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UNIVERSITY TELLS HOW TO CULL OUT POOR LAYERS

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 6.—According to a careful estimate obtained by the University of Missouri through several state-wide culling campaigns at least 40 per cent of the farm hens do not pay for their feed, says the Missouri Marketing Bulletin. This does not mean that there is no money in farm poultry but that the poultry keeper is not living up to his possibilities if he fails to get rid of his non-laying hens. Usually every dead-head hen neutralizes the profits from one that is laying. As an illustration of the need of culling let us take a flock of 100 hens. If 40 of these are not laying these will eat up the profit of forty that are laying. In other words out of a flock of 100 the farmer will obtain no more profit than if he had a flock of only 20 laying hens. At this time of year many hens quit laying. Careful culling will eliminate the hens not laying. It will reduce the feed cost but will in no way reduce the income from egg sales. Under farm conditions it will cost approximately 15c to feed a hen a month. To carry the deadhead hen for a few months quickly eats up all the profits which can be expected after she resumes laying. With feed at present prices one must weed out the star boarders.

The profits derived from culling are two-fold: In the first place expenses are cut down, income from egg sales is not effected and the profits are materially increased. The indirect benefit from culling is due to the fact that where careful culling is practiced the good hens are retained for breeding purposes. This use of superior hens for breeding results in more productive fowls and a smaller number of poor producers. During the five years that the university has been working with the Demonstration Farm Poultry Flocks the production per bird has increased 30 eggs per hen. These extra 30 eggs represent at least 60c extra income per bird. It is the indirect benefit to be derived from culling.

One of the first principles of culling is that one should never sell a hen which is laying. There has never been a time when a laying hen did not pay for her feed. Regardless of the other characteristics a laying hen should not be sold until she quits. It is an easy task to pick out the laying hens. A laying hen usually has a bright red comb, one which is large and waxy while a hen not in laying condition will have a small pale comb covered with white scurf. The laying hen will have a moist expanded vent usually free from yellow color, while one not lay will have a dry puckered vent which will be yellow in breeds having yellow skin. The spread of the pin bones (these are located on each side just above the vent) may also be used as a guide to indicate whether the hen is laying. In a hen not laying they will close together and in some cases one will not be able to get more than one finger between them. In laying hens they will spread apart from three to five fingers width. In the same way the body capacity is meant the span between the pin bones and the rear end of the breast bone. It is measured by placing the hand at right angles to the bird, allowing it to rest between the pin bones and the rear end of the keel. In hens not laying the breast bone will be drawn up and there will be room for not more than two fingers while in the laying hen the breast bone will be pushed down. In some hens there will be a span of five or even six fingers.

These differences between laying hens and loafers is due to the fact that the hen in laying condition requires more room. Her intestines are long and distended, her ovary contains more egg yolks in the process of formation and the tube leading from the ovary to the intestine is active and expanded. As the hen quits laying the various organs mentioned shrink in size and the bird closes up until laying is resumed. The discussion so far has been devoted to how to tell the laying hen. We will now consider the points to be observed in estimating the hen's previous performance.

One of the important points in estimating past performance is observation of the time a hen molts. The hen which consults the fashion plates and decides that July, August or September is the time to replace her old plumage with a new dress is not on the job laying. Rather she is "laying" (Continued on page 8.)

Roosting High



L. C. WINES LETS CONTRACT FOR MODERN HOTEL

L. C. Wines, local man, let the contract last week for a modern concrete stucco hotel building to Mr. T. A. Brown, local contractor, to be situated on Fifth Street just north of Holgate-Endersen Hardware Company building.

The building will only contain 12 rooms to start with, but "Dad" said he had plenty of room to double the capacity of the building any time he saw fit. The building is to be 30x45 feet; also have a good lobby and a large and well arranged dining room.

Mr. Wines also informed us that he was going to see to it himself that the hotel was well furnished after being completed, and that the right kind of real hotel maat would be put in charge.

Work will start on the building as soon as material can be put on the ground.

LOCAL BANKER ADDRESSES TATUM CITIZENS NOV 11TH

Morgan L. Copeland, cashier of the Brownfield State Bank, and one of our foremost silver-tongued orators, was called to Tatum, N.M. on Armistice day to deliver the principal address of the evening in a big Armistice Day celebration over there.

In speaking of the matter Mr. Copeland informed us that Tatum had a splendid and well equipped school building and had a good faculty, and was having a good school.

He said the people of Tatum sure knew how to entertain visitors, and had been one of the best feeds he ever witnessed.

WARD COUNTY EDITOR LIKE TO HAVE LOST DAUGHTER

Little Leo, one of the twin daughters of the News editor and wife, had a narrow escape from death by peculiarly hanging herself last Friday.

The little one had climbed on top of the sewing machine, and in getting down the neck band of her dress caught on the knob of the top drawer, which kept her suspended in the air until accidentally found by the mother apparently lifeless by strangulation. It was only through heroic work that she was revived, but after a few hours was playing as usual.—Ward County News.

FIRST STATE BANK AT ROPESVILLE CHARTERED

A charter has been granted to the First State Bank of Ropesville, in Hockley county, with a capital stock of \$25,000.

S. B. Pierson is president of the bank, with Geo. W. Carter as vice-president.

The board of directors is composed of Andrew Blankenship, Otis R. Copeland, Hope H. Timmons, Geo. W. Carter, S. B. Pierson, M. L. Williams and A. Pierson Couch.

UTILITIES COMPANY SHAPING UP FOR ICE PLANT HERE

W. H. Allen, manager of the Texas Utilities Company, at Lubbock, was down Monday surveying and plotting their trackage ground for the immediate work on their modern ice plant at this place.

Mr. Allen stated that he would not know just the exact size of the building for a few days, but from what he gave out it will be one of if not the largest brick buildings in our city. He said they had not quite decided on the shape of the building, or just what all would be manufactured here.

He informed us that work would be rushed, and that they wanted to begin making ice here not later than March 1st, next.

Mr. Allen stated that his company had never grown so large but what they bought their building material locally, used home labor and the job of manager going to local people as far as possible. They also use the local banks for depositories.

From what we know of this big company through reading papers in towns where they have plants either ice or electric, that they are foremost in any undertaking looking to the advancement of the town, both with their influence and money.

Mr. Allen admitted that his company was willing to buy the local light and power plant any time the city council got ready to sell, and pay all that was in it.

Material will be assembled as fast as possible, and construction started at the earliest possible date. The very latest type of oil engine will be installed together with the very latest known ice making machinery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the good people of Brownfield and Terry County for their kindness and help in the loss of our home by fire. We are deeply grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Brown and family



NEW HOME OF THE HERALD
Engraving through courtesy of Western Newspaper Union

FIRST NATIONAL BANK REMODELING BUILDING

Workmen have started remodeling the interior of the First National Bank building, and when their job is completed, that institution will have a third more room, and everything more convenient to themselves as well as their customers.

The rear of the building, until a few weeks ago used by C. R. Rambo for his abstracting business, is being cut into the rest of the building, and this part will be used for private offices for the bankers, as well as for the convenience of their customers to find places to write or figure, or to consult with the bankers.

Everything is enlarging these days in Brownfield, not the least of which are the banks.

GIRARD MAN DISAGREES WITH OUR COMMISSIONERS

The following letter under date of Nov. 10, 1924, from the President of the Girard Commercial Club and addressed to the Herald is self-explanatory:

"A short time ago an editorial appeared in the Terry County Herald to the effect that certain officials of your county had made an extensive tour of West Texas looking over the highway situation. It seems that their verdict was that the work being done by the State Highway Department is ineffective and unsatisfactory. We believe it would have been good for them to visit our county and see the splendid work the department had done in Kent county. Before work was begun here under the direction of the Highway Department our roads were in a deplorable condition, and tourists approached them with dread. We now have the best highway through Kent county we have ever had, and while it is not equal to graveled or hard-surfaced roads still there has been a vast improvement brought about, and we have a sense of pride in what we have to offer the traveling public.

This letter is written for the purpose of letting your readers know that the criticism that has been directed at the work in other sections does not apply to the work done in our county by the Highway Department.

Very truly yours,
John K. McGeary,
Secretary Girard Commercial Club.

ELECTION BUREAU GIVES FERGUSON 112,235 MAJORITY

Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson has a majority of 112,235 over Dr. George C. Butte for Governor in the final figures given out by the Texas Election Bureau Saturday night.

Six counties having a combined voting strength of 1,229 have not reported. The unreported counties are Cochran, Hockley, Reagan, Upton and Yoakum.

The total shown by returns from 246 counties, are: Butte 302,669, and Ferguson 414,904.

Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson spent during her campaign \$4,805, and received \$4,661 from contributors, according to her statement filed at Austin recently.

The largest contributor was a man at Port Arthur, who gave \$600. The Republican statement an expenditure of \$23,211, with \$23,498 contributed to the fund.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me a teddy-bear, a doll bed and a tri-cycle.
—Cat.

Dear Santa Claus—
Come to my house and bring me a car, and a doll bed, and a watch and a knife.
—Baby

Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me a little violin and a walking, talking and sleeping doll, and a sweet little ring. I will be a good little girl if you will. I thank you in advance. I live at Brownfield, Texas, but will be at Grandpa's house Christmas, at Whitesboro, Texas. Much love.
Margene Griffin.

Dear Santa Claus—
I want a little car and a big, pretty sleeping doll, and a cedar chest, and a doll table and a little cabinet if you have one.
Your little friend,
Sallie Truman

LOCAL MAN HAD FOOT AMPUTATED TUESDAY

Sam Pycatt, local dray man, whom we reported some weeks ago as being badly hurt while unloading the big light and power engine, had to have his foot amputated Tuesday, as physicians failed in every effort to restore circulation to the member. It is said that he stood the operation mighty well considering his condition and hopes are now entertained for his speedy recovery.

Carl Pierce, another local man had to go back to the Lubbock Sanitarium again this week. It will be remembered that he fractured his leg in several places last summer when he fell from a building he was working on. A steel plate was put in his leg, and later had been paining him. The surgeons found that the bone was growing around the steel plate, and the bone had to be chiseled off.

We are sorry to report Mother Kate Powell on the sick list.

OVER 8,000 BALES OF COTTON GINNED IN TERRY TONDATE

According to the government report 5,757 bales of cotton had been ginned in Terry county up to Nov. 1st. This was compared to only 2,375 on the same date last year. The ginning this year up to Nov. 1st, was therefore more than 150 percent more than at the same time a year ago.

