## Slow, Steady Rains Beneficial to Hansford County Wheat

The Hansford county wheat crop coming along at a satisfactory ce. The slow, steady rains of the st two weeks throughout the ente county, have been of inestimable oking well. The acerage is larger an was ever sown in this section dore. Sam W. Martin, county agent to is in position to make a rather curate estimate places the acreage mitory at 325,000 acres. This is rater by far than was sown in1926, her the record breaking crop was rested. A half crop next year give the farmers more bushels wheat than were produced in 1926 to the increased acreage. Thousis of acres of wheat is been alone. More new land has been this section this of acres of wheat is sown on in cultivation in this section this in any one year of the enty's history. And with a little w during the winter months, a crop is almost assured. It has od start, and prospects are mighbright at the present time.

### NABB VISITS CENTRAL TEXAS POINTS

S. McNabb, prominent real esdealer of Spearman, returned latter part of tast week from an anded visit to central Texas ended visit to central Texas ats. Mr. McNabb visited Fort orth Mineral Wells, Ranger ints down state. He reports fair to ghty good crops everywhere. mers are getting a good price their cotton and the yield is e the average most everywhere. corn is the best in years. This crop will mean but one thingers will be prosperous and imdiately after the crop is gathered sold they will begin to look t for new homes. Hansford enty will get her share of the seekers. The year 1928 will msford county than has ever come tober 3. ne year before.

### RST FOOTBALL GAME TOMORROW

Spearman High school plays her t real football tomorrow, Friday, mber 30. The game is matched th the Guymon High school team is called for 4:00 o'clock on the al gridiron. Coach Savage has me putting the boys through the for several weeks, and it is ight that they will make an exlent showing in this their first and that before the season they will be playing real foot-Everyone should go out to the grounds tomorrow afternoon see the game. Encourage the is by attending the game.

## FREAKISH BET WAS THIS

The intense interest among Spearh fight fans in the Tunney-Dempnill at Chicago on Thursday at of last week, led to some freakbets. It seems that after all illable cash and other assets had "placed." the enthusiasts reted to almost desperate means of h Hays bet his shirt against anher party's shirt that Dempsey goods on the spot, which happento be on Main street. Not so Earl Pittman, who bet his B. D's with Walter Beck, against a e suit, that the ex-champion would me back. This bet was paid, but s paid in the wee small hours of morning, when no one was astir. the manner in which the bet last ferred to was paid off, and there is ong talk of a frame-up

lie to destroy! A lie to save! the havoc they worked in "The ce of Honor," at Rex, Oct. 3-4.

Mrs. Bud Barnes and children of aka, and Mrs. E. A. Hughes of tarman, visited relatives and ends at Conlin and Dumas over week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Barkley remed Tuesday from Denton, where muddy roads on the return trip. as Barkley and Miss Lois Morton resent Spearman at C. I. A. this

## ARCHER-FULLER

On Wednesday, September 21, at the parsonage of the First Christian church in Amarillo, occurred the wedding of Miss Blanche Archer to Guy R. Fuller, the Rev. O'Malley officiating. The marriage of this popular young couple came as a great surprise to their many friends in Spearman and vicinity, where they are both well and favorably known. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Archer, old-time residents of this section, but for the past year residing in Amarillo. Miss Blanche was a student in Spearman high school and finished all but her senior year in this school. She was a graduate from the Amarillo high school last year. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fuller, substantial farmer-stockman of the Black community. Guy last year finished his sophomore year at W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, where for several years he was one of the members of the famous basket ball team. He is not in school life imprisonment, this year. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller are spending this week at the home of the groom's parents in the Black be located permanently soon.

### THE REV. ATTICUS WEBB WILL LECTURE IN SPEARMAN MONDAY, OCTOBER 3

Rev. Lewis was in Spearman last Saturday, making arrangements for by the first great law-giver, Moses, the coming of Rev. Atticus Webb, affords about the only adequate president of the Texas Division of punishment and the most effective the Anti Saloon League. The Rev. Webb will be here on Monday night, October 3, and will deliver a lecture at the Methodist church. Rev. Lewis went from here to Perryton to arrange dates for Rev. Webb. Everyone is cordially invited to hear Rev. Webb at the Mcthodist church in Spearman, on Monday night, Oc-

### 'THE PRICE OF HONOR" IS UNUSUAL DRAMA BASED ON CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE

filmed is the basis of the story of a party on Tuesday afternoon. Sep-"The Price of Honor," the Columbia tember 27. The little folks enjoyed deals with the unfairness of convict- they had. Those in attendance were: irg a man on circumstantial evidence Roy Hook, Riley Hook, Billy Edd and shows the evil that is done not Earbour, Junior Beck, Junior Priddy, only in his life but in the lives of both his friends and enemies.

Many an innocent man has been could not prove that he was a victim | West Spearman. of circumstances, and through the injustice of his imprisonment, that LOCATING WEST COUNTY LINE has been turned into an embittered person, often an enemy of society. It is this theme that Dorothy Howell used in writing "The Price of Honor' which in its film form is a gripping and enthralling drama.

When the principal character Daniel Hoyt, returns from prison to to find his niece in love with the son of the man who brought about his ng their favorite. For instance, that eminent jurist a lesson he will never forget on the fallibilty of cirwhich will fasten on the son of his guilty. Just as carefully he compiles the evidence which will save the young man after his father has been taught a lesson.

However, Daniel Hoyt dies and the evidence he prepared never reaches the man for whom it is intended. His and forevermore the western bounwell intentioned plan for a salutary dary line of Hansferd county, which good old U. S. A. lesson brings about, instead, chaos would be the eastern boundary iin

William V. Mong, the famous character actor, gives one of the more in the performance of this task most finished performances of the In the re-locating, something like screen in the tensely damatic role 1000 acres-of land on which Sherof Daniel Hoyt. Besides Mr. Mong, the cast of "The Price of Honor" in- the years gone by, will now be asc'udes such well known names as sessed for taxes in Hansford county, Dorothy Revier, Malcom McGregor, according to the findings of Gustav von Seyffertitz, Dan Mason James and Mr. Trigg. There will be and Erville Alderson.

by went to place their daughter to the Rex Theater, Spearman, on ed as proficient surveyors, seem to

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## MATTHEW KIMES MUST DIE

Matthew Kimes has been given the death penalty.

must die.

