neatest letter. Aunt Mary will give three new one dollar bills.

one dollar bills. Second Prize: For the second most interest-ing and neatest letter. Aunt Mary will give two new one dollar bills. Third Prize: For the next three most in-teresting and neatest letters, Aunt Mary will give to each winner a new dollar bill. So, you see, you have a chance to win

one of five prizes.

This contest is open to all readers of the Boys' and Girls' Page under 20 years of age. (Age will be taken into consideration in judging the letters, so the younger ones will have as good a chance as the older contestants.)

Address your letter to Aunt Mary, Letter Contest, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas.

Who will be the first one to write a letter?

SHORT STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

The Lion and the Mouse. A lion, tired from the chase, lay sleep-ing at full length under a shady tree. Some mice, scrambling over him while he slept, awoke him. Laying his paw upon one of them, he was about to crush upon one of them, he was about to crush it, but the mouse implored his mercy in such moving terms that he let him go. Some time after this the lion was caught in a net laid by hunters, and, unable to free himself, made the forest resound with pathetic roars. The mouse whose life had been spared, heard the lion roaring, came to him aid, and, with his little sharp teeth, mawed the ropes spander and set him free. (From the Fables of Amone)

Spring mohair in Texas exceeded 5,000,000 pounds and, with a 6,000,000-pound cropthis fall, the year's production reaches 11,000,000 pounds or more. This, with a spring wool clip of 28,000,000 pounds and 6,000,000 pounds this fall, will make the total wool and mohair production for Texas around 45,000,000 pounds, a



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BUFFALO HUNTING the

By ISAAC MOTES.

T seems a far cry back to the days when great herds of wild buffaloes, or bisons, covered the plains of many of our western States from Texas northward and up into the far Canadian Northwest. However, quite a few western plainsmen are still living who well remember those early days, and some there are who had an important part in helping well-nigh to exterminate these large herds of buffaloes. as well as ridding the American frontier of hostile Indian tribes.

An uncle of mine, now quite an old man, was a Texas ranger during part of the time when the prairies of Western Texas were oftentimes black with big droves of these great shaggy animals, and it was always interesting to me to hear him tell of his experiences in those days when conditions were so different from what they are now. Many of our Western States which were then inhabited only by buffaloes, hostile Indians and coyotes, are now thickly populated agricultural States, and in formerly wild, remote places where once were heard the yapping of coyotes or the war whoop or Indians chasing buf-faloes and shooting them with their big bows and arrows are now located great cities and thriving towns wherein live and work hundreds of thousands of happy, prosperous people.

One of the most interesting experiences which I have ever heard my uncle relate was of his first buffalo hunt when he was a young man and a new ar-rival in the West. The story follows, as near as I can repeat his words:

The Hunt.

"In the spring of 1875 I came West and joined the Texas rangers under Captain Foster. His company was stationed at Big Springs, Texas, an important trading point where the buffalo hunters brought the hides and bones to sell to buyers from St. Louis.

'Most of the Indians had been removed to the Indian Territory at this time, but there were a few prowling bands on the plains, mostly engaged in stealing and driving away horses, and the main business of the rangers was to guard the frontier and protect widely scattered settlements from Indian attacks.

started on a long scout up on the plains ated under the pounding of their toward the headwaters of the Brazos. hoofs. They saw our wagon and bore off en ground. But the bull I had shot and The buffalo hunters had been thick in more to the right. I thought they were wounded kept straight ahead, ran down to knock clouds of dust and gravel out the country around Big Springs, and the most awkward animals I had ever a gully, belowing furiously, with his of its foretop. the prairies and valleys were white with seen, with their low hind quarters and head down and nose almost touching bleaching bones of these noble

rangers took only a pack mule or two to carry provisions, but on this trip, as we intended to be gone two weeks or more, we precured a wagon. The main body of rangers generally rode ahead of the wagon some distance on along elevated ridges to the right or left, leaving two men with the wagon to guard it.

"It was always amusing to the old rangers when a new man from the East joined the ranger force, to see how he would become wild with excitement at first sight of a big herd of buffaloes. The tenderfoot's attempt to kill his first buffalo would often invoke much fun and laughter.

the second day out I was put on wagon guard with another ranger.

Thundering and Bellowing.

"The main body of rangers this morning were ahead perhaps two miles, which seems a very short distance on the flat. level plains. About 11 o'clock they sighted a good sized herd of buffaloes far off to the right, and being to leeward of

the rangers, the buffaloes ran while the rangers were quite a distance from them, but fortunately for me-or unfor-

tunately, just as you care to take it-instead of go-

came somewhat toward the wagon just as we got in a narrow fringe of live oaks between two sections of prairie, where the ground was broken with gullies and buffalo wallows. They came thundering toward us, a little to our right, bellowing, and when they ran across a strip of rocky ground their hoofs made a clattering roar that drowned all other sounds.

'I was greatly excited as I saw the buf-"Soon after I joined the rangers we falo coming, while the ground reverberA White Buffalo.

"Most of them were black, or nearly so, especially on the neck, shoulders and head, but their sides and hind quarters were more of a dark reddish color. and I noticed one buffalo almost snow white, bobbing up and down in the cen-ter of the herd, a very conspicuous sight

among so many black animals. "A half dozen rangers had turned back toward the wagon to intercept the herd, and as the herd came nearer, these rangers began popping away the animals with their Winat chesters. I drew my Winchester from

got deeper and the banks more nearly perpendicular farther down. I turned my horse and ran along the side of the gully, up on the bank. I could easily have gotten another shot at the animal now, and killed it, but I was so excited that I hardly knew what to do. I had not entered the gully near the beginning where it was shallow, and now the bank was too nearly perpendicular for me to get my horse down into it. A little farther, as the gully got deeper and the banks steeper, it made a sharp turn, al-most at right angles. Here the buffalo stopped against the farther bank and turned back toward me, his shaggy head "It is needless for me to say that I its scabbard and spurred my horse lowered. At bay, with eyes glowing, was very sorry when, on the morning of out to the right, to be within range he shook his head menacingly.

"Buffalo Fever"

"In my excitement at this unexpected move I jumped off my horse, laid my Winchester of the round and slid own the bank with my Colt's sixshooter in my hand. My blood was on fire as I rushed up within fifteen feet of the animal and fired at its head with my revolver.

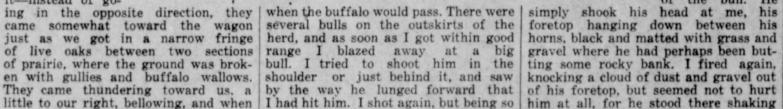
(1 might say here that what deer hunters call 'buck fever' is a mild mental discord compared to 'buffalo fever.') "The bullet had effect what-

ever. apparently, on the flinty skull of the bull. He his

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"Among the buffaloes killed wa 'Old Bone Beater,' as they called him He was a big shaggy bull, of considerable age, whose running could be easily distinguished in any herd, because of a loud rattling noise he made. like a shod horse running over cobblestones. Older rangers had often heard this peculiar noice in chasing herds of buffaloes, and wondered what could have produced it.

"This hunt solved the mystery. They heard the clatter again and followed the animal who made it. He was an old bull, and his hoofs had grown till they were nearly a foot wide and a foot long, broken and split on the inner side. When run-ning is hoofs would strike together, and on account of this noise he had long



his head and blowing up little clouds of excited, I don't think I shot at the same bull this time. The other ranger on dust with his nostrils. wagon guard was near me, shooting into "Probably the rifle ball didn't penethe herd, and the cracking of our Wintrate the skull at all, because of the kinky hair matted close against the anichesters drove the buffaloes a little away from the wagon and into the brokmal's head. I fired four more times at its head, with no effect whatever except

Narrowly Escaped.

horse. I turned and ran up the gully to reach a point where I could get my Win-chester. As I turned the buffalo made a lunge at me, and should in all proba-bility have been quickly gored to death had it not been for the other ranger of the support of the super the had it not been for the other ranger of the wagon guard, who had run up on the left bank at this grim moment. Quick as a flash he raised his Winchester, just as the bull lunged at me, and shot him behind the shoulder; he dou-bled up with head down and horns sticking in the hard clay. Then he over on his back and lay there quivering. The ranger vowed afterwards that the bull's heels as they went over didn't miss me more than six inches.

" 'That was a foolish thing for you to do, Henry!' said the ranger sharply. You came near losing your precious life. However, you're not the first tenderfoot

I've seen go wild over his first buffalo.' "I didn't realize just how rashly I had acted until Captain Foster learned of my narrow escape. Whereupon he gave me a severe lecture, telling me never again, under any circumstances, to get off my horse near a wounded buffalo, or to loose my hold upon my Winches-

"The longer I stayed on the buffal range the more I realized how thoughtless I was, and shudder even now when-ever I think of the dangerous situation in which I was placed.

A Hide That Brought \$500.

Several buffaloes were killed during this hunt, including the white one I had seen, which they followed nearly a mile before they got a chance to shoot it. It was a very large buffalo, with soft, fine hair, and we heard afterwards that its hide brought five hundred dollars in St. Louis. It was the only white buffalo ever seen on the range in West Texas, according to the oldest ranger in our company.

numped shoulders. They ran with a the round at times, it seemed to me. ing animals bounding, up-and-down movement that "This gully was shallow at its "My six-shooter was now empty, and been known on the buffalo range as 'Old "On short scouting expeditions the looked very clumsy. source, with very sloping banks, but my Winchester lay on the bank near my Bone Beater."

TEXAS' Treasure ISLAND

"At bay, with eyes glowing, the buffalo shook his head menacingly.

By VALVERA MOORE.

ARALLELING the Gulf coast, in Southeast Texas, is a narrow strip of land known as Padre Is-4 est island for its length in the world. since it is two to three miles wide and 130 miles long. This peculiar formation of nature which has lately been linked up with Corpus Christi by a causeway, reaches at the other end to Point Isabel, a rugged and picturesque little seaport town whose fame goes back to Civil War days. The island begins at the south about twenty-seven miles from Brownsville, near the mouth of the Rio Grande river, and proceeds near and along the Gulf coast for about 130 miles. At the northern end, by means of the Corpus Christi Pass bridge, Padre is joined with Mustang Island, which extends on down to Port Aransas.

