

THE SLATON SLATONITE

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FIFTH YEAR

Good Rains Last Week Will Mature Crops

Rainy, cloudy weather Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last week brought moisture which fell intermittently until Friday night, when a steady drizzle brought one-half of an inch of moisture. This made a total precipitation of a little over an inch for the three days, and it broke one of the longest mid-summer dry seasons that the Slaton country has ever experienced. On June 12th and 14th rain fell to the amount of two inches. Since there had been no rain of any consequence. On July 6th a heavy shower gave one-fourth of an inch. Other showers came since then, but they were too light to be of any benefit to crops.

The rain last week came in time to benefit Slaton crops. Much of the small grain was just in the stage to need moisture to fully develop the heads, and the cotton will put on another quarter of a bale to the acre.

Slaton land was in excellent shape to go thru the dry season. There was a good season in the ground last winter and the spring rains brought up the crops and carried them to the grain stage. The rain last week will mature all early planted crops.

Get 10 3-4 Pounds Fish

The Gerdis and Bassenger boys claim the record for fish in the Brazos north of Slaton. Last Friday they caught a catfish that tipped the scales at ten and three-fourths pounds; and the editor of the Slatonite can vouch for the fish because we saw it. The fish had doubtless been fooling many of the Isaac Waltons by getting off with bait and hooks. He had a hiding place under one of the banks of the creek, and when danger threatened he would go into that hole. The boys learned his trick, and then it was only a question of patience until they had him started towards the frying pan. So far as we know this is the biggest fish that has been pulled out of this section of the Brazos.

Judge E. R. Haynes Will Return to the School Room

Judge and Mrs. E. R. Haynes will begin teaching the Primrose school September 11th. All patrons are requested to be there the first day. There will be nice talks from Mr. and Mrs. Haynes and the trustees and patrons are at liberty to make a talk; speak some encouraging word to both teacher and pupil. Let us pull together and make this the best school we have ever had at Primrose. Mr. Haynes will have a large class of advanced pupils. We have been informed there will be several pupils from Terry County that will come here this term.—Brownfield Herald.

Judge Haynes will tender his resignation as county judge immediately after the Lubbock County Teachers' Institute is over, so that he may enter at once on the duties as principal of the Primrose school. Primrose District is west of Lubbock and is in Hockley County. The school is advanced and the district has splendid buildings, and Mr. Haynes and his wife will be pleasantly situated for the coming year at an attractive salary for each.

The second annual re-union of pioneer cattlemen will be held at Sweetwater, Texas, September 7th and 8th. We take this means of especially inviting every man who was in any way identified with the cattle business prior to 1895 to be with us, no matter whether such connection was as an employee or ranch owner. In order that proper provision may be made for your entertainment kindly write to us at once. We will have an old time chuck wagon, an old time camp cook, and we will have two days real rest and feast of reminiscences. All letters should be addressed to Jetta Styles, Sweetwater, Texas.

B. C. Morgan doesn't allow anyone to encroach on his title as the sweet potato man of Slaton. He has as good a crop as usual this year, and over a week ago made the first raid on the crop. He dug a bushel of potatoes on August 14th, and many of the samples weighed a pound each. The crop is made already.

Mark Kuykendall Back From Mexican Border

Mark Kuykendall, of the United States army, is in Slaton this week on a short furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Kuykendall. Mark is on his way to Fort Sheridan, Chicago, where he will be stationed for some time. He was formerly a member of Troop K, Fifth Regiment, United States Cavalry, and this regiment had been stationed at Fort Meyers, Va., until last March when the impending trouble called the Fifth to Mexico. Mr. Kuykendall visited in Slaton then on his way to Columbus, N. M. His troop was right to the front of Pershing's expedition in Mexico. The boys lost all the horses they took with them, for the horses could not undergo the change in climate and do strenuous cavalry service. As the horses died, the army had to take recourse in securing native Mexican ponies and small mules for mounts.

The army mounted on small mules doubtless made quite a contrast to the way they looked on dress parade at Washington riding their stylish thoroughbred horses.

Mr. Kuykendall was transferred some time ago from the cavalry to the Quarter Master's division, and he is now driving an army truck. His truck squadron, consisting of thirty-four trucks, was recently ordered shipped to Fort Sheridan, and is now on its way. Mark will join them at Tucumcari, N. M., next Monday. The United States has a large distributing commissary at Fort Sheridan, from which place much of the supplies that go to the army along the Mexican border are shipped. The army trucks will be used for doing the freighting for the commissary department in Chicago.

Violating Game Laws

People are inclined to break the game laws, regardless of the wishes of land owners and of the true sportsmen. It is reported that some people are shooting quail and prairie chicken already, without regard to the law. The penalty for violating the game law is severe, and if anyone is reported they will have a stiff fine to pay, and perhaps a jail sentence to serve. The counties along the Cap Rock should hire a few game wardens to patrol the Brakes and make some striking examples of the law breakers. The closed season on prairie chicken is the same as that on quail.

Poisoned Roasting Ears Effective for Jack Rabbits

F. P. Donathan found roasting ears poisoned with strychnine an effective agent with which to thin down the jack rabbits which were eating up his two-acre patch of peanuts.

Late one afternoon last week he sliced the soft grains of two ears of corn with his knife so that the milk oozed out. Filling these places with the strychnine he laid them on the ground. Next morning he found he had killed many of the rabbits.—Floydada Hesperian.

It is reported to the Slatonite that T. J. O'Donnell, original promoter of the Midland-Seminole road, has sold his interests in the project to San Antonio capitalists, and that he is now practically out of the proposition.

