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RECEIPTS REVEAL HALL CO. VOTERS

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UTILITIES CO. SPONSORS TALKS ON EYE CARE

General care of the eyes and the proper use of artificial light for the care of eyesight is the subject of a series of educational lectures now being given in West Texas public schools under auspices of the safety department of the West Texas Utilities company.

Mrs. E. L. McGintie, representing the safety department of the company, who last fall visited all West Texas schools with a series of lectures on general safety topics, is again conducting this educational feature. She spoke in Memphis Wednesday to a large number of people.

In addition to presenting a very interesting and instructive talk on care and protection of the eyes, Mrs. McGintie carries with her a specially built lighting cabinet, designed and built by expert engineers in the laboratories of the General Electric company, which is used in a highly interesting fashion to show the effects of various colored lights, and the queer tricks that may be played on the vision by a shifting of lights and shadows.

She also carries with her a complete miniature motion picture which is used, wherever auditorium space is sufficient, showing films on the history of light through the ages, on the marvels of the X-ray and other topics.

S. E. TEMPLETON ROTARY CLUB SPEAKER

Dr. S. E. Templeton, minister at Seventh and Brice streets Church of Christ, was the speaker at Rotary luncheon Tuesday. He took as his subject, "Service for the Sake of Others," and made an inspiring address.

He prefaced his address with the remark that he has been in the city but a short time, but had found that the spirit manifested in Memphis very fine, and he was glad to become a citizen of the town.

"Worship of heroes is characteristic of humanity, and I will name a few heroes, with whom all present are familiar, who served for the sake of others." He named such men as Washington, Lincoln, Wilson, Edison, Ford, who have served, or are serving for the sake of others. "Then there are some who had, or have, a distorted view of serving: For instance, Benedict Arnold thought he was doing the right thing when he betrayed his country; Booth thought he was rendering a service when he murdered the president; a certain Texas governor thought she was rendering a service when she turned criminals out of Texas prisons, but instead was imposing added burdens on society. Then there is ex-judge Ben Lindsey of Denver who has a distorted view of service, and is advocating free love, or companionate marriage, which will wreck homes instead of build them up.

"We, as individual members of the great human family, God made to serve Him by serving others. 'Man's life consisteth not in the abundance of things which he possesses.' Paul served for the sake of others. There never was another man who had the soul, power, and frankness as Paul.

"Last, but by no means least, there was the Christ who served for the sake of others. He said, 'I am in the midst of you as he that serveth.' He constantly taught us that the way to serve him best is by serving for the sake of others.

After All — Results Count

Ask Goodnight, he knows. Ask Cross, he knows, too! (With all due apologies to a certain brand of cigarettes). Business secured on its merits as a newspaper is bringing more and more compliments and expressions of appreciation to the Democrat. Time was when we had to tell merchants Democrat advertising pays. Now they tell us!

Piggly Wiggly, owned by W. H. Goodnight, sold 6,700 pounds of Irish potatoes and 59 gallons of peaches in two days from an ad run exclusively in the Democrat two weeks ago. Last week's ad, appearing only in the Democrat, sold 240 packages of dehydrated beans.

W. S. Cross, of Cross Dry Goods store, tells us that his store sold 75 pairs of bloomers at \$1.08 each from a Democrat ad last week. The bloomers were advertised as a special for last Saturday and Monday but were sold out before the store closed Saturday.

BURGLARS GET \$3.00 FROM FAMOUS

The famous dry goods store on the south side of the square was burglarized Sunday night between 12:30 and 1:30, entrance being made through the back door. Only 3 dollars in money was missed, but the cash register was badly damaged and the knob on the large safe was knocked off.

Local officers have not found any trace of the thieves, but it is believed to have been the work of some one living in Memphis, as such burglaries are common here. Chief Huddlestone is of the opinion that a couple of blood hounds could be used to good advantage in Memphis, and expressed himself as being willing to go his part toward buying the dogs and felt sure the business people of the town would be willing to help buy them, and that he would be willing to look after the hounds.

CITY BAKERY OWNERS PLAN MODERN PLANT

The City Bakery, recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kendall of Mineral Wells, is being thoroughly renovated and entirely redecorated throughout. Lighter colors than previously will prevail on the interior and the front is being painted white.

Quite a number of new items will be added to regular daily bakings at the City Bakery under the new management. Butter rolls, a wider variety of bread, much new pastry and dozens of different kinds of cakes are included in plans Mr. and Mrs. Kendall will put into effect at an early date. Saturday specials will be run each week. Watch the Democrat for them.

The Democrat, your home newspaper, takes pleasure in announcing this week with a new state wide news service has been secured for its readers.

This newspaper is now a member of the United Press, a great national news gathering agency. Such a service presented by a weekly is quite an innovation, but The Democrat strives to give its readers just a little more than they expect.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY ASKS PERMIT

Willing To Comply With State Fire Requirements

A franchise that will provide 10-inch water mains from Browder Springs to Memphis was submitted to the city council Tuesday by James G. Hix, representing the Commonwealth Public Service Company of Chicago. The document was signed "Texas Water Co."

Briefly the franchise stated that the utilities concern would meet all requirements of the state fire commission. Councilmen interpret this to mean that 10-inch mains will be used from Browder Springs to Memphis, 8-inch mains around the square and at least 4-inch mains in the balance of the city. The Chicago concern has closed a deal to purchase the Memphis Water Works from J. D. Browder, contingent on the acceptance by the city of their franchise.

Mayor F. N. Foxhall named a special committee composed of Jack Figh, Thos. E. Noel and Sam Hamilton to take the franchise under advisement. When the committee shall have finished its collaboration a called meeting of the council will be held to accept or reject the instrument.

As it now stands, the franchise is not entirely acceptable to the city, councilmen intimated. Amendments and additional clauses no doubt will be recommended.

LUMBER YARD ASKS PERMIT

A. R. Evans, manager of J. C. Woodridge Lumber company, was before the city council at its regular meeting last Tuesday night seeking a permit to rebuild a yard for his company on the original site, corner Sixth and Brice streets. A city ordinance now in effect calls for a brick or otherwise permanent construction in this section of the city. Mr. Evans stated his company was willing to erect brick buildings. The city will act on the matter as soon as the Woodridge company completes plans.

Democrat Wants Correspondents

An appropriation of \$200 was allotted to the federated clubs of Memphis for the purpose of improving Library Park. The clubs will add a like sum to the fund.

The Democrat has a few correspondents who send in news items weekly from their communities. There are a number of other communities in the county that are not being represented in this paper. Why not encourage some one in your community to write for the Democrat each week, and let the rest of the world know what your community is doing?

Better Try for That Five Spot

Someone is going to "beat your time" for that \$5, \$2.50 and \$1 to be awarded next week for the best letters on "Why I Read Democrat Advertising."

Quite a number of letters have been received and more are coming in every day. Four days remain for our readers to give their reasons for reading Democrat ads. All letters must be in this office by 6 p. m. Tuesday. Winning letters and those receiving honorable mention will be published in the February 16 issue.

Grab a pencil and paper, sit down right now and attend to this matter. It may mean \$5 to you. Limit your letter to 300 words. It may be shorter, of course, and may be written in any vein you should choose. There are no confusing rules with which to comply. Letters will be judged in this office and those written in long hand will be given the same consideration as typewritten letters.

MAN ATTEMPTS ROBBERIES AT LAKEVIEW

LAKEVIEW, Feb. 9.—After several alleged attempts at burglary late Saturday night, B. T. Branch, cotton picker, was brought to Memphis and charged in Justice court with attempts to burglarize.

Branch, it is claimed, forced his way into the postoffice, J. H. Middleton's general store, and F. A. Loyd's dry goods store. Nothing was missed at the first two places, but Mr. Loyd believes he lost an overcoat and sweater and \$1.50 in change.

Early Sunday morning, about 1:30, two Lakeview men noticed Branch, cotton picker, was long to R. H. Hughes and T. M. Potts. The owners were called and J. F. Mann and Mr. Potts brought to Memphis and charged where charges were entered against him.

RAIN AND HAIL SUNDAY NIGHT ONE-THIRD INCH

One-third of an inch of rainfall was recorded here Sunday night. The rain was accompanied by quite a lot of hail. Many automobiles suffered broken glass and perforated tops from the hail stones.

The moisture helped to put much of the land in plowing condition, and with a few more such rains the farmers will be able to get their land in shape for the spring planting.

FIRE ALARM

Please pull to curb and stop for fire truck to pass as you may avoid a wreck. There is an ordinance making it a fine to run within three hundred feet of fire truck. This will be enforced. SILAS WOOD, Chief.

DR. DUTTON'S OPENING ADDRESS IMPRESSIVE

OFFICERS FOR FIRE DEPT. ARE ELECTED HERE

The Memphis Fire Department elected officers at the regular business session at the city hall Monday night. J. H. Read was elected president, J. R. Figh vice president; Silas Wood, chief; Alvis Gerlach, assistant chief; Buster Guthrie, secretary; Ernie Gerlach, foreman; Carlton McAbee, ladder foreman.

Twenty of the fire boys received a nice sum of money each for their work in the recent fire at the Woodridge yard. The balance to remain in the treasury to be used for needed equipment.

MONTHLY MEETING OF LADY EMPLOYEES

The regular monthly meeting of the lady employees of the West Texas Utilities Co., District J, was held in Memphis Wednesday, February 8, with the following answering to roll call: Mabel Holmes, Shamrock; Sadie Jenkins, Mata-dora; Elda Witt, Paducah; Lola Davis, Quitaque; Aubra Hankins, Jassie Douglas, Little Houston; of Childress; Annie Ruth Johnsey and Mrs. M. G. Tarver of Memphis.

Mrs. E. L. McGintie of Abilene, chairman of Women's Work of W. T. U. Co., met with the ladies in this meeting. A luncheon as enjoyed at Rube's Childress Shop, and the meeting was held in the banquet room of the Memphis Hotel. The program was on "Safety," and proved very interesting to all present.

C. C. COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN NAMED

The committee chairman was named at a meeting of the Memphis chamber of commerce last week, and most of the chairmen named their committees. B. E. Davenport was made chairman of the public meeting committee; W. B. Dial, livestock; C. W. Flannery, poultry; F. N. Foxhall, highways; R. S. Greene, county roads; D. L. C. Kinard, finance; J. M. McKelvey, agriculture; F. Phelan, membership; J. H. Read, entertainment; J. P. Watson, civic; J. C. Wells, publicity and goodwill; L. M. Thompson, county agricultural agent.

The committees named are as follows: Poultry—C. W. Flannery, G. A. Sager, Chas. Williams; Highways—F. N. Foxhall, W. B. Quigley, C. T. Matkin; County Roads—R. S. Greene, S. T. Harrison, E. P. Thompson; Finance—D. L. C. Kinard, J. R. Figh, T. E. Noel; Agriculture—J. M. McKelvey, W. C. Dickey, C. R. Webster; Membership—F. Phelan, C. E. Jameson, Horace Tarver; Entertainment—J. H. Read, V. O. Williams, T. E. Noel; Civic—J. P. Watson, Elmer Shelley, Horace Tarver; Goodwill—J. C. Wells, J. A. Odom, W. P. Dickson. Other committees will be named soon.

The chamber of commerce discussed several questions of importance and laid plans for activities for the coming months that will mean much for the community. Highways and roads will receive much attention, and the promotion of agriculture, dairying and poultry raising will receive much thought and action.

GUINN FINDS CAR MISSING OVER A YEAR

The Ford coupe stolen one year ago from J. D. Guinn of this city, has been located at Abilene. A young man there was driving the car when it was located by the insurance people. He has a bill of sale to the car which was made by another man at Odessa, and claims he traded a Ford roadster and \$60 in money for the coupe. The car still carried the Hall county license plates.

The young man has been notified by Hall county officers that he will have to turn the car back to Mr. Guinn. It is expected the car will be brought to Memphis in a few days.

Blue-Bird Philosopher Heard Attentively By Crowd

Dr. Dean C. Dutton, of the State University of Oklahoma extension department, is again in this city delivering a series of lectures that are being enjoyed, twice each day by the pupils of Memphis schools and in the evening by the entire community. The two lectures delivered at the school Wednesday captivated the pupils and they are anxious to hear the other lectures. In fact several pupils have expressed themselves as being uplifted and inspired as never before.

Dr. Dutton delivered his address, "Masterful Engineering" to a large crowd at the First Baptist church Wednesday evening. This lecture is indeed a masterpiece, and all who heard him believe in his sincerity of purpose. His wonderful message coming from such a man reached the hearts of all, inspiring them anew to live the kind of life that will benefit them and mankind while citizens of this world as well as preparing them for citizenship of the universe hereafter.

Dr. Dutton was here two years ago and the people who heard him then have been wanting him to return for another series of lectures. The chamber of commerce finally secured his consent to come, and now he is here to lecture daily until Sunday night. A free will offering is the only way his coming is financed. No admission is charged, and the lectures are free to all who will hear him.

He lectures this Thursday morning and afternoon as well as Friday morning and afternoon, at the high school auditorium. Each night he will lecture at the First Baptist church. His subject this Thursday night will be "The Majesty of Man," which is one of his best. Friday night he will give a "Dramatic Interpretation of Jean Valjean;" Saturday night, "Tadpoles and Skylarks;" Sunday morning, "The World's Greatest Drama;" Sunday afternoon, "The Man of Galilee;" Sunday night, "The Challenge of the World's New Day."

Dr. Dutton's lectures are as instructive as a college, as inspiring as an old-time chautauqua, as patriotic as a Fourth of July celebration, and as throbbing with spiritual life as a camp meeting. The whole of life is lifted to a higher plane during the week he is here, giving a lofty view of the blending of science and religion, and a practical philosophy of life with a new and fresh view of the Creator—strengthening accepted beliefs. His ideas of the universe being an infinite workshop, a majestic chemical laboratory, a vast art gallery, a great and glorious conservatory of music, and a boundless garden full of beauty, grand.

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TO ASK DEATH PENALTY FOR GREEN

Trial of Andy Green, on a charge of venue from Childress county, is set for February 14 in district court here. Green is charged with the murder of A. A. Moore in northeastern Childress county January 30. District Attorney James C. Mahan will ask for the death penalty, he stated. Civil cases have been disposed of this week and the criminal docket is set to start Monday morning. Hall county grand jury is now in session and is returning a number of indictments. District court will likely last six weeks.

SCHOOL INSPECTOR COMING NEXT WEEK

Supt. Theo Swift announces that the State Department of Education is sending one of their supervisors, Mr. Lee Hensley, to this county next week to visit and inspect the state aid schools. He will begin work here Monday, February 13. Mr. Swift says it is very important that the local trustees meet Mr. Hensley at their schools.

More News for Democrat Readers

UNITED PRESS STATE NEWS SERVICE SECURED FOR THIS NEWSPAPER

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Already The Democrat is outstanding in Texas weekly journalism for its qualities as a community newspaper. Few weeklies carry as much local news as does The Democrat. This complete home service is now to be supplemented with live news from other Texas towns, not published elsewhere within a radius of 90 miles. Watch for the "UP" date lines. They mean that your Democrat has gone to additional expense to provide a newspaper of which you can justly feel proud.

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OUR

FEBRUARY

FURNITURE

SALE

**for Savings
for Selection
for Satisfaction**

Your Home
should come
FIRST!

To be first in our community to give pace-setting values in Furniture is our aim. Your home furnishing needs should be anticipated and bought during this sale.

Sale Closes Saturday, February 13

FREE

As long as they last. To every lady coming in our store Monday or Tuesday we will present a useful kitchen measuring spoon.

Here are matchless savings typical of what this sale is offering



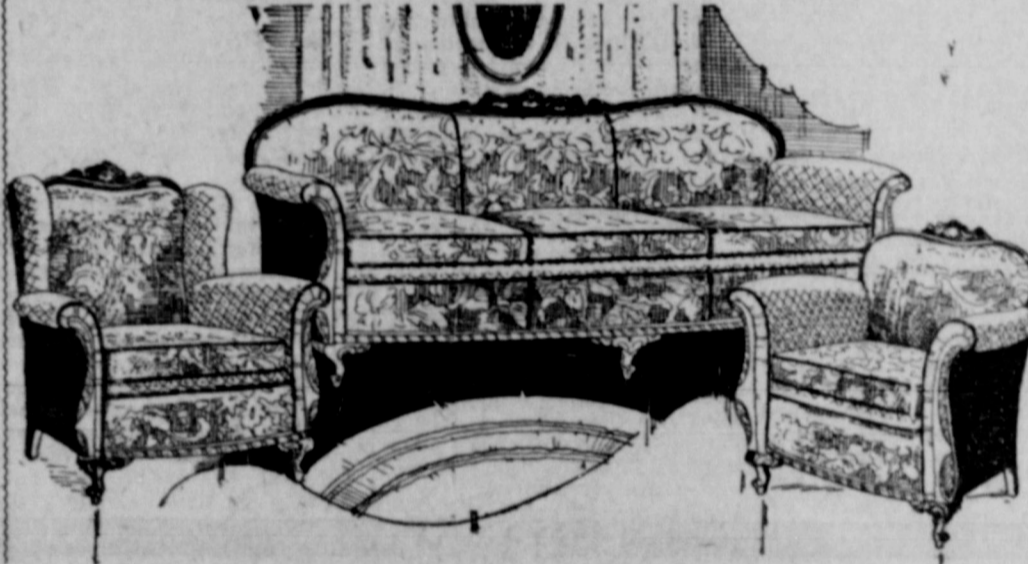
**\$8.00 Bed Now
\$6.95**

This is one of the new Simmons steel beds that are light weight and strongly constructed of seamless tubing. Colors, brown, blue or pink.



