

# THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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## City to Install New 6-Inch Water Main and Fire Plugs

The City of Tahoka will begin shortly the installation of a six-inch water main; also nine fire plugs, which will extend from the stand pipe to the business district. When the work is completed, it will give Tahoka adequate fire protection, which heretofore she has not had, and also a more bountiful water supply.

Twenty five feet will be added to the stand pipe, and a 70,000 gallon underground reservoir has just been completed on the city's property. A new engine house is now under construction and is being rapidly pushed to completion, which will house the brand new 75-horse Fairbanks-Morse engine, shipped out of Dallas for this point several days ago. We understand the old engine now in use will be retained by the city, for use in case of emergency.

Mayor, J. R. Singleton, and the city alderman are devoting a great deal of time in an effort to give Tahoka the very best light and power and water service possible, and their efforts are duly appreciated by the citizenship of the town and community.

Vinson Lindsey, one of Tahoka's popular barbers is spending the week with his parents near Meadow, Terry county.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Hunt, accompanied by Mrs. M. J. Stroud spent Wednesday in Lubbock.

Brown Bradley left Tuesday for Eastland where he and Chas Tunstall, formerly a resident of this city, will engage in the tailoring business.

We are glad to welcome Ray Doak and family from Loop, as citizens of our town. Mr. Doak is a brother of I. S. Doak, proprietor of the Sanitary Barber Shop.

Mrs. Frank H. Weaver and sons leave today for a few days visit with her parents in Coleman.

Mrs. R. B. Haynes and daughter, Juanita, left yesterday for Lubbock and Amarillo. Mrs. Haynes will attend the Panhandle Press Association in the latter city, Friday and Saturday.

J. R. Sullivan, of Jefferson, Texas, has accepted a position as electrician with the City Light & Power Co.

Mrs. Wayne Mullins and children, are visiting with her parents in Lubbock this week.

W. B. Slaton, cashier of the First National Bank, transacted business matters in Dallas this week, returning home Wednesday.

Sheriff S. W. Sanford and family were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

The ladies of Lynn county are invited by the commissioners to make use of the rest room provided for you at the court house.

Miss Ophelia Millman, of Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Millman. She was accompanied by her mother on her return home, who spent several days visiting relatives.

### Thief Steals Tires From Ford Automobile

H. C. Crie, residing in the eastern portion of the city, had the misfortune last Saturday night to have all four tires stolen off his Ford car. Thieves entered the garage some time during the night and did the dirty work. Nothing else was molested in the car or about the premises. No trace of the guilty parties had been found up until Tuesday night.

### HIGHLAND FLING DANCED. Bonnie Maid Does It.



MISS IRENE SHROYER.

Miss Irene Shroyer who is one of the Maids O' Dundee will dance the Highland fling on week nights. Miss Shroyer is a graceful girl and has worlds of "pep." She does the "Fling" in beautiful and charming style. It will not be given on Sundays.

All Scotsmen know and love this interesting national dance which is danced alone and, of course, is in no way connected with modern dancing. It will be one of the really interesting and beautiful numbers of the entire week.

### Tahoka in May

Miss Margaret Hale, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, of Higgins, Texas, accompanied the remains of her grandmother, Mrs. T. W. Hale which arrived here from that place Saturday. Mrs. Hale will spend several days here with her aunt, Mrs. S. W. Sanford.

Jesse May, who has been engaged in the jewelry business with his brother, J. C., in Tahoka for several weeks, has gone to Brownfield where he is engaged in the same line of business in the Terry County capitol.

Mrs. J. E. Ketner and son and daughter, R. E. and Mrs. S. B. Hatchett were in Lubbock the first of the week attending the bedside of Miss Etta Ketner, who underwent an operation Tuesday.

Mesdames J. D. Byron, of Gail and R. S. Simpson of Lamesa attended the funeral services of their mother, Mrs. T. W. Hale, here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Larkin, accompanied by Miss Lola Lewis, left Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives in Ballinger.

Dr. Wagner, of Lubbock was here yesterday making a professional visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharman, whose child has been seriously ill for several weeks. We are glad to report the little one slightly improved.

Mayor J. R. Singleton and Alderman, W. G. Tarrance, went to Dallas the first of the week on business for the city.

Mrs. Ollie King, of Toyah, came in Tuesday to visit with her sisters, Mesdames J. D. Nevill and Rube Lewis.

George Small, the popular manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company's yard in Tahoka, returned Wednesday from Geary, Okla., where he attended the burial of his brother, J. D. Small.

Miss Hazel Alley was operated on for appendicitis at one of the sanitariums in Lubbock the first of the week. We join her many friends in wishing for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vinson have returned from Colorado, City, Texas, where they resided several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vinson returned to their home in Silverton Wednesday, after a few days visit with relatives here.

Miss Geneva Doak, of Loop, spent the week end with her uncle, I. S. Doak and family.

### LYNN CO. STOCK AND POULTRY SHOW DRAWS LARGE CROWD—MANY ENTRIES

The Lynn County Stock and Poultry Show, held in Tahoka last Saturday, proved to be a howling success from start to finish. There was also a baby show held in connection, and this also was pronounced the very best show of the kind every held in the county. Entries in every division were large, and the grade of stuff shown could not be found better anywhere in the West.

As this was the first attempt in many years to have a show of this kind, it was not expected that it would be carried out on as large a scale as it will be in years to come. City Marshal M. J. Simpson, deserves much credit for the success of the show held Saturday. Mr. Simpson put forth much effort in attending to the various details connected with the program as advertised; also soliciting and collecting the funds which were awarded the winners of the various prizes.

The people of Lynn County are exceedingly grateful to J. N. Jones, who donated the use of his large wagon yard just north of the square to display the stock; also to Thomas Brothers, for the use of their brick building to display the poultry entered in the show. The County Commissioners have the thanks of the people for the use of the Courthouse in which to hold the baby show.

The following entries of livestock were made:

Geo. Short, 2 yearling mules; span 5-year-old mules; 2 registered yearling bulls.  
S. F. Singleton—2 registered yearling bulls.  
S. H. Windham—2 registered bulls 4 and 6 years old.  
W. W. Brown—Registered Percheron stallion, 4 years old; 1 black Spanish jack, 3 years old.  
J. M. Payne—Span Percheron filly, (black) 20 and 21 months old.  
B. C. King—Span grey Percheron mares.

S. S. Howard—Black Percheron stallion.  
N. M. Bray—Percheron mares.  
John Fleming—Mule colt and steel dust and Percheron mare.  
Geo. Short—Two jacks, 3 and 7 years old.

A. B. Hatchett—Percheron black stallion; one registered jack.  
J. N. LeMond—Yearling mule.  
J. B. Walker—Span of yearling mules.  
W. B. Edwards—One yearling mule, and one two-year-old mule.  
G. F. Shattuck—One yearling mule.

R. C. Wood—One yearling mule.  
Herman Crouch—Span of work mules, 7 and 8 years old.  
Wylie Curry—Two span of work mules, 6, 7 and 8 years old.  
E. N. and L. E. Weathers—One yearling mule.  
J. B. Haire—Span two-year-old mules.

**Hogs**  
G. E. Lockhart—Red Duroc Jersey, 11 months and 13 days old, wt. 320 pounds; named Governor Cox.  
C. J. Campbell—Poland China boar; 3 gilts.  
Irvin Shattuck—Two Poland China boars and sow, 6 months' old.  
Herman Crouch—Poland China boar, 9 months' old.  
Jeff Fleming—Two big-bone Poland China boars, 13 months' old; one registered Poland China boar, named Big Joe; one Poland China sow and pigs, sow named Miss Alice.

Will Montgomery—One Duroc Jersey registered boar, Kentucky's Orient King, 13 months' and 7 days old; registered pigs, two sows and boar, Duroc.  
**Chickens**  
Mrs. C. J. Campbell—Plymouth Rock rooster and hen.  
E. Park—Indian Game rooster and hen.  
C. H. Cain—Dark Barred Rocks, rooster and hen.  
Mrs. Jack Alley—White Leghorns of English strain, 2 hens and rooster.  
Rich Cowan—Barred Plymouth Rocks, Newbert strain.  
G. W. Howard—Plymouth Rock rooster and hen; two turkeys, hen and gobbler.  
Jim Carter—Brown Leghorn rooster and two hens.  
Mrs. I. M. Draper—Barred Rocks, rooster and hen; Bronze turkeys.  
Ollie Wright—Rhode Island Reds, rooster and hen.  
Mrs. W. J. Crouch—Two Bronze turkeys, two white leghorns' rooster and hen.  
Mrs. I. A. Shattuck—Buff Orpingtons', rooster and hen.  
W. Cowan—Barred Rocks, rooster and hen.  
Mrs. J. B. Stokes—Hen and baby chicks.  
D. Rogers—Barred Plymouth Rocks, rooster and hen.

**Babies**  
The following babies were entered, age not exceeding 18 months: From 1 to 32 as follows: Carl Robinson, Yuoma Powers, Naomi Underwood, Claudia B. Hart, Travis Caruth, Billy Sunday Welch, Ethel Mae Johnson, Jeon May, William Neal Walker, J. W. Hickerson, Fay Harris, Leona Powers, Jim Reuben Lewis, W. J. Riddle, Elmer Lee King, Lottie Joe Townes, Roy Harris, Oranle Waldrip, Norma Lee Eubanks, Valerie B. Wells, Raymond Goodrich, Clyde Mack Walters, J. L. Tucker, Jr., Ruby Inez Lam, George Washington Germandt, Weltonwood Noble, Isla Aston Bartley, Johnny Lou Fulford, Willie Eugene Knoy, Alex W. Nevill, Jean Edgar, Marcella Moore.  
**PRIZE WINNERS:**

**Stock**  
Mares—N. M. Bray, 1st prize; B. C. King, 2nd prize.

Stallions—S. S. Howard, 1st prize; W. W. Brown, 2nd prize.  
One-Year-Old Colts—J. M. Payne, 1st and 2nd prizes.  
Jacks—Geo. Short, 1st prize; Bill Thompson, 2nd prize.  
Best Span of Work Mules—Wylie Curry, 1st and 2nd prizes.  
Long Yearling Mule Colt—George Short, 1st prize; E. N. and L. E. Weathers, 2nd prize.  
Yearling Bulls—S. F. Singleton, 1st prize; S. B. Goodrich, 2nd prize.  
Poland-China Boar—Jeff Fleming, 1st prize; Irvin Shattuck, 2nd prize.  
Duroc Boar—Will Montgomery, 1st prize; G. E. Lockhart, 2nd prize.  
Best Boar, any breed, Grand Champion—Will Montgomery.  
Best Gilt, any breed—C. J. Campbell, 1st prize; Irvin Shattuck, 2nd prize.

**Baby Winners**  
No's. 20 and 28 were selected as the winners of the first and second prizes in the baby contest, they being Little Miss Valerie B. Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Wells of Tahoka, winner of the first prize, and Little Miss Johnny Lou Fulford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fulford of Three Lakes, winner of the second prize.

**Chickens**  
Plymouth Rocks—E. Lam.  
R. I. Reds—J. L. Heare.  
Buff Orpingtons—Irvin Shattuck.  
Brown Leghorn—Jim Carter.  
White Leghorn—Mrs. Jack Alley.  
Langshang—Mrs. Clark.  
Turkey—Mrs. W. J. Crouch.  
Game—Edgar Park.

**Judges**  
The following acted as judges in the various contests:  
Stock—Messrs. H. E. Baldrige, Elton George, and A. Sawyers.  
Poultry—Mesdames N. M. Bray, F. E. Ketner and H. W. Callaway.  
Babies—Messrs. A. R. McGonagill, A. M. Sullivan, and Mrs. Hansford Tunnell.

**POST BALL TEAM TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY**  
The fast Baseball team from Post City will play Tahoka on the home grounds Sunday afternoon, according to information given out by the members of the local club. Tahoka will strive hard to secure the best line-up possible in an attempt to interest the Post aggregation, and a hotly-contested game is anticipated. The local team is just getting under way for many hard games during the season, having as yet played no one but O'Donnell in the south part of the county. The contest with Post will be the first team to play here this season from outside points.

County Clerk B. H. Robinson, returned yesterday from San Antonio, where he spent a few days with his family. He reported his little son, Jack Alley, recovering nicely from a recent operation. Mrs. Robinson and son will likely remain in that city several weeks.

The News is in receipt of a letter from Tom LeMond, of Amarillo, enclosing check for the paper to be sent to that address. Mr. and Mrs. LeMond moved several months ago from Tahoka to the North Plains metropolis, and report everything moving along nicely, which will be good news to their many friends in Lynn County.

Mrs. Ross Ketner was carried to Lubbock Saturday to enter a sanitarium for an operation. Reports received here the first of the week stated that she withstood the operation nicely, and would soon be able to return home.

Messrs. F. E. Redwine and E. S. Davis returned the first of the week from a trip to the oil fields.

