



NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL. To the resident property tax paying voters of Hall county, Texas...

On this 13th day of May, 1922, the Commissioner's Court of Hall county, Texas, convened in a regular session...

W. A. McIntosh, County Judge; W. Combest, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; H. W. Blanks, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2...

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Hall county, Texas...

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the court, that an election be held in said county, on the 17th day of June, 1922...

The said election shall be held under the provision of Articles 627 to 641 inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911...

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State, and of this county, and who are resident property tax payers in this county shall be entitled to vote at said election...

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: At Court House in North Memphis, voting Precinct No. 1, with W. P. Watts as presiding officer...

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provision of the statutes hereinabove referred to...

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL. Newlin Independent School District. To the resident property tax paying voters of the Newlin Independent School District...

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1922, within said district, in obedience to an order duly entered by the Board of Trustees on the 11th day of May, 1922...

M. P. Moore, Geo. C. Dickson, B. E. Rushing, G. C. Whiteside, W. H. Messick, J. P. Longshore, W. E. Glover, and someone other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees...

There came on to be considered the petition of F. E. Leary and twenty-seven other persons asking that an election be ordered upon the question of issuing bonds of said school district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick, tile or concrete material in said district...

That an election be held in said Newlin Independent School District on 17th day of June, 1922, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, at which election in accordance with said petition, the following proposition shall be submitted to the resident qualified property tax paying voters of said school district for their action thereupon:

Shall the Board of Trustees of Newlin Independent School District be authorized to issue the bonds of said school district to the amount of \$11,000.00, to become due and payable forty years from their date, and bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum...

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following: "For the Issuance of the Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof."

Against the Issuance of the Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof." (As to each of the foregoing propositions) each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote...

Immediately after said election has been held the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Board of Trustees of said school district, and return the ballot box to the Secretary of said Board for safe keeping.



"Come, my dear little ones," said Nurse Fog, "and I will tell you a story."

"What is more, Mr. Sun has told me so too. He doesn't even want to be around when I am."

"They very seldom have a long talk and change their minds. No, they don't do that."

"The clouds which belong to the family of Old Man Wind. They're a silly lot. They wear black suits and they look as though they were going to do something quite exciting and dreadful and then they usually don't do anything at all."

"Dear me, how silly it is to have jokes when one can wear a lovely rainy, misty dress and can hop, skip, jump and patter over the earth."

"Dear Nurse Fog," said the Mist grandchildren, "may we have a little game with the Army of Raindrops and the Raindrop children?"

"I'll watch the fun and will clap my foggy hands and will say in my deep, deep voice: 'Hurrah, Hurrah!'"

Shaking afterward. When the nurse entered, her boy patient was in a furious fit of writhing convulsions. "What is the matter?" she cried anxiously.

RENOWNED AS GREAT RULER

Roman Emperor, Trajan, Spread the Boundaries of the Empire and Governed Justly at Home.

The Roman emperor, Trajan, whose full name was Marcus Ulpius Trajanus, was born about the year 56 at Italica in Spain, which was then a Roman province.

The peace convention is the same given to a convention held in Washington on the invitation of Virginia in February, 1801, just before the outbreak of the Civil war...

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A separate library has been provided for boys and girls of Pasadena, California. The library is situated in one of the city's parks, close to the downtown district.

President Ebert, of Germany, who was prominent in the saddlers' union when he was a saddler, has been expelled from the organization because of his official attitude toward unions in his present position.

Under the direction of archaeologists, excavation work has now begun on the Taurine Baths, near Rome. Two-thirds of the baths are underground. They were begun in use for four centuries. They had a large central hall with reading rooms, beside the baths.

After being rejected by the Upper House 15 times, a bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors to minors was passed by the Japanese Diet recently.

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Every Little Task a Burden?

To the women worried with weak kidneys, housework is a heavy burden. Backache, sick headaches, nervousness, dizziness, "blue" spells and a weak, tired condition, make the simplest tasks difficult and the ever-present daily duties give the weakened kidneys no time to recover.

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOR THE Best Lumber and Coal

J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LUMBER CO. PHONE NO. 11. HALF-BLOCK NORTH OF SQUARE.

Is Your Ford Insured?

CAN YOU AFFORD TO LOSE YOUR CAR?

We will sell you good safe insurance at less than half the premium charged by old line companies.

