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Two-Day Course Opens Monday Morning

INTEREST IN AGRICULTURAL SHORT COURSE PROGRAM HERE NEXT WEEK COUNTY WIDE—CROWDS PROMISED

ALL COMMITTEES HAVE DETAILS WORKED OUT AND PRIZES OFFERED BRINGS RESPONSE FROM OVER COUNTY. NATIONALLY KNOWN SPEAKERS WILL BE HERE TO DRIVE HOME MESSAGES ON MODERN FARM PROBLEMS.

Clarendon's agricultural short course which opens here at ten o'clock next Monday morning at the Clarendon College auditorium, presents one of the best balanced programs covering the modern day problems of the farm and home ever to be presented in the Panhandle of Texas. Noted authorities on these vital subjects will appear on each of the six programs given in the two days, and every talk will be made double vivid by the use of charts, maps and moving pictures. According to the program committee in charge there will not be a dull moment in the entire two days, and the educational and practical value of the course has been so generally established that communities having had the services of the experts in their line, are unanimous in their efforts to secure a repeat engagement for the next season.

Every facility for the comfort of the visitors from over Donley County is arranged and it is the hope of the general committee on arrangements that since the seating of the auditorium is limited that those who plan to come will get in early as every program will begin promptly on time and out of deference to the speakers and those who come early to get a seat, that there be a minimum of disturbance throughout each program.

The school attendance prizes offered by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce has caught the fancy of a number of the rural schools of the county and rumors have reached Clarendon of the avowed intention of several county schools to win the first money.

In the essay contest about the short course, for cash prizes offered by The Clarendon News phone calls have been received at the News office inquiring into the simple terms of the contest, and the indications now are that twenty-five or thirty pupils of rural schools will enter for the prizes. The News will print the prize winning essays as soon as the judges make the awards.

Read the program for the two days course and be on hand early for every session:

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH

10:00 a. m.

Selections..... Junior College Band
Community Singing.....
Talk, "The Educational Use of Knowledge"..... H. S. Mobley
Moving Pictures, "Farm Inconveniences" and "Cherryland"

1:30 p. m.

Selections..... Saxophone Quartette
Talk, "Beautifying Home Grounds"..... G. L. Smith
Reading, "Courtship Under Difficulties"..... Eunice Johnson
Talk, "Keeping Vigorously Alive"..... Grace M. Smith
Moving Pictures.....
Talk, "Soil and Soil Fertility"..... G. L. Smith

7:30 p. m.

Community Singing.....
Selections..... Junior College Quartette
Moving Pictures.....
Talk, "Communities are Made of Folks"..... H. S. Mobley
(With this talk the movie, "Power Behind the Orange," is shown.)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH

10:00 a. m.

Selections..... Junior College Band
Community Singing.....
Talk, "Birds"..... Grace M. Smith
Talk, "Home Orchards"..... G. L. Smith
Moving Pictures.....
Talk, "Bringing the Kitchen Up-to-Date"..... Grace M. Smith

1:30 p. m.

Selections..... Junior College Band
Piano Duo..... Pauline Shelton, Pauline Sanford
Moving Pictures.....
Talk, "The Dairyman's Problems"..... H. S. Mobley
(This talk embraces the "cow, sow and the hen.")

7:30 p. m.

Community Singing.....
Selections..... Junior College Quartette
Reading, "The Man in The Shadow"..... Miss Rita Foster
Moving Pictures.....
Talk, "Women's Work in the Community"..... Grace M. Smith
Selections..... C. H. S. Glee Club
Talk, "Home Gardens"..... G. L. Smith
Moving Pictures.....

WEATHER FOR JANUARY SHOWS MANY CLEAR DAYS

Ordinarily one of the gloomiest months of the year, January has this time passed up all hope of this kind to February, the first five days of February carrying more cloudy days than the entire month of January just past. According to records on file in the office of Mr. Joe Goldston, the official weather man for Clarendon, only one cloudy day was registered during January. There were three days partly cloudy and the remaining twenty-seven were clear all day long.

Temperatures showed some queer pranks in the month with a low scale of 7 above zero for the least registered during the month. This was registered on January 25th. The highest temperature was 64 on January 18th, just one week before the minimum temperature for the month. Precipitation in the amount of .60 inches with traces at other times. To date in February, every day has shown a trace of moisture and all the days of the month have been cloudy with temperatures ranging from 39 down to 18.

W. J. Greene left Sunday evening for the markets in Saint Louis and points East and North. Mr. Greene will make purchases of the merchandise for his place of business for the summer trade. He was accompanied by his brother, Rufus, from Memphis.

DONLEY POLLS SHORT OF 1928

NON ELECTION YEAR CAUSES
SMALL DROP IN POLL
TAX PAYMENTS.

Payment of Poll taxes in Donley County for the year will be found to be 334 short of the number paid by the expiration of January, 1928. The reason for this is found in the fact that there are no state and county elections for the present year and interest in this part of the business of the county is at a low level.

A detailed report of the polls paid in the county will reveal that Clarendon has suffered the greater part of this loss, with 953 taxes paid against a total of more than 1,200 votes cast last year. The votes in Lelia Lake and Hedley, the other two strong boxes of the county are found to be holding their own extra well as compared to Clarendon.

The poll taxes by boxes are found to be as follows:

Goldston	71
Clarendon	953
Lelia Lake	262
Giles	41
Hedley	399
Rowe	39
Jericho	39
Whitefish	39
Watkins	16
Bray	33
Martin	51
Wilson	18
Skillet	38
McKnight	51
Smith	18
Naylor	28
Ashtola	78
Supplemental	124
Total	2295

Those found listed in the supplemental rolls will be divided among the various precincts of the county, according to the places they will use as their voting boxes. It may be possible that all of them will be in one precinct and again there is a probability that they will be scattered among the seventeen boxes of the county.

GREENBELT MEET IS INVITED HERE

HILLCROFT GOLF CLUB INVITES GREENBELT TOURNAMENT TO CLARENDON.

The annual Greenbelt Golf Association tournament has been invited to Clarendon this summer, and if accepted will bring to the Hillcroft course a sparkling array of the finest golfing talent of this section of Texas.

According to the officers of the Hillcroft Club there are certain conditions which must be complied with before the big tournament can be secured, and the invitation is based on a tentative arrangement to meet these requirements. The main requirement is that the host club must have clubhouse facilities in order to secure the annual tournament, and if the present proposed plans for purchase of the grounds from the Bugbee estate and the building of a commodious clubhouse are carried into effect, Clarendon will have a most favorable opportunity to win the location for the 1929 meet in the late summer.

The Hillcroft Club will hold its regular annual meeting on Monday evening, Feb. 18th, at the Queen Theatre, and the committee with the new project in charge promise to have a definite report ready for consideration at this meeting. New officers for 1929 will be elected at regular meeting, and prospective members are being urged to come in the club and have a part in the business of laying plans for 1929.

INTEREST GROWS IN PRIZE OFFERS

ATTENDANCE CONTEST TO BE ONE OF MOST INTERESTING EVENTS.

Since the announcement two weeks past of the two prizes to be offered the rural schools of Donley County for the part they took in the Short Course next Monday and Tuesday, the interest has grown until there is a great deal of talk about the contests in all parts of the county. The attendance contest for the rural schools will probably offer the greatest incentive for discussion since it has to do with the schools instead of with the individual student of the schools.

The attendance basis will be based on the number of students from each school based on the number of miles traveled to get to the Short Course. Registrations will be taken at the auditorium and the percentage will be determined in that manner. Numbers of schools have stated that they are planning to be there 100 per cent strong and the interest is better than has ever been seen before this date. Two prizes, one for \$12.50 and another for \$5.00, will be given to the two schools with the most nearly perfect score. The essay prizes offered by the News are attracting some attention and one school has stated that they will have four essays in the contest. Other schools have not stated how many of them will be in the contest. Four prizes are offered, \$5.00, \$3.00 and two prizes for \$1.00. The students must be registered not later than Tuesday afternoon and the essays must be in the hands of the judges not later than the afternoon of Saturday, February 16th.

GOLDSTON AND JERICHO ENROLLED IN SCOUT RANKS

A short time past, Scout Executive Jolly stopped at Goldston and Jericho on his rounds of his territory and found fertile grounds for work along Boy Scout lines. Goldston has organized a troop of scouts with competent hands at the head of the organization. These boys will be in Clarendon Friday evening for their tenderfoot initiation. Both a Scoutmaster and an assistant have been secured and the boys are off to a good start on their Scout work.

At Jericho, a farm patrol will be organized, composed of Lone Scouts that will receive full consideration for the work done in connection with their work at home. The station agent has agreed to take the place as Guide and Counselor for the boys and will have local charge of the groups in their meetings and in their work along Scouting lines. The number of boys here was not sufficiently large at first sight for the organization of a troop, so the Farm Patrol idea will be used in connection with their work.

Superintendent H. T. Burton was called to Decatur Monday morning by a notice of the death of Mrs. Burton's father, who had been ill for a number of months. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Burton are expected to return to their home here some time the latter part of this week.

CITY TAXES ARE FIVE PER CENT SHY

CITY POLLS SHOW SMALL
NUMBER DUE TO NON
PAYMENT OF WOMEN.

The city taxes for Clarendon are probably in a better condition at the beginning of February, 1929, than they have been in years. This statement is made with the fact in view that \$36,080.09 have been collected in taxes for the year 1928 and the rendition for the year announced to be \$38,076. Delinquents for the past year amount to less than \$2,000, the exact amount being \$1,993.91.

Poll taxes for the city of Clarendon show to have been paid in the number of 265, including twenty that were given to the members of the Volunteer department as a courtesy for the work they do in cutting the fire loss of the city to as small an amount as possible. The number of poll taxes paid is necessarily smaller than for the County and State for the reason that no woman is called upon to pay this tax in the city. The number may easily be tripled, running this figure to 795 possible votes in the city.

Delinquent taxes have come in for their due share of attention in the collection of taxes for the past year. It was found that a sum of \$8,438 was on the books of the city at the first of November, 1928. This figure has been reduced by the payment of approximately \$3,500 since that date, leaving an amount of \$4,900 delinquent for all the years preceding that of 1928. This total, added to the delinquent for the past year, will bring the total amount to \$6,893 for 1928 and all the years preceding that date.

The City Tax Collector states that there are a number of residents and property owners in the city who are bringing into the office paying their delinquent taxes. A number have paid these since the first of February and still others are expected momentarily, so that the carry-over for the year will not be nearly so large as it has been in years past.

TWO DEPARTMENTS ADDED TO COLLEGE

FULL CREDIT ALLOWED ON
WORK IN SCIENCE AND
COMMERCIAL DIVISION.

Clarendon Junior College has again taken a forward step in the fight toward the top rank of Junior Colleges of the state of Texas. This time, recognition has been awarded in the Science and Commercial departments with full credits to be allowed for work done in these departments. This information was brought out by the fore part of this week by the receipt of a letter from J. R. Reid of the State Department of Education at Austin. Th letter says in part:

"I am enclosing a copy of my report of the examination made of Clarendon Junior College on January 11 and I am happy to tell you that the State Superintendent has approved the recommendation of this Board that the work now being given in chemistry and commercial subjects be included in that department's work now approved by this Department and that the institution be continued on our list of approved junior colleges."

The addition of the two departments to the school with full recognition, from both gives Clarendon Junior College seven fully accredited divisions of study. In addition to the Science and Commercial departments, there are those ordinarily found in any school, English, History, Mathematics, Social Sciences and Foreign Languages.

It is interesting to note that the Clarendon school is now affiliated with the Junior College Association of the state, the Association of Colleges and other organizations that will be of benefit to the school in preparing the students for other institutions. The latter part of this week will see the school undergo an examination from the association of colleges to determine the rank of the school from this quarter.

The enrollment of the school for the year is far above the average ordinarily seen in a school of the age of this one and all indications point to a graduation class of some size among the students who were here last year in the Freshman class.

CLARENDON MAN BURIED MONDAY

LATE RESIDENT OF CITY IS
KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE
ACCIDENT SATURDAY.

The sudden and untimely death of H. Grady Horn came as a distinct surprise to the friends and the family of the deceased late last Saturday afternoon. He was returning to his home here after an absence of some four days and had reached a point some miles northeast of Plainview when his car struck a truck and was overturned, killing him instantly. His body was carried to Plainview, where relatives identified him after some delay late in the evening.

He was brought here Sunday and was held in the funeral parlors here until Monday, when he was carried to Hedley, where funeral rites were held from the Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. E. M. Grigsby conducting the services at that place. Masonic burial rites were used in the cemetery.

Although Mr. Horn had been a resident of Clarendon for only a few months, he had a great many friends here, especially among the checker players, who had recognized him as being one of the leaders in that form of entertainment. He was prominent in Masonic circles, his Shrine pin being one of the means of identification used.

The late Mr. Horn was born January 2nd, 1894, and died on February 2nd, 1929, being 35 years and 1 month old at the time of his sudden death. He is survived by his wife, almost an invalid, and three children, all of whom were here at the time of his death. Besides these, there are two brothers, Mordant Horn of Littlefield, Texas, and C. D. Horn of Mills, New Mexico, and four sisters: Mrs. I. V. Crow of Newlin, Texas, Mrs. Annie Dunaway of Amarillo, Texas, Mrs. O. E. Hill of Alameda, Texas, and Mrs. W. T. Hill of LeFors, Texas. He was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Horn of Hedley, Texas.

The many friends of the family here join with their friends at their former homes in Amarillo and Hedley in extending sympathy to the bereaved ones for their loss.

DONLEY COTTON IS DOUBLE 1927

REPORT OF PRESENT YEAR
BREAKS ALL RECORDS OF
PRECEDING YEARS.

The crop production records of Donley County have been shattered insofar as the cotton crop is concerned. This was brought to light the fore part of this week when the report for cotton ginned prior to January 16th was received in the office of the News. Previous crop records for the fleecy staple brought the record to 24,880 bales and was registered in 1926. In that year, the price for the crop caused much of it to be left in the field with the result that a larger yield might have been expected if all the crop had been gathered. Conditions were different in 1928 and little of the staple has been abandoned.

The net result of the year's ginnings has brought Donley County totals to 27,316 bales for the year with last year's totals hanging at less than half this figure. 13,423 bales had been reported to the same date in 1927. Predictions hold that the crop of 1928 will run near 30,000 bales by the time the ginning season is ended. One of the ginnerers has stated that he will probably gin cotton until March. Gins were running in Clarendon the fore part of this week with some good records hung up for the number of bales ginned in the city. The local yard reports more than 8,500 bales during the year.

Other counties near Donley show an increase with the exception of Childress County, which has registered a short loss in ginnings. Briscoe County reported 10,781 bales for 1928 and shows almost a five to one gain with 1927 reporting 2,942. Childress is the only county showing a loss with 29,275 bales for the present year against 40,552 bales for the year 1927. Collingsworth County has recovered from the slump of early season and reports 45,463 bales for the year 1928 against 42,338 for the preceding season. Hall County is recovering from their last year's loss with 77,184 bales for the present year against 42,455 bales for 1927. Wheeler County is another to show one hundred per cent gain with 36,224 bales for 1928 against 17,649 for 1927.

Bales counted are in running bales, counting round bales as halves. The figures given will raise the number of bales for each county when the weights are computed and the figures are given out for bales of 500 pounds each.

Dr. H. L. Wilder was in Pampa Monday in connection with business matters.

COUNTY PAYMENT OF TAXES GOOD

LARGE PER CENT OF 1928
ASSESSMENTS ARE COL-
LECTED TO DATE.

