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WHAT IS THE COST OF INCORPORATION?

This question is paramount in the minds of many of our people. To attempt to answer this question to the satisfaction of everyone is out of the question.

In the previous issues of our paper we have attempted to give our readers facts and figures as to what incorporation has meant to other cities of like population. Few, if any, will question the advisability of incorporation from an improvement and progressive standpoint.

For a city to grow and prosper it is essential for someone to guide and direct its movements, the same as any other business. A city without a head or governing body is like a business without a manager.

The main question is which is the most economical—incorporated or unincorporated?

No one will deny but that incorporation and taxation go hand in hand. On the other hand we cannot deny but that unincorporation high water rates with bum service causes high fire insurance rates.

Some people are inclined to blame the owners of the water system for the poor service rendered. Some contend that they should install larger pipes, better pumping equipment, etc.

Now let's be honest with ourselves—could we ask more of them than we would have done ourselves? How many business men would be willing to invest \$25,000 or \$30,000 in a business that has a doubtful future? For any man or set of men to invest his or their money in improvements for Junction in its present condition, to say the least, would be unwise and unbusinesslike.

Incorporation and Taxes
Now let's see what we can expect if we incorporate. First, by our vote we could select men to manage our city's business for us, to act for us in matters pertaining to the future of our city, to pass ordinances regulating the public service utilities—be it water, power, phone or whatnot—to intercede in our behalf when the question of rates or service is raised or lowered. To regulate the construction of new buildings so as not to create unnecessary fire hazards. To see after the sanitary condition that we may have a more healthy place in which to live. To investigate the advisability of taking over any or all public service utilities. To intercede in our behalf with the State fire insurance board for a reduction of insurance rates.

The above are just a few of the things that we can justly expect of the men we might select to manage our business for us. Naturally these men serve without pay, consequently they must be broad minded, public-spirited citizens. For them to err is human, so we should expect them to make mistakes. Many of them, on the other hand, we should expect behind them and do all in our power to assist them make Junction a larger, finer, healthier and happier place in which to live and raise our children.

SAN ANTONIO EDITOR

VISITS JUNCTION
Mr. A. R. Marker, editor of the Scottish Rite News of San Antonio, was in Junction this week, visiting with the Masonic brethren of this city and as usual, with a printer, the fumes of printer's ink drew him to the Eagle office. We more than enjoyed the visit from Mr. Marker. He left us with an inspiration to strive for higher and nobler things.

VOCATIONAL AND AGRICULTURE TEACHER HERE

Prof. Wm. C. Wenzel and wife moved to Junction last week from College Station.

Prof. Wenzel will teach agriculture and science as well as serve as principal of our school. He has had seven years of teaching experience.

In 1924 he received his B. A. degree from the Southwest Texas State Teachers College. Last year he was awarded a fellowship by the A. & M. College. There he did his graduate work and took his M. S. degree in the spring term. He taught two courses in Education at the same time. He also took special work at the A. & M. College the first term this summer.

Prof. Wenzel is wrapped up in his work and is seeking the co-operation of all the patrons of our school. In talking with the reporter he said, in part:

"I have found Junction a good town to live in. Everybody I see here tells me that Junction is the best town in Texas. I am about to believe them for many reasons, some of which are:

1. This place is a clean, beautiful and peaceful town located in the heart of the hills.

2. The people have a strong neighborly spirit and they are very progressive.

3. The Junction people believe in educating their children. They have a fine school building, a good superintendent and a working school board.

"I hope to visit all the homes of the boys who are having projects, in the month of August. I will be glad to have as many boys take vocational agriculture this year as possible. In the fall I will be glad to see a large number of new agriculture pupils. I will also be glad to organize an evening class for adults and for boys not in school, later in the fall or winter. By working together we hope to be able to improve ourselves, as individuals and as a group.

"If I can be of any help, in any way, to anybody I will be glad to do so. Call on me."

Mrs. Wenzel has been teaching for five years. She has a permanent certificate from the Southwest Texas Teachers' College. She will teach in the grades here this year. Kerrville is her home town.

SCOTTISH RITE TO HAVE 15TH ANNIVERSARY

November 7, 8, 9 and 10, inclusive, will be the red letter days for members of the San Antonio Scottish Rite. They are planning a home coming of all class members. The president of each of the fifteen classes will mail special invitations to his class members to attend as a class. Attached to the invitation will be roster of the brothers that crossed the burning sands with him.

BABE RUTH WILL BE HERE

On Monday and Tuesday nights of next week the people of Junction will have an opportunity to see in action the world's greatest ball player, Babe Ruth, in "When the Babe Comes Home," at the Le Roy Theatre.

It will be a real treat to the old as well as the young to see the Babe swat the pill for a home run. He is the wonder man of base ball. Few men reach the pinnacle of fame in athletics as has he. No other has ever held it from year to year. Most men who rise to fame soon fall to the discard. Not so with Babe. He is the same idol today as he was when he won his first big league game.

Walter Loeffler spent Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Paul Martin, and family near Menard.

BARBECUE

Saturday, August 6th
For the Agricultural Class

Mr. Skaggs, one of our trustees, will give a barbecue August 6 at his home for the Agricultural Class. All the pupils who studied agriculture last year and those who will take the work this year are invited. Bring your fathers and any of your friends who may become agriculture students. Also bring your appetite.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MEET SATURDAY NIGHT

Probably the most important matter that has been called to the attention of the Kimble County Chamber of Commerce will be discussed at our regular meeting next Saturday night, July 30, to be held in the Court House of Junction.

As you have noticed from press reports, there has been organized the Gulf and Northwestern Railroad which is going to be constructed Northwest out of San Antonio, Texas. There is a good opportunity for us to interest this railroad company in constructing its line through Kimble County, via Junction, Sonora and Eldorado to San Angelo.

Inasmuch as there are other routes being mentioned and urged by other towns, it will be necessary for us to make every possible effort at once to interest this company in building through our county. For that reason you are especially urged to be present and bring everyone possible with you in order that we may fully discuss this matter and decide as to our best course of action.