Before Colonel Sam A. Robertson of Brownsville, who has always lived on the frontier, decided to make Padre Island accessible to the world by means lieved of the Don Patricio Causeway, the popuhere lation of the island consisted of Pat Dunn and family. Mr. Dunn, a cáttleman, has lived on the island for nearly 50 years, without neighbors, and alone with his family and herds of cattle. an

Once Owned By Spain.

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The island gained its name, which in itself is steeped with the romance of the Gulf country, from Father Nicholas Balli, who was granted the island by Spain during the Spanish supremacy in Mexico. For a time it was called Island dating as far of Santiago, and the channel near the back as 1700 southern tip of the island is still reand as late as ferred to as Santiago Pass. The light at the Point Isabel lighthouse is referred to by the navigators as the Brazos de Santiago light. Though Father Balli did not live on the island, maintaining his home in Matamoros, he kept a large herd of cattle there. Later when Mexico becattle there. Later when mexico be-came a republic, the grant given by the king of Spain was no longer valid, but in 1829 the island was given to the nephew of the priest. For many years the seamen and natives of that region spoke of the island as "La Isla del Padre Bull" and as the years were on this " and as the years wore on this dropped to Padre Island.

Rich in romance and adventure, holding the secret of buried treasure and the deeds of freeoboters, back in the days when Jean La Fitte and his bold buccaneers roamed the Texas coast, Padre Island gives to the world a treasure trove of legends bearing on "pieces of eight."

Money Hill.

Money Hill, the largest sand due on cargo of silver must have been shipthe island, has been the mecca for treas-

by the discovery of a chest, near the base of the hill, which contained several thousand dollars worth of old Spanish coins. The hill is so called because it is bethat the pirates that roved the Spanish main found in Padre Island impregnahiding place for their loot. Numbers of coins have been found at various times. many of them

Money Hill, Padre Island, the mecca for treasure seekers.

was given to Colonel Robertson, dated 1802

As early as 1553, according to historical data, more than 500 survivors of a real data, more than 500 survivors of a wrecked treasure fleet were cast upon Padre Island, where much of their fabu-lous cargo was buried. Later many of the survivors cscaped into Mexico, leav-ing behind derelict vessels and remnants of spoils. Delving into historical docu-ments and, in part, tracing the routes of Caribbean pirates, A. M. Muely, of

left in hiding by former shipwrecked crews. Along with coins which he has picked up at various times, Mr. Dunn has found arrowheads, spearheads, pottery, and skulls, indicative that at one or another time Indians in-habited the island. Some of the spear-heads measure from one to five inches. On one occasion Mr. Dunn discovered a collection of human teeth near a cluster of rocks, where, no doubt, the redskins built their teepees and campfires. Recently an expedition of treasure-

Corpus Christi, advances the theory hunters, with the aid of charts, compasses and maps, undertook to extract that in December, 1904, a deposit of from Money Hill other prizes supposed to have been hoarded there, but the rugged old sandy hill revealed nothing. cept an occasional fisherman whose gold was found at the edge of the island. uncovered by the breakers of the Gulf of Mexico, which amounted to a possi-However, time after time, coins have been found which indicate buccaneers ble million dollars. The chests were located about 35 miles south of Corpus

Shipwrecked Vessels.

Keepers of the old lighthouse at Point wrecked near the island back in the late ure-seekers for a number of years, due fifties, and in order to save their money Isabel, a lone sentinel for many years to the excitement aroused a decade ago the crew buried it among the sand that guided the destinies of mariners,

1879 that Dunn decided to move his family from the mainland to their new home on the island, and for months at. craft passed within view. The only way Mr. Dunn could get back to the main-Christi Pass. According to Mr. Dunn, who has lived on the island for forty-eight years, a

Second Robinson Crusoe.

Dunn does not find that Padre Island holds the same charm for him it nee did. For years he had the island have witnessed the destruc- ah' to himself, and loved its seclusion. He was a second Robinson Crusoe. But he plans to stay on for tion of many ships whose fragments two more years in order to round out his half century on the island, and after floated in and that time expects to go in search of a lodged on the beach. In 1915, when trouble with Mexico was rife, the Merrimac, a tugboat, laden with salvaged brocks into the forman participation that time expects to go in search of a other place where progress will not the croach. The new roadway, Don Patricip Causeway, is named for Mr. Dunn, and although his cattle still graze unmolest-ed along the little sand hills, he finds that this contact with the outside world breaks into the former peace and soliwith salvaged a m m u n ition tude of the island.

Bird life on the island is prolific and well represented. There are pelicans, and supplies from a sinking vessel, ran treasure birds, herons, cranes and gulls ashore on Pa-dre Island. The that make their nests under the shelter of the sandy beach, near the Gulf. The old tugboat birds are yet tame and even the en-trance of the automobile on the island does not seem to bother them. still lies half-buried in the sand, approxi-mately forty

An Engineering Feat.

mately forty miles up the Closely associated with the history of Padre Island and its discovery as far as progress is concerned is Colonel Robertson, engineer and frontiersman, whose life's work has always kept him Not more than out on the edge of things. After look-ing around for another frontier he chose the last of the Texas front lines to con-quer and make accessible. His achievequer and make accessible. His achieve-ment is the causeway which connects Corpus Christi with the island, and also the 150-mile Ocean Beach driveway, the longest beach driveway in the world, and one of the most beautiful. Looking ahead for the comfort of the traveling public, Colonel Robertson has installed telephone service reaching from one end of the island to the other, and (Continued on Page 4, Column 5,)

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1810. Recently, when workmen were dunes. While burying their own silver, a stone's throw from the Merrimac is building the driveway several coins were the crew discovered "pieces of eight" the Nicaragua, a 2,500-ton vessel which left in hiding by former shipwrecked went aground there in 1913. Unprotect-

ed from the battling winds and waves of the Gulf, the derelict vessel is slowly sinking into the sand. Strewn along the beach are other pieces of wreckage which have floated in from foreign ports or from ships which have met with disaster at sea.

beach from Point Isabel.

Now the isolation of Padre Island has been removed, the romantic spell of ages broken, according to Pat Dunn, rancher, who has spent the greater part of his life on the island. It was back in

CURRENT COMMENT By J. H. LOWRY

Fall Flowers.

"To him who in the love of nature holds Communion with her visible forms, she speaks A various language:

For his gayer hours she has a voice of gladness, And a smile, and eloquence of beauty; And she glides into his darker musings With a mild and healing sympathy That steals away their sharpness Ere he is aware."

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So wrote William Cullen Bryant in Thanatopsis, perhaps the most glorious view of death that has been given to the world. I have not in mind, as the poet had, the separation of the soul and body that men call death, but to me the first stanza of his masterpiece speaks so truly of the floral beauty that now brightens and gladdens our world that I am prone to believe it must have been penned in late autumn, when the fall rose wore its most radiant robes and the many-shaped, many-colored chrysanthe-mums bordered the gardens and yards.

. . . Truly, to the lover of flowers, and to those who "hold communion with them," they speak a various and a glorious langua 'e. No person can walk through the flowering rose gardens of today, if his eyes be susceptible to the beauty of form and color, his soul in love with the Maker and Giver of all beauty, and be unhappy. No man can gaze upon the snowy white, the delicate pink, the glowing yellow and the ruby red com-bined in the vase collection of November roses and withhold a paean of praise to the God of the Beautiful.

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Flowers, angels of mercy, joy, peace and love; singers of songs of gladness, crooners of love-notes of sorrow that "glide into our darker musings with a mild and healing sympathy." They car-ry the message of love from the bashful school boy to his rosy-cheeked angel in youth's golden morning, when innocence is upon the brow and eternal springtime is in the heart. They weave themselves into garlands of matchless beauty and bedeck the hair of the bride as she marches beside the man she loves to Hymen's altar. They carry a message of hope to the couch of the suffering, and at last they nestle upon the hallowed mound under which reposes all that is mortal-love's final tribute.

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At times I am constrained to believe shird did not make the flowers for man alone. Surely, the Perfect One on High loves the beautiful and the perfect, and when He looks so longingly

His highest creation, and His great heart sorrows because He finds them not, how delightful it must be to rest His gaze upon the perfect form and the glorious painting of the rose.

. . . Come to think of it, it was a rose that inspired the world's most popular bal-lad. Doubtless it was a November rose, for it was the last rose of the season. Tom Moore's name has long been carv-ed on the tomb, but the ballad he wrote while gazing upon the "Last Rose of Summer," will live while the cycles of time roll on and the heart of man is soothed and thrilled by the cadence of

song. A few years ago one of the prom-inent journals of the East sent out thousands of letters, reaching every corner of the United States, asking the persons addressed to name their favorite song. The replies received showed that the old-time favorite, "The Last Rose of Summer," is easily the most popular ballad with the people of America. The time is near when we shall see again the last rose of the season, and I ask the privilege of having the words of the old and popular song printed here:

"Tis the last rose of summer, left blooming alone.

All her lovely companions are faded and gone. No flower of her kindred, no rosebud is nigh, To reflect back her blushes or give sigh for

I'll not leave thee, thou lone one, to pine on

the stem; Since the lovely are sleeping, go sleep thou with them:

Thus kindly I scatter thy leaves o'er the bed Where thy mates of the garden lie scentless and dead.

So soon may I follow when friendships decay, And from love's shining circle the gems drop

away! When true hearts lie withered, and fond ones

are flown, Oh! who would inhabit this bleak world alone!"

Beautiful indeed the sentiments expressed in the last stanza of the sweet old ballad, and as true as it is beautiful. The world is a delightful place to live because of its friendships and its circles over which love presides, wearing the crown that gently presses. If all the friendships were but a memory, and all the gems of love's holy circle had fallen away, then miserable indeed would be the hours through which we would pine

and sigh alone, and kind indeed the sym-pathizing hand that would remove us from the bleak and unsympathizing world, even as the singer of the beautiful ballad scattered the leaves of the last rose of summer o'er the bed of its

Never knock on your competitor; it's | winds, but this island season, which a destructive policy. Twelve years ago the explorers, Peary and Cook, had the summer and winter—the hazy time that front pages of the papers. Peary said Cook didn't discover the north pole and Cook said Peary didn't discover it. The knocking ruined both. If Peary had come out in a neat card saying he saw Dr. Cook pulling up to the north pole just as he was on the edge of the hill on the return trip, and Cook had said he saw Peary's tracks all around the pole, both would have won fame and fortune. They would have been wined and dined by kings, and been accorded receptions equal to those given Lindbergh, the aviator. But they knocked each other, and both lost out.