Up to Wednesday this week the yard reports of the county stood as follows in round numbers:

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| Brownfield yard | 6,000 |
| Meadow yard | 2,200 |
| Total | 8,200 |

CONSIDERABLE TYPHOID REPORTED BY PHYSICIAN

Dr. T. L. Treadaway reports eight cases of typhoid fever he has treated this season, all of whom have recovered except one, as follows:

T. D. Montgomery's son, residing 12 miles southeast of Brownfield; Mrs. J. D. Cowling's son, residing 2 miles southeast of Loop; J. H. Wilson's two girls and Mrs. Thomason, his married daughter, all living eleven miles north of Seagraves; L. H. French, of Yoakum county, who is now convalescing from bowel hemorrhage; Sam Wallace of Wellman, who still has fever.

It will be noticed that none of these cases are near Brownfield, which in itself speaks well for the health of this community. However, we learn there is a school boy, at Dr. Castleberry's, one of his nephews, who has typhoid.

Dr. Treadaway also states that he has treated five people who have been bitten by rattlesnakes this year, all of whom have recovered with no bad after effects.

MRS. COLLIER ENTERTAINS NEEDLE CLUB

The Needle Club held a most delightful meeting Monday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Collier, this being the first meeting in several months.

New officers were elected and the name of the club was changed to the "1924 Needle Club." It will only have fifteen members.

The hostess served sandwiches and tea to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Ditto, Kendrick, Scudday, Winston, Carver, Holgate, Johnson, Bandy, Gracey, Brothers and Bond.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Brothers, Nov. 28, 1924.—Reporter.

MRS. SCHOFIELD ORGANIZES C. E. SOCIETY

The Christian Endeavor Society was reorganized Sunday, Nov. 16th, at the First Presbyterian church, by Mrs. Schofield. The officers elected are as follows:

Superintendent, Mrs. E. G. Alexander; President, James Harley Dallas; Vice-Pres., Mary Shelton; Secretary, Dolores Lynn; Treasurer, James P. King; Reporter, Fay Brown.

The society will meet regularly at 3:00 o'clock at the church. Visitors are welcome at all our meetings.

GEORGE BINGHAM OF PUMPKINVILLE LECTURES HERE

George Bingham, of Madisonville, Ky., filled his engagement here Tuesday night at the high school auditorium to an audience that was everything else but worthy of this man. In fact, it is almost a shame that no more people of the town heard him, both for the reason that he gave the people their full money's worth, and the further fact that a goodly percentage of the door fees go to the school.

Mr. Bingham seems to copy no one in his lectures, being the only genuine Pumpkinville paragrapher, and his saying in his quaint mountain style, together with his seeming awkwardness on the stage, makes those who have a sense of humor cackle right out despite themselves.

Mr. Bingham informed the Herald man that he was a printer by trade being "brought up on" the "Tickle-Tidings," and displayed his making-up rule to prove it.

The crowd that greeted Mr. Bingham illustrates well the kind of interest that is being manifested here in the school, and if there isn't a real "school spirit" developed here in the future, our school is bound to take a secondary place with the other cities of the size of Brownfield.

Loody, popular sign painter, of Brownfield, was over this week doing work here.



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A new Baptist association, known as the Lubbock Association, and carved out of the Staked Plains and the Brownfield Associations, and composed of Lubbock, Hockley and of Cochran counties has been organized at Slaton recently. Judge Ratchiff is the Moderator, and Rev. John P. Hardesty is the clerk.

The Brownfield State Bank has just installed electric dynamos on the posting machines of the bookkeeping department. Things are getting down to a fine point when electricity can be harnessed up to keep books and accounting records.

Anton Hansen was in this week to renew for the Herald another year. Mr. Hansen is one of our hustling new comers.

W. H. Key informed us this week that he was moving from Gomez to Clovis, N. M., to enter the grocery business in that city.

LAW NEEDED FOR COMMON CUPS

Texas One of Few States Without
Legislation Against Disease
Carrier.

URGED BY HEALTH OFFICERS

Many Municipalities Make Up Lack of
Statutory Mandate With Local
Ordinances.

In a recently made survey of the laws against the common drinking cup it has been found that Texas is one of the few States of the nation that has not written upon its statute books legislation to curb this menace to public health. Nor has Texas adopted the Railway Sanitary Code

which prohibits the use of the common drinking cup on trains and in stations.

The seeming apathy against this agent of infection is offset in part by the action of various cities and towns which have passed their own regulations to abolish what some sanitarians have called "The Goblet of Death." Recently in Dallas an intensive drive was carried through to compel soda fountains and other places of public drinking to protect the public against the danger of the common cup. The ordinances of other cities, notably San Antonio and San Angelo, have been on the books for many years and have been found effective in reducing the rates of illness and death.

There has been a general acceptance of the knowledge that most of the infection that afflicts communities and is carried into Texas from other States is due to the common cup. The United States Public Health Service in Bulletin No. 57, charged this agent with responsibility for the communication of tuberculosis, pneumonia, tonsillitis, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, infantile paralysis, diphtheria, measles, influenza, grippe and common colds.

This bulletin was issued in 1912 but before that time Texas had gone on record against the common drinking cup. In 1911, a bill, entitled "An Act prohibiting the promiscuous use of a common drinking cup, glass, or other vessel for water drinking purposes, on railway trains, in railway stations, in schools, churches, theatres or any other public place" was introduced by Senator Warren. This bill was reported favorably but died on the calendar.

The measures that have been adopted by other States have been promoted by sanitarians who demonstrated that more than forty per cent. of all illnesses are preventable and that most of the deaths are post-ventable. In the places where such legislation has been passed there has been an appreciable reduction in the sickness and death rates.

In 1920, Federal authorities became convinced that many of the outbreaks of disease were due to their being carried from one State to another by passengers in railroad trains. This led to the formulation of the Railway Sanitary Code which was offered to the States for adoption.

Thirty-four States since have adopted this Code and others have written identical regulations into their statutes so that this interstate transmission has been fairly well halted. Texas, however, is not among the States that have accepted the preventive.

While this State has been lagging in writing adequate legislation upon its books other places have progressed far beyond the original intent of the common cup laws. Durham and Goldsboro in North Carolina, for instance, have banned glasses at all soda fountains. The result of this arbitrary action is given by J. H. Epperson, superintendent of the Department of Health in Durham. He says:

"Our ordinance requiring the use of individual paper containers for the serving of portions of soft drink establishments is being enforced rigidly. We do not permit the use of glasses under any consideration."

have even gone so far as to require circuses, carnivals and other traveling organizations dispensing soft drinks to the public to use individual containers.

"I am indeed glad to state that there is little or no opposition at the present time to the use of the individual service at soda fountains. The public in this community is solidly backing the Department in the enforcement of this regulation as evidenced by the fact that recently the grand jury took notice of the ordinance and complimented the efforts of the officers in the rigid enforcement of the law."

"I am of the opinion that any community who attempts the use of sterilizers at soda fountains is simply wasting effort so far as preventing the spread of infection by the use of so-called sterilized glasses. The removal of all glassware from the fountain and the use of the individual cup will accomplish the purpose for which the law was intended."

It is probable that the pressure of sanitarians throughout the State and the public sentiment of various civic and public health groups will bring the matter of the common cup before the new Legislature. Generally, it is expected that Texas will go on record against the common cup and will adopt the Railway Code or incorporate similar provisions in a new law.

The Tudor Sales Company has just installed full steel shelves and cabinets in their stock and display department, which not only adds to its attractiveness, but to its convenience as well. Red believes in having his working conditions as ideal as they can be made.

ROAD NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

In the matter of the petition of J. R. Hill and others for a public road in Yoakum county, Texas:

The State of Texas:—To Ella Hemphill, Homer Mayfield, I. E. Vennum, H. H. White and Mrs. Anne E. Hooker, non-resident land owners:

Take notice, that the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioner's Court of Yoakum County, Texas, to lay out, survey and assess damages resulting from the establishment of a public road 60 feet wide as petitioned for by J. R. Hill, Hugh Snodgrass and J. R. Trout and others, and beginning at the northwest corner of Section No. 15; thence south 2 miles to the northwest corner of Section No. 13; thence east one mile to the northeast corner of Section No. 13; thence south four miles to intersection with the highway, will on the 10th day of Dec., 1924, in discharge of our duty, meet upon the following premises, to which you have some claim or title, to-wit: Section No. 13 block D, and east half of Section 25, block K, and the west half of Section 22, block D, and will then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are hereby requested to produce to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any claimed by you, and all evidence which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of November, A. D. 1924.

J. R. Hill
J. R. Trout —Juror.
Hugh Snodgrass

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CURED OR HOME KILLED MEATS

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We learned this week that C. R. Rambo had purchased the Bob Snodgrass residence. We did not leave what Mr. Snodgrass' intentions are, Mr. Rambo will move in his new residence right away, we understand.

Mrs. W. B. Clements, who lives near the Abernathy ranch is very ill with pneumonia.

Dr. Moorhead is off on a trip to Clayton, N.M. He will be absent for a week or more.

CHURCHES

Always need extra money for some purpose or another. Here is your opportunity to boost your church treasury.

The Palace Drug Store

Will give \$175.00 in GOLD to the various churches of Terry county on December 24, 1924, as follows:

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| 1st Prize | - | - | \$75.00 |
| 2nd Prize | - | - | \$50.00 |
| 3rd Prize | - | - | \$30.00 |
| 4th Prize | - | - | \$20.00 |
| 5th Prize | - | - | \$10.00 |

CONDITIONS

We will give a ticket for each 25c purchase or one for each 25c paid on account and these tickets count in this contest. Be sure to call for and hold your tickets.

Contest positively closes December 24 at 5 p. m. EACH CHURCH MAY POOL THEIR TICKETS if they wish, for in doing so it gives them a better chance at first prize.

A PRIZE FOR EACH ORGANIZED CHURCH IN COUNTY

We have one of the most complete staple stocks of Drugs and Druggist Sundries in the county and our Holiday Goods stock is larger than has ever been brought to Brownfield. So in buying your Christmas goods be sure and ask for your tickets and turn them in to your church, for the church having the larger number of tickets will receive the \$75.00 in gold and so on down until all five denominations receive a Gold Prize.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon W. H. Bishop by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court house thereof, in Brownfield, on the first Monday in January, 1925,

the same being the 5th day of January 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 3rd day of July A.D. 1924, wherein the Union Independent School District is plaintiff, and W. H. Bishop is defendant, said petition alleging that on the first day of January 1923, the defendant was owner of the following described land and premises situated in the Union Independent School District of Terry County, Texas, as follows: 160 acres of land out of Abstract No. 1172, and being part of survey No. 16, and that said property was subject to taxation for the benefit of the Union Independent School District for the year 1919, and that

the said land was duly and legally assessed for taxation for said year and that the board of equalization of said district fixed the value of said land at \$1600.00 and that there is due by the defendant as taxes for said property for said year, taxes, interest and penalty, the sum of \$1096.00, by reason thereof the plaintiff has a valid, subsisting and unsatisfied tax lien against said property, and plaintiff prays for judgment for its tax, interest, penalty and cost of suit, and for the foreclosure of its tax lien against said property.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness H. R. Winston, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, in the town of Brownfield, this 13th day of November, A. D. 1924.