Would Move Ochiltree Seven Miles To New Railroad

The town of Ochiltree on the North Plains is in a position to sympathize with the fellow who was between the devil and the deep blue sea. The proposed railroad that has been surveyed to run from Hansford County, Texas, to Ellis County, Oklahoma, goes seven miles north of Ochiltree, and it seems to be up to the town to move to the railroad. After waiting thirty years for a road Ochiltree gets the road—if they will move to it. Millard B. Herely of Chicago is promoting the road and handling the land which the Santa Fe is reported to have purchased along the line of the proposed road. Mr. Herely has extensive plans for a new town, a town with public utilities, the segregation of business districts from the residences, establishing parks and educational institutions, etc. He would move Ochiltree—buildings, bag and baggage to the new Eureka. A very pretty prospectus, but getting an established town to efface itself from the landscape is one of the biggest enterprises that mortal man ever undertook. The sentiment that hangs about a pioneer town is not soon forgotten.

The town of Texico, N. M., is one of the pioneer towns of the Plains, and when the Farwell Syndicate bought the land in Parmer County, their manager established a new town one mile from Texico. It was said that the leading merchants who moved from Texico to the new town were materially assisted in making the change in business location. Several costly buildings were erected in Farwell, but Texico could not be denied and is the best town of the two. There they remain today, two town whose residence districts come together; and there they seemingly will always remain, two small towns where there should be one good town. Very few men ever make a success of moving an established center of commerce.

Stubbs Buys 30 Sections at Hereford

Gov. W. R. Stubbs has closed a deal for the cattle and 30 section ranch of W. E. Hicks, in the west part of Deaf Smith County. This makes the second big ranch for Mr. Stubbs in that county, and he and his family have arranged to spend much of their time there in the future. Mr. Stubbs lives in Kansas of which state he was governor a few years ago.

G. W. Basinger has moved from Oklahoma to Southland and has opened the City Garage in our neighboring town. Mr. Basinger will do general garage repair work and carry a line of automobile supplies and accessories. He will have in stock a full line of Ford supplies. The Slatonite office printed a nice invoice of stationery this week for Mr. Basinger's new garage.

The Lubbock County Teachers' Institute is held at Lubbock from Sept. 4th to Sept. 8th, inclusive, at the public school auditorium. A very interesting and instructive program has been prepared, and all teachers are urged to be present. Judge E. R. Haynes will be glad to supply programs to all who may desire them.

The Austrian steamship Campana that has been interned at Galveston for two years, was towed to Houston last week to remain in fresh water until the war is over. Now watch Houston perk up as a seaport.

NEW DRY GOODS STILL COMING

Every day we are receiving new shipments of Fall Merchandise. Today we received 27 dozen pairs of Ladies' Shoes. We must say that this is the most complete line of ladies' shoes ever handled in this part of the country. These shoes are the famous "Queen Quality" brand. Come and look them over. Many other new goods have arrived, but are too numerous to mention. Just pay us a visit and see for yourself.

Watch Our Show Windows for New Arrivals

BOTH PHONES 100

DRY GOODS CLOTHING
ROBERTSON'S
 BOOTS SHOES
 YOUR HEADQUARTERS
 SLATON AND SOUTHLAND

Survey Completed Into Brownfield

Chief Engineer C. W. F. Feltz, head man of the engineering and locating department of the Santa Fe, came in Wednesday afternoon and went over proposed routes through the town, though it was pouring down rain most of the time. A route was agreed upon and the big surveying crew left for Lubbock yesterday as their work is now finished.

In conversation with Mr. M. V. Brownfield, head of the local railroad committee, he said: "The railroad people have decided to take the last route they run, or the one entering town from my 250-acre tract, where the switch yards will be, through the extreme northwest corner of the Welch ten-acre tract, on between the residences of D. J. Broughton and R. R. Lewis, between the McDaniel and Williams blocks, thence straight on through town and crossing the draw just west of J. T. May, thence on to the southwest corner of the town section, where the survey takes a direct course southwest."

"Mr. Feltz was well pleased, and asked us to hustle the deed-ing of right-of-way, as they want to begin grading at the earliest possible moment."

The company has not decided on the exact location of the depot yet.—Brownfield Herald.

S. J. Wilkins returned Sunday from the harvest fields on the North Plains.

The Nation Going Dry

The cause of prohibition is gaining much more rapidly than we realize. More than 80 per cent of the area of the United States is no-license territory, and more than sixty millions, or 65 per cent of the population, live under prohibitory laws. The United States prohibits the liquor traffic among Indians, in portions of the territories, in military forts, and reservations, in the Navy, in the National Capitol, in soldiers' homes and in other specified areas under Federal control.

There are now nineteen states that have enacted prohibition laws. They are Maine, Kansas, Oklahoma, North Dakota, North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Tennessee, Alabama, West Virginia, Virginia, Washington, Oregon, Colorado, Arizona, Iowa, Arkansas, Idaho, South Carolina.

There are large parts of other states that are without saloons under local option laws.

In November South Dakota, Nebraska, California, Montana, Michigan, Missouri, Idaho, and Alaska will vote on prohibition.

The First Baptist Church of Slaton held a conference Saturday and called the Rev. S. B. Culpepper to the pastorate. He is to live in Slaton and give one-half his time to the church in this city. He will probably preach once a month at the churches in Southland, Grassland and Wilson.



Do you ever stop to ponder
 What the Picture Show has done;
 How it's changed the thot of a nation—
 How popular it has become?
 Do you know that the Movies are engaging
 The beat of stars in the Dramatic Art,
 And in the best society circles
 Has become a well established part?

It has given us an inside picture
 Of the home-life of far-off climes;
 Instructive, humorous, dramatic, pathetic,
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Hotel Aberdeen, New York City, August 11th
To the People of the South Plains:

I am finding the Eastern markets bustling with delightful values in merchandise for Fall and Winter 1916. I am going to remain here a little longer than usual and will buy right so I can sell right. I will be home about Sept. 1st with a line that has never before been opened on the South Plains.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Keep your milk and butter nice and cool with one of our Iceless Refrigerators. Morgan & Petty.