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When Emerson advised man to "hitch his wagon to a star," he expected the hitcher to select the right kind of a star. The constant, faithful North star is all right as a mooring and guide for any man's wagon, but there are bright, glittering stars that scintillate for a time and then go hence leaving a fellow without a route thereunto and without a wagon. I know a young man who selected a moving star, a would-be movie star, as the object of his adoration. He is out a good automobile and his "star" is now looknig for another sucker.

November.

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November was put on the calendar by Numa Pompilius, who was the first weather prophet of any consequence. He divided the year into four equal parts, which has worked a great hardship on the people of our day and time. It was all right to have four seasons, equinoxes, solstices, etc., in old Numa's day, because people wore bearskins the year around then, but it's very expensive now. The divisions cause the women to want four kinds of clothing and four hats. which makes it very hard on men who have to keep up a large family, a Ford car and a radio on a small salary. I do not care to say very much about No-vember at present, but must pay my respect to the poet, who in writing of the month, said, "The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year." That poet was a dyspeptic, who couldn't eat Thanksgiving turkey or country sausage, and an old cynic who couldn't get a thrill out of a football game.

a handsome profit next summer and fall by selling to the oil mills at a big price. It is true that there is a little more gray than gold in the world these No- This plan would prove far more effective vember days, for the fires of summer and much less expensive than sending have burned out and the cold of winter men over the country to wage a camcreeps closer and closer with its chilling | paign of education.

we call Indian summer---is the most delightful of all the year. The bracing air is a tonic for the blood; the subdued sunshine which brightens and warms, but does not excite or depress, is a builder of energies, and a painter of pictures that touch into human beings the nobler sentiments. There is not the lusty life seen in field and garden when summer sent its simmering rays on the tasseling corn and ripening meadow, neither is there the nakedness of trees or brown hillsides which follow the long lashings of northern winds, but there is a merging of the glories of gold with the sad beauties of the gray. Indeed it is a magnificent panorama that nature spreads before us when autumn's rich and variegated colors are upon the trees and shrubs, and autumn's purple haze is upon field and forest. It is a glory that is soon to pass away, and perhaps we love it more because the ever-drifting leaves, the withering flowers and the northern blasts have sounded the alarm in our hearts that soon this splendor. like man, must fade as the grass.

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Life's Darkest Moment. Cartoonists have tried their hands a

long time at picturing life's darkest moment, and some of them have done very well indeed. Some of the pictures printed under this heading would move the Egyptian sphinx to tears and melt the proverbial heart of stone, but I saw, in real life, not long since, a scene far more sorrowful than any the cartoonists have offered. It was not a deathbed scene, not a Rachel weeping over her young, not a mother bending over the marble clay of a dimpled darling, not the destruction of a beautiful home by the cruel flames, or a promised bride deserting her fiance at the altar, but it was a scene to make men and angels weep. A circus was advertised to exhibit in a certain town and had covered every billboard in town and every barn in the surrounding country with flaming posters telling of its wonders. The cir-cus train reached town and was greeted by hundreds. But soon after the train pulled in the flood gates of heaven were opened and a rain fell that hasn't been equaled many times since the days of Noah. Water ran in rivulets through the town and the mud became so deep that it was impossible for the circus people to get their big wagons to the show grounds. Just before time for the I used to crave riches, but have quit it. I lugged around the idea that if a big street parade to move the manager man possessed several thousand dollars mounted a box on the square and in he could be truthful and wouldn't have stentorian tones announced that there to worry over anything, but I have been would be no show. As the words of the disillusioned. I owe a few fellows who showman fell like a pall upon the large and waiting crowd a little boy burst into are worth a quarter of a million dollars, or more. They have worried themselves a cry and refused to be comforted. Cannearly to death trying to collect what I dy and other sweets were tendered him, owe them, and each of the scoundrels but these neither softened his cries into has perjured his soul by swearing he is a lower pitch nor gave surcease of sorrow. As his parents led him toward his home he continued to scream, and even Like all other Southern economists, I after he could no longer be seen his cries could still be heard. Talk about blasted hopes, about golden fruit turning to am in favor of a big reduction in the cotton acreage next year. There is just one way to bring about this happy conashes on the lips-the failure of a promsummation, and I cannot but wonder ising cotton crop, the wreck of a fashionable spring bonnet, the postponement why some smarter man hasn't sprung the scheme long ago. The only way to keep cotton from being planted is to keep cotton seed out of the hands of the of a wedding, is not worthy to be compared to the bitter disappointment of a small boy when a circus is rained out. farmers. Let the government, or some For weeks the little fellow had stood engreat organization, buy up seventy-five tranced before the flaming show posters. per cent of the cotton seed, leaving the and in his dreams he had seen the elefarmers just enough to plant a small acreage. Hold the seed until planting time has passed. Having a corner on phants, the ponies and the spotted clowns, but right at the hour for the street parade to move the rain fell in torrents. The old world is filled with the seed market, the buyers could earn sorrows and disappointments clear through the stretch of years from the cradle to the grave, but from pink toes to tottering age there isn't a deeper sorrow than missing a circus by a lad

CARELESSNESS Kills THOUSANDS

By CLARENCE E. GILMORE. ent Texas Council of Safety.)

OME one has said that accidents have come to be an epidemic and that this epidemic constitutes the most appalling situation before the American people. When we realize the loss of life, the suffering, and the destruction of property resulting an-nually from accidents, we are forced to accept the truth of this statement. The loss of 90,000 and the injury of

2,500,000 of our citizens from any one cause in one year is unthinkable, to say nothing of the inexpressible suffering and sorrow of those who are left to mourn the loss. Yet that is the toll taken in this country in 1926 by accidents. According to reports, this was more than twenty times the casualty toll to the American soldiers during the World War. The records also show that 2? 000 of the lives lost by accidents were produced by motor vehicles, and of this number, 6,000 were children under fifteen years of age. The annual prop-erty damage on streets and highways alone has been estimated at more than 600,000.000.

The losses in our own State are alarming. Daily the cries of loved ones who mourn the accidental death or injury of father, mother, brother, sister, or other relatives and friends are heard in some community. From September 1, 1926, to June 1, 1927, a period of nine months, accidents of all kinds in Texas were re-sponsible for the loss of 1,310 lives and 4,244 personal injuries. This is a greater loss than was sustained in three of the leading battles of the Texas Revo-

The automobile alone caused 534 of the 1,810 deaths and 2,624 of the personal injuries. During the same nine period, there were 85 fatalities and 334 injuries at railway grade cross-ings in the State. Is not the situation enough to make every heart ache and every good citizen do his very best to prevent these appalling tragedies?

Causes of Accidents.

Accidents do not just happen, they are caused. The causes of accidents, in-cluding both remote and immediate, are improved streets and highways, increas-ed highway mileage, the large number of motor vehicles in operation, speed-ing, contesting the right of way, poor lights, failure to observe traffic signals,

roadway, defective machinery, and incompetent drivers.

It is not to be understood that reference here to improved streets and highways as a cause of accidents is in any way intended as an argument against paved streets, good highways, or the use of motor vehicles on these thoroughfares. When properly used, these are among our greatest blessings and their in education, organization, legislation development should be encouraged. It and co-operation.

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the result of good streets and roads, is in large measure ble, responsiremotely at least, for the increase in accidents.

It is not to be wondered that accident fatalties and injuries mount so high each week when the more immediate causes of accidents are taken into consideration. The drunkard, the physically maimed, small children, the violator, and other in-

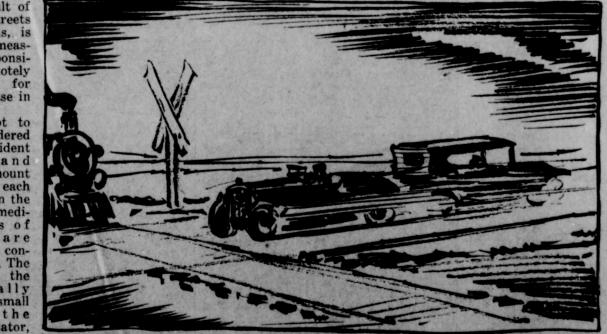
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found operating motor vehicles. The lack of courtesy or proper regard for the rights of others deserves special mention as a cause of accidents. The "road-hog." the "speed demon" special mention as a cause of accidents. The "road-hog," the "speed-demon," and the "chance-taker" are on every street and highway and are a menace to society and a detriment to the safety and happiness of the traveling public. With such operators as these in charge of motor vehicles going up and down the thoroughfares of the country, the good citizen who does not and will not abuse the privilege of driving an automobile has limited protection.

The Remedy,

disregard of safety principles, defective epidemic is the most important thing in the child in the home and the school, es- city of more than 50,000 population had connection with the situation. During the pecially in the school. Pratical safety past several years safety engineers, safety workers, and others interested in accident prevention have made many more alert to his own safety and the safety of others, and, through him, in-fluences older persons to a deeper realicareful and conscientious investigations of the problem. These investigations and observations have led finally to the conclusion that the solution, so far as

value as a factor in accident prevention. cannot be denied, however, that the In accident prevention, as in many As in the case of many other worthy great increase in traffic, which is to a other important matters, education is movements, the success of the safety



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the most effective factor. The value of safety education is readily recognized in industrial plants, schools, and other or-ganizations where accident prevention is systematically and efficiently taught. Reports show that a decline in the num-ber of accidents and fatalities is practi-cally the universal result where safety is being taught. It has also been ob-served that any slacking of interest or failure to emphasize necessary precau-tions is quickly reflected in an increase in accidents in places where safety training is given. But the teaching of safety should be-gin with the individual before he te-comes an employe or an employer in any institutions. It should begin with

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two accidental deaths and 210 accidental injuries less in 1926 than in 1925. It is an acknowledged fact that these accomplishments are the results of organized co-operative effort. It is not unrea-sonable to believe that with an active safety council in every community in Texas accident hazards could be reduced to a minimum?

