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Finish Work on Slaton Telephone Office Structure

Construction has been completed on the new office building which is to house the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's modern system for Slaton, according to official statement made here this week. The structure is 33 ft. by 47 ft., and is built of brick. It is considered practically fireproof.

The new building is located adjacent to the old frame structure on West Garza street, just one-half of one block from the public square. The frame building is to be removed when equipment has been transferred to the new building later on, it is stated.

Every provision for modern convenience, comfort and efficiency has been provided in the erection of the building. In it will be housed a new flashlight system switchboard, and other new equipment features which will bring the Slaton telephone plant up to the highest standards of modernization, it is said by company officials.

New cables, some of them underground, will be laid during the next few months, and new telephones will replace all the old ones now being used by subscribers. It is expected that the improved service through the new system will be available by December of this year, at least before January 1, unless unseen hindrances occur in the work. Total cost of the improvements will reach about \$77,000.00, it has been announced.

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J. S. McDonald and family left Wednesday on their vacation and will be away from Slaton for several weeks. Joe McDonald will fill J. S.'s place at the depot during the latter's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Whitehead, of Granbury, Texas, are visiting in the home of their son, A. E. Whitehead.

H. D. Talley sold his five-acre tract near the Catholic church this week to D. J. Chavers, consideration \$80.00 per acre.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Makey, who live eight miles northwest of Slaton, last Friday.

Thos. Payton has been up from Austin for several days looking after his farm which J. W. Wallace has this year. He is thinking of moving to the farm next year.

E. N. PICKENS IS FIGGLY WIGGLY MANAGER

E. N. Pickens, well known here, has been named as manager for the local Figgly Wiggly store, succeeding Fred Ham, recently resigned. Mr. Pickens has been with this institution since its opening, May 21, this year.

RETURN FROM MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kessel and son, Julian, returned Friday night from Dallas, where they spent several days in the markets. Mr. and Mrs. Kessel state that, anticipating increased demands for fall and winter merchandise, they bought the largest stock that has ever been purchased for their store here for any one season. Large amounts of the new goods purchased have already begun to arrive and are being placed on display, it is stated.

The Judge's Joke

IT'S TERRIBLE. THE MAKE-UP GIRLS ARE USING THESE DAYS. CERTAINLY LEAVES A BAD TASTE IN ONE'S MOUTH

City Officials Enforce Traffic Rules in Slaton

Following the recent installation of "stop" block signals at various points on the streets in Slaton's business district, officers have been enforcing the traffic ordinances here during the past several days and as a result thereof several have had fines assessed against them.

Before the enforcement measures were instituted, according to Mayor S. F. King, investigation of the laws covering the situation revealed that, since Slaton in this instance is working under general statutes of Texas and not under a specific charter provision, the minimum penalty for traffic violations would of necessity be fixed at \$12.70 for each separate offense. This amount, says the mayor, was considered excessive, but there appeared to be no way of lowering the fine without breaking the legality of the enforcement.

Not being thoroughly satisfied, however, with the policy of assessing so heavy a penalty against violators of traffic rules, investigations were continued and it was found later that, under more recent state laws, it was possible to fix the penalty as low as \$6.70 for each traffic violation. And this change was adopted, states Mr. King, as soon as it was determined that it could be lawfully done. Those who had paid fines were reimbursed in the amount of the \$6.00 difference, it is announced, and hereafter the penalty for violations will be \$6.70 instead of \$12.70. This, however, applies only to traffic violations, according to Mayor King.

It has been the desire of the City Commission, says Mr. King, to make the penalty as low as possible under the law and at the same time do justice to the public in protecting them against traffic dangers. It is not the desire, he adds, to cause injustice to anybody, but rather that justice shall be dealt out to all. The enforcement of traffic regulations in Slaton is now practiced, the mayor points out, is being done in an effort to protect the people from danger and even, perhaps, save lives that might otherwise be sacrificed by careless motorists driving recklessly through the streets. Mayor King states that it is the hope of the City Commission that the people will cheerfully conform to the traffic rules and that violations may quickly be reduced to the smallest possible minimum.

KILLIAN RETURNS FROM ST. LOUIS MARKETS

Oscar Killian, manager for the Slaton Jones dry goods store, returned last Saturday from St. Louis, where he was in the markets for several days, buying fall and winter merchandise. Mr. Killian was accompanied on the trip by managers of several other Jones dry goods stores of West Texas.

RETURN AFTER CAMPING TRIP

J. S. Tekell, assistant cashier of the Slaton State Bank, and Harvey Austin, city secretary, returned last Thursday from a 15 days' trip through New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming. They made the trip overland, camping out each night, but one, they say, and report very pleasant vacations.

NOTICE, FOOTBALL TEAM

Coach Mitchell will be here to issue suits and to begin practice and pre season training, Monday afternoon, August 29. Let all players and fans give Mr. Mitchell a hearty welcome, and let him feel that we are behind him and his team as we were behind Mr. Miller for four years. Remember, Plainview, September 28, at the Fair at Lubbock.

WILLIAMS BROS. HAVE VISITORS

W. F. Parker and family, of Albuquerque, N. M., have been in Slaton for the past several days, visiting with Mrs. Parker's brothers, and her sister, Mrs. W. R. Berkley, and their families. Her brothers here are F. V. P. O. R. T. and L. M. These brothers and sisters, and their families enjoyed supper together on the canyon Sunday evening.



President Coolidge chooses to wear 10 Gallon Hat. When President Coolidge attended the Mt. Rushmore Memorial Celebration near his South Dakota summer home, he chose to go astride "Mistake" his favorite horse, to wear his new ten-gallon hat and good substantial cowboy riding boots. "Quite sensible," said Dakotans.

Chamber of Commerce News Notes

Reported by L. A. WILSON, Secretary.

Dr. S. H. Adams is now enrolled as a member of the Chamber of Commerce.

People interested in establishing a business college in Slaton were here this week, reporting much encouragement from prospective students.

Col. Charles Lindbergh is to visit Texas, stopping at Abilene, on or about Sept. 26. Abilene invites West Texas towns and cities to send large delegations of citizens to their city to help welcome the famous flyer. Slaton people may be interested in seeing to it that the "Santa Fe Center of West Texas" is well represented. Mayor S. F. King is interested in the trip and is anxious that a number go from here, he says.

The next Chamber of Commerce luncheon will be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 13.

Erection of the new telephone office building has been completed, according to T. A. White, district manager for the Southwestern company. He states that the work is moving along nicely and that they hope to have all work finished and the new service established before the year closes. The Chamber of Commerce is glad to have had the privilege of bringing these improvements to pass for Slaton. A little while longer and we shall have much better service.

There are various estimates on Slaton crop conditions. Weighing all the evidence available, it appears that prospects are good and that we have a splendid chance for a prosperous fall season. Jack Frost will have a hand in the matter, though.

Farmers are again urged to bring in their products which they wish to have passed upon for entry in Slaton's farm exhibit at the Panhandle-South Plains Fair. Don't wait, bring them to the Chamber of Commerce office NOW. This will help you and the Agriculture Committee and will mean that your town and community will have proper representation in the fair. Whatever you have, bring it in.

The information comes to the Chamber of Commerce office that if Slaton farmers find they need poison for con-

90th Birthday Anniversary of J. A. Spinks

J. A. Spinks, of Vera, Knox county, Texas, was 90 years old the 24 of this month. For the past six years, he has been spending the summers at the home of his daughter, Loula, now Mrs. W. P. Florence, of Slaton.

Each year on his birthday, he is treated to a special dinner and the company of as many of his young Confederate soldier friends and other friends as can be gotten together. Many of those affording his company six years ago, are now enjoying their eternal rest.

This year, besides the Florence family, of Slaton, and his daughter, Mrs. Flora Herrell, and grand-daughter, Miss Ines Herrell, of Seymour, and Mrs. Coltharp and Lucile Coltharp, old neighbors, of Knox county, Father Spinks had as special guests, J. H. Latimer, of Chattanooga, Tenn., and W. S. Lanham, of Santo, Texas.

Mr. Latimer, age 84, is the father of Mrs. J. S. Lanham, and visits here almost every year. He served in Co. I, 49th Co., and surrendered with General Lee at Appomattox. He is very spry, and is hopeful of celebrating his 90th birthday, besides other birthdays.

Mr. Lanham, age 78, is the father of our townsman, F. H. Lanham, and father-in-law of Mrs. J. S. Lanham. He also visits here frequently.

Father Spinks served as Confederate soldier in Co. I, 5th Alabama, until he was wounded at Gettysburg. He is still quite active about the place and goes to church regularly, and is hopeful of having several more birthdays.

