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Annual Game is Won by Tigers In Floydada Tilt

In the annual Thanksgiving football clash, between Slaton Tigers and the Floydada Whirlwinds, played at Floydada Thursday, the Tigers upheld their reputation, and returned to Slaton with a victory of 13 to 12, Austin and Gerald Woolever featuring for the Tigers in the backfield, while Genry and Nowell were the star players on the line, according to early reports coming from the fans. Porterfield and Welborn were Floydada's outstanding players, it was stated, and were, in a large measure, responsible for that team's two touchdowns.

Woolever made both touchdowns for the Tigers, and also kicked goal for the extra point, early reports indicated.

At the game Thursday, the Tigers were backed by a delegation of approximately 800 Slaton fans, more than 250 of them going there on a special train, others driving through in cars. Slaton's widely known and very popular pep squad accompanied the delegation, and were outstanding in attractiveness and entertainment during the grid contest.

A royal welcome extended Slaton visitors by Floydada citizens, it was stated, and just preceding the game, Captain Woolever of the Slaton Tigers was presented with a nice box of candy with the compliments of the Floydada high school pep squad.

No School Friday After Thanksgiving, Superintendent Says

In keeping with the custom of having no school in Slaton on the day following Thanksgiving, Slaton schools have been dismissed until Monday, December 3, according to an announcement made Thursday by C. L. Sone, superintendent of the Slaton schools, who states there will be no school today, Friday, Nov. 30.

This day will be made up, however, Mr. Sone stated, on January 1, which will be a legal holiday.

Thinks Issue Will Carry at Idalou

"Idalou will carry the \$2,004,000 county-wide paving bond issue by an almost unanimous vote on December 1, Saturday," was the opinion of several Idalou citizens following a good roads meeting held in that city recently.

At a meeting in Idalou, attended by many property taxpaying voters of that precinct, the value of good roads for the county, and facts and figures pertaining to the bond election to be held Saturday, were presented by visiting speakers.

E. A. Daniels, Idalou director of the Good Roads organization, presided at the meeting, and predicted that that city would strongly support the bond issue. It was said that the citizens of Idalou were more interested in the road project than in the new Denver railway extension to the South Plains.

Leaders of Idalou are urging that all property taxpaying voters cast their ballots Saturday.

Miss Alline Phillips, of Lamesa, former teacher of expression in the Slaton schools, is visiting here during the week-end with Mrs. Harvey Austin.

MANY EXTRA COPIES.

Hundreds of extra copies of this issue of The Slatonite are being distributed, gratuitously to citizens of Slaton and this community. This is just another feature of the service your newspaper is attempting to render. The publishers trust you will read this paper through and through. Read the advertisements, the news, and by all means, read the particulars on the proposed road bond issue which is to be voted upon Saturday of this week, December 1st.

Merchants Unite In Offering Big Bargains for Sat.

In a two-page advertisement, appearing in this issue of The Slatonite, merchants of Slaton are co-operating in offering bargains for Saturday, December first. Readers of the paper are urged to turn to this advertisement and look over the items listed.

This plan of co-operative advertising, and offering special values for Saturday, was inaugurated through a desire of Slaton business men to further stimulate Saturday trading in Slaton, it was stated by the originators of the plan.

Slaton Taxpayers O. K. Bond Issue

"Every time an automobile wears out, or gets torn up, I have a chance to make a sale," said P. G. Stokes, manager of Slaton Motor Company, local Ford dealers, "but merely making a sale of an automobile doesn't mean much to the customer—it doesn't mean much to me—unless the customer is thoroughly satisfied.

"The customer doesn't need an automobile—he couldn't use one—if he doesn't have roads fit to drive over," Stokes continued, "and for this fact I am strong for the bond issue which we will vote on next Saturday."

In stating a few reasons why he favored the issue, Mr. Stokes explained that the additional tax would be a very small item as compared with the saving on automobiles which would be realized. "Naturally, cars run better, last longer, and burn less gas and oil with longer tire mileage on good roads than they will on bad ones," he stated. "These facts alone should put the issue over."

Mr. Editor:

I first opposed the bonds because I thought it would be too much burden at present since we have fair roads except a few short times each year. But having read the arguments of the leading bond opponents and having seen their road map and proposed plan of voting bonds immediately for paving only state highways, I am thoroughly converted to the fact that the present proposition is the only chance to get road justice to Slaton and the east half of the County.

Road No. 9 through Abernathy, Lubbock and Woodrow, divides the County into east and west halves. In the east half there are two or three times as many people as in the west half. The plan of present bond opponents would give the west half of the county three paved roads and the east half only two. Yet the east half has twice as many people as well as development.

The town of Lubbock would have seven incoming roads, while Slaton, at least one-third as large, would have only one. And we would be deprived of hopes for betterment.

Could anything be more unjust to the east half of the County? Well, it is made plain that that would be the plan run over us very soon, after the present plan is defeated.

The only way to avoid that injustice is to vote the present bond issue plan.

This plan provides for all the above mentioned ones for the east half, one of them being an additional inroad to Lubbock.

This plan gives five roads to the east half and three to the west. It would give three roads to Slaton and eight to Lubbock.

With these facts and a study of arguments made by the opponents of these bonds, it is plainly seen that this bond issue is our only chance to get road justice.

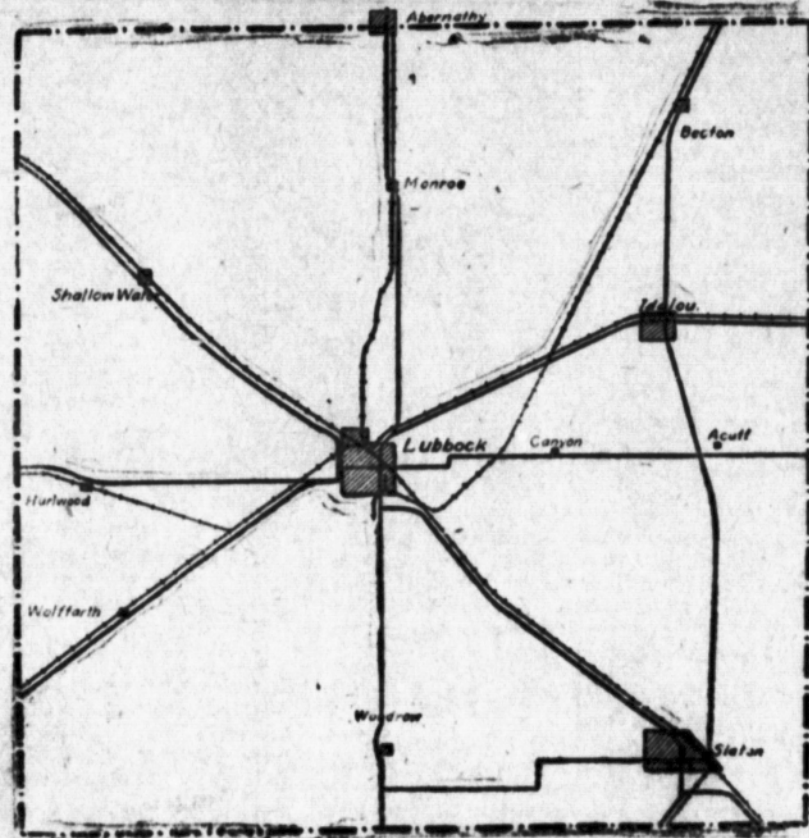
I figure that my taxes will be raised \$30.00 a year by this bond issue and that it will be a good investment. While the other plan, which would be put over us right away if this fails, would raise my taxes \$15.00 a year and be a worse than sorry investment. Vote for THESE BONDS.

W. P. FLORENCE.

John Dabney and wife, now of Alvord, Texas, arrived in Slaton Friday, Nov. 23, and will be in the city for ten days or more, meeting friends and old customers, also visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Suit, and family.

Roads to be Paved in Lubbock County Under Bonds to be Voted on Tomorrow

LUBBOCK COUNTY



The above map shows the roads to be paved in Lubbock County if the proposed bond issue of \$2,004,000 carries tomorrow. The majority must be two to one.

