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COMMUNITY WORK DIRECTOR EMPLOYED BY UTILITIES FOR CHILDRESS, HARDEMAN

INDUSTRY IN MUCH ACTIVITY

Arrangements have been completed whereby there will be a consistent program of rural community organization carried out in Hall county during the next twelve months, or until each community desiring organization has been reached.

H. D. Cuykendall, for the past year employed on the Childress Post as advertising manager, has been employed by the cotton oil mills of Memphis, Childress, Quannah and Chillicothe and the Gate City Creamery of Quannah and Childress, to conduct rural organization work in Hall, Harde-man and Childress counties.

The rural organization program is but a part of the general plan, which is to promote the dairy industry in the above-mentioned counties. The oil mills and the creamery are, of course, interested in seeing more dairying as it is to their interests.

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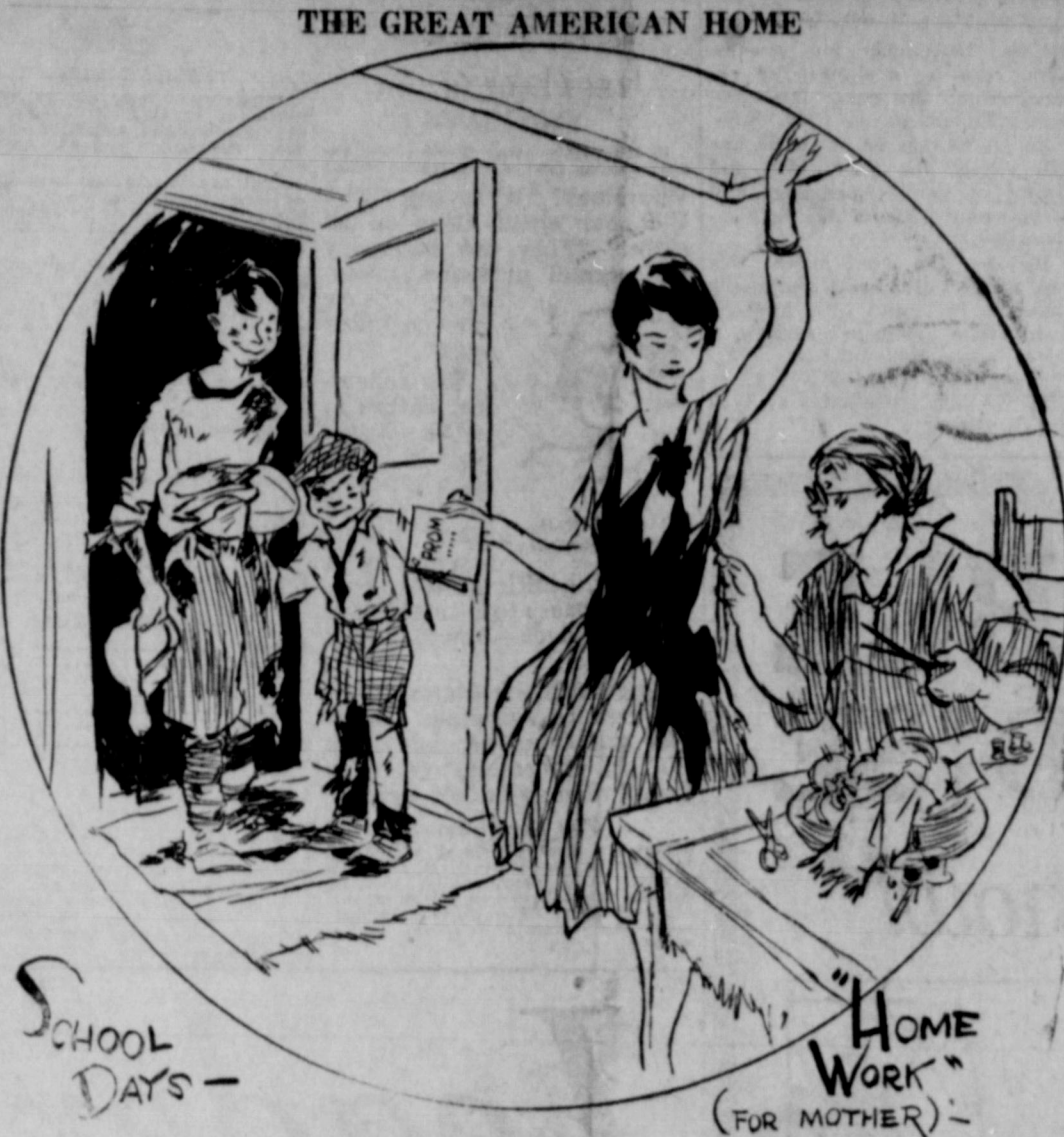
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THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

W. T. UTILITIES TAKES OVER C. P. & L.

The Central Light & Power Co. has transferred its holdings in this section to the West Texas Utilities Co. This company has its general offices at Abilene and has taken over the duties and responsibilities incident to the administration of these public services of Donley, Hall, Collingsworth and Childress counties.

In a page advertisement in this issue the West Texas Utilities Co. sets out its plans fully, and contemplates few if any changes at this time in the personnel of managers and employees, which suits our people very much. The men and women who have been serving in the past with the Central Light & Power Co. in Memphis could not be improved upon, is the opinion of our people.

Manager J. A. Brewer went to Abilene last Friday to attend a meeting of the officials and managers of the company. He reports a most interesting meeting, and that Memphis was paid a compliment by the general auditor of the company. When the name of Memphis was called the auditor stated, "Memphis is the prettiest town in Texas."

MEMPHIS CYCLONE TO MEET CHILDRESS BOBCATS FRIDAY

The Memphis Cyclone and Childress Bobcats will meet on the local grid Friday afternoon at Fair Park and battle for supremacy. It is believed that previous scores of the season favor the Cyclone in the game, but Coach Bolton is not letting that ease his players up, but is holding out to them the idea that it will be a hard fought game, and it might be—dopesters may not know.

Clarendon and Cyclone fought to a nothing and nothing tie game last Friday at Clarendon. Captain May, who has been out of the game all season due to injuries, played in the game against the Clarendon Bronchos, and will be in the game Friday.

GINNER REPORT SHOWS SHORT IN BALES

Following the ginners report Tuesday the cotton market has been steadily climbing. Twenty-two cents and better being paid in Memphis for cotton this Thursday morning. Before the report came out cotton was bringing 20 cents and less.

Good open weather has been prevailing for the past two weeks and has been of untold benefit in that it is allowing young cotton to mature bolls fully and means from 500 to 1,000 bales of cotton more each day the frost holds off. Not more than a third of the cotton of Hall county has been ginned and it is safely predicted that at least forty thousand bales will be ginned in the county.

HOLT PLUMBING BUSINESS SOLD

L. Holt has sold his plumbing business to G. A. Evans who took charge Monday. This is one of the old established business enterprises of Memphis, and possibly the best equipped by far of like businesses.

Mr. Holt will finish the many contracts he already has, and will assist Mr. Evans in getting familiar with the business. When asked what he intends to do when he winds up his plumbing contracts, Mr. Holt replied that he doesn't intend to leave Memphis.

Mr. Holt wishes to thank his friends and patrons for the business accorded him while in business here, and bespeaks for Mr. Evans a good share of the patronage accorded the business heretofore, believing Mr. Evans to be thoroughly reliable and competent and worthy of the patronage.

CAR OCCUPANTS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Claude Nivens, wife and three children of Parnell and two others, all riding in a coupe Saturday night on the highway about three miles west of Estelline, escaped death miraculously when the car met a Ford touring head-on and overturned, wrecking the car into almost a scrap heap, and damaging the Ford more than a hundred dollars worth.

Mr. Nivens had a hand badly hurt and may lose some of his fingers. Other members of the party escaped with minor bruises and scratches. The baby, three months old, was thrown about 60 feet and was unhurt, not even a bruised spot could be found on it. The two occupants of the Ford were only slightly injured.

The two cars met on a curve and it is believed their headlights blinded the drivers, causing them to collide. The Gerlach wrecker picked up the coupe Sunday and brought it to Memphis. It is certainly a wreck now.

Mrs. H. F. Elrod, who was operated on at the Memphis Hospital three weeks ago, was able to move to her home on South Eighth street last Sunday. Her many friends will be glad to know she is able to be home.

NAZARENE CHURCH WILL HAVE REVIVAL WITH GOOD EVANGELIST

H. C. CAGLE



Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis of Aransas Pass came Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Davis' daughters, Mesdames G. L. Tipton, L. M. Grundy and Angus Huckaby.

NATIONAL DAIRY SHOW VISITED BY LOCAL MEN; SHOW MAY COME TO TEXAS NEXT YEAR

L. M. Thompson, county agricultural agent, and J. C. Wells, president of the Memphis chamber of commerce, returned last Friday from Memphis, Tennessee, where they attended the National Dairy Show in company with one hundred and seventy other Texans, representing practically every section of the state and filling three special cars over the Texas & Pacific and two over the Cotton Belt.

