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## ROBERTSON'S

### PRE-INVENTORY SALE

WILL BE CONTINUED THRUOUT THE BALANCE OF THIS MONTH

Monday, Jan. 24

ONE-HALF OFF ON ALL CANTON FLANNELS AND DOMESTICS

Tuesday, Jan. 25

ONE-HALF OFF ON ALL OUTINGS

Wednesday, Jan. 26

MEN'S DAY—ONE-HALF OFF ON ALL GLOVES, BOTH DRESS AND WORK GLOVES. ALSO ON-HALF OFF ON HATS, EXCEPT STETSON

Thursday, Jan. 27

ONE-HALF OFF ON SILK POPLINS, AND ALL LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S WINTER UNDERWEAR

Friday, Jan. 28

LADIES' DAY—ONE-HALF OFF ON LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

Saturday, Jan. 29

ONE-HALF OFF ON MEN'S SHIRTS, BOTH PERCALE, MADRAS AND SILK EXCEPT "NO FADE" BRAND AND THE BLUE WORK SHIRTS

Monday, Jan. 31

ONE-HALF OFF ON ALL LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S AND MEN'S SHOES, SLIPPERS, AND FELT SLIPPERS.

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, IS POSITIVELY THE LAST DAY OF THIS PRE-INVENTORY SALE. SO DON'T ASK FOR SALE PRICES ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, UNLESS THE SIGNS ARE NOT DOWN.

NOW FOR SOMETHING NEW FOR SPRING. ON SATURDAY, JAN. 22, WE WILL OPEN AND HAVE FOR SALE OUR FIRST ADVANCE SHIPMENT OF LADIES' NEW SPRING HATS. THEY ARE CORRECT IN EVERY DETAIL, OF GOOD MATERIALS AND PRICED RIGHT

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A son of Mr. Malone was taken to a Lubbock sanitarium this week to undergo an operation.

T. B. Tunnel was taken to a sanitarium in Lubbock Sunday for an operation.

J. S. Bagby left Monday for Fort Worth to visit his wife, who is undergoing treatment in a sanitarium in that city.

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Our officers and directors are home people, who are actuated by a wholesome desire to help in a frank and friendly way their own town and country, their neighbors and their friends.

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### The Slaton State Bank

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SLATON, TEXAS

## NATION NORMAL SAYS HEAD OF RESERVE BOARD

New York, Jan. 8.—The nation has recovered its financial sanity and is not troubled so much with either extreme of pessimism or optimism, said W. P. G. Harding, Governor of the Federal Reserve Board, in an address here today.

Governor Harding said that any danger of a moral collapse has passed and that the worst undoubtedly is over.

"The country generally has recovered its normal state," he said. "We are no longer afraid. We are

not indulging in the old idea of extravagance, living beyond our means, nor are we troubled so much as we were a few weeks ago with that other extreme of over-pessimism, where people get down in the dumps and they cannot see any daylight, cannot see any hope, see nothing but gloom and darkness."

Governor Harding said there were signs that the extreme depression which has occurred in some industries is nearing the end.

### WHO SAYS THERE IS NOTHING IN THE GREAT OIL GAME?

(Canadian Record.)

Something like two years ago the Record editor invested a few precious dollars in a Burkburnett oil well project. We supposed that the money had dropped to the bottom of the well, irreparably lost. But behold our surprise this week when we received a roll of gold coupon bonds and stock certificates that would almost choke the mouth of a locomotive. This was our dividend. The paper was issued by a \$45,000,000 New York oil company in payment for a well purchased from our company. Now, you fellows who think there is nothing in the oil game can go back and think it over.

We haven't decided yet what we will do in the future. We could give the Record to somebody and go to California to live. We could form a holding company and place our bonds and stock on the markets in Chicago and New York, or better still, sell them to other suckers in the Panhandle. We could hire a financial manager and a pretty stenographer and maintain offices right here in Canadian. In the meantime, before we decide definitely what to do, if there is anybody who has a moon-eyed, spavined, wind-broken, ring-boned, balky mule they want to trade us for the roll of stock, come and see us. We are interested in your proposition. The gold coupon bonds are very prettily lithographed and look like real money.

### THE SLATON SLATONITE

#### HOGVILLE MUMBLINGS.

Miss Fruzzie Allsop has added very much to her appearance by going to Pumpkinville and getting her a nice set of store teeth.

Sim Barlow has been caught looking at a show window in Pumpkinville store, and it is now being hinted around that either Miss Petunia Belcher or the widow of the Bear Ford neighborhood will get a birthday present. If Sim wants to save his hide and look well in the future shrdluuure it had better be the widow.

At the meeting of the Hogville Improvement Society last week (all women members) an effort was made to pass a resolution declaring Zero Peck an especial nuisance. The resolution was tabled and Zero will be given a chance to mend his ways. He believes his wife, who is a member, had something to do with this propaganda, and they had a big row at the breakfast table that day. Sentiment seems pretty equally divided on the question and unless Zero steps mighty straight for the next month, the resolution will probably be called up again, and would in all probability result disastrously to him.

As the penalty for moonshining whiskey and coining money is about the same, Dag Smith, who has been stopped temporarily from following peacefully the pursuit of the former, has some notion of embarking in the money coining business as it would be a more direct method of financing himself. The only handicap he foresees is that he already has all the necessary tools for the complete manufacture of whiskey, while he would have to install a complete plant out and out for the successful manufacture of real passable, non-suspicious money. He is expected to arrive at some definite decision in a few days. The "dry" element here would prefer his money-coining, while the other element, very dry too, would welcome the starting up of the old still house.

