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EXT PRIMARY HELD AUGUST 28

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 11.—After deliberation, Attorney General Dan Moody announced he would not issue Wednesday a formal reply to Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's statement announcing she was bidding with all her energy for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in August 28 off primary.

"I am not sure the statement gives a detailed answer," Mr. Moody said. "I am not certain either I shall make a formal reply."

Several hours after the governor's statement was released, Moody, in a short statement, pronounced a more detailed reply. He argued the statement was prepared by James E. Ferguson, and not certainly exhaust the patience of the people of Texas.

According to an opinion by the Attorney General's office at Austin, a runoff primary election must be held in every county for the offices on August 28, whether county offices are affected or not.

The Attorney General points out that the law required county executive committees to make arrangements for holding the second primary and that a mandamus court may be brought in District Court to compel any county committee to follow the law.

"The nomination of only two candidates, Treasurer and attorney, will be decided in the second primary. It is understood a number of counties were not intending to hold the runoff primary, thereby eliminating considerable expense.

County executive committees are authorized by the general election law to nominate county offices by a plurality or a majority vote but majorities are required for state and district nominations.

A number of counties used the plurality scheme. On August 9, at Dallas, the State Executive Committee held a late session, the net result of which was an order for Mrs. Ferguson's name to go on the ballot in the second primary.

The committee's action was based on the law, which instructs the action unless a candidate of choice is withdrawn. As no official withdrawal had been received from Mrs. Ferguson, the committee checked the law. Moody failed to believe a majority over all the candidates, hence this situation.

The meeting was a hot one, with Moody and Jim Ferguson present. Court action is threatened against the Ferguson element over campaign contributions to Moody, etc., and all in all it looks like a bitter fight and lots of trouble on the issue.

It was promised that a statement from the Ferguson camp would be forthcoming this week as to the intentions of the Governor regarding the runoff campaign.

The Local Situation. In Deaf Smith county the ballot will contain the names of candidates for governor, should Mrs. Ferguson's name remain in the ring. The names of the two leading candidates for Attorney General and Treasurer, the names of Lee Atterhite and A. D. Payne for legislature, and the top candidates for commissioner in precincts two and four. Al Miller, runner-up in the assessor's race, decided not to contest.

In precinct No. 2 the battle will be between W. R. Higgins and H. Conkright, in case the latter gains in the race. He is away from home just now and Chairman J. C. Alford has heard nothing from him. In No. 4 the race between J. C. Alford and W. T. Amble.

Musical Treat Was Not Well Attended
It was too bad that there was a better crowd out last Friday night to hear the musical program offered at the high school auditorium by the Music Study Club and the Hereford Orchestra for the benefit of the Deaf Smith County Fair.

Hens Pay This Man Well; Has White Leghorns

Two dollars per hen per year is the goal usually aimed at by ambitious poultrymen, but there is a man in this community who has almost realized this amount from his White Leghorns in less than six months. It's just another story of success with chickens on the Texas Plains.

His name is W. R. Scheibgen and he resides near Black. He has been selling eggs to the Golden Rule Produce and the West Texas Feed and Seed Co. for some time. It was his steady persistence in this good habit that caused inquiry last Monday while he was buying some baby chick food at Jones & McLean's. Here's the figures he gave for egg sales from January 15 to June 30, 1926, from a bunch of 250 White Leghorn hens: 1,811 dozen eggs, average price, 22 1/2c per dozen ----- \$407.47
Cost of feed ----- 63.60
Profit ----- \$343.87

Editorial

TEXAS-NEW MEXICO HIGHWAY

A town often possesses assets, the real value of which is overlooked and possibilities undeveloped. Hereford has several of these, notably the rich irrigation field, but among the others is the Texas-New Mexico Highway, running from Plainview to Taos, N. M. The trip made by the Boy Scouts and the local boosters last week to the annual meeting of this association brings vividly to the fore the fact that this automobile route which could be developed into so much and, as it is, is slowly dying for lack of appreciation, is little known to the public, even to the local garage men.

This line was proposed by John Boswell, then secretary of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce. E. W. Harrison was its first president. It offers a short cut-off for the Texas tourist enroute to Colorado. We are told that it is a fact that many tourists, inquiring a short way through to Colorado, are often routed at Hereford via Amarillo.

We believe that if the local Chamber of Commerce would call a meeting of the garage men, explain to them and get them to understand its real meaning to Hereford, it would be a long step toward the establishment of a permanent team of tourists from Texas Colorado-bound.

IRRIGATION.
The soil is the foundation of all earthly endeavor. From it we derive our subsistence, our riches, our prosperity. The measure of its use and development is the measure of the prosperity of the moment.

Hereford is sitting astride a vast shallow water belt. It's the "ace in the hole" for local hopes and ambitions. There are a few Doubting Thomases here who, for the few cents to be garnered at the moment, are willing to swap their birthright for a temporary gain and ignore the dollars to be made in the future.

Hereford will not realize her full possibilities until the land owners of this community wake up to the gold mine in their back yards and develop it.

ATTENDING CHURCH.

Recently we were discussing with a friend the status of the churches in Hereford, their influence upon the community, church attendance, etc. Our friend remarked: "I do not attend church very often. I have a number of reasons for this attitude, entirely satisfactory to myself, but, of course, not very weighty in an argument with a churchman. There is also a very no more argument against regular church attendance than there is in favor of whiskey. But I am a staunch believer in the church, its influence for the good in the country. What an earth would become of us if it were not for the steady upholding of the right preached from thousands of pulpits weekly. What other champion could we hope for that would counteract the world's evils? What other influence could we develop that would train our children in the paths of decency, and morality, and right thinking."

We call that a pretty good sermon. We could be asked why we do not sample our own medicine more. And, like our friend, satisfy our own conscience with suitable excuses. But the main point is: hats off to our churches; they are the bulwark of civilization, the beacon lights that guide the halting steps of the weak and the unthinking. We would hate to think of living in a community without churches.

Glenn Boardman left Saturday his home in Hollywood, Calif., for spending four weeks visiting home folks.

CENTRAL SCHOOL TEACHER LIST ANNOUNCED; DETAILS OF SCHOOL RULES AND CREDITS

Very Few Changes Noted In List of Instructors For New Year

The following teachers have been elected for places in Central School: Miss Helen Ewing, principal; Miss Ella Akman, fifth grade; Miss Mary Bradley, third and fourth grades; Mrs. Edna Walker, fourth grade; Miss Madeline Bell, third grade; Miss Tallie Bell, second grade; Mrs. Jim Black, second grade; Miss Catherine Wilson, first grade and supervisor of first grades; Miss Ethel Bullock, first grade; Miss Maurine Beyer, music.

We are glad to announce that very few new teachers had to be selected for Central School this year. The report of the high school inspector of the State Department of Education last spring commended the local school board for recognizing the importance of keeping as many old teachers from one year to the next as possible. Small schools usually have too many changes in the teaching force each year due to promotions to larger schools, etc. We are fortunate in being able to have Misses Akman, Bradley, Tallie Bell, Madeline Bell, Catherine Wilson, Mrs. Black and Mrs. Walker back for another year; also Miss Fullington and the Misses Roger in the junior high school. Miss Ora Bell Hefner will be the only new teacher in the latter group of grades.

Of the new teachers Miss Helen Ewing, principal of Central school, comes to us after several years of experience in such work in Oklahoma and Missouri. She was principal at Tarkia, Mo., before coming to Hereford. Miss Bullock has taught first grade children in Dalhart the past two years and comes highly recommended by school officials and others in that city. Miss Hefner taught in Knox City last year and the year before. She had the distinction of being offered three places in good schools at the same time, two of them by former superintendents. Miss Maurine Beyer needs no introduction in Hereford, where she finished the last two years of high school and where her ability in music is well known. Since finishing high school she has made an enviable record in music in Baylor College and Southern Methodist University. Numbers of letters have been received from her teachers complimenting her work in her chosen department.

With this faculty the grade school work and junior high school department are expected to make good progress during the ensuing year. We shall not have a full-fledged junior high school as it is found in the cities because of insufficient enrollment to justify many characteristics of such a school but it is hoped to gradually introduce a few features of such a school from time to time.

HEREFORD'S MOST VITAL NEED

S. J. Williams, Williams Grocery: "Give us a Hotel—that's the most important need of all, right now."

Gaston Baer, The Popular Store: "More people is what I consider the pressing need."

Jack Spratt, Hereford Produce: "Co-operation among the merchants of the town."

Harry Rice, Vulcanizing Specialist: "I believe a good hotel is the most pressing need now."

Rex Tynes, City Drug Store: "A pay roll of some kind—a factory, or something of the kind, that will furnish a pay roll every Saturday."

E. W. Kinney, Delco Light-Frigid-Aire Agency: "I'll vote for a hotel first."

S. J. (Cy) Orr, Farmer and Capitalist: "I'll vote for the hotel, too."

S. P. Rosson, International Harvester Dealer: "Put me down for the hotel, also; we certainly need it."

Jno. N. Jacobsen, Blacksmith: "More honesty in daily business dealings."

E. B. Ford, Handley, Ford Agency: "We need wider streets, cut back the curbs, especially on Main Street."

Wes Anthony, Anthony Furniture Store: "We need a good rain right now, but cheaper fuel for pumping our irrigation wells is the crying need."

Here's Improvement Move That Is Real Stuff!

L. Baskin has decided to erect eight sets of modern improvements on the north 40 of the old Cardwell 80 acre place in South Hereford, which place is now owned by him.

Work is already progressing on the first two units, each to contain 5 acres, with five rooms and bath, garage, water under pressure, sewer system, electric lights, etc.

This tract has daily mail delivery, electricity from lateral high line, is all smooth, and all under irrigation.

When this work is finished eight families will be living on land that now contains no habitation.

These tracts will be sold on easy payments to desirable people who will move on and make a honest effort to make things go.

Lockett Adair, Famous Evangelist, Is Coming

On Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock, August 15th, Lockett Adair, noted evangelist, will preach the opening sermon of the revival, which is to begin at the Presbyterian church. Seats are this week being provided and platform erected on the outside near the church for the accommodation of the audience at the evening services. Mr. Robert G. Fraser, gospel singer, assisted by his wife at the piano, will have charge of the music and the orchestra under the direction of Ralph Smith, is to assist the choir in the music of the services. Provisions are under way to accommodate the audience, whether large or small, and it is believed that there will be a large attendance.



ance by the people of Hereford and surrounding country. This will be the second meeting held by Lockett Adair in Hereford, he having conducted a great evangelistic campaign here some eighteen years ago, when he touched Texas at this point after a most remarkable series of evangelistic campaigns in the State of Indiana.

Evangelist Adair, is a native of this state and at the time of his conversion was a member of the police force of Dallas. That conversion was characterized by the outbreak of a marked, evangelistic fervor. At first it found expression in the sponsoring at his own expense of various revivals held in the open air throughout the City of Dallas, and conducted by evangelists and pastors of various denominations. Then came his own call to the evangelistic field which has carried him through most of the states of the Union and has resulted in the conversion of scores of thousands of people.

His coming to Hereford for this campaign, it is hoped, will mark an era of untold good to the churches and the entire community. Every person and the whole public are invited to participate in the services of the meeting.

There will be no morning services except on Sundays and the evening services are scheduled to begin at 8:15.

Rev. Adair arrived Wednesday night to assist in making the final arrangements and take a few days outing before the revival begins.

Mrs. W. H. Jordan of Dallas, a sister of H. B. Webb, is visiting in the Webb home this week.

Information of Value To Parents and Pupils for Coming Term

As was announced some time ago, the Hereford high school now has credits in all work that was offered last year for affiliated credit. Affiliation was secured this last year in fourth unit English, commercial law, commercial geography and addition credit in vocational agriculture making a total of three units in that subject and a grand total of twenty-six units for the high school. In the report recently received the work was commended in general and some suggestion were made for further improvement. The following comment was made on the work submitted in commercial geography: "The material submitted shows good work in the course. The examiner retained two of the best note books for models to other schools."

Credit is due the students in all of the English classes, since the fourth unit is based on all four years of English and in the other classes in which affiliation was secured and to the teachers who taught them. The English teachers were Miss Glenn, Miss Brown, and Mrs. Morgan. Mr. Dameron taught commercial law and commercial geography, and Mr. Humble the agriculture. We are happy to publicly commend these students and teachers for the good work done for the school and community.

Two new courses will be offered this year, one in public speaking and another in vocational agriculture, making a total of three years' work in agriculture. Only one year will be given in public speaking. It is not necessary to mention the importance of these two subjects as the agriculture has already proved its worth in the high school and ever adult can testify as to his need for training in public speaking when he is forced to face an audience, large or small. It will be offered for the benefit of juniors and seniors.

The prescribed credits for graduation will remain unchanged this year. They include: four units in English, three in history, including American History and modern history; two in algebra, one in plane geometry, and two in science, including chemistry and physics. Agriculture or home economics may be substituted for the first unit of science. In addition to these prescribed subjects a sufficient number of electives must be taken to bring the total to seventeen units, fifteen of which must be affiliated. Graduates should have at least sixteen affiliated credits as some colleges allow four units in English only to graduates averaging "B" in English in schools having four units of English accredited. Some colleges require two units of foreign language for admission, and the prospective graduate should make provision for that if the college of his choice requires it.

The following credits will be offered in the year indicated, though a student may receive credit in a subject one year below his classification. First year: English, algebra, history, Latin, general science, agriculture, cooking; Second year: English, algebra, history, Caesar, biology, agriculture, sewing; Third year: English, American history, plane geometry, Spanish, chemistry, agriculture, public speaking, commercial law, commercial geography; Fourth year: English, solid geometry, arithmetic, civics, economics, physics, Spanish. In addition to these local credit is given in band, orchestra, music, Bible and glee club.

The Juniors and seniors who wish to avoid the rush have already started enrolling and classifying. The superintendent of the schools will be at the high school a part of each day with the possible exception of the week beginning August 16th, for this purpose.

Mrs. N. B. Arman, financial director of Rest Cottage, Pilot Point, Texas, was in this city Wednesday between trains. Mrs. DeArman said the home contains 28 children and 42 girls, and not an unsaved girl in the institution. Mrs. DeArman says "we never turn any one away and often receive girls from New Mexico and Oklahoma."

The work of paving started in earnest again Wednesday morning. Foreman V. S. Wardlaw, for the past few days has put the concrete mixer in first class working order and will be ready for operation Thursday afternoon. The brick laying gang is laying brick on West Fifth Street.

John Frazier and mother, of Mangrum, Okla., left here Wednesday for their home. The Fraziers have been visiting in the home of Mrs. J. R. Hastings in Dimmitt the past week. Mrs. Hastings and a daughter and two grand children accompanied the Fraziers to Hereford.

Block Ice Goes Thru Hot Fire; Half Remains!

You can hear of lots of things that are "durable," but how about a chunk of ice that went through the hottest kind of a fire, with the refrigerator burned completely away from it, and still retains nearly half of its original weight?

That's no fairy story. It actually happened in Hereford, and the remaining ice is still preserved in the vaults of the Texas Utility Company as a curiosity.

On July 8 fire completely destroyed the house occupied by P. C. Anderson, telephone lineman here, together with all its contents. There just simply wasn't anything left. With one exception. After the blaze died away there was a chunk of ice, sitting right out in the middle of the area where the kitchen used to be, visible for a hundred yards.

The Texas Utility men rescued the ice and are preserving it. It originally was a fifty-pound order, placed in the box only a short time before the fire. There was nearly half of it left after one of the fiercest conflagrations ever witnessed here.

Now, what's the scientific answer? F. H. Oberthier, "Quality will prevail."

Boy Scouts Had Whale of Time On Taos Jaunt

On Saturday of the past week came to an end one of the most delightful Boy Scout experiences of the year. It was in the nature of a Boy Scout excursion through the mountains of Northern New Mexico. Having provided themselves with abundant food supplies and camping equipment, troop 3, accompanied by several scouts of other troops, set out on Sunday at 10 p. m. for their long trek through the mountains. On Monday night they reached Cimarron and on Tuesday morning made the ascent of the Taos mountains through the beautiful Cimarron Canyon, along the winding road which was skirted by granite cliffs on either side and majestic pine and spruce trees and which was led hard by the icy waters of the snow-fed stream which flows down that canyon.