The Junction Cemetery Society will provide a chicken dinner at a cost of 50 cents per plate, the proceeds of which will be used in beautifying our cemetery. The Junction band will furnish music for the occasion. Make your reservations early by calling the undersigned.

Ladies especially invited.
Sec. Chamber of Commerce.

PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN AT PRICE'S CAMP

As an indication of the class of tourists that has been in our midst for some time, we have Mr. Fletcher B. Enoch, who is Ex-General Manager of the Fernwood, Columbia & Gulf R. R., and many other large business organizations in the State of Mississippi. One of the largest daily papers of New Orleans, Louisiana, has said of him, that he has done as much toward the development of the large industrial interests of Mississippi as any one of its citizens, and was the largest real estate dealer in the southern portion of the State.

Mr. Enoch is at Price's camp where he expects to remain until about the 8th of September. Due to his large and varied experience in business he is a very interesting conversationalist and we trust in addition to his finding our county a good place to spend a vacation, that he will also become interested in investing in some of our properties. His advice and counsel would be of great assistance to this community, more especially since just at this time we are faced with railroad problems new to most of us.

A fine 9-pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dunbar Tuesday of this week. The mother and son are doing nicely.

CHEAP SUBSTITUTE FOR MOHAIR

We are printing on page two, column three of this issue an article entitled "What Children Should Know." This article was furnished by one of the large advertising agencies under the guise of a news article.

Its object is to create a demand for merchandise manufactured from an inferior fibre.

Some of our readers may not know what Rayon is, so for their information we will state that it is a wood fibre being used by a number of the large manufacturers as a cheap substitute for mohair. When new it will tax the ability of the best buyers to distinguish the difference between it and mohair. The real difference will be found in its wearing qualities.

It will be well worth the while of our readers to look over the list of articles that is being manufactured from this inferior fibre.

We have been informed that at least one salesman has called on the local merchants and tried to sell them some of these products.

What Children Should Really Know is that a substitute after all is merely a makeshift.

Attention, Mr. Goat Man:—This propaganda is being spread all over the United States. It behooves you to see that some steps are taken to correctly inform the buying public as to the difference between mohair and its substitutes.

KIMBLE COUNTY MAN BUYS FINE GOATS

Thursday of this week Mr. O. W. Cardwell of this county passed through Junction with ten new Angora bucks bought at the Kerrville Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention. These bucks cost Mr. Cardwell from \$1,075.00 to \$420.00 each.

Some time ago Mr. Cardwell bought a partnership or option on these goats and thereby gained half of the profit, over \$750.00 for the best one, so in reality the fine one only cost him \$912.50.

Some of the large daily news papers gave Mr. Cardwell's address as Uvalde, and to that extent robbed this county of the proper credit.

When better goats are bred Kimble County ranchmen will buy them.

KIMBLE COUNTY MAN RAISES BIG ONIONS

Just another example of what Kimble County soil will produce was evidenced at the Eagle office this week when Mr. Willie Dunk, who lives 18 miles out on the Kerrville road, presented us with two Bermuda onions that will weigh close to a pound each. Mr. Dunk informs us that he planted 1,000 sets in a space about 10x20 feet. He has sold more than 150 pounds at 5 cents per pound. He further stated that he is keeping for home use nearly as many as he sold.

Now Mr. Progressive Farmer, if a man can raise a pound of onions to the square foot that will bring him five cents a pound, **WHAT WILL ONE ACRE OF ONIONS NET YOU?**

OWNER COCA COLA PLANT HERE ON VISIT

Mr. J. W. Lathem and wife of Brownwood, accompanied by Mrs. Lathem's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Son, of Wichita Falls, Texas, are spending a few days in Junction. Mr. Lathem is owner of the local bottling plant and is mixing business with pleasure.

Mr. Roy Morris of Denver, Colorado, was a Junction visitor Saturday. Mr. Morris at one time was a member of the high school faculty.

AS WE SEE THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Much has been said and written recently relative to the constitutional amendments which are to be voted on August 1st.

Without going into detail as to the reason why these amendments should fail to carry, we feel it sufficient to say that in our humble judgment there is enough law on our statute books without opening up an avenue for the enactment of a lot more.

Some portions of these proposed amendments should be made into law, but they are so intermingled with other matters that it would not serve our best interest, if voted, and the only things left for us to do is to vote against every one of them without an exception.

There is always some patriot who conceives it to be his duty to save the country by some character of extreme legislation.

Already the laws are so multitudinous as to be entirely beyond the comprehension of the average citizen to interpret and tax to the utmost, the ability of a good lawyer to even find the law pertaining to ordinary business matters. We therefore see no good reason why the present system should be changed and an avenue opened for a lot of new legislation.

The enactment of some of these amendments would make it possible to add to the tax burden of our people. There is not sufficient reason why this should be done and while we do not presume to control the right of suffrage of any elector in this county, we will proceed to the polls on Monday, August 1, and vote against every amendment offered.

SONORA MAN IS JUNCTION VISITOR

Mr. B. M. Holbert of Sonora was in Junction last week, accompanying Mr. Gage. Junction is indebted to Mr. Holbert for having brought to this city Mr. Gage and his wonderful picture of "From Flock to Fabric." The Eagle feels that it speaks the sentiments of all those that saw this wonderful production when we attempt to thank Mr. Holbert for using his influence in our behalf.

JUNCTION BOY HONORED

Vic Urban of this city is placed on the honor roll of the Howard-Payne College. The following news item was clipped from the Brownwood Bulletin:

"Vic Urban, a star member of the Howard-Payne track team of 1927, and captain elect of the 1928 Yellow Jacket cinder path artists, has been placed on the roll of honor by the National Intercollegiate Athletic Association, due to his long distance throw of the discus at the annual Texas conference track and field meet held here in May. His record-breaking throw was for the distance of 146 feet and 6 inches, about four feet more than the record hung up by him in 1926."