The Slatonite editor was invited to attend this birthday party Wednesday, but that being our busiest day of the week, we were unable to be there, realizing, of course, that we missed a very enjoyable affair and a bounteous luncheon. The Slatonite congratulates Mr. Spinks on this the anniversary of his advanced natal day, and tenders an earnest wish that other happy years may be added to his useful, serviceable life.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Leverett, of Portales, N. M., spent the latter part of last week in Slaton visiting with friends and relatives. Mr. Leverett's sisters, Mrs. Ira Lusby, and her son, and Mrs. Burrows, all of Waco, also were here.

Control of insects damaging cotton, several thousand pounds may be obtained at Post at cost price plus carriage charges.

Chevrolet Caravan To Visit Slaton, Oct. 6

One of the greatest spectacles ever witnessed outside the realm of the Circus Parades will be seen here when the Great Chevrolet Truck Caravan rolls into our city.

The Jackson Chevrolet Company has arranged for this Truck Caravan to spend Oct. 6 in Slaton for the purpose of personally demonstrating the adaptability of their trucks for present day demands and to establish a closer relationship between the Chevrolet factory and truck users.

The Caravan will consist of some twenty trucks, all equipped with the various types of bodies so readily adapted to Chevrolet ton and half ton trucks.

In the Caravan there is also represented the leading wholesale and manufacturing companies of products closely allied with the automobile and truck industry.

Mr. Jackson, of the Jackson Chevrolet Company, is going to make Oct. 6 a real Chevrolet Day. The Chevrolet Truck Caravan, accompanied by many local Chevrolet owners and boosters will parade through the main sections of this city, after which a demonstration and program will be held in front of the Jackson Chevrolet Company.

A program of entertainment has been provided that will include many novel things such as radio broadcasting, etc. From all reports, this Caravan will be a thing so novel and so different from anything ever before seen in this city that an immense crowd will turn out for it.

FATHER OF FORMER SLATON MAN DIES AT GORMAN

Advice of the death of W. H. Spratling, aged 67 years and 7 months, which occurred recently at Gorman, Texas, have been received by friends here of the Spratling family. Deceased was the father of W. T. Spratling, of Waco, who with his family, made their home here for several years, and who have a host of warm friends in Slaton. Funeral services were held at Gorman, August 10.

The Slatonite joins the many friends of the bereaved families in extending sympathy.

BRUNER STYLE SHOP MOVED

This week the Bruner Style Shoppe was moved to the building on the west side of the square which was formerly occupied by the Judd Grocery. Mrs. C. A. Bruner, owner of the Style Shoppe, states she expects this to be her permanent location.

DORSETT'S PARENTS VISIT HERE

W. H. Dorsett, wife and sons, and Mrs. Homer Cawthon and children, all of Childress, were here this week, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dorsett. The latter Mr. Dorsett, who is proprietor of the Bon Ton Cafe, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dorsett and brother of Mrs. Cawthon. The party left Wednesday for Plainview where they are visiting another son and brother.

EX-SLATON GIRL WEDS

Miss Edmona Lovett has changed her name. It now reads, Mrs. Carl Wallace, Eldorado, Arkansas.

It will be remembered that Miss Edmona was honor graduate of the Slaton high school in 1259, in a class that was remarkable for its high standards in scholarship.

Mr. Wallace is manager for the Frick Reid Supply Co., of Eldorado, Ark. This is in the oil fields of that State, and this company handles supplies for the development of the fields.

The date of the wedding was Aug. 14. All who knew this fine young woman join in congratulations and wish for her the happy and successful life which they know she so much merits.

—Contributed.

I. M. Brewer, cashier of the First State Bank, and his family, returned last Thursday from South Texas, where they visited two weeks with relatives and friends.

Baptist Revival In Second Week; Many Additions

Large crowds, good preaching and fine song services, plus a large number of additions to the membership of the church is the essence of descriptions given by local Baptist people with reference to the revival meeting now in the second week at the First Baptist church here. Up to noon Wednesday, a total of 74 people had united with the church during the meeting, some coming by letter or statement and the others as candidates for baptism.

Dr. W. Y. Pond, the evangelist who is doing the preaching, has spoken fearlessly and with much power on vital subjects, and is proving to be one of the most attractive speakers ever to engage in revival services here, according to many who have heard his messages. Services are held in the church building at 10 a. m. each day, and at 8 p. m. in the open air just south of the church each evening.

T. D. Carroll, song evangelist of splendid reputation in numerous parts of Texas, arrived Monday to direct the music through the remainder of the revival campaign. It is announced. Through a conflict of engagements he was unable to reach here during the first week of the meeting. He is a soloist of rare ability and a splendid choir director. The Junior choir, under his able leadership, is said to be one of the outstanding features of the evening services.

The meeting will continue through the night service of this coming Sunday, according to the pastor, Rev. R. G. Holloway.

Saturday Rainfall Is Aid to Crops

Rain amounting to three-fourths of an inch fell here last Saturday morning, though it did not prove to be general all over Slaton territory. It was of sufficient extent, however, to bring benefit to much of this section and was estimated by farmers as a distinct help to young feed crops. Cotton was probably aided by the moisture, too, according to statements by farmers Saturday afternoon.

DO YOU MAKE THIS MISTAKE?

One of the worst mistakes of which people are guilty is that of acting without giving a matter proper consideration. So much of importance may be involved in the very least things we do that it pays, even in small decisions, to use thoughtful and deliberate judgment. The thinking must come first, however. It's too late to change after the thing is done.

Have you ever failed to consider properly just what you should do for your home newspaper when you have a chance to help it or hinder it? After all, what is a town without a good newspaper? That needs no answer. It just wouldn't be a town—that's all. Then isn't it the duty of progressive citizens, interested in their town's welfare, to boost and help the newspaper when it doesn't bring extra cost to them, but merely requires that they stop and consider properly? We believe so.

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G. J. Catching, of Catching's Drug Store, and Joe H. Teague, Jr., of Teague's Drug Store, attended the West Texas Retail Druggists' Association held last week at Sweetwater.

Asked to Serve on Reception Committee

The Slatonite editor is in receipt of an invitation from Mayor Thos. E. Hayden, Jr., of Abilene, to serve on the reception committee for Col. Chas. A. Lindbergh, noted aviator, when he visits that city on Sept. 28, and when representatives from many West Texas towns will have parts in entertaining this hero of the air.

Colonel Lindbergh is touring the United States under the direction of the Guggenheim Foundation for the purpose of arousing public interest in aviation. His itinerary calls for but one stop in West Texas, that being at Abilene on or about September 26th. His coming is made a West Texas rather than an Abilene event. All West Texas will have a part in entertaining Col. Lindbergh when he stops in Abilene.

Mayor Hayden, of Abilene, will head the honorary arrangements committee on which will be Mrs. Dan Moody, wife of Governor Moody; Hon. R. W. Haynie, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. J. U. Fields, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The reception committee will greet "Lindy" when he lands at Kinsolving field, municipal airport at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott left last Friday for California, where they expect to visit for about two weeks. Mr. Scott, who is local express clerk for the American Railway Express Co., is being relieved while on his annual vacation by C. B. Jones. The Scott family will spend most of the time while away at San Diego and Los Angeles.

W. D. Howard is just completing a nice, 7-room residence on South Twelfth St. Mr. Howard states this place will be for rent, while he expects to build his home next door north, on the corner of the intersection of 12th and Division Sts.

Mrs. H. D. Porter, of Marcelline, Mo., has returned to her home, after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Lovett. Mrs. Lovett and children accompanied her mother as far as Amarillo, where they visited with friends and relatives, returning to Slaton Friday.

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If the prosperity which we all believe is "just around the corner" ever gets here it will afford all of us another excellent opportunity to make fools of ourselves.

Our private opinion is that the first idea of war in this world was conceived by a man with a nice garden who had a neighbor with chickens that were permitted to run wild.

Communists are said to be attempting to make inroads with their doctrines in the Dutch East Indies. If they are not careful, however, they may get in Dutch.

A writer says that a doctor is justified in lying to a patient. Well, for our part, if we ever need a doctor, we don't care especially how many lies he TELLS us if only we can feel reasonably certain that he KNOWS the truth.

We all know, of course, that a fine, pure-bred animal cannot be reared from mongrel parents, and maybe inside of 1,513,411 years the human race will get over the notion that a fine, perfect child can be.

We wonder, if we did not have the World War to fall back on, just where we could place the blame for everything that everybody, in one form or another, and from one standpoint or another, think is wrong with this the very best world we ever lived in?

And those who can find nothing but evil in human life should reflect that they themselves have probably contributed their share.

It is now said that President Coolidge's "choosing" not to be a candidate next year was really the decision of Mrs. Coolidge, which, if true, blows out the last vestige of man's importance in this generation.

Mahomet said, "If the mountain will not come to Mahomet, Mahomet will go to the mountain," and just at present something like a score of gentlemen in this country are saying, "If the White House will not seek me, I will seek the White House."