The ascent culminated among the snow peaks at an altitude of 12,000 feet above sea level after a drive along the cliff sides of mountains difficult to negotiate but possessing a thrill and surprise at every turn of the road. From here the company descended to Taos where they were met by the highway delegates from Hereford. In the afternoon the company set out for Santa Fe and travelled along the rock-ribbed banks of the Rio Grande along a narrow road which constantly descended down steep banks for a distance of more than thirty miles during which the winding silvery stream of the great river was never lost to view.

Arrived at Santa Fe the company pitched camp five miles above Santa Fe in the Santa Fe river canyon. Here two and one-half days were spent, including visits to places of historic interest, to the Tusque Indian Pueblo at San Domingo, where the boys witnessed the primitive rites of the annual Green Corn festival, attendance upon the Spanish Fiesta with its pageant of New Mexico history. Santa Fe abounds in historical interest, here having been established the oldest settlements in the United States, some of the houses of which are yet standing and were visited by the company from Hereford.

The return trip lay through the mountains southeast of Santa Fe along the splendid H-H highway, along whose route are to be seen the ruins of the ancient cliff dwellers and the flowing waters of the Pecos river. Camp was made between Santa Rosa and Tucumcari Friday night and this last night was not without its thrills, for one of the scouts turned wild man and for a time threw consternation into the camp by throwing stones among the camp pallets of the boys. On the next morning Mr. G. W. Brumley, having pleaded guilty to throwing some of the stones and having turned state evidence on Scoutmaster E. W. Harrison, those two gentlemen were duly executed by the scouts by the laying on of belt lashes, forty stripes save one. An attempt to implicate Rev. Ross in the dastardly deed having failed, he escaped the lashes of the infuriated boys. As for the wild man, no present punishment seeming adequate, he was left to the mercies of a surer justice without benefit of clergy. May he rest in peace, although he may not.

All in all, it was a trip never to be forgotten. It was sponsored by (Continued on Last Page.)

COOPERATE IDEA OF 8 COUNTIES

A delegation of Hereford business men, including the entire Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, attended a banquet and conference at Plainview Monday night, participated in by ten Plains counties whose interests are very similar. The counties invited to the conference by the Plainview business men who initiated the movement, were Deaf Smith, Castro, Swisher, Hale, Floyd, Crosby, Lamb, Bailey, Farmer and Harris. E. B. Miller one of the publishers of the Plainview Herald, presided and explained the motives which induced the call for the meeting.

The general idea is to act cooperatively in advertising the resources and possibilities of the area covered in these counties. A great many details were discussed and the midnight hour rolled by before the meeting broke up, so interested were the diners. The Hereford delegation reached home about 4:30 a. m., tired but enthusiastic over the possibilities of the project.

The net result of the meeting was an agreement to appoint one man from each county to act with the Plainview central committee in working out a definite plan of work and another meeting of this committee will be held at Plainview on August 19th for this purpose.

The Hereford representatives were: President, E. B. Black, vice-president, G. A. F. Parker, Treasurer, A. O. Thompson, Secretary, Moss, and Geo. L. Muse and J. A. Pittman, members of the Executive Committee. Other delegates were C. C. Rockwell and Attorney L. C. Feary.

Luncheon Hears Reports About Two Meetings

Reports of delegations that attended the meeting at Plainview Monday night and the road meeting at Taos the week before were received at the luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce held at the Stockman's Cafe Monday noon. Mr. Black reported on the Plainview meeting, as detailed in another column.

Secretary Eubanks, of the Texas-New Mexico highway association, outlined the trip made to Taos by himself, Secretary Moss, D. F. Ashbrook and J. H. Brooks. He made some dark hints about the secretary's conduct following the meeting; among other charges he made was one that Mr. Moss had insisted that he saw water running up hill in the mountains. There was a good deal of discussion between the four members of the party, all aimed to show that the secretary was turned around, or upside down, or something else was wrong, due doubtless to the rarified mountain air. All of which Mr. Moss took good-naturedly. It also developed that the four attended a "Corn Dance" given by the Indians, and Rev. Haynes threatened to have two of his deacons jerked up on the carpet for dancing. The crowd had a lot of kick out of the mixing the delegation got itself into.

Secretary Moss urged that all interested in small tract irrigation prepare to join an excursion to be gotten up for the week end to go over to Portales and investigate the system in use there.

The Rev. M. M. Beavers, of Canyon, formerly Methodist pastor here, spoke briefly. He said when he emceed from Hereford he left two boys and a business here, and it was his firm intention to come back here when his preaching days were over and die here. His statement was received with applause. Next Monday the luncheon will be held at the City Cafe.

Georgetown Publisher Is Vacationist

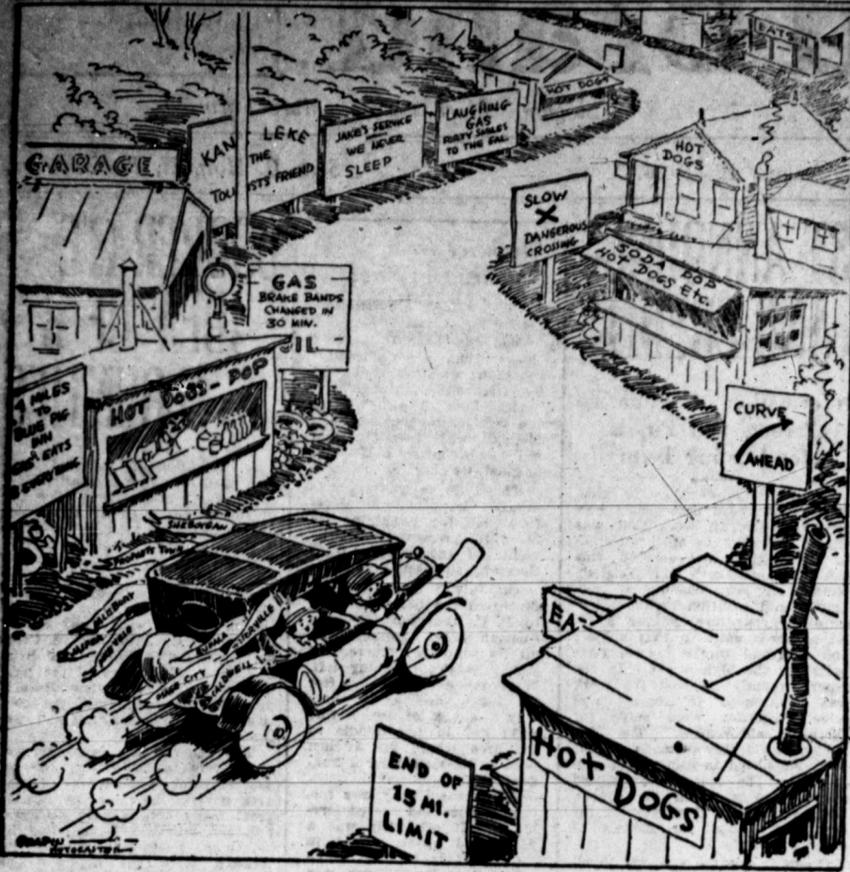
W. L. Foster, publisher of the Williamson County Sun, Georgetown, Texas, is spending a couple of weeks' vacation with his brothers, A. A. and L. H. Foster. The Sun is one of the oldest papers in Texas, having been established in 1877, and is known to all old Texas residents. Mr. Foster is learning to play golf while he is in Hereford.

Tulla and Hereford are scheduled to play ball next Sunday afternoon at Westside ball park. The game promises to be a good one and every lover of the national sport is invited to come out and boost. It is understood that Jim (Dirty Face) Carter will add down center field, with Walker or Galbreath in the pitcher's box.

If we improve ourselves we improve others by our example.

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THIS WEEK

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BLUE FOR BEES—NOT FLIES
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WHAT IS DEATH?

What is color? Why are many men, with sight perfect otherwise, unable to distinguish red from blue? Why is a color-blind woman unknown? How do you explain the extraordinary fact that many women, absolutely blind, can distinguish colors by feeling; for instance, colors of yarns that they handle?

Why do blind women, sorting yarns in London like blue and dislike red?

More important, because it is practical, why do flies dislike blue? Paint your kitchen bright blue and you have fewer flies.

On the other hand, if you paint beehives blue, the bees will be happier. Perhaps it is because bees enjoy themselves under the blue sky, while flies like to be out of the sunlight and away from the blue sky. In a blue kitchen they may think they are outdoors under the sky. They are not very bright.

Preferred stock of Standard Oil of New Jersey pays 7 per cent. Money is cheap, 7 per cent interest isn't businesslike, and the New Jersey Standard Oil Company plans to buy back all its preferred stock, paying owners \$115 for a \$100 certificate. This \$230,000,000 operation isn't considered big in our day. One million dollars used to make men shiver. Now \$230,000,000 is the unit that ONE BILLION is the mark that really big men shoot at. The TRILLION-AIRE is coming.

The wise Japanese establish an annual "Time Day" in all cities and towns of the Empire. "Watch Your Time" is to be the national slogan.

Every day ought to be "Time Day" with everyone. No spend-thrift ever let money slip through his fingers as the average man lets his life slip away.

Florence Ziegfeld, who continues "glorifying the American girl," but insists that she be "modestly dressed," says "the plumper girl is coming in." He predicts disappearance of the prevailing type that looks half starved as a result of dieting.

That's good news for the tired business man who sits in front. Still better news for the other man who wants the next generation to be worth while and fears trouble when the half starved babies of half starved mothers grow up and take hold of the nation.

Thirteen burned to death in

mountain inn at Haines Falls, N. Y., cannot be identified and will go to the grave with religious rites of two kinds. First, Roman Catholic rites were celebrated. Next Protestant rites will be added. If there happens to be a Buddhist, Mohammedan, or Confucian among the thirteen, he will have to take his chance.

Mr. Sam Wing, accomplished gunman of the On Leon Tong, went to the electric chair, but first gave orders for burial services, both Chinese and Christian. He was never a Christian, but told his friends that the electric chair being unknown to Chinese gods, they might have no provision for a corpse from that source.

Christians having inversed the electric chair, doubtless have a God that would know what to do with the remains, so the thoughtful Chinese decided on both religions for the funeral service.

We spend our lives watching men and women passing through a door labeled "Death" and we all have theories, but nobody, apart from faith, has any knowledge of what is on the other side of the door. By and by our time comes, and we go, then we know—perhaps.

Sir Alfred Mond tells Britain's Society of Chemical Industry that science will control genius, morals, and sex and also prolong youth. Sex has been put beyond our control—Men's vanity would call for too many boys. What we call "morals" is a rejection of the times in which we live. Man, always trying to seem a little better than he really is, improves gradually.

Here and There

At present the farmers would enjoy a good rain more than anything else, so we are hoping the refreshing showers will come in a few days.

Fishing seems to be the order of the day and last Tuesday Roy Kincaid and Bob Knox were among the fishermen, and again a large crowd of Froites enjoyed a big fish fry Saturday. But who has ever heard of a fish fry without fish? Well, plenty of fried chicken, ice cream and lemonade took the place of the fish.

Some were heard to say they never ate fish, so they did act the polyantha part about it. Those who declared one of the best times ever had and returned to their homes in the wee hours of the morning were Mr. and Mrs. Allman, Sullivan, Knox, Tice Kincaid, Williams, Misses Jewell and Cornelia Knox and Mr. Arthur Smith. This day being Maxine Tice's birthday made it a double pleasure for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Dixon called at the Knox home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Dixon visited in the home of their nephew, Mack Dixon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lance are

took dinner Thursday in the J. B. Harlin home and in the afternoon they went to be at the bedside of Mr. Easter's father who is in a critical condition as the result of a fall.

Mrs. Estes, daughters and sons visited Wednesday in the J. B. Harlin home.

The Frio little folks are wide awake and it seems that each year they have a birthday, so little Miss Florence Hunter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan, came out Friday to help her celebrate her eighth birthday, and in the afternoon Mrs. Estes and children were also at the Hunter home.

Mrs. Ray Griffith and Mrs. R. T. Green called on Mrs. Kellow Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Greer visited Mrs. R. W. Williams last Saturday. Mrs. Williams has just returned from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, parents of Mrs. Ray Griffith, are moving to Hereford and they seem to have taken a liking to the Plains country.

Mr. A. B. Gandy, of Bryan, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dixon visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dixon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bryant and children came out and spent Thursday night in the Joe Greer home when they enjoyed water melon and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman spent Sunday in the Verl Sullivan home. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Verl Sullivan, Allman and Williams and Helen Estes visited in the R. L. Knox home.

Miss Jewell Knox spent Thursday afternoon with Miss Helen Estes and they took an advanced lesson in domestic science, for without aid of patterns they cut and made a dress. Everyone has pronounced their work excellent.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dixon have enjoyed having Mr. Gandy, an old-time friend, visit them.

Mr. J. F. Ward surprised Mrs. Ward with a new electric range. Mrs. Ward says she wants to cook all the time now.

Mrs. Art Manjeat is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Houston. Mrs. Harlin visited with them Saturday.

Greer Estes has had his boy friend, Noel Bryant, visiting him a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knox have as their guests Misses Jewell and Cornelia Knox, of Wayside. They are nieces of Mr. Knox.

Owing to run down Fords and whooping cough the attendance at the F. G. W. club, which met with Mrs. Allman, was not so good, but those who went had a much better time and more ice cream and cake than those unable to attend.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon

with Mrs. Allman were Mrs. R. L. Knox, Verl Sullivan, Leo Williams and Miss Jewell Knox and Della Stagner.

Miss Marie Scherer, of Littlefield, is visiting in the Fangman and Gaetz homes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gilliland and son and Mrs. Art Manjeat who have been visiting at different points in Texas, have returned, telling about their much enjoyed trip. Mrs. Houston, mother of Mrs. Gilliland, and Margaret returned with them for a visit of a few weeks.

Mrs. Mitchell Fincher enjoyed a visit from her sister and husband last week. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Heuscheld's father and mother, from Gainesville, have been visiting her for the past week. This is their first trip to the Plains.

The irrigation wells can be heard pumping early and late these hot days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carl came out and were helping Mr. and Mrs. Lance with their moving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mosley and Mother Mosley left early Saturday morning for Hedley, Texas, where they will visit the latter's sister.

Val Mathis spent a few days last week with his uncle, George Mosley.

Mrs. C. E. Tice and Maxiene spent Friday with Mrs. John Gaetz.

Clyde Roberson and Jess Laughlin were working on the John Gaetz well Thursday. We can't do without fresh, cool water these hot days.

Jack Samuels was buying butcher

stuff in Here and There last week. Several visitors were among the singers Sunday night and we are always glad to see new faces, so come back every Sunday night.

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Song—arr Robert Holmes.
Song—arr Mrs. Lindsey.
Childrens Song—led by Maxine

Tice.
Song—arr Mr. Bell.
Reading—Nannie Fields.

Mrs. J. J. Lindsey visited Mrs. Bell last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Estes was in the Kellow home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Berry and little Florence

and Evelyn Hunter were shop in Hereford Saturday.

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Summerfield

Everybody has begun to wonder when it is going to rain. Can anybody tell us?

Sunday school met on time last day with a rather small crowd present. If you wasn't there, you was vacant. Come next Sunday, we need you.

The J. A. Noland family had visitors from Oklahoma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hig Lawrence and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kennerly and family returned last Saturday from Eldorado, Okla., where they had been attending the family reunion of the Lawrence family. They report a good time but, oh! hot weather!