#### How Hogville Started.

Hogville started on very much the same plan of all other towns. Away back yonder, some fellow decided to start a store, and pretty soon then some other fellow decided he would like to live close to the store and built a house to live in. Soon other people decided they wanted to be a neighbor of this man and they built houses and moved in and it has continued on down the line—one thing calling for another until today in this progressive age, we have a blacksmith shop, a postoffice, a postmaster, a grocery store, a fiddling band, a civic improvement society (all women), the Wild Rose school house, two splendid moonshine stills near town which were successfully operated until recently; a mail carrier, the old miser, who is to Hogville about what Wall street is to New York City; Gape Allsop, Miss Petunia Belcher and many other assets too numerous to mention. Taken all in all, the history of this town is about the same as all other towns. The town could have amounted to a great deal more than it is had our people wanted it to.

#### HEAD OF FAMILY GETS \$2,000 EXEMPTION

Two Hundred Dollar Exemption Allowed for Dependents, Under 18, or Incapable of Self-Support.

Net Incomes of \$1,000 or Over if Single and \$2,000 or Over if Married Must Be Reported.

Single persons, though required to file a return if their net income for 1920 was \$1,000 or more, are, if they are the heads of families, granted a special exemption under the revenue laws. Such a person is defined by Treasury regulations as "a person who actually supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals who are closely connected with him by blood relationship, relationship by marriage or by adoption, and whose right to exercise family control and provide for those dependent individuals is based upon some moral or legal obligation." Such persons are allowed the exemption of \$2,000 granted a married person. In addition, they are also allowed a credit of \$200 for each dependent under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective.

#### Husband and Wife.

A married person living with husband and wife can not claim an additional \$2,000 exemption as the head of a family. His or her exemption is based upon the marital status, irrespective of the support of others living in the same household. The additional \$200 credit for dependents does not apply to the husband or wife of a taxpayer. For example, if a married man supports a father who is incapable of self-support, he is entitled to the \$200 credit for such person. If through force of circumstances he supports his wife away from home he is entitled to the \$2,000 exemption allowed a married person, but not to a \$200 credit for a dependent.

A son who has left home but who sends his mother more than one-half the sum required for her support is entitled to the \$200 credit, provided the mother can not support herself. Otherwise, the amount must be considered as a gift, and, therefore, the credit is not allowed. A son living at home and supporting his father, mother, or other relative may claim the \$2,000 exemption allowed the head of a family, but not the \$200 credit unless such relative is under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support.

If you want to borrow money to buy or build a home see me.—C. J. RUSSELL, Real Estate, Insurance.

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SLATON, TEXAS

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**Curt Criticism.**  
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**BEASTS MAKE GOOD ON FILMS**

Eastern Journal Makes Unkind Comparison Between Four-Footed and Human Actors.

It was said at a recent meeting of the London Zoological society that the plan of making, and keeping on record, films of rare animals had been entered upon with considerable success, the natural movements of the beasts having been reproduced on the screen in a most interesting and instructive manner. It is indeed reasonable to suppose that the four-legged film actors may even be more successful, from an artistic standpoint, than their human colleagues; first, because their motions are naturally intelligible without the accompaniment of spoken language; and second, because they cannot be trained, as "movie" performers apparently are, to chop up their movements into a limited number of stereotyped gestures, in more or less regular sequence, which audiences presumably know by heart and may anticipate well in advance.—Christian Science Monitor.

**How Fabrics May Be Tested.**  
The thumb test will help to determine strength and weaving quality of goods. The fabric is held between the forefingers and thumbs, while the knuckles should be forced together, causing a heavy strain on the fabric. Its strength will be shown by the ease or difficulty with which it tears.

**Arrived There.**  
"I wrote a poem once, an Ode to Oblivion." "What became of it?" "It reached its destination."

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**ROSE UP IN THEIR WRATH**

Entire Body of "Plain People" of Crimson Gulch Tired of the Part They Played.

"Going for a little holiday?" inquired the member of a surveying party.

"No," replied Plute Pete. "These suitcases represent all our worldly possessions and the departure which it is your historic privilege to witness is a two-handed play on which me an' Cactus Joe here intends to stand pat forever."

"But Crimson Gulch is just beginning to be the fine town which you have so long hoped for."

"It is. All the boys except us has prospered one way or another, so that every one of them is an assessor or a stockholder or somethin' that makes him some kind of a rate booster. So me an' Cactus Joe is emigratin'. We're willin' to do our duty as citizens, with any kind of an even break. But we're tired of belin' the entire plain people."

**At That She May Be Right.**  
"I don't like that man."  
"Why not?"  
"Every time I see him he tells me I'm looking younger."  
"I should think you'd be pleased to receive such a compliment."  
"Not at all. No man ever says that to a woman unless he thinks she's getting old."

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

By REV. P. R. FITZWATER, D. D.,  
Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.  
(No. 1929, Western Newspaper Union.)

LESSON FOR JANUARY 23

PROMOTION IN THE KINGDOM.

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 20:17-28.  
GOLDEN TEXT—The Son of Man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many.—Matt. 20:28.  
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Matt. 19:27-29:16; Mark 10:32-45; Luke 22:24-30.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—Wanting More Than Our Share.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—How to Win First Place.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Right and Wrong Ambitions.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Greatness Through Service.

I. Jesus Foretells His Death and Resurrection.

1. The King on His way to Jerusalem (vv. 17-19). This is His last journey to the beloved city. He took the twelve disciples aside from the group of traveling pilgrims to make known unto them what was before them. On the journey He went ahead of the disciples. The courage thus shown by the Lord amazed the disciples who were following in fear (Mark 10:32). "Christ, the conscious and certain sufferer, is courageous. His followers who had nothing to fear were afraid."