These Texans practically stormed the dairy show and tri-state fair, operated jointly this year. This is the first time the National Dairy Show has ever come to the South or conducted jointly with a state fair. And it is hoped that the show will make one more trip South at least, and that to the Dallas State Fair next year, and according to the belief of some of the officials of the show and some of the leading exhibitors of the United States it looks like Dallas will have a fair chance to secure it next year.

The Texans, led by C. M. Evans, agricultural agent for the Texas & Pacific; A. L. Ward, educational director of the Texas Cottonseed Crushers Association; J. Lynn Thomas, dairy specialist of Texas A. & M.; D. T. Simonds, field man for the Jersey Cattle Club, and aided by a dozen county agents, vocational agricultural instructors, dairy farmers, interested business men, and interested newspaper men, invaded the show with gay "TEXAS" hats, bands and tinkling bells. After two days of intensive sightseeing and study of dairy problems, looking at the finest show animals in the world, the group left Wednesday night for home tired but happy. It was the largest attendance of Texans at any National Dairy Show and the educational effect cannot but have beneficial results.

The Texans gave a banquet at the Gayosa Hotel on Tuesday night, at which many of the leading officials and members of the National Dairy Show were invited guests. At this banquet a committee was appointed to try to obtain the show for Dallas next year; Hon. George Pur of Dallas; R. M. Kleberg, president of Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers association and manager of the largest ranch in the world—the King ranch in South Texas; J. E. Stanford, agricultural manager for the East Texas chamber of commerce; J. A. Moore, R. R. Walker, Prof. A. L. Darnell, D. T. Simonds, J. W. Ridgway, and A. L. Ward. These men are to confer with the Dallas Fair officials and to use every means possible to secure the National Dairy Show for Texas. This would be the greatest thing for Texas in the way of dairying that could possibly be done.

Tuesday the Texans were present all day at the judging of Jersey cattle. More than five thousand people witnessed this event and the presence of the

OLDEST CITIZEN OF COUNTY DIES HERE

Death claimed the oldest citizen of Hall county as well as one whose family has been actively identified with Hall county and the Panhandle of Texas development for the past thirty years. Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Thompson, aged 95 years, 2 months and 2 days, passed away Tuesday at 2:10 p. m., October 25, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Slaton, of this city.

The funeral was held from the first Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. H. Mallard, assisted by the Revs. C. E. Jameson and E. T. Miller. Burial was made in Fairview Cemetery.

Six grandsons acted as pall bearers: E. P. Thompson, Col. E. O. Thompson, George, Homer, Glenn and Earl Thompson. The granddaughters acted as flower girls: Mesdames Edwin and Homer Thompson, Byron Baldwin, Frank Houston, Jessie Peddie, Misses Maurine, Thelma and Ruby Thompson.

Mrs. Thompson, a widow since the passing of her husband, George W. Thompson, here 13 years ago, was one of the prominent characters of the Panhandle. She has been living in Memphis for the past 21 years, formerly residing in Amarillo for a number of years. The family moved to Sandusky Springs, Texas, from Missouri 57 years ago, eight years later to Alvord, then to Amarillo in 1905, and in 1906 to Memphis. She joined the Cumberland Presbyterian church when but 10 years of age, and lived a consistent Christian life.

Ann Elizabeth Staggs was born in Harrisburg, Ky., August 23, 1832, was married to George W. Thompson February 27, 1851. Eight sons and one daughter were born to this union, all of whom are living and present at the funeral, except one son who is living in California: W. S., E. A., T. J., G. M., and L. M. Thompson and Mrs. R. L. Slaton of Memphis, and L. O. and R. L. Thompson are living in Amarillo. She has one brother, who is 90 years of age.

Mrs. Thompson had been in active health up to a few months ago, and was a remarkable woman who had the love and respect of all who knew her. Her family has had an active part in the business life and development of the Panhandle for a quarter of a century, and the influence of her life, as well as that of her husband, had a great deal to do with the life of the children.

Texans added a lot of pep to the occasion which caused some of the officials to state that they owed much to the Texans for creating such great interest. One can hardly conceive of such perfection in animals as shown in the ring and in the barns where the several different breeds of dairy cattle were on display at all times—more than a thousand head—Guernseys, Ayrshires, Brown Swiss, Holsteins and Jerseys. The winning grand champion Jersey cow sold after being declared winner over all breeds for \$25,000.

Wednesday was spent in visiting the different exhibits of cattle and the fair, at which every conceivable thing used in dairying was on display. Many dairy animals were bought by the Texans, as well as a lot of dairy machinery, etc.

A Holstein cow was on display that gives more than ten gallons of milk daily, and nets her owner more than \$800 annually. By her side was an ordinary cow that gives three quarts and a half of milk daily. A sign over her head said, "I am the average cow of the U. S. A. and these three quart bottles and one pint bottle represent my average daily production. But I am a good cow—I give you all the milk I have." A lesson learned here is that thru the use of better sires of know-

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RETAIL MERCHANTS FEAST ON VENISON AND ELECT OFFICERS

E. P. THOMPSON

The Retail Merchants Association elected R. S. Greene president, E. S. Shelley vice president, and G. A. Sager secretary; with B. E. Davenport, N. P. Dickson, T. H. Deaver, and M. J. Draper directors, and the annual banquet held last Thursday night at the new Memphis Hotel.

An elaborate dinner was served and was enjoyed by all. The piece de resistance was venison, compliments of Dr. E. H. Boaz, who killed two deer in Colorado a few days before, said to be the largest deer ever exhibited in this section of country.

The retiring president, E. P. Thompson acted as toastmaster, and made the event interesting throughout. W. B. Quigley made a very interesting talk on "Proper Extension of Credit." S. T. Harrison made a splendid talk on "Helping the Business Man and Farmer to a Higher Standard of Business Ethics." and G. A. Sager gave a report of the proceedings of the State convention of retailers held in Dallas October 10 and 11. Several impromptu talks were made and enjoyed.



W. S. Chancey of Lakeview closed a deal Wednesday for the Harvey Cooper house on North Twelfth street. Mr. and Mrs. Chancey will move to Memphis to reside as soon as they can get possession.

TEXAS BOYS WIN HONORS AT DAIRY SHOW

Bearing second-place honors in the country-wide dairy judging contest and loaded with trophies, the team of Texas boys returned Thursday to the state which they represented on Oct. 17 at the National Dairy Exposition, Memphis, Tenn.

The boys left Dallas to compete with prize-winning teams from thirty-two states, after they had won the trip to the national exposition in the Texas elimination exposition last June at A. & M. College. In addition to the second place honors won by the team, Charlie Taylor was given the individual honors of being high-point man for the entire contest

and of winning first place in the judging of Holsteins cows.

The team members are Victor Bradley, George Guest, Othel Young, Charlie Taylor and R. B. Cleveland, coach. All of the young men are students of the Dublin high school, Dublin, Texas, which has a vocational department.

Individual trophies won by Taylor were two gold medals and two \$400 scholarships in Texas A. & M. College. Bradley, who won second place in the milk judging contest, was given a "Father and Son" library of twenty volumes.

The Texas team took part in the judging of Holsteins, Ayrshires, Guernseys and Jerseys, judging two classes, cows and heifers, of each. The team was first in the judging of Holsteins and Guernseys. Each member of the team from Dublin was given a silver medal. Mr. Cleveland, who is the vocational teacher of the high school, was presented with a small statue of a perfect Holstein cow.

Get it at Tarver's.

GAME WARDEN HALL COUNTY THIS WEEK

R. E. Sammons, special deputy game warden for district two, is in Memphis and will work Hall county thoroughly for several days, creating a desire for observance of the game laws and protection of game. Mr. Sammons states that he hopes no one will violate the game law, and wants to thank sportsmen and enforcement officers for their cooperation.

He says the quail season this year opens December 1 and closes January 15, and all hunters should take notice accordingly.

A complete stock of New Crop TEA GARDEN preserves at Womack's Grocery. 17tf

Cooking Chats with 6 Famous Cooks

(Courtesy of the Domestic Science Department, Perfection Stove Company)

VEGETABLES FOR VITAMINES

(Editor's Note: This is one of the unusual cooking articles by 6 famous cooks.)

Vitamines! What are they? We hear about them on all sides. "They are necessary for normal nutrition, necessary for growth," it is said.



MRS. SARAH TYSON RORER

Their chemical nature is not known. But it is an established fact, that when they are lacking in the diet, health suffers. Certain diseases are attributed to this lack—outstandingly rickets.

Vegetables, fruits and milk are rich in vitamins. Spinach and tomatoes contain a higher percentage of vitamins than any other foods.

The Year Around

Can we have plenty of vitamins in the diet the year around? Certainly. And very easily, too, in canned vegetables and fruits, among other things. (Though, canning lessens the vitamin content somewhat.)

Mrs. Sarah Tyson Rorer, the Philadelphia cooking expert, gives today a few simple rules for canning vegetables.

"Light your stove first. Put a wash boiler filled with water on one burner, a teakettle on another, and a large pan of water on the third. "Prepare vegetables by washing, and skimming where this is necessary." Mrs. Rorer says. "Wash the glass jars, adjust rubbers on them, and screw on the tops to test them.



Scald Quickly

"Then open jars, but do not remove the rubbers. Put them with the lids in a pan, and dip over them from the boiler enough water to scald.