A certain paleontologist says the earth was inhabited four million years ago. Thanks for the information. Now, will someone kindly tell us something else equally uncertain, namely, the price of cotton in Slaton, middling basis, in October, A. D. 1927?

We insist that women are more inconsistent than men, but if we were a woman we just know we would insist that men are not nearly so consistent as women are.

The battle of the wets and drys may now be viewed from the standpoint of two factions: Those who are concerned about The Outcome of Volsteadism, and those who have their hearts bent on The Outcome of Volsteadism.

Another reason why we haven't spent our summer in cool, delightful Alaska, and why we shall not spend our winter in warm and balmy Africa is that we fear the scenery would not come up to the pictures of it we see in the ads.

We have been watching the progress of the various peace conferences, and now we are inclined to the view that this old world is not going to agree on peace until we have gone to war over it.

A bit of realistic prose may be found in the words of a man who as he passed a cemetery remarked, "There I behold my finish!"

We have read in public prints of a man receiving a penitentiary sentence of four years for a four dollar swindle, and of another who got two years on a plea of guilty to a \$200,000.00 steal, and he didn't return any of the money, either. Maybe it would be well to take the blindfold from the eyes of the Goddess of Justice.

So long as the world must be afflicted with after-dinner speakers, it is a wise provision of nature to provide man with innumerable subjects he knows little or nothing about, else toastmasters would find an insuperable difficulty in supplying these inimitable entertainers with topics for discussion.

If you can judge a child's age by its height, what would you estimate a little girl's age who is tall enough to reach the hem of her mamma's skirt?

People not only like but believe in spirits, and it is getting to be a fad to have them and to advertise them. First we had The Spirit of St. Louis, The Spirit of Dallas, recently the Spirit of Lubbock, and on down the line. First we had The Spirit of St. Louis, just will have their spirits, if not in a bottle, then some other way. Why? It's a fad.

No matter how high the cost of living goes, we for one propose to keep on at it just as long as possible.

Can you see the force of a bootlegger's argument when he contends that the repeal of the Volstead law would put him out of business? Anyway, if you cannot, he can.

It is said that out-of-tune pianos cost the country \$200,000,000 a year. But an out-of-tune pianist has cost many a community its temper and peace of mind.

It has already gotten so in this country that you have to drive a limousine, wear awfully good clothes and talk through your nose in order to get any recognition at the hands of a bell-hop.

No good carpenter thinks of trying to erect a nice house without having a sound foundation for it to rest on, but lots of reformers who deal in human material think they can erect a superstructure of character without a foundation. A study of the parable of the sower might help them some.

It took 700 words to tell of Adam eating one apple, and now the whole world is seeking to devise ways and means of avoiding the consequences of it.

One thing, if we had our way in this world, we would abolish by infliction of the death penalty if necessary. It is the "guest towel". Jever see one of the blamed things. Entirely too nice and pretty to touch, as crash as a hard boiled shirt front, and a row of them hanging on the rack make you think you are in an art gallery.

A professional reformer never attains any degree of success until he is able to find an audience low enough in the scale of intelligence that he can speak to them "convincingly".

We are referring to audiences made up of that class of people who, for example, are convinced that by clipping and mailing a coupon they find in some magazine ad, they can become

educated and cultured and able to speak seven languages fluently and with ease and become the center of attraction in any crowd by subscribing for the ten easy lessons therein depicted.

A magazine article tells us that "Churchmen wrestle at Lausanne," which shows how folks seek to ape the headlines on the sport page.

If we are any judge of the trend of the times, we would say that women are now quite convinced that clothes do not make them interesting.

After two years of rather adverse crop conditions, it has just about gotten so that the only collateral many folks have at present is their hope of prosperity.

SACCO AND VANZETTI DIE.
 Two humble, ignorant, obscure Italians, Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, up in Massachusetts paid with their lives in the electric chair for crime of murder, the execution taking place last Tuesday morning.

They were convicted more than seven years ago, and during the intervening time legal efforts perhaps never before equaled in American jurisprudence, were put forth to save their lives and to obtain a commutation of their sentences to life imprisonment. Their cases attracted world wide attention and notoriety. In London, in South America, in almost all parts of the civilized world riots were staged in protest against their execution, and petitions came in every tongue in the civilized world seeking to prevent the executions.

All was in vain and they died. It is safe to say that never before has any criminal case received more attention at the hands of the courts, a state governor, and expert commissions than has the case of these two Italians. One authority declared that the trial represented a turning point in the evolution of man's social institutions.

For years this battle has raged with Sacco and Vanzetti as the focus point. Millions came to believe them innocent; other millions believed them guilty, and other millions doubted. They were convicted on circumstantial evidence. Prejudice was charged, still is. Every issue has been sifted from every angle, repeatedly, by various tribunals, by Gov. Alvan T. Fuller of Massachusetts, and by a special commission of experts of the highest character. In each instance the verdict has been unanimous that the men were guilty, that they had a fair trial, and that prejudice was not responsible for their convictions.

Many will continue to doubt, and criticism of our courts and officers will continue, but the vast majority of thinking persons here and throughout the world will accept the numerous reviews and the unanimous verdict that Massachusetts justice is fair and that the trial has been as impartial and as thorough as the common lot of humanity will admit.

On the issue of capital punishment in general, however, much may be said. Should government in any case of circumstantial evidence exact the death penalty? Massachusetts, Texas and most of the governments of the world say, Yes. Perhaps a better and grander civilization that is to succeed ours will say it should not. Perhaps some day the injunction, "Thou shalt not kill," will be translated from paper to the hearts of mankind, and will apply to governments as it is now admitted to apply to the individual.

TAX REDUCTION.
 During the last ten years we have seen thousands of demands in the public press for tax reduction, and seldom if ever can one find in any newspaper magazine or periodical any argument, insistence or demand for higher taxes.

Every four years this nation has a campaign for the election of a President, and the two major national parties, Democrats and Republicans, insert a plank in their platforms demanding tax reduction. Every two years this State elects a governor and the party writes a platform. Almost without exception the candidate who has been elected and the platform on which he stands contains a plank, representing a major issue, declaring in favor of tax reduction. Every two years we elect a national House of Representatives; scarcely one of the candidates for the privilege of representing the people that did not advocate tax reduction and promise to work and vote for it, if elected. Every six years we elect a United States Senator, on a platform, and with like promises.

Now the fact is that in the face of all these insistent demands, campaign promises and party platforms, taxes keep getting higher and higher, and what we mean by that is that the expense of government is more per capita each year than it was the preceding year. Why cannot the American people, when the desire and the de-

EXCHANGE SHOTS

WHOSE BLAME IS IT?
 The convention of Professional and Business Women's clubs tried to determine "Why is a bachelor," and might answer the question with a little self study.—Paducah Post.

The Post editor probably means that most men prefer home-makers, not professional or business women. And that is doubtless the right conclusion. But, the bachelor has a number of the former class to choose from, maybe, without looking toward the ranks of business or professional women. And then again, possibly the bachelor doesn't care for a wife at all, for if he did, the chances are that he could find one. However, it might be true that the one he found would not be the kind he would want, so in that case he would prefer to remain a bachelor, very likely. If the bachelor wants a wife but fails to find the sort he wants, the blame may rest upon the woman who could have been his wife if she had been willing to conform to her suitor's ideals. There is always the possibility that the bachelor could not secure the consent of a woman to marry him at all. The men wouldn't admit that, but the women-folk will readily agree, we are sure. To be frank about it, we don't know much about this bachelor business for this writer was fortunate enough (the wife may read this) to get married. We pause to add this remark, however—when women's clubs stop their busy activities to solve the bachelor problem, indications are that bachelors should beware, beware, beware.

SOMEBODY SAID

SOMEBODY SAID much that is called education doesn't even have the semblance of it. There are a lot of different definitions on that word "education", but one thing is sure—no man is educated, regardless of how much he has attended school, unless he can do some straight thinking about his right relationship with his fellow-men.

SOMEBODY SAID the writer of the "squibs" which appear on the left-hand side of this page each week was grossly incorrect when he said, in replying to something which appeared the week before in this column, "paved streets are all that's been added to Slaton recently." The "daddy" of this column is able to prove the error committed. For several weeks, a new telephone office structure, a dandy brick building, has been under construction here, and it has been "added", partially completed, "recently". There are many, many new residences in Slaton "recently been added" to one of Slaton's public school buildings. The Santa Fe railway company has been busy a large part of this year adding to their divisional facilities in Slaton. And so we might go on without end. The "Somebody Said" writer, however, doesn't always have to defend what appears in this column. Remember that he merely writes what "Somebody Said", and if no one says anything, then he has nothing to say except that "Somebody Said" nothing.