Under the Oklahoma law, six months must intervene between the assessment of the death penalty and the execution, in order to give the convicted man ample opportunity to

appeal. Whether Kimes will ever be executed for the offense of which he has police. He is only charged with complicity in the crime. One of his confederates, Roy Brandon, a hopeless cripple, is said to have fiired the fatal shot.

murder. If the jury should fail to assess the death penalty against him, it is doubtful if the death penalty against Kimes will be allowed to stand. For, if the higher court should sustain the verdict, great pressure would no doubt be brought to bear upon the governor of the state to commute the punishment to

There are other members of the gang yet to be tried. Their fate is problematical. They robbed two banks in Beggs and when chief of pocommunity. They are undecided as banks in Beggs and when chief of po-yet as to their future home, but will lice McAnally engaged them in battle, he was killed.

While the infliction of the death penalty is a most serious matter, yet it would appear that when men deliberately go out to rob and to kill the doctrine of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, as pormulgated means of protecting society.

The jury said that Kimes must die. If other juries will decree that his confederates must also die, and if the higher courts and the governor shall permit the verdicts to stand, one gang of bandits at least will have met a just fate, and the law will have been vindicated .- Lynn County

## **ENJOYABLE BIRTHDAY PARTY**

ed a number of his little friends at Anita Jackson, Murrelline Jackson, Ruby Ruth Kelly, Colleen Kelly, Juanita Beck. Cecil Junior is the

T. O. James, well known in Hansford county as a surveyor, former resident of Texas county, Oklahoma, was called from his home in Union county, New Mexico, several weeks ago, by the commissioners court of Hansford county, to do some surveying on the west line of this county. It seems that several months ago conviction, he determines to teach Howard Trigg, surveyor of Amarillo, was employed by Lee Bivins and possibly other large land owners of west block of land which lies in both old enemy a crime of which he is not Hansford and Sherman counties. In making this survey Mr. Trigg discounty. The Hansford county commissioners court immediately emto re-locate and to fix permanently unutterable and tragedy to several of Sherman county and touching Moore county at the north-east corner. Mr. James spent two weeks or man county has collected taxes in is not yet.

> Come to Parent-Teachers Association Friday, October 7.

## VICTIMS OF APPENDICITIS

Spearman sent two of her popular young people to hospitals for oper-A jury in the district court at Ok-mulgee brought in a verdict Monday past week. Miss Irene Womble, asnight to the effect that the bandit sistant secretary of the chamber of commerce and assistant to the city clerk, was taken to the Northwest Texas hospital at Amarillo on Sunday, where she will undergo an operation. Bob Thom, staid old member of the First National bank force, was taken to Wichita the latter part of last week for an operation. It was thought by attending physicians that been convicted is yet extremely both these young people were suffer-doubtful. It is not yet contended ing from appendicitis and that operthat he in person fired the shot that ations would be necessary. Mr. took the life of the Beggs chief of Thom returned to Spearman Tuesday night, but will go back to the hospital soon for an operation. No word has been received as to how Miss Womble is getting along.

### Brandon is now on trial for the STUDY CLUB IN INTERESTING MEETING TUES. AFTERNOON

The Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday afternoon at the R. W. Morton home, with Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, lesson leader. Mrs. Buchanan gave an interesting discourse on the lesson topics: "What the child means to his parents," and "Obedience."

Other numbers were: Poem, "Baby May," by William Cox Bennett-Mrs. W. L. Russell.

Poem, "O Sleep My Babe," by Sara Coleridge—Mrs. A. H. Wilcox. Poem, "Choosing a Name," by Mary

Lamb-Mrs. E. K. Snider. Story, "The Child's Dream of Star"-Mrs. John Duncan.

Discussion: "The Child; It's Care and Nurture"-Mrs. R. W. Morton. Mrs. John Duncan, art director, led a study and discussion of the twelve most famous paintings.

Mrs. R. W. Morton, vise president presided during the business session. The next meeting will be held in two weeks, at the home of Mrs. A

### AMARILLO NEWS PREVARI-CATES ABOUT WEATHER

Gross, Rude, Uncalled-for Misrepre sentation of Facts Puts Spearman

The Amarillo Daily News of date September 27, 1927, features a Cecil Junior White, in commemor- story that Spearman was the coldest ation of his fifth birthday, entertain- place in the panhandle on that particular day. The writer had the story, in the whole, was correct, Rex Theater, October 3 and 4 homes to tell of the wonderful time as the feature film attraction. It homes to tell of the wonderful time wrong. It was pushed down to "37" but never reached "34," as reported by the News. The News correspondent at this place must be a newcomer, unaccustomed to Panhandle weather. The story follows.

"The Panhandle was moderating railroaded into jail just because he son of Mr. and Mrs. Howell White of last night and the forecast was warmer with little threat of snow or frost from the coldest wave of the year which swept most of the North American continent and even the British Isles during the last forty-

eight hours. "Spearman, Texas, reported a cold wave yesterday which pushed the mercury down to 34 degrees, the lowest temperature reported to The News office for the Texas Panhandle.

"In Amarillo the temperature slid down from 82 degrees Sunday afternoon to a minimum of 38 degrees the party's shirt that Dempsey cumstantial evidence. Carefully he Hansford and south and east Sher-win. Lon lost and delivered lays each link of a chain of evidence man county, to survey a certain 25 when the mercury dropped from

The figures as given above, relalocated the west line of Hansford in the thermometer on this particular day, are taken from the records kept ployed Mr. James and instructed him banker and trap-shooter, who keeps an accurate record of the doings of the weather at Spearman for the

## MEMBERS OF ARCHER FAMILY HURT IN CRASH

Two sons of Bob Archer, oil operaoverturned on the river road, just or a loaf of bread is concealed a tax north of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. which is our share of what is paid to Archer and their three children were replace what fire destroys. The in- cade: returning from Spearman. Wet pav- surance company, taking the pre- 1916 de Erville Alderson.
"The Price of Honor" is coming These two pre-eminent and recogniz"The Price of Honor" is coming These two pre-eminent and recognizsuffered rather deep lacerations on year the per capita fire tax imposed Wirginia, in C. I. A. They re- Monday and Tuesday, October 3-4 agree in their findings. And the end her limbs, and the children were by America's huge fire waste was \$5, cut about the face by flying glass. and when we add to this the indirect

### IF THE FARMER FAILS, WHAT THEN?

By A. K. SHORT, Federal Land Bank of Houston

Business is governed and controlled by credit and money. Credit is maintained solely by the ability of the people to eventually pay money Wealth can only be created by mining, manufacturing, fishing and agriculture. Business channels accumulate wealth but do not create it.

