



OUR TEXAS NEEDS

By PHOEBE K. WARNER

The greatest need in Texas today is more UNITY. Unity in thought. Unity in action. Unity in purpose.

state and then we might be in a better condition to work for the welfare of the whole state.

We need more State wide love and loyalty in Texas. The people of Texas have the greatest outlook on life and the future of any state in the Union.

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One of the greatest social problems on earth today is our religious problem and our denominational problem. It creates most of the doubts in the mind of unbelievers.

PERSONNEL OF THE STUDENTS OF TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE

The Texas Technological College, located at Lubbock, opened its first school year September 28, 1925. Students began enrolling on that date and continued steadily for about two weeks.

The School of Liberal Arts is said to be leading in numbers. There being approximately 350 or 400 students in that one branch.

The School of Engineering stands second in numbers, having 250 or 300 students. This school offers courses in most any kind of engineering.

There are many interesting facts about the students of the Tech. Students from 217 Texas cities. All the way from one to 17 students from a single city.

Among other things to be noted of the student body are activities already organized. The first of which is the Dramatic club with Miss Ruth Pirtle, head of the public speaking department as founder.

The Press club is an outstanding organization among the student body. This organization has taken the responsibility of publishing the Tech year book this year, which is within itself a great task.

movements are outlined for the future by this club.

Athletics in the college has wonderful possibilities. There have been already four football victories and the season has more in store.

Music also has its place in the college, with two bands and an orchestra. A military band of 25 pieces, a college concert band of 40 pieces, and a 12 piece orchestra.

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### Vacation Time With Its Pleasures

By T. R. GARROTT

As man traveling in the mountains of Colorado will at first be surprised at the frequency of the express after being there several times. In the south of Colorado the highways are not so good, but no large highways cross into central New Mexico at least I failed to find one. I was told in the south that there was a big road following the general route of the railroad towards the junction of Santa Fe. As this was valuable, I decided to follow it and go south. For a few miles the road was fair and then it descended to some tracks and stakes which were markers for a road that was to be made. It rained a few days before we started and some times I had to stop and walk to find a place to cross a wash-out or soft ground. In crossing the railroad about five miles below Antonita there is a small switch named Volcano. Just as we were about to pass it a peculiar circular rock formation like a high stone wall, extended below the level of the surface. There was a farm depression, which might be an extinct volcano and the road had to go up this rock wall to get to the neighbors. Near the village of Tres Piedras the traveling road, the ground was soft and sliding one mud hole, the wheels of the axle in the wet ground of the car stalled. It was a "long day to Tipperary." And an old potato sack was placed down mud behind the rear wheels. We pulled up some flower and these were jammed down in the sack. Sometimes when you go forward it is possible to back up, we "doodled bugged" back until we reached firm ground and then went on our way rejoicing. The road went from north to south, the luggage carrier running board hung on a rock, and a grating noise like the car bearing the bottom open, and the tire went flat on the rear wheel. Having two spare tires already pumped up, we were not worried as we needed to stop for noon lunch, and Jack Garrott Morgan was using all kinds of baby talk to let his mother know he was hungry for his bottle of milk. We soon entered a government forest reservation and the road was just wide enough to go between trees, so that driving called for quick turns to avoid trees. About this time the "chuck box" which was bolted on the front part of the right footboard, came in contact with a shrub pine tree and the leather straps holding the cots, hung on a stump on the other side of the car, so that with the snapping of the straps and the wrenching of the chuck box we had to stop for repairs. Arriving at Taos Junction, we decided to go to Albuquerque, so turned off the Santa Fe road and soon got into deep sand which was loose and plenty of it, until the road forked, one sign said Oho Caliente and the other sign pointed to La Madera. We decided that Oho Caliente must be the biggest as it had the biggest name, but we went by it before we realized we had even got to the town. Oho Caliente is noted for hot mineral springs where people go to get relief from rheumatism and other ills, but it is difficult to reach and only a few are benefited. This village is located near a wide creek out of which water is used to irrigate little farms by the Mexicans. The road followed this creek and then went down in the bed. We traveled about 14 miles uncertain where we were going or when we would get there. Suddenly the idea presented itself, what could be done in case we got bogged up or broken down away out of touch with a store or mechanic or gas or supplies? The road had vanished, so we retraced our tracks 14 miles until we met an American who could direct us to Albuquerque.

(To be continued)

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### Newlin News

Mrs. Z. A. Cox spent last week in Silverton, visiting at the home of her uncle and cousin, Dick Thomas and Miss Lonis. She returned to her home in Newlin Friday accompanied by Miss Thomas and her father, who spent the week-end here.

The Baptist Ladies' dinner which was held in Newlin Saturday, proved very successful. The proceeds of which amounted to \$48 and will be used for the tuning of the piano and a new piano stool and other expenditures of the church. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet Saturday afternoon at the regular hour and all members are urged to be present to attend to the business of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Walker of the Gilpin community entertained a number of young people at their home Friday night with a party, honoring Miss Vera Belle Watson of Shamrock. Quite a crowd of young folks were present and enjoyed the occasion. Miss Watson is attending school at Shamrock this term.

Byron Todd visited in the Liberty community Sunday, where he preached on his regular monthly appointment.

Miss Nancy and Alma Lawrence of Wichita Falls visited their parents in Newlin last Sunday. The Misses Lawrence have been residing in Wichita for some time, this being their first visit here since the completion of their new home.

J. C. Downing made a business trip to Dallas on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eddleman of Memphis, accompanied by Memphis friends, visited Mrs. Eddleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jarrel, Sunday.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon of this week. The Methodist ladies are planning to arrange a Gift Shop, with which they intend to raise funds for their organization. The plan is for its members to purchase unfinished articles and make them for the Gift Shop, during the holidays. Announcement was made Sunday morning that all who pledged money for the church building fund are asked to pay same to the Methodist church trustees or at the bank on or before Nov. 1.

Clarence Jenkins, of Memphis, visited friends in Newlin Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Williams and children of Wichita Falls spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hemphill.

Gilpin school opened last Monday with a record attendance. Quite a large number of parents were present at the opening exercises. The teachers, Mr. Beverly, principal; Miss Vivian Pittman, fourth and fifth grades; Miss Velma McCaskill, primary grades, compose the faculty.

Equipment for the Domestic Science and Home Economics courses has been received and installed. Also the equipment for the manual training course. A large class of boys and girls have enrolled for these courses and a great interest is being shown.

### A CORRECTION

In last week's issue of the Democrat we published a statement made by T. N. Baker in which he stated there would be one-half bale per acre made after the hail on his entire 500 acres. This week we received a letter from Mr. Baker from Mineral Wells, stating that he did not intend to convey the idea that there would be one-half bale per acre made on the entire 500 acres, but that the article should have stated there would be enough grown bolls on the heavy growth cotton if they opened, to make a half bale per acre on that particular cotton. We are glad to make the correction. Mr. Baker acknowledges paying us for the paper but says he did not want any mistakements to go abroad concerning his land.

### MEMPHIS BAND SELECTS QUARTERS IN AMARILLO

The famous Memphis Gold Medal band under the leadership of Paul James and known to all Texas as one of the premier bands of the state, has accepted the offer of Tom Holman of the Holman-Austin Drug Co., to make the drug store their headquarters during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention here next spring.

Announcement to that effect was received in form of a letter today from Paul James, who said the band would be on hand with \$1500 worth of new uniforms and their gold instruments.

Mr. James said a platform would be erected in front of the drug store and that concerts would be given several times daily throughout the convention. These programs will be given for the entertainment of the general public.

The Memphis band was awarded the West Texas Chamber of Commerce prize and its visit to Amarillo is being looked forward to with much pleasure by local people.—Amarillo Post.

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### PERSONNEL OF THE STUDENTS OF TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE

By Alma Pace

The Texas Technological College opened September 28, and received one of the largest enrollments in membership ever known by a college in its infancy. There were between 700 and 800 students enrolled the first day. These students well represent the entire United States, for they come from all four corners of the Union. However, the majority of these students are from the Panhandle.