2. Betrayal and death foretold (vv. 18, 19). He went forward fully conscious of the awful tragedy of the cross. He for the third time since the transfiguration tells the disciples of His suffering and death, but they are so filled with their ambitious schemes that they do not understand Him. The treachery of Judas Iscariot; the fierce persecutions of the chief priests and scribes; the unjust judgment; the delivery to Pontius Pilate; the mocking; the scourging; the crown of thorns; the cross; the hanging between two malefactors; the nails; the spear; all were spread before His mind like a picture. Though He knew all this He deliberately pressed on. The joyous outlook upon the victory which would be accomplished by the shedding of His blood led Him forward. He went courageously, for He knew the time had come for the accomplishment of His Father's will.

3. The resurrection foretold (v. 19). Truly this would have been a dark picture had the resurrection not been made known.

II. The Ambitious Request of James and John (vv. 20-23).

1. The request (vv. 20, 21). This request was made by their mother. The request is for a place of prominence in the kingdom. It is right for mothers to be ambitious for their boys, but they should know that earth's pinnacles are exceedingly dangerous.

2. Jesus' answer. (vv. 22, 23). He spoke directly to the men, not to their mother, declaring that they knew not what they were asking. He showed them that the way to this position of glory was through suffering. The cup of which they were to drink was that of great suffering and agony. The positions which they craved were attainable, but in a very different way from what they apprehended. The way to the places of glory in the kingdom of Christ is through the path of lowly and self-forgetful service, even great suffering.

3. How to Be Truly Exalted (vv. 24-28).

1. The angry disciples (v. 24). When the ten heard of the request of James and John they were filled with indignation against them. Their displeasure did not arise from the fact that they were free from the same selfish spirit, but that these two had thrust themselves to the front; it was an admixture of indignation and jealousy.

2. Greatness among the heathen (v. 25). The rule of the world has always been by the strong hand. The standards have been not moral excellence, but wealth, station and power. Even today the reason one nation rules the other is that the one possesses sharper swords and heavier clubs than the other.

3. Greatness among Christ's disciples (vv. 26, 27). Here the standard is in sharp contrast. The way to the places of prominence in Christ's kingdom is the way of self-abasement. It is not wrong to be ambitious to be great, but the basis of true greatness is that which human selfishness seeks to avoid. There will be degrees of rank in Christ's kingdom, but this rank will be character, not position or authority.

4. Christ is the supreme example of greatness (v. 28). All who would be great should study and imitate Christ. Let them forget self and serve others, even to give their lives. This will eliminate all scrambling for place and power. The one grand test by which to know whether Christ's Spirit controls one is whether he is serving or seeking to be served.

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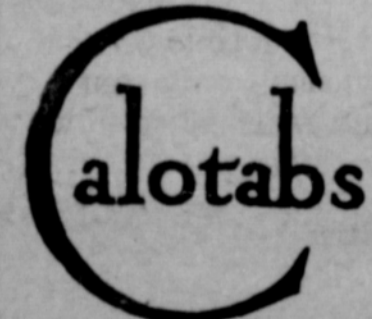
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Too many people in this world are not happy unless they are bubbling over with unhappiness.

## Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Tonic and Blood Purifier, and acts through the blood upon the mucous surfaces of the body, thus reducing the inflammation and restoring normal conditions.

All druggists. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Any man possesses the ability to be as big a fool as he pleases.

Insist on having Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" for Worms or Tapeworm and the druggist will procure it. It is the only Vermifuge which operates thoroughly after a single dose.—Adv.

What a man is and what he might be are as different as day and night.

### THE BEST YET.

If you have never used Vacher-Balm, you don't know how quickly and pleasantly a cold in the head, or soreness anywhere can be relieved by this harmless remedy.

Ask your druggist, or send for a free sample, to E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.

Avoid imitations. Nothing is "just as good."—Adv.

### Kisses and Cheese.

"Bread and cheese and kisses make up an old formula for happiness." "Yes, it antedates Limburger."

# CALOMEL DANGER TOLD BY DODSON

Says You Cannot Gripe, Sicken, or Salivate Yourself if You Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quick-silver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is

The glittering words of an orator often remind us a small piece of soap can make many bubbles.

An ounce of contentment is more beneficial to a woman's complexion than a pound of cosmetics.

entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone, which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.—Adv.

If the necessary work is well done, don't be too particular how.

### Catarrhal Colds.

Any druggist pays the cost of a trial by refunding your money if Hyomel fails to relieve that cough or cold you have.

# FREE!

## A Whole Family Meal of

# SKINNER'S Macaroni

FREE—one package of your favorite SKINNER'S Macaroni, Spaghetti or Egg Noodles. Tear off the coupon, take it to your grocer, buy one package and he will give you another free. If he will not supply you write us, giving his name and address.

One package of SKINNER'S Macaroni Products should make a full meal for the average family.

If at any time you do not find the superiority of SKINNER'S immediately noticeable return the empty package to your grocer and he will refund your money.

Hundreds of appetizing dishes can be prepared from SKINNER'S Macaroni Products. Write us for our 48-page book of recipes, enclosing 4c in stamps to cover postage.

Unfortunately there are grocers that do not handle quality merchandise, because the wholesale price is higher than on goods made up of cheap raw material under unsanitary conditions.

Demand SKINNER'S Macaroni Products for your family's sake. REFUSE TO USE MACARONI THAT COOKS UP MUSHY AND DOES NOT HAVE A REAL FLAVOR, EVEN IF YOU HAVE TO CHANGE YOUR GROCER.

Just tear off the coupon that appears below. It's "legal tender" at any store—will buy you one package of SKINNER'S Macaroni Products if you buy another. You get two packages for only 10 cents by presenting this Free 10-cent coupon.