H. R. Winston, Clerk
District Court, Terry County, Texas

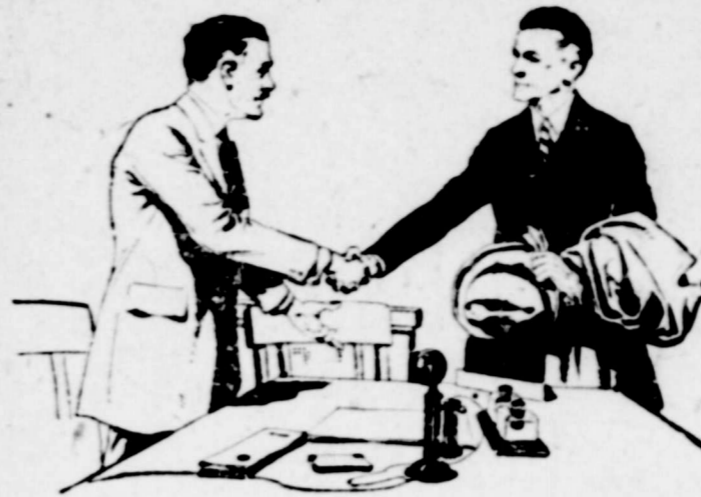
A. J. Nelson, member of the real estate firm of N. F. Emerson & Co., of Meadow, was down this week. He favored the Herald with a nice order for job work while here. He informed us that the Meadow people were making an effort to get a rural mail route out of their town east.

R. H. Banowsky, erstwhile Brownfield merchant, but now in the oil game at Wichita Falls, was here this week on business.

S. L. Greathouse, prosperous Chalmers farmer, was in town Wednesday with cotton.

Postmaster J. C. Bohannon informed us this week that an examination would be held here Friday to fill the postoffice at Plains, vice Mrs. Bettie Criswell, resigned. Mrs. Criswell will assume her duties as County Treasurer of Yoakum county after the 1st of January.

Miss Bryant, of Stamford, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Martin, Jr.



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MEADOW BRIEFS

By Aesculapias

Meadow is still floundering around in the slough of doubt in the matter of her incorporation. Two elections have been held over the matter. The first was a decision that we would, the second one that we would not incorporate. So there you are.

As the question is strictly a legal one, the officers elect do not care to function until the legal status is determined. The matter has been in the hands of the judge since the 25th of October. The problem must indeed be a knotty one.

In the meantime however, a great deal of "they say" has been indulged. Some of the opposition are opposed to Dr. Moorhead, and if he would resign, why everything would be lovely, and the goose hang high. On the other hand he declares that if the parties who claim this as the cause, will just come around and make their wants known, he can diagnose their difficulties at once, and point a cure. The continued agitation is doing the village no good.

During the last few days the writer has been the recipient of two poetical effusions. Both were mailed from Brownfield, but whether or not both had their origin there, I don't know. As they deal with persons and things that are local to the two towns it isn't probable that the Herald would consider them of sufficient general interest to publish them, although those who read them seemed to enjoy the allusions to matters past and present. Spring is yet a long way off and these writers of poems had best go carefully about poetry.

Joe Bailey Duke and Dr. Moorhead had a mixup of cars yesterday (Saturday). No one was hurt but the garage man was \$27.00 to the good by the collision. Joe Bailey drinks a very bad brand of liquor, and seems to be blind in both eyes—so says the doctor.

Dr. T. F. Miles, who owns a ranch and several farms in Terry county, is here this week on business. The doctor lives at Lorena, Texas.

Want Ads

LADIES TAKE NOTICE: I am a young man, aged 30 and am lonely, and wish to correspond with ladies

18 to 25; those from the country preferred, but will answer all. Please enclose photo in first letter. C. W. Nelson, P.O. Box 501, Brownfield, Texas. 2c

WHEN YOU WANT electric wiring done right and to your satisfaction, see G. D. Luker, Brownfield—"The man who knows his stuff." 1c

STRAYED OR STOLEN: One brown mare mule about 2-years old. One small black Jack about 2-years old. Am sure they followed some wagon with stock. Left Grassland, Lynn county, about 60 days ago. Notify J. C. Walker, Post, Texas, and receive a liberal reward.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY the public that I have dissolved partnership with J. T. Dupuy. (Signed) Cathey Dandridge. 2c

FOR SALE: My Jack, also mares, Jack registered, large, big bone black with white points; 10 years old; a bargain. T. W. Hague, Littlefield, Texas. 1c

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NOTICE: All those knowing that they are indebted to the Hill Hotel or John A. King, will please come in and make settlement or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney.

IF YOU WANT TO GET WELL, see Weldon, Chiropractor, Phone 165, Brownfield, Texas. 1c

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WANTED: Good milk cow. See Rev. C. E. Ball, city.

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COME TO DRAUGHON'S, 3c young people who have followed this advice have been placed in good positions with four banks alone, 10c with one big wholesale concern, and hundreds of others throughout the Southwest. Scholarships guarantee positions. Write today for Special Position Offer to 9 young men and 4 young women.—Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas. 2c

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WANTED: People to look at our hand colored home photographs and floor plans.—C. D. Shamburger. 1c

WE HAVE 100 latest house plans. Call and See them.—C. D. Shamburger, City. 1c

FOR SALE: 18 or 20 full blood Black Minorca hens and 3 roosters, at \$1.00 each. Bob Holgate, City. 1c

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I WILL DELIVER MILK anywhere in town for 12 1/2c a quart.—Oscar Sawyer, City. 11-7c

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SUNDAY MAIL CAR leaves P.O. at 8:00 o'clock, arriving at Lubbock at 10:30. Fare \$1.50; round trip \$3.00.—J. S. Corning, Carrier. 1-7

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FOR SALE: Two room house with 2 lots, at cost. See J. S. Breazeale, 2c or enquire at Herald office. 4c

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Brownfield, Texas

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The Meadow Messenger has reduced in size from a 6 column paper to a 5 column paper since it moved to Lubbock. A paper should not have to reduce its size in the fall or any other time for that matter.

We have seen another reason why the Herald does not carry a "patent" magazine section recently. One of these magazines coming to our desk and paid for by nearby newspapers, contained a page ad of a certain "Valley" in Texas. The Herald may not look as "metropolitan" as some of the papers that carry this free dope, but if any section gets any free advertising in the Herald, that section will be the Great South Plains.

Gaines county should have a better highway to Brownfield. The present

condition of this road is a detriment to Seagraves and the whole of Gaines county. Most of the travel coming into Seagraves is done over this road and when once a man passes over it in his automobile, he is in the proper frame of mind to knock on the country. This road is so sandy in places that traffic is nearly impossible. Can't something be done to relieve this situation? What is needed is a hard clay surface that will not blow. The Terry county commissioners should get busy and work their part of the highway leading into Brownfield. Let's have a better outlet to the outside world than we now have to put up with.—Seagraves Signal.

And now comes a great New York Rev. Dr. and a London playwright who claim that the stage is more influential toward better morals than the pulpit. If this is the case, and we seriously doubt it, the pulpit has permitted it to be so in leaving their last as the shoemaker did. Any time our ministers chase off after worldly mud-slinging methods of the ward-heeler politician, just that instant it loses the reverence of people and its grip on the human heart. But, so far as a comparison with the pulpit, if the pulpit stays with its mission of preaching the gospel, there ain't no such animal. What drama is more thrilling than that of the death and suffering of Jesus Christ? What other pure and innocent man ever consented to lay down his life when in the prime of life and full enjoyment of health that a sin cursed old earth and its people might reap everlasting life hereafter. There is lots of drama, love and romance in the

Bible, but very little comedy. Life is a serious proposition, but death is more serious if one is not prepared for it.

A mighty change has come over the people of this community in the last few weeks, and no one but a born pessimist would maintain that the change is for the better by a long shot. The election is over, and that part of the affairs of the Nation, the State and County are at least settled seemingly to the satisfaction of all for two years at least, and they have turned to something else. And like most intelligent humans, they have turned to the thing of least resistance and that in this case is the rebuilding of the town and community. With the influx of the dollar from a big cotton crop that is constantly climbing in price now, people are turning their attention to building new homes and new business houses, and new barns and grainaries. They are most all agreed in this, for there is no room for animosity in building up the community. Talk of the election has ceased. One never hears it mentioned any more on the streets. My, but it is good to see our people regain their reason again and talk like reasonable creatures, and build like reasonable creatures. Let the dead issues bury the dead issues. Let us work while it is day.

KELSO-WURDOCK DEVELOPING MUCH PROPERTY

I. R. Kelso, a resident of Cape Girardeau, who is temporarily sojourning with his family in St. Louis, came down Tuesday to vote. He never fails to get here on election day and probably as long as he lives, he will maintain his voting residence in this city. This is a characteristic of the man who has played an important part in the development of Cape Girardeau and who keeps on playing it.

Mr. Kelso and H. Wurdock returned to St. Louis late Monday from an extensive stay in Texas. The Kelso-Wurdock Company is now operating electric plants in about 10 or 12 Texas cities and ice plants in about 25 cities. On this trip they worked out contracts with most of the cities and with the state, Kelso stated, and in every case the most cordial relations were maintained.

Kelso and Wurdock are credited with being among the most successful utility operators in Missouri, and Cape Girardeau is ready to testify to their popularity. While they were in control of the utility plants here there was never a time when the city failed to get prompt action from their company. There was always some man in charge who could give a prompt answer. The importance of such a condition was realized here a few months ago when an effort was made to reach the head of the utility corporation, but without success.

When Kelso and Wurdock were operating the Cape Girardeau plant the street car system needed rehabilitation. When the demand was heard from Kelso was here within 24 hours and remained until everybody was satisfied. When the job was completed new rails were put down and new cars were being operated.

When the community proposition came along the utility company was expected to take a leading part. No sooner was the request made than Kelso and Wurdock were heard from.

When the water plant failed in the dead of winter, no attention was given to costs. The repairs were made and just as soon as possible a permanent intake was built.

When the great drainage proposition came along Kelso and Wurdock were prepared and their high-powered wires served the entire district just as though it was a minor detail.

It may be that the utilities plants of Cape Girardeau are now in equally as good hands—we are told that they are—and we are sure we express the sentiment of the great majority of the business men of Cape Girardeau when we say that Kelso and Wurdock gave this city and the other points in the district direct, wholesome, encouraging utility service, the like of which we are hoping for in the future.—(Cape Girardeau) Southeast Missourian.