According to statistics Urban is the fifth ranking discus thrower in the United States and in view of the fact that he has two more years to perform for the Jackets it is not hard to believe that he will break his own record before his four years with the local team are completed, or at least J. Horace "Cap" Shelton, track coach at Howard-Payne, thinks he will. Urban also holds the Texas Conference record for the javelin throw, with the mark of 169 feet and two inches. Fincher of Austin College beat him in the javelin last year with a throw of 168 feet and two inches, one foot less than Urban's record.

THE INTELLIGENCE TEST

(By E. V. S., London Special Correspondent)

In some few of our rural schools teachers are attempting to use what is known as the Intelligence Test, in order to ascertain the mental capacity of their pupils, and in an indirect way are influencing the parents of these children to try this procedure on them immediately after the close of school. They call this intelligence test a superfluous name, to bring about the desired end of getting the patrons to note with especial interest the efficiency of themselves, the teacher. They do this to keep the real value of their services blinded so that they will receive complimentary remarks of which they know full well they do not deserve.

Fortunately these teachers are very few and are not college trained teachers. They have merely read from some text book in elementary psychology a few things that appertain to the intelligence test. Not knowing that the intelligence test, however imperfect it may be, was never intended to be used in a rural school, and the teacher who attempts it for selfish motives and drills the children day after day in answering questions of a very simple nature in order for them to fill out more accurately and quickly a score card that was designed by the teachers own hand, for the purpose of getting their mentality to score 75 or 80 and thereby cause someone to believe that their child has gained knowledge galore in school, is not only committing a great wrong, but is inflicting an injustice on the life of the pupil and community that could not be valued in dollars and cents. It would be far better for a pupil to be able to score only 10 or 15 on this kind of a card and receive some practical and theoretical knowledge from a trained teacher, than for them to score 290 on this hypocritical test given by a teacher who is too narrow to teach a single practical idea.

The early training that a child receives molds his character. As the twig is bent the tree is inclined. And only thru the process of education are we able to discover in our being "the things" that makes us what we are.

For some time it has been maintained that the state is hiring teachers for brains, but the wider observers of life have discovered that the feelings play an even more important part. We are entitled in our teachers to patience, sympathy, cheerfulness, encouragement, confidence and inspiration. A scolding, nagging gossip who may know the dictionary entire is as proper a candidate for dismissal from a teacher's position as is the most pronounced illiterate. Badly as such a servant cheats the public, they rob themselves still worse, for it is the nature of a person teaching to be affectionate, considerate and to enjoy the business as artists enjoy their vocation from Parrhasius down, who was forever wont to sing while he worked.

The school never fails to reflect the attitude of the teacher. When the teacher is indifferent, careless of his work, the atmosphere of the school will reflect these traits. If alert, vigorous, systematic and foresighted, the school will quickly respond.

The little red school house that was once seen in going to and fro from place to place has served its day to a good purpose. Now, little white school houses, usually two and three teacher schools, have taken its place and have the highways decked throughout our vast domain. Our schools are reaching a higher degree of efficiency year by year.

The late L. E. Stockard did as much, or probably more, for these little rural schools than probably any man that is now living. Mr. Stockard was the originator of the Four Square Rural Community Plan, whereby schools could be systematically graded as to their efficiency. This plan has helped

to work a greater degree of unity in the neighborhood, a thing that is vitally important in the success of any school.

As an eulogy to Mr. Stockard and his now bereaved family, his picture should be placed in every rural school in the State of Texas. More especially of this county (Kimble) in which he lived, married and taught school for many years. This should be done as a token of the appreciation of the everlasting good that he made possible.

The strength of our nation will always rest in the intelligent body of its people. Our education should implant conceptions of public duty and private obligations broad enough to envisage the problems of a greatly distraught world. More than anything else, men and women need the capacity to see with clear eye and to contemplate with open, unprejudiced mind the issues of the times. Only through a properly motivated and generously inspired process of education can this be accomplished. It can never be accomplished by trying to test the child's mentality of the parent's adhesion of brain power by seeking unselfish gains.

Miss Westmoreland of Eagle Lake arrived Friday for a visit with Mrs. Dorothy Westmoreland.

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that my place is posted according to law, and trespassers will be prosecuted. 15-8tp2 1/2

Frank Leifeste.

SOUTH LLANO NEWS

Lane and Jimmie Hodges of Big Lake visited home folks Sunday, returning Sunday night. We were visited by a fine rain Saturday.

Miss Eula Davis spent the week-end in Junction with Mrs. All Fleming.

Mrs. F. M. Hodges was quite sick last week but are glad to report her up again.

Eugene Lane of San Antonio is a guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hodges.

Miss Achah Baker of Junction is spending the past two weeks at the J. W. Boone home.

The river was on a slight boom Monday morning but did not get past fording.

The singing at J. H. Hubbells Sunday night was a failure, owing to the report of the rise of the river and everyone rushed home.

Little Plix and Raymond Smith were visitors at the F. M. Hodges home last week.

Mr. Vernon Schuheart made a flying visit to home folks one day last week on his way to Kerrville, and will spend the month with the home folks.

Mr. E. E. Callender has returned from Julius Hunger's and is stopping at the Hubbells home.

The grader is doing some good work on our roads after these hard rains.

CHILDREN SHOULD KNOW

"Devil Dogs"

The United States Marines are, sometimes called "Devil Dogs." They take pride in this nickname.

Brigadier-General Smedley Butler, who has been long famous as a Marine officer is the same man who tried to suppress crime and bootlegging in Philadelphia. He is now at the head of the United States Marines in China. The China Press has reached Washington and it contains articles concerning the review of marines by General Butler. This Chinese paper said:

"Come then the first battalion, every button glistening, uniforms polished to immaculate cleanliness, bayonets shining and 'tin hats' newly Ducoed. Following—the color guard. Then the machine gun units, the second battalion, more machine guns and other regimental detachments.

"General Butler is quoted as saying with characteristic enthusiasm: 'I have never seen a finer regiment. I have never seen 2,000 cleaner, finer men, presenting a better appearance, than these boys.'"