BUY ONE OF THESE



WE GIVE YOU THIS



TAKE TO YOUR GROCER. OFFER WILL NOT REAPPEAR AGAIN

### NOTICE TO GROCERS:

This coupon, signed by your customer, will be redeemed at 10 cents in cash. Return coupon direct to Skinner Manufacturing Company, Omaha, U. S. A. If you do not have our full line stocked send us name of your jobber.

### NOTICE TO PURCHASER

Coupon, if presented within 30 days, good for one package of SKINNER'S Macaroni Products if you purchase another at the regular price.

SIGN THE FOLLOWING: I hereby certify that I have this day purchased one package of SKINNER'S Macaroni Products from my grocer and received one package free.

## To Our Friends and Customers

This is just a friendly talk, in which we hope to impress upon your minds some very interesting facts. It is useless for us to speak of the high quality of the goods we sell. You all know that from long experience. But we do want to emphasize the fact that 1921 is going to be a year of mighty good buying at this store. That means that when you want the very best of values for your money you have only to come here. It's a case of saving money on every purchase for you.

## Forrest Hardware

The House of Satisfaction Phone 6, SLATON, TEXAS

### IOWA PARK MOVIE OPERATOR KILLED MONDAY NIGHT

Pretty Young Girl. After Murder. Emerged From Booth and Admitted Killing.

Wichita Falls, Jan. 17. William S. Penrod, 26 years old, of Dallas, motion picture operator in an Iowa Park movie theater, was shot and killed while reeling off a thriller tonight to

a crowded house. A moment after he was shot the theater was thrown into a panic when a pretty 20-year-old girl of Iowa Park, emerged from the operating booth and calmly admitted the killing.

School Supplies of every kind at Teague's Confectionery.

Candies that are priced right. Big assortment. Teague's Confectionery.

## Serving You With Good Groceries

THAT IS OUR BUSINESS, AND WE ALWAYS TRY TO MAKE OUR SERVICE AS GOOD AS OUR GROCERIES. GOODS WELL BOUGHT ARE HALF SOLD. WE BUY RIGHT TO SELL RIGHT AND WORK ON THE BASIS OF RAPID SALES AND REASONABLE PROFITS. WE BOTH PROFIT IF YOU TRADE WITH US.

## Lanham & Smart

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## We Serve all the Delicacies

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO SERVE ALL CEREALS AND DAIRY DISHES OF EVERY KIND, AND MAKE A SPECIALTY OF FRUIT DISHES AND DELICACIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

## Fish and Oysters

WE RECEIVE FISH AND OYSTERS TWICE A WEEK—ON TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS AND SERVE THEM AS LONG AS THEY LAST. AND WE HAVE A COOK THAT KNOWS HOW TO PREPARE THEM.

WE ALSO MAKE A SPECIALTY OF SERVING FRESH VEGETABLES OF EVERY KIND. OUR REGULAR MEALS ARE ALL THAT COULD BE DESIRED, WITH A CHANGE OF MEATS EVERY DAY.

## THE COZY CAFE

North Side Square, Next Door to Industrial Transportation Co.

A. P. ZEIBIG, Proprietor Phone 162, SLATON, TEXAS

### FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN. (Copyrighted by W. T. Foster.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20.—During early part of week centering on Feb. 6 a great high temperature wave will come out of the extreme north-west and overspread all the northern Rockies and Pacific slope. It will extend southeastward and by Feb. 6 will cover all of North America that lies east of meridian 90. This great warm wave will extend eastward and by Feb. 8 will reach the Atlantic coast. A great storm center will follow, one or two days behind the warm wave, and will move in the direction of New Orleans. It will penetrate the cotton states and then move north-eastward near the line of the Alleghenies and out on to the Atlantic not far from New York City. A cold wave, carrying blizzard attachments, will follow one or two days behind storm center. This will be an important storm, taking all its features; its temperatures will average much below normal.

One of the new and important discoveries is the cause that locates the points at which the storms enter Canada or America. Sometimes they enter east of and sometimes west of the Rockies. The storms of this Winter have been and will continue to enter from west of Rockies, some of them as far south as northern California. These are important facts because they control the location of rain, snow and temperatures. A storm that enters thru northern California carries rains, followed by colder than usual, into the cotton States, while Canada, east of Rockies, gets no warm wave but severe cold and little snow.

I continue to advise farmers not to sell cotton or grain. Europe is starving while the profiteers are getting possession of the grain and cotton. The time will come when the profiteers' interests will be for grain and cotton to go up. The farmers' products are out of proportion below all other commodities. We, of the cities are paying war prices for farm products while the farmers are selling at half war prices. This cannot continue.

Our government seems unable to control the profiteers. But don't let despair knock you out. There is a better time coming. The future of agriculture holds its greatest success. I have full confidence in the farm and its future and wish that I could get back to it. I still advise not only to stay on the farm but to not change location.

February will have one more bad spell of weather when the great storm of the week centering on Feb. 24 comes in. Balance of the month will bring better than usual cropweather for outside affairs.

March? That is the inauguration month. There is some doubt about Washington weather for the inauguration, but conditions seem to favor good weather. Very bad weather is expected in the middle northwest about this time, but probabilities seem to say that the bad weather will not reach Washington till after the Fourth. If I find that good weather may be expected at Washington for inauguration day I will make a prediction later, but if the doubt grows seriously I will be quiet about it.

### MAKE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS.

Get Ahead of the Other Fellow Picking Scraps of Time From the Waste Basket.

Abraham Lincoln would split rails all day in the forest and then after his day's work, would walk five miles to borrow a book to study and improve himself. It is said that George Washington in answer to a question of his mother as to why he studied so late at night, replied that he was working out the destiny of his country, and he did.