Mr. Lee Curry's father and mother have been visiting in the city home. They are from Stephenville county.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Atchley and two daughters, Ruth and Kristene, spent Sunday afternoon at the W. C. McLong home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McMinna and family went to Canyon Monday on business.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson, of Canyon, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Britt Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Wilson and family went to Roswell, New Mexico last Saturday to take Mr. Wilson's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberson, of Panhandle, spent the week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bufkin, of the Wyches community, spent Sunday with Mrs. Bufkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Walser spent Sunday afternoon in Hereford visiting relatives.

Mrs. O. Hufstetter and Mrs. D. Bruton motored to Canyon on Sunday looking after business matters.

Mr. B. K. Greecan is driving a 1931 touring car now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McMinna and daughter, Thelma, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Britt Clark.

Miss Lois Parks of the Progressive community is spending the week with Miss Marie McLog.

Miss Leatrus Walser gave a party last Friday night in honor of her cousin, Miss Floy Smith, of Wilcothe. Games were played on the lawn until a late hour and refreshments and cake were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Walsey and daughter, Thelma, and Miss Blanche McDonald, of Hereford; Misses Myrtle Smith, Eva Noland, Lorene and Gertrude Atchley, Marie McLog, Dorothy Harris and two Misses Decha, who were here visiting on Children's Day; Mark and Charlie Land, Lewis Smith, Perry McMan, Buster Calunger, L. G. Harlow and Cleve Jr. McLog.

Progressive

There was a community meeting at the home of Mrs. Jim Park on Wednesday afternoon, when a large number of ladies, girls and children were present. Things of interest to the community in general were discussed. Mrs. Park招待ed those present with white devil's food cake and ice cream.

There was a good attendance at today's school Sunday afternoon. A large number of folks were present at singing Sunday evening. We noticed several visitors who also took part in our singing. Come again, we like to have you come and sing with us.

Several from our community have been attending the singing school at Ward and all report the school progressing nicely.

Mrs. Ivan Monaghan entertained the young folks with a social Saturday evening. Lots of interesting games were played, and plenty of fun throughout the evening. At a late hour delicious cake and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Monaghan and family, of Childress, Texas, have been visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ivan Monaghan, of this community, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Winn and daughter, Luther Ralston, of Gomez, Texas, spent several days visiting the home of their aunt and uncle, Mrs. C. P. Caldwell, last week.

Joel

Miss Mildred Cabot and children of Wellington, spent the day yesterday visiting in the Lester Galley home.

The neighbors gathered Sunday at the invitation of a singing at the W. T. Smith home, the visiting number being twenty-two.

Charles Rice and Townsend Galley have been helping with the singing at the Galleys.

Mr. Ed Botts had the following visitors from Gunter, Texas, visiting in her home: her sister, Miss Ed Boyie, Mrs. Fulghum and daughter, Martha, and Mr. Lemmas. They came Thursday for a week or ten day visit.

Mrs. Irbel Galley, of Newton, Texas, Miss Vernice Smith, of Hereford, and Miss Esther Rice called Sunday evening at the C. V. Galley home. The young folks attended the singing at the Galley home.

Caroline and Ruth Rice and Margaret Galley spent a few days with their cousins in the Roy Botsch home.

Miss E. Dora Smith spent a few days the first of the week with

her former teacher, Mrs. John Orr. Mrs. W. after London and children visited with Mrs. Guy Smith and children Tuesday.

Wilma Smith spent Monday afternoon with Walter and Baxter London.

Travis Coats has been working the past week in this neighborhood.

Cyrus and Walter Galley attended a party Saturday night in the Progressive neighborhood.

Mrs. Dixon Turner came home

to visit at an opportune time as she helped cook for the threshing at her brother, Leslie, and for her mother, which was greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. John Renfro, of Hereford, attended the singing Sunday night at W. T. Smith's.

Lester Galley delivered 300 bushels of oats to Mrs. L. W. Bradley at her ranch.

We would suggest to Mr. Roy Gough that he purchase a small box of powdered calomel at the

drug store and put the calomel on pieces of bread and butter where his rats can get it. The writer rid the cellar of rats in that way. The rats do not die near the poison. Do not put it where the cats or dogs will get it or it will kill them—any animal born blind it will kill. We are not trying to take away the fishing privilege from any one who would enjoy it, but on the other hand no one will be disturbed nights by "Thomas concerts" by using this method.

Wyches

There is a revival being held at the Wyches school house all this week. We have postponed the program Friday night until later.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hough and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox and family took dinner in the Clayton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook and daughter Monte and Miss Ethel Decker are visiting in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ott and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clayton and family left Tuesday to visit relatives in different parts of Texas.

Mr. T. B. Berkley left for Vernon Friday morning.

Mrs. O. L. Pickering and daughter, Ellen, and son, O. L., visited Mrs. H. D. Blythe and children Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Connie Hensley, of Beaumont, Texas, Mrs. J. E. Maseley,

of Fort Worth, Mr. Earl Smith, Mrs. Jack Sanders, Mrs. H. J. Sanders, Mr. Denny and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goodwin and daughter, Margritte, Grandmother Goodwin, Mr. William R. Bond, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clayton and family last Friday.

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7	Wire Loop Handled, Dish Mops	14	Alum. Tea or Coffee Strainers	22	Aluminum Cake Turners	30	Aluminum Jelly Molds	38	Aluminum Jelly Molds
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3	10 1/2 In. Alum. Angel Cake Pans	13	3 Qt. Enam. Coffee Pots	27	8 Qt. Enam. Preserving Kettles	39	12 Pc. "Lily of the Valley" Tea Spoon Sets	48	10 In. Alum. Pan. Rnd. Roasters
4	18 Pc. Table Ware Sets, Malabar Plate, (4 Knives, 4 Forks, 6 Tea Spoons, 2 Table Spoons, 1 Sugar Spoon, 1 Butter Knife)	14	6 Qt. Alum. Pan. Col. Sauce Pots	28	5 Qt. Aluminum Baking Dishes	40	40 Oz. Alum. Beverage Mixers	49	Enam. Mixing Bowl Sets, 2, 3 and 5 Qts.
5	4 Qt. Alum. Pan. Col. Sauce Pans (Wood Handle)	15	10 In. French Fryers	29	10 Qt. Enam. Water Pails	41	6 Pc. Steak Knife Sets, Solid Steel, Nickel Plated	50	Alum. Drip Roasting Pans, 10 1/2 x 14 1/2 In.
6	2 Qt. Enam. Double Boilers	16	1 Pt. Vacuum Bottles	30	Pyram. Handle Clothes Brushes	42	5 Qt. Alum. Pan. Tea Kettles	51	Family Size Food Choppers
7	1 Gallon Outing Jugs	17	5 Pc. "White Beauty" Brush Sets	31	14 Qt. Round Enam. Dish Pans	43	11 1/2 In. Alum. Round Roasters	52	6 Qt. Enam. Stock Pots
8	5 Qt. Enam. Tea Kettles	18	2 1/2 Qt. Alum. Pan. Cracked Ice Pitchers	32	10 1/2 In. Alum. Tort. Cake Pans	44	White Enam. Handled Body Bath Brushes	53	2 Qt. Alum. Pan. Double Boilers
9	3 Pc. Kitchen Cutlery Sets	19	Elec. Toaster Stoves, 110 Volts	33	8 Qt. Alum. Pan. Col. Kettles	45	16 In. Enam. Roast Pans	54	Enam. Infant Baths
10	4 Qt. Enam. Col. Sauce Pans	20	Dustless Mops	34	6 Pc. Handy Kitchen Sets			55	Alum. Fud. Pan Sets, 1 1/2, 2 Qt.
		21	10 Qt. Round Alum. Dish Pans	35	Aluminum Pan. Sauce Pan Sets, 1, 1 1/2 and 2 Qts.			56	10 Qt. Alum. Oval Dish Pans
		22	4 Pc. Kitchen Cutlery Sets					57	6 Pc. "Universal" Brush Sets
		23	2 Qt. A. Pan. Coffee Percolators						
		24	6 Qt. Alum. Pan. Col. Kettles						

Just to get going on our Fall Business we are going to give some of the Biggest Bargains next Saturday ever seen in Hereford. We have gotten together several counters of Real Bargains that will be on sale all day Saturday and at four o'clock we will put on sale all the items in our north window at 99c and 1c each. Every item in this sale is worth from two to three times the price we ask for it. Look the goods over and you will be sure we have not exaggerated.

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Ford Doings

The community dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barrett was a very pleasant affair. Fifty people came and brought something good to eat with them. The dinner was just another of these old-fashioned dinners of good country eats. An Edison phonograph furnished music and everyone talked, laughed and strolled beneath the many shade trees around the house to their hearts content and enjoyed the cordial hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Barrett very much.

Sunday school was omitted last Sunday as there had been two musical programs planned where we were not expecting any.

Rev. Hill of Vega came and brought Rev. Elmer Carter of Gainesville with him, who is singing for the revival meeting at Vega. Rev. Carter sang some excellent solos, also preached an inspiring, forceful sermon. He also renewed acquaintance with a number of people here who once were acquainted with him at Clarendon.

Mr. Graham, of Hot Springs, Ark., and Mrs. George Lewis of Progressive and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morel made a quartette which was a treat to hear. They sang a number of well chosen songs and Mr. Graham sang his famous song, "Too Many Parties and Too Many Pals." The song is worth going a long way to hear and is a sermon in itself. There were sixty present, so those who missed this time missed a whole day full of entertainment of the highest order.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barbe and children of Walters, Okla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Johnson. They were on their way to "Cool Colorado" to spend about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Benson and daughters visited in Clarendon Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Major are visiting relatives at Goodnight and Clarendon this week.

Miss Ruby Moreman, of Hereford, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morel.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Johnson, Mr. Leonard Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daniel enjoyed a fish fry Friday over in the Palo Duro community. Yes, we caught a lot of fish, but Andy Thomas says the biggest one got away. He is sure that it weighed 10 pounds or less; but anyway, Andy Thomas has been going to singing school at Ward and just declares he can tell the difference in a seventh note and an eighth note, so one can't believe everything he says when excited.

Mrs. Howard Morel was taken suddenly ill at singing school one night last week and was taken to Hereford to her mother's, Mrs. J. H. Harris, where she stayed most of the week.

Mrs. Lizzie Hart, of Amarillo, Mr. Fallos Hart of California and Mr. Jim Carley of Wichita Falls spent last week with their daughter, sister and niece, Mrs. Arlie Dean and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Garrett are having their home stuccoed this week and have also purchased a truck load of new furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCaskey purchased a new piano last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitsett, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barrett of Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barrett of Vega spent most of last week in Sulphur Park fishing and camping out.

Grandma Whitsett spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Bob Orr.

Mrs. J. M. Ware and children came back to Ford Sunday for church services for the first time in several months. She has been unable to attend because of ill health. We are very glad to have her back.

The way the wind is blowing today people won't have to pump water with engines tonight.

Ward

Mrs. Lock's sister from Oklahoma is visiting her this week.

The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. Wylie Robinson August 18 and we wish all the members to be present.

We are having a fine singing school and everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. Graham visited with Mr. and Mrs. Morrell Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Powell's father of Amarillo is visiting him this week.

Mrs. Elkins stayed all day Saturday with Mrs. Fred Saltzman.

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Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saltzman and family Sunday.

The people of this community gave Mrs. Lusk a surprise dinner Thursday. Those present were Misses King, Blavel, Glen Rutter, Saltzman, J. O. Zion, Growen and Elkins.

Albert Saltzman came in Monday for a visit with his brother and family, Mr. Fred Saltzman.

Mrs. J. O. Zion spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Saltzman.

Mrs. J. O. Zion visited Friday with Mrs. Snowden and mother, Mrs. Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Saltzman Sunday night.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Powell Wednesday, the 4th, with the following members present: Mrs. King, Mrs. Linuel, Mrs. Saltzman, Mrs. Lusk, Mrs. Grace Fulckerson, Mrs. Jim Higgins, Mrs. Jim Lipscomb, Mrs. C. O. Vernon, Mrs. Fulckerson, Mrs. Jack Hutson, Mrs. Joe Hutson, Mrs. John Hutson. Visitors were Mrs. J. O. Zion, Mrs. Landers, Mrs. Fincher, Miss Eldora Lusk, Mr. John Hutson.

Mrs. Landers and Mrs. Suggs took supper with Mrs. Jack Hutson Sunday night.

Brother Harrison was back at Sunday school Sunday after an absence of several weeks on account of illness.

Miss Ruby Moreman of Hereford spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Morel.

Mrs. Landers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hutson.

Mrs. Suggs is visiting with her daughter Mrs. Jim Lipscomb for a few days.

North East Corner

The grass and crops here are getting dry but we hope for moisture soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ware made a business trip to Hereford last Saturday.

Mr. Ben Floyd happened to an accident when he received a broken arm while working with a threshing machine one day last week. Mr. Floyd seems to be getting

along as well as could be expected and we hope it will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Phillips were visited one day last week by relatives from Hereford.

Mr. Dolbert Allred visited with relatives and friends in Amarillo last Sunday. Mr. Allred has been visiting relatives in this community for the past three weeks but will return to his home in Chillicothe soon.

Mr. J. E. Hill of Hereford was in our community one day last week.

Mamie Allred spent the past week with relatives here.

A number of the Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. folks spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bowen and family. Each one had an enjoyable time.

Grandmother, Allen spent a few days of the past week in the home of her niece, Mrs. J. H. Ogleby and family.

Mrs. Coy Phillips and daughter, Berdene, were in Hereford last Monday.

Mr. W. D. Dial returned to his home at Chillicothe last Saturday after working in the harvest here for the past three weeks.

Lee and Earl Norman were visited Sunday by a number of their boy friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bran Fowler and family were at church at Palo Duro Sunday. We hope they can come more often.

Mr. Jack Floyd and friends from Arkansas returned to their homes last week after a visit in this community of about four weeks. They worked in the harvest while they were here.

Rev. A. M. Dowell preached two good sermons at Palo Duro last Sunday. A good number were present and each enjoyed the services exceedingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel and daughter, Loraine, and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Randol left our community last week for New Mexico where they will spend a while camping out. Mr. and Mrs. Randol live at Chillicothe and have been here for the past three or four weeks visiting in the community with relatives. They are

sure they will have a wonderful trip.

The Bowen family spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Womble are being visited by relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pope and family spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McBroome and family.

Mr. Ernest Walker began work for Mr. K. A. Harper last week. Miss Dovie McBroom is spending a few days this week with relatives here.

We were glad indeed to have Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell and children, Francis and Byron, out to Sunday school and church again last Sunday morning after having been away on account of sickness in their home. The children are improving rapidly now and we hope they will continue that way.

Mr. Marcus Stephenson returned to his home at Dallas last week after a three weeks visit in our community with relatives.

Mr. L. C. Moore made a business trip to Hereford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hammer and family are being visited by friends at this time.

Mrs. Coats and children, of Kansas City, returned to our community last week to spend a few weeks with relatives here. Mrs. Coats spent last week at Memphis with relatives.

FROM FIELD TO BISCUIT PAN.

Wheat cut at 11 o'clock on last Thursday morning by crews working in the Hickie fields was taken by the ladies, threshed, ground in to flour and baked into biscuits in time for a supper at 4 p. m. Mrs. Harve Hickie and her sister, Mrs. J. J. Doyle, of Oklahoma City, are the ones who performed this feat, and they are anxious to know if there is any record either here or in Kansas wheat belt to equal that set by them.—Boy, New Mexico, Spanish-American.

Getting the Most For One's Income

The development of a plan for spending the family income to the best advantage means not only better household management, but a margin with which to secure worth-while things and money for labor-saving devices which help the homemaker to gain time for the children, for self improvement, or for community activities.

This is the underlying thought in Miscellaneous Circular No. 68-M, "Planning Your Family Expenditures," by Chase G. Woodhouse, of the Bureau of Home Economics, United States Department of Agriculture. All business concerns from manufacturing plants to the United States Government have budgets or spending plans, no different in principle from the family budget.

There is no such thing as a standard household budget, Mrs. Woodhouse points out. Each family must make its own. The circular gives a number of helpful suggestions for doing this. It is necessary to get the whole family interested. The probable income for the year must be estimated. The next step is to list all the known needs of the family and their anticipated cost. This total must be compared with the estimated income, and if necessary, pruned until it is evident that all expenditures can be taken care of by the money that will be received.

