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NATIONAL GUARDS SECURE THE PICKLE BUILDING FOR NEW HOME

A FEW MORE MEN NEEDED TO BRING THE ORGANIZATION TO ITS FULL STRENGTH

HORSES WILL BE STABLED AT FAIR PARK

The Building Will Be Finished and Arranged Inside and Out for the Special Use of the Battery As An Armory, and Occupation Is Expected By the First of June.

The building across the street from the Post office now being constructed by Geo. W. Pickle, has been leased by the Government as the future home of Battery C, 131st Field Artillery, Texas National Guard, which was recently organized here.

The building is of brick construction, fireproof, and modern throughout, will be very attractive in appearance both inside and out, and will be fully equipped as a home and club room for the membership of the Battery.

The interior will be divided into three compartments, with movable partitions so that the entire building can very easily be thrown into one large auditorium, which can be used for many purposes. The front portion will be used as a lobby and club rooms which will be for the exclusive use of the membership. The second compartment will consist of locker rooms containing lockers for the individual equipment of the men, also will contain full gymnasium equipment for calisthenic exercises of boys when desired, same being very essential in an organization of this kind. The back department will be known as the ordnance room and will be used for the artillery pieces and the heavy equipment of the battery. Shower baths and all modern conveniences will be installed. A collapsible, or movable stage, 20x20 will be placed in the rear, two rooms for officers will be furnished, one for commissioned officers and the other for non-commissioned above the porch in the front of the building.

The building and full equipment of the organization will be strictly under military guard, and no loafing or gambling will be tolerated. This is an organization into which the best manhood of the town should be honored, and proud of the privilege to enter.

The building is now well under way, and it is expected that occupation can be had of it by the first of June, and by that time the Battery will be in full swing. Arrangements are being made to stable the horses at the Fair Park, but a few changes will necessarily have to be made in the present arrangement of the stables.

The annual payroll of the Battery will be something between $17,000 and $18,000, exclusive of the feed for forty head of large draft horses, which will be bought locally. All of these expenses are paid by the Federal Government, and the City of Lubbock is very fortunate indeed in having secured this organization, speaking merely from a financial standpoint. Then does not the proper training of the future manhood of the Nation mean something? The National Guard has been properly called the second line of defense of the Nation.

The minimum of men to carry on the work of the organization has been enlisted, but a few more are needed to bring the Battery up to full strength. Very few requirements are made of the men, they only being compelled to drill for a period of an hour and a half each week. And at some time in the summer they are subject to orders from the higher officials for approximately fifteen days training at some central point in the state, where they will possibly compete with other Batteries. They are on the same pro-rata pay as a man in the standing army, and subject to all the privileges granted him, but at the same time are under much less restriction.

Rumors have gone the rounds, as they naturally will in army routine, the most humorous of which is that the Battery will, as soon as fully equipped, be ordered out to the border to keep down disturbances there. This rumor is unfounded and foolish for the reason that the United States is now at peace with the world, and rumors of this kind should not be entertained. These boys are subject to call into the regular service only in extreme cases, but it is hoped, should the call come, which of course is not expected, that Battery C, of Lubbock, Texas, will be in condition to carry its part of the burden.

A great organization is being built up in Battery C, and they expect, in the field of competitive drill at the annual training, to bring back high honors to the "Hub."

They can do it. Let's see that they get the proper send-off.

DEBT COMMISSION IS WITHOUT ONE RED CENT

Washington, April 18.—Created by Congress to negotiate the funding of eleven billion dollars in debts owed this country by foreign nations, the allied debt commission today found itself without funds to buy a postage stamp for setting the wheels of the funding machinery in motion.

Senator Smoot, a member of the commission was entrusted with the duty of obtaining from Congress an appropriation to meet necessary expenses of operation.

Young Boys Are Charged With Theft of Four Autos

Tahoka, April 17.—James Rodgers, eleven years old, and Norwood Lee Williams, fourteen, who gives their address as Breckenridge, and J. B. Lane, 23 years old, who says he was born in Missouri but refuses to give an address, are in the hands of Sheriff Johnson of Terry County, after a merry chase across West Texas. The two youths from Breckenridge are alleged to have stolen a Ford car at Breckenridge, driving it to Abilene, abandoned it, stealing another Ford at Abilene, driving by the way of Snyder. They claim to have picked up J. B. Lane, who accompanied them to Post. Finding the Abilene car was out of order they are alleged to have stolen J. B. Hartford's car, which was standing in the street, headed for the west. They drove to Tahoka. Taking possession of D. C. King's car, it is charged, driving to Brownfield with both of them. After arriving at Brownfield, realizing that the officers were crowding them too close, they stole three horses, it is alleged, and endeavored to make their escape in the sand hills, but were captured by Sheriff Johnson of Terry County, Sheriff Keller of Yoakum County, and B. C. King of Tahoka. They are being held to await the action of the grand jury, which will convene at Brownfield May 1.

State Is Without Funds to Buy Auto Numbers

Austin, Texas, April 18. This afternoon seventeen bids were opened by the State Board of Control to furnish automobile number plates for all Texas cars in 1923 and action was deferred until not later than next Saturday. In the meantime the proposals will be studied. Besides the Board of Control there were present today the members of the State Highway Commission and representatives of the Governor and Comptroller, Mrs. Espa Stanford, assistant Secretary, appeared for the Governor.

Because of a lack of funds the Highway Commission, as well as the Board of Control, is in a quandary. The law provides that all automobiles shall be given new numbers next year and today's bids are to furnish 600,000 number plates, in pairs and singly.

If there were enough funds the board would not hesitate to contract for double number plates, as at present, but has been considering using only one number plate to a car in order to stay within the appropriation. A deficiency will be necessary if the double number is continued.

The bids ranged from 11 3-5c to 15c per pair for double number plates; 5 9-10c to 8c for single plates; 11 4-5c to 15c per pair for dealers' licenses; 1 3-4c to 2 3-4c each for motorcycle plates, and 3 1-4c to 7c each for chauffeurs' badges. The Texas Prison System was among the bidders.

The contract calls for 600,000 automobile number plates, 12,000 dealers' plates, 10,000 motorcycle plates and 25,000 chauffeurs' badges.

A. W. ALLEN CALLED HOME ACCOUNT SICKNESS

A. W. Allen, of Wichita Falls, who was here on business, was called home Wednesday of this week on account of sickness in his family, who reside at that place. Mr. Allen has been here for some time looking after the technecalities of the construction of the new filling station on the East side of the square.

Since beginning the construction of this building, Mr. Allen, realizing the future of Lubbock, has decided to extend the building the entire length of the lots back. Work is now being held up for a day or two on account of the late arrival of some extra length lumber which could not be secured here, but the construction is being rushed to completion as fast as possible.

This building, when completed, will be one of the most beautiful of its kind in the state, will carry absolutely modern and up-to-date equipment, and we understand will put out service par excellence.

F. N. Payne, of the Lub-Tex Motor Company made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

G. O. P. VOTES TO PASS BONUS BILL AT PRESENT SESSION— CONFIDENT BILL WILL BE PASSED

Washington, April 18—Senate Republicans, meeting today in party conference, voted 26 to 9 in favor of the passage of a soldiers bonus bill at this session of Congress. The finance committee was requested in a formal resolution to report such a measure "within a reasonable time" which was construed by some leaders as three or four weeks.

Under the present plan the tariff bill, which by a decision of the party conference, is to be called up Thursday, "without further delay" would be laid aside temporarily for consideration of the bonus. There was a suggestion that the means of financing the bonus must be provided in addition to the tariff bill.

There is a division of opinion among majority Senate leaders as to whether the Senate could attach a revenue provision to the bonus bill itself, because of the requirement that revenue measures originate in the house. The bonus measure passed by the body carried no means of financing. Aside from the House bill, which was referred to it last month, the senate committee has before it the bonus legislation which was recommitted by the Senate last July at the request of President Harding. This likewise has no revenue raising provision.

Agree on Quorum.

Only one member of the finance committee, Senator Calder of New York, voted against the conference resolution declaring for passage of the bonus.

In deciding to proceed with the tariff bill Thursday, the Republican senators were agreed that every effort should be made to hold a quorum continuously while that measure was before the Senate. They anticipate a fight by the Democrats and some Republicans, but confidence was expressed that the bill could be put through at this session of Congress despite the threatened split between the Senate and the House on the question of American valuation.

While Democratic members of the finance committee continue today to their study of the tariff in preparation for a minority report accompanying the measure Representative Garner, Texas, ranking Democrat in the House ways and means committee issued a formal statement declaring that "two far-reaching and radical innovations were proposed in the Fordney bill" on the American valuation as approved by the House and the other Senate bill plan to authorize the President to change the rates and basis of valuation.

Garner Attacks Bill.

"The later is the most dangerous and unprecedented suggestion made since the foundation of this government," said Mr. Garner. "The idea of placing in one man's hands the power to tax the people, as well as the power to build up or destroy business, is so obnoxious to our form of government, that I cannot believe it will be accepted after it is thoroughly analyzed. It illustrates however, the tendency of Congress towards shifting its responsibilities to individuals or bureaus."

Mr. Garner predicted that if American valuation were adopted "the dissatisfaction arising from the administration of such a law will be so great that a free trade party will grow up in this country and control its legislation within a decade."

Meeting Called at Seminole to Talk M. K. & T. Road

Seminole, Texas, April 20.—A meeting of the citizens of Seminole has been called to consider what action will be taken in the proposed extension of the M. K. & T. Railway from Rotan westward. It is the view of local citizens that should the railroad extend westward via Lamesa and Seminole, to say Lovington, New Mexico, that it would traverse Gaines County from east to west, a distance of sixty miles and at least 90 percent of adjacent lands said road would be good and tillable. There would practicaly be no waste land whatever.

It is true that Gaines County has at present a population of only about two thousand people but the entire county is entirely undeveloped agriculturally except a small portion in the northeast part of the county in and around the town of Seagraves, the terminus of the recently constructed southwestern branch of the Santa Fe out of Slaton. This proposed extension would therefore develop practically all of the country since it would run through the county in such a way that all of the same would be near enough to the railroad to participate directly in colonization results. The citizens of Seminole have guaranteed right of way thru the county and a cash bonus of $25,000.00, also terminal rights in the town of Seminole.

First Scheduled Game of Base Ball Here Sat., April 29

The base ball season opened yesterday, April 20, and the league teams are crossing bats throughout the country. Lubbock team, the Hubbers played at Ranger yesterday will play today, and tomorrow there, and then come back to Stamford, where they will play April 23, 24, and 25, then a three days' series at San Angelo, April 26, 27, and 28. They then come home and play a series of games here with Clovis. The schedule calls for three games and as Lubbock is not in the Sunday list of towns, there will be a double-header played here Monday to take care of the Sunday game. This explanation is made for the reason that it is understood that no games will be played here on Sunday, and some folks are wondering when the change was made.

No change has been made. The team is standing pat on no-Sunday games, and we should throw ourselves into the work of our team, and make it win the big end of the game score every time they cross bats with an opposing team, in Lubbock. April 29th is the first game in Lubbock on schedule dates and will be played next Saturday week, April 29th. Clovis has a good team. They play hard ball, and our boys will be up against real players, and the game will no doubt be a very exciting one. The West Texas League teams are all in a contest for a prize for the largest attendance the first game played in the town, and why not put the Hubbers in the lead for this first winning. Lubbock should be able to put this prize easily within the reach of the Hubbers. Let's go.

More Wells To Be Drilled in The Colorado Field

Colorado, April 15—With four news rigs either under construction or in transit, drilling in the Mitchell County field is becoming very active.

Among the new operators in the field is the Western Petroleum Company, a California syndicate. The rig for their Etta Brenand Well No. 1, was started at the location four miles west of Westbrook.

Chal Daniel, who drilled the discovery well at Mexia has casing and rig material in transit for Le Sure No. 1 which will be drilled one mile south and one half mile west of Morrison No. 2.

The rig and materials for Murphy No. 1 is being assembled by Henry Riley. This well was drilled on acreage three and one half miles northwest of Morrison No. 2.

The rig of the T. & P. No. 2 which blew down in the hard windstorm recently, was completed Friday. Operations will be resumed at once.

The Conoway No. 1 is drilling in grey lime at 3,170 feet. The contract calls for a depth of 3,500 on this well.

At the Smith No. 1, operations have been suspended since last Wednesday pending the arrival of a new stem from Breckenridge. The old one dropped in the hole, but has been fished out.

Morrison No. 2 will be on the pump, a larger pump being in process of installation. Two-inch tubing has been set to 2,900 feet. Gas pressure was too strong for the operation of the company's other pump and interferred with the valve action. This discovery well will soon be a regular producer and is expected to make better than 100 barrels daily when the pumping equipment is completed.

The Silpha Morrison No. 2 is down to 1,640 feet. Operations are temporarily suspended awaiting the arrival of casing which will be set to the bottom of the hole.

MRS. W. H. VAUGHN DIES AT DALLAS THURSDAY

Mrs. Barbara Vaughn, a resident of Lubbock, Texas, died Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Karnes, 1359 South Henderson. She is survived by her husband, W. H. Vaughn of Lubbock; her son, J. W. Sarver, and daughters, Mrs. Layton H. Lewis and Mrs. E. W. Karnes, all of Dallas. Mrs. Vaughn was born in Kentucky and was 52 years old. Services will be held from the Ed. C. Smith & Bro. chapel at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery.

Mr. Vaughn has just returned from attending the funeral. Mrs. Vaughn has been in Dallas since the first of last July, where she went for her health.

F. H. Bauers, well known to many of our local people returned to the city last week. Mr. Byers was a former owner of the Merrill Hotel at this place, and since selling out here has been engaged in the same business at Eliasville, and other points in that part of the state. He is a great booster for Lubbock and this section, and is contemplating locating here again in the very near future.

Ben H. North, of Patriot, Indiana, was here recently on business. Mr. North has quite extensive holdings here in city property, and was here looking after these interests.

EXTENSION OF WATER MAINS IS THE URGENT NEED IN LUBBOCK

UPON THIS DEPENDS THE KEY RATE ON INSURANCE— RATE LIKELY TO BE RAISED IF PLUGS NOT SUPPLIED

BONDS SHOULD BE VOTED FOR THIS

Many Business Houses Are Far Removed From Fire Plugs As Are Also Hundreds of Residences, and the Fire Department Needs Additional Equipment to Furnish the Best Protection.

The needs of Lubbock are many. This is true of everything, every individual, every organization, every town, that is really alive, and it takes a lot of money, and a terrible lot of time to supply the things that are needed, but in order to keep things going plans must be worked out for the accomplishment of things as rapidly as is possible. We have recently put the matter of schools out of the want list and this work we are sure will go on without further delay. We come now to the municipal needs of the city, and this is where we stagger again. We know that the city light plant is up to a very high state of efficiency, but it must be extended to take care of the needs of the people in this town. Then the water works system is entirely too small for the present needs of the town, to say nothing of the future needs. This is likewise true of the sewer system, and the matter of a city hall and fire station. With the growth of the county and the creation of new offices in the court house, it will only be a matter of a short time till the city offices will have to be given up to give space for the county officials, and the city officials will have to look elsewhere for a location.

Inasmuch as we cannot possibly get all of these needed improvements at one time, we believe that we should decide upon which is the most important and like any other business firm, provide these needs just as we can. Why not the city officials, the Chamber of Commerce directors, both Senior and Junior, the Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club, and other live organizations have a meeting and discuss these things and get together on what we should put over this year, and let the people know exactly the situation, and there will not be near so much opposition. It is a matter of people misunderstanding that causes much of the opposition, and we heartily favor being open and frank in matters of public interest, and we are sure that this would be appreciated by every citizen of the town.

As we see it our insurance problems are about the most vital just now. This of course is based on our protection against fire, and from the reports going the rounds in Lubbock just now regarding the threatened raise of insurance rates, a raise is sure to come soon. This is caused by the absence of fire plugs in many sections of the town, and the distance they are removed from a large percent of the business houses in the retail as well as the wholesale section of town. The increase as is being figured now will amount to many thousand dollars each year, besides being exposed to fire with little protection on account of the equipment the fire department now possesses, and we are of the opinion that this should have the first attention of the people. Delays will be costly, and possibly disastrous.

Rail Meeting Held At Crowell Last Friday Afternoon

Crowell, Texas, April 18.—With delegates present from practically every county between Jacksboro and Las Vegas, N. M., an enthusiastic meeting was held this morning at the county courthouse to discuss the proposed Fort Worth-Plains railroad. The meeting was called to order at 9 o'clock with E. H. Peary of Plainview as temporary chairman and R. E. Baskin of Seymour as temporary secretary. The organization was made permanent and the following officers elected: E. H. Peary of Plainview, president; W. P. Reynolds of Olney, vice president; R. E. Baskin of Seymour, secretary. Directors: Judge F. P. Henry of Floydada; Joe P. Dickson of Seymour; M. S. Henry of Crowell, and J. T. Smithson of Grady, N. M.

A committee of one from each county along the proposed route was selected to compile statistics on the resources of their counties.

The following committee was selected to draft by-laws and resolutions to be reported at Plainview, where the next meeting will be held May 22: D. D. Shipley of Floydada, Ben Smith of Lockney, and Judge C. T. Kerr of Dimmitt.

U. S. Army And Navy Compared With Some Others

Men fight—not ships, and it is cheering news that the national house of representatives has voted to make the navy's strength in personnel 86,000 men, not 73,000 or 67,000.

In so voting, the majority of the house concurred with president Harding, the secretary of the navy and the general board of the navy, all of whom warned against weakening the navy below the adequate defence point.

Even 86,000 officers and men are not enough, really.

The Washington conference on limitation of armament aimed to establish a balance of naval power between the United States, Great Britain and Japan in the ratio of 5-5-3.

Since the conference, and acting separately, the British and Japanese governments and the appropriations committee of the United States house of representatives proposed the following numbers of officers and enlisted men for the service of their respective countries:

Active list: United States, 73,000; Great Britain, 110,000; Japan, 77,000. Ratio: United States 2-8; Great Britain, 4-3; Japan, 3-0. The United States navy, then, would have an actual strength below Japan and far less than that of Great Britain. The 5-5-3 ratio of ships would be scrapped, because it is the man-ratio that counts.

Reserve list: United States, 23,000; Great Britain, 40,000; Japan 30,000. Totals of active and reserve lists: United States, 96,000; Great Britain, 150,000; Japan 107,000. Final ratio of manpower after combining active and reserve lists: United States, 2-7; Great Britain, 4.3; Japan, 3.0. This total ratio would be worse for the United States than the ratio formed by comparison of the active lists alone, because it would give one-tenth greater advantage to Great Britain and Japan.

The United States navy would be little more than half as strong as that of Great Britain and actually weaker than that of Japan.

Ships are only important in war when there are trained officers and men to man them.

Admiral Mahan, whose book on naval warfare is regarded by all naval experts as authoritative, said: "Good men with poor ships will always beat poor men with good ships." The men fight—not the ships.

The passage of the amendment practically assured the passage of the bill itself today, and it revived the hope that congress might yet provide for a larger army than the weak force the house recently voted for. There is as little reason for weakening the army below the point of ability to provide adequate defence as there is in similarly weakening the navy.—El Paso Herald.

Ed Harold, of Houston, one of the big men of South Texas business, spent a part of the week in town, looking after business matters.

$700,000 Received By Income Tax Office At Austin

Austin, Texas, April 18.—Approximately $700,000 was received at the office of the United States Internal Revenue collector yesterday, most of which was income tax.

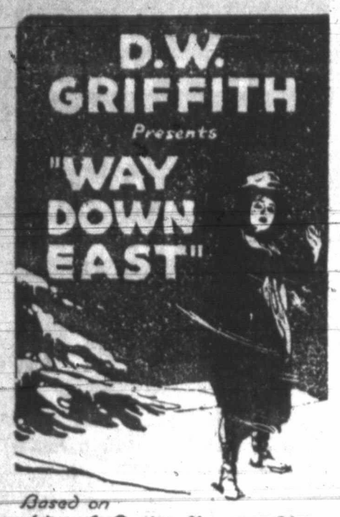
Collector J. W. Bass, for the Southern District of Texas, said that while the payments so far show a decrease of about 30 per cent under last year, which is the general average for the United States, this district may make a proportionately better showing. He explained that much of the oil field personal income is yet to be accounted for and when it is all in the total will increase until the district will have a reduction of only about 18 or 20 per cent under last year, Mr. Bass thinks.

It will probably be near June 15 before all the income tax is paid, due to the extensions granted. Under the law the Tax Collector is permitted to accord thirty days additional time for payments and the commissioner of Washington is authorized to grant an additional sixty days, or a total of ninety days. This extends the time to June 15.

All of the Mexia, Orange and coastal oil fields are in the Southern District of Texas and the individual incomes earned in those prolific producers will aid materially to the income tax totals in this half of the State. They will enable the Southern District to make a better showing than the average for the country.

W. E. Patty, of Plainview, was here Friday and Saturday in the interest of the District Track Meet in session here at that time.

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY
A RETURN DATE



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A tale of love and lovers in a new art form combining drama, painting, poetry and music—the picture that has taken America by storm — thrilling — human —a Eighth Art.



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Marshall Neilan presents his story
"Dinty"
With Wesley Barry

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
"What Do Men Know?"
and a Semon Comedy
"THE SHOW"



R. & R. LINDSEY
Coming THURSDAY and FRIDAY 27-28

Income Tax Expert Makes Some Timely Suggestions To Taxpayers In Preparing The Accounts For 1922

The time for filing individual income tax returns for the calendar year 1921 has just passed, and no doubt most of us will give little thought again until the time comes when we will have to file our returns for 1922.

The purpose of this article is to impress on the minds of taxpayers the importance of their taxable incomes and allowable expenses for the year.

Often tax payers would be frightfully entitled to deduct from their gross income amounts spent during the year for certain items, but they have no records of the amount of the item and hesitate to claim the deduction for fear they may be called upon to substantiate the amount claimed.

This of course, could not be done without some record of the transaction, if some simple record were kept, the item would be conscientiously claimed and result in a saving of tax to the taxpayer.

Another great advantage where records are kept is that the task of making up the return is simplified and results in a saving of time to yourself and the person assisting you.

It is also important to the taxpayer that his items of income are clearly analyzed, as certain kinds of income are entirely exempt from the tax, some are subject to both normal and surtax, and others are only subject to the surtax.

Following are a few suggestions as to items of which records should be kept:

SALARY—A record should be kept of the amount received from each source.

Interest on Bank Deposits, Notes, Mortgages and Corporation Bonds—As certain corporation bonds contain a tax-free covenant clause and a portion of the normal tax is assumed by the debtor corporation, the amount of this interest should be kept separate, as you are allowed as a credit the amount of tax paid for you by the corporation.

Interest on municipal bonds is exempt from the tax and need not be reported. Interest on Liberty and Victory Bonds is entirely exempt from the normal tax, but in certain cases is subject to the surtax and therefore a record should be kept of the amount of interest received from each issue.

Rents and Royalties—If you own renting property, a record should be kept of the amount of rent received the amount expended for repairs and other expenses.

Business or Profession—Your records should show the total receipts from the business and a well-itemized list of the business expenses.

Sale of Real Estate—If you sell real estate during the year, note the year in which it was acquired, cost price, March 1, 1913, value, if acquired prior to that date, cost of subsequent improvements, amount of depreciation claimed in former years and the sale price.

Sale of Stocks and Bonds—If you sell stocks or bonds during the year, note the year acquired, cost price, March 1, 1913 value, if acquired prior to that date, and the sale price.

Dividends—If you receive dividends on stocks of domestic corporations, the amount should be kept separate as they are not subject to the normal tax; and if your net income including dividends does not exceed $6,000 they do not enter into your computation.

Interest Paid—With a very few exceptions all interest paid is an allowable deduction, and therefore a careful record of the amounts paid should be kept.

Taxes Paid—All taxes, with a few exceptions are allowable deductions and a record of the kinds and amounts should be kept. One item of taxes which very few people keep any record of, is the luxury tax; this is an allowable deduction; and no doubt if you would jot down the dates and amounts as you pay them, you would be very much surprised at the end of the year to see how they had accumulated.

Contributions—Gifts to organized charitable, religious and educational institutions are allowable deductions and a record should be kept of the names of institutions with the amounts given to each.

Losses—If you suffered any loss during the year from fire, storm, theft, etc., make a note of cost on March 1, 1913, value, depreciation previously claimed, salvage value and insurance received.

It is not necessary that the average individual keep a set of double entry books, but some simple form of receipt should be kept. Even a vest-pocket memorandum will do.

NO WET GAINS MADE DRY FORCES ASSERT

Washington, April 17.—Denial that the congressional elections and primaries to date have shown any "victories," for the wet forces, was made in a statement issued yesterday by the Anti-Saloon League.

In the Maine election in March, both Republican and Democratic candidates stood for prohibition and its enforcement, the statement declared and the New York election in the 37th District "showing no reaction for beer."

Referring to the primaries in Illinois, it was asserted that "Congressman Ireland was defeated by a former distiller who claimed that prohibition was an issue in the campaign," but the League statement added that with Peoria, "formerly the greatest distilling center in the United States, in the district, the result is not alarming."

The opponent of Congressman Copley has a dry record and the residents of his district recognized him as a friend of prohibition enforcement.