Need More Practical Safety Laws.

The work of accident prevention in Texas could progress much more rapidly with the enactment of a few more whether con-sidered from a national, State, county, or mudrivers' license laws have been enacted in eighteen States and the District of Columbia, and worthwhile results are being accomplished, especially where examination is required.

ization. Much of the progress made and good a c c omplished in a c c i d e n t work through-i work throughization. Much and incompetent drivers of all kinds out the country during the may continue to be a menace to the publast decade has lic as long as they have sufficient strength to step on the gas. A practical automobile drivers' licence law proper-ly enforced will eliminate most of these been due to a very great extent to practiincompetent drivers and thereby provide greater safety in street and highway businesslike safety ortraffic. Many safety

Co-operation.

The effective dissemination of safety information, the creation and perpetua-tion of practical safety organizations, the enactment of needed safety laws, and the observance and enforcement of these laws in any State or muni these laws in any State or municipal will be in proportion to the co-oper given. In fact, the successful exect of the whole safety program will de upon co-operative effort not on the part of those officially in chart the work, but on the part of the sof family, school, industry, science ligion, and government as well. The Texas Council of Safety, the directorship of W. E. James, voting much time and energy is seminating safety information the set of the soft of the soft

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TEXAS BRIEF NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

SAN ANGELO HAS NATURAL GAS. CONVICT POPULATION INCREASES.

San Angelo now has natural gas, which was turned into the pipes about the middle of October. The gas is piped into San Angelo from the Coleman county field by the Western Gas Service Company.

STATE WARDS COST LESS.

An average of \$20.40 was spent during the month of August for support and care of each of the 13,348 inmates of the fifteen State eleemosynary institutions. This was \$1.07 below the twelve months average, as shown by the Board of Control's report.

HENDERSON WILL SOON HAVE GAS.

A franchise has been granted the Dixie Gas and Fuel Company, of Hous-ton, by the City Council of Henderson, for the distribution of natural gas in Henderson. The company expects to have gas ready for use by January 1.

MORE ROADS FOR BASTROP.

In road district No. 8, of Bastrop county, a bond issue of \$60,000 has been voted. The road for which the money was voted will be constructed from the Bastrop precinct line, by way of Waterton, Red Rock and Bateman, to the Caldwell county line. Caldwell county will then construct an extension to Lockhart.

NEW COMPRESS AT COLORADO.

The new compress recently completed at Colorado is now in operation and is handling cotton from Mitchell, Scurry, Howard, Martin and Midland counties. The compress replaced the one destroyed by fire last spring. It cost \$125,000, and is one of the best in that section of West Texas.

FINE THEATER FOR JACKSON-VILLE.

Announcement has been made that a new \$75,000 theater will be erected in Jacksonville by the East Texas Theaters, Inc. Plans have been drawn and doubtless the contract has been let ere this. The new theater will be the sixth in a chain operated by this company, the others including Lufkin, Longview, Nacodoches and Beaumont.

TRAIL DRIVERS UNION. The Old Trail Drivers Reunion, which recently held its annual session at San Antonio, re-elected Geo. W. Saunders, of San Antonio, president, and W. B. Slaughter, vice president. A resolution

There were 323 more convicts in the State penitentiaries on October 4 than there were on the first day of the present year. There were 3,548 convicts on October 1, against 3,225 on January 1. The lowest prison population last year was on December 30, when it went down to 3,209, and the highest was on June 10, when it reached 3,671.

At the time the report was made the largest number of prisoners were on the Ramsey farm, picking cotton. Most of the others were scattered over other farms.

8,118,978 BALES OF COTTON GINNED.

Cotton of this year's growth ginned prior to Oct. 18 totaled 8,118,978 running bales, counting 252,978 round bales and excluding linters, the Census Bureau has announced.

Ginnings to Oct. 18 by States were: Alabama 977,686, Arizona 28,630, Ar-kansas 480,545, California 20,926, Florida 15,534, Georgia 916,464, Louisiana 418,865, Mississippi 947,094, Missouri 22,048, New Mexico 25,116, North Carolina 361,739, Oklahoma 382,256, South Carolina 489,314, Tennessee 141,309, Texas 2,886,822, Virginia 3,700; all other States, 930.

TEXAS HISTORY ON DISHES.

One of the new hotels of Houston will show a fair history of Texas in its chinaware. All of the dishes used in the hostlery carry historical scenes, telling of the development of the State. Pictured on the borders or in the centers of the dishes are such historic scenes as the surrender of Santa Anna, fights between Indians and white families, cowboys riding the range, families pioneering in covered wagons, drawn by oxen, cotton fields, early farming, etc. Other pieces of chinaware have borders of blue bonnets and magnolias with inserts of the Lamar shield.

FIRST SHIP-MENT GOES TO GOV-ERNOR The first shipment of

this year's citrus fruit from the lower Rio Grande Valley left Oct. 2 consigned to Governor Dan

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DALLAS FIRST IN TAXABLE VALUES.

Dallas county leads all of the counties of the State this year in taxable values. Harris county, which includes the city of Houston, comes second. According to the records of the assessor of Dallas county, the assessed valuation of the county this year is \$285,345,020. This is an increase over the assessed valuation of last year of \$23,571,990, when the assessed valuation was \$261,-773,030. Dallas county also led in taxable values last year.

THE "GRAY LINE" IS THIN IN TEXAS.

The thinness of the ex-Confederate gray line in Texas was emphasized by the recent State meeting of ex-Confederates at San Angelo. The records exhibited at the meeting showed that there remain in this State only 12,000 of those who followed the Stars and Bars in the early sixties, and in the gray ranks the percentage of deaths is very large and growing each year. Of the 12,000 whose names are on the records only 380 attended the meeting. The small attendance was due to the fact that the survivors of the great internecine strife which bathed the Southland in blood are so advanced in years that the infirmities of age render them unable to make a journey, even to meet their comrades. At the meeting many of the veterans, some who had not seen each other since the Stars and Bars were furled at Appomattox, fell upon each other's necks and wept for joy. It has been the custom for many years for the "Confederate Quartette" to sing at the State meetings, but since the meeting of 1926 two members of the famed quartette had joined Lee and Jackson and many other immortals on the other shore. The two surviving members sang "The Boys in Gray." About 110 widows, sons and daughters of Confederates attended the meeting.

BOY MAKES GOOD PROFIT ON HOGS. On September 6, 1926, Milton Nalley,

a vocational agricultural student, purchased a registered Duroc Jersey sow, for which he paid \$41. The sow has farrowed twenty-five pigs, eleven of which had grown to an average of 278.7 pounds on the 1st of October, a total of 3,066 pounds, beating the winner of last year's prize 39 pounds. Figuring the litter at top price on the market October 1, the total return

would have been \$327.26. The approximate value of feed for the litter and the sow, during gestation and nursing periods, was \$139, leaving a profit of \$198.26.

Milton Nalley lives in Hill county, near Itasca. In addition to his handsome profit on the first litter of pigs from this sow, he has fourteen pigs of the second litter, all of which are vigorous and healthy.

HENDERSON COUNTY VOTES BONDS FOR ROADS.

Determined to get out of the mud, the people of Henderson county have voted bonds in the sum of \$1,450,000 for road making. The bond issue was carried by a majority of about seven to one. The voting of this bond issue will make it possible to remove a big gap from the paved highway leading from Dallas eastward to several important points. When the road through Henderson county is completed there will be a continuous hard-surfaced road from Dallas, via Athens, to both Palestine and Tyler, making another link in the paving in the shortest route from Dallas to Houston.

Outstanding bonds to the amount of \$450,000 will be taken up, leaving \$1,-000,000 for construction. This will be matched by \$2,000,000 from the State and Federal governments, giving sufficient funds to pave three cardinal high-ways entirely across the county.

POWER COMPANY ADDS FOUR PLANTS.

PLANTS. The Texas Power & Light Company has recently increased its holdings by the purchase of four additional plants in Central Texas. The plants purchased are located at Round Rock, Leander, Pflugreville and Hutto. The Texas Power & Light Company has served Taylor, Granger and Bartlett for a num-ber of years, and in addition to the above-named towns, recently purchased, it has completed its lines from the west, taking in Burnet and Bertram, in Bur-net county. It is now pushing its lines from Bartlett west to Schwertner, Jar-rell, Florence, Amdice and Briggs.

ILLITERACY DECREASING IN THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Illiteracy among children of school age in Texas is decreasing, according to reports from the Federal Bureau of Edureports from the Federal Bureau of Edu-cation. The percentage of illiteracy is placed by the board at 8.32 in a survey covering a period from 1900 to 1925. The highest rate of illiteracy among school children of this age is in Louis-iana, where it reached 21.89 per ent. In the northwestern States the rate of illiteracy is very low. In Idaho it is 1.51, in Minnesota 1.34. The rate is higher in some of the Southern States on acin some of the Southern States on account of the large proportion of negro population, of which the northwestern States are virtually free.

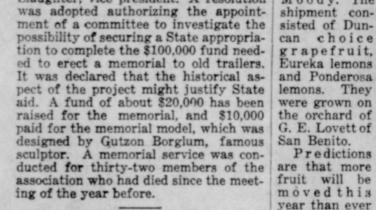
There are more than 1,000,000 children of school age in Texas, and school property is valued at \$148,457,000.

TEXAS' HIGHWAY STANDING.

Some interesting comparisons are ob-tained from the "highway inventory" of States, published by the American Highway Magazine. In the list of States, under various headings, Texas' position ranges from first to eleventh.

Texas ranks first in total road hele age, and also in mileage of the State designated highway system. This is not surprising, since Texas is by far the NEW BRIDGE largest State in area, and nearly all of its territory is well-settled and requires roads. It is surprising, however, to most Texans to learn that Texas ranks no lower than third in respect to total mileage of surfaced roads in the State highway system. This figure for Texas is 9,256.3, not including streets in cities and incorporated towns. Only New York and Ohio have a better standing than Texas in this respect, and States lead us only by a few hundred miles. It is also somewhat surprising





FORTY DAIRIES IN ONE COUNTY.