Various ways of recording expenses are described, with particular attention to the needs of the farm home. The circular shows how to group the different classes of expenditure conveniently and in sufficient detail, so that it will be possible later to analyze them. It concludes with a number of questions, each suggesting others, which will be found useful in reviewing these records at the end of the year when making a new spending plan. Copies may be obtained free while the supply lasts by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

GOOD WOOL CROP.

According to figures just completed by R. F. Hare, agricultural statistician for the department of agriculture, New Mexico produced 11,000,000 pounds of wool last year. Mr. Hare estimates that there is still over a million pounds in the hands of the producers of the 1925 crop.

The Peruvian Congress has passed a law making it mandatory that shower baths be installed in all public school buildings in Peru.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elders W. A. Knox and A. S. Higgins announce that the Church of Christ will begin a meeting at the church on Wednesday night, August 18th. The meeting will be conducted by Elder T. L. Kimmel, of Slaton. Everybody is cordially invited to attend this meeting and hear the gospel preached.

First Presbyterian Church

JAS. T. ROSS, Pastor.

On next Sunday morning our revival begins. Evangelist Lockett Adair will be present at the first service. Mr. Robert G. Fraser will be on hand Monday evening and direct the music and organizational activities of the revival from that time forward. The choir is to be assisted by the orchestra under the direction of Mr. Ralph Smith. To all the services of this revival the pastor and congregation of this church extend a most cordial invitation to the entire public of Hereford and the surrounding country.

Sunday school will meet in its regular study and worship at 9:45 a. m. Senior Endeavor will meet at 7:30 p. m. The hour for the evening services throughout the meeting will be 8:15. Let us be on hand early and be prepared for some helpful service in the meeting.

At the evening hour Mrs. Helen Lambert Jones is to bring a message in song. This announcement is always greeted with pleasure by any Hereford audience and we are glad to have Mrs. Jones render this service.

"Oh, that men would praise the Lord for His goodness and for His wonderful works to the children of men! For He satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness."

Methodist Church

J. O. Haynes, Pastor

The pastor will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning. Visitors and strangers are always welcome.

The services will be dismissed Sunday evening that our people may attend the revival at the Presbyterian church. League meets at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

The Sunday School Lesson.

BY JAS. T. ROSS.

Sunday, August 15, 1926. Subject: Jethro's Wise Counsel. Scripture Text: Exodus 18:1-27. Golden Text: "To every man his work."—Mark 13:34.

Has the outsider any value to the church? Can the church afford to give any consideration to his suggestions? Is a religion different from our own, even radically different, wholly false? Could we afford to rejoice in its successes? There are those who could answer NO to all these questions. To any such, a careful study of our Sunday School Lesson for today will be fruitful as an illuminator.

Open Mindedness. One of the greatest perfections of human life is the closed mind. If God had intended to have His masterpiece be one of a closed mind He would have left no doors to that mind. Human beings would then have needed none of the five senses and none of the intuitive instincts. As it is, the Divine Father has placed doors all about man's spiritual house through which can flow his sunlight at all hours of the day. Yet, nevertheless, there are those who prefer to abide in the dark cavern of their spiritual ignorance, who might write over its portals "Visitors are not welcome." Shut up in the darkness of the dead hand of traditions they live their own little lives. Not so with Jethro, Priest of Midian. He had the open mind. He rejoiced at the mighty work of Jehova in delivering Israel from Egyptian bondage. He saw clearly the superiority of Jehova over all gods, and acknowledged by the offering of devotion to Him.

"Rise! if the past detains you, Her sunshine and storms forget; No chains so unworthy to hold you As those of a vain regret; Sad or bright, she is lifeless ever; Cast her phantom arms away, Nor look back, save to learn the lesson Of a nobler strife today."

Common Sense in Religion.

Religion needs common sense and without it must suffer. Zeal in a good cause needs to be supplemented by a common sense direction. The secret of a great many failures in church life lies in the lack of common sense. Many a church life goes on the rocks because it is not sufficiently supported by a common sense program. A church must be more than a mob of enthusiastic devotees; it must be more than a mad house of ecstatic shouts. It is unrighteously scandalized by a lack of common sense. Moses was so engaged in his ministry to the people that he sat from early morn until late at night in the judgment of matters small and great. He had not the time to pull up out of his busy tasks and give them a proper analysis. He was running without a program and without that program found himself overburdened while other shoulders were idle. It was Jethro, the outsider who saw the need of reorganization. So he recommended to Moses the selection of helpers who should judge the small matters and leave only the harder ones for Moses' mind. It was a good suggestion. Moses needed help and he needed to develop initiative and leadership among his people. He accepted the suggestion and it succeeded.

Official Qualification.

We have stated here the qualifications of those who are to be given officers of public trust. It takes proper leadership to put over any program. Jethro's suggestion included the four preeminent qualifications for public office. Let us follow them carefully and see whether we have regarded or ignored them in the selection of our public officers this election year. The first mentioned is ABILITY. "Provide out of all the people able men," said Jethro. In our popular form of government and our election methods we can and often do miss the mark here. The politician, who can kiss all the babies, flatter the promises oftentimes, gets the electorate in preference to the sober-minded, calculating, careful, and qualified man. Or the man who gets the nomination of the major party who tagged and brass-collared with its label, browbeats the voters into voting for himself, who expects to be able to distribute favors when in office gets ahead of the honest man who cares more for efficiency in office than for keeping up his political hedges. Civil service on the basis of competitive examinations, independence of mind in voting, the repudiation of the Jacksonian heresy that to the victor belongs the spoils, the type of patriotism that puts the country above party interest, the honest and careful measuring of ability before voting, these are needed to keep popular government from becoming a farce.

THE FEAR OF GOD is the second qualification mentioned. We

must be able to trust those who are to rule over us. To them we must intrust the lives and property of ourselves and family, and to them we must largely trust the present honor and the future destiny of our state. Honesty in government is therefore a proper platform for a campaign. Moreover we need men who are guided by great principles in their conduct of public administration. Now the greatest of all guiding principles is the sense of responsibility to God. When Daniel Webster was asked what was the greatest thought he ever had, his wise answer was: "The sense of my responsibility to Almighty God." We need only God-

fearing men to exercise authority over us. We need men who feel the sense of responsibility to the highest authority above them before we dare trust them with the responsibility of governing us. The third preeminent qualification is TRUTHFULNESS. The unretreated campaign he ought to be enough to defeat any man for public office, and the intentional lie retracted or unretreated ought always to defeat the candidate. Above all, the eleventh hour lie ought to condemn any man from holding office. If men will lie to get office they will live out a lie when in office if it seems advantageous to do so. Let us have men

of truth in our public offices. The fourth qualification and one of the greatest is HATRED OF COVETOUSNESS. Covetousness is ever a prolific cause of dishonesty in office. Covetousness makes one want what belong to another even when it cannot be obtained. Given covetousness and power over the property of the public, the public interest is always at stake. Teapot Dome and highway scandals, embezzlements, acceptance of bribes, and the like are the fruit of a covetous heart. When it is plainly seen, and especially acknowledged that a man's pocketbook is his principle, he should not obtain even a scattering vote and if elected should certainly be constitutionally disqualified from holding the smallest office in government. This should be a principle as good for the club as for either state or church and as applicable to business as to any other institution. All honor to Jethro, the wise counsellor of Moses. He has given us all a lesson worthy the remembering and using.

God give us men. A time like this demands strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands. Men whom the lust of office does not kill!

Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy; Men who possess opinions and a will; Men who have honor; Men who will not lie!" Men can conquer everything except a sense of loneliness.

FRANK J. FORD

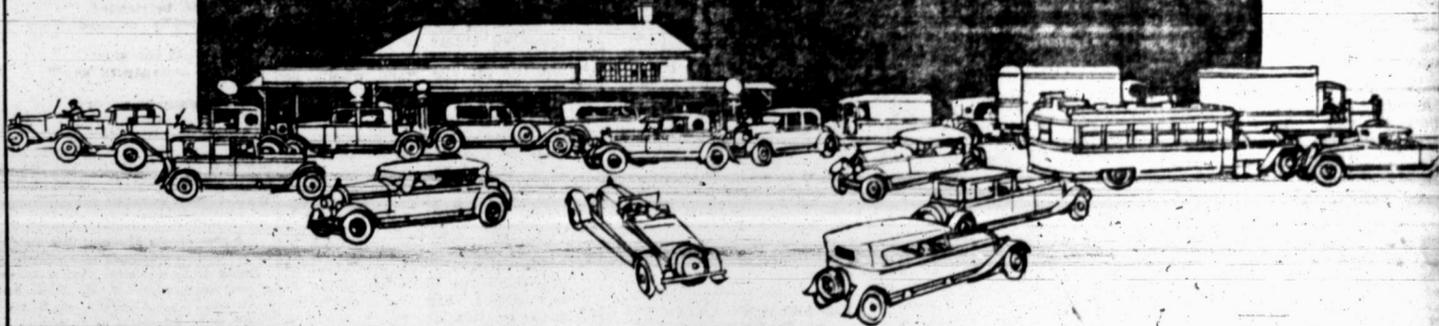
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FOR SALE—Good saddle at Hellman Harness and Shoe Shop. 30-1tp

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FOR SALE—All cash to close estate, the south half of Sec. 10, of Capitol League 461 (Harding's subdivision) lying 8 miles northwest of Friona, Farmer County, Texas. Best offer takes this land. Wm. ISSENHUTH, Attorney, Edfield, S. D. 28-4t

TWO LOTS—Adjoining my home, for sale. MRS. J. M. BOONE. 28-4t

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FOR SALE—Good five room stucco house, very cheap and easy terms. Immediate possession. A. H. ELLISTON. 29-2t

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—I have the agency for all kinds of hand and orchestra instruments. Can arrange monthly payment plan. RALPH SMITH. 29-2tp

We have opened the Slaughter Sand Pit and have sand and gravel for sale. SWAUGHTER & SWAGGERTY. 28-1t

FOR SALE—Three modern bungalows. Inquire at PANHANDLE LUMBER CO.

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FOR SALE—Dwarf maize seed, government tested. Free from Johnson grass and weeds. O. WILDER, Hereford, Texas. West Way School. 16-10tp

FOR SALE—Thirty-barrel covered tank for use as granary. Phone 124. HILL GARRISON. 25-1t

FOR SALE—Land for sale—two desirable tracts of land, some improvements on them, well located. Address OWNER, Box 323, Hereford, Texas. 11-4t

MAPS—Deaf Smith county maps for sale, 50c each. THOMPSON & IRELAND.

The Athletic Association of the Hereford High School met last Monday evening to discuss plans for athletics during the coming year. Committees were appointed to get the grounds in shape for early practice and to make preparations for the sale of season tickets for the football season. Gordon Witherspoon, senior and star football player, is chairman of the committee that will look after the grounds. Jess Russell and George Murphy will be in charge of the sale of tickets. Those attending the meeting were: C. W. Humble, Artis and Jess Russell, Gordon Witherspoon, Oliver Ray, G. Murphy and G. Jewell.

Financial matters were discussed at the meeting and it was found that the Association is in better shape than it has ever been. All the business matters pertaining to this association are handled by working very successfully. The Association was organized two years ago with C. W. Womble, vocational agriculture instructor, as manager, and with high school students as members. The idea is placing athletics here on a business basis and, tends to secure better support from the local business men.

STORK SPECIALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Radoviel, August 5, a girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Mullins, Friona, August 9, a boy.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

On Saturday, August 21st, the trustees of school district No. 7 will receive bids at the office of the county judge for the sale of three school houses as follows:
One house 12x24 feet, one house 40x24 feet, being the old Fairview school.

One house 20x20 feet, being the old Higgins school.
The trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

EARL W. WILSON,
County Judge.

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Tri-State Fair Will Have Many Features

One of the funny stunts arranged by the Tri-State Exposition at Amarillo, September 21st-27th, is a race of automobile "wrecks" over a hundred mile course. Each car must have only four tires, only one occupant, and the winner of the race must agree to accept an offer of one hundred dollars for his car if a buyer appears. The "Henry's" and "Lizies" no doubt will be there in keen competition. The first prize is \$200, second \$150 and third \$100.

The "Old Fiddlers" contest will also come in for its share of attention, for among the old settlers of the Panhandle are many masters of the old "Arkansas Traveler," popular in the days gone by. First prize \$10, second prize \$5.

The harmonica or French harp contest is also attracting lots of contestants. The contest is open to the world, no age limit and any man, woman, boy or girl can enter as there is no entrance fee. The only restriction is that a Honer harmonica in the key of C must be used.

The catalogs are especially attractive this year, a great deal of care having been exercised in the makeup and printing. These catalogs are for free distribution and a word to Mr. Amacker, assistant secretary, will bring one immediately. The catalog contains a list of all premiums, amusements, special days and other information is well worth asking for.

Work on the fair grounds is progressing nicely. The race track and auto speedway is receiving special attention and on opening day, Tuesday, September 21st, it will be the best and fastest track in this part of the world. The grand stand is also coming in for a great deal of attention, every detail being looked to carefully so as to facilitate the handling of the enormous crowds expected by the management.

Turn stiles at the main entrance, another new innovation, will do away with the crush at the gate this year. Visitors will have many surprises in store for them as the association is denoting all its energies towards making this the banner year of the Tri-State Exposition. The Haynes Carnival Co. has been secured with its 20 high class shows and 60 unique rides and concessions, assisted by several full size bands. This company plays only the highest class fairs and visitors this year can look forward to the biggest fair ever held on the Plains.

Small town gossip is a mighty queer thing. Gossip generally arises from an individual's popularity which usually causes jealousy on the part of less fortunate individuals. If you sometimes feel as if the gossiper has no regard for your reputation, just remember that they're giving someone else a rest while running you down. Folks feel it their duty to talk about anyone who happens to have more than the ordinary amount of business on the streets—the same person feels equally called upon to gossip if that individual should happen to decide not to frequent the streets quite so much. So why not live to suit yourself and be content to let the other fellow do the same?—Eldorado, Oklahoma, Courier.

PREPARATORY LATIN TAUGHT IN UNIVERSITY.

To place the study of Latin on a parity with the study of modern languages, the University of North Carolina has reduced the amount of Latin required for admission to the College of Liberal Arts. A sliding scale has been adopted and students will be admitted on a minimum of two units of Latin, but to make it possible for students having less than four years of high school Latin to continue at the university their study of the language.

Tuberculosis Shows Decrease Fifty Percent

Twenty-five years ago tuberculosis caused approximately 200 deaths every year in each 100,000 population in the United States, whereas now it causes less than half that number, it was declared at the United States Public Health Service on August 2.

This was attributed by Health Service officials as being largely the result of the modern health movement, but they declared that other factors also have been contributory to it.

Comparable mortality statistics for tuberculosis, for 10 states and the district of Columbia, which constituted the original health registration area, covering the years from 1900 to 1923 inclusive, were referred to by the Health Service in this connection. In 1900 this area had a population of nearly 20,000,000 whereas in 1923—the latest year on which figures are available—it had a population of nearly 30,000,000.

The death rate per 100,000 population from tuberculosis of all forms, was 196.2 in 1900 as compared with only 90.9 in 1923, these compilations disclose. A consistent decline during the 23 years period was maintained in these states. Accordingly, Health Service officials explained that in 1905 this rate was 180.9 per 100,000 population; in 1910, 164.7; in 1915, 146.7; in 1920, 112.0; in 1921, 83.1; in 1922, the provisional figure of 92.3, and in 1923, the provisional rate of 90.9 per 100,000 population.

ORDINANCE NO. 183.

An ordinance by the City Commission of the City of Hereford, Texas, to be known as Ordinance No. 183, prohibiting the installation and operation of what is known as "curb pumps" for selling and dispensing of gasoline and kerosene in the City of Hereford, and providing a penalty for the violation of same.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Hereford, Texas:

SECTION 1. Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to install and operate in the City of Hereford, Texas, what is commonly known as a "Curb Pump" for selling and dispensing of gasoline or kerosene.