The students are classified according to standing. The freshmen outnumber the sophomores by a large majority. Out of the 890 students in the Tech, something over 600 have classified as freshmen, while the sophomores number only 161. Girls make up approximately 27 per cent of the enrollment.

There are four schools included in the college. The School of Liberal Arts and the School of Engineering seem to be favorites, for the enrollment in these departments total 763. The School of Liberal Arts has an enrollment of 441 and the School of Engineering 322. In the Agricultural Department there are 51 freshmen and nine of advanced standing. With a total of 60. This department is expected to be one of the leading branches in enrollment in the future. In the Home Economics Department, where the ladies are taught the arts and sciences of real home-making and therefore having a strong appeal for the men, there is an enrollment of 67 with 52 freshmen and 15 of advanced standing. Men outnumber women in the student body by almost three to one, there being 637 men and 253 women.

There is a good spirit among the student body as a whole. On the first Saturday evening of school year of the Texas Tech, President and Mrs. P. W. Horn gave the students of the college a reception in the corridors of the beautiful administration building. Upon arrival each student was presented with cards reading: "We are now 900 strong, ready to back the Texas Tech—scarlet and black."

We were 100 per cent strong for the Matadors in our first four games of football, none of which were lost. The fans and citizens of Lubbock loyally supported the team, of which fact we are proud for they too, are a part of this great institution of learning—the Texas Tech.

The night serenades welcoming the Tech students to Lubbock is one that may be mentioned showing the spirit and enthusiasm existing with the citizens of Lubbock and the students.

The outlook for the future is very bright indeed for the Texas Technological College. Her ideals are set very high and the student body, with the aid and leadership of the able faculty have set forth with the determination to reach these ideals.

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Now, therefore, I, J. W. McIntosh, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LAKEVIEW" in the town of Lakeview, in the County of Hall and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty One Hundred and Sixty Nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

CONVERSION of The First State Bank of Lakeview, Lakeview, Texas.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of this office, this ninth day of October, 1925.

J. W. McINTOSH,  
(Seal) Comptroller of the Currency. 18-9c

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON HIGHWAY NO. 5, ROAD DISTRICT NO. 5, HALL CO. TEXAS:**

This is to advise that all fences are to be moved by property owners and should be moved immediately in order to avoid delay to the contractor. It is further suggested that all property owners use such diligence as necessary to gather such crops as are on the State Highway No. 5 R. O. W. as it is not the intention of the Engineering Department or the Contractor to cause any undue loss to the farmer. In view of the fact that there might be some misunderstanding regarding the construction of Highway No. 5 in Commissioners Precinct No. 1, the above explanation and suggestions are made. The contract has been awarded and construction authorized to begin. The County Engineer will more than gladly give any information requested, regarding Right-of-Way, etc.  
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PRAYER: May the Holy Spirit give to us a vision of God in His holiness, and then as little children we will come to Thee.

### LAW VIOLATIONS

An officer of this county expressed the conviction that there is a tendency on the part of a good many people to ignore, or wilfully violate some of the laws on the statute books of our great state. Especially is this true of the prohibition laws of state and nation.

This officer thinks also that there is an organized effort to burglarize, intimidate, and in other ways make life miserable for the people who like peace and happiness in their communities. This belief is strengthened by the wave of crime that is sweeping over the country. He thinks the people can aid in putting down such tendencies, especially when serving on juries, or when seeing violations, reporting same to officers.

All citizens should see to it that all laws are respected, and aid their officers in enforcing them, else the clutches of criminality will make life unpleasant and our country unsafe.

The Democrat would not for an instant have its readers believe this country is going to the demitition bow-wows, but we do believe that proper administration of the laws and proper respect for the laws will go a long way toward stopping the tendency being shown lately in this part of the state. Anyway, law-breakers have found that this county has officers who have been very successful in running down those who have violated the laws.

### BETTER THE TEACHER, BETTER THE SCHOOL

One of our slogans for school and teacher day is "The better the teacher the better the school." It is often said that the teacher is the school. City schools in the average have better teachers than country schools can afford. Longer terms and better pay make worth while the teacher's position in the city.

The average salary of teachers in the one-teacher schools of the country in 1924 was \$735, while the elementary teachers in cities of 2500 to 5000 population received the average salary of \$1129; in cities of 5000 to 10,000 the salary was \$1231; in cities of 10,000 to 30,000 it was \$1354; in cities of 100,000 or more the average salary of elementary teachers was \$1968.

Some of the difference between city and rural salaries is due to the difference in cost of living, but not all. The city teachers are receiving pay for a longer school year—an average of two months longer. But city school authorities demand higher qualifications. The teach-

ers come forward with better training and in turn demand adequate salaries.

Would better training insure better salaries for the country teacher, or would better salaries encourage higher professional training?

When the States provide sufficient funds for nine-months schools and adequate pay for competent teachers, trained teachers will report for duty.

Advertisers and contributors will confer a great favor on the management of the Democrat if they will get their copy in early in the week, if at all possible. When each advertiser and each contributor waits until Thursday to turn in their copy, it works a hardship on all the office force and cause such a rush that it is difficult to get by without making errors and besides being gotten up in a slipshod shape, necessitated by lack of time. There are always plenty of things coming in the last day to keep all busy without having to work up those things that could have been turned in the first of the week. If the people will co-operate as requested above, the Democrat can be made a much better paper and can be in the mails earlier. It takes a whole week to get out a paper and when all matter is turned into the office on press day, it causes all the week's work to be done in one day.

The November issue of Holland's Magazine has a very interesting article on the "Octopus." This article is more interesting because it contains the testimony of a Memphis citizen in regard to the way prisoners have been treated in the Texas prisons. If you haven't read this article, get a copy of the magazine and read it. It will open the eyes of many people, and Holland's is to be congratulated for having the nerve to publish an article that goes to the very heart of the matter and exposes the many tentacles of octopus.

Be sure to attend the Hallowe'en Circus Saturday night on the square of Memphis.

Christmas cards make a very pleasant remembrance at Christmas time  
The Memphis Democrat

## THE PASSING DAY

WILL H. MAYES

Former Dean

Department of Journalism  
University of Texas

### Fair Showing State's Resources.



The Texas State Fair at Dallas is an exposition worthy of a great state like Texas. It has been a thing of slow but steady growth and in that it typifies the steadily increasing prosperity of Texas. Just as Texas has been largely dependent upon agriculture and commercialism in the past, the State Fair has had to depend on agricultural and mercantile exhibits for its success, gradually adding the industrial as Texas has added industries. Perhaps it will always be distinctively an agricultural and commercial fair, and it may be best that it should be, but the time has come when the manufacturing interests need greater recognition than they have been getting. Fairs are intended largely to point the way to prosperity than follow in the wake of success. Farm exhibits showing fine results from farming stimulate farmers to greater effort. We progress by comparative study more than from any special desire for progress. A result-bringing fair is one that compels a study of the things most needed for the good of the people.

### Needs Stimulation in Manufacture.

What Texas needs just now more than anything else is to study its manufacturing possibilities and to turn its idle capital into industrial enterprises. The Texas State Fair has a wonderful opportunity to assist in bringing this about. It has buildings devoted to the trades—to showing merchandise of every kind—but Texas need to see at their fair exhibits of the industrial arts and to be shown that industrial manufacturing is now necessary for their continued prosperity. It is all right to be shown beautiful exhibits of dresses, house-furnishings, automobiles and other things that make for the pleasure and comfort of the people, but the masses need more to be taught through our fairs how they may best acquire the money with which to obtain these things.

The next great enterprise of the Texas State Fair should be the erection of a mammoth industrial building and the substantial encouragement of manufacturers, both in and out of the State, in making exhibits that will show the possibilities of the fullest industrial development of the State.

### Devil's River Development.

Most Texans, who have not seen it, have been accustomed to think of Devil's River and the surrounding country as something wild and unmanageable, but those who have seen the river have wondered at its marvelous possibilities and have been appalled at the great waste of its resources. In the scheme of Texas development a company financially strong enough to harness and utilize its resources has had its attention directed to its possibilities, and is now making a preliminary survey with a view to damming and using its waters, now wasteful, and making it assist in building a greater Texas.