Champion Mean Man

A wealthy man visited a school and gave an address. When he was through he called a little boy up to him and said, "My lad, have you a purse?" "No, sir." "I'm sorry," said the rich man. "If you had I'd have given you half a dollar to put into it." The same man was scheduled to speak there again the following month, and when he came the boys were prepared for him; an empty purse lay hidden in every pair of trousers. And sure enough at the end of his speech he called another boy to him. "Have you a purse, little man?" he asked. "Yes, sir." "I'm glad of that," said the speaker. "If you hadn't, I should have given you half a dollar to buy one."—The Pathfinder.

Race Horses Oddly Named

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late reason, which is more than can be said of the names of famous gallows of the early part of the Nineteenth century. Among these quaint names are recorded: "Lick Come Tickle Me," "Jenny Come Tickle Me," "I Am Litter-Pity My Condition," "Smother When Clothed," "Watch Them and Catch Them," and "Hittus Strike Home." One wonders what the modern boot-maker would make of these labels on a hot day. Probably the name which has given the fraternity most trouble in recent years was Volodyovski which won the Derby in 1901.

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COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

In the matter of County Finances, in the hands of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas.

Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, in regular session, Nov. Term, 1924.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Terry County, and the Hon. D.J. Broughton, County Judge of Terry County, constituting the entire Commissioners Court of said County, and each of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of Nov., A.D. 1924, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of said Terry County, Texas, for the period beginning on the 31st day of Aug. A. D. 1924, and ending on the 31st day of Oct., A. D. 1924, and after finding that her report was correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said Treasurer since her last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by her present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of October, 1924, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1448-1449-1450 and 1451, Chapter 1, Title 29 of the Revised Statutes of Texas.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in the hands of said Treasurer belonging to Terry County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 10th day of Nov., A.D. 1924, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

| JURY FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
|--|--|----------------|----------------|
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 2554.93 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 139.81 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 340.72 |
| By amount to balance | | | 2354.02 |
| Total | | 2694.74 | 2694.74 |
| ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 4653.24 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 294.33 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 1936.14 |
| By amount to balance | | | 3011.43 |
| Total | | 4947.57 | 4947.57 |
| GENERAL FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 2672.15 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 229.31 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 2228.69 |
| By amount to balance | | | 672.77 |
| Total | | 2901.46 | 2901.46 |
| ROAD BOND FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 164.58 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 4.29 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | .11 |
| By amount to balance | | | 168.76 |
| Total | | 168.87 | 168.87 |
| PUBLIC BUILDING FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 1596.67 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 74.06 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 1074.92 |
| By amount to balance | | | 595.81 |
| Total | | 1670.73 | 1670.73 |
| INTEREST FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 2244.51 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 53.79 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 1973.65 |
| By amount to balance | | | 324.65 |
| Total | | 2298.30 | 2298.30 |
| STATE HIGHWAY FUND | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1924 | | 1867.61 | |
| To amount received since said date | | 215.04 | |
| By amount disbursed since said date | | | 1011.15 |
| By amount to balance | | | 1071.52 |
| Total | | 2082.65 | 2082.65 |
| RECAPITULATION | | Dr. | Cr. |
| Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day | | 2354.02 | |
| Balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day | | 3011.43 | |
| Balance to credit of General Fund on this day | | 672.77 | |
| Balance to credit of Road Bond Fund on this day | | 168.76 | |
| Balance to credit of Public Building Fund, on this day | | 595.81 | |
| Balance to credit of Interest Fund on this day | | 324.65 | |
| Balance to credit of State Highway Fund on this day | | 1071.52 | |
| Total cash on hand belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us | | 8198.99 | |

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

The bonded indebtedness of said County we find to be as follows, to-wit:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Outstanding Road Warrants | \$22,000.00 |
| Moline George Co., of Texas | 5000.00 |
| Texas Bridge Co., of Texas | 4500.00 |
| Galeon Road Machine Co., of Texas | 4234.00 |
| Russell Grader Mfg. Co., of Texas | 955.00 |
| Total | \$36,689.00 |

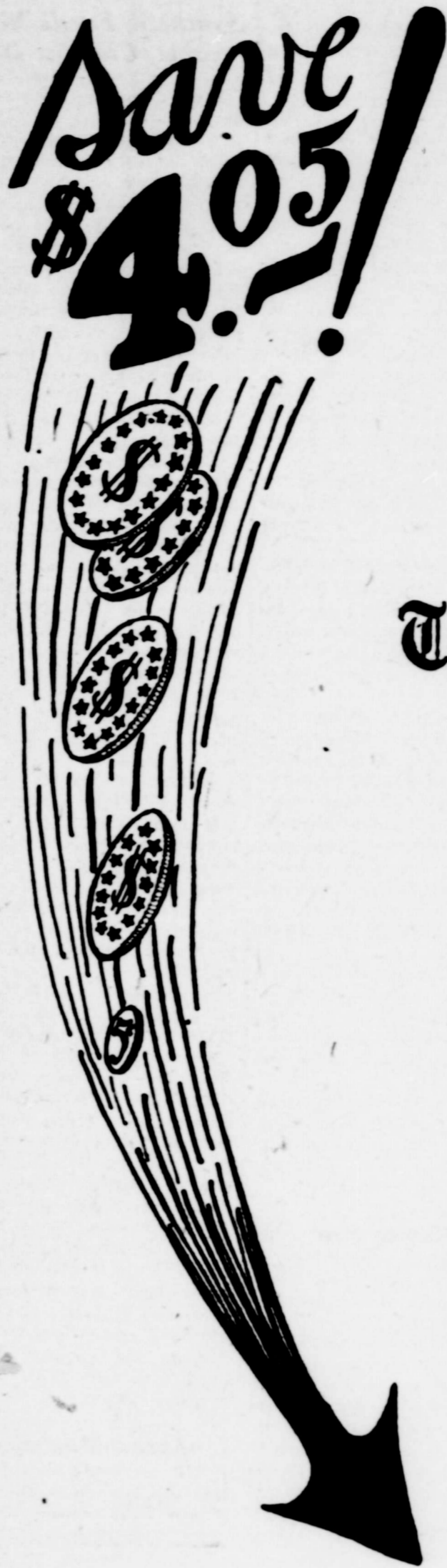
Witness our hands officially, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1924.

D. J. Broughton, County Judge
D. S. Cunningham, Com. Pre. No. 1.
Jay Barrett, Com. Pre. No. 2
T. O. Hooker, Com. Pre. No. 3
W. H. Black, Com. Pre. No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by D. J. Broughton, County Judge and D. S. Cunningham and Jay Barrett and T. O. Hooker and W. H. Black, County Commissioners of said Terry County, each respectively, on this, the 10th day of November, A.D. 1924.
(SEAL)
H. R. Winston, Clerk,
County Court, Terry County, Texas

The Brownfield Hardware Company are building regulation sidewalks in front of their business property. We understand that the Tuder Sales Co. will likely extend them on to the corner west. The Brownfield Hardware Co. also had some of their floor inside their building laid on account of it freezing when laid last winter.

Rev. C. E. Ball and wife, accompanied by Rev. W. F. Markham, missionary of the Brownfield Association, left Monday for Dallas to attend the Baptist State Convention, representing the Brownfield church. They will be gone about all this week.



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Get Loans From "Aunt"

In Paris and other big French cities the pawnbroker is called "my aunt." In France one needn't blush in doing business with the pawnbroker, for he is the state; that is, the government conducts the pawnbroking business. It does it very well, too, if I am to believe the testimony of some Americans who have "traded" with "My Aunt" while awaiting delayed remittances from home. "My Aunt" has had a good year's business. She does little business nowadays with the working man, for he is always in work. The center of poverty has moved. It is the white-collar brigade which, unable to make both ends meet, resorts to "My Aunt." Oddly enough, "My Aunt's" shop in Paris is on "The Hill of Piety." Not a misprint for pity.—A. B. L., in World Traveler Magazine.

Franklin's Thrift

We hear a great deal of Benjamin Franklin as the great exponent of thrift, remarks the Kansas City Star. Historians recall, however, that the great scientist-statesman was not always thrifty enough. In his refusal to patent his famous stove, he was wasteful of his own and the public's profit. He wished his idea to be given free to the world, and so did not protect his invention; an Englishman made some changes for the worse in the Franklin fireplace, secured a patent on it, and reaped a fortune from the sales.

Uncle Pennywise Says:

I wish I knew what a fly likes to eat. It would provide a side dish for him. As it is he samples everything and sticks to nothing.—Atlanta Constitution.

Good Enough Reason, Too

The reason why a lot of men are bachelors is because they failed to embrace their opportunities.—From Illinois State Journal.

House Moved in Halves

In order to move a house in Melbourne, Australia, recently, it was necessary to cut it in two and move the sections separately.

Must Be Just to All

We may concede any man a right, without doing any man a wrong, but we can favor no one without injuring some one.

Tom Moore's Visit to This Country Recalled

Thomas Moore's visit to Niagara and other parts of Canada in 1804 is recalled by a Niagara reader of the Toronto Globe.

"I first heard of it," she says, "when visiting the house Moore lived in at Ste. Anne. An old French gentleman who took us to the house told us that few Canadians seemed to know that Moore had lived in Canada for many months and written a number of poems and songs while here. He quoted 'The Whip-poor-will,' and said it was written at Niagara. The old house of Martin McLaughan (who was killed while saving the guns May 27, 1813), now owned by Mr. Usher, was the house from which the smoke so gracefully curled for it was the only house whose chimneys could be seen from Fort George."

Moore's collected poems contain a group of his compositions while in America, passing through the eastern states to Buffalo, Niagara falls, Niagara, Montreal, Quebec and Halifax. It is evident from his poems and his prose introduction that it was not a very happy visit, though a poem like "The Canadian Boat Song" is a worthy fruit of his impressions. When he took ship at Halifax his farewell poem referred to "chill Nova Scotia's unpromising strand," and there are references to what he considered the crudity of the New world.

Hit White Bread

The sale of white bread throughout England has decreased 50 per cent in the last two years due to the repeated warnings by doctors that white bread is a likely cause of cancer. There has been a corresponding increase in the sale of wholewheat bread.

Raindrops Flat at Ends

Raindrops are not perfectly round. Motion pictures show that, contrary to popular opinion, they are flat at the top and bottom, apparently due to air pressure. The flattening makes each drop comparatively only about half its expected height.

The Meal-Tub Plot

England was upset in 1679 by the discovery of a conspiracy against Protestants by one Dangerfield. It was called the meal-tub plot, because the papers were kept in a meal tub. It proved a hoax.