**\$12.50 Rocker for
\$8.95**

Your choice of blue leather or figured velour seat. The frame is birch, mahogany finished, all strongly braced.



A \$250.00 3-Piece Mohair Suite for \$219.75

This new pattern suite is upholstered in a blue mist genuine mohair. It is different and gets the admiration of all who see it. The mahogany wood rail top and curved front give the suite an appearance that is different and beautiful. All cushions are reversible in Ratinee Tapestry. An outstanding value in a quality suite.



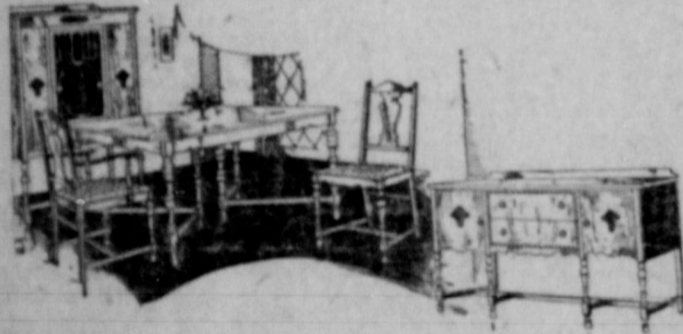
**A Saving of \$12.75 on
this Coxwell Chair now
priced at
\$24.75**

Comfort and beauty are surely combined in this chair and at a price you can see is money saving. Super grade three tone velour upholstery.



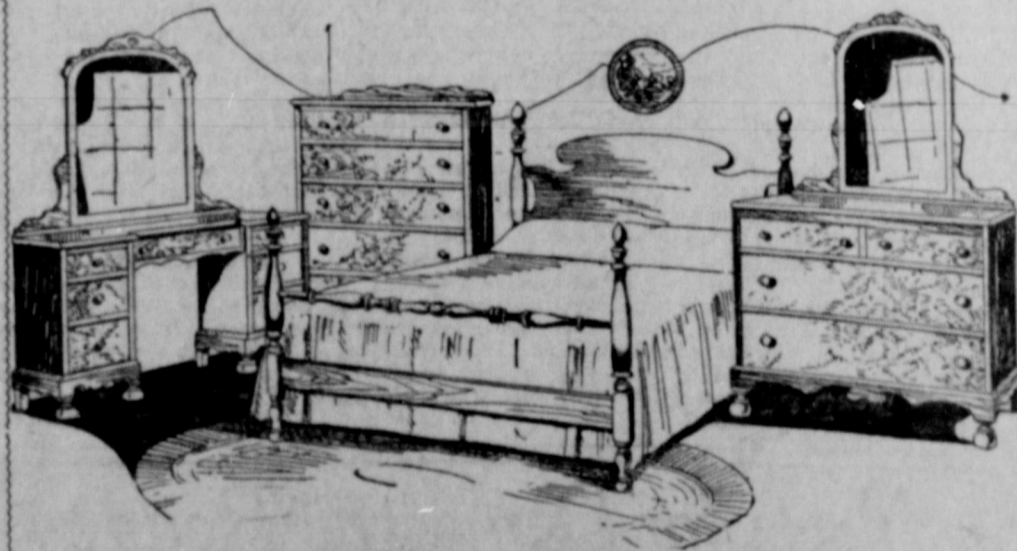
**Save a \$5 Bill on this
venport Table Now
\$12.50**

Two styles to choose from either "Queen Anne" or the round post style. Both 18x45 inch all brown mahogany.



**An Eight Piece Dining Room Suited in
Combination Walnut, reduced from \$135
\$89.50**

To properly judge this suite you must see it. The price is far lower than the quality. A 60-inch buffet, oblong extension table and six chairs, upholstered in a jacquard velour.

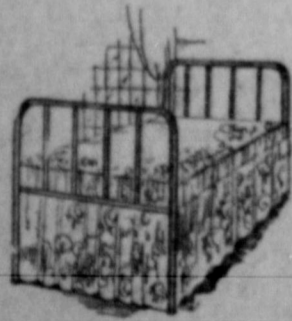


This French Vanity Walnut Suite worth \$225 at \$165

Notice this late style vanity dressers with large top and additional drawer room. The suite consisting of vanity, bench, chest and bed are all in combination walnut, finished dull. A late arrival that we are including in our sale.

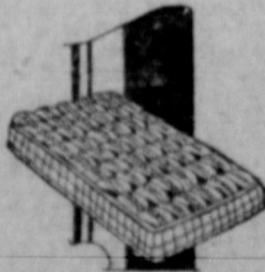
**\$67.00 Sellers
Cabinet
\$47**

A gray enamel kitchen cabinet that will help every housewife in her work. A washable enamel finish that makes the kitchen brighter. A close out price on a quality cabinet.



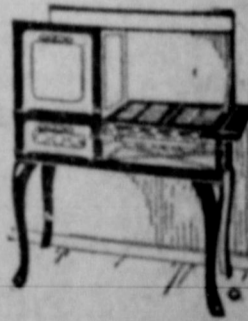
**\$45.00 Da-Bed for
\$29.50**

Automatic lift over bed with coil springs. No ridge in the center when opened. The most comfortable da-bed made. A heavy felted pad upholstered in cretonne.



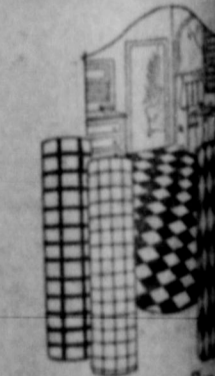
**\$8 Mattress for
\$5.95**

45-pound all cotton mattress in fancy art tick that we will not be able to duplicate when our present stock is gone.



**\$100 "Quick Meal" Gas
Range Now
\$65.00**

A Loraine oven control on this stove insures perfect baking. White door panels. This is a gas range value that has no competition.



**9x12 Felt Base Rug
Small Rug to Match
\$8.50**

New patterns including centers and Dutch tile. opportunity to buy for less than the price.

Moore Hardware & Furniture Company

608-10 NOEL STREET

PHONE 397

OPEN EVENINGS

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C. Hoffman Re-election
 is authorized to candidacy of A. C. re-election to the ny Judge of Hall t to the action of e primaries.
 man needs no in- the voters of Hall has made a splendid elected will con- er the county valu- He invites an in- the record he has dge. He has been saving the county y ways while serv- and as head of the court. He has at every official act interests of the forefront and has

unselfishly labored to keep the expenses of the county down as much as possible. He has rendered the county excellent service, and if re-elected, will continue to do so. Give his candidacy your earnest consideration.
CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their tender love and care during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father; also for the floral offerings. May God's richest blessings dwell with each and all.
 MRS. M. I. WHITFIELD, AND CHILDREN.
 Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Ruth and Wendell Harrison and Frances Denny of this city and George Owens of Childress were visitors in Clarendon Sunday.

NEW TEXTBOOKS SELECTED FOR SCHOOLS

AUSTIN, Feb. 9.—(UP)—The state text book commission met here today to select books for the public schools of Texas for the next school year.
 Selections will be made for six year periods on tests in Algebra, agriculture, chemistry, civics, geography, Latin, physical geography, physics, primers, first readers and sixth readers. The contracts to be awarded will mount into the millions.
 Attempts to cut down the number of books required by re-binding books now in use was first proposed. Estimates were made showing a large saving. Bids were received and rejected. New bids were received. There the matter stopped.
 Then it was recommended that contracts be let this time only for some of the texts needed at once, on the ground that there are enough books on hand for another year. The attorney general ruled this could not be done under the text book statute.
 Bids on the books were received last October. After many conferences of the commission the bids were rejected as too high. New ones were asked for Feb. 9. In some instances the new bids are 10 per cent under the October ones.
 Probably the biggest fight will be waged over geographies. The American Book company, which has been winner in several law suits with State School Superintendent Marrs, is contending that its geographies now offered in four sections can be retained as the text at less cost than the state can adopt a new text.
 Contents of the geographies have also entered into the fight. Various publishers contend that their references to West Texas are "less objectionable" than those of competitors in regard to aridness. One tells of "semi-arid" territory and says that is more complimentary than a rival's reference to "occasional grass tufts."
 Rivalry among cities as to their classification in the geography supplements also enter into the situation. Under provision of the bids, all the books are subject to revision at the direction of a revision committee. That committee can order alterations or eliminations. It was such a committee under Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's administration that carefully culled from state school books all references to evolution.
 Members of the state text book commission are Nat Washer, San Antonio; A. L. Day, Commerce; J. G. Dunlap, Cleburne; Earl Bryant, Wichita Falls; Miss Kathryn Robbins, Cameron; Miss Catherine Gorbitt, El Paso, and R. C. Patterson Kyle, Governor Moody's ex-officio chairman and State

Best Girl Milkers in Kansas



No wonder these Kansas misses are smiling! Their milking ability won them a trip to Washington at the expense of the Kansas Dairymen's Association for being the best milkers in a contest staged for school children. They are Miss Maida McCartney (left) of Bourbon county, and Miss Emma Lou Martin of Linn county. The girls are shown leaving the White House with Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, after meeting President Coolidge.

School Superintendent Marrs is secretary.
 Awards made by the commission are referred to the state board of education which makes the contracts. This board consists of the governor, secretary of state and state comptroller.

Mahan Announces For Re-election

The Democrat is authorized to announce the candidacy of Jas. C. (Jimmie) Mahan for re-election to the office of District Attorney of the 100th Judicial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.
 Mr. Mahan is serving his first term as District Attorney, and is asking for the office for another term strictly on the record he has made, having secured convictions in over 90 per cent of the cases tried since he went into office. He is an earnest and honest prosecutor, and has the respect of all who know him. He is capable, as shown by the record made, and if re-elected will continue to do his best to enforce the laws and serve his district and state at all times.
 The voters will no doubt gladly return him to the office he is now holding so creditably.

KIWANIS CLUB MEETS PLANNED

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—H. G. Hatfield, Oklahoma City, governor of the Texas-Oklahoma district, Kiwanis International, will attend the divisional conferences of the 85 Kiwanis clubs in Texas and Oklahoma this month.
 On Tuesday, February 14, he will attend the conference of division No. 3 at Denton, with Lieutenant Governor E. R. Briggs, of Rusk, presiding. Clubs in this division are—Dallas, Oak Cliff, Denton, Gainesville, Jacksonville, Marshall, Rusk, Sherman, Texas-kana and Tyler.
 Division No. 2 will meet the following day at Houston, with Oscar E. Casey, Galveston, lieutenant governor, presiding. Benumont, Galveston, Houston, Navasota and Temple clubs are in this division.
 Owing to the magnitude of division No. 4, of which J. L. Jackson Jr., Wichita Falls, is lieutenant governor, three separate conferences will be held the week of February 20, at Wichita Falls, Coleman and Plainview. Clubs in the division include Abilene, Amarillo, Brownwood, Coleman, Fort Worth, Lubbock, Mineral Wells, Plainview San Angelo, Tahoka, Tulia and Wichita Falls.
 Division No. 7 is scheduled to meet in Ponca City, Okla., Feb. 10.

NO, POTATOES DON'T CACKLE

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—"Gwan, you can't fool me, potatoes don't cackle," declared Policeman B. D. Nix as he punched a sack that negro was carrying.
 The negro told Nix the sack contained potatoes. When Nix poked it, a cackle responded and the negro went to jail for stealing chickens.

Mrs. B. Webster returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends at Iowa Park, Wichita Falls and Electra. She was accompanied home by her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Phillips of Iowa Park, for a visit.

Plenty Hatching Space
 And Plenty of Baby Chicks. Get your order in early and avoid the rush.
Memphis Poultry Farm
 I. W. Thomason and Son

COLLEGE NOT AS STRICT NOW

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—As a reminder to students of the University of Texas that present day campus restrictions are not as severe as they might be, the Daily Texan printed a few of the rules enforced at Mt. Holyoke many years ago.
 "No student shall read the Atlantic Monthly, Shakespeare, Scott, Robinson Crusoe, or any other immoral works.
 "No young lady shall become a member of this institution unless she can kindle a fire, wash potatoes, repeat the multiplication tables, and at least two thirds of the shorter catechisms.
 "Young ladies shall not associate with gentlemen acquaintances unless they are returned missionaries or agents of benevolent societies."

A BOY'S ESSAY ON PANTS

Pants are made for men and not for women. Women are made for men and not for pants. When a man pants for a woman and a woman pants for a man, that makes a pair of pants. Pants are like molasses, they are thinner in hot weather and thicker in cold weather. There has been much discussion as to whether pants is singular or plural. Seems to us that when you wear pants it is plural, and when you don't wear them it is singular. If you want to make pants last make the coat first.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ben Baldwin and daughter Marjorie Dean of Rarrish, Oklahoma, are here this week visiting Mr. Baldwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin, and other relatives.
POULTRY SUPPLIES
 We are this year handling a few first-class poultry supplies, and knowing the poultryman's needs as we do, we believe we've made a better selection than your merchant can make. We have what we believe to be the best brooder on the market; fill it up with oil and go to bed resting assured it will take care of your chicks, even if the weather changes 10 to 15 degrees. We also have feed troughs, roop remedies, etc. Let us show you.
EWEN POULTRY FARM.
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SATURDAY AND MONDAY SPECIALS

Dozen SPRING HATS \$1.00	2 Dozen NICE SPRING HATS \$1.95
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Crepe and Georgette Dresses
 Newest Spring Modes
 High Quality Material
SPECIAL \$4.95

Indian Head LINEN Spring Patterns 30c Value 39c	PRINTED LINEN \$1.50 Value As Long As It Lasts \$1.29
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es' Fine Spring Shoes

Scores of beautiful models of Spring's most authentic shoes for women. Patent pumps and ties. Spike and box heels
Special — \$4.95

Cross Dry Goods Store

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SPECIAL SATURDAY AND MONDAY STUDENTS' SUITS
 With 2 Pants
 All new Spring patterns and materials. Sizes 33 to 36.
\$22.50 \$24.50 \$27.50

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 With 2 Pants
 Styles and colors to suit all men. Select yours at this price—
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 The very latest Spring Footwear for Men. Black and the new tan in many attractive models.
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Special Dress Sale

One lot of Ladies Silk Dresses, sizes 14 to 44.
 Pretty colors, newest patterns.
 Flat crepes, jersey Weaves, Silk mixtures, etc.

One lot of Ladies Dresses, all sizes.
 Latest fashions, beautiful colors.
 Wide variety of materials.

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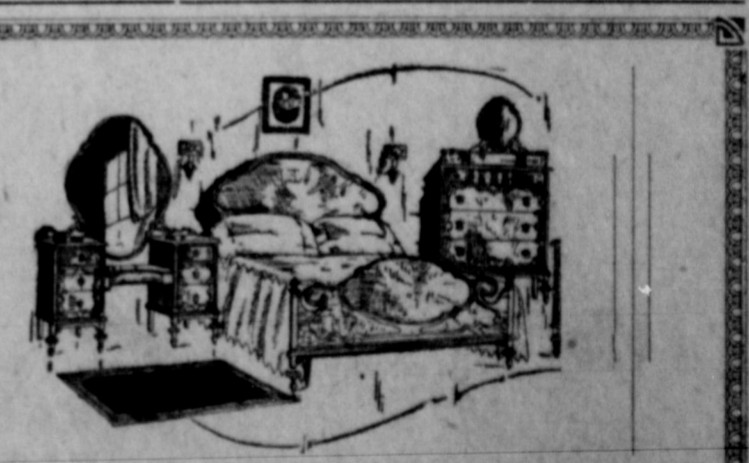
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100 New afternoon Frocks, guaranteed washable, in dozens of pretty Spring patterns and colors. Prints, organ-dies and trims. Out-of-the-ordinary values—
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Memphis' Leading Stock of SHOES
 The largest assortment of fashions' latest spring Shoes.
 Colored kid, patents, ties, straps, pumps and buckles. All the new heels and color combinations. See the finest lot of Ladies Shoes in Memphis.
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SPECIAL Ladies Rayon Bloomers—all colors. A supreme value at only 95c	SPECIAL Ladies' All Silk to Top Chiffon Hose. New Spring shades, only \$1.59
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New Patterns -- New Finishes
 While buying furniture, buy the latest. No old or out of date stock on our floor. For a rich, quality Suite see our burled walnut, blended finish suites. The parchment and castillian finishes are new color schemes that you will admire. Prices always reasonable.