SOMEBODY SAID many criminals are criminal because of physical disease, or, perhaps, mental disease. Most certainly. The problem confronting society is to furnish growing youngsters such environment that they will develop normally in mind, in body and spirit.

mand is so nearly unanimous, obtain some relief from outrageous and unreasonable taxation?

To that question there may be numerous answers and more guesses. We say that one answer which cannot miss the mark very far is that candidates for office in this country; party platforms in this country, and the vast majority of office holders in this country are, first, very incompetent; secondly, they are insincere; and thirdly, the shameful indifference of the rank and file of American citizens to governmental problems almost spells failure of democratic government at least insofar as economy in government is concerned.

When you hear a candidate for office advocate tax reduction, you may rest assured that it is taffy with which he seeks to purchase your vote. When he promises to effect tax reduction you may rest assured that he is just one plain conscious willful liar, attempting to pull the wool over your eyes. And when you vote for such a fellow you are becoming a party to a fraud on yourself and your neighbor, whether you know it or not.

The editor of the Dallas News, while commenting about Lindbergh and the cigarette, says that cigarettes and gasoline do not mix. They do, Mr. Editor, but the process is too quick for the eye.

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 May speak a different caste;
 The stately step and haughty mien
 Some greatness of the past;
 But I don't care for wealth's great show
 Nor strains of blood so grand.
 Its what folks are and what they do
 That counts in this good land.
 No, I don't bar the man who's rich,
 Their hearts are oft pure gold.
 Nor would I slight a noble name
 With worthy fame of old;
 The question is, "Do these things give
 An added strength and power
 To help one serve his fellow man
 In some sad, trying hour?"
 As man I meet my fellow man
 And feel a brother's care.
 It's what he is today that counts.
 I would not be unfair
 And judge him by a hapless past
 Or by successes won.
 We get our rating by this score,
 "Today what have you done?"
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Some people seem to believe the prophetic age passed with the Apostles. Here is a prophecy written five hundred years ago by a woman. Read and see if you can suggest how she could have improved it if she had written it this month.

Before reading it please undertake to transport yourself back across five centuries, and live when there were no steamships, no steam railways, no sewing machines, no cook stoves, no telephones, no telegraphs, no radios, no automobiles, no flying machines, no submarines, and none of the many other inventions so common today. Now if you are back there sitting alone in your quaint, old-fashioned dwelling, read the poem and see if you do not think she had a real vision of the future happenings of the world.

Mother Shipton was born in Norfolk, England, and died in Clifton, Yorkshire, 1449 A. D. Thus you see she died forty-three years before Columbus discovered America.—The Purity Crusader.

A Woman's Prophecy 500 Years Old.

A carriage without horses shall go,
Disaster fill the world with woe;
In London Primrose Hill shall be,
Its center hold a Bishop's See.
Around the world men's thoughts shall fly,
Quick as the twinkling of an eye.

And waters shall great wonders do—
How strange and yet it shall come true.
Then upside down the world shall be,
And gold found at the root of tree;
Thro' towering hills proud man shall ride,
Nor horse nor ass move by his side.

Beneath the waters men shall walk;
Shall ride, shall sleep, shall even talk;
And in the air men shall be seen,
In white, in black, as well as green.
A great man then shall come and go,
For prophecy declares it so.

In water iron then shall float
As easy as a wooden boat.
God shall be found in stream or stone,
In land that is as yet unknown.
Water and fire shall wonders do,
And England shall admit a Jew.

The Jew that once was held in scorn
Shall of a Christian then be born.
A house of glass shall come to pass
In England—but alas, alas!
A war will follow with the work
Where dwells the pagan and the Turk.

The States will lock in fierce strife,
And seek to take each other's life;
When North shall thus divide the South
The eagle builds in lions mouth.
Then tax and blood and cruel war
Shall come to every humble door.

Three times shall sunny, lovely France
Be led to play a bloody dance;
Before the people shall be free,
Three tyrant rulers shall she see;
Three rulers, in succession, be—
Each sprung from different dynasty.

Then, when the fiercest fight is done,
England and France shall be as one.
The British olive next shall twine,
In marriage with the German vine.
Men walk beneath and over streams—
Fulfilled shall be our strangest dreams.

All England's sons shall plow the land
Shall oft be seen with book in hand.
The poor shall now most wisdom know
And water wind where corn did grow;
Great houses stand in farflung vale,
All covered o'er with snow and hail.

And now a word in uncouth rhyme,
Of what shall be in future time:
For, in those wondrous, far-off days
The women shall adopt a craze
To dress like men and trousers wear,
And cut off their lovely locks of hair.

They'll ride astride with brazen brow,
As witches on a broomstick now.
Then love shall die and marriage cease,
And nations wane as babes decrease.
The wives shall fondle cats and dogs,
And men live much the same as hogs.

In nineteen hundred twenty-six
Build houses light of straw and sticks,
For then shall mighty wars be planned,
And fire and sword shall sweep the land.
But those who live the century through,
In fear and trembling this will do:

Flee to the mountains and the dens,
To bog and forests and wild fens—
For storms shall rage and oceans roar
When Gabriel stands on sea and shore;
And as he blows his wondrous horn,
Old worlds shall die and new be born.
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Posey Items.

August 18, 1927.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Henderson and son and Mrs. Castland spent Sunday in Post.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Patterson and three children left Thursday for a tour in South Texas.

The Sunday School went to the canyon on a picnic last Wednesday afternoon. Everyone reported a fine time.

Mrs. Burton Darland, of Amarillo, left for her home Wednesday, after spending a week with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Carroll.

John L. Patterson spent Saturday night and Sunday with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lokey.

Julius Stahl and family left last Monday for a visit in San Angelo.

A singing was given Sunday night at Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gentry's.

J. J. Rhyney and family and Sam Tate and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sisk.

M. E. Burns and family are visiting in Paducah.

Enjoy GOOD HEALTH

Adella Morrison is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carroll attended church in Lubbock Saturday night. Mr. Earl Walters returned home Saturday from Denver, Colo.

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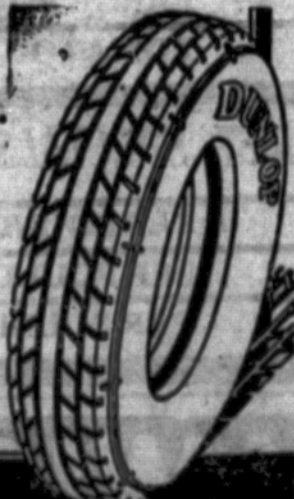
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Slaton Girl is Honored With Part In Abilene Fete

Miss Pauline Hardesty, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John P. Hardesty, of Slaton, will represent "The Spirit of Slaton," when Abilene and West Texas "put on airs" in welcoming Col. Charles Lindbergh, world famous flier on the occasion of his visit to

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Texas and Abilene on or about Sept. 26. Mayor S. F. King announced Miss Hardesty's appointment this week.

Abilene is laying plans to entertain delegations from more than one hundred West Texas towns and cities to help extend a rousing welcome to "Lindy," it is announced from that city. The mayor, the newspaper editor and one young lady from each town is to constitute the official committee from each place, though it is said that everybody is invited to be at Abilene to help in making the greeting a success and truly typical of the West Texas spirit. Mayor King has expressed the hope that a large delegation will go from Slaton.

Miss Hardesty, who will go as the Slaton young lady representative, has lived here for the past six years. She received the Bachelor of Arts degree from Simmons University, Abilene, last June. She will teach in the Garza county public schools this year. At this time she is receiving congratulations from many of her Slaton friends upon being honored as "The Spirit of Slaton" to help West Texas greet the famous aviator in September.

South Plains' 1st Bale Is Ginned at Lamesa

Lamesa, August 20.—To W. M. Peterson, of near Ackerly goes the honor of raising the first bale of cotton ginned on the South Plains this year. The bale was ginned and sold here late Friday, bringing 21.25 and weighing 506 pounds.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

(By Edson R. Waite, Secretary, Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.)

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You may turn to your newspapers if you are out of a job or wish to make a change. (Labour Exchanges and Bureaux have their place, but the newspaper is the real inquiry bureau of "Persons Wanted".)

Its advertisements set out for you the city's nightly bill of fare; its dramatic and musical critics help in the choice. The same pennyworth gives you all the news of the turf; details the football; baseball; tennis; golf and cricket; it is the only town crier of the joyful news that somebody has won a fortune in the sweep you took a ticket for.

You watch the daily progress of your investments, keep au fait with the markets and money exchange. The broadsheet column is your wireless guide. You buy and sell through its advertisements. Your friends and acquaintances daily wed, die or multiply, and without reference to "Birth, Marriages and Deaths" you would never know whether to congratulate or console, or just carry on with the daily "How d'ye".