The development of the dairving interest in Harrison county has been both extensive and rapid. The dairying interest has been considerable in this county for several years, but much greater interest has been manifested and much better results obtained during the last year than in any similar period of time. Dr. A. W. Dunn, the county health officer, is given much credit for the rapid development of this industry.

In the county of Harrison there are now forty modern dairies, in which 1.350 gallons of milk are produced each The income from this product is \$15,187.50 per month and \$182,250 a year. In addition to these modern dairies, are numerous farms on which milk is produced for the market in smaller quantities.

Stringent regulations must be complied with by Harrison county dairymen. In May, 1925, an ordinance was adopted by the City Council of Marshall specifying that only "Grade A" milk could be distributed in that city. There is a monthly inspection of the dairies. Among the regulations are that the cattle must be tested for tuberculosis once a year, the barns must have three square feet of light and 500 cubic feet of air space for each cow, floors must be of concrete and must be kept clean, walls and ceilings must be whitewashed once a year, or painted every two years, and no manure must be allowed to accumulate. Steam sterilization is required after use and utensils must be devoid of rust. All employes who milk the cows must have health certificates, the milker's hands and the cow's udder must be washed in a disinfecting solution before milking. The clothing must also be clean, and as soon as the milk-ing of a cow is completed the milk is carried to a cooling room, where the temperature is reduced to 40 degrees Fahrenheit. After the milk is cooled by pouring it over an areator, if is put in bottles that have been steam sterilized, and then placed in a refrigerator, where the temperature is kept at 45 degrees or lower until delivery to the customer.

oody. The shipment consisted of Duncan choice grapefruit. Eureka lemons and Ponderosa lemons. They were grown on the orchard of G. E. Lovett of Predictions are that more

Millions of fish have been saved this summer for Texas sportsmen by the Isaac Walton League of before, esti-

Texas, as a result of its activity in seining drying streams of the State. Members of the league are shown here seining a water hole in Tarrant County that has almost dried up. More than 10,000 young fish were gathered on this one day, according to Dr. J. A. Stanfield of Fort Worth, State President of the league, and placed in larger bodies of water. Next summer the league, according to Dr. Stanfield, expects to have every drying stream in Texas

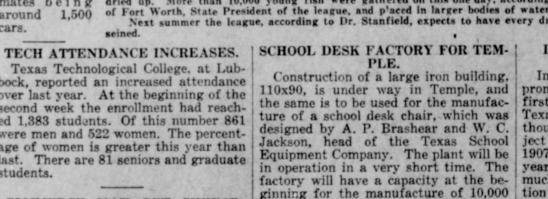
Texas Technological College, at Lubbock, reported an increased attendance over last year. At the beginning of the second week the enrollment had reached 1.383 students. Of this number 861 were men and 522 women. The percentage of women is greater this year than last. There are 81 seniors and graduate students.

COMMERCE MAY GET CHEESE FACTORY.

There is a strong probability that the Lone Star Cheese & Butter Company will locate a cheese and butter factory at Commerce. At last reports a considerable sum had been subscribed toward such an enterprise by local citizens. This company is incorporated for \$100,000. and is establishing factories in several northeast Texas towns. Factories will probably be located at Sulphur Springs and Mount Pleasant.

BETTER LIGHTING SYSTEMS FOR AUTOS.

The State Highway Department has issued orders that beginning with January 1, all automobiles, no matter how old, must be provided with perfect lighting systems. The department says that all regulations providing for the light-ing of cars will be very rigidly enforced, beginning with the new year. Thou-sands of cars, it is said, are now being operated in violation of highway laws. and are adding largely to the death rate from accident. The department says cars will be denied registration unless they are made to conform to require-ments of the law before the first of the



ginning for the manufacture of 10,000 desks annually.

NEW LIVE STOCK RULE.

On October 15 new rules were adopted by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, effective under a proclamation issued by the Governor of the State. The new rule provides that all cattle for dairy and breeding purposes moving from a public stock yard in Texas where federal inspection is maintained, except movements to another similar stock yard, must be accompanied by a health certificate, including tuberculin test issued by a veterinarian approved by the commission and the Bureau of Animal Husbandry.

DONATED FOR STATE PARK.

Robert Smith has donated 22 acres of land near old Rock House, in Crosby county, for a State park. The West Texas Old Settlers Association, which recently held its annual meeting at Mount Blanco Canyon, expressed its intention of assisting in the work of developing and beautifying the park. The first house in Crosby county was built by Mr. Smith's father, Hank Smith, and by Mr. Smith's father, Hank Smith, and Robert Smith was the first child born in the county. Robert Smith now owns much of the land upon which his fath-er's cattle grazed half a century ago. He has lived there all of his life. The park is located on the highway between Crosbyton and Floydada. It is intended to erect on the site a perma-nent monument to the memory of Un-cle Hank Smith and his wife.

has been awarded to the Austin Bridge Company, by the Hutchinson county commissioners. The new bridge will shorten c o n s iderably the distance between the two oil towns and will give the new oil field above the Canadian its first direct

outlet

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INHERITANCE COLLECTIONS

GROW.

Inheritance tax collections in Texas promise to exceed those of last year. The first collections from this source in Texas were in 1909, totaling \$7,595, although the first State law on the subject appears to have been approved in 1907. For the next succeeding ten years the collections did not reach as much as \$50,000 a year, with the exception of one instance. In 1919 the amount collected reached \$254,995. Collections continued to increase until during the last fiscal year the total reached \$1,416,799. The entire cost of collecting this sum, according to the State Comptroller, was \$21,808 in fees paid officials pursuant to the laws, being

about 11/2 per cent of the total. Non-residents contributed \$161,228 of the total during the last fiscal year. The Comptroller estimates that receipts from this source for the present fiscal year will exceed \$1,500,000.

TEXAS LOW IN TEXTILE INDUS-TRY.

Just how far down Texas ranks in the cotton textile industry is revealed by a report from the Census Bureau. The average number of persons employed in cotton textile mills in Texas is set at 4,613, or about enough to make up one good-sized mill village. Compared to this, Massachusetts' total is 98,939, while that of North Carolina is 66,378. The value of cotton goods manufactur-ed annually in Texas is slightly less than \$22,000,000; in Massachusetts \$345,-864,000; in North Carolina \$316,068,-000; in Georgia \$193,423,000; in Ala-bama \$85,000,000.

Although Texas raises nearly one-third of the cotton in the United States third of the cotton in the United States, and although conditions here are as fa-vorable to the growth of a cotton tex-tile industry as they are in such States as North Carolina, Georgia and Ala-bama, the great Southward movement of textile mills has passed Texas up.

to learn that in the matter of wealth, consisting of mines, forests and farms, Texas ranks second, being exceeded only by Pennsylvania. In na-tional wealth, which figures all values, Texas ranks eleventh.

This State's showing in respect to surfaced roads is less when it is placed on a comparative basis with the total extent of State highways. Texas has 18,728 miles of designated highways, but more than half of the State highways are virtually unimproved roads, since the term "surfaced," used in this report, includes brick, asphalt, bitumen, concrete, macadam, gravel, sand-clay and all other surfaces other than digt. The roads not included are entirely unimproved or merely graded roads.

The report further shows that in the total number of vehicles in 1926, Texas stood seventh, with 1,049,869, and in receipts from auto licenses and gas tax the State was sixth, with \$19,589,769. That was in 1926, before the two-cent increase in the gasoline tax became effective in Texas. The vastly increased receipts from this tax doubtless will bring about, during the next two or three years, a sufficient increase in surfaced roads to place Texas farther up the list, both in total mileage and in the per-centage of the whole mileage within the State.

TEXAS' TREASURE ISLAND

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two hotels are being built in order that the fisherman's haven may be complete. Had it not been for the invincible en-

ergy and practical vision of Colonel Robertson, Padre Island might still be closed to the world, and its unrelated legends and unwritten history remain buried along with the "pieces of eight," under mute and silent Money Hill.

CARELESSNESS KILLS THOUSANDS

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man lives and in arousing a deeper in-terest in accident prevention have been made possible by the co-operative spirit manifested by civic organizations, city officials, school authorities, transportation and industrial concerns, and the press. To accomplish the greatest good in the future, the greatest co-operation on the part of every good citizen is neessary.

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ODESSA.

at Odessa, was opened to the public. Only three stories of the structure had been com-

pleted at that time, but more stories are to be added. The

total cost of the building will be in excess of \$200,000. The hotel was built for and will

be owned by Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott. Mr. Elliott is

an ex-cow puncher, but is now

a well-known oil man and cap-

THIRTY MILES OF ROAD

FOR FREESTONE.

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In October the Elliott Hotel,

ir protection be sure the ions you buy are in inal Champion cartons.

Some Crack. First colored boy: "Whut youse all limpin' fer, niggah?" Second colored boy: "Ise got fallin' arches frum bein' hit on de head wid a sledge hammer."

He Is a Busy Man.

A colored man being interviewed by authorities in regard to a shooting af-fray gave to the world this bit of phi-

losophy: "Ah didn't see nothin' so ah don't know nothin'!" "You alls know, boss, ah spends six months of every year 'tendin' mah own business and ah spends de odder six months of the year tryin' to keep frum 'tendin' other people's busi-ness."

Wake Up the Preacher !-

Many years ago a country preacher wrote to Henry Ward Beecher and asked what ought to be done by the pastor when members of his congregation went to sleep during the sermon. Beecher wrote somewhat to the following effect: "Dear Brother-when any member of my congregation goes to sleep my deacons are instructed to come and wake me up.'

A Good One.

When Mark Twain was editor of a paper in Virginia City, a subscriber who found a spider in his paper wrote asking whether this was good or bad luck. Twain answered through his paper: "The finding of a spider in your copy of the 'Enterprise' was neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our pages to find out what merchant was not advertising, so that it could spin its web across his door and lead a free and undisturbed existence ever after.'

Do You Blame Him?

O'Shaughnessy came to Ellis Island in the steerage, and made his pile within ten years. He decided to make a splurge, and started by strutting into the swellest Broadway restaurant he could find, and ordering the waiter to bring him everything on the bill of fare. Luckily, it was a table d'hote.