H. D. DURHAM, General Agent

JUNE 8, 1922.

THESE WANT A

Classified Advertising. No advertisement for less than 25 cents per word.

Lost and Found. LOST—Between Belline, Buick rim turn to this office.

FOR SALE—Six, newly painted Roadster, Big Six car with starter.

FOR SALE—SOUTH ROOM permanent mocrat office.

FOR SALE—CHICKEN FRESH RO

FOR SALE—LUGAR 4c

JUNE 8, 1932.

**THESE WANT AD'S BRING RESULTS**

**WANT AD'S**

**Classified Advertising Rates.**

No advertisement will be inserted for less than 25 cents.

One time, 2 cents per word.

Two times, without change, 3 1/2 cents per word.

Three times, without change, 4 1/2 cents per word.

Four times, without change, 5 cents per word.

Six, or more times, without change, 1 cent per word each insertion.

Each subdivision of numbers and each initial to be counted as one word.

Count the words carefully and inclose the cash with the copy for the advertisement. No classified advertising will be charged except to regular advertisers who have an account with this paper.

**Second-Hand Articles.**

**CLOSING OUT**—Our stock of second-hand furniture and household goods. A special bargain in a Majestic range. **MRS. S. M. COOPER.**

**Book-Keeping.**

Want extra set of books to keep after six o'clock or at night. Expert work. Phone 288. **WILLARD CHAMBERLIN.**

**Sheet-Metal Work.**

TANKS—troughs, gutter, cisterns, storm-houses, anything in sheet-metal, at reasonable prices. Prompt service. **Barber Sheet-Metal Works, Memphis, Texas.**

**ANYTHING** in sheet-metal work at reasonable prices. We specialize in auto-radiator repairs. **CHAS. F. SCOTT.** 49-4-0

**For Rent.**

**FOR RENT**—To couple, or two men. One conveniently located bed-room, well furnished. One block north of Tourist Garage. Opposite Christian Church. Phone 15.

**Farm and Ranch Loans.**

Farm Loans and Ranch—Loans, any size, at reasonable rate of interest. **NORWOOD & WALKER, Memphis.**

**Gen't's Furnishing.**

**SPECIAL**—Attention is given to keeping an up-to-date stock of everything in this line. If you find it here you can depend upon it being **RIGHT.** **ROSS TAILORING COMPANY.**

Such words as "wine" and "beer" and the names of other intoxicating drinks are recorded as "obsolete" in the revised edition of the Encyclopedia Americana.

**Lost and Found.**

**LOST**—Between Amarillo and Estelline, Buick rim with casing. Return to this office for reward.

**FOUND**—Gold pencil with clip. Owner describe, and pay for this notice.

**FOUND**—Tortoise-rim spectacles. Owner may recover by paying for this notice. **Democrat Office.**

**FOUND**—Bundle of clothing, including three pairs of new slippers. Owners may recover by applying at this office. 49-1-\*

**For Sale**

**FOR SALE**—Used cars one Buick Six, newly painted, one Studebaker Roadster, Big Six, one Ford Touring car with starter. **W. M. Fore & Sons, Tourist Garage.**

**PIANOS** for sale.—We have in the vicinity of your city one Upright Piano, Player Piano and Grand Piano that will be sold at greatly reduced prices if bought at once. Terms can be arranged to suit. Write for full particulars on any one of these three mentioned you might be interested in. **BUSH & GERTS Piano Company, Box 179, Dallas, Texas.** 47-3-0

**FOR SALE**—Second-hand, No. 5, Oliver typewriter. Inquire at this office.

**FOR SALE**—Sewing machine, serviceable and in good condition. Inquire at this office.

**PLUMBING**—Let us figure on your work, either plumbing or heating. See us before you install hot-water or steam heat. **L. HOLT.** 49-4-0

**Rooms for Rent.**

**SOUTH ROOM**—Close in, to rent to permanent men. Inquire at Democrat office.

**Poultry and Stock Foods.**

**CHICKEN FEED**—You can always get just the feed you need here for the chickens, big or little. Special feed for young chicks. Also balanced ration for your milk cow. **CITY FEED STORE.**

**Grocery Specials**

**SUGAR 4c POUND**—Take advantage of our special offer on sugar. **Berry's Cash Grocery.**

**FRESH ROASTED COFFEE**—You will try this coffee to really appreciate it. Being fresh roasted, in our own store, it retains the full flavor and is better! **Berry's Cash Grocery.**

**Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale**

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

**ELEPHANTS**

"Then, in the second place, ears aren't the parts of us that make all the difference."