S. I. Johnson has been culling out steers from the O-Six Ranch this week to ship to Kansas City. He will ship about 100 head.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Minor returned home Thursday last week from their month's honeymoon spent in Colorado. They will go to housekeeping in Slaton.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Brown on Wednesday, August 9th.

The Slaton boys played ball at Post Sunday, winning the game by a comfortable margin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Liggett returned home Thursday last week from a month's vacation spent in the north.

We want to figure your bills for lumber and we will be glad to help you with your plans of a building.—A. C. Houston Lumber Company.

W. R. Wilson of Whitewright, is in Slaton this week looking after his farm, the Branham section just south of town.

Mrs. A. L. Robertson and her daughter, Muff, returned home Saturday from a visit of several days with Mrs. Robertson's sister in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sewell and their little son of Abilene are visiting Mrs. Sewell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Robertson, at the V Ranch for a few days.

F. W. Miller and his family of Ballinger, Texas, were in Slaton Tuesday looking after his property interests. Mr. Miller recently purchased the Darnell and the Page farms north of Slaton. Both farms are nicely improved places.

Mrs. M. E. Richards has returned from a visit at her son's home in Stanton, Texas. She was accompanied to Slaton by Mrs. J. W. Richards and her daughter, Johnnybess, who will spend a few days at the Johnny Robertson home. Mrs. J. L. Snyder, sister of Mrs. M. E. Richards, of Walnut Springs, is also visiting her for a few days.

Tahoka Mill and Elevator Destroyed by Fire Last Friday

This morning, Friday, about 4:15 the alarm was turned in that the Tahoka Mill and Elevator was on fire. At the time the fire was discovered the building was a roaring furnace and beyond the fire-fighting facilities at the city's disposal.

W. G. Tarrence of the Texas Oil Company, was early on the scene to look after the storage tank of the company located about one hundred feet south of where the mill stood, and into which he had pumped a car of gas the evening before. There was nothing to be done to the tank, which is fitted with every possible safety appliance, but he remembered nine barrels he had filled and left in the pump room, one of which was leaking. With the help of a few volunteers he forced the door and rolled the barrels away.

A slight wind from the southeast carried the flames away from surrounding structures. A wind from any other direction would have menaced all of east

Tahoka.

The plant and building, a three story structure of wood and iron, was valued at \$10,000, was a total loss, about one-half covered by insurance. The bins of the mill contained about 800 bushels of wheat, part of which they were

able to save this morning; the bins being of concrete the fire had not penetrated very far. Between 250 and 300 sacks of flour stored in the mill room were consumed.

When and how the fire originated is unknown. It must have

broken out about 4 o'clock and appeared to have caught on the top floor as that one fell in first.

Messrs. Gibson and Coker, owners, stated that they would probably rebuild if it is possible to finance the proposition.—Tahoka News.

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SLATON LOCATION

SLATON is in the southeast corner of Lubbock County, in the center of the South Plains of central west Texas. Is on the new main Trans-Continental Line of the Santa Fe. Connects with North Texas Lines of that system at Canyon, Texas; with South Texas lines of the Santa Fe at Coleman, Texas; and with New Mexico and Pacific lines of the same system at Texico, N. M. SLATON is the junction of the Lamesa road, Santa Fe System.

Advantages and Improvements

The Railway Company has Division Terminal Facilities at this point, constructed mostly of reinforced concrete material and including a Round House, a Power House, Machine and Blacksmith Shops, Coal Chute, a Sand House, Water Plant, Ice House, etc. Also have a Fred Harvey Eating House, and a Reading Room for Santa Fe employees. Have extensive yard tracks for handling a heavy trans-continental business, both freight and passenger, between the Gulf and Atlantic Coast and the Pacific Coast territories, and on branch lines to Tahoka, Lamesa and other towns.

BUSINESS SECTION AND RESIDENCES BUILT

3000 feet of business streets are graded and macadamized and several residence streets are graded; there are 26 business buildings of brick and reinforced concrete, with others to follow; 200 residences under construction and completed.

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90 ACRE CROP of maize and cotton for sale.—J. T. Farns worth.

FOR SALE—16 pigs, \$2 to \$4 each, at Clarence Olive house in South Slaton.—M. A. Pember.

ROW BINDER for sale. Recently overhauled and guaranteed in good running condition.—B. O. Bailey.

FOR SALE.—Two room house and three lots, all fenced. For sale at a low price. Inquire at Slatonite office.

FOUND, a ring on the streets of Slaton. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this notice.

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FOR SALE.—A scholarship in the Tyler Commercial College. We can save you money on a business course.—Slatonite office.

WANTED, to hear from those who have hay, straw, oats, or sorghum cane to bale. See me, six miles south of town, or address, Sam Hoffman, Box 541, Slaton.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Ad day is Tuesday. Iceless Refrigerators—we manufacture them. Morgan & Petty.

S. C. Marrs went to the Fort Worth market this week with a car of hogs.

Briggs Robertson went to the eastern markets this week to purchase goods for his Slaton and Southland stores.

NOTICE.—I will be in Slaton to begin my class in Expression Sept. 4, 1916.—Mrs. Walker McMullan.

Dave Stokes says he is ready to harvest his maize crop, as the grain is now ripe. He will secure at least a ton of grain to the acre.

A. E. Seigner and Wm. Buchanan of Portales, N. M., were in Slaton the first of the week on a prospecting trip, seeking a business location.

MUSIC CLASS conducted by Mrs. J. P. Reynolds. Two lessons weekly. Tuition \$4 per month. Call at second house in Chandler row.

A. Kessel returned from Birmingham, Ala., the first of the week to be again associated with his brother-in-law, M. Olim, in the mercantile business. He was accompanied by his wife, and by his small son, Julian, and he says that he came to stay this time. Mr. Kessel was with the Grand Leader for a few weeks last fall, but went back to Alabama.