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FARM OUTLOOK BRIGHT SAYS TERRELL

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—(UP)—The situation is most favorable for the farmer by reason of last season's cotton crop, State Commissioner of Agriculture George B. Terrell said today in issuing an appeal to farmers not to lose that advantage by increasing the acreage of the 1928 crop.

Acres, he pointed out, is one of the most important factors bearing upon cotton prices.

In the absence of any farmers' organization strong enough to fix a profitable price and keep a surplus off the market, Terrell urges acreage reduction as the farmers' best weapon.

"It has been proven repeatedly," he said, "that a small crop brings more actual money than a large crop." He cited the 12,789,000 bale crop of 1927 selling for \$80,000,000 more than the 18,000,000 bale crop of 1926.

Hundreds of thousands of acres of cotton have died of root rot in the past few years, Terrell said, and this land should have a rest from cotton as the best means of curtailing that plant disease.

"Texas," he said, "has nearly enough feed to last this year and sufficient early feed crops should be planted to finish up the drop, and an abundance should be planted for next year's supply. If we will make all farms self-supporting we are not likely to raise too much cotton, and it would be a good policy to put more lands into pasture for livestock and let some lands rest and recuperate."

Final solution of the problem of marketing the cotton crop profitably, the commissioner suggested, is organization of a cotton finance corporation in the south strong surplus until demand justifies a profitable price.

"He outlined an organization of growers, business men and bankers that could furnish \$5,500,000 capital in Texas. Price of cotton declined recently, he argued because of talk of increased acreage. The price will not advance until the acreage is determined, he added.

WHIPPET RUNS AT SMALL EXPENSE

No finer testimonial on the superiority of the Whippet could we wish than the one from W. H. Adams, a traveling salesman out of Paris, Texas. It conclusively proves every claim for the Whippet.

Just a few side lights in connection with Mr. Adams' operation of his Whippet. Presumably he drove a higher-priced four over the same territory. His profits on the car figured in the same manner as he has figured his profit on the Whippet is 98 cents against the Whippet profit of \$358.70.

Mr. Adams travels for Swift and is paid 5 cents per mile for car upkeep. Figuring his gas at 18 cents he bought about 1,112 gallons, averaging a mileage of about 25.7 miles per gallon.

Mr. Adams' letter follows: "For your information I will give you below a complete analysis of the expense.

Oct. 2, '26—Cost of car	\$875.00
Accessories	13.75
Licenses	15.35
Gasoline	200.06
Lube oil	36.85
Grease & Greasing	12.80
Vulcanizing	25.20
Tires & Tubes	80.67
Anti-Freeze	6.25
Repairs & Parts	88.60
Pulling Car out of mud	4.50
Total cost of car and all operating expense	\$1368.83
Received on car during the above mentioned period, operating car on an allowance of 5c per mile	\$1227.53
Resale value of car	500.00
Total	\$1727.53
Net profit over and above cost of car and operating	\$358.70
(signed) W. H. ADAMS.	

FATHER DIES

Mrs. Fred Boswell received a message Friday stating that her father-in-law, S. T. Boswell, 67 had died that morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ed Cook at Saint Jo, Texas. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church. Interment in the Saint Jo cemetery.

Survivors are his children: Jim Boswell, Chicago; Mrs. Frank Craig, Amarillo; Fred Boswell, Fort Stockton; Mrs. Z. Davis, Iowa Park; and Mrs. Ed Cook, Saint Jo, who were all present at the funeral.

Mr. Boswell had visited his son in Memphis a number of times and made many friends who will regret to learn of his

Girl Scouts Honor Mothers at Home Of Miss Jameson



The Girl Scout Troop No. 2, entertained Tuesday afternoon, February 7, in the home of Elizabeth Jameson, for their mothers and the Girl Scout council. This party was arranged for and carried out by the girls of this troop in a most pleasing and interesting way. The guests were met at the door by Helen Kinslow, Georgene Sexauer and Elizabeth Jameson who did the honors of hostesses for the troop, introducing and seating the visitors.

When the guests had all arrived the following program was given with Elizabeth Jameson presiding: Song, "Girl Scout Hiking Song,"—Lola May Grundy and Pauline Turlington. Reading, "Seeing it Thru,"—Nell Walker. Piano Solo "Mocking Steps," Martha Draper.

The program was then turned over to Mrs. Delaney, commissioner of the Girl Scout council of Memphis and Hall county, who explained the object of Girl Scouts. Mrs. Pierce presented the tenderfoot badge to Nell Walker and Martha Draper, these two having completed the work that entitled them to these badges. Mrs. Delaney then called upon Vera Neely, the only Second Class Scout in the troop, to lead the troop in a Girl Scout drill, demonstrating the splendid principles taught in Scouting.

Miss Ira Hammond exhibited some very attractive sewing done by the Brownies, who are Girl Scouts in the making, being girls under scout age.

A delicious plate lunch was served to the following guests: Mesdames Walker, Webster, West, Neely, Kinslow, Pierce, Delaney, Jameson, Deaper, Wiggins, Mal-lard, Hart, Boren, Hudgins, Miss Crump and Reverend Jameson. Troop No. 2 is made up of eighteen girls. Their troop color is blue and their flower the Blue Bonnet.

Rev. C. E. Jameson visited relatives in Childress Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. J. Norman visited his sister, Mrs. S. L. Seago here Wednesday. He was enroute from Borger to Walters, Oklahoma.

Mesdames N. A. Hightower and H. B. Estes left this Thursday to spend the week-end in Wichita Falls with relatives and friends.

M. L. Kelly of Clarendon was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Dr. Dutton

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deur and sublimity, with man as the pal and co-worker with the Creator in an endless development, strikes fire in the hearts of his hearers, and his interpretation of immortality as citizenship in the universe, occupied with the Creator in its boundless unfolding, makes a deep and lasting impression.

Te presents the convincing evidence that man is in the realms of the sub-conscious as big as an empire, and that man has the equipment of a god, proving that man has a task here and is to have a vast and great and vast in the universal program. The work of Dr. Dutton is intensely interesting, logical and competes favorably with the idea of entertainment, and meets with great popularity here.

Dr. Dutton is an educator and appeals to the thinking public. His work is practical and inspirational, and brings to the hungry world the inspiration and thought of man's place on earth and in the world to come.

This community has been a better place since Dr. Dutton lectured here two years ago, and will be uplifted still more by his return soul-filling and heart throbbing addresses this week.

Prof. J. M. Parsons, superintendent of the Weatherly school, brought some of his teachers and several pupils by truck to hear Dr. Dean C. Dutton lecture Wednesday night.

Exide BATTERIES

OUR NEW PHONE NUMBER IS

665

EXIDE BATTERY STATION

W. F. REED

The Casual Observer

SOMEONE SAID something to R. H. Wherry about a business review the other day. "There hasn't been enough lately to review," he said.

RAYMOND BALLEW is one dollar richer as the result of an odd bet with Postmaster Owens. Raymond bet the pm that last Saturday's Star-Telegram would contain a headline heralding the death by accident of someone. An auto turned turtle in South Texas, the Star-Telegram got the story and Raymond won.

GEORGE GREENHAW says a barber's chatter while clipping hair might be defined as "cutting remarks."

"LET YOUR light so shine that customers won't kick more than six or eight times a week," is J. A. Brewer's motto.

TRAVIS & POWELL'S salesroom is being partitioned off from the office. Display space will be decreased but very little and the office will be more efficiently arranged.

C. E. STONE CO. store has a new appearance on the men's side and in the shoe department. Merchandise tables have been arranged to permit an aisle down the center for the full length of the store and men's and ladies' shoes receive more prominence as a result of the change.

SOME OF our readers have accused the Democrat force of being drunk last week. If such was not the case, they reason, why was page 3 numbered page 9, page 5 numbered 3, page 4 numbered 8 and so on? We did it on purpose. Yes, sir, we wanted to see if you were reading your paper carefully. And, sure enough, you were!

C. E. STONE of Dallas, accompanied by his wife and his secretary, Mrs. Ernest Hunsaker, made favorable expressions concerning the business outlook for this year. Stone stores are prospering, he said, and new ones are being opened as quickly as locations can be secured. Mr. Stone expects to see the chain increased to 25 next fall.

HIGH SCHOOL

Two ballots were auctioned off Friday morning in chapel for the finals in the popularity contest. The juniors bought the ballots.

Those in the contest now are: Prettiest girl—Ruth Wilson, Lucy Hudgins, and Jane Pedigo. Best All Round Girl—Violet Balthrope, C. J. Goodnight, and Mildred Phelan. Best Looking Boy—Burton Miles, Howard Foote, and Jerry Sitton.

Best All Round Boy—Lee May, Harrel Read, and Albert Pearson. The basket ball girls went to Lakeview Thursday afternoon of last week on a return game. Memphis won by a score of 27 to 22. This is the second game and Lakeview has been outclassed both times.

The boys team went to Floydada, Friday morning to enter in a tournament. Memphis won third place.

Dr. Dutton spoke in chapel Wednesday morning and also Wednesday afternoon. He gave two very interesting addresses and will speak to the school children twice daily for the rest of the week.

The basket ball girls are to play Turkey at Estelline Friday at 1 o'clock. Help the girls win the game.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Brice Streets S. E. TEMPLETON, Minister Bible school 10 a. m., each Sunday.

Sunday morning sermon, 11 o'clock, "Prayer," No. 3. Regular communion 12 M., each Lord's day.

Sunday evening sermon, 7:15 o'clock, "God's Will."

Ladies' Bible class meets each Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Next lesson, Acts 27. All local women invited.

Men's Bible class meets next Monday night, the 13th, at 7:30 o'clock. Every man in town is invited.

Young People's Meeting at 6 p. m. next Sunday. Come!

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. E. Jameson, Pastor How delighted we are that Dr. Dutton is in town and lecturing to our people. And in full cooperation with his program we are calling in both morning and evening preaching services Sunday and will go to the First Baptist church to hear Dr. Dutton. Let's all work to hear Dr. Dutton. Let's the greatest day of this year thus far.

Presiding Elder W. M. Murrell of Clarendon will hold quarterly conference at the church Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Honoring her husband's 40th birthday, Mrs. John Vallance surprised him with a 12 o'clock dinner at their home on South Sixth street last Sunday. A very elegant dinner was served including the birthday cake.

PATHFINDERS MEET WITH MRS. J. W. SLOVER

The Pathfinders club met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Slover on North Bradford street last Thursday evening. A very interesting business meeting was held and four new members were added to the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley of Estelline returned last Friday from a business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. S. L. Seago is reported on the sick list at her home on South Sixth street.

Get it at Tarver's.

J. E. King returned Tuesday from a several days business at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Nellie M. Ballard has accepted a position as office nurse for Dr. H. F. Schofield, and will have charge of the offices and diathermy work permanently. Mrs. Ballard is a trained nurse and very thorough in her work.

Three peddlers of "bargains" have invaded the Democrat's sanctum sanctorum the past few days, trying to sell bargains. Did they sell anything? Well, you should guess they didn't. Wonder how many of the business men of town turned them out as did the Democrat force? Just as a reminder—the Democrat does job printing.

PAYING WAY WITH COWS

DALLAS, Feb. 8.—(UP)—The little jingle about where are you going my pretty maid may be changed to "where are you leading the cow, dear sir?"

This is because a large number of the boys desiring an education at Texas Technological college at Lubbock are bringing their dairy cows with them to help pay expenses, President P. W. Horn said in an address here.

But the cows must first pass a college entrance examination before they can enter school. The cows undergo an examination as to the purity of their milk, and if passed, the boys use the milk to defray their school expenses, President Horn said.

Dairy Cows Thrive In Early Summer

Among the succulent roughages pasture and silage are of most importance. Dairy cows always do better in early summer when the grass is plentiful and green. Because of the nutrients and succulence that it provides, silage is the most economical winter substitute for pasture grass. Good cows will produce more and therefore cheaper milk if given silage or some other succulent feed during winter.

RENEW YOUR LEASE ON LIFE

What would you give to be able to eat a big meal—anything you want—and be free of all unpleasant and disagreeable after effects? Indigestion, sour stomach, foul breath, biliousness, sick headache, constipation, dizziness and all other ailments of a disordered stomach may be quickly banished with a few doses of O-S-A-T-O TONIC, the superior laxative. Sold only on a positive money back guarantee. Buy a bottle today for \$1. If O-S-A-T-O TONIC will not back our claims your dollar will be cheerfully refunded and without question. Tarver Drug Co., "on the corner." tfe

Webster Warblings

Most all the farmers of this community are just about through gathering their cotton. Some have begun plowing in preparation for another crop.

A pretty good crowd attended Sunday school at Webster Sunday afternoon. Rev. Stanley, the Methodist pastor filled his appointments also. Everybody come and help in the Sunday school.

On account of the rain and hail Sunday night there wasn't a very big crowd at the singing at Webster. We invite everybody to come back again if nothing prevents we will have singing every Sunday night.

Several of the young folks of Webster community attended the singing at Lesley Sunday afternoon, all report a good singing.

Oliver McMurry had the misfortune of getting his arm broke some two or three weeks ago. He is reported doing fine at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hughes of Oklahoma City are here visiting Mrs. Hughes, mother and sister, Mesdames F. A. Spencer and V. R. Jones.

Hanna-Pope & Co.

Associated Stores

Spring Offerings

Chic Dresses--

An advance presentation in which the hand of fashion holds forth new models that unfold many new and fascinating achievements—and surprisingly moderately priced.

\$11.95 to \$27.50



Hanna-Pope patrons know that quality is this store's first consideration.

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Not for the Few — But for All Types

This Spring, as always, the Printzess collection features created for the particular need of all types.

So whatever your type there's a Printzess waiting for you. A garment so expertly styled and excellently tailored you will know wherever you go you are faultlessly attired. Clothing is now complete. Come and see these "stars" of fashion.

New Millinery...

—for the smartest heads.

The hat that is just as smart at seven o'clock as at ten. New fashions that flatter the Miss and become the Matron.

Fashions Call for New Prints

IN SILKS | A new assortment of ABC | ABC Percalines and Flat Crepes | Prints. | Dimities.

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SOCIETY and Club

SURPRISED DAY PARTY

Friends surprised with a party at the home of Mrs. Lucy Hudgins Monday afternoon. Delicious refreshments during the party were served by the following: Joyce Tomlinson, Hazel Owens, Ruth Denny and Mrs. The honoree regifts from her

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon in the ladies parlor for Bible study. Mrs. J. P. Montgomery presented the prayer league for Jubilee year. Song, "How Firm a Foundation." Bible lesson, Matt. 12:14-22, given by Mrs. S. L. Seago. Prayer—Mrs. Lofland. Miracles of Raising the Dead—Mrs. Frank Phelan. Miracles of Exorcising the Devils—Mrs. S. M. Reed. Miracles of Healing—Mrs. J. W. Slover. Miracles of Supply—Mrs. Hoffman. Miracles of Judgement and Deliverance—Mrs. John Lofland. Song, "Amazing Grace." After a short business session were dismissed by prayer by Mrs. Ballou.

THE ENDEAVOR CLUB

of the Inter-med-Endeavor met at the home of Mrs. L. D. Pierce Jr. on to elect new officers and plans for future work. The programs for the use of the club which they discussed. It was decided to meet each month on Sunday and

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The United Christian Missionary society held its regular monthly meeting February 2, at the beautiful home of Mrs. J. A. Whaley. The following program was rendered: Song, "Let the Lower Lights be Burning." Prayer—Mrs. Elliott. My Home, My Church, My College—Mrs. Whaley. The Good that Men do—Mrs. J. P. Watson. Reading, "Our Limitation"—Mrs. Howard Randall. Making Ministers in Australia—Mrs. V. B. Rogers. Special Song—Mesdames Howerton, Watson, Chapman, Rothfus. Hidden Answers. A lovely plate luncheon was served to the following members and visitors: Mesdames M. C. Howell, R. C. Howerton, J. P. Watson, J. M. Elliott, J. W. Stokes, H. A. Rothful, Lee Simmons, Carl Mcbee, C. F. Stout, J. G. Gorden, J. A. Odom, W. C. Milam, V. B. Rogers, C. W. Chapman, Howard Randall, M. E. McNally, E. Bean, C. S. Compton, McBe.