"Put the vegetables in a square of cheesecloth, and lower into the pan of boiling water for 15 minutes. Lift, drain, and put into the jars at once.

"Add a teaspoon of salt to each quart jar. Add enough boiling water to fill jar (after vegetables are in). Screw on the tops, give half turn back, and place at once on the rack in the wash boiler or canner.

"Individual wire holders cost but little and are more easily managed than a solid rack. When the boiler is filled, cover, wait until the water again boils and turn down to low heat."

Mrs. Rorer's Table for Blanching

Spinach	10 minutes
Tomatoes, to skin	2 minutes
Asparagus	5 minutes
Green Beans	15 minutes
Beets	25 minutes
Peas	5 minutes
Corn, on cob	5 minutes

Table for Sterilizing

Spinach	2 hours
Tomatoes	1 hour
Asparagus	1 1/2 hours
Green Beans	1 1/2 hours
Peas	1 1/2 hours
Chicken	1 1/2 hours

What a comfort it is to have a stove which needs no watching. One of the modern long-chimney oil stoves has this advantage. Once you set the flames, they will not vary. You can leave the kitchen, and forget all about this stove.

Fiesta String Beans

Mrs. Belle DeDraf, San Francisco home economist, food editor, suggests a new and pleasing way of cooking string beans. String beans are very rich in vitamins. Mrs. DeDraf's recipe follows:

String and cut beans in two lengthwise. Cook in a boiling salted water in an uncovered saucepan about 25 minutes. Use only enough water to barely cover beans. Drain and season with 1/2 teaspoon salt and a dash of pepper and 1 tablespoon of butter. Set beans aside until sauce is made.

Put 7 egg yolks in a small saucepan, add 2 teaspoons of flour and 1 tablespoon of lemon juice; mix them and add 1 cup of stock. The stock can either be canned consommé, a bouillon cube dissolved in warm water or strained soup stock. Cook over a very low fire until sauce has thickened, then add to hot beans. Too fast or too long cooking will make this sauce curdle.

Another

Another principal of Cookery, says: "Drain a can of beans and absorb all the liquid."

"Then wash them in a season high water to barely cover beans. Drain and season with 1/2 teaspoon salt and a dash of pepper and 1 tablespoon of butter. Set beans aside until sauce is made."

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Red Pickle J. C. Wood

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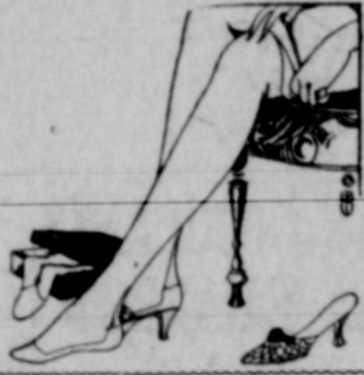
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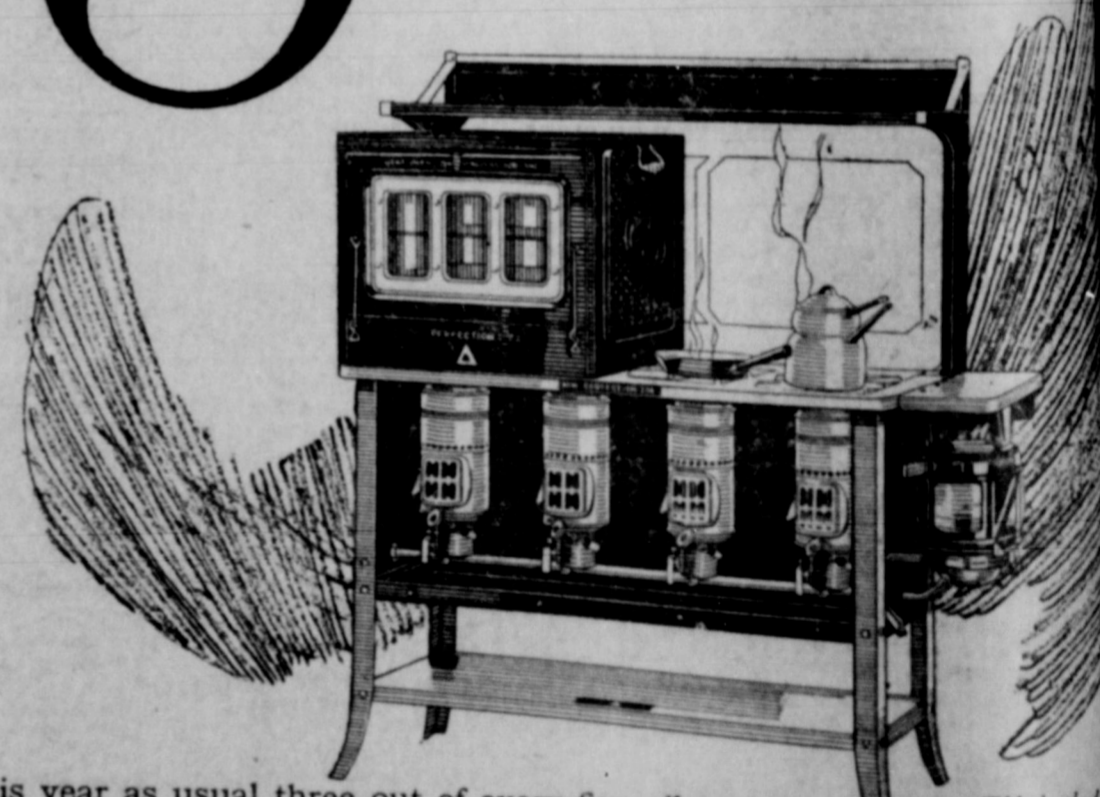
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18 MILLION ACRES LAND TO TERRACE

More than eighteen million acres of land in Texas need terracing right now! The last few years county agents have aided farmers in terracing from 400,000 to 500,000 acres yearly, but that huge total is too small for the year of our Lord 1927. Too seen terraces working until they are convinced that terracing pays and are demanding aid in this vital work. It is likely that all requests for this work made this year would total at least two or three million acres.

That is why M. R. Bently, agricultural engineer, and A. K. Short, conservation and terracing agent of the Federal Land Bank at Houston, together with county agents are working their collective heads in the biggest terracing project ever tackled in Texas. They are using one of the best methods devised for getting terracing done rapidly, a method used for several years by a few agents, that of terracing schools.

The method, as described in the News several times before, is to carefully train groups of farmers in the use of the level and the principles of terracing, and to give them field experience in laying out and building terraces. Many of these men are then in a position to terrace their own farms with a small amount of help from the agent.

The state wide movement of terracing schools began in July when P. G. Haines of Limestone county held a most successful one reported here last issue. It was followed by one at Corsicana and then in quick succession came the one in Blanco with 40 present, in Nacogdoches with 26, Marion 15, Harrison 35, Shelby 65, Milam 40, Falls 60, Smith 109, Rusk 60, Hopkins 65, Luling 65, Guadalupe 125, Gonzales 80 and DeWitt 85.

These main schools put on by the agents with the help of Bently and Short and representatives of the Corsicana terracer, Martin

Ditcher, Ford Motor company, International Harvester company and others, are simply the fore-runners of many series of local home talent terracing schools now and later to be held.

The October schedule includes McLennan, Comanche, Ellis, Denton, Fannin, Grayson, and Rockwall. In November such schools are planned for Mitchell, Palo Pinto, Young, Clay, Jack, Wise, Hall, Collingsworth, Wheeler, Grimes, Brazos, Travis, Burnet and Gillespie.

WEST WARD TO HAVE CARNIVAL FRIDAY EVE

The West Ward pupils are to have a Hallowe'en carnival at the West Ward building Friday night, October 28, and will have a lenty of spooks, gypsies, owls, and fun. Before this however, a good mixed program will be given in which some of the best young players in Junior high and Grammar grades will take part.

Be sure to attend this carnival and have the time of your life. Encourage the children in their work.

GRAHAM BROTHERS SEPTEMBER TRUCK SALES AGAIN INCREASE

September sales shipments of Graham Brothers 1 1-2 and 2-ton trucks established a new high monthly record for the year, according to an official statement from the company today. For the first time in 1927 the total shipments of these two capacities exceeded the 2,000 mark for a single month, continuing Graham Brothers leadership over all other manufacturers in the 1 1-2 and 2-ton field. Compared with August sales shipments of the capacities the September record represents a 38 per cent gain.

Sales shipments of all Graham Brothers vehicles totaled 5,107 in September, an increase of 17 per cent over August and export shipments of 1060 trucks exceeded August figures by 17 per cent.

Orders for the complete new line of Graham Brothers trucks are steadily growing in volume, the statement said, and since their introduction in August the company's plants at Detroit, Evansville, Stockton and Toronto have been working at capacity.

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WHEN TRAGEDY FALLS

Sorrow has settled over Wellington and Clarendon alike. The thrill of victory surging in the hearts of Wellington boys has turned to dull despair.

Phil Reeves of the Clarendon high school died Sunday morning following an injury in the football game Friday.

In this life all of us strive on a changing field whose dimensions we little comprehend, playing a game whose rules and regulations change constantly.

Mr. Thompson was sent to the Dairy Show by the County Court and Mr. Wells by the agricultural committee of the Memphis chamber of commerce.