New Uses for Rayon

Rayon is perhaps the most interesting of modern fabrics. Manufacture of silk, cotton, gingham and other cloths has been replaced by the manufacture of rayon. Among the latest uses of rayon are found the following:

Rayon borders, Turkish towels.

Rayon fabrics, tubular knit for men's wear.

Tricot fabrics (knitted flat) for ladies' underwear.

Knitted hats for women.

Rayon pile fabrics made flame proof for theatre curtains.

Rayon for hosiery clothing.

All Rayon taffeta bed spreads.

Rayon, fine count, high twist voiles, printed and plain colors.

Rayon linings for cloaks, capes and men's wear.

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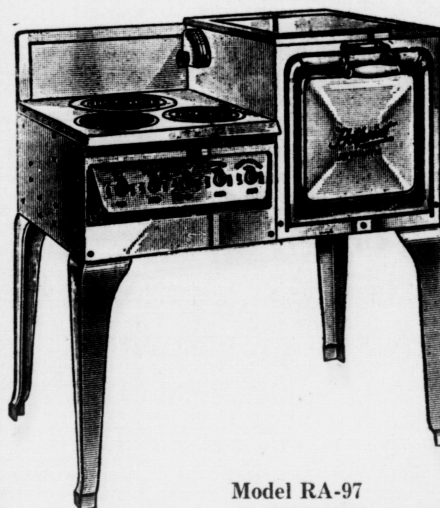
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THE LONDON OF TEXAS

London was named after the largest city in the world by one of Kimble County's pioneers who was so impressed with the nature of the soil and with the abundance of water so near at hand, that he felt that some day the New London would take its place as the trading city of southwest Texas.

For one to really appreciate London it is necessary to spend, as did the writer, some time visiting the different farms and ranches.

As a farming district London is fast forging to the front; the condition of the soil makes it possible to grow in abundance most every article that can be grown elsewhere in Texas. It is not a one-crop section as are other farming communities. The farmers are diversifying. One will find adjoining fields of cotton, corn, maize, cane and broom corn, all on the same farm. Most of the farmers have panted a goodly number of acres in melons that have brought many hundreds of dollars to this community. Approximately 90 per cent of the melons sold in Junction are grown in this district.

Fruits and Berries

Quite a number of the more progressive farmers have set out orchards and berry patches. In talking with one of them, a Mr. Cummins, he said it was more of an experiment upon his part a few years ago that he set out several fruit trees consisting of apples, pears, peaches, plums and apricots. Of these he found the apple and pear trees to be the heaviest producers. Every year it is necessary to build a framework to support the limbs. The peaches and plums, he informed us, will pay a good dividend most every year. This same farmer has several grape-vines of the white seedless variety

on his place that will produce an average of 200 pounds of grapes to the vine, selling for 20 cents a pound.

Truck Gardens

From a truck garden standpoint, London community, with its rich virgin red loam soil, will produce more per acre with less labor than any land north of the Rio Grande Valley. This industry is yet in its infancy, and as new farmers move in and settle up the thousands of acres now lying idle, London will justly claim her place as a truck farming district.

Live Stock

The live stock industry is now, and has been in the past, one of the chief sources of income. Many of the ranchmen have awakened to the fact that by raising a sufficient amount of feed stuff they can pasture a larger number of stock on the same number of acres, and by feeding them they will bring the top price when they sell.

Inexhaustible Water Supply

The ranchmen and farmers of this community never have to worry about water shortage. As an example of the water supply of this district, three weeks ago a ranchman had a well dug on top of his highest hill, with the idea of lifting the water to this height with a wind-mill. A contract was let for a 300-foot well. When the driller reached this depth he found the water standing within 10 feet of the top of the casing, and by siphoning it over the crest of the hill he has an everlasting flowing well, making it unnecessary for the ranchman to buy a windmill as he had planned. The driller informs us this is not an unusual occurrence in this locality.

The Llano river flows within six miles of the town of London, the waters of which are used by quite a number to irri-

gate with.

Schools and Churches

The several different churches are well represented in this district. Some of them have erected places of worship. In this as well as all other things, the neighborly spirit prevails, and often more than one denomination uses the same building.

The school is centrally located and easily accessible to all. It would be a credit to a community several times the size of London. Modern throughout and well equipped, presided over by a faculty of well chosen teachers.

Merchants and Tradesmen

The merchants of London are live, wide-awake business men, ever on the look-out for the interest of their community, working in harmony with each other; none of them of the back-biting, undermining type that is often found in a town of this size.

The community spirit is much in evidence among all the people of London. Everyone is working in accord to make London a bigger and better place to live.

We predict that before many years have passed London will be one of the largest diversified farming districts of Texas.

(By E. V. S., London Special Correspondent)

Another million-dollar rain came to our community on Saturday last, just at a time when it was most needed. Sunday morning another rain followed up, which will assure plenty of moisture for all crops and plenty of range for livestock.

Gathering of broom corn has been the main vocation with our people for the past two weeks. This crop will soon be harvested and the fine rains will make another crop. The present price of broom corn is \$180.00 for grade No. 1, and \$120.00 for No. 2. Broom corn that is gathered before it gets too ripe

will grade No. 1, while if let get too ripe before gathered the straw is brittle and it will grade No. 2.

The Christian meeting held last night and will last over Sunday, July 31. Fine crowds are gathering to hear the song service and to hear this brilliant young man espouse so earnestly and capably the cause for which he has devoted his life.

Mr. Jackson was again taken to Brady Sanitarium on Tuesday, the 12th, but was able to return the 15th. At present writing he seems greatly improved.

Mrs. L. E. Latta of Del Rio is visiting her daughter on Red Creek this week.

Several of our prominent citizens attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention at Kerrville the past week. Some of the finest stock that was ever on exhibition was exhibited at this convention. The next annual convention will be held at San Angelo.

E. P. Furr and Ollie Spruell were business callers in Junction on Friday last.

Raymond Pearl and wife are visiting Mrs. Pearl's parents in Fredericksburg this week.

The annual family reunion of Grandma Pearl will be held on the river at her son's place the 27th and 28th. About 60 of her immediate family will partake of this two days feasting and outing, swimming and lemonade drinking. This is always a very enjoyable occasion.