Capital has its eyes fixed on the numerous spring-fed streams of Southwest Texas and in time there is sure to be an expansion of Texas resources that will startle those who have been accustomed to think of us as a slow-moving people.

### Road Contracts Cancelled.

Road maintenance contracts in nine counties of Texas have been cancelled because the county judges and commissioners have had the courage to

complain that the contractors are doing their work poorly. Whether it is justified or not, there is an opinion that many of the road maintenance contracts are either poorly or unwisely drawn and that they allow contractors to shirk their work without very much danger of the poor work being discovered, unless officials and interested citizens are unusually diligent in discovering and reporting poor maintenance work. Texas needs good roads, but it should get full value for the money expended.

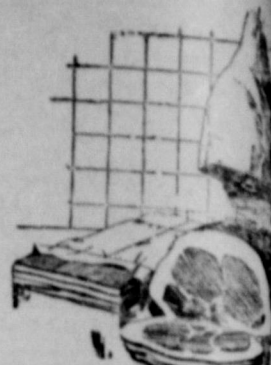
### Texas Technological College Needed.

The attendance of nearly one thousand students at Texas Technological College at the opening of the first session, without any appreciable decrease at other State schools, justifies the wisdom of the legislature in establishing the school, here is room in Texas for all its schools and they should work in harmony for the education of the youth of the State.

### Banks Make Good Showing.

Texas banks are full of money despite the "hard times" cry that has been heard in many parts of the State. Where the banks have more money than they can safely loan there is unusual prosperity, for the banks mostly lend the money of their depositors. Except in a very few localities crops are better than they were expected to be a month ago. The rains that have fallen throughout the State are early enough to insure good grain and grass crops. Texas will soon surge its drouth.

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SOCIETY

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ENDING TEXAS GRAND CHAPTER

Geo. Tipton, worthy matron of the Memphis Chapter Order East-ern, Mrs. Spencer and Mrs. C. Webster, left Sunday for San Antonio to attend the meeting of the Grand Chapter. Mrs. Webster is appointed to take the place of Mrs. Houghton, deceased, as Representative of Wisconsin.

WOMEN'S LADIES INSTALL OFFICERS

Monday afternoon some forty ladies of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Hattenbach, Mesdames Hattenbach, Chas. Haley, Byron Baldwin and Wal-lens as hostesses. A very in-teresting program, led by Mesdames Foxhall and Vernon Williams, followed, followed by installation of officers for the ensuing year.

STUDY CLUB CERTAINS HUSBANDS

Mesdames J. P. Watson, Jet R. and Lon Montgomery, delight-fully entertained the members of the Study Club and their husbands at the home of Mrs. Watson on Fri-day, with a dinner followed by a social hour and the ladies enjoyed a social hour and the ladies served a delicious plate lun-cheon.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB MET

Mrs. Jack Figh last week. Hal-loween decorations were used and a lovely salad course was served.

PRESBYTERIAN MEN'S BIBLE CLASS BANQUETS

Twenty-six members of the Men's Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church enjoyed an oyster supper at the White Rose Cafe, Tuesday evening. After the supper, Rev. C. E. Carter, spoke a few words of wel-come and introduced the principal speaker of the evening, Rev. Louis Haines, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, who is holding a revival meeting at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Haines spoke briefly on "Fellowship of Men." The meeting adjourned early in the evening that revival services might not be delayed.

Share your friends what you think of the Memphis Democrat.

SCOUTS PLAY FOOTBALL

Troop 2 Boy Scouts, played the 7th grade team—The Whirlwind—Monday afternoon at four o'clock. The score was 12 to 6 in favor of Troop 2.

YOUNG MAN SLUGGED AND THROWN FROM OWN AUTO

A young man from Tulsa was found near Tampico on the Turkey and Estelline highway, unconscious and badly beaten up on Saturday night. He was brought to Memphis and placed in the hospital where he was kept until last Friday until he was able to return to his home.

SOME TAKE GREAT INTEREST

Some people have circulated the report that I was running a grocery store; some a drug store and now some seem to be advertising that I am running a saloon. I suppose they will be advertising next that I am operating a string of first national banks. I thank you.

Dig Up Martyrs of 1684

An ancient coffin was recently unearthed in the Townhead district of Glasgow which contained the skeletonized remains of a man. The coffin was found some 15 feet behind the well-known Martyrs' monument, which fronts Castle street, a circumstance that gave rise to the theory that the remains were those of one of the three men—James Nisbet, James Lawson and Alexander Wood—who were martyred in 1684.

Eruption of Mount Pelee

Mt. Pelee is an active volcano on the northwestern side of Martinique, an island in the West Indies belonging to France. Notable eruptions of Mt. Pelee occurred in 1762, 1851, 1902 and 1908. During the eruption of May 8, 1902, a giant rock 1,000 feet high was forced out through the crater dome. The town of St. Pierre was completely destroyed and between 25,000 and 30,000 people were killed.

He Wasn't Fired

One morning an invoice clerk turned up at his office even later than usual. His employer, tired of waiting for him, had himself gone about the work. The enraged merchant laid his pen aside very deliberately.

At The Gem Theatre

THE DOMINANT THEATRE Program for Week Nov. 2 to 7 MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Charlie Chaplin latest, "The Gold Rush." WEDNESDAY—D. W. Griffith, "Orphans of the Storm." FOX NEWS. THURSDAY—"The Great Divide." FOX NEWS. FRIDAY—James Oliver Curwood, "Baree, Son of Kazan." Two reel comedy. SATURDAY—Jack Hoxie in "Bustin' Thru." Two-reel comedy.

McELROY—DUNN

The many friends of Miss Faye McElroy and Roy Dunn were surprised this week when they learned of their marriage several weeks ago. The young couple slipped quietly away to Claude, on Thursday, October 8, and were married.

COLD SPELL GREET'S CITIZENS

The coldest spell of the season started in Tuesday and is continuing right along. There was plenty of ice Wednesday and Thursday mornings.

RUNNING UP AGAINST POLITICS IN AN AUTO

Lon Montgomery, Chevrolet Distributor, Memphis, Texas. Dear Monty:

More Goods Less Price Better Quality

I took to heart, Monty, what you wrote about the skirts figuring in election, and took in my Chevrolet a bunch last night.

The Famous

More Goods Less Price Better Quality

Giles Cleanings

The Home Economics club met October 22, with Mrs. A. E. Ranson. Due to the fact that many were busy with their cotton, very few members were present, but those who were able to attend report a very pleasant afternoon.

Channing where he has been acting as relief operator for a few days.

Bro. Emanuel Dubbs of Clarendon accompanied by his parents and sister attended church here Sunday.

Bill Huffmaster has returned from

are visiting here with their aunt, Mrs. Doc Garret.

C. Y. Johnson and E. H. Watt are attending federal court at Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones visited in Hedley last Sunday.

Several of the young people of Smith attended singing here Sunday night.

Bill Huffmaster left Sunday morning for Dalhart to act as relief operator for a few days.

There is to be a box supper here at the school house, Friday night, Nov. 6. Everyone is invited to come and be with us. Don't forget the date, November 6.

Everything in racket goods and school supplies of every description, at Proctor & Co. Variety Store. 15-4c

CONTINUED

Cotton has dropped; the weather has been bad for picking; we have plenty of new fall merchandise, so we have decided to leave all sale tags on our merchandise for the next two weeks, thereby enabling you to buy a lot for a little.

We cordially invite you to come in and examine, and compare our merchandise and prices and see our large, well selected stock of new goods, for Men, Women and Children.

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Hallowe'en Festivities Saturday Night, October 31st

When the Hobgoblins hoot and the gathering dusk turns the near-by trees into terrible and menacing shapes— When black cats prowl and mischievous elfs roam about, playing their pranks— When maid and old maid hopefully look into the mirror at midnight— When Jack O'Lanterns grin and fun reigns supreme— That's the time we're young again. For it's Hallowe'en—Boy— it's Hallowe'en! Fun is king and youth returns! Enjoy it to the fullest extent. There aren't many Hallowe'ens in the life of any of us. Don't miss their fun!

We extend a hearty invitation to visit our Store during these Festivities.