W. J. MANGUM IS NEW CITY INSPECTOR HERE

The City of Memphis has a new city inspector in the person of Wesley J. Mangum, for the past 3 years the warden at Lake Childress.

Mr. Mangum has lived in Childress 8 years. He comes to Memphis with the best of recommendations as a man who will take part in the civic and business life of the city.

Mr. Mangum is coming here to do his level best for the City of Memphis and its citizens.

DAIRY SHOW

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butter fat production will help the dairy industry more than in any other way without going to exorbitant cost.

Practically all the Southern states do not produce enough dairy products to feed our own people.

on a high hill, sends its last message to the friends who wait behind.

REVIVAL

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program that will bless the entire city, and no young person will regret having attended their services.

The Sunday school is being reorganized as fast as possible and a corps of workers are being selected to put forth an aggressive and extensive campaign.

The people of the church want the spiritual atmosphere among them to be full of courage and enthusiasm and devotion until their meetings are uplifting and exhilarating.

M. M. SHORT, Pastor.

Local and Personal

Don't forget the opera at the high school auditorium Thursday, November 3.

Hallowe'en at midnight at the Palace, "For the Love of Mike."

Don't fail to see the Hawaiian girls at the high school auditorium Thursday, November 3.

Fruit Cake time, you get every thing for them at Womack's Grocery.

W. P. Cagle closed a deal Friday whereby W. A. Thompson becomes owner of the 31 acre tract of land at the southwest edge of the city.

Be sure to see the real band of Pirates at the high school auditorium, November 3.

A. R. Guill who has been visiting his daughter at Berger the past two months, visited his son A. W., and daughter, Miss Lillian, here Friday.

Mrs. B. Webster has resigned her position as stenographer for Moss and Elliott and will keep books for the Webster grocery at Lakeview.

"For the Love of Mike," go to midnight matinee at the Palace Hallowe'en.

Judge and Mrs. A. S. Moss left Sunday night for San Antonio and the Rio Grande valley.

Have you tried that Good NORRIS Chocolate and Butter Scotch Pie and Cake Icing.

Miss Milam has a sunny, friendly disposition that draws friends wherever she may be.

Mrs. R. W. Taylor and nephew Robert Blackburn visited her brother, J. S. Edwards near Hedley latter part of last week.

Fruit Cake time, you get every thing for them at Womack's Grocery.

Mrs. E. H. Robinson and son Loren Watson and Mrs. M. Goodman returned Sunday from a ten days visit with relatives and friends in Central Texas.

Candied Cherries, Citron, Pineapple, Figs, Dates, Lemon peel, Orange peel, Currants, and Nuts, in bulk, for your Fruit Cake at Womack's Grocery.

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

A. Bailey of Dallas was here Saturday in the interest of the C. E. Stone Chain stores.

Get your Fleischman's yeast at Draper's Grocery each day.

Mrs. B. M. Weiss and daughter Jo Ann returned to their home in Dallas Friday morning after a visit with her sister, Mrs. B. E. Davenport.

Since Eggs are so high you can buy your Cakes at Womack's Grocery cheaper than you can bake them at home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dyer left Saturday night for Dallas to attend the Texas State Fair, returning Tuesday morning.

The Harmony Club is presenting a light opera in two acts, "Love Pirates of Hawaii," Thursday, November 3 at the high school auditorium.

Mrs. A. J. Whaley and Miss Biffie Adkisson left Monday morning to attend the U. D. C. Convention which convenes in Wichita Falls this week.

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A SPLENDID FEELING That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and constipated bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbine.

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George Emerson Francis



SECOND LYCEUM NUMBER TO BE NOTED SPEAKER

George Emerson Francis, one of the platform's outstanding orators, will appear at the high school auditorium Tuesday night, November 1, under auspices of the Delphian Club, as the second number of the Lyceum course.

Mr. Francis has three famous lectures, "The Jazz Jungle," "The Philosophy of Civilization," and "The Monarchy of Public Opinion," each being very popular and interesting.

As a lecturer George E. Francis is known for the vivid, dynamic manner in which he presents his themes. Gifted with a magnetic personality, his addresses are examples of a cultivated, finished oratory in which qualities of voice delivery, force, clearness, scholarship, breadth of information and picturesqueness of language are fully displayed.

MEMPHIS GIRL IS MAKING GOOD AT C. I. A.

Miss Margaret Milam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cicero, Milam of this city, is in her second year at C. I. A. and is coming in for recognition in the student body and by her teachers.

She was chosen as one of a few in the chorus that sang for Governor Dan Moody on his visit there. Her teacher says she is making great progress in music and in singing, and that her voice is developing in such a way that she is showing real voice talent.

If properly trained will cause her to go far in the music world. She is also in the college orchestra, playing first violin.

Miss Milam has a sunny, friendly disposition that draws friends wherever she may be, and her host of friends here are glad to know she is receiving honorable attention.

BERRY BOY SENT TO HOSPITAL AGAIN

Elzey Berry was again sent to the Shrine Hospital Tuesday night where he will have further work done on his limbs. The last time he was there a year ago he made such improvement that it is hoped he will be able to throw away his crutches when he is turned loose this time.

The Shrine Club of Memphis is doing a great work in sending this crippled child to the Shrine Hospital.

CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR

The ladies of the First Christian church are conducting a Children's Story Hour for all children in the city on Saturday morning 10 to 11 o'clock.

Children will have charge of the hour at her home in the kindergarten room on Cleveland street.

Any children not having way to go should call Mrs. Russell C. Howerton phone 187, and they will be called for and brought safely home.

MANAGER JONES GOES TO BEDSIDE OF MOTHER

J. R. Jones, manager of Everybody's Store of this city received a message Sunday from Ethridge, Tenn., to the effect that his mother was very sick. He left immediately for her bedside.

MRS. BURTA HURLEY

Mrs. Burta Hurley, 43 years of age, wife of W. J. Hurley, living near the John A. Wood farm near Lakeview, died Tuesday, October 25. The funeral of Mrs. Hurley was held at the First Baptist church at Lakeview Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rothfus and Mrs. C. A. Landers visited friends in Clarendon Sunday.

MEMPHIS REPRESENTED

Mrs. C. R. Webster left last Friday night to meet her daughter, Miss Ione, in Fort Worth Saturday and attend the football game between T. C. U. and A. & M. She went to Mineral Wells Monday to attend the Forty-fifth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star.

Local and Personal

J. C. Wood and son J. C. Jr. and Buster Guthrie were visitors in Paducah Sunday.

Fresh Fleischman's yeast at Draper's Grocery.

E. M. Dennis and family were visitors in Wheeler Sunday.

Miss George Robinson of Plainview has accepted a position in the ready-to-wear department at Everybody's store.

Try a sack of American Beauty flour, you get it at Womack's Grocery.

P. A. James was a Dallas Fair visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Bulk Bird Seed, Womack's Grocery.

Mrs. Ed Dishman was a visitor from Hedley Monday.

Beautiful silk throw pillows in every conceivable color combination have just arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross were business visitors in Pampa Wednesday.

Everything for your Fruit Cakes in bulk at Womack's Grocery.

Mrs. G. S. Butcher of Childress is here visiting her sister, Mrs. P. A. James.

Red Picket fence, 2 1/2 lengths. J. C. Woodbridge Lbr. Co. 20-tfe

J. S. Reed of Vernon is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Paul James

Have you tried that Good NORRIS Chocolate and Butter Scotch Pie and Cake Icing.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower and sons, N. A. Jr. and Harrell visited Mr. Hightower's brother in Estelline Sunday.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery.

Dale Martindale of Hutchinson, Kansas, came Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martindale.

Candied Cherries, Citron, Pineapple, Figs, Dates, Lemon peel, Orange peel, Currants, and Nuts, in bulk, for your Fruit Cake at Womack's Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hughes and Miss Verna Hughes were visitors in Childress Sunday.

Fleischman's yeast at Draper's Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrott were visitors in Dallas last week end.

"For the Love of Mike," Palace Theatre midnight Hallowe'en.

CARD OF THANKS

God, in His Divine wisdom, saw fit on the 25th day of October to call Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Thompson, wife of G. W. Thompson; deceased, to her home of rest.

And we take this opportunity to thank our many friends, each and every one who ministered in words or deeds during the illness and death of our beloved mother, and for the beautiful floral offerings, and the kind words of comfort.

May God bless you and may each of you have these blessings when these dark hours come to you, is the prayer and wishes of the family.

W. S. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thompson.

GINNINGS IN COUNTRY TOTAL EIGHT MILLION

Washington, Oct. 25.—Cotton of this year's growth ginned prior to October 18 totaled 8,118,978 running bales, counting 252,978 round bales as half bales and excluding linters, the census bureau announced Tuesday.

Ginnings to October 18 last year totaled 8,727,709 bales, including 259,529 round bales, and in 1925 ginnings were 9,518,946 bales including 145,980 round bales. This year's crop, as indicated October 1, is placed at 12,678,000 equivalent 500 pound bales, last year's crop was 17,977,374 bales and the 1925 crop was 16,103,679 bales.