The Kothmann family attended their annual get-together family reunion the past week. This reunion was held at the ranch of Elgin Kothmann in Mason county. About 500 members of the family of Mr. Kothmann, Sr., took part in this enjoyable affair.

RETURNING GOODS

Business houses commonly allow their customers to return goods that are not what they wanted or expected. But if you return goods to a mail order house or to some store away from home, it is often hard to make the exchange desired and get what you want.

It may not be convenient to visit such a store in person, and if you depend upon correspondence, the stuff sent the second time may be just as unsatisfactory as the first lot purchased. But when you take anything back to the home stores, they will let you look over their whole stock to find just what you want. That is the way to get satisfaction.

Try This, Boys

Himme—What shape is a kiss?

Herre—Give me one and we'll call it square.

They Are Like That

When Dumbdora heard that Betty swore she'd never been kissed, she said, if she had never been kissed, she'd swear, too.

John R. Hulsey of San Angelo has proven to Green County farmers that irrigation pays.

With the use of electricity, Mr. Hulsey has irrigated twenty acres at a cost of \$200 a year, and has made more money from his twenty acres than a lot of ranchmen have made out of twenty sections. He has made, this spring, \$1,400 from two acres of cantaloupes and expects to make \$2,000 from two acres of tomatoes. The water is pumped from shallow wells. His record is assisting in arousing interest in San Angelo's irrigation project, which has been under way for some time and which will be taken up before the close of the summer season.

Attention!

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run only as paid matter at regular rates.**INDIVIDUAL AND
COMMUNITY**

The individual in the modern community no longer plays a lone hand. At least, he can not do so if he expects his home town to show progress. This idea was expressed in substance in a recent address by John N. Vander Vries, manager of the north central division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The welfare of the individual business man, he said, is tied up with the welfare of the community. He spoke of the competition between communities, and of how modern business organization keeps a progressive community from being set back to the rear ranks.

The old idea of business success was that a concern just plugged to get more trade for itself. That is still necessary, even more so than before. But if the business men just do that, they find themselves lacking something that they need. They need some kind of initiative on the part of the whole group of them and of their community, so that the value of their town as a business center may be recognized.

A concern that is hustling in its own interest is sure to get in a good deal of new trade. But if the community of which it is a part lacks unity, if the people do not pull together, if the business men do not organize for more business and improved modern methods, then the community fails to obtain recognition as a live business place. The hustling concern is handicapped by the inactivity of its environment.

When a town wakes up, and its business men pull together, and work harmoniously with the nearby country districts for more and better business, then all interests prosper, assuming they are active also in their own behalf. Individual hustle plus community spirit. Put those two things together, and you get a modern and advancing town, in which people live happily and have modern advantages and gain in prosperity.

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One of the sure signs of a good live town, is that its business men are well organized. Such associations may be called Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, Business Men's Associations, etc., and the name makes little difference, provided the members get busy and do the work that needs to be done.

Situations constantly come up where the action of some powerful body is necessary. Such an organization stands as the representative of the business sentiment of the town, and as such it commands adherence and respect. If people can feel that the business sentiment supports them in good projects, they will be enterprising in promoting civic movements.

And if there are wrong conditions that should be changed, it is a wonderful thing to have a business organization to express the sentiment against them. People hate to offend a society that embodies the feeling of the leading business people. Such an organization will often get results in a week which previously would have taken years to accomplish.

LONDON LOCALS

Mr. Clyde Deck, our roadman, keeps the road surface smooth out of London.

S. H. and C. E. Weaver have been very busy men for a few days manufacturing a broom-corn thresher.

A young man working on the G. R. Kothmann ranch happened to the misfortune of being bitten by a rattlesnake one day last week. He had the cool forethought to split the wound and suck the blood. At last account he was doing fairly well.

E. H. Kothmann and his entire family attended the Kothmann reunion at the old home ranch in Mason County. This reunion is of an annual occurrence and is the source of great pleasure as well as of moral and religious encouragement. Between 300 and 500 relatives attended this year, among whom are orators, preachers and other professional men. The good influence going out from such a gathering will be felt throughout the State.

S. H. McCaleb of Yates was shaking hands in London Saturday.

Bob Ragland of Junction was here on business Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Hodges left Saturday for her home at Slaton. The fine rains have made everyone happy.

E. H. Pettigrew left at 6:30 Sunday evening for Temple Sanitarium in response to a telegram received that his mother had contracted pneumonia after an operation. These good people have our sympathy.

C. E. Lambert was in from the farm and ranch Monday. Edgar reports everything fine.

D. G. Adams spent several days last week repairing his telephone lines in Menard and McCulloch counties.

S. H. Ivy of Yates was in town Saturday. Sam reports everything fine.

Never fear, the good that you do will be noticed, and likewise, the things wrong in your life will be known.

We want everyone to join our Welfare Association. Don't forget it. Especially do we want the farmers to join in and help in making the London country what it should be.

A community is just what the people make it. Let's make ours better by going forward all together, ever holding up the higher ideals that the rising generation may see the beauty thereof.

Uncle John Pearl, of Little Saline, was in town Monday looking fine. Come in often.

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Tom Jones was a San Antonio visitor last week.

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Miss Maurine Biggs of Austin is visiting Miss Katherine Cardwell.

Frank Hartgraves of Menard was a Junction visitor last week.

Mr. E. C. Jordan and family are spending two weeks in San Antonio.

Mrs. Brock of the Humble pipe line camp is on the road to recovery.

Judge Coke R. Stevenson of Junction is attending court at Rocksprings.

Miss Joe Nett Rogers of Harper is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy spent Sunday at Ozona, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ball.

Bob Mayfield of Llano was shaking hands with Junction friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bartley of South Llano were Junction visitors Tuesday.

W. F. Roberts and children, Pauline and Joe were week-end visitors in San Antonio.

Misses Bonnie and Margaret Oliver of San Antonio are visiting relatives here this week.