**BAPTIST LADIES REALIZED \$102.50 FROM DINNER SAT.**  
The Baptist ladies realized the snug sum of \$102.50 from the big chicken dinner served in Tahoka Saturday. The dinner was served in the old Postoffice building on main street, and an abundance of good eats were served. The funds will be used toward paying the Baptist Ladies Aid Seventy-five Million Campaign pledge.

Rev. G. W. Shearer, presiding elder of the Methodist church, Lubbock district, was in Tahoka Saturday enroute to Grassland, where he preached that night, and on Sunday night in Tahoka. While here Rev. Shearer was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Dr. L. W. Kitchen and Mr. Hume, from Post, were in attendance at the Lynn County Stock and Poultry Show, held in Tahoka last Saturday.

J. A. Weathers, brother of our fellow townsman, E. N. Weathers, visited with the latter and family the past week. Mr. Weathers resides between Plainview and Lockney and reports that section in a most prosperous condition.

One man was acquitted of murder at Dalhart last week and another at Lamesa. Very seldom on the Plains is a murderer convicted. Through our "beautiful" state criminal laws and court procedure, with the aid of criminal lawyers, and weak jurors, it is almost impossible for a murderer to be convicted. It is a wonder, considering the court records in murder cases there are not more murderers committed.—Plainview News.

### SWISS GIRL STARS. Chautauqua Gives Her Chance.



MISS ANNA PLOVER.

The Swiss girls are not only famously good looking, but noted for their music as well. Consequently when Miss Anna Plover got her chance on the Chautauqua platform she promptly proceeded to captivate her audiences. Her father is the manager of the Swiss Yodeling serenaders and both father and daughter will be here at the coming Chautauqua. She has a beautiful alto voice and is an expert on the guitar and piano.

### Tahoka in May

R. G. Williams, who resides on the S. H. Windham place, southeast of town, was placed in care of the county officers late Wednesday. Mr. Williams has been a sufferer from rheumatism for several months, which has affected his mind to some extent, and it was thought best by his close friends and relatives to place him in confinement for a few days at least. He was reported much improved Thursday morning. It is hoped that he will soon be restored to his usual good health, and fully recover his mental faculties.

Yours respectfully,  
J. W. NELL,  
Director of Institutes.

### Working Public Road North to County Line

The county road working equipment and crew, is now engaged in grading the public highway some five or six miles north out of Tahoka. The grading that has been done to-date is pronounced A1 in every particular, and as a substantial citizen expressed himself Wednesday of this week, will soon be "a regular pike."

T. J. Bovell is in charge of the grader and Claue well is engineering the big Cattapiller tractor. Mr. Bovell is an experienced road grading man and judging from the roadbed he is throwing up he is putting his experience into practice.

The "doubting Thomas" who are inclined to believe that a first-class road is not being constructed are invited to inspect the work done, and draw their own conclusion in the matter.

Lynn County has long since been urgently in need of good roads, as any traveler will testify, and our present body of commissioners are going at it on a larger scale than has ever heretofore been attempted here. Every progressive citizen well knows that good roads is the very best advertisement any county can possess if it hopes to get out of the rut and grow and prosper.

It is understood that the road now under construction will be finished to the county line before going elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Parkhurst were in Lubbock Sunday, accompanying Mrs. Ross Ketner to a sanitarium in that city.

Marshall Swan is back at his old job with the Lynn County Abstract Co.

Messrs. Hal Bradley and Preston Majors, two automobile men from Lubbock, spent Monday in Tahoka demonstrating a Chandler runabout.

Mrs. Guy Huffmyer, of Seymour, Texas, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denton, for a few days. Mr. Huffmyer is a conductor on the Wichita Valley R. R.

## J. A. Kinard Will Hold Institute In Tahoka, April 26

Austin, Texas, April 11, 1921.

To the Public:  
Mr. J. A. Kinard, representing the State Department of Agriculture, will hold Farmers' Institutes at the following places on the dates mentioned below:

Spur, Monday, April 18, 3:00 p.m.  
Crosbyton, Tuesday, April 19, 3 p.m.  
Ralls, Wednesday, April 20, 3 p.m.  
Lorenzo, Thursday, April 21, 3 p.m.  
Lubbock, Friday, April 22, 3 p.m.  
Brownfield, Saturday, April 23, 3:30 p.m.  
Slaton, Monday, April 25, 3:00 p.m.  
Tahoka, Tuesday, April 26th., 3:00 p.m.  
Lamesa, Wednesday, April 27, 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Kinard is a good speaker, and every farmer and business man should hear him, and join the movement for a reduction of the cotton acreage.

To control the price, we must control the supply, and to control the supply, we must reduce the acreage. All agricultural organizations are cordially requested to come and take part in the meetings. The County Superintendents, the teachers of schools are requested to announce these meetings. We especially request the press to publish an announcement of these meetings.

Please accept our thanks in advance for any assistance in making these meetings successful.

Yours respectfully,  
J. W. NELL,  
Director of Institutes.

### In Memorium

Mrs. Virginia Ellis Hale was born in Marshal, Mo., and died at the home of her son at Higgins, Texas, Friday, April 8, 1921, age 76 years, 10 months and 3 days.

She was married to Thomas William Hale in Lockhart, Texas, 56 years ago. To this union was born twelve children, seven of whom survive her. Mrs. Hale early in life joined the Missionary Baptist Church and ever lived the faithful life of a Christian.

She was a true Christian wife and mother of the type who leaves a vacant place at their going whose place cannot be filled by another in the home or in the community. She was a good neighbor, a true friend whose delight was to serve.

Deceased had been a sufferer for some time, but she bore her suffering even as she performed her duties in life, without complaint, but her sufferings are over and she is now beyond the touch of pain. A useful and helpful life has ended and she has gone to her reward.

The funeral service was conducted at the First Baptist Church in Tahoka, Saturday, at 4:00 p.m., by Rev. J. H. Hunt, the pastor, assisted by Rev. Hinds of the M. E. Church.

Interment was made in Tahoka Cemetery immediately following.

May sad hearts be counselled to peace by that hope that looks beyond the grave to the coming of the victorious One who said, "Because I live, ye shall live also."

J. W. McDonald, a gin man of Slaton, spent Saturday here.

Messrs. S. E. Reid and Henry Vinson made a business trip to Dallas this week.

**Jim McMannis Hurt By Windmill Wednesday**  
Jim McMannis, who resides northwest of Tahoka, was painfully, though not seriously injured Wednesday of this week, while working on a windmill. Young McMannis was struck on the jaw by the mill, leaving the bone bare for several inches. He was brought to town and given medical aid directly following the accident.

# Francis Scott Key Monument



Re: Star-Spangled Banner.

*Oh! say can you see by the Dawn's early light  
What so proudly we hail'd as our Freedom's Hall,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the clouds of life  
Do the new-born nation's banner of glory unfurl?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bomb bursting in air,  
To which our bravest and dearest have been hurled,  
Do you see the flag that still waves from the top of the pole?  
Oh! say does that flag still wave from the top of the pole?*

Fac-simile of the original manuscript



All good Americans stand while the band plays "The Star-Spangled Banner"; it is officially our national hymn; in the navy and is generally so regarded by the nation. Doubtless most of those who stand know that it was written by Francis Scott Key, though very few know that it is sung to the tune of "Anacreon in Heaven." How many know the when, where and how of its writing?

The citizens of Baltimore staged an impressive pageant of the centenary of the Battle of North Point and Fort M'Henry during the week of September 12, 1914. Congress appropriated \$7,000 for the erection of a monument to Key, this monument to be dedicated this summer with appropriate ceremonies. It is therefore timely to recall the stirring events which led to the writing of this immortal song.

Representative J. Charles Linthicum of Maryland in a recent speech in the House reviewed those events and said, among other things:

Mr. Linthicum—This monument now to be dedicated by the national government to that immortal poet is but a fitting tribute from the government to our native state of Maryland for the heroism, generosity and support of its people during the troublous times of 1812.

To the strong support of Maryland, and particularly of its metropolis, Baltimore, is largely due the successful termination of that war. It was a Baltimore man—Minister Pinckney—who asked for his leave of England, and was made Attorney General of the United States, and wrote the declaration of war.

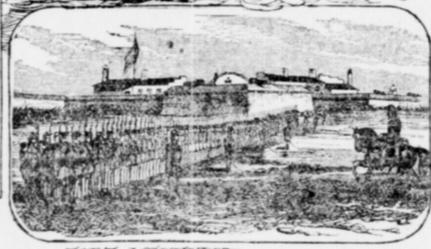
Maryland gave to the war more officers, ships, and seamen than any other state. She supplied 46 officers, or nearly one-fifth of all the officers of the American navy. Virginia supplied 42 which was more than all New England. Baltimore supplied 51 privateers; Salem, 40; Boston, 32; and Philadelphia, 14; and the state of Maryland equipped over 100 privateers in all. It is estimated that the loss to England's commerce by the Baltimore privateer captures alone was over \$16,000,000.

It was Commodore John Rogers of Baltimore, who commanded the North Atlantic squadron, and Stephen Decatur, Jr., a native of Berlin, Md., who commanded the South Atlantic squadron. It was Commodore Rogers of Maryland who personally fired the first shot of the war at the British ship *Bellerophon*. It was a Chesapeake crew, commanding the *Constitution*, better known as *Old Ironsides*, which captured the first frigate *Guerriere*.

The merchants of Baltimore loaned to the national government \$3,000,000, which was later assumed by the city of Baltimore, and became its first municipal debt. Finding no part of this fund available for the defense of the city, Baltimore raised \$600,000, additional with which to fortify Fort M'Henry, Fort Babcock—now Riverside park—and Fort Covington—now



BATTLE-FLAG OF THE 27th REGIMENT



FORT M'HENRY

Fort Covington—all today within the limits of the city of Baltimore.

Because of her zeal and loyalty, Baltimore was singled out as the target for British vengeance. On the 17th of June, 1814, a newspaper published in London stated:

"The great expedition preparing at Bordeaux for America is destined for the Chesapeake direct. Our little army in Canada will at the same instant be directed to make a movement in the direction of the Susquehanna. Both armies will in all probability meet at Washington, Philadelphia, and Baltimore. Our naval and military commanders have no power to conclude any armistice or suspension of arms. They carry with them certain papers which will be offered to the American government at the point of the bayonet."

After the humiliating sack of Washington, the British turned with renewed anger to attack Baltimore, to which the helpless national government could offer no resistance.

The British, however, found strong fortifications to protect the city against their attack. Gen. Samuel Smith, a heroic revolutionary figure, with a large force, had built fortifications over a mile in length from the harbor as far as the present Hopkins hospital. Behind these were mounted over 100 cannon, with 10,000 troops. The citizens rallied as one man under General Smith and toiled day after day with pick, shovel, and wheelbarrow until a great armament greeted the British when, after the Battle of North Point, they arrived within sight of the city and were compelled to retreat to their ships without a single shot. The Americans were so eager for the encounter they could not await their coming. When news reached General Smith of the anchorage at North Point of a British fleet of 50 vessels, the most formidable fleet ever seen in American waters, Gen. Stricker asked leave to advance with a brigade of 3,000 men to draw them on. Those men who landed on the 12th of September, 1814, were picked soldiers of Europe, the Duke of Wellington's Invincibles and Lord Nelson's victorious marines, fresh from Napoleonic wars.

The Americans marched bravely forward to meet the conquerors of Napoleon on the battlefield of North Point. General Ross, with 7,000 men, tarried to lunch. General Stricker, with 300 voluntary skirmish party, advanced to draw them on. General Ross, believing it incredible that the new republic should have men so fearless as to advance against his British forces, proceeded to investigate, when he was shot down by American riflemen, and the command fell to Colonel Brooke. A monument today stands for the two young men in Baltimore who brought down General Ross. For an hour and a half the raw militia of the States held in check the veteran army numbering four times its strength. The day closed with a loss to the British of 500, as against 150 of the militiamen, only 20 of the latter being killed, the others wounded or disabled. Thus was fought

the battle of North Point and the retirement of the British to their ships. It was this matchless defense that saved the nation and checked the proposed attack upon Philadelphia and New York.

Then took place the attack upon the historical Fort M'Henry; 16 bomb-and-rocket vessels bombarded the fort, throwing a constant shower of rockets and bombs, the latter weighing 220 pounds. Colonel Armistead, in command of the fort, was unable to reach them except on one or two occasions when they came nearer. As the army was retreating, a more severe bombardment than before was executed. Under the cover of darkness, as a last resort, several rocket vessels and barges, with 1,250 picked men, passed south of Fort M'Henry and attempted to land. After passing the fort, they threw up rockets of rejoicing and to light a landing place. This, however, was their undoing, and caused Commodore Roger's "invincible crew" at Fort Covington, under Lieutenant Newcombe and Barney's flotilla men, under Lieut. John Webster, at Fort Babcock, to pour into them a pitiless fire, sinking one barge with all on board and compelling the rest to retire. The enemy retired badly damaged under the fire from Fort M'Henry and the *Luzerne*. At a safe distance they continued to bombard Fort M'Henry until morning. The bombardment lasted for 25 hours, and they are said to have thrown 1,500 to 1,800 great bombs, 400 of which landed in Fort M'Henry.

