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HOLD COTTON FOR 45 CENTS; YOU WILL GET IT

To Farmers' Institutes:

I again appeal to you to urge your people to stand by your Department of Agriculture and the State Farmers' Institute, who are trying to get a profitable price for your produce. Listen Listen to me! Did you ever know Fred W. Davis, the present commissioner to advise you wrong? Did you ever hear of any of his plans failing to benefit the farmers, when carried out by them? So you not know that he is making a closer survey of the cotton market for the benefit of the farmers than any other man—the demand for cotton throughout the world, and what the world will pay for it; and how cheap cotton is now as compared with other things?

W. C. Lankford, congressman from Georgia, on September 6th, said in Congress, "We sell cotton at 30 cents per pound and buy it back manufactured at \$3.00 a pound, and oftentimes at \$10.00 to \$15.00 a pound."

According to present high prices farmers ought to get 75 cents per pound for cotton.—Cong. Record, September 6, page 5266.

English spinners at the New Orleans Conference admitted that on last year's cotton crop they made clear 50 cents a pound or \$225.00 a bale. Mr. Naamith, a great English spinner, says, "England can take all the American cotton and pay cash for it. What is necessary to convince you that you ought to hold for 45 cents? Read on."

In 1917 Mr. Davis asked you to hold for 30 cents, and told you that it was worth it, and that you would get it if you would hold, although the speculators had fixed the price at from 9 to 15 cents. Later, cotton passed the 35 cent mark. In 1918 he told you to hold for 35 cents, that condition more than justified the price. He was hooded at by a certain gang, but cotton soon passed the 35 cent mark, when the War Industries Board (under Baruch as chairman) knocked the price down from \$59.00 to \$63.50 per bale, and nailed it down with an embargo. This was the crop that the spinners made such a tremendous profit on. All now admit the truth of the Commissioner's prophecies. Remember back over these two years and see who was helping him to get these honest prices, also think back and see who it was that was advising you to sell.

Now, your Commissioner says that you ought to get 45 cents a pound, when others are saying 20 to 25 cents a pound is enough. Please take notice that the very same gang that did not in any way assist him in 1917-18 is not helping him now, and that the very identical gang that was advising you to sell in 1917-18 is advising you to sell now. Who are your friends? Every sensible, well informed person predicts that cotton will go to 50 cents before January 1st and none predict lower prices. The world is short 5,000,000 bales or more, and must have your cotton. Hold it at all hazards. Put it in a warehouse and call for a negotiable receipt if necessary, and save your wife and unstained cotton as it will bring a premium in a sort time. Tell your fellowman to hold for 45 cents or more.

Advise us at once of any schemes, or the reasons why you should sell now. We want to follow it up and expose it if false, approve it, if true. Select some good interested farmer who will distribute our literature. Give us the names of those wanting you to sell, together with their occupation or profession. By all means, beware of grouping your cotton together and selling at the so called "market price." This so called "market price" is nothing but the gamblers' price, and the gamblers and speculators are trying to get all they can before the world scramble for cotton begins. Do not sell, but hold for 45 cents or more. If every farmer would hold all of his cotton, in 10 days it would pass the 40 cent mark, in 20 days it would sell for 45 cents.

If necessary arrange big meetings of farmers, let us know and we will try and get a representative there. Yours for profitable prices for farmers.

J. W. McNEILL,
Director of Institutes.

PARDON ONLY BETWEEN FRY AND THE PEN

At Austin on Wednesday the court of criminal appeals overruled the motion of E. W. Fry for a rehearing.

This was a forgery case appealed from Clay county in which Fry was given two years in the penitentiary, the case having come here from Young county on change of venue. The alleged crime was committed while Fry was county judge of Young county about eight years ago. The charge was that he issued county warrants to fictitious persons for work on the public roads, endorsed them over to himself and then collected the cash on them. There are about 50 other cases of the same character pending against him. Several of them have been tried but there was a conviction in only one and that was reversed on appeal. There has been a number of mistrials. Growing out of Fry's alleged speculations, there was a homicide in Graham, and Fry was charged with murder, but he was found no guilty by a jury.

The case in which the court of criminal appeals overruled the motion for rehearing on Wednesday was tried one year ago in Henrietta. It was taken up to the court of criminal appeals and affirmed. The present ruling of the court sustains the first affirmation. No further legal remedy is available for Fry, and all that stands between him and the penitentiary is a pardon.

In all the trials growing out of these charges, including the murder charge, Fry has been represented by Judge R. E. Taylor of Henrietta, as chief counsel.—Henrietta Independent

TO CLOSE ARMISTICE DAY

We, the undersigned business men of Graham, Texas, whose names appear below, do hereby agree to close our respective places of business all day November 11th, 1919, same being the day that the Armistice was signed and the world war was ended:

- S. B. Street & Co.
- R. F. Short & Co.
- Beckham National Bank.
- The Jno. E. Morrison Co.
- W. M. Morton.
- Hughes & Kizer.
- E. J. Bumsted & Co.
- R. J. McCloud.
- L. L. Kinnebrew Lbr. Co.
- J. M. Baggett.
- W. B. Douglas Oil Rig Lbr. Co.
- Morrison-Smith Lbr. Co.
- Eddleman Bros.
- Norris-Johnson Hdw. Co.
- Sloan Drug Co.
- Stewart & Walker.
- Harmon Bros.
- Graham Title Co., Inc.
- R. C. Goode.
- John's Shaving Parlor.
- Graham Storage Battery Co.
- Bower's Feed Store.
- Young County Lbr. Co.
- L. M. Davis.
- Graham National Bank.
- Sanitary Barber Shop.
- W. I. Tidwell & Sons.
- B. S. Doty.
- Price Bros.
- Graham Barber Shop.
- R. L. Walker.
- B. A. Snoddy.
- S. F. Honeywell.
- Baker & Son.
- J. M. Andrus.
- J. L. Woods.
- W. S. McJimsey.

MILK COWS FOR SALE

Car load of good milk cows for sale at Henderson Wagon Yard.
10c J. R. HARRELL.

Special lot odds and ends Shoes

\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00—less than one-half factory cost at R. F. SHORT & CO

E. E. Hughes, of Bisbee, Arizona, is here looking after his oil interests and meeting old friends. He has a very valuable piece of property in the center of the oil field south of Graham and the striking of oil in the Donnell well last week brought him to see about it. For the past twenty-one years he has been foreman in one of the largest mines in Arizona and has been doing well.

A COTTON FAMINE IN SIGHT

Austin, Texas, October 21.—The Government estimate of 10,696,000 bales of cotton for this crop, October 1st, is 534,000 bales less than September 1st. The entire belt is infested with insects. Their effect upon the final yield is not yet determined. The damage by these insects may be expected to continue as a surprising factor through the season. A 10,000,000 bale crop, or less, is nearly certain.

The serious question is, where will the supply of raw cotton come from? English spinners say the South made a great mistake in reducing the acreage; that English spinners want 4,000,000 bales of this crop for their own use, and could use the whole crop. They are furnishing German spinners cotton to spin into yarn, on commission, and need 2,000,000 bales, or more, for that purpose. The mills of the United States want 7,500,000 bales, Japan and Canada at least 1,000,000 bales. This makes 15,500,000 bales. All want a better grade of cotton than last year's carry-over. France, Italy, Belgium, Germany, and other countries need four to six million bales.

The carry over of spinable cotton is estimated to be about 3,000,000 bales. There is an eighteen to twenty million bale demand and a possible 13,000,000 supply. The scramble for cotton will soon be terrific. To rush it to market faster than it can be handled, is very foolish. These spinners need 8 to 10 months to buy and pay for this crop. They will buy it faster only at a sacrifice to the producer, and profit to themselves. Bankers and merchants, you are business men and know these are facts. You know the farmer ought to hold his cotton.

The farmers rushing their cotton to market discourage bullish speculators from bidding the price up. Knowing the cost of producing this crop averages about 45 cents per pound, banks and merchants, whom many farmers look to as their advisors, should see to it that the crop is not marketed faster than it can be easily moved and for not less than cost of production. If banks, merchants and farmers will demand negotiable receipts from the warehouses, cotton can be held and debts eased without sacrificing the price. When the price of cotton declines, quit selling.

There is a cotton famine now. Cotton is selling for \$50.00 per bale less than its cost, and will easily bring cost, if those interested will see that the sales are properly held down. Millions of profit will accrue to bankers and merchants through increased deposits and expansion of trade, if cotton is sold for its value at home.

We appeal to you as foresighted business men to do your duty. Your customers need the money they are losing, and certainly there is no risk in urging and aiding them to hold and market slowly. The farmers must exercise nerve, and act with our bankers and merchants, who are ready to back them to get value for this crop.

CONTRIBUTORS TO MEMORIAL

- Below is the list of subscribers to the Roosevelt Memorial Association at Graham, Texas:
- S. Boyd Street 25.00
- C. W. Johnson, Sr. 25.00
- M. K. Graham 25.00
- E. S. Graham 25.00
- C. W. Johnson, Jr. 10.00
- H. B. Street 10.00
- J. C. Vaughan 10.00
- Alline Ramsey 5.00
- R. E. Lynch 5.00
- P. K. Deats 5.00
- Marshall & King 5.00
- W. B. Douglas 2.50
- W. P. Stinson 2.50
- B. S. Doty 2.00
- R. V. Tidwell 1.00
- H. L. Tidwell 1.00
- W. I. Tidwell 1.00
- G. F. Browning 1.00
- W. A. Corbett 1.00
- A. W. Kay 1.00
- H. L. Morrison 1.00
- Total \$164.00
- J. C. VAUGHAN Chairman.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Why wait until the meeting of the District Convention to become interested in Christian Endeavor work? Start Sunday, November 2, at the Presbyterian church and help us to make the following program beneficial to all present: Come on, let's go, at 6 o'clock.