During the great general strike in Britain, when for a brief period no newspapers appeared, the British reader and—through the slump in business—the British advertiser, realized for the first time the immense importance of his hitherto unappreciated Press. (Not until the blessing was taken away did he EVER STOP TO THINK.)

T. C. Buchanan, for the past four years a salesman for the Slaton Motor Co., has resigned that position, and accepted a place as head of the radio department of the Ed S. Hughes Hardware, of Abilene. Mr. Buchanan and family moved to Abilene the latter part of last week.

CIRCLE THREE MEETS WITH MRS. ANDERSON

Circle 3, of the Baptist church met with Mrs. W. J. Anderson with 15 members present. Election of officers was held. The circle will meet with Mrs. Stevens August 29, in Bible study. 13 and 14 Chapters of Matthew will be our lesson. —Reporter.

Miss Nadine Smith returned early this week from Post, where she visited with Miss Jeffie Melton.

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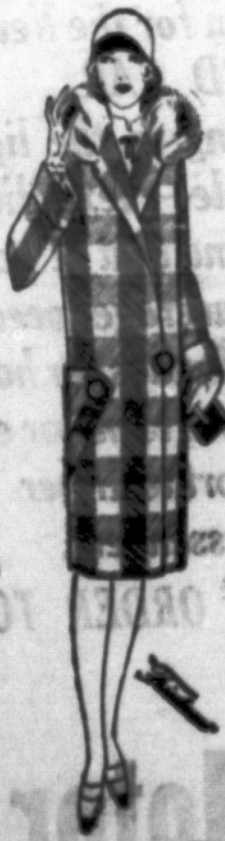
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METHODIST MISSIONARY

The Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon in a social session, at the home of Mrs. Lane, with 31 members and 3 guests present. A contest was enjoyed in which our knowledge of Bible characters was tested. Three had them all correct, and were requested to sing a song, to which they very graciously responded. Then capsules were passed, and we were told that we must do what the slip of paper in them said do. This caused much merriment. Then our knowledge of flowers was tested by another contest. Delicious refreshments in two courses were served, and all departed thanking the hostesses for a very pleasant afternoon.

—Reporter.

Jene Nelson went to Abilene last Friday, carrying the household goods of T. C. Buchanan, who, with his family, have moved to that city. Nelson drove the big truck and trailer owned by the Williams transfer, and which is especially built for bulky hauling.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On Tuesday night, Aug. 23, at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Jas. A. McGinnis gave a surprise party honoring her husband's birthday. Those enjoying this occasion were as follows: Messrs. Geo. Marriott, G. R. Miller, D. L. Badgely, Pat Murphy, Kirby Brown, E. B. Carraway.

NOTICE, SCHOOL BANDS

Both Junior and Senior band boys are requested to meet at the City Hall promptly at 7 o'clock, Monday afternoon. A short, but important, conference will be held. All who want to take parts in our school bands, be sure to report.

We are very anxious that the parents of these boys also attend this meeting as the questions of organization should be thoroughly understood by them. Don't wait until the organization has been completed. Come on now, and be in the organization.

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ALL SORTS OF SALADS

SUMMER or winter, cold days or hot, canned pineapple is at hand to lend its succulent gold to salads. It is always in season, and always a treat.

Most of us remember the first time we saw pineapple used in salad. It isn't so very long ago. Perhaps it was at a luncheon party where a slice was served on a lettuce leaf and sprinkled with blanched almonds. How good it tasted! It just fitted in after the Maryland chicken with sweet potatoes and peas. Everyone at the party resolved to introduce it into the home meals. Soon it was seen everywhere, in any course, in dishes hot or cold. It is amazing how many ways people are finding to use pineapple.

History Like a Romance

Indeed, the quick acceptance of pineapple by the American people as an everyday food reads like a romance. In 1892 an English nurseryman, Captain Kidwell, and his friend, John Emmelsh, after many difficulties shipped the first canned pineapple from Hawaii to the United States. They operated their modest canning plant until 1898, when they sold out, little suspecting what they had started. Then James D. Dole, a young Harvard man, came to Hawaii, intending to grow coffee. Instead, he became interested in pineapples.

This fruit, he concluded, was the ideal crop of Hawaii, and canning the ideal way of sending it to market. So he urged his neighbors to plant pineapples, while he himself went back to Boston to raise money to build a cannery. In 1908 Dole's canneries put up 1893 cases of pineapples. Fifteen years later the output from Hawaii was 5,000,000 cases, and

each year, the number grows, as more people try canned pineapple and find it good.

"Praise from Sir Hubert"

So vast has this industry become in Hawaii that Hubert Work, Secretary of the Interior, who was recently escorted through the great Hawaiian Pineapple Company's cannery by Mr. Dole, said:

"Aside from the magnitude of the plant, what impressed me most was the cleanliness apparent everywhere, and the high health standard of the employees. Everyone looked happy and worked cheerfully. There can be no doubt but that the Hawaiian Pineapple Company ranks among the most advanced plants in the United States from the standpoint of size, sanitation and efficiency."

So, we shall always feel safe eating canned pineapple—indeed, many doctors have said that canned food is the safest food that comes to our tables—for we know that it has been picked in its fullest maturity, and canned with the utmost care and cleanliness. Its stimulating flavor is imprisoned in the cans, and we have only to open them to taste pineapple as it tastes in the fields of Hawaii.

Here are a few recipes for salads in which pineapple is the distinctive feature:

Pineapple Supper Salad: To make a salad for six people, mix one and a half cups of drained crushed pineapple with two cups finely shredded cabbage, one-half cup seedless raisins, one-half cup French or mayonnaise dressing, and arrange on shredded romaine or lettuce leaves.

Pineapple Waldorf Salad: Place slices of canned pineapple

on crisp lettuce leaves. On top of each put a mound of chopped celery, diced apple, and walnuts, all well combined with mayonnaise. Decorate each serving with prunes stuffed with walnuts.

Mixed Fruit Salad: In the center of a nest of lettuce place a slice of canned Hawaiian pineapple. Arrange on top and around the pineapple, slices of orange, grapefruit, banana and dates. Thinly sliced fresh pear is also a welcome ingredient in this salad. Use a whipped cream or mayonnaise dressing.

Pineapple and Chicken Salad: For six people mix two cups of diced cooked chicken with three-fourths cup chopped celery, one cup drained sliced pineapple cut into small pieces, and one cup mayonnaise dressing. Arrange on lettuce leaves either shredded or whole, and garnish with thin slices of cucumber and stuffed olives.

Pineapple and Cream Cheese Salad: Arrange slices of pineapple on lettuce leaves, and in the center of each slice put a square of cream cheese decorated with slices of stuffed olives. On the outer rim of each slice of pineapple put thin rings of sweet green peppers and inside of these, slices of orange.

With any of these salads except that which has chicken in it a cooked pineapple dressing may be used if desired. The recipe for this dressing is as follows: Melt one tablespoon of butter in the top of a double boiler, add one tablespoon of flour, and one-eighth teaspoon of salt. Stir well and add one cup pineapple juice and two tablespoons lemon juice. When smooth, remove, chill and fold in one-half cup of whipped cream.

PHILATHEA CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday school met Wednesday, Aug. 17, at the club house, with Mesdames L. B. Wootton, B. A. Toliver, L. A. Wilson and E. N. Pickett as hostesses. After the transaction of regular routine business, officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: Mrs. D. W. Liles, president; Mrs. Fred England, 1st vice president; Mrs. T. O. Petty, 2nd vice president; Mrs. A. Dennis, 3rd vice president; Mrs. Henry Jarman, secretary, and Mrs. L. B. Haggerman, reporter.

Punch and watermelon were served by the hostesses during the social hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simmons spent their vacations in Denver and Colorado Springs last week.

S. A. McClung and family left last Saturday for California, where they expect to make their home, having recently sold their home here to a Mr. Lee.

Mrs. C. R. Cates returned to Amarillo Sunday, after visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hanna, and other relatives.

Lester Gentry and his grandparents left last week for a trip to Colorado. They expect to be gone for two or three weeks.

Otis Jones, who has been with the Piggly Wiggly stores, Lubbock has moved to Slaton and is now with the Piggly Wiggly store here. Mr. Jones and his wife expect to make Slaton their permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Swafford and daughter, Miss Mildred, returned Saturday from visits in Oklahoma City and Alva, Okla., with relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Swafford's niece, Miss Pauline Hapke, whose home is in Alva.

Our Gas Stoves

Will be coming in this week. And we will want to show and explain their Gas Saving Qualities. We will have them from the cheapest to the best.

We also have some new **BEDROOM SUITES**, \$75 to \$175.00

LIVING ROOM Suites that will surprise you in price, considering Quality.

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ALL CHEAP.

