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Only a limited number of these grenades could be obtained for Floydada. This will be the only opportunity to earn a real weapon of war as a souvenir. When these grenades are gone, it will be impossible to secure any more. Those interested should arrange today to get their grenades, which can be obtained in Floydada from the First National Bank.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Carbon Paper and ribbons at The ...rian Office.

ELECTION CALLED TO FILL BLEDSOE'S PLACE

Governor W. P. Hobby has called a special election in this Representative District, to be held August 2nd, to fill the unexpired term of W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock ,recently elected to the senate to succeed W. S. Bell.

County Judge Howard had not received any notice of the election yesterday afternoon.

IN THE FURNITURE MARKET

F. C. Harmon left Monday of this week for Kansas City and other northern points where he is in the furniture market buying for Mitchell Bros. He will be absent from home some ten days or two weeks, and may spend a short time in Tennessee before returning home.

OLIN MILLER HOME FROM DURHAM COUNTY, N. C.

Olin S. Miller, wife and son, returned home last week from Durham County, N. C., where Mr. Miller had been employed for more than a year in rural development work. He resigned his place there to return and make the plains his home.

Their plans are indefinite for the present, Mr. Miller said. He will, however, likely stay at Floydada.

BUYER HOME FROM VISIT TO MARKET AND OLD HOME

J. D. Price returned home Friday last from Dallas, Texas, Lynn, Ark., St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City, spending his vacation while away with his father at Lynn.

"The market is going sky high," Mr. Price says, "And goods are apparently going to be hard to get at any price later in the season." He bought for the Price-Goen Dry Goods Company for the fall and winter seasons while away.

Enroute home Mr. Price had his first experience in a train wreck. The passenger on which he was coming out of Kansas City Wednesday morning plowed through the center of a long freight train at a crossing. None of the passengers were injured, and after it was all over there were several laughable features about it. It all happened so quickly, too, he said, that a person had no time to get frightened.

CORNELIUS SCHOOL WILL BE DAY LATE AT LOCKNEY

J. A. Meador, this morning received a telegram from Prof. R. H. Cornelius stating that he would be unable to reach Lockney for the beginning of his Musical Normal there until Monday afternoon and that the school would be started Tuesday morning.

The original plan was for Prof. Cornelius to reach Floydada Saturday afternoon, go to Lockney Sunday morning and begin the school Monday morning. The delay is due to the severe illness of Mrs. Cornelius' brother, who had an operation yesterday.

Prof. Cornelius will teach a school at Floydada following the close of the school at Lockney.

I. D. Gamble returned home Tuesday from Wichita Falls where he is spending a large part of his time now in the oil business.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TOO COSTLY LUXURY

Farmers' Union Would Abolish it and Pay Auto Tax into County Road Fund

Resolution of Floyd County Union to abolish State Highway Commission and change law so as to require all automobile taxes to be paid into County Road Fund.

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To the President of Floyd County Union:

We, your Committee beg leave to report the following Resolution:

Whereas, the State Highway Commission is a luxury that the best interests of the taxpayers of Texas cannot afford, and

Whereas, we think the automobile tax is not handled to the best interest of the farmers ,

Be it Resolved, that we, the Floyd County Union in regular meeting ask the farmers of Texas to vote for no Representative unless he pledges himself to vote to do away with the State Highway Commission and place the automobile tax money in the road fund of the County where collected, to be used as a public road fund.

Signed,
J. R. BRYANT,
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ROASTIN' EAR SEASON HERE

The roastin' ear season in Floyd County is here. First roastin' ear dinners have been featured in many homes over the county. In those sections where heaviest rains have fallen the crop of corn is assured and the yield will be unusually heavy. Other sections which have not had so much moisture will make fair yields without further rain.

COUNTY AGENTS IN MEETING AT A. & M. COLLEGE

County Agricultural Agent W. H. Darrow, and Miss Joice York, Home Demonstration Agent for Floyd County, left the first of this week for A. & M. College where they will be engaged in their respective departments in the Farmers' Short Course week program.

WILL DECLARE ELECTION RESULTS IN TWO ELECTIONS

Commissioners' Court in special session today will declare the results in two elections.

Returns have been received in the Senatorial Election between Bledsoe and Templeton, and in a school Bond election hald at Pleasant Hill recently to determine whether $4,500 should be issued in bonds for the construction of a brick school building. The bonds carried with no dissenting votes.

NIECE OF PLAINVIEW WOMAN BURNED IN CHICAGO

The burning dirigible "Wingfoot Express," of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, which caught fire over Chicago Monday and fell on the Illinois Trust Savings Bank Building in that city, killed, among other victims, Miss Evelyn Meyer, an employe of the savings company.

Miss Meyer was a niece of M... O. Reed, of Plainview.

Put Yourself on Your Own Payroll

Every month you have—most people have—certain regular claimants to satisfy: the landlord, perhaps; the grocer, the butcher ,the iceman, the electric company, the coal man. This is your preferred list of creditors. Why not include yourself?

WHY NOT PUT YOURSELF ON YOUR OWN PAY ROLL?

Take out a certain part of your next check and deposit it in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT, where your money will draw interest .

FIRST STATE BANK
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An Appeal to Young Men

We are always glad to help young men into business for themselves. Should you contemplate such a move we should like to talk it over with you.

Perhaps you shall need financial help at times or advice along certain lines.

Years of experience has taught us many facts about different kinds of business, the knowledge of which we are glad to share with you.

We solicit your account and promise you our co-operation in your business.

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EARLY BUYING!

WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Our buyer has just returned from Eastern Markets

We anticipated a heavy advance in merchandise and went into the markets two months early. Bought our Fall merchandise for much less than we can buy on to-day's market. It is useless for us to tell you that merchandise of every description is

Soaring Higher and Higher Each Week

This is a well established fact according to all business journals, daily papers and catalogues. Read for yourself. Just where and when it will end, we do not know.

In our visit in the markets we found that the

Scarcity of Raw Material is Very Alarming

and the labor problem is still worse. It is our opinion after talking to heads of different departments in the factories and large jobbers only a few months later we may not be able to buy merchandise at any price until the demand in the foreign countries is partly supplied. The demand at home and abroad for manufactured products and raw material is by far greater than the supply. These are the conditions that we are now facing. This itself will naturally bring on higher prices. Just think it over and shop early. Buy your Fall needs and save money.

We are Receiving Every Day Large Shipments of Fall and Winter Supplies

Remember, ours is the store that sells you strictly a high class line of merchandise. We do not handle shoddy merchandise. Quality speaks for itself. We are here to stay and are building our business on

Honest Merchandise at an Honest Price

Come give us a look. Compare our price and quality and we believe that you will be convinced that in the long run that you will save money by buying your needs from our store.

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It is a simple matter to obtain one of these grenade banks. The boy or girl obtains one from the local bank so that he or she can save. When enough money has been earned and saved to buy a $5 War Savings Stamp, and it is purchased ,the grenade becomes the property of the boy or girl. Adults may also obtain these grenade banks by saving and investing in at least three $5 War Savings Stamps of the 1919 issue.

Only a limited number of these grenades could be obtained for Floydada. This will be the only opportunity to earn a real weapon of war as a souvenir. When these grenades are gone, it will be impossible to secure any more. Those interested should arrange today to get their grenades, which can be obtained in Floydada from the First National Bank.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Carbon Paper and ribbons at The ...ian Office.

ELECTION CALLED TO FILL BLEDSOE'S PLACE

Governor W. P. Hobby has called a special election in this Representative District, to be held August 2nd, to fill the unexpired term of W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock ,recently elected to the senate to succeed W. S. Bell.

County Judge Howard had not received any notice of the election yesterday afternoon.

IN THE FURNITURE MARKET

F. C. Harmon left Monday of this week for Kansas City and other northern points where he is in the furniture market buying for Mitchell Bros. He will be absent from home some ten days or two weeks, and may spend a short time in Tennessee before returning home.

OLIN MILLER HOME FROM DURHAM COUNTY, N. C.

Olin S. Miller, wife and son, returned home last week from Durham County, N. C., where Mr. Miller had been employed for more than a year in rural development work. He resigned his place there to return and make the plains his home.

Their plans are indefinite for the present, Mr. Miller said. He will, however, likely stay at Floydada.

BUYER HOME FROM VISIT TO MARKET AND OLD HOME

J. D. Price returned home Friday last from Dallas, Texas, Lynn, Ark., St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City, spending his vacation while away with his father at Lynn.

"The market is going sky high," Mr. Price says, "And goods are apparently going to be hard to get at any price later in the season." He bought for the Price-Goen Dry Goods Company for the fall and winter seasons while away.

Enroute home Mr. Price had his first experience in a train wreck. The passenger on which he was coming out of Kansas City Wednesday morning plowed through the center of a long freight train at a crossing. None of the passengers were injured, and after it was all over there were several laughable features about it. It all happened so quickly, too, he said, that a person had no time to get frightened.

CORNELIUS SCHOOL WILL BE DAY LATE AT LOCKNEY

J. A. Meador, this morning received a telegram from Prof. R. H. Cornelius stating that he would be unable to reach Lockney for the beginning of his Musical Normal there until Monday afternoon and that the school would be started Tuesday morning.

The original plan was for Prof. Cornelius to reach Floydada Saturday afternoon, go to Lockney Sunday morning and begin the school Monday morning. The delay is due to the severe illness of Mrs. Cornelius' brother, who had an operation yesterday.

Prof. Cornelius will teach a school at Floydada following the close of the school at Lockney.

I. D. Gamble returned home Tuesday from Wichita Falls where he is spending a large part of his time now in the oil business.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TOO COSTLY LUXURY

Farmers' Union Would Abolish it and Pay Auto Tax into County Road Fund

Resolution of Floyd County Union to abolish State Highway Commission and change law so as to require all automobile taxes to be paid into County Road Fund.

July 21, A. D. 1919.