Greatness Is Not to Be Gauged by Stature

Lombroso in his "Men of Genius" says that greatness and stature are rarely found together. In consulting biographies of a number of great men in American history, however, it has been found that this statement does not always apply. There have been on the whole more prominent men above middle height than below, says the Denver News. Among the short men may be numbered John Quincy Adams, Admiral Farragut, Paul Jones, Gen. Phil Sheridan, Stephen A. Douglas, William H. Seward and Martin Van Buren. On the other hand we find that Charles Sumner was 6 feet 4 inches; Thomas Jefferson, 6 feet 2 1/2 inches; Charles Godfrey Leland, 6 feet 2 1/2 inches; Andrew Jackson, 6 feet 1 inch; Samuel Adams, Salmon P. Chase and Jonathan Edwards described as "over 6 feet"; James Monroe, 6 feet or more; Bayard Taylor, 6 feet at the age of seventeen; George Washington, 6 feet; Henry Ward Beecher, Rufus Choate, Benjamin Franklin were slightly under 6 feet. Daniel Webster and Patrick Henry were about 5 feet 10.

True Courage

The truest courage is always mixed with circumspection; this being the quality which distinguishes the courage of the wise from the hardness of the rash and foolish.—Jones, of Nayland.

Most Peculiar

Nathan Lapatrik, age one hundred and eleven, of Sheffield, says that he owes his long life to the fact that for many years he has bathed his head in vinegar.—Utica Daily Press.

Seemingly Nothing New

An Egyptian archeologist recently discovered a bunk used on the Nile boats 4,000 years ago. This bunk differs very little from the stateroom berths of modern liners.

Splendid Rule of Life

What do we live for, if it is not to make life less difficult to each other?—Exchange.

Sugar in Many Trees

Sugar is found in the sap of nearly two hundred plants and trees.

Vacationist Had Real Problem on His Hands

A revival of this old yarn, once a favorite of George Roby's, is not amiss: It was all about a man who arrived at a seaside resort and went to a hotel. Shortly after a friend called and was shown up to his room. He found him sitting in a chair surveying with a gloomy countenance a trunk which stood against the wall.

"What's the matter?" asked the caller.

"I want to get a suit of clothes out of that trunk," was the answer.

"Well, what's the difficulty—lost the key?"

"No, I have the key all right," he said, heaving a sigh. "I'll tell you how it is. My wife packed that trunk. She expected to come with me, but was prevented. To my certain knowledge she put in enough to fill three trunks the way a man would pack them. If I open it, the things will boil up all over the room. I could never get them back. Now I'm wondering whether it would be cheaper to go and buy a new suit of clothes or two more trunks."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Sperm Whale Valuable

The most valuable catch that can be made in salt water is a sperm whale. A very large specimen taken off the west coast of Vancouver Island was found to contain 250 pounds of ambergris. This alone brought \$150,000, while the blubber and spermaceti were worth another \$2,500.

English Idea of Murder

The generally accepted definition of murder in English law is that of Coke: When a person of sound memory and discretion unlawfully killeth any reasonable creature in being and under the king's peace with malice aforethought, either expressed or implied.

MARRIAGES

It is reported here that Mrs. John Raymer, formerly of this city but now residing at Meadow, and a Mr. Harley, also of that city, were married on Tuesday night.

Mr. Sam Simmons, of Grandfield, Okla., and Miss Buna Newlin, of Frederick, Okla., were married Nov. 12. Miss Buna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Newlin of this city.

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Perfume's Many Uses Throughout the Ages

Perfume, which we define as a sweet
fragrance, was one of the most useful
and interesting of ancient commodi-
ties. It was used for innumerable
things, but mostly for religious and
medicinal purposes.

The queen of Sheba is said to have
given to King Solomon an abundance
of spices and wood of which perfume
was made. These were reported as
being of very high value.

In the ruins of Pompeii were found
large, costly bottles of perfume.
Oriental ladies also used great quan-
tities of costly perfume to preserve
their personal charm. When the
knights came home from the crusades,
they brought their sweethearts expen-
sive bottles of perfume from the East.

During the reign of Charles II the
"merry monarch," hair powder was in-
troduced and continued to be fash-
ionable for over 200 years.

Perfume was so popular during the
reign of Louis XV that a different per-
fume was used each day in certain
households.

Alcoholic perfumes were first intro-
duced during the fourteenth century
when Elizabeth, queen of Hungary, in-
vented the celebrated Hungary water,
with which she is said to have retained
her beauty until she was past seventy
years of age.

Perfumes were often used for other
than their sweet, fragrant odor. Spicy
perfumes were used by the ancient
Hebrews for fumigating their beds and
enfolding dead bodies. People were
executed on piles of burning aromatic
wood. In India perfumes were used
in the form of incense. They were of-
fered as sacrifices in their temples and
upon their altars. It was the custom
for priests to color their faces with
ointment of saffron.

The use of perfume for medicinal
purposes was very widely practiced.
Rose water formed the basis for many
remedies, while during plagues per-
fume was used extensively as a pre-
ventive.

The savage and barbarous nations,
as well as the civilized and refined,
used perfume extravagantly. African
chiefs anointed their bodies with it--
perhaps as a sunburn protection.

Oldest Known Pen

Among the recent discoveries at
Kish is a great treasure in the shape
of the oldest known pen. Professor
Langdon, the director of the Wed-
dell and Field museum archeological
expedition, who was delighted at
finding this bone stylus for writing
cuneiform, says that many scholars
had vainly tried to reconstruct the in-
strument. This stylus is a triumph of
simplicity. It is a bone, six inches
long, with a triangular cross section
and tapered ends. After a little prac-
tice Professor Langdon was able to
make cuneiform inscriptions on clay
with fair rapidity. Professor Lang-
don considers that the mound 20 miles
southeast of Nippur may be identified
as the site of the city of Isin. Isin was
the capital of a dynasty which ruled
over a great part of Babylonia after
that of Ur from about 2280 B. C. to
about 2050 B. C.

Improves Value of Pelts

Going contrary to manufacturers
of preparations that make human hair
lie close and sleekly to the head, a
chemical concern which makes a spe-
cialty of things for the fur trade has
brought out a preparation to make the
hair of certain short-haired pelts stand
up. It is meant for use particularly on
natural muskrat, marmot and Hudson
seal. In addition to making the hair
stand up, the preparation is said to
add to the luster of the pelt without
affecting the color. The same concern
has brought out a preparation for
glossing such furs as Persian lamb,
caracul and broadtail. It is claimed
for this preparation that it imparts a
fine gloss to the pelt without distur-
bing the curl, and also that it dries
quickly.

Appropriate

"What a sublime scene!" rhapsodized
a feminine tourist from the North.
"The frowning grandeur of yonder for-
est-clad hills stretching away for
miles fills me with reverential awe.
For ages that great mount over there
has stood indifferent to tempest and
sunshine alike. Ah, how weak is man;
how mighty nature! But language
fails me. Cannot you think of some-
thing appropriate to say, Mr. John-
son?"

"Well, I reckon 'You bet' is just
about the proper remark, mon," re-
plied Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge,
who was showing off the region.—
Kansas City Star.

Oil From Locusts

A plague of locusts brought a new
industry to Bocholt, Germany. The
insects have been gathered by the ton
and oil extracted from their bodies.
The oil is intended for airplane mo-
tors and is said to be particularly
adapted for winter flying because it
does not congeal in low temperatures.
Good, fat locusts retailed at about
one-fourth of a cent for a pound.
After the insects passed through the
oil extraction process the refuse was
used for fertilizer.

Utilizing Sun's Heat

Mirrors concentrating the sun's rays
are said to have yielded temperatures
as high as 2,800 degrees. One pro-
posed method of storing the heat is
by using it to produce chemicals that
will give out heat when required on
exposure to air and water, or through
similar reaction.

SAYS NOTHING CAN SUPPLANT THE FARM

Synthetic Foods Not Practi- cable, Chemist Declares.

Predictions often are made that some
day we shall have all our food made
in chemical factories, out of air and
water and carbonic-acid gas; that even
farming soon is to be a thing of the
past, and that chemically prepared
food will come to us in tablets that we
shall nibble.

These notions are mere guesses, un-
sound economically. The farm is not
to be supplanted by the chemical fac-
tory, writes Dr. Ellwood Hendrick,
noted chemist, in the Popular Science
Monthly, although the farm already is
beginning to draft the chemical and
biological laboratories for its own pur-
poses.

Even if we chemists could make
tasty and nutritious foods of inani-
mate matter, instead of things that
have been through the process of life,
of things that have grown on the farm
—and its a fact that we don't know
how to do it—there isn't power enough
available to make the food for the
world in factories. We should require
coal or water power or fuel oil, while
the plants and trees use the power of
light direct from the sun for their
growth. We cannot use light for power.
Every green leaf has us beaten in
this respect.

Again, our internal organs are so
constructed that if we undertook to
live on tablets without the necessary
roughage or coarseness of food they
would collapse and the whole world
soon would come down with an inter-
national bowel complaint. Let's keep
our feet on the ground. Men of sci-
ence have to do so. But don't be dis-
appointed. Science, working along
practical lines, already is accomplish-
ing amazing things in solving our food
problems. It has learned to extract
elements necessary to plant growth
from the air, from the sewage of
cities, from the smoke of factory
chimneys. It is conserving our crops
through the development of the can-
ning industry. It has taught the bak-
ers to produce better and cheaper
bread. It has helped crops by destroy-
ing insect pests. It has studied foods
in the laboratory and taught us how
to balance our diet according to the
requirements of our bodies.

Science does not move ahead with
a brass band, with trumpets and
drums; its progress results from
hard, slow work, with here and there
a happy reward.

Absent-Mindedness Plus

A Beech Grove merchant was laugh-
ing over the absent-minded customer,
who recently sent her little girl to the
store with instruction to stay there
until her mother telephoned an or-
der. After the child had been there
an hour or so, the mother called and
said she had forgotten all about send-
ing her.

"It reminds me," said the merchant,
"of the time when I was a boy. We
lived about a quarter of a mile from
the town. It was our custom to walk
to the village in the evening to get
the mail and loaf a while at the gen-
eral store. One evening dad was very
tired and instead of walking, hitched
up the old mare and drove into town.
About nine o'clock just as I had taken
off my shoes to go to bed, dad came
whistling up the front walk.
"Why, dad," I said, "didn't you drive
to town this evening?"
A queer expression came over his
face and in a tone of great authority
he said, "Go right down there and get
that horse." Then I wished I had
kept still.—Indianapolis News.