On Thursday afternoon, Aug. 17, Mrs. J. P. Robertson gave a reception in honor of her house guests, Mrs. J. L. Snyder and Mrs. J. W. Richards. In the receiving line were Mrs. Robertson's mother, Mrs. Richards, and Mesdames J. L. Snyder, A. B. Robertson, W. H. Sewell and J. W. Richards. The guests were escorted to the dining room by Mrs. Brannon where delicious punch was served by Mrs. A. L. Robertson.

F. W. Denham of Seminole was in Slaton for a day or two last week calling on his father-in-law, W. S. Adams, and transacting business. Mr. Denham reports that Seminole is coming to the front rapidly since the proposed railroad from Midland has begun to look like a live proposition. He recently sold his ranch in the southwest corner of Gaines County and is now giving his attention to the real estate business at Seminole.

Slaton grows every day.

S. C. Marrs will start to work Monday on a nice residence in South Slaton for Joe McDonald. The house will be located just south of Louis W. Smith's property. The McDonald boys and their sister will occupy the residence.

500 BUSHELS TURKEY RED seed wheat for sale. Raised on the A. B. Robertson ranch near Slaton and made over 20 bushels per acre and tested high, with the dry summer this year. The most profitable crop is 1916. Buy your seed now. Supply is limited.—Slaton Grain and Coal Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Porterfield returned home the first of the week from a trip to the western edge of the Plains. They experienced considerable trouble in getting home on account of the muddy roads. The recent rains amounted to down-pours along the state line, the rainfall registering from seven to ten inches in some places.

Reports come to Slaton this week of a fire at Brownfield last Friday that burned a store building and a stock of general merchandise, and caused the death of a girl twelve years age. The report goes that the fire was started by a small boy and some gasoline, and the girl's clothes caught before she could get out of the building and burned her so severely that she died.

On Saturday evening, August 19th, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brannon opened the doors of their hospitable home to a number of their friends, in honor of Mrs. J. L. Snyder of Walnut Springs, and Mrs. J. W. Richards of Stanton, who are the guests at the J. P. Robertson home. Owing to the inclement weather several of the invited guests were unable to be present. Those fortunate enough to attend, on arrival were invited to the dining room and served delicious punch, after which they were entertained for a short while with the unique game of "Progressive Peanuts." This furnished much merriment for the guests. Several games of forty two and five hundred were then enjoyed. At a late hour the guests were served to cream and angel food cake, and departed for their homes, one and all thanking Mr. and Mrs. Brannon for a most enjoyable evening.

Woman's Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the Methodist Church Monday evening at 4 o'clock in a Bible Study. The lesson is in the book of Romans, and the following are some of the questions that will be asked:—Did Paul establish a church at Rome? How was Jesus declared to be the son of God? Of what was Paul not ashamed? With whom is there no respect of persons? What advantage had the Jew over the Gentile? Who was called the father of many nations. By what are we justified? What warfare is described in the seventh chapter of Romans? For whom is there no condemnation? Recite Romans 8:38-39. What doctrine is taught by the potter and the clay? Who are represented by the wild olive tree? To whom does vengeance belong? What is the fulfilling of the law? Who laid down their necks for Paul?

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A prominent eastern railroad has placed nearly 5,000 posters in passenger and freight depots throughout its system, asking the public for criticism and advice, so that patrons of the road may get what they desire in the way of service.

Printed in red and black, the posters are attracting wide attention among travelers.

"Why does the railroad ask you to do this?" the poster asks. "Because it needs your confidence; it asks your co-operation; it asks for your friendship. To serve you properly without this is an impossibility. You will help the railroad to serve you if you will give serious thought to the solution of its problems which concern you directly."

It is said that this is the first time that a railroad has ever appealed to the public in this way for suggestions and criticisms. The poster reads as follows:

What Causes Lack of Confidence in Railroads?

What is your opinion? The management of this railroad wants to get at the causes wherever they exist, and remove them. The starting point is to get people who

do lack confidence in this railroad to say so and to tell why.

Why does the railroad system ask you this?

Because

It needs your confidence.

It wants your co-operation.

It asks for your friendship.

To serve you properly without these is almost an impossibility.

You will help this railroad to serve you if you will give serious thought to the solution of its problems which concern you directly.

When you think of something this railroad can do to improve its service and make people think better of it, tell the management about it.

If you can tell this railroad ways to make people understand it better, please give the management the benefit of your advice.

Another division of the system has even gone further. It has appointed a special committee to meet the first and third Wednesdays of each month the patrons who have suggestions or criticisms to make.

Improved Type of Cars.

Cars of a new type, with a capacity of 70 tons, are being placed in service by the Pennsylvania for hauling pipe of the National Tube company, 770,000 pounds having recently been shipped on these for export, consigned to the United States Steel Products company for the Oil Well Supply company.

Would Change Fiscal Year.

Most of the American railways, according to a recent investigation, are in favor of changing the fiscal year from June 30 to December 31. Among 200 roads, operating 271,857 miles of railway, only 17 per cent, it is stated, voted to maintain the present arrangement.

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Entered as second class mail matter at the post office at Slaton, Texas, on Sept. 15, 1911, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Indications are promising for an early adjustment of the impending strike situation.

It's an ill wind that blows nobody good. The storm that brot the rain last week was undoubtedly the fag end of the coast storm that damaged property in the low country.

Reports from all over the Slaton country are to the effect that crops are generally good, and that the harvest season will be a busy one this fall. There will be lots of cotton gathered here.

The railway company at this place has a large force of men at work on the track; something like three hundred Mexicans are in the gang. They have been putting in a new switch here in the yards for the benefit of the new elevator that is being built and will be ready for use in a very short time.—Lockney Beacon.