- Topic—"Standing for God and Right (Consecration meeting)."
- Leader—Lois Morrison.
- Song—"Stand Up for Jesus."
- Bible Reading by Leader—I Kings 18:17-24.
- Duet—Mary and Marjorie Hudson.
- "A Statesman's Stand for God and Right"—Gaston Hallam.
- "An Evangelist's Stand for God and Right"—Zula George.
- Our Lord's Stand for God and Right—Mr. Phillips.
- "Three Young Men's Stand for God and Right"—Henry Rehders.
- "A Herdsman's Stand for God and Right"—Miss Ariye Payne.
- "A Deacon's Stand for God and Right"—Lucile Donnell.
- Leader's Talk (three minutes)—"Why Must We Take Sides With or Against God?"

URGES SLOW SALE OF COTTON

Stamford, Texas, Oct. 30.—The cotton of West Texas is admitted to be the best in color, grade and yield of any in the State, and yet it is selling far below that of inferior grades in other sections. The impression seems to prevail, that the West is so badly impoverished by the drought of the past three years that she is forced to sell her cotton, and at any price that can be obtained. Such conditions do no obtain. The grain crop as we all know was aided in paying the farmer out of debt in many instances, and has lightened his burdens in others. That crop has also largely relieved the strain of the merchants and banks in this section. Therefore, it is not necessary to sacrifice the splendid grade of cotton in West Texas.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce co-operating with the State Department of Agriculture, which has its field force of speakers in this section, is advising the people of the true situation, and urging slow selling of cotton, and a refusal to sell at a discount, where it is possible for them to do so.

There is a demand for twenty millions of the South's cotton and not more than thirteen million with which to fill it. West Texas cotton is worth 10 cents per pound as compared with the grades in other sections. We appeal to the farmers, merchants and bankers to co-operate in the slow selling of cotton in the West at the sacrifice now being made, until the buyers offer at least as much in proportion to its value as is being paid in other sections. We urge the farmers to pick fast and sell slow. Demand the real value of your splendid staple.

State Department of Agriculture, FRED W. DAVIS, Commissioner. West Texas Chamber of Commerce, PORTER A. WHALEY, Gen. Mgr.

J. Marion Burkett came in Sunday night from Bartlesville, Oklahoma, on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Burkett.

NOTICE

Accounts due Young County Lbr. Co., prior to October 1, 1919, if not settled by November 15, 1919, interest will be added to same.
J. H. HENRY, Collector.

Sewing Wanted—MRS. E. W. PRICE.
LOST—Sunday on Standpipe Hill black purse containing some change. Return to Walker House. 10c

NOTICE OF ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the various election Precincts of Young County, Texas, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919, for the purpose of voting on the various Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas and of a Constitutional Convention as set out in the Election Proclamation issued by the Hon. W. P. Hobby, Governor of the State of Texas. Witness my hand and seal of office at Graham, Texas, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1919.
W. P. STINSON, County Judge, Young County, Texas.

DONNELL WELL INCREASING IN FLOW HILL WELL MAKING 800 BARRELS

GRAHAM GIRL WINS HONORS AT BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

Waco, Oct. 24.—One of the highest positions of trust and responsibility within the power of the student body of Baylor University to bestow upon one of its number, was given to Miss Sadie Scott, of Graham, yesterday when in the general election held here she was chosen as one of two to represent the Sophomore class in the Judicial Council of the Students' Self-Government Association.

The election yesterday was conducted along practical and regular lines. A long ticket containing forty names was submitted to the voters who had first to pay a student poll tax in order to vote at the college polls. There were twenty-six places to be filled. This sort of thing is excellent training for our future citizens. College men and women may now go out into the world and vote intelligently without having to learn the smallest details of the process as has too frequently been the case in the past.

DISTRICT C. E. CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN GRAHAM

The fall Christian Endeavor Convention of the Wichita District, which comprises Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Montague, Archer, Baylor, Throckmorton, and Young counties, will be held in Graham November 14th, 15th and 16th.

Convention theme is Loyalty. Many delegates from the district are expected and great things have been planned for them. The following are only some of the speakers secured for the convention program: Miss Jessie Butts, Texas New Field Secretary, Dallas, Texas.

Rev. Holmes G. Anderson, pastor of First Presbyterian church, Bowie, Texas.
Ernest Ligon, State Intermediate Superintendent, Fort Worth, Texas.
Dr. J. Lem Keevil, pastor First Christian church, Wichita Falls, Texas.
Rev. H. B. Brous, pastor First Christian church, Henrietta, Texas.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK OF PRAYER

Methodist Missionary Society November 3-4:
FIRST DAY—San Francisco, leader, Mrs. H. B. Street.
Opening hymn, No. 633.
Prayer.
Bible lesson, "The Christian's Privilege of Prayer," Luke 11:1-4; Luke 11:5-8; Luke 11:9-13.
Prayer.
"The New Center of Evangelism" (Leaflet)—Mrs. McLaren.
Song—Mrs. E. S. Graham.
"San Francisco and the Evangelization of the Orient"—Mrs. E. E. White.

Hymn.
Offering.
Prayer.
Dismissal.

SECOND DAY—China's Healing; leader, Mrs. Trav. Eddleman.
Hymn No. 653.
Prayer.
Bible lesson, "The True Rewards of Prayer," Luke 22:31-32; Matt. 26:39.
Prayer.
Special Music.

"Gospels of Medical Missions in China," (Leaflet)—Mrs. A. M. Graham.
"Prayer the Vital Force for the New Task"—Mrs. H. C. Stoffers.
Hymn.
Offering.
Prayer.
Dismissal.

FOR SALE—A furnished home. Well located. See W. B. McJIMSEY.

The Donnell well on Survey No. 1111, eleven miles southwest from Graham, which came in last week, is reported to be making between 90 and 100 barrels with slightly more showing of gas, and it is thought it will make considerably more when put on the pump which is enroute.

The well is 1877 feet and undoubtedly opens up a big shallow field of a high grade oil, as we learn it will test 33 gravity. The Roxana people are rushing a boiler, derrick timber and other supplies to the McCharen land, Survey No. 1113, half mile west of the Donnell well and will be drilling at an early date as the McCharen lease calls for a producing well by January 12th. It is reported they will work night and day on the rig and rush matters with all possible haste.

L. M. Pratt gets an offset, Survey No. 1110, to the Donnell well, and it is reported an offset will have to be made on the Clear Fork river bed and on the Sarah Tankersley Survey owned by M. K. Graham, as this property is only a short distance from the Donnell well. Ed McCluskey gets a well on his north 100 acres, Survey No. 3415, and his lease calls for a producing well by March 10th.

It is also reported a well will be drilled on block No. 42 in the Stovall Plantation, lease owned by the Allar Company, but the well is to be drilled by a Mr. Denny. All of this territory will be rapidly proved up. Leases, what few that are offered, are held at from \$125 to \$500 an acre.

With the log of these wells it is claimed they can be drilled to this shallow sand in from 40 to 60 days and most any one can put down a well as the expense outside of casing, etc., will not cost over \$10,000. It is claimed better wells will be found in this sand and with the many wells to be put down we will soon find out.

It is reported the Hill well, up the river is making 800 barrels and is attached to the pipe line. This well is around 3200 feet.

Both the Whittenburg and Timmons wells are reported in the black lime and looking good.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the church on Thursday afternoon, with fifteen members present, Mrs. C. B. Hockaday presiding. Mrs. Nat Price conducted a helpful devotional after which the lesson, selected from topics in the Missionary Survey and five miracles recorded in the Old Testament, was studied. A number of the McCarroll questions were reviewed. The membership agreed to meet at the church at 2:30 p. m. Friday and spend the afternoon in giving the building a thorough fall cleaning. A collection of canned fruit was presented to our teachers, now domiciled in their new home.

The Auxiliary will observe their annual study week at the manse the first week in November, at which time Mr. Smith will give them the benefit of his able leadership. All ladies of the congregation are urged to be present.

PRESS SEC.

MILK COWS FOR SALE
Car load of good milk cows for sale at Henderson Wagon Yard.
10c J. R. HARRELL.

Fred Stewart, local agent for the Overland automobiles, brought to our office last Tuesday an apple from his father's orchard at Lincoln, Arkansas. The apple was one of the largest we have ever seen, weighing a fraction less than one pound, and had an excellent flavor.

Miss Etna Wilkinson, Miss Nora Sloan, Miss Pearl Matthews and Miss Eula McCain attended the grand opera in Fort Worth last Monday and Tuesday nights.

Special lot odds and ends Shoes \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00—less than one-half factory cost at R. F. SHORT & CO

Overland 4 After Two Years of Actual Demonstration is Officially Announced

UNUSUAL PUBLIC INTEREST—HAS BEEN CENTERED IN THIS LATEST MODEL

NEW TYPE OF SPRINGS

THREE-POINT SUSPENSION DESIGN IS INTRODUCED FOR FIRST TIME

Big Car Comfort Claimed

WILLYS-OVERLAND ASSERTS SPRINGS ARE GREATEST IMPROVEMENT IN MOTOR CARS SINCE PNEUMATIC TIRES

Overland 4, the new car of light weight construction for which the public has been waiting since its introduction was first rumored at the automobile shows about two years ago, was placed on exhibition in Graham last Monday at the Overland salesrooms of Fred Stewart.