SECTION 2. All gasoline or kerosene pumps hereafter installed in the City of Hereford, Texas, shall be so placed on the property of the owner thereof, so that all automobiles, trucks or other vehicles to be supplied with gasoline, kerosene or oil can stand wholly on the property of such owner while being filled.

SECTION 3. Anyone violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be punished upon conviction by a fine of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$100.00, and each day any such pump shall be operated in violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 4. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not apply to any person, firm or corporation now operating a pump in front of their property or place of business.

Passed and approved this 5th day of July, A. D. 1926.

E. S. IRELAND, Mayor.

ATTEST: GRACE SKELTON, City Clerk. 28-3t

What's a home without a thoroughly comfortable chair?

Latin still retains its popularity in North Carolina, where more than 1,500 boys and girls from 72 high schools recently participated in a state-wide Latin contest.

Freak Egg, With Floral Design, Is Curiosity

Just an ordinary brown egg that was laid with one side rather flat, and an almost perfect reproduction of a sunflower on the flat surface is on exhibition at The Brand office. The curiosity is the property of Harry Lomas, employee of the Gulf Oil Station, who picked up the freak in his hen yard.

The core and petals of the flower are clearly defined in the shell. There is no coloring of any kind in the shell, which retains its original brown appearance.

High Winds Cause of Great Forest Fires

High winds caused a large spread of fires on most of the national forests of northern Idaho and western Montana on July 31 and August 1, it was announced by the Forest Service August 2.

Probably the worst weather conditions of the season were experienced July 31 over the greater part of the Idaho-Montana district, while in general conditions were reported somewhat better August 2.

The Couer d'Alene, Kootenai, and Clearwater National Forest were least affected, although there was great difficulty in holding the fire lines even of these forests. Blackfoot, Flathead, Pend Oreille, and Kaniksu National Forests suffered most.

Although some of the fires were not heard from August 2, the fires on the Pend Oreille and Clearwater National Forests showed improvement.

THE MEASURE OF A MAN.

Not—"How did he die?"
But—"How did he live?"

Not—"What did he gain?"
But—"What did he give?"

Not—"What was his station?"
But—"Had he a heart?"

Not—"How did he play His God-given part?"
But—"Was he ever-ready With a word of good cheer To bring back a smile, To banish a tear?"

Not—"What was his creed?"
But—"Had he befriended Those really in need?"

Not—"What did the sketch In the newspapers say?"
But—"How many were sorry When he passed away?"

In its bid for recognition Soviet's only hope is that it will not be recognized for what it is.—Wall Street Journal.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank and Trust Company, of Hereford, Texas, is hereby called to be held on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1926, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., at the banking house of said bank for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to amend the charter of said corporation by surrendering its Guaranty Fund plan of protecting its depositors and adopting the Bond Security system of securing its depositors in conformity with the provisions of Senate Bills Nos. 112 and 114, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature of Texas.

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MAYBE HE DID.

Son—"Our garage man's got a better radio than ours, Mama."

Mother—"What makes you think that, dear?"

Son—"He said he knew he'd get hell when he went home tonight."

—Zit's.

A total of 9,125 cars of wheat were loaded and moved on the Rock Island lines during the first two weeks of July, according to a report from the general offices of that railroad in Chicago. This is pointed to as among the heaviest movements of wheat during the same period in the history of this railway. The grain came principally from Kansas, Oklahoma and northern Texas, although the marketing of wheat in Nebraska and Colorado is now well under way.

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The county records show that there are 1,175 cars and trucks registered in Deaf Smith County. Our records show that this company has sold a total of 482 cars and trucks during the past two years.

During the last forty days we have sold 73 cars and trucks.

We Thank You

—for making it possible for us to show this volume of business. Without the cordial support and good will of so many Ford patrons in this trade territory, our story would have been very different.

We have tried hard to give you SERVICE. We shall continue to strive to this end. We are rather proud of the business record shown above, and we earnestly solicit your continued patronage and good will.

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Texas & Texans

By WILL H. MAYES
of Austin, Texas

FLOYD COUNTY—Floyd county, the county site—in the Plains Country of Texas, is again claiming the championship for wheat growing. In 1924 the county marketed 1,879,988 bushels of wheat, and has this year shipped, or has on hand awaiting cars, more than 2,000,000 bushels. Not many years ago that county was mapped as an arid desert. Now it supports a large population and Homer Steen's splendid newspaper, The Hesperian, which will have something to brag about until another county beats it growing wheat.

Headlight Law Impotent. Representative Williamson, of Bexar county, who daddied the Texas headlight law, says that it is an ill-considered thing without the necessary enforcement provisions and that unless the next legislature provides for a State patrol to enforce the law, he will seek its repeal. The law seemed reasonably effective early in the year, when car owners had to have headlights tested and adjusted as a prerequisite to securing 1926 license tags, but the headlights soon got out of adjustment on many cars and glaring lights are now almost as much in evidence as before the law was passed. The driver of a car is the last person to discover that its lights are out of focus, although it may be very evident to everyone he meets.

Wanting Cotton Pickers. All that part of Texas south of San Antonio is now trying to get enough cotton pickers to get the crop gathered as quickly as possible. Appeals are being made to other parts of the State, but as pickers will soon be needed all through Texas cotton growing sections are slow to advise laborers to go to South Texas, even though the crops there may be a few weeks earlier. Efforts will be made to get help from Mexico, and these, if secured, will be encouraged to follow the opening of the new crop on through Central and North Texas. No laborer in good health need be idle in Texas for the next six months, for the fields everywhere are inviting all who will work.

Guadalupe Power Plant. Work is to begin immediately on a dam in the Guadalupe river four miles below Seguin and another midway between Seguin and New Braunfels, and on a third twelve miles below New Braunfels to be used in operating a 10,000 horsepower hydro-electric plant at Seguin. The cost will be \$2,000,000. The company that is financing the construction has already contracted for the sale of all the power it can produce. Thus, is Texas development going forward.

The Nimitz Hotel at Fredericksburg. built in 1852, and known to almost every person who has traveled much in Texas, is to be torn away to make room for a modern \$125,000 hotel building. The Nimitz is the oldest hotel in the State, perhaps, and has been conducted all the while, by the father first, and then by the son. It yet proudly exhibits the bed used by Robert E. Lee, when he was stationed in Texas, before he resigned from the United States army to enter the Confederate service. Many will regret the passing of the Nimitz but it is the order of progress that the old must in time pass away to make place for the new.

Boosting the Alpine Country. One of the most persuasive publications this writer has seen in a long while is The Big Bend Resources Edition of the Alpine Avalanche. It makes a fellow want to look for that section at once to see and enjoy the many good things of which the Avalanche tells so interestingly. The people out in that country ought to be proud of that paper.

Speaking of Alpine, it seems to me to be a big mistake to move Sul Ross State Teachers College, even if the attendance is as yet lower than was expected. It is growing; that country is developing rapidly; its wonderful climate is fast becoming better known; the

college has a well equipped plant, and in a few years it will be overcrowded with students from all over Texas. If necessary, the teaching force should be cut down to meet present demands, but the school should be maintained where it is. Texas is filling up and Sul Ross will grow.

Office Seeks the Man. This column carefully avoids politics, but there can be nothing amiss in the statement that in one case at least the office sought the man. S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, did not make a speech during the campaign and wrote but few letters. He merely submitted his official record and left the people to decide as to his re-election. The vote that he received was nearly 50,000 in excess of that of both of his opponents. It must be gratifying, indeed, to receive such an endorsement from an appreciative public.

Grain Yield Large. According to Victor Schoffeleers, the well-known agricultural editor of the Dallas News, the wheat yield of Texas this year is estimated at 34,000,000, and oats production is around 84,000,000 bushels. Wheat is selling at from \$1.25 to \$1.35 a bushel and oats from 30 to 35 cents. This means about \$70,000,000 to \$75,000,000 of grain crops alone. Yet there are some Texas farmers who think of these as negligible crops, hardly worth the attention of those who look to cotton as the great money crop. Gradually Texans are learning that diversified farming is safe farming.

Manufacturing Increases. For the information of those who think that but little is being done in Texas in the way of manufacturing, attention is called to a report issued by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce showing that the manufacturing output of Dallas has increased from \$15,000,000, twenty years ago, to \$200,000,000 a year, at the present time. Perhaps Houston could make as good a showing. Throughout the State interest in manufacturing has grown as the surplus money is not needed to carry on the commerce of the country.

Texas' First Woman Senator. When the newly elected legislature convenes, Senator Margie E. Neal, of Carthage, will be among the number, the first woman in Texas to be honored by a seat in the Senate. Senator Neal has all the qualifications for the position and will be a credit to her district and the State. She has been a teacher, an editor, a stateswoman, a Democratic leader and a member of the board of the State Teachers' Colleges. She has travelled extensively and is a close observer. She has always been a student. She has sufficient wealth to be independent of the temptations that sometimes beset legislators and the integrity to look upon them with contempt. She has well matured views on public questions and knows how to present them. Texas is fortunate.

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merce, with headquarters at Longview, is making an intensive study to decide the lines along which its major activities shall be conducted. Without being asked, I am going to suggest these: intelligent crop diversification; marketing; manufacturing, including preservation of truck and dairy products; education; road building; improvement of homes; and last, but not least, publicity, publicity, publicity.

Frio-Easter Items

Crops are looking good in the Frio-Easter community, but a rain would be appreciated by all very much.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Fields visited with Grandpa Easter Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Sullivan spent the day with Mrs. E. V. Sullivan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Williams returned last Sunday from Floydada where they spent a week with relatives.

Mrs. Frye called at Sullenger's Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Green and mother, Mrs. Nettie Green, Mrs. Walter Easter and Miss Nettie Lee Green left Monday for Santa Fe and other points in New Mexico.

Mrs. I. E. Woolery and sons, Mrs. V. C. Woolery and Miss Hickman visited with Mrs. Doak Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. J. Sullivan and sons, Orville and Burlin Gardner spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery Thursday.

Mrs. Carl Frye and daughters were shopping in Hereford Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders and Mrs. Denny spent the day with Mrs. Steve Sanders Wednesday and called on Mrs. Carl Frye in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harlin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stager last Thursday.

Miss Nannie Fields spent the day with Miss Frankie Mae Corn Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sullivan.

Mr. W. F. Easter's brother, from Hill county, is visiting with him. Burlin Gardner spent Thursday

night with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogan of Hereford spent the day with their daughter, Mrs. K. Hunter Friday.

Mrs. Mullins and baby, of Pauls Valley, Okla., came in Tuesday to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. Easter.

Mrs. Mullins' baby has been ill since she has been here.

Mrs. Steve Sanders' mother and sister, from Hall county, are visiting with her. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders met them at Amarillo on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Woodburn and daughters, Miss Lena, of Dimmitt, and Mrs. Dewey Watson, called on Mrs. Carl Frye Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Joe Mitchell came in Wednesday from Fort Worth where he was called on business.

Mr. Wade Parker, who is employed by Care Frye, called Friday night at his home in Dimmitt.

Candidates are very numerous again, and it is easy to understand why—the 28th is drawing near.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery and Burlin Gardner spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Woolery when ice cream was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Holland, of Lubbock, and Mrs. Elliott of Dimmitt spent Friday afternoon with E. V. Sullivan

who is farming Mr. Holland's place in Castro county.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frye and daughters spent the week end with relatives and friends at Floydada and Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Woolery and sons, Ira Junior and Milton, Mr. H. C. Doak left Saturday morning for Goodwill, Okla. Miss Hick returned with them after a week's visit with relatives.

The following families enjoyed fishing and supper on the creek Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knox, E. V. Sullivan, Leo Williams, Henry Allison, Roy Kincaid and Miss Jewell Knox.

Mrs. Henry Allison and son, Jack Dale, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. V. Sullivan and son, Chas. William.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Sullenger and family left Monday morning for New Mexico where they will make their home.

Mr. Jess Lindsey and Miss Nannie Fields spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Red Walton.

Mr. Chamness and family, of Washburn, who bought the I. R. Sullenger place, moved in Saturday.

Miss Frankie Mae Corn spent Sunday with Miss Emerald Smith. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dixon attended Sunday school at Easter Sun-

day morning and took dinner with their son, Mr. E. Dixon.

Misses Jean Terrell and Anne Mae Smith spent Sunday with Miss Billie Louise Corn.

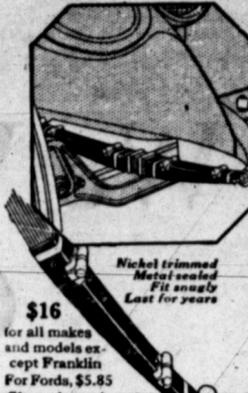
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sullivan and son called on Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Easter, who was hurt last week, is reported better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Gardner of Tulla spent Sunday in the H. C.

Doak home. Their son, Burlin, turned home with them. Wayne Terrell spent Sunday with Denzil and Nolan Fields.

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Dimmitt, Castro County, News

DIMMITT, Texas, August 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gollehon and Mrs. Sid Hackabay motored to Marillo last Saturday.

Dr. Miller went to Plainview Sunday, taking Glen Hickman's kid, George Webb's child, Milton's child for tonsil operations and to administer the anesthetic in other operation there for Dr. Jones' wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Duree and Mrs. Ida Ballenger spent Sunday with relatives in Tulla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Eakin of Once were in Dimmitt for a few days during the past week looking after business interests here.

B. D. Woodlee and B. D. Jurade a trip to Duncan, Okla., during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Miss Bonnie Rockett of Dallas have been visiting in the Roy McElroy home. Mrs. Jones is a sister of T. McElroy.

T. W. Malone made a trip to Marillo last week.

Floyd Reynolds made a trip to Marillo last Wednesday.

Jack Cowser was in Dimmitt the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill and family, of Enid, Okla., and Mrs. Rrazier, of Mangum, Okla., have been visiting in the J. R. Hastings home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Butolph and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lockhart and daughter, and Miss Edna Maner, of Plainview, left last Wednesday afternoon for several days in Colorado to the San Luis Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shepherd and daughter and Jim Gary left last week for a visit to Comanche county.

Miss Lona Woodburn visited her friends and relatives in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woodburn and sons visited in Clovis and Texas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Watson have moved back to Castro county and they find this the best place in the world to live.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis and family of Sweetwater have been visiting his brother, J. D. Davis and family.

Fred Galle of Amarillo was in Dimmitt last Sunday, also his son, Dick.

Judge Sheffy and family visited in the J. G. Davis home while his brother was here. Mrs. Sheffy and they were old friends in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodburn and sons attended the Cross family reunion at Tulla last Friday.

E. B. Wright made a trip to Plainview last Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. U. Coughran and family and Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Jackson have returned from a fishing trip in Mexico and report fine time and lots of fish.

Mrs. J. D. Cross and daughter, Miss Kate, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Neely of Clovis visited in the W. R. Woodhouse home last Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Howard on August 7th, a girl, named Rachel Yvonne.

The McCarty family were the victims of a car accident last Friday night when their car turned over near Hart. Two physicians were called and found no serious injury done.

The little six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Albracht of Nazareth died at the St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo following an operation last week. Funeral services were held last Saturday morning.

Mr. I. Bud Trout has opened a lunch room in the building owned by Joe Howard located west of the blacksmith shop.