Even though the exact percentage of the State, County and School taxes paid into the office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector is yet unavailable, the amount is much higher than that seen in former years according to statements issued from that place the fore part of this week. The delinquent tax list is being cut down with a regularity that is very pleasing to the officials in the courthouse and this total will be less than it has been for a great many years when the final tally is made of the uncollected totals. A few less than one hundred receipts have been issued from the delinquent rolls since the collection of these taxes was started at the beginning of last November.

A gain is also seen in the payment of registration fees on automobiles and trucks as compared to this same period of 1928. 2,002 cars had been registered to Tuesday of this week with registrations being received at the rate of 25 per day since the first day of the month. There remains a number of cars without the new license plates, but these have been numbered as fast as the owners could get to their tasks.

Trucks to the number of 274 have been licensed to operate in the state since the opening of the registration season.

A more complete report has been promised by the fore part of next week and the News will be glad to publish the exact status of the taxes as pertains to the State, County and School insofar as Donley County and the Clarendon Independent School District is concerned.

Marine Oil Company Contracts New Well

NEW LOCATION IS SETTLED TUESDAY

MARINE OIL COMPANY OF
WICHITA, KANSAS, TO
DRILL IS TURNKEY JOB.

The News has been informed that a location was made Tuesday of this week for a new test well to be drilled in the very near future. The location has been settled upon and is to be found about

one-half mile Southwest of the river bridge on the Sawyer estate. The geographical location may be known as the middle of the Southwest 1-4 of Section 5, Block G.

The Marine Oil Company with headquarters at Wichita, Kansas, will drill the well, holding the leases to that end. Award of drilling contract was made to Smith & Towney of Tulsa, Oklahoma, for a turnkey job. The contract calls for a depth of 3,500 feet or production, as the case may be.

Work was started on the cellar this morning and the derrick will be started Monday of next week if the weather will permit. The company plans to spud in the well not later than March first and will rush the job to completion at the earliest possible moment.

The location was made on the data secured by Messrs. Maupin and Forster, who recently worked over this county with a machine to determine the run of the structure of the county. These gentlemen did not offer to show where oil might be found, but their work was accepted as being conclusive by the oil company taking the leases. Findings of like machines have been used with much success in other fields.

The drilling contract for the well has been signed and will be returned to Clarendon and placed on file in one of the banks where it may be seen by all those interested in the matter.

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NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION — PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION

Next Monday and Tuesday, Clarendon presents an agricultural short course and county-wide interest and attendance is expected. Much publicity and personal invitations have been broadcast all over Donley County and the citizenship of Clarendon are all primed to make our visitors feel welcome. Farmer, business man, professional man, home makers—all will find the programs to be truly educational and entertaining. Come and enjoy it with us.

Good business is spreading in the Panhandle according to business surveys compiled by Forbes magazine and other like agencies, while from every town and hamlet comes reports of new building and extension projects. Of all people the citizens of the Panhandle are most favored, and a corresponding obligation comes with the prosperity. Let us do our part in vision, optimism and service to make the prosperity real and lasting in our own community.

The majority of publishers not only obey the law but often go far beyond what the law requires in selecting the advertisements they will publish. I do not believe there is an industry in America conducted by more honest, high-minded, public spirited men and women than the publishing industry. I do not believe that any industry in America has greater power for good. I believe that the future greatness and security of the nation rests to a greater extent upon the publishing industry than probably any other.

Women throw convenience to the four winds of the earth when fashion dictates. Young women are wearing next to nothing which leaves them without sufficient vitality in their blood. The modern dress requires them to be thin. They must strive for the boyish figure. Consequently they don't eat enough. Tuberculosis strikes them and takes them away. Staying out late at night, doing without sleep, wearing too little clothing and not eating enough—that is what is hurting the young women of today.—Dr. James J. Walsh.

One million dollars in building permits among the larger cities of Texas was the record of the past week. One million dollars new growth in seven days is a record and when one considers that in the smaller communities of the state there was another million in building projects within the same period, we begin to see why Texas is regarded in the East and North as the section most favorable to growth and progress. It is going to take some fast stepping to keep up with the growth in Texas in every line within the next few years. The fellow that doesn't keep in pace in the next five years will be hopelessly left behind in the years that follow. Only the man with a vision has a chance in Texas, especially in the Panhandle.

"They say" that the Anti-Smith Democrats and the regular Republicans in Texas are about to complete an offensive and defensive alliance in Texas, since the effort at Austin to visit a little party vengeance on those whose votes in last November's election caused Texas to give its electoral votes to Mr. Hoover. The News is not ready to see such an alliance consummated. In the first place, the legislature will never pass any such legislation. In the second place very few so-called Anti-Smith Democrats will continue to vote long with the Republicans, especially in state elections, where any effort at all is made to carry on the affairs of the Democratic party with justice and decency. Insofar as Texas affairs are concerned it is mighty hard to divide Texas Democrats, even if they do indulge in considerable family quarreling.

At the meeting of the Chambers of Commerce secretaries of the Panhandle at Amarillo Monday of this week there was one striking thread of thought that wound its way throughout the day's programs. That was the fact that whereas, in former days, secretaries and towns spent considerable time in fighting each other, there has come about a general unity of action and purpose and an open frankness and friendliness that bodes well for the future of this section. There is no time nor place for the little, nagging, spiteful jealousies between towns, cities and communities, in this modern day of co-operation and smiling, friendly rivalry. The secretaries of this section are contributing largely to the properly directed growth and progress of their own communities and the Panhandle as a whole. They are a fine lot of fellows and deserve the support they are getting—and more.

Clarendon is going to get another forcible demonstration of the need of a large community auditorium next week when the agricultural short course is held in this city. From all reports, only a comparatively limited number will be able to sit down and enjoy the first of the programs on Monday morning at the college auditorium. It will be a case of "first come, first served" insofar as seats are concerned, because the college auditorium, large enough to fill the needs of the school, is lacking in accommodations for any considerable community gathering. Clarendon, like many another West Texas city, has struggled along with present facilities, noting every year the lessened ability to take care of community crowds, and feeling more keenly the need for a specially built and commodious auditorium. Until we are able to provide the auditorium we must, perforce, make the best of the facilities at hand, and the citizens committee in charge of the short course are under obligations to the local school for the college auditorium and will make every effort to see that it fills the bill to its limits next Monday and Tuesday for the six programs scheduled. Meanwhile and afterwards the need for the new auditorium grows and must be met with the best thought and plans at local command.

The Town Doctor

(The Doctor of Towns)

Says

MANY TOWNS ARE SO CLOSE TO THE PICTURE THAT THEY CAN'T SEE THE FRAME

The town that cannot be improved upon just isn't! Yet in every community there are "acres of diamonds" that have never been mined.

Mr. Newcomb Carlton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, says: "The advantages of a community for both business and residence are often lost sight of by its natives. The very obviousness dulls their perception by becoming CONTEMPTUOUSLY FAMILIAR."

It is only natural that to that with which we are familiar we pay the least attention. A stranger notices the growth of a child much more so than do its parents; candy is no treat to a confectionery store clerk, and a rose in your own front yard is much more attractive to the man in the next block. The grass on the other side of the fence always looks the greenest; the other fellow's business appears to be a "snap;" some other town offers greater possibilities as long as you stand so close to the picture of your town, your community or your neighborhood that you cannot see the fullness thereof.

"Contemptuously familiarity" works both ways and therefore we have sickly cities, callous communities, tired towns, haggard hamlets, and hundreds of vanishing villages, the citizens of which go on about their daily tasks apparently totally unaware of their condition.

The old saying that "There's a little bit of bad in the best of us and a little bit of good in the worst of us" applies to towns and communities as well as to individuals.

What is GOOD about the community where you live? What is BAD? What is there that INVITES? What REPELS?

No town can be all good or all bad, therefore, RECOGNIZE that which is good, and capitalize on it—recognize that which is bad, and personally do something to eliminate it!

Don't think that what YOU do won't make any difference for it will! Everybody doing something gets things done; sitting back "letting George do it" never gets ANYTHING done. Your town is your business. Whoever you are—whatever you do—it's GOOD business on your part to do every little thing you can to make your town and community a better place in which to live, work, play, and make money. It's POOR business to become oblivious to anything that invites business or repels it.

YOU can't make money unless your neighbor does; you can't get an increase in pay unless the firm does more business; the firm can't do more business unless the community grows—progresses with the times—and prospers. The community can do none of these things when "contemptuously familiar" with its advantages and disadvantages.

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Our splendid winter season in the ground is being still further sealed and preserved by the falling, foggy weather prevailing the past week. Nature is doing its best by us—let's do our best by the favorable conditions.

In these days of few parking spaces on our streets, a little thoughtfulness in heading in to the curb will often provide room for another car or two within the same block. Too many fail to observe the marked parking spaces and when a car is parked half on two spaces, it means there is room for one car less. Watch your parking.

The Presbyterians and the Methodists up in the North and East have united according to an agreement perfected last week. This is a day of consolidation and united effort and God will not smile many years longer on those who refuse to accept the benefits of church unity and co-operation. We could all use some of it right here in Texas. Christianity is universal; denominationalism is the failing crutch on which it has limped for centuries.

OLDER BOYS' CONFERENCE AT CHILDRRESS MAR. 8-10

Advance publicity has been received on the District Older Boys' Conference to be held in Childress March 8th to 10th. The conference is held under the auspices of the State Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association with Grover C. Good State Conference Secretary. The city of Childress won the conference last year and a strong attendance is expected from all the Panhandle section especially.

Lodging and breakfast are to be provided for the boys and they are asked to get their registrations in early for the reason that entertainment facilities are naturally limited. The registration will be \$2.50 if they wait for the opening conference, but if registration is made before March 1st, the cost will be reduced to \$2.00. Registrations should be made at State Y. M. C. A., 610 Central Building Dallas, Texas.

Many prominent men over the state will appear on the program, including John A. Erhard of Dallas, Dr. P. W. Horn, Gerald Mann of Dallas, and others over the state who are vitally interested in the boys movement.

The H-Y club of Clarendon High School will be in attendance and others are expected to attend other than this organization. Representation will be secured in plenty to assure Clarendon of a good delegation at this meeting and will bring back many good ideas to be taken all through the remainder of the lives of the visitors.

COLORADO OPENS FIRST BIDS FOR NEW PAVING

Bids are being advertised for the first resident paving to be done in Colorado to be opened by the city council February 20.—The paving will consist of eight blocks.

Every Burning Minute

One thousand, two hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty cents goes up in smoke every minute—\$1,539,070.00 every day and a total of \$561,980,751.00 every year.

Fire insurance does not prevent the fire but it is a sure means of refinancing a new building when your home is reduced to ruins.

The cost for this protection is very reasonable.

It's too late to see us about insurance after the fire whistle blows. Better see or phone us today and have your policy written or have additional insurance if you are not fully covered.

Several have been in lately to have more insurance on their household effects, since putting in new furniture at Christmas time.

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They put Washington on the dollar bill and Lincoln on the penny, so Lincoln attends church much oftener than Washington.

Is the little home getting a little too cozy for that growing family? Maybe another room or two would help matters. You'd be surprised with how little cost it can be accomplished.

Alas Too often those who would level all mankind think the job requires a mallet instead of a prop.

Wives, may we suggest that you persuade friend husband to modernize the kitchen a little bit? Some more cupboard space would help, wouldn't it?

Whatever troubles Adam had To make him nearly swoon He never tried to park his car On Saturday afternoon.

We have here at our office, a complete library of house plans which you will find very helpful in planning that new home.

A. L. Chase says, "Eventually there will be a machine for almost everything except to put out the cat."

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Movement Afoot to Secure County Hospital—Leasing Adair Hospital From Present Board of Managers

PETITIONS PREPARED FOR CIRCULATION ASKING COMMISSIONERS COURT TO AVAIL THEMSELVES OF LEASE OFFERED BY HOSPITAL BOARD FOR BENEFIT OF CITIZENSHIP OF DONLEY COUNTY.

For several weeks there has been discussion going the rounds of a tentative offer that the board of managers of the Adair Hospital here in Clarendon are said to be ready to make to the commissioners court of Donley County, whereby the county will be given a long-tenure lease on the Adair institution for a consideration of a dollar a year, which will satisfy a reported demand for such an institution. Petitions this week are being prepared and will be placed in Hedley, Lelia Lake, Jericho, Clarendon and Ashtola which will be a test as to the strength of the sentiment for a county hospital.

When it is considered that many Texas counties have bonded themselves in large sums for the construction and maintenance of county hospitals, the proponents of the lease of the Adair Hospital argue that the opportunity to get all the benefits of such an institution without a bond issue and with the payment of a small monthly deficit in operating costs, is without precedent in the Panhandle, and an offer which the citizenship of Donley County cannot afford to pass up.

H. W. Taylor, one of the board of managers for the Adair Hospital, says that the monthly deficit would be only a small amount, possibly \$2,500 or \$3,000 per year, based on former operation during the post war period of high costs, and that with a county-wide sentiment behind its operation by the commissioners court, the deficit ought to be wiped out entirely after a few months of county control. He says there is a heavy drain on the people of Donley County for hospital services out of the county, plus a large sum for transportation, which is not satisfactory to the citizenship, besides the peril life is sometimes forced to undergo by reason of the delay in getting patients to outside hospitals.

Down at Hedley and in the East end of Donley County, there is quite a bit of sentiment and agitation for the county hospital as evidenced by a front page story in the Hedley Informer of last week, as follows:

"More than twenty years ago Mrs. Cornelia Adair, now deceased, the sole heir of the famous J. A. Ranch, felt the need of a place in Donley County where suffering humanity of this section might receive proper care.

"With the desire of meeting such need, and out of the goodness of her heart, she built and equipped the Adair Hospital, which was completed about 18 years ago, at a cost of more than forty thousand dollars.

"This hospital, as most of us know, was placed in trust to a board of trustees, with full power to manage. During the remainder of her life she paid most graciously to the monthly deficit.

"After her death, her will provided a bequest of \$35,000 to the hospital. The hospital board, as all good business men, carried on the operation of the institution, and the board continued to pay the

deficit as had been previously done.

"Now for more than a year the hospital has been closed. We feel such closure is not in keeping with what was her heart's desire. Its closure has been and is felt as a great loss by our citizenship.

"About fifteen years ago this good woman, still yearning to do good toward or for her neighbors and friends, gave of her store about \$15,000 toward the erection of a Y. M. C. A. building. This too, was placed in the hands of a board. That board later, realizing their inability to run it along the lines she had planned and desired, conceived the plan of transferring the building to the city of Clarendon, that it might not only become a city, but a community—yes, a county-wide, center. The city accepted the gift. All citizens of this section now know and appreciate the wisdom of such transfer. For Clarendon Municipal Building is a pride of every citizen, and its usefulness and worth wholeness is second to none in Texas.

"Why can't the hospital board act somewhat in the same manner and transfer, in some proper and equitable manner, this hospital to Donley County?

"We are reliably informed that the hospital board is very anxious to have this hospital again opened for service. And it appears that the county very much needs a good hospital, and it is very probable that the citizenship of the county would be glad to accept from the board a long term lease on said building and equipment. It is believed, so we have been informed, that the board would probably make such long term lease and turn the building over to the county in first class shape, fully equipped as a first class hospital, without the cost of one penny to the people of Donley County.

"It appears to us that this is a wonderful opportunity, and we hope that citizens over the county will interest themselves in the matter. Discuss it with your neighbor, get all the information you can. We would be glad to have a post card, or letter, telling us what you think about the proposition.

HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT FOR NURSE TRAINING

To enable a young woman to become a graduate nurse and to graduate from high school, both within five years, a co-operative arrangement has been made between the city school board of Cheyenne, Wyo., the division of vocational education, and the Cheyenne Memorial Hospital. Under this arrangement a girl who has completed two years in high school is allowed to enter the nurse-training course of the hospital. She will receive five units of credit for satisfactory school and laboratory work done in the hospital, and she returns each day to school for one period of regular high school work.—School Life.

YEAR'S GAS TAX IS \$280,000,000

INCREASE ATTRIBUTED TO TRAVEL STIMULATED BY GREATER GOOD ROAD MILEAGE.

By E. E. Duffey.

Spending in excess of two billion dollars for gasoline in 1928, motorists also contributed more than \$280,000,000 to the country's highway building funds through the gasoline tax, conservative estimates show. This gas tax money was largely used for constructing first class highways which, happily, reduced car operating costs by an amount greater than the entire gas tax outlay.

The gasoline tax rate, varying throughout the country from two to five cents a gallon, averages 3.2 cents. Without this tax, which adds but from one-eighth to one-third in a few instances, to the gasoline cost, the mileage of hard pavements would be far less than at present, for the gas tax represents a large share of the money available for highway improvement beyond the gravel stage.

Although the total gas tax collection figure of \$280,000,000 seems like an immense figure, it actually averages less than six million dollars for each state. It represents but a small portion of the total annual cost of motoring which has been variously estimated from one billion dollars up.

The gasoline tax is now well stabilized as an equitable means for collecting road money. In 1928 only three gas tax changes were made, both upward, while in 1927, 22 changes took place.

A 15 per cent gain in the total gas tax income is estimated for 1928 over 1927. A survey of the figures indicates that although more cars were in operation the gain for the most part was due to increased use of the automobile. The old belief that the gas tax would lessen travel has been dispelled as tabulations have shown that motoring increases with the mileage of improved roads, largely made possible by the tax.

The gasoline tax counteracts the bad road tax. A. E. Smith, executive director of the Wisconsin Good Roads Association, recently declared that the unimproved roads of his state exacted a toll equivalent to a gasoline tax of ten cents a gallon.

A two-cent tax became effective in Massachusetts January 1. New York and Illinois are the only states without gas taxes, but in both, consideration is being given to adoption of this method of taxation.

AMARILLO FIELD HAS GIVEN GREAT SPURT TO BIG GAS INDUSTRY

Discovery of the Amarillo gas field supplied the impetus for the present prodigious natural gas development of the United States, according to Judge H. O. Caster, gas authority of New York.

Writing in the American Gas Association Monthly, Judge Caster, member of the staff of Henry L. Doherty & Co. of New York, outlines the present status and unusual expansion of the natural gas business and says this expansion started with the proving up of the gas area near Amarillo.

"Up until a few years ago," said Judge Caster in his article, "the natural gas industry was knocking at the doors of the financial institutions of this country, begging for a hearing."

"In 1924 there was practically no financing of natural gas companies in the United States; in 1925, there was about \$5,000,000; in 1926, \$45,000,000; in 1927, \$86,000,000—and at the end of 1928 we were fully up to that amount.

"Ninety-five per cent of the natural gas that is produced and consumed in the world is produced and consumed in the United States. It is estimated that about \$1,750,000,000 is invested in this industry, that there are about 75,000 miles of natural gas pipe line, 30,000 of which is comprised in the various distributing companies, and 45,000 miles of transportation pipe line.

"During 1926 there were produced and distributed in this country approximately 1,312,300,000 cu. ft. of natural gas.

"The particular happening which has brought about such an activity in the natural gas business has been the discovery of and the proving up of the large area of the Panhandle Texas Field. This field is approximately 125 miles in length, with an average of 16 or 18 miles in width. How much natural gas it is capable of producing, no one can tell. Whether it is a single field or a series of pools has not yet been demonstrated. The gas pressure in the field is rather low, being about 470 lbs., whereas we would expect from our deep wells in Oklahoma and parts of Canada, where a great deal of

natural gas has been found, a rock pressure varying from 800 to 1500 or 1600 lbs. per sq. in.

"This is possibly the greatest single natural gas field that has ever been opened up in this country. I say possibly, because we will all know more about the Panhandle Field in a year or two. There is approximately a 450,000 cu. ft. capacity of pipe lines leading out of that territory at the present time. There is a great deal of gas being used locally in carbon black plants."

TWELVE TOWNS RESPOND TO PECAN TREE OFFERS

Stamford, Feb. 4.—Thirteen different orders from twelve different towns for pecan trees have been forwarded by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to the nurseryman who made reduced prices possible in this way.

Halbert and Burkett varieties seem to be most popular with Nugget also in demand. One order was received for the Success variety. Although two-year-old trees, those between three and four years old, and those between four and five years old were offered, the preference is for older trees.

One thousand of these trees have been arranged for by the regional organization with prices ranging from one dollar to two dollars, according to age, the older trees being the most expensive. The season for planting pecans is at its height now, and the sooner the trees are planted the sooner they will produce.

Strong soap or soap powder should not be used on dishes decorated with gilt, because these cleaning materials may contain substances which are injurious to gilt.

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REMEMBER long ago, when, after supper, every one pulled their chairs up close and crowded around the old center table? . . . It was the hour for "Dad" to read the Bible before retiring. . . . The old lamp placed in the table's center would flicker, get dim, suddenly it would brighten up again. . . . "Dad" would adjust his spectacles, turn to his favorite place and begin the Bible study. . . . Remember how he would stop, perhaps turn up the lamp when reading became difficult? . . . Then upon finishing, remember how he would rub his eyes? They seemed tired and strained from reading under the old lamp's dim light. . . . "Mother" then would speak up and say, "Children, it's your bedtime; here take your lamp and be off to bed and be careful not to stumble going up those stairs and through that dark hall." . . . Upstairs you would tramp, climb into bed and soon be off to the land of dreams in pleasant slumber. Remember?

THIS day and time there are no such hardships as your "Dad" and "Mother" endured. . . . Through the means of electricity, that magic power, you are able to read—yes, do anything without discomfort. . . . You have Electric Lights to illuminate your home. . . . Electric Ranges upon which to prepare your foods. . . . Electric Refrigerators preserve your foods and protect your health. . . . Many, many other electrical appliances make home life a genuine pleasure. . . . Even your garages and chicken yards are illuminated by this wonderful power called electricity.

THE West Texas Utilities Company stands ready—yes, anxious—at all times to serve you in a most efficient manner. . . . We will supply you with electricity and electrical appliances that will help you really enjoy life and make you be thankful you do not have to undergo the hardships of "Dad" and "Mother" in the DAYS GONE BY!

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Friday, February 8th
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SHADOWS OF THE NIGHT

She was a girl of the underworld. Then romance, and thrills and danger, came to her in a way that will sweep you off your feet. Watch "Flash," the wonder dog, track down a criminal band.

Also Neal Burns in "Slick Slickers," comedy.
(Properly Cued Music and Effects.)

10c-30c

Saturday, February 9th

RICHARD DIX

—IN—

WARMING UP

A baseball story that you will get all the kick out of as if you were really seeing a ball game. See him throw a curve that fools them. It also has a very clever love story. You will like your favorite in this one.

Also Max Davidson, Gene Morgan in a wild, barbaric, untamed comedy, "Do Gentlemen Snore?"
(Properly Cued Music and Effects.)

10c-30c

Monday and Tuesday, 11th and 12th

CLARA BOW

—IN—

THE FLEET'S IN

Ho, ho! Clara Bow and "The Fleet's In." Well, here SHE is again, and I know you are ready to see her welcome the boys in blue. Throw out the laugh preservers. She's only a sailor's sweetheart, but what sailor? You will say that this is as good as any she ever made, and that is plenty.

Also Oddities and Paramount News.
(Properly Cued Music and Effects.)

10c-40c

Wednesday and Thursday, 13th-14th

MARION DAVIES, JETTA GOUDAL

—IN—

CARDBOARD LOVERS

How would you like to be hired to protect the man you love from the women he had fallen for? Marion Davies is the girl—what a girl, in her grandest film frolic.

Also Cartoon Comedy and Paramount News.
(Properly Cued Music and Effects.)

10c-30c

Queen Theatre

Saturday, February 9th

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—IN—

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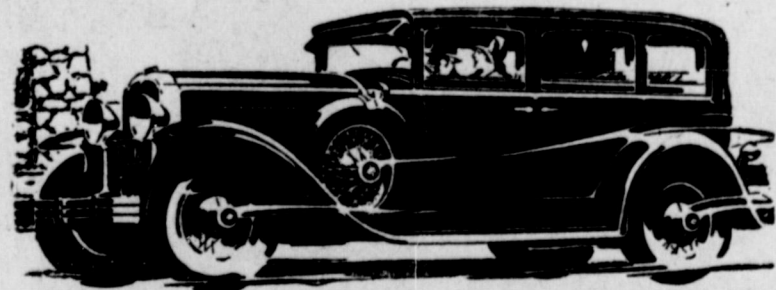


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Dairying Proves Successful in South

By M. B. OATES,
Agriculture Agent, Fort Worth & Denver City Ry. Co.

The County Bankers Association of Lee County, Mississippi is responsible for a large dairy industry in that county and particularly around Tupelo, according to S. J. High, President, Peoples Bank & Trust Company of Tupelo. This County Bankers Association was organized in 1916 and for the past six years has kept a full time dairy expert paying him \$6,000 per year. There are nine banks in this Association and all participate in this dairy program.

We were told that the county dairy program started from dire necessity. The boll weevil had arrived. The dairy program was started by using pure bred sires and improving the herds. This work is still going on. Forty pure bred bulls were placed in the county from October, 1927, to August, 1928. The banks have uniformly bought cows, buying one for each cow already owned. The dairy cow population has increased now to 20,000.

Dairy development has brought about a need for better pastures and the County Bankers Association put themselves behind this program. They bought \$6,000 worth of grass seed for cash at wholesale prices and sold it to the farmers at cost, the farmers paying cash.

A creamery was established at Tupelo the same year the County Bankers Association was organized and this creamery is still in operation. It now has 500 patrons and in 1927 this creamery made one million pounds of butter.

The Carnation Milk Company looking for a condenser location became interested in Lee County because of the activities of the County Bankers Association in permanently developing a dairy industry in Lee County and in 1927 the Carnation people completed a condenser at Tupelo at a cost of \$450,000. Last summer (1928) when we were there this plant had 1,400 milk patrons and was receiving 60,000 to 80,000 pounds of milk daily. The creamery was not hurt by the condenser but on the contrary the creamery is doing a larger business than before the condenser was established.

This county is pretty thickly settled. There are 2,800 farms in the county. There are not many negro farmers in the county. Farms average about 160 acres with about 65 acres in cultivation. There is an average of about 6 to 8 cows per farm.

With this splendid development which required only 12 years, we were anxious to know the financial results. We were told that the loans for purchasing cows had been entirely satisfactory, not a dollar having been lost. Before the dairy business started most stores in Tupelo were on a credit basis, today there is not a credit store in town. Bank deposits have doubled in the county since 1916, there being over \$6,000,000 on deposit in the county. Fifty per cent of the accounts are savings accounts and most of these are farmers' savings accounts.

In answer to a question about the co-operation of the business men of Tupelo, Mr. High said: "Everybody co-operates." Also there is perfect co-ordination of effort among the agricultural specialists of the county which number four. There is the dairy expert employed by the County Bankers Association, the County Agent and two field men employed by the Carnation people. Also

the County has a Home Demonstration Agent. All these forces are now working full time to further develop Lee County's dairy industry on her farms.

It was a real inspiration to hear S. J. High, Bank President (Jim High as he is familiarly called everywhere there) talk about development in Lee County. He just bubbles over with enthusiasm as soon as he begins talking "milk and money" which is one of his pet phrases. He not only talks cows while at his bank but talks cows at meetings all over his county and not infrequently goes to meetings at distant points in Mississippi to talk cows.

He has issued through his bank, numerous printed bulletins and leaflets on dairying which he has distributed by the thousands. He has issued printed matter on poultry, hogs, and general diversified farming. He is widely known as a champion of the dairy cow. His beautiful three story brick building is adorned with a ten gallon milk can over the main entrance, permanently held in place by iron supports which is a constant reminder that this bank is a friend of the dairy farmer. His untiring efforts and continuous enthusiasm backed up by his banking policy with reference to dairy development have made for him many friends who have rewarded him by placing their savings in his bank.

DIVERSITY IN CALLINGS SEEN IN STUDENT LEADERS

Fort Worth, Feb. 4.—There are a lawyer, a physician, a minister, two athletic coaches, and a reactor among the ten men who have been president of the student body of Texas Christian University during the past ten years.

Shelby Faulkner, formerly of Eddy, Texas, student president at T. C. U. in 1917-18 and 1918-19, now special attorney for the Bureau of International Revenue at Washington, D. C.

Cecil Bradford, Mansfield, Texas, president in 1919-20, is now practicing medicine in Nashville, Tenn. J. W. Boultinghouse, Utopia, Texas, president in 1920-21, is now preaching at Borger.

Leo "Dutch" Meyer, who called Waco home in his student days, is now head baseball coach at his Alma Mater. The other coach among the former student presidents is Carlos Ashley, A. B., 1926, who is now located at Brady. His home was formerly at San Saba.

Thomas E. Dudley, class of '23, is now rector of an Episcopal Church at Memphis, Tenn. His home was formerly in Dallas. Judge Green, class of '24, is at his home in Vernon, unable to do any work because of poor health. He spends his summers in Colorado Springs.

Student leaders of the last two years are continuing their education. Hubert Anderson, '27, attended the University of Havana in Cuba last fall, and returned Dec. 15 to his home in Paducah. Jerome Smiser, president last year, is doing graduate work at T. C. U. His home is at Morris, Okla.

Alumni records contain no data concerning Hubert Robertson, A. B., 1925, whose home was listed as Georgetown when he attended T. C. U.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS ARE USED IN CHILLICOTHE

Chillicothe has installed the green, red and amber traffic light system on two of their busiest streets, thereby laying claim to being one of the smallest cities in the state to find such traffic direction necessary.

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"I was so nervous I couldn't sleep and would stay awake half the night. My breath was bad, my tongue coated and I lost weight and strength. I didn't have any energy. I was susceptible to colds, and they were very stubborn and would hang on for weeks."

"I got some Sargon and right from the first dose I began to feel better. I never saw anything like it. My appetite is good and I eat what I want without a sign of distress. I sleep like a tired boy and in the morning I just feel fine. All my nervousness is gone and I am brimful of new strength and energy and I haven't had a cold since I started taking it."

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Sargon may be obtained in Clarendon from Douglas-Goldston Drug Co.; and in Hedley from Hedley Drug Co.

NEW YORK-PARIS FASHIONS



The newest and, from a fashion standpoint the most important prints for spring are destined to lead a double life, so to speak, for if a design has any merit at all, it is used on at least two fabrics which are intended to be combined in one costume. Chiffon or mousseline is used for one fabric and the complement is some variety of crepe or moire and the coloring of background and pattern are often reversed. In evening fashions, the frock may be of the sheer weave and the wrap of the heavier, the often the frock is also of the heavy silk as well, trimmed with the sheer. In daytime costumes, they are combined in various ways.

The one illustrated was selected because it shows not only this new fabric ensemble idea but also two other significant fashions for early spring—the bolero jacket and the tuck-in blouse. The blouse is of chiffon, a white ground with multicolored dots in green; the skirt and bolero jacket are of crepe de chine, the background in the darkest shade of green and the dots toning from green to white. The belt buckle, for belts and buckles are essential with these new tuck-in blouses, is of two pyramidal disks, one green, the other white. It is very much in the mode at present to have the belt buckle an integral part of the design of the frock, as this is.