"The drys of the state made a vigorous fight for the nomination of Congressman-at-Large Rathbone" the analysis by the League continues. "This was a gain which offset the defeat of Mr. Ireland. In one other district, a friend of prohibition enforcement was nominated where the drys have had only partial support in Congress. The results show no loss but a slight gain in Illinois."

W. D. Haney, recently of Lubbock, has bought the filing station formerly owned by Paul F. Rathbone, and is in charge of same. Mr. Haney has moved his family to Tulia. We are glad to welcome these good people to Tulia.—Tulia Herald.

There are Two Kinds of Chickens

—Those that were started off in their chick days with

"Full -O- Pep"

and those that were fed just most anything, and expected to "scratch for themselves," and it is noticeable that today the new way of raising chickens for a profit is to start them off right and keep them fed right, that is why there is such demand for this wonderful food for chicks and chickens.

Other good feeds for the cow and hens are here for you.

Thomas Grain and Fuel Company

During the month of April we will send you the Avalanche and Dallas Farm News, both, twice-a-week for a year for $2.65.

Money to Loan
ON FARMS AND RANCHES
Five, Seven and Ten Years at Eight per cent interest.
—We offer good service and immediate action on all loans.
Cosby & Posey
In Russell Bldg., Above Texas Variety Store.

It's Not the High Cost of Living That Hurts

It's the high cost of inferior merchandise that keeps the grocery bill way above par, and too often do people fail to understand just what they are paying for.

Here all of that is eliminated, we sell for cash and save you about five dollars on every twenty-five dollars worth of groceries you buy, as we sell the best goods obtainable on small profit, and the failure of someone to pay his grocery bill before leaving town, does not force us to make more off of you, because we do not run charge accounts.

Isn't That Practical?

Spikes Brothers
The Cash Grocers

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine

say → BAYER

Take Aspirin only as told in each package of genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin. Then you will be following the directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions. Take no chances with substitutes. If you see the Bayer Cross on tablets, you can take them without fear for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

FIFTEEN PARDONS CANCELLED BY GOVERNOR PAT M. NEFF

Austin, April 15. Governor Neff has within the past two weeks cancelled fifteen conditional pardons and paroles and ordered the fifteen persons returned to the penitentiary, it was learned today at his office.

Call Montgomery's Transfer, phone 453 for storage or hauling of any kind. 11-tf

The world is going to dry up. William Jennings Bryan proclaims. If only he'd show his faith by his works!—New York Tribune.

COLORADO BANK HAS NEW BUILDING UNDER WAY

Colorado, Mitchell Co., Texas, April 12.—Construction of a modern bank building of two stories with basement as the home of the Colorado National Bank, is to be commenced just as soon as the present building can be razed. J. M. Thomas, active vice president of the bank, said Tuesday, following a meeting of the bank directorate. The new building is to be located at Second and Walnut streets, the site of the building occupied by the bank since 1895.

"AND THERE WASN'T THE SLIGHTEST SMELL FROM DEAD RATS"

Writes John Simpkin, farmer of Annandale, N. J.: "Rats were costing me hundreds yearly; tried dogs, ferrets, poison, could not get rid of them. Bought $1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP (5 cakes). Used half, not a live rat since. Dead ones a plenty. I like RAT-SNAP because after killing rats it dries them up—leaves no smell." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by City Drug Store and Cole-Myrick Hdw. Co. tf

KANSAS CATTLEMEN BUYS 500 PANHANDLE CATTLE

Five hundred head of two-year-old Herefords were loaded here Friday morning by Billie Atkinson, cattle man of Lyon County, Kansas, for shipment to Kansas pastures.

Mr. Atkinson came in Thursday from his Kansas home to receive the cattle which were bought recently from McMurtry Brothers of Clarendon. The deal was made through the livestock firm of Franklin & Hill of this city.

The Kansas cattleman also bought 150 head of extra fine cattle from Walter Knorpp, Groom, and will ship them to Kansas pastures about April 20.—Amarillo Daily Panhandle.

"Be Kind To Animals Week" April 24 to 29th

How often has been heard, "Don't feed the cat too much for she won't catch the mice." Now comes the Humane society and says: "A starved cat does not make a good mouser. Feed your cat well and give it fresh water often." It may be inferred that the cat does not catch the mice so much for food as for sport and exercise. If fed well, the cat probably does not crave mouse meat, but the instinct of the chase gains strength on a full stomach.

The eighth annual observance of "Be Kind to Animals' Week and Humane Sunday," will be April 24 to 29, with Humane Sunday on April 30th. It was started modestly in the United States seven years ago, and has become an event of national importance, attracting the attention of governors and even the President of the United States.

"Be kind to dumb animals." It is taught in the public schools, and surely the lessons are bearing fruit. It availed nothing to the youth of the land to bait dogs and roosters to fight; rather it tended to brutalize them and lead them to be cruel to other animals, then to be cruel to the home folks and finally to treat the neighbors cruelly—unless afraid of them. On the other hand, being taught to be kind to dumb animals, they have come to care less to see animals fight, they have become kinder to their kin and their comrades. It is a forward step in the development of the world alnog lines of better ideas on a higher plane.

It has been suggested by "Our Dumb Animals" that at noon on Monday, April 24, for five minutes following the stroke of twelve, that thoughtful consideration be given to the duty man owes his animal friends. It is a happy suggestion, can embarrass none and may be indulged profitably by many. Man is inclined to think the dumb animals owe everything they have to him and to forget how much they owe to the dumb animals. It is well to reflect upon man's debt to all the animals, domestic and wild; it should add to [illegible]

Looking backward through the pages of history and comparing the present with the past, it appears as though men have grown kinder to dumb animals and to each other. Kindness, sympathy, charity and love are linked closely together and are virtues man does well to cling to.

NOTICE

Having bought the Electric Home Laundry, will appreciate your work. My motto: "GOOD SERVICE And Satisfaction." Call our No. We do the rest. C. W. Wall. 15-tf

Industrious Chickens and Good Gardens Don't go Well Together

But that is no reason why you should not be allowed the profits of both. The fencing materials we have here will enable you to keep the chickens and garden separated, and really you will have to see just what is here for your convenience in building that fence to fully appreciate what we offer.

Come in any time and figure with us.

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Lubbock, Texas

West Texas Pays a Lot More Money Into the State Treasury Than It Gets Out Of It For School Purposes

Were State taxes levied uniformly in all counties of Texas, the present unjust distribution of the burden of government could not occur. Unjust treatment of West Texas will continue until there is such uniformity of taxation as compels East Texas to pay its proper share for the maintenance of the State government.

A white light is thrown on the situation by the report of the State tax commissioner for 1920 that 50 counties after paying into the State Treasury all taxes due under the State ad Valorem rate for all purposes received back in school apportionments alone all the taxes so paid, and $1,530,000 besides.

The whole trouble is that these counties assess their property too low. They pay as little as possible into the State Treasury, and take back as much as they can.

They are among the most populous and richest of the farming counties.

West Texas counties, with property valuations placed much higher contribute heavily to the State Treasury, receive little in return, and help support the schools of East Texas counties.

Records of the controller's department and of the department of education, furnished by State tax commissioner John G. Willacy, showing percentage of assessment in 1920, taxes paid to the State Treasury, and amounts returned in school apportionment in 1921, are very informative.

Here are some of the most glaring examples of under-assessment and heavy withdrawals from State funds by East Texas counties:

Harrison county drew out of the State Treasury twice as much as it paid in. County land was assessed at 15 percent of value, city and town lots at 30 percent, and banks at 60 percent. The county paid into the State Treasury $96,608 and withdrew under the school apportionment, $190,242, plus $4520 for rural aid.

Anderson county land was assessed at 15 percent, city and town property at 33 percent and banks at 75 percent. The county paid into the State Treasury $94,320. It received in school apportionment $127,881, and for rural aid $14,710.

Hopkins county received three times as much State tax money as it paid. Its land was assessed at 15 percent, city and town lots at 35 percent, and banks at 60 percent. It paid into the Treasury $65,441, received from the school apportionment $173,316, and from rural aid $11,505.

Callahan county paid $49,073 into the Treasury and received $55,732.

Brown county paid in $79,428 and received $92,851. Hill county paid in $188,000 and received $199,000. Hunt county paid $161,000 and received $244,000. Fannin paid $145,687, and received $210,668. Kaufman county paid $134,292 and received $163,405.

See how payments were reversed in West Texas, where assessment rates were higher:

El Paso county paid $453,344 into the State Treasury and received from the school apportionment $329,563, with nothing for the rural aid fund.

Brewster county paid $53,906, and received $15,665, with no rural aid.

Jeff Davis county paid $25,784, and received $6,253, with no rural aid.

Culberson county paid $24,800, and received $2197, with no rural aid. Culberson county paid ten times as much State taxes as it received. Hopkins county in East Texas received three times as much as it paid. A striking contrast.

Presidio county paid $50,474, and received $40,261. Terrell county paid $30,008 and received back approximately one-seventh as much, $4693.

Reeves county paid $41,905 and received $18,939. Ward county paid $24,837 and received $8984. Hudspeth county paid $36,343 and received $5136.

Practically all counties in the State where large cities are located, paid no more taxes to the State Treasury than they received. For instance, Tarrant county paid $815,815 and received from the school apportionment 475,410, plus $21,680 for rural aid.

Dallas county paid $1,220,000, and received from the school apportionment $606,762, plus $15,532 for rural aid.

In all these counties in East and West Texas the State tax rate was the same, 62 cents on $100 of property valuation. It was the valuation rate that differed, the East Texas counties putting theirs as low as they could.

The record shows plainly the great need for a uniform basis of valuation for state tax purposes.

One thought to bear in mind is this:

If the State appropriates for rural schools, El Paso county contributes about $75,000 without receiving a cent.—El Paso Herald.

WEAK, NERVOUS, ALL RUN-DOWN

Missouri Lady Suffered Until She Tried Cardui.—Says "Result Was Surprising."—Got Along Fine, Became Normal and Healthy.

Springfield Mo.—"My back was so weak I could hardly stand up, and I would have bearing-down pains and was not well at any time," says Mrs. B. V. Williams, wife of a well-known farmer on Route 6, this place. "I kept getting headaches and having to go to bed," continues Mrs. Williams describing the troubles from which she obtained relief through the use of Cardui. "My husband, having heard of Cardui, proposed getting it for me.

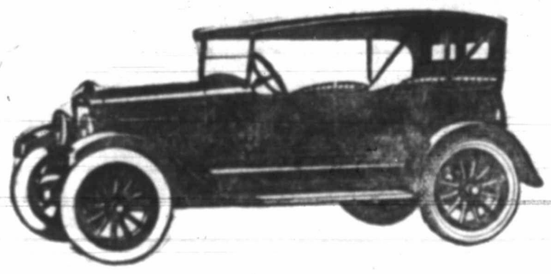
"I saw after taking some Cardui . . . that I was improving. The result was surprising. I felt like a different person.

"Later I suffered from weakness and weak back, and felt all run-down. I did not rest well at night, I was so nervous and cross. My husband said he would get me some Cardui, which he did. It strengthened me . . . My doctor said I got along fine. I was in good healthy condition. I cannot say too much for it."

Thousands of women have suffered as Mrs. Williams describes, until they found relief from the use of Cardui. Since it has helped so many, you should not hesitate to try Cardui if troubled with womanly ailments.

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to us from their factory, which will arrive here about Tuesday. Come in early and get yours.

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Lubbock, Texas

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
Lubbock County.

Whereas, Percy Spencer was named and appointed trustee in a certain deed of trust executed by George C. Wolffarth, Lottie Wolffarth, Eastin Wolffarth and Stella Wolffarth, on February 8, 1921, and filed for record February 8, 1921, with the County Clerk of Lubbock County, Texas, as more fully described and shown by record thereof in Volume 15, page 249 of the Deed of Trust Records of Lubbock County, Texas, describing and conveying to said trustee 1843 acres of land in Lubbock County, Texas, being all of Surveys Nine (9) and Seventy-eight (78) in Block A, and all of Survey Fifteen (15), Block A, except that part conveyed to the Crosbyton South Plains Railway Company for right of way, and that part conveyed to the Pecos & Northern Texas Railway Company for right of way out of said Survey 15, said deed of trust having been made for the purpose of securing the payment of six (6) notes dated February 7, 1921, one note for the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00), due March 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars, due April 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars, due May 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars, due June 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars, due September 15, 1921; and one note for the sum of Three Thousand Fourteen and 36-100 ($3,014.36) Dollars, due October 15, 1921, with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from maturity until paid and ten per cent additional as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, there being a balance of Three Thousand Three ($3,003.00) Dollars due and unpaid on the last two notes above described, besides interest on said two notes; and,

Whereas the Citizens National Bank of Lubbock, Texas, is the holder and owner of said unpaid indebtedness of $3,003.00 and interest thereon, and the makers thereof have failed and refused to pay said unpaid balance and wholly made default in the payment thereof; and,

Whereas Percy Spencer named and appointed as trustee in said deed of trust has refused to act as such trustee, and said bank has named and appointed Neil H. Wright as substitute trustee and requested and ordered said Neil H. Wright as substitute trustee to sell and convey said land in accordance with said deed of trust and as required by law:

Therefore, I, Neil H. Wright, substitute trustee, will offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder on the first Tuesday in May, 1922, same being May 2, 1922, between the legal hours of ten o'clock A. M., and four o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door in the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, all of Surveys Nine (9) and Seventy-eight (78), Block A, and all of Survey Fifteen (15), Block A, except the amount heretofore conveyed to said railway companies, as stated above, for the purposes of right of ways, said land being more fully described in the deed of trust referred to above.

Witness my Hand, this April 8, 1922.

NEIL H. WRIGHT.
Substitute Trustee.

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CATTLE DYING OF STRANGE MALADY

Death of cattle in many points in West Texas since the recent rains has been heavy from a disease known as hemorrhagic septicaemia, and which is akin to blood poisoning, according to L. G. Cloud, State veterinarian, who stated that the Livestock Sanitary Commission is sending men to the points affected to combat the disease. Cloud has no idea of the number of cattle that have died, but he stated the toll was heavy, and that he had been appealed to by local authorities from several points to send men to try to combat the disease.

It is the belief of the veterinarian that the disease is contracted at water holes and other such sources. He recommends vaccination and said that where herds had been vaccinated the disease had been stopped. He also recommends that all carcasses be burned. Before the rains, Cloud declared, there were no cases of the malady, and because of that he thinks it is contracted at water holes and other sources of water supply.

THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS

You must keep well if you wish to be happy. When constipated take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels. tf

Carr Surginer and family of Floydada, were in attendance at the District school meet last week.

"RATS PASS UP ALL OTHER FOOD FOR ONE MEAL OF RAT SNAP"

Their first meal of RAT-SNAP is their last. Kills in few minutes. Dries up the carcass. Rats killed with RAT-SNAP leaves no odor. RAT-SNAP comes in cake form. Break into small pieces, leave where rats travel. No mixing with other food. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Safest, cleanest, surest rat and mouse killer. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by City Drug Store and Cole-Myrick Hdw. Co. tf

FLOYDADA SHIPS OUT THREE CARS OF HOGS

Floydada, April 14.—Three carloads of hogs were shipped from Floydada Thursday morning consigned to California and to Kansas City. Since January 40 carloads shipments of hogs have left Floydada. During 1921 one hundred cars were shipped. This year promises fair to eclipse that record many times.

ANTI-CIGARETTE BODY TO BEGIN CAMPAIGN

Washington, April 15.—The National Anti-Cigarette League will conduct a "national clean life week" here April 23 to 30, it was announced today. Dr. D. H. Kress, president of the organization, in a statement urging observance of the program, declares "it is much more of importance to have clean lives than clean streets and clean backyards."

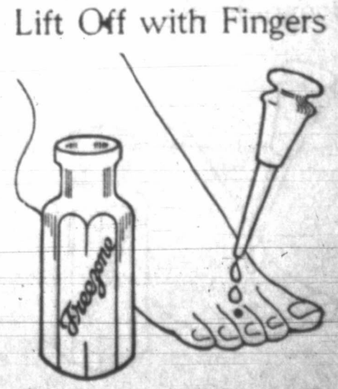
Attention Cowman & Butchers

I will pay the top market prices for all kinds of hides. Both green and dry. Horse hides also. Will remit for them the day received. R. W. Ellis, Hide Dealer, Abilene, Texas. 14-8

Dr. A. C. Surman of Post City, was a business visitor in Lubbock Friday of last week.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Clyde Frost, prominent ranchman of Dawson county, was looking after business matters in Lubbock Saturday of last week.

No Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head

Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25

W. A. Myrick Sr., of Dallas, father of our townsman, W. A., Jr., is in the city this week visiting his son, and attending to business matters.

Our subscription list still grows.

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL — By Charles Sughroe, Wheeler Newspaper Union — **And Mickie Can't Answer Them**



News and Views of Local Sports

TELL ANY MEMBER OF THE AVALANCHE FORCE ABOUT WHAT YOUR TEAM OR CLUB IS DOING AND HELP US KEEP THESE COLUMNS FULL OF LUBBOCK'S ACTIVITIES IN THIS LINE.

Longhorns Now Known as Hubbers

At a recent meeting of the committee on a name for the Lubbock Baseball Club appointed by the Directors of the Club, a new name was chosen for the organization. The name formerly carried was one very inappropriate, inasmuch, as it has been a trademark with the State University for many years, and when Longhorns are mentioned, the first thought entering one's mind is the University. It is not the custom of the Lubbock people to mimic or imitate anyone, thus a special meeting of the committee to change the name of the Club, and in the selection of this new name it was the intention of the committee to secure a name that not only was not already in use by some club or organization, but one that would on mention be suggestive of the town from which the club goes.

Many names were brought up and discussed by the committee, and after much debate and hot discussion, the name "HUBBERS" was finally chosen. Henceforth the club will be known as the "Lubbock Hubbers." This name not only is original, but as soon as called suggests Lubbock, "The Hub." Now, let's all get the habit of calling the new name, for after this when you mention Longhorns, you are speaking of someone else.

Locals Adopt League Baseball

Tuesday afternoon, in a game between the local Methodist Sunday School team and the High School, the boys seem to have gotten the West Texas League idea of a ball game. The High School was beat out by the narrow margin of 20 to 16. The Sunday School team secured a lead in the first stanza, of six runs, which the boys were seemingly unable to overcome, although they staged several batting rallies through the fracas.

But, now, just because the boys didn't get enough pep to beat out a bunch of "Rookies" from the streets, for pep was their main trouble, don't get the idea that they are not going to take Plainview to a good cleaning here Friday and Saturday of this week, for they are going to "pour it on 'em" those two days. Come out to these games, and let's see that rooting does not keep them from their purpose. The first game, if won by our boys, closes the championship of the district, or in fact either of the games entitles them to the championship. Come out Friday and Saturday.

Hubbers Take Another Swat.

Monday afternoon on the local diamond, in a "hit and run" fracas from the beginning, the Hubbers beat out the Sweetwater Swatters by a "tally" of 20 to 10. (Could hardly be called a score). Hitting featured the game throughout from both divisions, the "hit and run" being resorted to. Many times rooters on the outfield fence were endangered on account of the ferocious wallops of the stick wielders.

Wooden worked the mound for the locals for seven frames, after which he exchanged with Speegle, both allowing thirteen hits.

Hanna, Southpaw of the Swatters, was knocked off the mound in the sixth by the terrific onslaught of the Hubbers' sluggers, was relieved by Singleton, who was unable to check the rally of the locals.

The box score:

Lubbock—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
xSpeegle, 1b,	3	5	2	8	2	0
Earnshaw, ss,	5	2	2	3	6	1
King, cf,	4	3	2	0	0	0
Brown, lf,	5	2	3	4	0	0
Gober, 3b,	5	2	1	0	5	1
Langford, rf,	6	2	4	0	1	1
Battle, 2b,	6	1	2	9	3	0
Allen, c,	6	1	2	2	1	0
Wooden, p,	4	2	1	1	1	1
Totals	44	20	19	27	19	4

xRelieved Wooden in 7th.

Sweetwater—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mason, 2b,	4	1	1	1	6	2
Moore, ss,	4	0	2	2	3	0
White, 3b,	4	1	1	3	4	0
Pipkin, c,	5	1	0	1	1	1
Thrash, lf,	5	2	2	1	0	1
Baum,	5	2	2	13	0	1
Munger, cf,	5	1	4	1	0	0
Tidwell, rf,	4	2	0	2	0	0
Hanna, p,	3	0	1	0	1	2
xFleharty,	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	10	13	24	15	7

xBatted for Singleton in ninth.

Score by innings:

Lubbock ..... 221 206 16x—20
Sweetwater ..... 400 200 400— 10

Summary: Innings pitched: by Wooden 7, Speegle 2, by Hanna 6, by Singleton 4; hits off Wooden 11, off Speegle 2, off Hanna 13; off Singleton 6; home runs, Baum and King; three-base hits Allen, Mason; two-base hits Munger, Langford and Baum; struck out by Wooden 1, by Speegle 1, by Hanna 1; bases on balls off Wooden 1, off Hanna 4; sacrifice hits King; stolen bases Earnshaw, King, Brown 1, Gober 2, Langford 2, Battle, Allen, Thrash 1; double plays, White to Baum, Gober to Battle to Wooden; hit by pitch, by Wooden 1; wild pitch Wooden 1, Singleton 2; passed balls Anderson 1; time of game, 2 hours, 30 minutes. Umpires Eensabaugh and DeLong.

Donations To The Baseball Club.

In the last issue of the Avalanche it was stated this paper would accept donations from all those who wished to contribute something to the financial success of the ball team, in addition to, or in the place of buying stock, and the following have handed in their checks as a means of helping the club along financially. The Avalanche leaves the proposition open and hope you will contribute something to the support of the team

W. A. Morris	$5.00
George Benson	$5.00
Lubbock News Stand	$5.00
M. E. Merrill	5.00
Dick Slaughter	$5.00
Eric Posey	$5.00
Busy Bee Cafe	$5.00
L. H. Simpson	$1.00
Who will be the next	$5.00
And then who will give	$5.00

Golf Tournament To Be Held Here

On April 26th will begin the three-day Spring Invitational Golf Tournament. Too much stress cannot be laid on this meeting, for the men who will be here to participate in this tournament are men of the business world, and they can be made to leave here Lubbock boosters if the usual congenial spirit is accorded them, and this spirit cannot be inspired entirely by the local golf men, but they must have the full cooperation of the citizenship of the town.

A banquet will be tendered the visitors by the local club on the night of the 26th, at the Elk's hall.

Golf, although foreign to the majority of the people of this country is a great game of sport, as well as for recreation and physical development. When David R. Forgan, President of the City National Bank of Chicago, was asked to write what he thought of Golf, this was his contribution: "It is a science—the study of a lifetime, in which you may exhaust yourself, but never your subject. It is a contest, a duel or a melee, calling for courage, skill, strategy and self-control. It is a test of temper, a trial of honor, a revealer of character. It affords the chance to play the man and act the gentleman.

"It means going into God's outdoors, getting close to nature, fresh air, exercise, a sweeping away of the mental cobwebs, and genuine recreation of the tired tissues. It is a cure for care—an antidote for worry.

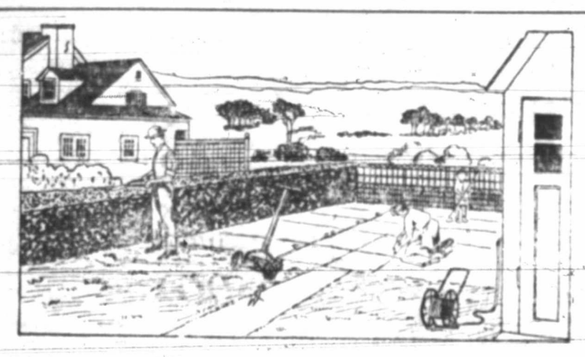
"It includes championship with friends, social intercourse, opportunity for courtesy, kindliness and generosity to an opponent. It promotes not only physical health but moral force."

On Saturday, April 29th, on the local Fair Park, the first game of the season on the home diamond will be staged between the Hubbers and the Clovis aggregation. They will be here for three days.

But, an attendance cup for the opening game on the home diamond has been offered by the President of the West Texas League, and it is up to us to see that this cup comes to Lubbock. The Club having the best first day attendance will be awarded the honors. In order that a fair deal may be had, the League has been divided into two branches for this contest, and Lubbock will have to contend against Clovis, Sweetwater, and Stamford.

It being Saturday, it is going to be a little difficult to close up the stores of the city as is the intention of the directors, but we trust that they may have success even in this, for they will be asked to close early in the afternoon for only an hour and a half or two hours, and the full co-operation of everyone is expected in this move.

It is going to be an easy matter to bring this cup here with the co-operation that should be given. Let's put this over in the usual Lubbock style. Talk it with your friends, and keep them reminded of the date. Let's have a great crowd. Also a good game is assured.



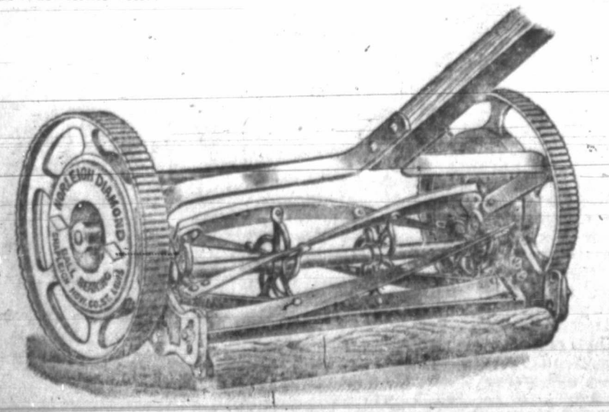
A Well Kept Lawn Adds Beauty to Your Home

It indicates that the owner is thrifty and has high ideals.