Last Thursday evening Messrs. Homer Norwood and Hez Wright were hosts to a large number of young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. White. Various outdoor games in which everyone took part were greatly enjoyed until a late hour, when delicious punch and wafers were served to Misses Gladys Hastings, Mary and Josephine Cowser, Bettie Rose Kerr, Ola, Fannie and Mabel Kimbell, Mildred Woodlee and Joe Parks; Messrs. Rankin Reynolds, Jack Gregory, Roy Bell, Eugene Kimbell and Charlie Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gollehon and family were greatly surprised on the night of the 31st when quite a few people of Dimmitt motored out there for a party before they moved to Canyon to make their future home. Numerous games and music were the chief forms of entertainment, after which refreshments were served to the following: Misses Mildred Woodlee, Maurine Smith, Joe Parks, Gladys and Ina Mae Hastings, Frankie Burnam, Virginia Johnson and Leola Shuford; Messrs. Hez Wright, Rankin Reynolds, Jack Gregory, Clyde Shuford, Brooks Woodlee and Bob Flanagan; Messrs. and Mrs. Bill Webb, Henry Stalup, Dow Duree and Joe Gollehon.

Mrs. B. D. Woodlee entertained

the Priscilla Art Club last Tuesday afternoon. After the usual hour of needle work, three new members were added to the roll, after which a social hour was enjoyed during which lovely refreshments were served to Misses Henry Stalup, H. E. Rantz, Dow Duree, I. B. Brooks, Etta Rgash-eara, Effie Jacobs, Goings, Wilburn, Patrick, Joe Howard, W. T. Gollehon, L. P. White, Edna Tate, and Bill Webb. The next meeting which will be next Tuesday, will be with Mrs. W. D. Duree.

Only four of the many members of the Dimmitt Ladies Aid were present at the regular meeting which was held at the church last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was well spent by these few in a thorough study of the Sunday school lesson. Those faithful few were Misses I. B. Brooks, B. D. Woodlee, W. T. Gollehon and Ruby Webb. The meeting today is with Mrs. B. D. Woodlee.

The Girl in the Mirror

By Elizabeth Jordan

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(Continued from Last Week.)

Under the influence of this final benediction, Epstein waddled over to the corner where Warren, very pale, and Louise Ordway, very much bored, stood surrounded by a group that included Sonya Orloff. Firmly detaching the bridegroom from this congenial assemblage, Epstein led him to one side.

"Warren," he said solemnly, "I got to congratulate you all over again. You got von woman in a million—No, you got von woman in eighty million!"

Warren laughed, rather shakily. Over the heads of the crowd his eyes caught his wife's and held them for an instant.

"Make it a million million," he suggested joyously, and led Epstein to the supper room.

Laurie was there with Bangs and a group of friends, who, having patronized young Devon a year ago, were endeavoring to wipe out the memory of this indiscretion by an excess of friendly attention.

"No," Warren and Epstein heard him say to Mrs. Lytton and Mrs. Renway, "there's nothing I'd like better than to come, thank you. But I'm going back to New York tomorrow. You see," he added, "this business of marrying off a sister, and attending to all the details and seeing that she conducts herself properly as long as she's in my care, is a bit of a strain. I've got to get back to town and recuperate."

"I suppose you will rest your mind by writing another play?" gushed Mrs. Renway.

Laurie shook his black head.

"Not a bit of it!" he asserted. "Don't even suggest such a thing before Epstein, there. It sounds abhorrently like work."

Mrs. Renway's curiosity had a brief and losing struggle with her good breeding.

"Then what are you going to do?" she demanded coquettishly.

The young man pondered, as if considering the question for the first time.

"Well," he said at last, "between you and me, I'm going in for ad-

venture. I intend to devote the next four months to discovering how much excitement a worthy youth can crowd into his life if he makes a business of going after the gay bird of adventure, and finding it, and putting salt on its tail!"

The puzzled countenance of Mrs. Renway cleared.

"Oh, I see," she said brightly, "you're joking."

Laurie smiled and turned to greet a late guest who had come up behind him. In the little group that had overheard him three pairs of eyes met in startled glances.

"Humph!" said Warren. "Hear that?"

"Nice prospect for us!" muttered Rodney Bangs.

Jacob Epstein looked harassed. A little later he joined the throng in the main hall, and watched the showers of rice fall harmlessly from the polished sides of Barbara's limousine as the bride and groom were whirled away from the brilliant entrance of Devon house.

"She's gone," he said to Bangs as the two men turned and re-entered the still crowded yet suddenly empty house. And he added, solemnly, "Believe me, Bangs, on that job she's left us you an' me ve got our hands full!"

CHAPTER II

Rodney Loses a Battle.

RODNEY BANGS, author of "The Black Pearl," and co-author of "The Man Above," was annoyed. When Mr. Bangs was annoyed he usually betrayed the fact, for his was an open nature.

He was betraying it now. His clear, red-brown eyes were clouded. The healthy pink of his youthful cheeks had deepened to an unbecoming flush. His wide, engaging grin, the grin of a friendly bulldog, was lacking, and his lips were set tight.

Sitting on a low chair in the dressing room of the bachelor apartment he and Lawrence Devon occupied together, Rodney drew on a shoe and stamped his foot down into it with an emphasis that shook the floor. Devon, fastening his tie before the full-length mirror set in the door leading to their common bathroom, started at the sound, like a high-strung prima donna. This was one of Laurie's temperamental mornings.

"What the devil's the matter with you, Bangs?" he demanded, but without ill humor. "Can't you get on a shoe without imitating the recoil of a seventy-five centimeter gun?"

Bangs grunted, drew on the other shoe, and drove his foot into it with increased energy. Laurie looked at him, and this time there was a spark in his black eyes. Very quietly he turned, crossed the small room, and, planting himself in front of his chum, resentfully stared down at the dynamic youth.

"What's the idea?" he demanded. "Are you deliberately trying to be annoying?"

Rodney did not raise his head. His fingers were busy with a complicated knot.

"Oh, shut up!" he muttered.

Laurie, his hands in his pockets, remained where he was. Under his continued inspection the fingers of Bangs grew clumsy. He fumbled with the knot, and, having unfastened it, prolonged to the utmost the process of lacing his shoes. He knew what must come as soon as he settled back in his chair. It had been coming for days. He was in for an unpleasant ten minutes. But the situation was one he had deliberately created as the only possible way of bringing about a serious talk with his friend. Now that it was here he was anxious to

make the most of it. With head bent and thoughts busy he played for time.

At last, the shoes laced and his campaign mapped out, he sat up and met Laurie's eyes. Their expression of antagonism, temporary though he knew it to be, hurt him. Devon, when he had his own way, and he usually had it, was a singularly sweet-tempered chap. Never before, throughout their year of close association, had he looked at Bangs like that. Rodney knew that he deserved the look. For days past he had deliberately subjected his companion to a series of annoyances, small but intensely irritating.

"Well?" demanded Laurie.

"What's the answer?"

"What answer?" Rodney was in the position of a small boy challenged to combat in cold blood. He was experiencing some difficulty in working himself up to the necessary heat for an engagement. But Laurie's next words helped him out.

"You've been making a d-d nuisance of yourself for the last week," he said deliberately. "I want to know why."

Bangs squared his stocky shoulders and rose to his feet. His brown eyes were below the level of his chum's black ones, but the two glances met sharply and a flash passed between them. Under the force of his rising excitement the voice of Rodney shook.

"The reason I've been a d-d nuisance," he said curtly, "is because you've been acting like an infernal fool, and I'm sick of it."

Laurie's lips tightened, but the other rushed on without giving him a chance to reply. The moment was his. He must crowd into it all he had not dared to say before and might not be given a chance to say again.

"Oh, I know what you'll say," he cried. "It's none of my business, and you're your own master, and all that sort of rot. And I know you're not drinking, and God knows I'm not ass enough to take on any high moral tone and try to preach to you, whatever you do. What gets my goat, Devon, and the only thing I'm worrying about, is this infernal waste of your time and mine."

Laurie grinned, and the grin infuriated Bangs. He whirled away from it. A footstool impeded his progress, and he kicked it out of the way with large abandon. It was his habit to rush about a room when he was talking excitedly. He rushed about now; and Laurie lit a cigarette and watched him, at first angrily, then with a growing tolerance born of memories of scenes in their plays which Bangs had thrashed out in much the same

manner. The world could never be wholly uninteresting while Rodney gounded about in it, cutting the air with gestures.

"Here I am," snapped Rodney, "ready with my play, the best plot I've had yet. You won't let me even mention it to you—Here's the new



"Here I Am," Snapped Rodney.

season. Here's Epstein, sitting on our doormat with a check book in each hand, waiting to put on anything we give him. You know he's lost a small fortune this fall. You know it's up to us to give him a play that will pull him out of the hole he's in. Here's Haxon, the best director in town, marking time and holding off other managers in the hope that you and I will get down to business. And here you are, the fellow we're all counting on— He stopped for breath and

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Niagara Falls 'Sore Tooth' Is To Be Crowned

The repair of Niagara's sore tooth, a cavity in the edge of the falls which Mr. Hoover, Secretary of the Department of Commerce, is slowly bringing about Niagara's suicide, must be postponed until after the Canadian elections. This was stated at the Department of Commerce on August 2, when it was explained that the Canadian members of the Niagara Control Board believe they will be able to act with more authority after the present election contest between MacKinnon King and Premier Meighen is settled.

Four concrete islands may be built in the river just above the falls if present engineering plans are approved, which will check the flow of water into a V-shaped notch which is being worn into the escarpment of the Horseshoe Falls. The water is converging into this notch in such a way as to take the flow of water away from the wings, leaving many rocks bare, which fifty years ago were entirely covered.

Sends Up Dense Mist

The convergence of water into this notch sends up such a mist that this portion of the falls is not readily visible, while at the same time the flow of water over the wings of the falls is so scanty in places as to detract very materially from its beauty. The slow ebbing away of Niagara's grandeur led Secretary Hoover to say recently:

"This great scenic gem of our continent is losing its grandeur slowly, year after year. Unless the enlargement of the notch be checked, the time will come when Niagara will become a great rapid instead of a gigantic waterfall."

"It appears from our engineers that remedy is not difficult, although it is a job to be undertaken in co-operation with our Canadian friends. It would seem to me that the comparatively small expense by the two countries needed to preserve Niagara Falls would give ample returns to the millions of homeowners to which it annually contributes."

"A few days of joy at that part of life is in itself compensation for some of the more serious things in life that will haunt those young people through the remainder of their days."

Recede Seven Feet Yearly

Bearing out Mr. Hoover's statement that Niagara may eventually become a rapid, the engineers' reports prepared for the Department of Commerce show that the falls have receded 820 feet since 1764, and at present the crest of the falls continues to recede at the rate of about seven feet a year.

What's Doing In West Texas

Borger—This city has recently voted for the establishment of an independent school district. Only one vote was cast against the issue. Property will be conferred for the building and the board of trustees has been elected. A committee has been appointed to take the scholastic census of the city.

Slaton—Three additional credits of high school work have been granted this institution by the State Department of Education. The total number of affiliated credits at the present time is twenty-four. Fourth year English is the only course offered without affiliation.

Roswell, N. M.—The construction of a new highway which will connect Roswell with the recently discovered oil field in Lea county is to begin at once. This road will make the Maljamar field less than eighty miles from this city.

San Antonio—The highway in Bexar county between San Antonio and Converse on the Seguin road has been completed, inspected and accepted by the state for maintenance. Its completion gives San Antonio unbroken pavement virtually the entire distance to Gonzalez.

Stamford—President Arthur P. Suggan of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and his party made up of Chamber of Commerce officials will tour the southern districts and two New Mexico sections of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce territory within the next two weeks. Tax revision, diversified farming and the work of the West Texas organization will be discussed before all local commercial clubs.

Brownfield—Weekly trips are being staged by the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of bringing the farmers and business men together in a social way to create a better understanding between the two, which will aid in a more rapid development of this section of the country in the near future.

Reflections by Panno.

It must have been after midnight and I must have fallen asleep for my book had fallen to the floor and the candle was no longer burning. I could only hear the rain outside which fell lightly on the ground like tears of sympathy from the eyes we love.

The Week's Worst Gag.

"Doctor, what can you give me for the gripper?"
"I don't know—bring it in and I'll see what it's worth."

BRIBED CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS

For August 14.
Topic: How can we prevent waste? Luke, 15:11-32, John 6:1-13.
Leader: Miss Albroth Elliston.
Song service.
Benediction prayer.
Leader's talk.
The waste of money and of time—Miss Frances Quinn.
The waste of strength and of power—Miss Mary Bradley.
The waste of friendship and of influence—Yehna Carroll.
Special.
Business.
Song.
Benediction.
Let's have a good crowd and a good meeting.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish it were possible to express our appreciation to our good friends for the kindness that has been extended to us recently. The receptions at the different homes for our comfort and pleasure have been a foretaste of heaven. We hope always to hear good news from you, and splendid reports from the country.
We expect The Brand to follow us, so be good. I close these feeble remarks with an ocean of love and a good wish on every wave.
MRS. EDNA HENRY.

CONTRACTORS BIDS.

Bids will be received at Jumbo school house until 2:00 p. m., August 14th, 1928, for all labors and materials for the construction of a brick and tile school building in Common School District No. C-2, Castro County, Texas. Certified check of \$250.00 must accompany each bid.
Plans and specifications will be furnished by Kerr & Walsh, Amarillo, Texas, by depositing \$15.00.
RAY E. SHEFFY,
County Supt., Castro County.
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Interscholastic Football Prospects Good

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 9.—Prospects for an excellent season in high school football are rapidly materializing, according to Roy B. Henderson, in charge of the University of Texas Interscholastic League athletics. The new football plan to be put in operation this fall is expected to more nearly fit the needs of the schools than anything yet proposed, Henderson said. More acceptances of the plan have been received than ever before at this time of the year, he stated.

Calls for football contracts have also been received in greater numbers than heretofore during the summer season, Henderson said, exhausting the supply on hand in the League headquarters. Between 15,000 and 20,000 contracts are now being printed and these will soon be ready for distribution.

The principal changes in the League football plan for the coming year are that each district in both conferences A and B will have an executive committee for settling all questions which may arise in that district, and in the revision of districts. This last change is of particular importance in conference A in North Texas, where all the schools of Dallas and Fort Worth will compose one district. The making of one district of these two city systems has met with almost unanimous approval, both with the schools concerned and others of that section of the state, according to Henderson. This will also make possible an inter-city championship between Dallas and Fort Worth, the winning team immediately entering the state finals.

Local Happenings

Miss Nell Farmer, who is attending school at Canyon, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. G. R. Ward and daughter, Miss Ruby, spent Monday in Amarillo.

Mrs. M. L. Steele and daughters, Dessie Mae and Polly, spent the day in Amarillo Monday.

Rev. M. M. Beavers, of Canyon, was a business visitor here Monday.

Ralph Barnett and daughter, Virginia, left overland Monday for Whitesboro, and other points in Texas, to visit relatives. He expects to be away about a week.

John Williams, of San Angelo, son of S. J. Williams, of Hereford, arrived Saturday for a visit with his relatives and local friends.

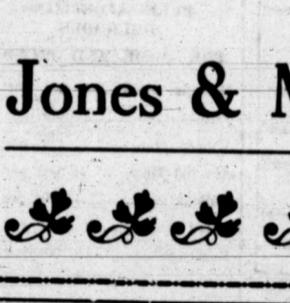
Dr. F. E. Bowe and wife left Tuesday by train for Iowa for a week's vacation and family reunion. Dr. Bowe says he has not attended such a reunion in twenty-eight years and felt that he needed the trip.

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Mrs. Hester Fox, Clifford Adams and Seth B. Holman spent Saturday in Amarillo. Mrs. Henry Gooch, who has been visiting Mrs. P. W. Price, returned to Amarillo with them.

Mrs. H. Trow, Mrs. J. W. Burch and daughter, Eula Lee, and Mrs. Holland, of Amarillo, returned Sunday night from Colorado where they have been for several weeks.

Mrs. J. Eysel Beyer, of Wichita, Kansas, who has been visiting her father, A. W. Gregg, for some time, returned to her home last Friday. Mrs. Beyer has been real ill during her visit and her friends will be glad to know she was much improved when she left. Her sister, Miss Ina Gregg, accompanied her home and will remain for a visit of several weeks.

Young Man: You furnish the girl—we furnish the home.
E. B. BLACK C.