"We're more famous for having trunks. They make all the difference."

"Suppose some one noticed our ears first; they wouldn't be nearly so apt to call out:

"Oh, look at the elephants, as they would if they saw our trunks."

"Well," said the first Sudan African Elephant, "people may know that we are elephants by our trunks but the best way to know which family of elephants we come from is to know the differences in our ears."

"Dear me," said the second Sudan African Elephant, "you think that is a fine point, a very fine point, don't you?"

"I do," said the first Sudan African Elephant, "and those who know the differences in the ears of the various families of elephants would agree with me, I'm sure!"

"Yes, I'm quite sure of that!"

**POBERS**

Why is it probable that beer was known in the ark? Because the kangaroo went in with hops and the bear was always bruin.

What is the difference between a schoolmaster and an engine-driver? One minds the train, the other trains the mind.

What belongs to you and yet is used by your friends more than you? Your cause.

**LIVE IN FEAR OF SPIRITS**

**Copper Eskimos Believe Themselves Constantly Surrounded by Mysterious and Hostile Powers.**

The Copper Eskimos believe that many strange and only semi-human races surround their land. The Indians, they feel, may be human, but the peoples far from them are altogether strange.

Birds and animals, thing the Copper Eskimos, can be offended by scornful words, and the hunter who mocks the caribou or seal will be suddenly stricken down by illness or dogged by constant ill luck. Not only must the Eskimo propitiate the shades of his human dead, but also the spirits of the animals he kills.

Mysterious and hostile powers, invisible and incalculable, hem them in, as they believe, on every side, so that they never know from day to day whether a fatal illness or misfortune will not strike them or their families—from no apparent cause, and for no reason, save the ill will of those unseen foes.

The main distractions of the Copper Eskimos are singing and dancing. Practically all their songs are dancing songs. They have fashions in clothing. Every man and woman of fashion should possess two suits of everyday working clothes, one for summer and one for winter, a thick set of heavy winter clothing for travel and visiting, and a lighter set of short-haired summer skins ornamented with colored bands and insertions, fringes and appendages of various kinds, to wear in the dance house on ceremonial occasions.



"Our Big Flapping Ears."

you that ears make all the difference."

"Why not?" asked the first Sudan African Elephant.

"Why not?" repeated the second Sudan African Elephant.

"That was what I said," the first Sudan African Elephant answered.

"Because," explained the second Sudan African Elephant, "in the first place people may not know that the difference in our ears explains to them which family of elephants we come from. They may not know that."

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**"HAMLET" AND AMY ROBSART**

**Why Shakespeare Camouflaged a Story That Could Not at That Time Be Told.**

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Robsart or any other murder case of note, it was still quite impossible. Hence Shakespeare's resort to a drama in which under camouflaged guise Londoners might perceive the real spirit and condition of the age. Hamlet is the most brilliant assortment of double-edged language, covert criticism, cutting allusions to contemporary men, women and events, burning scorn, withering irony, to be found in any literature. If read aright, the play dazes and astounds the reader by its keenness, its satire, the stinging lash of its language, its mockery or condemnation of some of the very greatest personages in Elizabethan England.

**Punishing Unfortunates.**

Many Italian cities during the Middle Ages had a curious way of punishing bankrupts. A large stone was set up in the market place of the town, and to this stone, on a certain day, were led all traders who had failed within the last year. One by one they were placed in the center of the stone, and their balance sheets were read to the crowd, which was permitted to jeer at each one in turn for a specified time, the presiding official "calling time" on the abuse by striking on a bell.

When the jeering was over the bankrupt was bereft of a necessary portion of his clothing and seized by the shoulders and knees by six public officers, who deliberately bumped him on the stone 12 times, in honor, it is said, of the Twelve Apostles. Schoolboys were encouraged to attend this performance, as it was considered to give them a wholesome lesson in commercial ethics.

**POULTRY NOTES.**

Don't expect 206-egg pullets from 100-egg hens. Remember that "like begets like."

Keep lime always in reach, plenty of gravel or grit and a good dry dust bath for the fowls.