The state highways, No. 7, from the corner of Garza County, through Slaton, Lubbock, Shallowwater and to the northeast corner of Lubbock County; No. 9 from the north line of the county through Lubbock via Woodrow to the south line of the county; No. 53, from the east county line via Idalou, Lubbock, and Woffarth and to the southwest corner of the county; and the road from Lubbock west to the Hockley County line will be paved, and also these other county or lateral roads—due east from Lubbock through Canyon, Acuff and to the county line; west from Slaton via Union to Highway No. 9; north from the Lynn County line south of Slaton through Slaton, via McClung, Acuff, Idalou, Becton and to the north line of the county, a total of 176 miles of paving for the entire county.

Is Slaton Entitled to a Square Deal on the Road Bonds?

If so, every voter in Slaton and communities should make his and her voice heard

at the polls in no uncertain terms. This is Slaton's chance. The Slatonite, always in the vanguard in a fight for Slaton's progress, has confidence in the honesty of the big majority of Lubbock people to vote with Slaton and the rest of the county for a square deal all around. The Slatonite believes that Slaton people will vote almost 100 per cent for the bonds.

Slaton has been flooded with propaganda from the opposition. How in the world can they expect to convince Slaton people that they should knife themselves? All together, let's go to the polls and vote for a square deal.

Slaton Baptists Send Delegates to San Angelo Meet

Rev. B. G. Holloway, pastor of the First Baptist church here, and several others from the church left Slaton Wednesday afternoon for San Angelo to attend the annual State B. Y. P. U. Convention which is in progress there, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The party is expected to return by Sunday. Rev. Holloway intends to be in his pulpit again Sunday morning, it is announced.

Brannon is Given Wholesale Agency For Oil Company

A. L. Brannon, well known throughout this section, having been engaged in the hardware business in Slaton for several years, has established a wholesale oil agency here, it was announced early this week.

The Penn-Sentinel agency has been accepted by Mr. Brannon here, it was stated, and the agency includes twelve counties in this territory. Mr. Brannon will have charge of this entire territory.

J. S. Edwards, A. C. Benton, and S. R. and J. S. Cade returned Sunday from the Davis mountains, where they spent several days on a hunting trip. The party reported a "big" success.

Tax Assessor in Favor of Paving Lubbock Co. Roads

J. W. Buchanan, tax assessor and tax collector for the Slaton Independent School District, a man who has made taxes and property valuations a close study for years, states he is for the county-wide road bond issue which is to be voted on next Saturday. He says he doesn't see how it can afford to fail to carry, if property tax-payers are looking into the situation as a taxpayer should.

Mr. Buchanan is only one of many close observers who, during the past few days, have expressed themselves as being highly in favor of the issue carrying.

"With the present demand and need for hurry-up travel, we cannot afford to have anything less than the best of roads," Mr. Buchanan stated.

J. G. Shelton Died At Home Here Wednesday

J. G. Shelton, aged 47 years, died at his home here Wednesday at about noon, and his body was buried in Englewood cemetery Thursday afternoon, following funeral services conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. B. F. Dixon, Baptist pastor, of Lorenzo, and Rev. James Rayburn, pastor of the Slaton Presbyterian church. Services were held at three o'clock.

Deceased is survived by his wife and several children, it was noted.

Harvey Austin's Home is Damaged By Saturday Fire

Answering the fire alarm here Saturday morning about ten o'clock, Harvey Austin, city secretary, rode the fire truck to the scene of the blaze and found his own recently finished home on fire. It is supposed to have started from defective wiring.

Firemen quickly brought the fire under control, after breaking through the roof with axes to permit heavy streams of water to play on the blazing embers. Considerable damage by fire, smoke and water was caused. Furniture was removed from the building to prevent injury. Insurance was carried on the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin were married Oct. 12, immediately occupying their new home, which is located at 1155 South Ninth street.

Slaton Fans See Conference Game At Dallas Thurs.

Four Slaton football fans left early Wednesday for Dallas, where they expected to attend the annual Texas Christian University and Southern Methodist University football clash. They are: Carl W. George, ...

ELY SAYS BOND ISSUE SHOULD BE PASSED

Speaking before a gathering of Slaton citizens and visitors from Lubbock, assembled at the city hall here Wednesday night, Judge W. R. Ely, of Abilene, member of the State Highway Commission said Lubbock County voters should approve the county road bond issue by a large majority when the election is held Saturday of this week.

Prefacing his remarks with the statement that he did not wish to coerce people to do something against their own will, and declaring his motive for visiting here at this time is found in his intense interest in highway development in Texas, Judge Ely said highway building in Texas is the biggest thing for general prosperity that can be done.

"You have reached the period in your development when you need paved roads very badly, and it would be a paying proposition to vote these bonds," Judge Ely said. "Since 1917, Texas has spent about \$80,000,000 on good roads, less than ten per cent of which has been placed in West Texas. But, you people are waking up, and it is now up to you to get your share of the highway money. You are now paying gasoline taxes and registration fees to help build and maintain paved roads in other parts of this state, and it would be mighty good business on your part to pave your own roads and get some of this money for your own highways."

Judge Ely declared in favor of a state road bond issue to be retired by gasoline taxes, and which would give Texas an adequate system of highways. He said he believed the time would soon come when such a move would be made in this state, but urged counties to proceed in voting road bonds and building paved roads without delay, thus getting earlier benefit from the roads and being eligible for reimbursement on the amounts expended when the state bond issue becomes effective.

"If you wait for the state bond issue, you will probably get one state highway paved in the next several years, whereas if you go ahead and vote this bond issue you can pave all your state highways and several lateral roads. This will mean unlimited benefit for your county as a whole, and will place you in the lead in West Texas, increasing your prosperity and influence," the highway official said.

Judge Ely said this section of the state is populated with a fine people, the choice folks from "back east", and declared that this part of the state has "a wonderful future". He said Texas will see more development in the next ten years than ever before in a similar period in her history.

Urging that the bond issue as now proposed is particularly good because it provides for lateral roads, Judge Ely said if he were a citizen of Lubbock County he would support the bond issue "because it gives good roads to the farmers who do not live on the state highways, and this will mean more to increase farm prosperity and to build the cities of the county than any other on thing that could be done."

The highway leader said he has observed that this part of West Texas has stepped forward in the matter of building good schools, and in other public improvement projects, and said he could not understand how any West Texas citizen could oppose a good road bond issue which gives the whole county such a fair deal as does the bond issue now proposed. He said he would be greatly disappointed if Lubbock County failed to approve this bond issue, and declared he would watch with much interest the outcome of the election Saturday.

In pointing out the value of good roads to farmers, Judge Ely said the most of the roads would be more than repaid in the aid farmers would receive in marketing their products, eggs, cream, and other farm products. He said towns, as well as farm families, will always prosper and are situated on good roads.

DR. FRANK CRANE SAYS.

Attraction of the Old.

Laying aside all sex appeal and things of that sort many people believe that old persons are more interesting than young ones.

There comes a time in a man's life when a woman of forty is more interesting than one of eighteen. Beside the mature woman a girl is rather crude.

People who go to Europe love to poke around among the antiques. There is a sort of sentimental interest in anything that is old. Many people despise America because it is too new.

There is no doubt that the old has a certain sentimental value. H. G. Wells says that when every house is heated by electricity millionaires will have smoke coming out of their chimneys to give them an antique appearance—artificial smoke.

At Hampton Court in England is a grapevine which brings the government more than six thousand dollars a year.

Only a little of the money is derived from the grapes it bears. Most of it comes from admission paid to see the vine because it is almost 160 years old.

There is only one thing that interests man more than the new.

It is the old. Anything that endures—whether it be a bit of canvas, a scrap of ancient oriental tapestry, an Etruscan wine jar, a bit of Mayan inscription on a volcanic rock from the forests of Guatemala, a printed page, or a lofty sequoia redwood—interests and fascinates man.