To the President of Floyd County Union:

We, your Committee beg leave to report the following Resolution:

Whereas, the State Highway Commission is a luxury that the best interests of the taxpayers of Texas cannot afford, and

Whereas, we think the automobile tax is not handled to the best interest of the farmers ,

Be it Resolved, that we, the Floyd County Union in regular meeting ask the farmers of Texas to vote for no Representative unless he pledges himself to vote to do away with the State Highway Commission and place the automobile tax money in the road fund of the County where collected, to be used as a public road fund.

Signed,
J. R. BRYANT,
J. D. MINCE,
JOHN HODEL.

ROASTIN' EAR SEASON HERE

The roastin' ear season in Floyd County is here. First roastin' ear dinners have been featured in many homes over the county. In those sections where heaviest rains have fallen the crop of corn is assured and the yield will be unusually heavy. Other sections which have not had so much moisture will make fair yields without further rain.

COUNTY AGENTS IN MEETING AT A. & M. COLLEGE

County Agricultural Agent W. H. Darrow, and Miss Joice York, Home Demonstration Agent for Floyd County, left the first of this week for A. & M. College where they will be engaged in their respective departments in the Farmers' Short Course week program.

WILL DECLARE ELECTION RESULTS IN TWO ELECTIONS

Commissioners' Court in special session today will declare the results in two elections.

Returns have been received in the Senatorial Election between Bledsoe and Templeton, and in a school Bond election hald at Pleasant Hill recently to determine whether $4,500 should be issued in bonds for the construction of a brick school building. The bonds carried with no dissenting votes.

NIECE OF PLAINVIEW WOMAN BURNED IN CHICAGO

The burning dirigible "Wingfoot Express," of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, which caught fire over Chicago Monday and fell on the Illinois Trust Savings Bank Building in that city, killed, among other victims, Miss Evelyn Meyer, an employe of the savings company.

Miss Meyer was a niece of M... O. Reed, of Plainview.

Put Yourself on Your Own Payroll

Every month you have—most people have—certain regular claimants to satisfy: the landlord, perhaps; the grocer, the butcher ,the iceman, the electric company, the coal man. This is your preferred list of creditors. Why not include yourself?

WHY NOT PUT YOURSELF ON YOUR OWN PAY ROLL?

Take out a certain part of your next check and deposit it in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT, where your money will draw interest .

FIRST STATE BANK
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

An Appeal to Young Men

We are always glad to help young men into business for themselves. Should you contemplate such a move we should like to talk it over with you.

Perhaps you shall need financial help at times or advice along certain lines.

Years of experience has taught us many facts about different kinds of business, the knowledge of which we are glad to share with you.

We solicit your account and promise you our co-operation in your business.

First National Bank
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EARLY BUYING!

WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Our buyer has just returned from Eastern Markets

We anticipated a heavy advance in merchandise and went into the markets two months early. Bought our Fall merchandise for much less than we can buy on to-day's market. It is useless for us to tell you that merchandise of every description is

Soaring Higher and Higher Each Week

This is a well established fact according to all business journals, daily papers and catalogues. Read for yourself. Just where and when it will end, we do not know.

In our visit in the markets we found that the

Scarcity of Raw Material is Very Alarming

and the labor problem is still worse. It is our opinion after talking to heads of different departments in the factories and large jobbers only a few months later we may not be able to buy merchandise at any price until the demand in the foreign countries is partly supplied. The demand at home and abroad for manufactured products and raw material is by far greater than the supply. These are the conditions that we are now facing. This itself will naturally bring on higher prices. Just think it over and shop early. Buy your Fall needs and save money.

We are Receiving Every Day Large Shipments of Fall and Winter Supplies

Remember, ours is the store that sells you strictly a high class line of merchandise. We do not handle shoddy merchandise. Quality speaks for itself. We are here to stay and are building our business on

Honest Merchandise at an Honest Price

Come give us a look. Compare our price and quality and we believe that you will be convinced that in the long run that you will save money by buying your needs from our store.

Price-Goen Dry Goods Co.

"The Big Daylight Quality Store"

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO STATE CONSTITUTION

PERMITTING PRISONERS TO SHARE IN THE NET PROCEEDS FROM THE STATE PENITENTIARY SYSTEM.

House Joint Resolution No. 38

Proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 60; providing that the Legislature shall have power to enact laws authorizing a division of the net proceeds arising from the operation of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents; providing for the submission of a proposed amendment to a vote of the people, and making an appropriation to defray the expense of such election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered Section 60 as follows:

Section60. The Legislature shall have power to authorize a division of the net profits arising from the operation of the prison system during any one fiscal year between the State of Texas and the prisoners confined in the Penitentiary during said fiscal year or any part thereof, or their dependents in such proportion as the Legislature may determine, not to exceed fifty (50) per cent to such prisoners or their dependents.

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for its adoption or rejection ,at a special election hereby ordered for the fourth day of November, 1919. All voters on this proposed amendment at said election who favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "For amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution, authorizing a division of the net proceeds of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents." Those voting against its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution authorizing a division of the net proceeds of the prison system of this State between the State and prisoners confined in the Penitentiary or their dependents." Previous to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the County Judge of each County, for use in said election, a sufficient number of ballots for the use of the voters in each County, on which he shall have printed the form of ballots herein prescribed, for the convenient use of voters.

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue his necessary proclamation ordering this election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000.00,) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of publishing said proclamation, and printing and distributing the necessary tickets and blanks for use in said elections.

(Attest—A True Copy.)
GEORGE F. HOWARD.
19 Secretary of State.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO STATE CONSTITUTION

RELATING TO SPECIAL TAXES BY CITIES, TOWNS AND COUNTIES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, PUBLIC ROADS, ETC.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20

Proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of The State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide for the levy of taxes by counties, cities and towns, not to exceed thirty cents forroads and bridges, and a tax not to exceed fifty cents on the One Hundred (100) Dollars' valuation in any one year, for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works, improvements of cemeteries and other permanent improvements, providing for the levy of a maintenance tax by counties, or political subdivisions thereof, not to exceed sixty cents on the One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars' valuation ,upon a majority vote of the qualified property tax payers voting at an election held for that purpose, and making an anpropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows:

Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools ,shall never exceed thirty-five cents on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation ;and counties, cities and towns are authorized to levy not exceeding thirty-five cents for city or county purposes ,and not exceeding thirty cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen cents to pay jurors, on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation, exclusive of taxes levied for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the amendment September 25th, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks, improvement of cemeteries ,and other permanent improvements not to exceed fifty cents on the One Hundred Dollars' valuation, in one year, and except as in this Constitution otherwise provided and the qualified voters, who have been assessed or paid property tax, of any county or sub-division thereof now existing or that may hereafter be defined by the Commissioners' Court, may at an election called in accordance with the law authorizing the levy of a special road tax, by a majority vote levy a special tax of not exceeding sixty cents on the one hundred dollars' valuation on all property, for the further improvement and maintenance of public roads; provided that this provision shall be self enacting and that no part of such tax shall be available to pay an indebtedness incurred prior to the current year for which such tax is collected, except to pay indebtedness now existing, and provided further that such levy may be voted off or changed at any time by majority vote of those qualified to vote under this provision. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors at an election to be held for that purpose on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1919; at said election the vote shall be by official ballot which shall have printed or written thereon the words "For the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the levy of taxes not to exceed thirty cents for roads, streets and bridges and not to exceed fifty cents for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works and other permanent improvements, and not to exceed sixty cents for maintenance of public roads in one year," and, also, the words "Against the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the levy of taxes not to exceed thirty cents for roads, streets and bridges, and not to exceed 50c for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, and not to exceed sixty cents for the maintenance of public roads, in any one year." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words, "against the amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution," etc., and those opposing it shall erase the words "for the amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution," etc., which erasure shall be made by making a mark with pencil or pen through said words. All ballots cast as above provided shall be counted as cast for or against this proposed amendment; and if a majority of the votes cast shall be for the amendment, it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars ,or so much thereof asmay be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expense of such publication and election.

(Attest—A True Copy.)
GEORGE F. HOWARD,
19 Secretary of State.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO STATE CONSTITUTION

PROVIDING FOR THE SEPARATION OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE, AND FOR BOND ISSUES BY EACH.

House Joint Resolution No. 29.

A Joint Resolution to amend Article 7, Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which article relates to education, and which sections provide for the establishment and support of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and for a branch college for the instruction of colored youths; provides that the Texas State Medical College and the School of Mines at El Paso shall be branches of the University of Texas; provides that said University, said Agricultural and Mechanical College, and said College of Industrial Arts shall be separate State Institutions and independent in organization; provides for the sale of the lands belonging to the University of Texas permanent fund, and for the division of the proceeds of such sale and all securities between the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College; directs that the respective parts of each shall become the permanent fund of each institution and how it shall be invested; provides that the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas may utilize the permanent fund of each as a basis for the issuance of bonds for improvements, and for redemption of such bonds from the income of such permanent funds; provides that the governing board of the Agricultural and Mechanical College may make provisions for permanent buildings for the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College from the proceeds of bond issues by the said Agricultural and Mechanical College; and declares said Prairie View Normal and Industrial College a Constitutional branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College; provides that the Legislature shall make provisions by appropriation for the maintenance and development of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and for the development and support of the College of Industrial Arts, the Normal Schools, the Prairie View Normal and Industrial College; provides for the authority of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, pending division of the University endowment, to issue bonds redeemable from the income of the endowment, and granting authority to the Legislature to make appropriations to supply any deficiency; provides that the Legislature shall give encouragement and direction to the development of a University of the first-class, and an agricultural and Mechanical College of the first class, and a College of Industrial Arts of the first class; provides for the submission of this proposed amendment of the Constitution to the people, fixing the date for election to be held, and making an appropriation to pay the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which Article relates to education, and which sections provide for the establishment and support of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and a branch college or university for the instruction of colored youths, be amended to read as follows:

Section 10. In pursuance of constitutional authority and direction the State having established the University of Texas at Austin, in Travis County; the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas at College Station ,in Brazos County; and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State at Prairie View, in Waller County; and the Legislature having established the College of industrial Arts at Denton, in Denton County, the said University of Texas, the said Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the said College of Industrial Arts for white girls, are hereby declared separate state institutions and independent in organization. The Texas State Medical College, located at Galveston, in Galveston County, and the School of Mines, located at El Paso, in El Paso County, are constituted branches of the University of Texas. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths is constituted a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

Section 11. To better enable the University of Texas and its constitutional branches; the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College, to fulfill the purposes for which created, all lands andother property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment, endowment, and maintenance of the University of Texas and its constitutional branches, together with the proceeds of the sale of such lands heretofore made, or hereafter to be made, for the support and benefit of either institution, shall constitute a permanent fund for the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and for the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College; provided, that when the permanent University endowment shall, by constitutional and statutory authority, be appropriated to the institutions named it shall be divided between the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College in the following manner: To the University of Texas, sixty-six and two-thirds (66 2-3) per cent, and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, thirty-three and one-third (33 1-3) per cent; and the governing board of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas shall apportion to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for colored youths such part of, or interest in, the said thrity-three and one-third (33 1-3) per cent as may be determined equitably by said governing board. The principal of all funds accruing to each institution from the division of the University endowment under the provisions of this section shall, whenever the said endowment is divided, constitute the permanent fund of each, and shall be invested as the permanent public free school fund is now or may hereafter be authorized by law to be invested; and the governing boards of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas shall be authorized, with the approval of the Governor, and in the manner to be provided by law, to issue bonds for permanent improvements, such bond issues to be based upon the permanent funds of the institution issuing them; and the governing board of each institution shall make provision from the income derivable from its permanent fund for the payment of all bonds issued under its authority asmay be provided by law.

Sec. 12. The lands set apart to the University fund shall besold under such regulations, at such times, and on such terms as may be provided by law; and the Legislature shall provide for the prompt collection ,at maturity, of all debts due on account of University lands heretofore sold, or that may hereafter be sold, and shall in neither event have the power to grant relief to the purchasers. And, until such time as the University endowment fund shall be divided, in accordance with constitutional and statutory authority, the proceeds from the sale of lands, as realized and received into the Treasury of the State, together with such sum belonging to the fund as may now be in the Treasury, shall be invested as the permanent public free school fund is now or may hereafter be authorized by law to be invested, and the interest accruing thereon, and any income from the use of the said University lands, shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature ,and may be available for the redemption of bonds based on the University endowment and to be redeemed from the said interest and income from the use of land, as may be provided by law, to aid in the construction,equipment and maintenance of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the total of such bond issues outstanding shall at no time exceed four and one-half million dollars, and the Legislature is hereby authorized to appropriate out of the general revenues of the State such moneys as may be necessary to cover deficiencies in the interest andsinking fund accounts of the bond issues herein provided for. Provided, that the one-tenth of the alternate sections of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of "The University of Texas" by an Act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, entitled "An Act to Establish 'The University of Texas,,'" shall not be included in or constitute a part of the permanent University fund.

Sec. 13. The Legislature shall provide by appropriation for the equipment ,maintenance and development of the University of Texas, and the branches of said institution named in this article and such other branches as may hereafter be established by law; for the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and its branches as now or hereafter may be established by law; for the College of Industrial Arts for the education of White Girls; for State Normal Schools and for the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for colored youths.

Sec. 14. The Legislature shall give encouragement and direction to and make provision for the educational activities of the respective State Institutions provided for in this Article, and as may be adequate for the promotion of literature and the arts and sciences, pure and applied, and for instruction in the professions, of a University of the first class; and for instruction in all those branches of learning which relate to agricultural, animal husbandry, the natural sciences pure and applied, connected therewith, the mechanic arts and military science and tactics, requisite to the development of an Agricultural and Mechanical College of the first class; and for the education of white girls in the literary branches, the arts and sciences, and in social and domestic economy of the age, as may be necessary to establish and maintain a College of Industrial Arts of the first class for white girls, and for instruction in all the branches requisite to the development of normal schools of the first class.

Sec. 15. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for the instruction of colored youths of the State, having been located at Prairie View, in Waller County, as a branch of the University of Texas, is hereby declared a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. And in lieu of the separate apportionment of a part of the University endowment, as authorized in Section 11 hereof, the said Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College may apportion to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College such part of any fund realized from any authorized bond issue by the Board for the purpose of permanent improvements as the Board may determine to be equitable and the fund so apportioned shall be available only for the purpose of constructing permanent improvements for the said Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed admendment to the Constitution of the State, to the qualified voters of the State, said election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday in November, 1919, and all voters favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the amendments to Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 to Art. VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the constitutional status of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas; the Sam Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, Texas; the North Texas State Normal at Denton, Texas; the Southwest Texas State Normal at San Marcos, Texas; the West Texas State Normal at Canyon, Texas, and the East Texas State Normal at Commerce, Texas, and other state educational institutions, and determining the interest, respectively, of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College in the University permanent fund; and providing for the support, direction, and development of State Educational Institutions."

Those opposing the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the amendments to Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the constitutional status of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts at Denton ,Texas; the Sam Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, Texas; the North Texas State Normal at Denton, Texas; the Southwest Texas State Normal at San Marcos, Texas; the West Texas State Normal at Canyon, Texas, and the East Texas State Normal at Commerce, Texas, and other State educational institutions and determining the interest, respectively, of the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and the Prairie View State Normal and Iudustrial College in the University permanent fund; and providing for the support, direction and development of State educational institutions .

Sec. 3. The Governor is hereby directed to submit this amendment to the qualified voters at an election to be held throughout the State on the date herein specified, and the sum of Five Thousand ($5,000) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the general revenue not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of issuing the proclamation and publishing the amendment as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

(Attest—A True Copy.)
GEORGE F. HOWARD,
19 Secretary of State.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. A. F. Vanderlip Deceased. You are hereby notified that S. C. Vanderlip has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for the probate of the will of Mrs. A. F. Vanderlip, deceased, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the 3rd, Monday in July A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 27th day of June, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 17-2tc

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RAIN HELPS PROSPECTS OF COUNTY'S ROW CROP

Rains during the period from Thurs day to Sunday fell in showers over Floyd County, materially benefitting the row crops, while at the same time it retarded the grain threshing. In strips the rain amounted to veritable floods, this being especially true in the north, northwest and northeast portions of the county where many lakes were filled to overflowing. In the greater part of the county the rain was not so great and might be termed "coton showers." At Floydada the precipitation in the period was three-quarters of an inch.

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ARE YOU A SHAREHOLDER

You are a citizen of the greatest country on earth. Are you doing your part to make it the greatest?

The best citizen is the one who has a tangible ,definite interest in his Government. It is a good concern. It cannot fail in business. You con become a stockholder in the great corporation o fthe United States, Unlimited, the surest, safest, most glorious business in the world.

Each share of stock costs a quarter. But each share of dividend paying stock costs $4 and a few cents. You have the twenty-five cent stock changed into the dividend paying variety.

You do not have to depend on any circumstances for your dividends. They are guaranteed by the United States and are fixed and certain. And here is an unusual feature to the stock in this corporation. If you want to "draw out" the corporation pays you all you have originally invested and the interest your money has earned. Ask salesmen of any other stock if they can make you the same proposition! They can not.

The twenty-five cent shares of stock are known as Thrift Stamps. The dividend-paying shares are known as War Savings Stamps. Your War Sav ings Stamps at maturity will form the basis of a substantial bank account.

Buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps regularly. Have a part in the Government.

TELLING THEM ABOUT IT

A fully matured plan as to the manner of expenditure of a bond issue, and the net returns for the outlay of money to be spent, should be given the voters of any political division before they are asked to fully make up their minds whether they will spend the money. Illustrating this idea is a statement from the Commissioners' Court of Tarrant County where a cam-ign to issue $3,450,000 in road bonds way. It says:

tal amount to be voted is This amount will be ex- the four Commissioners' cts as follows: Precinct No. 1, 5.8 miles at a cost of $558,360; Precinct No. 2, 108.4 miles at a cost of $1,019,640; Precinct No. 3, 102.2 miles at a cost of $711,863, and Precinct No. 4, 90.8 miles at a cost of $724,335. That means that every precinct will get its money's worth in good, permanent roads and that they will be maintained.

LOO-KOUT

Dispatch from Austin appearing in Texas newspapers says:

"The House adopted a concurrent resolution proposing to appropriate $500 to hang a portrait of ex-Governor Jas. E. Ferguson in the capitol."

Now just what does the Austin correspondent mean by that? Better look out. Governor Ferguson is after the big fish and minnows as well in Texas newspaperdom already. He says they have libeled him and one jury has said so, too, in one case.

We are fully convinced that they mean to drive a nail in the wall and put up a $500 picture of the governor, but why in the world didn't that correspondent say so?

Joe Harris, nephew of S. T. Harris, is home from the army. He reached home on the 10th. Harris served in the Motor Transport Corps, and was assigned to duty in various parts of France and Occupied Germany while overseas.

THE SUGAR FORECAST IS ABOVE AVERAGE

The sugar season of 1919-20 begins with a forecast of production of about 1,108,000 short tons, made by the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, or about 73,500 tons more than the average of the preceding six years, during which time to total of the two crops of beet and cane sugar has slightly exceeded 1,000,000 tons every year except in 1914-15.

The beet-sugar forecast for this year is higher than the record crop of 1915-16 by nearly 75,000 tons and is above the average of the preceding six years by about 169,000 tons, but the cane-sugar crop of this year is forecast at only 159,069 tons, compared with which is the average of about 254,500 tons of the preceding six years. During many years the cane-sugar crop of only 1915-16 has been lower and only 1912-13 has been nearly as small. The low propsects of this year's crop, at the date of July 1, are due to a wet cool spring and to a somewhat low acreage.