Excessive fatness leads to a suspension of egg production and predisposes to certain kinds of disease.

Italy will have a total of 1,811,300 hydro-electric horse power capacity when new central stations under construction are completed. This is double the amount five years ago.

Twenty French soldiers were killed and many wounded recently when, while searching for hidden areas, a spade struck the detonating mechanism of a hidden mine in Silesia.

**Tired**

"I was weak and run-down," relates Mrs. Eula Burnett, of Dalton, Ga. "I was thin and just felt tired, all the time. I didn't rest well. I wasn't ever hungry. I knew, by this, I needed a tonic, and as there is none better than—

**CARDUI**

**The Woman's Tonic**

... I began using Cardui," continues Mrs. Burnett. "After my first bottle, I slept better and ate better. I took four bottles. Now I'm well, feel just fine, eat and sleep, my skin is clear and I have gained and sure feel that Cardui is the best tonic ever made."

Thousands of other women have found Cardui just as Mrs. Burnett did. It should help you.

At all druggists.

**Surveying—Mapping—Real Estate**

**W. A. THOMPSON**

Office in Court House County Surveyor

**INSURANCE**

Income Tax Work

**R. A. BOSTON**

1141 County Bank Bldg. Memphis, Texas

**THE CITY MARKET**

From Breakfast Time—till bed time every housekeeper is subconsciously at least planning meals.

To select good cuts of **PRIME MEATS** and keep the meat courses of the menu varied is something of a task until you have tried the suggestions of our **MEAT MARKET**

**ARNOLD & GARDNER**

**Summer's Here, Men!**

The "Hot Time" approaches when nothing but light, summer-weight clothing will be comfortable. Why not get what you need now and get a full season's wear? We can supply you with any needed article of summer apparel.

**LIGHT-WEIGHT EXTRA PANTS**

You will need some light-weight pants for the summer, to wear without a coat, and you will find the comfort well worth the investment. Let us fit you up. Tropical worsteds, mohair, and other light weight goods.

**Ross Tailoring Company**



### Local and Personal News

News Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

John Lyles of Wolf Flat was here Tuesday.

Mrs. T. P. Richerson was reported quite sick Sunday.

N. E. Burk was a Hedley visitor Saturday morning.

Miss Esta McElreath left Sunday for Sulphur, Oklahoma.

Miss Rose Howard was canvassing at Lakeview last Saturday.

Mr. Dave Howard came in Friday from Sulphur, Oklahoma.

W. M. Cook of Ft. Worth attended court here Wednesday.

Rube Prater came in Friday morning from Oklahoma City.

Mrs. N. R. Stroud is visiting relatives at Altus, Oklahoma.

Miss Estell Dennis is visiting with friends in Wellington this week.

J. W. Moore of Estelline was a business visitor here yesterday.

Henry Wilson left Wednesday for Canyon to attend summer school.

Otto Geisler of the Wolf Flat community was a Memphis visitor Tuesday.

C. P. Wasson, of Newlin was here yesterday looking after business matters.

A good crowd was in town Saturday afternoon and trading seemed brisk.

J. C. Ledbetter, of Quana, came in yesterday to visit Andrew Jay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graves of Bridge-Bit were Memphis visitors Tuesday.

Miss Allie Butler of Tucumcari, New Mexico, is visiting friends here this week.

Billie Cousins, of Barstow, Oklahoma, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. Ross.

Mrs. J. A. Johnston and daughter, Mrs. Virgil Payne, of Estelline were here Monday.

Miss Mae Beth Wilson came in Friday from Belton where she attended Baylor College.

A very small "First Monday" crowd was here, the farmers all being busy with their crops.

Judge A. J. Fires of Childress, was here Monday looking after cases in the district court.

Loyal Montgomery came in Monday from Dallas on a visit with relatives and friends.

Announcements of the marriage of Mr. Felix Cochran, formerly of this place and Miss Grace Milam, a Memphis girl, at Oklahoma City on June 1, have been received by friends here.

Jim Ballew returned Saturday from Abeline, where he attended Simmons College the past term.

Leon Hale and Hubert Dennis are going to Canyon to take a summer course at the Normal.

Miss Clara Ballew returned Friday from Belton where she has been attending Baylor College.

Miss Lucile McCanne has returned from Fort Worth where she attended Texas Womans College.