There are hundreds of young people today who are desirous of gaining a practical education, but for one reason or another, they cannot leave home to secure it, so they drag along from one year to the next in the same old rut. There are hundreds of others who cannot attend our school in person but who are availing themselves of the opportunity offered by the Correspondence Department of our College, saving their leisure moments and investing them in an education that will mean thousands of dollars to them in the coming years.

You may say that you are not able to take a course, but the person who can least afford it is the one who needs it most, who should get it by all means at any sacrifice; it does not cost much.

Young friend, take advantage of your opportunity to gain a business education, use the moments that would otherwise be wasted. Spend an hour after nightfall in the long winter evenings qualifying yourself with a knowledge of the famous Byrne Shorthand, Practical Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Arithmetic, Grammar, Writing, Salesmanship, and Business Efficiency, Advertising and Telegraphy, by which you will make the business world readily pay cash for your services.

Fill Out the following blank and mail to the Correspondence Department for catalogue and full particulars of this Money-back, Guaranteed Course.

Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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You lose many opportunities of saving both time and money if you fail to read the advertisements in The Slatonite.

## Slaton Produce Co.

YOUNG & WILLIAMS, Proprietors

SLATON, TEXAS

WE HAVE LEASED THE BUILDING FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY THE KUYKENDALL GROCERY STORE, AND ON MONDAY NEXT WILL OPEN UP A FIRST-CLASS PRODUCE HOUSE. WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE IN CASH AT ALL TIMES FOR YOUR POULTRY, EGGS, BUTTER, HIDES, ETC. WHETHER YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO SELL OR NOT, DROP AROUND, SEE OUR PLACE OF BUSINESS AND LET'S GET ACQUAINTED.

## Get them repaired while you wait

WITH OUR MODERN EQUIPMENT WE CAN MEND YOUR SHOES WHILE YOU WAIT AND GIVE THEM A FINISH THAT YOU WILL BE PROUD OF. WE ALSO DO HARNESS REPAIRING. DROP IN AND SEE US. UNDER SINGLETON HOTEL BUILDING.

## R. A. HENDERSON

UNDER SINGLETON HOTEL

SLATON, TEXAS

## GOODRICH TIRES & TUBES

"BEST IN THE LONG RUN"



LEE GREEN & CO., Dealers, Slaton

## Fresh and Cured Meats at a Price You Can Afford

OUR LINE OF FRESH AND CURED MEATS IS THE BEST TO BE HAD, OUR MARKET IS SANITARY AND WITH MODERN EQUIPMENT FOR HANDLING MEAT. WE MAKE THE PRICE AS LOW AS THE LOWEST AND WHEN THE PRICE OF CATTLE AND HOGS ARE FURTHER REDUCED YOU WILL ALWAYS GET THE BENEFIT OF IT AT THIS MARKET.

WE ALSO CARRY A LINE OF STAPLE CANNED GOODS TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS IN THAT LINE. GIVE US YOUR NEXT ORDER AND SEE HOW WELL WE CAN PLEASE YOU.

## OLD RELIABLE CITY MARKET

WILLIAMS & SELMON, Proprietors

SLATON, TEXAS

**KANSAS BANKERS LOOKING FOR CATTLE SECURITY**

Amarillo, Jan. 20.—Two Kansas bankers came down to Texas a few days ago to see 2300 head of cattle on which they had a loan of \$48,000.00. These cattle were supposed to be in Lynn and Lubbock counties on pasture. In 1917 the bank sent a man down to inspect this loan. He approved it and attached a picture of the herd to the notes. That picture and the notes are all that these bankers have of their \$48,000.

They were unable to locate any such herd in Lynn or Lubbock counties, neither could they find where they had been on pasture, the brands recorded or anything at all concerning them. If the cattle were ever shipped from that country no one seemed to know about it. The bankers are now looking for the man to whom they made the loan.

Remington Junior Typewriter, with good traveling case; practically new, for sale at bargain. Priced at \$40; terms to responsible party.—CLEFFIE WATSON, Slatonite Office.



**Methodist Missionary Society Plans Get-Together Meeting.**

On Monday, Jan. 17, the Methodist Missionary Society met at Mrs. Hendricks' home. An unusually large number answered to roll call, and special interest was manifested over the devotional lesson on Tampa, Florida, and the Methodist vocational, recreational and religious work at that place.

Besides the program which consisted of numerous pamphlets and papers that were discussed by several of the members, Mrs. W. H. Smith told of her personal experiences in Tampa and showed many instructive and beautiful post cards and folios of this city.

Mrs. Adams, who was leader for the afternoon introduced Rev. Hendricks at the close of the program, and the latter unfolded several plans which he suggested should be undertaken during the next few months.

The one which was unanimously adopted and concerns the people at present is the "Get Together Meeting" to be held Friday night, Jan. 28, at 6:30, in the basement of the Methodist church.

This does not mean "Get Together Methodists," but it does mean "Get Together Slaton." A special invitation to every one in the town to come and enjoy a social evening in the church basement is the true meaning of this meeting.

A good, short musical program will entertain you for awhile. Then you are requested to shake hands, talk to your friends, meet the strange people, in fact show genuine Slaton hospitality in your expressions, your actions and your words. There will be plenty of eats for every one.

Announcement was made that the next meeting of the Missionary Society will be held at Mrs. Edwards.

The Bible study will be led by Mrs. Pember.

**Miss Kuykendall Entertains With Line Party.**

Miss Ora Kuykendall was hostess at a line party Monday evening at the Wilselma Theatre to witness the opening bill of the Charles and Gertrude Harrison Company, "The Saintly Hypocrite and Honest Sinner." Besides the hostess other members of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuykendall and little daughter Eloise, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smart, J. V. Thompson, Wm. Klattenhoff, and Misses Irene Levey and Zona Bean. After the play the party were refreshed at Teague's Confectionery.