FRANK BUCKLEY QUITE ILL

W. E. Buckley left this morning for his home at Fort Worth, where his son, Frank, recently returned from service in the A. E. F., is quite ill.

A telegram received yesterday from Mrs. Buckley urged Mr. Buckley to return at once.

It is probable that an operation will be performed.

CHURCH OF CHRIST MEETING SERIES BEGINS SATURDAY

The Church of Christ at Floydada will begin their series of meetings at the tabernacle Saturday evening at 8:15 and the meetings will continue over for aperiod of two weeks.

Elder Brooks Stell, of Delight, Ark., will preach at these services and the church extends a cordial invitation to everybody to attend all of them.

FLOYD COUNTY RED CROSS BOOKS ARE AUDITED

E. H. Harris of St. Louis, Mo., auditor for the American Red Cross, visited Floydada Wednesday and audited the books of this chapter of the organization.

Mr. Harris found the books in proper condition. He complimented this chapter very highly on the splendid work done in this county.

JOBS FOR DISABLED YANKS

Washington, D. C., May 30, 1919.—An executive order recently issued by the President and received by cable amends the Federal civil service rules so as to permit the U. S. Civil Service Commission to waive the physical requirements under certain conditions in favor of men who were injured in the military or naval service.

The civil service regulations specify ecrtain physical defects which debar from all examinations and other defects which will debar from certain examinations. These regulations are based upon the requirements of the service as established by the several department heads.

Upon the recommendation of the Commission ,after consultation with the Federal Board for Vocational Education and the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission, the President issued an executive order, as follows:

"Provided, that the Commission may, in its discretion ,exempt from the physical requirements established for any position a disabled and honorably discharged soldier, sailor, or marine upon the certification of the Federal Board for Vocational Education that he has been specially trained for and has passed a practical test demonstrating his physical ability to perform the duties of the class of positions in which employment is sought."

In submitting its recommendation to the President the Civil Service Commission said: "Where it is apparent to this Commission that his (the disabled soldier's, sailor's, or marine's) physical condition is such that he would not ordinarily be accepted, the case will be referred to the Federal Board for Vocational Education. That board will then decide whether it is practicable to educate him for the position sought. If considered practicable, the rehabilitation and education will be given and when completed certification of that fact will be made to this Commission. Where the Board does not consider it desirable to attempt the education for the position sought other positions will be considered and suggested to him, but he will not be admitted to the one for which his physical condition constitutes an irremediable bar."

Here Today
Gone Tomorrow

A Fire

And a whole year's income is wiped out.

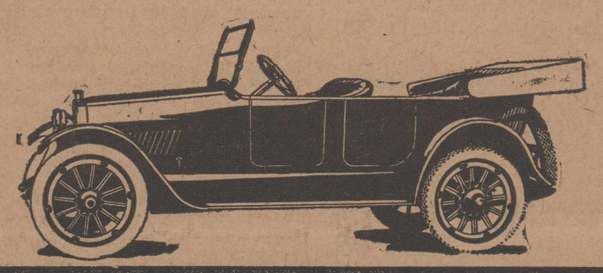
A POLICY WITH "FRY"

—and you get the money if you lose your wheat.

FRY INSURANCE AGENCY
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Oldsmobile

West Plains
Oldsmobile and Service Company
G. M. Armstrong, Proprietor
Plainview, - - - - - - - - Texas



Gone to Market

In the interest of the trade who do not have the opportunity of selecting their clothing in as wide a range as in Chicago. **"GLAD" IS THERE** and having learned as near as possible your wants in clothing is busily employed selecting goods for his stock that will meet your most choice desire.

These goods will be here in few days.

Look for them and have the first choice.

Good Quality at the Lowest Prices

We have some FALL and Winter WOOLENS on display. Buy early.

"Glad's Store"

MOTHER and the girls don't mind being photographed —why not persuade Dad and the boys to make the family picture record complete?



Make the appointment to-day.

The Wilson Studio

Wheat! - Wheat!

We are continuing in the market for your wheat. We propose to pay the local market price—PLUS, for it.

We can do this because we are not grain men but MILLERS and require no profit necessarily on the actual grain.

We do not maintain an office at the Public Scales but at the FARMERS EXCHANGE WAREHOUSE.

If a Cent a Bushel

Means anything it may pay you to step down our way and get an offer. We will do our best to pay the local price—PLUS—Another thing, you are not required to wait. With our loader, we unload your wagon more quickly than you imagine.

USE PUBLIC SCALES. We guarantee our grading to be accurate.

PEACEMAKER FLOUR

Is on sale at Collins Grocery. You will be agreeably surprised when you try it. Don't fail to see us at our office. Your business appreciated.

ALLIANCE MILLING CO.
DENTON, TEXAS

Auto Pumps are small things and commonly given little consideration. But wait until you have to pump up your tires in the broiling hot sun, then you will appreciate a good pump. We sell genuine Rose Pumps and guarantee every one we sell to give you absolute satisfaction or money refunded. We have sold about two hundred of these pumps, so they must give satisfaction. We sell all kinds of AUTO SUPPLIES of dependable quality at money saving prices.

Get our new prices on United States Tires and Tubes before buying.

BROWN BROS.

The Hesperian Want Ad Department

Good white laundry soap ,5 cents a cake. Williams & Son, North Side. 19-2tc.

FOR SALE—640 acres good Plains land, fenced, well and windmill. Price $16.00 an acre. $2250.00 cash balance good terms. Can turn four section lease with this place. M. A. Crum, Friona, Texas. 19-2tc.

Durham or Jersey cows, fresh, for sale. See H. M. Miller, 11 miles southwest Floydada. 19-4tp

We will buy your butter, eggs, and cream, Williams & Son, North Side. 19-2tc.

Bring your poultry on Wednesdays and Thursdays for the best price. A. D. White Grocery Co. 19-2tc

Bran and shorts at Morris-Nelson's. 19-2tc.

LOST—Years in which you did not save. Begin buying Thrift and War Savings Stamps today.

Why not save agent's 25 per cent commission. South Plains Monument Co., Plainview. 20-tfc.

We will always have a good price on poultry Wednesday and Thursday of each week. White Grocery Co. 19-2tc.

LOST—Tail light for jitney, and license plate number 50,687. Finder please return to Hesperian Office. 19-3tp.

Try some of that honey that bees made. Williams & Son, north side. 19-2tc.

When you need a high grade piano write J. W. Boyle & Son, Lockney, Texas. Livestock taken at their value or terms. 18-4tp-tfc

Liberty Bonds or Vendors Lien Notes will buy nice home in Floydada Easy terms. See W. M. Massie & Bro. 25-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE
Maxwell one ton truck. South Plains Monument Co., Plainview, Tex. 20-1tc.

FOR SALE
48 Avery Engine, 36-60 Avery Separator, cook shack, water tank, oil tank, set Emerson breaking plows. Will trade or sell. W. E. Meador, Floydada, Texas. 20-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE
Oakland Six up in good shape. See L. H. Dorrell. 19-3tp

We will pay you the highest market price for your cream. Williams & Son, North Side. 19-2tc

Come to Plainview and select your monument from complete stock, transportation allowed on purchases. South Plains Monument Co. Plainview. 27-tfc

For courteous treatment and a square deal try Wiliams & Son. 19-2tc

Miss Mollie Crum Spirella Corsetiere. 4tc

If you want to borrow money or buy land see, W. D. Smith, National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

Rucker is now buying all kinds of produce. 20-1tc

All work finished and erected by experts. South Plains Monument Co. Plainview. 27-tfc.

We test your cream and pay you for it the same day. Williams & Son 19-2tc.

For marble monuments see S. B. McCleskey. 9-tf

If you want the money on your vendors lien notes see W. D. Smith at National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

We test your cream Wednesdays and Saturdays only. Wiliams & Son. 19-2tc.

Standard LL Canvas, good grade, at 11 cents. W. H. Seale, Dry Goods 18-2tc.

Call Morris-Nelson for Bran and Shorts. 19-2tc

Rucker will payhighest market price on all produce. 20-1tc

If you want to sell your land list it with W. D. Smith, National Bank Building. 17-tfc.

If you own a milk cow you ought to feed her on that good bran and shorts you get at Morris-Nelson's. 19-2tc

Light Crust Flour is used by hundreds of good cooks in Floyd County because it is the best. Buy it at Morris-Nelson's. 19-2tc

If your land is listed with Hollums he will burn some gas on showing it. Try him. John A. Hollums, "Johnnie on the Spot." 20-2tc

I have some cows, mares, Ford car, town property that sure needs selling or swapping. See Jno. A. Hollums, Office next to P. O., in Nat'l Bank Building. 20-2tc

Federal Tires

We have just received a complete line of FEDERAL TIRES and are now in position to supply yo uwith any size, WHETHER IT BE CORD OR FABRIC.

Buy your tires where your home people stand behind them. We personally guarantee every FEDERAL we sell. When a FEDERAL does not stand up we are glad to make the adjustment. There has been only two adjustments asked for since FEDERALS have been in Floyd County, and they got it.

WHAT OTHER TIRE HAS THAT RECORD?

When you come to our place, we test your tires for air is the life of a tire. One customer pleased sells many more.

Call us when you need help. We are open day and night. We have the best mechanics that can be had.

Service cars at all hours, with or without drivers. Come around and see us. We appreciate your business.

We have new and second hand Fords for sale.

Motor Supply Company

South Main St. Floydada Phone 96

After Sale Specials

ONE BIG LOT OF LADIES' SILK DRESSES AT A REDUCTION OF 33 1-3 PER CENT

ONE BIG LOT LADIES' SILK DRESSES AT A REDUCTION OF 50 PER CENT

These are beauties in Taffeta, Satin, Crepe de Chine, and Georgette Crepe.