O'Shaughnessy consumed the soup, the lobster, the lettuce garnished with Work is now in progress on about thirty miles of hard-surfaced roads in Freestone parsley; and then was served with fried eels.

"Waiter!" he roared. "I've drunk yer dishwater, I've et yer insecks, I've swal-lered yer grass; but I'll be damned if I'll eat yer wurrums!"

Wise Boy.

"Why was Solomon the wisest man in the world ?" asked the lady teacher. "Because he had so many wives to advise him," answered the bright boy. "Well, that is not the answer in the book, but you may go up to the head of the class," replied the teacher.

Jokes to Make

You Laugh

Surplus Disposal.

"How was your peach corp this sea-

"Why, a heavy storm blew down 50 per cent of it. And we'd hardly gather-ed that when another wind came along and took down the remaining 50 per cent."

"Hard luck! Could you do anything with them?"

"Oh, my wife ate one and I ate the other."

Little Mary.

Mother was teaching little Mary, age Mother was teaching little Mary, age three, the prayer, "Our Father," by hav-ing her repeat each, short sentence, as mother said it. Mary was learning nice-ly the first week of her lesson. The second week, when mother came to the sentence, "Give us this day our daily bread." Mary hesitated slightly, looked up at mother and said "Mother

looked up at mother and said "Mother, I want some peanut butter on my bread."

Another Washington.

Casey hurried down to where poor Riley's body lay, after Riley had fallen five stories from the building on which they were both working. "Are ye dead, Pat?"

"That Oi am."

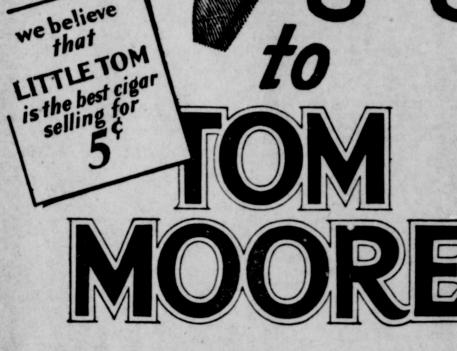
"Faith, an' ye're such a liar Oi don't know whether to belave yez or not." Riley did his best to lift up his head. "That proves Oi'm dead, ye dirthy doubter; if Oi wuz alive, ye wouldn't dare to call me a liar!"

Surprising Her.

A farmer brought some produce to the city and sold it. Thought he, "I will surprise my wife." So he bought a suit of clothes, a hat and a pair of shoes and put them under the back seat of his wagon. On his way home he stop-ped at the river and, taking off his old clothes, threw them in the water. Then he looked under the seat for his new out-fit. It was gone. Finally, he got into the wagon and said, "Giddap, Maude, we'll surprise her anyhow."

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field. As he could not read the notice at that distance, curiosity prompted BEAUMONT SCHOOLS ADD him to climb over the fence and walk PRINTING PLANT. across the field toward the tree. The art of printing is now

A few moments later he managed to being taught in the schools of scramble back over the fence just in Beaumont. Students who so time to escape the horns of a charging desire are taught linotype bull. composition, press work and

"Well," he gasped breathlessly, "I other branches of printing. had the satisfaction of finding out what The Board of Education rethe notice was." cently set aside an appropria-tion for material and equip-

It said: "Beware of the bull."

He Found Out. At a recent examination of 151 men A shortsighted man who was also who wished to become citizens of the

very inquisitive was walking in the United States, he had asked one applicountry one day when he saw a notice cant the usual questions and had receivboard nailed on a tree that stood in a ed satisfactory replies, although it was evident that the man had a hard time fathoming some of the questions. At last he asked:

"And now, do you belong to any so-ciety or organization inimical to the Gov-ernment of the United States?"

This was too much for the man, and he was silent. Judge Dyer explained the meaning, and again asked the question. A gleam of understanding overspread the face of the man, and he replied: "Yes, judge. I'm a Democrat."

bred-to-lay hens will start back to laying soon after they complete the moult. Hens as an average will not do much laying until January or latter part of December. Pullets hatched at the right time can be handled to give their best production during these months.

Feeding.

By F. W. KAZMEIER Poultry Breeder, Bryan, Texas.

FEEDING FOR WINTER EGGS.

POULTRY HINTS

Eggs are again worth real money. Those people that fed their flock well the entire sum-mer and fall are now beginning to reap rich rewards; those on the other hand, that stop-ped feeding a balanced ration, explaining that they wanted their flock to go on a vacation, because of low-priced eggs, will now realize their mistake and by the time their flock will be back in laving condition, the price of eggs Ellis county doubtless leads the State in the number of community fairs held this in this county. All the fairs were well attended and had fine exhibits. be back in laying condition, the price of eggs will again look downward.

Bred-to-Lay Stock.

Feeding is an important factor to get fall and winter eggs. Breeding is equally as im-portant. Unless you have bred-to-lay stock, it will be more or less discouraging to get good egg-production at this time of the year. Egg-production is bred into hens by careful breeding, selection, culling and trap-nesting. Hens do not inherit it by accident.

Time of Hatching.

Time of Hatching. Early hatched pullets, especially among such breeds as Rocks, Reds, Wyandottes, etc., are necessary to get heavy egg production at this season. Among these breeds and other so-called medium weight breeds, we recommend hatching in January, February and March. In the case of White Leghorns and other small breeds, we recommend hatching in March, April and May. In case of these small breeds, when hatched too early, you will find them going into a so-called "Neck Moult" at this time, instead of laying eggs. April and May hatched Leghorn pullets are not as apt to go into this neck moult. Pullets in this neck moult will not be laying much for several weeks.

Weeks. Yearling hens, or older, cannot be expected to give much of a fall or early winter egg pro-duction because they must go thru the annual moult. It is part of nature's provision for hens to moult each year. While they are moult-ing they do not lay very much. The better

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WE REBABBIT BEARINGS ORT WORTH, TEXAS

Feeding. Feeding. Going on the assumption that you have a flock with egg-production bred into them, proper feeding will surely mean a good produc-tion. The hen is a machine, and when fed proper material will give good production. Like any other machine, however, she cannot create something out of nothing. For best results and for most efficient production, it is neces-sary to feed a balanced ration. Feeding for eggs, primarily, is a care of feeding a mash mixture and scratch grains. As a matter of fact, the scratch grain feed is of only minor importance. The kind of dry mash or egg mash that is fed, however, is of very great importance. The egg mash may be likened unto a throttle on the steam engine. The egg mash is what makes the eggs. As a general rule it is best to feed a good commercial egg mash and if you grow your own grains, to feed a home grain mixture. If you cannot se-cure a good commercial egg mash, then it is necessary to make your own egg mash mix-ture. In that case you will have to work up some kind of a mixture from whatever mill feeds you can buy locally. Of this mixture we recommend that you use at least 20% of some high-grade meat scraps, or if you can get dried buttermilk locally, then we recom-mend 15% high-grade meat scraps and 10% dried buttermilk. These two ingredients are important and necessary for best results. Sup-plementing this, we recommend: Late in the afternoon sparing feeding of lementing this, we recommend: Late in the afternoon sparing feeding of

some scratch grains. Milk in any form as a drink. All the succulent greed food they will eat. Oyster shell before them all the time. Water to drink.

WRECKED CARS REPAIRED

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OWNS MUSKET USED IN MEXICAN WAR.

Rev. C. A. Tower, pastor of per gallon tax on gas lines in tax goes to the State Highway the First Methodist church of August amounted to \$1,700,- Department and one-fourth to Jefferson, owns two ancient 000, which was an increase of the available school fund. muskets, one of which it is said was used by a Texan in the Mexican war; with the other Capt. Bob Smith is said to have killed Chief Bowles in a battle fought by Texans and Cherokee Indians in Van Zandt county in 1839. The rifle last mentioned is ornate with carved silver and gold, and its stock is of bird's-eye maple. It was originally a flintlock, but Capt. Smith changed it into a percussion cap model.

Chief Bowles, who, it i said, was killed with this old led the semi-civilized gun, Cherokees from along Smackover creek, in Arkansas, to the three forks along the Trinity, near Dallas, said Mr. Tower, who is a close student of early Texas history.

VALUE OF TEXAS CROPS. The total value of Texas crops this year will probably be \$100,000,000 or more above the value of the crops of 1926, according to preliminary pro duction estimates of the Unit ed States Department of Agriculture. Last year the value of Texas crops was given at \$631,000,000. The greater part of this year's increase over last year's crop value will be due to the better price of cotton. While the production of cotton this year will be under the production of 1926, yet due to the higher price the total gross income to the farmer will be far above that of last year.

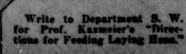
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Sale of 500 steer year- Hogs from the Lillard The combined harvester-Ings by W. L. Foster, of Sterling City, at \$55 per head, set a new high record for these cattle in Sterling county. The young steers biows of the country. Af-the description of the country. Af-the description of the country that it is said menufers in the set and market, residence were shipped to northern ter taking 62 prizes at the try that it is said manufac- and but feeders and will be cornfed Kansas State Fair at turers have been unable to for the Chicago and Kansas Hutchinson, where more meet the demands and have s Hutchinson, where more meet the demands and have than 1,200 hogs were gath-ered in the strongest com-petition ever known in the pi river. More than 15,000 City choice beef trade.

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A progressive hog move-ment has been started in the Lona Oak. Mote and Village Creek communities of Ellis county, which have tan Bed Show will take polace in Dallas November will purchase each a regis-tered Duroc gilt. The farmers will also purchase an outstanding Jersey male. William and Earl Pres-William and Earl Pres-

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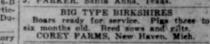
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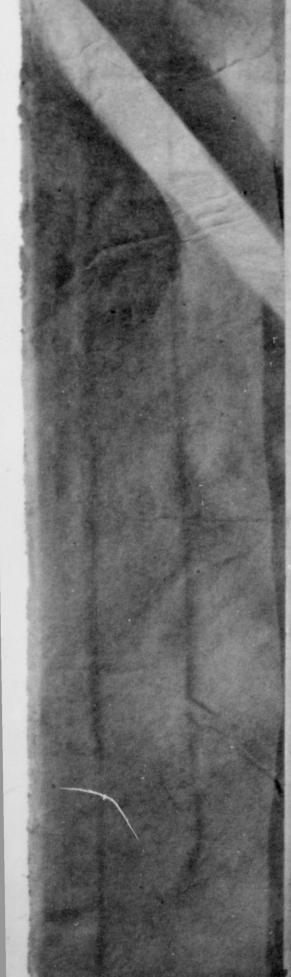
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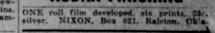
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SUNSHINE CLUB NEWS.