Dust Used as Evidence

The French police are making a
microscopic examination of dirt found
upon the clothing of suspected crim-
inals. After cross-examination the sus-
pects are stripped of their clothing,
whose surface dust is first examined
under a strong microscope. A vacuum
cleaner is next applied to draw out
other dirt into a pan. In some in-
stances heating is used to separate
foreign matter. From the dirt thus se-
cured the detectives determine whether
the suspect has been telling the truth.
One murderer tried to prove an alibi
by saying that he had slept in an open
field the night of the crime. Micro-
scopic examination of his clothing
showed that he had slept in a quarry.
A carpenter was connected with a mur-
der by means of sawdust found on a
piece of overalls which the victim had
torn from his assailant and which was
found at the scene of the crime. The
value of the plan has been in breaking
down the bravado of criminals. They
frequently confess when shown that
their first stories were lies.

Origin of Paved Roads

Our modern dustless concrete roads
may be said to have originated in a
dusty limestone highway of England,
says Popular Science Monthly. Just
100 years ago Joseph Aspdin, a mason
of Leeds, England, discovered that if
the dust of limestone roads was mixed
with clay and burned at a high tem-
perature the resulting mass when
ground would produce a material that
hardened when mixed with mortar.
This substance looked like building
stone quarried at Portland, so he called
it Portland cement.

Latter Have Greater Part

A king or a prince becomes by ac-
cident a part of history. A poet or
an artist becomes by nature and nec-
essity a part of universal humanity.
—Mrs. Anna Jameson.

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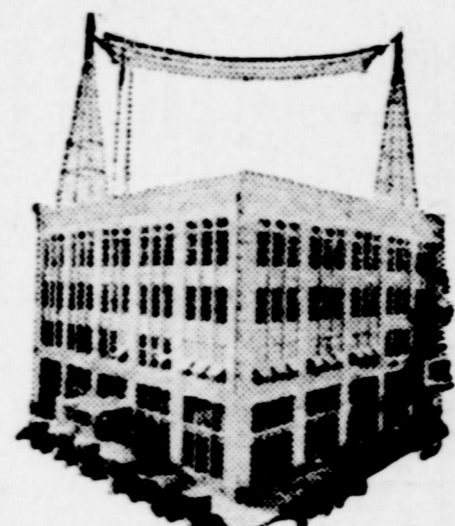
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Coconut Just Missed

My narrowest escape, as far as I
know, occurred last winter when I
was at West Palm Beach, Fla. I was
passing under a coconut palm tree,
when one of the nuts fell immediately
behind me. Coconuts weigh about
seven pounds and one falling from a
height of 25 feet and striking one on
the top of the head might mean seri-
ous injury. —London Journal.

it for weal or woe.

An editor is supposed to know all
things at about the time they happen,
but he doesn't. In fact he is just as
blank as anyone until he finds out
about matters. For instance we only
learned this week that E. B. Free
had formed a partnership with C. R.
Rambo in the abstracting business.
This is a clever pair of hustling busi-
ness men and will do well in the ab-
stracting and insurance business. We
wish to state in this connection that
the telephone is No. 1—easily remem-
bered—and we will appreciate a call
from you have a news item.

YOUR FAMILY DOCTOR

I am the man who signed your Birth Certificate, and the man who will sign your Death Certificate. I am by you in the hour of greatest sickness and the hour of greatest sorrow. I listen to your confessions and breathe to another soul and keep my inviolate.

My life is consecrated to serving and administering to your physical wants. Night and day, rain or shine, I am at your beck and call. I sacrifice, me rest and pleasure, my strength to comfort you.
As I wend myself past the yearstones of life toward the eternal sunset, I am striving to be more charit-

able, more unselfish, and more kindly toward my fellow man.
I am the first one you think of in time of sickness and the last one in time of health.
I am not rich because I serve suffering humanity, which embraces the poor whom we have with us always.
I am the man who cannot pay his grocery bill, his dry goods bill, his drug bill, or in fact any bill on earth, until I am paid by you. I am.
—Your Family Doctor



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J. R. Hill was in Saturday from his farm in the Harris community, and informed us that he was making lots of cotton this year. He is also endeavoring to open a new road out to the Brownfield-Plains highway from his place.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting—
You are hereby commanded to summon J. P. Brooks by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Brownfield, on the first Monday in January 1925, the same being the 5th day of January, 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of July, A.D. 1924, wherein the

Union Independent School District is plaintiff and J. P. Brooks is defendant, said petition alleging that on the first day of January, 1923 the defendant was the owner of the following described land and premises situated in the Union Independent School District of Terry County, Texas, as follows: 320 acres of land out of Abstract 886, Block O, being part of survey No. 40, and that said property was subject to taxation for the benefit of the Union Independent District for the year 1923, and that land was duly and legally assessed for taxation for the year and that the board of equalization of said district fixed the value of said land at \$2580.00, and that there is due by the defendant taxes for said property for said year, taxes, interest and penalty, the sum of \$29.16, and by reason thereof the plaintiff has a valid, subsisting and unsatisfied tax lien against said property, and plaintiff prays for judgment for its tax, interest, penalty and cost of suit, and for the foreclosure of its lien against said property.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness H. R. Winston, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, in the town of Brownfield, this the 13th day of November A. D. 1924.
H. R. Winston, Clerk
District Court, Terry County, Texas

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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas, County of Terry—
In the District Court of Terry County, Texas, Union Independent School District vs. J. E. Bryant, Defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1924, in favor of said Union Independent School District, and against the said J. E. Bryant, No. 776 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Terry, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. E. Bryant, to-wit:
200 acres of land out of Abstract 893, Block O, being a part of Survey No. 40.

And on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1924, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said J. E. Bryant in and to said property to satisfy said judgement, interest and cost of suit.

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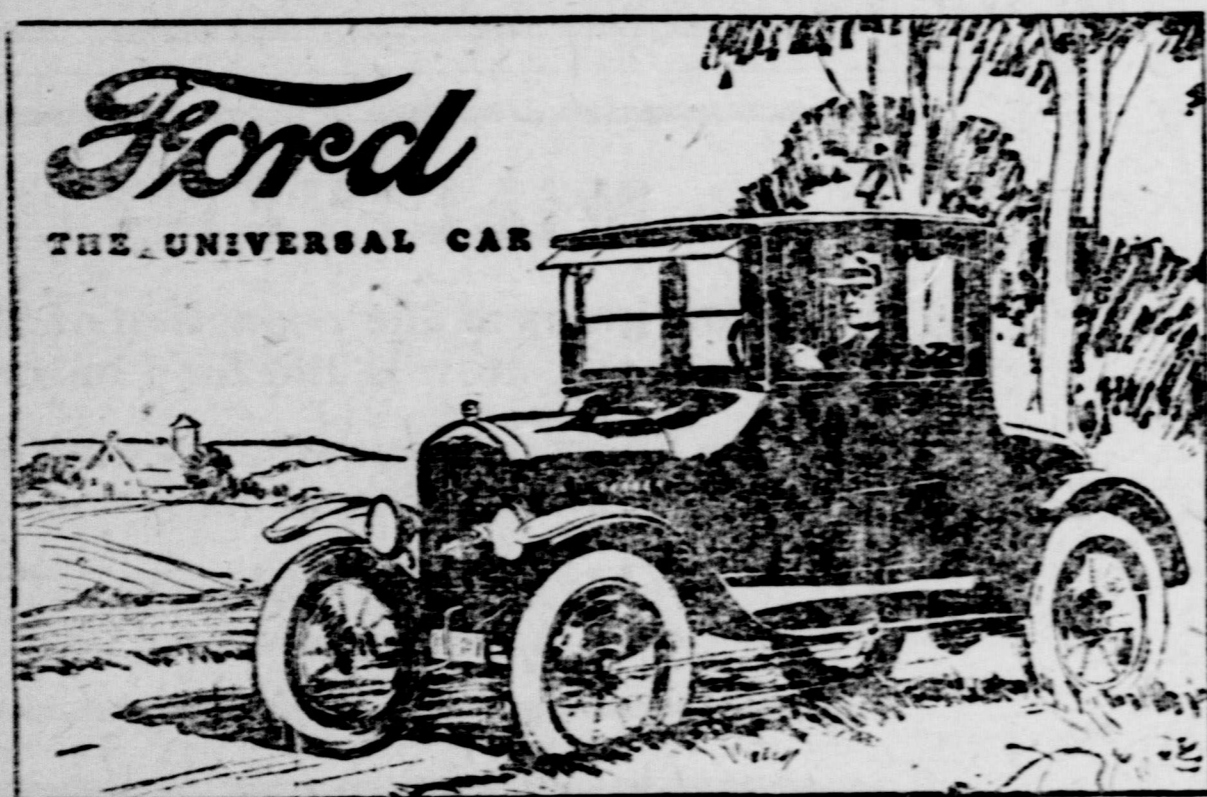
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SEACRAVES SIGNALITES

From the Signal.

Monday night four men enroute from Brownfield to Seagraves had the misfortune to run into a telephone pole while attempting to make a sharp turn at a corner. They were said to have been making a speed of 20 or 25 miles an hour, and had not the post given away when the car came in contact with it, the results might have been more serious. Fortunately none of the occupants were injured, but the car was demolished. Armistice Day was observed in Seagraves Tuesday. Practically all the business houses remained closed throughout the day. Old Glory was seen floating at various places in our little city.

Cotton pickers are said to be scarce at the present time in Gaines county. There is an abundance of cotton yet

to gather, there being only about two-thirds of the crop picked up to this time.

Messrs. R. S. Morrow, W. G. Jarrett, W. Keith, R. J. McLemore, and M. Hill, all of Oklahoma, were here prospecting yesterday, and according to statements made by one of the party, they will all probably invest in land and become permanent citizens of Gaines county.

On Friday and Saturday of last week more than 1700 head of cattle were shipped from Seagraves station, according to a report given out by Inspector J. C. Sartin, Saturday.

Mr. Stadfordholm, wealthy ranchman of Dundee, Archer county, Texas, was in Seagraves Saturday looking over the country. He was much impressed with the wonderful future confronting the great South Plains section, and stated that Gaines county contained some of the best farm-

ing land found in West Texas.

On Tuesday of this week the firm of O. H. Hearne and son shipped out 1400 pounds of turkey from the Seagraves station. They were all big fellows and consigned to Lubbock.

Pat Swan, of the firm of Swan & Tate had the misfortune to have his car torn up on the O'Donnell road near Tahoka last Sunday night, while returning home from a visit with relatives at Tahoka. Mr. Swan stated that he was on the right side of the road, and was standing still when the car coming from the other direction ran headlong into him. Both cars were badly damaged but none of the occupants were injured beyond a severe shake-up.

The public school at Loop will open its 1924-25 session Monday, November 24, according to an announcement made by Prof. W. H. Platt, Monday of this week. The teachers for the term are Prof. W. H. Platt, Mrs. Lena Platt, Prof. H. C. Hill and Miss Hunt. More than 200 pupils will be enrolled this year.