AT HOME STRINGER

Stringer assisted by Milton and Miss retained the Y. W. C. A. February 6 at the home of Mrs. Stringer, on street. After the interesting program "Tis of us" by Misses Mila Messer, Lulu Garrott, Winifred Mae Long with Misson as leader. The work of the club, and a study was discussed. An hour followed. In a mode, topped berries, and punch were served. The following: T. Miller, Mes- V. O. Williams, Annie Wheat, and Garrott, Pauline Baker, Lois Har- son, Eula Messer, Dorcus Ruth Wil- son, Katherine All Boswell, Win- ifred Lee Stringer, Clem Wyatt, Little hatchets

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Hostesses were Mrs. Whaley and Miss Biffie Adkison.

The next meeting will be held March 1 at the home of Mrs. Howard Randall.

LEGION AUXILIARY HAS GOOD MEETING

The American Legion Auxiliary met Thursday afternoon, February 2, with a good number present.

Mrs. W. S. Gooch, chairman of the membership drive, reported that her committee had just started on their work. Since the meeting they have secured several members, bringing the roll to 43.

This is the greatest enrollment the Memphis chapter has ever enjoyed. There are still others to be seen and the committee feels confident that at least fifty members will be enlisted.

Mrs. Winfred Wilson reported that the rummage sale was a success, and asked that the public

A Chip Off the Old Ship



Rear Admiral Philip Andrews (right), in command of the Charlestown Navy Yard, is pictured as he presented a cane made from wood of the frigate "Old Ironsides" to Governor Fuller of Massachusetts.

who patronized it be thanked in behalf of the Auxiliary.

It was decided that the chapter would ask Mrs. W. Wilson to attend the district convention of the Auxiliary in Fort Worth, February 7, honoring Mrs. Walford, the national president, who is in Texas now preparing for the national convention which will be held in San Antonio in October.

She attended the luncheon at the Texas Hotel, and the regular convention later in the day. The Auxiliary is planning to hold, in connection with the Legion, a public installation of its officers in the near future, at which time it is hoped more members can be secured and a great interest will be built.

Letters from the hospital boys to whom Christmas packages were sent were read and some of the members expressed their intention of writing to them, encouraging them and assuring them of our appreciation of their sacrifice.

Just a few of the many letters received are published herewith to show that the auxiliary made some boys happy Christmas in the soldiers' hospital at Legion, Texas.

The Letters

American Legion Auxiliary, Memphis, Texas.

I want to thank the auxiliary for the nice package of gifts received Christmas. This was my first Christmas in a hospital, and somehow I dreaded it, but because of your thoughtfulness, and the thoughtfulness of the nurses and doctors here, the day was made a very pleasant one indeed, and one that I shall remember for a long time.

J. M. STINGILY, JR.

I am writing you to express my appreciation for the Christmas remembrances, as they sure cheered me up. I wasn't expecting anything from strangers, and you don't know how good it made me feel, as I have been in the hospital since July and not drawing anything and have no income. With best wishes and love down in my heart to you all.

NICHOLAS O'CONNELL.

HUSBAND SURPRISED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Lafayette Pounds surprised her husband with a 42 party at their home on South Fifth street Monday evening in honor of his 27 birthday. At the close of the game a dainty salad course including the birthday cake was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMurry,

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webster.

OLD FASHIONED POUNDING GIVEN S. E. TEMPLETON

Some seven-five members of the Seventh and Brice streets Church of Christ surprised their new minister, S. E. Templeton, with an old-fashioned pounding last Thursday night. They met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kennedy and went in a body with a large quantity of etables which the minister and his family appreciated very much.

MYSTIC WEAVERS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. T. T. Harrison delightfully entertained the Mystic Weavers club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. DeBerry. Sixteen members were present, also a number of guests, among whom was Mrs. Willie Ben Baldwin, a former member of the club. After an hour of social merriment the hostess, assisted by Mrs. DeBerry served a delicious salad course, after which we were invited into the dining room where a huge birthday cake with candles greeted our eyes, this being the birthday of Mrs. A. Baldwin. The honoree then cut the cake in her charming manner and served each guest, after which the club adjourned, voting Mrs. Harrison a gracious hostess.

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS TUESDAY

The Delphian club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Zeb Moore on South Seventh street with Mrs. Moore as hostess and Mrs. Bert Brewer as leader. Roll call—"A Texas Artist and one of his products."

Talk, "Value of Art Centers,"—Dr. Pat Wiggins.

Talk, "Interesting American Composers and Musicians"—Mrs. Henderson Smith.

This talk was followed by a musical number.

The hostess served dainty refreshments carrying out Valentine colors.

AMERICANIZATION AND CITIZENSHIP

(This department of our paper for the next few weeks will be devoted to American Citizenship, and is sponsored by the 1913 Study club).

"Americanization is the business of making good American citizens

of everyone who inhabits the soil of America, whether native born or immigrant. One of the greatest problems of our democracy lies in the un-American attitude of the American people. They have assumed an apathy and detachment toward public affairs which is becoming dangerous. Our government was born out of the agonies and aspirations of the oppressed, and consecrated to liberty, equality, and justice. It must be preserved by well-disposed and well-informed citizens. An Ounce of Example is Worth a Ton of Exhortation.

Are you a good citizen?

1. Are you making your home a training school for good Citizenship?

2. Do you think for yourself and take advantages of your rights to vote?

3. Do you know and obey your city ordinances?

4. Do you make a joke of the eighteenth amendment?

5. Do you give your moral support and influence to the enforcement of the law in your community?

6. Do you show proper respect for our flag and national hymn?

7. Do you try to break down or erect a barrier between our natural born and foreign born Americans?

8. Do you have a helpful sympathy for our war veterans?

9. Do you hold up the hands of our teachers, who by precept and example, are teaching the gospel of good citizenship?

Citizenship Day Program

The following citizenship day program will be given by the 1913 Study club at the regular P. T. A. meeting Thursday, February 16 at the high school auditorium:

Song, Star Spangled Banner.

History of our Flag—By Sixth Grade Pupil.

All stand, giving flag salute, and repeat oath of allegiance. (Salute: Stand with right hand on heart).

(Oath: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States and to the republic for which it stands. Our nation indivisible with liberty and justice for all).

How does a foreigner become a citizen of the United States? (Talk on short paper)—By a Seventh Grade Pupil.

Paper: Our City Ordinances; Do we obey them?—Mrs. T. E. Neel.

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ENTIRE \$40,000 STOCK INVOLVED IN THIS SALE — EVERY ITEM IS OFFERED AT DRASTIC PRICE CUTS — THESE PRICES QUOTED HERE MERELY OFFER AN EXAMPLE OF THE SAVINGS YOU WILL SECURE ON ANY PURCHASE YOU MAKE. IF IT IS MONEY YOU WANT TO SAVE THEN BE SURE TO ATTEND THIS SALE BEFORE THE LAST DAY.

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GAS COOKING RANGE

\$92 "Magic Bake" Gas Cooking Range; Solid Porcelain Finish. Special —

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\$100.00 FINE FIVE-PIECE BED ROOM SUITES IN 3 DISTINCT FINISHES AT	\$72⁵⁰
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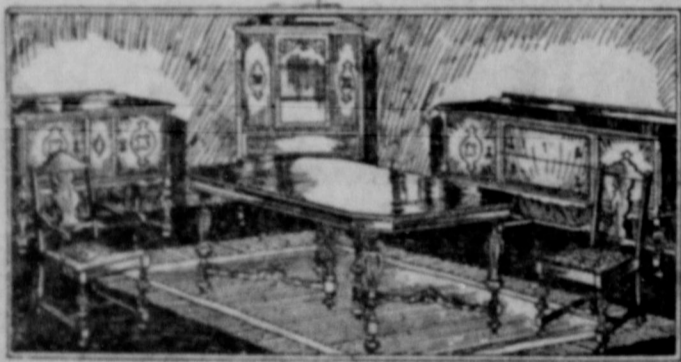
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LOOK WHAT YOU SAVE!

\$145.00 Huguenot 8-piece DINING ROOM SUITE VERY SPECIAL AT	\$98⁵⁰
\$175.00 SUITE	129.50
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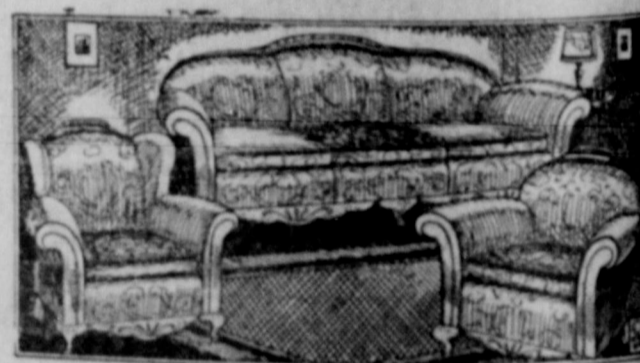
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PLEA TO REDUCE ACREAGE ISSUED

The Texas Cotton association is an association of cotton buyers (shippers and exporters) representing a majority of those engaged in handling cotton of Texas and Oklahoma. The directors at a recent meeting, realizing that it would be disastrous to the best interest of the South at large to increase the cotton acreage, passed a resolution and appointed a committee of three to bring to the minds of the farmers and the business interests of Texas and Oklahoma the disastrous effects of an increase in the cotton acreage. This action is entirely unselfish and inimical to the selfish interests of the cotton dealer by reason of the fact that his profits are calculated upon the number of bales handled and not upon the gross amount of dollars involved. The profit of the average commercial business is calculated on the dollars and cents involved, whereas in the cotton business it is upon the number of bales handled.

It can readily be seen that we have the best interests of the state at heart and we want to appeal to those who are vitally interested, the bankers whose loans are based upon the values of agricultural commodities, to the country merchants who furnish the farmer dry goods and groceries, to the county demonstration agents, the chambers of commerce and to the farmer himself, who is by far more interested than anyone else.

Further, if the cotton buyers of Texas who in the past have been accused of trying to beat the price of cotton down, come out in the open and ask the farmer to reduce the cotton acreage for 1928 by ten per cent, probably at a financial loss to themselves, then it would seem only fair and right to reduce the acreage at least ten per cent in order that the farmer may get a fair return for his labor and investment for the year 1928. If he increases his cotton acreage ten per cent there is no doubt in this committee's mind that we will have a repetition of the prices prevailing for the 1926-27 crop, which was disastrous to the entire state.

The Texas farmer has the situation in his own hands not only for the balance of the belt, as the Texas farmer controls the acreage (and the price largely), and the entire South is now uneasy that Texas will plant an increased acreage this year. The present talk of an increase in acreage is large responsible for the recent declines in the market. Let each and every one of us give this serious consideration.

We endorse the work of the Texas Safe Farming association and especially commend to your serious consideration the pamphlet entitled "Money in Farming in 1928," recently sent you by that association. As business men we cannot conceive of how the bankers, the merchants and the landlords have continuously for 50 years robbed our soil. If banking and other corporate businesses were conducted upon this line, i. e., paying dividends out of their reserves it would mean

Mother and "Other" Son



Mrs. Eva Hickman, grief-stricken mother of William Edward Hickman, Los Angeles slayer, and her eldest son, Alfred, are pictured here in an ante-room of the court in which the boy-slayer of Marian Parker is fighting for his life. Mrs. Hickman has announced that she "will stand by Edward as any mother would."

bankruptcy to those interests as it has meant bankruptcy to the fertility of our soil. We have impoverished the richest part of our state through continuous cultivation of cotton and just at the moment we have practically got the last dipper's worth out of the barrel.

We want the cooperation of every farmer, banker, country merchant, county agent and chamber of commerce as we feel it is to the best interest of the state as a whole to carry out this program. We consider this so important that we recommend that the Texas Cotton association take

such steps as may be necessary to give this communication the widest possible publicity and we invite the cooperation of the press of the entire state.

NO FUN TO FEEL TIRED AND SLUGGISH, NO SIR!

When you are feeling sluggish your breath bad, your body tired and aching—a few doses of "Grandma's Stomach and Liver Tea" is best for your liver and kidneys. Get it "on the corner" at Tarver Drug company. 32-tfc

Red Picket fence, all lengths. J. C. Wooldridge Lbr. Co. 20-tfc

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—that is virtually what Memphis will have when our remodeling and redecorating is completed. We are making the City Bakery one of the Panhandle's most modern.

Within a very few days we will have the finest line of pastry, cakes and bread of several varieties you have ever had the pleasure of buying. There is no interruption in our regular service. We are always in a position to take care of all regular and special orders.

City Bakery

J. C. KENDALL, Prop.

A Cracked Head!

It makes a difference whether its cracked inside or out. Competitors like to think that "Sole Owner's" head is "cracked" inside and possibly they even feel like cracking it outside. The people of Memphis are not concerned with such thoughts.

They love for prices to be cheaper and cheaper!

PEACHES HILLSDALE YELLOW 17c
CLING — NO. 2½

GRAPE JUICE ARMOUR'S 25c
PINT

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NO. 2

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PER LB.

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Clarence Saunders

SOLE OWNER OF MY NAME



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Points to Remember---

WHEN YOU BUY "CHEAP" TIRES —

The first cost is less, granted.

You'll have to watch your air pressure carefully under low pressure cheap tires go to pieces.

Do you know what your tires are made of? Do they contain dead rubber?

Will your dealer back his product if your tires don't stand up?

Will your cheap tires stand 25,000 mile punishment?

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Not so much worry about under-inflation. Amber-Friction construction prevents breaking of sidewalls.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Mrs. R. E. Martin. Phone 387. 32-2p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 921 Montgomery street. Mrs. F. A. Spencer. 1c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 140. 32-2p

FOR RENT & SALE—Good 260 acre farm for rent; teams and tools for sale. Hall County National bank. 32-2c

FOR RENT—One furnished or unfurnished room. South Seventh street. Shorty Hughes. 33-2p

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1402 West Main, phone 528. 1c

FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom. Phone 257. 1p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, private bath, and garage. Mrs. L. B. Madden. 1c

For Sale

FOR SALE—One buggy with shafts and harness. Apply to A. W. Harris of Jet E. Roberts. Phone 920-A. 33-2p

FOR SALE—Two new pianos in Memphis at a bargain, rather than reship. Address Mrs. George Kemp, Clarendon, Texas. 1p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Mammoth Bronze hens for breeders. C. F. Stout. 30-1f

SETTING EGGS—English White Leghorn eggs \$5 per 100; at McKelvey farm 2 miles west of town. Albert Zellmer. 31-1f

FOR SALE—Good Holstein milk cow, 8 years old, with young heifer calf; on Bill Orcutt's farm, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Lakeview. W. M. Walker, Memphis. 1p

FOR SALE—Pure bred English White Leghorn pullets, \$1 each or trade for barred rocks or Rhode Island reds. Phone 557. 33-3c

FOR SALE—Four head work horses, 1200 to 1300 pounds each, two sets harness, one wagon; would consider part cash. Ford coupe, or town lots. D. C. Worsham. 1p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Case separator, one Fordson tractor, all in good running order; a bargain if you have any threshing or grinding to do. See S. G. Hinson, Fayetteville, Texas. 29-1f

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FOR TRADE—Will trade a good slightly used piano for span of good mules. See W. M. McBrayer, the piano man, or write care P. O. Box 1015, Memphis. 29-1p

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FARM HAND WANTED—Man to milk and do chores around small dairy, \$50 per month and house furnished to right man. Write Box 822, Borger, Texas. 33-3p

WANT HOUSE WORK to do. Mary Sorter at Theo Swift's. Phone 325. 33-3c

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LOST—Spectacles, dark rimmed, in black case, at Memphis Produce house, about three weeks ago. Finder return for reward to Memphis Produce house. 1p

STRAYED—Red spotted pig about 6 weeks old. Anyone finding same notify Loyd Byars at South Side Barber Shop. 1p

Used Cars

Our besetting sin as a people is wither grating nor impatience. It's just plain pretense. A lot of us are dimes trying to make a flash like dollars. Don't overplay your income when you buy your car. These will help you to be conservative.

1925 Essex Coach, A-1 shape—new Duco.

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Legal Notices

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
The State of Texas,
County of Hall.

Whereas, by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the District Court of Caddo County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 30th day of June, 1927, in favor of the said State of Texas and against the said J. H. Moore and being No. 28 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 25 day of January, 1928, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated lying and being in the County of Hall, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. H. Moore to-wit:

The Southeast One-Fourth of Section 132, Block 8, Abstract No. 352, Certificate No. 347, Original Grantee D. and P. Ry. Co., Original Patentee Gunter and Munson, containing 160 acres of land, and on the 4 day of March, 1928, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of ten o'clock and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. H. Moore in and to said property.

Dated at Memphis, Texas this 25th day of January, 1928.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HALL.