While the oil interests and other mining industries contribute to our wealth, and manufacturing and fishing will always be important, yet our agriculture is, and will forever be the main source of wealth in this state. It will be the only source thru which we will come to the comforts and necessities of life. Agriculture will forever remain the chief factor in credit and money through out this nation.

A graph, showing the crop value per acre, and the business failures over a period of years from 1866 to 1922, shows that the per cent of business failures rise and fall in direct ratio to the rise and fall of acre money return from farm land.

The average net money returns per acre of land is in direct ratio to the acre yield. The farmer's ability to pay for land, and to live in comfort, and to prepare his children for the battles of life are in direct ratio to his income from labor on the farm.

The business man's abality to suc ceed is dependent upon the farmer's ability to buy his goods.

The farmer's ability to produce sufficient revenue to keep his family in comfort, is depedent upon soil fer tility. Where there are fertile soils we find a contented and prosperous farm folk and prosperous business

The first step in permanent soil fertility is conservation of the soil. This must be done by terracing rolling lands and draining swampy lands. After land is terraced, or drained, the next step is to practice systemat ic crop rotation, and add barnyard manure and commercial fertilizer to improve the physical condition of the soil, and to add plant food.

The problem of soil conservation and soil fertility is a point responsibility of the farmer and the business man. The welfare of both depend upon it. The individual farmer can not escape the responsibility because upon the ability of the farmer to pro-"changed" consequently we feel that duce abundantly. The business man the story, in the whole, was correct, cannot escape the responsibility because the success of his business depends upon the efficiency of the group of farmers comprising his trade territory.

The greater the bond of sympathy and co-operation that exists between the farmer and the business man, the greater will bethe success of both.

### P. T. A. WILL MEET FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7

The Spearman Parent-Teachers association will meet Friday, October 7 at 3 p. m. in the High School auditorium. The following program is to be given :

Song. Invocation.

Morals and Manners-Miss Foster. Manners, Morals and Civics-Mr.

Manners, Morals and Culture-Mrs. Martin.

The Parent-Teachers Association

will meet the first Friday in each month, and everyone is invited to attend. It should be the duty of every parent to attend. Many interesting programmes have been, arranged concerning the problems of children.

### CALLED TO HOLLIS; SICKNESS OF SISTER

D. P. Tice, proprietor of Hotel Tice, Spearman, was called to Hollis, Oklahoma, Wednesday morning by telegram, stating that his sister, Mrs. Dora Abernathy, was seriously sick.

### "TO A FRIEND"

"I love you not only for what you are, but for what I am when I am with you."

"I love you not only for what you have made of yourself, but for what you are making of me.'

I love you for putting your hand into my heaped-up heart and passing over all the foolish and frivolous and weak things that you can't help dimly seeing there, and for drawing out onto the light all the beautiful, radiant belonging that no one else had looked quite far enough to find."

"I love you for ignoring the possibilities of the fool and the weakling in me, and for laying firm hold on the possibilities for good in me."

"I love you for closing your ears to the discords in me, and for adding to the music in me by worshipful list ening.'

"I love you because you are helping me to make of the lumber of my life not a tavern, but a temple, and of the words of my every day not a reproach, but a song."

"I love you because you have done more than any creed could have done to make me good, and more than any his and his family's welfare depends fate could have done to make me happy."

You have done it without a touch without a word, without a sign."

"You have done it just by being yourself. Perhaps that is what being a friend means, after all."-

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roper and little son of Perryton were guests in the Merle Jackson home Sunday.

## Fire Facts for Fire Prevention Week, October 9 to 15, Inclusive

Stop fires before they start. Fires the individual burden becomes at can be prevented-the week directs least twice the above figure. attention to this. It is time to start stopping fires-to begin a campaign lasting 52 weeks in the year. We are told that a cow in Mrs.

O'Leary's barn kicked a lantern and tion in 1871. The 56th anniversary of this is Fire Prevention Week noon to a minimum of 38 degrees the coldest for this year by nine degrees and on the very same date as the freezing weather last September 24-25 when the mercury dropped from 72 to 32 accompanied by sleet."

1927. Mrs. O'Leary's cow is symbolic of our everyday carelessness per cent being of the dependent which is costing annually thousands of lives and hundreds of millions of dollars. Most fires are prevention.

Were nigured by lire last year in the United States and Canada, 80 per cent being of the dependent which is costing annually thousands of millions of dollars. Most fires are prevention. -we need only apply plain, common son e. There is no excuse for fire starting, or once started, spreading beyond the place of orgin.

## Does Fire Affect You?

about fire," perhaps you say, "my house and property are insured." Yes, the dry goods merchant, the grocer, the butcher and the baker also carry insurance on their property, on their stores and stock of goods. Everything that we buy is insured in every step of its route from consumtor, and Mrs. Archer, were painfully er. In the price of a suit of clothes, expenses on fire protection facilities, in 1926 was at least \$20,000,000.

But far more important than these financial matters is the fact that fire kills many people every year. started the great Chicago conflagra- Statisticians tell us that 10,000 persons were burned to death and 20. 000 were injured by fire last year in

Have we any right to tolerate conditions that promote such wholesale death and suffering? Can we morally refuse to devote our energies to spreading the message of Fire Prevention Week? Insurance money "But why should I be concerned may rebuild the house. But how about

> the family? the home? the family treasures? the job?