C. C. Holcomb of Lesley was here Friday, he said that crops were looking fine in that section.

Mrs. Roy Berry returned Friday from a two week's visit with friends and relatives at Nocona.

Miss Anna Fae Montgomery, who has been attending T. W. C. at Fort Worth, returned Saturday.

Raymond Ballew went to Dallas Saturday night returning Tuesday with a new Studebaker car.

Miss Ella Pearl Wheat returned Tuesday from Graham, where she has been visiting for some time.

Capt. Simpson of Clarendon, was here this week looking after legal matters in the district court.

Miss Francis Still returned Friday night from Fort Worth, where she has been attending T. W. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houston and Miss Lillie Houston, of Childress, were here Sunday and Monday.

Miss Bootie Montgomery returned Wednesday from Waxahachie where she attended Trinity University.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilson and son, Gordon, and Wm. Ragsdale visited relatives at Amarillo last week-end.

Clifford Compton and J. O. Farth of Colorado City, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Compton of this place last week.

Mrs. Q. Street and son, of Graham came in Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wheat.

Carl Jones, Manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Company at Estelline, was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Mahaffey, jr., left Sunday night for Mountain Grove, Missouri, where she joined her husband.

W. P. Worth was here from Fort Worth Monday, looking after matters connected with the present court term.

T. R. Fuston, of Turkey, was a Memphis visitor Tuesday. He reports crop conditions fine in that section.

The Democrat is in receipt of an announcement and program of the commencement at Mount Saint Gertrude academy, Boulder, Colorado, which shows Miss Charlotte Boykin to be a member of the graduating class.

Mr. J. E. Wells and Miss Anna Coleman were married Friday afternoon by Elder A. D. Rogers, at his residence.

Good cotton seed for replanting are said to be scarce, making it difficult for those whose crops are destroyed to replant.

Mrs. Wm. Ragsdale and little daughter, Martha, returned Sunday from an extended visit with relatives at Amarillo.

Miss Beluah Evans, who has been teaching at Deep Lake, left Tuesday for Canyon where she will take a summer course.

C. J. Williams of Hulver left this week for Canyon where he will take a summer course.

Jas Edwards of Hulver was a business visitor here last Saturday. He reported everything flourishing in his neighborhood.

Frank Cox, of Estelline, was a business visitor here Monday. He reports crops fine in the Baylor section and around Estelline.

Miss Mae Pope, whose school at Deep Lake closed last week, left this week for Canyon where she will take a special course at the Normal.

R. C. Walker and family left last night for Spokane, Washington, where they will spend the summer. Mr. Walker has a sister there whom they will visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Redwine, of Lesley, were here Saturday shopping. Mr. Redwine conducts a blacksmith shop at Lesley.

M. E. Thompson, of Gasoline, is here this week on business connected with the district court. Mr. Thompson reports fine crops and an unusually large cotton acreage in his section.

Clay Thornton who lives two miles south of town, was here Tuesday morning in search of cotton seed, the hail Monday night having destroyed his crop, most of which had been plowed and was a fine stand.

Judge M. M. Hankins, of Quana, paid this office a short call while in Memphis yesterday. The Judge, who is an old-timer in the Panhandle, said that he had never seen better crop prospects in this section.

Commissioner S. A. Christian came over from Turkey Monday morning. He said that a big rain fell there Sunday night and that the roads were so muddy that he was two hours coming from Turkey to Ox-Bow in a car.

An announcement and invitation to the commencement exercises at the Southern Methodist University has been received with the compliments of Marvin Norwood, who is a member of the graduating class this year.

Good rains have fallen in every section of the Memphis territory this week. Farmers are now anxious for sunny weather for cotton, which is a good stand and looking fine; but in need of more sunshine and warmer nights.

Mrs. M. C. Howell is in receipt of an announcement from the senior class of the State University announcing the graduation of her granddaughter, Miss Maynet Thomas of Childress, daughter of Editor and Mrs. J. C. Thomas.

Miss Pauline Crawford returned Thursday from Canyon for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crawford.

DRESSMAKING —Hemstitching, 10c per yard, also other sewing. Trimmed Hats. 48-4\* Mrs. Etta McMurry, Lakeview, Tex.

If there is no correspondence from your community in the Democrat, help us to get some one to write the home news each week. Most of the people in your neighborhood get this paper and would like to see the community represented. We will gladly furnish stationery, stamps and a copy of the paper.