The fact that it has existed from the time his unknown ancestors lived, and will continue to resist the ravages of time long after he is dead, has something to do with his interest.

Mortal man looking at something which contains a touch of immortality is awed and fascinated.

HAS FINE BIRD.

Mrs. S. D. Martin, whose White Wyandottes took first place at the Lubbock Fair, has just received from Port Dover, in the province of Ontario, Canada, a White Wyandotte cockerel which cost her \$21.25. Just what would be the proper procedure, should a bird of so aristocratic lineage get into the garden and proceed to eat up the green, is a puzzle. To "chuck" him out would be a plebeian proceeding, to wring his neck would be expensive. Perhaps, in a case of this kind, one should open the gate, remove the hat, and politely bow him out.—Contributed.

CORSICANA SHIPS 2 CARS COTTON SEED TO CHINA

CORSICANA.—Two carloads of pure bred Mebane cottonseed, approximating 1,000 bushels, were shipped from Corsicana Friday, consigned to the Sung-Sing Cotton and Spinning Company of Shanghai, China, for use on one of the Chinese cotton plantations.

The seed was shipped to Houston, from which port it will be loaded on a China-bound boat.

Mrs. Elsie Graham of Chicago was granted a divorce on offering as evidence a letter from her husband saying that "one wife means monotony".

Sickly Boy, 7, Gains 15 lbs.—Father Happy

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CANDY CAUSES BAD TEETH.

From a study of many thousand school children in Oklahoma, the greatest number of dental defects found are caused by excessive use of candy and lack of natural foods, the December 1 Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman reports. However, a great contributing cause is absence of sun-rays from the body. Dental defects constitute children's most common affliction. The use of natural foods and sunlight for development of sound teeth is advised.

QUICK WAY TO BAKE POTATOES.

Allow potatoes to stand in hot water for fifteen minutes before baking and it will take only half the usual time to bake them. This saves both time and fuel.

Additional street paving has been ordered for the city of Plainview, in Hale county.

So the Step-Ladder Won't Slip.

Nail a piece of rubber on the bottom of the legs of your step-ladder and it cannot slip. This has prevented many a painful fall.

Thomas Kerslake, aged 95, of Uffculme, Eng., was married to Mrs. Jane Thompson, aged 91.

Mrs. Robert Bell of Glasgow gave a party for her dog Billie on its 22nd birthday.

ed from Floydada, where he was stationed a few days relieving Conductor Oakley, who was ill.

Blasted out of solid rock, a new "strong room" covering an area of two and a half acres has been constructed 150 feet below the Bank of France in Paris.

Henry Rawson of Chicago testified that his breaking a chair over his wife's head was an accident.

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MARSHMALLOWS	Angelus Small Package	.07
YAMS	East Texas 10 Pound	.35
BAKING POWDER	K. C. 25 oz. Can	.19
PECANS	Medium Size Per Pound	.24
PEANUT BUTTER	Beechnut 10½ oz. Glass	.24
COCOA	Hersheys 1 Pound Can	.29
FLOUR	Honey Bee 48 Pound Sack	1.63
COFFEE	Folgers 2 Pound Can	1.06
FIG PRESERVES	Royal Quart Jar	.53
MACKEREL	Tall Can	.13
CORN	Round Up Standard No. 2 Can	.10
TOMATOES	No. 2 Can	.09
POTATOES	Colorado Blue Tags No. 1's, 10 Pound	.18

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INTEREST INCREASING IN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Last Sunday was a splendid day with the Church of the Nazarene, the local pastor filling the pulpit both morning and evening. Among other things, he said, "We are to serve the Lord in such a manner as to prove to the people of Slaton beyond any shadow of a doubt that the motive of our movement is to be a blessing to the kingdom of God and to uplift and encourage every member of every church in town." He said, "We will be a blessing or a curse, and by the Grace of God, we are going to be a blessing, and to be the blessing we should, it must be recognized that God is in our midst." It has been said that the glory of God in the midst of His people will solve their every problem.

The congregation was the largest since Rev. Short has been in town. It is encouraging to see some coming that have not been out for some time. We are glad to see different departments of the church taking on new life. We shall be delighted to get into our new building, the construction of which we hope soon to start. The little band of Nazarenes are a live band of people and they expect to leave nothing undone to stimulate their zeal and aggressiveness. Preparation for caring for every department of the church is being inaugurated. The public will find a friendly warmhearted band of spiritual people as can be found, with a deep-seated determination that staggers not at the obstacles, but shows signs of real success.

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. at 6:30 p. m.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Subject, Sunday morning, "The Overcomer". Subject Sunday night, "The Soul That Sinnereth—it Shall Die". The church going public will find a cordial welcome at "The Lives" Church in the City".
Reporter.

Robert Berkey, of Wichita, Kan., after pleading guilty to stealing a car was freed because he had a perfect Sunday school attendance for 10 years.

Six white girls of London were married to Chinese in a single week.

New Group Planning Poultry Improvement

Definite steps toward the improvement of Oklahoma poultry through the accreditation plan have been taken with the organization of the Oklahoma Poultry Improvement association, the December 1 Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman reports. This organization is planning the establishment of standard and uniform grades for chicks, breeders and eggs.

Fifty-one breeders and hatcheries from 17 counties were represented at the organization meeting held at Oklahoma A. and M. college recently. Briefly, the plan adopted for carrying on the improvement in Oklahoma calls for the production of eggs for hatching from flocks that have been uniformly culled to eliminate birds with standard disqualifications together with those that are lacking in breed characteristics, are weak in constitution and vigor and not physically fit to be heavy egg producers.

Hatcheries selling accredited chicks will hatch them from eggs weighing not less than 23 ounces per dozen. The accredited chicks must weigh eight pounds per 100 at the time of hatching, which is a guarantee to the buyer that good incubation has been done in hatching the eggs.

CARPENTERS BACK PAYING BONDS

Unanimously endorsing the \$2,001,000 county-wide paving bond issue which is to be voted upon next Saturday, members of the local carpenters union last night pledged support of the project as outlined by the Lubbock County Good Roads Association.

The local union, No. 1884 of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, went on record as favoring the good roads policy of the county. A resolution to this effect was drawn up, and was signed by R. N. Lambert, president of the local organization, and C. M. Barnes, recording secretary. — Lubbock Daily Journal.

from the county jail. In the sawing they used tobacco cans, it was stated, and were making fairly good headway when their action was observed by the jailer.

THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF TOBACCO.

Further reflection on the case for the unconstitutionality of tobacco, submitted by Miss Lorraine Elizabeth Wooster, former state superintendent of public opinion in Kansas, confirms our horseback opinion that there is nothing to it. Speaking constitutionally, the pure food and drugs act to which she refers as prohibiting the sale of things harmful to persons, came a long time after the Constitution was written. As to the Constitution, quite a few of the gentlemen who wrote it were engaged in the commercial production of tobacco; it did not occur to them to write it into the Constitution that it was harmful.

But there is another point involved in Miss Wooster's argument. If it might be conceded that under the broadest construction of the Constitution the sale of harmful things is prohibited, there still would remain as an obstacle to the bringing of things under that prohibition the necessity of demonstrating (say to the supreme court) that they are harmful. That, we would say off-hand, would be considerable of an obstacle, in spite of the pure food act on which Miss Wooster relies for the strength of her argument. For if it could be made good, to the extent she assumes, the effect of it certainly would be to take cucumbers away from this writer who is made ill by them every time he is foolish enough to eat them. Where, then, if the constitutional prohibitions run so far, is the process going to stop? Every grocer who should sell cucumbers to a person made ill by them would be liable to prosecution.

The personal susceptibilities of a population so vast as ours must be widely various; stomachs differ so, you know. Some can stand tobacco and some revolt at catsup. But the

Constitution does not regard catsup as harmful, nor does the pure food act except in cases where catsup is red otherwise than by nature.