Texas Leads State

Ginnings to October 18 by states were: Alabama 977,686; Arizona, 28,630; Arkansas, 480,545; California, 20,926; Florida, 15,534; Georgia, 916,464; Louisiana, 418,865; Mississippi, 947,094; Missouri, 22,048; New Mexico, 25,116; North Carolina, 361,739; Oklahoma, 382,356; South Carolina, 489,314; Tennessee, 141,309; Texas 2,888,822; Virginia, 3,700; all other states 930.

The Gen! Theatre

THURSDAY & FRIDAY—ONE INCREASING PURPOSE Fable, When Snow Flies. Variety, Maryland My Maryland.

SATURDAY—Fred Thompson in SILVER COMES THROUGH Comedies, Kangaroo Detective, and Old Flame.

MONDAY & TUESDAY—Olive Borden in THE SECRET STUDIO Comedy, Snookums Cleanup.

MIDNIGHT MATINEE—Monday Clara Bow in EMPTY HEARTS Comedy, Why Blondes Leave Home. Matinee starts promptly at 11:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—Ten cent bargain matinee, Buddy Roosevelt in PHANTOM BUSTER Comedy, Big Business.

THURSDAY & FRIDAY—THREE BAD MEN Featuring George O'Brien and Olive Borden. Also a good Comedy.

THE PALACE THEATRE THE BIG PARADE John Gilbert and Reenee Adoree. Comedy, Smith's Cook.

SATURDAY—THE UNKNOWN Lon Chaney and Reenee Adoree. Our Gang Comedy, Yale vs. Harvard.

MONDAY & TUESDAY—WE ARE ALL GAMBLERS Featuring Thomas Meighan, Paramount comedy and news.

MIDNIGHT MATINEE—Monday With Ben Lyon.

WED., THU. & FRIDAY—BEAN GISTE Ronald Coleman and Neil Hamilton. Comedy, Fox Tales.

COMING SOON—Bebe Daniels in SWIM GIRL SWIM

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A "B. V. D." CORRECTION

In a recent advertisement of underwear which was not the product of The B. V. D. Company, Inc., and which did not bear the red woven B. V. D. label, we referred to the same as being of the B. V. D. style. This was an error as B. V. D. is not a style or type of or synonym or generic term for athletic or other underwear; "B. V. D." is the registered trade-mark of The B. V. D. Company, Inc. which should only be used to describe garments that bear the red woven "B. V. D." label. We make this correction in order to cooperate with the B. V. D. Company, Inc. in the protection of its trade-mark "B. V. D."

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GRAPEFRUIT—NICE SIZE, EACH 7c

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HARRISON-HOLLAND

Beaumont society experienced a momentary thrill of excitement this week with the unexpected announcement of the marriage of one of its favorites, Miss Mary Louise Holland to T. Rabb Harrison of Memphis, which took place in Fort Worth on Wednesday afternoon, and was the culmination of a college romance.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. P. Holland—Beaumont Enterprise.

Mr. Harrison is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harrison and has been reared in Memphis. He and his bride arrived in Memphis Tuesday where they will make their home.

The Democrat joins their friends in wishing them a happy married life.

1913 STUDY CLUB HAS GENTLEMEN'S EVENING

The home of Mrs. M. McNeely on West Main street was the scene of a particularly pretty party Tuesday evening when Mesdames T. E. Noel, A. Owen and M. McNeely were hostesses for Gentlemen's Evening of the 1913 Study club.

Hallowe'en decorations were used throughout the house. The punch bowl—a big black pot, was presided over by the Witch and on entering the guests were served red punch.

Tables were arranged for the game of Hallowe'en and the prize went to Mrs. Frank Fore and to Mrs. Vernon Williams in the contest. Special guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hasie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren.

The color scheme of yellow and black was very artistically carried out in the refreshments, a salad was served in apple Jack-o-lanterns topped with a burning candle, toasted cheese sandwiches, potato chips and pumpkin pie with whipped cream and hot coffee.

VANISHING PARTIES

The greatest number of vanishing parties yet reported to the American Legion Auxiliary have been given this week. It is highly pleasing to the unit that the friends of the Legion are responding so beautifully to the project of financing the local budget for the Kerrville Playground.

Mrs. Scott Sigler entertained Mesdames Oattie Jones and Bailey Gilmore with their families at a dinner on Thursday last week. The afternoon was spent in doing fancy work, and late in the day, Mrs. Sigler took her guests for a car ride. A wonderful dinner and a good time was reported.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Art Miller had for her guests at a little, informal home party, Mesdames B. Beach and T. M. McMurry. After a lovely hour spent together, ice cream and cake were served.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. S. S. Davis invited Mesdames John Lofland, Henry Read and John Owens to her home where a dainty afternoon tea was most highly enjoyed. Mrs. Davis, in her usual charming manner, made the afternoon one to be long remembered by those present.

Mrs. Allen Grundy had as her guests at her vanishing party Mesdames S. S. Montgomery and Joe Grundy, both of whom were to have one guest at her party. They decided to have all of their guests together, and Mrs. J. A. Bradford and Mrs. Forgy were invited to come to Mrs. Allen Grundy's Thursday afternoon was cosily spent in sewing and chatting. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. E. W. Gillenwater, who was to have had two guests, gave her party. Mrs. W. B. Wilson came but the other friend was unavoidably detained. After a lovely visit, Mrs. Gillenwater served sandwiches, hot chocolate and potato chips.

Mesdames Charles Flannery and A. Owen gave a theatre party on Friday evening to Mesdames L. D. Pierce Jr., Sam Foxhall, A. W.

Howard, and Vernon Jones. After the show they went to the drug store and had refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hamilton on Tuesday evening gave a delightful bridge party to Misses Lillian Guill, Clem Wyatt, Justine and Ruth Keeling, Altha Tom Bridge and Frankie Allison. The crowd was so congenial and the games so entrancing that the hour grew late before anyone was aware. Miss Wyatt made high score and received for her efforts the picture "Blue Boy."

Miss Justine Keeling made Conso-lation and received a beautiful trump indicator, Ambrosia and cake were served. Because of lack of time due to the increasing fall trade, Mrs. Olin Alexander found it impossible to have her party and gave to the Auxiliary her check for the amount her guests and theirs on down to the end of the line would have paid. This was indeed grateful of Mrs. Alexander and greatly appreciated by the Unit.

MRS. WELLS ENTERTAINS BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. of the Baptist church met in its monthly missionary and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Claude Wells Monday afternoon with some forty-five members present.

Under the efficient leadership of Mrs. Vernon Williams the subject of "Heathens in America" was well presented. The program was as follows:

Song: "America" Prayer—Mrs. Simmons.

Bible Study: "A Garnet of Praise"—Mrs. Lewis. "Who is Mohammed?," "A Wolf in Sheep's Clothing."—Mrs. Corley.

"Moslems in United States."—Mrs. Boren.

Prayer—Mrs. Read. "Who is Buddha?"—Mrs. McMurry.

Song: "Rescue the Perishing." "Hinduism"—Mrs. Howard.

Prayer—Rev. Miller.

Hallowe'en decorations made the rooms gay with Hallowe'en colors and this motif was also carried out in the refreshments which consisted of pumpkin pie with whipped cream, nuts and hot chocolate.

The hostesses who made the afternoon so pleasant were Mesdames Wells, Foxhall, Stidham, Miles, Spires, B. Baldwin, and Miss Maude Milan.

Local and Personals

Mrs. W. L. Wheat left Tuesday morning for Wichita Falls to attend the U. D. C. Convention this week.

Wilton Rugs, not unscrupulously flashy, but possessing sufficient Orientalism to be decidedly attractive, are available at our store in a variety of sizes and color combinations. McKelvy's Quality Furniture. 17tf

Mrs. R. C. Householder and son of Amarillo visited her sister, Mrs. Jim McMurry from Friday until Sunday.

Everything for your Fruit Cakes in bulk at Womack's Grocery. 17tf

Mrs. J. B. Ellis returned to her home in Hollis, Oklahoma, Monday after a visit in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Since Eggs are so high you can buy your Cakes at Womack's Grocery cheaper than you can bake them at home. 17tf

FEDERATED SOCIETY TO MEET MONDAY, OCT. 31, AT M. E. CHURCH

The Federated Missionary society meets next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church. A very unique program has been arranged as this is to be a Pep meeting. As it falls on Hallowe'en day the program consisting of songs, stunts, playettes and contests will be full of laughs and thrills but will also have an inspirational message woven in.

Following is the song adopted by the club:

There's a woman next to you, She should be a member too, We will seek her to enlist, Listen then, our plan is this.

Chorus for stanzas 1 and 2—

If you'll bring the woman next to you,

And I'll bring the one next to me, In all kinds of weather We'll all work together, And see what can be done.

If You'll bring the woman next to you,

And I'll bring the one next to me, In no time at all We'll have them all So win them, win them, one by one.

Jointly working for our King, Other ladies we must bring, They will come if we but dare, Speak a word backed up by prayer.

Chorus—same as number 1.

Many ladies in our town, Take no heed of those around, This is what we'll have to do, Teach them Social Service, too.