Lubbock can be made the most beautiful town to be found anywhere if the home owners will devote a little time to keeping their lawns beautiful.

Get your lawn mower early so that you can keep your grass nicely cut.

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Should a Bank Lend Money to Non-Depositors?

The first duty of any bank is to its depositors and their requirements should first be taken care of before considering loans to others.

It is sometimes necessary to refuse loans even to depositors for any or all of several reasons: The loan may not be properly secured; it may not be essential or a proper banking investment; or the balance of the customer may not be sufficient to justify the loan. Every customer to a great extent makes his own line of credit at a bank by the average balance he maintains and the promptness with which he takes care of his obligations.

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North Side Square — I. W. Gill, Prop.

GERMANY IS BARRED FROM GENOA CONFERENCE

Genoa, April 18.—The Allies have decided that Germany, having effected her own arrangement with Russia by the treaty signed Sunday at Rapallo, is debarred from further participation in the discussion of the conditions of agreement between Russia and the various other countries represented at the economic conference.

Under this decision Germany will be excluded from membership in the conference subcommission on Russian affairs. A notice embodying such exclusion was sent this evening to the head of the German delegation here.

Dr. Walter Rathenau, the German Foreign Minister, in a statement to the Associated Press, protested against the exclusion of Germany as unfair. He declared the treaty was not a secret one and not a violation of the conditions which Germany had entered the conference. He had not yet decided upon his attitude, he said.

Rev. Hart, who has been confined to his bed for some weeks, left Friday for Mineral Wells, where he will drink water from the "Fountain of Youth." We hope he will soon recover and be able to be back with us. We miss him.—Roaring Springs Review.

Lloyd Wicks, prominent attorney of Ralls, passed through Lubbock Thursday enroute to his home after a business trip to Dallas and other points east.

R. H. Martin, of the Martin Baking Co. is in Dallas this week on business.

CALDWELL NEWS ITEMS DURING PAST WEEK

Sunday school was attended by a large crowd Sunday. An Easter egg hunt was enjoyed after Sunday school.

A new Superintendent and Secretary were elected Sunday evening, as the ones that have been serving are leaving us. We sure do regret the loss of them as they have been a great help to our Sunday school the past winter.

J. C. Shaw has been sick for two weeks, but am glad to report that he is able to be up once more.

Mrs. Landers brother Mr. Childress of Clovis, N. M., has been spending a few days with them.

Andrew Graham is in the State of Colorado, looking for a location this week. I don't know just what part.

Misses Linnie Montgomery and Gladys Shaw were guests in the Hess home Sunday evening for supper.

The Easter egg hunt given by the assistant teacher to her pupils was a success and enjoyed by all the children very much last Friday evening. The school closed Friday. There were several parents of the children present.

Prof. Dulaney gave us a short talk at the close of school Friday. All are well pleased with the school the past winter.

Mr. Henry F. Shaw's baby has been quite sick the last week and was getting worse Sunday night.

Caldwell basket ball teams played Grovesville last Friday. Grovesville boys and girls won the most scores and don't know just how they stood.

There was a large crowd present at the singing at Mr. Maiores Sunday night.

Chas. W. Roberts, of Seagraves, was a caller to the city last week. He has entered the race for Representative of the 121st District, and is high in his hopes of the future. At present he is employed in the school at Seagraves, which will close shortly, when he will begin his active campaign for his candidacy.

SOME WEATHER REPORTS FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Sherman, April 18.—Straw hats of Easter were replaced by overcoats when a belated norther struck the city today.

Jefferson, April 18.—A heavy black cloud came out from the west today and a heavy rain fell in the city, followed by a heavy wind. A norther followed the wind.

Brownwood, April 18.—Good rains recently were reported today from all parts of Brown county.

Greenville, April 18.—A very heavy rain fell here last night.

Ballinger, April 18.—Benefit from rains is reported here.

COTTON COMING UP IN HALL COUNTY SAYS MEMPHIS MAN

Memphis, Texas, April 20.—According to information by George A. Sager, Secretary, Hall County Chamber of Commerce, the farmers of Hall County are planting a considerable amount of cotton now. Some cotton is already up. It is the opinion of Secretary Sager that with such a good season as is now in the ground the farmers have a brighter prospect for a larger crop than they have had at any time in the past at this season of the year.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates [illegible] Assist to Take the [illegible]

Thursday afternoon at the Red Cross room in the courthouse, a wedding ceremony was solemnized uniting in Marriage Mr. William H. Jackson and Elizabeth Mae Fitzgerald, Rev. I. N. Julian, pastor of the First Christian Church of Lubbock, officiating. The couple reside near Slaton, and we understand that they will return immediately to that place where they will make their home.

SECOND SECTION

THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

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Decision Made On School Tax Levy By Attorney General

Assistant Attorney General C. L. Stone handed down a decision last Tuesday dealing with the collection of delinquent taxes by tax collector of independent school district, liability of personal property for such taxes, legal levy and personal property not redeemable after being sold for taxes. The decision follows a communication from the county attorney at Jasper who asked an opinion on these and other matters from the attorney general's department.

The first question raised was whether or not the fact that one member of the board of equalization fails to take oath invalidates action of the board. In answering this the attorney general's department holds that although the members of the board are required to be sworn, their official actions are not invalidated by the fact that the records fail to show that they took the oath of office.

On Personal Property.

In answering other of the questions the department sets forth that a tax collector of independent school district should not levy upon personal property that has been disposed of since same was assessed for taxes if such delinquent taxpayer had other property subject to the payment of such taxes. However, such disposal does not defeat the tax lien which was attached at the time such property was assessed.

Any property belonging to a delinquent taxpayer is subject to the enforcement of the constitutional lien for taxes regardless of when acquired, except the homestead is only liable for the taxes due on the homestead.

A party who formerly had personal property assessed for taxation in an independent school district but thereafter removed such property from this independent district, is still liable for tax and the same can be collected as authorized by law.

Order Not Necessary.

Personal property cannot be redeemed after it has been sold for taxes, according to the opinion rendered by the attorney general.

The tax collector would have to take property into his possession thereby having power and control of such property to consitute a legal levy. This answer was handed down in response to the question of whether or not the collector levies upon personal property if it is necessary for him to take possession of the property or can he leave it in the hands of the owner until sales day.

The last question for which an opinion was asked, was whether or not it is necessary for an order from the school board to be presented to the collector before making levies on personal property. The attorney general holds that the tax collector of an independent school district is not required to have an order from the board of trustees before he can collect delinquent taxes due in such school district.

Ten Dollars For Tobacco To One Dollar For Schools

The people who live in the State of Texas are spending one hundred million dollars (or a little more) annually for cigarettes, cigars and tobacco in all forms, according to the U. S. Census of 1920. And for the State governmental departments including salaries of all its officers and county officers and legislature with all of its appropriations for all purposes, including public improvements, public schools, State A. & M., State Normal Schools, public highways, every purpose for which we pay our taxes, is less than twenty millions of dollars per annum.

Are you one of the folks who are swearing about the amount of taxes you pay for schooling your children? And Texas stands away down to the number 43 in relation to the rest of the states of the U. S. A. as to giving her children even a common school education. Go and stand behind the door with your face to the wall and shut your eyes while you think this over. We hope you will come to the conclusion to put no further handicap on your children, but give them an equal chance with as good school privileges as the best in the land.

The slogan of the Chamber of Commerce of Hereford is and has been 1,000 more farmers for Deaf Smith county. Well, just "tell the world" it can't be done until we can offer some inducements in the way of better school privileges and more and better highways. Taxes—well, let us learn something from our neighbor on the north, Alberta, Canada, and in fact, all country known as the Northwest territories, have a raw land tax of one per cent on the assessed valuation (which may run from $15.00 to $35.00 per acre.) It makes the non-resident speculative land owners take notice and mind you, this one per cent raw land tax is in addition to the regular assessment of ordinary taxes. And it is a mighty inducement to the non-resident land owner to get to work. And listen—they have the best schools ever. Industrial, Normal, Public, all Public.

For the sake of our homes, our children, and our consciences let us have more schools, better equipped schools. It is just wonderful the amount of good teachers and superintendents are doing in their cramped quarters and the little equipment they have to do with, as witness the exhibits at the school fair. But the teachers themselves will all agree that it might be better, much better, with adequate equipment and more room. Consider that one-half of our public expenditures are for school purposes—in reality they are less than that—that means that for every five dollars spent for tobacco, which benefits no one, only fifty cents is spent for educational purposes, and how do you like the looks of that? Come now, are you proud of it? Satisfied with such a condition? And tobacco is only one of our foibles.—Hereford Brand.

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All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

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Free Seeds On Senate Annual Supplies Bill

Washington, April 13.—Another of the annual supply bills, the agricultural appropriation, was passed by the Senate late today after it had reversed itself and restored the free seed item for another year. The bill carries approximately $37,250,000 or about a million and a half more than was passed by the House.

The item of $360,000 for the free distribution of seeds was included in the measure as it passed the House and therefore will not be subject to discussion when the bill is taken up for adjustment of differences between the two houses.

The vote by which the appropriation was stricken out was 29 to 24 but on re-consideration was restored by a 31 to 30 vote. The free seed amendment of the appropriation committee was the only one which the Senate did not accept.

Changes Made

Among the principal changes made in the measure by the Senate were increases of $500,000 to the million appropriation for agricultural extension work through farm agents, $525,000 to the $50,000 appropriation for the purchase of additional forest reserves in the Appalachian district, and $300,000 to the $200,000 fund for eradication of the Barberry Bush, the wheat rust pest.

An additional $75,000 was made to the appropriation of $175,000 for fighting the white pine blister rust and $20,000 was provided for the extension of the leased wire market service into Texas, which expects to use the service in connection with the radio broadcasting according to Senator Sheppard or that State, who sought the increase.

Automobiles wouldn't be dangerous if the horse-power of the engine was proportioned to the horse sense of the driver.—Marion Star.

COLLEGE BOYS CURE DIS. EAST OF DAIRY CATTLE

Three cases of actiomycosis, commonly known as lump jaw, were found in the Normal Dairy Herd some few days ago. This disease is considered by many farmers to be incurable, but the class in Live Stock Disease undertook the treatment of the cases and secured complete cure in each instance.

Treatment used was Potassium Iodide in two dram doses, daily for a period of three weeks, followed by a rest of a few days and the treatment repeated. This treatment proves to be the best in such cases and can be secured at any local drug store.

These cows would certainly have died with this dreaded disease if the proper treatment had not been given them. Some of the tumors were removed by surgical operation, but the disease in the system was destroyed by the medical treatment.

This class has done interesting work this year in the treatment of milk fever, caked udders, tuberculosis tests, castration, ruptures, and other diseases. The purpose of the class is not to produce veternarians but to teach the farmer how to prevent and treat diseases common to farm animals.

WORK BEGUN ON SCHOOL BUILDING AT LORENZO

Actual construction on the fine, new school building of our neighboring city, Lorenzo, was begun recently. They are erecting a building there that would do credit to a town of many times the size, and which certainly reflects credit to the progressive and cooperative spirit of the wide awake people of that little city.

Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock a service for the laying of the cornerstone will be held there, under the direction of the Masonic Lodge at that place, assisted by the Lubbock Commandery.

A great service will be had, and the public at large is cordially invited to attend.

Our Windows Contain Special Bargains

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Medlock's Dairy

If Mr. Bryan is really desirous of a seat in the Senate, perhaps Mr. Newberry would take a profit on his.—Baltimore Sun.

Lubbock Building and Loan Association Is Making Good Progress Considering General Conditions They Have Faced

The Avalanche in speaking with Mr. Joe Hess of the Lubbock Building Loan Association, learned that that organization is pushing forward, and considering the close times in this section as well as over the country, they have made and are making very gratifying progress. Mr. Hess said:

"The Lubbock Building and Loan Association began business one year ago this month. It started with ten members and $100 cash. On the day it was one year old it had 116 members and $9,545.72 cash in the bank and during the first year, paid out $10,010.00 to five members for homes, and has approved loans to three other members aggregating $7,500.00, all three homes will begin construction this month. That means 8 homes in practically one year.

"The largest amount of stock held by one member is $7,000.00, and the smallest amount $200.00. One member paid his installment dues 100 months in advance.

"A man in New Mexico has taken three full paid certificates of $500 each, and a member here in Lubbock put in $5,000 cash on 50 shares of full paid stock. Three members have $3,800 prepaid stock on which they paid $1,900 cash. Over 100 members are paying on the installment plan, from $2.00 to $25.00 per month and some young men in town are paying from $30.00 to $50.00 per month out of their wages. We suggest that marriageable young ladies would do well to look up these thrifty young fellows—do you take the tip?

"The Association was chartered for $200,000.00, nearly all of which has been subscribed, and it has been voted to increase the capital stock to five times that amount and we predict that before three years it will have to be increased again.

"Lubbock people are beginning to realize what an honest-to-goodness Building and Loan Association means to a town, as a place to safely and profitably invest small or large amounts and be able to get their money at any time they want it.

"The members who desire to acquire homes are being taken care of faster now than the most optimistic dared to think a year ago. If investors continue to come in as they have lately we will be building two or three homes a month in the near future. The directors makes no promises that they cannot fulfill, but they do promise every borrower a loan in his or her turn if the security is satisfactory. Our members are not like the unfortunate persons who placed their faith in those 3 per cent contract concerns, and who will have to wait for their 3 per cent loans until the moon turns to green cheese. Moral: Trade at home.

"People sometimes ask to whom does the Association belong. Well, at first, it belonged to ten men, now it belongs to 116 persons, men, women and children, and to them belongs the credit of it's success. However, much credit can be given to many who are not members, for while, for one reason or another, they have now joined the Association, they have always spoken kindly of its work and purpose, and expect to join at some convenient date.

"Remember that this institution started, grew and prospered in the hardest year financially known to this generation. Born a year ago, creeped at first, and now has learned to walk. What will it do when it is big enough to run?

"The directors have, and are giving their time without pay other than the dividends on their stock, and the satisfaction of helping build the country.

"Mr. W. A. Bacon has been added to the Board of Directors and everybody knows his fitness and ability to help manage the Association. With better times ahead we look forward to another prosperous year."

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Lubbock, Texas

THE WEEKLY NEWS FROM AROUND CENTER

The sand has not forgot how to blow. Think most every one found that out last Monday. Several were absent from school on account of the wind and sand.

Miss Fay Dunn entertained a crowd of young folks on last Tuesday with a party. There being only a small crowd present there were not so many games, but a good time was reported by everyone.

We are very sorry to see Mr. Herman Habbinga staying out of school to plow.

Mr. R. H. Haney and wife, and Robert Myers, were among the visitors to Lubbock one day last week.

Mrs. E. A. Abney and Miss Capitola Morris were visiting in this section last Friday.

Miss Gladys Myers spent last Wednesday with Miss Catherine Johns. A nice time was reported.

Rev. J. H. Emery and R. Reiken were among the Abernathy visitors Saturday.

Mr. Edgar Abney was transacting business in Abernathy one day last week.

Miss Erna Goeth spent Saturday night in the A. J. Fuch home.

Mr. Hall Looney's mother came to visit him one day last week.

Mrs. Boles, daughter of N. A. Myers, who has been staying here so that her children could be in school, left last Friday. Her many friends and relatives miss her and were sorry to see her leave.

Several from this vicinity attended the ball game at Abernathy last Friday. They report a very interesting game.

Mr. R. H. Haney and wife were transacting business in Abernathy Friday.

Several from this vicinity attended the party in the Badger Lake community Saturday night.

We are very sorry to hear of Mr. W. J. Baker being sick. He was reported quite ill Sunday and unable to fill his place in Sunday School. We truly hope that he will be able to be among us in a short time.

Miss Alice Benefield and brother Hansel, were callers at the B. F. Taylor home Sunday. They report a real nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Myers attended church in the Badger Lake community Sunday afternoon.

Misses Carrie Mae Baker and Catherine Johns were Sunday afternoon callers at the Miss Gladys Myers home. They say the evening was well spent and they were invited to come back again.

Rev. J. H. Emery filled his regular appointment Sunday. He preached a very interesting sremon.

Mr. W. E. Emery and family, and Miss Minnie Loftin, were Sunday afternoon callers at the R. H. Haney home.

Some from this vicinity attended the singing at Mr. Cox's, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nelson entertained quite a bunch with an Easter egg hunt, but the wind blew so hard it was awfully disagreeable outside.

A FARMER CURED OF RHEUMATISM

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and told him to use it freely" says C. P. Rayder, Patten Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment; I want it in the house all the time for it cured me." tf

If Lazarus can still see over into the other place, doubtless he could tell us where the German mark has gone.—Baltimore Sun.

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DALLAS MAN PLEASED WITH CONDITIONS HERE

R. W. Blair, of the Blair Grain Company of Dallas, was a pleasant visitor in the city the first of this week. Mr. Blair is looking for a location for investments, and says that in all of his travels through many states including all of the surrounding states and Texas, he has never seen a town in which there is a better prospect for a future, and a more congenial and co-operative class of people. He owns the property on which is located the Broadway Garage, and at some time in the near future expects to erect a modern brick business house on the location.

A good blood and nerve supply must be had at all times to keep in health. When below par, see Dr. M. T. Council, or his assistant, Dr. Jennie Rearabacher, in the Burrus Bldg, Lubbock, Texas. Phone 540. 16-1

The reckless are not wreckless; the wreckless are not reckless.—Walla Walla Bulletin.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use the reliable Blue Star Remedy for all skin diseases such as: Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ringworms, Cracked hands. Old Sores or Sores on Children. Sold on a guarantee by Lubbock Drug Co. (6-10-22)

MORE RUSSIANS IN NEW YORK THAN NEEDED

A statement given out by Dr. Walter Laidlow, secretary of the New York City census committee, shows New York to have a foreign white population as large as the whole population of Chicago, Detroit and Boston combined, and that the Russian element is larger than the population of Warsaw and that there are more Italians there than in Naples.

Call Montgomery's Transfer, phone 453 for storage or hauling of any kind. 11-tf

Rev Albert Louis Scales Says Christianize the High Schools Or They Will Paganize America

Rev. Albert Louis Scales

Thoughtful readers of the daily press and careful observers of current events and tendencies cannot fail to be alarmed at certain situations that are getting to be common in the high schools of our cities. Several years since it was my privilege to spend an evening in the home of a distinguished professor emeritus of an American university, and in the course of the conversation this experienced educator stated that he was one of a committee selected to pass upon the merits of a number of competitive essays coming from writers scattered over the United States, the purpose of the essays being to suggest methods of dealing with immoralities existing in the public schools of the country. So shocking had these immoralities become that a prize had been offered for the best essay telling how to deal with them. Since that time conditions do not seem to have improved, but rather grown worse. So serious and alarming, indeed, have these conditions become, at least in some communities, that I am convinced that the high schools of our cities are threatening to paganize America.

A few concrete situations will help to set the matter squarely before us. To begin with, the dance craze has struck our city high schools amidship, and is producing its legitimate results. If any one doubts this, let him read the papers. One news item states that three hundred mothers had opened war in one of our cities on immorality among high school students, "booze party dances" being among the things condemned. In another city the police authorities have taken steps to regulate the high school club dances. Dancing is the order of the day in some high schools, being a part of the regular school program. "Mixers" are had from time to time. The principal in one high school charges that some of the girls openly practice things in matters of dress that border on the indecent, if indeed they are not positively so. From one city comes the report that certain high school boys and girls had indulged in an "outrageous bacchanalian orgy." "Cheek to cheek" dancing has been openly practiced. Doubtless these instances could be multiplied, but they are sufficient to show the drift of things.

Not long since the writer was in conversation with a certain mother and she spoke of the "atheistic" teachers in a certain high school.

The general craze for the dance in its extreme and indecent forms seems to be a part of our inheritance from the late war, and the tendency toward lewdness and gross immorality is the natural outcome of that kind of thing. In these respects we are following in the steps of decadent Europe. Only recently solemn warning was given by a French senator that "France will fall as Rome fell unless there is a regeneration of morals." "The senator handled the situation without gloves, says the News reports. "He pointed out that the latest revue in the biggest music hall in Paris had ten naked women in one scene. 'This city,' the senator declared, 'is plastered with immoral theatrical posters. The dancing clubs are filled with half dressed women. Why, even the street costumes of women are immoral. Even women who come from the best families walk in the streets in indecent gowns, flaunting their physical charms. Unless all this is stopped, France will fall just as Rome fell and for the same reason.'"

The time to call a halt is when there is a fighting chance to remedy the situation, and not after the whole texture of our civilization has been corrupted and weakened by rampant worldliness and unblushing shamelessness. If the tendencies in our high schools pointed out above continue unchecked, they will increase in strength until they become dominant, and then indeed the stream of our national life will become hopelessly corrupted near its source.

The tragedy of all this is increased by the fact that these young people are right in the midst of the adolescent period, when the emotions are deep and strong, when the blood is rich, when the passions are tempestuous. It is the "storm and stress" period, the period of "unstable equilibrium," when the individual is peculiarly susceptible to debasing influences as well as to high and noble ideals.

In seeking to offer a remedy for these ills, one could mention various and sundry things. But the case can be put in a nutshell by saying that the remedy lies in Christianizing the high schools. This, of course, will be no easy task, for various obvious reasons. Our public schools are, happily, not directly under the control of the Churches or other religious organizations, and can be influenced in matters of religion only indirectly. It would help immensely if Christian parents should unite in vigorous protest against the present order of things. They could make themselves heard and their wishes would in some measure be heeded. But many who profess to be Christians are themselves decidedly in the minority. Perhaps no adequate and permanent remedy can be looked for from this source.

The fundamental remedy lies in supplying all our public schools with consecrated cultured Christian teachers. If this can be done, these teachers will find a way to eliminate many evils and substitute in their places things that are elevating.

Of course here is where the rub comes, for such teachers cannot always be secured. The supply is all too limited. We have some of this type now, noble men and women, who are rendering fine and sacrificial service. All honor to them! May their number rapidly and largely increase! But pious wishes will not solve the problem. The problem presses for a solution. Let us face it squarely.

1. Let us make a clear and defined and insistent call for some of our finest young people to choose teaching in the public schools as a life profession. While we are calling for ministers and missionaries and deaconesses, let us also call for teachers in our public schools. It is high time for us to look upon this form of service, not as a side issue, or as a stepping stone to something else, but rather as a high and holy task, worthy of the best talent and best energies of our best young men and women. We need our Christian colleges for the training of Christian teachers for our public schools just as imperatively as we need them for the training of ministers and missionaries. And in the expansion of our educational work, it would be well for us to have this in mind.

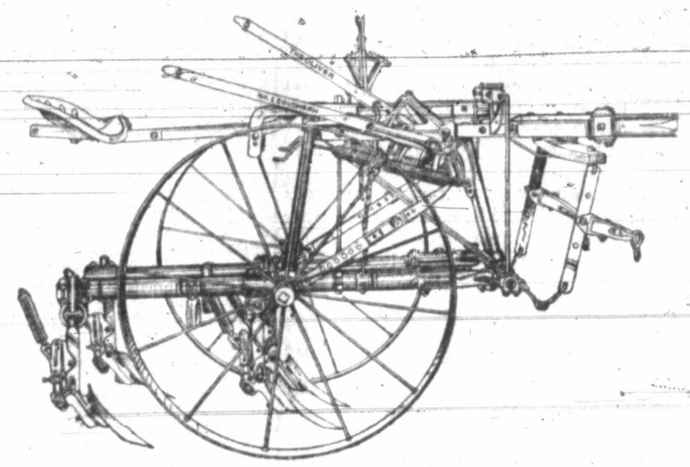
2. Let us dare to utter insistent and repeated warnings against the dangers that are threatening the students of our high schools. As citizens of our respective communities, we have a right to insist that teachers of clean morals and high ideals be selected by Local Boards of Education, and we have a right to use our influence to see that this is done. While we are planning great things for the kingdom of God in other directions, let us not carelessly allow the stream of our national life to be hopelessly poisoned at its sources.

3. Let us demand of the Local Boards of Education that dancing be eliminated from our public schools. If parents wish their children to dance, in spite of all the warnings that are given, they can send them to private dancing masters and allow them to dance in their homes or elsewhere. But there are thousands of parents who do not want their children to learn to dance. Under the prevailing arrangements, their children are virtually forced to dance or suffer social ostracism in school life. This creates a very serious and perplexing and wholly unnecessary problem for these parents and may lead to very serious consequences to their children. At a recent meeting of the citizens of a certain community to protest against the granting of a permit to open a dance hall, the principal of the public school stated, according to the daily paper, that on behalf of the thousand children who attended the school, she wished to protest against the dance hall; that it was a menace to the community. The attorney for the property owners, according to the same report, asked the teacher whether she was at the school when his two daughters attended. She replied that she was a teacher at that time. The attorney then replied that the first step in dancing his children learned was at that school, and that he had "paid admission to entertainments at public schools where they had dances very similar to those one sees at burlesque theaters."