On Public Square Cross Dry Goods Store Memphis, Texas

Evangelistic Meeting Now Going on Presbyterian Church

Hear Rev. L. J. Haines of Grand Rapids, Michigan

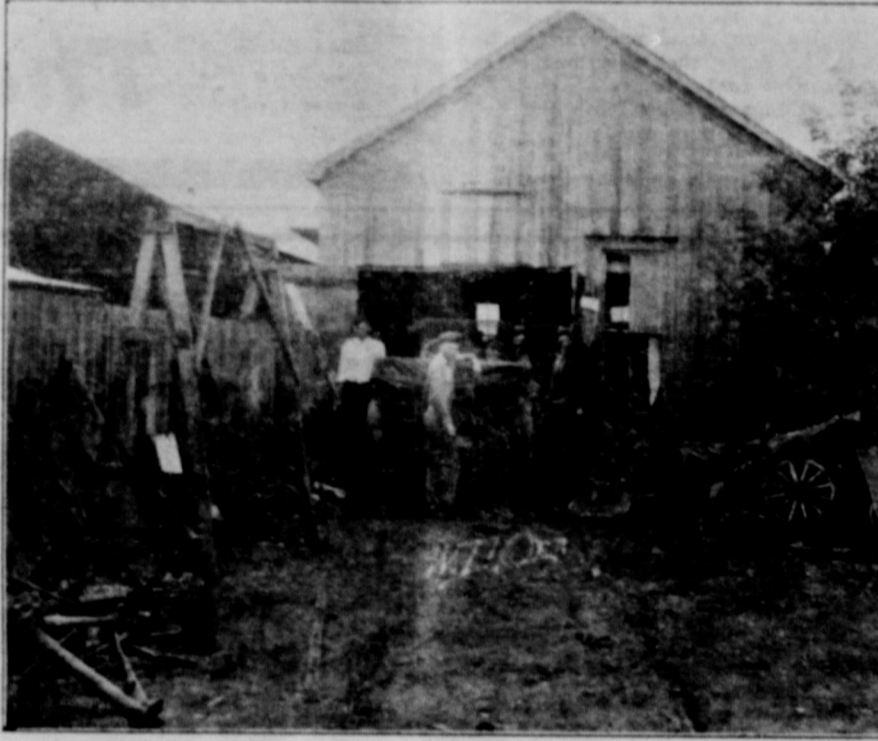
Bible Conference and Revival Meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Haines are both Bible students and will give some great Bible instructions. Bible classes at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. by Mrs. Haines. Preaching and Bible Talk, 7:15 p. m. by Rev. Haines. Little Harriett Haines, 7 year old soloist, every night. All Welcome.

# BUY IT IN MEMPHIS

This is the last of a series of page advertisements devoted to a BUY IT IN MEMPHIS campaign, which have been running several months. If the readers have been keeping up with these advertisements they will have found that there are a varied lot of business establishments in this city representing different kinds of merchandise that may be bought right in the home town. These firms spend their money here for the upbuilding of the town and community, for the schools and churches and for every enterprise that goes into the making of better homes, and better people. They are entitled to first consideration at all times. The firms that have carried these advertisements are always ready to serve the public with the very best merchandise and service possible. Trade with your home town merchants!

## Memphis Auto Wrecking Co.

G. E. SMITH, Prop.  
711 Main Street



—PHOTO BY ORR

This business is one that is helping to tear up the automobiles of the country—but it doesn't tear them up until they have served their days of usefulness and are ready for the junk pile. Then, they are made to do still another duty by the wrecking company, in that the parts are removed and sold at about half price to users of similar cars in need of repairs, but not ready to be junked.

This business was established last February, and has wrecked many cars since that

time. For the present the business is temporarily closed in order for a good cotton crop, belonging to the owner to be gathered.

The business will be open again about December 1. Will handle new and used parts for automobiles. Fifty per cent can be saved by buying used parts and a good saving can be made in buying new parts from this company.

Take your junk car to this company and have it wrecked; or go there for parts for your old cars.

## The Business Firms Below Have Made This Campaign Possible

J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LUMBER CO.  
A. R. EVANS, Manager

MEMPHIS AUTO WRECKING CO.  
G. E. SMITH, Proprietor

MEMPHIS HOSPITAL  
MODERN AND SANITARY—X-RAY EQUIPMENT

GERLACH BROS. GARAGE  
AMERICAN GASOLINE—AUTO SUPPLIES

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N. H. WITT, Proprietor  
REGULAR MEALS—SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNERS

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GREENE DRY GOODS CO.  
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MODERN AND UP-TO-DATE—SANITARY

CITY FEED STORE  
J. F. FORKNER, Prop.  
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THOMASON & SON, Proprietors

A. WOMACK GROCERY  
HOSTESS CAKES—FRESH VEGETABLES

MEMPHIS ELECTRIC & ICE CO.  
J. A. BREWER, Manager

MEMPHIS GARAGE & COAL CO.  
CHRYSLER AND MAXWELL CARS

LEVERETT-WILLIAMS DRUG CO.  
"THE HOUSE WITH THE GOODS"

ORR'S STUDIO AND GIFT SHOP  
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Read This Page Each Week—It Gives the History of the Firms You Patronize

### NATIONAL HEALTH AIM RED CROSS PROGRAM

Guard Community Health; Home Hygiene and Nutrition Featured.

Increasing appreciation by the mass people of the value of a health structure is reflected in comprehensive machinery built up by the American Red Cross and kept in constant operation in the past year.

The year's work also demonstrated growing understanding and appreciation on the part of Red Cross field representatives, chapters, co-operating agencies and others, of the place of the Red Cross in community programs.

There were 2,800 dietitians enrolled in the year; regular nutrition instruction reached 138,096 children; 1,385 schools were aided in making lunches.

Co-operative relationships were established with various Government educational agencies in making the branch of the Red Cross health program more effective.

Another of the health-promoting activities of the Red Cross lies in its health nursing service. There are nearly 1,000 such nurses serving every part of the country.

In an invaluable reservoir in times of great national emergency, there are enrolled in the Red Cross health reserve of 42,002 nurses. In a number of disasters during the past year in which the Red Cross has aided where the services of the nurses were required, they have been the first to mobilize.

In Lorain, O., last year 34 enrolled Red Cross nurses were engaged in relief work, while 124 were employed in mid-west tornado disaster relief work of this year. The work of Dorothy Davis Sleichter, a Red Cross public health nurse stationed at Sleds, Alaska, in checking a flu epidemic at Fort Yukon, in the Arctic, won praise from all who knew her.

Her appeal is so international as that the humanity of every people. The \$1.50 from a Japanese boy in the Santa Barbara relief fund asks a world of friendship, endorsed by the American Red Cross.

When the mariners on the high seas are 100 per cent. in the American Red Cross, should you lag behind?

When the American Red Cross whose is your expression of your impulses.

Nett, the Radiator Man, 10th, Main, 13-1c

### COUNTY CROP OBSERVER NAMED

Appointment of Jno. T. Bishop and T. E. Harrell of Memphis, as crop observers in Hall County for the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation Index, is announced from Chicago by P. V. Ewing, director of research for the Foundation and editor of the Index. They will form a link in the nation-wide chain of county agricultural observers elected because of their first-hand knowledge of farming conditions and their ability to observe these and intelligently interpret them.

The Index, to which the observers from this county will contribute, is a compilation of the monthly reports of 3650 observers in every section of the country, and this number is being added to steadily. All the observers are practical, thinking, farm-minded men, each chosen because of the opportunities he has to observe the needs of agriculture in his own locality and for his ability to apply economic principles to current farm problems. As a group, they represent a cross-section of the thoughts that the man in the furrow is thinking, and their joint analysis of existing agricultural conditions, as expressed in the Index, is considered a forward step in helping agriculture help itself.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hall, Texas. United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Plaintiff, vs. S. T. West, Defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution, issued out of the District Court of Hall County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 10th day of February, 1925, in favor of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company and against the said S. T. West, No. 1294 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1925, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situate in the County of Hall, State of Texas and belonging to the said S. T. West, to-wit:

The East two hundred (200) acres of the North one-half of Section No. 96, Block 18 of the H. and G. N. Ry. Co. Survey in Hall County, Texas.