## The Property Loss

The fire loss in 1926 is estimated at \$560,548,624. This is an average injured late Sunday when their car a package of coffee, a pound of meat of \$1,535,750 per day, or \$1,066 for every minute of the year. And note the alarming increase in the last de-

---- 560,548,624 At the same rate of increase what

will be the loss 10 years hence?
To all of this Texas contributes a One of the boys also suffered a loss, such as interruption of busi-full share of the dead and injures. broken arm.—Amarillo News, Tues- ness, overhead cost of insurance and and her portion of the property loss

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## Only One Fell at Chamery That One Was Quentin Roosevelt

all the official communiques throughout the long years of the war, the name of this hamlet was mentioned but a single time. And a day later the name was forgotten, because the event which the communique record-ed as having taken place "a mile or two away" was such that the whole world-even opposing armies-stood for a moment at salute.

That event was entirely American. Sincere even as the momentous decision that the World War included the United States and more purely dramatic than any thrilling climax upon any State, this event was recorded in laconic simplicity. It gave a clear, though fleeting, vision of an indomitable soul-the soul of America-a soul that had faith and would conquer. No price for glory -the intangible, fleeting phantombut any price for the right and vic-

The communique said only that a man had died. Just one man, and so far as manhood was concerned no more valuable, perhaps less so, than many. Except that he was a man, fresh in the vigor of his twenty years, only his name mattered-his

### Line Flyer Shot Down

But no name so great of any land had been yet enscrolled in the sacri- that he was his futher's son. fice to war. No word so truly grandiose had so reverberated round the is long and vaguely marked and world in that roll call of death. In muddy. In village after village we the pink dawn of a summer morning, asked our way and the people started July 14, 1918, the eaglet took his and sbrugged until we came very flight. Below, above and all about near to Chamery. Then they smiled him the mists were drifting as the and showed the path. curtain rose on the last act of the drama of the Marne.

Foch, behind the scenes in the gray fogs that still hung low along the Champagne front, was waiting that psychological moment when with the swiftness and smashing energy

Chamery, near fere en tardenois, of a panther, he sent the legions of the Crown Prince reeling to such disaster, that, while an imperial dynasty was destroyed, a planet was again permitted peacefully to revolve.

cling and soaring and battling-still effectively. Three against one, and no quarter, naturally. There was no such word in the vocabulary of the war eagles. And so the eaglet fell within the enemy lines. In peaceful field he lay, in a gentle valley cares-

sed by the low, engulfing hills.

That night the eagles came and buried him. Into the moon path they marched and uplifted him-those broken bits from the wreckage of his plane, and raised there a cross. Gallant enemies! But the eagles all were gallant. The next day in the official communique of the allies was merely the information supplied by

### Quentin Rossevelt's Grave

Thursday we visited this grave of the lone warrior. It seemed fitting during this week of the legion convention to make such a pilgrimage far from the well ordered cemeteries where sleep in serried ranks our soldier dead. For we had talked with him the day before he died- in Paris, in a cafe where he shyly confided his ambition to prove worthily

We came alone today, for the way

We left our automobiles and plodded on, an old man guiding us and his boy.

"He has outsoared the shadows of our night," this dead boy's father wrote and besides this just his name -Quentin Roosevelt.

SELF SERVICE

### TEN DON'TS IN WHEAT SOWING

(By H. M. Bainre, Director Southwestern Wheat Improvement Association

1. Dont expect a satisfactory wheat crop to grow on a late and poorly prepared seed bed.

2. Don't overlook the fact that continuous growing of wheat too many years in succession on the same land, without rotation, will finally make the land "wheat sick" and less productive.

3. Don't sow too early, especially if there is a heavy infestation of Hessian fly.

4. Don't sow too shallow. More failures are due to shallow sowing than to deep sowing, this is especially true in sections where the rainfall is limited.

5. Don't sow too much seed per acre. Too thick a stand often draws too heavily on the soil moisture causing a dwarfing of the plants, shirveling of the grain and a reduction in the yield.

6. Don't be in a hurry to discard an old standard variety for some new variety. Better delay long enough to get definite proof that the new variety is adapted to your local conditions and is as good or better than the variety you have been growing.

7. Don't sow rye-mixed seed, un-less you are willing to sell the resulting crop at a discount.

8. Don't bring in seed wheat unless it is free from weed seed. Some of the worst weeds are imported in

9. Don't overlook fanning or grad ing seed wheat. Insure a good uniform stand of vigorous plants by sowing only the best.

10. Don't sow smutty seed. Prevent smut by thoroughly disinfecting with copper carbonate dust. In doing this work, remember that this dust cannot be satisfactorily mixed with the seed by shoveling, some sort of a mechincal mixer, that can be tightly closed, either homemade or commercial, should be used.

## NOW SHE KNOWS

In the course of his sermon a clergyman illustrated a point by say-"You know you plant roses in the sunshine and helitrope and ger aniums, but if you want your fuchsias to grow you must keep them in the shade."

pleasure.

Many good folks are lamenting the passing of the era when men and won en consecrated their lives to unselfish service and prepared themselves to become ministers, missionaries, teachers or country doctors that they might administer to the spirtual, mental and physical needs of humanity without thought of large worldly gain. They are not in error when they charge that modern men and women are choosing vocations today in which they can do the greatest service to themselves.

People today are coming to the belief that the best way they can help others is to produce much that their profit shall be large and that they shall never become dependent upon society. The old idea of service was direct. The new service is indirect. Twenty years ago it was still thought that only ministers, doctors and teachers served humanity Today every workman who carries his whole day's wage home is known to have earned that wage in service to society.

Elbert Hubbard's version of the Golden Rule was, "Do unto others as though you were the others," but an even more up-to-date version is "Do yourself much good and no bad to others." Getting something for yourself is reprehensible only when it is gotten at the expense of another .- McLean News.

## KEEPING A TOWN SNAPPY

No business man in any town should allow a newspaper published and business being mentioned somewhere in its columns. This applies to all kinds of business-general stores dry goods, groceries, furniture dealers, manufacturing establishments, automobile dealers, mechanics, professional men, druggists, and in fact all classes of business men. This does not mean that you should have a whole or half or even a quarter page ad in each issue of the paper, but name and business should be mentioned, if you do not use more than a two line spacer.