John Gilbert, formerly of Estelline who has resided on the Plains during the past eight years, was here Saturday. He said that he had sold out his Plains property and was prospecting for a location and would probably locate in Hall or Briscoe counties. Mr. Gilbert is a son-in-law of Jas. Edwards of Hulver.

A considerable acreage of cotton was more or less injured to the north and south of town by the heavy rain and hail Monday night. The strip appears to have been about a mile wide and extended several miles to the north and to the south. More injury was perhaps done by the torrential rainfall than by the hail, which was heavy only in spots.

A new copper telephone toll line is being built between Wellington and Memphis. The old service wire was of iron and strung on fence posts and 2x4'. The new line is on cedar poles and will give one of the best telephone services in this section of the country. This is a movement in the right direction and will be appreciated by Wellington citizens.—Wellington Leader.

FIRST BALE OF TEXAS COTTON IN 1922 GINNED

Corpus Christi, June 1.—The first bale of 1922 cotton, raised on the Mack Maze farm at Rio Hondo, passed through Robstown, this county, at 11 o'clock tonight, enroute to Houston, where it will be sold tomorrow morning. The weight of the bale was given as 530 pounds.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE DEMOCRAT

#### HOOVER IS CHARGED WITH FAILURE TO MAKE REPORTS

Washington, June 1.—Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia, today in the Senate reiterated his charge that Herbert Hoover had failed to make detailed itemized reports of expenditures for Russian, Belgian and other relief enterprises, directed by him.

Published reports of the relief commission presented yesterday by Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, with a letter from Secretary Hoover, were declared by the Georgia Senator to bear out rather than to refuse his charge.

Various items in these reports were read by the Senate in an effort to show that the reports "lumped" expenditures without details as to salaries or other incidents and said, contained "astounding information that Mr. Hoover had had charge of vast sums than ever were handled by anybody in the world."

"No king or American millionaire ever handled the vast sums handled

by Mr. Hoover," said Senator Watson, adding that the American people and the government were entitled to an itemized accounting.

#### CHIEF JUSTICE TAFT TO STUDY ENGLISH COURTS

Washington, June 1.—Chief Justice Taft will leave shortly for England where during a stay of several weeks he will study the English judicial system with a view to determining its characteristics, which lead to great expedition in the settlement of legal trials and issues. He notified President Harding of his intention today during the course of a White House Call.

J. H. Gipson, of Turkey, was here Monday. Mr. Gipson has the contract for the new \$20,000 public school building there and has begun the work of construction. He said that fair progress had been made although the continued rain had caused some delay.

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### Neighborhood News

Happenings of Interest and Personal Mention From Surrounding Communities as Gathered by Democrat Correspondents.

#### Estelline Events

R. A. Ewing is in Memphis this week serving on the grand jury. J. Y. Snow, candidate for sheriff, was down from Memphis last Saturday. T. N. Copeland left last Sunday for Lubbock to bring his two sons home who have been visiting there. Judge Cole, of Crowell, candidate for district judge, was in Estelline last Thursday seeing the voters. Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Prewitt came down from Memphis Monday. Mrs. Prewitt will remain a week or two. R. A. Eddleman and Curry Green made a business trip to Jacksboro this week. Judge Bryant of Memphis, candidate for representative, was here Tuesday shaking hands with the voters. One of the heaviest rains that this country has had this year fell last Sunday night. No damage was done. Estelline now has a beautiful camping ground. The park has been cleaned of all weeds and trash, Electric lights have been installed, and is an ideal place for tourists to camp. The Estelline ball team beat Memphis 8 to 5 in a 11 inning game at Memphis Tuesday. Crops are looking extra good here and prospects were never better for bumper crop.

#### Methodist Church Notes.

The services at the church, conducted by Brother Fuller, are great. Those who are not attending are missing some fine services. Service on the streets every afternoon at three o'clock. Morning service at 10 o'clock every day. Evening service at 8:30 Sunday school at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. We desire that everybody attend every service at the Methodist church. W. B. HICKS, Pastor.