Surely our public school authorities are under no obligation to foster a practice in the schools that is condemned by practically all the great Churches of the land. Therefore, let vigorous protest be made. And if this protest is not heeded, let the matter be carried into the court, as has already been done in at least one case. Great and precious interests are at stake, and no proper means for remedying the evil should be neglected.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM IDALOU COMMUNITY

The singing was well attended Sunday afternoon. A number of visitors from Lubbock, Lorenzo, and Acuff were present. The Lubbock singing class rendered a very interesting program.

On Friday night, April 28, there will be a box supper at the Idalou high school auditorium. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. J. B. Mitchell and Miss Viola Lambert entertained their Sunday school classes of the Methodist church with an easter egg hunt and also a birthday party in honor of W. J. Mitchell, at the home of Mrs. Mitchell. After the eggs had been found a prize was given to the ones that found the most eggs. In Mrs. Mitchell's class Roberta Taylor and Glenn Peoples won the prize. In Miss Lambert's class Rufus Sawyers and Unice Marie Carleton won the prize.

The Methodist Sunday School spent the day at Robison Sunday. A special Easter program was rendered.

Idalou was well represented at the District Meet. The girl debaters, Junior girls declamation, and girls double tennis. Although we were defeated in tennis and declamation, we won in debate. The girls debated three preliminaries, and won over Lockney in the finals. They have not worked in vain. They were given a gold watch each and have the honor of keeping the silver cup through the coming year.

Bro. Summers is conducting a meeting at Swynston and was unable to fill his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Cotton from Wayland College, conducted the services at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, and Rev. Covington at seven-thirty Sunday evening.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Bradford entertained their Sunday School classes Saturday afternoon with a Easter egg hunt. Barney Dennis won the prize for finding the most eggs. After the eggs were found refreshments were served. All reported a nice time.

The road is being graded. We will soon have a good road into Idalou.

Misses Pearle and Viola Lambert spent Saturday night with Miss Nora Sawyers.

Mr. R. M. Teague and Miss Minnie Carleton were married at Seminole April 11. Miss Carleton formerly lived in Idalou. Mr. Teague lives at Knowles, N. M. The bride and groom will reside at the home of the groom.

Mr. Millard Tucker is on the sick list this week.

Miss Cleo Swofford spent the week end with her parents in Plainview.

A birthday dinner was given by Mrs. Owen McInroe Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Gallotin and family, Misses Jewel Holt, Marie and Bessie Kimbrell, Ruth and Lela Dowdy, Annie Mae and Velma Bowles, Messrs Jess Wood, Homer and Ralph Harrison, and Mr. and Mrs. Perkins.

Friday afternoon was very much injoyed by the Junior Sunday School class of the Church of Christ when their teacher, Mrs. B. Sherrod gave them a Easter egg hunt. The eggs were hid in Mr. Rosses beautiful green wheat field.

The work on the park is progressing nicely. The well has been completed, and most of the trees set out. The building will be erected in the near future.

NEWS OF THE PAST WEEK FROM ROPESVILLE COM.

The weather man has given us plenty of breezes lately from most every direction. But we are all here despite the sand.

The farmers have kept right on planting seed into the ground, blow or no blow. A large acreage of corn was planted last week.

Easter has come and gone with the usual cold snap. We only hope it will leave us with a bountiful fruit crop.

Mr. C. R. Burrus got the contract for fixing the courthouse at Levelland.

Brother T. B. Sowell preached a good sermon for us Sunday night. We are always glad to have him with us.

The citizens of Ropes have decided to have a public well dug. The well machinery is now on the ground and work will begin in a few days. This will be very convenient to the public as it will be only a few feet from the highway.

Prof. Humphries and family were transacting business and trading in Lubbock Saturday.

George Barton and family were visiting among old friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Humphries gave her pupils an Easter egg hunt Friday evening. There were 100 eggs hidden. Frank Brown found the most eggs. All report a nice time.

There was a baseball game played between New Home and the Ropes boys Friday evening at Ropes. The score stood 13 to 15 in favor of Ropes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Copeland were at Lubbock Friday night attending the school program and visiting their son, Newt. They have recently moved to Charley Complands place and will stay there through the summer months.

There will be a play put on next Friday night by the Parent-Teachers' club of Brownfield, called the "Corn Paste." This promises another good play from Brownfield. The American Legion boys negro minstrel was fine and was enjoyed by a large crowd.

The Hockley County singing convention was held here Sunday. A nice crowd was in attendance. The usual good dinner was served by the ladies. Messrs Pevehouse and Jones were the leaders from Carlysle. Mr. Gunn and Tobbs were leaders from Leveland, Prof. Teague from Moody.

Mr. George Barton stopped in Ropesville Wednesday en route to Lubbock, after visiting a sick sister in Brownfield. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Fannie.

Mr. Lewis Stambaugh came down from Abernathy last week and moved his household goods to that city. They will make that their home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thorp returned from their trip down east last Thursday. They report a nice trip, but were glad to get back to the Plains.

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SHALLOWATER NEWS ITEMS OF THE PAST WEEK

O. Connell of Monroe, transacted business at this place Thursday.

Grovesville and Shallowater ball teams played at this place Saturday with Shallowater as the winning team.

L. E. Baker was on the sick list the first of the week.

At the district meet Friday and Saturday, Allen Mason represented the rural schools for Lubbock Co. won first place, which gives him a free trip to Austin. We were sure of Allen as he knows how to bring out all the good points in speaking. And with Miss Carter as an instructer, we are sure he will do well at Austin also.

A large crowd was out to Sunday school and church Sunday. There was church in the evening also.

The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon at the school house. All appeared to have a good time, even the grown-up children.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wright have gone to Dallas to live.

L. Hardy returned home from the south Sunday. His many friends will be glad to know that he is improving so nicely.

Gladys Baker visited friends and attended the District Meet at Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Will Connell of Pettit County, was in town Monday trading with our business men and also reported a new boy at their place.

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STANDING IN THE WAY OF PROGRESS

The big land holder for a number of years, and in fact for a great number of years has stood in the way of progress of this great country. For many years they had absolute control of this section through the influence of representatives in the legislature, who kept the land from the actual settler and allowed the big ranchman to hold it for grazing purposes, thus retarding the development of the country, by an absolute lease for years and years, and allowed through many crooks and turns, and schemes, to get the land by purchase when the lease proposition would hold no longer. Many thousands of sections of land in this great fertile Plains section was filed on and purchased under a fictitious name, and held down by a broom tail horse, for the time required by law, to prove occupancy and then the transfer was made to the big rancher, and in that way got control of a large acreage, and who are still holding on and pulling back on every progressive move. This is not so true of Lubbock county as in some of the neighboring counties, and counties to the west and northwest of us.

We have in mind our sister county to the west of us—Hockley. The county is largely in the hands of big ranchmen, and the county officers are representatives of these interests, to the extent of a majority, hence the progress will be slow in the matter of improvements and development. This not only works a hardship on the people in general of that county, but it affects a lot of other interests. Unfortunately the highway between Lubbock and Clovis runs thruogh some of Hockley county. The highway in Lubbock county is graded and in good shape. Likewise the road in Lamb county is in fine condition, but there is a link of road in Hockley that the Commissioners in that county WILL NOT work, hence it is a barrier to the trade and travel that comes over this route. This same element will greatly retard the development of that section of the west. Further north in the Panhandle this great barrier to progress is very evident. Amarillo "The Heart of an Empire," faces this condition. We have heard that three-fourths of Potter county lands are owned and controlled by less than a dozen men, which will hinder the growth of Amarillo because of holding back the developments of the surrounding territory. The sooner these large land holders can be induced to turn their holdings loose the quicker will be the development of this great Plains country.

HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENTS

Every indication is now favorable to a large fruit crop, and there will also be a lot of garden produce raised, as usual. We believe there is a great need for a Home Demonstration Agent, especially for the next three or four months. We believe it is a good investment the year round, but it seems that our county commissioners differ with us and they hold the reins, and are the watch dogs of the county finances, and have turned the proposition down at various times when submitted to them. Thrift is one of the greatest assets to the country, and we believe in the Home Demonstration work which is taught more thoroughly and systematically than through any other means, hence the importance of having a competent person in charge of this work. The absence of this department has been greatly missed by the women of this county, and the girls, who were taking such an interest in the work while the county had a Home Demonstration department. Lubbock stood high in this line of work then, but through neglect has dropped into the backgrounds, and little is being done now. We believe this work to be so important and necessary at this time of year that arrangements should be made if possible to employ some one, if not for a whole year, to serve through the summer months. This would certainly be of great benefit, and if the commissioners court WILL NOT agree to the proposition, then we believe that if it is taken to the people that individual contributions can be obtained to take care of the proposition for three of four months. We understand that the question has been discussed by the Chamber of Commerce some, and we urge that it not be disposed of finally without a strong effort being made to get the commissioners to act, which if not favorable, then see if it cannot be handled in some other way.

Lubbock has not wasted any money on oil wells yet, and we hope that she will not for a while at least. There is much constructive work needed in Lubbock, and money spent in that way is sure to bring returns on the investment within a few months that will beat even an oil well. Lubbock is just growing. She is not putting on any mushroom stunts. She is not springing forth like the proverbal plant that came from the seed shown in shallow soil, but she is growing from a well rooted source, a substantial nature of her growth will withstand many hard jolts without crumbling, and the future indeed holds out a condition that has attracted the attention of capital, and each month brings new enterprises, and shows a steady gain over the preceding days.

PRISONERS WANT BOOKS

The Avalanche is in receipt of a letter from Sam Cates, well known in this section of the country, who is now residing in Weldon, Texas, and employed on the Eastern State Farm, Texas State Prison system, having been sent there for the murder of Judge Burton at Crosbyton some months ago. Sam is soliciting books for the prison library which was destroyed by fire several weeks ago. The Avalanche has written Cates that we will endeavor to send them a number of volumes, and if the people of Lubbock will respond as they should, we can send them something less than a car load of books, and still have a lot of good ones left. It might be of interest to some of our readers to know what Cates had to say along this line, and we reproduce a portion of his letter which follows:

"A new library has been opened on this camp, and it is our desire to secure some new books for circulation. A large number of books have been secured by donation from libraries, publishing houses and individuals, and we will appreciate it if you will endeavor to secure a few volumes from Lubbock for us. I will consider it a personal favor if you send us some books and magazines, for I feel that Lubbock should be represented in our library which is one of the prides of the new prison building.

"There are over three hundred men on this farm, and most of them are very fond of reading. It makes no difference what kind of books they are, as there are men here to do justice to all subjects and all topics as well as they are to be found on the outside. And if some of them are a trifle shabby there is a man here who can soon rebind them and put them in good condition."

New houses are popping up in Lubbock in every direction. Many new people are coming here, and we do not have an oil boom or anything that is abnormal or exciting in its nature. Just a cracker-jack town in which to live, and a wonderful country in which to make a home, hence the good steady growth that Lubbock enjoys. Since the $150,000 bond issue carried there will be hundreds of families move here to make their home, and the growth of Lubbock will be more rapid than ever during the next six to twelve months. This will bring on more necessary increases in the public utilities, and the old Daddy Tightwad is certainly going to have a whole lot to gripe him within the next few years if Lubbock public utilities keeps pace with the needs of the city. The water and sewer plants will have to be increased. The light plant enlarged, the paving program lengthened, and city halls and fire stations will need enlarging and providing. Oh mama; how are some of the fellows who own five times more of the town than they should will stand the pressure we do not know, but we will venture a week's subscription to the Avalanche against a cob pipe full of Big Bale that none of them will want to sell their property even at that. When the boy grows larger you get new clothes to fit him. Lubbock is entitled to the same consideration.

You people have elected a board of trustees for the Lubbock Independent District. They are good men—competent men and women, and they are going to do the very best they possibly can for the school. There will be many problems come up before the board this year that will require much of their time, and hard study to make things go. You should give them your hearty support and help them to make the very best school that Lubbock has ever had. The new building is to be erected. First the location is to be decided upon, and this is not going to be an easy task. If you think so, just try to find a location in Lubbock that you want for a building site for a home, and you will get some idea about what a job the board will have in locating the grounds for a high school building. It takes a considerable block of land to give a high school campus the room it should occupy, and that will add much to the difficult task of getting the grounds, and especially getting the proper location. But we have elected the board, and we should certainly have confidence enough in them to leave the matter up to their good judgment.

Lubbock's postoffice certainly needs additional equipment. The present outfit is entirely inadequate. The fixtures are not sufficient to take care of the patrons. There is, and has been for years a scarcity of lock boxes. There is we understand, a waiting list all the time that puts a fellow a year or more from a box, and this is a great handicap to individuals, to say nothing of the business firms that want a box, and cannot get it, because of the fact that there are none to be had. The building, too, is entirely too small, and is not what is needed for a postoffice building in Lubbock. The help furnished the Lubbock postmaster is but little more than half enough, which is bound to decrease the efficiency in the office. No class or set of folks can do and do right their work if they are crowded beyond their physical capacity, and this is the reason that the service in this office is not up to the standard that the postmaster and his helpers would like to put it. It is a physical impossibility, and there should be something done to change the conditions.

There is much complaint about the valuations of property being too high in Lubbock for taxation for school purposes. That may be true, still we doubt if anyone will sell their property for the amount that it is valued by the school board, but suppose you would, it is caused by the rate being too low. Fifty cents on the one hundred valuation is not enough to carry the schools, as it is necessary to run them in Lubbock, hence we favor the raise of the tax rate to $1.00 on the one hundred dollars valuation, so that the values can be reduced. It is not at all necessary to use all the rate voted. The board need use only such amount as they see is necessary, and we believe the school board is conservative, and will be economical with the funds. The Avalanche is willing to trust them, and we would be willing to trust any other set of men elected by the majority of the voters, because we do not feel that a majority of the people would make a very great mistake in the selection of men for that important office.

The Panhandle Press Association is in session at Amarillo this week—Friday and Saturday. We might have attended, but we simply had to stay at home and help the boys turn out the big volume of work that is always on hand in the Avalanche office. We simply have to hit the ball.

EDITORIAL BACKFIRE

Said and Resaid With Comments Pro and Con.

"HEART OF AN EMPIRE"

"Amarillo—The Heart of an Empire," is the slogan finally adopted by the officers and members of the Amarillo Advertising Club, in the place of one previously adopted by the committee, and later held to conflict with Lubbock's, "The Hub of the Plains."

In readjusting this slogan matter, due consideration was given to the thriving little city of Lubbock. Representative business men comprising the membership of the Advertising Club openly expressed the belief that there is not the slightest desire upon the part of the people here to infringe on the rights of Lubbock. The slogan previously adopted by the committee named by this club, was suggested by a resident of Muleshoe, and selected in absence of any thought of a conflict.

When the fact that Lubbock had adopted a number of years ago "Lubbock—The Hub of the Plains," as a slogan, and that the city named felt that its rights had been infringed upon came to the attention of the officers and members of the Amarillo Advertising Club, there was an immediate determination upon the part of the major number to withdraw the designation and action, with regard to the phase, "Amarillo—The Hub of an Empire." But, in advance of the knowledge of Lubbock's attitude, the designated phrase had been approved by the various civic clubs and the Amarillo Board of City Development and it was printed on thousands of pieces of stationery.

Now comes the adoption by the Ad Club of the new phrase, "Amarillo—The Heart of an Empire," and it is believed that this will go through in great shape and be used by all in interest, as no other conflict will be shown with any other city or town in this portion of the country, as far as it is known. The new slogan phrase will therefore be adopted without any suggestion of opposition, as the mind of Amarillo will be able to join in unison on a pretty sounding slogan, freed from the thought of conflict

Amarillo has complimented Lubbock through the similarity of the phrase considered best in a list of many hundreds—one almost identical. In relinquishing the designated slogan, this city is acknowledging itself moved through a desire to have no conflict with one of her beloved sister cities. Amarillo realizes that there is far too much work to be done by herself and the other potentially great communities, to indulge in the silly pastime of squabbling over slogans. Amarillo's representatives in this matter have indicated clearly that they selected an expressive and pleasing slogan, but that Lubbock had no prior claims, and so abandons the field to that humming South Plains city. This is done with the spirit of friendship, with neighborly regard, with the high purpose of friendly co-operation and hopes for achievement of much good all along the line.

Lubbock has convinced Amarillo of her rights in this matter and as a result this city has withdrawn, passing over to her friend to the south without prejudice, the widely advertised "Lubbock—The Hub of the Plains," not discredited, but enhanced by reason of the friendly controversy growing out of Amarillo's choice.—Amarillo News.

The Avalanche is glad to know that Amarillo has consented to change the slogan that had selected, and it will no doubt cause a much better feeling toward that city by our townsmen, and will stop the unfavorable comment that has been going the rounds of the newspapers regarding the matter. Lubbock had every right to raise a roar about it, and Amarillo should not have hesitated to make the change when it was brought to her mind. Really the committee that selected the slogan should have been better informed, for Lubbock's slogan had been given state and nation-wide publicity, and all well informed, and some not so well informed people knew that Lubbock has been known as (and really is) the "Hub of the Plains" for many years. We accept the change.

THE WAY OF MADNESS.

It was once common, says the Wall Street Journal, to see in the windows of bird fanciers white mice, or perhaps grey squirrels, spinning around insanely fast, in a cylindrical cage. The faster they scampered, the more they worked, the faster the cage went around. But the animals got nowhere, not a fraction or a segment higher from the horizontal. Outside the whirling cage other animals flitted about, nibbling nervously. Soon the exhausted workers would cease their efforts and then outside nervous consumers would become seized with frenzy and rush in at the opening. Then, all together, they would begin again their mad endeavors, working frightfully, getting nowhere. Chesterton once said, "Hell is effort expended without joy."

"This," said a prominent banker, "is a picture of the industrial boom in Germany which is soon destined to burst. Wages keep rising by leaps and bounds, so do taxes and the cost of living. Imagine the insane efforts transferred to America. It would be as though the average worker who in 1912 received $25 a week was now called upon to pay: For 15-cent socks, $20; for two fresh-from-the-lime eggs, $5; for a quart of milk, $4; for a plate of poor roast beef, $15; for a pound of butter, $46; for a two-cent stamp, $2; for an eight-dollar pair of shoes, $2.00 for a $30 suit, $1,000." How low will the mark go? How long is apiece of string? How high is a balloon?—Texas Commercial News.

People go wild when they get all worked up, and they let their excited mind get the better of good judgment, and this always results disastrously to the people of any nation. America today is just beginning to recover from one of those prosperity sprees, and it is a very dangerous condition to get into, and often the result is fatal. Keep your senses folks, and don't fly so high that you cannot get back to earth without a jolt or a severe shock.

REJOICING

We are peculiarly blessed; good rains have fallen, the school building is under construction, the new Baptist church is going up, the streets are being graveled and many other good things.—Snyder Signal.

The Signal found the silver lining without much trouble, not solely because the lining was there to be found, but because it was sought for. Sermonizing, Clip & Comment is so confident that other towns can do the same thing if they choose to; of course, if they do not want to find it, although it is there, they cannot do so, unless a trial is made to do so. But the time for rejoicing has at last come to West Texas, and the people of the section have been not only rejoicing but making profitable use of the rains by getting their spring plowing done early. Improvements are being made in practically all of the towns. Abilene is experiencing more building now than for some time, and the building permits for March doubled the January and February permits, which shows that there is still faith in the city and its future. The fact is that true West Texans never lose faith in the future of their section, despite the drouths, the hard times, and everything else. —Abilene Reporter.

We do not believe that to think a thing is so and so always makes it so, but we do believe that often people really imagine conditions are worse than they really are, and the pessimist worries himself to death, trying to believe what he wants to be true, and at the same time makes life miserable for his associates. We too often fail to see the silver lining, and look only upon the dark side of the cloud.

BASEBALL

Now we're back to normalcy for a time at least. The baseball season has opened.—Temple Telegram.

There are many people who enjoy the game of baseball, and since such a large number do enjoy it, it is called the national pastime, which is just about right. It is a great game, if it is played straight, but when it is played crooked, it's just about the worst game you can find anywhere, for crookedness ruins baseball quicker than anything. A great many people do not like baseball; believe that it is a waste of time; that men should spend their time at what they say are more profitable things; that is all right for boys but not for men, and that it looks foolish to see men play baseball. Maybe so, but baseball players are paid the largest salaries of any "profession" in the country, outside of perhaps, the moving picture industry. Whether that means anything or not, Clip & Comment refuses to say, but he will say there is nobobdy but who would like to pull down the salary the baseball players get.—Abilene Reporter.

Well, of course there are a few timse when good teams may fake and throw the games away, but people too often judge a team as doing this when the game was played with all the might of the players. Let us hope that all the games played on the Lubbock Diamond this year will be hard fought ones, and that it will be real baseball, clean and exciting.

Venice, Calif., April 17.—Benjamin Brodsky loves children. He has opened an apartment house here. He announces that no unmarried persons may rent apartments. Families including more than one child will have their rent scaled downward at the monthly rate of $5 a child. Every apartment where a child is born will be credited with one month's rent. A newly married couple also will be given a month's rent, but if at the end of a year they have no children, their rent will be doubled.

This is certainly a very unusual announcement, and would be a curiosity in the classified columns of the average newspaper. Ads usually read "No Children Allowed."

LAND COMMISSIONER WILL SELL OIL LAND MAY 22

State Land Commissioner J. T. Robison announced Thursday afternoon that the state would sell to the highest cash bidder 771 acres of submerged land in the Black Duck district near Goose creek. This land lies within 1,000 feet of an oil well producing 3,500 barrels daily.

Under the law this land can be sold to the highest bidder who sends his bid to the land commissioner's office on or before the date of expiration of such sale. The land in this instance will be awarded to the successful bidder on May 22.

At the same time a large tract of submerged land adjoining the jetties at Sabine Pass will be sold in the same manner as the land near Goose creek.

The state in both instances will retain a one-eighth mineral right.

MEMPHIS BUSINESS MEN WILL VISIT NEARBY TOWNS

Memphis, Texas, April 20.—The Hall County Chamber of Commerce has recently completed a trade excursion in the Memphis territory. A large delegation of business men made the trip and speeches were delivered at Wolf Flat, Bridle Bit and Turkey. The excursion was accompanied by the celebrated Memphis Concert Band. Talks on various agricultural subjects were given and Secretary Geo. A. Sager told of plans for the enlarged Hall County Fair at Memphis this fall.

AVALANCHE SERMONETTES

(By the Office Preacher)

The American Home

With the Anglo-Saxon love of home has always been instinctive. It was so when our ancestors lived the simple life, and it is so today. The Englishman maintains that his home is his castle. There he feels secure, and the home is secure as long as he has strength to defend it. We in America approve and applaud this contention. We honor the man who defends his home against invasion by force, and we approve whatever methods may be necessary to make this defense effective. Is it not true, however, that many of us take pride in the defense of our homes who do nothing else for them? Our first duty to the home is to make it a home to those who live in it and who will eventually go out from it with the impress of its life upon their lives. The home life of our people is in serious danger. Its greatest danger is not that it is vicious, although there are numberless homes into which vicious influences have been invited, and where they have found welcome. The greatest danger to the American home is that it has ceased to be a home. It is just a place to eat and sleep. The family circle is no longer a circle, but is daily broken up while its parts are scattered here and there morning, afternoon and night. We cannot destroy the home life nor permit it to decay without destroying the Nation itself. It has not been done in any nation in the past, and it cannot be done now. When any man ceases to have a home to which he can turn for the healing of his scars he begins at once to lose his strength. Since the well-being of the individual and the State depend upon the maintenance of the real life of the home, its maintenance is vastly more important than disarmament conferences or conferences on economic reconstruction or anything else.

Shall we not re-establish the family circle and at its head reopen the family altar? There is no higher duty; there can be no more worthy patriotism.—Texas Christian Advocate.

Tourists Will Find That Prices Are Very High Abroad

American tourists who are planning to spend a few months abroad this year, and are thinking, perhaps, that prices in Europe are very low when paid in American coin, should be advised that an upward movement has been reported in foreign prices of the principal natural products imported. If the import prices have climbed, it is to be expected that the prices for goods sold locally will also be higher, especialy if those goods are to be consumed by American tourists.

A downward movement in prices was reported in European countries during the greater part of last year, but this has not only passed its climax, but a marked upward movement has taken place. The "import prices," according to the present law, are the prices quoted for the merchandise in the country from which it is shipped to the United States.

These gains in import prices, according to the trade record of the National City Bank of New York, have affected coffee, cocoa, cotton cloths, flax, burlaps and even India rubber, which previously had taken quite a lengthy tumble. Spun silk and tea are quoted higher, as is wood pulp and wool clothing and other things.

This is not because the American coin is worth less than formerly, but because of a healthier condition existing abroad. If the import prices have advanced, tourist may also be expected to find other prices higher also. The advance will not affect one commodity without affecting the others.

It is reported that steamship lines already have booked passengers by the thousands, most of them whom are going over for brief tours of England and France, while a few will extend their journeys to include Italy, Switzerland and Germany, and a fwe others may visit the Near East. But the battle fields of Belgium and France will attract most of the tourists this year.

Even so, there will be considerable travel in the United States this year, if the railroads consent to make prices that are not out of the reach of the American of ordinary means. The American people like to go on short journeys if they can not go on long ones, and the railroads can get quite a large amount of travel this year if they show any disposition to go after it. Those who can not travel abroad will travel at home, be sure of that, if it be possible.—Ft. Worth Record.