Read the Want Ads regularly.

HUSKY MAN WORTH 6 CENTS AN HOUR

The physical strength of a strong man, in terms of horsepower, and in comparison with a modern electric motor, is worth from six to fifteen cents an hour, according to tests made at the University of California.

A special machine was built for the experiments. It was turned with a crank and registered the mechanical power of the operator in horsepower. It was found that a strong man could develop about 1.5 horsepower, but only for a few seconds at a time, whereas a 1.5 horsepower electric motor can be operated for an hour for from six to fifteen cents.

Tests of a large number of students showed a maximum power capacity of .94 horsepower per hundred pounds of weight, with an average of only .71 horsepower per hundred pounds of student.

"When a husky visitor or student learned that his maximum power capacity was about 1.5 horsepower (for a run of a few seconds), and that working at that rate continuously he would earn only 6 to 15 cents an hour competing with the mechanical power, he had a new respect for the electric motor and the gas engine," says a report on the tests.

The Lone Star flag of Texas was adopted by the Third Congress of the Texas Republic in session at Houston January 25, 1839.

RHEUMATIC PAINS

Many rheumatic and sciatic pains are due to impurities and toxins in the blood because of poorly functioning kidneys. Sedatives, dopes and powerful drugs give only temporary relief and do not remove the cause. If you suffer stiffness, joint aches and rheumatic pains, get the new, quick-acting Cystex Test at The Rexall Drug Store. No sedatives or narcotics. If you don't soon feel free of pain and like new, you get your money back under our Iron-Clad, Money Back Guarantee. Cystex, special, only 60 cents.

OLD NEWSPAPERS TO BE SHOWN AT WINTER MEET

Austin, Texas, Feb. 4.—Early English and American newspapers, including some of the rarest copies of periodicals in existence, will be on display at the University of Texas library for the occasion of the mid-winter meeting of the Texas Press Association, to be held in Austin February 8th and 9th. The exhibition will serve to acquaint the newspaper men with the facilities found at the University for research in the various periods of journalism.

The University owns the second best collection in America of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth century papers, surpassed only by the collection at Yale University, while its early Southern and Texas newspapers, as well as its contemporary collection, have caused much favorable comment.

Telephone operators in Bombay, the great seaport of the west coast of India, must be able to speak six languages: English, French, Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, and the native tongue. It is the most cosmopolitan city of the whole Indian Empire.

NOTICE

THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND GULF RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice that on January 17, 1929, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., its application for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity require (1) the construction and operation by it of a line of railroad beginning at a point of connection with its main line at or near the station of Groom, Carson County, Texas, and continuing in a southeasterly direction to Paducah, Cottle County, a distance of approximately 97 miles; and (2) the operation by it under track-age rights over the Gulf, Texas and Western Railway of a line of railway from Paducah to Jacksboro, a distance of approximately 146.6 miles, in Jack County, all in the State of Texas.

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LEGISLATION IS NOT NEEDED IF PRODUCERS WILL LIVE AT HOME.

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 4.—With the assertion that something is the matter with agriculture and that legislation is not going to solve the problem, J. D. Coughlan, director of field service of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association of Dallas, put the matter squarely up to the farmers themselves in an address before the Farm Short Course just held at Texas Technological College. He said: "Something must be done. I don't know what. In fact, I doubt if there is a man in America who knows how to solve farm problems, but there are hundreds of men who are solving our problems for us. You must get down and study. Legislation is not going to solve our problems, but that doesn't mean that some legislation won't help."

"I pledge my support of Texas Technological College to make this short course next year four times as strong as it is this year. I love Texas Tech because of some of its inmates. This College stands ready to help you do the things that are worthwhile. It has the scientific facilities."

"I have gone down to the very core of many of the problems that are facing us today. Cotton is not a local product. It is not a Texas product. It is not a Southern product. It is a world product. Therefore, the solution of these co-operative problems have attempted to solve. It is the most technical of all industries. The selling end has become the most intricate of all of the economics we have attempted to study. I am making an appeal that when co-operatives make mistakes (because they will) for you to build a spirit of resistance. We can re-equip ourselves, eliminate the practices that hurt, and go down the road."

"There is something peculiar about the price of cotton that has never come before. Some of the greatest statisticians in the United States say that the trend of cotton prices has been down during the time when the question of delivery came up, and went back up when the question of prices came into it. We have more than 7,000,000 bales of carry-over yet hanging around 19c to 20c. When we go back into other carry-overs and study annual conditions, we see that price-fixing is the most dangerous thing that the farmers might attempt to do. When the first co-operatives started there was a movement that the world could be starved into the price fixed in less than 60 days. But they decided they would hunt a different route. It is radical stuff."

"I recently heard the statement that there is such a little profit out on the farm, that the young men and women from the farm are going to school, working their way through, and then not going back. There is nothing there to invite them. In a short while we are going to have a weaker strata taking care of agriculture if we do not change conditions."

"The great problem in East Texas is that the cream of men are going west. One man said, 'Take the lost.' I am taking my loss. I believe that there is something wrong with agriculture. The farmer is not getting his share of the consumer's dollar, as shown by the graphs. There ought to be a narrowing of the dip."

"The farmer has gotten suspicious. But his suspicion is about

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the only protection that he has. We can't live all our lives on suspicion. We have got to get further than that. If all other industries have to have economic production, and have to have economic finance, why not apply this to farm products also?

"I am proud of the chance to work with the Farm Bureau. What is the Farm Bureau trying to do? It is trying to build a distributing agency to carry the products to the man who uses it, to the man who wants cotton. There is but one man who wants cotton. If there is but one man who wants cotton, there is no reason why we can't carry that cotton to the spinner. The present circulation of money is all wrong. I ask the merchants if it is not wrong for the basic wealth to go into one channel. Would it not be better for you to get the money to the farmer and then let him give it back to you? He is not doing it now, because he has nothing to spend, and will give most of his money to the merchant. Wouldn't it be better for money to go in that channel, rather than paying high rate interest in order to get the money to spend?"

"I used to have the attitude that I didn't want 'those boys' to come around and tell me how to grow cotton. Later I found that they had scientific information that I did not have. They are trying to help improve living conditions, and have developed many things that are intangible."

"There are perhaps more than 5,000 men who live within a radius of five miles of Lubbock who are fighting for better homes. They are bringing to the farmers the price they are justified in having for existence. They will do it. The co-operative movement is an economic reform. It took more than 200 years to bring constitutional government. It brought some of the most tragic wars that the world has ever seen. Reforms are not built in a day. Men who make sacrifices are not going to find the problems solved in an era or decade. But great economic reforms will bear fruit, and are bearing fruit, some of it tangible."

SOUTH AMERICAN TEACHERS TO VISIT GERMANY

At the invitation of the German Government, German universities and schools, a number of teachers and professors will go to that country for investigations of various kinds. A boat is being chartered by the Argentine professors, and an invitation has been extended to the teachers and professors of Paraguay to join them. The trip will consume four months and expenses are to be paid personally. Although a low rate has been quoted for the entire period, including expenses of whatever nature. It is possible that a few from here will join the Argentinians.—George L. Kreeck, American Minister, Asuncion, Paraguay.

SWEETWATER IS AWARDED NEW PLANT FOR BUTTER

A new butter factory has been installed at the Hope milk plant in Sweetwater, and will add an additional consuming unit for the cream produced in the section. The plant has increased the amount of sweet milk used from 100 gallons a year and a half ago to over 700 gallons now.

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TEXAS STILL BREED TEXANS

(By the Gentleman at the Key-hole, in Collier's Magazine.)

The last public appearance of Representative Tom Connally in Texas before he came north to attend the present session of Congress, at the end of which he will be a senator from Texas, was as grand marshal of the annual turkey trot at Cuero.

Now a turkey trot at Cuero is not a dance. It is just what its name suggests, a parade of the grandest birds raised in the greatest state of the Union, 100,000 of them. At the beginning of the holiday season they are assembled at Cuero, the shipping point for Texas turkeys, and are driven through the streets, divided into regiments like armies, a man or two officering each regiment, while the whole countryside lines the streets and its heart warms with pride at the sight. At the head of the parade is always some great Texan. And this time it was Senator-elect Tom Connally.

All of this is to prove that the new senator is a typical Texan. Where else in the world but in Texas could you have a fiesta like the proud march of 100,000 turkeys through the streets? And where else would you see a senator marshaling so worthy a parade as this.

Tom is a Texan of the soil, of the black earth of the river bottoms with its promise of a million harvests, of many millions of such birds as marched through Cuero this November—if it is in the bottom lands that they raise turkeys. Nothing that is of Texas is alien to Tom. He is of the breed of Sam Houston, of old Governor Hogg, with something of Joe Bailey in him.

He farms and practices law, just as that other great Texan, John Garner, farms and runs banks. Everybody farms in Texas. Some of them farm and raise oil. That is the richest agricultural product of Texas. But if they don't raise oil, they raise turkeys, or Angora goats, or figs, or spring peas, or rice, or cotton. The soil is everywhere, enough to feed a nation. It invites, and not in vain.

Tom Connally is described as the "fightin' senator" that has come from Texas in many a long year. Up to the time the Ku Klux Klan and prohibition got hold of Texas there used to be plenty of fightin' senators and representatives from that state. These twin repressions bred a lot of pussypoosers. But Texas is now recovering and sends Tom Connally to the upper house, glad once more to have a "fightin' senator." As a proof that Tom Connally is ready for anything one may point to his record as a soldier in two wars, a private in the Spanish-American War and a captain in the World War.

It takes nerve in Texas for a man who has a nice sure job in the lower house to come out for the Senate. Of all the lotteries in the world a Texas primary is one of the most uncertain.

I have forgotten whether there were seven or seventy candidates for senator in this year's Texas primary. But there were a lot of them. In a race like that you may be best and most popular one of the lot, but some of the lesser candidates, for local or other reasons, are likely to cut into your normal strength so that no one can guess where you are going to finish. And unless you finish first or second you are out of luck, for the first primary election is an

elimination contest, and the second is a run-off between the two who finish at the top of the first one. So when one runs for senator in Texas he must be prepared to campaign all over the state twice, all over the vast empire, almost a continent in itself, visiting every hamlet and crossroad, riding thousands of miles, shaking every hand, making hundreds of speeches, not once but twice. And this Tom Connally did, all in the space of a few weeks.

And his speeches made all Texans emit a barbaric yawn of delight. Accustomed in these last gentle days only to such rude interludes as afforded by pastors who shoot their parishioners in self-defense, the Texans awoke to the fact that here was a Texan, a hard hitter of the old tradition of Governor Hogg and Joe Bailey. Editors blinked their eyes and wondered how much of his plain talking they might safely put into their papers.

Out of the slough of Klanism and prohibition Texas has come back. Of course Tom Connally was elected, and he will probably be re-elected as often as he wants to be.

This may suggest that we've got another noisy fellow in the Senate. But it is not true, for we know him in Washington after his ten years in the House. Tom Connally is an extraordinarily adaptable fellow. He knows his onions—of which they raise endless acres in Texas.

All this means that it looks as if a real senator had arrived in Washington, as a result of the efforts of 35,000,000 or so voters at the polls in November. One may be pardoned for growing as rhapsodical over the arrival of anything more than a fat body and a fat mind in the Senate as over an angel's visit.

Sam Perry, who has been quite severely ill for the past several days in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. D. Perry, is improving steadily at last report.

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TWO THOROUGH EXAMINATIONS FOR PUPILS

As part of the medical service in schools of Toronto, Canada, each pupil has two complete physical examinations during the course of his school life. The first examination is made during the "junior first" year and is for the detection of physical defects; and the second, made during the "junior fourth" year, is to ascertain to what extent the defects previously found have been corrected, if other defects have developed, and for the purpose of vocational guidance. Such examinations are considered the most valuable means of health teaching given by the schools to parents and children. Each morning from 12 to 14 children are ex-

amined by the medical officer of the school, assisted by the school nurse. Parents are notified several days in advance of the examination and are requested to be present. The child is weighed, his sight tested, and he is subjected to a thorough physical examination. Comments are freely made as the examination proceeds, and if defects are found they are explained to the mother and she is told the probable cause and what she should do to correct them. After it is all over the parent receives a card, signed by

the principal of the school, emphasizing the importance of early correction of defects by the family physician or, if necessary, at the school clinic.

The examinations offer an opportunity to encourage mothers to bring the younger children to the school for examination, and at least one afternoon a week is set aside for the examination of children of preschool age. During one year complete physical examinations were given to 21,340 children and special examinations to 5,143.—School Life.

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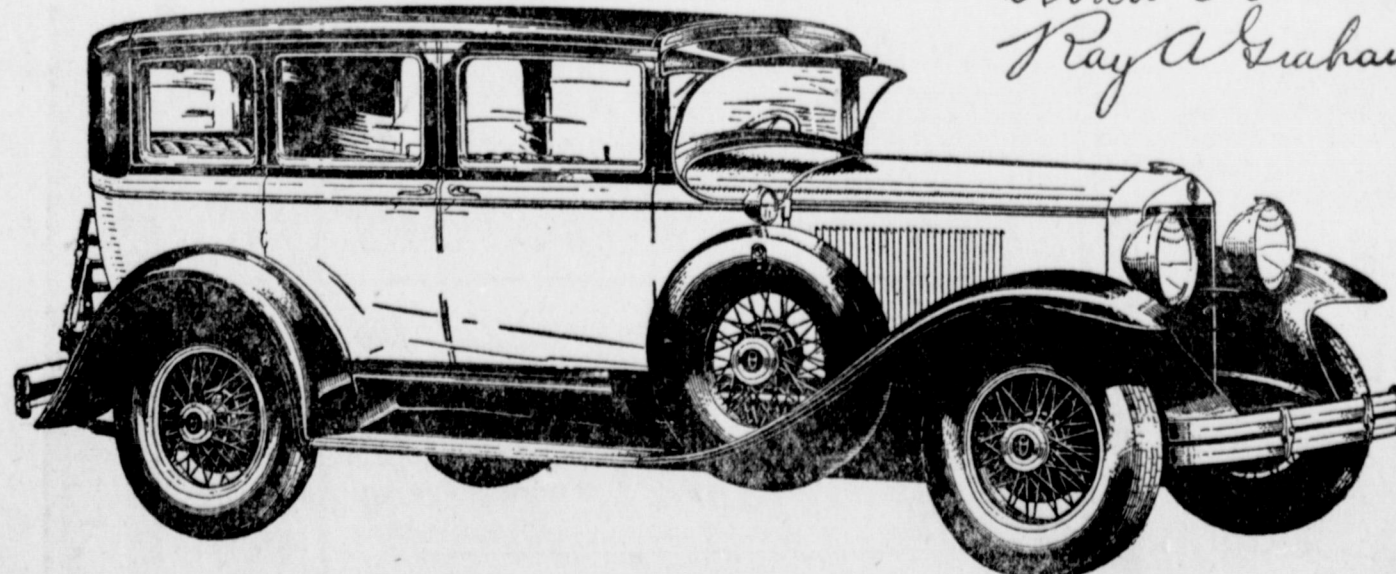
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Mrs. Eva Rhode Entertains

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Eva Rhode was the gracious hostess to a group of friends with bridge at her home.

Valentine suggestions were used in the bridge accessories and in the serving, which added much zest to the occasion.