Arthur C. Thompson and A. W. Gregg left overland Tuesday morning for a vacation trip to points in Kansas. Mr. Gregg will stop at Wichita and visit his daughter, Mrs. Eysel Beyer, while Mr. Thompson will visit his wife and son, who are visiting Mrs. Thompson's parents for the summer at Hamilton, Kansas. While Mr. Thompson is away the Magnolia-Filling Station will be in charge of J. M. Posey and Wallace Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry and family left Tuesday for Monticello, Iowa, to make their home. This splendid family leave many good friends here who wish for them much success in their new home.

Don't miss the big 1 to 99 cent sale at Skelton's Saturday! Read the list in this paper. It's an eye-opener!

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross, of Lubbock, are visiting Mr. Ross' brother, Albert Ross and wife and his uncle, Rev. Jas. T. Ross and family.

Mrs. W. A. Cowan, of Enid, Okla., arrived Thursday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Ashlock.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Gas returned Monday morning from Kansas City and St. Louis where they have been buying their fall and winter merchandise.

The Rev. D. A. Ross, pastor of the Methodist church of McCauley, Fisher county, Texas, accompanied by Mrs. Ross and children, is spending his vacation here in the homes of his brother, Rev. J. T. Ross, of the Presbyterian church, and his son, C. A. Ross, who is employed at the D. R. Gas & Son store.

Dr. D. E. Turrentine
Dentist
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LOUIE OLSON, Manager.

Mrs. Frank Lucas and small son are visiting relatives in Santa Ana, Texas.

Mrs. I. B. Brooks, Mrs. Mayes Miller and Miss Mildred Woodlee of Dimmitt were shopping in town on Saturday.

Miss Lillie Chapman and two daughters, of Clarendon, arrived, overland, Sunday for a few days visit with friends.

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Ben C. Harris, wife and two children, of Ardmore, Okla., arrived overland Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith. Messrs. Harris and Smith were "buddies" during the war and served in the same military band in France and Germany. They are having a great visit and reunion.

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BONNIE BRUMLEY, Manager

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We Now Have Our Roller Mill In Operation!
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HARRISON

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH,
CITY OF HEREFORD.

The City Commission of the City of Hereford, Texas, was convened in special Session, at the City Hall, on this the 10th day of July, 1926, with the following members of the Commission present, to-wit:

E. S. Ireland, Mayor.
J. O. Newell, C. H. Dyar, Commissioners.
Grace Skelton, City Secretary.

Attending a quorum, when among other business the following was acted:

It was moved by Commissioner Newell, and seconded by Commissioner Dyar, that an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE

DETERMINING THE NECESSITY OF LEVYING AN ASSESSMENT AGAINST THE PROPERTY AND OWNERS THEREOF IN THE CITY OF HEREFORD ABUTTING UPON THE STREETS AND PARTS OF STREETS HERINAFTER NAMED FOR PART OF THE COST OF IMPROVING SAID STREETS, FIXING A TIME FOR THE HEARING OF THE OWNERS OF SAID PROPERTY CONCERNING SAME AND DIRECTING THE CITY SECRETARY TO GIVE NOTICE OF SAID HEARING REQUIRED BY ARTICLE 1013, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF TEXAS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

The Ordinance was read in full by the Secretary. Commissioner Dyar made a motion that the rule requiring the ordinance to be read more than one meeting be suspended and that this Ordinance when read, take effect immediately as an emergency measure. The motion seconded by Commissioner Newell, and was carried by the following votes:

Ayes: Commissioners Newell and Dyar. The Mayor requested be recorded as voting "AYE."
NOES: None.

Commissioner Dyar made a motion that the Ordinance be finally passed. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Newell. The motion was carried by the following votes:

AYES: Commissioners Newell and Dyar. The Mayor requested be recorded as voting "AYE."
NOES: None.

The Mayor declared the Ordinance finally passed. The Ordinance is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE

DETERMINING THE NECESSITY OF LEVYING AN ASSESSMENT AGAINST THE PROPERTY AND THE OWNERS THEREOF, IN THE CITY OF HEREFORD ABUTTING UPON THE STREETS AND PARTS OF STREETS HERINAFTER NAMED FOR PART OF THE COST OF IMPROVING SAID STREETS, FIXING A TIME FOR THE HEARING OF THE OWNERS OF SAID PROPERTY CONCERNING SAME, AND DIRECTING THE CITY SECRETARY TO GIVE NOTICE OF SAID HEARING REQUIRED BY ARTICLE 1013, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF TEXAS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Hereford, Texas, has adopted the benefits of the provisions of Chapter II, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, by a majority vote of the legally qualified property taxing voters residing in said City, at an election held on the 24th day of January, 1916; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of said City did on the 31st of January, 1916, after said election pass an order declaring the validity of the said election, and declaring the provisions of said Chapter II, Title 22, applicable to and governing said City, in all respects, such order is of record in Volume I, Page 108, et seq. of the Minutes of said City of Hereford; and

WHEREAS, heretofore, to-wit: on the 30th day of March, 1926, for advertising for competitive bids, the City Commission awarded a contract for paving certain streets and parts of streets and the construction of curbs, gutters and other necessary appurtenances including drains and storm sewers thereon, hereinafter specified, to Jordan Construction Company, Contractors, which contract is of record in the Minutes of said City Commission in Vol. 4, Page 237, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of April, 1926, the City Commission of the City of Hereford, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter II, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, did order the improving of said streets, and where necessary, curbs, gutters and other necessary appurtenances, including drains and storm sewers in said City, to-wit:

Among other Streets and parts of Streets, the following Street part of Street, to-wit:

DISTRICT NO. 12. Main Street, from the south property line Fifth Street to the North Property line of Ninth Street; and

WHEREAS, the said Jordan Construction Company, Contractors, have duly given bond for the performance of said work and for maintenance of same, and Montgomery and Ward, City Engineers, in accordance with the ordinance ordering the improvement of above mentioned streets, filed their report with the City as to cost of said improvements and as to the ownership of property abutting on said streets to be improved, and the estimated proportion-expense of said improvements for which the property owners thereof are liable; and

WHEREAS, according to the report and statement of the City Engineers the total estimated cost of such improvements is \$19,369.30, proportion and amount of such improvements to be assessed against abutting property and its owners is as follows:

For Paving	\$12,133.20
For Curbs	\$ 1,169.50
City's Portion	\$ 6,066.60
Total	\$19,369.30

The amount to be assessed against the owners and the property paving, including gutter, excavation and other necessary appurtenances, including drains and sewers, is as follows:

District No. 12 \$13,302.70; and

WHEREAS, according to said report the names of the owners of said property, and amounts contemplated to be assessed against each and its owner, are as follows:

DISTRICT NO. 12: MAIN STREET (40 feet wide) from South property line of 5th Street to South property line of 7th Street, and 30 feet wide from south property line of 7th Street to South property line of 9th Street.

1. 40 feet wide (From S. P. L. 5th St. to S. P. L. 7th St.)

NAME	Lot	Block	Acres	Front Foot	Front Feet	Rate per Front Foot	Assessment	Other Improvements	Total Assessment
Harrison, E. 7-8-9-10-11-12	15	O. T.	500	50	150.00	5.7919	1,378.57		1,378.57
Slaughter ES-175 ft. 4	46	A to H	175	50	87.50	5.7919	1,013.58		1,013.58
of Hereford EN-25ft. 4	46	A to H	25	50	12.50	5.7919	144.80		144.80
of Hereford, E 1	46	A to H	100	50	50.00	5.7919	879.19		879.19
Hard WN93 1-3 ft. 1	45	A to H	93 1-3	50	46.67	5.7919	540.58		540.58
Tynes, WS46 2-3 ft. 1	45	A to H	46 2-3	50	23.33	5.7919	270.29		270.29
Christian Church W-2	45	A to H	140	50	70.00	5.7919	810.86		810.86
of L. W. & E. C. Dyar									
of L. W. & E. C. Dyar	28	O. T.	50	50	25.00	5.7919	289.60		289.60
of L. W. & E. C. Dyar									
of L. W. & E. C. Dyar	28	O. T.	25	50	12.50	5.7919	144.80		144.80
Johnson W S-1-2-2	28	O. T.	25	50	12.50	5.7919	144.80		144.80
Massey WN3-5-3	28	O. T.	80	50	15.00	5.7919	172.76		172.76
M. E. Church W S2-5-3									
and all 4-5-4	28	O. T.	170	50	85.00	5.7919	984.62		984.62
30 ft. wide from S. P. L. 7th St. to S. P. L. 9th St.									
of Hereford E All	50	A to H	500	50	180.00	4.5718	1,645.55		1,645.55
of Hereford, Mothers Pk	199	A to H	199	50	99.50	4.5718	909.79		909.79
Barnett WN-75ft. 1	58	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
Guthrie, W S-75 ft. 1	58	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
Hill W E	58	A to H	160	50	75.00	4.5718	685.77		685.77
Florence Hill WN-75ft. 1	52	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
West, WS1-2ofN150ft. 1	52	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
Oberthier WN1-2ofS, 150ft. 1	53	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
Skelton, WS7ft 1	52	A to H	75	50	37.50	4.5718	342.59		342.59
			2389		1169.50		12133.20		13302.70

ESTIMATE OF COST.

2.67 square yards Paving, at \$2.69 per square yard	\$15,044.28
2.67 square yards Excavation at .07 per square yard	391.49
5.1 ft. curb and gutter at 0.95 per lin. foot	2,788.35
lin. feet concrete header, at 25 per lin. foot	54.25
lin. feet storm sewer assessment, at 0.1929	451.19
Engineering 3 1-2% of \$18,278.37	639.74
Total cost of improvements	\$19,369.30

CITY'S PORTION.

Third of Pavement	\$5,916.20
Third Storm Sewer	150.40
Total City's portion	\$6,066.60
1 property owners' portion	13,302.70
of curb (to be assessed to property owners)	1,169.50
apportioned to property owners, exclusive of curb	12,133.20

Rate per frontfoot to be assessed against property owners	\$0.50
Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements, other than curb,	
30 foot street	\$4.5718
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners, 30 foot street	5.0718
Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb, 40 foot street	\$5.7919
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners, 40 foot street	6.2919

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS, That the report of Montgomery and Ward, City Engineers, having been examined, is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that a full and fair hearing be had, as provided herein, that part of the cost of said improvements shall be assessed against the abutting property upon the streets so improved, and the owners thereof and that the total cost of said improvements shall be apportioned and paid as follows:

(a) The City of Hereford shall pay one-third (1-3) of the whole cost of said improvements exclusive of curb.
(b) The owners of property abutting upon said street named to be improved shall pay the whole cost of the installing of curbs in front of their said property and shall pay the remainder of said cost of improvement of said streets after there has been deducted the amount payable by the City of Hereford under Section "A" above provided, however, that in no event shall more than three-fourths of the entire cost of such improvements exclusive of curbs be assessed against such property owners and their property.
(c) That the portion of the said cost to be paid by the City of Hereford shall be payable upon estimates made by the City Engineers during the construction of said work on the first day of each month after the beginning thereof, ten per cent (10%) of said estimate being held back and reserved and payable to the Contractor upon the completion of same and acceptance by the City.

The manner of the payment of the cost of the improvement payable by the owners of the abutting property shall be payable in ten equal installments, one payable within thirty (30) days after the completion of the work in each District, and its acceptance by the City, one payable within one year, one payable in two years, one payable in three years, one payable in four years, one payable in five years, one payable in six years, one payable in seven years, one payable in eight years and one payable in nine years after said date of completion and acceptance by said City of said improvements, and to bear interest from the date of acceptance at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum, payable annually, provided, that said owners shall have the option to discharge any installment before the maturity thereof by paying the same with accrued interest.

The portion of said cost to be paid by the owners of property shall be assessed against them, and their property in accordance with the provisions of Chapter II, Title 22 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, of 1911, and constitute a personal liability of such property owners and a lien against their respective property, and shall be assessed in accordance with the "Front Foot Plan or Rule," in proportion as the frontage of each owner on each particular street is to the whole number of front feet of abutting property to be improved on that particular street; provided, that if, in the opinion of the City Commission, the application of this rule shall be unjust or unequal in any case, then the City Commission shall adopt such rule of apportionment as shall be just and equitable and effect equality, between said owners, having in view the equities of each owner, the benefits to each and the burden imposed upon each by means of such improvements; and in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the actual benefit to such owner in the enhanced value of his property caused by such improvements, and provided that no such assessment shall be made until after the notice to such property owners and a hearing to them as provided in said Chapter II, Title 22, of the revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1911, heretofore legally adopted by said City.

The assessment shall constitute a personal liability against the owners of property and the lien upon their property as fixed by said assessment shall be enforced as is provided by Chapter II, Title 22, of the revised Statutes of Texas of 1911 by the sale of said property as for ad valorem taxes of the City, or by suit in any Court having jurisdiction together with all costs and reasonable Attorney's fees, if incurred, and after such assessment the City Commission shall cause to be issued to the Contractor doing the work assignable certificates in accordance with said Chapter II, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, setting forth the amount assessed against each owner and his property, and the terms and time of payment thereof.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS, that a hearing shall be given to said owners, or their agents or attorneys, and all persons interested in the said matter as to said assessments and as to the amounts to be assessed against each owner and their property by reason of such improvements, and that they shall be given a right to contest the regularity of the proceedings with reference to the improvements and the benefits of said improvements to their property, and any other matter with reference thereto, which hearing shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Hereford, Texas, on the 16th day of August, 1926, at 10:00 O'Clock A. M., at which time all of said owners, their Agents or Attorneys, or persons interested in said property are notified to appear and be heard; at said hearing said owners or other persons may appear by Counsel or in person and may offer evidence and said hearing shall be adjourned from day to day until fully accomplished.

The City Secretary is hereby directed to give notice of said hearing by inserting a copy of this Ordinance at least three times in some newspaper published in the aforesaid City, the first publication to be made at least fifteen days before the date of the hearing. The City Secretary is also directed to give further notice of said hearing by mailing to said owners, their agents or Attorneys, a copy hereof, whenever the address of said owner, agent or attorney is available on the tax records of said City.

The fact that aforesaid work has progressed to such an extent that it is now advisable to make immediate arrangements for the hearing required by law creates an emergency and imperative public necessity that the rule requiring ordinances to be read at three several meetings be suspended, and that this ordinance take effect from and after its passage, and it is so ordained.

All ordinances or resolutions, or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed in so far as they are in conflict herewith, but no further.

PASSED this 26th day of July, 1926.

APPROVED this 20th day of July, 1926.

E. S. IRELAND, Mayor, City of Hereford, Texas.

ATTEST: GRACE SKELTON, Secretary, City of Hereford, Texas.

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Cameron, New Mex.

John Ewing sold the Blair school section to Mr. Coffman recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Leach spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Isler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dechraze made a trip to Fort Sumner the last of the week in quest of fruit, but failed to find it plentiful.

Joe Ward is helping F. A. Harrell with his farm work.

Mrs. Earl Trapp called on Mrs. Jesse Burnett Thursday morning.

L. M. Boney made a business trip to Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Scott were in Clovis on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Burdette is visiting her sister in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cameron made a trip to Clovis Saturday in their new coupe.

Hold Isler and family and Mrs. Josie Crecellus made a trip to Fort Sumner last week.

Tom Boney attended a show at Grady last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mote entertained a crowd at their home Friday night and they and Paul Hammons left Sunday morning to visit Mrs. Mote's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammons at Hagerman.

There was a picnic supper at the Wheatland school house last Wednesday night.

J. D. Cameron is the possessor of a new sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burnett went Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hopper.

Mrs. Mae Fryar stayed at the Will Fryar home last week while Mr. Fryar was at the Baptist hospital at Clovis where he underwent another operation Friday. His face is doing better now.

Miss Ola Culppeper was injured when a team ran away with her, throwing her from the rake.

Mrs. Ella Burnett and Mrs. Bonnie Hines were shopping at the Curve Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Leach spent Sunday with J. A. Leach and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Seals and Mrs. Lee Spurlock left Sunday in their car for a visit at their old home at Aroutria, Ark.