LUBBOCK MAN ASSISTS IN OPERATING WIRELESS SETS

H. L. Allen, manager of the Texas Utilities of Lubbock, was here the early part of this week assisting local men in learning to operate their new radio phone sets. Tuesday night he worked with the set owned by C. D. Powell and succeeded in picking up messages at intervals from the Denver sending station.

The operation was hampered, however, by the defects in the aerial, as a swinging motion in the wires often broke the connection. Mr. Allen says that the operation of a set is simply a matter of the operator's becoming accustomed to the eccentricities and characteristics of his individual set. Other operators here have succeeded in getting messages and in hearing programs from Dallas, and occasionally from Catalina Islands. E. B. Miller succeeded in getting New York, Wichita Kansas, and Avalon Beach, California, at times this week.—Plainview Herald.

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WHAT OTHERS SAY AND HOW THEY SAY IT

NOT ENOUGH INCOME FROM THE INCOME TAX

Pharisaical self-congratulations that we are not as those poor European nations who can't balance their budgets, and who have to keep borrowing money to pay their expenses, are interrupted by the announcement from Washington that the income and profits tax collections for this year will run $200,000,000 below the estimate. This means, according to the New York World, that the Government, which had before been at a loss to meet appropriations on the basis of the budget revenue estimates, "now faces the necessity of borrowing heavily to balance its budget.' Treasury officials have been expecting a drop in total receipts this year from a total of $3,200,000,000 in 1921 and $4,000,000,000 in 1920 to $1,740,000,000 for the current calendar year. Now they find, on the basis of the payments on March 15, that the total income and profits taxes are not likely to come within $200,000,000 of the figure. Half of this deficit comes out of the expected revenue for the current fiscal year ending June 30. If that income tax is, as a New York expert accountant specializing in taxation describes it, "the barometer of our economic life, the gage of power to pay," then "Congress, our tax-levying body, should take warning." The Administration has cut expenditures and reduced taxation in accordance with its pledges, but, declares the Republican Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, "it can not escape the problem of decreasing revenues." Editors politically out of sympathy with the Administration can not refrain from smiling at its present financial plight. The Newark News (Ind.), for instance, wonders whether we are now to be told again that the "best minds" will find a "painless way" to meet a Treasury deficit amounting to one or two hundred million dollars. The Treasury's plans for debt reduction "must give way to action in debt expansion," the New York World (Dem.) remarks, while "a leaderless Republican Congress moves now placidly and now riotously along, legislating new expenditures as if the Treasury were bursting with surplus revenues."

Treasury officials in Washington attribute the shortage in March tax collections, according to a New York Tribune dispatch, entirely to the business depression during 1921. Such a financial authority as The Wall Street Journal agrees that "the falling off represents business and industrial depression which was maintained throughout the greater part of the year 1921. Incomes of many persons were greatly reduced and in some cases wiped out so that it became necessary to borrow money to support homes and households." Tho it seems to the Brooklyn Eagle that "the unemployment and the depression are effects, not causes," for which the existing revenue law is largely responsible, as it has been "keeping capital out of reproductive enterprises."

And there is a psychological factor which the New York Evening World thinks may in the long run prove to be more important in reducing tax receipts than the business depression:

"In war years the usual attitude of the income taxpayers was liberality. Many scorned to take all the exemptions the law allowed.

"This is all changed. Taxpayers realize the income tax is here to stay. They are educating themselves. Many are keeping exact records of outlay they are permitted to deduct. Others estimate—some liberally.

"Luxury, amusement and transportation taxes are worth consideration. Business expenses, State and local taxes, contributions, union dues etc., are all listed.

"This is not tax-dodging. It is merely being fair to oneself.

"But it helps to cut the income-tax receipts."

The shrinkage of income-tax returns simply means, as the New York Commercial sums it all up, "that Congress will have to find new sources of revenue and that the Government will have to resort to borrowing to make up deficits until this new money is forthcoming."

Living From Hand to Mouth

In the days of the Pharaohs, the Egyptians seldom had less than three or four years' supply of grain and other foodstuffs on hand against the possible time when the river Nile failed to overflow and spread its waters over the fields. When the Spaniards invaded Peru in the fifteenth century, they found the ancient civilization of Western South America forehanded enough to have store houses well filled with foodstuffs from which nothing was ever taken in times of plenty unless it was immediately replaced with an equal amount of the new crop. Here in the United States we live from hand to mouth, figuratively speaking, consuming and exporting all we produce in a single year, and congratulating ourselves that the demand was equal to the supply, or a little better. Should we, by chance, have an overproduction, it is almost a calamity, instead of a blessing for the surplus is used to depreciate prices and discourage the producer from putting forth his best efforts another season.

It has been said, and without reason to deny, that one complete crop failure would bring this, the richest Nation ever known to civilization, to the verge of famine. In many respects we are not as forward looking as were the semi-civilized tribes of South America 400 years ago. It is true we have the means of transporting the necessaries of life from one part of the country to the other or even importing from distant parts of the world, but inasmuch as a great part of the world looks to America for a large part of the food consumed, failure in America would prove a world calamity.

The time may come when great warehouses will be erected in America for the storing of surplus, imperishable products, and that this surplus will not be used as a means of bearing the market. At the present time farmers dare not overproduce because of penalty imposed upon them. A heavy fine in form of reduced prices is assessed against producers when they succeed in bringing forth the necessities of life in abundance.

The hand-to-mouth policy of the Nation is worthy of serious consideration. The fact that our present system of distribution does not permit our farmers to overproduce for the market, should in no way deter them from exercising foresight enough to store up food for their own use and an abundance of feedstuffs against the time of drouth which is sure to come, if not this year, perhaps the next.—Farm and Ranch.

Obedience is Imperative

That moment when the boy or girl discovers that failure to obey a command of father or mother goes unnoticed is a sad moment in the life of the child and it may also prove a sad moment for the parents. It is the beginning of rebellion against discipline, of insurrection against law, by immature, untrained youth, which must end either in an abrupt "halt" order given by the parents, or the development of the good sense of the child against the handicap of disobedience, or the continued falling away from parental control, until finally, like a rudderless ship, the child, perhaps yet immature, is driven along by relentless ignorance or unsubdued passions to a possible wreck on the reefs that confront all in the journey through life.

Some years ago there was a popular song, "Stick to Your Mother, Tom," which contained advice as good for the growing generation of today as it was for the youth of that time. The closer a boy sticks to his mother, and to his father also, the more he will have to be proud of ten, fifteen or twenty years hence. It is not unmanly to be respectful and obedient; it is churlish, boorish, foolish to be resentful of parental authority.

But the boy or girl is only partly to blame for failure to obey the home commands or to respect the home folks. The parents are equally to blame, and they can trace the beginning of the children's strayings to the moment when a command is permitted to pass unheeded, to the moment when the child discovers it and disobey without fear of punishment.

Obedience by the children—insistence by the parents that the children shall be obedient—will save many a heartache, keep more of the youth of the land in the straight paths of peace and happiness and prevent many a shipwreck in life. —Fort Worth Record.

Time To Remove the Tax Inequalities Now Injuring West Texas

It is a thorn in the side of this part of the state that west Texas counties are paying the state too much tax money in proportion to the amount received from the state treasury for school and other purposes. It is also felt the western counties are paying far more in proportion than the eastern counties; nevertheless the eastern counties benefit most from the state treasury.

Repeatedly this matter has been brought to the attention of West Texas by the representatives in the state legislature. Representative Adrain Pool recently commented on it, and senator R. M. Dudley is the latest to remark upon it, declaring that in some of the rich counties of east Texas where land is worth at least $300 an acre, owners are paying on only a 10 percent valuation, whereas, in west Texas, counties land is assessed on a 60 percent valuation basis.

He also decalres that some east Texas counties which do not contribute half as much to the state treasury as west Texas counties, receive twice as much back.

As senator Dudley suggests, this state of affairs reveals plainly the need for a state board of equalization which will really equalize—one that will make valuations uniform and remove the inequalities that now work an injustice on taxpayers in the western part of the state.

These inequalities are hindering the growth of west Texas, because they are notorious. It must be a powerful pull that will draw people to live and own property in a part of the state that is commonly known to be getting unfair treatment from the state; where citizens will have to pay a penalty for living.

In some other states it is the less populous counties, the ones with fewer taxable industries and with more natural handicaps to overcome, that are strengthened by state treasury revenue from the richer counties. In exas the reverse is true, and it is unfair to the people of west Texas.

If a special session of the legislature is called, as has been intimated from Austin, to consider the school situation, the time will be opportune to thresh out this subject. West Texas will not approve blanket school appropriations while the gross inequalities in taxation exist.—El Paso Herald.

"There is no reason why people should not doze if they are tired. I am sure lots of people do feel tired on Sunday, when the week's work is over. I am not offended at the sight of people dozing through my sermon."—The Rev. H. R. L. Sheppard, pastor St. Martin-in-the-Fields, in London, England.

"There are just two classes of people: Those for God and those against Him. There is no middle ground. You are a real Christian only when you take an open stand for Him and take your part in His work."—The Rev. Dr. John H. Burma, president of Trinity University.

"It is already great and historic, but above all of moral value, which must inevitably lead to satisfactory consequences. The spirit of tolerance shown by the delegates of the leading countries is a good omen for the work of pacifications of Europe and toward which the efforts of all countries, irrespective of whether they are victors, vanquished or neutrals, anxiously lead."—Signor Schanzer, the Italian foreign minister, referring to the work of the Genoa conference.

"The results will linger long in the minds of every one, and I predict that the city as a whole will show the effects of this revival."—The Rev. J. W. Bergin, pastor First Methodist church, referring to the success of the city-wide revival.

"Anybody can serve the devil. It takes no strength, bravery or manhood to let the devil lead you down to hell with a chain and a ring in your nose. It takes a brave man to make a clean, brave stand for the cause of Jesus Christ and come out and serve Him."—Evangelist R. L. Cole.

"As to the export market for the coming fall, the increase in value of French and English money insures a greater sale of our products in those countries."—George Fenberg of Abilene, cotton exporter.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

If you were fortunate enough to be raised on a farm or in a small town 20 or more years ago, it often occurs to you how much the modern city boy misses in the way of real fun.

Along about this time of year, back there in the radiant past, "the gang" was following the local Huckleberry Finn, the courageous individual first to brave the springtime chill of the "ole swimmin' hole."

It is a sorry contrast, alongside the concrete swimming pools for metropolitan youth in this year 1922. Nature was coming to life, back there in the country, with an entrancing display of buds, first wild flowers, pussy-willows and strange birds going north. And, oh, that fresh air!

About all the modern city boy gets in the way of wild flowers is dandelions for pa's home brew. And what he sees going north is more apt to be a motorcycle or police patrol than birds.

Back yonder we had big barns with huge hay-mows to play in. And, at this season, it was customary to erect great shanties in backyard and vacant lots, to house the gang's secret society.

In the 1922 city the barn is a one-story garage, and pa usually has a fit if he catches the boys in the flivver-hotel, playing with the oil cans.

Cities are heartsickeningly clean, with no lumber and old tin cans and packing boxes and back-alley bones and junk for the boys to gather.

Remember when we put on a Buffalo Bill show at the edge of town and a burnt-cork minstrels in the barn? Do you think the modern city youth has as much fun at his dancing class of the school cantata? Neither do we.

The city lad is so pressed for elbow-room and playthings that, for instance when he gets roller skates he rides them to death, then hungrily seeks a new amusement.

That's why we have waves of juvenile, maniacal concentration on one thing in the cities. Right now, it's wireless.

Civilization and metropolitan congestion may be a good thing for grown-ups, though odds are on the nays. But it's certainly tough on the youngsters.

It is childhood that has lost most in modern city life. And even when pa takes the kids to the country on Sunday afternoon, they get about as much glimpse of it as from a moving train. Pa is restless, nerves keyed up, wants to get along fast and try another stretch of pavement.

Real-or-sure boyhood is vanishing to join other antiques of of the day when nature and science were mysterious enough to make life worth while.—Weekly Ardmoreite.

Promissory Note Given In 1794 Is Fortune to Holder

An old promissory note given by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Samuel T. Mather in 1794 for $63.62 and 5 per cent interest, compounded semi-annually, may bring between $80,000 and $40,000 to Mather's great-great-granddaughter, Mrs. Almyra Gaylord Conner, a kindergarten teacher of Berkley, Cal.

While in the east last summer attending her mother's funeral, Mrs. Conner found the note unpaid in an old family trunk, which had been given her years ago for her dolls' clothes.

Mrs. Conner took the note to an attorney, who advised her that payment could not be made without the passage by the Massachusetts Legislature of a special act, for in 1821 the Legislature passed a bill calling for payment of all such notes and providing that interest would not be paid after a reasonable time was given for presentation.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature, Mrs. Conner has been advised, calling for payment of the note, and she has been notified to be ready to go east soon to attend a hearing on the matter. It is thought that possibly the Legislature will authorize payment, as the note represents a moral debt, if not a legal one.

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The Position of the American Legion Relative to Its Attitude Toward Organized Labor Is Shown to be Friendly

It is because of the permanency, the stability and the potential importance of The American Legion as an American institution, and likewise because of the far reaching economic and humanitarian advantages accruing to the workers of the country through the instrumentality of the American Federation of Labor, that certain interests and individuals have undertaken the enforcement of a program calculated to enstrange these two organizations and to attack both of them.

By an analysis of the legislative program of The American Legion and the American Federation of Labor it will be observed that there is little, if any, difference in the aspirations of these two organizations from that point of view. That this is true is best evidence by the fact that the Legislative Committees of the two organizations have and are now working in harmony at Washington in the interest of educational and Americanization measures.

Following the establishment of The American Legion there were persons of anti-American tendencies, and others misinformed, heard to say that Wall Street was sponsoring and financing The Legion and that its conduct in industrial controversies would be one of a partisanship toward the employers' contentions. As one associated with The Legion from its inception and preliminary meetings in Paris in 1919, and during all of this period being an active official of an International trade union, such a declaration that the financial interests of the country were backing The Legion was given no consideration by me because of the utter fallacy of such declarations. It has taken time, however, to prove the ridiculousness of the claim, it now being best exemplified by the national unity of the banking interests and the Chamber of Commerce against The American Legion's readjusted compensation legislation before Congress. It should be said here that the real opponents of The American Legion in this great and meritorious issue have been the Chamber of Commerce and the banking interests of America, and that the strongest force of cooperation with The American Legion in pressing the final adoption of its compensation measures has been the uncompromising support of the American Federation of Labor. Thus time has proven the utter preposterousness of the claim that outside interests and particularly the moneyed interests of America controlled the destinies and the aspirations of The American Legion. The fact is that no outside influence, without regard to class, credit or influence, runs The American Legion. It is a militant fighting virile, independent, non-partisan organization, run from within and resenting meddling influences from without.

The American Legion, in addition to its efforts to maintain the contact of comradeship that grew out of the world's conflict, has adopted a program of Americanization that proposes an unceasing campaign to eliminate from our Republic every evidence of illiteracy and to coordinate with every educational, religious, economic and public spirited organization that is willing to make this great fight in the interest of intellectuality.

In addition The American Legion has said that it proposes to press home to every man, woman and child, the principle of Americanism to perpetuate the traditions of our Republic, and to build up a spirit of loyalty and love for the ideals which the Republic has stood for and fought for at home and abroad. This is in brief the policy and purpose of The American Legion and is actuated by no other ambition. To such a program every good citizen and organization can, without hesitancy, subscribe, and particularly is this true of the American Federation of Labor which has subscribed to an identical program. The purpose, therefore, in this constructive far sighted program makes to that extent The American Legion and the American Federation of Labor inseparable.

It is obviously true that there is a line of demarcation between the International Unions and The American Legion in that the former concentrates largely in economic developments. The American Legion is not an economic organization but purely a fraternal and legislative organization purposing the things that have herein been referred to. However, so far as the economic struggles of International Labor Unions are concerned, The American Legion has very properly determined that it shall not and will not interject itself into controversies arising from economic disputes between employer and employe organizations. That this position is the correct one is borne out by the fact that The American Legion is made up of men from all walks of life,—Union men, men unaffiliated with unions, professional men, business men and statesmen, and hence of course, it would be highly improper for The Legion to take a position of partisanship in industrial controversies.

It is the height of sophistry to attack The American Legion because some member of The Legion may engage himself in industrial controversies, whether his act is partisan to the trades union movement or partisan to the organizations of the employers antagonistic to organized labor. No organization is free from imperfection. There are members of the Chamber of Commerce who have denounced the policies of this organization and have withdrawn from it. This does not mean that the act of such a member of the Chamber of Commerce represents the sentiment and the policy of the organization. By the same token there are instances where members affiliated with International Labor Unions have withdrawn from their organization and joined forces with the employer in defeating the efforts of the union in which they formerly held their membership. This does not mean that the union is responsible for such an act. It is, therefore, unreasonable to expect that there will not be members of The American Legion who will, in periods of industrial controversy, take sides as in their judgment the situation warrants, but this does not mean that The American Legion approves of such a course or will follow the act of an individual member or members of the organization.

The use of an act of an individual of an organization, that might on its face raise a controversial question, as a measure of attacking an organization is both unfair and cowardly. The American Legion is a free institution made up of men who have proven their allegiance and love for the cause of freedom and democracy at home and abroad; and in the pursuance of such a course will be in harmony with the high ideals that have animated the American Federation of Labor in the pursuance of a similar course of Americanism.

There is no good reason for the existence of any other than the most cordial, friendly relationship between The American Legion and the American Federation of Labor and any effort to engender antagonism between them will fail because of its lack of merit and reason.

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SLIDE HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK

Work! Work! is the order of the day in our community, but will soon be through planting unless it rains pretty soon.

Those that were in town Tuesday were, Messrs J. E. Hubbard, Lee Sowell, W. D. Arnett and family and Ewell Johnston.

Mr. P. H. Renfroe Sr. and wife, from Lynn County passed through the community Tuesday enroute to Lubbock on business.

Those that were in town Wednesday were, Messrs T. J. Davis and wife, Lonnie Williams and wife.

Mrs. W. B. Copeland was very sick Monday and Tuesday and Dr. Overton came out and it was thought best for her to go to the hospital. She was carried immediately and a slight operation was performed. She came out home Saturday and is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mr. W. D. Arnett and family and Ewell Johnston were in town Saturday.

Mr. Mitchell Crouch from New Home was at the store Wednesday.

Mr. J. E. Richardson and two children from Woodrow, were at the store trading Wednesday.

Mr. H. T. Bateman has a quiet an excitement during the sandstorm Wednesday. He was out around the tank fixing to water his garden and when he got close to the edge the wind blew him into the water, he reported the water a little cool.

Mr. J. C. Stanford was in town on business last Wednesday.

Mr. J. E. Hubbard, J. C. Hubbard and wife went to town Thursday and Mrs. J. E. Hubbard came out home with them after being at the hospital for a while. We are all glad to see her able to return home.

Misses Woma and Villa Davis visited the school Thursday.

The school children all reported as having had a wonderful time hunting Easter eggs. Those that visited the school Friday were Mesdames R. W. Harrist, L. R. Stryker, J. C. Staggs, Green Harrist, Mr. Lonnie Williams and family.

Mr. Harey Renfroe Sr. and wife from Lynn were in the community Friday. They were enroute to Lubbock.

Mr. B F. Sumner and wife were in town Friday.

The ball team from New Home was at the Store Friday, enroute to Ropes to play a match game of ball, the result reported was 21 to 14 in favor of Ropes.

Mr. R. L. Northam and son Elmer, from Lakeview were in the community Monday after Mr. Staggs. He is going to do some carpenter work for Mr. Northam.

Mr. Izard and wife and Mrs. Bob Edwards and Rev. Rankin, the minister from New Home visited at the home of J. E. Hubbard and wife.

Mrs. Hubbard came out home the last part of the week, after being in the hospital for a few weeks. We are all glad to hear that she is able to be out home again.

Most everyone attended singing at Ropes last Sunday. Everybody reporting a fine singing and plenty of dinner and enjoyed the day excellently.

Several in the community attended singing at Woodrow Saturday night.

Mr. A. J. Terry from New Home was at the Store Monday enroute to Lubbock to carry Rev. Rankin to the train.

Don't forget about the singing next Sunday evening at 2 o'clock sharp. Everybody is invited to come and bring some one with you.

Messrs B. T. Sumner and Tarr were in town Monday on business.

Next Friday the 21st will be the last day of school for this term and a school program will be given at the school house and we invite everybody to come.

Mr. J. E. Hubbard went to Slaton Saturday fater his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Smith, to spend a few days with him and wife.

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Teaching Children to Appreciate Blessings.

(By Edith Lochridge Reid.)

Mothers often get discouraged because the children seem thankless and unappreciative of their blessings, when a little thought and effort on the mother's part she could train them to a better sense of appreciation.

"I bought some lead pencils when I was down town today so they would be on hand, and I hope I won't hear any more about lead pencils when you are starting to school at the last minute."

Will Johnny appreciate one of those pencils when he takes it from the shelf, do you think? He certainly will not. He will grab one and off with it without even a thought of thanks, to say nothing of voicing his appreciation.

"Here's your collection money all ready for you," says Mother when the children are scurrying off to Sunday School. Now not for anything would the tots go without their pennies, for the collection is an event in the primary classes. But when the mother hands it out this way they take it as a matter of course and not as one of the blessings for which they should say "Thank You."

Now it would be splendid discipline to let the children ask for a few things once in a while. This gives them a sense of obligation to mother because she has done a favor, and nearly always a well-mannered child will say "Thank You" for something which he himself has requested. Don't feel, mothers, as if you were shirking your duty if you make Mary ask you to sew on a button or mend the pocket of her sweater. She will be impressed with what the little task means if she has to wait for you to get your thimble and thread and button or yarn. If she sits and watches you for the ten minutes that this duty requires she will say "Thank you." But if the clothes are mended and tucked away in her bureau or closet ALWAYS, she will take the blessing of mended clothes as a matter of course. Naturally we are not grateful to a marked degree for things that we get on schedule. But let something go wrong at the electric light plant and we fuss about using candles and exclaim, "I'm certainly thankful that they have the wires fixed," when once more the power is restored.

So if you feel that the children are showing ingratitude, do not blame them;—look for the trouble in the training system. Turn the power off and let them use candles, and you'll be surprised how thankful they'll be for blessings that they are in the habit of receiving with no show of appreciation.

BLEDSOE NEWS ITEMS FOR THE PAST WEEK

Miss Flossie Lou Ferguson spent Sunday night with Carrie Daughtery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Burns Friday, a girl.

Mr. E. W. Moody was a business visitor in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. Johns is erecting a new residence in Becton.

Rev. Brittian filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning. He was accompanied by his wife. Both Bro. Brittian and his wife spent Sunday in Mr. Frank Eddy's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Showalter and little son, Joe, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. Jas. B. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burns were Lubbock visitors Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. King are visiting with Mrs. King's father, Mr. Thetford, near Shallowater this week.

Rev. Bolton from Illinois will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and again at night.

The Christian meeting will begin Monday night, April 10, here. Rev. Reynolds of Plainview, will hold the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDuff and son, J. K., spent Sunday in Mr. and Mrs. Wood's home.

Mrs. E. H. Moody spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Eddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Reid, Andrew and Marion Reid were shopping in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. Sherrod of Idalou, attended church here Thursday night.

Miss Laurine Griffith spent last Thursday with Miss Carrie Doughtery.

Mrs. Showalter, Misses Mabel Becton and Bessie Pool were shopping in Lubbock Friday.

Rev. Reynolds, wife and children attended the meeting here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Jones, Misses Rosa May Jones and Miss Bratcher, attended church here Saturday night and Sunday. The Sunday services of the meeting were well attended. A large number from Plainview, Lubbock, Abernathy and Lorenzo were present.

Rev. Smith from Lubbock held the afternoon service. His subject was the old time religion. The meeting closed Sunday night.

Misses May and Anna Belle Thetford are visiting their sister, Mrs. Geo. King.

Rev. Bolton preached Sunday morning and night at the Baptist church.

Misses Jewel Shing, Laurine Griffith, Elizabeth Reid, May Shiry, Attie Evan, and Birda Pool spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. E. H. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrus' little girl is very sick of pneumonia this week.

Miss Margaret Boatener of Idalou, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe.

The Community Club will meet Friday afternoon.

There will be a box supper at the Bledsoe school house Friday night, April 28, for the benefit of the school. Everyone is invited to come, especially the candidates.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE MONROE COMMUNITY

Mr. Jack Merrill came home Saturday after spending last week south of Lubbock with Mr. McAllen, his nephew.

Mr. Paul Morgan had for his dinner guests some young men from Lubbock on last Saturday. They played housekeeping and cooked dinner, and all report a pleasant hour with wonderful eats.

Mrs. T. H. Cox was absent from church last Sunday on account of sickness, but she says it is not the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Teal entertained some of their married children from Lubbock last Sunday.

Bro. Ribble preached two fine sermons at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m., with dinner on the ground and Sunday School between then singing on Sunday night.

Little Misses Viola and Jewell Boyd gave on Easter egg hunt on last Saturday p. m., and the golden egg was found by Tommy Dykes, among a large number of contestants.

Mrs. Ribble and baby were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bundy on last Sunday.

Mrs. Stanfill and children of Lubbock visited the Graham's and attended church here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne of Lubbock, spent Sunday with the Robinson's and attended church here, both services.