Now is the month for Thanksgiving and what a lot we have to be thankful for, too. First of all, if we have good health it is one of God's greatest bless-ings and we should thank Him in our daily prayer. Second, if ill health has stopped at our doorway we should praise God that he gives us kindly and devoted friends and grace to bear our griefs. We should be thankful for many more things, too. Each one of us has been given a special blessing.

Here are some letters from Club members and what they think about our Sunshine Club:

shine Club: Lula Harris, Choice, Texas, writes: "I en-joyed the little story you told me very much. Have already had several nice letters and cards which are a comfort to me. I think the Sunshine for Shut-Ins Club is grand. I have been crip-pled since I was seven years old. I was con-fined for two months last spring; I feared I would never wak again. But glad to say I can now walk even without the crutch. I enjoy reading good literature and piecing quilts (when I get the scraps). I took a three weeks' vacation this summer which I enjoyed very much. * * I attend church and Sunday school occasionally. I try to endure my affliction occasionally. I try to endure my affliction with patience and bring cheer to others." (That is a wonderful letter full of love and appreciation, the thing that makes this club

so happy.) Virga Reed, Mtn. Park, Okla., wrote this sweet letter: "Must write again and tell you how much I am enjoying your wonderful Sun-shine Club. The club get's better every month. I can't hardly wait for the Boys' and Girls' Page to come. I enjoy sending sunshine to the cripples. I get enjoyment out of the club, too. Love to you and the wonderful club members. I am, forever yours and the club's loving friend."

Robert Baker, Irving, Texas, in joining the club, sends in the names of his grandmother and aunt who are both Shut-Ins. We are hap-py to have Robert and hope we can bring cheer to his dear one.

to his dear ones. Leta Varnell, Sand Creek, Okla., says: "I am a Shut-In and belong to your club. I have gotten some real interesting letters from some of the members. But I am unable to write, so could not answer their letters. I am taking this way of thanking each one for the sunshine they have sent. During the last three months I received a letter from Othela Kell, Chicka-sha, Okla., and from Elmer and Velma Rain-water and enjoyed them yery much. I want water and enjoyed them very much. I want to thank them through the Boys' and Girls' Page. My address is Sand Creek, Okla., and not Wakita, Okla. (Thank you for the letter, Leta.)

Clara Bell Keathley, Olney, Texas, wrote a very sweet letter and says she enjoys the club so much. I am sorry we do not have room this month to print the poem, Clara Belle, as it is very sweet.

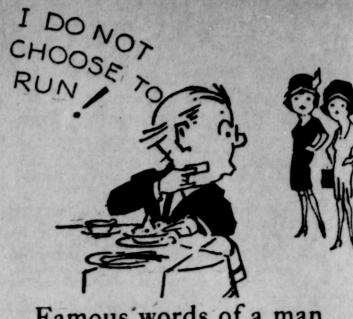
Mrs. Dona Hail, Loraine, Texas, writes us a sweet letter and here it is: "I am writing you to let you know that I am no longer a Shut-In, and I sure do thank the Shut-In Club for the letters; I was so lonesome. But now, thanks to our Saviour, I can go where I want thanks to our Saviour, I can go where I want to. Still I am not entirely well, but would like for you all to send sunshine to some one who needs more than I do. Now I appreciate the work of the club and thank you over again for your kindness. May God's richest bless-ings be with each and everyone of you, is my prayer." (I think this letter is wonderful, and I believe it should encourage all of us to do better and more work in the club. I know each member is glad Mrs. Hail is better and wish her God's belp to complete recovery and wish her God's help to complete recovery and happiness.)

Shut-Ins and send little thoughts of kind-

I think it is only appropriate that we should dedicate the big Christmas issue that will appear in December to our Shut-Ins. So, this month, Aunt Mary is not going to print any Shut-In names, but next month will print the whole list. This will give every member of the club something to do. As the Shut-In list is very long, there will be very few after each name. So each and every member must do their part or someone will be forgotten. Don't you think it would make some little Shut-In very unhappy if no one remembered him or her? If you have lost or forgotten your num-ber, write Aunt Mary, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas, and it will be sent as soon as possible. We want to make this the happiest Christmas that our Shut-Ins have ever had. Come on, boys and girls, and do your bit! Christmas is just around the corner and we must be get-ting busy. Please no not send your sun-shine for Aunt Mary to forward. If you should lose the address of the Shut-In, ask the editor of your paper for another copy of the Boys' and Girls' Page. It is impossible for Aunt Mary to take care of this work. Watch for the extra big Christmas issue—it will be great. Aunt Mary will try her best to print only the latest and most correct address of each Shut-In. She will appreciate the co-operation of all members and Shut-Ins in the effort to get names and addresses correctly, as well as change of addresses. In order that all readers of the Boys and Girls' Page who have not yet join-ed our Sunshine Club and who wish to do so in order to "be in" on this wonderful opportunity to bring happiness and sunshine to the afflicted. I am printing a membership coupon below. There are

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AUTHORS—We invite correspondence with writers of book length stories. MIMS PUBLISHING CO., Sheffield, Ala. gave the Northern journal for gave the Northern journal for publishing such stories.

PRISON SYSTEM SELLS \$627,102 OF COTTON. **LEGISLATIVE APPRO-**PRIATIONS.

The State prison system has sold 5,453 bales of cotton A compilation of the approweighing 2,686,940 pounds for \$627,102.48, or an average priations made by the last session of the Legislature has of 23.33c a pound this season. Sixty-four carloads of cotton- been made and shows a total d brought receipts totaling of \$50,741,405.

Of the total amount \$26,-338,348 is to pay the salaries of the employes of the State government, \$3,968,838 is for GET MORE FURS

new buildings as State institutions, \$807,970 for repairs, \$428,435 for equipment, \$95,-000 for the purchase of land, \$4,728,768 for emergencies and deficiencies, \$5,793,044 for miscellaneous purposes, WI TH GUARANTEED BAIT You get full value for furs when you ship to us. We re DIRECT BUYERS. No the State departments, \$16,arge for selling your furs 370,788 for the maintenance of educational institutions.

of educational institutions, \$5,341,760 to conduct the judiciary, and \$9,942,612 for the operation of the State eleemosynary institutions.

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Estelle Ponder, Spur, Texas, one of our most faithful and devoted members, writes, sending love to all, and wonders why all her friends who read the Boys' and Girls' Page not join the club.

Catherine Weathers, Canyon, Texas, writes a very sweet letter and sends love to all.

a very sweet letter and sends love to all. Ruthie Whorley, Paducah, Texas, says her school has started and she expects to be very busy. She recently found a member of the Sunshine Club living near her that she did not know belonged to the club. (Perhaps many of the members could find other members near them if they tried). Ruthie sends the follow-ing, which she read in a paper and that I think is fine, too: "A smile costs nothing but gives much. A smile creates happiness in the home and fosters good will in business. As a coun-tersign of friendship it brings rest to the weary, cheer to the discouraged, sunshine to the sad. Yet it can not be bought, begged, borrowed or stolen; for it is something that is of no value until given away.' (Ruthie wants a photo of Aunt Mary. Aunt Mary had her picture on the Boys' and Girls' Page about a year ago, Ruthie.) Here is a sad letter from Frances Whaley,

year ago, Ruthie.) Here is a sad letter from Frances Whaley, Eldorado, Okla. I hope all of you will heed it: "I'm writing to tell the sad news that Mr. C. Richson, Eldorado, Okla., on Sept. 8th, was called to that heavenly home. Mr. W. H. Kelly is very sick. Please send him sunshine. Now, members, come on, let's do our best, for we do not know when we will be called." (Write Mr. W. H. Kelly, Rt. 4. Eldorado, Okla., all mem-bers of the Sunshine Club. And, Frances, will you please extend the sympathies of the Sun-shine Club to the bereaved family of the de-ceased?—Aunt Mary.) ceased ?- Aunt Mary.)

Ruby Williams, Santa Anna, Texas, has been picking cotton and will be glad when school starts. Ruby also says she received a nice letter from Mrs. Bessie Jones. We are glad to hear from Ruby and hope she will write often. Ruby is the sister of our beloved Leta Cav

Hazel Fitch writes about her sister's mem-bership. I am sure you will have received per-sonal news before this appears, Hazel, and we are so glad to have your sister, as you have been such a faithful and true member, and one well spoken of by the Shut-Ins that have heard

from you. A new member and Shut-In writes the fol-lowing very wonderful letter. It is from Min-nie Brown, Richmond, Mo.: "One of my friends, Mr. W. R. Smith, of Pryor, Okla., sent me the Boys' and Girls' Page and I want to join your club. Hope you will send me a mem-bership. I want to help others to be happy. I belong to several societies and am trying to cheer up the lomely everywhere letters can reach. * * I have been a life-long wheel chair invalid since 1918. I have a very kind mother who helps me. My papa is dead. I al-ways try to be cheerful and know that only God's ways are best. May we all live and be happy, thempt our way be rough and ranged. The way of the crue leads Home. Jonn acid. "I am the Way, the Truth and the Light." And let us follow Him. I love to write to the

Sent in by

Because our Shut-In list has grown so long we will not be able to add any new ones until after the first of the new year.

LETTER CONTEST. Three Prizes.

Here is a contest so many of my readers have asked for. It is going to be a letter contest. Here are the conditions and rules:

First: Write a letter of not more than 200 words on the subject, "Why I Love to Do Things for Others."

Second: The letters will be judged by (1) interest of the subject, (2) neatness of paper

and penmanship. Third: Write on one side of paper only. Fourth: Write your name, address, age and number of words in letter at the top of each

number of words in letter at the top of each page of letter. (Do not neglect this point.) Fifth: Letters may be written with pencil or pen, but must be in your own handwriting. Sixth: Letters must be mailed by midnight, December 16th. None accepted later. Seventh: Winners will be announced in the

January issue and the prizes mailed by the first of the New Year.