Whereas, the undersigned was named and appointed in a certain Deed of Trust, recorded in Volume 19 at Page 437 in the Deed of Trust Records of Hall County, Texas, which said Deed of Trust was executed by Louise M. Scott on the first day of September, 1926, for the purpose of securing Annie Clifton Hughes in and to the sum of \$4000.00, and payment of twenty (20) certain promissory notes, each in the sum of \$100.00 due and payable to Annie Clifton Hughes on the first day of December of the years 1931 to 1950, both inclusive, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum payable annually on the first days of December of each year, said notes, and each of them providing that the failure to pay any installment of interest when due will at the option of the owner and holder of said notes, mature each and all of said notes and cause the entire series to become then due and payable, as is more fully set out in said Deed of Trust, to which reference is here made, and Whereas, the said Louise M. Scott has made default in the payment of the installment of interest due on said series of notes on December first, 1927, and on account of such default the said Annie Clifton Hughes, owner and holder of said notes, has elected to declare each and all of said notes due and payable, there being due in principal and interest on December first, 1927, the sum of \$4000.00, and Whereas, the said Louise M. Scott has failed and refused to pay said installment of interest on said notes or any part thereof and has wholly failed to pay said notes after having been duly notified so to do. Therefore notice is here given to the holder of the authority vested in me in said Deed of Trust, I will offer for sale between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m., at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on the first Tuesday in March, 1928, the same being the sixth day of said month, at the Court House door in Hall County, Texas, the following described property mentioned in said Deed of Trust, to-wit: All of the Northeast Quarter, Section 132, Block 8, Eighty-seven (87), Block Three (3), T. & P. Ry. Co., County of Hall, The State of Texas, together with all rights, claims and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Witness my hand this 31st day of January, 1928.

J. E. GRUNDY, Trustee.

33 MILLION FOR HIGHWAYS IN 1928

AUSTIN, Feb. 7.—(UP)—Approximately 40 miles of paving in five counties will be contracted by the state highway commission Feb. 20.

The work upon which bids will be opened at that time includes: Six miles of concrete paving in Wilbarger county from Oklaunion to Red river.

Seven miles of grading and drainage structures in Hardeman county on State Highway No. 5, beginning at the Childress county line and extending to Goodlet.

Fourteen miles of asphalt surfacing from Hallettsville to the Fayette county line in Lavaca county.

Ten miles of grading and drainage structures in Kerr county from Mountain Home west on Highway No. 41.

Six miles of concrete paving north from Panhandle on Highway No. 117 in Carson county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Frel of Clarendon were visitors here Saturday.

LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

Flowers for Valentines. High-tower Green house. 1c

A few flakes of snow fell here this Thursday morning.

W. S. Cross was a business visitor in Pampa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill visited relatives at Turkey Sunday.

Elzie Rushing of Newlin was a business visitor here Monday.

H. L. Boren and C. C. Meacham were visitors in Borger Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Lee Frel is visiting in Mineral Wells and Fort Worth.

Cars washed and greased. Studdebaker Garage. 1p

Miss Rachel Shields visited her parents in Canyon last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday.

Get your Daily Wichita Times at Tarver Drug Co. 28-1fc

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lokey of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday.

W. P. Keeling and Earl Allen were business visitors in Pampa Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lewis attended a dental clinic in Dallas this week.

Miss Eunice Griggs spent last week and with her parents in Clarendon.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery. 17f

Judge A. T. Cole of Clarendon is here this week attending district court.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Youngblood of Clarendon were visitors here Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Castle are visiting relatives in Colorado, Oklahoma, this week.

Engraved stationery of all kinds can be secured through the Memphis Democrat.

Floyd McElreath has accepted the position of bookkeeper with Dial Grain company.

Ethel Headland returned from a several days business trip to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall of Spur were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chapman Sunday.

Miss Ruth Swift left last week for Denton to attend C. I. A. the remainder of the term.

Frank Finch of Eureka, Kansas, visited his sister, Mrs. W. B. Quigley, first of this week.

Miss Clem Wyatt spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wyatt, at Lakeview.

Rufus Randal arrived from Fort Worth Tuesday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. P. M. Randal.

Cars washed and greased. Studdebaker Garage. 1p

Robert Cummings left latter part of last week for Glen Rose, where he will have his eyes treated.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webster and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webster were visitors in Amarillo Sunday.

T. N. Baker is visiting in Mineral Wells and Fort Worth with his brother from Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Holt returned Friday from a business trip to Odessa. They also visited friends at Lubbock.

Miss Marie Bolles has accepted a position as stenographer with Elliott, Moss & Grundy, lawyers of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Rogers of Childress and Mrs. T. J. Youngblood of Vernon were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Decker of Mundy are here this week visiting Mrs. Decker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swift.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carson and daughters Ruby and Irene were visitors in Amarillo latter part of last week.

Cars washed and greased. Studdebaker Garage. 1p

Marshall Keeling, a student at Tech college at Lubbock, is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Keeling.

Roma Lee Frel left last Thursday for Los Angeles, California, to visit with her father, R. E. Frel, for several weeks.

Mrs. Myrtle Crabb and Mrs. Matthew Lane and son Matthew Jr. were visitors in Clarendon and Amarillo Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Haynes and daughter Daisy Irene of Amarillo arrived last Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin. Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Wheeler returned Saturday from a visit with their daughter in Houston. They also visited relatives in Fort Worth.

Justice R. N. Gillis and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rascoe and sons and Mrs. Mary E. Combest visited relatives and friends in Paducah Sunday.

The subscription price of the Democrat is \$2 in Memphis trade territory, and \$2.50 outside. Don't you think it is worth the money?

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson went to Lubbock Sunday to be at the bedside of Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Elmer Moreman, who is still quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lindley returned to their home in Lubbock Saturday after a visit with Mrs. Lindley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beckum.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Holt visited relatives in Quannah Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Holt's father, J. J. Cyrus, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. J. A. Bradford and Miss Biffie Adkisson returned Monday from Wichita Falls where they went to hear John McCormick sing.

S. M. Deason received a message Monday stating that his sister, living at Caddo, Oklahoma, had died. Mr. Deason left immediately for Caddo to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Frank Houston and daughter Mary Jo of Childress visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thompson here Wednesday.

G. M. Thompson returned from Mineral Wells Saturday where he had been several weeks for the benefit of his health. Mrs. Thompson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Carter at Gunter, Texas.

Miss Lillie Houston of Childress was here Wednesday attending a meeting of the lady employees of the West Texas Utilities company.

Have you tried that Good NORRIS Chocolate and Butter Scotch Pie and Cake Icing. Try it, you will be Pleased, you get it at Womack's Grocery. 17f

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis of Childress and Mrs. Jack Linn and son Jack Jr. of Olney spent Sunday here as guests of Miss Lottie Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Huckaby and daughter Mary Sue and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grundy and sons Darel and Tom visited relatives in Hedley Sunday.

Dr. Dean C. Dutton is lecturing here this week, and if the people of the community miss hearing him they will be the loser, not Dr. Dutton.

Mrs. Carl Boston and son James of Pampa and Mrs. J. L. Bain and daughter Viola of Clarendon visited Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie latter part of last week.

Dr. W. A. Morton of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in Memphis Wednesday of last week and will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. G. M. Bass.

Ernest Pope of Clarendon returned Sunday from New York where he had been buying spring goods for the Hanna-Pope stores at Memphis and Clarendon.

I TOLD YOU that I have tuned pianos regularly for 18 years. If you don't believe it, ask your neighbor. W. M. McBRAYER, tuner and salesman, Lakeview, Texas. 32-3c

Col. Bob Sammons, district game warden, was in this county this week looking after the game and fish affairs. He said Hall county has a good lot of sportsmen who are careful about observing the game laws, and wants to thank them for their co-operation.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Wilson left Sunday night for a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas. Mrs. Wilson attended the district convention of the Legion Auxiliary, convening in Fort Worth, Tuesday, and also attended the luncheon at the Texas Hotel given in honor of the national president.

Before ordering printing from a traveling salesman or mail order house, try the Democrat. A regular city shop could soon be installed by the Democrat if it were given the printing that is being sent away. And the prices for same would not be any greater.

Miss Doris Tomlinson, teacher of English in Memphis high school, went to Wichita Falls last Thursday and underwent an operation for abscess in her head. Mrs. H. F. Elrod, who accompanied her to Wichita Falls, returned Saturday and stated Miss Doris would be able to return home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jot Montgomery returned from Dallas Monday where they had been several days for medical treatment for Mrs. Montgomery's jaw. She is much improved and hopes to be able to return to her home at McLean in a few days. She is at the home of Mrs. J. C. Montgomery.

Why Pay More?

Extra High Patent Flour, per 100	\$3.85
10 lb. Calumet Baking Powder	\$1.50
10 lb. K. C. Baking Powder	\$0.00
Bayer Aspirin Tablets 20c	
Pencils, each	1c
School Tablets, 6 for	25c
Rumfords Baking Powder, book and spoon	35c
Kerosene, 5 gal.	55c
Prince Albert, 2 cans	25c
Dehydrated green snap beans box	5c

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Two Quick Delivery Trucks

FORTY MILES OF PAVING TO BE LET

DALLAS, Feb. 4.—(UP)—Texas will have approximately \$33,500,000 in 1928 to maintain and build new highways, according to the survey of former Governor O. B. Colquitt, until recently chairman of the state tax survey committee.

During the next five years Texas should complete at least 1,000 miles of first class roads each year, Colquitt's report estimates.

During 1927, 31 per cent of the total cost of government, or \$20,093,900 was spent on highways.

This year Colquitt believes that \$28,000,000 should be derived from the three cent gasoline tax and the automobile license tax. In addition to this the state will have around \$5,298,429 from federal aid.

The latest report of the state highway commission stated there were 7,354.55 miles of state and federal aid roads in Texas with nearly \$88,000,000 spent on them since 1924. One third of this sum came from the federal government.

The survey showed the number of farms located on concrete or brick highways as 2,373; macadam, 5,080; gravel, 15,950; improved dirt roads, 204,531; and unimproved dirt roads, 204,531.

A comparison of taxes in Texas with other states showed that Texas pays 17 1/2 cents per horse power plus 40 cents to 75 cents per 100 pounds on licenses. Some of the other states investigated by Colquitt's committee are Alabama whose tax is based on horse power, \$11.25 to \$30; Arkansas, \$15 to \$150; California, \$3 registration fee; Colorado 1-2 of one per cent; Kansas, on weight, \$8 plus 50 cents per 100 pounds.

Many of the states have the gasoline tax which was put into effect in Texas last year. The size of the tax in other states is Alabama, two cents; California, two cents; Kansas, two cents; Colorado, two cents; New Mexico, five cents; Mississippi, four cents; Arkansas, five cents; Oklahoma, three cents, and Texas, three cents. One fourth of the gasoline tax is used for the upkeep of roads in Texas.

"The estimated revenue in Texas from the gasoline tax and the license tax will be \$28,000,000. If we estimate on every million cars," the survey read, "in the state at an average of \$800, the two forms of taxation would be equal to four per cent. The average value of cars at \$700 the tax would be equal to four per cent. The average tax in the larger cities of Texas, where most of the automobiles are, is three and one half per cent to four per cent for ad valorem purposes, state, city and county taxes, inclusive."

POULTRY SHOW AT PLAINVIEW SET FOR APRIL

PLAINVIEW, Feb. 8.—(UP)—Plans have been completed for the first Panhandle-Plains Dairy show to be held here April 3 to 6. The show will be restricted to dairy cattle of this section.

Breeders throughout the territory are entering cattle for the show, D. F. Eaton, president, said. The purpose of the exhibition is to encourage the breeding of the best dairy stock in this section of Texas.

Joe Webster was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

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Diversifying Via Canaries

Ever try raising canaries on a commercial basis? If you want some pointers on this latest form of farm diversification go see Mrs. C. F. Stout, two miles south Memphis.

"Heinie" is the big boss of a flock of 3 singers and 6 female birds. He is a "Jubilee roller" imported from St. Andrewsberg, Germany, hence the name smacking of sauerkraut, weiners and lager beer. He's some roller, too. Sings like nobody's business and makes Galli-Curci look like fifteen cents.

Mrs. Stout has found the canary business profitable. In less than two years she has sold more than \$100 worth of birds and very little expense has been attached to raising them.

Some Hall county farmers may think that is carrying diversification a little too far but one hundred dollars is one hundred dollars!

LAST YEAR WAS SUCCESSFUL ONE FOR STOCKMEN

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 6.—In 1927 the livestock industry experienced one of the most successful years that it has ever had with the exception of the World War period, according to George M. Lewis, livestock specialist in the bureau of business research of the University of Texas. Cattle prices reached the highest levels since 1920 and prices received from sheep, goats, wool and mohair were especially satisfactory to producers, Mr. Lewis points out. These increases, Mr. Lewis believes, were encouraged by the 17 per cent decrease in the number of beef cattle in the United States since 1920 and by

Sees Coolidge



Perhaps you have often wondered what the creator of those beautiful girl pictures looked like himself. Here he is, pictured the other day as he called at the White House. His name is Howard Chandler Christy.

Hurrah for Old Sol!



New Capitol Hotel at Amarillo To Formally Open Wednesday

With the opening of the \$1,000,000 Capitol Hotel in Amarillo, Texas, on February 15, 1928, the people of Memphis and vicinity will be welcomed by Ed. R. Mayer, the builder, to one of the most excellent and modern hotels in America. No effort has been spared to meet every requirement of the most discriminating patronage.



Situated in the heart of Amarillo, the Capitol Hotel is easily accessible from the business, shopping and theatrical districts of the city. For the traveling business man, it is an easily accessible from the wholesale, jobbing and industrial districts. For the traveler, it has been located on the highways and on the only corner in the city which permits the hotel to face the entrance of the Santa Fe depot, the Fort Worth and Denver depot, and the business district of the city. Only a block or two from the city auditorium, the Masonic Temple, Elks club, court house and Federal building, it represents a convenient location for the traveling public.

The Capitol hotel is a six story and full basement, first class fire-proof reinforced concrete structure and has incorporated such lasting materials as the finest marble, granite, tile, and terrazzo to withstand the depreciation of time. Other features of the hotel include: 200 rooms, each and every room equipped with full tiles beautiful bath room, with choice of tub or shower; full panel walnut Ser-Vent doors, with prompt valet service department; modern and complete ventilating equipment, which washes and cools the air in the summer, or heats it in the winter. This air cleansed of the dust of the street, flows into the lobbies, mezzanine, dining room, and halls at all hours; circulating ice water in every room, from complete ice plant installation; water softener installation; for entire building; telephones in every room; guest room suites of walnut, designed especially for the Capitol; a delightful and

beautiful cafe; two high-speed elevators; equipment and furnishings ranking in quality with that of the finest hotels of the world; electrical lighting so featured as to create a pleasing surprise to guests.

Three life size mural paintings constitute features of the hotel which are of particular interest to visitors. These paintings portray in vivid reality the history of Northwest Texas, from the covered wagon days down to today.

A Carlisle Young, manager of the Capitol hotel, brings with him the experience gained through twenty-four years of association with leading hotels. After eight years experience in Cincinnati and Cleveland, his next ten years were spent as assistant manager of the Huckins hotel at Oklahoma City. From there to the Tulsa hotel, then the Bellevue, and for the past year and a half as assistant manager of the largest hotel of the south, the great Rice hotel of Houston.

Ed R. Mayer, owner and builder of the hotel is also president of the Johnson Ranch Royalty company, Rock Creek Oil company, and the Board of City Development in Amarillo. This fine new hotel has been built by him as an expression of his faith in the future of the capital city of Northwest Texas.

Nine Counties Co-operating to Push Pease-Red River Valley

Nine counties in Northwest Texas have recently completed the organization of the "Pease-Red River Valley Association" for the purpose of advancing their mutual interests. They are Wilbarger, Foard, Hardeman, Cottle, Motley, Childress, Donley, Hall and Collingsworth counties, and through cooperative efforts as a unit the individual advertising of the towns and counties embraced in this district is also planned.

The organization was prompted by the fact that this fertile river valley section had never had a name common to all counties in it; that it enjoyed unusual agricultural features; that all counties in it had the same general characteristics; and that distinct advantages could be secured through cooperative effort as a unit. The

association was sponsored by commercial secretaries and county agents with the hearty endorsement of the interests represented by them.

Following a preliminary meeting in which the organization was planned at Quanah, a conference was held at Childress on December 16 with commercial secretaries

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PANHANDLE BEGINS ACTIVE CAMPAIGN TO START IMMIGRATION

If there were doubt in the minds of anyone that the proposed movement to induce immigration from the northern states into the Panhandle would not be put into operation, that doubt would have been dispelled had those entertaining it been at the meeting held at the Amarillo Hotel at Amarillo, January 31.