But refining the point made by Miss Wooster with respect to tobacco, there is only one means of establishing, as a matter of concrete fact, whether it is harmful or not, and then only with respect to the individual. The protester can, by using it herself, discover whether it is harmful to her or not, but her discovery would prove nothing with respect to anybody else. If any lady should decide to make the experiment we would recommend a mild tobacco at first. We started with a strong one and the results were not altogether agreeable.—Kansas City Star.

FILL THE SMOKE HOUSE.

Smoke houses in Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas ought to be pretty well filled this winter. According to the December 1 Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman, more hogs are in the pens than for some years back, and the price of hogs is such that it will pay to keep back a full supply for family use.

Hard Sauce for Puddings.

Oak Hall Recipe Series.
Beat 1 cup of sugar and 1/2 cup of butter to a white cream (this is the secret of the smooth, nongrainy sauce). Add the beaten whites of 2 eggs, and beat a few minutes longer. A tablespoon of fruit juice or a teaspoon of vanilla or lemon may be added for flavor.

The Substantial Fellow

The lad who opens each pay envelope and takes out a stipulated amount to be added to his savings is the one who, in a little while, will have the cash to buy a home—go into business or take advantage of one of the many opportunities that cross his path.

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You doubtless have heard that expression many times, but it is again used to tell you "old Santa" will visit us in a little less than a month.

We want to remind you of the pleasant time as had by all last December at the Acorn Stores, where Santa will have his headquarters again for the holidays. All children please remember this, and this year on about December 18th, we shall endeavor to gladden the hearts of both young and old and do our part in putting Christmas cheer into every home.

We will have something for the children to make them happy, both in souvenirs and a huge assortment of toys.

You will remember Acorn's outstanding low prices and high values on all toys and gift goods. This year we are offering a bigger and better assortment and solicit your patronage solely on the merits of our values.

Yours for a joyous Holiday Season,

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Saturday, December 1, 9 a. m.

in one of the most startling efforts ever before launched by Payne's in the history of their business for the past 11 years. We all know the buying season is late this fall, by 30 days, caused by the inclement weather, therefore, we must put 60 days business in 20 business days. To do this we must be RIGHT with our prices, as we must unload our already too heavy stock, by placing the knife in our stock, which is now complete. We are proud of our stock as never before. Our goods have been bought right and the price is right for Quality and Dependable Merchandise, BUT we must sacrifice all profit and get in the CASH for CASH it takes to pay bills. We want to make December our biggest month of 1928.

A few prices from our different departments will show that we mean business, as business we want and must have.

We are leaving out one word in this "ad" that we've always used in our other "ads". WHAT IS IT?

First person who tells us the word that we are leaving out will be given \$1.00 in merchandise Saturday morning after opening. Store will be opened promptly at 9 o'clock, Saturday, Dec 1st. If more than one person brings in the right word, we will allow them a 10% discount on their purchase.

In our Dress and Piece Goods Department, we have put the knife deep to sell.

Ladies' Silk Hose—here you will find our stock complete and greatly reduced in all lines, except our Onyx brand, which is restricted to \$1.50 and \$1.95.

Men's Trousers—in addition to all reduced prices here, we especially cut our \$5.00 lace and button bottom to \$2.50, to close out.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Here we have the best line we have ever bought. Dresses as low as

\$4.95

Coats

Ladies' and Misses' Coats, with fur trimmings, as low as

\$9.95



Men's Hats



All reduced except Stetsons, which are restricted, from **\$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$16.50** and up to **\$25.00**

Men's Clothing

In our Clothing Department we will show you Men's Suits, as low as

\$9.95

And none higher than

\$29.95



Shoe Department

Men's Oxfords, as low as \$3.95, regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. All leather and built to stand the wear and tear that you don't get out of a cheap shoe.

Ladies' Shoes, valued from \$3.75 to \$7.50, going at \$2.95 to \$5.95. All leather and well-known brands, that will satisfy.



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It will be worth 10% to you on your purchase. Good any day.

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Free Every Saturday

Which will be Saturday, Dec. 1st, Saturday, Dec. 8th, Saturday, Dec. 15th, and Saturday, Dec. 22nd, we will give away one piece of Silverware. Dec. 22nd will be a nice Christmas present for you **ABSOLUTELY FREE.**

DR FRANK CRANE SAYS

Why Give Up.
I have received a very pitiful letter from a woman out west. She has had a hard time all her life. She has raised three children, who do nothing for her support. When her husband died he was found to have been improvident and left her no money. She has gone stone deaf. On top of this she has just had a very serious operation in a hospital.

She can see no way out. Nothing presents itself to her but continued suffering, privation and dependence. She is about ready to give up. What should she do?

Why give up?

Of course, it is difficult for any one in comparative health and well being to give advice to sufferers. One is always open to the imputation of being supercilious. It is always easy for the philosopher to bear the toothache patiently when some one else has it.

At the same time, and at the risk of being called hard names, I repeat the question, "Why give up?"

Suppose you do give up. Will life be any easier to bear?

It is just as well to look squarely at the alternative.

When some one told Tolstoy that many kind, virtuous, and honest people had a very hard time, he replied: "What about those that are unkind, not virtuous and dishonest? Look about you. Do the people like that whom you know have any easier time?"

The Church in the Middle Ages is often accused of being very cruel. But what about the people outside of the Church. Were they any less cruel?

Life may be hard at best, but it is easier and pleasanter all around if we keep a stout heart and do the best we can under the circumstances.

Whatever may be in store for this woman, whatever deprivation and suffering, we can be sure that she will get along better if she meets her fate bravely and smilingly and does not give way to despair.

Whatever happens to us we are better off if we battle on and keep our chin up.

Despair is nothing but a bog, a quicksand, that engulfs the soul. It leaves us no spirit with which to fight.

When a Persian soldier told a Lacedaemonian that in battle the Persian arrows would be so thick they would darken the sky, "then," said the Lacedaemonian, "we will fight in the shade."

Having no other instruments at hand Dr. W. W. Council removed a patient's tonsils with a jack knife at a remote settlement in Alaska.

THEY PAY FOR THEMSELVES IN A SEASON

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TO STUDY UNEMPLOYMENT.

The study of unemployment by the senate committee on education and labor is a timely contribution to a question of great economic importance. While the basic causes of unemployment are pretty well understood, the extent of it has not been determined. Also there are contributing causes that probably will be revealed in the forthcoming investigation.

The report should be of great aid to the Hoover administration in the announced policy of dealing with unemployment in practical and effective fashion. The Hoover plan to reserve funds and public projects for slack times, and with these funds and projects take up unemployed labor when it takes promising significance with the election of Hoover to the presidency and its reiteration, in his name, through the recent convention of governors. When we know, from an exhaustive report, the causes and extent of unemployment and its distribution

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. MCKENZIE THURSDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. A. C. McKenzie, who died Tuesday at a Lubbock sanitarium, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock, at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. A. McDaniel, on South 13th St., by Rev. James Rayburn, pastor of the Slaton Presbyterian church, and Rev. B. F. Dixon, Baptist pastor, of Lorenzo. Interment was made in Englewood cemetery.

Mrs. McKenzie, who was 32 years of age at the time of her death, is survived by her husband and five small children; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Cowin, and two brothers and two sisters, all of Slaton.

Foster Funeral Home had charge of the burial.

throughout the country, we shall be better prepared to prescribe and apply the remedy.

WALTER P. CHRYSLER'S TRAFFIC TALKS



GOOD ROADS MEAN LONGER LIFE

That good roads mean longer life to motor cars is generally admitted but that the actual benefit measures a certain definite percent is less commonly known. A recent bulletin of the American Road Builders' Association states that the average life of motor vehicles in the United States has been increased 14 per cent, largely as a result of good roads.

As vital as the good road is to the car, it is equally vital to the community. Motorists avoid bad roads whenever they can. No roadway however direct can be sought at the expense of safety, comfort and speed. The community which does not keep up its roads will meet the same fate as the community of the past which, in its formative period, suffered the fate of being "off" the main railroad line. Such a town will die, commercially.

Traffic will wear over to the good road which is best a good road, and the stream of commerce which follows in its wake will be lost.

Good roads mean long life, not only to your car, but to your community and you.