A. W. Endersen of the hardware firm of Holgate-Endersen, at Brownfield, accompanied by Mrs. Endersen were visitors in Seagraves, Tuesday. While in town Mr. Endersen paid the Signal office a visit and placed a nice ad in these columns. When in that city call around and see the hardware and implements on sale by Holgate-Endersen.

V. Williams, of Justiceburg, is the new Santa Fe station agent for Seagraves, having taken the place of Mr. Drummheller, who is now stationed at Dallas.

Earl Jones and W. S. Bynum went to Seagraves Monday to advertise the Covered Wagon coming to the Pastime Theatre next week.

Mr. T. K. Rhea, of Pottsville, Texas, who owns considerable land in Terry, was up this week looking after his interests.

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Tom May, Agent

SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE DIED SUNDAY

Henry Cabot Lodge, Senior Senator from Massachusetts, Republican, and leader in the Senate, died shortly before midnight last Sunday at Charles Gates hospital at Cambridge. Senator Lodge served in the Senate for 33 years. The aged Senator was stricken following two recent operations.

Economic Philosophy

Wherever Dickens is read this advice by Mr. Micawber stands out as the acme of economic common sense:

"Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen, nineteen, six; result happiness. Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure twenty pounds, eight and six; result misery."

Likewise Josh Billings gives expression to not quite so nearly universal a truth when he tells us:

"Debt is a trap, which a man sets and baits himself, and then deliberately gets into—and catches a kursed blood."

Artemus Ward made his reputation as an economist and a humorist on his statement:

"I'm bound to live within my means if I have to borrow money to do it."—C. W. C., in McNaught's Monthly.

Do Ducks Swim With Wings?

Do ducks use their wings while swimming under water? The question is discussed frequently among sportsmen and nature students, and opinions sometimes differ. Testimony of reliable authorities supports the belief that various species of ducks and grebes, loons and other diving birds do not use their wings when swimming beneath the surface for food or in trying to escape capture, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. A ruddy duck was observed on Lake Michigan not long ago feeding in 15 or 20 feet of clear water. As it got well started on its downward plunge, the wings, about two-thirds extended, were used in quick, short strokes, at the rate of about one a second, to assist in propelling it and in rising to the top as well.

Catherine Rush

Medical annals have seldom recorded so rare a case of longevity as that of Catherine Rush, who died in Philadelphia on May 1, 1817, at the age of one hundred and eleven years and eleven months. So far as is known Catherine Rush had lived on the outskirts of Philadelphia all her life, and no one was particularly interested in her until she reached the age of one hundred, having been a very frail girl. When she passed the one-hundred-year mark physicians began to watch her. They kept up their watching for nearly twelve years. It was Catherine Rush's greatest desire, when she felt the end coming, to round out one hundred and twelve years. She failed of it by one month.—Chicago Journal.

Traced to Archimedes

The word "Eureka" is said to have been uttered by Archimedes (287-212 B. C.), the Greek philosopher, when the principle of specific gravity first dawned upon him. It is said that the thought first came to him while in the bath, and that he fled half-dressed through the streets of Syracuse to his home, shouting, "I have found it! I have found it!" The problem that had been given him to solve was to determine whether a golden crown made for Hiero, king of Syracuse had been alloyed with silver. This the king had suspected, and the philosopher afterwards proved it to be so.

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MEADOW BRIEFS

By Aesculapias

After many weeks absence from the pages of the Herald I am again ready to go.

During these weeks of absence many notable things have happened, not the least of these is our state election. Dr. Butte the greatest prestidigitator of the Republican party of Texas, like many another man has met his Waterloo at the hands of a woman—a grandmother at that. He was the motliest, most discordant bunch of political misfits that ever went to battle with the Democracy of Texas. His old hulk will be found along the shores of the Salton Sea with the derelicts of other days, such as Hamman, Jones, Nugent, Martin, Clark, who have passed on. To their credit he it said they led better men. Let the good work go on. As a lagniappe Coolidge will perhaps give him a Federal Judgeship or appoint him consul to Hyderabad.

Armistice Day was not celebrated to any great extent in Meadow. Two flags were in evidence. One on the school building and the other in front of Edwards Goods Co. Not even the one hundred per centers showed anything but their faces. Perhaps it was wash day. There would perhaps been some exercises at the school house but the trustees believing it to be the birthday of the Akkad of Swat failed to have the teachers prepare a program. The children would have gladly taken part in making the Eagle scream and the teachers might have learned a few things they did not know before. Perhaps by another year this bunch of Saurians will wake up and we will have another election ordered.

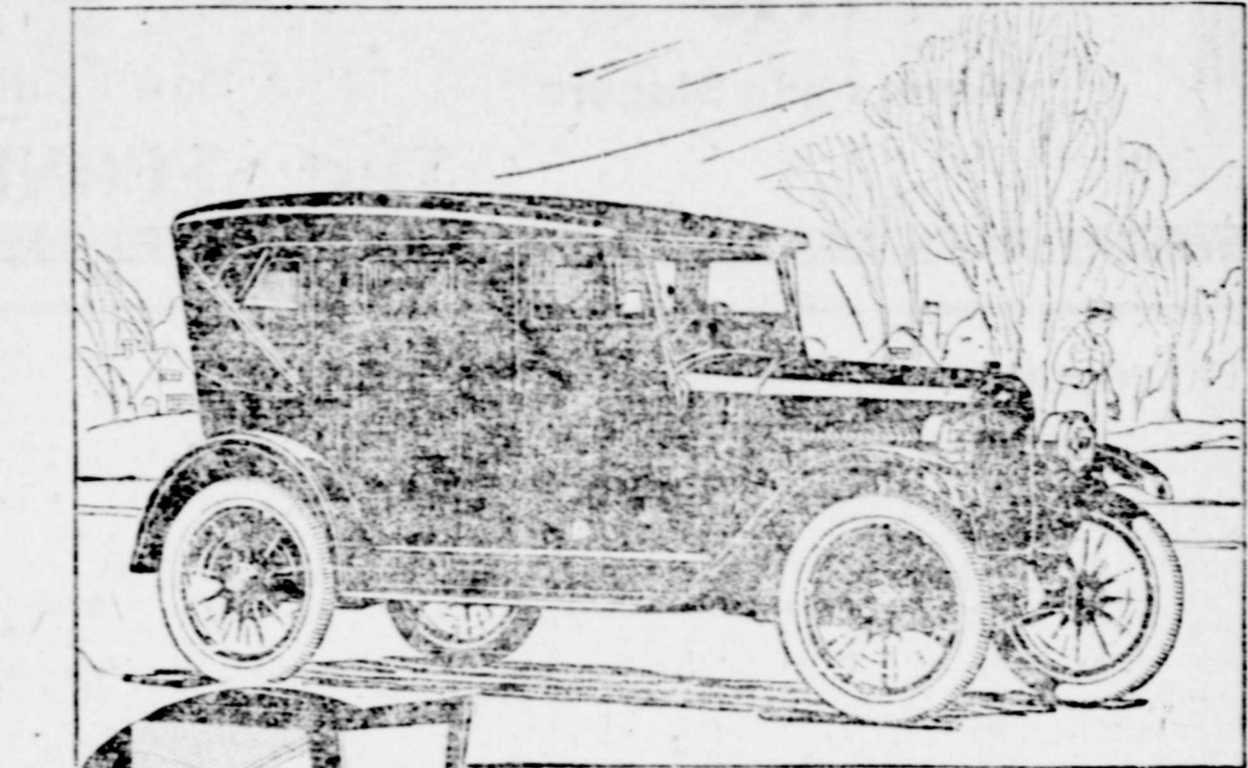
Two new boys arrived here the last few days. One at C. K. Thornton's on election day, and they christened him James Miriam. How does that strike you. The other one showed up Armistice Day and escaped with William Arthur. He should have been called Pershing.

Quite a number of our people hied away to Lubbock to take in the Corner Stone laying and see Governor Neff. It was a glorious day and the beginning of a mighty enterprise.

Rich Bennett was here Tuesday somewhat disgusted. Don't know whether he had done something or was just going to do something. Can't tell anything about him, but he will bear watching.

Some twenty bales of cotton was burned at the yard the past week. A few of the farmers failed to have insurance and suffered a considerable loss. Most of it was however, protected by insurance. I don't know who set it.

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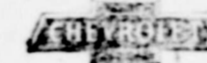


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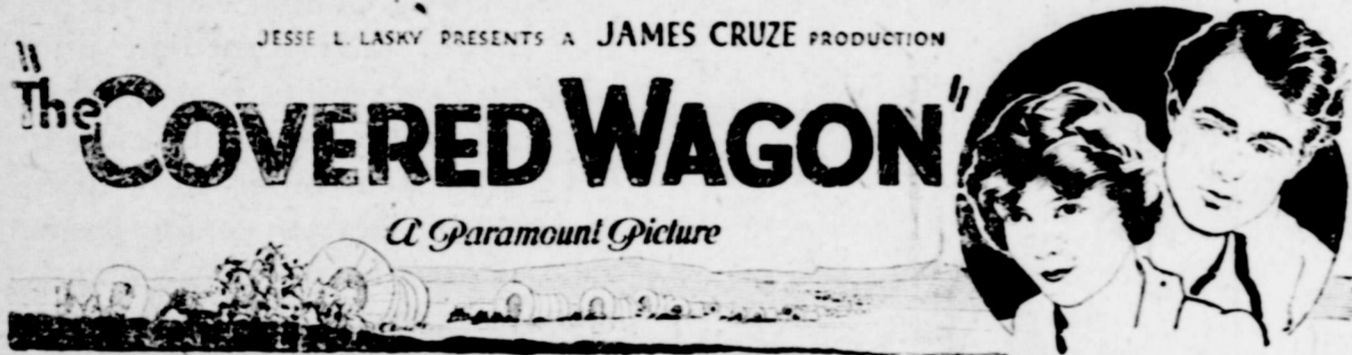
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IDLE WIVES CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. J. R. Lemmon was hostess to the Idle Wives Club on Friday, Nov. 24. The afternoon was spent playing 42. At the close of a number of very interesting games, Mrs. Lemmon gave two very lovely prizes. Mrs. Endersen won high score and Mrs. Bowers the consolation.

The hostess served dainty refreshments to the following guests, Misses Bell, King, Dallas, McDonald, McKinney, Watson, Quinn, Michie, May, McGowan, Endersen, Bowers, A. M. and A. R. Brownfield, Shelton, Henry, Alexander, Dr. Bell and Miss Watson. —Reporter.

Mrs. M. L. Handley who has been ill with typhoid fever for the past five weeks is rapidly improving, and we hope will soon be out.