Dr. William Beanes, who had encountered the displeasure of the British at Upper Marlboro, in their march upon Washington, had been carried off in their fleet. He was a particularly close friend of Francis Scott Key, who visited the fleet at Baltimore to seek the release of his friend. Having boarded the *Minden*, one of the ships of the fleet, the British compelled him to remain until after the bombardment.

There he was during that memorable night when Fort M'Henry was being so terribly assaulted. We can well imagine his anxiety as to the fate of the fort and the attack to be made upon the city wherein resided his family and loved ones. He and his friend paced the deck during that night of September 13. The bombardment ceased just before day. So long as the bombardment continued they knew the fort had not surrendered, but when it ceased before daylight it left them in great suspense as to the result. We may well imagine how earnestly they looked forward to dawn and sufficient light to relieve their anxiety. How happy they must have been when they saw that "the flag was still there." Key was stirred to the depths by patriotic fervor and devotion, and there wrote his song of rejoicing, "The Star-Spangled Banner."

longer needed for a hungry boiler, soon paid the cost of the mill.

**Mutton Sausage.**  
The Department of Agriculture says that sausage may be made from mutton mixed with pork in much the same way as beef is used. A general formula is: Mutton, two parts; lean, fresh pork, one part; fat pork, one part; salt and seasoning to taste. It can be made into cakes and cooked at once, or packed in skins. Homemade sausage is usually kept frozen.

**Man's Glory.**  
Man's glory lies in his striving after the best; his shame, in contentment with the second rate. The banner under which the true man marches bears the word "Excelsior," but the goal upon which he fixes his eye bears the inscription, "The Best."—Church Missionary.

**All-Seeing One Will Discover.**  
No fallacy can hide wrong, no subterfuge cover it so shrewdly but that the All-Seeing One will discover and punish it.—Rivaroli.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. J. S. FITZWAUGH, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)  
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### LESSON FOR APRIL 17

#### BIBLE TEACHINGS ABOUT WORK.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 4:1-3; John 5:17; II Thess. 3:5-12.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Not slothful in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord.—Rom. 12:11.  
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Ex. 20:9-11; Prov. 22:29, 28:19, 31:19-21; Eph. 4:28.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—A Child Who Helped.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Ant and the Sluggard.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Workers and Shirkers.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Labor Problems.

Work in relation to God has a different meaning than in relation to man. In relation to God it means continued activity directed to some purpose or end. In relation to man it means manual labor.

1. Mighty Works Wrought by Jesus (Mark 6:1-3).

As God's obedient servant, Jesus energetically gave himself up to His work.

1. Teaching in the synagogue (v. 2). This He did on the Sabbath day. He could let no opportunity to do good pass.

2. The result of His teaching (v. 2, 3). (1) The people were astonished. In their astonishment they asked questions: (a) From whence hath this man these things? (b) What wisdom is given unto Him? (c) Is not this the carpenter? (d) Are not His sisters with us? That His wisdom and power were superhuman, they could not doubt. The only answer to their questions is Christ's absolute Deity.

(2) The people were offended (v. 3). Not being able to answer their own questions and to believe their own eyes and ears, they rejected Him. This rejection was not because they knew Him too well, but because they knew Him not at all. His countrymen judged Him by His brothers, sisters, and father, and therefore failed to know Him.

II. "My Father Worketh Hitherto, and I Work" (John 5:17).

Jesus had on the Sabbath day healed an impotent man. They sought to kill Him for this good deed, and when He linked Himself with God in this they more earnestly sought to kill Him. They tried to kill Him because He made himself equal with God. The special points of equality with God were:

1. Giving life to the dead. No human being has ever been able to raise another from the dead. The Jews rightly interpreted His claim to be able to raise the dead as a claim to Deity.

2. Judging mankind. No human being is wise enough to judge his fellow being. Christ's claim to be the judge of mankind they interpreted to be His claim to Deity, and they were correct.

III. The Man Who Will Not Work Should Not Eat (II Thess. 3:5-13).

There had developed among the Christians at Thessalonica a tendency to idleness. Some were neglecting their lawful earthly callings—even to the extent that they were becoming a charge to the church. From the context of the Thessalonian epistles it would seem that this serious condition was the result of wrong views concerning the second coming of Christ. Such as this is wholly wrong and absolutely contrary to the significance of "the blessed hope." The attitude of those possessing an intelligent view of the Lord's coming as taught by Christ and the apostles, is earnest attention to the present duty. "Occupy till I come," is Christ's charge. Speculative star-gazers have brought this precious doctrine into disrepute. Unceasing fidelity to all the responsibilities of the present is the correct attitude of those who are waiting for the Son from heaven. To correct this wrong, Paul—

1. Asserts his authority to command (v. 6). This authority was given him by Christ.

2. Commands them to withdraw from those who thus walk disorderly (v. 6).

3. Paul's example (vv. 7-9). Paul pressed with great earnestness the doctrine of the Lord's return, and yet consistently continued in his lawful calling. In order to not be chargeable unto them he labored with great earnestness night and day.

4. Those who will not work should not eat (v. 10). This is the right principle upon which to base all works of charity. It is the efficient cure for pauperism. The right economic order has as its foundation principle: Work in order to eat. This should apply to all classes, rich and poor.

5. Busybodies exhorted (vv. 11, 12). Idle men and women always become busybodies. Paul's exhortation is that they with quietness work and eat their own bread.

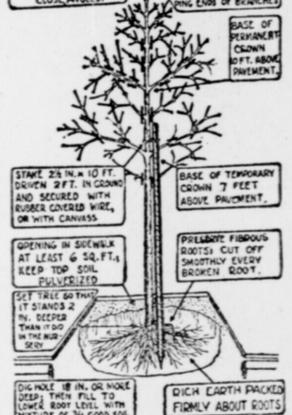
## HOME TOWN HELPS

### ADVICE ON PLANTING TREES

Bulletin Issued by the American Forestry Association Will Be Found to Be of Value.

The American Forestry association, Washington, has issued a bulletin entitled, "The Tree—The Memorial That Lives," written by Charles Pack, president of the association, in which are set forth instructions as to the selection of the best kinds of trees, how to secure them, prepare them, plant and care for them, and he adds a program for the ceremony of planting. This bulletin may be had for the asking. And, says Mr. Pack:

"This matter of the planting and the care of trees can be readily promoted by anyone. There are a few funda-



How to Set Out Tree.

mental principles underlying the various simple operations. But the entire affair is mostly a matter of the exercise of common sense. Fortunately, the majority of us can lay claim to a fair share of this quality. There are certain conditions which are met and known requirements of tree-growth that are satisfied. By a little attention to the features of tree-planting and care, anyone may make a success of tree-planting operations and, furthermore, may care intelligently for trees after they have been planted."

### GOOD MOTTO FOR ANY TOWN

Excellent Spirit Shown in the Slogan "Get It Done," Recently Adopted by Kansas City.

The "get-it-done" campaign is producing an important by-product. It is speeding up business in Kansas City. The phrase sticks and makes an impression. Employee as well as employer is affected by it more or less unconsciously.

Little business matters are being attended to today that before were put off till tomorrow. Loose ends around the store or office or factory that were allowed to accumulate are now being cleaned up. In a thousand places the effect of the advertising of these three words is showing itself.

If the thing keeps on, Kansas City will get a reputation not merely for getting things done for the municipality, but for putting a new sort of energy in its ordinary business affairs. "Get it done!"—Kansas City Star.

### Improving Rural Housing.

The country life problem as a whole cannot make consistent headway in humanizing and socializing farm life, so long as the work elements of farming smother the farm home. That farm people get accustomed to the proximity of ever-present occupational things and processes, means only that hardening invades the precincts of the farm house. A rural housing social conscience will probably at no distant day transfigure living on the farm and give rural America an air of architectural grace and land-art beauty.—Department of Agriculture Bulletin.

### Walnut Has Many Advantages.

Walnut is a good tree to plant along highways, because it grows its branches high, which lets in the sun and allows the rapid drying out of the road. It is immune to fungous diseases, and, with the exception of one or two caterpillars, insects will leave it alone.

On account of its peculiar taste horses and other animals will not nibble these trees; so, taking it all around, the walnut seems to be our best tree for replanting.

### Advice for Tree Prunes.

Any branch which must be taken from a tree should be cut as close as possible to the trunk, and in the case of large branches make the cut first about two feet from the trunk, to take care of the splitting of the bark and then make the final cut. Paint all cuts with a suitable preservative. A very good one is pure white lead, raw linseed oil and lampblack, mixed stiff enough so it will not run. Do not use ready-mixed paints which contain a drier.

## JOY BROUGHT INTO HOME

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Restored to Health by Mrs. Benz to Health

Altoona, Pa.—"I am writing to you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. We had six children. From one to nineteen days they have lived. I was going to have another, I had a dozen bottles of your Vegetable Compound and I can say that it is the greatest medicine I ever used on earth, for this baby is now four months old and a healthier baby you could not want. I am sending you a picture of her. Everybody says, 'That is a healthy looking baby.' You have my consent to show this letter."—Mrs. W. BENZ, 131 3rd Ave., Altoona, Pa.



No woman can realize the joy and happiness this healthy babe brings into the home of Mrs. Benz, unless she have had a like experience.

Every woman who suffers from ailments peculiar to her sex, as indicated by backaches, headaches, nervous down pains, irregularities, nervousness and "the blues" should not rest until they have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

Never climb a mountain till you come to it—then maybe it will be there.

Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum. When adding to your toilet regimen an exquisitely scented face, skin and dusting powder and perfume, remember other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere.

Luck usually strikes up an intimate acquaintance with hard work; sometimes not.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are nothing but vegetable ingredients, and act gently as a tonic and purgative in all situations and not by irritation.—Adv.

Farmers never do understand what town folks regard fried chicken as such a luxury.

Brains can be taught to sense be taught?

## Weak and Miserable

Does the least exertion tire you? Feel "blue" and worried and have the backache, lameness, headaches, dizziness, and kidney irregularities? Your kidneys are often to blame for the unhappy state. You must act quickly to prevent more serious trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy recommended everywhere by medical users. Ask your neighbor!

### A Texas Case

Mrs. M. L. Duck, Central Ave., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I had a lameness in my back and the pain all through me was intense. Across my hips it seemed like a heavy load was bearing me down. I tried different kinds of medicines without relief. A neighbor advised me to take Doan's Kidney Pills and the first box cured me entirely and the cure has lasted."

Get Doan's at Any Store, or the Doan's Kidney Pills, FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

## No More Mison After Eating

### Just Takes An Eatonic

"The first dose of Eatonic did wonders. I take it at meals and no longer bothered with indigestion." writes Mrs. Ellen Harris.

Thousands of people, like this lady, gratefully testify about Eatonic which does its wonders by taking and carrying out the excess acidity and gases which bring on indigestion, heartburn, bloating, belching and repeating. Acid stomach also causes about seventy other non-specific ailments. Protect yourself. A box of Eatonic costs but a trifle with the druggist's guarantee.

Fortify your system with FORCE and reconstructive uniqueness in its strength-giving and up-building qualities. Sold by reliable druggists. "It Makes for Strength."

### Old Pump on Isle of Man

On the quaint and picturesque Isle of Man, made famous by Hall Caine's fiction, an ancient pump of the chain-bucket variety, built into a masonry abutment on the face of a rock cliff lifts its endless load of water some eighty feet from the pool below, says an article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. For many years a big steam engine of obsolete form, slow and extravagant of fuel, attended to the duty

of turning the chain shaft. But now the old boiler and cylinder are gone, and in their place a modern wind motor has been installed, its slim, efficient steel form rising from the cliff top in striking, yet not inharmonious, contrast with the primitive ruggedness that marks the earlier work of man and nature. The whirling 26-foot wheel of the new motive power now is drawing up 14,300 gallons of water an hour as an average figure, and it is significant of the value of modern method that the saving of fuel, not

# JOY BROW INTO

By Lydia E. Frank  
table Compound  
Mrs. Benz

Altoona, Pa.—  
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earth, for this baby  
old and a healthier  
want. I am sending  
Every body says  
healthy looking baby  
consent to show that  
W. BENZ, 131 3rd Ave.

No woman can reach  
happiness in this  
into the home of Mrs.  
have had a like experience.  
Every woman who  
ailments peculiar to her  
down pain, irregular  
and "the blues" about  
they have given Lydia  
Vegetable Compound.