After the games a lovely salad course was served to the following guests: Mesdames J. G. Sherman, M. M. Noble, Sam M. Braswell, H. B. Kerbow, W. W. Taylor, D. O. Stallings, Flora White, C. G. Kemp, Harry Rudell and L. B. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble Entertain With 42-Dinner

A much enjoyed social event of last week was the 42-dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble on Thursday evening at their home, West Sixth Street.

A sumptuous two-course dinner was served with the games of 42 being enjoyed later by Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lewright of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Sam M. Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kerbow, Mrs. Eva Rhode, Mrs. B. G. Smith and Mr. H. T. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDonald Entertain

Such a pleasant evening was spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDonald, when they entertained with a dinner-bridge, honoring the members of the Evening Dinner-Bridge Club and a few special guests.

This was an unusually happy occasion as the club had not met for some time, due to so much illness in the homes of the club members and they thoroughly enjoyed being together again.

A most appetizing dinner was served by the host and hostess at small tables where Valentine suggestions and colors made the tables most attractive and beautiful.

In the games of bridge which followed the dinner Miss Rita Foster received high score prize for ladies and Mr. John Bugbee high for gentlemen.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jeffries, Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Rhoades, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain, Miss Rita Foster, Dr. T. H. Ellis, Mr. John Bugbee, Mr. Louis Holloway, and Miss Melba Warner.

New "42" Club Is Formed Tuesday Afternoon Here

The latest addition to the social clubs of the city is the organization of the "42" Club that was formed Monday afternoon of this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Martin. Those present for the initial meeting to form the body are: Mrs. Carl Andis, Mrs. Ray Couch, Mrs. Jessie Lowe, Mrs. Don Martin, Mrs. L. B. Pierce. Following the organization of the body and the enrolling of those present as the first members of the body, delightful refreshments were served to the guest list mentioned above. Master Billie Don Martin and Patrick Pierce were the guests of the day, adding much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Legion Open House Tuesday Evening is Successful

The first Open House of the American Legion for the year 1929 was held Tuesday evening of this week in the Legion room of the City Hall. The program for the evening opened about 7:30 and found the guests busying themselves in various parts of the room with games that had been provided for the occasion. Horse-shoes, galloping dominoes, dominoes and "42" took the main part of the first part of the entertainment and the guests were later broken into tables when "42" took the remainder of the time spent.

Thirty-five guests were present to enjoy the festivities of the occasion and enjoyed the refreshments of candy and apples that were passed after the tables had been filled with busy players.

At a late hour in the evening the gathering broke into groups, wishing the Legion many such events, only to learn that this sort

of an event is planned to be held at least once each month. The entertainment committee for the Legion has been named for a like event March 5th.

Win-One-Class Holds Business and Social Meeting

In the home of the teacher of the Win-One-Class, Mrs. J. T. Patman, with Mrs. A. A. Mayes as associate hostess, the members gathered for a business and social Monday afternoon.

After the devotional, roll-call and reading of the minutes of the previous meeting business was transacted with the president, Mrs. Wilkerson, presiding.

The members were much pleased with the treasurer's report as well as other reports given by the chairman of the various committees.

A lovely salad course was served by the hostesses during the social hour to the following: Mrs. Forest Taylor, Mrs. W. L. Lane, Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Jr., Mrs. C. L. Benson, Mrs. Lank Thornberry, Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mrs. M. M. Noble, Mrs. Nored, Mrs. R. Wilkerson, Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. H. B. Kerbow, Mrs. B. G. Smith and Mrs. S. E. Allison.

1922 Bridge Club Meets

A most enjoyable affair of Tuesday was the meeting of the 1922 Bridge Club in the home of Mrs. W. H. Martin, where Valentine suggestions made this a gay affair.

Valentine decorations, always so attractive and intriguing, make this a happy and easy time of the year to entertain and Mrs. Martin taking advantage of this made her two-course luncheon a joy to the eye as well as to the palate, with fancy mints and other things suggestive of Valentine.

In the game of bridge Mrs. L. L. Swan won high prize for club members, Mrs. A. R. Letts, low, and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain, high for guests.

Those present were: Mesdames L. L. Swan, Sella Gentry, James Trent, A. R. Letts, Charles Bugbee, Geo. B. Bagby, J. T. Sims, Odes Caraway, T. H. Ellis, W. H. Cooke, club members; Mrs. Geo. Ryan and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain, invited guests.

1926 Book Club In Meeting

The 1926 Book Club members held a most interesting meeting in the home of Miss Lotta Bourland Tuesday afternoon when the Romantic Side of Mexico was studied under the leadership of Mrs. Loyd Stallings.

Mexico and Mexicans Geographically was given by Mrs. U. J. Boston in a most interesting and instructive way. Miss Helen Martin gave "Venturing Down the West Coast," "Mexican Hacienda" was discussed by Mrs. G. L. Boykin with Mrs. Stallings closing the lesson with the beautiful romantic legend of "The Little Lost Stars of Chapala."

In the absence of the president, Mrs. G. L. Boykin presided during the business session, when the name of Mrs. Charles Bairfield was added to the waiting list. Miss Bourland served a delicious salad course at the close of the afternoon's lesson.

Auxiliary Completes Study

The Episcopal Auxiliary met Wednesday, January 30, at the home of Mrs. A. R. Letts where the lesson study was conducted by Mrs. L. L. Swan and business for the week was transacted. Then again on Wednesday, Feb. 6th, the Auxiliary met and completed the book which they have

been studying for some time. This meeting was held in the home of Mrs. James Trent with a good attendance.

The lesson study, "New Mexico" by Donald Fraiser, will begin next week and the meeting will be held in the parish house during the lesson period.

Missionary Society Meets

Mrs. J. H. Casey was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society, First Christian Church, Wednesday afternoon at her home, where a small group of faithful workers gathered for their monthly Missionary study.

The lesson, "Mission Work in Mexico," was led by Mrs. A. N. Woods, who conducted it in a most interesting manner.

A social hour was enjoyed at the close of the lesson and Mrs. Casey served a delightful refreshment course.

Plans were made during the afternoon for the Missionary Pageant to be given soon at the church, which will precede the Missionary offering. The funds derived from this pageant will be used to carry on the work in the foreign fields.

The next Missionary meeting, March 6, will be held in the church with Mrs. W. T. Hayter as lesson leader.

Woman's Missionary Auxiliary Announcement

Due to the bad weather the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, did not meet Wednesday of this week, so the lesson assigned for that day will be given the last Wednesday in this month. Those who had assigned parts will please take notice.

Sims P. T. A. to Meet

The Sims P. T. A., South Ward School, will meet Tuesday, February 12, in the gymnasium.

Child Welfare Day will be observed and a free-will offering will be taken at the close of the meeting. This money will be used by the state and national organizations to further the Parent-Teacher and Mothers' Congress work.

Home Economics Club Meets in Home of Mrs. S. B. Arnold

On Friday afternoon the Home Economics Club met in the home of Mrs. S. B. Arnold with a good attendance.

"Living Room Furnishings" was studied under the directions of Mrs. W. L. Crane, who also gave the "Arrangement and Selection of Living Room Furnishings." Mrs. H. Cline talked on "Light and Heat for the Living Room," and Miss Harvey Thompson demonstrated the art of rebotomizing chairs.

Dainty refreshments were enjoyed later.

George Wayne Estlack Celebrates Birthday

George Wayne Estlack celebrated his 12th birthday Thursday afternoon by entertaining a small group of friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlack.

Games suitable for and entertaining to boys were enjoyed indoors and George was the happy recipient of many lovely gifts, each containing something red to match his hair.

The birthday candles were lighted and blown out several times as the boys desired to make more than one wish.

Refreshments together with the

TUESDAY IS FIRST DAY OF WORK FOR BOTTLERS

The Clarendon Bottling Works started their plant in operation Tuesday morning of this week and have been operating steadily since that time. Mr. Phelan of Memphis, the owner of the plant, was here for the first operation and saw that everything was working smoothly before he released the place of business to his assistants. Once started, the machine is practically automatic in its operation, requiring the services of two men to keep the plant going. One man fills the washer with bottles and the other tends the filling machine and keeps it going. A steady stream of visitors have been in the plant since it was first learned that such a plant was going on here here. The daily capacity of the plant is 600 cases for every ten hours, or 24 bottles per minute.

RAILROAD PUBLISHES ORDER OF NECESSITY

This week's issue of the News carries the first of three insertions of a notice of necessity that is being carried by the Rock Island Railroad in connection with the proposed new line that is to pass through Donley County. Other advertisements along the line of the building of the road have not been received, but this is proof sufficient of the good wishes of the road as far as the now existing road is concerned. The notice is being carried in papers in all the counties that are to be touched in any manner by the new road.

In Clarendon, the road has been a popular subject for discussion with almost every man holding a different version as to the route the road should take in passing through the county and the effect the proposed new road would have on the city.

Birthday cake was served to: Paul Greene, Jack Lindsey, George Chamberlain, Arthur Chase, George McCleskey and John Russell Beville.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS ALMOST DAILY DURING JANUARY

After having enjoyed an unusual December in the renewal of subscriptions, which is indicative of the easy financial condition of the county, The News has had an unprecedented list of new subscribers since the first of January, averaging almost one a day since that date. The ratio has been fully as good in the first few days of February, which indicates that the farm and county development news and special articles prepared by experts is meeting the full approval of the citizenship of Donley County, as well as the reliable city and county news features so thoroughly established as a policy by The Clarendon News.

The News has long enjoyed the largest subscription list of any Panhandle newspaper, population of city and county considered, therefore the early weeks of 1929 shows that position is likely to be held during the year.

THERMOMETERS HUNG OUT FOR PUBLIC—ARE STOLEN

Some person in Clarendon or the surrounding territory has no sense of public good, or else they fail to recognize the good that comes from a thermometer hung where many people can see the temperature for themselves, during the past two weeks, two instruments of the above mentioned character have been removed from the corner of the Douglas-Goldston Drug Store. One of these was a costly maximum-minimum thermometer and the other was a regular temperature indicator. A reward has been posted for the first thermometer and it would be well for the taker to return it to the proper location where it may be seen by many people each day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Breining announce the birth of a son, W. C., Jr., at Electra. The youngster weighed in at seven and one-half pounds and at last account was doing very nicely. Mrs. Breining will be remembered in Clarendon as Miss Lelia Burrell.

WEATHERS BUREAU HITS TEMPERATURE WEDNESDAY

The News received a telegram Wednesday morning that barely covered the range of temperature Thursday morning. The message was received from the New Orleans branch of this department and stated that the temperature

would range from twelve to eighteen. Joe Goldston reported that the mercury had fallen to a minimum of twelve Thursday morning when the reading was taken that the public might know. This is the second lowest temperature for the year, the other being registered January 25th when a record of 7 was hung up.

New Spring Hats

Are now on display in our new location in the Goldston Building, between the Rexall Store and the office of J. T. Patman & Son. We are showing a complete line of

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and invite you in for an inspection of our stock at an early date.

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MOVE TO OUST JAMES MAHAN

DISTRICT ATTORNEY WAS
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Memphis, Texas, Feb. 1.—Additional names are being added to a petition daily that seeks to remove James C. Mahan, district attorney of the 100th judicial district, from office, according to a member of the Hall County Ministerial association. It is said that the petition has the signatures of more than 100 voters at Estelline.

It is further stated that two of the petitions have been received from Turkey, one bearing 69 signatures, and the signatures on the other not having been counted, that another petition has over 50 signatures from Newlin and that three or four are being circulated in Memphis with signatures increasing daily.

None of the lawyers of the Memphis bar or any of the county officials whose duties brought them into association with Mr. Mahan had been requested to sign the petition, according to Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, a member of the association, and that the ministers did not want to embarrass anyone in any way with animosities or strained relations that might arise as a result of the lawyers or county officials signing the petition.

"It is out of respect for our law and court that the removal of Mr. Mahan is being sought," Dr. Mallard explained. "The ministers of the county are not moved by any bitterness or unfriendliness towards Mr. Mahan, but solely out of respect for the courts and the majesty of the law."

"As soon as all the petitions are in, the executive committee of the Ministerial association will wait on Mr. Mahan before they send the petitions to the governor, and he will be given the facts in the case and made to understand that nobody is responsible for this movement from its inception, even unto the governor's office, but the ministers themselves."

"The ministers know how far they can go and will see it through as far as they can and leave the rest between Mr. Mahan and the governor, and if the governor is not able to obtain his release from the office, the conscience of the Christian citizenship of the county will be clear for not having maintained a silence without protest, that would naturally be interpreted by the public as carelessness or consent."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
Text: "I Bear in My Body the Marks of the Lord Jesus."
Benediction, 11:55.
B. Y. P. U's., Senior, Junior and Intermediate, 6 p. m.
Preaching service, 7 p. m.
Theme: "King of Kings."
Benediction, 8 p. m.
Prayer service, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sam E. Allison, pastor.
Sunday school meets in all departments at 9:45, Judge J. R. Porter, General Superintendent. Classes and departments for all ages.
Preaching services conducted by the pastor at 10:50 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sermon topics, morning: "The Certainty of Christianity," evening, "Christ Offers Much But Demands Little."
The MacDowell Club will furnish the music for the morning service. The young people of the Epworth League will be responsible for the music at the evening hour.
Devotional meeting of the Senior Epworth League at 6:15.
The service Sunday morning will be different. You will miss a treat if you fail to be present at any of the above services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Henry Taylor, Pastor.
Sunday school meets in all departments at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services in the morning at 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The First Discourse."
Sunday evening services at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "I Must Be About My Father's Business." A sermon especially adapted to boys.
A cordial welcome is extended everyone to worship at any or all the services.

JOINT RECITAL TO BE HELD FRIDAY EVENING

The News is glad to make announcement that the students of Miss Rita Foster, Speech Arts and of Miss Helen Martin, Piano, will be presented in a joint recital on Friday evening in the College Auditorium. This is the first open program of this sort that has been presented by these teachers this year and the public is cordially invited to attend. The program will start at 7:30.

NOTE—It would be illegal to publish this if not by—
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Mrs. S. W. Mahan, Box 36, Madison, Tex., says in her home paper, the Lubbock Avalanche, "I will gladly tell or write anyone about my experience with Goitre. I could not do my housework. Was in two part time, was nervous, short of breath, sleepless and it seemed as if my heart would jump out. Now I do all my work and also many outside chores."
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ASHTOLA

Sunday school was at the usual hour. On account of the bad weather there were not many present. Epworth League was at 6:15—everyone is invited to come and be with us.

Mr. Ed Lovell of Trenton came Monday to assist Ben Lovell in the garage through the coming year.

Miss Beatrice Randel spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Miss Ola Mae Watts, who has been ill in the hospital at Amarillo for the past week, was brought to her home in Clarendon Sunday. She is doing very nicely at the present.

Miss Vera Johnson spent Sunday with Onata Hayter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dean, Jr., of Dimmitt, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nowlin.

Miss DeEtte Reed of W. T. S. T. C., Canyon, spent the week-end with home folks, Mrs. Albert Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Lovell visited in the home of H. W. Lovell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holley and son visited in the home of D. F. Randel Sunday evening.

A private 42 party was given in the home of M. S. Swinburn Tuesday night.

Miss Jessie Swinburn spent Saturday night with Onata Hayter.

Miss Myrtle Armstrong of Clarendon is substituting as a teacher in the place of Miss Ola Mae Watts during her illness.