**Program for Civic and Culture Club, Saturday, Jan. 22.**

Subject: "Celebrated Animal Characters."

Hostess: Miss Kuykendall. Leader, Mrs. White.

Roll call: Short sketch of some animal celebrated in song or story.

Which is your favorite wild animal?—Mrs. Johnston.

Wild animals of the Plains—Miss Holland.

**League Program.**

The following program will be rendered at 6 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 23, at the Methodist church:

Subject: The Religion of a Sensible American.

Leader, Miss Mamie Lou Hill.

Song.

Scripture reading: Ecclesiastes xii, by leader.

Song.

Prayer.

Who is a Sensible American?—Mr. Joe McDonald.

How May This Sensible American

Promote Christianity?—Mrs. Forrest. Special music—Elsie McManus. League benediction.

**Newly-Weds Visiting Here.**

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thomas, formerly of Coleman, are spending their honeymoon in Slaton guests at the home of the bride's uncle, J. A. Fincher and family. Mrs. Thomas will be remembered by many Slaton people as Miss Mildred Fincher, having visited here frequently. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will go to Quanah to make their future home.

**HOWERTON'S ESSAY CONTEST.**

Your attention is directed to the advertisement of A. E. Howerton elsewhere in The Slatonite. He is publishing the names of a number of articles that he sells and wants any boy or girl under eighteen years of age to write an essay of about 150 words on these articles, telling what they are and what they are used for. He will give valuable premiums for the six best essays. Look up the advertisement and prepare your essays.

**ANSWER TO BIBLE RIDDLE.**

Recently The Slatonite printed a Bible riddle in verse, that was handed in by Mr. T. L. Reed. None of our readers sent in the answer. Here is the answer:

I was made before the man  
To represent God's saving plan.  
Although you see, as I once said,  
For sting of death I have no dread,  
And the light I give to fallen man  
Is made of my oil you'll understand.  
But man and I without any guessing,  
At the time represent Christ's resurrection.  
Now if your Bible you have read  
without fail,  
You'll find me to be only a whale.

**S. A. PEAVY CALLED TO BROWNWOOD ON ACCOUNT SERIOUS ILLNESS FATHER**

S. A. Peavy received a message Monday advising him that his father, W. W. Peavy, was seriously ill at his home in Brownwood. He and Mrs. Peavy left on the noon train to attend his bedside. It was reported later that the elder Peavy had died, but we were unable to verify this statement.

Toilet articles of every description at Teague's Confectionery.

EXACTLY WHAT YOUR DOCTOR ORDERS IS WHAT YOU GET WHEN YOU HAVE A PRESCRIPTION FILLED AT THIS STORE. THIS IS A DRUG STORE OF SERVICE—THE CAREFUL KIND OF SERVICE THAT IS INDICATED BY THIS NURSE FACE TRADEMARK. IT IS PROMPT AND COURTEOUS, WATCHFUL OF YOUR WELFARE. OUR PRICES ARE AS LOW AS IS CONSISTENT WITH QUALITY BOTH IN SERVICE AND IN MERCHANDISE. IF YOU HAVE NEED OF TOILET THINGS, HERE ARE SAN-TOX TOILETRIES—TO PLEASE THE MOST FASTIDIOUS. ALSO A WONDERFUL LINE OF SAN-TOX PREPARATIONS, EACH OF WHICH IS FOR SOME DEFINITE PURPOSE OF HEALTH OR HYGIENE.

SEE US FOR HEALTH OR BEAUTY

**Slaton Drug Co.**

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Phone 92, Slaton, Texas



**Rich-Tone Is a Friend of the Weak**

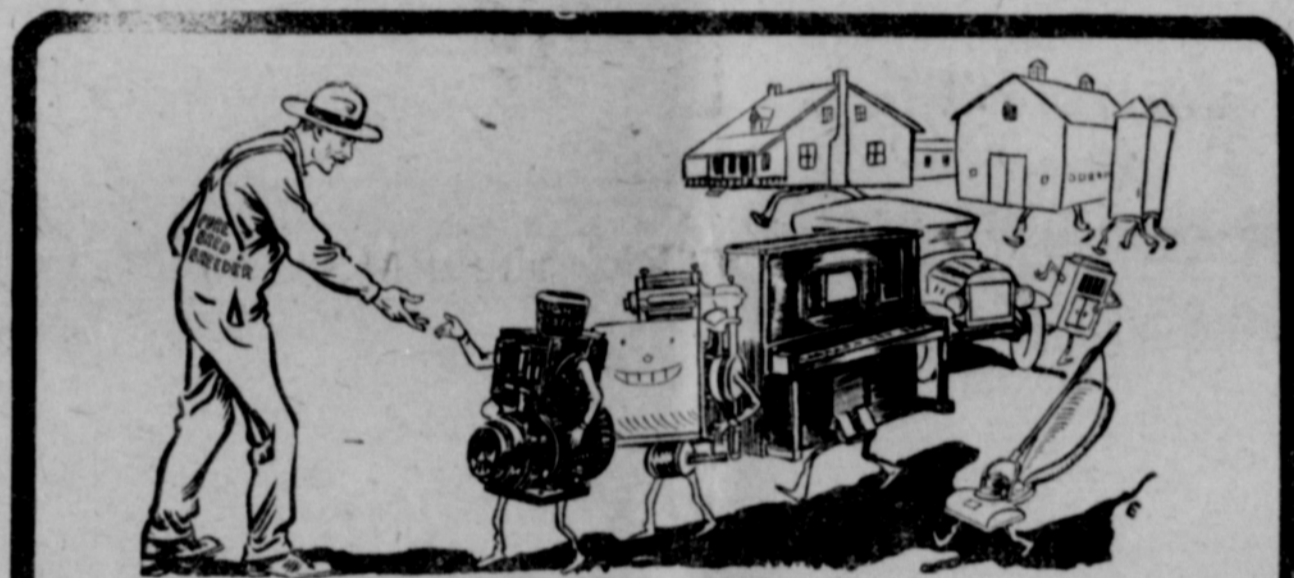
"It Has Made Me Strong and Well Again."—Says J. R. Martinez.