Chorus for stanzas 3 and 4—

So—you get to work in your church,

And I'll get to work in my own; In all kinds of weather We'll all work together, And the goal will then be won; If You'll get to work in your church,

And I'll get to work in my own, And then in no time We'll have them in line; So win them, win them, one by one.

Side by side we stand each day, Helping other by the way, Not for hope of great reward, But because we love the Lord.

Chorus—same as for number 3.

—Mrs. Carter Wright, Ala.

MEMPHIS GIRL WINS PRIZE AT SIMMONS

Miss Florence Wherry, a freshman at Simmons University, recently won the prize given at the dormitory, for the best kept room, and was also given the privilege of a sophomore for two weeks.

THEATRE PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. D. A. GRUNDY

Mrs. D. A. Grundy is entertaining a few friends this Thursday afternoon with a theatre party. Those attending are: Mrs. Tom Kennedy of Clarendon, home guest of Mrs. John A. Wood, Mrs. Bert Brewer, Mrs. John A. Wood, and Misses Margaret Brewer and Mildred Rice of Russellville, Ky., house guest of Mrs. Grundy.

WOOD-THOMPSON

Mr. Carl Wood and Miss Georgia Mae Thompson of Shamrock were married at the Methodist parsonage here last Sunday, October 23, the Rev. C. E. James officiating.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Chapel Programs
 Wednesday, October 19.—Announcements. Song: My Faith Looks up to Thee. Rev. Miller talked to the students.
 Thursday, October 20.—Announcements. A play Courtship Under Difficulties, was given by David Hudgins, Austin McDavitt and C. J. Goodnight.
 Friday, October 21.—Song: Long, Long Ago. Announcements. Pep Rally.
 Monday, October 24.—Announcements. Dorace Powell gave a talk on the Importance of Proper eating.
 Tuesday, October 25.—Announcements. Piano solo—Ina Mae Shannon. Pep Rally.

HOT TAMALES

Made fresh every day. Made only of the best meat, and finest Mexican seasoning. They are delicious, and healthy to eat. Get them down town on the street from the boys or call at 617 N. Twelfth street. Orders taken for Hallowe'en parties, etc.

DAIRIES BRING WEALTH SAYS LANCASTER

"Farm dairying with blooded stock will do more to bring about a prosperous condition in Texas rural communities than any one thing," J. L. Lancaster, president of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, said at a luncheon of the Dallas Agricultural Club Monday noon at the Baker Hotel.
 Mr. Lancaster, who beside being president of the road is vice president of the State Fair of Texas, chairman of the agricultural department of the fair and a director of the City National Bank, was the principal speaker at this meeting, which was devoted to the question of dairying in Texas.
 "While cotton is and should be the principal crop in Texas," he said, "there should be a certain amount of diversification on the farms, and that dairying is probably the most remunerative and stable of other industries aside from the raising of cotton."
 The Texas & Pacific, he pointed out, is tremendously interested in the development of the live stock business in the territory his line serves. It will mean more prosperity to the farmers, increase the population, and in turn will bring more money to the railroads which have spent so much money in developing the sections through which they run.
 The T. & P., he said, has spent about \$42,000,000 in improvements, and to get a return on this immense sum, there will have to be better farming conditions along the route, and he thinks dairying will help in a big way to solve the problem.
 "Dallas," the president said, "is about as large a city as it is going to be with the present agricultural conditions. Industries coming into the city will increase the population, which in turn will make a bigger market for dairy products and other farming products. Thus agriculture and industries work hand in hand to make a bigger Dallas and a richer Texas."
 "Texas will have to establish a strain of dairy cattle to put the State on the map as a dairying State. To aid in this our road is starting to distribute pedigreed bulls in strategic points along the line."
 The last statement of Mr. Lancaster was interpreted by those present as a far-sighted policy for the good of all Texas. He discussed the one crop proposition as it has affected Louisiana in the sugar cane belt. Texas, he said, has the same problem to some extent and diversification is the only answer.
 Mr. Lancaster recited the fact that his road hauled alfalfa from the West Texas Plains around Pecos to East Texas for consumption by dairy herds. Commenting on this wasteful haulage he said: "West Texas ought to be taught how to feed this hay to cattle to get the most out of it, and East Texas Farmers ought to be taught how to conserve their own forage for their own cattle."
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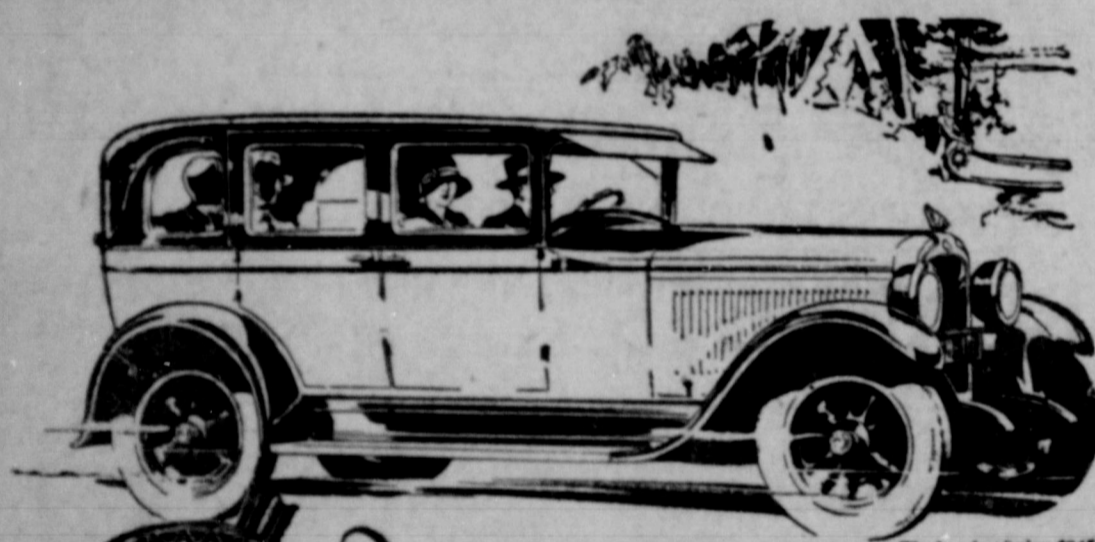
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COLDS AND ROUP AFFECT CHICKENS

By F. W. Kasmeier, Bryan Texas

Chickens like man and beast, sometimes catch cold, and other diseases affecting the respiratory or breathing system.

To attempt to cure roup or other forms of cold is going after the trouble wrong. The practical plan is to locate the cause and then to remove it.

When your chickens are continually catching cold, any of the following may be contributing, yet indirect causes.

Many times, we have called your attention to intestinal worms, being the chief indirect cause. Many people continue to overlook these parasites as possibly being the chief cause. If your flock, especially your pullets, continually see into be bothered with some form of colds, be sure and investigate the possibility and probability of either round worms or tape worms, as the guilty agencies. There is only one way to be sure your flock is not infested with worms, and that is to have just completed a good job of deworming, by individual treatment.

In the fall and winter, faulty housing may cause colds and roup. First of all, a lack of fresh air is the greatest cause. Fresh air in abundance and without direct drafts, is of prime importance. It might be interesting to state, that in the summer direct drafts among grown stock is desirable, but in late fall and winter, this is not true. Floor drafts, are especially harmful and also are drafts over the roosts. A good plan is to close the north, east and west ends as nearly air tight as possible allowing all the fresh air to come in thru one end and that preferably in the south side. We prefer to have openings in south end close to the floor, to prevent the wind and rain from beating too

far into the interior of the house. Wide houses, are better than narrow houses. Wet floors and litter are great causes. If the litter is continually wet, ventilation is insufficient or too many birds are put in the house. Make special plans to keep dry litter on the floor. Sloping the floors a little towards the open front, will keep rain from running towards the back of the house. Regardless of trouble or time, keep a dry litter on the floor. Dampness is a sure cause of colds and roup. Over-crowding, is probably one of the most common causes of colds. It is just impossible to over-crowd a house, and get away with it very long. Sooner or later trouble is sure to make its appearance. At least three square feet of floor space per bird must be provided in fall and winter. Over-crowding causes more trouble in the poultry business, than any other principle that may be neglected. Long open front houses, unless properly partitioned, also contribute to colds. In houses longer than 20 feet, solid partitions should be provided every 20 feet. These partitions, must be out of wood, the width of the roosts and at least four feet up from the floor. These partitions will help prevent drafts in long open front houses. Direct Sunshine will also help prevent colds, in the fall and winter. In the case of open front houses, this will easily be provided. Sunshine kills germs causing colds and roup. A lack of succulent and fresh green food, will also cause a form of cold, known as nutritional roup. With all the rain we have been getting lately, laziness alone can be causing your flock to suffer from lack of fresh and tender succulent green food of some kind. Now is the time to sow oats, wheat, barley or rye as a fall and winter green food pasture for your flock. It is not too late now, but soon will be, better do that today. We have found it a good idea to give the entire flock epsom salts, when signs of colds are first noticed. Add 1 pound of epsom salts to 100 pounds of dry mash and keep this before them for two or three days. Epsom salts may also be given in the drinking water. Iodine for external use, has been found very good for curing colds. We use a common atomizer for applying it. Get one man to hold the bird, opening mouth, spray inside of mouth and throat with tincture of iodine, also nostrils and eyes. You do not have to be afraid of getting the iodine in the eyes because it will not injure them. Repeat this every other day until birds get better. Many other remedies may be used. We have not found any better than iodine. It does not pay to keep weak birds. They are a money losing proposition at the best, and the first ones to contract contagious diseases and spread them to the balance of the flock. Kill all such and burn them. In buying stock, or returning birds from fairs or poultry shows, it is a good plan to quarantine them for 14 days, before introducing them to the flock. Birds coming from fairs and poultry shows, especially are subject to colds and roup, because of close confinement and commop drafts in fair and poultry show buildings.