The mesquite bean crop is heavy this year, and the stock on the ranches that are heavily covered with mesquite are enjoying good range. The mesquite bushes do not bear beans every year to any extent, but when they do put on fruit there is usually a heavy crop. Mesquite beans make exceptionally good stock food, and the range stock will get fat on them as rapidly as if they were being fed corn and oats. A range horse fattened on mesquite beans is as hard and can do as much work as a horse fed on corn.

Two men were tried in Justice Gaither's Court Tuesday on a charge of vagrancy and fined \$32 each. Following the trial they took the pauper's oath and are laying the fine out in jail. They were arrested Thursday night of last week and had twenty-three pints of whiskey in suit cases when apprehended. In the progress of the trial, records were produced to show that they had received several pint shipments at Lubbock during carnival week there. They received one 24-pint shipment at the local express office. The men are from Texico to this section, they said. This is the first case of a vagrancy charge to be tried in this county during the eight years of Mr. Goen's tenure of office as sheriff.—Floydada Hesperian.

Republicans Have Hopes

The new Republican party appears to have considerable hopes of success in the November election, despite the hammering that Hughes is getting from the Democratic press, and the difficulty he has in keeping the Progressives from becoming belligerent. Chairman Wilcox of the Republican National Committee put a silver lining to the dark political horizon last week by stating that the Republicans have reasonably sure prospects of capturing a United States senatorial vote in each of eight states and a fighting chance in four other states.

"The states counted as sure," he said, "are Maine, New Jersey, New York, West Virginia, Indiana, Montana, Nevada and Ohio.

"We have good chances in Maryland, Nebraska, Missouri, and Arizona.

"Gaining eight from the practically sure states, the Republicans need only one from the other four states to secure a majority in the senate."

And Lawyer Learned Lesson Which He Insalets He Will Always Keep in Memory.

A railroad lawyer, who has much to do with human nature, says: "Never cross-question an Irishman from the old sod." And he gave an illustration from his own experience:

A section hand had been killed by an express train and his widow was suing for damages. The main witness swore positively that the locomotive whistle had not been sounded until after the whole train had passed over his departed friend.

"See here, McGinnis," said I, "you admit that the whistle blew?"

"Yis, sor, it blew, sor."

"Now, if that whistle sounded in time to give Michael warning, the fact would be in favor of the company, wouldn't it?"

"Yis, sor, and Mike would be testifying here this day." The jury giggled.

"Very well. Now, what earthly purpose could there be for the engineer to blow his whistle after Mike had been struck?"

"I presume that the whistle wor for the next man on the track, sor."

I quit, and the widow got all she asked.

Powerful Electric Locomotives.

Electric locomotives have been built for a German railroad having heavy grades that draw loads of 230 tons at a speed of 42 miles an hour.

Chas. Wild Returns With Bride

Mr. Chas. Wild returned home last week with a young lady whom he has been introducing as Mrs. Chas. Wild. The Slatonite has no further particulars other than that Charles was married at Austin recently to an old sweetheart, who is a very accomplished young lady of that section. They will make their home at Mr. Wild's place just west of Slaton, where he has been farming for five years.

Mr. Wild is a progressive, energetic and prosperous farmer and a splendid fellow, and his many friends here join the Slatonite in extending congratulations and in giving a hearty welcome and very best wishes to his bride.

Evangelist Shearer Conducting Revival at M. E. Tabernacle

The revival meetings at the Methodist Church are getting organized for effective work, and the increasing attendance from night to night denotes an awakening interest in the gospel messages. A commodious tabernacle has been erected on the north side of the church building, and there is room for all. Evangelist Geo. W. Shearer is preaching some stirring revival sermons. He is a minister of recognized ability and every attendant will receive much good from hearing him.

The singing is under the direction of Mr. Wiley Fort who is an enthusiastic and able choir leader, and is a soloist with a voice of rare quality. All singers are given an urgent invitation to assist the choir in these services.

All Christian people are urged to lend every assistance in making this meeting a means of uplifting the religious standard of the community, and in bringing souls to the Master's throne.

Notice to Fishing Parties

Anybody fishing in the creek in my pastures north of Slaton must obey the game laws and catch fish with hook and line only. This rule must not be violated. Stay out of the water. S. I. Johnson.

G. N. Wood of Clarendon, Texas, has rented Mrs. M. A. Foreman's place in South Slaton for a year and will have possession of the property at once. Mrs. Foreman is moving to Guyman, Oklahoma, to spend the winter with a son there.

TRAIN HAS GREAT RECORD

"Empire State" Has Covered a Distance Equal to Fourteen Round Trips to Moon.

The Famous Empire State Express of the New York Central, the first regular long-distance train in America to run at more than fifty miles an hour, including stops, has begun its twenty-fifth year. It has covered a distance of 6,518,600 miles, equal to fourteen round trips to the moon, and has carried approximately eight million passengers safely to their destination.

The record during these 24 years has been a remarkable one. Not one of its passengers has been fatally injured. One of its engineers for sixteen years was Dennis J. Cassin, who last year was awarded the Harriman bronze medal in recognition of his unblemished record of safety.

When the Empire State express was first placed in service it weighed only 230 tons; now it weighs 780 tons. It was drawn by engines of the "870" class, and later by the famous "999," the locomotive that took the prize at the Chicago world's fair. Nowadays that locomotive looks like a toy in comparison with the giant Pacific type and it could hardly start the train, much less haul it on its fast schedule.—Railway Age Gazette.

Alaska Railroad Progresses.

Thomas Riggs, Jr., a member of the Alaskan railway commission, recently arrived in Seattle, Wash., where he stated that, if congress appropriates \$9,000,000 annually for three years, the line from tidewater, at Seward, to Fairbanks, can be completed in that time. Mr. Riggs says the surveys are completed and eight miles of road-bed have been graded, and track will be laid within the next thirty days.