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Hokus Pokus Specials for Saturday

IMPERIAL, IN CLOTH BAGS, 10 lbs.

SUGAR \$.65

OUR SEAL, Texas Soft Wheat, 48 lb. sack

FLOUR 1.83

K. C., 25 oz. Can

BAKING POWDER 18

10 POUNDS

SPUDS .28

P. & G., 10 BARS

SOAP .37

4 LB. PACKAGE

RAISINS .38

PER PACKAGE

MACCARONI OR SPAG. .06

NO. 2 1/2, Packed in Syrup

PEACHES .17

No. 2 Can

PORK & BEANS .08

VAN CAMPS, Early June, No. 2 Can

PEAS .11

ELFOOD, 11 oz., Extra Special

MAYONNAISE .27

SUGAR CURED, Per lb.

BACON SQUARES .18

NO. 1 Grade, Per lb.

SALT MEAT .15

4-lb. PURE FRUIT, Glenrose

PRESERVES .71

BAKERS, 1/4 lb.

COCOANUT .09

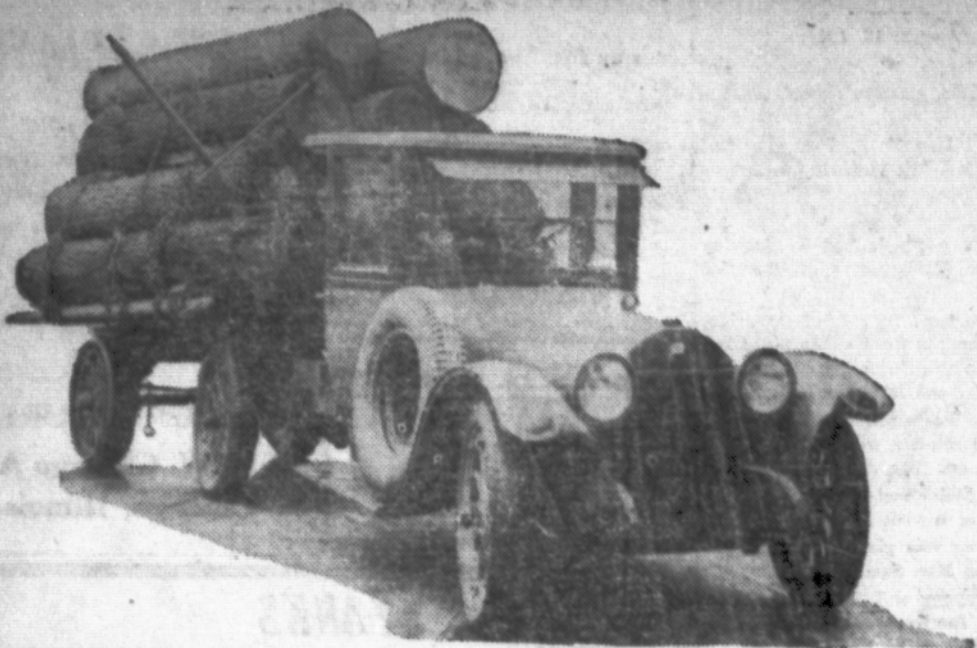
BLOSSOM PEABERRY, 1 lb. Can

COFFEE .35

AMOUNTS OF \$2.50 AND OVER DELIVERED. PHONE NO. 197.

Money Talks

Buick Sedan Becomes 7-Ton Truck



R. O. Hamil of Ludington, Mich., covers 140 miles a day with this heavy-duty vehicle, made by combining the chassis and front end of a 1920 Buick sedan with the rear end of a truck. The improvised truck hauls five to seven tons of logs at a time, the load pictured being typical.

Wake Up!

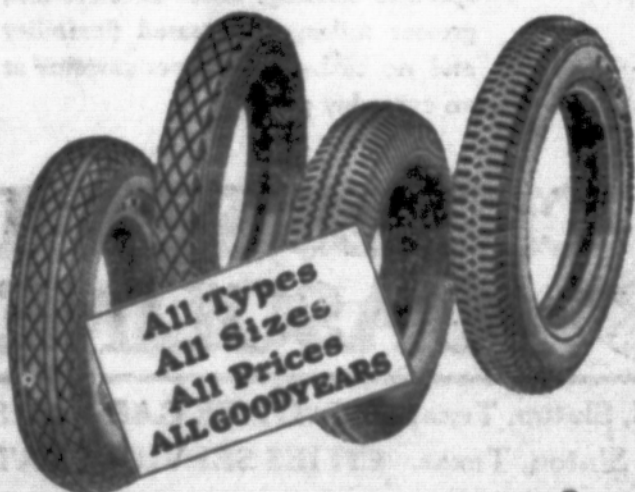
By Albert T. Reid



SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH
Everyone is invited and urged to be at the open exercise of our school,

Monday, Sept. 5th, at 10 o'clock.
Faculty chosen up to date are: A. L. Faubion, W. B. Bishop, Brady Nix, Misses Althea Ragsdale, Eva Huffaker, Bessie McCormick, Velma Daw-

son, and Mrs. Pauline Johnson.
Everything points to the best school year Wilson has ever seen. Come, let's start it off right.
—Wilson Pointer.



Tires Galore!

There are scores of different brands of tires on the market—they all look pretty much alike—everyone claims he has the best—there are all kinds of "special offers" floating around—it is no wonder car owners are confused. Here is one sure way to play safe. Buy a genuine Goodyear Tire from us—they cost no more—frequently less.

29x4.40 Straight Side Cord, Pathfinder \$7.80
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If you have never shopped at a Piggly Wiggly, we want you, particularly, to try it this next week. Money-saving prices throughout the store. Come in and see for yourself! You will like our stores; and you'll find here the best of nationally advertised foodstuffs, fresh fruits and vegetables, Government inspected meats. Our alert storemen are eager to serve you. Please accept our invitation to get acquainted.

SUGAR PURE CANE 10-POUND PAPER BAGS **.64**

CORN CLARION	NO. 2 CAN	.10
FOUR HONEY BEE	48 POUNDS	1.85
CHOCOLATE MALTED MILK	PER CAN	.45
GRAPES SEEDLESS	PER POUND	.10

CALUMET BAKING POWDER ONE POUND CAN **.21**

SHREDDED WHEAT	PER PACKAGE	.10
PINTO BEANS	14 POUNDS	1.00
O'CEDAR POLISH	4 OZ. BOTTLE	.19
O. K. SYRUP	PURE RIBBON CANE	.78
ASTOR RICE	2-POUND PKG.	.19
BAKERS YELLOW LABEL COCOANUT	PER CAN	.14

PRESERVES GLEN ROSA PURE FRUIT 2-POUND **.41**

JEL-SERT	THE NEW DESSERT PKG.	.09
LIBBY'S DELUXE PEACHES	LARGE CAN	.21
GRAPE JUICE	PINTS	.19
PEAS VAN CAMPS	EARLY JUNE NO. 2 CAN	.12 1/2
PORK & BEANS VAN CAMPS	MED. CAN	.08

COFFEE BLOSSOM PEABERRY 3-POUND CAN **.96**

HOMINY VAN CAMPS	NO. 2 CAN	.07 1/2
KRAUT VAN CAMPS	NO. 2 CAN	.10
CATSUP VAN CAMPS	LARGE BOTTLE	.21
SOUP VAN CAMPS	TOMATO CAN	.08

—MARKET SPECIALS—

SAUSAGE	PER POUND	.18
BARBECUE	PER POUND	.18
DRESSED FRYERS	PER POUND	.27

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 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Tom Bazan by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the 90th District Court of Lubbock County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the 1st Monday in September,

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 Special Attention Given to Diseases of Women and Children
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A. D. 1927, the same being the 5th day of September A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of July A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2996½, wherein The First State Bank of Slaton, Texas, a corporation, is Plaintiff, and Tom Bazan and R. M. Whitehead and H. G. Whitehead are Defendants. This being a suit on a certain promissory note executed April 1, 1925, by Tom Bazan, in the sum of One-Thousand-Three-Hundred-Ninety and 40-100 Dollars, payable to H. G. Whitehead, at Slaton, Texas, endorsed by H. G. Whitehead and R. M. Whitehead, secured by Chattel Mortgage on personal property located in Hood County. Wherefore, Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt, and for foreclosure of said Chattel Mortgage lien, etc. Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, this the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1927.
 (SEAL) FLORA GREEN, Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County.
 49-4c By OLIVE FLUKE, Deputy.
 A river passing under Mont Blanc, highest mountain in the Alps, has been discovered.