And on the first day of December, A. D. 1925, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the said day, at the courthouse 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 S. T. West in and to the said property.

Dated at Memphis, Texas, this 26 day of October, A. D. 1925.

J. A. MERRICK,  
Sheriff Hall County, Texas. 18-3

Pants, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, House Wresses, Jumpers, Sweaters, Overalls, Ties, Ladies Hose, Sox at Proctor & Co. Variety Store. 15-4c

### THIS IS SEASON OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

With the majority of schools in full swing over the state, precautions for the protection of school children against infectious diseases are urged upon county and city health authorities and school officials by the state board of health.

In regard to this, Dr. H. O. Sappington, state health officer, stated: "With the beginning of each school term, reporting of infectious diseases is given impetus, rising in successful peaks on the heels of epidemics common to children such as measles, whooping cough, mumps, diphtheria and scarlet fever. The reasons for this are obviously due to close association of children in rooms which are often overcrowded, not sufficiently and improperly ventilated.

"All of the infectious diseases which are commonly called children's diseases are generally conceded to be caused by some specific germ, and are transmitted from one person to another through personal contact or through the air of a badly ventilated room. Thus a child suffering from one of these diseases may be the means of starting an epidemic in any school community."

"As a general thing, a 'slight cold' is an advance symptom of many of these diseases, consequently a cold in a child especially if accompanied by temperature, should be regarded with suspicion. As all these ailments of childhood will prove themselves within a short period of time, children suffering with suspicious colds should be kept at home until sufficient time has elapsed to determine the character of such cold.

"Infectious diseases are more contagious during the early stages, though some people have the erroneous idea that the 'peeling off' period of measles and scarlet fever is the most contagious period. Children suffering with infectious diseases should be kept at home, and if possible, isolated from other children until health authorities say the danger period is over."

### McDONALD-McMAHAN

Last Friday morning Miss Myrtle McDonald of Memphis, and Henry McMahan of Amarillo, slipped away quietly to Childress and were married. Miss Myrtle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McDonald of this city. Mr. McMahan lives at Amarillo Refining Co. They will leave this coming Saturday for Amarillo where they will make their future home. The Democrat extends congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

It will pay you to see those Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses at Memphis Hardware and Implement Company. 16-2c

Memphis Democrat \$1.50 in Memphis Trade territory, \$2.00 outside.

### 4TH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE HELD HERE

Rev. J. T. Griswold of Clarendon, presiding elder for the Clarendon District of the Northwest Texas Conference, preached at the First Methodist church last Sunday morning and held the Fourth and last quarterly conference for the year, Sunday night, at which time a good report was made by the Memphis church.

The following were elected as stewards for the ensuing year: W. P. Dial, R. L. Madden, J. H. Read, J. M. McKelvy, C. R. Webster, W. B. Quigley, T. J. Dunbar, J. T. Bishop, R. T. McElreath, W. N. Hillyer, D. A. Neeley, Dr. Lloyd Hicks, M. E. McNally, J. P. Montgomery, Ed Kelly, C. W. Broome, F. N. Foxhall, H. Newman, Sumner Reed, F. V. Clark, M. J. Draper, S. E. Ross, W. B. DeBerry, S. L. Seago, Edgar Cudd, Lee Guthrie, D. S. Baker, J. M. McKelvy was elected District Steward, H. H. Kuhn, re-elected lay leader, and D. A. Neeley elected superintendent of Sunday School.

Instead of preaching Sunday evening the Sunday school put on a pageant, "The Voice of the Future," which was very impressive and enjoyed by a large crowd. The pageant portrayed the work of the Sunday school in the bringing up of the children in the future years—the influence that will be wielded by the Sunday school.

After the pageant, W. P. Dial spoke on the needs of an annex to the church for Sunday school purposes, and this was seconded by a short, but impressive talk by Rev. Griswold. The annual conference will be held in Canyon, beginning November 11, and the church at this place will have a splendid report for the conference.

### BOUGHT INTEREST IN GROCERY

I have purchased one-half interest in the W. P. Dial Grocery store on the South side of the square and will be glad to meet all my friends, where I will give you the best of groceries at the lowest prices, quality and service considered. I will personally look after the business and guarantee prompt deliveries on all orders. Give us a trial order and let us demonstrate. Yours for business.

M. J. DRAPER  
Phone 351 18-2c

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## Clean Cotton Rags WANTED

BY

### Memphis Democrat

## Auction Sale OF Missouri Mules

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50 Missouri Mules, Weighing from 1150 to 1350 pounds; ages 3 to 5 years, will be sold by

### MIDLAND VALLEY STOCK FARM Of Kansas City, Mo.

TOM WILLIAMS, Auctioneer

## Have Your Clothes Cleaned

By Cleaners who have had experience. We have been cleaning clothes for 15 years. Our methods are up-to-date and when we clean your garments they are washed in gasoline that is clarified (dirt removed) every other day. Positively no odors.

### Horton & Alexander

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### Busy? Oh My! But Say!

Have you had your Christmas work made yet? If not, do not delay and be disappointed, for we simply cannot handle all work at the last minute.

How about an Easel Frame and Tinted Print of yourself for Christmas?

Your Holiday Gifts? We have them, lovelier and more than ever to select from. Select early and let us hold them for you if you prefer.

### W. D. ORR

STUDIO AND GIFT SHOP

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Where Service, Quality and Prices Meet

## HAWK BRAND WORK CLOTHING.....

### Free!

### Free!

### Free!

All Day Saturday, October 31st, 1925, representatives direct from the factory of the Miller Co., manufacturers of Hawk Brand Work Clothing, will be with us explaining the merits of the many numbers in the Hawk Brand line, including overalls, coveralls, khaki,

moleskin and corduroy pants, leather coats, work shirts etc.

At 3:00 p. m. a large number of garments in this line will be given away absolutely Free in front of our place of business.

BE ON HAND TO GET YOUR SHARE

### Greene Dry Goods Co

"THE BIG DAYLIGHT STORE"

"THE HOME OF HAWK BRAND OVERALLS"

MEMPHIS,

TEXAS

## THE PASSING DAY

WILL H. MAYES  
Former Dean  
Department of Journalism  
University of Texas

### Irrigating Texas Lands.



My hat is off to the people of San Saba county who have by a vote of about two to one decided to issue bonds to irrigate the wonderful San Saba valley. This means that there will be remarkable progress in farming in San Saba county, and progress in farming means progress in settlement, in education, in road building, in everything else that makes for the betterment of the people. You will not have to "watch" San Saba grow, for its growth will be so evident you can't keep from seeing it.

A permit has been granted also for the construction of a dam at a cost of \$1,750,000 on the Frio river for the irrigation of 40,000 acres of land in Uvalde county. Numerous other water conservation and irrigation projects are under way in Texas, and in a few years Texas will be noted the world over for its irrigated farms.

### Brazos River Conservation Project.

I had almost forgotten to say anything about the movement just inaugurated to convert the entire Brazos river valley, from its source up in the Panhandle to its mouth, into a veritable paradise. Leaders all along the river have been in meeting to work out plans to conserve the waters of this stream and to use them as needed in irrigating the valley lands. The plan is so gigantic that it confuses the mind of one accustomed to small figures, but Texas has great men with great minds who, now that the movement is started, will not stop until it is completed.

Unless you know something of the richness of the soils of the Brazos valley, the great acreage of lands now idle along the river, the menace of both floods and drouths, you can hardly conceive of what the use of the rainfall, now wasted, will mean to Texas.

### Texas' Great Sulphur Mines.

Did you know that more than 99 per cent of all the sulphur produced in this country comes from the sulphur mines in Texas, and that 1,229,000 tons were used in the various industries of the United States in 1924? The amount used is in volume larger than the Capitol building at Washington. More than 1,000,000 tons are kept stored at a time in huge vats 50 feet high. It is used principally in the manufacture of sulphuric acid, largely for fertilizer purpose, and also extensively in paper making and other industries.

Sulphur is a large source of wealth to Texas and is one of the products that will continue to make for the greatness of the State. Geologists are telling us, too, that there are in Texas uncovered beds of potash that are of more potential value even than the golden supply of oil now being unearthed almost everywhere in the State.