Of the fifteen committeemen on this committee from fifteen counties in the Panhandle, eleven were present, four being detained by other business engagements in their home towns, but the interest in the subject has been aroused to such an extent that fifteen other people, not members of the committee showed up at the meeting voluntarily, and were heartily welcomed. Included in these were the members of the commissioners court from Castor County, headed by County Judge M. R. Avery.

POULTRY-DAIRY ASSOCIATION BANQUETS

100 People Attend First Annual Gathering at Quitaque

By Democrat Staff Writer
QUITAQUE, Feb. 5.—Between 75 and 100 people attended the first annual banquet of the Quitaque Valley Poultry and Dairy association, held on Friday night, February 3, at the Ozark Inn, in Quitaque. The large dining room was completely filled with guests and the hostess served an excellent menu that was fully enjoyed by everyone present.

A. A. Hatchell presided over the banquet at toastmaster. The invocation was pronounced by Rev. J. E. Stephens, pastor of the Quitaque Methodist church.

Judge O. R. Tipps of Silverton, county judge of Briscoe county, delivered the address of welcome. The response to the address of welcome was delivered by G. S. Dowell, superintendent of the Quitaque schools.

The next speaker of the evening was H. D. Cuykendall, field representative and educational worker for a group of four oil mills and one creamery. His subject was "Dairying," though he also discussed "Rural Community Club Work." Mr. Cuykendall stated that if the farmers would purchase three or four good Jersey cows, sell cream and feed skim milk to hogs and chickens, he could make enough money off his cream and pork and eggs to pay the family living expenses throughout the year, without the necessity of borrowing money to make the cotton crop. If this were done, then, when the fall of the year came around there would be no

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Child Slayer



This picture of Adolph Hotelling of Owosso, Mich., was taken shortly after he had received a life sentence, the maximum penalty for murder in Michigan, for slaying little Dorothy Schneider of Mount Morris. Hotelling confessed the crime, as well as attacks on two other little girls. Hotelling was a church elder and a carpenter.

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With two sessions, one in the morning lasting from 10 to 12:30 and one in the afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30, the committee threshed out various propositions suggested.

This committee was charged

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500 FINE BIRDS ARE SHOWN AT QUITAQUE

By Democrat Staff Writer
QUITAQUE, Feb. 6.—More than 500 birds were entered in the first annual display of the Quitaque Valley Poultry & Dairy association, the show being held in Quitaque on Friday and Saturday, February 3 and 4. A. A. Hatchell was superintendent of the show and Walter Burton, A. P. judge of Arlington was the judge.

Judge Burton arrived from Dallas on Friday and started judging that afternoon. He was surprised to find so many visitors attending the show that the work of judging was hampered and the aisles had to be roped off to permit the work to continue. The judging of the poultry, turkeys and livestock was completed on Saturday morning.

Hall county winners in the show were:

C. J. Wynn, Parnell, R. I. Reds, third cockerel, third hen.
Williams & Mitchell, Newlin, White Leghorns, first, fourth and fifth cock; first and third cockerel; first and fifth hen; first, third, fourth and fifth pullet; second and third old pen; second and third young pen.

Olar Wynn, Parnell, White Wyandottes, first cockerel; second and fourth hen; second and third pullet.

W. C. Wolf, Lakeview, Black Langshan, first and second hen, first pullet, first old pen, first young pen.

Arch Owens, Plaska, Bronze turkeys, second old tom, third and fourth hen.

T. A. Hill, Parnell, Bronze turkeys, first young tom, third pullet.

Grand champion male, all varieties, White Leghorn cockerel, Williams & Mitchell, Newlin.
Grand champion female, all varieties, White Leghorn hen, Williams & Mitchell.

LAKEVIEW TEAM LOSES GAME; WINS ONE

Lakeview Girls Lose Game by Small Margin

By staging a splendid rally in the last quarter, when the score stood 3 points against them, the Memphis girls won from the Lakeview girls, at Lakeview, 27 to 23 Thursday, February 2.

The peppiest audience of the season saw the game. The game was close from whistle to whistle. The score stood 6 to 6 at the end of the first quarter; 11 to 11 at the half; and 15 to 19 in favor of Lakeview, at the end of the third quarter. Through all this play, neither team got a lead of over 4 points, and no lead was maintained for more than two minutes. In the last two minutes of play, with one point against them, the Memphis forwards, pulled together and speedily rang up two field goals, bringing their lead to 4 points just as the last whistle blew.

Ola Mae Srygley was the outstanding player throughout the game. Louise Cunningham starred at running center; the opposing centers were almost kept out of the game by their rapid team work; but the Lakeview guards were outplayed by the spectacular forwards of Memphis, Marie Gilreath, captain, and Violet Balthrope.

Wilma Loyd was high-point girl, having scored 14 points; Era Eddleman also played a remarkable game for Lakeview.

Referee Gaye, Memphis, did as close and accurate job of calling the game as could have been given anywhere, assisted by Mrs. Gentry, Lakeview.

L. H. S.

Lakeview Girls Win Over Turkey

The Lakeview girls came out victorious over the Turkey girls in a fast game Friday, February 3.

Although putting up a hard fight the Turkey girls were defeated by a score of 29 to 30.

The Lakeview team was in good shape, and showed cooperation and well organized team-work. There was good technique in passes and spectacular shots forward at the goal, throughout the game.

Wilma Loyd was high-point girl, having scored 16 points; she was ably supported by Era Eddleman, who scored 14 points.

Oma Lee Barnett, captain, and Louise Cunningham were fearless in defense and showed skill in speed and control of the ball. Louise and Ola Mae deserve credit for good support to the team and for hard playing, their passes around opposing team members were very adroit and skillfully placed.

Referee—Miss Ora Lee Bray, Lakeview coach; Umpire—Miss Elsie Stippson, Turkey coach.

L. H. S.

Lakeview B. Y. P. U.
Mr. and Mrs. Wiley gave a party honoring the fifty members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. No. 1, Thursday evening, February 2.

An hour was spent in playing many interesting games, after

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which the hostess introduced Miss Ora Lee Bray, general B. Y. P. U. director, who gave an inspiring talk. "The church is God's own organization for the promotion of Kingdom's work," said Miss Bray, "and it's not only eminently worth while but indispensable. As young people, we cannot evade the obligation of church loyalty without detrimental effect to ourselves in a spiritual nature, to the church, and to the world program." Each member went a way with the desire to be more loyal to their leader and to their church.

B. Y. P. U. service 6:30 to 7:30. Welcome everyone!

Immigration

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with the devising of ways and means of conducting this immigration campaign and reached the conclusion that the basis of such a campaign should be an exhibit train to tour the states of Kansas, Iowa, and a portion of Illinois this coming fall. This train is to contain a composite exhibit of

products of the Panhandle counties interested in this movement. Publicity in newspapers in the localities where this train will be carried prior to the arrival of the train there, pamphlets descriptive of the Panhandle as a whole will be prepared for distribution at these stops and a follow-up direct by mail campaign to keep alive the interest thus created in Panhandle lands will be systematically worked out. That the campaign may be more effectively planned the committee authorized the appointment by Chairman Mr. E. B. Black of Hereford of sub-committees on finance, train itinerary, publicity, exhibits, available lands, and constitution and by-laws, these sub-committees to each consider its respective subject and then report to the General committee at a later date. The general committee will then determine upon the definite program and submit that program to a conference of numerous delegates from the Panhandle counties for final acceptance.

The estimated cost of the entire movement for one year is \$50,000, and it is proposed that the movement shall continue for the next three years; the route of



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the train and the territory to be covered to vary with each year. The committee on available lands is an unusual one. It will be the duty of this committee to secure a list of the acreage available, its ownership, its locality, and the price at which it can be obtained; this to avoid the objection that is offered so often in movements of this kind that prospective purchasers are unfairly treated in a matter of land values after they have become interested. To avoid this the publishing of a list of available lands with fixed prices will be attempted, this list to be distributed among prospects.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their kindly ministrations in our recent bereavement caused by the death of our husband, father and son, Mr. R. A. Kesler.

Especially do we thank Rev. C. E. Jameson, also for the floral offerings.

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"I suffered with severe bilious attacks which came on me two or three times every month," says Mr. Ollie Miller, of Murray, Ky.

"I would become dizzy. My head would ache terribly, feeling as if it would almost burst. It felt exactly like a tight band was being drawn closer and closer around my temples. My stomach would be so upset I could not retain any kind of nourishment for hours. I would have to quit work and go to bed.

"My color was awful. I was yellow and my skin was drawn and dry. I did not have any energy—no ambition to work. I was just about half sick most of the time because of these spells.

"I got some Black-Draught and began to take it regularly until I got my system clear of the poison I had been absorbing. I soon began to feel better and developed a fine appetite. I had no more bad headaches or bilious spells."

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WOW! Boo-hoo! I'm a lost pup. I got to explorin' this town with a pal o' mine and the first thing I knew I forgot my home address. Boo-hoo! And now where am I goin' to sleep tonight? Gosh, I hope my folks—

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ER COUPLE MARRIED WEDNESDAY

A beautiful wedding was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. S. G. Hinton, uniting Miss Lucille Hinton and Mr. Leon Phillips. Rev. Memphis officiating, the ceremony was a simple affair.

The bride wore a gown of green with white flowers interwoven, and tall baskets of flowers banked the altar, a pretty setting for the occasion.

Mr. Phillips entered with her, Roy Mullican, taking her to the altar. Reverend Hinton, then came the groom and his best man, Mr. Hinton, from the left, the bride and her bridesmaids, Miss Maidee Thompson, were received at the altar by the groom and best man. The bride was lovely in her gown, and her bridesmaids were in black satin slippers. A shower bouquet of peonies and rose buds, and a maid wore a canary-colored dress. The bride carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Dunlap wore a gown of rose, georgette and tulle. Miss Gilreath and Miss Hinton were bridesmaids. The bridesmaids wore pink taffeta. They were seated with ice cream and a light refreshment. Mrs. H. L. Phillips, assisted at the wedding. The bridesmaids mentioned were Lee Wheeler, Mr. Phillips, Mrs. J. Phillips, Mrs. Jack Phillips, Mrs. Jack Phillips, Mrs. Jack Phillips. Phillips left following the ceremony and points in Oklahoma will be at home to after February 15.

smaller than last year because there are fewer on feed. If a normal rate of consumption can be maintained during the year, cattle prices are likely to continue strong. Producers should place emphasis on better quality and not market their cattle before they are in good flesh. Poor quality meat will discourage consumption.

"Sheep men are increasing their flocks too rapidly both in Texas and in the United States. There were 450,000 head or ten per cent more sheep and lambs on feed on January 1, 1928, than a year ago, according to the United States department of agriculture. Unless this annual increase is checked, the market soon will be unable to absorb the available supply. This year is the time to begin to check this movement before the good market is demoralized.

"The outlook for the hog industry is encouraging. Prices seem to be near the bottom of the price cycle; and lower prices should stimulate the demand for pork both at home and abroad, especially with beef prices at their high level. Texas consumes many more hogs than are produced in the state. It would seem advisable, therefore, to encourage farmers who have adequate facilities to avail themselves of the present low prices to restock their farms with more hogs."

Nine Counties

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Officers and Name Chosen
Officers elected at the Childress meeting were Max Boswell of Crowell, president; George A. Sager of Memphis, vice president; and Jerry W. Debenport of Childress, secretary-treasurer. At meeting Paducah was chosen as the next meeting place where a definite name for the section would be decided upon as a number of suggestions for a name were made at Childress and in order that careful study could be given these it was decided to wait until the next meeting before selecting a name for this special district.

At this meeting in Paducah on January 19 "Pease-Red River Valley" was decided upon as the name to definitely represent this section. Other suggestions were made but after careful consideration it was unanimously decided to let the world know that "Pease-Red River Valley" represents one of the country's greatest and safest farming sections.

This section of Texas is truly one of the outstanding river valley districts to be found and that fact accounted for the acceptance of the name. By calling it Pease-Red River Valley its exact geographical location is designated as

these rivers and their various branches embrace every part of the district of nine counties. The Red river is the northern boundary for Wilbarger and Hardeman counties and its Prairie Dog fork traverses the center of Hall and Childress. Salt Fork of Red River likewise runs through the center of Donley and Collingsworth counties. Pease river, to the south runs through Motley, Cottle, Foard and the north boundary for Foard and the south boundary for Hardeman and joins Red River in Wilbarger county northeast of Vernon. In addition to these two major rivers, the North Wichita runs through part of Cottle county and is Foard's southern boundary. It joins the South Wichita at the point where both run into Lake Kemp, one of the world's largest artificial lakes which is twenty-three miles southeast of Crowell. Creeks and branch rivers run in various directions over this section from the major arteries, so as to make it really the river valley district of West Texas.

Half Bale to Acre

With a record averaging approximately one-half bale of cotton to the acre all over this section. Pease-Red River Valley is without a doubt one of the heaviest cotton producing districts in the South. Figures from the United States Census of Agriculture for 1920 and 1925 for the crop years 1919 and 1924, are a fair index for the per acre production for a ten-year period as they every five years. The average per acre yield of each county in the Pease-Red River Valley is practically the same and the entire group is as near alike in agricultural production as can be found in so large an area.

In 1919, 194,117 bales of cotton were produced from 373,954 acres in the nine counties of Pease-Red River Valley for an average of fifty-two hundredths bales per acre. In 1924 the production was 328,571 bales from 714,020 acres, an average of forty-six hundredths bales per

acre. These two years are the only ones for which official figures are available since cotton has become a major crop in this district and are a fair index for ten years per acre production. For the last two years, most of the counties in Pease-Red River Valley estimate their cotton production to average considerably better than one-half bale to the acre. It can be truthfully said that this district with a land area almost as great as that of Massachusetts, averages year in and year out, one-half bale of cotton to the acre, a record believed unequalled for so large an area.

The total area of Pease-Red River Valley is 7,875 square miles or 5,038,840 acres, which is more than the combined area of Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island; and 300 square miles greater than the land area of New Jersey. The value of agricultural crops, with production reported for 1924 in the United States census of Agriculture for these nine counties, was \$45,124,548. This district is by no means a one crop country and prides itself on the great number of crops profitably grown here. Grain sorghums, corn, wheat, alfalfa, sweet clover, forage crops, truck products and numerous others are grown throughout this district each year in large quantities.

Cattle and Chickens

Dairying is becoming a major industry all over Pease-Red River valley and more purebred dairy cattle were imported to these counties in 1927 than in any other year of the history of this section of Texas. Poultry raising has always been a leading item and that industry is continually advancing.

The climate of Pease-Red River Valley is especially adaptable for a great agricultural country. The average annual rainfall is above twenty-six inches for a twenty-one year period, and 85 per cent of this comes during the growing season, which averages 224 days, but is usually longer as the average first and last frosts are

dom killing. The average first frost comes on November 6 and the last frost on March 26, and both are seldom killing. The variation of temperature has been instrumental in making Pease-Red River Valley such a great agricultural country. The average annual temperature over the district is 61.5 degrees, the average maximum temperature is 74.09, and the average minimum 49.11. There are 208 days clear per year, seventy-nine partly clear, seventy-eight cloudy and seventy-two days of rain, however of these seventy-two days on a great many only a sprinkle was recorded. This is the average for a long period of years from

records of official stations.

Eight of the nine counties of the Pease-Red River Valley Association are planning to exhibit cooperatively at fairs next fall with agricultural displays, that is while exhibiting as individual counties, space is to be secured where all will be together and plans arranged accordingly. Excellent spaces have already been promised at some major fairs.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Chillicothe in Hardeman county on Feb. 22, at which further work and plans for the association will be outlined. The Chillicothe meeting has prospects of being the largest yet held by the organization.

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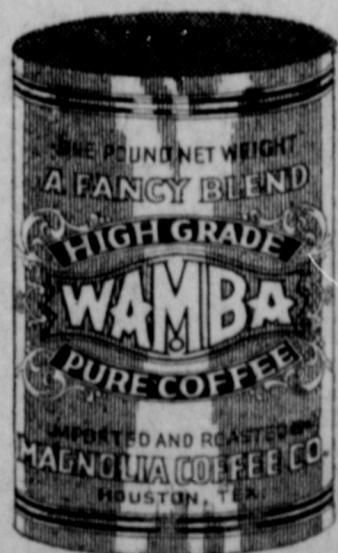


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HOW LONG MUST WE WAIT?

GRADUALLY but surely Memphis' strategically located downtown business sites are becoming occupied by modern buildings. Only a few wooden structures remain, and lots, vacant for years, are becoming covered with permanent buildings as the months roll by.

Uncle Sam has reserved a very choice piece of property in Memphis for the purpose of erecting a federal building. Memphis wants that federal building now. She wants it because she needs it. The postoffice in its present quarters is playing to a capacity house. There is literally "standing room only."