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TOLSTOY'S SON HELPED SCREEN "RESURRECTION"

Hollywood has taken the Count. The very substantial degree to which the chief suburb of Los Angeles succeeded in taking the count is apparent in the film version of "Resurrection," at the Palace Theatre, Slaton, next week. Count Ilya Tolstoy, who went to Hollywood as editorial advisor to director Edwin Carewe, actually became a movie actor when he got to the coast, and he portrays his father in a screen prologue to "Resurrection." Therein lies a tale.
 For seventeen years Edwin Carewe, who played Prince Dmitri in a Kansas stock company's stage presentation of Tolstoy's "Resurrection," yearned to produce the great flesh and blood drama in films. For five years he worked on a scenario for the proposed film. In 1926 he left Hollywood and went to New York to seek Count Ilya Tolstoy, 61-year-old son of Leo Tolstoy. Carewe knew that Ilya had been at his father's side in Yasnaya-Pollana, Russia, when "Resurrection" was written in laborious longhand, and he wanted his assistance in filming the great novel.
 Arrived in New York, Mr. Carewe spoke of his desire to Eileen Greelman, film critic, who published next morning a story, the substance of which was, "Where is Ilya?" That afternoon a young man named Peter Rostoff walked into Miss Greelman's office and said he knew where Count Ilya Tolstoy lived. As a result, Edwin Carewe and Ilya Tolstoy met the next day at the hotel, and one week later Hollywood took the Count and Countess, who closed their Woodbury, Conn., bungalow. The Count cancelled all his lecture engagements at American colleges for the ensuing six months and devoted his entire energies to assisting Mr. Carewe on "Resurrection."
 Not only did Ilya Tolstoy assist Edwin Carewe on the adaptation of "Resurrection," but he aided in cutting the film, titling it and giving the properly authentic Russian atmosphere and Tolstoy touches throughout the screening of the United Artists feature.

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Four of every five school children of Wood Green, a London suburb, require some dental attention, according to a recent examination.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 County of Lubbock.
 To the Creditors of the Slaton Supply Company, of Slaton, Texas, you are hereby notified that the Slaton Supply Company of Slaton, in Lubbock County, Texas, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1927, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of its property for the benefit of such of its creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of its estate and discharge it from their respective claims, and that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.
 All creditors consenting to said assignment must, within four months after the publication of this notice, make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and within six months from the date of this notice file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Abilene, Texas, which is also his postoffice address, P. O. Box No. 1045.
 Witness my hand this 17 day of August, A. D. 1927.
 51-4c R. L. OVER, Assignee.

NOVEL OF WELLS IS PICTURIZED BY FOX

England's greatest writer tears the veil from the marriage mystery in "Marriage," Fox Films adaptation of the novel by H. G. Wells, which opens for a two-day engagement at the Pal-

ace, Slaton, beginning August 31st. Virginia Valli plays the leading feminine role in this production, characterizing the young wife of an impecunious, but idealistic young inventor. Allan Durant, a talented new-comer from the ranks of German motion

pictures, plays opposite Miss Valli as the male lead. Lawford Davison is cast as the heavy. R. William Hall directed the production.
 George Washington's breakfast consisted of three small corn cakes and three cups of tea.

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For those reasons alone you'll enjoy banking here. We do our utmost to make every patron feel that this is his or her Bank. That they can come in any time, feel right "at home" and free to ask any favor within our power to grant.

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THOMAS MEIGHAN, star of
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"THE CANADIAN"

—Filmed amid the Majestic Mountains and sweeping wheat fields of Canada.

The Company went to Canada to film this picture against the background of the Northwest.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27TH
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TOM MIX

More action in this big outdoor Super-Special than in an ordinary dozen.

See Mix at His Best—See the Stage Coach Race—See the Fine Horsemanship Stunts.

We promise you a 100 percent picture in this one, and you know we never make promises we don't live up to. Whatever else you do, be sure to see this one.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
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SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT
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BOD LA ROCQUE
RESURRECTION
with **DOLORES DEL RIO**
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Again They Meet,
Now in a Courtroom!

"Would he betray her again?"
The question burned in her as she will in you.

See the amazing climax to this most amazing of all romances.

Del Rio's famous classic revealed in a flash and blood drama of all times.



The Edwin Carewe Production
A United Artists Picture

WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY
Aug. 24 and Sept. 1st
WADGE BELLAMY in
"MARRIAGE"

The world's greatest writer tears the veil from the mysticisms of matrimony.

Is the wedding ring a symbol of slavery or happiness? See the answer at the Palace.

Virginia Valli heads a great cast in one of the season's mightiest dramas.

What happens when two people of different temperaments love each other? See the answer at the Palace.

H. G. Wells brought to the screen for the first time in "Marriage."

H. G. Wells gives an ever-present problem fresh treatment in this great story of an idealist who chose a materialistic wife.

COMING SOON
"The Scarlet Letter"

Rotarians Held Interesting Meeting

The Slaton Rotary Club at its regular weekly luncheon last Friday noon held a lively and interesting program, with Dr. H. Frank Miller in charge, with the subject, "A Decade of Medical Progress."

The reader read an interesting article tending to show some of the great problems of the medical world and work that is being done along certain lines, all of which was calculated to stimulate thought, and in some cases

Our Practical Pattern No. 1101



The charm and simplicity of this little girl's dress offered this week should appeal especially to the mother who sews. Carried out in any soft crepe or silk material in a pretty shade of rose, blue, cream or tan color, this style would be suitable for any "dress-up" occasion.

A dainty, yet simple trimming is supplied by the two rows of narrow satin ribbon, in either the same or darker color, which is stitched on the collar, sleeves and hem of the dress. A black satin or velvet bow at the neck finishes it off with an attractive touch.

May be obtained in sizes 2 to 6. Size 4 requires 2 1/4 yards of 40 inch material. Patterns will be delivered to any address upon receipt of 25c in cash or U. S. Postage. Always mention size wanted. Address: Practical Pattern Department, 17 West 28th Street, New York City, and always mention this newspaper.

a difference of opinion. He then called on R. A. Baldwin, who discussed the question briefly, pointing out some of the great revolutionary ideas that have been advanced and have found acceptance in the past ten years—since the World War. He showed how preventive medicine is taking the field ahead of curative medicine; discussed the progress that has been made in public sanitation, conquering yellow fever, malaria, small pox, plagues, epidemics, etc., and declared that the world was tending toward the view that crime is a disease and that disease is a crime; that in time society, instead of seeking revenge upon one of its members who is sick with that character of disease that manifests itself in criminal actions, will treat the prisoner in a psychopathic hospital instead of inflicting pain on his body. The speaker was starting upon a discussion of Eugenics when his time was up, and it is probable that another program will be arranged some time in the future for a more detailed consideration of this big and interesting subject.

Three Rotarians from Post Club were present. They were Ira L. Duckworth, John Herd and Clyde Hundley. L. C. Montgomery of the Lubbock Club was also a guest. Other guests were J. P. Boyd and Prof. J. B. Caldwell of Slaton, and Evangelist W. Y. Pond. The last named was called on at the close and favored the Club with a few remarks.

One interesting and pleasing feature of the meeting was the presentation by John Hood to former President Floyd C. Rector of a solid gold past president's Rotary pin in token of the Club's appreciation of the faithful services rendered the Club by Mr. Rector during the past year.

Tomorrow the program will consist of a debate on the subject: "Should Slaton levy a property tax for the support of the Chamber of Commerce?" John Hood and Oscar Korn will say Yes, while Sam E. Staggs and L. R. Cypert will argue the other way.

MIX FINDS RELICS WHILE ON LOCATION

While on location for the filming of Zane Grey's story, "The Last Trail," in San Bernardino Valley, Tom Mix discovered many old Indian relics, including arrowheads and broken tomahawks.

"This valley would be a paradise for archaeologists," observed the Fox

star. "An ancient tribe of Indians used to live here. The entire valley is the bed of a huge lake that existed thousands of years ago.

"Research is a great thing. But I like to wonder what the world will be a thousand years from now. Of course, some folks believe the past can be used as an indication in judging the future.

"And, say," this with a grin, "archaeologist is a sure enough bronco bustin' word!"

Low Seiler produced the thriller for Fox films. It will be here for only one day—Saturday, matinee and night—at the Palace, Slaton.

Thousands to be Given as Prizes at Fair

LUBBOCK, Aug. 21, 1927.—There will be prizes for all who come to the Panhandle South Plains Fair this year, Sept. 27, 28, 29, 30, and Oct. 1, the directors have announced. In addition to the premiums offered for winners in the live stock, women's, poultry, agricultural and other departments, which runs into the thousands of dollars, several other major prizes will be offered together with a large number of smaller prizes.

5 Cars and a Windmill

An automobile will be awarded each day of the Fair to some visitor, by the Fair Association. A 10 foot standard bearing windmill will be awarded by Axtell Company to the South Plains farmer exhibiting the best 10 heads of milo maize. Other concerns will have guessing contests, drawings, etc., with smaller prizes.