Never climb a  
come to it—then  
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Don't Forget  
When adding to your  
An exquisitely scented  
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You may rely on it  
Cuticura Trio (S  
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## Fortify your

FORCE—the  
visualizer and  
unequaled in  
and up-building  
Sold by retail druggists  
equal benefit in use.  
It makes the

# Lynn County News

R. B. HAYNES, Editor and Owner.  
Published Every Friday by  
THE NEWS PRINTING COMPANY  
Entered as second class matter at the post-  
office at Tahoka, Texas, under act of March  
3th., 1879.  
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Foreign Advertising Representative  
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Statement of Ownership, Manage-  
ment, Circulation, Etc., as Re-  
quired by the Act of Congress of  
August 24, 1921.

Of the Lynn County News, published  
weekly at Tahoka, Texas, for April,  
1921:  
State of Texas,  
County of Lynn, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and  
for the State and County aforesaid,  
personally appeared R. B. Haynes,  
who having been duly sworn accord-  
ing to law, deposes and says that he  
is the owner of the Lynn County  
News, and that the following is, to  
the best of his knowledge and belief,  
a true statement of the ownership,  
management, etc., of the aforesaid  
publication for the date shown in the  
above caption required by the Act of  
August 24, 1921, embodied in Sec-  
tion 443, Postal Laws and Regula-  
tions, printed on the reverse of this  
form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of  
the publisher, editor, managing  
editor and business managers are:  
R. B. Haynes, Tahoka, Texas.
2. That the owners are: R. B.  
Haynes, Tahoka, Texas.
3. That the known bondholders,  
mortgagees, and other security hold-  
ers owning or holding 1 per cent as  
much of total amount of bonds, mort-  
gages, or other securities are: James  
L. Dow, Lubbock, Texas.

(Signed) R. B. HAYNES,  
Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 11th day of April, 1921.  
(Seal) BEN T. BROWN,  
Notary Public, Tahoka, Texas.

Editor Jack Stricklin, of the  
Brownfield Herald, stated in last  
week's issue of his periodical that  
in the future he would not accept ads  
from out-of-the-county merchants,  
owing to the fact that the merchants  
of his little town were supporting the  
Herald through thick and thin. The  
wrong idea, brother. The News will  
continue to accept ads from any-  
where in the United States where  
we are practically assured of re-  
ceiving the coin for same. Not  
knocking our little city in the least,  
we don't hesitate to say that if we  
depended altogether on the advertis-  
ing patronage given us right here in  
Tahoka, the News would have long  
since been dead to the world. By  
accepting foreign advertising we  
manage to keep on the right side of  
the ledger, and that is the game  
now-a-days. We preach the trade at  
home slogan, however, and people  
are not forced to patronize those  
who advertise in this paper residing  
out of the county. The Herald has  
the wrong idea, and Stricklin will  
sooner or later see his mistake, for  
the fellow who has been sending out  
of town for his job work will con-  
tinue to do so if he thinks he can  
save a dime, and your business will  
stand about the same, no more or no  
less. The Herald has a good sprinkle  
of advertising, but there is always  
room for more, and never yet have  
we seen a country newspaper man  
become so rich that he will turn down  
good reliable cash in hand advertis-  
ing, no matter from whence it came.

The editor of the News was ap-  
proached by many citizens of Tahoka  
and Lynn county recently, request-  
ing that we resent through the col-  
umns of this paper the verdict of a  
jury in a murder trial held in a near-  
by county. The News does not care  
to lay itself liable for contempt of  
court, by lambasting any body of  
men composing a jury in any case  
of whatsoever kind. A newspaper  
man is confronted in many instances  
with problems of this nature. Even  
though the verdict may not be the  
popular opinion of the citizenship at  
large, it is not for the newspaper to  
dwell on the subject neither pro nor  
con.

It is estimated that cotton acreage  
in the South Plains will decrease by  
20 per cent for this season following  
the low price received for last year's  
crop and the greater interest that is  
being taken in diversified farming.  
A large number of pure-bred hogs  
are being distributed through the sec-  
tion and finding their way to the in-  
dividual farmer. Dairy stock is be-  
ing placed on the farms and a cream  
shipping station opened in the city  
to care for this new industry. The  
county agent reports a greatly in-  
creased interest in poultry and a side  
line to general farming and the com-  
mercial production of milk and eggs  
will show a hundred per cent increase  
for this year.

There was some crowd in town  
Saturday attending the stock, poultry  
and baby show. A cold wind  
from the East kept many people  
away that otherwise would have  
been here. Everyone seemed well  
pleased with the outcome of the  
show and some are already boosting  
the same show for next year.

The Panhandle Press Association  
is in session in Amarillo today and  
tomorrow. Editors from all over the  
western portion of the State will be  
in attendance.

M. C. McGee of Canyon, has  
purchased the Hale Center Rec-  
ord of Guy R. Scott, and is now  
in charge of same. Mr Scott and  
family will move to Lub-  
bock. The News extends a  
heartly welcome to Mr. McGee  
in the newspaper field of the  
great South Plains, and shall  
look forward with pleasure to  
the weekly visits of the Record.

Why not have a fair in Tahoka  
this fall?

And some said "it couldn't be  
done"—talking about the Lynn  
County Stock and Poultry Show held  
in Tahoka Saturday. Well, we did,  
and wasn't it a "Hummer?"

## High School Notes

"Work! Work! Work!" the  
high school students shout.  
When will the grind be over?

The papers and material to be  
sent to the State Department of  
Education will be sent away  
next Thursday; after that rush  
is over the final examinations  
will be confronting us. There  
are only four weeks more of  
regular school work, and one  
week of final examinations.  
Both teachers and pupils will be  
glad when school is out, for all  
have worked hard and faithfully  
the entire year.

The students are going to pre-  
sent a play on Friday night, May  
20th for the benefit of the high  
school library. Miss Fay Gooch  
and Mrs. Hansford Tunnell  
have the play in charge. Don't  
fail to see "The Average Man",  
the play with an "all star cast".

Base ball and tennis are, as  
yet, keeping the boys occupied  
at the recesses; while basket  
ball is still popular among the  
girls.

The entire school was placed  
before a camera Tuesday after-  
noon; and great results are ex-  
pected.

REPORTER.  
(Continued next Week.)

## Denton Will Box Conny

Young Joe Denton, of Tahoka,  
has been matched against Jno.  
Conny, of El Paso, in a boxing  
match, to be held under the  
auspices of the American Legion  
at Lubbock, April 27th. inst.

Denton expects to establish  
training quarters at Lubbock,  
and will receive heavy workouts  
during the next two weeks.

Conny is said to be keen with  
the mits, and is considered  
quite a scientific boxer.

Local boxing fans have al-  
ready begun to manifest a lively  
interest in the match, and it is  
likely that a large representa-  
tion from Denton's home city  
will witness the contest.

Pugelist Williams, of Slaton,  
came in yesterday and will work  
out Denton during the remain-  
der of this week.

## Magnolia News

The sandstorm of Tuesday is  
the only disagreeable thing that  
has come this way during 1921,  
except the cold snap that got  
the fruit.

The pictures of the 117 Easter  
egg hunters show the pleasure  
of the crowd. There were 800  
candy eggs furnished by the  
Farm and Ranch for 7 subscrip-  
tions, gotten by the Parent-  
Teachers' Association.

It was a treat indeed for the  
community to have Revs. Hunt,  
Heath, Cole, Horton, and Mes-  
srs. Horton, Boucher, Wood and  
Steel, and Mr. Wood with the  
Baptist on last Friday evening.  
Some excellent talks were made  
on behalf of the 75 million cam-  
paign.

Quite a few from here Satur-  
day in the County capitol and  
enjoyed the Stock and Poultry  
Show, along with a good dinner  
served by the Tahoka W. M. U.

A good program is expected at  
the literary society Friday even-  
ing.

The Magnolia W. M. U. ship-  
ped out 160 pounds of bacon  
Saturday to Backner's Orphans  
Home, while the Garlynn people  
sent some 30 dozen eggs. Most  
every one in the community  
contributed to one or both boxes.

J. E. Morgan celebrated his  
44th anniversary Sunday, while  
his little son Curtis, enjoyed

his 10th birthday. About 39  
in number enjoyed the fine  
dinner.

Miss Minnie Foster, of East  
Texas, is spending awhile in the  
J. B. Ray home, the guest of her  
sister.

The Wilson basket ball girls  
came over Monday and defeat-  
ed Magnolia.

Reporter.

## District School Meet Starts at Lubbock Today

The District Interscholastic  
League Meet of the University  
of Texas, will open today at 1  
p. m. in Lubbock. Prof. M. M.  
Dupree, of Lubbock is director  
for the district.

The preliminaries in debate  
for boys and girl from each  
county will be held this after-  
noon, and the finals held Satur-  
day night, the 16th.

There will be eight contests in  
declamation, a senior and junior  
high school and rural school,  
both boys and girls. The pre-  
liminaries will be held this after-  
noon, and the finals tonight.

The baseball and tennis con-  
tests will start Friday afternoon  
and continue Saturday.  
General admission tickets will  
be sold for fifty cents. Contest-  
ants admitted free. A rebate  
on the expenses of the contest-  
ants will be made.

The following pupils will rep-  
resent Lynn Co at the distr ct  
meet, having won first place in  
the county meet held in Tahoka.

Debate: Messrs Ely and  
Conrad Lam, Tahoka.

Declamation: Junior girls;  
Velma Dawson, Wilson.

Senior girls, Veda West, Wil-  
son.

Junior boys, Weldon Riehard-  
son, Wilson

Senior boys: Thurman Foster,  
Wilson.

Basket Ball, Senior boys,—  
Tahoka.

Basket ball senior girls—Tahoka.

Tennis, boys, single—Robert  
Noble, West Point.

Tennis, girls, singles—Vivian  
Philly, Wilson.

Tennis, boys, double, Robert  
Noble and Herbert Tangsley,  
West Point.

Tennis, girls doubles, Vivian  
Philly and Edith Russell, Wil-  
son.

Track: 50 yard dash, Bal-  
drige, Tahoka.

100 yard dash, Parnell, Draw.

220 yard dash, Smith, Tahoka.

440 yard dash; Baldrige, Tahoka.

880 yard dash, Parnell, Draw.

1 mile run, Edwards, Tahoka.

Field: 12 Lb. shot put; Parnel,  
Draw.

Pole Vault, Allen, Pride.

Broad Jump Jackson, Tahoka.

High Jump, Allen, Pride.

120 yard low hurdle, Bal-  
drige, Tahoka.

Houses His Apprentices.

Reviving, for new reasons, the an-  
cient system that gave the shop ap-  
prentice a home with his employer, a  
large eastern machinery manufactur-  
er has established 27 apprentice em-  
ployees in a homelike two-story house.  
Sleeping rooms accommodate one, two  
or three occupants; shower baths,  
laundry and a housekeeper are provid-  
ed, and the living room contains all  
reasonable comforts. The plan is ex-  
pected to promote "shop talk" and in-  
crease the ambition of young workers.  
—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The Marching Multitude.

"I understand that footwear is go-  
ing to be less expensive."  
"I'm glad of that," commented Sena-  
tor Sorghum. "There is going to be  
a record-breaking crowd of people  
wearing out shoe leather in the next  
inaugural procession."

If you want to buy, sell or  
trade anything, an advertise-  
ment in the News will get quick  
results. Try it out.

## PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Steady Advertiser is taking a  
Load of Money to the Bank. He does  
This every morning. The Mail Order  
houses don't Worry him. Wouldn't  
You like to be a Steady Advertiser  
and take a Load of Money to the Bank  
every morning? Well, you can! We  
still have Some Space left and so has  
the Bank.

Jno. A. King returned Mon-  
day from Childress.

Device Proved Its Worth.

In the latter part of September so  
thick a fog settled upon New York  
harbor that while it lasted, which was  
several days, the shipping of the port  
was completely paralyzed. The delay,  
however, afforded a good chance to  
test the new electrical pilot cable that,  
extending 14 miles from Ambrose  
Channel lighthouse to the Narrows, is  
designed to guide vessels in thick  
weather. One steamship, equipped  
with the "listening" device that is  
complementary to the cable, went con-  
fidently up the harbor, as sure of her  
course as a blind man who slides his  
hand along a familiar railing. It will  
probably be only a short time before  
all harbors have a similar cable and  
all vessels are equipped to use it.—  
Youth's Companion.

## A Man is Judged By His Clothes

There isn't quite so much im-  
portance put on anything else as  
there is on your appearance.  
Your clothes are 85 per cent of  
your appearance.

Let Us Order That Suit For You.

Cleaning, Pressing and  
Repairing.

"Send it to the Laundry."

We Call for and Deliver

Billy's Tailor Shop  
PHONE 90.

Tahoka, Texas

## Go After Business

in a business way—the  
advertising way. An ad  
in the News offers the  
maximum service at the  
minimum cost. It  
reaches the people of the  
town and vicinity you  
want to reach.