Prizes Given. First Prize: For the most interesting and neatest letter, Aunt Mary will give three new one dollar bills.

Second Prize: For the second most interest ing and neatest letter. Aunt Mary will give two new one dollar bills. Third Prize: For the next three most in-

teresting and neatest letters, Aunt Mary will give to each winner a new dollar bill.

So, you see, you have a chance to win one of five prizes.

This contest is open to all readers of the Boys' and Girls' Page under 20 years of age. (Age will be taken into consid-eration in judging the letters, so the younger ones will have as good a chance as the older contestants.)

Address your letter to Aunt Mary, Letter Contest, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas

Who will be the first one to write a letter?

SHORT STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

The Lion and the Mouse.

A lion, tired from the chase, lay sleeping at full length under a shady tree Some mice, scrambling over him while Some mice, scrambling over him whilt he slept, awoke him. Laying his paw upon one of them, he was about to crush it, but the mouse implored his mercy in such moving terms that he let him go. Some time after this the lion was caught in a net laid by hunters, and, unable to free himself, made the forest resound with pathetic roars. The mouse whose life had been spared, heard the lion roaring, came to his ald, and, with his liftle sharp toeth, gnawed the ropes erunder and set him free. (From the Fables of Acarp.) operating income showed a decrease of 4.75 per cent.

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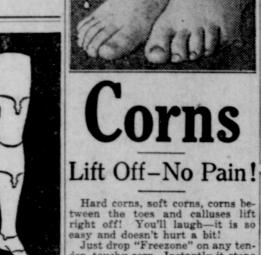




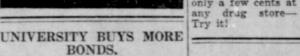


NEW BUILDING FOR CAN-YON COLLEGE.

During the month of November a contract will be let for the new education building to be erected on the campus of the West Texas State Teachers College, at Canyon. The structure will be 216 feet long, 98 feet deep and three stories high.



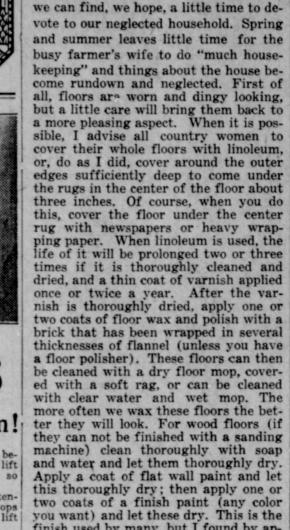
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With the investment of \$250,000 additional oil royalties, the University of Texas permanent fund had reached \$7,046,550 in securities early



Now, that fall is here-the chickens |

and turkeys gone to the market (or

ready to go), and fall crops gathered-

finish used by many, but I found by applying a coat of varnish over this and then waxing when dry a better finish was obtained. Next to floors, I think window shades

suffer the most. In many cases, old unsightly shades can be made over to as "good as new." This is simple and eas-ily done in the following manner: Take shades down and take off of rollers; spread out on a floor and thoroughly clean with a stiff brush, or soapsuds, or | Stute, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas.

gasoline and let dry. When they are dry, apply an even coat of flat wall paint to one side and let dry again. After they are ready to be put up again, reverse ends of shades, and I am sure you will be delighted with the results.

WOMAN'S PAGE

MRS. MARGARET STUTE

HOME PROBLEMS

SOME HINTS FOR RETOUCHING THE HOME

Woodwork is another part of the house that receives hard wear and often not much attention. In many homes like my own the woodwork has never been "finished." Perhaps my plan will help you with your problem. This month I am going to take one room at a time and each extra moment I have I am going to rub the woodwork all over with a fine sand paper, remove all spots of dirt and fill all nail holes with putty. When this is finished I am going to give each room two coats of clear varnish, allowing ample time between each coat for thorough drying. This finish on woodwork eliminates much work, as it can be dusted like a piece of furniture and looks well, blending with any type of interior finish.

A little furniture polish and some elbow grease will make shabby furniture take on a look almost new.

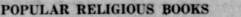
It is the natural and inherent right of and peaceful surrounding as are possievery child to be reared in as beautiful

It is the duty of every parent to in-still in the growing child's heart and mind the impressions of beauty and comfort. It is not necessary to raise them in luxury in order to do this. To the contrary, I believe simple beauty will make for a happier and more useful life.

Isn't it worth the effort and time we spend to make homes of children more attractive, so they will want to be there and not at the home of questionable acquaintances.

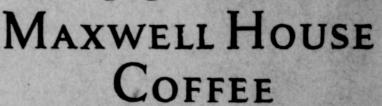
Let me hear from my readers, how you have made your home more attractive with small expense. Perhaps your letters will help some little bride who is just starting on the sea of matrimony, or, some care-worn mother and wife who needs moral encouragement for her battle.

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in October. All the securities are United States bonds. The recent purchases were bonds yielding 33-8 per cent. The other bonds bear a higher rate of interest, sufficient to make the average income not less than 31/2 per cent. This assures an annual income of not less than \$246,530, which will @ grow as the oil royalties continue to come in. Rovalties are now averaging more than \$250.000 per month.

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fruit cake-topped with thick layer of choice fruits and nuts, and literally filled with them-made flavor. Thousands re-order each year. Makes a personal inti-mate gift from one lover of good things to another. Ideal for your gift list. We enclose your card in such shipments. Two-pound cake postpaid in handsome metal gift box \$3; satisfaction guaranteed. mail your order now. BUSINESS COLLEGE DALLAS, TEXAS "The School With a Reputation" Has Made Good 40 Years Absolutely Thorough and Reliable A Position for Every Graduate Write for Full Information.

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As I said last month, religion of any is one of the most fascinating and profitable studies one can find, and I want to add that it is also becoming popular.

It was prophesied that the gospel would be carried to the ends of the earth, and put into every language. Today it has been put into yet another language—that of the cold. hard-headed business world.

For this latest contribution we have to For this latest contribution we have to thank Bruce Barton, for a very successful attempt. Mr. Barton has made a "best seller" out of a book about the Supreme Teacher, Jesus Christ, in "The Man Nobody Knows." (The Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis, \$2.50.)

This book is called by the publisher "A Discovery of the Real Jesus," and to many it will seem just that. It is written primarily, I think, for business men who have wondered if the principles and teachings of Christ might be possibly applicable to a modern successful enterprise, and he proves very convincingly that Jesus was the first and most successful "advertiser" that the world ever knew.

Mr. Barton points out that no one really knows just what the physical appearance of Jesus was, and takes indignant exception to Jesus was, and takes indignant exception to the weak-looking effeminate world-weary pic-tures which are purported to portray the man, Jesus, and draws instead, from his own imag-ination, a virile, red-blooded, iron-muscled per-sonality, which he claims must resemble the Real Man, Jesus. The whole hock is written in a frank but

Real Man, Jesus: The whole book is written in a frank but sincere and reverential tone, and is sure to appeal to many persons who would never be touched by the most eloquent sermon ever preached on "Christ, the Lamb of God."

Once more the season of thanks and praise

DELIGHTFUL THANKSGIVING DISHES

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rather mechanical way, missing many times the spiritual interpretation, but creates an interest, which is, after all, a very vital part of spiritual development. In these modern revelations, we have too

much that is praised and too much that is conemned in books. Ministers and conventional orthodox church

Ministers and conventional orthodox church workers often speak slightingly of this and any other attempt to put Christ in His modern interpretation, but personally I think it is ab-solutely necessary, if one hopes to interest our youth and worldly-wise adults in the deep principles of Christianity. "Elmer Gantry," published by Harcourt-Grace & Co., New York (\$2.50), has been so widely read and reviewed that I shall not give much space to it here.

much space to it here. A book which deals exclusively with the failures and sins of the race: no matter to which class or calling the particular hero, or villain, belongs, cannot possibly be worth reading, in my humble estimation. The wide discussion as to whether it could

be true or not, is entirely beside the point. Personally, I do not doubt in the least that rersonally, 1 do not doubt in the least that there are many preachers scattered over the United States who could easily step into Elmer Gantry's shoes and find then an exact fit. However, honor and credit should be given to the vast number who truly sacrifice lives and personality to the Glory of God, and are never evelocited. eulogized.

Even tho' I feel certain that these weak, unmoral characters live all around us, I do not care to let my mind dwell on their lack of virtue when there are so many worthy books to read, and deeds to do.

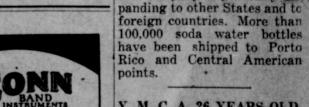
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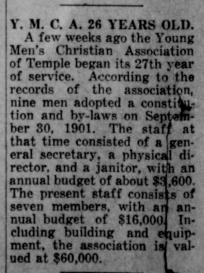
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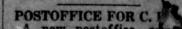
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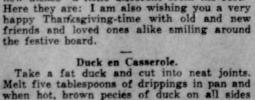




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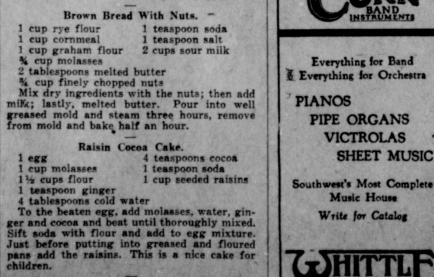
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Spanist Beans. Soak overnight one cup of Spanish beans, put in boiling water and cook three hours, add-ing water as necessary to keep from stick-ing. Put half a cup of olive oil in a large fry-ing pan; add four large onions and one clove of garlic, sliced fine, and fry gently to a light



Prane Cottage Pudding. Cream one cup sugar and half a cup but-ter; add the well beaten yolks of three eggs. half a cup of milk, two cups flour sifted with teaspoon salt and four teaspoons of baking powder, and lastly the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a shallow pan and sprin-kle with sugar and bake in a quick oven. Cut into squares and serve with whipped cream on top that has added to it sugar to taste and finely mashed prunes. This is delicious.

ine. Just a few drops of this highfor weeks brown, add two bay leaves, a can of tomatoes, salt and pepper and simmer for an hour. Strain and serve in a sauce bowl garnished CONN INSTRUMENTS with slices of tomatoes and green peppers. Everything for Band

"strings" is a sure sign.