Any community on a direct route across country should be alive to the possibilities of traffic and do all in its power to see that the conditions are favorable for the passing motorist.

Good roads kept in good condition are the best lure for the traveler. Not only does he appreciate the comfort they afford, but he knows they add to the life of his car.

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AMON G. CARTER, President

ROMANCE ENDS IN TRAGEDY IN DENVER HOSPITAL

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 28.—A chance meeting in a hospital reviving an acquaintanceship of eleven years ago was climaxed on Wednesday in the shooting to death of Robert K. Evans, a policeman. His former sweetheart, Farice King, 35-year-old nurse, is severely wounded.

Evans, recovering from a gun-shot wound suffered last Thursday night when he took part in a bootleg raid, was killed by a bullet fired into his head while he slept. Miss King is said to have turned a pistol on herself inflicting a wound in the breast which physicians said might prove fatal.

A note written by Miss King before she killed the officer provided the police with a brief explanation of the shooting, which occurred in the firemen-policemen ward at the Denver General Hospital. Scores of patients were aroused by the double crash of bullets.

Masons to Meet at Five-Thirty Today

Slaton Lodge, No. 1094, A. F. & A. M., will meet at the local Masonic Temple at 5:30 this (Friday) afternoon, it was stated by Thomas R. Cobb, W. M. The meeting was called for work in the Fellowcraft degree, he said.

Immediately following the Blue Lodge meeting, a Royal Arch Chapter meeting will be held.

Would You Know One If You Saw It?

If you ever came face to face with a germ, would you recognize it? Of course it is not likely that you ever will see a germ, unless you own a tremendously powerful microscope, for you would have to magnify one over a thousand times to make it as big as a pin head. But you should recognize the fact that these tiny germs can get into your blood streams through the smallest cut, and give you typhoid fever, tuberculosis, lockjaw, blood poisoning, and many more dangerous and perhaps fatal diseases. There is one sure safeguard against these dangers—washing every cut, no matter how small, thoroughly with Liquid Borosone, the safe antiseptic. You can get Liquid Borosone at City Drug Store.

"GOOD SAMARITAN" PUT TO SLEEP AND ROBBED

LOCKHART, Texas, Nov. 28.—A prominent citizen, on his way to Lubbock some days ago picked up a man and woman hitch-hiking down the State highway in the same direction he was going. The good man halted his car and invited them to be his guests and they were soon on their way. He was offered a drink, and declining, was finally persuaded to take just one teeny tiny drink as a show of friendly companionship. The good Samaritan did and soon passed into a gentle sleep and when he awoke from his nap he was in Austin and of the \$12 or \$15 he had in his pockets, he found \$1.35 and a note thanking him kindly for the use of his car and saying that they had left him the amount, knowing that it would buy gas enough to bring him back to Lockhart.

D. D. Roderick, Jed Rix and Spence Wells, good roads enthusiasts of Lubbock, were here Wednesday night attending the good roads meeting, which Judge W. R. Ely, of Abilene, addressed taxpayers of this section in the interest of the road bond election to be held Saturday.

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Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time regardless of how much one tries to avoid it. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not a habit forming preparation. Syrup Pepsin is pleasant-tasting, and youngsters love it. It does not gripe. Thousands of mothers have written us to that effect.



Dr. Caldwell did not approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. In a practice of 47 years he never saw any reason for their use when a medicine like Syrup Pepsin will empty the bowels just as promptly, more cleanly and gently, without griping and harm to the system.

Keep free from constipation! It robs your strength, hardens your arteries and brings on premature old age. Do not let a day go by without a bowel movement. Do not sit and hope, but go to a druggist and get one of the generous bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take the proper dose that night and by morning you will feel like a different person. Use Syrup Pepsin for

yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crampy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Always have a bottle in the house, and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open.

We would be glad to have you prove at our expense how much Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can mean to you and yours. Just write "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, and we will send you prepaid a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.

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SLATON SPECIALS!

Trading in Slaton and to Create A Better Understanding
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<p>Special for Saturday Only Batteries for Ford, Chevrolet and Other Light Cars \$7.50 And the Old Battery GREEN'S GARAGE</p>	<p>Special Saturday 15 Per Cent Off on all Suits THE MEN'S STORE</p>	<p>When You Come to Slaton Saturday, Bring a Bale of Cotton or Some Produce Highest Prices Paid</p>		
<p>JACK HENDRICKS CAFE Little But Loud</p>	<p>ELROD & BIRKES For Your Furniture. The Cheapest Place in Slaton. A Big Reduction on Gas Heaters</p>	<p>Visit Our Store Saturday And see our Special Bargains CITY DRUG STORE</p>	<p>TEXAS GROCERY & MARKET Santa's Peaberry Coffee, 3 lbs., \$1.00 Spuds Idaho Rurals, 25 lbs. 50c Phone No. 7</p>	<p>For Saturday Only Indian Blankets 66x80 Part Wool Indian Blankets, \$3.00 value, Special, \$2.00 KESSEL'S</p>
<p>Special on Light Bulbs This week MORLEY HARDWARE CO. Phone 121</p>	<p>WOOLEVER PLUMBING CO. Special on Adams Gas Heater Phone 151</p>	<p>SMITH FILLING STATION 30x3½ Tubes, 93c Saturday Only</p>	<p>RED CROSS PHARMACY West Side of Square Our Drugs are Fresh, Our Prices Right. Phone 3</p>	<p>Special for Saturday 20% off on all Wool Rugs O. D. McCLINTOCK FURNITURE West Side Square Telephone No. 130</p>
<p>CHICK'S MARKET & GROCERY 8 lb. Southern Queen Lard \$1.12 West Side Square Phone 5</p>	<p>K & P MOTOR Anti Freeze at Special Price Dec. 1</p>	<p>ROCKWELL BROS. & CO. The yard of Courtesy and Service. No bill too small or too large for our attention. Submit them. Telephone 15</p>	<p>CITY BAKERY Especially fine Fruit Cakes and Raisin Bread at any grocery store</p>	<p>Overalls Men's Union Made, Standard 2.20 weight Denim, \$1.29 ACORN STORES, Inc. Always Dependable Merchandise</p>

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**W. M. S. Program
For Week of Prayer
For World Missions**

DEC. 4-7, 1928.

Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1928.

Subject: Africa Calls for the Light.
Leader: Mrs. M. W. Ussell.
Hymn: "I Gave My Life for Thee".
Bible Reading: Waiting to Know God as a Savior.

Week's Slogan: (In Unison) Matt. 4:16.

Africa Calls in the Night—Mrs. C. V. Young.

Africa Calls for (1) Missionaries, (2) Schools, (3) Hospitals—Mrs. B. G. Holloway.

Hymn: "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood".

Leaflet: The Work of Grace at Lagos—Mrs. Porterfield.

Africa Calls for More Native Workers—Mrs. Fred Stottlemire.

Prayers that the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering may greatly help to answer these calls.

Talk: Africa's Womanhood Calls to Southern Baptist Womanhood—Mrs. Milton Thomas.

Watchword for the year (in unison): Isa. 54:2.

Hymn for the year: "The Kingdom is Coming".

Wednesday, Dec. 5th, 1928.

Subject: Japanese Who Wait for the Light of the Stars.

Leader—Mrs. Jarman.

Lord's Prayer (in unison).

Bible Readings: Waiting to Know God as Comforter.

Talk: "Work of Native Japanese Christian—Mrs. D. W. Liles.

Prayer for Christian Work in Japan

Talk: Waiting for the Light in Japan—Mrs. E. M. Lott.

Week's Slogan (in unison): Matt. 4:16.

Leaflet: "Something Better"—Mrs. L. R. Gregory.

Talk: A Call to Southern Baptist for Japan—Mrs. Weaver.

Watchword for the Year: "The Kingdom is Coming".

Thursday, Dec. 6, 1928.

Subject: The Mission Fields of Paul Wait for Southern Baptists.

Leader: Clara Lee Thomas.

Hymn: Year's "The Kingdom is Coming".