Arthur and Roy Cameron took a load of wheat to Clovis Saturday afternoon for F. O. Harrell.

Mr. Landrum, of Hereford, was making calls in our homes the last of the week in the interest of the nursery at Hereford.

Almost the entire family of J. W. Shaver have been on the sick list during the last two weeks.

Rev. Clarence Smith of Hollene delivered an interesting discourse at New Hope Sunday morning. He left an appointment for the second Sunday in next month, when it is hoped there will be more Baptist people present than were there last Sunday.

Miss Delpha Abel is helping Mrs. Ethel King with her work.

L. M. Boney is building to his store at the Curve.

Mrs. Sallie Leach spent last Saturday with Mrs. Mida Woods.

Relatives of the J. L. Patterson family are visiting them from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. King attended church at Bellview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McFee and Mrs. M. A. Johnston left Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Johnston's daughter, Mrs. Odie Youngblood and family at Seagraves, Texas.

Little Lemma Hubble who was bitten by a diamond rattler recently, is doing nicely. She was able to be taken to Grady Sunday evening where the doctor dressed the wound.

J. C. Cherry is preparing wheat land on the farm he recently rented from John F. Smithson, two miles northwest of Grady.

Mrs. Coral Johnston is quite sick this week.

Leo Woods is preparing wheat land on the Jamison farm which he rented from Will Tillman.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Charles Gowell went to Pampa Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Eda Henry made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday afternoon.

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Long cars tuned for car calls—Swift feet timed for speed. THE STEFFENS BUNCH.

Brack Williams has been confined to his bed for several days, but is showing some improvement now. It is reported. A broken blood vessel in his leg has caused him great inconvenience.

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Gaston Baer, proprietor of the Popular Store, left Wednesday for Kansas City, Chicago and other markets to buy his fall supply of goods.

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E. D. Fox returned Tuesday morning from St. Louis and Kansas City where he has been buying the fall and winter stock of goods for his firm, the Fox Mercantile.

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Leven D. Gray and sister, Mary Lee, of Ferris, Texas, visited the first of the week in the Boardman home and left Tuesday overland for an outing in Colorado. Miss Dorothy Boardman accompanied them.

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Mrs. J. A. Stegall and daughter, Mrs. Ira Merchant, of Clarendon, came in Friday from a several days visit in Clovis. Mrs. Merchant visited overnight with Miss Eva Skelton, returning to Clarendon Saturday, while Mrs. Stegall remained for a longer visit with her many friends here.

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W. B. Cox and family, of Farrago, Iowa, were here this week looking over the Hereford country. Mr. Cox is the owner of five sections of land in Deaf Smith and Castro counties.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry and family left Tuesday for Des Moines, Iowa, where they will visit in the home of a brother of Mr. Henry. Later they will locate in Peoria, Iowa, where they will make their future home. The Henry family have lived in and around Hereford for the past 15 years and this community regrets the loss of such good neighbors.

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Mrs. Clarence Smith, who has been visiting her family here the past three weeks, left Wednesday for her home in Eureka Springs, Arkansas, where she is manager of a novelty store.

For plants and cut flowers, call MRS. NETTIE PRICE, Slaton. 24-11

H. G. Bigger and two daughters, Thelma and Audine, and son, Alton, of Bellview, New Mexico, were here Tuesday. Misses Thelma and Audine left in the afternoon for Emporia, Kansas, where they will attend Kansas State Teachers College for the coming year.

Misses Grace Wolford and Gladys Howe, of Shenandoah, Iowa, who have been attending summer school at Boulder, Colo., this summer, motored down last Saturday for a couple of days visit with Odile Perkins and his family. They are distant relatives of the Perkins family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spaeth and two sons, Glenn and Brian Elliott, of Dallas, and A. P. Mauk, of Irving, Texas, left Tuesday afternoon for their homes. Messrs. Spaeth and family and Mr. Mauk have been here for the past week visiting in the home of relatives, T. B. Kellow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wynn and son, James Thomas, of Garland, Texas, are visiting in the home of Frank Axe and family this week. Mrs. Wynn is a niece of Mrs. Axe.

Dr. Laubsher and family, of Kratville, Indiana, were in Hereford last Sunday visiting with friends. H. A. Hoffman and family, Dr. Laubsher and family are touring the West for the summer.

Dr. N. E. Greer and family, of Lockney, Texas, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks. Dr. Greer owns land southwest of Hereford and is here inspecting his land holdings.

Mrs. Harry Jackson and daughter, Miss Evelyn, and Miss Pauline Ray arrived home the latter part of last week from a trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico. While in Santa Fe the Herefordites took in the 214th Fiesta.

DeWitt Vinson and family, of Falls county, Texas, have been visiting in the home of Mr. Vinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Vinson, for the past ten days. Harvey Vinson accompanied them to Hereford.

Bill Burnam of Dimmitt was in this city Tuesday transacting business.

Miss Pauline Ray writes: "While in Santa Fe, our crowd, composed of Mrs. Jackson and daughter, Evelyn, and Pauline Ray, attended the Santa Fe Fiesta. It being the 214th anniversary of the Fiesta, and the Southwest Indian Fair. The Fiesta program was held at the new amphitheatre about a mile from the city. The program opened Wednesday morning, August 4, with the Green Corn Dance at Santa Domingo. Indians of the pueblo danced all this day from sunup until sundown. Thursday the outstanding feature of the program was the Southwest Indian Fair, which was held in the State Armory and Placita of the Palace. This fair was the fifth of its scope and character to be given in Santa Fe. Friday the American Operas were given. Artists of the highest rank were secured for the musical parts of these operas. The solo parts to the two operas, "The Sunset Trail" and "Shanewis," were taken by Rafaelo Diaz, J. Allen Grubb, Meehan, Oskentown, Te Ate and Tsaniana. Saturday night the Fiesta program closed with the conquistadores ball, which was held in the Palace of the Governors and State Armory.

Messrs. C. E. Reynolds and W. S. Patrick, of Dimmitt, were here Monday afternoon in the interest of the Castro County Fair to be held in Dimmitt Saturday, September 18. Mr. Reynolds said that the Dimmitt business men have offered their business houses for display rooms. Mr. Patrick said that the fair will be permanent and cash prizes will be paid to winners of exhibits. Mr. Patrick is a new man in Dimmitt and takes the place of Prof. M. R. Avery, teacher of vocational agriculture and manual training.

The Dimmitt annual picnic will be staged next Saturday, August 14. Among the attractions will be the smallest woman, weight 34 pounds, 26 inches high, and 27 years old. A stout man by the name of Jackson, a wrestler who offers \$100 forfeit to any one who can put him on his back. The usual ball game and basket dinner will be enjoyed. Barbecue, pickles and coffee will be on hand as usual. Several horse races, children's athletic events and a rodeo will be added attractions. Castro County extends the usual invitation to every one.

J. O. Jenkins, of Colorado, Texas, purchased the Cloyd Cafe the first of the week. Mr. Jenkins is just getting started and will announce his plans later. At present Mr. Jenkins will serve short orders and plate lunch.

Wilson and Grover Chapman, of Clarendon, Texas, spent last Sunday with Robert Hamilton, an old friend and school mate. The Chapmans and the Hamiltons formerly were neighbors.

Mrs. J. H. Weems passed away last Thursday, August 5, age 48 years, 2 months and 29 days. The death of Mrs. Weems marks the passing of one of Hereford's oldest citizens, having lived here for more than 35 years. The funeral services were held at the First Christian church Friday, August 6, at 4 p. m., Rev. Thurman Morgan officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the City Cemetery.

NOTICE

I wish to thank those who supported me in the recent Democratic primary of July 24. I also wish to announce to the public that I have withdrawn from the August 28 primary. AL MILLER.

Dameron and Burkett Building New Homes

In last week's Brand we failed to announce in the building story the W. E. Dameron and J. D. Burkett-resident houses under construction.

Mr. Dameron is building two modern resident houses in Spanish design on the lots northeast and adjoining the new High School. Both places contain five rooms each and bath, with a number of novel built-in features and a double garage. Tiefert Brothers have the contract, and said both places will be ready for occupancy in the next ten days.

The J. D. Burkett home is nearly finished and is located on East Second Street, just east of the old Burkett home. It has four rooms and bath and is modern in every respect. Rockwell Brothers Lumber Company have the contract.

BOY SCOUTS HAD WHALE OF TIME

(Continued from First Page.) Scoutmaster E. W. Harrison and Troop No. 3, and was directed by Rev. Jas. T. Ross, chairman of the local court of honor. Much thanks are due Mr. Harrison and Mr. J. S. Orr, the latter of whom very efficiently supervised the culinary end of the excursion, and to Marlin Gilliland, assistant Scoutmaster of Troop No. 3, whose alertness in carrying out the camp program was an unflinching factor in the success of the trip. First and last the party consisted of twenty-seven persons, all of whom whom express themselves as having a wonderfully good time on the trip. The capture of the badger by the scouts after that coy creature sought unsuccessfully to elude the lasso attests among many other things the great prowess of this virile party of young Americans. Long live the Boy Scouts of Troop No. 3, and long live the badger who refuses to keep company with such a rowdy bunch and who made his escape after much boasting of having landed him in Hereford!

ONE OF THE COMPANY.

Troop No. 1, with Scoutmaster Allen Bell, and assistant, A. M. Jones, left Wednesday morning for a ten days' outing in the Davis Mountains and Carlsbad cave. The Scouts were accompanied by Rev. T. Morgan and C. H. Dyer and expect to camp out the first night near Carlsbad. Fishing in the Black and Pecos rivers and mountain climbing will be the main sources of enjoyment.

Skelton Putting On An Unusual Sale

C. A. Skelton is offering something unusual next Saturday in the way of bargains at his Variety Store. In this issue he is advertising a "1 to 90 cent sale." He is arranging bargain counters in the front, any of which offer rare opportunity to get your money's worth. But the unusual stunt is his special window bargains, including many articles worth away above the prices to be paid for them.

This window will be thrown open at 4:00 p. m. sharp and "first come first served," will be Mr. Skelton's motto, the clerical force standing by while the choosing is done.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- T. C. Hamilton, Clovis.
- Will Rainia, Austin.
- Ray Rancia, Austin.
- G. W. Fowler, Dallas.
- W. L. Clancy, Amarillo.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Green, Yate, Oklahoma.
- J. Taylor, Amarillo.
- J. A. Martin, Carter, Okla.
- Albert Saltzman, Munster, Mo.
- E. S. Atkins, Muskogee, Okla.
- E. T. Reese, Muskogee, Okla.
- G. F. Billings, Roswell, N. M.
- L. B. Martin, Roswell.
- Miss G. N. King, Amarillo.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sanders, Whittenton, Texas.
- Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harrison, Dallas.
- Jerry Ratliff, Amarillo.
- Dan Woody, Clovis.
- M. J. Norris, Clovis.
- E. J. Barr, Philadelphia.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels, Enid, Oklahoma.
- W. K. Whalen, St. Louis.
- I. A. Penninger, Austin.
- W. D. DuPont, Austin.
- W. T. Cox and family, Farrow-gut, Iowa.
- B. E. Porter, Wichita Falls.
- Pat Connelly, Plainview.
- Mrs. B. W. Glenn and family, Kansas City.
- Mrs. I. W. Willmuir, Nevada, Mo.
- L. C. Dixon, Wichita, Kas.
- H. Johnson, Wichita.
- J. C. Dixon, Canyon.
- Mrs. T. R. Neal, Roswell.
- Mrs. A. C. Nettis, Roswell.
- W. S. Hill, Amarillo.
- S. F. Williams, Phoenix.
- J. D. Ferguson and wife, Crowell.
- W. M. White, Wichita Falls.
- T. W. Scales, El Paso.
- A. D. Jackson, Mexico, Mo.
- W. D. Mason, Mexico, Mo.
- Lyle Chapman, Clarendon.
- Frances Chapman, Clarendon.
- E. I. Bailey, Waco.
- G. I. Normandy, Amarillo.
- F. E. Hamilton, Clovis.
- T. E. Ivey, Lubbock.
- W. L. Brother, Sweetwater.
- John C. Burns, Fort Worth.
- E. J. Snyder, Kansas City.
- J. F. Dunklin, Dallas.
- Jean Selbert, New Orleans.
- F. D. Christman, Los Angeles.
- B. D. Sasser, Clovis.
- J. B. Norris, Los Angeles.
- H. A. Smith, Amarillo.
- J. Revelle, Amarillo.
- W. E. Green and family, Lockney.
- J. M. McClure, Amarillo.
- S. R. Cox, Amarillo.
- J. R. Brown, Amarillo.
- Bill Van Horn, Amarillo.
- J. B. Scott, Plainview.
- Oscar Williams, Dalhart.
- T. O. Powell, Dallas.
- M. E. Boyd, Dallas.
- Paul Bruce, San Antonio.
- Mrs. R. Goalsby, Anna.
- R. E. Lumpkin, Santa Fe.
- Sid Mogul, Amarillo.
- T. E. Mangur, Dallas.
- Dr. N. E. Greer, Lockney.
- W. M. Everett, El Paso.
- T. R. Welch, Canyon.
- A. H. Bailey and family, Nogal, Arizona.
- W. Todd, Los Angeles.

NOTICE

The law requires trucks and automobiles must have license number plates on both front and rear. If one is lost or stolen, go immediately to tax collector and get new ones. Failure to do so will cost you about \$12.70. Signed, C. BENTON, Sheriff.

Society

Mrs. P. W. Price was a delightful hostess on Friday afternoon when she entertained a number of her friends at bridge, honoring her house guest, Mrs. Henry Gooch, of Amarillo.

The entertaining rooms were made lovely by the use of garden flowers and four tables were arranged for players. Mrs. W. F. Gabbert made the high score and received the high score prize, and Mrs. Gooch was given the guest prize.

At the conclusion of the games, a delicious plate luncheon was served by the hostess.

A goodly number of the members of the Presbyterian church served a dinner in Sunday school room last Sunday in honor of the birthday of the pastor's wife, Mrs. Jas. T. Ross. It came as a complete surprise to the honoree. Besides a bounteous spread, a very pleasant social hour was spent by those present.

The lovely home of Mrs. J. W. Hicks was thrown open to the members of the Primary department of the Baptist Sunday school on Friday afternoon when these tiny tots surprised Mrs. Homer Wilson, a recent bride, and one of the teachers in this department, with a kitchen shower.

Mrs. Wilson was invited by Mrs. Hicks to be a guest at a party she presumably was to give. Upon arrival she was greeted by a few of her closest friends and relatives and she began to suspicion something, but was totally unprepared asked to sing and at the conclusion of the big surprise.

Mrs. Helen Lambert Jones was guest of her song the honoree and sisters were greeted by shouts of laughter coming from the sun porch in the rear of the home. Then came the procession of little folks, chanting "Say, Say, the man who kidnapped Miss Victoria has brought her home rich gifts; we bring gold, frankincense and Murr," as they surrounded the bride. Each child bore a gift, which they laid in her lap, each little face alight with love for the young matron who had so endeared herself to these children.

The gifts were then displayed so that each guest might see them, and it was found that a complete assortment of things needed in the kitchen were there. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the decorations, sweet peas being used in profusion throughout the receiving rooms. Miss Carl Mounts and Flais Owen assisted Mrs. Hicks in serving a delicious ice course, the color scheme being carried out in pink strawberry cream and white cake.

The only thrill worth while is the one that comes from making something out of yourself.

Payment on French War Debt Announced

A payment of \$10,000,000 made to the New York Federal Reserve Bank for the Treasury department August 2, by the government, as interest on government's debt to the United States for surplus war supplies. The payment was made in cash. The purchase of surplus war supplies amounted to \$407,000,000, and this sum, France pays semi-annually installments of interest amounting to \$10,000,000, and or interest payments on several other occasions to cover \$7,000,000.

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—In—

"THE LADY"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY August 18-19

RICHARD DIX

—In—

"SAY IT AGAIN"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY August 20-21

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

—In—

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