Mr. Henry Barker and family, of Lubbock, spent last Sunday with friends here and attended church.

Mrs. W. E. Ballew and son William Hardy, of Lubbock, spent last Sunday with the Stephenson's here and attended church in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thaxton and wife of Lubbock, were seeing their many friends here last Sunday.

Little Miss Leah Cox gave an egg hunt on last Sunday afternoon. The two prizes were won by Tom Botey Cox and J. Ray Merrill, and consisted of a candy Bunny and chicken.

The Messrs Barber are building an addition to the residence of Champ Stephenson and family, when completed it will be a six room and bath model of the modern type.

Mrs. C. Stephenson is having sore eyes last week, but is recovering.

Andrew Graham is prospecting in Colorado this week.

Mrs. B. C. Clutter and son Clem of Lubbock spent the week end on their ranch.

Call Montgomery's Transfer, phone 453 for storage or hauling of any kind. 11-tf

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER

Kansas City Stock Yards, April 17.—Demand for both cattle and hogs was active with prices on the up grade once more. Fat steers, cows and heifers were quoted 10 to 15 cents higher. Good steers sold up to $8.35 and prime heifers at $8.35 also. Hogs were 10 to 15 cents higher, top $10.30 and bulk of sales $10.10 to $10.25. Though sheep and lambs were in light supply prices were unevenly lower.

Today's Receipts

Receipts today were 9,000 cattle, 12,000 hogs, and 7,000 sheep, compared with 9,000 cattle, 12,000 hogs and 12,000 sheep a week ago, and 10,350 cattle, 5,425 hogs, and 8,500 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle

Trade in fat cattle opened early at strong to 15 cents higher prices, and remained active. In most cases the better class of steers sold 10 to 15 cents above last week's close. Heifers were higher also, and cows steady to strong. Moderate receipts together with the increased past Easter season demand for meats strengthened the market. Choice steers and prime heifers sold up to $8.35. No strictly prime steers was offered. Good Colorado steers sold at $7.50 to $8.00. Cows were in moderate supply. Veal calves were steady.

Stockers and Feeders

Prices for stockers and feeders were quoted steady with last week's close. The wet weather tended to restrict demand. Most of the thin cattle are being taken on grazing accounts.

Hogs

The decline in hogs which developed late last week was checked today by an upturn in prices. Here the market was up 10 to 15 cents, top $10.30 and bulk of sales $10.10 to $10.25. Demand was active and a good clearance was reported. Pigs were quoted down 10 to 15 cents, top $10.15.

Sheep and Lambs

Though total receipts of sheep at the principal Western markets were the smallest of the season prices were lower. Here the market was down 25 to 40 cents. Choice lambs sold up to $14.60, and clipped wethers at $6.50, lower prices for dressed lamb and mutton in the east caused the decline.

Horses and Mules

Demand for good rugged work horses was fairly active, and prices ruled steady. Some demand is in sight for the mule auction Tuesday.

Chas. M. Pipkin,
Market Correspondent.

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Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Martin, accompanied by Mrs. Davie, sister of Mrs. Martin, left Wednesday for Midland, Texas, where they will be for several days visiting with another sister of Mrs. Martins at that place.

A lost Chicago-ed was found after she got a job as a cook. She had a curious idea of the way to avoid the police.—New York Tribune.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The following parties authorize the placing of their names in this column for the various offices, subject to the Democratic Primary, in July, and ask a favorable consideration of their claims:

For County Judge:
P. F. BROWN, Lubbock, (Re-election)
D. W. PUCKETT, Lubbock
GEORGE W. FOSTER.

For County Attorney:
JOHN R. McGEE, Lubbock (Re-election.)
OWEN W. McWHORTER
C. W. BEENE, Lubbock.

For Clerk of The District Court:
LOUIE F. MOORE.

For County Clerk:
H. F. STUBBS, Lubbock.
G. T. CRAWFORD.

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MARY F. HINTON, Lubbock, (Re-election).

For Sheriff:
C. A. HOLCOMB, Lubbock. Re-election.
JOE W. PERKINS, Lubbock
R. I. TUBBS, Lubbock.
P. B. PENNEY, Lubbock
I. J. OSBORNE.
H. L. (BUD) JOHNSON.

For Tax Collector:
SAM SPIKES, Lubbock (Re-election)
TONY Q. DYESS, Lubbock
A. J. CLARK, Lubbock.
ANSEL HINES Lubbock.

For Tax Assessor:
R. C. BURNS, Lubbock. (Re-election.)
A. B. JONES, Lubbock.

For County Superintendent:
E. R. HAYNES, Re-election (Lubbock)

For County Commissioner, Pre. 1
M. M. CRAWFORD, Lubbock Re-election.
J. H. BURROUGHS
MARVIN T. WARLICK.

County Commissioner, Pre. No. 3:
B. N. WHEELER, Idalou, Re-electon.

For Commissioner, Pre. No. 4:
J. C. SHAW.
L. C. DENTON.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1:
J. WESLEY SMITH (Re-election)
J. H. RICHARDSON.
GEO. B. MULLINS.
W. E. JOHNSON.

For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1,
C. T. JACKSON, Lubbock. (Re-election).
J. F. BUMPASS, Lubbock.
T. W. McNEELY, Lubbock
J. P. NELSON.

For Public Weigher, Pre. 3, (Idalou)
J. D. FUGITT.

HOCKLEY AND COCHRAN COUNTIES:

For Tax Assessor:
W. G. FRAZIER.
LEONARD C. TOW.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
J. A. STROUD, (re-election)

Mrs. W. C. Barnett left this week for San Angelo, for a visit of a few days.

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A BRIEF OUTLINE OF THE NEW TARIFF BILL REPORTED BY THE SENATE AS COMPARED

Washington, April 11.—Herewith are given some of the more important rates in the tariff bill, reported today to the Senate by the finance committee, with comparisons with the Fordney bill and the Payne-Aldrich—the last Republican protective tariff—and Underwood laws, wherever feasible. The ad valorem rates in the Fordney measure are based on American valuation but they are used here in the comparisons. Experts attached to the committee say that 25 per cent, American valuation, is generally equivalent to 5 per cent foreign valuation.

Because of entirely different classifications have been used in drafting the wool schedule in the new bill, no comparison of rates in that schedule with those in the famous K of the Payne-Aldrich bill is undertaken. The raw wool rates in the Senate measure are about equal to those in the Payne-Aldrich law, however, and Senator Smoot of Utah who drafted the schedule says some of the other rates are as high as corresponding provisions in schedule K while others are lower.

Agricultural Products and Provisions.

Wheat 30 cents bushel; Fordney and Payne-Aldrich, 25 cents; Underwood free. Wheat flour 78 cents 100 pounds; Fordney 50 cents; Payne-Aldrich 25 per cent; Underwood 45 cents, 196 pounds.

Peas, green or dried, one cent per pound. Prepared or preserved two cents; Fordney three-fourths, and two; Payne-Aldrich, one to two and one-half; Underwood, third to one.

Onions, one cent pound; Fordney, three-quarter cents; Payne-Aldrich, forty cents bushel; Underwood, at twenty cents bushel.

Irish potatoes 58 cents 100 pounds; Fordney, 42c; Payne-Aldrich 25c; Underwood free.

Tomatoes 1c pound; prepared or preserved 15 per cent; Fordney 1c and 10 per cent; Payne-Aldrich and Underwood unclassified.

Turnips 12c 100 pounds; Fordney same; Payne-Aldrich and Underwood unclassified.

Paddy or rough rice 3-8c pound; Fordney 1c; Payne-Aldrich 3-4c; Underwood 3-8c. Milled rice 1c; Fordney and Payne-Aldrich 2c; Underwood 1c.

Cattle 1-2c pound to 2c per pound; Fordney 1c to 1 1-4c; Payne-Aldrich $2 head to 27 1-2 per cent; Underwood free.

Fresh beef and veal 3 1-2c pound; Fordney 2c; Payne-Aldrich 1 1-2c; Underwood free.

Sheep and goats $2 per head; Underwood free.

Mutton 2 1-2c pound; Fordney 1 1-4c; Payne-Aldrich 1 1-2c; Underwood free.

Fresh lambs 5c pound; Fordney 2c; Payne-Aldrich 1 1-2c; Underwood free.

Swine 1-2c pound; Underwood free; Fordney 1-2c; Payne-Aldrich $1.50 head.

Frseh pork 3-4c pound; Fordney same; Payne-Aldrich 1 1-2c; Underwood free.

Bacon, hams and shoulders and other pork, prepared or preserved 2c pound; Fordney 1 1-2c; Payne-Aldrich 4c; Underwood free.

Lard compounds and substitutes 5c pound; Fordney 20 per cent; Payne-Aldrich no classification; Undrewood free.

Eggs or poultry in the shell 8c dozen; Fordney 6c; Payne-Aldrich 5c; Underwood free.

Hay $3 ton; Fordney and Payne-Aldrich $4; Underwood $2.

Bran, shorts and other by-products feed, 10 per cent; Fordney 15 per cent; Payne-Aldrich and Underwood unclassified.

Hides of cattle and bovine species, green 2c pound; dried 4c pound; Fordney, Payne-Aldrich and Underwood free.

Boots and shoes, chief value of hides of cattle of bovine species, 12c paid and 5 per cent ad valorem; in chief value of leather not specifically provided for 6c pair; Fordney free; Payne-Aldrich 10 per cent; Underwood free.

Boots, shoes and other footwear, the upper of which composed chief value of wool, cotton, etc., 40 per cent; Fordney 25 per cent, no corresponding provision Payne-Aldrich and Underwood laws.

Harness, saddles and saddlery 35 per cent; Fordney free; Payne-Aldrich 35 per cent; Underwood free.

Wools and hair of the Angora goat, cashmere goat, Alpaca and other like animals, 33c per pound on the clean content; Fordney 25c; Underwood free.

Wools, unmixed and half of the camel in the grease, 12c pound; washed 18c, scoured 24c; Fordney not in excess of 7c pound; Underwood free; imported on the skin, 11c pound; Fordney not in excess of 6c; Underwodo free.

Manufactured, 36c pound and 25 per cent; Fordney 16 2-3c pound and 10 per cent to 27 1-2c per pound and 10 per cent; Underwood 8 per cent.

Yarn 26c pound and 30 per cent to 39c pound and 40 per cent; Fordney 20c pound and 15 per cnet to 30c and 20 per cent; Underwood 18 to 25 per cent.

Woven fabrics, 40c pound and 50 per cent to 49c and 55 per cent; Fordney 30c and 22 per cent to 36c and 27 1-2 per cent; Underwood 25 to 40 per cent.

Knit fabrics 33c pound and 40 per cent to 49c pound and 50 per cent; Fordney 25c and 20 per cent to 36c and 25 per cent; Underwood 35 per cent.

Clothing and articles of wearing apparel, not knit, 26c pound and 40 per cent to 49c pound and 55 per cent; Fordney 20c and 25 per cent to 36c and 30 per cent; Underwood 35 per cent.

Carpets and rugs, 30 per cent to 55 per cent; Fordney 1c to 5c; square foot 20 to 30 per cent; Underwood 20 to 50 per cent.

Long staple cotton 7c pound; Fordney, Payne-Aldrich and Underwood free.

Short staple cotton free, as in Fordney, Payne-Aldrich and Underwood.

Tobacco and Manufacturers.

Wrapper and filler, unstemmed $2.35 per pound; Fordney $2.10 per pound; Payne-Aldrich and Underwood, $1.85; stemmed $3; Fordney $2.75; Payne-Aldrich and Underwood $2.50.

Cigars, cigarettes, cheroots of all kinds, $4.50 per pound and 25 per cent; Fordney, Payne-Aldrich and Underwood same.

Sugar, Molasses and Manufacture.

Full duty sugars 2c per pound; Cuban $1.60; Fordney same; Payne-Aldrich $1.68 and $1.35; Underwood $1.25 and $1.

Molasses and sugar syrups, testing not above 48 per cent total sugars, 25-100c gallon; above 48 per cent 275-1000c additional for each per cent of total sugars and fractions of a per cent in proportion; Fordney same; Payne-Aldrich 3 to 6c; Underwood 2 1-4c to 4 1-2c.

Sugar cane in natural state $1 per ton; Fordney same; Payne-Aldrich 20 per cent; Underwood 15 per cent.

Standard news print free; Fordney free; Payne-Aldrich 3-16c to 3-10c per pound; Underwood free.

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If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild-cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate. 11-4

CATTLE BUSINESS SHOWS PROMISED IMPROVEMENTS

Prominent among the visitors in Amarillo Monday were Roy K. Bruner and Charley Donald of Hereford. When asked about the cattle business from the angle of the territory surrounding the "White Face City," Mr. Donald said: "We are glad to believe that the outlook is better, and this we do, most fully. The stock passed thru the winter in fine shape, and now the markets are holding very satisfactorily.

"That the cattle business will stage a 'come back,' we no longer doubt. The cattle man is supplying a necessary and highly desirable commodity, and we are assured that prices will ultimately be so readjusted that we will all get a legitimate compensation, at the right angle."—Amarillo News.

HOME LAUNDRY

One block South of Post Office, family washing 45c a dozen and $1 for finishing work. A. J. Huckabee, the Watkins Man. 15-2p

The war was the biggest crime wave in the world's history, and the crime waves which are troubling the world today are merely the following ripples.—Houston Chronicle.

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FOUR STATES WITH TEXAS IN THE LEAD HAVE OUTRANKED ALL OTHER STATES OF THE UNION

Four states, with Texas leading, have for the last three years ranked all other states in crop production. Texas has been at the top each year, but production in other states have fluctuated. Iowa was second in 1919 and was lowest of the four in 1920 and was in sixth place, letting two other states get in ahead of her in 1921. California was in sixth place in 1919 and in second place in 1920 and 1921, while Illinois was steadily and determinedly clung to third place each year.

Census crop values in the six leading states each of the last three years are given as follows:

1919 Census Value of All Crops.	
Texas	$1,071,527,000
Iowa	890,391,000
Illinois	864,738,000
Ohio	607,038,000
Kansas	588,923,000
California	587,601,000
1920 value of crops, based on relative value of twenty-two leading crops, compared to same for census year:	
Texas	$711,175,000
California	503,791,000
Illinois	486,302,000
Iowa	474,079,000
New York	424,568,000
Kansas	392,545,000
1921 crop values:	
Texas	$424,471,000
California	350,519,000
Illinois	294,914,000
New York	269,917,000
North Carolina	262,880,000
Iowa	258,643,000

Writing in Texas Commercial News, E. M. Johnson, an expert on agricultural matters, says these figures are worthy of reflection when purchasing power of the farmer is considered. Texas maintains first place and California leaps into second place, but these and all the other states show a large decline in actual values, this decline amounting to more than 60 per cent in most instances as between 1919 and 1921.

The crops having the greatest value are the crops that count. California produces a large quantity of truck, and her fruits also give substantial value to her productions. Texas keeps in the front rank with her enormous acreage, leads in cotton and grain sorghums, is fourth in corn acreage and third in corn valuation, and Texas also produces a large amount of truck and fruit, some in East Texas and some in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

It is the crops with the value that count for the prosperity of the farmer. The figures announced by the census department, when considered in connection with the leading crops in each state, point the way to success and failure for the agricultural people of the country. And if they are prosperous, the cities prosper in greater measure; if they are in hard straits, so are the cities. Raise the crops for which soil and climate are best fitted and which also have the highest values in the market.—Fort Worth Record.

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Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her worn, shabby dresses, skirts, waists, coats stockings, sweaters, coverings, draperies, hangings, everything, even if she has never dyed before. Buy "Diamond Dyes—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is sure because Diamond Dyes are guaranteed not to spot, fade, streak, or run. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Seagraves Teacher In Race for State Representative

Seminole, Texas, April 13.—Charles W. Roberts, superintendent of Seagraves public schools, is a candidate for Representative from the One Hundred and Nineteenth District to succeed R. A. Baldwin of Slaton.



Roberts has been superintendent of the Seagraves schools for three years. Roberts is Gaines County's only candidate for district honors Some of the points emphasized in his platform are:

A mill tax to support the State school system, reserving a certain per cent for the maintenance of the rural schools of the State.

A more rigid enforcement of the suspended sentence, with a view to correcting abuses.

Remodeling the judicial system, with the idea of making the punishment of the guilty more certain and the obtaining of justice much cheaper.

Selling the State prison farms and using the convicts on the county roads.

Equalization of the tax burdens by taxing the large tracts of unimproved land at the same value as adjacent improved farms.

Establishment of an A. & M. College on top of the Cap Rock.

Cutting up the State University lands, located in West Texas, into small tracts not exceeding 320 acres and selling it to real farmers, with a small payment down and the balance scattered over a long period of time at a low rate of interest, giving preference to ex-soldiers.

The establishment of the county unit plan of education as indorsed by the State Teachers' Association.

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HOUSEHOLD

Cheese Custard.

Four slices of bread, one and one-half cups of grated cheese, one and one-half cups of milk, one egg, one-half teaspoonful salt, paprika or pepper. Cut the bread into slices one-inch thick. Remove the crusts and save, toasted for soups. Grease the baking dish and put in a layer of bread, cut to fit the dish, then a layer of grated cheese, and procede again until the bread and cheese are used. Mix the beaten egg, salt, paprika and milk together and pour over the bread and cheese and bake in a moderately quick oven until nicely browned.

Stuffed Calves' Hearts.

Clean and wash four calves hearts and stuff with a highly seasoned bread dressing and tie up well so as not to lose it. Brown in bacon or salt pork fat; while browning season with salt, pepper, one chopped onion, half a carrot, a sprig of parsley and any other vegetable you may choose which have flavor, as hearts need much seasoning. When nicely browned add one and one-half cups of stock or water and cover. Cook slowly one and one half hours. Make a gravy and serve over the hearts on the platter.

Rhubarb Tapioca.

One pint rhubarb, one and one-half cups tapioca, one lemon, one cup sugar, two cups water, one tablespoon butter, salt. Cook the tapioca in water till it is clear. If coarse tapioca is used it must be soaked in cold water. Add salt to taste. Place the rhubarb in the baking dish and pour the tapioca over it. Sprinkle over the sugar, lemon juice and butter. Bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven. Serve cold with rich milk.

Candy—Opera Creams.

One and one-half cups sugar, two tablespoons butter, one cup cream or milk, three squares chocolate (cocoa may be used), vanilla, nuts if desired. Mix sugar, butter and cream (or milk). Grate chocolate very fine and add. Boil and test in cold water. Remove from fire and when it is cold beat until it is puffy.

Baked Herring.

Scale and clean the fish. Lay in a large frying basket, place in a kettle and cover with boiling salted water to which vinegar has been added, allowing one-half cup of vinegar to each quart of water.

Let them come to a brisk boil, then draw to one side and simmer for 8 or 10 minutes. Lift out, drain and place on a hot platter. Serve with mustard sauce.

Mustard Sauce.

One tablespoon mustard, one tablespoon vinegar, one pint fish stock, salt and pepper, three tablespoons flour, two egg yolks, one-half cup cream.

Heat the fish stock. Heat the oil, stir in the flour, cook together, adding the hot stock all at once and beating briskly until smooth.

Add the cream, then drwa aside and dad the beaten egg yolks, keeping under the boiling point, beating again as the eggs thicken the sauce. Make a paste of mustard and vinegar and add to sauce. Seson and serve.

Rice Date Muffins.

One-quarter cup butter or other fat, two tablespoons sugar, one egg, two cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, one cup milk, three-quarter cup chopped dates.

Cream butter and add sugar slowly, creaming them together. Add well beaten egg and mix thoroughly. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add to egg mixture alternately with milk. Add floured dates and mix well. Pour into greased muffin tins and bake in moderate oven twenty-five to thirty minutes.

This recipe will make 12 muffins

SUGGESTION.

To Use Black Stocking Legs.

Use any bright colored cloth with the stocking legs. One woman used old grey and pink cretonne curtains. Cut each into strips about three inches wide, then braid, using two strips of the color and one of the black stockings. Sew the braids into a circular rag rug. For the border you can use a braid of solid black, made entirely of the stocking legs. This makes a very pretty and effective rug.

Coloring Rags for Rugs.

A deep orange color. Get 5 cents' worth of copperas from the druggist, pulverize it fine, and put warm water over it; let it stand until morning, add enough warm water to make one-half gallon.

Make a weak lye of wood ashes or other lye. Dip your rags in warm water first, wring them, them dip them in the weak lye. Take a stick and lift them out, let dry for a short time, then dip them in the copperas water. Lift them out and let dry. It makes a beautiful orange that never fades, and only costs 5 cents.

KU KLUX ORGANIZATION PERFECTED AT COLORADO

Colorado, Texas, April 18.—An organization of the Ku Klux Klan has been prefected in Colorado, according to information made public yesterday. A mass meeting at which the Klan was organized was held Friday night in the district courtroom. Sunday night, just as the services, being conducted by Dr. D. L. Cole, revivalist, in Union Tabernacle, directly across the street from the courthouse were dismissed, a large fiery cross flared up on the courthouse lawn and burned for several minutes.

ARE OLD TIMES COMING BACK?

It looks like old times were coming back again when we see the railroads granting sure-enough "reduced rates," for large conventions, State Fairs, etc.

One of the first reductions of this nature is that just announced from San Antonio, where the Passenger Agents Association held their meeting.

The association granted a rate of one fare and one-fifth for the Southwest Durbar, a big spring festival to be held in Dallas the week beginning May 21st.

The rate will apply going from May 20 and will be good returning up to May 29, a liberal limit of full ten days. If this kind of thing keeps on we may hope to see the regular fares reduced as the next step in the revision downward.

Some of the features of the Durbar at Dallas are said to be a band contest for amateur bands all over Texas with $1,500 in prizes; two grand concerts with over 650 voices trained and a symphony orchestra; a pageant featuring our state flower, the bluebonnet, and entitled: "The Durbar of the Flowers;" an electrically illuminated night parade consisting of floats, bands and delegations representing many Texas cities and towns; a world's championship Rodeo and Frontier Days celebration under the direction of Tom Burnett of Fort Worth; Polo matches, golf matches and tennis tournaments for Southwestern championship and many more features scattered throughout the entire week.

Week's Tour of West Texas to Start May 21st

Details for conducting the West Texas trade trip to be held for a week, beginning May 21, by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, will be worked out at a meeting called for Friday morning at 10 o'clock, according to an announcement Thursday by Manager Eugene Shannon of the Chamber of Commerce.

Unique features are now under consideration, Shannon said, which will make the trip stand out head and shoulders above all previous efforts in this section of the country.

Invitation was received Thursday by the Chamber of Commerce from the Plainview Chamber of Commerce to take the entire Fort Worth party of 150 business men on an extensive all-day automobile trip covering nine Plains towns, when the special train arrives at that city. This plan will be referred to the committee on arrangements.

"In view of the fact that the question of building a railway is uppermost at this time," the Plainview communication explains, "it may be helpful for Fort Worth business men to see the country at close range." Plainview offers to furnish automobile transportation, on a circle trip which would allow half hour to one hour stops at the following towns: Petersburg, Estacado, Lorenzo, Ralls, Crosbyton, McAdoo, Floydada, Lockney, and Aiken, returning to Plainview the same evening. Lunch would be taken by the party at the Blanco Canyon. This trip would be taken May 24, according to the invitation.

Invitation also was received from the Stamford Chamber of Commerce to visit that city. It is suggested that the Fort Worth special train detour at Cisco over the Katy to Stamford and resume its regular route by way of the Wichita Valley line to Abilene.

$40 BILL IS SEEN AS OLDEST PAPER MONEY IN NATION

N. R. Adams, of 535 Olive Street, Shreveport, La., has a $40 bill, which may be the oldest piece of paper money in the United States in existence. It is dated 1778. It is about two and three-quarters by three and five-eighths inches, printed on heavy white paper, now yellow with age. The front side bears a circular device nearly twice the size of a silver dollar, in the center of which is an altar, surrounded by thirteen stars, with an eye in the upper rim and the word "Confederate" in capital letters around the lower border. The bill bears these words:

"This bill entitles bearer to receive forty Spanish milled dollars, or the value thereof in gold or silver, according to a resolution passed by Congress at Philadelphia, September 26, 1778."

The signatures are John Helm and J. Gray. The number of the bill is 225260. Around the bill there is a heavy black border with the words: "The United States. Continental Currency. Forty Dollars."

NOT ALL MONEY FOR RUSSIA MAY BE USED

Washington, April 18.—Secretary Hoover was understood to have advised President Harding and his cabinet today that it was probable that not all of the $20,000,000 appropriation provided by congress for Russian relief would be needed. Famine conditions in Russia were reported by Mr. Hoover as improving greatly.

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Legion Finds Jobs For 250,000 Men in Drive to Get 700,000 of Veterans Out of Work Less Ranks

Indianapolis, Ind., April 10—The unemployed World War veteran is rapidly being given a job. The American Legion campaign to give him one shows that since the start of the drive more than 250,000 to the country's total of 700,000 jobless ex-soldiers have been placed, Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the Legion, announced here. Many more, he states, have been given temporary jobs to tide them over until the permanent place is found for them. Adjutant Bolles also announced that the drive is not going to stop at a thirty day limit, as originally planned. It is going on until the Legion's aim to make the country free of veteran unemployment has been attained.