Try It---  
It Pays

F. E. REDWINE S. B. HATCHETT  
**We Never Quit Working for Our Clients. For Quick  
Sale List Your Land With Us.**  
**West Texas Real Estate Co.**  
"Service and Fair Dealing," our Motto.  
Member Tahoka Chamber of Commerce and West Texas Chamber of Commerce.  
Tahoka, Texas

**We Will Pay  
All Next Week**  
**15c Doz. [Cash] For Eggs**  
**17c Lb. (Cash) For Hens**  
**Headquarters for Magnolia  
Petroleum Products**  
**Brandon & Watkins,**  
South Side Square  
**3-9.**

**Whatever You Need**  
in running your car will be provided at  
our shop—and it will be right in quality  
and price.  
**BRADLEY-TAHOKA  
AUTO CO.**  
CHESTER CONNLY, Mgr.  
Tahoka, Texas

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From Tennessee**  
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# U.S. ASSERTS RIGHTS IN PEACE DECISIONS

HUGHES SENDS NOTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY AND JAPAN.

## YAP MATTER IS MADE CLEAR

Says We Have Never Vested Any Authority in the League Binding This Government.

Washington—In the most emphatic foreign communication yet drafted by the new administration, the United States has notified the four principal allied powers that this government insists in sharing in the rights derived from the victory over Germany.

Dealing specifically with the mandate to Japan over the island of Yap, the note asserts that the mandate was approved without American assent and that the United States "can not recognize the allocation of the island or the validity of the mandate."

The allies virtually are requested to withdraw the mandate when the note declares:

"The government trusts that this action, which it must assume was taken under a misapprehension, will be reconsidered."

The American note, which states our fundamental stand on the question of mandate territories, although referring especially to Yap, was made public Wednesday in the form of a communication from Secretary of State Hughes to the British government. Similar notes were addressed to Japan, France and Italy. The note to Japan contained additional paragraphs referring to previous correspondence between the two governments and was not made public.

Secretary Hughes, at the outset, reminds the four powers that the United States participated in the victory over Germany and therefore shares in all the rights gained by the allies.

"It will not be questioned," Hughes asserts, "that the right to dispose of the overseas possessions of Germany was acquired only through the victory of the allied and associated powers, and it is also believed that there is no disposition on the part of the British government to deny the participation of the United States in that victory. It would seem to follow necessarily that the right accruing to the allied and associated powers through the common victory is shared by the United States and that there could be no valid or effective disposition of the overseas possessions of Germany without the assent of the United States."

The note points out that as the United States has never vested either the supreme council or the league of nations with any authority to bind this government, "there has been no opportunity for any decision which could be deemed to affect the rights of the United States." American rights, the note asserts could not be ceded or surrendered to Japan, or any other nation, except by treaty, "and no such treaty has been made."

## SHRINE DIRECTORS ARE NOW DOWN TO BUSINESS

First Meeting Was Held Thursday Morning At Scottish Rite Cathedral.

Dallas—Blazing a new pathway over the hot sands of the desert, the annual convention of National Shrine Directors' association opened at Scottish Rite Cathedral at 9:45 Thursday morning with Hella Temple as host. James E. Forrest of Dallas, ceremonial director for Hella, is president of the association and Frank Cromwell of Kansas City is first vice president. Cromwell will no doubt be elected president and will likely carry the convention to his home temple at Kansas City for its meeting next year.

Delegates are here representing Shrine temples from various sections of the United States. Tacoma, Wash., and Sioux City, Iowa, are represented and a delegation came in Wednesday from Little Rock and another from New Orleans.

The real purpose of the convention—and it has a serious purpose—is for the men who direct the initiation work of Shrine ceremonials to get together and invent, devise and work out new feature acts, as they may well be called, to be enacted for the benefit of the novice after he has made the start over the hot sands of the desert trail.

**Switch Engine Foreman Injured.**  
Fort Worth, Texas.—S. D. Ford, switch engine foreman for the Fort Worth & Denver railroad, was caught between two cars in the yards between North Fort Worth and Fort Worth Monday and badly injured.

**Waco Girl Killed In Fall.**  
Waco, Texas.—Miss Vera Laird, about 19 years old, was killed Tuesday afternoon when she fell through an elevator shaft from the first floor to the basement.

**I. C. C. Recommends Rail Reduction.**  
Washington.—Readjustment of export rates on grain and grain products, carrying a reduction of 3c east of Chicago, was recommended to the railroads by the interstate commerce commission.

# VOTE FOR CENTRAL HEAD FOR WAR RELIEF

HARDING'S SPECIAL BOARD IS AGREED ON UNION OF SERVICE BUREAUS.

Washington—Progress in solving the government's problem of caring for ex-service men, whether sick or disabled, or physically fit, but having financial claims to be adjusted was made here at a meeting of President Harding's special commission, headed by Charles G. Dawes of Chicago, which was appointed to inquire into the situation. It was agreed unanimously that the administrative machinery now operating separately in the several fields of soldiers' relief should be consolidated under one central authority, probably a new executive officer, who would be responsible directly to the president.

Heads of all the bureaus having to do with treatment of the war veterans were present and in reply to questions from Chairman Dawes and Colonel F. W. Galbraith Jr., national commander of the American Legion, said they favored the general idea of a consolidated service bureau. This endorsement, Chairman Dawes said, promised quick solution of the problem as it related to aid for men who are alleged to have suffered under the system of divided governmental responsibility.

President Harding had asked his special commission to make "diligent inquiry" of government department heads in an effort to find out just where the government agencies have been "lacking in authority, neglectful or failing" in caring for disabled service men. He also asked that investigation be made of "the abuses which have developed."

## ALDRIDGE ELECTED MAYOR OF DALLAS

Dallas—Sawnie R. Aldridge, nominee of the citizens' association, was elected mayor of Dallas Tuesday in the municipal election, defeating William E. Talbot, joint nominee of the voters' independent league and of the city democratic organization, by a majority of more than 2,000 votes.

Louis Blaylock, nominee for reelection as finance commissioner; Fred C. Appel, nominee for reelection as water and sewerage commissioner and J. D. Rose, nominee for street commissioner, also received safe majorities. Lawrence McGee, nominated for reelection as police and fire commissioner, is the only nominee of the citizens' association whose election is in doubt. Complete returns from all boxes may be necessary to decide that race, as Louis Turely, independent and democratic nominee, has a lead on the face of late returns of 513 votes. However, Mr. Turley appears to have won.

## Fort Worth Gets New Mayor.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Dr. E. R. Cockrell, member of the faculty of Texas Christian University, was swept into the office of mayor on a flood tide of votes in Tuesday's municipal election. About 10,000 voters registered a protest against Mayor W. D. Davis and 6,425 declared for his reelection. It was a voting day in which the "outs" were favored over the "ins." In seven municipal contests, five of the incumbents asked for reelection and another sought a transfer. J. C. Lord, water commissioner, and Albert Tankersley, tax assessor were the only ones re-elected and their margins of victory were small.

## WOMAN DROWNS IN CREEK BOTTOM

McKinney, Texas.—Mrs. A. C. Toubms, the wife of a man living in a tent in the Wilson creek bottom, was drowned about midnight Monday night when the family was awakened by a flood of water pouring through the tent caused by the overflow of Wilson creek following a heavy rain, which fell throughout this section of Collin county.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Toubms, the tent was occupied by their two children. Mr. Toubms began his efforts to save the lives of his wife and children immediately after he discovered the flood waters. He succeeded in rescuing the children, but the body of Mrs. Toubms was swept out of the tent and carried into the main current of the stream. It was not recovered until Tuesday morning when it was found in a drift about a mile south of the camp. Mrs. Toubms was about 55 years old.

**Reports \$1,167,800 Deficit.**  
Washington.—A deficit for January of \$1,677,800 was shown for 202 railroads of the country in reports submitted to the interstate commerce commission, the association of railway executives have announced.

**Brings 41 Sailors In Irons.**  
Providence, R. I.—The steamship Britannia has aboard 41 men in irons, the alleged mutinous crew of the steamship Manca, which was forced into Horta, bound from France to Montreal, in February. According to wireless information from the American consul at Horta, United States mail on the Manca was rifled during the mutiny. The radio message detailed information concerning the reported revolt was in the hands of the purser of the Britannia.

# GENERAL TIE-UP IN ENGLAND IS FEARED

GRAVEST DOMESTIC SITUATION SINCE ARMISTICE NOW FACES NATION

London—At no time since the armistice has the British public been face to face with a graver domestic situation than at this week-end as a result of the miners' strike.

Hundreds of thousands have been added to the great army of unemployed which, prior to the strike, numbered more than 1,500,000. Should the railway men and transport workers decide this week to join the miners, it will be the first time that the so-called triple alliance, comprising these three unions, will have joined forces to combat what they think is an attempt by capital to scale down wages throughout the country.

James Sexton, secretary of the dockers' union states:

"I shall not be at all surprised if, in sheer desperation, the fiery cross of the triple alliance is raised in defense of the common cause should there be no way out of the present deadlock."

Already, the government is preparing to issue orders as drastic as those in force during the war for the conservation of fuel. It is said house-holders will be rationed at one hundredweight of coal weekly and will get none at all if they have ten hundredweight in stock.

Factories, shops and business houses in general will be permitted to have only 50 per cent of their average consumption.

Gas will be reduced in strength and electrical power reduced by half. There also is to be a drastic reduction in train service throughout the country. Should the triple alliance precipitate a general strike it will be necessary for the government to devise a great system of transportation and carry out a gigantic rationing system for the entire country.

A number of mines have been flooded as a result of the withdrawal of pumpmen and, in south Wales, the miners are threatening to use force to compel officials to stop pumping. While the government realizes the magnitude of the menace, the public as a whole, has not yet grasped the situation.

## CYCLONE DOES \$250,000 DAMAGE AT CLARENDON

Wind and Fire, Caused By Lightning, Wrecks Many Buildings.

Clarendon, Texas.—Clarendon was visited by a severe tornado Tuesday night about 11:15 o'clock, which was followed by a disastrous one caused by lightning, in the business district. Three brick buildings were destroyed by fire and another badly damaged.

Fire threatened the whole of the business district and only by the work of the fire boys were the other buildings saved. Six buildings are a loss, and most of the other buildings in the business section are damaged some.

The total estimate of the damage is placed at about \$250,000 in the whole town. This includes damages, complete losses of stocks of groceries and buildings, roofings and timbers torn out of buildings, wiring, cables and such other material. Reconstruction plans are already being made.

## COTTON MEETING IS HELD AT WASHINGTON

Washington.—Twenty bankers from cotton producing states Monday conferred with Secretaries Mellon and Hoover and members of the war finance corporation regarding the financing of cotton exports to move the present holdings of cotton and by so doing prevent a serious reduction in the acreage which will be used for the next cotton crop. The fullest possible utilization of the Webb, Pomerehne, Edge and war finance laws was urged upon the bankers by the two secretaries. In addition Secretary Mellon suggested that inasmuch as there will be some 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 bales of cotton held over regardless of the arrangements made for sales in the near future the cotton unsold be pooled and used as collateral for loans to finance such sales as may be made.

**New Orleans Gas Plant Wrecked.**  
New Orleans, La.—Back pressure at the gas plant of the New Orleans Railway and Light company Monday forced gas into contact with a blast flame, wrecked four out of five turbine blowers and left New Orleans with one day's supply of gas.

**Cardinal Gibbons' Estate, \$100,000.**  
Baltimore, Md.—The will of Cardinal Gibbons was filed in the orphans' court Monday dispensing of a personal estate of about \$100,000.

**Saint Jo Votes \$50,000 Bonds.**  
Saint Jo, Texas.—The Saint Jo independent school district has voted \$50,000 in school bonds for the erection and equipment of a new brick building.

**Passport Not Necessary Now.**  
Washington.—American citizens may depart from and return to the United States, and aliens may leave the United States without the formality of securing a passport under a ruling given by the department of justice.

# THE MARKETS

Supplied by the Bureau of Markets, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C., April 4, 1921.  
**GRAIN**—Apprehension of damage to growing crop by freezing weather caused a temporary price upturn the first of the week but prices began to drop on the 30th due to liquidation of coarse grains for country account. The decline continued until the 2nd when active export demand caused prices to rally, an advance that continued throughout the 4th. Visible supply wheat decreased 2,228,000 bushels for week visible supply grain increased 32,000 bushels. In Chicago cash market No. 2 red winter wheat 2-6c over Chicago May; No. 2 hard 11-12c over; No. 3 mixed corn 31-2-5c under Chicago May; No. 3 yellow 31-2-4-5c under. For the week Chicago May wheat down 51-4c at \$1.28-1-8; May corn 4-3-8c at \$2.7-8c; Minneapolis May wheat down 8-3-8c at \$1.30; Kansas City May 5-3-8c at \$1.30 2-4c; Winnipeg May 12-3-8c at \$1.67; Kansas City. Milling and export demand good. No. 2 hard wheat be over Kansas City May.