A splendid selection of summer dress goods, Foulard Susene, Voil, Organdy, Lawn and Tissue Gingham at greatly reduced prices. These are opportunities to save money if you want a summer dress.

EXTRA SPECIAL

SEVERAL THOUSAND YARDS OF INSERTION AT, PER YARD.....1c

A LARGE NUMBER OF PATTERNS OF LACE AT, PER YARD.....2c

THE MARTIN DRY GOODS COMPANY

"THE STORE WITH THE GOODS"

DEERING McCORMICK **CORN BINDERS** **DEERING McCORMICK**

We have a car en-route and want YOUR ORDER—Machines are going to be in demand and we will appreciate early placing of orders so we can keep a supply on hand.

Twine is Scarce

And Your Orders Should Be Placed Early

We are demonstrating the—

TITAN TRACTOR and PLOWS

A Tractor that meets all requirements and at an attractive price.

O. P. RUTLEDGE

SPECIAL—We have just received a nice line of woolen and cotton blankets. Will sell at 10 per cent reduction the next few days. W. H. Seale. 20-1tc

New and secondhand Ford cars for sale. Motor Supply, South Main St. 20-2tc.

FOR SALE—Good improved section on mail route, 200 acres in cultivation, 3-room house with porch, good sheds, windmill and well, fenced and cross-fenced. Six miles southeast Floydada. Will sell at a bargain. See T. F. Anderson, Floydada ,Texas. 20-4tp

MR. FARMER—Now is the time to sell your friers—before the drop in the market. Rucker Produce Co. 20-1tc

High grade bran and shorts. Collins Gro. Co. 20-2tc

WANTED—Men, women and children to buy Thift and War Savings Stamps. At postoffices, banks and other agencies. Always worth the money.

Good brooms, 60 cents each. Williams & Son. 19-2tc

Buy Light Crust flour and save further baking troubles. Morris-Nelson. 19-2tc

STOLEN—On July 12, one 4-year-old light blue and white spotted grey hound. $10 reward for any information leading to his whereabouts, dead or alive. J. S. Dunavant, Floydada, Texas, Rt. 2, Box 11. 20-1tc

High grade bran and shorts. Collins Gro. Co. 20-2tc

IS YOUR LAND FOR SALE?
If so, and you want to sell quick place it with Jno. A. Hollums. I have sold $39,000 worth the last thirty days. Jno. A. Hollums. 20-2tc

New and secondhand Ford cars for sale. Motor Supply, South Main St. 20-2tc.

Handley Dray Co. wants you August hauling. Moving household goods a specialty. When you want a delivery or any kind of hauling, call day phone 118, night phone 240. 20-2tc

NOTICE!
D. L. Handley and R. A. Burrows are in position to do your dray work and do it right. 20-2tc

High grade bran and shorts. Collins Gro. Co. 20-2tc

FEW SCANDALS RESULT FROM FRENCH MARRIAGES

Reports of an international bigamy scandal have caused American officials to tighten restrictions on travel facilities for hundreds of French wives and wives-to-be of American soldiers here.

However, considering the great number of marriages—more than 10,000 in all—thelow percentage of these scandal cases is really a surprise and a credit to the manhood of the American army, the same official pointed out to the correspondent.

Marriages between American soldiers and French girls at one time averaged thirty a day. The total may run as high as 15,000.

Pierre Figereau, writing in L'Avenir points out that the French people count more on these unions to cement the bonds of friendship between America and France than on the league of nations. They also help to solve another problem, namely, the question of what is to become of tens of thousands of young French women unable to marry because of the tremendous depletion of France's manpower through the war.

Already the newspapers here are full of hints to prospective brides of Americans as to how to speak and act and live in the United States, and Dan Cupid is working overtime with the American expedition forces.

Figereau in his article points to the characteristic American business-like speed methods in the culmination of "affairs of the heart," and this, it is true ,may lead to some unhappy unions, but American officials say that with the present stringent regulations and the minute examination of both parties in each instance, the great majority of these marriages are now of the most satisfactory character.

Alleged open flirtations and indiscretions of a young French bride with officers on the American transport which recently is said to have resulted in more stringent examinations into the marality of prospective Franco- to the morality of prospective Franco- compelled to submit credentials showing whether they have been previously married.

But the French girl, with all her beauty and "briskness" and smartness of dress is not entirely pushing aside her American sister over here, according to consular officials. Miss U. S. A.—there are scores of her here in the Y. W. C. A., Red Cross and Salvation Army—is, in the opinion of the majority of doughboys, "the only girl in the world after America."

HUGHES BACK ON JOB

J. M. Hughes, Santa Fe Agent, who returned last week from a vacation trip, is back on the job. Boone Hall, who was relief agent during his absence has now checked in as relief cashier taking the place of G. P. Burkhurst, who has gone to Enid, Oklahoma. It is possible that Hall will stay here as cashier.

An addition was made to the force Wednesday morning when Raymond Allen was put on as warehouseman.

Miss Leona Leonard, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Mattie Leonard Glass, of Ottine, Texas, are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Leonard.

80 NEW AUTOS REGISTERED HERE DURING JULY

People of Floyd County are buying many automobiles this month, records at Tax Collector Grigsby's office indicate. Up to July 22nd he had issued licenses for eighty new cars, many of which were high priced.

If sales continue as fast for the last days of the month the total will reach 100.

Attorney J. W. Burton, of Crosbyton, was in Floydada yesterday in the interest of clients in county court .

OFFICIATED AT WEDDING 30 YEARS AGO; DAUGHTER OF UNION MARRIED SUNDAY

Thirty years ago in Poetry, Kaufman County, Texas, Rev. H. E. Smith, then a young Methodist minister, officiated at the marriage of Wiley Mudgett and Miss Viola Franklin.

Last Sunday morning at his residence in Floydada, Bro. Smith, now retired from the active ministry of the gospel, but still quite often in demand in this capacity, officiated at the wedding of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mudgett, Miss Olive Blanche, to Mr. Herbert Ray Myers.

"It seems but yesterday that I married that young couple in Kaufman County," Rev. Smith said Wednesday. "But they have grown up, and have had three sons in the World War, two of whom have married since their return home, and now I have been called on the marry their daughter. Time flies swiftly and it brings many changes."

The wedding Sunday morning was a quiet affair. The bride and groom were accompanied by a small party of friends ,among them being the three brothers of the bride ,just returned from the army. The Mudgett family reside in Roseland Community and the groom is also a resident of that community.

WAR ORPHANS OF FRANCE DYEING FROM MALNUTRITION AND SHOCK

The cildren of France have not yet emerged from the shadow of the war. With peace assured ,and a happier future opening before them, it becomes increasingly evident that the child life of France has suffered a shock from which it is difficult to rally; while the birth rate has dropped to 8 to each 1,000 population .

The Fatherless Children of France, an American organization co-operating with a similar one in Pa which Marshal Joffre is the h ports that of the children r American aid to the extent of 10 a day under its plan of securi American godmothers for the little French war waifs, its records show an average of 700 children's deaths per month since the armistice. The help of the American godmothers came too late to save these undernourished nerve-shocked little ones.

Mrs. Walter S. Brewster of Chicago, vice-chairman of the Fatherless Children of France ,has been appointed chairman of a campaign to secure American aid for the 60,000 little war orphans whose names were on the lists of the organization as "unadopted" before the signing of the armistice. Ten cents will care for a child for an entire day; $3.00 for a month; while for $36.50 a year the donor may select a child from the lists at the organization's headquarters and be placed in correspondence with it. To adopt a child or make a donation write for information to Mrs. Walter S. Brewster, Room 634, 410 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

Robert Menefee is home from Greenville, where he has been the past two months studying bandmaster's work. He is planning to instruct a class in band music here beginning durng the next few weeks. He reached home Saturday.

JOHN VAN CLEAVE AT 21 RICHEST MAN OF HIS AGE IN PETROLEUM WORLD

Wichita Falls, Texas.—In no way different from any other man serving the people, Johnny Van Cleve, just turned 21 and an oil-made millionaire forty or fifty times over, may be seen any day riding his big black stallion through the traffic jammed streets of Burkburnett, in the capacity of special deputy of the department of Justice. Not once, but a dozen times a day he is called on to clear a congested thoroughfare. With out show of authority or ostentation he turns his head, although many of his old friends think he's foolish for sticking around that dirty, crowded, oil smeared home town.

However, he sees no reason for changing his mode of living or his habits. Still he does not live on the farm any more, 1,300 acres it was, just east of Burkburnett ,as rich in production of petroleum as any like acreage in this now world famous field. How many wells there are on the tract ,flowing drilling and projected, Van Cleve himself does not know. It has been leased and cut up in small blocks. Companies are organized and stock sold; they start operating when sufficient funds have been obtained. It would take an experienced scout to keep tally on them.

There is a bare chance that the young man's lawyers, Martin & O'Neil of Wichita Falls, could compute the daily aggregate of royalties received from the property but that would take much time, an expert accountant or two and several adding machines. There may be fifty wells in all, making 200, 300, maybe 1,000 barrels daily. For every eight barrels Johnny gets one, worth $2.25 per barrel.

Besides there are the leases to be taken into account, a fortune in themselves for any ordinary man. And a score and more wells are to be drilled on the property. Van Cleve sold 243 shares in the Van Cleve Oil Company the other day to Jaggers Wallace Association of Fort Worth for $300,000 or at the rate of $1,250 for each $100 share, a mere bagatelle entailing the signing of another paper or two and a slightly increased bank account.

What is that trifle to refusing forty million dollars, which is exactly what the boy Van Cleve did a few days ago when such an offer was made for his entire holdings. He is not ready to sell out, despite the fact that he has bought a big ranch in Union County, New Mexico, and had a town named after him.