#### Hedley Happenings

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs' Association was held in Amarillo last week. The Hedley lodges were well represented. Among the representatives were Frank Lindall, Martin Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Whitefield, D. A. Crouch and Arthur Bell. Mr. and Mrs. Heath have returned from Dallas. Capt. Simpson of Clarendon was in our city Friday. Lester Muncie made a trip to Amarillo recently. Rev. I. J. Spurlin, who has been preaching in New Mexico, has returned. Mrs. Mayme Adamson went to Kirkland and Childress to assist in the Eastern Star Installations. Mrs. W. M. Hammond, of Fort Worth, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons. Mrs. Hammond also went to Dalhart to visit her sister. Little Darrell Webb, who used to reside in the vicinity of Hedley, and who has been attending the State school for the blind at Austin, passed through Hedley Thursday morning on his way to his home at Amarillo. O. R. Culwell has just returned from a visit to Collin county. He reports that crops are good, though a little late. We understand that the L. T. Hul-lum grocery business has been purchased by Mr. Reese. Fred Bidwell has returned from a trip down the country. He was at Electra, Wichita Falls and a number of other places. It is reported that Mr. Hamilton has sold his barber shop. At Hedley, rain falls frequently. No one is complaining about dry weather. A heavy rain fell late Monday evening. Mrs. T. W. Garret, of Wichita, Kansas, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons.

Misses Ruth Grimsley, Lois Nipper and Velma Newman left Monday morning for Canyon, where they will attend the summer session of the State Normal. Mrs. O. R. Culwell and little daughter left Monday night for Amarillo.

#### Newlin News

We had a pretty nice little shower last Friday night which was very much appreciated by every one. Mrs. Shelton entertained the young folk at her home Saturday night. Newlin has beat Estelline seven straight ball games. The last game being 18 to 2 in favor of Newlin. Miss Nancy Lawrence, Verna Kellison and Beatrice Pierce left Tuesday morning for Canyon to attend school. Miss Alma Lawrence and Trudie Bridges of Estelline spent last week end here with home-folk. Mr. Cecil Guthrie was at Estelline Friday morning. Mrs. L. M. Caldwell and family and Mrs. Burnett were Estelline visitors Saturday. Hulien Clifton, R. D. Whaley and Oscar Power were Newlin visitors Sunday afternoon. Miss Mabel Bentley has returned from down east where she has been attending school. Work will begin on the new school building just as soon as the bonds are voted and sold.

#### Bits from Bridle-Bit

John Harlin and D. A. Huffines made a business trip to Memphis Thursday of last week. The Bridle-Bit school closed last Friday after a successful session. A number of young people had an enjoyable time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey, at a party, Friday night. Misses Clara Weeks and Meda Arnold were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richardson Saturday night. Mrs. Joe Parker was taken to Clarendon to a hospital for an operation. Mrs. Parker's many friends here wish for her a speedy recovery. John Harlin took Mrs. Parker to Clarendon in his car. Rev. Baker, of Memphis, preached to a good crowd here last Sunday, everybody seems interested and well pleased with the success of th church work here. A good singing in which many

took part was enjoyed Sunday after the sermon. The continued wet weather is encouraging the growth of weeds and grass but is not so good for cotton, which needs a period of sunshine to grow as it should. Crops, however, are looking good. Kin Huffine and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Arnold last Sunday. Candidates are frequent visitors in this neighborhood now.

#### Hulver Hints

School closed Friday much to the regret of all. We enjoyed both a day and night program given by the different rooms. A sumptuous dinner and supper was spread for all. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williams and son, Owen, and Leroy McDaniels left for Canyon Sunday to attend the State Normal there. Our teachers have left for their different destinations and once more our school house takes on a sad look of vacation. The teachers have been employed for another year, several changes have been made. Misses Carrie, Lizzie Mae, and Litha Buchanan left Sunday for Huntsville, where they will attend school this summer. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright and little son spent the week-end with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stout. Lee Riechburg and family of Estelline spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stout. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Marcum are happy over the arrival of a fine baby girl at their home a few weeks ago. This news did not reach the writer until recently. Quite a few were present at the cemetery Tuesday cleaning and decorating graves in honor of "Decoration Day." We worked until noon then ate dinner and came home. Hiring a man to finish up the work. This work is being sadly neglected all over the state and may the future bring a never sense of duty.