**HAY**—Many eastern markets report excessive receipts. An almost cessation of demand caused markets to rule lower. Receipts in midwestern markets continuing light but as buyers were few, quotations held only firm. In view of relatively lower prices of oats receivers are urging shippers to take advantage of present prices. Stockyards Chicago advise sufficient hay on hand to last till June. Arrivals of alfalfa the better grade generally light. Cincinnati and Boston very weak on heavy receipts; quoting \$2 to \$3 lower than week ago. Shipping demand poor. Quoted: No. 1 alfalfa \$24 Chicago, \$26.50 Memphis, \$30 New Orleans, \$21 Cincinnati, \$29 Minneapolis; No. 2 prairie \$19 Chicago, \$15 Minneapolis.

**EGGS**—Retailers in most sections report very light business due to surplus of milk. Wheat mill feed production in northwest said to have reached sixty per cent of normal on increased our business. Feed market depressingly dull and weak at lower levels. Cottonseed meal drags; sales of thirty six per cent meal reported \$22 Memphis. In keeping with decline in corn hominy feed slumped further, quoted \$1.50 lower than last week. A light export demand reported from New Orleans for this feed. Gluten feed steady but showing weak tendency. Split oats bran and standard middlings offered at \$27.25 and \$26 respectively, delivered northeastern markets. Transit offerings good and offered at discount under spot stuff in many markets. Quoted: Bran \$17, middlings \$16 Minneapolis; white and yellow hominy feed \$21 Chicago, gluten feed \$27 Chicago, thirty-six per cent cottonseed meal \$22.50 Memphis, reground oat feed \$5.50 Chicago.

**LIVESTOCK AND MEATS**—The Chicago log market declined 15-16c per 100 lbs the past week, light hogs losing most. Beef steers and heifers gradually steady; cows and feeder steers generally 25c higher. Veal calves down 50c-1c; fat lambs and yearlings 50-75c; fat ewes about steady.

April 4 Chicago prices: Hogs, bulk of sales \$8.75-10; medium and good beef steers \$8.25-9.65; butcher cows and heifers \$5-9.25; feeder steers \$7.50-9.25; light and medium weight veal calves \$7-9.50; fat lambs \$7.50-10; feeding hogs \$7.50-8.75; yearlings \$7-8.75; fat ewes \$5-6.75. With the exception of veal, fresh meat prices at eastern wholesale fresh markets showed an upward trend for the week. Lamb and mutton up 11-2c; pork steak at some markets; \$1-2 higher at others. Veal down 11-12c; ranging 50c higher to \$1 lower depending on the market. April 4th prices good grade meats: Beef \$15-17.50; veal \$17-20; lamb \$18-23; mutton \$13-16; light pork loins \$24-28; heavy loins \$28-32.

**FRUITS AND VEGETABLES**—Potato markets firm at northern shipping stations, closing 50c-51 per 100 lbs. sacked. Texas Bliss Triumphs \$5.50-10 per 100 lbs. Kansas City. Midwestern yellow onions slow and dull in city markets, 50c-61 per 100 lbs. Texas yellow Bermuda onions commercial pack mixed Nos. 1 and 2, lower Pittsburgh at \$2.65-2.75 per standard crate. Chicago market slow around \$2.25; shipping points \$1.15-1.25. Louisiana, kindlike strawberries about 10c per pint higher. New York at 25-27c per pint. Prices up 25-50c per crate midwestern markets at \$4-5 per 24 pound crate; up 1.10 per crate f. o. b. around \$4.

**DAIRY PRODUCTS**—Butter market has shown steady recovery the past week. Influence of Danish imports seems to have been pretty well discounted before shipments actually arrived and with this butter held at firm prices and domestic receipts barely taking care of demand markets have been firm. Present feeling points to no immediate break. Closing prices 92 score. New York 51 1-2c; Chicago 48 1-2c; Philadelphia 52 1-2c; Boston 51.

**COTTON**—Spot cotton prices down 55 points the past week closing around 10.89c per lb., a new low point for the season. New York May futures down 107 points at 11.45c.

## THEATRE PATRONS FLEE FROM BURNING BUILDING

Plainview, Texas.—The Maedi picture show and Cash grocery store were totally destroyed by fire Sunday night. The fire started in the film room of the show house while the building was full of people, but all made their escape without injury. The Ecks' home adjoining on the south and a quick service station on the north sustained very little damage.

Dr. J. W. Grant owned the burned buildings and the loss was \$2,000 with \$10,000 insurance. Brashear & Sons owned the cash grocery and their loss is nearly covered by \$2,000 insurance as most of the stock was saved. Dye, Ford & Rogers operated the picture show and sustained a loss of \$5,000.

**Burke Head of Indian Affairs.**  
Washington.—The contest for the commissioner of Indian affairs was settled Thursday when President Harding announced the appointment of Charles H. Burke of Pierre, S. D., to succeed Cato Sells of Texas.

**T. & P. to Remove Tracks**  
Dallas.—After 45 years of witnessing the passage of Texas & Pacific passenger and freight trains along its entire length, Pacific avenue saw the last passenger train traverse its familiar tracks at 11:20 a. m. Sunday. Few people gave a thought to the fact that Dallas was entering a new era of development and that the dream of citizens and civic bodies, political administrations and every man and woman in the city with pride in its achievement, had at last come true.



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# STATE NEWS

# Condensed Austin News

# TOMORROW'S MODES IN TAFFETA DRESSES

# PITTSBURG MAN MAKES WONDERFUL STATEMENT

A. E. Hofues was elected mayor of El Paso in the election held last week.

The sixty-eighth annual grand convocation of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Texas, will meet in Wichita Falls, April 29.

Practically all arrangements have been completed for the yearly meeting of the Master Plumbers association of Texas to be held at Waco.

An 80-foot addition to the main building of the paper pulp mill being built at Commerce has been decided on and men are now at work on the structure.

Summer tourist rates will be virtually the same this year as last, according to announcements by Texas railroad agents. The rates will also be offered to the same tourists' destination as 1920.

The Graham city council has bought a fully equipped fire truck for \$7,000. It is to be received in Graham within the next thirty days. The council also has bought an additional 2,000 feet of new fire hose.

Charity, widow's pensions and the upkeep of the county farm will cost the county of Dallas an aggregate of \$174,706.49 for the year ending July 1, 1921, as compared with \$15,133.78 for the preceding year.

C. E. Odom of the Sante Fe shop committee reports that the following number of Cleburne men will be returned to work in the shops this week: machinists, 12 apprentices, 20 help-disciplinarians and 36 boiler-makers.

Bids for construction of 95 miles of road from the eastern end of Wood county to Judkins in Ector county, which is to be a part of the Fort Worth-El Paso highway, will be advertised for within a short time.

Grade schools of Dallas will observe "Better English Week" April 11 to April 16, it was announced by J. P. Keller supervisor of grade schools. The observance will be similar to that held by the high schools last year.

In the fifth disastrous fire of the year three months Breckenridge lost a number of buildings last Thursday morning at 6 o'clock from a fire that originated from a hot plate in an apartment of the Ray Hotel.

Cyrus B. Towe of Norway, Iowa, will judge the Hereford class at the State fair of Texas to be held at Dallas Oct. 23. If the invitation extended in a letter sent to Mr. Towe by J. E. Loggins superintendent of the live stock division of the state fair, is accepted.

A crash between a north-bound interurban car and an automobile at Roller crossing, three miles south of Plano, ere the Texas Electric Interurban and the H. & T. C. railroad intersected, cost the lives of three children Sunday afternoon. The victims were Leslie K., Edna May and Oliver Jensen, Jr. Their ages were 1, 5 and 7 years respectively.

Scurry county has practically completed one of the longest direct lines built highway in west Texas, according to the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce at Snyder. This road traverses the county from southeast to the northwest, parallel to the Sante Fe railroad for a distance of 42 miles. Of this road 20 miles have been finished with gravel under supervision, with 68 bridges. The total cost of the road up to the present time is \$250,000, of which amount federal and state governments contributed \$87,000.

Acceptance of federal and state aid to the extent of \$45,000 for the rebuilding of six miles of the Dallas road, from Elm Mott to West has been approved by the county commissioners of Tarrant county.

Kansas Pass railroad will charge a rate of 40¢ per 100 pounds on crude fuel petroleum in carloads from Antonio to Florine, Texas, when shipments are consigned to and are used at the Southwest Texas Industrial Asylum.

Prospects for a good grain crop were better in Brown county than in this time. No pests of any kind impeded the progress of the crop and the rainfall has been almost ideal for the continued growth.

A burglar last Wednesday night stole the hair of Mrs. C. B. Vinson who slept in her apartments at 825 Eleventh street, Dallas. So cleverly did the burglar-barber work that Vinson and her husband were not alerted.

Prater of near Copeville, is the father of twenty-two children, eleven of whom are living and eleven are dead. The youngest was born last year.

A long county seat fight between Dickens and Dickens in Dickens county, ended with Dickens the winner. Announcement of the results of an election in which the contest culminated in the county seat being awarded to Dickens. Spurr received the majority of the votes, but not the necessary two-thirds.

Texas will be well represented at the annual meeting of the National Congress and Parent Teacher association to be held in Washington, D. C., April 26-29.

Vernon B. Hill of Waco has been selected by the publications board of the University of Texas to serve as editor in chief of the Summer School Daily Texan.

Governor Neff has not yet acted on the request of the mayor and president of the chamber of commerce of Eagle Pass for withdrawal of rangers from that city.

Governor Neff has vetoed house bill 169, increasing the salary of the clerk of the court of criminal appeals from \$2,500 to \$3,000 and deputy clerk from \$2,000 to \$2,500.

The prison commission has been advised by the attorney general's department that it may disburse the appropriation of \$350,000 for payment of debts of the prison system.

Governor Neff had vetoed house bill 184 making appropriations of \$125,000 for vocational education in Texas because it failed to meet the requirements of the Smith Hughes act.

Governor Neff has approved the Mexican plan of having commissions organized in each county or district in Texas where there are a number of Mexicans living to handle their complaints in claims and labor matters.

Clifford G. Beckham, federal prohibition director, gives out a statement to the effect that the mere addition of tartrate emetic to a colic in the proportion of thirty-two grains per gallon is not considered sufficient medication.

Disbursements of the state highway department during February amounted to \$665,517 according to the department's report which shows net receipts of \$736,625. State aid granted during the month amounted to \$169,022. Federal aid totalled \$447,181.

The railroad commission has set for hearing on April 12 the application filed by the Breckenridge Retail Merchants association asking for cancellation of second class and commodity differential freight rates heretofore granted the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Ft. Worth, Eastland, Wichita Falls & Gulf, and the Cisco & Northeastern Railway companies.

Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs, president Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent Teacher association, announces the district child welfare conferences to be held in the months of April and May as follows: First district, Clarendon, May 4-5; second district, Forney, April 14-15; third district, Athens, April 6-8; fourth district, Houston, April 6-7; fifth district, Lampasas, April 27-29.

Governor Neff has been requested by Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes to make an investigation of the case of a Mexican citizen named Magdalena Quevedo, a former employe of the Galveston Dry Dock & Construction company, who, it is alleged, was incapacitated about Sept. 15, 1920, from the effects of inhaling noxious gasses while cleaning the interior of the company's steamer Latham.

Recovery of 250 acres of oil land in Young county valued at \$100,000 is sought in a suit filed in the fifty-third district court of Travis county by the State of Texas against the Graham Oil syndicate of Young county and the Mid-Tex Petroleum company of Fort Worth. The state alleges that this land is a part of the public domain, and that it is entitled to possession thereof on January 1, 1921.

Miss Mary Helen Holden of Austin has been elected queen of the University circus, having received a total of 37,472 votes, while her nearest competitor, Miss Gladys Rountree, of Bartlett, received 34,700.

The entire brigade of Texas cavalry and probably four provisional battalions of infantry of the Texas National Guard, totaling approximately 3,000 officers and men, will be in annual encampment at Camp Mabry, near Austin the middle of June.

The properties and business of the Austin Street Railway company have upon application of the Rochester Trust company of Rochester, N. Y., been placed in the hands of a receiver by Federal Judge Duval West.

Governor Neff, in answer to an inquiry, says he has no inclination to permit Joe Puray, who is now serving a twenty-year sentence in the Texas penitentiary, to go to California, even under a guard, to testify in a case pending in that state.

Two suits for temporary injunction to restrain the Texas railroad commission from putting into effect orders which have been issued by it, have been filed in the fifty-third district court of Travis county.

By approving senate bill 41, which has for its purpose the repeal of the industrial welfare commission act, and repealing house bill 161, known as the minimum wage act, Governor Neff has wiped out every vestige of a minimum wage law in Texas.



THE directors, late eighteenth century and certain Spanish influences in the styles, are all disputing the claims of the straight-line or chemise dress, to pre-eminence. The best American and French creators of costumes appreciate the adaptability of taffetas and organzies, to bouffant skirts, and the charm of a flavor of quaintness in the silhouette that is too attractive to be ignored. Therefore, in the passing show of spring styles, among those present, and present in considerable numbers, there are such sprightly dresses as are pictured here.