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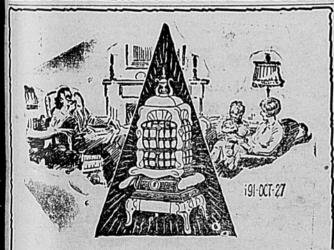
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Some fellows, you know, have wonderful dreams. They are such delightful air castels that they keep right on dreaming and never get to work to make them come true—and of course, they don't come, either. Dreams are necessary, but they must be made to come true, and you are the only fellow who can make them.

The best way to do this is to decide on some job you really like, and then set to work, planning and working to make it all come true. If you plan it well enough and work hard enough, it's pretty sure to come. The reason so many people fail is that they don't plan clearly, or they have faulty execution of plans.

This faulty executions, failing to work out the dreams in the right way spoils a lot of lives. The trouble is that in the first place the planners haven't thought out just what they want—they want a million dollars, but they have no plans on how to get it. So execution is bound to be faulty.

They get a job that looks good and start to work. Chances are that they are doing pretty well at that job, too—making good, as the saying is. But they don't know whether or not that is the life job they really want. They look over and see somebody else making good at another job, and it looks better to them than their own. So they try it.

Maybe they are doing pretty well at that too—for those people are always enthusiastic, and they work hard—for a while—but pretty soon they see another job that looks good and they try it.

When they are old men they have tried dozens of jobs, but they have never made good at anything. They can't do anything well, so they get low wages, and always hard work. Try a job for a few days. It is hard work at the start, for your muscles are not used to it, your brain has to learn it.

But when you have partly learned it, if you try a new job—bingo! All you have learned is wasted. New muscles must be used, new habits formed.

You can become skilled in one line by staying with it, and get the big wages of a skilled worker later. But don't be jumping all the time. Know what you want to do, and then do it, and you'll be working out your dreams. Great and successful men are always in one line, all their lives, never great in a different line every years.—The Target.

### PHOTOGRAPHERS HELPING REDUCE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Traffic accidents are being effectively reduced at Cleveland, Ohio, by a newly organized and unique homicide squad that is doing much to insure the safety of that city's streets.

The plant, which is being studied in other localities in the hope that by adopting it traffic fatalities elsewhere may be lowered, consists in maintaining a squad of trained investigators competent to secure evidence that will hold in court and fix blame on the person responsible for the accident.

Two police officers—a sergeant and a patrolman—comprise the working crew. As soon as a traffic accident is reported these officers hurry to the scene in their Chevrolet used expressly for this purpose and secure all available data. One man is a skilled photographer and takes pictures of the scene from a number of different angles. The other carries a typewriter and makes out a complete report right on the

The names of all parties to the accident are taken, as are those of all witnesses, and statements from everybody are typed. By getting statements immediately, as well as photographs to introduce into court at trial, the police have complete and accurate information on which to base a prosecution if anyone is shown to be at fault.

shown to be at fault.

In addition to its Chevrolet which has the essential speed and snap to get the investigators to the scene quickly, the squad has complete photographic equipment including a dark room for developing pictures immediately after an accident, two offices to which principals and witnesses are often brought and quizzed, filing cabinets, and darughting materials to make sketches of the teene. This squad is said to be the

TO DO only one of its kind in the United

Edward J. Donahue, traffic commissioner, who put the plan into effect, credits it with being one of the most practical safety factors within his long experience. Already the squad has secured many manslaughter convictions, while convictions on charges of reckless driving and fleeing from the scene of an accident run into the hundreds.

## WHITE MAN CIVILIZATION

White men have decided that they want a bridge accross the north end of the Grand Canyon, which would be very convenient for automobiles and tourists generally. The bridge would cost \$200,000. The typical "white man" plan is to make the Navajo Indians pay half the amount. The bridge wouldn't do them any good. It doesn't connect any separate sections of their reservation. It is purely a white mans improvement for the benefit of white men. But after the white men had given the Navajo, Osage and other Indians about the worst land they could pick out for their reservations, fate decided that oil should be struck on the land of the Navajos and of the Osages also.

The Osage Indians are looked after by enterprising white men that sell them whiskey for large sums, and get away with the rest of the money when they are drunk or insure their lives, then collect the insurance. Uncle Sam is apparently taking a hand in the game with the Navajos. He has arranged to build the bridge, take half the cost, \$100,000 from the oil profits of the Navajo Indians, about all they would get in a year.

This would not surprise the poor Navajos. Honest treatment would surprise them. —Canyon News.

### FAIR QUESTIONS

Were you ever out with the girl

Blushed when you cracked the

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Was horrified at the idea of parking?

Refused to let you kiss her the first time you tried?

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It was in Etowah County, Ala., in December, 1923. At the request of a friend's wife I went with that friend to visit his sick brother who was near death. Entering the room where the sick man lay, we found 15 or 20 persons already there, kind neighbors that they were.

Not seeing where I could do the man any good, I took my station as from him as I could get, still to be in the room. The doctor was Had I been the doctor I should have ordered all out but one or two. Never five minutes passed but some one would go to the bedside of the sick man with "Do you know me, John?" or something like that. Now suppose you were well, but trying to sleep, and were disturbed at such frequent intervals throughout the night, how long do you suppose you could keep well?

My friend and I returned to the former's home about 2:00 o'clock in the morning, and his brother died before daylight. "Have you any other brothers?" I asked my host when we reached his home. "Yes," answ red . "It is too late to do this one any good," I replied, "but if another brother is taken sick, don't have any more in the room than necessary to wait on him."-R. C. Conner, in The Progressive Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Timmons and son Jimmy, were guests in the home of her brother, Star Harbison, last Sunday. They were enroute to Akron, Ohio, from their home in the Rio Grande valley. Mr. and Mrs. Dee Harbison and daughters, came from Amarillo, and were also week-end guests in the Harbison home here.

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COURTING HAS CHANGED

Nothing, not even the weather urnishes the average Littlefield resident a more interesting topic of conversation than the subject of how imes and customs have changed. And yet no one seems to have pointed out the vast change that has come "courting" since the days of our daddies.