Don't forget to save your cash tickets; they are valuable, from Powell Motor Co.

Mrs. John R. Martin and Elsie are visiting in San Antonio this week, guests of Mrs. Lee J. Cortill.

FOR SALE—Second hand harness and 1-ton Ford truck. See or phone Mrs. J. T. Hughes. 14-2tc.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Atchison and son, Wilbur, are attending the Christian encampment at Center Point.

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Mrs. Roy Blackburn and daughters, Audrey and Nevada, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hodges in Brackett.

Mrs. M. E. Holland and granddaughter, Era Tuberville, are guests at the Glenrose Sanitarium at Glenrose, Texas.

Messrs. Caesar Domiana, T. M. Potter and Fred Price, Jr., of Houston, are stopping at Price's camp this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Chew left Wednesday for their home in Houston, after a vacation spent here at the Fritz Hotel.

Sayres Farmer spent the first of the week in San Antonio.

FOR SALE—One 3 year old buck sheep, or trade for ewe. 14-ttc W. B. Buster.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Joseph and family and little niece, Florence Rothe, visited relatives in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. R. H. P. Wright and Carleton have returned home after a short visit with Mrs. H. G. Perry of Carrizo Springs.

Miss Dorothy Macdowell has returned to her home at Kerrville after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. E. A. Loefler.

Mrs. Ruth Kersting returned to her home in Chicago this week after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kountz.

Mrs. H. G. Perry and son, Wilbur Wright, of Carrizo Springs have returned home after a few days visit at the Wright ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sutton and children left Sunday for their home in Houston after a visit with Mrs. Sutton and Miss Bernice Sutton.

Last Friday while on a visit near Rocksprings, Denton Taylor, son of L. A. Taylor, of this city, fell from his horse, breaking his left arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kountz left Thursday for their home in Bisbee, Arizona, after a pleasant visit with Mr. Kountz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kountz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Caldwell and son, Guyce, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Caldwell's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neighbour, of Carrizo, New Mexico, are spending a vacation here.

Miss Tyler Wilkinson, who has been attending the State University the past ten months, finished her course and received her degree last week and returned to Junction Monday of this week. She will teach in the Junction school the coming term.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Orth and Mrs. W. F. Roberts and son, Joe, went to Kerrville Thursday to meet John Milton Salle of San Antonio who is a guest at the Orth ranch.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will conduct a sale of aprons and pillow cases Saturday evening after 2 o'clock on side walk, east side of Wigley's Drug Store.

Little Brownie and Blackie Motley of Junction returned home last week from camp Waldemar, a girl's camp near Hunt, Texas, after having spent a week of pleasure.

C. T. Holekamp, Jr., arrived Monday to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Holekamp. The youngster at present is with his mother in Baylor Hospital in San Antonio.

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Mr. R. D. Johnson, vice president and treasurer of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, Texas, with twenty-five other Houstonians paid Junction a visit Friday of last week. While here they visited 700 Springs and other points of interest. Dinner was served to the party at the Fritz Hotel.

WANTED—75 cords of wood, to be delivered on school grounds; 25 cords to be delivered by Sept. 15, the remaining 50 cords to be delivered before Jan. 1, 1928. Wood to be cut 3½ feet in length, not over 3 or under 2 inches in diameter. Preferably Spanish oak or live oak. If mixed with other wood, state what kind and per cent. Bids will be received till July 31st. Communicate with Junction School Board or H. B. Cowles.

Unemployment in Norway is increasing.

BAPTIST CHURCH

WANTED—Every members present at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday morning. We are to observe the Lord's Supper. "As oft as you do this, do it in remembrance of Me." My death, burial and resurrection." Jesus Christ's own words. Welcome visitors.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Theme. "The three classes of church members."

Sunday evening, beginning at 8:30, theme, "The New Birth." If I were a church member I believe I would be found at God's house Sunday morning trying to worship the living God. "If you love Me you will do these things."

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NEW EQUIPMENT AT LOCAL HOSPITAL

This week the local hospital installed a gas-ether machine.

This machine is equipped so as to give gas or ether, or if preferred, a mixture of gas and ether.

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Wrinkle up your map; Give your eyes a chance to squint.

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TEXAS AND TEXANS.

(By Will H. Mayes.)

Texas Exports High

Some idea of the development of Texas may be obtained from the United States Commerce Report of exports for the first quarter of 1927. New York ranked first with \$193,190,065 and Texas was a close second with \$172,035,780, while California was a poor third with \$81,244,751, or less than half the exports of Texas. Texas made a gain of more than \$33,000,000 over a corresponding period of 1926 and New York lost nearly \$2,500,000 compared with the same period of 1926. The Texas exports were nearly one-sixth the exports of the entire country. The measure of a state's prosperity is what it sells to other states and countries, and by this standard Texas appears to have a far larger surplus over its own requirements than any other state except New York or more than twice that of Michigan and California combined. These figures of the Commerce Report show only the exports to foreign countries and not the shipments to other states. When these are considered, Texas ranks even higher in prosperity, for the larger part of its surplus farm crops do not go abroad, but to other states.

Half Million Bales Unpicked

According to W. F. Callender, chairman of the Crop Reporting Board of the Federal Department of Agriculture, one-half million bales of the 1926 cotton crop grown in Texas was not picked. This was due to the low price of cotton, the high price of picking, and bad weather. The loss represented nearly one-tenth of the entire Texas crop. This year, with prices better and acreage less, practically the entire crop should be gathered. Picking in the South part of the State is now costing 75 cents, but this price will doubtless increase as the crop begins to open rapidly in Central and North Texas. There are good reasons for believing now that the 1927 crop will sell at from 18 to 20 cents, say those who watch the markets closely.

Heart of Texas Organization

The secretaries of the chambers of commerce in eleven counties around Brownwood have organized the Heart of Texas Chamber of Commerce Secretaries' Association. The territory will probably be extended some to include the counties of that part of the State that have interests of like kinds. This regional organization is not antagonistic to the larger sectional organizations but has been formed to look after interests peculiar to that section and that the larger associations can not so well include in their activities. Texas is so large and has such varied interests that it is impossible for any one organization, however it may try, to properly represent the entire State.