Moreover , he has moved into a beautiful home in the handsomest part of Wichita Falls, 14 miles southeast of Burkburnett, the business office end of the oil field, the residential district of the oil operations and one of the finest and most prosperous little cities in the south even before petroleum set that neck of the country on its ear last July.

And there is an amusing little incident related anent Van Cleve's purchase of his new home at Wichita Falls. The agent from whom he purchased, sold it presumably furnished. When John went to look it over it contained all the furniture of its former occupant, fine furniture, too. Van Cleve readily agreed to the price asked, but it seems did not understand he was buying the furniture with the house. So when he dropped in a few days later preparatory to moving, and found the place unchanged he called up the agent.

"When are you going to get that furniture out of my house?" he wanted to know.

"Why, I—that furniture—yes, yes. All right, Mr. Van Cleve. I'll see to it right away." And he did. Two days later there was no furniture in anybody's way. There was an entirely different attitude observed toward furniture in a new place it occupied. In no sense was it a nuisance longer.

When his lawyers told Van Cleve the facts in the matter, he smiled. "Oh well, I've bought new furniture anyway. I guess it's just as well." Incidentally ,he also has a fleet of eight high-powered motor cars and diamonds and things. Why not?

But some of Van Cleve's early experiences in oil were not all rosy. He was then some weeks shy of being a man. His twenty-first birthday fell in August last. The discovery of oil at Burkburnett had been made in July, the preceding month, and John's father had been dead only a short time. An uncle instituted court proceedings to dispossess the young fellow.

But the boy had a champion in C. A. Walling, father of the girl he had married only a short time since. Walling took up the fight like a terrier when a strange dog sets upon his pups. His was a single purpose—to win regardless of the finer rulings of the game and his ardor it is reported served to put him behind the bars a number of times on charges of contempt of court. Still he was not to be denied and he and Johnny won.

The Van Cleve holdings once formed the backbone of the oldtime Colonel Burk-Burnett estate. It was the homestead of this well-known pioneer, at present millionaire resident of Fort Worth. Johnny Van Cleve's father brought the family down from Iowa and bought the farm ten years ago. His first crop was a good one, sufficient to pay for the land. The family prospered and were rated worth a quarter to half a million dollars before the discovery of oil.

Johnny is a daddy now, the proud father of a baby girl, as well as the possessor of more wealth than any other twenty-oner in the whole south, and easily the richest oil-made man of any age in the Burkburnett field. —Oil Derrick.

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WILL INVESTIGATE 'SOFT PORK'

The problem of soft pork is one of the most important now confronting the hog growers of the United States. That a more definite knowledge of this question might be available Congress has appropriated $20,000 to be used by the United States Department of Agriculture for a study of this question. It is the intention of the department to make a study regarding the effect of feeding both peanuts and soy beans to hogs. Possibility of hardening hogs fed on these feeds will be looked into to determine the maximum amount that may be fed in conjunction with other feeds and still produce hard pork. The department hopes by close study, covering a large number of hogs and several years time, to determine some facts and solve some problems that are now facing the American farmer, because of the reduced price paid at the central markets for hogs supposed to be soft. Many of the agricultural experiment stations will co-operate closely with the department in these studies.

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DALLAS COUNTY WHEAT AND OATS ARE LIGHT

Dallas County grain is threshing very light, it is reported by J. A. Moore, assistant county agent. Operators of a number of threshing machines that have been working in portions of the county where some of the best wheat was raised have told Mr. Moore that the wheat is turning out only from eight to twenty bushels per acre, and that oats is very irregular, ranging as a rule from twenty to sixty-five bushels per acre.

"From indications Dallas County's wheat crop will not surpass 500,000 bushels," Mr. Moore said. "Last year the grain here was heavy, most of it being No. 1 variety. This year the bulk of the wheat will grade Nos. 2 and 3, meaning, of course, lower prices. Perhaps not more than one-fourth of the grain will reach No. 1. This light wheat naturally was not caused by rain damage after it was in the shock. Such damage was light. It simply failed to make as plump and heavy kernels as many of us expected."—Dallas Morning News.

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NURSES TO SPEAK ON HEALTH BETTERMENT

Red Cross Plans to Educate Public Through Chautauqua Circuit

To place the public health on a higher plane than it has ever been is the object of a national program undertaken by the American Red Cross as part of its peace time plan. Fifty nurses, returned from active overseas duty, will tour the United States on a Chautauqua circuit, spreading the gospel of good health and of the proper care of the sick by fostering the study and practice of nursing.

Through the Chautauqua an official representative of the Red Cross Department of Nursing will tell the people of the Southwestern Division the story of what is being done and will ask their co-operation. All of these nurses have had actual experience abroad. Not only have they served in hospitals and cared for the maimed and wounded, but they have also come in constant touch with refugees, the repatries, the sick, the famished, and the tubercular.

The address of the nurses will take in five general topics, three of which take public health education into each home of the community. The first of these topics pleads for the employment of a public health nurse in every community. This work with State Boards of Health and Education, State Anti-Tuberculosis Leagues and other State health organizations. In communities where no such organizations exist the Red Cross will establish a nursing service, financed by chapter funds.

The second part of the nurses' message will be that of home hygiene and care of the sick. They will explain the importance of taking the course of basic education on these subjects, so that the general public will know how to combat contagion in the home, how to keep the health of the family at the highest hygienic point, how to care for minor illness, and when serious sickness occurs, how to assist the physician and nurse.

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FOUND—Between sun-up and sundown, many golden minutes in which to buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps.

Weekly Club Letter to Boys

W. H. Darrow, County Agent.

There seems to have been some misunderstanding on the part of some of the boys as to the method to be followed in raising the breeding stock in the Boys' Club Contest. A few have believed that they were forced by terms of the contest to see how much weight they could put on to a male hog, designated for breeding purposes, or on to a gilt pig, to be raised for a sow. I have tried to make it clear to all at all times that an animal to be raised for breeding purposes should not be made fat, but should be given plenty of bone and muscle producing feeds, such as milk, pasture, shorts and bran, and that they should be fitted for the final exhibit, not with fat, but with good solid bone and frame and muscle.

Until the latter part of August the feeding of fattening stock and breeding stock should be about the same with most of the pigs. For either breeding or fattening the animal must first build the necessary frame, and it will probably take until the time mentioned to accomplish this. As I have repeated many times, to produce this frame requires one or more of the following feeds: pasturage, milk or milk slop of some kind, shorts, bran or tankage. The pasturage or milk slop are the most important, and the tankage should not be fed unless there is a great lack of the first two. A little shorts and bran is a good feed in any case, for the bran will keep the pig in active, healthy condition, and will develop a greater body cavity and capacity than could otherwise be produced.

About the last of August the boys raising pigs to fatten should begin to increase the maize or kaffir or feterita or corn chops until they have the pig eating mostly chops and a little pasturage or slop. Where you have produced a big broad frame with good bone and muscle it will be easy to get very fast gains in the last weeks. The boys who are raising breeding animals should not change the feed so much at this time, but continue feeding large aomunts of such feeds as pasturage, milk slop, shorts, ground oats or barley, with some maize or corn chops. In this way you will get a good development of bone and muscle, and a large, heavy set hog, without the undesirable fat. The main reason that you do not want breeding animals fat is that they are sluggish when they ought to be rustlers, and the offspring are apt to be weak and immature.

You will be judged at the Fair in the breeding division of the contest, not alone on what gain you have managed to make ,but on the type and quality of breeder you have been able to produce.

Another mistake that some boys have made is in breeding gilts too young. If a young gilt is bred when immature she has two tasks to perform at the same time—the building of her own frame, and the building of the bodies of her young. The strain is too great for her, and the result is usually an undersized sow and stunted pigs. Let the gilt be from 10 to 12 months old before breeding, because it usually takes that long for a hog to mature.

Let me give you one more pointer in regard to breeding. If you are working with Duroc Jerseys you had better breed to the same kind. If you cross a Duroc with a Poland China the spotted pig that results is a fine individual for meat, but if you breed this cross the offspring will be of all sorts and of comparatively little value. It is an axiom in the breeding of any stock to breed like to like. If you fail to do this you will breed good animals into worse instead of better. If you don't like the breed you are handling, don't ruin it by a series of crosses with one you do like, but sell out and stock up again with something you want.

In closing let me again emphasize the fact that the boys who have any kind of breeding stock are not supposed to fatten it ,but to develop a long, broad body supported by straight legs of good bone, with an even covering of firm flesh, in excellent general condition.

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GAS STRIKE IN PALO DURO EXCITES CANYONITES

Randall County News:

A great deal of excitement was caused in Canyon by striking a strong pocket of gas in the canyons 14 miles east of here Monday in the well being drilled by the Palo Duro Oil Company. Word comes that the flow run as high as 10,000,000 cubic feet. The gas was struck at 360 feet, but since the well is in the bottom of the canyons which are about 800 feet deep at this point, the well in reality stands about 1200 feet deep.

The first gas struck in this part of the country was 29 miles north of Amarillo. The well on the canyons is 26 miles south of Amarillo and 14 miles east of Canyon which gives a field at least 50 miles across in which it may be reasonably expected to find more gas.

The drillers are enthusiastic about the prospects of finding oil before very long.

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IN CHICAGO MARKET

Glad Snodgrass, who spent several days in the Wichita Falls oil district, left that city Wednesday of last week for Chicago to spend some time in the gents' furnishings market.

He will probably be home the latter part of this week or the first of next.

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T. B. Triplett spent the earlier part of the week in Amarillo on business.

THE FAMOUS GOODNIGHT RANCH SOLD FOF $200,000

A contract of sale for the Goodnight ranch was signed last week, whereby W. J. McAlister, of Wichita Falls, becomes the owner and Col. Goodnight has placed to his credit about $200,000 in cash. Judge O. H. Nelson, of Romeo, and Sam Huggins of Amarillo put the deal over.