The frock at the left includes a tunic among its assets, over a much narrower underskirt—a plain and inconspicuous affair that plays only a small part in the composition of the dress. The tunic and bodice divide honors in points of interest. By means of cords about the hips and at the bottom the tunic achieves a hoop-skirt effect, and it is decorated with flat puffs of the taffeta. The peasant waist also employs these puffs as a

finish for the collar. The introduction of a dainty vestee of lace and narrow velvet ribbon laced across the front are the means by which the bodice rivals the tunic. A dark and a light color are used to make the sprightly dress at the right, and ribbon plays a star role in its composition. Taffeta ribbon with a fancy edge makes the side platings that are emphasized on the tunic by placing them on a light-colored background, which might be of crepe de chine. The slip-on bodice, with double frill of plaited ribbon about the waist, has short sleeves lengthened by means of the plaited ribbon and finished with a tie of narrow ribbon. The same ribbon forms a girdle with a half-wreath of little blossoms set across the front. Nothing more original or prettier has made its appearance so far than this useful frock, but it has many competitors in a spring that is rich in its variety of attractive taffetas.

# Spring Hats Are Tempting



IT SEEMS that this spring has favored us with a greater wealth of beautiful millinery than can be recalled for many years. So many new materials have been added to those that have been long established as belonging to headwear, that there is an unending variety in the displays: lines are graceful, colors pleasing. One makes a little journey in quest of new hats with a disposition to buy more than are needed, for they are as alluring as fairy tales that never grow tiresome, with new and unexpected chapters added to those we are already devoted to. It is consulting to reflect that prices are not quite so high as they were a year ago—but they are still high enough, and this is no fairy tale. Materials and other costs of production have not yet reached a pre-war level, but they are settling. In the meantime whatever else fate may deny her, every woman is entitled to a new spring hat. She will find among the displays a few at least, and perhaps many, that enhance her good looks, for there are shapes for every face and type and colors that are subtly flattering. It is worth while to look carefully for them. A group of summer hats is shown here in shapes that have proved very recently becoming. At the top a round-crowned, rolling brimmed straw hat is very artfully curved as to its brim and handsomely embroidered on the crown. It features a large ornamental pin as a decoration and is intended to spend its days in the company of an equally classy veil, having irregular dots scattered over a fine, but open mesh. Just below it at the left a lovely leghorn effaces its upper brim and crown in favor of strips of ribbon frayed at the ends and drooping over the brim's edge. It is a model that speaks the language of youth. At the right a matronly hat suggests the Napoleonic era in shape. It is of straw with embroidered flowers strewn over it, and a wide ribbon drops over the top and sides. At the left a brilliant hat of satin and highly lustrous braid suggests a coronet and is a stately affair suited to many ages. Crepe de chine and ribbon make the elegant hat that comes last in the group, although it is the brightest star in this galaxy. The fallie ribbon so cleverly used to form the brim is in a darker color than the crepe de chine crown. A very handsome tassel clings to the crown.

Julie Bottomley

Declares Tanlac Enabled Him to Eat Better, Sleep Better and Work Better. — Has Gained Thirty Pounds.



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"I consider Tanlac the grandest medicine in the world, for I have actually gained 30 pounds in weight since I began taking it. It has just simply filled me with new life and energy and for the first time in years I can sit down to the table and enjoy three square meals a day like other people. In fact, Tanlac has made me eat better, feel better, sleep better and work better, and I guess that's all a man can expect of a medicine. "Before I took Tanlac, I was off 25 pounds in weight and was so badly run down I was hardly able to do my work. Nothing seemed to agree with me and my food invariably soured on my stomach. I would always have an uncomfortable bloated up feeling in my stomach, and although I tried many kinds of medicines, I never got relief until I took Tanlac. "I also suffered considerably at times from Rheumatism, but this has all disappeared. In fact, this wonderful medicine has made a new man out of me in every way. I feel years younger and can do as much work as in any day of my life. "Of course, I am only too glad to give you my testimonial because I want other people who are suffering as I did to take this medicine and get relief."

The above remarkable statement was made by Harry M. Allen, residing at 1009 Saint Martin Street, Pittsburg, Pa., a well known employee of the Oliver Iron & Steel Company of that city. Mr. Allen is a well known member of the United Presbyterian Church and is highly respected by all who know him. Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Adv.

# What to Do for Disordered Stomach

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. You will relish your meals without fear of trouble to follow. Millions of all ages take them for Bloating, Dizziness, Sick Headache, Upset Stomach and for Sallow, Pimply, Blotchy Skin. They end the misery of Constipation. Genuine bear Brand. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

Willing Messenger. Come Seven Johnson was relating a tale of wonderful experience in the war while his negro admirers listened pop-eyed. "Yessuh. Ah look to de right and here's a big bunch of Bushes comin' toward me, and Ah looks to de left and dere's anoder big bunch comin' toward me, and Ah looks ahead and dere's de whole Bush army comin' toward me—" "Yas, yas, and den what did yo' do?" "Man, Ah thinks of all de poor 'Mericans back of me waitin' to git pounced on—and Ah spreads de news!"—American Legion Weekly.

Victim of Necessity. "Senator," said that statesman's private secretary, "a delegation of lady lobbyists insists on being seen." "Bless their hearts!" cried the senator, in his most cheerful manner, "tell 'em to line up on the capitol steps and I'll guarantee they'll be seen by no less than half a dozen press photographers. As for me, I'm busy and positively cannot see them." "That's what the senator wanted to say." As a matter of fact, he groaned aloud, put aside a batch of important papers, and weakly said, "Show them in."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Old Favorite. "Professor," said Mrs. Newrich to the distinguished musician who had been engaged to entertain her guests, "what was that lovely selection you played just now?" "That, madam," he answered, "was an improvisation." "Ah, yes, I remember now. I knew it was an old favorite of mine, but I could not think of the name of it for the moment."—Boston Transcript.

Lost and Found. About 15,000 articles found on trains and about the stations are turned into the lost and found department at the Grand Central terminal in New York in the course of a year. Besides this there are 30,000 personal and telephone calls to be answered in reference to articles which are not turned in, being picked up by persons on trains or about the stations who never make any report of them.

Happiness grows within you and is shaped and trained by your care. Organize; even people who won't join will give you their moral support.

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#### Like Good Town

Eliasville, April 1.—Eliasville, Texas with the coming of its first railroad and the activity in its surrounding proven oil fields looks like the best town in the country at the present time to make money.

The activity of the city and the prosperity of its business men are beginning to attract men with capital from all parts of the country. The opportunity to make money in Eliasville are many even for the man who arrives with a modest capital.

In view of the spring rush and the added business that the railroad is going to bring, it is easily understood why Eliasville men are often heard to say that they are doubling their money on 80 day investments.

The new railroad town of the Texas oil fields has a period of healthy growth to look forward to. It looks certain that her business men are in line to make good money. Adv.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Lynn.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1921, at the Dixie School House in Common School District No. 18, of this county as established by order of the County Board of Trustees of date the 26th day of July, A. D. 1919, which is of record in book designated "Record of School Districts," on pages 64 and 65, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said common school district in the amount of \$4,000.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100.00 each, numbered consecutively from 1 to 40, both inclusive, payable 20 years from their date, with option of redemption at any time after 10 years from their date and bearing 5 per cent interest per annum, payable annually on April 10th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts legally contracted in constructing and equipping a public free school building and to determine whether the commissioners' court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay principal at maturity.

H. D. Heath, Sr., is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereon to the commissioners' court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE BONDS."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE BONDS."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 26th day of March, 1921, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1921.

S. W. SANFORD, Sheriff.

313tc Lynn County, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Spanish peanuts in good condition; \$1.00 per bushel. See Claude Johnson on Carter's ranch, 10 miles southeast of Tahoka. 31tc

For Hemstitching and peeing see Mrs. C. C. Brazell, Slaton, Texas. Box 116. 314tc

FOUND—Lady's hat; owner may have same by calling at this office, describing property and paying for this notice. 31c

LOST—One red horse mule; about 4 years old; branded Z slash on right shoulder. \$5.00 reward for information leading to recovery. C. L. Ely, Rt. A, Post Texas. 312tp

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FOR SALE—One Jersey cow; will take part feed. I. S. Doak, at the Sanitary Barber Shop. 29c

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FOR SALE—Three Roller molas mill; copper pan; will sell worth the money. D. M. Estes. 294tp

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Boar; farrowed Jan. 8. \$25. Carries popular blood lines and good individual. WILL MONTGOMERY

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FOR SALE—Household furniture, piano, and incubator. Mrs. R. A. Carter, Phone 59K.

### Veteran Service

I will be in Tahoka on "Trades Day," the first Saturday in May, the 7th. Those wishing my services will find me at the Lewis Wagon yard on the above date. Dr. L. W. KITCHEN, Veterinary Surgeon, Post, Texas 323tc

FOR SALE—14 head good work horses; 4 good wagons and harness; will trade for good Ford car; will sell for cash or good notes. See me at Leedy Hotel. Jno. A. King. 321tp

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Give your name to City secretary, if lights are wanted.

I. P. METCALF, Secretary.

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J. H. McNeely has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners' court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For School Tax."

And those opposed to such taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against School Tax."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by order made on the 30th day of March, 1921, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 30th day of March, 1921.

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feeling after meals. Sour stomach and sick headache can be relieved by taking Black-Draught. It aids digestion, assists the liver in throwing off impurities. I am glad to recommend Black-Draught, and do, to my friends and neighbors."

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PART IV.

The Ascent to Mars.

When Mr. Robert Hervey Randolph, as Slim Hervey, chauffeur, vice Patrick O'Reilly, ex-director of the Village company's No. 7898, skidded that sleek disconcertingly to the curb in front of the Poppy Club and, as a result of his criminal negligence, in connection with Miss Eugene Pamela Thornton's reprehensible pecking operation, hurried that young lady to the middle of the sidewalk. Her hands on her knees, he leaped from his seat on spontaneous impulse to help her to feet and administer every kind of comfort that the occasion seemed to demand.

Two considerations, however, shot in the double-barreled blunderbuss of ridicule and honor, caught him on the wing, as it were, and deflected the flight from west to east with a sharp turn due south at the corner of the seventh street and Sixth avenue. The first place, out of the corner of his eye he had seen his one-time friends, Mr. Nearton, Mr. Verries and Mr. Berry descending the shallow club steps in an avalanche; in the second place, he suddenly recollected that Miss Thornton was an heiress, and above his present station and, as he had gathered from between the lines in various advertisements in the local press referring to location of his person, on thank-and otherwise recompensing him turning to the right in a matter ten thousand dollars a year, unneeded increment.

As he gazed for one too brief second into the pleading eyes and adoring eager face of this lovable vision her hands and knees, which it seemed unbelievable he had once held his arms, only the oft-repeated epigram of his nurse: "I could not love thee, dear, so much loved I not honor more," kept him from facing the avalanche of ridicule and giving the eternally recurring Diogenes with his lantern un for his money. As previously noted, it was not to be. Mr. Randolph turned from the waiting arms the sweetest temptation ever red by man and made his swift way to the sanctum of Mr. Tourke O'Shaughnessy, foreman-manager of Village Cab company.

"Robert!" he cried beamingly. "My dear boy, I'm glad to see you!" "Don't take the glad hand, Slim," warned Mr. O'Shaughnessy. "The little runt may be tryin' to serve papers on yer. Now, gents, show yer warrant er I'll call the boys an' you take the consequences." "I guess it's all right, Tourke," said Slim weakly. "They aren't going to pull me, exactly." "I don't care whether they think they're goin' to pinch you er not," remarked Mr. O'Shaughnessy, fixing malignant eyes on the two heavy flanking forces of the small lawyer. "I never did like the smell of fat." Suddenly he roared: "Hey! Boys!" The two bulls, strayed into inhospitable pastures, turned, stepped cat-footed to the door, and took the flight of steps in three. They cannot be blamed, for they had recognized in Mr. O'Shaughnessy the man who had once been arrested for pushing over with one hand a Ford that had crowded him.

"Now, Robert," said the legal personage, apparently quite oblivious of the desertion of his supports, "I just want to talk with you. May I sit down?" "Certainly, Mr. Milyuns," said Robert, apathetically. "Excuse me," murmured Mr. O'Shaughnessy. "Did I, or didn't I get the name correct?" "I beg your pardon, Tourke," said Robert, "Mr. Borden Milyuns; Mr. Tourke O'Shaughnessy." He pronounced it "O'Shaughnessy," to the delight of the owner's ears, long unaccustomed to the correct intonation of the exotic patronymic.

"I did hear correct," said Mr. O'Shaughnessy, as he rose and tipped from the room. "I leave you to your family affairs," he added from the door, his eyes drinking a last view of the brain king he had dared to call a runt.

"Mr. Milyuns," he said, "I always did like you; now I've got a deeper feeling. They call it love. I admit to the human end of you that the only thing that keeps me from rushing straight away to call on the lady you have so accurately described is the fact that I haven't money and she has."