He writes: "Rich-Tone is a wonderful remedy for people who are weak, lacking in vigor, and all those who are to gain strength and energy, should take this truly famous tonic. It has given me perfect health and saved me of ailments from which I had suffered."

**Take RICH-TONE and gain new energy**

For one penny will Rich-Tone cure you, if it doesn't prove of genuine worth in treating your case. You are to be the judge—try this tonic first—if it doesn't bring to you energy, a splendid appetite, restful sleep, peaceful and quiet nerves—if it doesn't destroy that tired feeling and lift you up, then Rich-Tone will be in vain—it will not cost you any more than one penny. So owe it to yourself to try this wonderful remedy. You owe it to you, to your friends to be strong, well, bright of eye, brisk of step, and of cheek, able to go about your life with a smile on your lips! Buy Rich-Tone entirely at our risk—a bottle today on our money-back guarantee. Sold and guaranteed locally.

RED CROSS PHARMACY



**Coming His Way!**

Merchants and manufacturers endorse pure-bred cattle because they make business better. They buy electric-lighting plants; farm power; machinery; pianos; household conveniences—power washers, sweepers, churns; better buildings; better homes. They buy improved roads and more efficient schools.

Farmers raise pure-breds for the same reason. They like to be prosperous and pure-breds will make them so. Better cattle widen the margin between the producing cost and the selling price of beef; *they make their own market as breeding stock.*

Don't let a pure-bred bull go to waste in this community. Remember that the poorest pure-bred is better than the best scrub. He is easier to feed, he makes better beef, and he will pass his money-bringing qualities on to his get. Only the pure-bred can make the cattle industry stable and certain of steady return, year after year.

THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, whose cooperation enables us to present these advertisements, has long

been an ardent supporter of the pure-breds, because they pay the farmer who raises them. This dominant weekly of farm service studies for you every aspect and every problem of your business and the conclusions at which its trained investigators arrive can be accepted as thoroughly reliable. These investigators say: "Buy Pure-Breds."

In the next 52 big issues (which will come to you for just \$1.00) the editors will tell you why.

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JOHN LEE, Secretary

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**Farm Loans**

SLATON I. O. O. F. LODGE NO. 861  
Meets at Shopbell Hall every Tuesday night. Visiting Odd Fellows are cordially invited to be present.

M. G. LEVERETT, N. G.  
B. O. BAILEY, Secretary.

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THERE IS NO OCCASION TO SEND YOUR KODAK FILMS AWAY WHEN YOU CAN GET THE WORK DONE AT HOME JUST AS WELL AND OFTEN CHEAPER. NOT ONLY THAT—YOU GET QUICK SERVICE.

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TURN-KEY JOBS A SPECIALTY  
Before you build anything let me give you an estimate on the job.

**No Need to Feel So Bad About It**



You can build another home, providing you're insured—as you surely ought to be. No property owner should be without a policy of fire insurance, for he never knows when disaster may overtake him. Let me write the policy for you in reliable companies.

I also represent the International Life Insurance Co. of St. Louis, and the best Loan Co. in existence, giving you money at 3 per cent. Investigate it.

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**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Paul Owens, the jeweler, was a business visitor in Lubbock Tuesday.

A. E. Howerton was a business visitor in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Preston has gone to Sweetwater for a visit to her mother.

F. E. Weaver and R. C. Dyer were visitors in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McGee were visitors in Lubbock Monday.

Dr. S. H. Adams made a professional visit to Lubbock Monday.

George Everline was among the visitors in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Posey of Lubbock was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. Odom, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. O'Hair of O'Donnell was here last Friday the guest of her friend, Mrs. H. A. Hannam.

Mrs. Ida Champion visited her son Gilbert Champion, in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. J. B. Moss is visiting in Clovis this week and attending to business matters.

Conductor W. B. Montague is able to resume his duties after an illness of several days.

Mrs. L. C. Odom has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Walp, in Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Ray Connor spent from Saturday to Monday at Lamesa with her husband.

Sam Selmon, one of the proprietors of the Wiselma Theatre, was a business visitor in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott have returned from a several days' visit to relatives in Crosbyton.

Mrs. J. M. Rodgers returned to her home Friday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ida Champion.

Mrs. E. M. Lott was taken to a sanitarium in Lubbock last Monday to undergo an operation.

Charles H. Graves and C. J. Russell were business visitors in Lubbock last Saturday.

If you want to borrow money to buy or build a home see me.—C. J. RUSSELL, Real Estate, Insurance.

Mrs. J. E. Kuykendall returned home last Monday after an extended visit to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short went to Crosbyton Saturday to officiate at the installation of officers for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Need Glasses? Dr. McGuire, the eye man, will be in Slaton Thursday, Jan. 27, at Owens' Jewelry Store. He fits glasses that fit. Prices moderate.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bain are here from Breckenridge visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bain and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green of Floydada returned home last week after a visit to Mrs. Ida Champion and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Odom are now occupying their pretty new home, just west of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moss.

Mrs. F. Graves left Sunday for St. Louis to visit market, and will go from there to Memphis and Dyersburg, Tenn., for a visit to relatives.