The men and women who inspected the Overland 4 last Monday were representatives of the visitors to Overland salesrooms in a thousand cities, towns, and hamlets of the United States. The company's dealers, from Main to California, and from Washington to Florida, now have on display one or more of the new models described as embodying "the greatest improvement in riding comfort since the introduction of pneumatic tires."

New Type of Springs

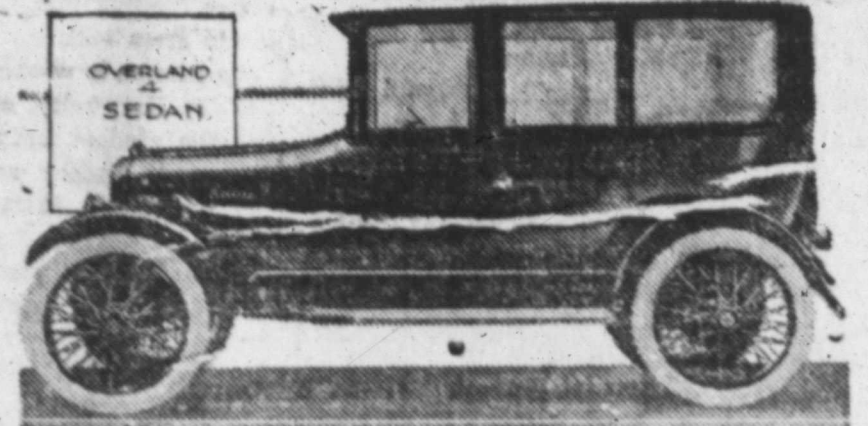
This improvement is the use of three point suspension springs. Unusually graceful in body design, Overland 4 makes a splendid impression on the visitor. It was this new spring suspension, however, which absorbed motorists' attention at the salesrooms. First, that of cantilever springs; second, the flexible three-point construction.

The luxurious riding comfort these springs furnish the car was immediately understood and appreciated. It is this feature which gives to the new Overland car, designed for light weight, that degree of riding comfort and security hitherto possible only in high-priced, heavier cars.

But this is only one of many features in Overland 4 which back the Willys-Overland Company's claim to success in giving the public "new standard of riding comfort."

The actual creation of Overland 4 began more than two years ago. This last two years have been devoted to testing and perfecting each part of the car. Back of its development stand ten years of successful manufacturing and engineering experience in giving the public good motor cars. For the immediate development and production of Overland 4, John N. Willys has concentrated the vast resources of the Willys-Overland Company. Production will be on a scale which will assure the greatest economies in manufacturing.

Guiding the development of this remarkable new car was Mr. Willys' ideal of a motor car which would combine with the economy of light weight all the comfortable riding qualities and the stamina of the heavy and expensive automobiles. He proposed a car of built-in quality which would free the owner from all possible up-keep expenses. This was not possible, the company claims, until the Willys-Overland Company devised this interesting three-point



spring suspension, a spring seating radically different from the conventional design of four springs paralleling the chassis frame. New as this spring suspension is, it is interesting to note that the design has been approved by the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Before the final adoption of the new springs, special breaking and bumping machines were rigged up at the factory, and the cars, after that supposedly destructive test, were sent out on trial trips which carried them into every section of the country in all sorts of weather conditions. The cars were driven over the Rocky Mountains, through the desert roads and boulder trenches of the southwest, over the sagebrush and sand of Texas, and through the mud and clay of the Missouri Valley. A two year's test, covering 250,000 miles of travel! The car satisfied the company's engineers that it was right. The war period which held up production was devoted to an exhaustive perfection of car details, features.

Without emphasizing such features as an unusually attractive appearance, the all-steel body with an oven-baked enamel finish and other interesting details, it may be said that motoring interest centers in four new and distinctive features of Overland 4. These features, each worth the motorist's study, are:

First—Springbase, Not Wheelbase. Of course, the three-point cantilever spring suspension. The springs on Overland 4 extend fifteen inches from a point on the chassis beyond the axles at front and rear, giving a wide diagonal shape to the springs. The car has thus an actual springbase of 130 inches, although the car wheelbase itself is 100 inches. Each spring flexibly responds to its task of keeping the body and passengers riding on a constantly even keel. Bobbing, sideways, and lurching are materially lessened. The result is a roomy, easy-riding car on a new type of springs so designed as to absorb road shocks from the worst of pavements or roads. The

Willys-Overland engineers make the unusual claim of having produced a car that rides well on any road.

Second—Economy. The new springs so protect the car from road shock as to make possible much lighter weight and hence a great saving in fuel and tires. Furthermore, the car is so simple and accessible that costs of upkeep and tires must be greatly reduced. Yet the car's parts have a protected accessibility—a big factor in upkeep. The car is assembled from five units only. The chassis is clear of all involved mechanism. The entire assembly requires only 50 bolts. The neatness and cleanliness of design bespeak the ready accessibility of all parts.

Third—Quality. Specifications indicate that the Overland 4 has been built in each part of the finest quality steels and steel-alloys. The car's parts have been machined within the closest possible units, permitting a quality of construction equal to that of a hand-made product. Inspection starts at the steel mills where the company has stationed expert metallurgists to test every heat of steel, and the inspection ends only with the owner's driving the car away. The stock reaching the factory is thus all first grade through many inspections. This itself is a new feature in automobile construction. The body is all-steel with an oven-baked enamel finish. The construction is simple and the balance of part to part is unusually fine. The car has been designed light weight.

Fourth—Bountiful and complete equipment. In every detail from demountable rims to Auto-Lite starter, lights and horn, the equipment of Overland 4 appears to have been planned with a single view of comfort, convenience, and long service. All seat cushions, which are detachable like those in a Pullman, are upholstered with the luxurious Marshall Divan springs. The windshield is slanting rain vision. The one-man top, curtains and cushions are Dura-tex. The horn button is in the center

of the steering wheel. The controls are all mounted on a keyboard on the cow! in instant and ready reach.

All in all, Overland 4 impresses its visitors as being a motor car value of very distinctive comfort, economy, quality and convenience. It will be marketed in four body styles: A Sedan at \$1,375; coupe at \$1,325; touring car and roadster at \$845. f. o. b. Toledo.

INTERESTING DETAIL FEATURES

The motor of the Overland 4 is cast en bloc with a removable head. It has generous valve opening.

The lubricating and oiling system require no pumps. The oil is circulated by pressure automatically created and the water is circulated by the Thermo-Syphon system or natural cooling method. No power is required of the motor to operate these systems.

The steering apparatus is of the planetary gear type with the gears at the bottom of the steering column. By this arrangement all the strain is taken at three points instead of at one.

The clutch is of the single plate type now used by 71 per cent of the motor manufacturers. The selective gear transmission has three speeds forward and reverse. It operates in oil.

The front axle is of chrome nickel steel which affords both light weight and strength. The front wheels have tapered roller bearings. The rear axle, also of chrome nickel steel, is three-quarter floating. The differential and rear wheels operate on annular ball bearings.

The car is equipped with two brakes—foot and hand. These work on 10-inch drums on each wheel and to assure safety are larger than necessity demands.

Keyboard Control

Upon the instrument board, or "keyboard" as it is called on the Overland 4, is centralized the hand throttle, spark and choke control, and the ignition and electric buttons, together with the speedometer dial and current indicator.

In addition to the hand throttle there is a foot accelerator handily placed. The clutch and brake pedals are adjustable to reach.

The wide, deep seats of the Overland 4 supplement the Three-Point Suspension Springs and comfortably accommodate five passengers. The cushions are equipped with Marshall divan springs. The upholstery throughout the car is long green Dura-tex. All cushions, including the back and sides are removable. The one-man top is also of Dura-tex.

Body Is All Steel

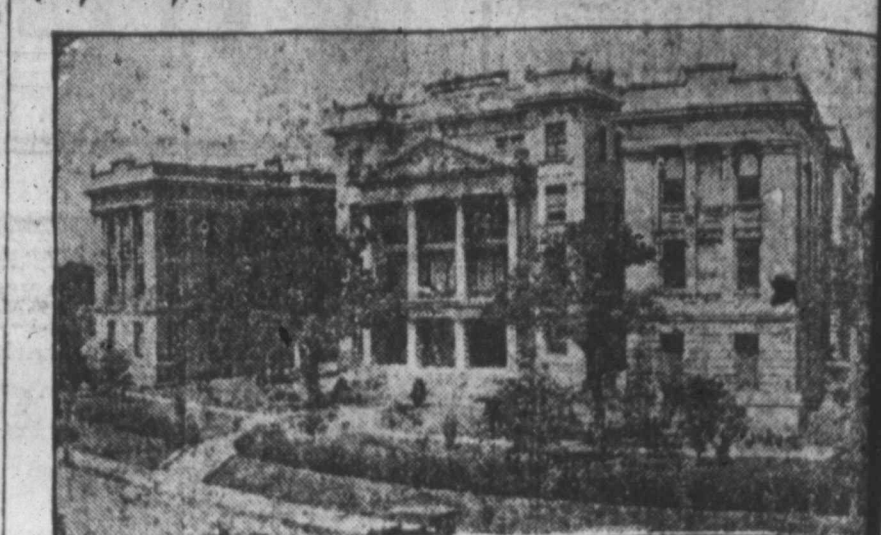
One of the chief aims of the builders has been to maintain the highest standard of quality throughout the car in both the material and manufacture. This has been carried to the design and finish, the body details and the equipment.