They can remember when men did all the hunting and girls were supposed to keep the fact that they were in love a deep scret. Many of them lost prospective husbands, too, because its wasn't the custom for a girl to let a young man know she cared for him or loved him. Far different today, isn't it, with the modern girl not afraid to use her eyes and her smiles to tell what is in her heart? Yet who can says that the change in courting customs hasn't been for the tetter all around?

There is one point on which we an all agree, whatever me may think of the old time courting as compared with present day courting, and that becomes an old maid does so largely from a matter of her own choice. If she fails to land a man nowadays it's her own fault .- Lamb County

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Guy Hilton, of the Western Union, eturned last week from a three reeks vacation spent at his home in

'The Price of Honor" is it Love o

Recent statistics show there are nore automobiles than kitchens in the United States.

Women as a rule are more forgiving than men, because men need it

Hemstitching and picoting at my home in west Spearman. Work guar-

MRS. J. MALVIN JACKSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack C. Martin are happy over the arrival of a 10 % in Spearman Saturday.—Stratford pound boy, born Sunday, September 25th.

Mrs. W. E. Phillips and little son returned from Oklahoma City last week where they have been visiting opeka, Kansas, Kansas City and relatives and friends for a short time.

friends and relatives near here the first part of the week .- Mobeetie

Should a boy pay with his life for the mistakes of his father? See "The Price of Honor," at Rex Theater, October 3 and 4.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Nickens of Spearman were here transacting business with Walter Freeman Tuesday .- Stratford Star.

Mrs. W. Y. Williams and daughter Miss Velma, were among the shoppers and visitors in the city Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Taylor were in from their farm out southwest of town Saturday afternoon, shopping and attending to business matters.

A woman's sacrifice saves a man doomed by circumstantial evidence. -Rex Theater, Monday and Tuesday October 3 and 4.

C. L. Thomas and family left Tuesday morning for the lower Rio Grande valley, where they will make their future home.

Beginning with October 1, I will give one beautiful hand painted handkerchief free with each marcel. 42t2. MRS. E. B. DODSON.

An eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth-but what about a life for a life? See the answer in "The Price of Honor," at the Rex Theater, October 3 and 4.

Emery Ellis and his friend Roy Taggart, came from Meade, Kansas, and spent the last week-end in Spearman, guests of Emery's father, Claude P. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Corwin, Jr., are rejoicing over the arrival of an eight and one-half pound boy, born on Wednesday, September 28. The young gentleman has been named Theodore Scott.

Miss Beatrice Gibner returned Saturday from a vacation spent with friends and relatives at Orange, Texas. She also spent some time at Houston and other towns of South Texas, while away.

Cattle should not be fed within 24 hours before slaughter, but access to fresh water is desirable. Do not kill the animals while in an excited or overheated condition, as they will not bleed well. Beef from animals not properly bled does not keep Well.

J. E. Tandy, housemover, is here from Wichita and is making arrange-ments to move the First National bank old building to the rear of the lot on which it is now located, to make room for the new brick home of this institution.



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And while you are about it, give father a few kind words and a little attention and set out a tree for him. He is left out in the cold too much as it is. And when all is said, bringing up a family of children and working hard for them and spending all one's money on them isn't entirely a bed of roses or unmitigated bliss. So don't grudge the old gentleman his hour of appreciation. I never could work up enthusiasm over tombstones hat I want when I can enjoy it, and having a big and influential tombstone erected over me isn't at all my idea of a good time. -Mrs. Lindsay Patterson, in The Progressive Farmer.

BOY HURT BY FALL FROM A TRUCK

Irvin, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, who reside four miles south-west of town, fell from a truck and received painful injuries on Wednesday evening. Irvin is a student in the. Spearman schools, and was returning to his home on a truck driven by his father, who is employed by the Continental Oil Company as a truck driver. Last week an older brother of Irvin's suffered a broken arm.

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Avoid overeating and overweight. Avoid excess of high protein foods, such as meat, flesh foods, eggs, also excess of salt and highly seasoned

Eat some hard, some bulky, some raw foods daily.

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Stand, sit and walk erect. Do not allow poisons and infections to enter the body.

### THE FALL OF THE YEAR

The advent of fall and cooler weaher is accepted with carying emo-To many it brings sadness, and to others it means relief from tifling hot weather and a chance to breathe deeply of the wholesome air.

By a queer mixture of our weather onditions, we refer to "Indian summer" in the fall. Just when this eason starts and ends, whether it is ontinuous or an interrupted series of manifestations, is a matter open o argument.

At least, we know that it is "Indian summer," when a feeling akin to spring fever comes over us. It is a hazy, lazy time, when spider webs are floating through the air and when we feel that life is just something more than the dull routine of daily tasks.

Indian summer may occur in any time between the middle of September and the early part of December. It is an autumnal period of calm and dryness that appears with great irregularity, varying with the section of the country, and was first used from Maine to Virginia and westward in 1784. None knows its origin but all know its fine properties and

Indian summer are the delightfully risp days of October. Fall means October. The mention of autumn always brings thoughts of the most beautiful month in the year. Some may disagree regarding October's superior , qualities compared with other months, preferring spring, but October must, in the nature of things visual at least, run spring a very close race. The spring advocate may give grudging praise, since the carpet of grass under the feet is never more beautiful than in the fall. Certainly a ramble through the woods in October is easily comparable to a ramble in the spring.

One has but to recall the days of youth to understand the thoughts which fall inspires—the excursions to the woods for nuts, the bracing outdoor sport of football and the circle about an open fire in the exening for popcorn and cider.

Fall is not alone for the enjoyment of the outdoors; it is also for reflection. It is a season for gathering about the fireplace as the evening shadows lengthen to renew family

Autumn sometimes seems melancholy and sad, as nature places her withering hand more inviting phases to this period of the year. It can be made a time for joy because we have more time indoors for self improvement and enjoyment of the substantial things of life.-Texhoma Times.

## HELPER AND HELPED

Cameron Enterprise: Every man has to stand upon his own resources gooner or later. Helping our children weakens their efforts. they earn, they know how to appreciate. Property given to them may be something to sell and get money to "blow in." The prospects of many young people have been blighted by giving them a home. Most people get out of their home just about what they put into it. When two people work together for a home, they usually prove to be happily married.