If you doubt this city really needs the federal building to which it is entitled, go to the postoffice and ask to rent a box. Chances are ten to one you will have to leave your name and await your turn. There is room for possibly one hundred more boxes but there are probably more than 100 people in Memphis who desire boxes.

A federal building will relieve an existing congestion and assure our people of better mail service. Memphis and Hall county will deem it a great favor if the representatives from this district will make known our wishes in no uncertain terms at the present session of congress and fight for our interests. The federal government will do well to take into consideration that every section of West Texas is enjoying unprecedented growth and that when a city of this section sends out an SOS call, some consideration should be shown.

Memphis is growing fast. So fast, in fact, that a federal building will not entirely solve our problem for any number of years. Regardless of the fact that some Memphis business men are against it, the time is not far distant when we shall need city carrier service. Some merchants claim this will double postage costs. Perhaps it will do just that for a few, but where a hardship is worked on one person, one hundred people will be more efficiently served. This newspaper, as usual, endorses that which will best serve the masses.

CAUTIONING DAIRY FARMERS

A NOTE OF WARNING is sounded in the current issue of "Texas Opportunities," official publication of the Texas Power & Light Co., in regard to development of the dairy industry in this state. Suggesting that farmers "grow, not go, into it" the editorial said in part:

"Doubtless it is desirable that Texas increase her dairying. But surely it is not desirable to just take a running jump and try to land in a soft bed of enhanced financial return without first having looked over the landing place. Texas can profitably augment her present dairying, that to an astounding percentage. But first, let Texas embryo dairy farmers find out just what they must expect, learn what must be done when certain conditions arise, do this before spending many dollars for which there will be a minimum return if not a deficit unless proper preparation precedes the influx of dairy herds. Such a thing as a market for production, as necessary as that is, does not stand pocket high to proper preparation."

No doubt that is good advice. In fact, conservatism is profitable in all things. At this time, however, Hall County could hardly overdo the thing as there seems to be an urgent need for more dairy herds in this section. Much good missionary work in this connection is being done just now by H. D. Cuykendall, employed by a creamery and four oil mills to promote dairying in three counties. While the creamery and oil mills will benefit directly from increased dairying, it is not an entirely selfish campaign and this newspaper is lending freely of its columns to further the movement that will make for a more prosperous Hall county and Panhandle.

A DIVORCE TRAGEDY

OPINIONS DIFFER as to the value of the American divorce court. We would not attempt to discuss it, for situations in married life differ as do personalities, but here at least is an argument against divorce.

Domestic disagreement between a couple in Dallas culminated in divorce proceedings. The wife, a mother of five children, 2 to 11 years old, sued and was granted freedom. A short while later the husband locked himself in a room with his wife and took both their lives while the frightened children screamed with fear in an adjoining room.

Five children orphaned by a father unfit to bring them into existence—a pitiful, despairing picture. What happens to those children when they become grown is of more importance than what happens to them now. They can be reared to maturity by friends and relatives, but after that they must take their places in the world with a horrible tragedy forever and indelibly stamped on their minds. Can they succeed with brains tormented by thoughts of a father who demonstrated he had no love whatever for them? That is the penalty—an unjust one, it seems—for wrongdoing. The innocent suffer and pay the price for another's sin.

Favorite Sun Spots



OPPORTUNITIES GALORE

FOR THE INDIVIDUAL or corporation seeking opportunity there is no need of looking beyond Memphis and Hall county. Here is a progressive city in the heart of a rich and fertile county where Opportunity with a capital "O" abounds. Here is a thriving municipality dependent upon careful farmers who are practicing wide diversification more and more each year. Here is a county mothering a number of cities and communities—the fastest growing in Texas today. Here is a section receiving new rail development, new industrial development and, most important of all, new agricultural development.

This editorial is written in the hope that people not privileged to enjoy life as citizens of Memphis or Hall county may see it. It is directed to those not quite satisfied with their present surroundings. It is addressed to people who wish to locate where life is pleasant and business is profitable. The percentage of failures among farmers and business men in Hall county is very small. Our people are prosperous because they work.

Want to come to Hall county? Write this newspaper or the chamber of commerce. You will receive such a flood of facts you'll want to catch the next train for Metropolitan Memphis and Happy Hall county.

More than fifty new names were added to The Democrat subscription list during January. This added to the 2300 on the list at the close of the subscription campaign in December makes it look like the Democrat is a popular newspaper.

PLEA FOR SAFETY

Enough men, women and children to populate a city the size of Nashville, Tennessee, have been killed by automobiles in the United States during the last eight years. Or, as the National chamber of commerce puts it, more than the total death lists in the American forces during the World War. Specifically, 137,017 persons were killed in this country by automobiles between January 1, 1919, and January 1, 1927, while the total deaths in our armed forces amounted to 120,050.

In those eight years some 3,500,000 persons have been injured in Automobile accidents, and 26 per cent of the killed and injured were children under the age of fifteen years. Last year it was estimated that 23,000 persons were killed by automobiles, an increase of a thousand over the previous year. Fatalities in seventy-seven of the largest cities during the four weeks ending July 16, according to department of commerce figures, show a seven per cent increase over last year. What the harvest of 1927 is to be cannot be predicted yet. In some communities where safety campaigns have been conducted, the death rates have decreased, but in other sections of the country the increase threatens to offset the gain.

As we stand facing the rising sun of a new year, let us dedicate ourselves anew to the cause of safety. Last year's record is not one to be proud of. The long list of those killed or maimed in traffic accidents is appalling. Pause a moment on this first day of a new year and check up on yourself.

PAGE, LINE AND PARAGRAPH

For the past two seasons of trapping, the fur catch in this country has declined at an alarming rate. The 1925-26 catch was 20 per cent less than in the previous year and in the 1926-27 season the decline was even greater. Federal-aid road projects completed during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, increased by more than 8,300 miles, the mileage of improved roads in the Federal-aid, highway system, and brought the total length of roads improved with Federal assistance up to 64,209 miles. A student of home economics has calculated that dishwashing in an average family is equivalent to wiping as much space as a three-acre field. Proper scalding and a good dish drain saves this useless work and allows an average of 20 minutes a day of leisure for the housewife who follows the easier method. If the dairy herd is culled intelligently on the basis of individual cow records, if the remainder are fed according to known production, and if only good pure-bred sires are used, almost any dairy herd, regardless of its condition at the start, will eventually be raised to a place of good production. Successful dairying depends on many factors. Among these, culling is one of the most important.

Tobey and Tike

—By Redner



facts about The Democrat

During December, 1927, The Democrat printed 80 pages, totaling 360 columns and containing 3826 inches of advertising.

This and That

By L. E. R.

Kinds Tough on the
This clipping from a Texas newspaper indicates funerals are being conducted in an odd manner in that section. "The Baptist church at Val Verde conducted the funeral of the late Val Verde buried in the Val Verde cemetery Sunday morning 10 o'clock."

We prefer not to attend our own funeral. But we prefer to be present.

On second thought it is better if we did attend our own funeral, because if we are writing this column we are friends to say anything about us.

How's That
Want ad in Limited (Oregon) Leader: FOR SALE—A house by a woman with a highly polished top.

The game of tag must have originated with the first pedestrian who ran an auto.

Keep your kids from crossing a street as the auto passes over. There's nothing like that.

It seems our people ways had a saving developed his reputation of few words in his was originally christened Calvin Coolidge. Later simply Calvin Coolidge papers have aided cause by reducing to just plain "Cal" to run for president he would sign his name "idge" for the next.

The Democrat's editor is no friend of the column last week with this query: "Does this paragraph and that?"

"Certainly," we replied. "Well, I read it didn't see anything it," he ungraciously. Wish these things would keep their.

Budge Harle, and galley slave of the Leader, has taken to his column. "We could say plenty but why go to that phis people probably on him already home town which years ago, and turned. We early but we're pretty requested to leave.

Speaking of highly esteemed equally highly esteemed visited Memphis last week while en route to Amarillo, and trouble.

It happened last showing him the ways extend during i. e. we were carrying bag while en route. As we street several men rushed out of ments, frantically and demanded a.

"Here, you whispered to the "They think why and they want the."

So we explained our creditors very ed that we didn't money to leave very well and until one business us and said: "Say, L. E. R. Wells, editor of Leader, with you."

"No one else but "Why?" "Well, how do get out of traveling bar in "That," we replest mystery even over we do!"

The Hall County cars guaranteed a mile-a-minute who buys them speed right day. But what long as their danger? The ways kinds be the well."

Reports on that the Democrat all but four of gasoline taxes months of the 1 cent to a lon. The total slightly collected from 4,000,000,000

AMUSEMENTS

Francisco Next Week

Francisco," the Warned run production of the lurid days of the Barbary Coast, during the "Great Generation." The production is the finest of the generation. Dolores Costello plays a Spanish heiress who is a half-caste boss of the underworld, through which all her weird experiments which all term "furious onslaught of the great fire which mile of hell" to the celebrated "The Joy Girl" in support of the photography in its revealing way be done with the new island adds new

Claire Windsor Star In Fashion Madness

A study in human emotions would be the psychologist's way of describing Columbia pictures production, "Fashion Madness," which opens at the Palace Theatre Wednesday. Claire Windsor has the stellar role and is supported by a strong cast including Reed Howes, Laska Winter, Donald McNamee, and Boris Egenoff. The production was directed by Louis J. Gasnier. Miss Windsor has portrayed many roles, but never before has one fitted her as perfectly as that of Gloria Vane, the pampered and spoiled daughter of wealth, whose every wish has been gratified. To Reed Howes as Victor Redding falls the task of taming and teaching her to experience the more lasting emotions of life. Howes gives an excellent performance and wins new admirers as a combination society chap and man of great open spaces. Laska Winter handles a difficult role in a finished manner. She portrays an Indian maiden, in love with the hero and willing to sacrifice her life for him. Her scenes with Miss Windsor are tense and show an ability to draw from other players the emotion desired. Miss Winter rises to her greatest height in the thrilling climax at the mountain top when she stumbles and plunges over a precipitous cliff, dangling in thin air, caught in a sled rope. The photography is especially noteworthy and the atmosphere backgrounds most picturesque. No matter what your tastes may be, or the type of a picture you prefer, "Fashion Madness," is sure to appeal to you.

Simmons University Cowboy Band



The Simmons University Cowboy Band played to a large crowd at the high school auditorium last Thursday evening, and the program was highly enjoyed by all present. The band is a good one and the membership is made up almost entirely of students of Simmons University. They found a goodly number of old friends in Memphis, and were entertained in the homes of the city.

"Joy Girl" Coming To Palace Friday

"The Joy Girl," directed by Allan Dwan for Fox, will be shown at the Palace Theatre Friday, Feb. 10. Olive Borden has the title role.

Neil Hamilton plays the male lead. Others in the cast are Marie Dressler, Jerry Miley, Helen Chandler, Mary Alden, Frank Walsh and others.

Gentle Bees Not Good Workers

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—If bee keepers go "too far" in breeding bees for gentleness, the offspring will become too lazy to work.

This is the observation of H. G. Graham, A. B. Kennerly and S. E. McGregor, entomologists of Texas A. & M. college, who are in the Lower Rio Grande Valley to study bee keeping methods of this section.

"While gentleness is a quality sought by some apiarists, the majority prefer to maintain some of the sting or fight rather than get colonies of loafers on their hands," Graham explained.

Breeding of bees for sale has become as important in the valley as keeping colonies of the honey gatherers, the entomologists said.

PROTECT YOUR HANDS
Hands chapped? The finest preparation for chapped hands, face or lips or any skin roughness is Tarver's Toilet Cream. Sold only at Tarver's Drug Company. "on the corner." 32-tfc

Only 18 Cities To Have Grand Opera

In bringing the Chicago Civic Opera company to Wichita Falls, in the operas "Aida" and "Resurrection," February 29 and March 1, the guarantors who are some of the best known business men in Wichita Falls, had in mind what this event would be to all North Texas and Southern Oklahoma. It is an opportunity for the people of the two sections to hear the operas just as they are given in Chicago and other large cities.

Only 18 cities in the United States will have grand opera; only two cities in Texas; only one in this section of the country, Wichita Falls, the smallest city to ever have grand opera. With the new Memorial auditorium fitted with every modern device and equipped with everything any opera house in the United States has for staging the operas, the success of this first opera season is assured.

Two special trains with 18 baggage cars of the largest type are necessary to transport the Chicago Civic Opera company; a greater movement, in railroad parlance, than "The Greatest Show on Earth," ever contemplated in its balmyest days. A personnel of three hundred involved—a small army in itself.

All railroads coming from territory to Wichita Falls and extending to Amarillo on the west; Dallas on the east; Abilene on the south and Lawton on the north, will have reduced rates for the two operas, February 29 and March 1.

Wichita Falls has ample hotel facilities for caring for all those who come to this North Texas and Southern Oklahoma feast of music and drama, and the club women of the city are preparing to entertain the visitors with drives to points of interest and will serve tea at the leading hotels, or the two afternoons of opera, to the opera stars and visitors.

The ballet of the opera "Aida" is worth the price the whole thing will cost and the symphony orchestra alone is one of the most wonderful musical attractions ever brought to this section. It is the opportunity of a life time to see and hear, not only Rosa Raisa and Mary Garden, but other noted stars like Rimmimi, Cyrena Van Gordon, Edith Mason, Charles Marshall and many others.

A letter written direct to Mrs. L. E. Springer, grand opera headquarters, Hamilton building, Wichita Falls, Texas, will assure you of ticket and hotel reservations, or she will be glad to answer any question regarding anything concerning the coming operas.

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Send to Clark's for it. tfc

No Use Worrying Says Harold Lloyd

From pill-eater to fire-eater is the transformation of Harold Lloyd in "Why Worry?" his new Hal Roach Pathe comedy showing at the Gem Theatre next Monday and Tuesday. When introduced in the story he is a rich and idle youth whose sole occupation is fighting the various germs he imagines he has.

He seeks rest and seclusion in faraway Paradise and soon becomes a soiled and busy young man occupied in routing out a band of desperate revolutionists. By that time he has discovered what everyone else had always known—he wasn't sick at all, except for a heart trouble which the girl he loved hoped was incurable.

TAKES CHICKEN FOR AUTO RIDE

LONGVIEW, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—Coach C. N. Wilkinson, athletic director of Longview high school, has been seen riding with a chicken.

The other morning he pulled his car up to the curb in front of a drug store. He stepped out to get a drink. When he returned he found a crowd gathered around his car.

"What's all the excitement?" he queried.

"Look up there and see for yourself," a youngster shouted. Perched atop the car was one of Mrs. Wilkinson's prize White Leghorn hens.

GROW 'EM TALL IN EAST TEXAS

LONGVIEW, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—Men grow tall in Longview.

Without standing erect, the tallest man in the county is six feet, five inches minus his shoes. This conclusion was arrived at after several contestants had been measured.

The funny part about it all, this man, J. L. McReynolds, sits down a great deal. He is a truck driver.

Other tall Longview men who were entered in the contest were J. E. Burke, six feet, four inches; S. E. Troxel, six feet, three and three-fourths inches, and Albert Adams, six feet, three inches.

SKIMMED MILK BEST

For feeding dairy calves, skim milk is considerably more valuable than skimmed whey. Skim milk from the average separator will analyze about 3.4 per cent protein and about 0.1 per cent butyrate. Skimmed whey usually contains about 3.8 per cent protein and 0.1 per cent butyrate. The sugar content is about the same in whey as in skim milk, being nearly 5 per cent. Whey should be fed to calves only when strictly fresh and when scrupulous care and cleanliness are followed. Far greater success will be obtained with skim milk.

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Cyrena Van Gordon



This talented grand opera star, Cyrena Van Gordon, will appear in "Aida" at the Wichita Falls municipal auditorium Wednesday night, February 29. The opera is presented by the Chicago Civic Opera company.

NEW FLYING FIELD PLANNED

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 9.—(UP)—Work on the new flying field for the Army Air Corps school here is expected to begin by August 1, according to W. B. Tuttle, chairman of the military affairs committee of the chamber of commerce.

Tuttle said the city had fulfilled its obligations and would be ready to deliver to the government the tract of land to be used for the field when the government announces it is ready to begin work. The tract consists of 2,289 acres.

Parsnips are good when boiled, peeled, and cut up in a white sauce, to be reheated in a casserole or baking dish in which they go to the table.

DOLORES COSTELLO

—IN—

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A Warner Brothers Production

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PROGRAM Gem Theatre

Friday

"PASSION"

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Fable: Hook, Line and Sink. Variety: Reflections.

Saturday

"THE LITTLE BUCKAROO"

Buzz Barton, the boy king of the saddle in another thriller.

Serial: "Hawk of the Hills." Comedy: Tanks of the Wabash.

Monday and Tuesday

Admission 10c

"WHY WORRY?"

You won't worry if you see Harold Lloyd in this big comedy drama.