Is New Board Needed?

Is Texas going to need another kind of commission? The newly created Bus Division of the Railroad Commission has already been confronted with the question of granting a permit to operate an air mail line, but has decided that the law does not contemplate any such permits. Within the next few years airplanes are likely to be so thick in Texas that something will have to be done about controlling the space in the air, establishing and regulating landing stations, fixing transportation and express charges by plane, and supervising air service generally. We are moving forward at a lively rate just now.

Who Owns the Rainfall?

Texas is confronted with a momentous decision as to who has the right to the use of the rainfall in a given territory and as to whether the legislature has the authority to keep any people from the use of the rain

that falls over their lands, which they may desire to impound and distribute over their lands as it may be most needed. The fight has grown out of opposition of a power syndicate to the impounding of waters of the Jim Ned Creek and Pecan Bayou in Brown county for the municipal uses of Brownwood and for irrigating lands in the valley below the proposed dam. The syndicate claims that it has filings along the Colorado for construction of power dams that entitle it to even more water than falls in the watershed of the river and all its tributaries. Wherever there is a creek in Texas the people are becoming interested and are watching the result of this water-right fight.

The Spirit of the West

Presidio county, of which Marfa is the county site, grows normally about 3,000 bales of cotton a year. The oil mill there burned recently, and now it is announced that it will be rebuilt at Marfa, strictly modern new machinery having been bought. This is the kind of spirit that makes for the development of a town and country.

Something Worth Celebrating

When the highway connecting Beaumont and Houston was completed, Liberty held a monstrous celebration, which was attended by thousands, whom Gov. Moody addressed in a congratulatory speech. Good roads are fast making a new East Texas.

Commendable Work

The Brenham Chamber of Commerce will send twelve Washington county boys and girls to the A. & M. Short Course, paying all their expenses, two boys and a girl being selected from each commissioner's precinct. Work like this brings the people of town and country mightily close together; and the expense is not more than can be met by almost any small-town chamber of commerce.

FIFTY MILLION PERSONS INTERESTED

There is general lack of information respecting the ownership of the railroads. Most uninformed people believe they are owned by Wall Street, by which they are used for speculative purposes only. Nothing could be farther from the truth. Capital invested in our railroads has been gathered in relatively small amounts from the people in all sections of the country. According to the reports of the holders in American railroads and as many more bond holders, not to mention the insurance companies, trust companies, endowment funds, estates and fiduciary agents of all kinds, which are heavy investors in railway securities. It has been reliably estimated that 50 million people in the United States are directly interested in returns from railway investments. It is readily seen, therefore, that failure of the railroads to pay fair returns upon capital invested in them disastrously affects a very large percentage of the country's population.

STATES BUILT 20,000 MILES OF ROADS LAST YEAR

More than 13,600 miles of earth roads included in the State highway systems of the 48 States were surfaced by the several highway departments in 1926, according to information compiled from State reports by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. The total length of surfaced roads constructed by State agencies during the year was 19,492 miles, of which 13,664

miles was laid over former earth roads and 5,828 miles represented a rebuilding of old surfaces.

The reports show that the total mileage of surfaced roads in the State highway systems increased by 18,205 miles during the year; but of this increase 4,541 miles represents no actual work by the States, but consists merely of mileage transferred from county to State jurisdiction, statistical changes resulting from resurveys, etc.

The above figures refer to increases in surfaced mileage on the State highway system only and do not include surfacing laid by the counties or local governments. They do include, however, all work done with Federal aid.

The statistical table issued by the Federal bureau shows that the combined State systems embrace 287,928 miles and that of this mileage 163,069 miles is surfaced and 28,456 miles are now about graded and drained according to engineering standards. The State systems are now about 66 per cent initially improved.

The mileage of road in the State systems and the mileage surfaced in Texas is as follows: Total mileage in State systems, 18,728.0; existing surfaced mileage at end of 1926, 9,256.3; mileage of new surfacing placed during year including reconstruction, 497.1

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EACH SCHOOL DAY IS WORTH \$9.25

The Department of Agriculture at Washington has tabulated some statistics which may prove of benefit to the parents of boys and girls of school age who are determined not to resume their pursuit of education in the fall. Each day spent in the school room is worth in dollars and cents, approximately \$9.25 in the case of farmers. This idea that the more education the farmer has, the more money he makes, was decided after surveys in twelve widely separated states.

The exact monetary gain was arrived at by taking \$20,000 as the total earnings of an uneducated laborer over a period of forty years and \$40,000 as the total earnings of a high school graduate who spent 12 years of approximately 180 days each in acquiring training. The gain in wages, \$20,000, due to those 2,160 days of school, represents a value of \$9.25 each day during the period in the schoolroom.

Specific examples are taken from farmers in Georgia. The net annual profits of those without any education was found to average \$240, while those with common school training earned \$665.50, high school graduates, \$664.50, and those who completed college courses, earned \$1,254. Those who had only a short course earned three times as much as those with no education at all.

MOVIE REELS REPLACE CATALOGUES

Miniature reels of motion picture film are being widely used by progressive business firms in place of printed advertising booklets, according to reports received in the National Capital. This innovation in salesmanship has been made possible, it is said, by the popularity of home motion pictures which has made film projection machines as familiar equipment in American homes as the phonograph or radio.

"Send for our free booklet," is being displaced as a slogan by "Send for our free film." The prospective customer who writes for the advertised motion pictures receives a compact metal container which holds from one to four hundred feet of film, about half the size of standard theatre film, printed on a non-inflammable stock, which assures safety both in transportation and use. On this short strip celluloid the manufacturer or dealer employing it has prepared a sales message, told in pictures and with artistic titles, designed both to entertain and "sell" the customer. He is able to tell his story with all of the conviction expressed by the maxim, "seeing is believing." In this manner the products so advertised are being brought into the very heart of the American family, it is declared, and the method is said to be unequalled in effectiveness.