### Better School Buildings.

Any one who travels over Texas a bit must be impressed with the great improvements being made almost everywhere in the class of school buildings. Good roads are bringing the people closer together, and many country communities that once had small, under-supported schools, by consolidating with others, now have good, high schools in charge of able teachers.

The first result of such consolidations invariably is better buildings and better teachers. In many country districts, thus consolidated, the buildings are more modern, more comfortable and more attractive than in the neighboring towns. Condemn the automobile as we will for whatever bad influence it may have had, it is bringing better roads and better schools.

### Automobiles in Texas.

As an index to the prosperity and wealth of the State, it is interesting to know that Texas now ranks seventh in the number of automobiles in use in the States of the Union. There are some who think that the automobiles are impoverishing the people, but this is a superficial view to take of this expenditure. The general use of pleasure and business cars indicates that the people are prosperous enough to enjoy some of the luxuries of life, as they should be.

The fact that individual cases may be cited to show that people own cars who can not afford them does not prove that money is being generally wasted in that way that should be used for something else.

### Will Make Industrial Showing.

For the first time the textile industry of Texas will make a creditable showing at the Texas State Fair in Dallas. While not posing as a prophet, I venture the prediction that in ten years a building will be required for the textile industry alone.

### More Cotton Than Expected.

Even in those counties in Texas where the drouth was worst, and where cotton was thought a month or two ago to be a total failure, there is some yield, and in some places a surprising amount is being picked. The crop is hardly a tenth of normal in the driest part of the State, but that is more than was expected.

In parts of East Texas, in West Texas and in the Panhandle, cotton growers are begging the less fortunate parts of the State to send them help to gather their crops.

### How Profit Is Found in Bullying a Bully

Fighting is a brutal business. There is no denying it. A man in a fight is very busy. He must meditate concerning methods. He must inflict considerable punishment and do it promptly.

Because fighting is brutal and tends to disarrange the face and burden emergency wards, already taxed to their capacity, it should be avoided when convenient, argues a writer in the Kansas City Star.

One way to avoid it is not to seem too eager to avoid it. Men who are afraid to fight have trouble thrust upon them. Of those who are afraid very few are craven by reason of wounds; excessive caution is caused by want of experience. Ignorance is the father of fear.

A boy of tender years, being a primitive, has frequent occasion to do battle. If parental authority denies him the privilege of gaining experience in this way he will bear no scars; but he will develop into a man afraid of a fight. If he is privileged to fight when the need is urgent he may not be so fortunate as to triumph; but even if he is whipped he will profit. He will learn that a whipping is the lesser of two evils and that to receive bruises is less painful than to be a coward. If he is whipped he can regain his self-respect, but he never will be able wholly to forgive himself if he runs.

If he is denied experience of battle manhood will find him handicapped. Before a blustering bully he will talk small and surrender his privileges and rights.

But if he has fought often and therefore feels no dread of combat he will get to his feet in preparation for battle and before the cold light in his eyes the bully will become calm and placid.

The bully may have an uncontrollable temper, but tempers of this kind usually function best when the odds are on their side. They peter out quickly in the face of an adversary who has a knockout in both hands and means business.

### NOTICE

We wish to announce that our Cream Station is now back in operation again and the same courteous treatment and service will be accorded all. Telephone 278.  
MEMPHIS PRODUCE CO. 10-ftc

"We shall keep faith."  
United Fidelity Life Insurance.  
Sloan Baker, Agent. 15-3p

### Scientists See Ending of Niagara's Grandeur

Once more the scientists have been casting a calculating eye upon Niagara falls. In the news headlines we are told of a situation gaining in gravity on the Canadian side through the recession due to the wearing away of the limestone bed of the river. In a report to the Smithsonian institution, says the New York World, we read that, in effect, the falls are committing suicide and that the speed of the operation increases relentlessly.

However, as we read on in these forecasts we find comfort for wedding tourists and exposition promoters alike. The falls, it appears, have taken 10,000 years to go seven miles in their recession to date. On the Canadian side they are now receding five feet a year, at which rate it will take rather more than a thousand years to score only another mile.

While a thousand years may be but yesterday in the sight of science, it is really quite a space of time in the affairs of commerce and the tourist trade.

### Combined Attack of Gulls Drove Off Hawk

Seagulls' victory over a hawk is described by Albert R. Keen of North Devon in a recent issue of the London Times. He says: "I was visiting Lynton recently and from the high cliffs above the sea I witnessed a most remarkable air battle between about a dozen or more seagulls and a hawk. Their organization and method of attack on the hawk was very much like air battles in the World war. The attack lasted for about fifteen minutes, until the gulls had driven the hawk entirely away from their domain where they were nesting and chased him off down the coast for a mile or two. The gulls all together cleverly pounced on him with severe pecks and then the other gulls closed in around. It was a very interesting sight."

### Leather Retains Strength

That leather of good quality kept for ten years, under ordinary conditions, does not lose more than 15 per cent of its strength was shown by experiments of the bureau of standards. Belting stored in the laboratory for a decade was found to be only slightly weaker than new material of the same grade. Indicating that articles made from it would be preserved for an indefinite period if subjected to normal atmosphere, ventilation and light, while dampness and sunlight appear to have a harmful effect on the leather. It is believed the results of the studies will enable manufacturers of shoes, luggage and similar goods to alter shipping and storage practices, since such articles may be capable of many years of service even though they might not reach the user until one to three years after they are made.—Exchange.

### Here's Unique Plan for Raising Church Funds

At least one society of women in a leading church of the city, perhaps societies in other churches, has decided to raise funds for its church in a way that is novel, if not unique, to say the least. The total amount realized would be well up in the thousands of dollars if figures tell the true story and the women carry through to the end. One woman invites seven friends to luncheon and explains the plan. Each is to pay 50 cents, and the hostess may pay or not as she pleases; but it is believed if she furnishes the luncheon she would be exempt. Each of the seven invites six, which would make 42 guests at 50 cents each. Then each of the 42 invites five, making 210; and each of the 210 invites four, making 840. The number of guests diminishes until the last hostess would have only one to entertain, but there would be more than 5,000 of these parties for one.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Novelty Goods at the Proctor & Co., Variety Store. 15-4c

### Gold Mine Rediscovered

A gold mine was recently discovered in Mexico by the presence of cockroaches. The mine was known to the Spaniards in the days of Cortes, who, on account of the number of cockroaches near the entrance, dubbed it Cucaracha, which, being interpreted, is the cockroach. It yielded a steady supply of gold until 1812, and during that troubled year it was sealed up and its site forgotten, though its story was remembered. A young prospector, finding a rock swarming with these insects, recalled the story, followed their trail, and found the mine, which now, after a century of idleness, is again being worked.—Family Herald.

### No Pedigree

A rather mussy little urchin wandered up on the porch and began to play with Donald Smith, whose mother is quite fastidious as to playmates for her small son.

"Where's he from?" mother asked Donald in an aside, and not getting a satisfactory explanation, she called Donald into the house, which disgusted him entirely.

"Now, mother," he argued, "can't just this one boy play with me without being from anywhere?"

### Tree Yields Rich Milk

A tree in the West Indies, known to the natives as the hyahya, yields from its bark and pith a juice richer and thicker than cow's milk. The people who live where the hyahya grows use its juice as we do milk. The tree when full grown is almost 40 feet high and 18 inches in circumference.

The Singhalese have a tree, the kirighuma, which yields a milky fluid, while in the forests of Para grows the massendendron, another species of milk tree.—Detroit News.

Remember our motto, A Square Deal, and the highest prices possible for your chickens, eggs and cream. Try us and be convinced. Farmers Produce. 9-ftc

### On With the Story

"You don't seem to have any notorious spots here," said an inquiring tourist to the native guide. "In the last village we stopped at they showed us a place where a man had laid in wait for his rival in love and attacked him with fiendish gusto.

The guide had really never heard of this remarkable crime, but his professional jealousy was aroused.