The car has a streamline body which is entirely constructed of steel with slanting windshield. The full-crowned fenders are of heavy sheet steel. The running boards are covered with linoleum, aluminum bound. The body and chassis are finished in hard baked enamel. The fittings are

The car is equipped with an Auto-Lite two unit starting and lighting system, headlights with a dimmer, dash and tail-lights, a magnetic speedometer, electric horn, spare tire carrier, extra rim, complete set of tools, tire repair kit, jack and pump. The tires are mounted on demountable rims.

Because of the unprecedented demands for the Overland 4, dealers for the time being are accepting orders for delivery to purchasers in the order in which requests are received.

\$4,800,000 TO BE RAISED FOR HOSPITAL



A modern hospital illustrative of the type of buildings Southern Baptists are employing in the relief of human suffering.

In their work of relieving human physical suffering Southern Baptists at present own and control fourteen hospitals and there are under course of construction and about ready to be opened at least two more, with considerable progress made toward the erection of others. All of these institutions are liberally patronized and are self-supporting but all of them need to be enlarged in order to meet the rapidly growing demands upon them. The demand for charity work is especially urgent and in order to enable them to thus render a needed service to those who are least able to help themselves as well as to provide larger facilities for the regular work of the hospitals are doing the sum of \$4,800,000 has been apportioned to them from the proceeds to be raised in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign.

This work of relieving the physical infirmities of men, women and children and thus putting them on the road to better health and efficiency and usefulness was begun in the bounds of the Southern convention in 1890 when the Baptist Sanitarium was opened in St. Louis. From a very small beginning in a residence with less than 20 beds, this institution has grown into a modern institution with 300 beds.

Other Baptist hospitals in the United States include Baptist Hospital, Miami, Okla.; Baptist Hospital, Miami, Fla.; Baptist Hospital, Cushing, Okla.; Memorial Hospital, Memphis, Tenn.; Georgia Baptist Hospital, Atlanta, Ga.; Oklahoma Baptist Hospital, Oklahoma City; Baptist Hospital, Columbia, S. C.; Texas Memorial Sanitarium, Dallas; Memorial Hospital, Houston, Tex.; Baptist Hospital, Alexandria, La.; Baptist Hospital, Jackson, Miss.; St. Louis Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.; and St. Louis City Baptist Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.

SOMETHING NEW

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Census Examinations.
Postmaster, Graham, Texas.
Dear Sir:—
Decatur, Texas, October 8, 1919.—
I have instructions from the Census Department at Washington, D. C., to make arrangements with you to conduct examination for all persons desiring to apply for appointment as enumerator in your county.
Census examinations will be held during the week beginning October 22nd and including November 1st.
Kindly write me at once what day will be convenient for you to hold this examination, that I may give proper announcement through the papers.
All applications for examinations must be on file at this office not later than October 24th.
McAfee Wayland Burch.

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JEAN
Miss Annie Frice, of Loving, visited Miss Rena Smith Saturday night and Sunday.
Guy Nicewarner and Skinny Swain of Mt. Pleasant, were Jean visitors Sunday.
Elder Ledbetter, of Oran, filled his appointments at the Christian church Saturday night and Sunday.
Revs. Taylor, of Graham, and Little of Olney, held a campaign meeting with the Baptist church here Thursday night.
Austin Sparks, of Graham, attended church here Sunday night.
Miss Naannie Weems returned a few days ago from Bailey, Fannin county, to spend a few weeks with her parents. She will return to Fannin county about November 15th to begin her school.
Perry and Jesse Hawkins and sis-

ters, Misses Daisy and Grace, of Indian Mound, attended church here Sunday night.
Bro. Little, of Olney, preached at the Baptist church here Sunday afternoon relative to the 75 Million Dollar campaign. He was accompanied by the following from Olney: Mrs. O. T. Anderson, Messrs. Will Kennedy, Cook and wives and Dan Orr.
A. J. Cantwell and family, Tol Wallace and family visited their parents, J. M. Wallace and wife, at Loving Sunday.
Horace Allen and Misses Ruby and Dottie Allen, of Indian Mound, attended church here Sunday.
HAZEL EYES.
GIRL WANTED
A girl who is willing to do washing, ironing and assist in housework (no cooking) can secure a good home and fair pay by phoning Ind. 168. 9 10p

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Texas, October 30, 1919

shovel in your car, and
up a hole in the road the
you were out of town?

first time in many weeks
wood was seen on the square
for a customer.

are bringing a fancy price
is a big crop to gather.
parties are numerous, and
are the are bringing there's
same talk of using them for
age.

must have been quite a lot
in town last Saturday. At
back that evening there were
parked on the north and
of the square and along
back street and West Third
Those in motion were not

TO ROAD OVERSEERS.

ous complaints are being
at road overseers in this
are failing to comply with the
penal articles and to the end
may be observed, the same
with printed in verbatim:

28. If any overseer of a pub-
lic street in this State shall willfully
refuse or refuse to perform any
duty imposed upon him by law or
ordinance, neglect or refuse to keep
bridges and causeways in his
or district clear of obstruc-
tions in good order or shall will-
fully neglect such roads, bridges or
causeways to remain uncleaned and
unrepaired for twenty days at a
time he shall be fined not less than ten
dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars.

29. If any overseer of a pub-
lic street in this State shall fail, within
the time after his appointment as
overseer to measure the road or roads in
his district or to set up
lasting timber at the end of
the road leading from the court
house or some other noted place or
to mark such posts in legi-
ble characters and figures the distance in
feet from such court house, or other
noted place, or shall fail, when any
road is destroyed or removed, to
the same with another marked
original, or shall fail to affix
up at the forks of all public
streets or precinct index
with the directions pointing to
the most noted place to which
the road shall be fined in the sum
of ten dollars.

CHAS. C. TRIPLETT,
County Attorney, Young Co., Tex.

PROCLAMATION

is hereby given that an elec-
tion will be held in the various elec-
tion precincts of Young County,
Texas, on the 4th day of November,
1919, for the purpose of voting
on various Amendments to the
Constitution of the State of Texas
as provided in the Election Proclamation
of the Hon. W. P. Hobby, Gov-
ernor of the State of Texas.
Witness my hand and seal of office
at Graham, Texas, this 1st day
of October, A. D. 1919.

W. P. STINSON,
Judge, Young County, Texas.

GRIP FOUND

of Loving, brought to
Tuesday morning a grip
he had found on the Graham
Loving road. Owner can have it
by calling at this office and paying for
publication of this notice.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Young County—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-
ED to summon Esther East, W. W.
East, Mary Bush, John M. Bush,
Alice ONeal, a widow, Ernest A.
Fisher, Wm. L. Fisher, Alma Lee
Blockson, and Ora Lucile Blockson,
both of whom are minors and Thomas
C. Blockson, all of whom are non-
residents of the State of Texas and
whose residence are unknown to
Plaintiffs by making publication of
this Citation once in each week for
four consecutive weeks previous to
the return day hereof, in some news-
paper published in your County, to
appear at the next regular term of
the District Court of Young County,
to be holden at the Court House there-
of, in Graham, Texas, on the 1st Mon-
day in March, A. D. 1920, the same
being the 1st day of March, A. D.
1920, then and there to answer a
petition filed in said Court on the 29th
day of September, A. D. 1919, in a
suit, numbered on the docket of said
Court as No. 4051, wherein Harpin L.
Fisher, Curtis Wimberly Fisher,
Franklin Emory Fisher by Harpin L.
Fisher his next friend, are Plaintiffs,
and Esther East, W. W. East, Mary
Bush, John M. Bush, Alice ONeal, a
widow, Ernest A. Fisher, Wm. L.
Fisher, Alma Lee Blockson and Ora
Lucile Blockson, both of whom are
minors, and Thomas C. Blockson are
Defendants, and said petition alleg-
ing Trespass to try title on the fol-
lowing lands and premises situated in
Young County, Texas, to-wit: A part
of the A. C. Casey Pre-emption and
part of the W. H. Lemmons Survey,
Abstract No. 1477, and more particu-
larly described as beginning N. E. of
a 59 acre tract of land patented to A.
C. Casey on the South line of the G.
& B. N. Survey, No. 4, Certificate No.
29; Thence South 110 vrs. to North
line of T. E. & L. Co. Sur. No. 1486;
Thence West with the said North line
of T. E. & L. Co. line 813 7-10 vrs. to
stake in said North line of said T. E.
& L. Co. Survey No. 1486, from which a
post oak 9 inches in dia. brs. N. 48 1-2
W. 9 2-5 vrs. a do. P. O. 10 in. dia.
S. E. 6 vrs.; Thence North 110 vrs.
to a stake on South line of said G. &
B. N. Survey No. 4, Certificate No.
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S. E. 6 vrs.; Thence North 110 vrs.
to a stake on South line of said G. &
B. N. Survey No. 4, Certificate No.
29, 813 1-10 vrs. to the place of be-
ginning, containing 160 acres of land
holding and claiming the said land
in fee simple by metes and bounds as
above described. That the actual ren-
tal value of said land is \$1000.00.
That the Defendants and each of
them be cited to appear and answer
this petition and that Plaintiffs have
judgment for the title and possession
of said land and premises, that the
cloud thereon be removed; that writ
of restitution issue and for rents,
damages and costs of suit, etc., etc.

Herein Fail Not, and have you be-
fore said Court, at its aforesaid next
regular term, this writ with your re-
turn thereon, showing how you have
executed the same.