Miss Georgia Forschon, who has held the position of mail clerk at the local Santa Fe offices, has received a deserved promotion.

Mrs. Percy Minor and little daughter Doris, accompanied by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McReynolds, have returned from a pleasant visit in Abilene and Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald returned Sunday from Abilene where they went in response to a message stating that the former's father, W. D. McDonald, was seriously ill. They reported him not improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Fincher and children of Gouldbusk, Texas, have arrived in Slaton to make their future home, and are now guests of the former's brother, J. A. Fincher and family.

Don't deceive yourself by imagining your vision will correct itself. It won't. Right glasses only will help, will relieve the blurs, itching and watering. Dr. McGuire will be in Slaton

ton one day, Thursday, Jan. 27, at Owens' Jewelry Store, to help you quickly, reasonably and satisfactorily.

Mrs. Ben T. Owens who has been on an extended visit to relatives in San Antonio and other South Texas cities, reached Sweetwater on her return home when she received a telegram announcing the death of her brother, Christopher Gonzalez, of San Antonio, and immediately returned to that city.

**THE COWS COME HOME.**

Where has all the money gone? A country banker asked that question the other day. He was in Kansas City trying to borrow money to tide over his customers and offering a bushel of wheat as security for every 30 cents. He was turned down cold. Another banker replied to his question:

"The cities in the best financial shape," he said, "are Boston, Philadelphia and Cleveland. The rural districts in best financial shape are the great dairying districts."

"Time deposits in many rural districts have been looped in two. In the great dairy regions there's scarcely a decline in time deposits. They still have money and credit."

It is significant that hide-bound Boston, conservative Philadelphia and hard-working Cleveland are the flush towns; not New York with its Wall street gambling, Chicago with its slick Board of Trade or oily Tulsa.

Boston, of course, reaped a harvest through the shameless profiteering of the huge textile industries, which, with the sugar barons, can claim the notoriety of being about the biggest hogs that ever fattened on a people's wartime necessity. Philadelphia, too, has its horde of tailor profiteers; and Cleveland its share, but in all three the spirit has been to create, keep working, and, although they gouged, they kept creating. And they are on the top.

The same is true in agriculture. Before the war we all knew that the old cream check was the safest and surest way to accumulate. Through the war the dairy business lost heavily. Feed was high and help scarce. But just the same, in the face of these disadvantages, and without the profiteers' advantages that the cities had, the dairy districts seem to be on top in this time of tight money.—Capper's Farmer.

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"Yes, sir," replied the clerk, meekly. "That's a serviceable hat, and if you are not a married man you should worry about the way it looks on you."

—Birmingham Age-Herald.

**Applied Finance.**

"My father has a controlling interest in that business."

"I am sorry to hear he is taking such chances."

"What on earth do you mean by his taking chances in such a sound investment?"

"Well, my father says the bigger the interest the greater the risk."

**TACTLESS**

Manager: So the great critic invited you to dine with him?"

Actor: Yes, but his choice of menu was not only utterly without tact, but also cruelly suggestive.

Manager: Dear me! What was it?"

Actor: He actually put me down to what he called a good roast.

**Wrong.**

This happens to me right along and makes me want to fight. I always find that I am wrong when I would bet I'm right.

**New Rich.**

"We have finished the reception room, madam," announced the decorator.

"Well, this afternoon you may touch up the anteroom."

"And what shall we do in the interin?"

"I think it's ceiling needs a little paint."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**His First Attempt.**

"I thought you were a good shot."

"So I am."

"But you shot at and missed the burglar."

"Yes. You see that was the first time I'd ever tried that gun on burglars."

**Yes, Indeed.**

"Did that rich old uncle of yours leave many heirlooms?"

"I should say so. A new heir looms up almost every week."—Boston Transcript.

**Strong Resemblance.**

"Contentment," remarked Shinbone, "am a mighty fine thing; de only trouble 'bout it is it's kin' o' hard to distinguish from jes plain lackness."—Boston Transcript.

**ON HER LOOKS**

"Why don't you send the typewriter back to the business school if she is so incompetent?"

"To be frank, I don't feel justified. I took a look around the class and picked her out myself."

**No Private Stock.**

To save my coin I shall not try. My hope of bliss has flown. I cannot hoard enough to buy A coal mine of my own.

**Proves His Point.**

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October 26, 1764, there were united in marriage a pretty girl of twenty, Abigail Smith, daughter of a minister, to John Adams, a young lawyer without a practice, himself the son of a rather poor farmer. The lady's friends were not enthusiastic over the match, as the girl's forefathers were all of literary or professional caste, while the young lawyer could boast of no connection but with the soil. The parishioners were outspoken in their disapproval of the match, it being based largely on their suspicion of lawyers in general.

The fiery old minister-father of Abigail promptly took exception to the remarks, and the very next Sunday announced his text as "For John came neither eating bread nor drinking wine, and ye say he hath a devil." The minister's faith in his son-in-law proved well given, for the unknown and clientless lawyer became the second President of the United States.

A well known physician, York tells why he does whence his ancestors came.

Now, he had always under his ancestors were Scotch on the strength of that prided himself on their royal blood.

Once it occurred to him have a look at the old place, they were supposed to be. When he arrived at what he was the right district he was an old Irishman to tell him spot.

The Celt regarded him as a crazy man, and then "Ye say that your ancestors grated from here 200 years why the deuce, sir, are ye them here now?"

**What, Indeed.**

Alabama—They tell me north the Yankees put signs cemeteries. "No autos allowed Mississippi—Huh! They what they do when their quiet on them?—Exchange.

There may be 108 objects pockets, but he knows every is there.

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