"There is very little hard rock work along the whole route," says Mr. Riggs. "The maximum grade is but one per cent. Fairbanks needs this road to get at the coal in the Nenana fields. The main deposit extends over a district 20 miles long and 15 miles wide. I saw veins 40 feet thick. Mining near Fairbanks should see great development as soon as this coal can be laid down ready for the operators."

Shutting Out the Light.

There are penitentiaries in some of our states which prevent prisoners from writing to their friends more than one letter a week—in some penitentiaries the rules may be even stricter. There is no limit to the number of letters a prisoner is allowed to receive, but they must be confined strictly to "business and family matters." No newspapers or periodicals are allowed to be received unless sent direct from publishers. It may be good policy to put some men behind bars and shut out physical light from them, but how the state can benefit by shutting out light from the minds of these prisoners we do not pretend to know. Perhaps some penitentiary warden can tell us. Here is a real subject for prison reformers.—Collier's.

Samples for Grading Resin.

In connection with the naval stores investigations carried out by the United States bureau of chemistry, durable, accurate and practical type samples for grading resin at the still have been made of colored glass, and sets of these samples have been deposited with various trade bodies. Hereafter they will be sold at cost to anybody desiring them. These samples have been adopted as official by all organizations having control of naval stores in this country, and also recognized by law in the state of Florida.—Scientific American.

Bridges Expand in Summer.

Bridges expand or get larger in summer, and shrink in the shade or at night or in the winter. The rule is that heat makes everything expand and cold makes everything shrink. Cold is nothing but absence of heat. So we may say that everything contracts or expands according to the amount of heat in it. Metals have a most noticeable way of changing their size under the influence of heat. So when bridges are built of iron and steel the engineer has to allow for the change in the bridge's length. After he reckons on the amount of expansion he builds the bridge so that it has room to grow a little longer in the summer.

Tries Woman in Her Cell.

"I look a sight. No, I will not appear in court in this condition. The judge will have to come down here if he wants to see me."

That was the dictum of Pauline Miller, a prisoner in police headquarters on the charge of intoxication.

So Chief Justice W. H. McGannon, Prosecutor George Folk and the court clerks made their way to Pauline's cell, where the judge heard the case.

"I'll give you costs and 30 days at the workhouse to straighten you up," said the judge.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Well Advertised.

"Mary had a little lamb," began the poet.

"I once knew a woman who owned 20,000 head of live stock," interposed the other fellow. "And yet the great cattle queen never got half the advertising that Mary received through the ownership of one lamb."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Will Cost Much Money.

Six per cent of the line of a railroad being built in Switzerland will be over bridges and 13.5 per cent through tunnels.



Business Man's Message

The printed announcement in the newspaper is the merchant's personal message to the readers. He tells them what bargains he has to offer. He keeps them informed as to the arrival of new goods. He shows them the way to obtain quality at a saving in price.

Careful, economical buyers watch the advertisements in this newspaper and save money on their purchases. Are you one of them? Or do you buy haphazardly, merely to accommodate some one else—to help some one profit by your thoughtlessness?

Look over the advertisements in this issue and see what bargains are offered today.

GOODRICH BLACK "BAREFOOT" TIRES

Are the finished product of 47 years of experience in Rubber Working. Their popularity is best attested by their sales record for 1915. The B. F. Goodrich Company made 3,000,000 tires in 1915, and the tremendous production allows them to make the BEST Fabric Tires that skill, experience and good faith can build. This heavy production enables the company to sell this ultra quality tire at a moderate price.

We have these popular "Barefoot" Tires and can supply you any of the regular sizes.

Call on our stock whenever you need any supplies or accessories. When your car needs repairing we will put it in good running condition and guarantee our work.

Slaton Garage

PHONE No. 73

Lee Green and Son. A. K. Green, Manager

Comfortable Summer Clothing

It's time to finish your Summer Outfit, We'd like a chance to add to your comfort during this warm weather.

The New Light Weight Hot Weather Fabrics, the Tropical Open Weaves

Either in plain or fancy colorings and patterns are particularly desirable.

Seekers After the Best Can Always Find It Here; The Price Is Not Considered

We want to sell them while there is still a whole season in which to use them.

Chris Harwell & Gents Furnisher Lubbock, Texas

We Will Make Right That Which is Not Right

SLATON PLANING MILL

R. H. TUDOR, Proprietor

Contracting and Building

Estimates furnished on short notice. All work given careful and prompt attention. Give us a trial.

North Side of the Square

Slatonite Advertisers are Responsible

Read their messages and govern yourself accordingly when making purchase. Mention seeing the ad in this paper.

Prices on Fresh Meats

The following prices on fresh meats are now in effect at our market

Loin Steak	22 1-2c	Fore Shoulder Round	18c
T Bone	22 1-2c	Pork Chops	20c
Round	22 1-2c	Pork Shoulder	18c
Prime Rib	22 1-2	Pork Hams	20c
No. 7 Steak	18c	Creamery Butter	40c

Beginning Monday, August 28, we will put on a delivery wagon and deliver your orders promptly at any hour during the day.

Our Motto: "Satisfied Customers"

City Market Hudgens & Posey, Props.

L I S T E N !

The business belongs to the man who goes after it and takes proper care of his trade. The rewards are measured by the desire and the ability to do the thing and do it right. This has proven the basis of our success.