Biven Under My Hand and the seal
of said Court, at office in
(L. S.) Graham, Texas, this 8th
day of October, A. D. 1919.

WILLIE RIGGS,
Clerk District Court, Young Co., Tex.

CITATION IN PROBATE
On Order to Appoint Permanent
Guardian
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Young County—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-
ED to cause the following citation to
be published in a newspaper of gen-
eral circulation which has been con-
tinuously and regularly published for
a period of not less than one year
preceding the date of the citation in
the County of Young, State of Texas,
and you shall cause said citation to be
printed at least once each week for
the period of ten days exclusive of
the first day of publication before the
return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE
The State of Texas,
To all persons interested in the wel-
fare of Nannie Walker, Eva Walker,
Emma Walker, Ada Walker and Golda
Walker, Minors:
On the 24th day of October, A. D.
1919, the Honorable W. P. Stinson,
County Judge of Young County,
Texas, made an order appointing Mrs.
Sallie Walker temporary guardian of
the above named minors, which said
order is now recorded in the Probate
minutes of said Court, said minors
having an estate of the probable
value of \$500.00, consisting of real
and personal property.
All persons interested in the wel-
fare of Nannie Walker, Eva Walker,
Emma Walker, Ada Walker and Golda
Walker, are hereby cited to appear
before the County Court of Young
County, Texas, at the Court House
in the City of Graham, Texas, on the
5th day of January, A. D. 1920, the
same being at a regular term of said
Court, then and there to contest said
appointment if they so desire, and
that if such appointment is not con-
tested at such term, then the same
shall become permanent.
Herein Fail Not, but have you before
said Court on the first next term
thereof, this writ, with your return
thereon, showing how you have exe-
cuted the same.
Witness my hand and official seal,
at Graham, Texas, this 25th
(L. S.) day of October, 1919,
10-12c. C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young Co., Tex.

I hereby certify that the above and
foregoing is a true and correct copy
of the original writ now in my hands
at Graham, Texas, this 1st day of
October, A. D. 1919.

M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff.
By JOHN W. SAYE, Deputy.

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On Order to Appoint Permanent
Guardian
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Young County—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-
ED to cause the following citation to
be published in a newspaper of gen-
eral circulation which has been con-
tinuously and regularly published for
a period of not less than one year
preceding the date of the citation in
the County of Young, State of Texas,
and you shall cause said citation to be
printed at least once each week for
the period of ten days exclusive of
the first day of publication before the
return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE
The State of Texas,
To all persons interested in the wel-
fare of John Barron, a Minor:
On the 14th day of October, A. D.
1919, the Honorable W. P. Stinson,
County Judge of Young County,
Texas, made an order appointing Mrs.
Louisa Barron temporary guardian
of the person and estate of the above
named minor, which order is now re-
corded in the Probate Minutes of said
Court, said minor having an estate of
the probable value of \$3500.00, con-
sisting of real property.
All persons interested in the wel-
fare of John Barron, a minor, are
hereby cited to appear before the
County Court of Young County,
Texas, at the Court House in the
City of Graham, Texas, on the 5th
day of January, A. D. 1920, the same
being at a regular term of said Court,
then and there to contest such ap-
pointment if they so desire, and that
if such appointment is not contested
at such term, then the same shall be-
come permanent.
Herein Fail Not, but have you before
said Court on the first day of the
next term thereof, this writ, with
your return thereon, showing how
you have executed the same.
Witness my hand and official seal,
at Graham, Texas, this 14th
(L. S.) day of October, 1919,
8-10c. C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young Co. Tex.

I hereby certify that the above and
foregoing is a true and correct copy
of the original writ now in my hands
at Graham, Texas, this 1st day of
October, A. D. 1919.

M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff.
By JOHN W. SAYE, Deputy.

FINAL ACCOUNT
No. 630
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Young County—Greeting:
J. D. Dawson, Administrator of the
Estate of John Story, deceased, hav-
ing filed in our County Court his
Final Account of the condition of the
Estate of said John Story, deceased,
together with an application to be
discharged from said Administration,
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-
ED, that by publication of this writ
for Twenty Days in a newspaper regu-
larly published in the County of
Young, you give due notice to all
persons interested in the Account of
Final Settlement of said Estate, to
file their objections thereto, if any
they have, on or before the January
Term, 1920, of said County Court,
commencing and to be holden at the
court house of said County, in the
city of Graham, on the 5th day in
January, A. D. 1920, when said Ac-
count and Application will be con-
sidered by said Court.
Witness C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the
County Court of Young County.
Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at my office in
(L. S.) the City of Graham, this 7th
day of October, A. D. 1919.

C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young County,
Texas.

A True Copy, I certify:
M. M. WALLACE,
Sheriff Young County, Texas.
By JOHN W. SAYE, Deputy.

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OBITUARY

In memory of J. L. McGee of Miner-
al Wells, Texas. The Death Angel has
knocked again at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. J. L. McGee and claimed as
Heaven's jewel the loving husband and
father of that home. Mr. J. L. McGee
was born January 6, 1842, in McMer-
ville, Tenn., and grew up a noble-
minded, brave-hearted young man of
high aspiration, a hard student while
in school and but few young men
ever acquired such deep intellectual
power as he did. He was a veteran of
the Civil War. In 1862 he enlisted
in the Confederate service, gallantly
serving four years in the defense of
his country.

In 1866 he was married to Miss
Martha C. McGee, and fifty-four
years they glided down the stream of
life together, lovingly sharing each
other's joys and sorrows. But now
he is gone and great sorrow is oc-
casioned. In 1875 he moved to Waco,
Texas, accompanied by his wife, four
sons and one daughter. Since then he
has lived in several different places
but never moved out of the State.
The last three years of his life were
spent at Mineral Wells, where he
gathered a host of warm friends as
he did at each place he had ever lived.

When practically a young man he
professed faith in God and he, to-
gether with his wife, united with the
Methodist church in Kaufman county,
and since that time he has devoted the
rest of his life to the faithful service
of God. They erected a family altar
in their home and under this influence
they have raised four boys, each pro-
fessing to know Jesus as their per-
sonal Savior. Whatever he did he
did it with his might. He gave his
youthful life to the service of his
country, then rendering the more ma-
tured and settled portion of his life
to the service of God. He had been in
ill health for several years, but was
only confined to his bed but thirteen
days, being 77 years, 8 months and
4 days old at the time of his death.

He had faithfully borne his afflic-
tions until September 30, 1919, death
came as a sweet relief. He was con-
scious to the last moment and reach-
ing out he took his eldest son by the
hand and feebly saying, "There are
only two more days." At the last he
clasped his hand for a shout of glory
and was gone at 6 o'clock and fifteen
minutes he departed this life.

God's will be done, not ours. We
can only bow our heads in humble
submission. He leaves behind to
mourn his death a loving wife, four
sons and ten grandchildren, a host of
friends. His eldest son, Sam McGee,
resides at Mineral Wells, William
at Graham, Irving E. at Loving and Joe
E. at Austin. His remains were
shipped to Loving and laid to rest in
the Red Top cemetery at 4:30 p. m.
October 2.

His host of friends join in extend-
ing their heartfelt sympathy to the
bereaved family.

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Give the world the once over

LISTEN, fellows, to some
straight talk. Many
a man when he gets
to be 40, misses some-
thing. He may have
lots of money, and a fine
family but—
He never "got out and
saw things". After he
gets settled down, it's too
late.

Every man wants to see
the world. No man likes
to stand still all his life.
The best time to TRAVEL
is when you're young and
lively—right NOW!

Right NOW your Uncle Sam
is calling, "Shove off!" He wants
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you! It's the biggest chance
you'll ever get to give the world
the once over!

The Navy goes all over the
world—sails the Seven Seas—
squints at the six continents—
that's its business. You stand
to see more odd sights, wonder-
ful scenery and strange people
than you ever dreamed of.

You'll work hard while you
work. You'll play hard while you
play. You'll earn and learn.
You'll get, in addition to "shore-
leave", a 30-day straight vaca-
tion—which is more than the
average bank president can
count on.

You can join for two years.
When you get through you'll be
physically and mentally "tuned
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variably Threaded Rubber lasts as long
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Graham, Texas, October 30, 1919

LIFT TEXAS OUT OF THE MUD

A highway is no better than its
worst mile.

What profiteth it a man to drive
across one county at thirty miles an
hour and gets stuck in the mud of
the adjoining county? Texas needs
a State System of Public Highways.
No State has achieved a State System
of Public Highways without State
aid to assist the counties.

The proposition is before the voters
of Texas at the election, November
4th, to authorize the Legislature to
issue bonds for a State System of
Public Highways.

The limit named in the pending
Constitutional Amendment is \$75-
000,000.00. But this does not mean
any such amount of bonds will be
issued at one time. No such sum of
money could be expended in one year,
—or five years, advantageously.

Engineering experts of the State
Highway Commission estimate that
\$5,000,000.00 annually of these bonds
will be ample to carry out the largest
program they can arrange.

Then why was the limit fixed at
\$75,000,000.00? Because it is well
to have the money for the roof before
you begin digging the cellar. Because
this is a good roads program to cover
fifteen years of work and it is better
to authorize it in one Constitutional
Amendment than to have to wait for
a new election every few years.

California's State Highway pro-
gram involved four state elections.
Profiting by that example, Illinois
authorized her program with one
election. Let's do it right at the
start.