SUMMARY OF JANUARY SHOWS H. D. WORK STEADY

The summary of the work done in Donley County by Miss Harvey Thompson, Home Demonstration Agent, for January, shows that this lady was one of the busiest of the town all through the entire month. Twenty days out of the thirty-one were spent in the field. In these twenty days, poultry work was done in seven women's and two girls' clubs. Health and diet demonstrations were staged in fifteen clubs, both girls' and women being included in this part of the work. Two days of the twenty were spent in answering calls from members concerning the items mentioned above. Seven days were spent in the office answering correspondence and attending to other items in connection with the work. Council meetings were held for both girls and women's clubs. Sixty-two people were met in the office and information and advice was given on both poultry and diet problems that had arisen. Eighty-eight telephone calls were answered and 133 letters were written to club members. Thirty-one home visits were made and twenty-four meetings were held. The attendance on these meetings amounted to 424. The mileage traveled during the month of January was 764.

TRENT TO REMODEL EN- TIRE FRONT OF BUILDING

The building now occupied by the Allmond Chevrolet Company is to be completely remodeled as to the appointments of the front according to a report received by the News from Mr. Trent, the owner of the structure. Following the change in the front, which is to be constructed of brick to the window line with the plate glass windows lowered at the top and a decorative panel installed, the place will be occupied by the Johnson-Mahaffey Motor Company instead of their present place of business in the Tomb Building. Mr. Trent stated that the change would be effected as soon as the building was vacated, which will probably be some time following the fifteenth of this month.

Mrs. Worsham, en route from El Paso to Amarillo, where she will make her home, stopped over for a visit in the home of her cousin, Mrs. Joe Goldston, and M. Goldston.



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FOR RENT: Modern bedroom, 3 blocks East of Clarendon Hotel. Phone 67, Mrs. Vineyard. (6c)

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FOR SALE: Gas range, good as new. See or call Dick Bell. (9pd)

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FOR SALE OR TRADE: 43.8 acres 1 1/2 miles southwest of Clarendon. Write I. D. DeJarnett, Star Route, Hale Center, Texas. (7c)

FOR SALE: Two J. I. Case planters, or will exchange for one two-row planter. Henry Dozier, Route 1, Clarendon. (7pd)

FOR SALE: Windmill—in good condition. Phone 133. (6c)

FOR SALE: Bundled feed in stack, 3 miles west on J. A. road; farming tools, horses and hogs. W. A. Holmes at Polk place in Clarendon. (7pd)

FOR SALE: Good work mule, small cream separator and almost new cultivator. Frank Hardin. (3c)

FOR SALE: Several good milk cows. E. M. Ozier. (3c)

FOR SALE: Prize Winning "Japanese Sweet" Cantaloupe seed. \$2.00 lb. Nollie Simmons. (7pd)

FOR SALE: Great Majestic range. Phone 187 evenings. (5c)

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WANTED: Young man with family needs work. By month preferred. Address Box 516, City. (7pd)

WANTED: Plain sewing. Mrs. T. M. Keener, 1018 East Third. (6pd)

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LOST: Pair horn rimmed bifocal glasses. Suitable reward for return to News. (6c)

LOST: On Main Street, Baby's tan oxford. Reward for return to News. (6c)

LOST: Child's gold beads. Return to H. C. Kerbow and get suitable reward. (6c)

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CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely appreciate all the kindness of the good people of Clarendon who so splendidly helped and sympathized with us during our recent bereavement. The kind words and deeds will always be remembered by us, and mere words cannot express our appreciation.

Mrs. H. G. Horn and children, Mrs. A. C. Muncie and other relatives. (6c)

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Robert S. McKee, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Note the change in time of opening. New classes have been added.

Morning worship at 11. Sermon by pastor, "In The Making," the topic being suggested by the fact that this is Boy Scout Sunday.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Psalm of the Redeemed."
The Deacons will meet Tuesday, Feb. 12, 7:30 p. m.

The Session will meet Thursday, Feb. 14, 7:30 p. m., with Mr. R. F. Morris.

The Circles of the Auxiliary will meet Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 3 p. m.

KNIGHT DAIRY ADDS BIG NEW DELIVERY TRUCK

Those of the milk customers of the Knight Dairy of this city have perhaps noticed the new truck being used for the distribution of this product to their doors during the past two or three days. Mr. Knight saw need for a larger truck with more weight, so he purchased one of the Graham Brothers trucks with a panel body for the purpose. Deliveries were made with the truck after Tuesday of this week, when the new machine was placed in operation.

MACDOWELL CLUB TO PRE- SENT SUNDAY MUSIC

The MacDowell Club of Clarendon will have full charge of the Sunday morning music in the Methodist Church, due to the absence of the choir director from his usual place. Miss Helen Martin, the director, states that the anthem used will be Ashford's arrangement of "He Leadeth Me." In the place ordinarily taken by the invocations, a procession will be used. A piano selection will be used in place of the usual organ offertory and all parts of the Sunday morning service will be held by some member of the MacDowell Club. It is the present plan of the organization to again appear in vestments, thus adding to the spirit of the service.

Mrs. Bascom White visited with relatives in Wellington last week, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Perry and family of Amarillo were Sunday visitors here in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. D. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gentry and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor motored to Memphis, Shamrock and McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Nored returned Sunday from Shamrock, where they had spent the week visiting with friends.

Grover C. Good of Dallas, was in Clarendon today in the interest of the Older Boys' Conference that is to be held in Childress on March 8, 9 and 10.

Miss Ola Mae Watts, who has been ill in an Amarillo hospital, was returned to her home Sunday much improved.

Duke Connolly, who has been seriously ill for sometime, was being greeted on the streets by his many friends Friday.

Fred Connolly of Amarillo was a visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom F. Connolly, Friday of last week.

Mr. J. R. Barlett and Mr. Monty Garrison of Childress transacted business in our city Thursday.

Signs and display cards. Any kind. Tyree & Decker. (6c)

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean of Antelope Flat, announce the birth of a son, Dan Nelse, on Wednesday, January 30th. At last hearing, the youngster was doing nicely.

Secretary G. L. Boykin of the Chamber of Commerce was in Amarillo Monday attending the sessions of the Panhandle Commercial Secretaries Association.

O. L. Fink returned the latter part of last week from a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth and a visit to Austin for a short stay with Kenneth and Miss Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClearen left Monday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where they will spend some time before going on to Galveston to spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Willette Cole left Monday for Pampa, where she took up her duties as Society Editor of the Pampa Daily Times after an absence of a week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cole here. Miss Cole was recuperating from a slight attack of illness and was reported much improved when she returned.

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Peanut Butter	Armour's 1 lb. Glass	.23
Baking Powders	25c K. C.	.19
Peaches	Rosedale, 2 1-2 Cans, Each	.21
Plums	Green Gage, gallon, fine for making preserves, each	.52
Raisins	4 lbs. Market Day Each	.32
Coffee	2 1-2, Folgers	1.29
Scott's Tissue	3 Rolls for	.25
Cured Hams	Half or Whole, Lb.	.28
Prepared Meats	for Veal Loaf, lb.	.22

Cat Fish and Dressed Hens For Saturday

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY
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Elgin, Waltham, Hamilton, Illinois and South Bend Watches, Ladies' Wrist Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry and Silverware offered to highest bidder at auction.

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Pay-As-You-Go Plan is Offered as Relief From Huge Road Bond Issue

LYNCH DAVIDSON PRESENTS PLAN WHEREBY ROADS CAN BE BUILT AND MAINTAINED WITHOUT VIOLATION OF CONSTITUTION OR CALLING OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION TO BUILD ROADS IN STATE. FIGURES OF OTHER ARE GIVEN.

(Statement by Lynch Davidson concerning the proposed Highway "Bond Issue.")

The framers of the Texas Constitution foresaw grave danger in the legislative branch of Government or other state agencies being empowered to commit the State to debt obligations, and expressly provided in the Constitution that it could not be done, except in cases of great emergency or disaster, and then not to exceed the sum of \$200,000.00.

I am against bond issues by the State of Texas, primarily because it violates this sound organic principle of Government—secondarily I am against it as an economic proposition for the State of Texas.

To amend the Texas constitution so that the Legislature may have the right to authorize State officials to sign the tax-payers' name to a note or notes under the high sounding title of a "bond issue," in the enormous and gigantic sum of \$350,000,000.00, or \$225,000,000.00, or \$175,000,000.00, is appalling and should not be done. Resentment over such violence to the Constitution has cropped up all over Texas, and the proponents of the State "Bond Issue" have backed and filled and trimmed on their position from \$350,000,000.00 down to \$175,000,000.00, and are indicating a lesser amount, but the Constitutional amendment offered by Senator Woodul now stands at \$225,000,000.00. The amount of the proposed "Bond Issue" is not material except for consideration as a constitutional proposition.

The cardinal issue is the breaking down of our Constitution safeguards against debt and opening the door for all kinds of debt creating legislation. Every time one of these principles of Government are destroyed it brings on unknown ills of many kinds. The Legislature remitted Galveston County's state tax at the time of the terrible storm at Galveston and perhaps properly so. The principle was immediately abused by remission of State taxes to a large tier of counties around Corpus Christi for building the deep water port at Corpus Christi. Shortly thereafter Lamar County got its State taxes remitted because of a disastrous fire at Paris, Texas. These facts I recite to show how far afield these kind of things go once a principle of Government is broken down.

It is a serious question whether public authorities of any character, municipal, County or State, should be empowered to sign the names of the tax-payers of the State to debt making obligations of any kind in huge sums such as now proposed.

A business institution that borrows money for the purpose of making profit and out of the profits pay interest charges and retire the principal of the debt is not to be compared with a political or Governmental entity that borrows money with no purpose or possibility of profit making. Such Governmental entity does not and cannot make profits, but must ride the taxpayers with spurs to get the money to pay interest on its borrowings or debt, as well as to retire the principal.

If the question is considered from the standpoint of financing it is equally unsound. Not taking into consideration administrative expenses of the Highway Department, the detailed figures, based on present registration fees, proposed common carriers, gross income and 4c gasoline tax, and deducting from the income for payment of \$60,000,000.00 County road bonds and the proposed \$225,000,000.00 State "bond issue," based on paying the principal of both at 5 per cent per annum and interest at 5 per cent per annum, and estimating the cost of roads \$30,000.00 per mile, would bring about the following results:

In 10 years under the "pay-as-you-go" plan, there would be constructed 10,332 miles of road. Under the "bond plan" there would be constructed 13,621 miles of road. In 10 years the "bond

plan" would construct 3,281 miles more than the "pay-as-you-go" plan.

Under the "pay-as-you-go" plan the above figures show at the end of 12 1-2 years, there would be constructed practically the same amount of mileage as the "bond plan" would produce in 10 years.

Interest on the State bonds, under the bond plan, to the period of their retirement is \$107,000,000.00. The figures therefore show, to get 3,281 miles of road 12 1-2 years sooner under the bond plan, than could be gotten under the "pay-as-you-go" plan, would cause the estimated construction cost of \$30,000.00 per mile, would cause the 3,281 miles of road to cost \$62,200.00 per mile.

Interest charges would make all the road built under the "bond plan" during the first 10 years cost \$7,850.00 per mile more than the road built under the "pay-as-you-go" plan during the same period of time.

The bond plan, at about the 15 1-2 year period would produce 17,367 miles. The "pay-as-you-go" plan would produce substantially the same amount of mileage. Interest charges alone, and only on State bonds, would add to the cost approximately \$6,200.00 per mile more on the 17,360 miles than substantially the same amount of mileage built under the "pay-as-you-go" plan, within the same period of time.

After the first 10 years real trouble begins. The 11th year under the "bond issue plan" would build 625 miles of road, and under the "pay-as-you-go" plan 1,239 miles of road, and the comparison shows worse year by year thereafter.

The towns and cities in Texas of any consequence are located upon the railways of the State. It is manifest that our major and cardinal highway system to reach these same towns and cities will follow more or less the routes of our railways and because of cross-country short cuts, will call for somewhat more mileage than the railway mileage of Texas. Texas now has approximately 18,000 miles of cardinal highways; 8,500 of them of the sand and clay topped variety, calling for some considerable improvement. Even this part of our highway system however, can be traveled over in all kinds of weather as fast probably as automobiles ought to run. For a period of 10 years highway construction, we have not done so bad, nor are we far from having mapped out and far along towards completion, highway mileage to the railway mileage of the state.

Including side-tracks there are 18,000 miles of railways in Texas, so that our highway system in mileage is substantially close to the railway mileage.

If the Constitutional amendment were submitted and carried, it would take at least two years to get the necessary legislation to make it effective. A 4c gasoline tax is proposed, and if it becomes a law, the use of the funds therefrom would immediately become available.

The penitentiary system is a serious problem. If such portion of the penitentiary population as are physically fit, and a 4c gasoline were so used, and a 4c gasoline



WHAT DR. CALDWELL LEARNED IN 47 YEARS PRACTICE

A physician watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the system and is not habit forming. Syrup Pepsin is pleasant-tasting, and youngsters love it.

Dr. Caldwell did not approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for anybody's system. In a practice of 47 years he never saw any reason for their use when Syrup Pepsin will empty the bowels just as promptly. Do not let a day go by without a bowel movement. Do not sit and hope, but go to the nearest druggist and get one of the generous bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

UNDER THE DOME

By United Press

Austin, Texas, Feb. 6.—With a foot-ruler in hand, and a resolute will, an investigation—investigations being in order this legislative session—was conducted through the halls of the Texas Legislature to find a girl whose heels are not over an inch high.

This activity was inspired by Rep. Sam Gaset, from Kung. The gentleman from Kung started a noise in the legislature—which was caused by representatives hastily removing their respective feet from their desks—by introducing a bill that if it could have gotten into the law books would have made a misdemeanor for anyone to wear heels more than an inch in height.

Now this misdemeanor would not have been simply a black mark on one's report card. It would have had authority in the form of a \$25 fine.

And to make bad matters worse, to stand convicted of wearing high heels would not give one a permit to wear them. The city, county or state treasurer would get richer for each recurrent offense.

But to get back to the main subject. This bit of proposed legislation gave one reporter a backache.

And if this self-appointed measure had not been of the same gender as the owners of the objects measured, there is no doubt that the city jail would have had another roomer—which would at least have been one way of solving the roosting problem in Austin.

As it was, the poor reporter who never got her eyes above the feminine ankles for several hours and who pursued several likely wearers of the objects sought with "hey, lady, let me measure your heel," heard some remarks to the effect that the wielder of the ruler had suddenly gone goofy.

The work of the fourth, but unsanctioned legislative probe could be put over easily in the House of Representatives where there so many side-shows going on that one can set up a racket of one's own and not get much attention without having a good barker.

But the Senate is more sparsely settled. Activities in that region had to be conducted in psychological moments. Senators had a way of looking dubious when they heard their secretaries requested to "put out your foot and let's have a look at your heel." Force of habit compelled them to demand an explanation.

Furthermore, Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller, who as president of the Senate is so anxious to get some more law made that he is opposed

tax collected, there would exist no necessity for a bond issue, and our cardinal highway system would be constructed as rapidly as it should be to get efficient and practical results in construction.

to the Senators having Saturday off, has sharp eyes, a quick tongue, a sense of humor, and too much curiosity for anyone doing something contrary to accepted parliamentary procedure to feel entirely comfortable.

That the heel estimator escaped getting sent back to the press table by a pound of the gavel that often sends wandering Senators back to their seats shows heretofore unsuspected sleuthing powers.

Heels after heels, Satin, snake-skin, patent leather, calf-skin, kid shoes, black brown and grey 200 pairs of shoes whose owners were about the capitol that afternoon submitted to the measuring rod. Among these were the two lady law-makers in the house.

One of these, Mrs. Helen Moore of Texas City, would have violated the law by two inches, and Mrs. L. B. Negley of San Antonio, would have been guilty by one inch. Miss Ovet Culp, parliamentarian in the house, would likewise have drawn a fine.