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NEWLIN SCHOOL PLANS MANY IMPROVEMENTS

The Newlin public school has decided to make a move towards better education. The board launched the movement when they decided to install a new corps of teachers having higher educational requirements. Mr. R. E. Paige, A. B., was employed as superintendent. Mr. Paige is a graduate of Clarendon Senior college and holds a permanent high school certificate. We consider that his training is thorough and we expect him to build a school for us with the cooperation of the community. He has had considerable experience, having taught in Clarendon college and substitute in other places. Mr. M. C. Davis was elected principal. He has had two years of college work and holds a four year high school certificate. Mr. Davis has charge of athletics and is making a good teacher. His subjects are English and science. Mrs. Ursa Downing, who has taught for a number of years, and the past year in Newlin, was re-elected for this year. Mrs. Downing has a permanent high school certificate, based on college work done in various institutions of Oklahoma. She is an enthusiastic worker and is making progress in the 6th and 7th grade work. Miss Lynn Lafon has charge of the 4th and 5th grade work. She has a four year elementary certificate based on work done in Clarendon college and W. T. S. T. C. of Canyon. Miss Lafon has had two years experience teaching and understands her work. The pupils are making excellent progress under her supervision and direction. Miss Sinclair Rice, in charge of the second and third grades, is also a student of Clarendon and Canyon, holding a two year high school certificate of the first class. Though Miss Rice has had no experience, she is showing herself to be composed of those elements which make a natural teacher. The children like her work and consequently are learning rapidly. Miss Ruth Cooper, our primary teacher, comes to us well recommended. She has a four year high school certificate, based on work done in W. T. S. T. College of Canyon. Miss Cooper is well equipped in both practical and theoretical knowledge of her work. She is a very capable and efficient teacher. The primary work is moving along nicely and we contemplate some good students from the beginners. Miss Cooper was employed as a home economics teacher in connection with her primary work but later the board decided it would be inexpedient to add this department this because of other plans, therefore Miss Cooper is doing double work in the primary department. The board expects to add industrial work next year and other additions and improvements will be made both in the curriculum and in the building. A number of additions are being made to the various departments of the school this year. One of the largest features of the year's work is that we are having a continuous school instead of observing the usual month for

"king cotton." The board contemplates a nine months school. About three hundred dollars worth of books are being added to the library this year. About the same amount will be added next year making the library on a standard with affiliated schools. About five hundred dollars was set aside for miscellaneous repairs and additional equipment. New stage scenery and a new curtain have been installed, equipping the auditorium for first class entertainment. New playground equipment is being added to the already well equipped school ground. We now have three basket ball courts, accommodating the senior boys and girls, and the junior boys, and two volley ball courts for the junior girls. The smaller children of the school are provided with giant strides, see-saws, swings, and other playground apparatus. Further additions will be made during the year. With these facilities of education, Newlin foresees a first class affiliated high school in the near future. —Contributed.

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JAMES WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR SCHOOL OFFICE

Austin, Oct. 15.—W. E. James of Travis county stated Saturday that he will be a candidate in the 1928 campaign for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

W. E. James is a native Texan and was reared on a farm. He first attended a rural school in his community and later the Edgewood high school. He is a graduate of the North Texas State Teachers College, B. A. Graduate of Baylor University and an M. A. graduate of the University of Texas. He has practically completed the courses required for the Ph. D. degree in the University of Texas.

Except for the past eighteen

months, during which time he has directed the activities of the Texas Council of Safety, Mr. James has been engaged in school work in the state since 1909. He has taught in the rural schools of his native county, in the North Texas State Teachers College and in each of the universities of which he is a graduate. He was connected with the State Department of Education rural school supervisor for four years.

As a school man and a public speaker Mr. James is well known. He has delivered many addresses before teachers institutes, educational associations, civic clubs, farmers organizations, commercial clubs, law enforcement bodies, churches public health associations and other important organizations.

TEACHER EMPLOYED

Miss Gladys Medley of Marfa, Texas, has been employed to take the place of Miss Donna Davis in high school. Miss Davis recently resigned on account of her health. Miss Medley comes highly recommended to Memphis.

COTTON STUDY MAY ENRICH GROWERS

The production of three increasingly large crops of cotton in each of which the yield has out-distanced consumption causing a carryover of 1,610,000 bales in 1924, 3,543,000 bales in 1925 and 3,762,029 bales in 1926, was accompanied by lowered prices, unprofitable production and much dissatisfaction among growers, states Dr. B. Youngblood, director of the Texas Experiment Station, on leave, and who is serving meantime as Senior Agricultural Economist in the Division of Cotton Marketing, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture. Doctor Youngblood has issued a short mimeographed discussion of the Research program instituted by his Division and cooperating with the Texas Experiment Station and other stations in the cotton belt, looking to correct answers to some of the questions that have proved so baffling to the cotton industry. The program includes a number of important projects of an economic and technological nature which promise to yield helpful information to those who would improve the cotton industry. The projects include studies having to do with the spinning utility of the annual supply of American cotton; studies of the consumption of cotton; and studies of the cotton markets themselves.

The spinning utility studies include grade and staple estimates seeking to ascertain the appropriate influence of the supply upon prices when the correct grade, staple and tenderness of the supply are known. This feature includes evaluation of the carryover as to grade, staple and character in that cotton so low in grade as to be unspinnable may not serve to depress the market improperly. An experiment in the determination of grades and staples at selected gins has been begun and from the data secured, estimates will be compiled as to the grade, staple and character of the crop in two, selected areas representing an annual production of about 1,000,000 bales each. One of these comprises the State of Georgia and the other includes 27 counties in Western Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma. This work is intended to be expanded another year to cover the entire cotton belt and to develop information that will aid in the improvement of the quality of the supply as well as in the removal of untenderable and other low grades from an equal influence with good cotton in the market.

Spinning tests are being run through cooperation with Clemson College, South Carolina, wherein the different commercial growths or types and varieties of cotton from the different sections of the cotton belt are spun so as to determine the spinning utilities of the various cottons as well as the relative qualities of the different yarns produced by them. It is thought this service will enable cotton breeders who avail themselves of its benefits, to save years of time by having progenies of their cottons tested for these several elements of spinning quality from year to year, instead of waiting until the crop has been distributed on a commercial gin or sladding are also given spinning tests whose results will probably have a profound influence on the improvement of harvesting methods and of harvesting machinery by use of which crops may be more cheaply and satisfactorily harvested.

The universal standards now in use are being scientifically checked in the laboratory and the spinning utilities of the lints studied are traced over into the yarns employed in the manufacture of basic fabrics.

In the studies of consumption, classification is being made of the demand not only in the aggregate of all cottons used, but the demand for each class or grade which naturally should enable production of classes found to be most in demand. Incidentally these studies may lead to the discovery of opportunities for new and extended uses of cotton. A further value may flow from these studies in that cottons which may be grown to best advantage on particular farms or in particular sections may be further improved by breeding and attention is called to the fact that two-thirds of the Texas crop is still being planted to gin-run seed. Studies of the quantity and quality of the demand as well as of the supply are designed to aid in measuring price-elevating and price-depressing influences and should tend to stabilize the level of actual values.

Doctor Youngblood states that in these studies of consumption, the fact should not be overlooked

that the demand for cotton is rather flexible. Beyond the limits of what might be accepted as normal, rising prices curtail, while lowering prices encourage consumption. In any efforts to bring about improvements in cotton marketing, the aim should be a supply and a price which normally would compensate the growers at current rates for productive effort and at the same time tend to encourage a healthy rate of consumption of cotton and cotton goods. The problems connected with such an objective are technical in character and are an appropriate part of any adequate program of research in cotton.

All in all, Doctor Youngblood's discussion of the program makes interesting reading and copies may be had by making requests to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Washington, D. C.

Local and Personal

Lee Pope was a visitor in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scruggs and children of Wellington visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Baker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ball and daughters Irene and Evelyn of Wellington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Baker Sunday.

Mrs. Major Wood and Misses Cress Ardery and Lucille Read were visitors in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell and baby visited Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swift from Quitaque Sunday.

L. T. Offield went to Duke Oklahoma, Friday to look after his farming interests near there, returning Saturday.

Terry Randal of Galveston is here visiting his mother, Mrs. P. M. Randal, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman and son Henry Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hammond and Mrs. S. C. Chancey of Saint Jo were visitors in Hollis, Oklahoma, Sunday.

Ples Harper, superintendent of the Brice school, was a visitor here Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. and daughter...