Barracks and mess halls for those for whom work has not yet been found are being operated by Legion auxiliary posts in the larger cities. Employment offices, manned by ex-service men, sprang up with the start of the drive. Chambers of Commerce, labor organizations, civic and fraternal units are co-operating with the Legion employment heads and are making this help felt, national officers say.

Cumberland, Md., wired Adjutant Bolles before the drive was hardly six hours old that it had not an unemployed veteran in its 38,080 population. Across the country came a telegram from Port Angeles, Washington, the farthest western post of the Legion, had attained 100 per cent the first day.

A swamping of the official machinery for the making of citizens resulted from the Legion obtaining the consent of Henry Ford to employ ex-service men first, a Detroit dispatch received here states. A boom in the motor company's plant drew many aliens who took flight for the nearest place where first citizenship papers may be had when the Legion's success was made known.

Plans for the future care of ex-soldiers remaining at work comes with Adjutant Bolles' announcement that a chain of permanent Legion employment offices will undoubtedly be the outgrowth of the present campaign.

Last minute reports from Legion headquarters shows farming communities are taking care of the out-of-work veterans witha greater rapidity than are the industrial centers. State heads of service men's organizations were warned by Adjutant Bolles that regardless of the apparent success of their local efforts no let-up in activity will be made until the last man has been hired.

PROMINENT SNYDER DOCTOR HERE THIS WEEK

Dr. Ivan May, of Snyder, is here this week with his daughter, who is in a local sanitarium for treatment. The daughter is doing fine at this writing.

Dr. May practiced medicine in Alabama, for twenty-five years before coming to this country, and settling at Snyder. He made the statement that had he seen Lubbock before making such investments as he has at that place he would more than likely have been a citizen of Lubbock at this time, and says that he sees no reason why Lubbock should not be the coming city of the Plains, inasmuch as we have such a drawing card in natural resources, the railroad center, an inexhaustible water supply, and the many other advantages that most sections cannot boast of.

SHE APPRECIATES THE BENEFIT

To Whom It May Concern:

I wish to state that I have taken Chiropractic adjustments from five different Chiropractors, some of them from the celebrated Palmer School and I can truthfully say that I have received greater benefit from a few adjustments from Dr. M. T. Council, of Lubbock, Texas, than from double the number taken from any of the others. I feel that I owe my present good health to Dr. Council's knowledge and good work and as for me—give me the doctor using the combined methods, instead of the so-called "straight" Chiropractor.

After a "straight" chiropractor had pronounced my case "incurable" and I had suffered for years Dr. Council cured me and I surely feel grateful to him.

Mrs. Joe P. Wolfforth
Lubbock, Texas. 16-1

IN MILADY'S REALM

BY MRS. CURTIS A. KEEN

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A thought for today:

Out of the dark a shadow,
Then a spark;
Out of the cloud a silence,
Then a lark;
Out of the heart a rapture,
Then a pain;
Out of the dead cold ashes,
Life again. —John B. Tabb.

No star is ever lost we once have seen, we always may be what we might have been.—Proctor.

Posey Party

The lull in social affairs has been broken and the social calendar for this week is marked with three pretty parties. One of the most charming and distictive parties of the week was the evening of Bridge given when Mr. and Mrs. Walter Posey entertained a number of their friends on Tuesday evening. The large living room with a touch of brightness added by the crimson roses, bespoke a welcome to the guests, as they were received by Mr. and Mrs. Posey. After an hour or two of bridge Mrs. Posey assisted by Mesdames Neil Wright and Slaton served a delicious salad course of chicken salad in pattie shell, olives, cheese rolls, and tea, with a second course of strawberry shortcake. The guests for the evening were:

Mr. and Mrs. Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Rix, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Kruger, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wright, Mrs. Vickers, Mrs. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Denman, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis A. Keen and Eric Posey.

Mrs. J. O. Smith is in Wichita Falls, where she is the guest of her mother and sister, Mrs. Jane Curry and Mrs. A. E. Myles.

Mrs. S. E. Ross, of Chicago, and her two little sons are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clark. Mrs. Ross arrived in Lubbock Tuesday and will be a guest in our city for a month or more.

Methodist Home Mission

One of the most enjoyable afternoons was spent at the home of T. M. Atkins, when the Ladies of the Methodist Home mission met there on Monday afternoon for the Home Mission program and social afternoon. More than sixty ladies were present to enjoy the splendid papers read by the various ladies, and in the presentation of the different phases of home mission work, many important facts were brought home to those present, and a greater desire stimulated in each heart to be of real service, and to count but little the sacrifices made in behalf of a cause so worthy.

After the mission study a program was given, Miss Slagle adding much to the enjoyment of the afternoon by her piano numbers. Mrs. Curtis Keen gave two selected readings, the first, a tribute to Mothers and to all Womanhood.

After the program Mrs. Atkins served dainty refreshments.

Presbyterian Auxiliary

The spirit of unison and cooperation is evidenced not only in the community affairs of Lubbock, but the key-note of even a greater good fellowship is sounded when we give thought to the harmony between the different churches of our city. On Monday afternoon the ladies of the Episcopal Auxiliary and many from other churches were the guests of the ladies of the Presbyterian Auxiliary, for the Bible study. Mrs. Dr. Wagner took charge of the lesson and in her discussion and interpretation of the passage for study, found in the first chapter of Genisis those who were privileged to hear her, gained a clearer and perhaps a deeper significance of its meaning.

A short business meeting was held after the Bible study class.

Friday Needle Club

Mrs. J. B. Pryor was hostess to the Friday Needle Club, which met at her home on Friday afternoon. A delightful social time was enjoyed and all in the realm of Milady's Realm generally discussed.

Dainty refreshments of chicken sandwiches, olives, pickles, banana pie tipped with cherries, coffee and whipped cream were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Jones, Mitchell, Spikes, Murfee, Barclay, Simpson, Long, Alexander, Walker, Ruby, Clark, Scott, Duncan, Lindsey, Denman, McSpadden, and the afternoon club guests: Mesdames Waters, Caraway, and Miss Moore.

At the next meeting Mrs. Louis Murfee will be hostess, at her home.

Alice Barr's Birthday Party

On Saturday morning a pretty surprise party was given in honor of Miss Lucille Alice Barr. A happy group of girls met at her home at nine-thirty, and enjoyed the fun that comes from a real surprise party. Miss Lucille Alice will have occasion to always remember her eleventh birthday. Angel food, and delicious jello was served to the following young ladies, with all the appropriate Easter decorations:

Ethel Sides, Leona Gelin, Pauline Holland, Mary Lois Julien, Ruth Hutchinson, Virginia Bacon, Elizabeth Adams, Alice and Sally Bean, Murvel Rankin, Vetna Bivens, Haven Sawyer, Virginia Murray, and the charming little guest of honor, Miss Lucille Alice Barr.

Hoffer Barrier Party

Mesdames Hoffer and Paul Barrier were hostesses at a pretty afternoon party given at their home on 1213 8th street, on Wednesday afternoon. A pleasant hour or two was spent in bridge, after which the hostess served a delicious lunch of chicken salad with tomato, olives, sandwiches and punch.

The ladies present were Mesdames, Friend, Wheelock, Joe Perry, Hurd, Jones, Harold, Griffith, Clark Mullican, Lindsey, O'Hair, Barclay, Sears, Yancy Lee, Keen, Kuykendall, Miss Adline Bellah, Miss Winnie Bates.

Of Interest To All

That Lubbock will be well represented at the Seventh District meeting of the Woman's Federated Clubs which is in session at Plainview on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, is an assured fact. A delegation of about twenty women is scheduled to leave for Plainview tomorrow morning, and this fact proves beyond a doubt that our city is a real live factor in the things that envolve matters of civic, community and national significance. In Mrs. W. R. Spencer and Mrs. Judge Klett the Twentieth Century have chosen two women who will ably represent their club in an official capacity. Mrs. J. O. Jones and Mrs. Fulton will represent the City Federation and we predict that they will return with a world of valuable information pertaining to the solving of the many civic problems that come up for solution, in their work here.

Watch this column for a detailed report of the entire convention and let every woman in Lubbock do her part and keep pace with the civic organizations of her town.

Clean-up Campaign

Again you are reminded that the Civic League will begin an active campaign on April 29, for the purpose of beautifying Lubbock, and the thought is not only to Clean-up —but to keep it clean. Be ready when you are called upon to help and do your part in carrying out the plan.

"Clean-up"—Beginning April 29.

Baptist Missionary Union

The Baptist Missionary Union met at the church parlor on Monday afternoon with a good attendance. The Bible study was conducted by Mrs. Bowen and the devotional services by Mrs. Minor. The ladies of this church will hold a fruit sale on Saturday at Rix's store.

The next meeting will be next Monday afternoon.

Little Misses Neita Moore and Pauline Baker entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs. J. T. Lawson with an Easter egg party Saturday afternoon, April 15. A very pleasant and interesting program was rendered of readings and songs. Eulala Henderson gave a reading, Mildred Noil music; Marie May reading, Neita Moore reading, Pauline and Neita Moore, duet.

After the program many games were played in which all joined in, and last but not least the very exciting egg hunt. Eulala Henderson found the largest number of eggs and won the prize.

After the egg hunt the hostess, Mrs. Lawson, assisted by Mrs. T. J. Moore, invited all the delightful little guests into the splendidly arranged dining room and served delicious punch and cake to the following: Eulala Henderson, Eloise Cooper, Mildred Noil, Louise Bates, Loraine Strickel, Inez Jenkins, Marie May, Pauline Baker, Neita Moore, Hazel Lawson, Aline McCrummin, Mrs. Alford, Miss Eva Lawson, Mrs. T. J. Moore, Mrs. J. T. Lawson, Mrs. A. L. Kirkwood, Joab Alekander, Fredrick Boerner and John Alford.

SOCIETY——— O-bu pg——

Georgia, the little daughter of Mrs. A. F. Roy of Avenue J, entertained quite a number of her small friends last Saturday morning with a most enjoyable Easter egg hunt. Every one seemed to have a lovely time. Among those present were Misses Ruth Waller, May Bell Hutson, Aline Duncan, Elsie Parkhill, Nannie Margaret Abbott, Stella Mae Vaughn, Auriel Vaughn, Annie Pearl Smith, Clara Bell Smith and Georgia Roy.

Merry Shamrocks

A very enjoyable, and delightful afternoon was spent with Mrs. L. F. Holland on Tuesday afternoon of this week. Games of (42) were played and enjoyed by many and the ladies organized the Shamrock Club. It will be known as the Merry Shamrocks. Mrs. Hilton was elected president, and Mrs. J. H. Jenkins, vice president, with Mrs. A. L. Kirdkwood as reporter.

This club will meet with Mrs. Hilton on Wednesday, the second day of May. Watch this little club do things as its members are sure enough boosters.

After the business was disposed of and the games were over and every one voted a most enjoyable and pleasant afternoon; our little hostess served delicious fruit salad with whipped cream, cake and punch. Our hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hilton and Mrs. Kirkwood, furnished every means of enjoyment and all spent a most delightful afternoon. Mrs. Kirkwood is house guest this week with Mrs. Holland.

Among those present were: Mrs. J. H. Jenkins, Mrs. A. B Ellis, Mrs. W. B. Rayborn and children, Mrs. Sheryhaggen, Mrs. A. L. Kirkwood, Mrs. A. F. Holland.

Idle Hour Club

On Wednesday, April 12th., the Idle Hour Club met with Mrs. Louie F. Moore, 1512 Eleventh Street.

Despite the unfavorable weather the majority of the members were present and a pleasant afternoon was spent in doing needlework of various kinds.

The members present were: Mesdames Harvey L. Hicks, Hubert L. Allen, Oscar R. Collier, W. K. Dickinson, Jr., Ed. D. Allen, J. E. Kuykendall, F. C. McSpadden and the hostess and mother, Mrs. Louie F. Moore and Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Virgil Morgan was a guest of the club.

At the conclusion of the afternoon, a salad course was served.

The club will meet next on Wednesday, April 26th, with Mrs. O. R. Collier, 1407 Avenue K.—Club Reporter.

GROGAN INTERESTS GET XIT PROPERTY

Twenty-three thousand acres of the XIT ranch near Bovina, were leased Monday by E. W. Grogan & Sons of Clarendon, according to George B. Grogan of Muleshoe, one of the firm who was here Monday. A deal is now pending for 23,000 acres more of the same ranch, and the firm will immediately ship four trainloads of cattle to the pasture.

Mr. Grogan left Amarillo Monday night for Roswell where he will receive the first shipment of cattle for the range. Other cattle will be loaded at Artesia, N. M., Lakewood, N. M., and Seagraves, Texas.

Approximately 8,000 acres of the John Janes ranch at Muleshoe have been leased by the Grogan interests, and will be used for winter pasture.

Mr. Grogan declares that the cattle industry is beginning to show a marked revival, and the range condition is exceptionally good. He says the rains have been plentiful in the entire cattle region, and he expects a most successful season.

E. L. ROBERTSON BUYS WHEELOCK BUILDING

A deal was closed recently between E. L. Robertson of the City Drug Co., and Ben H. North of Patriot, Indiana, whereby Mr. Robertson becomes the owner of the Wheelock Building, now occupied by the Hunt Grocery Company. The City Drug Company will move to the location as soon as possible, which will probably be the first of the year, the firm now occupying the building having a lease on same for the balance of the year.

It is unknown at this time just what location the Hunt Grocery Co. will have.

The City Drug Company is fortunate in securing this building, for not only is it centrally located, but is a building that is well adapted to the needs of a business of this kind.

TAKE NOTICE LAND AGENTS

My 40 acre tract of land is off the market. J. W. Kerley. 16-1p

Curtis A. Keen, managing Editor of the Lubbock Avalanche, left Thursday morning for Amarillo to be in attendance at a meeting of the Panhandle Press Association to be held at that place.

Lubbock Auto Company reports the following sales for the week: P. R. Tucker, Lubbock, Touring Car; J. F. Bumpass, Lubbock, Touring Car; F. E. Bourland, Slaton, Touring Car.

The change in the soviet attitude toward capital is due to the fact that it wishes to borrow some.—Philadelphia Record.

Fred Cole, of Crosbyton is visiting in the city a part of the week.

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CARLISLE NEWS ITEMS DURING THE PAST WEEK

Our singing class went to the Hockley County singing convention at Ropesville Sunday. We enjoyed the singing very much, also the excellent dinner prepared by the mothers of that community.

Mr. Orval Burroughs won second place in the 1-4 mile run Friday. He will leave for Austin the first of May.

Several members of Mr. Hinson's family have been very sick for several days. They seem to have something resembling the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Saundon, and children of Post City spent Saturday night with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sims.

Miss Helen Ribble of town spent Saturday night in the Burroughs home.

Miss Lois Cone and friend whose name we failed to learn of town, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pevehouse.

Mrs. Jones and children spent Sunday in the W. B. Ray home.

Miss Ted Sims spent Saturday night with Miss Burnice Casey.

The young folks enjoyed a party and egg hunt at Mr. Collins Saturday night. Those from town there were the Misses Little, Missrs Spencer, Stubbs, Reb Caraway, Frank and Hermon Heath and Miss Lethaa Health.

Mrs. Jerden gave the small children an egg hunt Friday afternoon. Each one reported a nice hunt.

Miss Bess Sims gave her Sunday School an egg hunt at the school house Saturday afternoon. Mae Etta Rallins and Louis Moon found the most eggs and received the prizes.

Mr. W. L. Altman has been in the sanitarium the past week. He has lost his eye sight from his right eye interle. We are glad to report his improving.

Miss Rosa Mae Jones and Mr. Emmett Burford of Woodrow attended singing here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Simms of town spent Saturday night in the Brock home.

On account of several boys having to stay in town Friday night we were unable to have the program. But will have it next Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sims spent Sunday with their children Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Sims.

Mrs. G. Tubbs was very sick Saturday night, but is better now.

Mr. Brown of town spent Sunday night in the Sims home.

Mrs. V. A. Casey was very sick several days last week.

Mrs. W. C. Rylander returned the first of the week from Stamford, where she has been attending the District Convention of the Woman's Missionary Society. A very interesting and enthusiastic meeting is reported, and work through the district shows up very favorably.

Fred Cole, of Crosbyton is visiting in the city a part of the week.

MONEY to LOAN on FARMS and RANCHES

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ROW CROP PREPARATIONS FOLLOW BLASTED WHEAT

W. C. Hubbell, representing the International Harvester company, has just returned to Amarillo after a business trip of two weeks. He went down through the south plains, touching at Plainview, Lubbock, Tahoka, Slaton, Lamesa, thence down to Big Springs, Pecos and on into the Pecos Valley section of New Mexico, returning via Portales and Clovis.

Mr. Hubbell states that in numerous areas visited, the wheat, blasted by reason of delayed moisture, has been plowed up and row crops are being planted in its stead. He reports that in the Pecos Valley country of New Mexico in which the fruit crop could not be better at a similar time of the year, is supplementing its alfalfa and other crops with cotton. He is enthusiastic over the outlook for the harvests of the oncoming seasons in all of the territory visited. —Amarillo News.

EMPLOYMENT RECORDS SHOW HEAVY GAINS FOR MARCH

Increased employment ranging up to 28 per cent over the preceding month was reported to the employment service of the Labor Department from forty-three of sixty-five representative cities for the month ending March 31. The automobile and allied industries, iron and steel and their products and lumber headed the trades showing improved activity. The net increase for the country figured on reports from 1428 firms, was 2.5 per cent.

Employment in the South indicated a generally improved tone during March, the report said, with indications that further progress would be recorded in the net thirty days.—Texas Commercial News

J. J. DuBose, age 50 years, died at his home in the north part of town Monday April 17th. The body was laid to rest in the Lubbock cemetery Wednesday. Mr. DuBose is survived by a large family and many friends who mourn his loss.

Lloyd A. Wicks, attorney of Ralls, transacted business in the city this week.

Don't criticize people who look like they have slept in their clothes. Perhaps they have been to church.

LUBBOCK BUSINESS MAN RETURNS FROM DALLAS

Joe Dick Slaughter, of the Lubbock Auto Company, returned this week from Dallas, where he has been on business. Mr. Slaughter reports business conditions improving rapidly in that part of the state, especially the Ford business, in which he is particularly interested. The Dallas department of the Ford Agency have advance orders for over three hundred Coupes, which they are unable to fill on account of the output of the factory being short at this time, and such is the conditions existing throughout the country, he says.

MOBEETIE OLDEST TOWN IN WEST TEXAS CLAIMED

Stamford, Texas, April 20.—The oldest town in West Texas is the newest member of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Mobeetie celebrated in fiction and song as the first meeting place of the pioneers of West Texas has organized the Mobeetie Luncheon Club and has affiliated with the parent body. J. W. Graham has been elected President and G. C. Durham, Secretary. R. L. McCarter, District Manager of the West Texas Chamber was present at the organization of the Mobeetie Club.

The local club here will concentrate its efforts along agricultural and livestock lines.

Henry Brown, with the Rix Furniture Company, was unable to be on the job Thursday of this week on account of sickness. It is hoped that he may soon be able to return to his duties.

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Joe Ansley, of Seagraves, well known to many of our local people, passed through Lubbock Thursday enroute to his home from Mineral Wells, where he has been for some time for his health.

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FIRST DAY

Morning Session: 10 A. M.

Call to Order: Hon. Clifford B. Jones, Pres.

Invocation: By Assembled Bands.

Inspirational Address: Hon. Sidney Samuels.

Agricultural Address: Hon. H. L. Kent, A. & M. College, New Mexico.

Beef, Poultry and Swine: A. W. Hosey, Armour & Co.

Appointment, Resolution, and Nominating Committees.

Adjournment for Lunch.

Afternoon Session: 2 P. M.

Grande Parade of Delegates and Bands, will form at Convention Hall, parade business district and return to Convention Hall. From Convention Hall, group meetings will be held, viz:

(1) Poultry-Dairy-Livestock:
Presiding Officer: C. C. French, Fort Worth Stockyards Company.
(a) How to Organize a Dairy: J. W. Ridgway, Nissley Creamery Co.
(b) Relationships of Agriculture: Hon. Geo. B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, Austin.
(c) A Poultry Winning Campaign: Miss Myrtle Murray, A. & M. College.
Roundtable

(2) Highways:
Presiding Officer: J. K. Bell, Secretary, San Saba.
(a) How to Use the State Highway Commission: Hon. J. D. Fauntleroy, State Highway Engineer.
(b) Use of Federal Highway Department: A. E. Losh, Federal Highway Engineer.
(c) A County Highway Program: W. E. Dickerson, County Highway Engineer, Coleman.
Roundtable

(3) Secretaries and Unit Directors Roundtable:
Presiding Officer: May S. Leach Breckenridge.
(a) Secretarial Ethics: Stuart L. Williams, Secretary, Y. M. B. L., Ballinger.
(b) Publicity: R. H. Nichols, Amarillo Daily Tribune.
(c) The Fair in West Texas: W. G. Kinselving, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Abilene
(d) How to Finance Commercial Organizations: Curtis A. Keen, Plains Agricultural Journal, Lubbock.
(e) A result getting program: Hubert Harrison, Secretary, Wichita Falls.
(f) Conventions: Eugene Shannon, Manager Chamber of Commerce, Fort Worth.
(g) How to Use the West Texas Chamber: Wm. T. Wheeler, Assistant Mgr., West Texas Chamber of Commerce.
(h) Play Grounds for Small Towns: Geo. A. Sager, Secretary, Hall Co. Chamber of Commerce, Memphis.
(i) Exhibits: B. M. Whitaker, Exhibit Manager, West Texas Chamber of Commerce.
(j) Traffic Roundtable: J. W. Chatham, Jr., Chairman, Traffic Bureau.
Roundtable Discussion

FIRST DAY

Evening Session: 8 P. M.

Convention Hall

Illustrated Motion Picture.

Address on Irrigation.

Address on Americanism: A. J. Reinhart, Departmental Adjutant American Legion, Dallas.

Radio Demonstration: Edison Artists.

Presentation of Cantata: By the Musicians of Plainview, entitled "Fantasia from Il Trovatore."

Stunt Night.

SECOND DAY

Morning Session: 10 A. M.

Concert: Assembled Bands.

Address: Hon. F. M. Meachem, Governor, of New Mexico.

Address: Hon. Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, Washington.

Address: Col. Louis J. Wortham, Editor, Star-Telegram, Fort Worth.

Address on "Warehouse and Marketing:" Hon. Chas. E. Baughman, Commissioner, Austin.

Address: Hon. C. L. Seagraves, General Colonization Agent, Santa Fe Ry. System, Chicago.

Address on Wheat Marketing: Judge L. Gough, Texas Farm Bureau, Hereford.

Address—"El Paso and West Texas:" Hon. G. A. Martin, Herald, El Paso.

Annual Report: Porter A. Whaley, Manager.

Treasurer's Report: Hon. O. P. Harlan.

Report of Nominating Committee. Election of Officers.

Afternoon Session:

Visit to Plainview's Irrigated Farms. Cars will be assembled at Convention Hall.

Evening Session:

Toastmaster: President Jones.

Music: Gold Medal Bands.

Invocation.

West Texas A. & M.: Hon. M. E. Rosser, Snyder.

Irrigation: Hon. J. A. Kemp, Wichita Falls.

"West Texas:" Hon. R. E. Thomason, El Paso.

Report of Resolution Committee. Selection next meeting place.

Ladies Program, Plainview Convention, May 22 and 23.

First Day

Afternoon: 2 P. M. to 3:00.

A talk on Home Demonstration Work: Miss Bess Edwards, District Home Agent for the Panhandle.

3 P. M. to 4:30:

Dress Form Demonstration: Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, Clothing Specialist.

Second Day

2 P. M. to 4:00:

Appropriateness in Dress: Miss Bess Edwards, District Home Agent for the Panhandle.

Specials: (Extended Program)

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The Department of Interior, Bureau of Mines, Washington, will have on hand at the Santa Fe Ry. Depot Right-of-Way, Special Mines Exhibit Car, in charge of Homer Cote. Open throughout the Convention.

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Band Concert

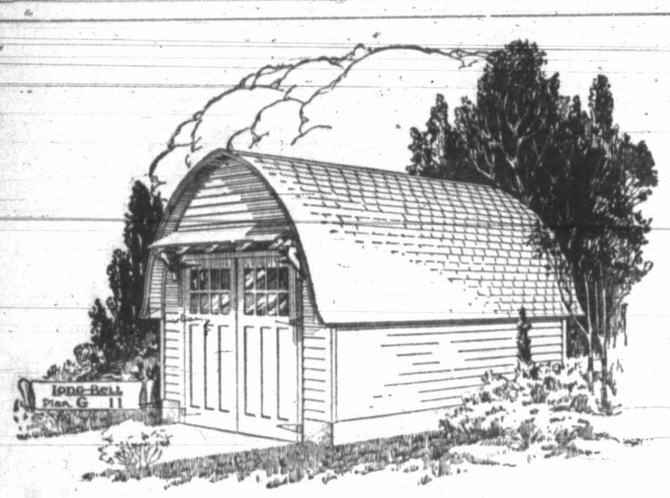
$1,000.00 in Cash Prizes will be awarded to competing bands, attending the convention. Special classifications will apply. Announcements covering places of the various contests will be made in Plainview during the convention.

Traveling Men's Club, Etc.

Arrangements are being perfected for a special program for members of the Traveling Men's Club, an Auxiliary of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Announcements will be made from the platform.