Coming across Rep. Gates, his heel was put to the test, and it was found that he would not have been a victim of his own law.

Heels, heels! The investigating committee of one began muttering without even apologies to Kipling: "Shoes, shoes, moving up and down."

Finally as the sun began to set—the act being obscured by the cloudy skies and rain, the legislature's unappointed investigator slunk glass-eyed and muscle-wearing back into the engrossing room in the house.

"Eureka!" A girl wearing heels within the proposed law was found. When the reporter was revived, it was learned that the girl's name is Miss Vida G. Harmon and she lives in Austin.

Success breeds success, someone said to that effect. And sure enough, it worked here, for down the hall was found another wearer of heels not quite an inch in height.

Her name is Miss Kirtley Thatcher. By profession she deals in insurance and her postoffice address is likewise Austin.

Both declared that they wear inch-heels, flat as golf shoes, from choice. They both feel that low heels are more comfortable and more healthful—the theories of the exponent of the proposed bill.

In giving the upper house the last once-over, it might be construed that the Senate is on high heels. The nearest approach to a non-law violator is Mrs. Hugh Harris, of Temple. Her heels are an inch and a fourth. She is the assistant journal clerk.

But what was not learned about feminine heels.

For instance, approximately 125 out of 200 girls and women wear walking shoes. With the exception of about four instances, the

rest wear high heel shoes measuring three inches. The exceptions would have to pay about \$50 in fines if one called it \$25 to the inch.

And then—the committee on public health killed the bill.

College Station, Texas, Feb. 6.—A large squad of Texas Aggie diamond aspirants is expected to be on hand to greet Coach Bob Countryman when the work of moulding the 1929 Texas Aggie baseball nine gets underway this week. More than forty men have announced their intention of getting into the race for berths on the varsity nine and several more are expected to be added to the list when practice starts.

Several candidates, who are now members of the varsity basketball team, will not be released for duty with the baseball squad until the close of the cage season early in March.

TRI-STATE FAIR IS SET FOR SEPTEMBER 21-28

September 21 to 28 are the dates of the annual Tri-State Fair and Exposition, according to announcement made yesterday by Wilbur Hawk, president.

The dates were set at a recent meeting of fair officials from all sections of the southwest. The Tri-State fair will precede the South Plains fair at Lubbock and the San Angelo exposition will follow the Lubbock fair.

A meeting of the entire directorate of the Tri-State fair has been called for next Wednesday, February 6, at 4 o'clock at the Board of City development offices.

Much interest is being shown in the fair and a number of the larger exhibitors have already written asking for the dates in order that they may make plans to send their herds here.

The Wortham Shows, largest carnival company in the world, have already been contracted for their year's exposition.

WHY YOUR STOMACH GRUMBLES

Your stomach "grumbles" because it tries to tell you it is out of order. Heed its warning, for although the trouble may not yet be serious, it is often the forerunner of severe gastritis and stomach ulcers.

Nine times out of ten indigestion and allied stomach disorders are due to excess stomach acid, which impedes normal digestion and forms sour gases that cause intense pain.

To restore good digestion you must eliminate this cause. A tablet of "Pape's Diapepsin" after eating or when pain is felt will instantly neutralize the acidity and banish all digestive trouble and pain.

Get a 60-cent package of "Pape's Diapepsin" today, for it not only brings instant relief, but by soothing, healing and strengthening your weak and disordered stomach "Pape's Diapepsin" keeps your digestive system healthy and helps to prevent further disorders.

There are many reasons for the ease of steering the new Ford



THE new Ford is exceptionally easy to steer because of the well-proportioned weight of the car, the steel-spoke wheels, the co-ordinated design of springs and shock absorbers, the size and design of the steering wheel, and the simple mechanical construction of the steering gear.

The Ford steering gear is of the worm and sector type used on high-priced cars and is three-quarter irreversible.

In simple, non-technical language, this means that the car responds easily and quickly to the steering wheel, yet there is no danger of the wheel being jerked from the hands of the driver by ruts or bumps in the road. A light touch guides the car, yet you always have that necessary feel-of-the-road so essential to good driving.

Strength of materials and careful workmanship give unusual stability to the Ford steering gear and housing.

The steering worm, for instance, is splined to the steering worm shaft and is stronger, of course, than if a single key were used to hold

the shaft and worm together. The steering worm sector is forged and machined in the same piece with its shaft.

The housing of the steering gear mechanism is made of three steel forgings, electrically welded together. This housing is then electrically welded to the steering column. Such a one-piece steel unit is naturally much sturdier than if several parts were used and bolted or riveted together.

Throughout, the new Ford steering mechanism is so simple in design and so carefully made that it requires practically no attention.

The only thing for you to do is to have the front steering spindles, spindle connecting rods, and drag link lubricated every 500 miles and the steering gear lubricated every 2000 miles.

For this work, you will find it best to consult the Ford dealer. He has been specially trained and equipped to help you get the greatest possible use from your car over the longest period of time at a minimum of trouble and expense.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

OUR WANT ADS. GET RESULTS



ALL THE WORLD RECORD WINNERS

Can't Be Wrong!

One make of tire stands first in every official test of endurance, safety, and speed—all the greatest world-record winners ride on

Firestone

Read the records—they tell you what tire to buy. The most powerful road-gripping tread ever put on a tire is put on a Firestone

—with the foundation of Firestone Gum-Dipping beneath. The result is a tire that is giving longer service—standing more hard driving—delivering greater mileage than tires ever gave before. No wonder we urge you to buy Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires and get most miles per dollar.

Keep That Youthful Look



You look years younger once you have your beauty work done by such experts as you find at

Mitchell's Barber and Beauty Shop

NEWS' WEEKLY
COTTON LETTERMARKET UNCHANGED.
DEMAND INDIFFERENT

Price fluctuations during the week of Jan. 26th to Feb. 1st were narrow with quotations Feb. 1st about unchanged from those of Jan. 25th. Demand from both domestic and foreign markets was rather indifferent with comparatively small turnover. Some reports indicated spinners not in market excepting for cotton to fill immediate needs. Notwithstanding indifferent demand the basis for both short and premium staple cotton was reported advanced. According to Weather Bureau the past week was unusually cold and outside work continued delayed in some sections account of wet soil. Exports to Feb. 1st were about 5.7 million bales compared with about 4.7 the same period a year ago. From August 1st to Jan. 31st, 1929, middling spot cotton at ten designated markets averaged 18.59. There has been so far this season a firm demand for cotton of 15-16 to 1-32 staple which has been reflected in higher prices received by growers in localities regular producing cotton such lengths. Quotations middling, 7-8 inch, Feb. 1st: Norfolk, 19.13; Augusta, 19.60; Savannah, 19.09; Montgomery, 18.35; New Orleans, 18.88; Memphis, 18.50; Little Rock, 18.28; Dallas, 18.25; Houston, 18.85; Galveston, 18.95. Average these ten markets Feb. 1st, 18.71, compared with 18.71 Jan. 25th and 16.81 for the corresponding day last year. Sales for the week in the ten markets were rather light amounting to 73,357 bales compared with 92,216 a week ago and 83,459 a year ago. March future contracts for the week at New York were unchanged, 19.82; at New Orleans, advanced 2 points to 19.17 and at Chicago unchanged at 19.30. Certified stocks February 1st: New York 70,516 bales, New Orleans 22,747, Houston 46,009, Galveston 71,466.

INVESTMENT

Who pays for the advertising carried by your firm? That is, who eventually pays? Does your firm really pay for it—or, is it the dealer who handles your products, or perhaps, the public.

Neither your firm, nor the dealer who handles your products, nor the public pays for the advertising. If you will reason it out, you will find that it is your competitor who thinks he can get along without advertising, who really pays for your advertising.

What your firm wins in sales volume, your competitor loses, doesn't he? Therefore, he is the one who eventually pays.

Some ill-informed dealers think that advertising makes part of their profit, and try to beat the game by handling unadvertised merchandise which they may sell at lower prices. They do not stop to consider that by handling these practically unknown articles they are actually throwing business to competitors who do handle advertised lines.

Too many persons put advertising down as an expense. Advertising, if rightly placed where it will reach those whom it is desired to reach, is an excellent investment which is sure to bring results. But a firm must be a consistent advertiser to get results. Nothing can be expected if hit-and-miss methods are employed. Advertising must be planned in terms of a definite and complete campaign. The amount of money to be used, the length of time of the campaign, the methods, all have to be carefully decided, and the final results will depend largely on the strict adherence to the original plan.

Whenever you meet a "doubting Thomas" give him this bigger vision of advertising and its function. Have your subject so well in mind that you can trace a graphic picture which he never will forget. Demonstrate to him how he can build a more profitable business by handling your advertised lines. Thereafter he will be your good customer.—Meredith's Merchandising Advertising.

"Of one thing I am more positive than I was even forty years ago—the electrical development of America has only well begun," writes Thomas A. Edison in a foreword to a recently published book.

PERFECTION

ACCOMPLISHED
BE CERTAIN

You are getting all the satisfaction possible in your permanent wave. We can set your wave by any of four methods, all of which have been found to be the very best to be found. With the permanent wave season at hand, you should make your appointment now and be assured you will not be disappointed when you need the wave.

Whitlock's Barber Shop
Phone 546

ITEMS OF INTEREST IN DONLEY

LELIA LAKE

Miss Dora Kelly of Brice came Saturday for a visit with friends. Miss Verue Leathers of Canyon spent the week-end with home-folks.

Miss Corda Holland of Hedley was with home-folks for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp and Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Goodnight visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kinch Leathers Sunday.

Miss Mabel Tucker of Memphis is with Mrs. Lee Muse this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis left Tuesday evening for Dublin to be with his mother, who is ill.

Mrs. Will Walling returned Sunday from Cleburne where she visited with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow of Martin spent Tuesday here with her sister, Mrs. Wallace Walling.

Mrs. Otis Smith was moved home from a Memphis sanitarium Sunday. At present Mrs. Smith is in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.

The Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John Gerner as hostess. Poultry was the subject of discussion, led by Mrs. Guy Taylor. Refreshments were served to eight members and two visitors, Miss Grady of Clarksville and Mrs. Carter.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. C. G. Knox the third Monday in February.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid returned Wednesday from an extended stay with their children at Oklahoma City.

Pleasant Valley

Mrs. S. T. Clayton entertained with a birthday party Sunday for her son, Roy. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clayton and daughter, Geraldine; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey and children, Frank Taylor and Edna Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Odos Naylor and son, Robert Henry; Mrs. Osborne and little daughter of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mahaffey of California.

Mrs. Lee Singletary and Miss Oma Morris spent Monday with Henrietta Longan.

Mrs. Longan visited Mrs. John Goodson Monday.

Tom Corder spent Saturday night with the home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Singletary, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Morris and Miss Oma Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and Miss Ruby Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Palmer spent Sunday in the Hugh Riley home.

Lewis Youree is visiting in the Lamberson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Youree of Hedley and Mrs. Woodley of Shamrock visited in the Lamberson home Sunday.

Mr. Beach and two sons from Wichita Falls spent several days in the Robinson home last week.

GOLDSTON

Sunday school was attended by a large crowd last Sunday, after which Rev. Lawson of Hedley preached.

We have had some very cold weather for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Veazy and children left last week for Happy, where they will make their future home.

Howard Stewart visited home-folks last Sunday and also attended Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and children are moving to the Texas coast this week.

Mrs. McClude and children of Alameda visited with Mr. and Mrs. Nanny last week.

A good sized crowd attended singing at H. M. Stewart's Sunday night.

Sunday school class number one entertained class number two Saturday night. A large crowd was in attendance. Sandwiches, apples, coffee, and chocolate were served and all seemed to have a very pleasant time.

H. Zeigler and children of Clarendon attended Sunday school here Sunday afternoon.

A good many are finishing picking cotton.

PANHANDLE SCHOOL HEADS ASSIST IN COLONIZATION

School children of the Panhandle section of the state will soon have the opportunity of conducting a campaign of publicity with their mates in the states of Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska. This was made public the fore part of this week in a letter from the Panhandle-Plains of Texas, Incorporated, which body is endeavoring to start a movement for the colonization of the unsettled parts of the Panhandle with diversification above. A number of schools have okayed the proposition and others are expected to follow directly in line as the movement takes on further weight. Superintendent H. T. Burton of the Clarendon Public School system has promised his assistance, as Clarendon Hatley of the Brice school.

The plan calls for letters to be written by students of the Panhandle schools to students of like schools in the states of Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska, giving the products of this section and other information that is of interest to residents in those three states. The idea is to secure the interest of the younger people and they will in turn pass the information direct to the heads of the various families reached. The correspondence is to be started in the very near future.

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that all of the J. A. Pastures are posted, and hunting, trapping or fishing is not permitted and all trespassers will be prosecuted. J. W. KENT, Supt.

SHORT COURSE AT
TECH PERMANENTFIRST SUCCESS AND WILL
BE MADE SPRING ANNUAL EVENT.

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 4.—The first annual Farm Short Course held under the auspices of the School of Agriculture of Texas Technological College was a marked success and it will be held each year. Approximately 500 of the leading farmers and livestock men from a wide area attended. The program included about twenty addresses by agricultural and livestock experts upon questions of special interest to the farmers of the Plains country. It is expected that with such a good start the attendance next year will be more than doubled.

The first day was featured by a luncheon for all attendees by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. In making the welcoming address President Paul W. Horn emphasized the fact that Texas Technological belongs to the people of Texas and that all the facilities of the institution are available in aiding the farmers. "There is no reason," he said, "why the state should confine all of its educational advantages to youth. Most of the time is engaged in making a living, but education never ceases. A man should not stop his education when he is young. It should begin at the cradle and extend to the time of death. It is possible for everybody to learn to do things a little better."

With special reference to agriculture, President Horn said that no man can say, "This is the way it should be done." Such a situation would lead to a decline, he said, and added: "New conditions are continually arising. The methods used in the Southern states and on the Plains are different. We can remember the time when the people looked upon the Plains country as being unfit for agriculture, but now it has been proved to be the best agricultural section in the country. But problems are constantly arising and will continue to arise, and that is why we are coming together in a farmers' short course to study these problems."

"It is the glory of the College to share in this particular work. It wants to help in the development of the land and help make farm life better. Texas Technological College is at the service of the people. It is co-operating with Texas A. & M., with the railroads, and with the State Department of Agriculture. A large proportion of our student body comes from farm homes. The best students that we have come from

CALIFORNIA MOTORCADE IS
POSTPONED INDEFINITELY

Stamford, Feb. 4.—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce agricultural motorcade to California which was postponed from January 15 to February 2, is being postponed again, this time on account of the illness of several of the farmers, poultrymen, and dairymen who had made reservations.

Out of thirty-five or more farmers who wanted to make the trip sponsored by the agricultural department of the regional or ganization twenty-five were signed up. At this time about half of them are ill with flu. The trip will be undertaken when the flu subsides.

The geographic center of Texas is in McCulloch County, 10 miles northeast of Brady.

farm homes, and they have first-hand information of problems at which we are working. Anything the College can do to co-operate with them will be considered an honor to the College."

SAVE WITH SAFETY
AT
The Rexall Store

VALENTINES

We have a complete showing of Valentines. See them before you buy.

Valentine and George Washington Tallies and Napkins.

If we do not have what you want we shall be glad to get it.

Douglas-Goldston
Drug Co.

The Rexall Store

HIGH QUALITY

In all kinds of meat bought in our Market whether it be Pork, in any style cut, Beef or Lamb. Chesapeake Bay oysters are the best to be found anywhere.

OUR OVEN BAKED MEATS ARE DELICIOUS.