Year's Watchword (in unison): Isa. 54:2.

Hymn.

Bible readings: Waiting to Know the Love of God.

Solo: "The Ninety and Nine"—Mrs. D. W. Liles.

Talk: Southern Baptist Work in Italy and Spain—Mrs. W. D. Harris.

Prayers for this work.

Leaflet: A Venetian Baptist—Mrs. Wiley Fowler.

Talk: Voices That Call to Macedonian Fields—Mrs. L. A. Wilson.

Prayers for Work in Central Europe.

Talk: Returning to the Land of Our Lord's Early Ministry—Mrs. P. G. Stokes.

Week's Slogan (in unison): Matt. 4:16.

Friday, Dec. 7, 1928.

Subject: China Awaits the Coming of the Prince of Peace.

Leader: W. O. Bowen.

Hymn: "Joy to the World, the Lord is Come".

Solo: "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem"—Mrs. W. D. Harris.

Bible Readings: Waiting to Know the Peace of God.

Talk: China's Millions Wait for Peace—Mrs. E. C. Foster.

Leaflet: A Glimpse into a Chinese Village—Mrs. Florence.

Talk: God's Response to China Through Southern Baptist—Mrs. H. C. Burrus.

Story of Miss Lottie Moon's Life—Mrs. Arms.

Week's Slogan (in unison): Matt. 4:16.

Year's Hymn: "The Kingdom is Coming".

Year's Watchword (in unison): Isa. 54:2.

CLASS TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

The December meeting of the Home Makers' Class, of the Baptist Sunday school will be held Wednesday, December 5, at the home of Mrs. D. T. Cummings, it was announced this week by officials of the class. The session will begin promptly at 3:30 p. m., it was stated, and all class members are urged to attend.

CIRCLE TWO MEETS.

Circle No. 2, of the W. M. U., of the Baptist church, met Tuesday afternoon, November 27, at the home of Mrs. L. R. Gregory, on West Garza St. A good number of the membership was present, according to reports, and the Sunday school manual course was the study.

Mrs. Louisa Job of Chicago testified that her husband had bargained to sell her for \$50 down and \$25 on delivery, but that she refused to be delivered.

Japanese "reformers" printed "Get to Work," on the faces of women idlers and shoppers on the streets of Tokyo, using rubber stamps.

From all over the world come reports of the reliability of the New Ford

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A well-known tire company, solely to test tires, drove a new Ford more than 90,000 miles in six months. Throughout that time, the car was run day and night, an average of twenty-two hours out of every twenty-four. The entire cost of repair parts was only \$38 for the entire 90,000 miles.

Another tire company, making a similar test, drove the new Ford more than 80,000 miles in a short period, at a cost per mile that was fully 60% less than any figure it had previously known.

**More than 8000 miles
in three weeks!**

One of the first of the new Fords was driven from Dearborn, Michigan, to Los Angeles to San Francisco to New York and back to Dearborn—a distance of 8328 miles—in twenty-one days. Through ice and sleet, up mountain peaks, through desert sands, over macadam and deeply rutted dirt roads, it traveled at an average speed of 40.9 miles an hour.

Practically a year of average driving was done in three weeks' yet the entire trip was made without the need of a single major adjustment or repair.

Another new Ford, as a test of hill-climbing, was driven from San Bernardino, California, over the National Old Trails and Swartout Valley Highway, to the Big Pines Recreation Camp. The entire 36.2 miles were made in high gear—a particularly severe test because of the sharp turns and a stretch of 5.7 miles where the grade rises precipitously from 3000 to 6075 feet.

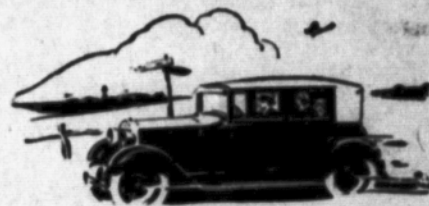
Previously this same car had broken the time record between Los Angeles and Phoenix, Arizona, and had made a 500-mile circle of Muroc Dry Lake in the Mohave Desert at an average speed of 62.51 miles an hour.

In Germany, the new Ford won first prize in one of the most severe all-around tests to which a motor car has ever been subjected—the utility and reliability contest of the Allgemeiner Deutscher Automobil Club. This contest included not only speed and reliability but starting, acceleration, hill-climbing, fuel economy and braking efficiency.

Long, low and fleet are the lines and strikingly beautiful the colors of the new Fordor Sedan. Richly appointed throughout, in the manner of a custom-built car. An exceptionally comfortable car because of the new transverse springs, Houdaille hydraulic shock absorbers and the generous space provided in front and rear compartments.

**A part of the very life
of this country**

Other incidents are even more dramatic. A letter from Albany, N. Y., tells how the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield of the new Ford prevented injuries from flying glass when a physician's car was forced off the road into a telegraph pole. A news-reel photographer tells how the brakes on the new Ford saved his life when, speeding through a blizzard to film a ship-wreck, he found himself suddenly on the very edge of a 50-foot cliff. From a far western state a husband and father writes gratefully to tell how the sturdiness of the new Ford "saved the lives of my family" when the car was struck by a hit-and-run driver.



Further tribute to the sturdiness, reliability and general all-around performance of the new Ford is shown in the repeated and growing purchases by Federal and city governments, by police departments, and by large industrial companies which keep definite day-by-day cost records. The new Ford has been chosen only after exhaustive competitive tests covering speed, smoothness, acceleration, hill-climbing, oil and gas consumption, safety, comfort, and low upkeep cost.

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**A purpose beyond sales
or profits**

The new Ford was not designed primarily for sales and profits. It goes beyond men and materials. It is the expression of an ideal—an ideal that looks toward bringing the benefits of modern, economical transportation to all the people.

On September 13, 1928, a new Ford car was driven to the summit of Ben Nevis, the highest mountain in Great Britain. This extremely difficult and dangerous ascent was made over rockstrewn, almost impassible mountain trails—an example of the unusual stamina and performance of the new Ford. The Ford is the only car that has ever made this ascent.

Back of the new Ford are manufacturing and production methods as unusual as the car itself. Without these, it would be impossible to give you the value that is in the new Ford. Because of them, it is unquestionably the best motor car that can be made at a low price without sacrificing quality anywhere along the line.

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Come in and buy that Christmas Gift early. We have a large stock from which to select.

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Do You Realize

there are only twenty more shopping days until Christmas?

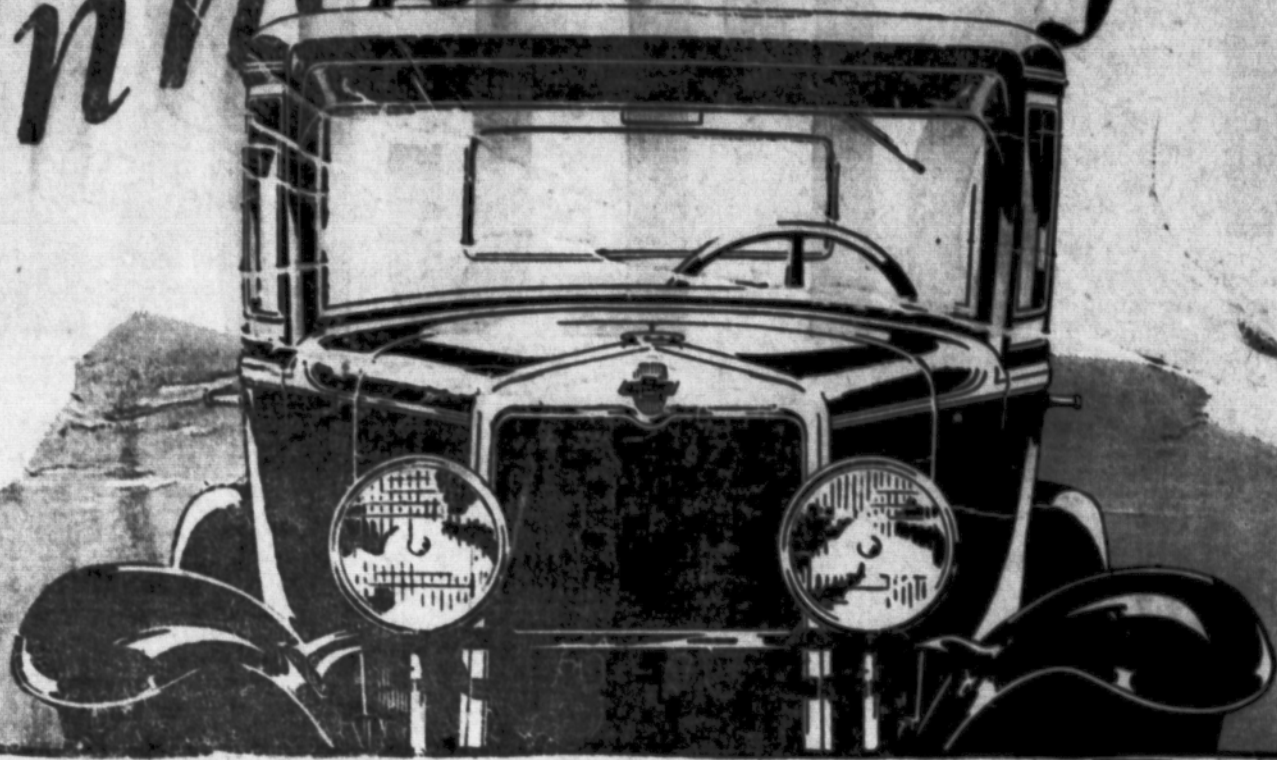
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Advance Showings

The Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History will be displayed in a series of advance showings in the cities listed below:

- New York, Nov. 24-25, Waldorf Astoria Hotel and Chevrolet Retail Store, Broadway at 57th
- Detroit, Nov. 24-29, General Motors Bldg. Auditorium
- Washington, D. C., Dec. 1-4, The Mayflower Hotel
- Chicago, Dec. 1-6, Pure Oil Bldg., Wacker Drive & Wabash Avenue
- Los Angeles, Dec. 1-6, Ambassador Hotel Auditorium
- San Francisco, Dec. 8-13, Civic Auditorium Larkin Hall
- Cincinnati, Dec. 8-14, Hotel Sinton
- St. Louis, Dec. 8-14, Arcadia Ballroom 3515 Olive St.
- Atlanta, Dec. 18-22, The Auditorium—Armory
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***It Is Equitable For Lubbock County as a
Whole***

The proposed system of roads is fair for all of Lubbock County. While the population of the western half of the county is only ONE-FOURTH the population of the eastern half, the western half will get nearly FORTY PER CENT of this bond issue for their roads—a much larger proportion than their population would suggest. Let's get what we are entitled to while we have our only chance to do so.

***It Is Thoroughly Sound From a Tax
Standpoint***

Taxes cannot be increased more than 53c on the \$100 assessed valuation of property for county tax purposes. It is very likely never to be that high. The county's total valuations are such that a much heavier issue of road bonds could be safely voted and still be far below the amount of bonds many Texas counties have voted and which they have found profitable because of the benefits good roads have given in development of resources.

***It Means Millions of Dollars Profit For The
People of Lubbock County***

Millions of dollars in increased sales value of property, without increased tax valuations. A saving of at least \$900,000 yearly in operating cars and trucks owned in Lubbock County. Annual payment on the road bonds, interest and principal, is \$117,500, leaving a net saving of \$782,500 per year in operation of our motor vehicles alone. Thus, you see, we will save each year nearly seven times what the annual cost will be—merely in economy of motor transportation.

**Let's Keep Lubbock County In The March of Progress---Let's Save Slaton and
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FEDERAL HIGHWAY AID.

The State of New York has taken away from Texas the top place in the list of states availing themselves of federal aid for highway building. During the current fiscal year, the Empire State drew \$6,002,773 from the federal treasury, to go with another sum approximately three times as large which the state dug up out of its own pockets. Texas was second, with \$5,344,336. Other leading states in this respect were Iowa, Wisconsin, Ohio and Pennsylvania. In respect to federal aid for projects authorized and under construction, Texas fell to seventh place, placing behind Illinois, New York, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and barely beating out Wisconsin and Nebraska.

The significance of these figures is that the country as a whole is waking up to the possibilities of benefits from federal highway aid. In past years there has been opposition in Congress to this vicinity of the federal government from representatives of certain sections who saw states of the West getting all the funds. Now, however, the large beneficiaries are scattered all over the map.

The fundamental objection to federal aid for highways is a genuine one. The holding out of the promise of government assistance if the local communities vote taxes on themselves to build roads, may very frequently induce such communities to larger expenditures than they otherwise would authorize. The rapid upward trend of local taxation is caused in part by the federal practice of matching funds with states for certain public works. Nevertheless, the need for roads in this country is so great, that it is likely that the present highway aid program of the government will be renewed when the period of the current law expires. It is even probable that the program will be extended to provide a larger total aid and perhaps a higher percentage of federal aid in individual projects.

Texas needs roads, and will need more for many years to come. The fact that federal aid can be obtained should not be allowed to determine local decisions on road projects, but when these decisions are to be made it is a good thing to know that a part of the cost will be borne by Uncle Sam.

THANKSGIVING.

At last the harvest was bountiful, the gaunt spectre of starvation no longer haunted their daily lives, and the little band of hardy and courageous Pilgrims set aside a day to offer thanks to the Divine Providence that had at last brought them through their period of tribulations.

We all learned the story in school, the account of the first Thanksgiving day, but, at times, it is well to have its details brought back to our recollections.

Still facing hardships and dangers that would try the patience and soul of a modern citizen, these people still found much for which to be thankful. How much greater, therefore, is our

cause for offering up thanks at this time.

Living in comfortable, well-heated homes, in orderly and well-lighted cities, enjoying as necessities, things that were even beyond the comprehension of the last generation, having before us opportunities for development, prosperous living and valuable leisure, we may, indeed, regard ourselves as highly fortunate human beings, living in one of the finest and most amazing ages in the entire history of the world.

As citizens of America we may well be thankful, living as we do in a land affording greater material comforts, with more satisfactory opportunities for mental and spiritual growth, than any society has ever before offered to its citizens.

As citizens of Slaton, we may also feel thankful for the privileges we have of enjoying the company and society of a fine community of a right-thinking people, where personal friendship abounds, and the opportunity exists, and to take parts in the delightful task of making the city and surrounding communities the finest section in Texas—the finest in the world.

THE WORLD COURT TO BE REVIVED?

The United States always has given its support to arbitration. It has taken the lead in submitting international disputes to impartial boards for adjudication. It took part in setting up the independent tribunal at The Hague.

Is there any reason, then, for it to commit itself to another world court which is simply the auxiliary to the League of Nations? Except, of course, from the standpoint of the league's adherents, who are anxious to entice the United States into the league through the back door?

The country had assumed in the last campaign that the issue of American adherence to the world court was dead. It would be exceedingly unfortunate to have it revived in the last days of the Coolidge administration.

ONE WAY TO SIZE UP TEXAS.

In one way and another the size of the state of Texas is impressed on us. Its enormous area, for example, expressed in acres or square miles, awes us. The length and width and the distance from "tip to tip" make us marvel, particularly when we make comparisons with corresponding distances between interstate points. And now the proposal for an amendment to the Texas constitution to permit the issue of roads bonds to the extent of 350 millions gives us pause once more to reflect on the immensity of this state. We have heard of road bond issues up to 100 million dollars, but 350 million! Well, the people of Texas take pride in the dimensions and other demeritments of size.

If it were not for this pride of leadership in area, with inherent potentialities of leadership in many other ways because of sheer immensity, Texas might have been split up into several states long ago. When the republic of Texas was annexed and admitted to the union in 1845, the admis-

sion was subject to a joint resolution of congress reading in part:

New states, of convenient size, not exceeding four in number, in addition to the state of Texas, and having sufficient population, may hereafter, by consent of said state, be formed out of the territory thereof, which shall be entitled to admission under the provisions of the federal Constitution.