Registration

A registration fee of $2.00 against every delegate attending the convention will apply. The badge given at that time will be the official badge of the Convention. This registration fee covers all entertainments and banquet fees.



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Poole Earnest of Littlefield, was a visitor in our city last Saturday.

NEFF ASKED TO CALL SCHOOL AID SESSION

Greenville, Texas, April 15.—Resolutions calling upon Governor Neff to summons the Legislature in special session for the purpose of providing more funds for the maintenance of Texas public schools, particularly those on the rural districts, were unanimously adopted at a meeting of about 150 trustees of rural schools in Hunt County, here today.

Indorsement of the resolutions was given by State Representative Joe M. Moore and Eugene Dinkle.

Hollis, Calton, Lemond and Miss Anna Maree Moore of Floydada were visiting with relatives in Lubbock, Louie F. Moore and Mrs. Jno. M. Denman, during the school meet last week.

WEST TEXAS IS LOOKING BETTER THAN FOR YEARS, SAYS PORTER WHALEY OF THE W. T. C. OF C.

"West Texas is looking better today in every way than it has for years."

This is the opinion of Porter A. Whaley, Secretary of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who spent Saturday night in Sweetwater.

"With a splendid season in the ground with the financial sky brightening and with farm product prices improving, I look for one of the best years West Texas has had."

The work of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been more or less familiar to every one in West Texas and elsewhere since the body was organized. The program generally has been to boost West Texas advertise it to the outside world, and do those things that are for the interest of West Texas. An extensive program has been theirs. Part has been completed, part is well under way and part lies in the future. Asked what he regarded as the most important work the Chamber has accomplished since its organization, Mr. Whaley replied:

"Putting the irrigation laws of Texas in shape so that stream flood waters could be used. The laws of this state relating to the use of the water of a river or stream were based on the old English common law. Now England is well watered, too well watered most generally. And the only use her streams were put to was that of turning mill wheels. We have now before the Supreme court of Texas a case deciding constitutionality of the law we sponsored in 1917, providing for the formation of an irrigation district in order to use the flood waters of a stream."

The case referred to by Mr. Whaley is the case of Molt vs Bayd which originated in Tom Green County and has been carried to the Supreme Court as a test case to decide whether or not the owner of the banks of a stream can prevent use of the water by nearby property owners.

Advertising West Texas is the general program which the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has set itself to. Thus it has fairs in the north and east, except last year, when the financial situation prevented exhibition at other than the state fairs of Texas and at Shreveport. But this program will be resumed this year, Mr. Whaley says. A large influx of new people into West Texas especially into the Plains country was the direct result of this work in the North and East, Mr. Whaley said.

A strong legislative program is also mapped out for this coming year, including the redistricting proposition, (to make the senatorial redistricting bill effective 1924) to get a West Texas A & M College this session, and to change the state highway laws so as to be able to get Federal Aid for roads.

The latter is a very important item. The Federal government annually spends millions of dollars on roads throughout the United States, that is through highways. But the Federal government will not deal with County authorities. Too much detail work, they say. What the Federal department wants is for the state to have its own highway department, and to change the state law so that the thru highways through any county can be taken out of the jurisdiction of the County Commissioners as applied to Nolan County, it would mean that the State would take over the building and upkeep of the Bankhead Highway the through east and west thoroughfare, and also of the north and south highway, to list probable examples.

But the foregoing are but a few of many of the activities of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which dovetail in with the work of the state agricultuarl experiment station poultry and stock educational programs, etc., keep in touch with the railroad traffic managers and boosts West Texas generally. —Sweetwater Reporter.

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MOODY ITEMS OF THE PAST WEEK

I shall not tell anyone about the wind blowing today, for this is supposed to be news—and "that's no news."

On last Monday Mrs. Teague and son Weldon, Fred Reeves and Claud Havens, all made a business trip to Lubbock.

Messrs. White, Murray and Palmer made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday. They brought back a truck of freight for the Moody Trading Company.

Mr. McDonald and son, of Lubbock, were in our community Wednesday

Mr. J. L. Thorp visited hte county seat, Leveland, Saturday. He incidently visited the blacksmith shop while htere.

Weldon Teague and Fred Reeves were business callers in the town of Meadow, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Gunn was real sick the fore part of the week. This necessitated her daughter Oree, staying out of school for a few days, but we learn that she is much improved at this writing.

A number of the young folks went to Mr. Gunn's Tuesday night to practice some songs.

Mesdames Palmer, Murray, Swofford, Chism and Miss Robbie Swofford, were callers on Mrs. Teague Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Elliott, one of our new citizens, left last week for Rule, Texas, where he will visit for a few days His wife and children will return with him.

Mr. Elliott has been making some improvements on his dwelling the past week.

Mr. Cecil Gunn hauled some feed from the Acuff community, his former home, the past week.

Several of our people attended the ball game at Ropes Friday. The game was between New Home and Ropes. Bill Murray acted as catcher for the Ropes team and while playing, he received a very painful sprain in his ankle.

Mr. Bob Swofford put another coat of paint on the store last week.

Mr. Patterson and wife are now staying at the John Swofford home. Mr. Patterson is working for John.

Mr. Bill Chism has just built an additional room to his dwelling which can also be converted into a nice sleeping porch when desirable.

The Moody Trading Company is gaining quite a distinction. Even such a busy man as a drummer took time to pay them a call one day last week. As this was Moody's first drummer it created an excitement, something akin to that of an airplane passing over.

Mesdames Havens and Chism spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Bob Swofford.

Mesdames Palmer and Murray visited Mrs. Millsap of the Ropes community, Friday.

Most of the community went hunting last Sunday evening, but the curious part was; no one wanted a dog along, and as for a gun and powder they'd rather have a sack of salt.

The three Thorp families joined in together and had a family Easter egg hunt. They had quite an interesting time, as there is most always some child who never attended one before and it makes it all the more interesting.

Mrs. Claud Haven invited the following into her home Sunday afternoon, where they had an egg hunt: Mrs. Swofford and three children, Robbie, Beecher and Don; Mrs. Lillie Swofford and children, Rex and Elmo; Mrs Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Longley and children, and Miss Busby. The scene of the hunt was in the cherry tree orchard, which was in full blossom. The eggs were hid in crepe paper nests which delighted the children as much as finding the eggs.

Mr. and Mrs. White are moving into the annex to the store. They will make this their home temporarily.

The household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Murray arrived Monday. They were shipped from Groom, Texas.

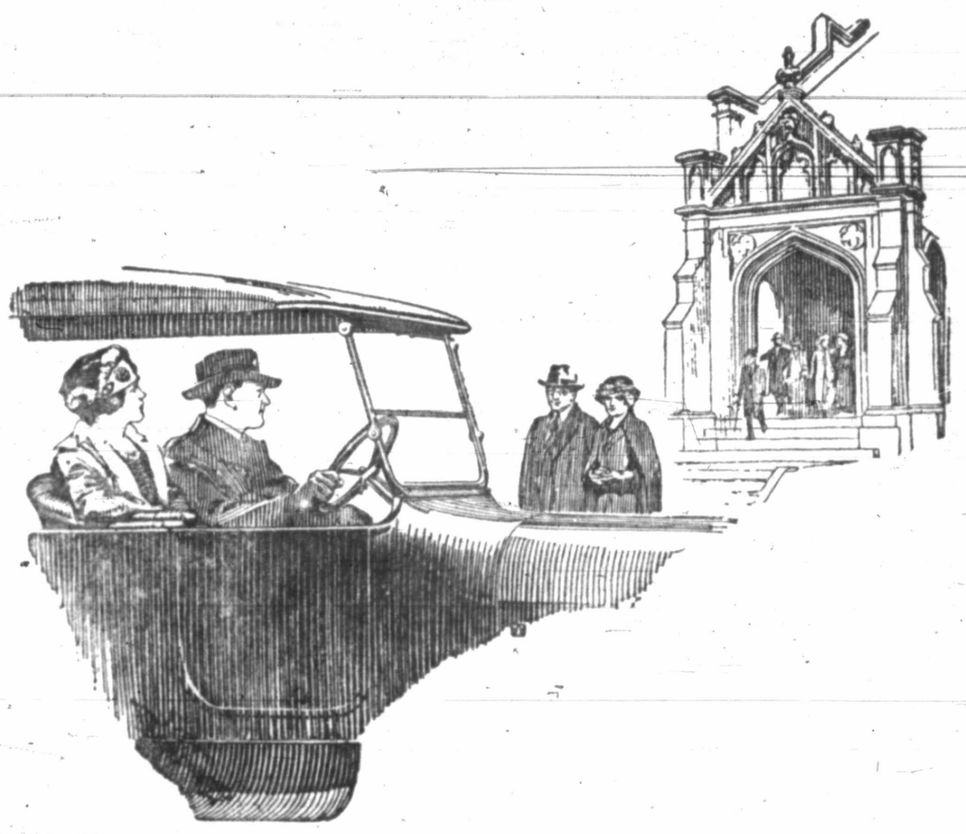
A majority of the Moody people attended the County Singing Convention at Ropes last Sunday. We heard some real good singing, but the worst part of it was, we ran out of gas and got there too late for dinner, the main feature of a convention.

The Singing Convention will be held at Leveland next time, or the first Sunday in July. It was to have been held there this time but since the cyclone so shook up the courthouse, there was no place large enough in which to entertain the crowd.

Moody would have been glad to have the Convention meet with her. But she is too handicap for lack of housing and seating capacity to even ask for it.

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LOWER CATTLE RATES FROM TEXAS LIKELY

Chicago, April 17.—A considerable reduction on freight rates for range cattle from Texas to northern points may be made within a few days, it was learned here today. Conferences between cattlemen and railroad heads have been in progress for some time.

It also was reported that there will be a slight reduction in some intrastate live stock rates in Texas, but that these would be of little consequence.

A CORRECTION.

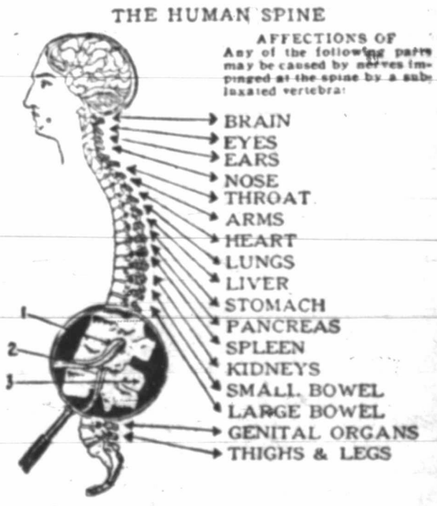
In reporting the result of the District Meet here last week, we stated that Marshall Ray was from Plainview, when his home is in Crosbyton, and his relatives wants it distinctly understood that he was from Crosbyton and not from Plainview. We apologize, and gladly make the correction.

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FOR SALE—A piano in good shape, price $200. Will give some terms to right party. Phone 724. 15-2

FOR SALE—160-A farm in Hale County, 2 miles from good school, employing 2 teachers; 4 room house, barn, sheds, etc. Price $46; will trade equity. Texas Land Exchange. 12-tf.

FOR SALE—5 room house on 14th St., Price $2500. Texas Land Exchange. 12-tf

FOR SALE—Dandy good two room house and almost enough lumber to build two more rooms for only $250. C. L. Williams. Just North of Lubbock Sanitarium. 16-1p

FOR SALE—3 room house, with sleeping porch, fine location, 2 lots, East front; price $2500. Will take in Ford car or trade for large residence. Texas Land Exchange. 12-tf

Blaskhul Standard Kafir Seed; absolutely pure. Grown especially for seed. Improved seed from and inspected by Experiment Station; uniform; no mixtures or hybrids; $3 per hundred; recleaned, f. o. b. Pat Nix, Sunny Slope Farm, Lubbock, Texas. 11-6p

FOR SALE, Two 1920 Model Buicks in good shape, reasonable terms to responsible parties. Phone 796, Lubbock Buick Co. 11-tf

FOR SALE—Modern cottage, four rooms with bath, two lots and garage. Four blocks from business district. Easy terms. Call 301. 8tf

FOR SALE—Some 32 Volt Electric appliances, have been used some, in good shape. Can be seen at Simpson's Electric Company. 15-2p

FOR SALE—A pie and cake sale at Simmons' Furniture Company, Saturday, April 22. 16-1

FOR SALE—75 head of cows and calves worth the money, terms given responsible party, also one Fordson size gang plow, at my farm near Posey. J. L. Benton. Phone 9514-F4. 15-2

FOR SALE—Or will trade for good business in Lubbock, 320 acre good well improved farm, 6 room house, good barns, etc. 3 miles of Idalou, good churches, schools, and good community. Part cash or trade, balance good terms. If interested write. Large box No. 1, Idalou, Texas. 5-tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain three bred gilts, Duroc Jerseys; also one year old boar. Some good cotton seed for planting. C. T. Potts, Route 1. 15-2p

FOR SALE—Two mules, 8 years old; also wagon and harness at a bargain. See C. W. Raney, 1623 on West 19th Street. 15-2p

FOR SALE—Best equipped and best located Cafe in thriving West Texas town of 1500 people, it takes $1000.00 cash to handle the deal. Write at once. R. care of the Avalanche. 16-2p

FOR SALE—Complete poll tax list. Phone 253. 16-tf

FOR SALE—Residences from $1,000 up. Any price, any location. Texas Land Exchange. 10tf

FOR SALE—Nice modern 5 room bungalow, garage, walks, driveway, etc. Fine home in good location. Texas Land Exchange. 10tf

FOR SALE—Mamoth Bronze turkey eggs from first prize winners, Dallas Fair, 10 eggs for $5.00, live first house north of Canyon school house. Mrs. G. C. McLean, Lubbock, Texas, Route 1. 16-2pF

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cow. Phone 416. 16-3

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds. Pen 1 headed by Owen's Farm Cockerel; Pen 2, Harold Tompkin's cockerel. The best blood lines that money can buy; $3.50 and $3.00 for 15 eggs. Mrs. J. C. Burns. 12-Ftf

FOR SALE—Well located business lot in good location, at a bargain. Eric Posey, at Lubbock Tailoring Co. 16-1

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A well located, 3 room House, good garage, chicken house. Texas Land Exchange. 14-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4 nice unfurnished rooms in South part of town, also garden spot. Call 791M. Charlie Ward. 8-tf

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms to couple without children. Phone 493. 5-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedrooms in private home near High School. Phone 629M. 15-2

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Phone 628. 15-2p

FOR RENT—Down stairs room with private bath, private entrance, either furnished or unfurnished. Phone 553, at 1016 Avenue R. 15-1

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms, private entrance, bath connections. 1014 Avenue I. See M. Fulton. 15-tf

FOR RENT—Six room, furnished house, 1614 Ave. K. Phone 435 M. 14-tf

WANTED

WANTED—To kill your prairie dogs. Satisfaction guaranteed. See Big Jim Robinson, Lubbock, Texas Box 727. 10-8p

WANTED—Experienced stenographer. Must be able to take dictation. Permanent position for the right person. If afraid of work, don't apply. Apply by letter only, to C. Care Avalanche. 15-tf

WANTED—Your sewing. Phone 603. Mrs. Ida Whittaker, Lubbock. 16-1

WANTED—The season of your cow; have thorough bred Jersey male. Call us and we will come and get your cow and return her any time. Jno. W. Aucutt. Day phone 245, night phone 562. 16-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

Notice—A thoroughbred Jersey bull will make the season at Atkin's Wagon Yard. Phone 269. 8tf

White Leghorn eggs to put out on shares, divided at hatching time. Phone 9013. Frank Bowles. 12-tf

NOTICE—Full blood jersey bull will make the season at my barn. A F. McDonald. 20tf

Neal and Walter Estes, graduates from the Sweeney Auto and Tractor School of K. C. have bought the Day and Night Garage at Idalou and are ready for prompt and efficient service. 15-2p

FOR TRADE—Several good farms in North and East Texas and Oklahoma, clear of debt, for farms on the Plains, any size. Will assume encumbrance. Texas Land Exchange 10-tf

WANTED—To sell, trade, or rent your property. Texas Land Exchange 10tf

AT THE CHURCHES

C. P. C. E. Program—April 23

Leader—Claude Martin.
Subject—Overcoming Difficulties.
Scripture—Num. 13:25-31.
Prayer.
Patient in Awaiting Results—Jas. 5:7—Edith Peek.
Run With Patience—Heb. 12:1—Dimple Ford.
What are some difficulties in school we have to face, and how can we overcome them?—Lee Ora Green.
What are some difficulties that we must face in our C. E. Society work, and how may we overcome them?—Mrs. Baker.
Song.
What difficulties must we face in Christian living, and how may we overcome them?—F. W. Groce.
Piano Solo—Edith Peek.
Song.
Benediction.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching Services 11:00 a. m., and 8:00 p. m.
Junior Endeavor 2:45 p. m.
Senior Endeavor 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m.

"Blessed are they that hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled." Your presence in the Sanctuary on the Lord's Day is one of the most forceful proofs that you are "hungering and thirsting." Your place can never be filled only by You, therefore fill it in the coming services.

Missionary Society

The Master's Command is: "Go into all the world." Into how much of the world have I gone in prayer during the year?

Our Social Meeting of the Missionary Society was very much enjoyed by something like 60 members and visitors Monday afternoon. We had our meeting with Mrs. Tom Atkin's. Mesdames Rush, Greer, Annie Pearson, Hussey and J. T. and R. B. Hutchinson acting as assisting hostesses. Quite an interesting program was carried out. Our subject being again, "Mexico." We feel now that we are much better acquainted with our brown-colored neighbors.

Mrs. Brown was leader for this program and after singing, "Praise the Savior, all ye Nations," as our opening song, we had the Bible lesson read to us, by Mrs. Brown.

The Missionary News Items were read by Mrs. Royalty. After which we sang, "Thy Kingdom is Coming." A ten minute talk on "Monterrey" was given by Mrs. Sims. She told us of the "Industrial work of Monterrey, Mexico.

Mrs. Collie gave a 4 minute talk on "Seeking a complete Gospel for Monterrey." We had an interesting talk on "Lauren's Institute," which is situated in Monterrey, by Mrs. Baldridge. Next was a 4 minute talk on our hospital at Monterrey, by Mrs. Ellis. Mrs. Cooper then read a paper on "Centro Cristiano."

We had a very interesting story of a bright Mexican Girl, told to us by Mrs. Fred Boerner. This Girl is now teaching in the Mexican schools at Laredo, Texas. Her interesting story of her conversion and work, her appeal for more workers to "come" to the aid of her people made us feel that we were doing so little in this great work of our Master.

During our period of intercession we had a number of helpful sentence prayers.

We next came to a pleasant part of our meeting that of the social hour, with Mrs. Meadgen in charge. We were favored with a piano duet by Mrs. Ellis and Miss Slagle.

It was quite a treat to have with us as visitor, Miss Ellis, our Red Cross leader, who talked to us about our local work with the Mexicans. She told us just what was being done by the town in general for the Mexican people who are in our midst. Also Mrs. Keen, who read to us so beautifully of the "Real help of the wives and daughters of today," and of the "Moo-Cow."

And last, but not least, we were served to a delicious course of hot tea, sandwiches and salad by the six charming hostesses.

On account of the weather the Study Class omitted their last lesson, but will have the 4th chap. as their lesson on next Monday.

We are told that the first Mexican to join our M. E. Church was the noted Antonio Nevarre, in San Antonio and Nevarro St. in San Antonio, and Nevarro Co. in Texas are named for him. He allied himself with the Texan in all his efforts for Independence.

Marriage licenses issued for the week by the County Clerk, Herbert Stubbs: W. L. Howerton and Clara Mae Abbott; William H. Jackson and Elizabeth May Fitzgerald; Wilburn McCrummen and Lorena Wood.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

Mrs. House, sister of Mrs. Raleigh Martin, of this place, left Wednesday for her home in Midland, after several days visit here.

FATTY ARBUCKLE FILM CONTRACTS CANCELLED

New York, April 18.—Cancellation of all contracts for the showing of films in which Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle papears, was announced tonight by Will Hays, head of the motion picture distribution association, this action he said affected nearly 10,000 contracts.

After a consultation with Mr. Nicholas Schenck, representing Mr. Joseph Schenck, the producers, and Mr. Adolph Zuker and Mr. Lasky of the Famous-Players Lasky Corporation, the distributors. Mr. Hays statement said, "I will state that at my request they have cancelled all showings and all bookings of the Arbuckle films. They do this that the whole matter may have the consideration that its importance warrants, and the action is taken now from the fact that they had nearly 10,000 contracts in force for the Arbuckle pictures."

METHODISTS OPPOSE SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS

Nashville, Tenn., April 19.—Adoption of reports to the annual conference, including one insisting on a more strict Sabbath observance and an effort to stop publication of Sunday newspapers, featured a session here last night of the Nashville District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

The resolutions regarding newspapers follows:

"We call attention to the startling fact that about 16,000,000 copies of Sunday newspapers are now sold and delivered every Sunday. Sunday newspapers have increased their circulation 100 per cent in seven years, while our Sunday schools have scarcely increased 10 per cent. The daily paper is a great institution, but it should run every day except Sunday."

Other parts of the report declare against buying groceries, gasoline, tobacco, confectioneries and other supplies on the Sabbath.

LOOK.

There will be a play, "The Bridal Tour," and a miscellaneous program at Shallowater, April 29. The proceeds to help defray the expenses of our representative to Austin. Everybody come. 15-2p

REV. FERGUSON WILL PREACH AT CANYON SUN.

Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock, will preach at Canyon School house, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The people of that community are urged to be present and hear Dr. Ferguson. He is a strong, forceful preacher and you will enjoy the service.

F. R. Pickens, P. C.

D. Smith of Gladewater, Upsher county, arrived this week from that place. Mr. Smith is a wide-awake farmer, and seeing the future possibilities of this country as an agricultural center, has decided to locate in this section. He will make his home near here in the future.

R. M. Simmons, of Sweetwater transacted business in the city Wednesday of this week.

Paris seems determined that our girls shall wear long skirts, but the Declaration of Independence was not written in vain.—Toledo Blade.

SPEAKING APPOINTMENTS OF CULLEN THOMAS NEAR HERE

The following schedule of speaking dates have been given us for the information of the people who might desire to hear him:

Thursday, April 27th.
Snyder—11:0 A. M.
Post—8:00 P. M.
Friday, April 28th.
Tahoka—2:00 P. M.
Slaton—8:00 P. M.
Saturday, April 29th.
Lubbock—2:00 P. M.
Crosbyton—8:00 P. M.
Monday, May 1st
Floydada—2:00 P. M.
Plainview—8:00 P. M.
Tuesday, May 2nd.
Lockney—2:00 P. M.
Tulia—8:00 P. M.
Wednesday, May 3rd.
Hereford—1:00 P. M.
Amarillo—8:00 P. M.
Thursday, May 4th.
Claude—2:00 P. M.
Clarendon—8:00 P. M.
Friday, May 5th.
Alanreed—11:00 A. M.
McLean—2:00 P. M.
Shamrock—8:00 P. M.
Saturday, May 6th.
Canadian—2:00 P. M.
Panhandle—8:00 P. M.

CLAUDE BURRUS RETURNS HOME FROM SAN ANTONIO

Claude Burrus and family returned this week from San Antonio, where they have been for the past several months for Mr. Burrus' health. Claude, as he is known to the most of us, returns in the best of health, having put on about thirty pounds above his normal weight, and looks as though he had never had a sick moment in his life.

It is indeed with pleasure that we report the return of Claude to our midst, for he is a citizen whom any town would be proud to claim, and we join with his many friends in wishing for him continued health and a long sojourn among us.

Biblical miracles are admirable material for motion-picture productions. William Jennings Bryan announces. Including the marriage at Cana?—New York Tribune.

MARY F. HINTON RESIGNS AS COUNTY TREASURER

On Wednesday, April 19th, Mrs. Mary F. Hinton sent in her formal resignation as County Treasurer of Lubbock County. Mrs. Hinton gives as her reason for this step, that certain conditions have arisen in the office which makes it impossible for her to continue her work in that capacity.

J. S. Slover has been appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Hinton.

Mrs. Hinton has discharged the duties of this office in a most creditable manner, in a fair and impartial way, and it is with a keen sense of loss that the people of the county lose her services, in the capacity in which she has so creditably served.

P. B. Randolph of Plainview, attorney at that place, was here this week transacting businses matters.

P. B. Ralls, of Ralls, visited and attended to business matters in our city the first of this week.

Dante lived too early. Think of the price he might have received for the motion-picture rights.—Warren Chronicle.

MOTHER! OPEN CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Your little one will love the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" even if constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish, or full of cold. A teaspoonful never fails to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the sour bile, and undigested food out of the bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

Judge W. D. Crump was in from his farm in the Shallowater community Monday. He reports conditions in that section as fine, and the farmers are all busily engaged since the recent rains. Conditions were ever better for a banner crop, he says, and everybody is in fine spirits.

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BABY SHOW

WILL BE SHOWN AT LINDSEY THEATRE

Wednesday Evening April 26

BEGINNING AT 7:30 P. M.

Monday, the 24th will be the last day in which to make pictures for the contest.—See your baby on the screen. Prizes will be awarded after the show.

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To buy land with or to extend present indebtedness or for a loan on your land.—You have been waiting for this rate before you bought that land you have been wanting. Come in now and make arrangements before the land takes its rise when crops get good.

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