But suppose politicians scatter this
money for political purposes. What
safeguards are there? This money is
all to be matched by federal money,
and to be spent in co-operation with
the counties. Under our Constitution
the county authorities have certain
prerogatives in road matters that the
State Highway Commission cannot
ignore.

In spending of this money there
will be supervision by the federal
government, the state government
and each county in which a road is
built. A triple alliance of safety.

If the State's engineers were to

try to designate obscure county roads
as Cardinal Highways, the federal
experts would not co-operate and no
such plan could possibly succeed.

But with so many counties voting
large issues of road bonds, why is it
necessary that the State should fur-
nish additional funds?

Because, no county can expend all
of its bond money on one road. Counties
must spend a portion of their
own bond money on lateral roads and
the State must be in a position to
assist in the construction of main
highways and build a type of road
that will following the connecting up
of the roads.

What kind of roads are needed
where traffic is heaviest?

Roads that will absolutely defy the
pounding of automobile trucks year
in and year out. Roads that will not
blow away during the dry summers,
nor wash away during wet winters—
roads that will stand under all sorts
of travel with almost no maintenance
cost.

Cannot the counties build such
roads on their Cardinal Highways?

No, only two or three counties in
the State are attempting it. Many
Texas counties have bonded them-
selves almost to the limit and are
planning ordinary gravel roads that
within three years, under the in-
creased traffic will go to pieces. We
must not build three year roads with
thirty year bonds.

Can the State afford an invest-
ment of \$75,000,000.00 in permanent
roads?

Yes. Such roads will be an ex-
cellent investment for city and
county alike. If we had had them
this year they would have saved more
than their value of small grains which
lie rotting and sprouting in Texas
fields, because of freight car short-
age and general congestion of the
railroads and the present impos-
sible roads.

With an adequate system of per-
manent State Highways, to heaviest
freight can be handled by motor truck,
—distances up to one hundred miles
more cheaply than by rail, not to men-
tion faster service.

Wouldn't that cripple the railroads?
No. The short hauls are least profit-
able to them and cause most of the
congestion now costing this State mil-
lions of dollars.

The age of the automobile and apto
truck is here. They will swarm over
every road that can carry them. If
the roads are not built right they will
ruin them within a year and any small
sum of money spent on them will be
wasted.

Why should not these roads be con-
structed out of the motor tax?

The motor tax was imposed by the
Legislature and could be removed by
any succeeding Legislature. There-
fore, it is not a satisfactory guaranty
for long term bonds. Moreover, the
motor is now the servant of every-
one, and awaits only the opportunity
which good roads will afford to play
the most important part of all in
bringing producer and consumer to-
gether. It is the railroad and express
service of the future. It is the one
certain cure for car shortage.

While these Cardinal Highways
must be able to bear heavy motor
traffic, it must also be remembered
that their benefit to all classes of
citizenship and property is general
so that sound public policy dictates
they should be paid for by all prop-
erty, and not by any one class of prop-

erty. The motor taxes are now used
for road maintenance, and must con-
tinue to be so used.

If the Cardinal Highways of this
State are built right they will require
such small maintenance that millions
will be released for country roads. If
they are not built right no county in
Texas can afford the maintenance
they will require.

About 150 counties of Texas have
voted more than \$80,000,000.00 of
good road bonds. Just as surely as
they fail to construct adequate Cardi-
nal Highways, half their money will
be wasted. That is the issue. Shall
we lift Texas out of the mud once and
forever, or shall we waste \$40,000,000
and see the greatest wave of good
road enthusiasm this State has ever
known end in disaster and disappoint-
ment?

What will the tax be?

The first \$5,000,000 of bonds will
increase the taxes one cent on the
\$100.00 of assessed valuation.

By issuing the bonds in \$5,000,000
series, one-half of the first series will
be paid before the last series is issued.
The assessed valuation of Texas has
increased 300 per cent in the last
fifteen years. Taking this as a basis
the taxes at the highest point would
never be more than 8c on the \$100
assessed valuation for these State
Road Bonds and would average less
than six cents during the period of
the life of the bonds, and with this
small tax the State of Texas can have
a connected system of durable high-
ways connecting every trade center
in the State.

Go to the polls November 4th, and
vote to lift Texas out of the mud.

Vote for good roads that will be
there when the bonds are forgotten.

Vote to free the farmer's wife im-
prisoned by bad roads.

Vote to save the foodstuff that rot
in the field every year. Vote to end
railroad congestion.

Vote for the boys and girls who
cannot wade through the mud to
school.

Vote for cheaper and fast freight
delivery.

Vote for extension of rural free
delivery and parcel post.

Vote for a grander Grand Old
Texas.

Out of the mud is the slogan. Swat
the whiner. This is the twentieth
century. Let's have done with the
roads of the seventeenth century.
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On account of the scarcity of
teachers there will be an examination
for all grades of certificates on No-
vember 7th and 8th, at the court
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ETNA WILKINSON,
Co. Supt.

NOTICE

A white and brown spotted bird dog
pup came to my place the 18th. Owner
can get same by coming to my place
in West Graham and paying for this
notice.

MRS. M. L. GLOVER.

FOR SALE—Rye Seed, \$1.50 per
bushel.—V. W. Willis, Graham, Tex.

WOZENCRAFT NOT CANDIDATE

Dallas, October 27.—Mayor Frank
W. Wozencraft, of Dallas, will not be
a candidate for Governor in the next
primary. Although a boom for him
as Governor was started recently at
a banquet tendered in behalf of the
many Mayors in attendance at the
State Fair on League of Texas
Municipalities day by Mayor J. W.
Chancellor of Bowie, Mayor Wozen-
craft has issued a statement in which
he cites the fact that his duty during
his term of office is to the city of
Dallas and that he will take no part
in state politics for personal prefer-
ment.

Another factor which prevented
Mayor Wozencraft becoming a candi-
date, and which was a surprise to his
many friends throughout the State
was the announcement of his age as
twenty-seven years. The constitu-
tion of Texas allows no person to be-
come a candidate for the office of
Governor under thirty years of age.

Numerous letters have reached
Mayor Wozencraft recently urging his
candidacy for the gubernatorial
honors. They have come from all
sections of the State and from per-
sons who have been attracted by the
capable manner in which he has ad-
ministered the affairs of the city of
Dallas and acted as the president of
the League of Texas Municipalities.

To Mayor Wozencraft, as to no
other, is the credit due for uniting
the smaller cities of the State with
the larger cities in the effort to de-
termine the proper procedure for the
regulation of public utilities. There
has been for many years, fostered
by corporations and those opposed to
utility regulation through a utility
commission a feeling engendered and
developed among the smaller cities
that the interests of the larger cities
were seeking to acquire their own
edns at the expense of the smaller
municipalities. This has been proven
fallacious and as a result of the ac-
tivity of Mayor Wozencraft of Dallas,
as president of the League of Texas
Municipalities, the smaller cities are
working hand in hand with the larger
municipalities in the effort to perfect
a public utility measure.

In Dallas recently the executive
committee of the League of Texas
Municipalities met and discussed a
measure that would be acceptable.
The proposed law as outlined will
preserve Home Rule without reference
to the size of the municipality. Any
utility which in July, 1919, derived
three-fourths of its gross revenue in
a city is to remain subject to the
jurisdiction and control of that city.
Other utilities, the intermunicipal
sort, such as pipe lines, etc., will come
under the jurisdiction of the State
Commission. A further provision of
the measure is that towns and cities
shall have a right to appeal to the
State Commission in respect to all
utilities. As planned, the State Rail-
road Commission shall be utilized for
administering the public utility law.

Bills will be written and exchanged
between the members of the State
Executive Committee of the League
of Texas Municipalities which include
Frank W. Wozencraft of Dallas,
chairman; Mayors A. E. Ammerman
of Houston; J. W. Chancellor of
Bowie; Dallas Scarborough of Abilene;
Frank J. Ford of Decatur; J.
H. Painter of Crockett; and Sam C.
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Bend, 9 miles S. E. Graham, to be
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Pure bred Red Turkeys, extra good
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J. W. LOVING,
Jermyn, Texas.

NOTICE—100 acres in S. E. corner
Young county for sale. Survey No.
2, Abstract No. 26. Investigate and
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man.—J. W. DAVIS, Wharton, Texas,
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Local Notes

What happened last November 11?
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NOTICE
All persons are hereby warned that hunting in my pasture adjoining the town of Graham, known as the Golf Link pasture, is prohibited and that all caught hunting or trespassing will be prosecuted.
WM. JOHNSON.

Hardin & Kinnebrew want to figure on your next bill of Lumber and Building Material.

Finest of Chocolate Candies at HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY. 10

Mrs. Edgar B. Craft has arrived from Eldorado Springs, Mo., to spend the winter with her husband, who is a contractor here.

I represent the Texas Land & Mortgage Co., and if you want your loan renewed or a new loan see me for quick service.—E. C. STOVALL. 9p

COW STRAYED

Pale yellow, white spotted milk cow branded sleepy K on left side. Notify R. L. Akers, at Bunger, if you know her whereabouts. 10-11p

L. S. Norris found a 30x4 Goodyear casing on the Finis-Mineral Wells road last week which the owner may have by calling on him and paying for this notice.

SHOES! SHOES!! SHOES!!!

One-half Factory cost—odds and ends, good values for everyday wear. 10
R. F. SHORT & CO.

Will Stewart was in Dallas the first of the week on business.

See L. M. DAVIS DRUG CO. for Co-Ed Note Books. 8

John B. Wood and son, Ed, made a trip to Dallas the first of the week. They brought back a new Ford car.