Slaton Lumber Company

NOTICE:

I have bought the Slaton Insurance Company from Mr. G. H. Jones and am prepared to write your insurance at lowest rates when you want insurance come to see me

J. H. BREWER, Agent

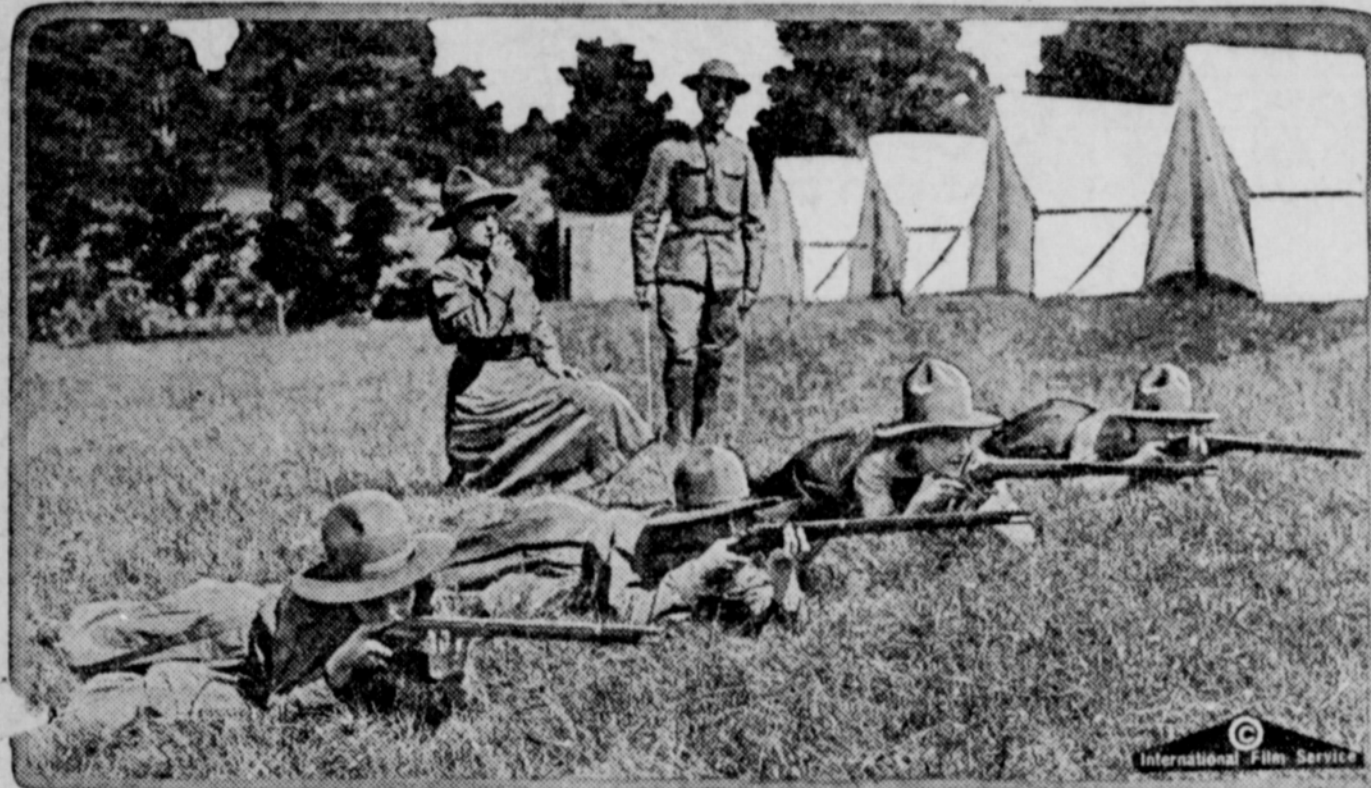
At First State Bank

NEW YORK FIGHTING INFANTILE PARALYSIS



All the health forces of New York are mobilized and in action against the epidemic of infantile paralysis that is killing so many of the city's children. The photograph shows a scene at one of the railway stations where mothers and their children are taking trains for places where the scourge is not prevalent. At the right is Dr. Havens Emerson, commissioner of health of the city, at his desk.

GIRLS IN A MILITARY ENCAMPMENT



An "international women's military encampment" is being held at Monticello, N. Y., and a large number of girls are taking advantage of the opportunity to obtain real military training. The photograph shows Sergt. Mrs. Margaret De Lisle and Capt. F. Strauss directing a squad of rookies at volley target practice.

REFUGEES FROM MEXICO ARRIVE AT GALVESTON



Notwithstanding the collapse of the war scare, refugees from Mexico are daily arriving in the United States. The photograph shows a crowd of them on shipboard at Galveston.

MASCOT OF AERO SQUADRON



The First Aero squadron, New York National Guard, has been mustered into the federal service by Major Hartman, U. S. A. The photograph shows Miss Phyllis Hartman, the major's daughter, ready to take a ride in one of the new planes of the squadron.

CATCHING MAN-EATING SHARKS



Along the New Jersey coast fishing for sharks has become the fad because of the depredations of the ferocious fish, resulting in several deaths.

STOP CALOMEL! TAKE DODSON'S LIVER TONE

New Discovery! Takes Place of Dangerous Calomel—It Puts Your Liver To Work Without Making You Sick—Eat Anything—It Can Not Salivate—Don't Lose a Day's Work!

I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to try a bottle and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness, coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from

a day's work. I want to see a bottle of this wonderful liver medicine in every home here.

Calomel is poison—it's mercury—it attacks the bones, often causing rheumatism. Calomel is dangerous. It sickens—while my Dodson's Liver Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat anything afterwards, because it can not salivate. Give it to the children because it doesn't upset the stomach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful tonight and wake up feeling fine and ready for a full day's work.

Get a bottle! Try it! If it doesn't do exactly what I say, tell your dealer to hand your money back. Every druggist and store keeper here knows me and knows of my wonderful discovery of a vegetable medicine that takes the place of dangerous calomel.—Adv.

Kisses on the Sly.
"We Plunkville girls agreed that men who drink shall have none of our kisses."
"How is it working?"
"We suspect that some of the girls are acting as osculatory bootleggers, so to speak."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Disagreeable and Dangerous Trouble is Diarrhoea, but a speedy and certain cure is found in Mississippi Diarrhoea Cordial. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

Expensive.
"Your son graduated from college this year, did he not?"
"He did. I've got him in the office with me now."
"That's a good idea."
"I don't know about that. I've had to hire two extra office boys to keep him supplied with cigarettes."

IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—it's the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

In the Confusion.
"There was considerable confusion in the cafe last night when the lights went out. Didn't I see you at a table?"
"Yes, I was there."
"Some fellows got kisses in the darkness."
"I got a check for six dollars. Somebody switched checks on me. My own was for two."

To Fortify the System Against Summer Heat
Many users of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic make it a practice to take this old standard remedy regularly to fortify the system against the depressing effect of summer heat, as those who are strong withstand the heat of summer better than those who are weak. Price 50c.

Worth Preserving.
"A citizen chased a pickpocket nine blocks yesterday and caught him."
"My! The pickpocket must have taken something valuable from the citizen."
"Yes. His wallet held only two one-dollar bills in currency, but it also contained some snapshots of fish the citizen caught this summer."

Private Quarrels.
Both chef and waiter were Irish and excitable. The waiter rushed back into the kitchen, red with rage.
"You've done it, now!" he said.
"There is a customer kicking about the potatoes. He says they're no good. They're all got black eyes."
"Black eyes?" said the cook. "Sure an' if they have it's no fault of mine. The bastards must have been fightin' after I put 'em in the pot!"

Aduro Fly-Bane for Flies, Warbles, Mosquitoes, Gnats, Lice, Ticks and Vermin on Stock of all kinds. Increase the Milk—try it.—Adv.

Compulsory.
Rear Admiral Peary, at a Washington tea, talked about his recent Long Beach flying trip, when he fell 1,200 feet into the water without knowing it.
"I wasn't frightened," he said. "I thought that our swift descent was a piece of fancy flying. I am, in fact, as ignorant of aviation as the little boy was ignorant of history."
"Describe the Order of the Bath," his teacher asked this little boy.
"It's very ancient," he answered.
"It goes back to the time when they didn't take no baths except by order."

PREPAREDNESS.
Prepare for next washday by taking home Red Cross Ball Blue. Ask any good grocer. Red Cross Ball Blue imparts a clear white; makes you smile when you see the basket of beautiful, snowy white clothes. Red Cross, the blue that's true blue.—Adv.

There are 100 varieties of oyster.

She Took Stella-Vitæ and Gained 28 Pounds

Mrs. Mattie Spain, of Marlo, Okla., one of the vast number of women who have been saved by Stella-Vitæ, says in praising this wonderful remedy: "When I began using Stella-Vitæ I weighed but 52 pounds, and could hardly sit up to be weighed. Now I can work all day, feel better than I have in nine years, and have gained 28 pounds." Stella-Vitæ is a godsend to suffering womanhood. It gives strength and health to the female organs, acts as a tonic on the nerves, restores vigor and brings the bloom of health to cheeks that are faded and pale. It is guaranteed. All dealers in bottles.

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WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

Sold for 47 years. For Malaria, Chills & Fever. Also a Fine General Strengthening Tonic. 50c and \$1.00 at all Drug Stores.

What's on His Mind?
A man on an Evansville car carried a cage containing a pigeon and canary bird.
"Huh, well mated," remarked one of the passengers.
"About as well as some married people I know," rejoined the owner.—Indianapolis News.

BABIES AND GROWING CHILDREN need a tonic to tone up the system and regulate the liver. Mothers are constantly using with wonderful success, our "Plantation" Chill and Fever Tonic. Pleasant to take—contains no Calomel. Price 50c.—Adv.

Truth.
"What is your idea in trying to sell your car?"
"That's the only way I can raise enough money to buy gasoline."
"But the gasoline won't be of any use to you after you've sold your car."
"Oh, yes, it will. My friends will always be willing to let me ride in their cars if I furnish the gas."

A HINT TO WISE WOMEN.
Don't suffer torture when all female troubles will vanish in this air after using "Femenua." Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Pa's Opinion.
"Pa," asked little Sammy Twobble, "what is a misnomer?"
"My son," answered Mr. Twobble, whose idea of having a good time is to take a nap in an easy chair close to an electric fan, "I should say the average pleasure resort is a misnomer."
"How little men understand women!"
"Nonsense! I don't believe they understand them any better than big men do."

BEST COLOR FOR LAMP SHADE

Excellent Reason Why Rose Shade Never Seems to Lose Its Popularity.
Green may be a good color for the eyes.
Violet may be an esthetic color.
Yellow may be a cheerful color.
But rose color is the most becoming color for a lampshade.
Fortunately, most people realize this fact. At hotels and restaurants and in private houses where the decorations are planned to emphasize the best in the persons who live among them, rose colored lampshades are much in evidence.
Lampshades always ought to be planned with a view to the light they cast. That is why the rose-colored shade is the most becoming. For any woman knows that her color glows more under a rose light than under any other, that wrinkles are minimized that skin is softened and that every vestige of prettiness she possesses is emphasized by this soft color.

Dresses for Fall.
There is a great diversity in the dress styles now shown, the Dry Goods Economist says. In the Louis XV styles, which have adoption in the higher class dresses, there is a tightening of the bodice and an increase in the fullness in the skirt. In sharp contrast to this fashion are the Russian blouse dresses and those which are cut on straight lines with an elongated waistline. Draperies and trims appear in a wide range of effects. Some of the smartest draperies are of bouffant character. A few princess gowns are shown, many having broken lines over the hips.

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Film packs, any size, 10c; Prints up to and including 8x10, 5c; 8x10 and 8x12, 4c; 8x12 and 8x14, 3c. Let our film experts give you better results. Best Kodak Kodaks, Films, and all Kodak Supplies sent anywhere, prepaid. Send us your next roll and let us convince you we are doing better Kodak finishing. Send for catalog.
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