"That is quite true, sir," he unblushingly bore witness, "but you, perhaps, are not aware that the villain afterward made his escape in this direction, and you are now standing on the very spot where he threw away the fiendish gusto with which he made the fearful attack."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Full line of piece goods of first-class quality. Proctor & Co. Variety Store. 15-4c

### BOX SUPPER

A big box supper will be held November 7th at Ell. Every girl in the neighboring communities are wel-

come to come and bring boxes. The boys are invited to attend bringing their pockets full of money.



Take It From Me--

This opportunity to buy

## MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING

—is not one that you'll find round the corner most every day. Indeed, many a month has come and gone since last you were confronted with such unusual money-saving Values as these:

Men's \$30.00 Suits	\$20.00
Men's 25.00 Suits	19.00
Men's 22.50 Suits	18.00
Men's 20.00 Suits	16.50

Boys' \$12.50	LONG PANTS	Suits \$9.85
Boys' \$15.00	LONG PANTS	Suits \$11.85

## Memphis Mercantile Co

## Roof Paint That Will Last

Asbestoline Roof Paint is guaranteed to keep your roof in good condition for seven years on roofs of iron, felt composition, gravel or any surface requiring protection against the weather acids, gases or alkalis.

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## City Feed Store

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Memphis, Texas

# BIG FUR SALE

On Monday, November 2nd, 1925 Mr. Rudolph Marks of the Marks Mfg. Co., Manufacturers of Furs, of Detroit, Michigan, will be with us all day with more than \$25,000 worth of Fur pieces, including Fur Coats, Capes and an endless variety of smaller Fur pieces.

Anything which you might select will be delivered to you out of this assortment.

In this way we can sell you Furs much cheaper than we could if we had to buy them and carry in stock, and you have the added advantage of a much larger assortment from which to make your selection.

Memphis,

Greene Dry Goods Co

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See Our 1926 Model Cars  
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# COWBOY ROUND-UP AMERICAN LEGION ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATION

## November 11-12

Dr. N. F. Tate and Roy Mayes Producers



The Fourth Annual Cow Boy Rodeo will be bigger and better than ever before. More contestants, better cow boys and larger prizes to compete for.



RESERVED SECTION FOR COLORED FOLK

SEE THE OLD WEST AS IT USED TO BE. COW BOYS AND THEIR FAMOUS ROPING HORSES. CONTEST OPEN TO THE WORLD. AND A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL.

The greatest string of rodeo stock ever seen in the Panhandle will be used this year to test the skill of daring cow boys and cow girls in Bronc riding, Bulldogging, calf roping, Steer riding, relay races and other events.



A herd of longhorn Brahma steers from South Texas, Mexican steers from the Border, the unridable bucking buffalo from the Goodnight ranch. A string of real bucking horses from all parts of the world.

REMEMBER THE DATE AND COME TO MEMPHIS FOR THE BIG ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATION.

Personal and Local Paragraphs

Hightower the Florist, Phone 491.

W. M. Stout of Fort Worth is here this week on business.

Get Asbestoline roof paint at iCity Feed Store. 18-1f

Roy Cooper of Turkey was a business visitor in Memphis, Monday.

J. W. Noel, banker of Hedley, was here Tuesday on business.

G. P. Wasson of Newlin was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. L. Holt spent the week end with relatives at Quannah.

Bill Rowell of Newlin was a business visitor here Saturday.

Hightower for flowers, Phone 491.

M. L. Kelley, Sr., of Dallas, came Saturday to visit his son, E. T. Kelley.

B. F. Shepherd and family visited in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison went to Amarillo Sunday.

A big fur sale Monday, November 2, at Greene Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. W. J. Franks left Friday night for a visit at the Dallas Fair.

See Hightower's blooming plants. Phone 491.

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Jot Montgomery was here from Seagraves the first of the week.

Dr. A. M. Shelton of Estelline was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Dr. F. C. Murray of Quail was a business visitor here last Friday.

Mrs. Carrie Lee and Mrs. Ernest Lee spent Saturday in Wellington.

Have you seen them? They are lovely at Orr's Studi and Gift shop.

Jay Van Pelt of Amarillo, was a business visitor in Memphis Monday.

A. C. Hendricks and family are at Littlefield this week visiting their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brewer visited at the Dallas Fair Saturday and Sunday.

G. W. Cousins of near Kirkland was here attending to business Tuesday.

Postmaster Oscar White of Estelline, was a business visitor in Memphis, Tuesday.

Photographs for Christmas, yes, but you must hurry. W. D. Orr, photographer.

N. M. Vaughn came in from Lubbock Saturday and is visiting his sons, Sam and John for a while.

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W. B. DeBerry and wife went to Dallas Friday night for a visit at the Dallas Fair.

Mr. Gibson returned to Childress last week after a visit here with his daughter, Mrs. G. R. Crews.

New Goods arriving! Useful and different at Orr's Studio and Gift shop.

Postmaster Wade Arnold and family were over from Wellington Sunday visiting their parents.

Several dozen new hats received this week in our millinery department Greene D. G. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene and sons of Clarendon, spent Sunday in Memphis with friends and relatives.

Twelve photographs make twelve choice Christmas gifts. Orr's Studio and gift shop.

Mrs. L. B. Madden returned last week from Glenrose where she spent a few weeks.

Lots of garments in ladies' dresses and coats just received this week at Greene Dry Goods Co.

The Daughters of Wesley will sell candy, Saturday afternoon in front of the Palace Theatre.

We have the biggest stock of ladies' novelty shoes we have ever shown. Greene Dry Goods Co.

Miss Lillie Houston has torn down her old residence on South 8th and is replacing it with a five-room modern bungalow.

Beautiful! That's what they all say. Have you seen them? At Orr Studio and gift shop.

Many garments in Hawk Brand work clothing given away free in front of the Greene D. G. Co. at 3 p. m. Saturday, October 31.

Garnett for gas and oil. 15-4c

Nursery stock. Home grown roses, the finest varieties at 35c. Everything in fruit trees and shrubbery. Hightower Green House. Phone 491.

Rev. Jasper Bogue of Slaton, Texas has been here several days this week on business connected with the Christian church work.

Clark's Cream Lotion for sore hands, chapped skin. It soothes and heals the skin. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Clark Drug Co., 18-4tc

W. P. Cagle and daughter, Mrs. John Bass and son, John, Jr., of Clarendon, were pleasant visitors in Memphis, Friday.

Garnett, the Radiator Man, 10th, and Main. 13-4c

A. Owen, cotton buyer of Dallas, is here and will buy cotton this fall. Mr. Owen bought cotton here last season.

E. E. Walker of Abilene is here this week shaking hands with old friends and looking after his farming interests.

Miss Frankie Johnsey is again at her post of duty with the Greene Dry Goods Co., after an illness of several weeks.

School supplies of every nature, fountain pens, purses, vanities, novelty goods, etc. at Orr's Studio and Gift Shop.

Mrs. H. G. Stephens returned to Wichita Falls Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Powers, who had been visiting here the past week.

If you have cream to sell try Farmers Produce. 4tc

Mrs. G. E. Hart of Plainview, has been here several days the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks.

Clark's Cream Lotion for sore hands, chapped skin. It soothes and heals the skin. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Clark Drug Co., 18-4tc

The old sweet potato curing plant was sold last Saturday to the highest bidder and brought \$2600. E. P. Thompson of this city was the purchaser.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born last Friday morning. Mother and baby are reported doing nicely.

Something your friends cannot buy, but we can make them for you. If for Christmas don't delay. Think it over—your photograph. Orr's Studio and Gift shop.

R. L. Green and M. A. Dudley of Frisco, Texas, were prospectors here this week. Mr. Dudley is a carpenter and states he will locate in Memphis as soon as he can secure a place in which to live.

You have always wanted a fur coat. You will have your opportunity to get them at the Greene Dry Goods Co. on Monday, Nov. 2, at slightly above wholesale cost.

Messrs. Womack and Williams are building two residences on South Sixth street. It is reported they will build a number of other residences in Memphis, which is something badly needed. These men recently built the Plaska gin.

Monuments! I represent the Vernon Marble and Granite Works and have a small stock of monuments here or will get whatever you need in that line. W. T. Hightower, Phone 491.