Phone your wants to L. M. DAVIS DRUG CO. 8

Little Edwin Graham has been sick of ear trouble for several days.

For the very best and freshest Chocolate Candies come to HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY 10

Raymond Lee Hutchison has been sick the past week.

FOR QUICK SALES

List your city property, leases and royalty with BROWNING & HODGES Graham, Texas. 9

W. D. Cook, of Wichita Falls, spent the first of the week here visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Cook, and other relatives.

We have calls for houses and lots—all kinds of city property every day. If you want to sell list your property with BROWNING & HODGES. 9

Just received a nice shipment of Granite Pitchers, Mixing Bowls, and Cooking Utensils at Snoddy's 5 and 10c Store. 9

COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sickness, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.—Mrs. Minnie Phillips, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left rib. It would commence with an aching and spread up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffered usually about three days... I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go... I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery my stomach got in an awful condition. Gained from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me. One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle... I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui." Try Cardui today. 8 13



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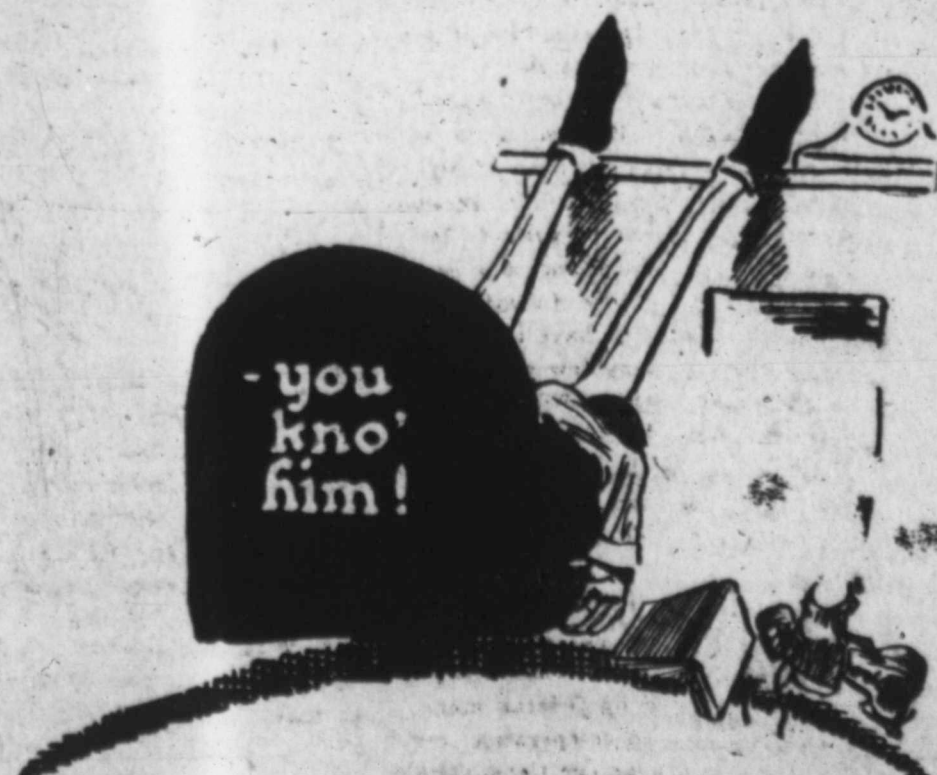
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TEXAS AJAX SPUDS IN FOR DEEP TEST

Spuds in Monday for 4,500 Foot Test, on Benson Land 5 Miles East of Olney

The Texas Ajax Oil Corporation spudded in on the Benson lease, five miles east of Olney early Monday morning, and when The Enterprise editor visited the location Wednesday afternoon everything was running smoothly, and the twenty-inch hole was something like forty feet deep.

This test is located on survey No. 1453, Young county, within a mile or a little better of the Miller field in Archer county, but unlike the Miller field which is for shallow sands only, this is to be a 4,500 foot test unless pay is found at a lesser depth, and even if the Miller sand is found in paying quantities around a thousand feet, which is expected by the company, it will be cased off and this hole drilled on down to what is called the Arnold and Graham sands. These they expect to encounter around the four thousand foot mark.

The Texas Ajax is a strong company, who have extensive holdings in other fields in Texas and they are amply financed and in every way able to give this country a real test well. Their Texas office is in Fort Worth, while their headquarters are in New York, and they are backed by capital from the latter city.

They expect to set the fifteen inch casing around 1,500 feet, then go on down with the smaller sizes to whatever depth is necessary. They have one of the best drilling outfits that has ever been erected in this section of the State, having on the ground everything which a layman could imagine would ever become useful, and in fact a lot of things—several tons of them—which it seems to us they could very well get along without.

They have erected comfortable quarters for their crews, and everything is conveniently arranged for the best possible speed in completing the test.

As previously pointed out in these columns, this test and the Arkansas test on the Jeffery lease are giving the Olney country a pretty fair try-out as to its possibilities for becoming an oil field. Both are amply financed, both have the very best equipment to be had and both are in the hands of competent and experienced drillers and oil men. What it means to Olney as a town is merely a matter of conjecture, but it is already evident that Olney is going to benefit immensely. In the event oil is found in either or both of these wells, then Olney's future would indeed be brighter than any of us have even hoped.

The Arkansas test is drilling right along, night and day, and their present depth is slightly less than five hundred feet. This, too, is to be a twenty-two inch hole.

The Enterprises will endeavor to give accurate and regular reports on these tests, but will state here and now that we are not going to put out a report which the men in charge of the tests will not verify. They have told us that we were welcome to any information which they could give out without injustice to their companies. We do not want to publish any other kind other than reliable information, so when you see a statement in The Enterprise concerning either of these wells you may know that the information is reliable.

In this connection we do not feel at all out of place to mention the fact that the personnel of the crews in charge of these tests are without exception high-class, polite and accommodating gentlemen; men with whom it will pay our citizens to cultivate an acquaintance. They are located with us for a year or more, and they can do a lot to help our town and our country—in fact are already doing it. They are spending their good money with us, and will continue to do so. We as a people should respond by making them feel at home with us and extending them every courtesy possible.

We could go on and write a column or so of bunk about the great boom that is coming, but we are not in the right frame of mind at present, so will wait until the said boom comes, then do the writing.—Olney Enterprise.

LARGE PORTION OF BAPTIST FUNDS FOR TEXAS SCHOOLS

PRESIDENT OF THE BAPTIST GENERAL CONVENTION OF TEXAS OUTLINES HOW MORE THAN \$8,000,000 WILL BE EXPENDED IN TEXAS.

Dallas.—Texas will share more largely in the Southern Baptist 75 Million Campaign than any other of the eighteen states participating, according to M. H. Wolfe, prominent layman of Dallas, president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. The Texas quota, \$16,000,000, is more than twice that of any other State. Of the amount to be raised in Texas, \$7,346,000 will be devoted to foreign missions, missions in the Southern States, Panama, Cuba, to ministerial relief, and South-wide institutions. What will be done with the \$8,660,000 to be expended in



M. H. WOLFE

Texas is sketched by Mr. Wolfe in the following interview.

The first concern of the Baptists of Texas is for education. Since the precipitation of the Great War by Germany, whose schools, dominated by German Kultur, were responsible for the Kaiser's reprobate national ideals, the matter of Christian education has assumed an entirely new importance. State education is vitally defective, because Christianity is neglected. We cannot neglect Christian education without peril to all of society.

Twelve Schools—6000 Students.
"We have twelve big schools in Texas, headed by Baylor University, with an annual enrollment of over 6000 students. Baylor has a small endowment, as has also the Southwestern Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, and possibly Simmons College at Abilene, Baylor College for women at Belton, Howard Payne at Brownwood, Burleson College at Greenville, Wayland College at Plainview, Decatur College, Marshall College, Rusak Junior College, San Marcos Academy and the Baylor Medical College at Dallas, have none. The five year program provides for debts, deficits, student aid, equipment and endowment for these twelve institutions, the total sum of a little over \$5,000,000 or about \$1,000,000 a year.

"This amount, of course, is far too small to meet the actual need for such an educational foundation and program, but it will greatly strengthen. This with the auxiliary campaigns which citizens have launched among non-Baptists in the vicinity of each institution, with a view of supplementing the amount coming from the 75 Million Campaign to these vigorous institutions, highly valued in each locality where situated, make the future look much brighter.

To Evangelize Foreigners
"Among with their schools Texas Baptists are equally interested in the thorough Christianizing of their State through the instrumentality of State Missions. They have allotted \$1,750,000 to this object for the five-year period. By means of this fund they will seek to evangelize the foreigners in their midst, help negroes to a stronger church life, plant hundreds of new churches in spiritually destitute communities, assist struggling churches in strategical centers, carry forward the vast training activities of the Sunday Schools, young people's societies, women's organizations, and seek to win thousands to Christianity by organized evangelism.

"Another field of service which Texas Baptists have improved is that of healing through the agency of hospitals. The great Texas Baptist Memorial Sanitarium at Dallas is now a million dollar plant, caring for more than eleven thousand patients last year. The first Texas Baptist hospital was the Houston Baptist Sanitarium, doing a marvelous work. The Central Texas Sanitarium of Waco is just now opening with splendid promise. Other sanitariums have been projected at San Antonio, Abilene and Brownsville. For these six institutions there has been allotted the total sum of \$1,500,000. In a State where such ministry is so badly needed the Baptists long to serve humanity in the name of Christ.