CASTLEBERRY'S MARKET

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SPRING CLEANING

Will bring many items to light that have been overlooked in the past few months. In cleaning your safe, be certain to see that your Insurance policies are in effect and that they are sufficient to meet your needs.

IF NOT—SEE US AT ONCE.

KENT & MERCHANT

We Insure Anything Insurable
PHONE 526

Producers of The
Worlds Greatest Rodeo
Come To Cuero
FOR THEIR BOOTS

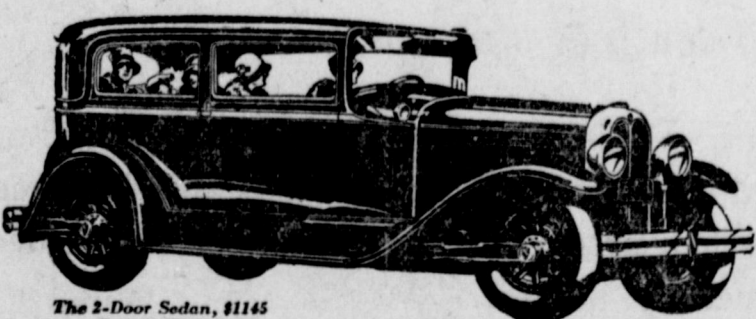
O. D. Dyer, Cuero bootmaker, whose hand made boots are worn by State Ranger Captain Ross Sterling and Walton D. Hood, past commander of the American Legion, won further distinction for his skill and for Cuero, Saturday, when W. T. Johnson, producer of the World's championship rodeo and the National Legion Convention, his son W. T. Jr., and his assistant, W. W. Weatherford of Marfa, drove down from San Antonio to have their measurements taken for four pairs of new boots. The order totaled \$181.50, Dyer said.

Johnson announced while in Cuero his next great rodeo would be staged next July at Indianapolis, when scores of the world's greatest riders will compete. His exhibition last October was one of the features of the National Convention of The American Legion in San Antonio—Cuero Record.

Mr. Dyer is formerly of Clarendon, learning the boot business under two of Texas' (West) most noted boot makers, Arlo Hendricks and his father, W. B. Dyer, when the two were in the business here in 1911. I now have a few samples of Mr. Dyer's boots and can take your measure for them, they must fit or you owe me nothing.

Write

O. D. Dyer or Harry Ruddell
Cuero, Texas Clarendon, Texas

THE MOST
SURPRISING THING
ABOUT IT
Is the Price

The 2-Door Sedan, \$1145
Body by Fisher

All America is being captivated by the New Oakland All-American. By its vivid new style and voguish new beauty. By its surging power, its flashing pick-up and speed... What an opportunity for motor car buyers... a car of All-American quality for as little as \$1145! Considering its magnificent new bodies by Fisher... the most surprising thing about it is the price.

Prices \$1145 to \$1375, f. o. b. factory, plus delivery charges. Lovejoy Hydraulic Shock Absorbers and spring covers included in list prices. Bumpers and rear fender guards extra. Check Oakland delivered prices—they include lowest handling charges. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

JOHNSON-MAHAFFEY MOTOR CO.

A NEW
ALL-AMERICAN SIX
BY OAKLAND

New
Modes for
the Spring
Style Parade

Along comes spring with a profusion of new designs, smart exclusive fabrics and unusual trimming details. They meet the demands of youth and the new season—these Printzess "Travelures" which have just arrived to take their place so correctly in the parade of Spring fashions. Paris influences inspired them and as a result they represent the best in fashion.

Hanna-Pope & Co.

ASSOCIATED STORES

LION ATTENDANCE IS NEAR PERFECT

ONE UNPREVENTABLE ABSENCE WILL PROBABLY BE MADE UP THIS WEEK.

One Lion absent from his place due to a death in his family kept the Clarendon Lions from enjoying a hundred per cent attendance at the Luncheon Tuesday of this week. A number of the members were a little late and the group leaders were becoming a trifle apprehensive as they watched for the missing Lions. Lion Burton could not be present due to the death of his wife's father at Deatur. A telegram of condolence was authorized by the club.

Lion Braswell announced the date of the Style Show as March 21st unless some changes should arise to prevent its taking place at that time. The ready co-operation of the merchants was reported and a good spirit was found to be present for the matter to be taken in hand.

Lion Patman reported the receipts of a Money Order in the amount of \$5.00 to be applied as interest to the note owed by Harry Gore. This brings this total to \$20.00 now on hand with \$60.00 loaned to one boy in the city and another note of \$100.00 due this winter.

The program committee announced a real treat for next Tuesday when Lion McKee will deliver an address pertaining to Lincoln's Birthday, which falls on the coming luncheon date of the club.

The committee with the Boy Scout matters in hand reported that these matters were well attended and that the basement of the First Christian Church had been secured in which to hold the meeting following the meal. The committee plans to eat the evening repast in the open if the weather will permit but arrangements to this end have been completed if the weather is too inclement to allow the serving of the meal out of doors.

A letter was read from the San Angelo Lions asking for the support of Clarendon club for the 1930 convention. The Secretary was authorized to write that the Clarendon delegation would go un-instructed.

The introduction and initiation of Lion Cub Garrison was deferred to next Tuesday when it was learned that other matters were coming up for discussion of the club.

Lion Cooner stated that the College had recently been examined by Mr. Reed of the State Department of Education. Junior College Department and that seven fully recognized departments were now in full operation in the school. Another examination is to be made this week by Mr. Gordon for the association of colleges of the state.

Lion Patrick then told the club of the shipments of cream by express from this city, stating that an average of seven cans daily had been shipped from here during the month of January, one of the lightest months of the year. The value of this was approximately \$12.00 per can, bringing a net total of \$2,500 monthly. This total amounts to \$30,000 yearly and will be more when production rises to a greater figure than this.

MARTINS HANG UP RECORD ON COUNTY COTTON YIELD

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Martin of the Lelia Lake community were in Clarendon Tuesday and called pleasantly at the News office to get a little correction noted on the story of their fine record in diversified farming carried in last week's issue of this paper.

Last week's story said that the Martins produced seventy-five bales of cotton in 1928 on 120 acres of land, which would be pretty fair in anybody's county, but the facts in the case is this: They raised 122 bales and 1280 pounds of cotton on 120 acres—a record hard to surpass and one that still further marks the Martins as a family of hard and intelligent workers. They made that record yield with no hired labor with the exception of pickers in the gathering season. Another little error in the story was the statement that Mr. and Mrs. Martin had no car in 1928. They did, and those six cows bore the expense of the car upkeep along with the other family expenses.

Mrs. Martin is the bookkeeper for the family and admits that she does a pretty heavy share of the farm work as well as take care of her household duties. The Martins declare that they are going to raise 150 bales on the 120 acres in 1929, season permitting—and from the look of determination in their faces, they mean it, too. Another thing—they do not intend to give up those dairy cows, either. They know the basis of their family living, crops or no crops.

NEW ATTORNEY TO ENTER BUSINESS WITH PORTER

The information was broadcast the latter part of last week that a new legal firm was in the office for Clarendon since the arrival of Ralph Powell Porter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter of this city. Rumor had it that a new legal combination would be formed almost at once and that business was expected to pick up at a great rate. The late arrival has not yet stated his plans for the future although his father has offered him to several firms for employment. At last account Mrs. Porter and the baby were both doing well.

Lion Patrick also mentioned that he had assisted two tenant farmers to secure two dairy cows each.

Lion Stewart suggested that the merchants practice the same tactics as the bankers in extending credit to farmers in asking the number of dairy cows, hogs and chickens owned when credit is desired. A recent example of this was found when a local banker refused a loan on the ground that the farmer had none of the afore named stock when all other things pointed to the securing of the desired loan.

Lion Mulkey suggested that the Lions visit the new bottling works immediately after the luncheon and see exactly what made the wheels go round.

The announcement of the birth of a son to the family of Judge and Mrs. J. R. Porter was made and duly acclaimed by all the Lions.

The pastorate of the club again attempted to take matters in their own hands, but the time of the luncheon was held to prescribed limit of one hour by the consistent efforts of Boss Lion Chase to keep order. Adjournment as usual.

TWO DAYS FREE DEMONSTRATION

FIELD REPRESENTATIVE TO DEMONSTRATE ABILITY OF FARM TRACTOR.

A two-day demonstration of the Farmall Tractor is to be held in the Queen Theater in Clarendon beginning with Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when a film will be shown, together with a lecture, giving the salient features of this machine as adapted to farming without the use of a horse on the farm. The demonstration will give especial emphasis to the row crop farm instead of the wheat farm, where the power of the tractor has already been demonstrated.

The film Friday will give a detailed description of the building of the various parts of the machinery and their assembly, carrying the onlooker through the factory and finally giving actual pictures of the tractor in the field. The demonstration has been arranged for by the firm of Watson & Antrobus and the Queen Theater has been given through the courtesy of Homer Mulkey in the interests of better farm methods in the county. The idea is to convey a message of production of greater crops with less overhead expense, thus increasing the profits to be derived from the farm.

On Saturday, the demonstration will be continued in the field of Mr. C. T. McClenny, in the eastern part of the city, just south of the stock pens. Work will be started at 10:00 o'clock and will continue all day. This demonstration will be of interest since the actual work of listing, planting and cultivating will be shown with the machine in action. The spectators will be allowed the privilege of handling the machine themselves if they care to do so, thus showing its ease of operation and the work possible for the machine.

There is to be no charge for any of the entertainment offered the people of the county. The show will be opened in sufficient time to allow the crowd to gather before the lecture and the picture is started. The film will be of interest to the entire family and other features may be added to make it of even greater interest than at present.

In looking over the list of 200 farms that are wholly operated by machinery in the United States, it is very interesting to note that almost one half of these, 89 to be exact, are found in Texas. The others are divided among the other forty seven states of the Union.

SCOUT FILM TO BE GIVEN HERE ALL NEXT WEEK

A trailer amounting to approximately 100 feet has been secured for the use in the local theaters, showing the work and growth of Boy Scout work in the Southeast Panhandle Council. This trailer was secured through the efforts of I. E. Jolly, Scout Executive for this Council and will be retained for use following the Anniversary week of the Scout organization. The film will also be shown in connection with the pictures presented Friday at the Queen in conjunction with the Farmall demonstration.

SECRETARIAL SCREENINGS

Clarendon Chamber of Commerce
G. L. BOYKIN, Secretary

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce in the interest of the land owners of Donley County and in co-operation with other Chambers of Commerce in the Panhandle has sent several telegrams to the Legislature at Austin urging it to pass the Small and Story bills. A petition was circulated in town Saturday evening to which 150 names were signed, and it also was forwarded to the Honorable Cecil Story, who is sponsoring these bills in the house. The local Chamber is always ready to serve in such capacity and when it fails to observe the need of any such action is only too glad to have it called to our minds. We have taken in several new members in our interest in the above matter.

The Secretaries and directors of the Chambers of Commerce of the Panhandle met in Amarillo last Monday in what might be called a one-day school. It is good to get the business men who are leaders and supporters of these Chambers to meet together and discuss the problems of their towns. I am sure every man present at the meeting appreciated the frank and clear talks given by the respective men in regards to some of our most difficult problems. There is a world of help to be had at such meetings for

both Secretaries and Board Directors.

Don't forget the Short Course next Monday and Tuesday. It will not drag but will be full of pep and have something doing all the time the programs last. We have some of the best talent in the nation coming to us free of charge. Lets turn out to the meetings. The meeting is for business men and farmers alike. It is a community meeting.

CLUB NOTES

The Chamberlain Home Demonstration Club met in regular session on Thursday, January 31 with five members present. Four visitors from Lelia Lake also took part in the work of the day. The vice president presided over the meeting in the absence of the president. No minutes were read covering the preceding meeting.

Poultry raising was the interesting subject discussed at this meeting, being much more interesting due to the fact that flocks are being planned for the coming months.

The next meeting is to be held in the home of Mrs. Roy Beverly on February 7th.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH (Episcopal)

L. L. Swan, Rector.
No service next Sunday, February 10th.

Church school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m.
Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, February 13th, will be observed by a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:00 a. m.



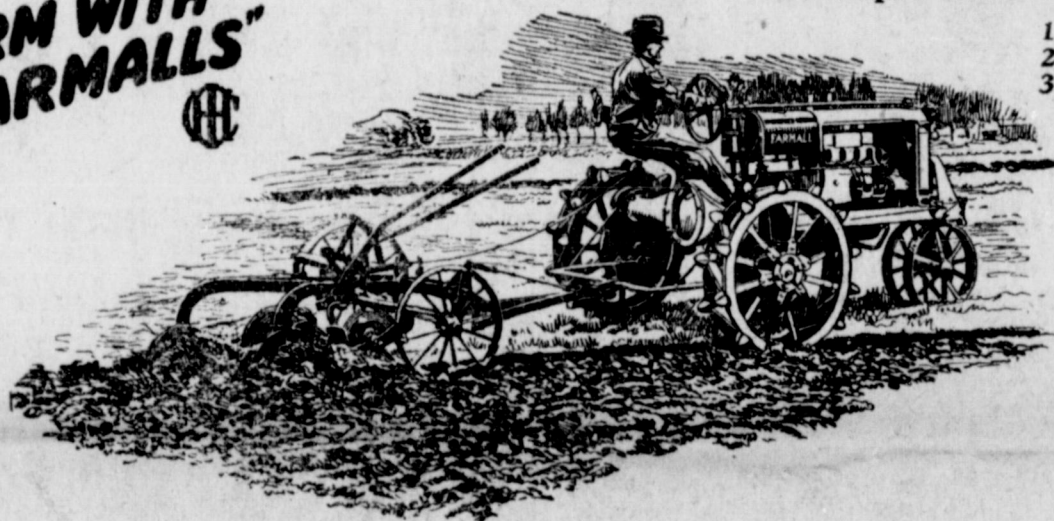
"Shirts and Shorts"

Correctly styled underwear made in the latest and most approved two-piece styles. Shirts plain knitted, or ribbed in cotton or rayon. Shorts of broadcloth patterned to meet the demands of the man who likes the best. Price ranges to fit every need.

You Just Know They're Wilson Brothers.

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"FARM WITH FARMALLS"



A Triple-Power Tractor

1. Drawbar
2. Belt
3. Power Take-Off

Plowing-Tilling-Planting-Cultivating
You can do it all with a TEXAS FARMALL

See this Machine in Operation in the Field

Saturday, Feb. 9th, on C. T. McClenny farm in the east edge of Clarendon, just south of stock pens

We are putting on this demonstration for the benefit of those farmers who are interested in Improved Farm Methods and Equipment and who are trying to increase their production and at the same time decrease their cost per acre for production.

Row Crop Tractor Farming

Is no longer an experiment, but a proven success. See this machine in action, drive it yourself, ask questions about it.

Lets make this a Real Tractor Party. Eventually you will motorize your farm. Why not start now?

Watson & Antrobus

Clarendon

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M SYSTEM

"Saves for the Nation"

Specials for Friday and Saturday		
Coffee	Apasco, 3-lb. Can 2 Glasses Free	\$1.39
Lemons	Nice Size Dozen	.25
Oranges	288 Size, Full of Juice, Dozen	.25
Macaroni	or Spaghetti, 4 Packages	.25
Peaches	Dried, Good Grade, Pound	.12 1-2
Matches	Cresent, 6 Boxes	.18
Lettuce	Extra Fancy, 4 Dozen Size, Each	.10
Lye	Babbitt Per Can	.10

Through the farm, the home, the store, the market, the city, the country, the world, the M System saves for the Nation.