Official Statement of Financial Condition of the FARMERS STATE BANK

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Real Estate (Banking House).....	1,750.00
Other Real Estate.....	75.00
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Cash on hand.....	2,848.57
Due from approved reserve agents.....	26,872.47
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand.....	7,858.73
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	400.68
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	1,792.90
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good.....	18,111.03
TOTAL	\$123,209.18
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock.....	\$ 15,000.00
Other Surplus Fund.....	6,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	3,497.33
Individual Deposits subject to check.....	92,751.07
Public Funds on Deposit, (School \$960.78).....	960.78
Bills Payable, \$5,000.....	5,000.00
TOTAL	\$123,209.18

State of Texas, County of Hall—We, G. W. Helm, as President, and B. E. Rushing, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

G. W. HELM, President
B. E. RUSHING, Cashier

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— To the Public —

AN INTRODUCTION

THE WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO., with general offices at Abilene, Texas, has acquired operating control of the electric light and power and ice properties formerly operated by the Central Power and Light Company in the counties of Donley, Collingsworth, Hall and Childress, and has now taken over the duties and responsibilities incident to the administration of these public services.

As a new citizen entering into the community life of the cities and towns included in this territory, with important public service functions to perform, the company wishes to take this opportunity of greeting this citizenship and to assure its customers that the high standard of service rendered by the former management will continue to prevail.

The West Texas Utilities Company is proud of the fact that it is now rated as one of the foremost public service organizations of the Southwest. It is proud of the remarkable growth and extension of its operations during the last five years in West Texas, a growth that has carried it from a small public utility serving eight towns to one that now serves a hundred towns and cities and numbers over forty-five thousand customers. It is prouder still of the friendship, the confidence and the goodwill that has been manifested toward it by the citizenship of those towns and cities. And it earnestly hopes that through the same kind of honest and efficient service in this new territory that the same spirit of cooperation will prevail here.

No effort will be spared in giving to these cities the highest type of service that sound financing and efficient engineering can provide, and it is neither exaggerating nor boasting when we state that we believe this service will always be on a par with that found anywhere in the world.

The West Texas Utilities Company, with its highly perfected transmission system and its great reserves of power is geographically better situated to serve this section than any other power company now operating in the Southwest. Under the modern

system of mass production which demands such highly perfected systems as this in order that any section may keep abreast of the times and meet sectional competition, this territory logically falls within the area which should, according to economical principles, be served by the West Texas Utilities system. And this is the reason for the charter changes which have been made in order to permit the consolidation of this territory with the West Texas Utilities Company.

Few if any changes are contemplated at this time in the operating personnel of the properties at any of the cities concerned. The men and women who have served you in the past will continue to serve, under the direction of the policies which control the operation of the West Texas Utilities Company; policies which have as their foundation always fair dealing, consideration, courtesy and efficiency.

It is such policies as these that have gained and we hope have merited the respect and friendship of the other communities which we serve, and it is in such a spirit of friendliness and determination to do its part in every worthwhile undertaking for the advancement of these cities that this company has entered upon its duties as a public servant among you.

West Texas Utilities Company

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Local and Personal

W. S. Moore: "I believe more dairying in Hall county would mean a more prosperous people in the years to come."

Mrs. M. Goodman returned to her home in Huntington Beach, California, after several weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Robinson and sisters, Mesdames Dick Watson and C. W. McCool.

Ernest Pope, manager of Hanna-Pope store at Clarendon, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

"One Increasing Purpose"—the story of three brothers.

Mesdames S. A. Shoemaker and S. K. Mitchell were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara Sloan left Wednesday for her home in Long Beach, California, after a several weeks visit with relatives here and at Fort Worth.

C. E. Stone, of the chain stores, was a business visitor here from Dallas latter part of last week.

John McCleery of Borger visited his brother, C. G., here last Sunday.

NOTICE—Our 1c sale will be next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 27, 28 and 29, Clark Drug company.

Mrs. Glenn Thompson is visiting her brother in Archer City this week.

A message received here last Friday stated that Mrs. J. E. West, had died at Idabel, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. West resided in Memphis a number of years ago and their friends here will regret to learn of her death.

Mrs. D. A. Neely left Sunday night for Mineral Wells to attend the Forty-fifth annual session of the Grand Chapter Order of Eastern Star of Texas, which convenes there this week. She represents Memphis Chapter No. 351.

"One Increasing Purpose"—A picture carrying a message to millions.

C. G. McCleery and family, who have been occupying the B. Webster house on South Seventh street, moved to their new home just completed on West Robertson street Wednesday. They have one of the most comfortable houses in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Copeland and daughter Miss Virginia of Amberst spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orea. They were enroute home from a visit at Wellington.

"One Increasing Purpose"—A picture which tells a great moral lesson without preaching.

B. B. Harper has returned from Claude to make Memphis his home again.

Mrs. H. G. Stephens returned Monday from a several months visit with relatives in California.

Mesdames G. H. Hattenbach and Mary Robertson were visitors at the Dallas Fair Saturday and Sunday. Miss Thelma Lee Hattenbach, who is attending Simmons' University, met her mother in Fort Worth and attended the Fair with them.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery.

Mrs. A. W. Womack of Clarendon is here this week visiting her son, A. Womack.

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James Duke, traveling salesman for the Mallory hat company of Dallas, visited his mother, Mrs. T. R. Franks, Tuesday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles T. Whaley, of Sweetwater visited old friends here from Tuesday until Thursday. Rev. Whaley was former pastor of the First Baptist church here and they have many warm friends here who are always glad to see them.

New Wilton rugs—the distinctive floor covering—are on display at our store. Brighten your home with them. McKelvy's Quality Furniture.

Mrs. Lillie Lane, of Rossenwasser and Joseph store, is reported on the sick list this week.

J. D. May has accepted a position with the Moore hardware company. He will be glad to meet his friends there in the future.

Miss Lillian Owens of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. Elbert Stephens, Tuesday.

Cold weather's coming. Better get your New Method gas heaters. The most powerful radiant heater made. McKelvy's Quality Furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bryant visited their daughter, Mrs. Byron Gist, in Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bass and daughter, Mrs. Sam Moore of Estelline are in Mineral Wells this week visiting Mr. Bass' father and Mrs. Moore is representing the Estelline Chapter, Order of Eastern Star at Grand Chapter there.

For efficiently radiating heat, New Method gas heaters stand the most severe test. Buy the most thoroughly proved heater and be comfortable this winter. McKelvy's Quality Furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Duard Scott spent Saturday night and Sunday in Dodsonville at the bedside of his father, who was hurt in a gin there early Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickson were here from Vernon Wednesday in the interest of Fain & Co.

Mrs. T. E. Whaley and daughter Miss Ruth, and mother, Mrs. C. E. Anthony, visited relatives in Childress Monday.

Don't ruin that fine plant with a tin bucket. A red pot from Hightower's gives a touch of elegance. We deliver.

Miss May Anthony left last Thursday for Wichita Falls to accept a position with the Continental Oil company. She was accompanied by her brothers, Mark and Scott.

Mrs. C. J. Glenn of Wellington visited her mother, Mrs. G. N. Arnold, here Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Ivy of Albany came Sunday for a visit with relatives here and at Wellington.

Mrs. Ollie Davidson was a visitor from Estelline this Thursday. Hallowe'en at midnight at the Palace, "For the Love of Mike."

She's Coming Back!



We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Lattimar, who recently demonstrated KRANK'S TOILET PREPARATIONS, with headquarters at our store, will return to Memphis for one week, beginning

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31

A phone call will bring Mrs. Lattimar to your home for a practical demonstration. No obligation, of course.

Tarver Drug Co.

On the Corner Phone 24

CLARK'S One Cent Sale Thursday - Friday Saturday Big New Stocks. DRUGS - STATIONERY - RUBBER GOODS - TOILET GOODS - HALF PRICE 2 FOR PRICE OF 1 - PLUS ONE CENT Clark Drug Company MAIN ACROSS FROM FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis and baby of Clarendon arrived today. Mr. Davis will be relief operator at the Denver station until R. E. Stroup returns from his vacation.

"For the Love of Mike" Palace Theatre midnight Hallowe'en. A. M. Dowell, cotton buyer, arrived last week from McKinney and will buy cotton here this fall.

WANTED—Someone to furnish us about 50 cases of eggs each week fresh from the producer. We would like these in three shipments. Write Crump Brothers, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Audits System MEMPHIS J. B. WRIGHT Public Accountant Memphis, Texas

Mrs. Mary Robertson Teacher of THE DUNNING IMPROVED METHOD OF MUSIC STUDY Phone 170

EGGS AT 4 Feed Chicken Chowder Will make a profit. Try it GET IT IN CHECKER BOARD The City Feed J. F. FORKNER, Proprietor Phone 213

WANT-ADS

FOR RENT—Furnished Modern home, close in. Phone 100. FOR SALE—Eight lots, corner Main and Grady streets, title to be perfected, \$600. C. Land.

WANTED TO BUY—Residence lot close in, or would consider buying a house and lot if priced right. Address Box 463, Memphis.

Dr. J. A. Odom EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT FITTING OF GLASSES Office Hours: 8.00 A. M. to 1.00 P. M. PHONE 139

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