"THE LAST TRAIL," STARRING TOM MIX, WILL MAKE HIT

Tom Mix, famous "ace of the West," the star of Fox Films version of Zane Grey's "The Last Trail," will prove more than popular with the audiences who see it at the Palace theatre, Slaton, when it comes for a day's engagement Saturday matinee and night.

The screen adaptation of the popular novel retains all the dash, action and thrills of the printed page. Lev Seiler who directed the picture, grasped every opportunity offered by the book and made the most of it.

Like other Tom Mix pictures, "The Last Trail" has more than its share of scenic beauty. Exterior scenes were made in the famous San Bernardino Valley of California.

In the early part of the film Tom is seen as an Army scout of the Dakotas during the last uprising of the Sioux Indians. Later, he is seen as the hard-riding, quick-on-the-trigger foe of the desperate crew of stage coach looters.

Supporting the star are Carmelita Geraghty, William Davidson, Jerry the Giant, Tony, the wonder horse, and others.

After a discussion lasting six years, Mexican officials have decided to build the first highway from Mexico City to the Gulf of Mexico, an American firm being chosen to do the work.

Motor driven cars burning a compound fuel composed of alcohol, benzol and kerosene, instead of gasoline, are to be tried out on railways of Czecho-Slovakia.

To relieve the overcrowded condition in Java, the Netherlands East Indian Government is considering means of attracting people to its outer possessions.

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mission and sturdy single-plate disc-clutch. Mark the rugged, quality construction throughout; heavy channel steel frame—massive banjo-type rear axle—long extra-leaved, heavy steel springs, set parallel to the frame. Go for a trial load demonstration—and see how perfectly Chevrolet meets your own haulage requirements. If you do that, the next truck you buy will be a Chevrolet!

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We have been doing considerable talking about the Latex-treated Web Cord and Sprayed Rubber used in United States Royal Cord Balloons—and the Flat Tread principle.

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LIPTONS TEA	1/4 POUND	.38
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COCOANUT	1/2 POUND	.18
COFFEE	3 POUNDS MAXWELL HOUSE	1.33
CLEANSER	OLD DUTCH, 3 CANS	.20
STICK CANDY	2 POUND BOX	.25
SALAD DRESSING	FRENCH'S NO. 2, 3 CANS	.23
TOMATOES	CRESCENT, 3 BOXES	.25
MATCHES	1 LB. CANOVA	.10
PEANUT BUTTER		.29

See Our Windows Before You Buy.



SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

- Missionary Meeting—"Ministry of the Home Board."
 Leader—Zelra DeVore.
 1. Beginnings of the Southern Baptist Convention.—Fay Coltharp.
 2. The Blight of the Civil War.—Miss Armes.
 3. The Period of Reconstruction, (1862-1900)—Ruby Catching.
 4. Fame Mission Expansion, (1900-1917)—Mary K. Toliver.
 5. Adaptation to Changing Conditions.—Vernon Hobdy.
 6. A Glorious Record.—Mr. Bownds

Col. A. B. Haworth, auctioneer, and wife, moved this week to Lubbock, where they expect to make their permanent home.

Herman Dawson, employe of the Red Cross Pharmacy, left last Saturday for Wichita, Kans., where he is taking a course in pharmacy.

I. D. Kincher and family, of Kansas, were here early this week, visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. C. W. Wilks, and family.

Mrs. A. A. Hillyer has been confined to her bed for several days suffering from acid system, but is now reported able to be out again.

Forrest Payne, of San Diego, Calif., formerly of Slaton, is here on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne.

Globe-Trotting Champ



Fie Spilo, 18 months old, through her mother as interpreter, lays claim to the globe-trotting championship, having circled half the world in twice visiting Europe, Africa, and Asia Minor. She was voted the most popular "young lady" aboard the S.S. Sindia on the return home this month.

F. V. and L. M. Williams expect to leave today for New Mexico, and will spend several days in the White Mountains.

Mrs. V. L. Woolever returned Tuesday evening from Lubbock, where she spent several days in a sanitarium for treatment.

More Title - Less Pay



Nelson T. Johnson, of Oklahoma, new assistant Sec'y. of State, was promoted from the Foreign Service where he drew \$9,000 per year to the more dignified position—which by the way pays only \$7,500 per year.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—To sell crop, teams, and tools, cows, hogs, White chickens, etc., and rent place out to some reliable man. Will give the place over in a few days after selling. For prices, see W. T. Crozier, Southland, or Mrs. Meredith, 2 1/2 miles south of Southland. 52-tfc

LOST—Bunch of keys on ring. Finder please return to Slatonite office. Reward. 1c

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AN INVENTION for sale or trade, or will take partner.—See P. W. Calhoun at Oil Mill, Slaton, Texas. 50-3tp

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms.—Mrs. Henry Hollis. 1tp

NOTICE—I will start my incubator August 15.—Mrs. H. M. Binion. 48-2p
FOR RENT—Two room house near high school. Phone 135-J or 20. 1tf

FOR RENT—Two small houses. One near high school and one near shops.—Phone 135-J. 1tf

CONSTABLE'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 County of Lubbock.

WHEREAS, By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Harris County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 27 day of Dec., A. D. 1926, in favor of Gulf Refining Company, and against C. C. Lane and W. B. Lane, No. 43972 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Constable, directed and delivered, I did, on the 24 day of August, A. D. 1927, at 1 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described real estate, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to C. C. Lane, to-wit:

Being all of that part of Blocks Nos. Sixty-Nine (69) and Seventy (70) in the Roberts and McWhorter Addition to the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, which is situated north of the right of way of the Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry. Co., (Formerly the P. & N. T. Ry. Co.) on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1927, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the Courthouse door of Lubbock County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said C. C. Lane in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 24 day of August, A. D. 1927.
 J. C. ROBERTS,
 Constable, Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas.



G. J. Catching and son, Wayne, and Uncle George Marriott, were in Sweetwater the latter part of last week, where Mr. Catching attended a meeting of West Texas Retail Druggists association. The next meeting of the association will be held in Big Spring, in March, Mr. Catching states.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Martindale, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martindale and children, spent the week-end with W. Martindale, at Shamrock, returning home Monday.

CARD OF THANKS.

We thank the many friends for their kindness in time of my late illness, also the kind doctors who handled the case. The lovely flowers that were sent were appreciated. May the richest of blessings rest on you all.
 MR. AND MRS. E. A. GALE and Children.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lacy are in Kansas enjoying their vacations. Mr. Lacy is a local employe of the Santa Fe, and Mrs. Lacy is bookkeeper at Kesse's department store.

J. K. Rogers and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brannon, left Wednesday morning for Carlsbad, N. M., and expect to take a trip through the Carlsbad cavern.

T. A. White, district manager for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., of Lubbock, was in Slaton Tuesday, looking after his company's interests here. Mr. White was a welcomed caller at The Slatonite office.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Griffith, of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hannon, and daughter, of Plainview, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs.

Virgil Brazell and children. Mrs. Brazell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Griffith and a sister of Mrs. Hannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Cone, of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carpenter, of Floydada, are here this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Carpenter.

CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB

The Civic and Culture Club will meet Saturday, August 10, with Mrs. Lee Green as hostess, at the home of Mrs. Richard Ragdale.

To avert a shortage of water such as has been felt in Chihuahua, Mexico, recently, officials plan to sink a number of wells and pump the water into the city.

W. H. Seale & Co. Bankrupt Sale

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- PINTO BEANS**
 Good Quality, as long as they last, put up in 10 lb. Bags. 10 Pounds—
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- CORN**
 Imperial Cream Sweet Sugar Corn, 20c value, 3 cans for
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- SORGHUM**
 4 lbs., 10 ounces cans Penick and Fords, Royal Sorghum, the can—
25c
- HONEY**
 Rocky Mountain Honey, 5 lb. Pails, Regular \$1.25 value—
69c

- KARO SYRUP**
 2 1/2 lb. cans Red Karo Syrup, Bankrupt Sale Price The Can—
15c
- BLUEING**
 10 oz. Bottles Good Luck Liquid Blueing, a Bankrupt Bargain—
10c
- STARCH**
 10c Package Starch, 2 for
5c
- POTNAM DYES**
 15c Putnam Dyes, all colors—
5c
- SMOKING TOBACCO**
 Granger and George Washington Plug Cut—
5c

MYSTERY BOX SALE—Starting Thursday morning promptly at 9 o'clock and continuing till all Mystery Boxes are sold, we are going to place on sale over 500 Mystery Boxes, at 50c a box. We guarantee that each and every box will contain merchandise picked at random from this Big Bankrupt Stock, to be worth from \$1.00 to \$3.00. We also guarantee not to put any old style, high top, pointed shoes in these boxes. You will have lots of fun and be well pleased. Get here early—they will go like hotcakes.

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