For years there has been recurrent speculation as to the possibilities of dividing Texas into two or more states, but discussion has ended with mere speculation. If the result of the recent election are indicative of a real division, politically, within the state, with different sections showing opposed political sentiments in a formidable way, consideration of division might be something more than speculation. If ultimately there should be five states the result would be ten United States senators where now there are only two. Senatorial representation has accounted for or hastened the admission of more than one state in our history. But we are inclined to think the Texans will be

J. T. Overby, local realtor, was a business visitor to Abilene this week.

The drinking of wood alcohol is being investigated, we notice in a news report. No doubt a report will be made to the effect that it is bad for one's system.

happy a long time in the distinction of their incomparable domain.—Kansas City Star.

Christmas draws near. Do your shopping early and do it here in Slaton. Our local merchants are well prepared to give you the merchandise and service you want.

Mrs. Chas. Pack and daughter, Betty, left Wednesday morning for Oklahoma City to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

It's usually foolish to give advice, but not quite so foolish as it is not to accept it.

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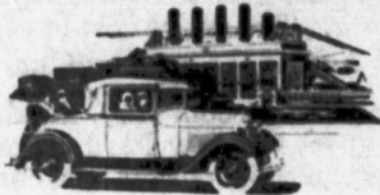
SUGAR	IMPERIAL, 25 lbs.	\$1.56
SOAP	P. and G., 5 Bars	.19
PRUNES	10 lb. Box	.94
PEACHES	BOX, 10 lbs.	1.14
YAMS	EAST TEXAS, Per Bu.	1.45
CORN	NIAGARA NO. 2, Per Can	.13
RICE	5 POUNDS	.33
PEANUT BUTTER	PECAN VALLEY, 6 lb. Pail	.83
PEANUT BUTTER	PECAN VALLEY, Wide Mouth Pint Jars	.28
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Take, for example, the generator—one of the most important parts of the electrical system which supplies the current for lighting and for engine ignition.

In the new Ford, the generator is of the power-house type and is distinctive in many features. It has been specially designed to prevent most forms of trouble. Oiling is necessary only once a year. About the only thing you need do is to have the charging rate changed as the seasons change.

Closely allied to the electrical system is the ignition system. It, too, is of new mechanical design in the new Ford. There is but one high tension cable and that connects the coil with the distributor. Even cables from the distributor to the spark plugs have been eliminated. Special care has also

been taken to make the distributor water-proof, thus preventing short circuits from rain, etc.

The entire electrical and ignition systems of the new Ford are so simple in design and so carefully made that they will give you surprisingly little trouble. Yet that doesn't mean they should be neglected. Certain little attentions are needed from time to time.

The storage battery should be given water and the connections kept clean. The generator charging rate should be changed as indicated. Spark plugs should be cleaned at regular intervals. Distributor points should also be kept clean and the distributor cam given a light film of vaseline every 2000 miles.

These are just little things, but they mean a great deal to your car. You can have them looked after at very small cost by the Ford dealer when you take the car in for oiling and greasing.

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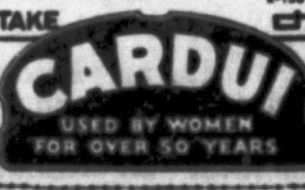
"I am much stronger and can accomplish so much more work now. My weight increased twenty pounds, and my color is good.

"For a long time I had been feeling poorly. Some days I dragged around the house and had not enough energy to do my housework.

"I worried a lot about myself. I did not seem like myself, and my nerves were all on edge. I did not sleep well, and my appetite left me.

"I found Cardui to be an excellent tonic. After I had taken it a few weeks, I began to pick up and to gain in weight and strength."

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YOUR GROCER
THAT YOU BE THE JUDGE

JUDGE ELY SAYS BONDS SHOULD BE PASSED
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"Good roads are even better for cities and rural sections than are railroads," Judge Ely said, and showed how great savings are enjoyed because of paved roads leading into all parts of different territories.

Tech College will be helped, and the boys and girls of Lubbock County can stay at home and attend that great school if this bond issue carries," the speaker said. He expressed the opinion that good highways in this county would mean more to the prosperity and development of the territory than Tech College has meant or will mean.

"Slaton and Idalou should certainly favor this road bond issue, and ought to vote unanimously for it," Judge Ely declared. "I don't know how to argue before an intelligent people to convince them that they should do a thing for their own best interests that is absolutely self-evident on the very face of it," he added.

The speaker declared that, if the present bond issue should fail and if Slaton should seek to create a separate road district to build roads in the eastern part of the county, it would cost a much higher rate of taxes. "You now have the advantage of getting roads for your city with Lubbock's large tax valuations carrying much of the burden for your roads. This is as it should be, but certainly you should recognize your opportunity that the grass is greener before it is gone."

Referring to the types of roads proposed in this county, Judge Ely said we caliche roads for the lateral projects in Lubbock County are exactly the same as those now being built in Bexar County around San Antonio, and that such roads are thoroughly dependable. He said several other Texas counties are building this type of roads for their state highways, and recommended that the bond issue be supported because of the high type of roads proposed for Lubbock County at this time.

Judge Ely closed his address by saying he "would be sorry for Lubbock County if the bond issue does not pass".

R. A. Baldwin, Slaton attorney, introduced Judge Ely, and spoke following the highway official's address. He said bonds for good roads will soon be passed in this county, and that Slaton now has the best opportunity she will ever have to get the roads the city needs.

"We can't build our city ahead of our background, and the construction of this system of roads will give Slaton a background upon which to grow and develop as would be possible in no other way," Judge Baldwin said. He also declared that the opposers of the proposed bond issue should be sincere in their opposition, and declared that "if you go into the western half of the county and try to get voters to kill this bond issue because the eastern half of the county is getting too many roads, and then come into the eastern

half of the county and argue that the roads proposed will not stand up and that taxes will be too high, you are not acting sincerely and ought to stop such tactics".

"Slaton and the eastern half of Lubbock County pay a heavy portion of the county's taxes, and ought to have all the roads now proposed," Judge Baldwin said. "If any group of citizens try to tell us to vote against these bonds, they are trying to lead us against our own best interests, and if the bond issue should fail, Slaton will in all probability try to defeat future bond issues, although it would doubtless be futile to attempt that, for the rest of the county could out-vote us. We recognize that we now have our best and only opportunity to get good roads that will meet our needs, and we are going to vote for the bond issue next Saturday. You can depend on that."

Judge Baldwin said the proposed bonds are fair for Lubbock County as a whole, and declared it would actually save him more in operating his car each year than his taxes would be increased.

Judge Ely left after the meeting to go to Plainview for an address there Thursday.

The meeting held here Wednesday night was under auspices of the Lubbock County Good Roads Association, of which J. A. Rix, of Lubbock, is president. Local officers include J. T. Overby, Slaton, vice president; P. G. Stokes, Slaton, member executive committee; L. A. Wilson, Slaton, secretary; A. C. McRae, Union, Director; R. S. Johnson, McClung, Director; and C. C. Wicker, Posey, Director.

Besides Mr. Rix, other visitors from Lubbock at Wednesday night's meeting included, Spencer Wells, D. D. Roderrick, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Abernathy, P. F. Brown, E. B. Speck, and others.

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W. E. Olive, active vice president of the Slaton State Bank, and his family, are in San Angelo, visiting with the Whitaker families. Mr. Olive and the Whitaker brothers expect to kill some wild turkeys during the weekend.
C. C. Hoffman, Jr., is in Austin this week, where he went to spend Thanksgiving with his brother, Howard, student at the State University, and to attend the football game between the University and the Texas A. & M. College.

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CATSUP	ARMOURS, LARGE BOTTLE	.18
LARD	PURE, 4 LB. PAIL	.59
PEANUT BUTTER	2 LB. PAIL	.39
SPUDS	10 POUNDS	.18
COCOANUT	1/2 POUND	.19
COCOANUT	1/4 POUND	.11
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