#### Deep Lake Doings

Crops in this section are looking fine. With the rain we are having they will soon be ready to chop. Work was again resumed on the Home Peoples well last Monday. B. F. Cope branded his yearlings last Saturday. He says they are in fine shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harvey spent the week-end in Memphis last week on business. R. E. Free and Clovis Forten-bury spent last Sunday with J. M. Free and family. Misses May Pope and Bulah Evans gave a school picnic last Friday. A large crowd was present and lots of good eat. Everybody seemed to enjoy the occasion. Deep Lake ball team and Lesley played ball last Saturday. The score was 7 to 8 in favor of Deep Lake. Perry Barnett has been on the sick list the last few day, but not seriously ill. The school programs Wednesday and Friday nights of last week were very successful with large audiences. Deep Lake Literary Club will give their next program Staurday night. Everybody welcome.

#### A Rose of June.

I plucked a rose one morning fair, A rose of June with beauty rare; It seemed that it had bloomed for me, For all the day it kept me free; Free from the impure thought, or song, And all the things that make life wrong. Within a vase I placed the flow'r, So I might see it hour by hour; My lovely rose I did forget, And started to get cross and fret; I saw the blossom, spoke its name, Then thoughts of love and gladness came. And then again, the rose forgot, Began relating some dark plot; Repeating things from others heard, Not leaving out the unkind word; But when I caught the rose's hue, My words were loving, pure and true. A rose of June, by dew-drops kissed, That bloomed in sunlight and in mist; A rose of June, all blushing bright, That smiled and nodded day and night. A rose of June I plucked one day, It sweeter made the living way. —Carmen La Forrest.

Advertisements asking for bids for the erection of the dam at H-K canyon, the building of the filtering plant and the laying of the pipe line and mains in the city are now being run in several of the city papers. The city asks for bids on the completed job, or by parcels.—Childress Index. SUBSCRIBE FOR THE DEMOCRAT

BEER VOTE ASKED IN DEMOCRATIC BALLOT Waco, Texas, June 5.—Arriving here early this afternoon, former Governor James E. Ferguson of Temple and Milton Everett of San Antonio formally presented petitions to Secretary Joe W. Hale of the State Democratic Executive Committee, asking the committee to place on the ticket to be voted on July 22 an amendment permitting the sale of beer and light wines. Mr. Everett is chairman of the Texas branch of the Natinal Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Incorporated. Affidavits were presented, signed by Ferguson and Everett, who declared that the petitions had been signed by 56,401 qualified voters of the State, being 10,000 more than the 10 per cent of the vote cast in the last Democratic primary elections, two years ago.

Jones' "Filling Station" for lunches, Chilli, Hamburgers, Coffee and Smokes. West Side. —12

#### NAPIER WILL NOT RUN FOR GOVERNOR

Wichita Falls, June 3.—Judge E. W. Napier of the Seventy-eighth District Court will not enter the race for Governor this year, he announced this morning. Judge Napier, who had announced his candidacy and who was making a tour of the State organizing his campaign, was called home a few days ago by the serious illness of his 7-year-old son, who was operated on Thursday and who is still in a serious condition.

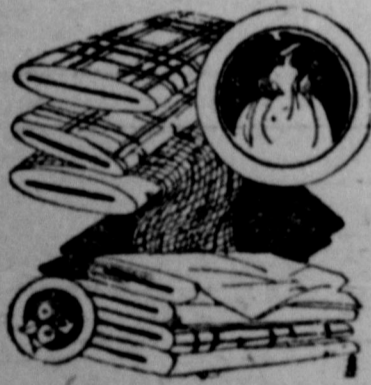
### The Majestic Theatre Program.

WEEG BEGINNING JUNE 12, 1922 MONDAY AND TUESDAY—William Fox presents Tom mix in "Sky High," also first chapter, "The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe." WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—Universal presents Miss Du Pont in "Golden Gallows," with a Sunshine comedy "West Is West." FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—William Fox presents Dustin Farnum in "Devil Within" with Hall Room boys comedy "The Beach Nut."

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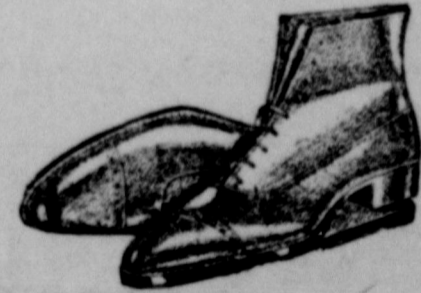
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