Col. Goodnight retains the use of the old homestead as long as he wishes and is retained at a salary for 12 months to manage the stock interests of the ranch. He also retains one-half the oil royalties ,should there be any, and a well is now being drilled on the ranch.

McAlister will continue the cattalo and buffalo herds and build an elegant ranch home at the Spring Creek headquarters near the canyon. McAlister was a driller in the Burkburnett field and having an eye to business picked up some leases on which he made a fortune, and he is now salting down a portion of it in the splendid Goodnight ranch. About 3,400 acres go with the Goodnight ranch and negotiations are being made for 10,000 acres of the J. A. Ranch of Mrs. Adair,which Mr. McAlister will add to the Goodnight ranch.—Clarendon News

Miss Luzell Adams, of Meridian, Texas, is visiting here with her aunt, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, and grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Adams. She will probably spend several weeks here .

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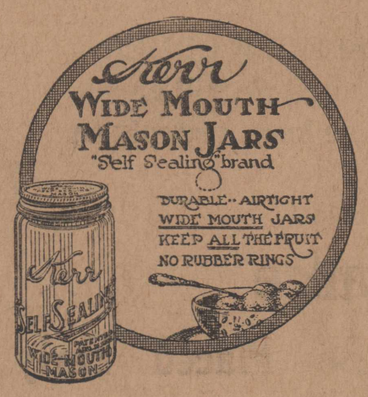
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Some Dont's to Observe that We may Make the Boys "Happy and Feel at Home"

Here follow a few "don'ts" for the family which has a son returned from France or the Army of Occupation. If these instructions are closely followed, it is needless to say that the boy will "feel at home" and will no doubt shed tears of gratitude at each act of kindness bestowed upon him by the loving family.

DON'T fail to feed him bacon for breakfast—the fat, greasy kind. He's been eating it every morning since landing in France, calls it "A. E. F. Chicken" and can't get along without it.

DON'T think that he has a horror of rice. He has gargled that Chinese junk "over there" as regular as mess call sounded. His army constitution now demands it.

DON'T neglect to lay in a supply of prunes. They took the place of strawberries while he was chasing the Hohenzollern outfit and a meal without them will take ten years off his life.

DON'T put cream in the coffee. In order to please him, prepare coffee in this manner: one teaspoonful of Arbuckles to four gallons of water—preferably dish water—it gives an oriental taste. Insert three drops of condensed milk in this mixture and there you have the key to his heart.

DON'T overlook "slum" on your menu. It can be made successfully from "left-overs"—one soup bone will make enough slum-gullion to ration a regiment.

DON'T ever have butter on the table—he loves oleo. In case of a shortage in oleo, use the axle grease that came with the Ford. If it's a dark day ,he'll never know the difference.

DON'T mention Table Manners to him. On account of living on foreign soil he has been associated with strange customs and may take a run and jump for the table, forgetting to remove his hat. All dishes should be constructed of metal for in the grabbing that follows, something might get broke. If he seems rude, just smile at him graciously and say, "Son, you haven't changed a bit."

DON'T appear surprised when upon finishing a meal he grabs his dishes and runs wildly outside in search of a bucket of dish water. Simply make it a rule to have this bucket in a mudhole during the rainy season—the same water can be used from day to day and must be cold.

DON'T mind his cussing—he must have some way or means of expressing himself and his short and snappy sentences may be liberally punctuated with words of a questionable character.

DON'T forget to make arrangements with the cornet player in the town band to have him pass the house each morning at 5 a. m. and blow a few blasts on his trumpet.

DON'T start the day wrong. The entire family should accompany him to the street at 5:10 a. m. and "marathon" around the block for twenty minutes. After this part of the day's program is completed, a messline should be formed at the back door, led by dad, who outranks the family—and pays for the month's rations .

DON'T go to any trouble to fix up his room—he would prefer sleeping in the barn. It will remind him of his billets in France and gives him that "back to nature" feeling.

DON'T neglect bathing facilities. A tomato can and a bar of laundry soap will suffice and oftimes prove a luxury.

DON'T say "Please will you do this" to him. Just yell at him with the gruffest tone you can command and "crab" at him for not showing more pep. That will make a hit with him instantly.

DON'T allow him to get familiar with the family. Make him stand at "attention" and "salute" at each and every interview—and if a coat button is missing—summon the sheriff and commit the culprit to the brig.

DON'T call him by his name—just yell "Buddy" at him and he will always respond—that's the only name he had in the A. E. F.

DON'T let him get lonesome. At times it would be advisable to call in the neighbors and start a Crap Game. This offers a pleasant pastime and may not—owing to the player's skill fill the coffers of the treasury.

DON'T display your ignorance of the frog language. If he says "bon jour' 'you should always answer as "souvenir." His stay in France has given him the complete mastery of that tongue and he'll no doubt use "beaucoup" words that smack of "pomme de terre fruit."

DON'T question his stories of the war—although at times his lies may not hang together perfectly. The "whiz bangs" at the front may have affected his memory. If he tells you that Sir Douglas Haig was a sergeant in his squad—just believe him, for, after all, HE'S YOUR SON.—EX.

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BOLSHEVISM

The salent features, which constitute the program of Bolshevism as it exists today in Russia and is presented to the rest of the world as a panacea for all ills may be summarized as follows:

1. The repudiation of democracy and the establishment of a dictatorship .
2. The confiscation of all land and the improvements thereon.
3. The confiscation of all forests and natural resources.
4. The confiscation of all livestock and all agricultural implements.
5. The confiscation of all banks and banking institutions and the establishment of a state monoply of the banking business.
6. The confiscation of all factories, mines and industrial institutions and the delivery of the control and operation thereof to the employees therein.
7. The confiscation of all churches and all church property, real and personal.
8. The confiscation of all newspapers and periodicals and all mechanical facilities and machinery used in the publication thereof.
9. The seizure and confiscation of all public meeting places and assembly halls.
10. The confiscation of all transportation and communication systems.
11. The confiscation of the entire estate of all decedents.
12. The monopolizing by the state of all advertisements of every nature, whether newspapers, periodicals, hand bills, or programs.
13. The repudiation of all debts against the government and all obligations due the non-Bolshevist elements of the population.
14. The establishment of universal compulsory military service regardless of religious scruples and conscientious objections.
15. The establishment of universal compulsory labor.
16. The abolition of the Sunday School and all other schools and institutions that teach religion.
17. The absolute separation of churches and schools.
18. The establishment, through marriage and divorce laws, of a method for the legalization of prostitution, when the same is engaged in by the consent of the parties.
19. The refusal to recognize the existence of God in its governmental and judicial proceedings.
20. The conferring of the rights of citizenship on aliens without regard to length of residence or intelligence.
21. The arming of all so-called "toilers," and the disarming of all persons that had succeeded in acquiring property.
22. The discrimination in favor of residents of cities and against residents of cities five times as much voting powers as is accorded to residents of rural districts in such elections as are permitted.
23. The disfranchisement of all persons employing any other person in connection with their business.
24. The disfranchisement of all persons receiving rent, interest, or dividends.
25. The disfranchisement of all merchants, traders and commercial agents.
26. The disfranchisement of all priests, clergymen, or employees of churches and religious bodies.
27. The denial of the existence of any inalienable rights in the individual citizen.
28. The establishment of a judicial system exercising autocratic power convicting persons and imposing penalties in their absence, and without opportunity to be heard, and even adopting the death penalty for numerous crimes and misdemeanors.
29. The inauguration of a reign of fear, terrorism, and violence.

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Mrs. Tom Messenger returned last week from Paducah, after a visit of a few weeks there with relatives.

STOKER ON IMPERATOR LEARNS HE IS MILLIONAIRE

New York, July 13.—A "millionaire stoker" with two years and five months' naval service to complete before his enlistment runs out arrived on the transport Imperator today in the person of E. L. Perkins of Eastland, Texas. Oil discovered on his farm, which his father is running for him, will give him an income of $1,000,000 a year, he was told in a message from the elder Perkins, received just before the big transport left for Brest on her last previous trip.

Young Perkins enlisted in the navy in December, 1917, was assigned to transport service and later was sent into the Imperator's engine-room for duty as a coal passer. A few weeks ago a 6,000 barrel gusher was discovered on the farm, and drillers have started boring seven other wells, he has been notified.

The coal passer millionaire will not try to get out of his enlistment, he said, and will use the money "for the benefit of the world and Christianity."

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Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Shearer, who have been at Burkburnett the past several months, are here for an indefinite stay. They are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. West for the present.

PRIVATE STILL FOUND IN OPERATION NEAR HALE CENTER

A private whiskey still was discovered last week in operation in a wheat field near Hale Center. It was a small affair, though complete in every detail, from the corn cooker to the drain, and condenser, with a coil, etc. It was in actual operation, and the juice was actually flowing through it at the time.

The federal officers from Amarillo came down and took charge of the outfit, and we understand that several well known citizens of the community have either been arrested or will be at once. With the still was found a booklet from a San Antonio concern telling the process by which the still was to be operated.—Plainview News.

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M. F. Hampton, M. C. Lassiter, R. H. Willis, T. C. Russell and H. B. Callihan spent Monday in Lubbock on business.

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"Coal will be scarce and high."
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"Why be in a hurry to buy?"
A cool morning then reminds him,
That Winter is coming soon,
Yet he locks the bin behind him,
Saying, "I'll buy tomorrow noon."
But "Tomorrow" he said "I am busy,
When the coal man sugested "NOW"
And when he rode home in his Lizzie,
His wife made a terrible row.
The wind blew up cold in November,
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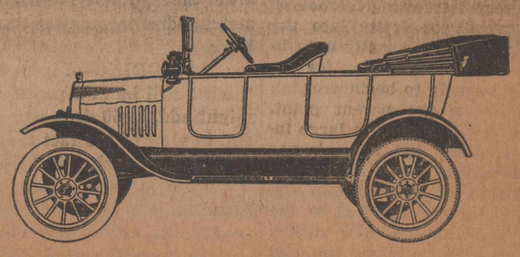
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...BLE FOR ... HOGS ON MARKET

...e City Stock Yards, July 21, ...other wild scramble for hogs to- ...sent prices up sharply to a new ...gh record position. The top price was $22.65 and bulk of sales $22 to $22.50. Good to choice fed cattle and best heavy grassers were 25 cents higher, other steers steady and butcher cattle lower. Sheep were quoted strong, with trade active.