Mr. Gober last week received a telegram from his son, Perry, in California, stating that he was going to be married. The many friends of Perry in this city wish him and his new bride a happy voyage over the sea of matrimony.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Gilmore returned Saturday morning from Temple where they had been for several days with their son Bailey, who had gone down to have an examination made. Bailey will return in a few days and build himself up before an operation will be performed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman and son, Henry Boyd, went to Littlefield Sunday for a visit with relatives. They returned home Tuesday, Mrs. Boss Johnson accompanying them as far as Sudan where she visited her husband who is buying cotton at that town.

**BLUE BUGS?**  
Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens and paint your Hen House with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away all insects. Money back. Guaranteed by City Feed Store. 13-8c

**Raising Teasels**  
The town of Skaneateles, N. Y., has a thriving industry, perhaps not duplicated elsewhere in the United States. It raises teasels and finds a steady demand for all it can produce.

Now not every one knows what teasels are. The teasel is a plant that produces a ball of porcupine-like quills, the largest from three to four inches long and two inches wide. These are an indispensable element in the manufacture of broadcloth, felts and woolen goods of the finer grades.

The teasels grow from three to five feet high, on prickly green stems with spiky leaves, for two years. Then they are harvested, usually in August, and dried with great care. They are sold to a firm of teasel dealers in the town, where, in turn, they are parceled out to woolen manufacturers all over the country.

The cloth manufacturer bores a hole through the teasels and ranges them on a shaft, against which he runs his finer qualities of fabrics. The points are very brittle, and as fine as the finest needle. These points scrape the cloth and give it its nap, or wooly surface. Machinery can be used to do this only in the cheaper grades of material.

**Children in Industry**  
The textile industry employs more children than any other, namely, 55,000 children ten to fifteen years of age, according to the census of 1920. The census shows besides the textile industry nearly 13,000 children between ten and sixteen years old in the steel mills; almost 12,000 in clothing factories and shirt shops; 10,500 in lumber mills and furniture factories; 7,500 in shoe factories and 5,800 in coal mines. There were child servants and waitresses reported to the number of 41,500; messengers, bundle wrappers, office boys and girls number 48,000; sales boys and sales girls in stores, 30,000; other child clerks, 22,500; insurance boys, 20,700, and there were 162,700 children in other miscellaneous occupations, making a total of nearly one-half million children in manufacturing, mechanical or industrial occupations.

**The Sun's Eclipse**  
If you lived in the path of the eclipse on January 24 you surely got out your smoked glasses and watched the event, for, unless you travel far, you will not see another in your lifetime. In early days, when only the Indians lived in this country to watch the strange sight, it is probable that they were too frightened to do more than wonder at the strange disappearance of the sun and perhaps to offer sacrifices to the strange gods whom they worshipped and feared. The Ojibways, Sir James George Frazer tells us in "The Golden Bough," shot fire-tipped arrows at the sky, hoping to rekindle the sun's light. Others walked about in circles, leaning on staves, in an effort to encourage the sun as he made his round.

Men's and boys' heavy weight underwear. Proctor & Co. Variety Store. 15-4c

**CERTIFIED COTTON SEED**—plant good staple cotton for larger profits. Place order now for my Certified Allen farm Acala Cotton seed. Quickest to mature a heavy yield of easily picked premium staple. Seed offered are from cotton making three-quarters bale per acre, and selling for premium \$12.50 to \$20 per bale because of splendid staple. Buy your seed direct from a reliable, Registered Cotton Breeder and be sure of getting pure pedigree seed of highest vitality and uniformity, which are State Certified. Fully guaranteed. Write quick for delivered prices, stating amount of seed wanted.—JNO. D. ROGERS, State Registered Cotton Breeder, Navasota, Texas. 17-3c

**WANT ADS**

FOR SALE—Good Majestic cook stove. E. M. Ewen. 18-1c

WANTED—Sewing to do. Reasonable prices. Mrs. B. J. Ellerd Phone 664. 18-2p

FOR SALE—Good Majestic cook stove. E. M. Ewen. 18-1c

PACKAGE LOST—Tuesday between Memphis and Lakeview, had the name of Mrs. T. A. Hart addressed on the package. Finder please notify Mrs. T. A. Hart, Quitaque. 18-1p

FOR SALE—Piano, \$125; office safe \$75; Phonograph, chiffonier, dressers, chairs, beds, mattresses and bedding; also other household effects at low prices. Mrs. Chas. S. Boykin.

LOST—Ladies' Brown kid purse, containing \$14.50 in silver and currency, baby locket and ladies' dust cap. Finder will be rewarded for return to Democrat office. 18-1p

BEAUTY PARLOR—Marcelling 50c. Phone 627 for appointment. Mrs. Munn's residence, 12th street. Mrs. W. C. Smith, operator. 18-1tc

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cows; some fresh and others soon. See me at Ross Meat Market. J. R. Turlington. 17-2p.

FOR SALE—Building lots on South Tenth street; reasonably priced. W. S. Gooch. 17tc

FOR SALE—Buick car in good condition; two Harley-Davidson motorcycles and spare parts. Phone 265 or 334. Mrs. M. F. Duke. 17-1c

TWO FURNISHED BEDROOMS— and will board roomers if desired. Mrs. W. E. Ewing, North 9th street. Phone 488. 16-3p

FOR TRADE—Buick automobile in good running order, for sale or trade for stock. See Chevrolet Sales Department. 6-1tc

FOR SALE—Two houses—one a 7-room and the other a 5-room, in two or three blocks of the school building; also some choice building lots in good location. For information call phone 84. 14-1tc

**WHY BE A RENTER**—When you can buy land on the South Plains within seven miles of new R. R. 98 per cent tillable, red sandy cat claw land. One crop of cotton at present prices will pay for land, it is grown on each year, \$2.50 per acre cash, then 1-3 and 1-4 of crop until land paid for, both interest and principal is paid with crop. Prices from \$15.00 to \$30.00 per acre. Buy on crop payment plan. It's surest and safest always. Phone, write or see Gibbs and Graham, Wellington, Texas. Phone 241. 11-1tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—Two sections good Plains land, will trade one or both for Rooming House or residence property in Memphis or any other good school town. Want to close a deal between now and September 1. Memphis Land Co., over Post Office, Memphis, Texas. 7-1tc

**WAR ON DISEASE**  
valuable HEALTH BOOK sent free on request for use in the Home. Write for the press. Price \$7.50. Wanted in every county. Commission. Write B. L. Beach, 208 Galveston Avenue, Ft. Worth, Texas.

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More eggs or your money you feed MARTIN'S EGG DUCCER. Cure and prevent with MARTIN'S ROUP TALK. Satisfaction guaranteed by City Feed Store.

OUR stock is extensive and covers every need in Drugs.

We see that everything you get here is right as to quality and price, which affords our customers a saving and satisfaction.

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ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR

**BIG DEMAND FOR PURINA CHOWS**

For the past 20 days we have averaged a new customer each day on Cow Chow.

Try it and be convinced that it is the best and cheapest cow feed on the market.

By feeding Purina Chicken Chowder and Hen Chow to your hens you will profit by helping supply the demand for eggs while they are 60 cents a dozen.

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Main Phone No. 53

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This department has the most complete stock of drugs of any store in the city and in charge of Mr. Mitchell, assuring any one the best there is in compounding the prescriptions you bring to us. Our motto in this department is "JUST WHAT THE DOCTOR ORDERS."

**REPAIR DEPARTMENT**  
Radio and Victrola

All the work is guaranteed in this department, and we are in a position to repair your Victrola the same day you bring it to us, providing we have all the parts needed. We have a man that does repair work altogether, thereby assuring you of efficient service. If you want better service out of your radio, have your tubes REJUVENATED, by all means. We guarantee that you will be pleased with the results.

**BATTERIES**

We carry a complete line of dry cell batteries in "A," "B" and "C" and guarantee them to be the best and test the highest, as we receive shipments each week.

**IMPURITY IMPOSSIBLE**

This statement means just what it says, as every compartment in our new fountain is refrigerated throughout, the only fountain in Memphis equipped in this manner, as this is the latest. The front bar will be in place sometime next month, a delay arising over a freight shipment of the tile.

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