Children too much indulged demand too much indulgence. No doubt about that. On the other hand, a little help when little means much gives many young people courage to preserve when such courage is needed. Every child is an individual. He is not a class, but a unit. Give him too much and he will return too little, in terms of gratitude and usefulness, but give him too little and he may return nothing at all. To indict

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a whole generation for remissness is ves. as unreasonable as to indict a whole | dividuality or express nothing. This family for the crimes of a single member. The psychiartrists tells us that a child can not be analyzed by Sandwiched in with the periods of putting its parents under a microscope. Every individual is a composite of many individuals represented in his ancestral line, therefore one should not be astonished when one child resembles its parents and another takes after Old Ebenezer, a remote grandfather. - Parents err, we are told by some of the psychiatrists, when they insist upon making

their children duplicates of themsel-

does not mean that the young must be granted more freedom than is granted to their elders. The young must be disciplined and taught that there are others, that they are not all there are. They must be made to understand that to conform is better than rebel, in the social sense, because society is stronger than any in dividual and will surely punish. All of which comes back to the starting place-some children need help and build upon it, while others demand it and use it to undermine themselves.





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**SPEARMAN** miles to the N. W. Corner of Survey No. 20, in Block No. 1, W. C. Ry. Co.; Thence east three miles to the N. W. Corner of Survey No. 6, in Block No. 1, W. C. Ry. Co.; Thence north on section lines to the N. W. Corner of Survey No. 19, in Block No. 1, Public Free School Land, same being the State line, and terminating at the N. W. Corner of said Survey No. 19, Block 1, P. F. S. in Hansford County, Texas, said road to be of the first class and sixty feet wide; and which said road may run through or along the section lines of certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road,

ment in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you. Witness our hands this the 8th day of August A. D. 1927.

when you may present to us a state-

A. F. GARNER. JOE E. MILLER. P. M. CHESSER. W. A. SHAPLEY.

Subscribe for the Reporter.

## NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

To: C. F. Betty; Paul J. Tucker; Frank Davis and Myrtle Davis; Chas. O'Loughlin; J. J. Deaner; C. H. Quiring; J. E. George and Katharina Riemer.

You are hereby netified that the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, acting under and by virtue of an order of the Commissioners' Court of Hansford County, Texas, will on the First day of October A. D. 1927, proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at a point where the section line running north between Sections 29 and 30, in Block 4T, Original Grantee, T. & N. O. Ry. Co Hansford County, intersects the north property line of the P. & S. F. Ry. Co. right-of-way, thence north for a distance of approximately seven miles and terminating at the Northeast Corner of Section 61 in Block 45, Original Grantee, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. in Hansford County, Texas, said road to be of the first class; and which said road may run through or along the section lines of certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if

Witness our hands this 15th day of August A. D. 1927.

M. R. GRANDON. OLIN A. SHEETS. W. A. SCHUBERT. A. R. JUNOD. H. L. WILBANKS.

## CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County-Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Joe Ferguson, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county, then in the nearest county where an expaper significant of the County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term thereof, to be holden at the next regular term there, but if not, then in the nearest county where an expaper significant to the court that they and those whose hereof, in some newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where an expaper significant the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof in the court of Hansford County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof in the court of Hansford County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the court of Hansford County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original of the County, Texas, to be holden at the next regular term of the Thirty sing under and by virtue of an original origination of the same being the original original original origination or the summon Joe Ferguson, and the court has a new propose or the decade of the court that they and those whose described

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1920, bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid, payable in monthly in stallments of \$21,150 bearing jame and the seal of ten per cent per annum from date until paid, payable in monthly in this suit.

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said property. That under the terms of the said will, said testator attempted to give to the plaintiff certain annuities and legacies in lieu of her community interest in said property, but that she refused to accept, and elected not to so accept under the terms of said will, but insisted and claimed her one half community interest in said property.

That prayer is made for the appointment of commissioners and that said property be partitioned in kind, and the respective shares set apart to each owner in severalty, and for all other relief, general and special, in law and in equity to which they may be entitled, etc.

Herein fall not, and have you before the said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at office, in Hansford, Texas, this the 12th day of September, 1927.

4014. (Seal) J. E. WOMBLE.

## WHAT DID HE MISS

Rastus: "We cotched one of de boys wid loaded dice. His Boss: "You should ostracise

Rastus: "Dat's what Ah wanted to do, but Ah didn't hab mah razor

### WOMEN NO LONGER THRILL AT FREEDOM

"The present period of imitation of men by women will pass, says Dr. Will Durant, author of "The Story of Philosophy," discussing the status of modern women in the American Magazine.

"Those women who carry emancipation onward will seek not to be imperfect men but to become perfect women," he continues. "They will make motherhood an art involving much preparation and intelligence as the manipulation of levers and pulleys and throttles and wheels."

Dr. Durant believes that the fundamental difference between men and women were so complicated that the test had to come of whether or not they could occupy the same "It was a test almost cos-e says. "The result of it sphere. "It was mic," he says. was so rapid a transformation that all the world stood agape. Within three generations these new servitors of industry made their way inte was not indispensable. And in every field they acquired enough of the intellectual and moral quality of the male to make every moralist in Christendom deplore the masculization of the once gentler and weaker

"Women lawyers, physicians, governors, bandits, demonstrated the ability of women, within their still narrow opportunities, to rival the arts of the pre-established male. College graduate women no man could marry because their intel'ectual superiority excluded certain masculine pretensions to leadership which are among the prerequisities

"But women's brought them problems as complex and crucial as those that lay in their old slavery. Only their new knowledge can cope with this new situafinding a way to unite that radiant beauty and alert intelligence which distinguishes women today with that modest tenderness which flowers in loyal love and perfect motherhood." -Childress Post.

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of the Stomach.

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## At the Churches

WOMAN'S COUNCIL

The Woman's council of the Christian church had a very enjoyable meeting on Thursday afternoon, September 22. The guest of honor was Mrs. J. W. Reeves of Chicago who is the daughter of our sister Shives. Many friends and neighbors were present. After a season of quilting, the Sunday school lesson of the following Sunday was thoroughly discussed. Mrs. Harry Hull recited a favorite poem. Miss Elinor Beck gave a reading of much inter-est. Miss Gwinn favored us with the Christian church at Spearman dules to be maintained. Dick was at the piano and gave us a musical treat.

themselves proud.

name." We invite mothers to come with their children. We are plan-ning some kindergarten songs and py in this work as he carries it games which will relieve mothers for a little while. The Lord is wonderfully blessing our work.