"But what about the job I offered you?" interjected Mr. Milyuns. "I was coming to that," said Mr. Randolph. "I'm not keen on charity from you any more than from Miss Thornton, but—more than that—I wouldn't bury myself in your stuffy old skyscraper at any cash price known to man. In the first place, you belong to the most unoriginal of all professions, and, in the second, you make money too slowly."

"Make money too slowly!" gasped Mr. Milyuns, forgetting Bobby and Pamela and their affairs for the first time in three weeks, and remembering, for a change, and with a twinge of his hardened conscience, the size of his last retainer. "Ha!" But Mr. Randolph allowed him no time for indulgence in vocal mirth. "That's what I said," he continued, unmoved. "To meet Miss Thornton face to face and unshamed, I feel that I must have a capital of at least a hundred thousand."

He sank his head in thought for a moment. When he raised it again, the widely placed blue eyes were there. So was the saddle of faint freckles across his nose; so was the guarantee of honesty across his open face, but superimposed over all was a new look of sudden resolution. "You will please tell Miss Thornton," he resumed, "that I shall do myself the honor of calling on her one week from the day after tomorrow at four in the afternoon. There is a condition, however, and it is that I be left alone without any mental reservation by her and you and your agents during the intervening time."

## WHEN ACCIDENTS HAPPEN TO AUTO

Motorist in Unpleasant Predicament Because He Failed to Take Precaution.

### NOTE CIRCUMSTANCES FULLY

Important Point Offered for Jury's Consideration Is Whether Car Was in Rightful Place—Insurance Saves Worry.

To the owner of a new car who is just testing his wings, so to speak, on the highway it may seem ghoulish to talk of what to do in case an accident happens to his car or through it. But we all know that accidents involving motorcars do happen, though in a majority of cases the car owner is not to blame.

No matter how guiltless of wrong the motorist may be unless he knows what to do at the time the accident occurs, knows how to protect himself, in other words, he may find himself in an unpleasant predicament simply because he has failed to take certain precautions.

Note All Circumstances. To begin with, the car owner should try to keep his mind as calm as possible and note all the attendant circumstances at the time of the accident. He should get from any bystanders their names and addresses and also those of people in nearby buildings, provided those persons witnessed the accident.

If the motorist knows that the fault has not lain with him he should point out to the people whose names he has gathered particular phases of the accident, measure any distances that may be germane to the subject by pacing, if no other means is at hand. Be certain to get some corroboration of the rate of speed at which the car was being driven. If the horn or other warning signal was sounded be sure to have witnesses ready to help prove this fact.

In case the accident has occurred at the intersection of two streets, it is important to prove that the vehicle had been slowed down before coming to the crossing.

Rightful Place of Car. One of the most important points offered for a jury's consideration is whether or not the car was in its rightful place in the street. Was it on the right hand side of the thoroughfare, where it belonged? Testimony to this effect will help the defendant. If the emergency brake was firmly set, unprejudiced witnesses may be shown this for later use in court.

When an accident happens at night it is important to prove that the lights were properly burning and in order. When the mishap occurs in rainy weather or when the streets are slippery it should be shown if possible that the nonskid chains were in place on the tires.

In case the trouble came when the car was making a turn, call attention to the fact that it was making a wide turn, in accordance with the statutes, and was on the proper side of the road.

If a person has been injured, try to remember his conduct just before the accident. Was he behaving in a way to make him guilty of negligence, as, for instance, sheltering himself under an umbrella, and not keeping a proper lookout? Were you, the operator, looking ahead and tending to your driving, or were you talking or otherwise permitting your attention to be distracted?

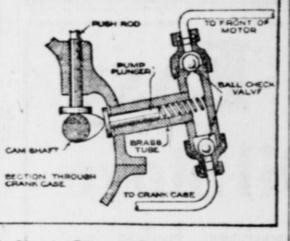
If you can prove by measurements that you brought your car to a halt within the distance required for checking the progress of a car driven within the legal speed limit you will have scored a distinct point.

## OIL PUMP FIXED ON AUTOMOBILE ENGINE

Prevents Clogging and Burned-Out Bearings.

Illustration Shows Plan for Arranging Force-Feed Oiling System at Small Expense—Operated by One of the Cams.

On an automobile engine which was oiled by the "splash" system, it was found that the tube which conducted the oil from the flywheel to the front part of the engine became clogged, and some burned-out bearings resulted. To prevent the recurrence of this accident, a pump was installed in the oil line and connected to be driven by the cam shaft, as shown in the sketch. The upper part of the motor crank case, on the camshaft side, was drilled out and tapped opposite one of the cams, to take a brass tube, which was threaded with a standard pipe thread. This tube was reamed out to a snug fit for a small piece of shafting, which formed the plunger of the pump. Another piece of tubing was screwed onto the first at right angles, and to the ends of it, through two ball-check valves, were attached the oil tubes leading to the crank case and to the bearings of the engine. These check valves acted to prevent oil from flowing back to the crank case, while permitting it to flow in the proper direction. On the end of the plunger was



A Simple Plunger Pump, Attached to the Crank Case and Operated by One of the Cams, Provides "Sure-Fire" Oiling for the Auto Engine.

fastened a striking plate of hard steel, against which the cam pushed once during every revolution of the cam shaft. In this way the engine was provided with a force-feed oiling system at small expense.—G. A. Luers, Washington, in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

## AUTOMOBILE FINTS

The total automobile revenue for 1921 in New York state is estimated at \$11,000,000.

For the first time six-wheeled motor omnibuses have recently been placed on the highways of Paris for passenger traffic.

During the six months, April to September, 1920, there were 7,498 motor vehicles, valued at \$10,000,000, imported into India.

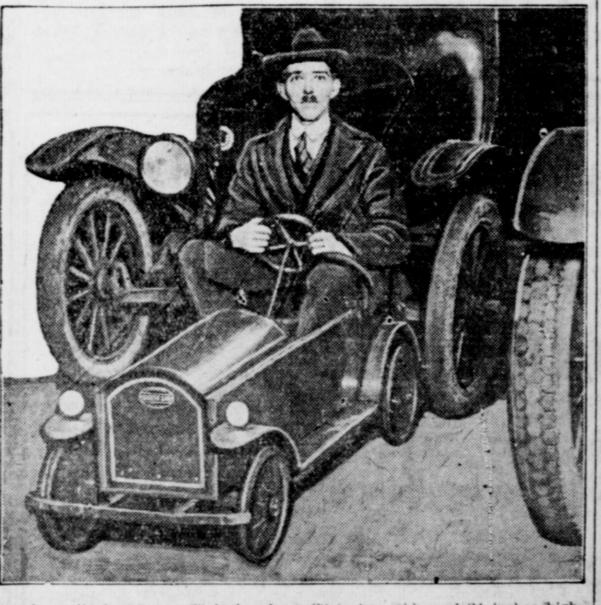
To relieve the traffic congestion in the center of the city of Philadelphia, all left-hand turns in the business district are prohibited.

While the United States has one automobile for every 14 inhabitants, England has one for 180 inhabitants, and France one for 198.

According to estimates, one-fourth of an American citizen's income is the limited means to spend on the upkeep of a passenger automobile.

The toolmakers are the highest paid of any automobile workers, making from \$60 to \$70 a week, plus time and a half for overtime and holidays.

## SMALL ELECTRIC CAR APPEARS



A small electric car 60 inches long, 22 inches wide and 24 inches high, with the speed of ten miles per hour, made its appearance on Michigan boulevard in Chicago the other day, and attracted more attention than any of the larger cars on the boulevard.

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### News From Wilson

The teachers of the Sunday School served lunch to the congregation at the church house Sunday after the morning service. There were about 125 present and all had plenty to eat and seemed to enjoy themselves. The shut-ins of the town were kindly remembered too as each were presented with a sandwich, cup of cream and slice of cake.

Mrs. Weems left Saturday for Fluvanna, Goldwaite and San Saba for an extended visit with relatives.

Grandpa and Granma Hendrix and Tom Hendrix and wife visited Sunday in the Magnolia community.

The school girls won a game of basket ball over the Magnolia team Monday afternoon. The score being 18 to 10.

Quite a number from here went to Slaton last week.

Mrs. Hamlett has had her mother and sister visiting her for several days.

Mrs. Browder and children left Tuesday for Oklahoma to make their future home.

Reporter.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for their kindness and beautiful floral offerings in our deep bereavement.

T. W. Hale and family.

### Girls Told How to Be Perfect Ladies

Chicago, April 11.—Twenty-three high school deans laid down the law to the flappers they teach today.

The law comes from a book still wet from the presses written by Miss Fannie Smith, and 22 other deans.

According to the book, if a high school cutie is to be a perfect lady she must NOT:

Cross her legs any place but in the privacy of her own boudoir.

Chew gum in public (and not very often in private).

Have curbstone dates with her gentlemen friends.

Sing ragtime.

alk in movies

Toddle.

Rouge.

Wiggle

### O'Donnell Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wells went to Lubbock Saturday, returning home Sunday.

M. and Mrs. Wagner were Tahoka visitors last week.

Clyde Frost of Lamesa, was here on business Tuesday

J. F. Shook was a Lamesa visitor Monday.

M. and Mrs. McLaurin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Covey returned Saturday from Brownfield, where they have been visiting Mr. Covey's people

A number from here attended the singing at Grasland last Sunday and all report a nice time.

Reporter.

### Another 1-4 Pound Hen Egg

Ollie Wright brought to this office Monday of this week a hen egg that is a good match to the one mentioned in these columns last week. The egg weighed a quarter pound and measured 7x7 1/4 inches around. Lynn county can certainly produce the large hen eggs. The above mentioned egg was produced by a Rhode Island Red hen.

Frank Maddox of Lubbock, spent a few hours here Tuesday.

Buy it at home.

### REAL RURAL SCHOOL

By Phebe K. Warner.

The reason Lynn County, Texas, has real rural schools is because they have real rural teachers out there. Women who are proud of their profession and their position in a country school. Women who have been tempted time after time to accept city positions in city schools but after weighing the new proposition up with the rural proposition they decided in favor of the rural school. And some day when more teachers are teaching for the good of their great profession and for the joy of character construction there will be a grand rush of good teachers to the country.

But as long as men and women are teaching school for a mere salary, for convenience, for the sake of something to do temporarily and as a stepping stone to something HIGHER (!) (?) they are going to stick close to the concrete sidewalks, the picture show, the railroad and society. But when they reach a place in their own self estimation where they do not need an educational boss; someone to tell them what to do and how to do it every day; someone to carry all the responsibility of the school and let them just hear lessons; someone to run to with every little trifle for discipline, then they are going to enjoy getting out into a real rural community and go to work. When they are not afraid of a little mud and sand; when the wind can't stop them or their little plans, and when they are not afraid to WORK, real work, they are going to want to teach in the country. They are going out where they have fewer families but all the families of a single neighborhood to deal with. They are going where they can organize their own school, make their own plans and carry out their own ideas of what a school ought to be. And we have never seen it fail, when a teacher goes into a rural school for the sole purpose of developing every child in her school; for the purpose of living in and being a part of that community while she is there, and doing everything she can to make that community a happier, better place for everybody in it, she is always appreciated. She is always invited to stay another year, and she is always backed by the people.

New Home (isn't that a pretty name for a school?) is just such a school as this. It is a three-room school in a progressive rural community on the South Plains. Miss Draper of Waco, Texas is the superintendent, and Mrs. Hamilton of Lamesa, Texas, is her assistant. Miss Draper is a Baylor student, a college woman, with a heart full of love for every boy and girl in her school. She is not teaching because she has to or cannot do anything else. She is teaching because she wants to; because she loves the work; because she enjoys that kind of service for her Maker and her country. Such discipline; such mutual admiration between teachers and pupils is a rare thing. But she sets the example. She treats every boy and girl as if they were real citizens. And life is only a mirror. Every action is a reflex action. Naturally she receives from her pupils and her community just what she gives them.

To you who are teaching in rural schools and "just hate it," why do you hate it? Isn't it because you have given none of your BEST SELF to your work or the people who are paying your salary? Look into your own heart a minute and you may see what is wrong.

And Mrs. Hamilton, the primary teacher at New Home, is a little woman who paid the greatest price for her country. Instead of home she dreamed of when the war was over she is back in the school-room giving her life to the children. The home is gone and her soldier husband is somewhere with the other boys who never came back.

The third room is not yet equipped, but soon will be, because the school of more than fifty pupils has outgrown the first two rooms.

New Home is such a true name for a school; for school is a New Home for every child that enters it, and the very name will be an inspiration to everyone in the entire district to make this New Home for all their children the most attractive and the most interesting home in all the country. Our State's greatest need is more rural teachers like those at the New Home school.

### ITEMS FROM THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

J. G. Mayhew, of Tahoka, passed through Lubbock today on his way home from Spur, where he had been for several days visiting with relatives.

J. W. Ward, of Tahoka, spent Wednesday of this week in Lubbock, attending to business matters. Mr. Ward reports things in the Tahoka section as being in fair shape since the recent rain.

Read the News want ads.

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