There was a material increase in cattle receipts. A sharp reduction in hogs, and no material change in sheep. Receipts today were 18,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 5000 sheep, compared with 16,000 cattle, 13,000 hogs and 5,000 sheep a week ago, and 23,600 cattle, 9,500 hogs and 4,800 sheep a year ago.

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DRUG BUSINESS IN LOCKNEY CHANGES HANDS

A business change occurred in Lockney this week whereby V. N. Dillard becomes the owner of a half interest in the Lockney Drug Company's business, buying out Mr. E. L. Woodburn. The business will be continued under the old firm name of Lockney Drug Company with Dillard & Dillard as proprietors. The other half interest is owned by Mr. I. N. Dillard, father of V. N. Dillard.—Lockney Beacon.

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Geo. W. Ellis, editor of the Matador Gusher, was in Floydada over last night the guest of N. W. Morgan. He was enroute to Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, for a stay of several days.

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STARKEY

...July 21.—We are having some nice weather at present. Had a good rain the latter part of last week which was fine on our row crops.

Emmett Foster who was recently mustered out of the military service has just returned home. Every one was glad to welcome him back home again. Emmett left here about two years ago or more and served several months in France.

Tom Foster left about two weeks ago for Stephensville, to see his mother who was very ill and not expected to live, but it is hoped that she is better by now. We haven't heard whether he has returned or not.

Misses Delma and Grace Turnbow spent Sunday evening with Willie McSpadden.

D. H. Roland is back home again from his work.

I. D. Howard spent Sunday evening with Johnnie Saunders.

Mrs. Hammit's mother from east Texas, is visiting them at present.

Mr. Roland entertained the young folks with a party last Wednesday night. All seemed to enjoy it very much.

Miss Wilma Sparks and her two brothers from Floydada were out at the party.

Some from here attended the singing at Mr. Hursts Sunday night. All enjoyed it fine.

Mrs. Travis left last week for Mexico on business.

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PARK A PLACE OF WONDERS

Yellowstone Has Many Marvels Which Will for All Time Furnish Attraction for Tourists.

In writing of the Yellowstone park, John Muir has said: "In some of the spring basins the waters though still warm, are perfectly calm, and shine blandly in a sod of overleaning grass and flowers, as if they were thoroughly cooked at last, and set aside to settle and cool. Others are wildly boiling over as if running to waste, thousands of tons of the precious liquids being thrown into the air, to fall in scalding floods on the clean coral floor of the establishment, keeping onlookers at a distance. Instead of holding limpid pale green or azure water, other pots and craters are filled with scalding mud, which is tossed up from three to four feet to thirty feet, in sticky, rank-smelling masses, with gasping, belching, thudding sounds, plastering the branches of neighboring trees; every flask, retort, hot spring and geyser has something special in it, no two being the same in temperature, color, or composition."

The Mangrove.

The mangrove tree, specimens of which are in the Arnold Arboretum, the tree museum of Harvard university, has a very interesting method of sending its seeds or fruits into the world. Growing as it usually does in shallow water, it is necessary for the young fruits actually to begin growing before they leave the parent plant. The fruit, which resembles a large inverted berry, sends out large leaves at its upper end and a long root, sometimes 18 inches in length, from the lower end, while yet attached to the parent plant. Then as if by magic, ... parent plant drops it into the mud ...re the plant aready growing begins ...velop into a larger plant and soon ...uly established ... it were not ... to grow ... wash- ... oft- ... by

SOUTHERN BAPTISTS GO IN FOR MAMMOTH SUM

$75,000,000 in Eight Days, November 30 to December 7, is Their Plan

At the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, in May, with more than 5,000 Baptists assembled, it was unanimously decided to raise 75 million dollars, for missions, in home and foreign lands; for their more than 130 educational institutions; for their many orphanages and hospitals; for their aged ministers; and for the National Memorial Church, dedicated to Roger Williams and Religious Liberty, to be built in Washington. A Campaign Commission was appointed, with Dr. George W. Truett, pastor First Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas, as Chairman, and one member from each of the Southern States. At a meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, early in June, the Commission met and made out plans for raising the 75 million dollars Dr. L. R. Scarborough, president of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, was elected General Director, and his headquarters established at Nashville, Tennessee. Five of the Commissioners were appointed as Campaign Directors, to whom the details of organization were committeed. Mr. J. H. Anderson, of Knoxville, Tennessee, a wealthy merchant, was made Chairman.

These Campaign Directors have elected the following leaders to cooperate with General Director Scarborough in the campaign: B. C. Hening, of North Carolina, Assistant General Director; T. B. Ray, of Virginia, Survey Director; H. C. Moore, of Tennessee, Publicity Director; Mrs. W. J. Nell, W. M. U. Organizer. A General Organizer is yet to be selected.

At a meeting composed of nearly 200 representatives from every phase of the denomination's life and work, in Nashville, Tennessee, July 2nd and 3rd, a complete program and organization for the campaign were effected. Each of the Southern States will be organized, with the State Secretary of Missions as the General Director for that state. He will be aided by a General Organizer and a Publicity Man, and an Advisory Campaign Committee, made up of the three persons above named, the Campaign Commissioner from that state, the editor of the Baptist paper, the Secretary and Vice President of the Women's Work, and the Chairman of the Laymen's organization. It will be the duty of these State Organizers to organize the sub-divisions in each state, called Associations or Directors. Each of these Associations or Districts will have an Organizer and a Publicity Director, and these will organize the churches, with a General Director, preferably the pastor; and an Organizer ,some select layman, and an Organizer representing the Women's Work. All these organizations are to be aided by volunteer workers, from among men and women.

The name of the campaign is "Baptist 75 Million Campaign", The time for the big drive will be November 30th to December 7th. This will be called "Victory Week", at which time cash and pledges payable in 5 years are to be raised to the amount of more than 75 million dollars. All the general organizations,—The Foreign Mission Board at Richmond, Virginia, the Home Mission Board at Atlanta, Georgia, the Educational Board at Birmingham, Alabama ,the Old Minister's Relief Board, at Dallas, Texas, the Laymen't Board, at Knoxville, Tennessee, the Woman's Missionary Union Board, at Baltimore, Maryland, and all the state organizations are throwing themselves full length and full strength into the campaign. Three million Baptists are to go in and put it over. It is to be the greatest and most meaningful movement ever inaugurated by Southern Baptists. Its issues to the cause of Christ are incalculable. This money will help every phase of religious life represented by Baptists throughout the whole world. It is expected that every Baptist church, more than 25 thousand of them, and every Baptist member, more than 3 million, will put themselves in a great fashion into this movement.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

License to marry have been issued to the following persons since July 11th:

D. W. Lewis and Miss Lucy Hamrick, July 11th;

Herbert Ray Myers and Miss Olive Blanche Mudgett, July 16th;

Cordelia Alexander Russell and Miss Maude Alice Tindle, July 18th;

Howard A. Bomar and Miss Ruth M. Murry, July 20th.

D. W. Lewis and Miss Hamrick were married in Lockney July 14th, Rev. F. C. Dick, pastor of the Baptist church there officiating.

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BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Price, Sand Hill, Sunday, July 20th, a son.

Emmett Murray, of Idalou, who has been here working in the harvest fields, left for home Tuesday after getting news of the serious illness of his baby.

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MILLIONS OF ACRES DESTROYED BY HUNS

Lifetime Required to Restore Northern French Lands to Former Condition

Sumner A. Beeson in New York times:

Professor Allyn A. Young's statement that "the acreas (of devastated France) which can not be brought into cultivation within a year or so are exceedingly small," needs prompt and emphatic contradiction.

Take, for instance, the Vimy Ridge battlefield, perhaps the most terrible spectacle not only in France but in the entire world, with its 500 cemeteries and 250,000 dead. The ridge itself, a by no means inconsiderable stretch of country averaging perhaps from 500 600 feet in height, is battered out of recognition. Its sides and crests are torn open; craters 150 feet in diameter and 50 feet in depth and great ugly fissures rend the elevation from end to end. The surrounding landscape, once one of the fairest in all France, is obliterated; cities, towns, villages, woods, roads, civilian cemeteries have disappeared in the cataclysm. The ground is as broken and uneven as the surface of a wild and trembling sea. The splendidly paved road that passes beneath the shadow of the ridge was submerged in parts from four to ten feet in depth in battle debris. The elaborate trench system, cavernous dugouts, gunpits and innumerable shell holes render its restoration a labor of many years.

Vimy Ridge merges into the Arras battlefield, many miles in extent, desolate beyond description and entirely devoid of life save for the swarms of carrion crows. Throughout Arras and right through to Cambrai the same conditions obtain as at Vimy. The ground was fought over again and again; the soil is not only corrupted and destroyed by the action of gas and chemicals, but deeply infected with offal and resultant germs and vermin. Agricultural experts who have visited the Somme battlefield report that that particular locality can not be restored within 100 years, and parts of it not at all.

When I dug my pick into the open ground before Cambrai to level off a space to sleep a stagnant gas exuded and twice made me instantaneously and violently sick. Another man was sent to the hospital gassed through eating a strawberry.

It is clear Professor Young knows very little of devastated France; but to those who have lived and fought in that hell and are familiar with its multitudinous horrors the prospect of it once again blossoming into fruitful, order and contentment is far beyond the limits of the longest present lifetime.

Let us not forget the Huns destroyed 175,000,000 acres of France.

Seven!

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