## BAPTIST LADIES W. M. U.

The W. M. U. met at 3 p. m. September 21, with Mrs. J. Hoffling-

favorite chapter of the Bible. This others, will please govern themselves proved to be very interesting asaccordingly. there are so many good chapters to 41t2p. be found.

We adjourned to meet Wednesday, September 28, with Mrs. Gower. The meeting of the previous week tion Friday, October 7.

following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Wilcox

Mrs. Gower Mrs. Collard Vice President Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Gower-Chairman of Visiting Committee.

Mrs. Bailey-Ghairman of Personal Service Committee.

By a vote of the society the first Wednesday of each month was set as a social meeting day.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Brother Kelly, newspaper man and preacher of the Christian church at solo, "The House of God." Mrs. last Sunday, both morning and even-

ing.

He and wife were visiting with
Riggs, west of The refreshment committee did Brother and Sister Riggs, west of Spearman. Brother Kelly loves to The Council meets every Thurs- tell the story of the cross and the day. Many things are done "in His promises of life beyond. His sermons were fine and were an inspira-

Sister Kelly enthused us with song.

## NOTICE TO REAL ESTATE MEN

Notice is hereby given that my ranch lands located on the Canadian river in Roberts county, Texas, are not for sale. I have taken this land The lesson study for that day was off the market and all real estate the reading of each individual's men with whom it was listed, and treated with Corona Coppercarb

A. E. POWERS, Spearman, Texas.

Come to Parent-Teachers Associa-

## EARLY COPY

One of the many reasons editors get gray hair early and pass to their or unjust reward long before they have had time to accumulate enough money to finance the sort of tombstone they think they deserve, is advertising copy which does not arrive until dangerously close to the hour of putting the paper to press.

The matter of late copy, at least appears from the inside of a print ing office, is one in which the advertiser seems to work directly against from that he is convinced of the value of getting his name and the product he sells before the public speedily and in delaying the copy for his advertisement he makes those things difficult.

The editor, of course, having regular obligations to meet and a desire for nourishment on the adverage of three times a day, will take the advertisements almost at any time.

paper office early in the day publication is desired, or better still even the preceeding day, is assured of a better position in the paper. carly copy will be more carefully set and gives ample time for the correc tion of the minor errors which some times in the case of last minute confusion, must be overlooked. There are mail trains to be made and carriers who must supply their customers before supper time.

Early copy, to repeat, means beter position, more attractive advertisements and the assurance that pa pers will be delivered to the subscribers on time. And that is necessary if the advertisements are to be the most successful sales appeals .-Chanute (Daily) Tribune.

## NOTICE TO WATER USERS

All water bills incurred by any resident of the City of Spearman, must be paid by the tenth of each month, or else the supply of water shall be cut off, after that date. CITY COUNCIL.

City of Spearman.

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### CHARITY

as well as many different ways to give. Gifts can be harmful as well as helpful; actuated by selfishness as well as by generosity. Oftimes a donation is made because the donor knows that it will be given a large amount of publicity, and a good deal of pleasure obtained from the fact that many people will look upon the giver as generous, charitable and unselfish. Thus hospitals are founded, schools endowed, with the stipulation that they be named after the person contributing the money. Too often when the making of a gift is considered, it is from the standpoint of how much good will I get out of it rather than how much benefit will it be. Of course, money given in this way is beneficial but how much more laudable if the spirit of unselfishness and generosity were present. What a wonderful state when one can enjoy giving because he sees others made happy and not because his con-science dictates that it shall be done, or that a certain amount of publicity and material gain is to be derived from the act.

Then too, it is not necessary, as it is sometimes considered, to have financial means in order to be charitable. The best of gifts are often just a little brotherly and personal interest- a word of advice and encouragement, a smile or a slap on the back. In many cases where a man has gotten into the rough of life's course and considers himself to be out of the game, the knowledge that someone has confidence in his ability is taking a personal interest and backing him for a winner, renews his confidence in himself and he starts down the fairway with renewed ambition, whereas an impersonal donation of money, while it might help, stands a chance to further deprive and confidence. A visit to a sick man helps a lot more than a bunch of tlowers: a word of cheer from a friend is often the best of medicine.

In a modern-day rush for wealth and material gain the meaning of the word brother is fast being forgotten. The tendency is to become a group of mechincal beings, devoid of all but selfish thoughts, striving for wealth and display. One might well pause a moment and remember that after all life is short; it is better to

have one's memory perpetuated by friends and kind deeds than by hoarded treasures. Along this line it has been said:

The thing that in this life is the most worthwhile,

That cost the least and counts the

Is just a friendly smile. -Quanah Tribune-Chief.

## HONEYMOON COUPLES

Young people on their honeymoon eem somehow to attract attention in spite of all their efforts to look blase and unconscious. When they look at their newly wedded mates about three times for every once at the rest of the folks in the car, the casual observer is not called upon to be a mind reader in order to spot

Some of them are rather pleased to be thus noticed, and feel that for once at least they are making a stir in the world. They cannot expect that this con-

dition of extreme happiness will extend indefinitely. Even before the honeymoon ends, they may do considerable yawning. Such manifestations of restlessness need occasion no alarm, provided they are interest ed in about the same things, and provided both of them do not expect to be boss. The best wishes of the Tribune Chief go out to all honey mooners, with the hope that they do not take the inevitable differences of their first months too seriously .-Quanah Tribune Chief. AND A REAL ONE

Five-year-old Arthur awoke a three o'clock in the morning.
"Tell me a story, mother," he beg

"Quiet, dear," replied his mother. "Daddy will be in soon and tell us both one."—Dalhart Texan.

Miss Olivette Hancock, teacher of the Texas Lake school, on the north line of the county, came in last Friday afternoon and spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hancock.

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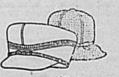
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