Mrs. J. F. Holden, of Anaheim, Cal., who has been here for the past six weeks visiting her daughters, Mesdames M. Smith and Stricklin, left Saturday for her home, saying she had enjoyed very minute of her stay in Texas.

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WITH A SOUL SO DEAD,
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Mr. O'Harra, manager of the local Produce Co., informed us one day recently that he was packing on an average of 300 birds per day dressed and packed ready for market. These are shipped out by express each morning.

Our paper, the Meadow Messenger, has moved away—that is the publication machinery and its editor. The last issued reached me with one page entirely blank. Whether or not it

was intended to emphasize the withdrawal of advertising I do not know. I am sorry to lose any interprise of the town and would be glad to see the paper continue until another could be installed here.

C. A. McDaniel, representing the Graham Paper Co., was here this week stirring up business.

Lee Thompson and family are now making their home in Brownfield.

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CULLING POULTRY

down" on the job. As the social butterfly may be distinguished from the hard-working housewife, so in the poultry world the kind of clothes a hen wears may be used as a guide to what kind of a hen she really is. The time a hen molts tells us the time she quits laying for few hens lay and molt at the same time. Now there are a number of causes for molting. Early molting may be due to one of three things. Hens not well fed will molt early. By liberal feeding and by feeding the right kind of rations early molt will be prevented. The best rule in poultry feeding is to give the hens all they will eat. During the summer months probably half their ration should be a poultry mash made up of ground feeds and containing 20 per cent of tankage or meat scraps. A flock of 100 hens should eat 8 pounds of mash daily. If three gallons of milk is fed daily to 100 hens as a substitute for the tankage or meat scraps the hens will also lay well. Experiment shows that when tankage, meat scrap or milk is fed the egg production will be double as compared to a similar ration made up of grain alone. Hens half fed will not produce many eggs and will molt early. One should remember that proper culling is not possible in flocks which have received poor treatment. One cannot afford to keep hens unless they are well fed. When the farmer realizes this fact there will be less need for culling.

Another cause for early molting is the type of hen. Some hens molt early because they are that kind. This may be due to breeding. It may be due to the fact that they were late hatched, failed to grow well and also started to lay late. In general the early maturing, early starting to lay will be a late molting hen, while the slow maturing, late starter will molt early. Sometimes hot weather with the consequent loss of appetite may result in the bird getting run down. Whatever the cause early molters are poor layers and have poor egg records. According to observation at the University of Missouri early molting hens are always poor layers. The later they molt the better. As an illustration, hens which started the molt before August 15th laid 132 eggs or less while those which molted after November 1 laid 195.

It is a well known fact that early molters molt gradually. They have a long time to get a new coat of feathers before cold weather and act accordingly. They extend the period of non-laying over a long period. According to expectations they should make good winter layers the following winter. They have a new coat of plumage and everything appears to be in their favor. Those who keep early molters with the expectation that they will lay lots of winter eggs are sure to be disappointed. Those birds which molt before August 15 averaged 21 winter eggs and 110 eggs for the second laying season while those which molted after November 1 had 34 winter eggs and an average of 146 for the second year.

The manner in which a late molter molts is characteristic of her general make-up. She has been so busy occupied with laying eggs that suddenly she wakes up to the fact that she needs a new suit of clothes. The appears to realize that she has no time to spare. Without hesitation she devotes all her energies in that direction. She immediately drops all the old feathers. She molts in a hurry and quickly replaces them. She may be half naked December 1, but she soon appears newly clad and ready for another year. In all of our observations the late molters as a group always have more eggs to their credit for the first laying season, always lay more eggs the following winter and make better records for the second year. To illustrate this point still further, last year observations showed that hens which quit laying before October 1 averaged from 109 to 137 eggs. Their vacation continued from 143 to 182 days and they laid 18 winter eggs. Those which did not quit laying until after November 1 averaged over 170 eggs for the first year, took a vacation of from 45 to 70 days and laid from 4 to 16 more winter eggs. Regardless of the time a hen quits laying they all started on their second season's production at about the same time. The time a hen molts is a good indication of how long she has been laying. The later she molts the better and there is no evidence

that she is inferior as a winter-egg producer the following winter. In fact a good layer one season is quite apt to make a better showing the second.

Another method of judging the egg-laying record of a hen is by observing the condition of the parts of the bird which shows yellow pigment. Naturally yellow skinned chickens have considerable yellow color in the beak, skin, ear lobes and shanks. This is the condition of pullets before they start laying. In hens not laying this yellow pigment continues to pass from the birds through these parts. If the supply of pigment which comes from the food is cut off, that which is already present will gradually work its way to the surface until eventually the various parts of the bird will be conspicuous by absence of this yellow color which one usually finds. This is known as fading or bleaching and the degree to which the fading has occurred depends upon how long the supply has been cut off. When a hen is manufacturing egg yolks the supply of this yellow coloring matter is all used in the egg, and as long as she continues to produce egg yolks the supply to the skin is cut off. As a result the laying hen bleaches her various skin parts. It requires one week to bleach the skin around the vent; three weeks of laying usually is sufficient to bleach the ear lobes of such birds as the Leghorns. Ordinarily the yellow pigment in the beak will disappear after the bird has been laying six weeks while it required from five to six months for the hen to lose the yellow color on the shank. The time required to bleach any section depends upon the thickness of the skin; the thicker the skin the longer the time required to complete the fading. Any bird with bleached shanks has been laying continuously for a long time. Ordinarily the amount of yellow coloring tells us how long the bird has been laying. The more yellow the shanks the poorer the egg record. As soon as the hen quits laying the yellow color appears again. This being the case the degree of fading is more valuable as a guide in culling in the summer and fall months. The farmer who keeps those birds which have a new coat of plumage and have fine yellow shanks is keeping his poorest layers. If he is selling the dirty feathered, bleached out hen he is selling his best layers.

Good laying hens usually have other characteristics which indicate their value as egg-producers. They are quiet and friendly. They can easily be handled. They have short beaks, a rather broad head with a lean face. The eye is alert and prominent, being inclined to bulge. They have a broad back which carries well and is free from a pinched condition over the rump. The ribs are well sprung. The chest is broad and deep and the bird is broad and deep thru the abdomen.

The poor layer is just the opposite. Poor layers invariably squawk when handled. The beak is apt to be elongated and the head narrow and they may have short stubby beaks, a broad head and a meaty face. The eye will be dull and sunken. The back may be narrow and pinched, the ribs not well sprung so as to afford capacity, the chest will be narrow and back of the legs will lack depth, breadth and capacity. Ordinarily good layers are active. They are heavy eaters and are first off the roost and the last to return.

Some people are able to judge the value of a hen as a layer by what is known as the feel. If the hens have been laying for some time and are still in laying condition the way a hen handles tells us much. Good layers are more refined. The skin is soft and thin, the pin bones are reasonably fine and flexible and the abdomen is soft and pliable. Some one has said that the abdomen of a good hen will be soft and yielding like the partly milked out udder of a good dairy cow. One farmer states that he likes to have the body of the hen just beneath the vent soft and pliable like a wet wash rag.

On the other hand poor layers have thicker skins. The pin bones are blunt and stiff and the abdomen is thick, hard and unyielding to the touch. A hen with thick layers of fat around the abdomen should be sold as soon as other indications show that she has quit. She will never become a profitable hen. In fact the general purpose breed, it is usually wise to dispose of them after the second laying season and about half of them

should be sold at the end of the first. With Leghorns, however they may be kept as long as they show the earmarks of being good layers.

The best time to cull is just when the hens quit laying. One should go through the flock once each month until the flock is reduced to the desired size. Ordinarily all hens will pay for their feed during the spring months and after November 1 it is difficult to identify other than the super-superior birds. The later the culling is done the greater will be the number discarded. If however, the culls are taken out each month the feed cost is cut down that much the sooner.

In general one should sell all such inactive hens which molt early, which have yellow shanks, yellow ear lobes and small pale combs early in the season. All hens which have small spread of pin bones and poor body depth should be culled.

The hens which are healthy, strong, vigorous, which molt late and which have white shanks, white beak, and white ear lobes in October should by all means be kept for next season's breeders. They should show wide spread of pin bones and good body depth with soft pliable abdomens.

The swell dresser is not a good layer, and the golden yellow shanked hen should decorate some table rather than be allowed to spend the time "decorating herself."—Produce Pack.

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NEWSPAPERS AND EDITOR AS SEEN BY A SCHOOL BOY

A little boy was requested to write an essay the other day and the "news paper" was his subject. Here is the result:

"I don't know how newspapers came to be in the world. I don't think God does either. He ain't got nothing to say 'bout them, and the editor ain't in the Bible. I think the editor is one of the missing links you hear about, and stayed in the brush until after the flood, and then stepped out and wrote it up, and has been here ever since. I don't think he ever dies. I never saw a dead one, and never heard of one getting licked. Our paper is a mighty poor 'un. The editor goes without underclothes all winter; don't wear no socks, and pa ain't paid his subscription in five years and don't expect to."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, a boy on the 14th inst. To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner a girl on the 16th inst.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon C. A. Gray by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but, if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next reg-

ular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Brownfield, on the first Monday in January, 1925, the same being the 5th day of January 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of July, A.D. 1924, wherein the Union Independent School District is plaintiff, and C. A. Gray is defendant, said petition alleging that on the first day of January 1923, the defendant was owner of the following described land and premises situated in the Union Independent School District of Terry County, Texas, as follows: 640 acres of land being Abstract 685, Blk. C-38, Survey No. 5, and that said property was subject to taxation for the benefit of the Union Independent School District for the year 1923, and that said land was duly and legally assessed for taxation for said year, and that the board of equalization of said district fixed the value of said land at \$10,240.00 and that there is due by the defendant as taxes for said property for said year, taxes, interest and penalty, the sum of \$115.71, and by reason thereof the plaintiff has a valid, subsisting and unsatisfied tax lien against said property, and plaintiff prays for judgement for its tax, interest, penalty and cost of suit and for the foreclosure of its tax lien against said property.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next regular term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness H. R. Winston, Clerk of

the District Court of Terry County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, in the town of Brownfield, this the 13th day of November A. D. 1924.

H. R. Winston, Clerk District Court, Terry County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas, County of Terry.— In the District Court of Terry County, Texas, Union Independent School District vs. W. W. Newsom, Defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1924, in favor of said Union Independent School District, and against the said E. J. Hendricks, No. 783 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Terry, State of Texas, and belonging to the said W. W. Newsom, to-wit: 100 acres of land out of Abstract No. 1080, Block T., and being part of Survey No. 18.

And on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1924, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said E. J. Hendricks in and to said property to satisfy said judgement, interest and cost of suit.

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