Comedy: Hot Cookies.

Wednesday

"FIGHTING COMEBACK"

In the land of hunted men. Adventure, Romance, Thrills. Starring Buddy Roosevelt.

Serial: Crimson Flash No. 3. Comedy: Master Chump.

Thursday

"OLD SAN FRANCISCO"

The screen's most thrilling melodrama capped by a mighty climax in the tempestuous sweep of the elements. Starring Dolores Costello.

Fable: Small Town Sheriff. Variety: Monarchs of the Soil.

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Palace Theatre PROGRAM

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"THE JOY GIRL"

Olive Borden and Neil Hamilton Comedy and Paramount News.

Saturday Matinee

"THE OLD CODE"

by James Oliver Curwood. Comedy: "Girls from Everywhere."

Saturday Night

"HIGH SCHOOL HEROES"

Special Cast. Comedy.

Monday and Tuesday

"HONEYMOON HATE"

with Florence Vidor. Comedy and Paramount News.

Wednesday

"FASHION MADNESS"

Claire Windsor & Fred Holmes Comedy: "Nothing Flat."

Thursday

"GET YOUR MAN"

Clara Bow and Charles Rogers Comedy and News.

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Texas from all over the nation for the pure simple good they can do. They will prove to be one of the greatest broadcasting groups of all our Texas virtues that ever visited our state. They will go back to every state in this nation to tell the story of Texas beauty, Texas hospitality, Texas opportunities. San Antonio is sharing the joy and the honor and the responsibility of this great undertaking with all Texas. Such a plan was never heard of before in women's club circles. The entertaining city has always been the whole hostess. Not so in San Antonio and Texas. Texas is to be hostess to the General Federation this year. That's why it is coming here. The idea is something new under the sun. Why not? Texas has more square miles of sunshine than any other state in this nation. She ought to shed more light on every human problem than any other state. Let's all work together to make the Texas Biennial the greatest of all. Let's make every delegate glad she came to Texas. Sssshuuu! Are Your Biennial Dues Paid?

A Grandmother In Congress



There are several grandfathers in the House of Representatives, but Mrs. John W. Langley of Kentucky is the only grandmother. She is shown here (below) with her married daughter, Mrs. Katherine Bentley, who also is her secretary.

big note to pay, no interest fall due, and no big grocery or dry goods bill to settle. The cotton crop would be all net profit. Give a land-owner a few years of net profit cotton and he will have accumulated enough money to retire from farming or enough to go into town and engage in some business venture. Give a tenant farmer four years of net profit cotton and he will buy his own farm, not be a tenant farmer any longer but a land-owner. He will have solved the farm tenantry problem in Texas. Mr. Cuykendall then went on to explain the organization of rural community clubs as little chambers of commerce out in the country, stating that 15 of these clubs had been organized in Childress county, three in Hardeman county and four in Hall county. He gave detailed account of what these community clubs accomplished in the way of rural development, socially, morally, spiritually, economically and intellectually. The speaker of the evening was Walter Burton, A. P. judge from Arlington. He discussed poultry from several different standpoints. Among other things he said that the Quitauque Poultry show had some birds on exhibit that would do to send to any big poultry shows. He said that one pen of Buff Orpingtons on display would win prizes at the Chicago show. Mr. Burton said that the poultry breeders of this section should not interest themselves in getting new blood into the herd, but rather to breed up flocks that they already have. He said that the man interested in production would better himself and his neighbor if he would segregate his roosters at the beginning of the market season and produce only infertile eggs. He said that this would eliminate the discrimination now placed on Texas eggs by northern markets. Mr. Burton told of the preparation of show birds for the show and said that six weeks before was the time to begin getting them ready. Mr. Burton urged the adoption of some marketing association to take care of the surplus eggs that the merchant cannot handle. He said that this would eliminate the wash-tub price, which he said was: When the tub is full the price is low and when the tub is nearly empty the price is high.

Meat Curing

Because they have had considerable success in keeping meat a year at a time, Mr. and Mrs. Stout want to pass along their formula for curing pork. Here it is: Dip it in boiling water and hold one minute. Hang it up for two or three days. Make a mixture of flour and water about the consistency of hot cake batter and add enough red pepper to make it pink. Spread this thoroughly over the meat. Leave it for 24 or 48 hours and then sprinkle borax over it. In Hall county's arid atmosphere many farmers find it hard to keep pork any longer than June or July. If it is prepared in this manner it will keep for twelve months or longer, Mrs. Stout says. And here's a recipe for country sausage: To each 25 pounds of meat add 1-2 pound of salt, 1 ounce of sage, 1 ounce of black pepper and a teaspoonful of red pepper. Have you tried that Good NORRIS Chocolate and Butter Scotch Pie and Cake Icing. Try it, you will be Pleased, you get it at Womack's Grocery. 17tf

Stout Farm

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hogs and chickens to produce more profit. Does it pay? The Stouts will tell you that it does. Total poultry and dairy receipts for 1926 were \$918. Last year the total dropped some but remained a representative figure—\$819.27. No extra help is engaged and their diversification program is just what they can attend to themselves. But we're about to forget the canaries. So far as we know this is the only "canary farm" in Hall

HURRY! HURRY!

Every day we receive hurry calls. Mrs. Jones says, "I need a pound of butter right away. Can you send it?" Of course we can—and we do. But suppose Mrs. Jones had to stop her house work and come to town to lug home a big sack of groceries. It pays to trade with a service grocer.

CITY GROCERY
J. E. ROPER
Phones 463 and 621
Across from Ford Motor Co.

BIG STUDEBAKER ORDER FOR EUROPE

SOUTH BEND, Ind. Feb. 3.—The increased demand for American automobiles in Europe was forcibly indicated here this morning, when, at 9:09 a. m., a transatlantic telephone order for 74 Studebaker and Erskine cars was received from the Hague, Holland, by H. S. Welch, manager of export sales of the Studebaker corporation of America.

The telephone order—which was for approximately \$100,000 worth of automobiles—was placed by L. W. Manson, Studebaker-Erskine distributor at the Hague.

During the conversation between The Hague and South Bend—a distance of approximately 4700 miles—Mr. Manson explained that the urgency of the telephone call was necessitated by the unprecedented demand for Studebaker's new President eight and the new Erskine six.

The Hague order, combined with the many wire and phone orders which have been received by Studebaker from distributors all over the United States, indicates the widespread acceptance of these new models in the Studebaker line.

You get your Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery and save time in baking them. 12-tf

A SPLENDID FEELING

That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and constipated bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbine. You feel its beneficial effect with the first dose as its purifying and regulating effect is thorough and complete. It not only drives out bile and impurities but it imparts a splendid feeling of exhilaration, strength, vim, and buoyancy of spirits. Price 60c. Sold by Levrett-Williams Drug Co. 32-4t

Asked about his plans for 1928, Mr. Stout replied: "We're going to add more cows, possibly more chickens, cut down our cotton acreage and plant more maize and cane."

Meat, Bread and Molasses

PHONES: 10 and 469
NEEL GROCERY COMPANY

HOUSING THE DAIRY COW

The main essentials in housing dairy cows in the winter seem to be to keep them dry and out of the wind and drafts, and to provide plenty of fresh air and sunlight. Apparently the matter of temperature in itself is not a vital consideration, except perhaps in the most severe portions of the United States. It has been noted at the Federal dairy experiment farm at Beltsville, Md., that cows do their best in the coldest weather and their poorest during the hot summer months. Probably there is no advantage in keeping the stable temperature much above freezing, and there may be a disadvantage if the temperature rises above 60 degrees F.

Pork and other meats to be canned are cooked first in the usual way for any given cut, and then processed under steam pressure. Directions for doing this are found in Farmers' Bulletin 1186-F, Pork on the Farm.

TARVER'S TOILET CREAM

Has earned for itself the enviable reputation of being the finest article on the market for the prompt relief of any roughness of the skin. Try it for chapped hands, face or lips. Sold only at Tarvers Drug company, "on the corner." 32-tfc

For colds, grip and flu take



Relieves the congestion, prevents complications, and hastens recovery.

Red Picket fence, all lengths J. C. Wooldridge Lbr. Co. - 20-tfc Get it at Tarver's. tfe

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery. 17M Get it at Tarver's.



The Cream of the Tobacco Crop

"Luckies never cut my wind" says Billy Burch, Captain of N. Y. Americans' Hockey Team

"I can't afford to take any chances with my physical condition. That's why I stick to Luckies. In addition to the pleasure I get from their fine flavor, they have never cut my wind to any noticeable degree. Finally, I never suffer with sudden coughing which might be very dangerous for me when there's a scramble on the ice."

Billy Burch

"It's toasted"

No Throat Irritation - No Cough.



Less Than a Dime a Day

- 11 cents—average cost of one cigar.
- 17 cents—average cost of one package of cigarettes.
- 7½ cents—average daily cost of electricity for American family.

—Electricity is the cheapest commodity you can buy today. It is virtually the only commodity you can buy that is cheaper today than it was ten years ago. It is so cheap and efficient that you cannot afford to use less of it than you need.



West Texas Utilities Company

Local Markets

Poultry

Average local market this week:

Colored hens	19c
Leghorn hens	16c
No 1 turkeys	23c
Capons	23c
Eggs	20c
Green hides	14c
Butter fat	40c

Cotton

Average price past 7 days:

Bellies	14.00 to 14.50
Middling	17.00
Receipts at compress past 7 days	3,033
Shipments	2,634
Total compress receipts this season	35,400
Total compress shipments	27,542
Bales on hand	7,858
Total Hall county ginnings this season over	45,000

COTTON GINNED PRIOR TO JANUARY 16 IN TEXAS

The Department of Commerce, through the bureau of the census, announces the preliminary report on cotton ginned by counties, in Texas, for the crops of 1927 and 1926.

County	1927	1926
Childress	40,552	39,671
Collingsworth	42,388	41,096
Donley	13,423	22,313
Hall	42,445	56,579

Oil Burners On Farms Popular

Many types of oil burners designed especially for home heating purposes have been placed on the market within the last few years. The new method of heating appeals to many home owners because of the relief from uncertainties of coal supply, from furnace attendance, dirt, etc. Oil burners are being applied to all of the types of heating plants commonly used for home heating, with varying degrees of success. Investigation of different types of oil burners by the U. S. department of agriculture indicate that they are suited to the requirements of many home owners on account of their convenience and ease of heat control if, to obtain these advantages, the prospective purchaser is willing to pay the cost of change and possibly an increased operating cost. Before deciding whether a change to oil burning is desirable there should be a thorough understanding of the operating characteristics of different types of oil burners, and of installation and operation costs. Department Circular 495 tells all about the subject and may be had free upon request.

Neal Wyatt of Dalhart spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Miss Clem Wyatt of this city, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wyatt, at Lakeview.

Get it at Tarver's.

DRYING WET SHOES TOO FAST RUINS LEATHER

Wet shoes must be dried very carefully. When dried too fast and without care shoes shrink and become hard, tight, and out of shape. Street shoes should be oiled with castor oil after being wet. Apply the oil on a piece of cheesecloth lightly and evenly and rub it in well. Straighten the counter, heel, vamp, and toe, and stuff the shoes with crumpled paper to keep the shape and hasten drying. Set the shoes in a place that is not too warm and let them dry slowly. Never put them close to a hot stove or radiator, and do not wear them until they are thoroughly dry. Work shoes are oiled or greased with one of the special waterproofing mixtures recommended by the United States department of agriculture in Farmers' Bulletin 1523-F.

MORE FOREST ROADS

The mileage of forest roads within or adjacent to the national forests was increased by 1,369.7 miles during the last fiscal year which ended June 30, 1927. During the same fiscal year 4,987.3 miles of trails were constructed in the national forests. Up to the close of the last fiscal year a total of 13,218.5 miles of forest roads and 31,607.2 miles of trails had been constructed, a total of \$79,601,463.59 having been expended for the work. Of this \$63,989,507.32 was federal funds and \$15,611,956.27 cooperative funds contributed by the states and counties containing national forests.

Her Ad Wins



Members of the advertising class at the University of Oregon argued so heatedly over the place of woman in the advertising field that instructors, to prevent a war, suggested that both boys and girls write a full-page ad for a local store. The store was to accept the ad it liked best, without knowing who wrote it. The winning ad was written by Miss Florence Grebe (above), so the boys have quit arguing.

If you have that "don't care" feeling—if you feel sluggish, more than likely your liver needs attention. "Grandma's Stomach and Liver Tea stimulates the liver and aids the kidneys. Get it "on the corner" at Tarver Drug Co. 32-tfc

BUDGET PLAN BEST FOR ALL FAMILIES

What is the biggest need or desire of the family for the coming year? An automobile? A home of your own? A good vacation? Radio? School or college graduation? More or better clothes? Make up your spending plan with an eye to whatever you want most; then see how you can subordinate less important needs or wants to get the one big thing. For example, two dollars a week saved from January 1 to July will take care of commencement at high school, or provide a two-week's vacation for mother, or bring some splendid books into the house. Two dollars a week and sometimes more can be trimmed from ordinary expenditures with surprising ease, once the whole family starts cooperating in the game of "beat the budget." Bigger wants take more weekly savings, but the principle is the same.

PREVENTS INFECTION

The greatest discovery in flesh healing is the marvelous Borozone, a preparation that comes in liquid and powder form. It is a combination treatment that not only purifies the wound of germs that cause infection but it heals the flesh with extraordinary speed. Bad wounds or cuts which take weeks to heal with the ordinary liniments mend quickly under the powerful influence of this wonderful remedy. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by Leverett-Williams Drug Co. 32-ft

LIGHTEN WIFE'S BURDENS

If a complete water-supply system for the farm home is not within reach it is possible to lighten the housewife's burden to a very material degree by installing an elevated barrel system at small expense. If this barrel is placed on a shelf or platform somewhat above the level of the kitchen sink. The water is supplied to the barrel by a pipe from the force pump at

the well. The water then rel flows into the kitchen sink. If a complete water-supply system can not be installed at once, rural engineers recommend the "step-by-step" unit-at-a-time plan of installation in which one unit is installed year and added to the next year.

You get your Home Womack's Grocery and in baking them.

BEGIN AGAIN

Every day is a fresh beginning. Every day is the world made new; You who are weary of sorrow and stinging. Here is a beautiful hope for you. All the past things are past and over. The tasks are done and the tears are shed. Yesterday's errors let yesterday cover. Yesterday's wounds, which smarted and bled, Are healed with the healing which night has shed. Yesterday now is a part of forever. Bound up in a sheaf, which God holds tight. With glad days and sad days and had days which shall visit us more with their bloom and their light. Let them go, since we cannot relieve them. Cannot undo and cannot atone; God in His mercy, receive, forgive them; Only the new days are our own, Today is ours, and today alone. Here are the skies all burnished brightly, Here is the spent Earth all reborn, Here are the tired limbs springing lightly To face the sun and to share with the morn. In the chiasm of dew and the cool of dawn. Every day is a fresh beginning; Listen, my soul, to the glad refrain, And, spite of old sorrow and older stinging, Take heart with the day and begin again. —SUSAN COOLIDGE

WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW

Lumber - Building Material - Coal

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BEST TIRES AT PRACTICALLY COST

WOOD SERVICE STATION

Permanent Waving

that gives your hair a natural, curly appearance. Our operators are careful and your entire satisfaction is their aim. Miss Lillian Beard, who has had years of beauty parlor experience is operating this department in the absence of Miss Grace Leverett.

Greenhaw's Barber Shop and Beauty Parlor

Give Your Eyes An Even Break

Your eyes can't serve you properly unless your glasses are correct. We can fit you up right.

Chas. Oren

Jeweler-Optometrist 619 Main St.

All kinds of poultry and stock feed. Bring your feed to us for grinding.

WHEAT'S FEED STORE

PHONE 507

Orr's Annex Confectionery

Young But Growing Fast

A business that has grown by leaps and bounds since its establishment 18 months ago is the Annex Confectionery, owned by Wiley D. Orr and located in the Orr building on Main Street.

When Orr's Studio and Gift Shop was completed a year and a half ago, room was provided for a small confectionery to be operated as a side line. The studio, by the way, is one of the Panhandle's most modern and was erected as a climax to Mr. Orr's 22 years in business in Memphis.

"The Annex has become more than a sideline," Mr. Orr stated. "It has become a real asset to my business and is growing just as rapidly as the studio."

Because of its convenient location, the Annex has become popular with many people for its tasty sandwiches and savory drinks. A complete line of cigars and cigarettes, box, bulk and small package candies is also carried. Considerable curb business is being built up.

Demand for a number of articles carried by drug stores has grown to such an extent that Mr. Orr is adding staple and shelf drugs and sundries. Newspaper and magazines will also be carried beginning at an early date.

White Crest

and

Silk Finish Flour

A. Womack's Grocery

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