\$300,000 For Buckner Home
"Furthermore, an institution dear to the hearts of Texas Baptists, is Buckner Orphan Home. For it has been set aside \$300,000 for permanent equipment. The Home cares for more than 600 orphan children annually. No institution the Baptists of Texas have ever made has brought them more gratification than the money they have put into this noble institution.
"Will Texas Baptists win in this big campaign? We have many anxieties about it. Much depends upon thorough organization and full information. More depends upon the spirit of sacrifice. We are standing on the threshold of a new civilization around the world, and Christianity is the only hope of humanity. The Nations have wandered away from God and will not come back until drawn by Christianity in its purest simplicity. The Baptist message has the simple charm for which the world is hungering. Will we meet the test of steel and answer God's Call?"

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WILL DRILL NEAR OLNEY

Lease Calls for Operations to Begin Soon on W. R. Farmer Ranch

A lease on fifteen hundred acres out of W. R. Farmer's ranch, near this city, has just been recorded, and calls for immediate development. The lease is made to H. J. von Hagen, and contract specifically states that operations are to begin by November 20, 1913, and representatives of the Doctor tell us they hope to begin operations by or before November first.

H. J. von Hagen, Ph. D., geologist of New York City, who is interested in the Burk field and in the new field south of Burkburnett, as well as the Burkburnett Petrolia Syndicate and E. E. Osman, General Manager of the Burkburnett Petrolia Syndicate have just closed a lease on eight thousand acres of the Grogan ranch in Donley and Armstrong counties, about eighteen miles east of Amarillo, where they will drill two wells. The tools for the first are already shipped and the well will be started at once. The structure here is unusually good and looks very promising for large wells at two thousand feet.

Dr. von Hagen is operating quite extensively here. His No. 1 well on the Coleman Ranch, Archer County, is within a few feet of the pay sand, but has a fishing job; No. 2 is spudded in fifty feet, and No. 3, the Amber Oil Company, is down four hundred feet.

He has also recently closed contracts for developing eighteen hundred acres south of Desdemona, where a well will be begun in the near future by the Hardoncourt Drilling Company. The recent gasser, Martin No. 9, 31 million feet, the largest gas well ever brought in in North Texas, near Dean, Clay County, adjoining the Burkburnett Petrolia Syndicate holding and within a mile of their No. 1 well, verifies the correctness of Dr. von Hagen's three locations on the Syndicate's acreage, his contentions being that the Burkburnett Petrolia Syndicate wells are located on the oil structure, while the Martin well is on the crest and consequently has more gas and less oil. These wells are attracting some interest at this time and at their present rate of development it will not be many weeks before they are drilled in.

It is reported that Dr. von Hagen is now in New York and will form a big company, which will take over these valuable properties for development. His work as a geologist is unique, for unlike the majority of "rock hounds," he does not make a report on properties for a certain fee, but if a property is valuable in his estimation, he puts his own money into it to back up his opinion, and takes his remuneration out of the results.

Messrs. Harry L. Gordon and G. B. Hartman, of New York, are in the city as the personal representatives of Dr. von Hagen, and they inform us that Olney will be made headquarters for the new company, and that all of their material will be shipped here, and that their offices will be established here. Mr. Hartmann has been in the city for some two months, while Mr. Gordon only arrived last week.

This test is to be drilled to a depth of 3,500 feet unless oil is found in paying quantities at a lesser depth. Dr. von Hagen, himself a geologist of note, says they figure on encountering a sand good for as much as 1,500 barrels at an approximate depth of 2,600 feet.



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INDIAN MOUND

There was Sunday School last Sunday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Rickman, and Mr. and Mrs. Southall of Graham made us a good talk. They took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McComas.
Misses Ruby and Dollie Allen took dinner with Miss Trula Davis Sunday.
Mildred Stephens, of Graham, visited Margie Easterling Sunday.
Zerl and Wayne Williamson took dinner with Truett Bird Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. John McComas took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Williamson.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fisher and children took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Kunkle Sunday night.
Miss Jean Bryan as been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Bryan.
Mr. and Mrs. Kunkle took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins Sunday.
Milton Humble, of Kansas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Floyd McComas.

Tax Collector's Notice

I will be at the following places on the dates named for the purpose of collecting taxes for the year 1913:
Olney, Monday, November 3d.
Newcastle, Monday, November 11.
D. D. CUSENBARY.

LISTEN, CHILDREN—School supplies, have arrived at Snoddy's 5 and 10c Store.

SCHOOL OPENED

School opened Monday morning. Miss Lorena Newman is our teacher. Elmer Stephens, of Graham, took dinner with Clyde Davis Sunday.
Mr. Allen left Tuesday morning for Hillsboro to visit his mother and father.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Reported by H. S. McCready, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, Young County, Texas, and left with Mul Wallace, about 22 miles southwest from the City of Graham, the following described stock, viz:
One bay horse mule, 3 years old, split in left ear, no brand.
The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.
Given under my hand and seal of (L. S.) office, this the 14th day of October, 1913.
C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young Co. Tex.
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GREAT PROSPERITY IN YOUNG COUNTY

Never before has this County been blessed with such general prosperity --abundant crops of all kinds which are selling at the highest prices in fifty years; increased oil development and general improvements.

Business of all kinds is good; every man can get a good job; everybody making more money and investing more money than ever before.

GRAHAM GROWING RAPIDLY

Graham's advantage as distributing point for the New Oil Fields in North Stephens and Young County; as a good school town and as a good place to live, is now generally acknowledged by citizens of Young and adjoining Counties, by the Oil Companies and by investors

As a consequence the town is growing rapidly and will grow more rapidly during the coming months.

GRAHAM WILL HAVE A POPULATION OF TEN THOUSAND IN ONE YEAR

READY FOR BIG BUSINESS

We were fortunate in placing large orders several months ago for most of our Fall Goods. These goods are now in our store, giving us the largest and best stock we have ever shown, and we are now ready for the greatest Fall business in our history.

AT LESS THAN FACTORY PRICES

We are selling many goods at less than factory prices of today, especially staple cotton goods. With cotton selling at 40c per pound; high wages at factories, increased freight rates, etc., you can expect greatly increased prices in a few months. The cost of goods cannot go down while the prices of cotton and labor go up. You had better come to this store and supply yourself with goods at present prices.

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S. B. STREET & COMPANY

Let L. M. Davis Drug Co. fill your prescription. 3c

Mrs. Kate Caldwell and son, Richard, of Oskaloosa, Iowa, came in at Friday night for a few days stay Graham.

Bermuda Onion Sets for fall planting at TIDWELL & SONS. 5c.

Little Paul Collins has been sick of phteria the past week.

For all kinds of Lumber and Building Material call on Harkin & Kinnebrew. 4tc

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Evans spent first of the week in Dallas.

TRUCK HAULING
Truck hauling, special care given trunks in our care. Will appreciate your business. Phone Ind. 100 DAN DOOLEN.

FROM REV. A. N. DAVIS
21 Pine St, Abilene, Texas, 10-29-19

The Graham Leader:
Dear Mr. Bowron:
We have arrived at Abilene after so long, and quite an experience in getting here. Will only tell a small portion of our experiences at Kort Worth, where we were on our feet three hours carrying children, suit cases, etc., making our way from the door of union depot to gate for our train, the "Sunshine Special." Women and children were crying and am not quite sure but men shed a few tears for we were packed like sardines in a can.

At last I am in school having a glorious hard time making up six weeks back work and trying to keep up with my classes. Tuesday morning was a great day for Simmons when at the close of an earnest address by a

mighty preacher, Dr. Jenkins, forty young men and women surrendered as missionaries or to the ministry. How my heart was made to melt as I saw strong young men and women lay their lives on the altar for service. For one time in my life, at least, did I wish for a strong body and necessary training that God might use my life in some far away land that knows not Jesus Christ as a personal Savior. My heart was thrilled with joy as I saw my nephew march to the front and surrender himself as a medical missionary to the country, where in the past few months he has served his country in the service and seen thousands go down in the awful conflict. Some of you remember the letters Henry Davis wrote to loved ones and published in The Graham Leader, and having seen the great need of work of this kind while there,

is to give his life to that work. It is almost chapel hour so must go. Please change my address for The Leader to 21 Pine St., Abilene, as news from home will read good to me.

A. N. DAVIS.
1500 acres comemercial lease in one block in Jack county near drilling well for quick sale at \$15.00 per acre. Apply to The Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Craig, of Fort Worth, spent the first of the week here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Fred Garrett.

SHOES! SHOES!! SHOES!!!
One-half Factory cost—odds and ends, good values for everyday wear. R. F. SHORT & CO.

Mr. W. Souter, of Brownfield, is here visiting old friends and relatives.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

At the request of the Postmaster General the United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Jacksboro, Texas, on November 19, 1919, for the position of postmaster at Graham, Texas. This office has an annual compensation of \$1800.

To be eligible for this examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside within the delivery of the office and have so resided at the time the present vacancy occurred.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-first but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

Application Form 2241 and full information concerning the requirements of the examination may be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., in time to arrange for the examination of the applicant.

MILK COWS FOR SALE
Car load of good milk cows for sale at Henderson Wagon Yard.
J. R. HARRELL.

WANTED—Sweet milk and butter-milk. Also middle aged lady and daughter or two middle aged-ladies for housekeepers. Apply at DOLMAN HOUSE. 10p

Before purchasing your next bill of Lumber and Building Material see HARKIN & KINNEBREW. 4tc