COPPER OLDEST METAL

Copper must fitly be called the first of metals, for it was the first to be adapted by man to his ordinary uses. Probably the men of the bronze age found the metal in its native state, as it occasionally occurs; perhaps some cave man built a fire over copper ore exposed on the surface, and unwittingly built the first smelter. However it might have been discovered, primitive man after long centuries was using copper to replace his crude stone and bone implements. Then again, by accident perhaps, the alloy of copper with tin or zinc, which makes brass and bronze, was discovered, and this was the great metal of antiquity.

Mining and reduction of metals is as safe and sound a business as selling flour or running a bank. Mining develops every other industry—farming, railroading, merchandising; it is the great builder for any nation.

Some of the capital that is going into speculative adventures might well go into metal mining in the West.

ICE MAKES SUMMER COOKING EASY

Let the refrigerator give the cook stove a summer vacation, Dr. Mary E. Pennington, household refrigeration expert, urges. The preparation of food will eliminate needless drudgery for the housewife.

Ice, generally used in serving food, makes the difference between eating and dining at the home table. Cracked ice, tinkling in frosty glasses of cooling drinks, and shaved ice, sparkling about finely flavored food, are a wonderful antidote for hot weather fatigue and a spur to the appetite.

Chilled salad greens, crisp and full of their fine original flavor, and iced celery, radishes, olives, contribute to the palatability of the meal. Everyday foods need icing. The morning applesauce, prunes, grapefruit and orange juice are delectable chilled, and nondescript if they are tepid. Prunes, which should be served cold and unsweetened, have fallen into an undeserved unpopularity because they so often appear sticky and warm.

Many of the most attractive and healthful summer desserts need never go near the cook stove. Blueberries, Blackberries and raspberries are at their best when piled into tall glasses, mixed with shaved ice. Grapes, plums and other small fruits are served in Italy with shaved ice or in ice water, which heightens fruit flavor to rich perfection.

Among the favorites in refrigerator cookery are ice box cakes, which may be made with any hot sauce, such as butter-scotch, chocolate or lemon, or stewed berries. A pudding mold should be lined with split lady fingers, or finger lengths of stale sponge cake or bread. The hot sauce and cake are arranged in alternate layers until the bowl is full. The cake should be compressed by fitting an inverted plate into the bowl, putting a weight on the plate and letting the cake stand in the refrigerator twenty-four hours. It may then be removed from the mold, sliced and served with whipped cream or custard sauce.

MOON IS LEAVING US

One of the interesting discoveries of modern astronomy, recorded by a Washington writer in the American Magazine, is that the moon at present is gradually receding from the earth, and in so doing is slowing down the speed of the earth's rotation.

Eventually the earth will turn on its axis at exactly the same speed that the moon revolves around the earth. When that time comes, the moon will always occupy one fixed place in the sky, and will be visible only from one side of the earth.

Much of the present-day knowledge of the moon comes from the famous Harvard astronomer, Prof. William H. Pickering, who has devoted his life to the study of this nearest celestial neighbor of the earth. He has just completed the thirtieth year of his observations, which for the past fifteen years have been conducted from a height on the island of Jamaica, south of Cuba, where the cloudless night sky is peculiarly favorable to lunar observation.

Edgar Allen Poe, in his harrowing story "The Unparalleled Adventures of Hans Pfaall," hinted darkly of the supposed horrors to be encountered on

the unknown side of the moon. H. G. Wells, in his "First Men in the Moon," gave an imaginative account of cave life on the moon. Many other writers, including Jules Verne, have dealt imaginatively with the problem of voyage to the moon, and an American scientist has recently planned a rocket to be shot to the moon.

But Prof. Pickering is of the opinion that the only feasible method of getting to the moon is visually, through the eyepiece of a telescope. A twelve-inch telescope brings you within approximately 1000 miles of the moon, and it is possible to distinguish objects as small as 200 feet wide.

The surface of the moon is a "world of volcanoes." Its so-called seas are great dry lava beds, and its mountains are towering volcanic cliffs. Though the moon is only a quarter the diameter of the earth, these surface features are on a scale so gigantic as to dwarf most earthly scenery. Many of the lunar peaks are five or six miles high, and some of the craters are nearly five miles deep.

An airplane, flying 200 miles an hour, would reach the moon in about 46 days.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the school district trustees of Number Nineteen, commonly known as Gentry and Reese School district, will sell for cash to the highest bidder, the old school houses known as Gentry and Reese school buildings, on Aug. 6, 1927, at 2 p. m., at the Court House in Junction.

All parties interested will please make thorough inspection of the buildings in order that they may bid intelligently on same on above date.
15-2t J. B. Randolph.

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In order to sell out our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries, Drugs and Notions, we have employed two Special Sales Managers and gave them orders to cut prices on every item in the store regardless of former cost or present values.

We are going to tear down our building at Ingram and move it to our Camp Site on Johnson Creek just as soon as the last dollar's worth of goods has been sold.

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A WONDERFUL PICTURE

Friday of last week the ranchmen of Kimble County had an opportunity to see just what becomes of the clippings from his goat's back. It was an educational treat to those who took the time and trouble to attend the showing of a real moving picture shown at the Le Roy Theatre. This picture came direct to Texas in charge of Mr. E. C. Gage, editor of the Angora Goat Journal of Portland, Oregon.

The picture is a masterpiece of its kind, showing the different processes through which mohair must pass before it can be used in the manufacturing of the finished product.

The name of "From Flock to Fabric" was well chosen. Several flocks of Oregon goats are shown with their long fleecy coat of hair, then the shearing; next the stage is set in the largest mohair mills in the world. Here we follow the mohair through the cleaning, sorting and dyeing processes, then to the grading machine, then to the spinners and finally to the weaver and into the finished product.

Mr. Gage gave a lecture, explaining each process. His talk was well worth going to hear; his explanations made it possible for everyone to understand and appreciate every detail.

It is to be regretted that every man, woman and child in this, the greatest mohair county in the world, could not see this wonderful picture. Its value, from an educational standpoint, can not be estimated in dollars and cents.

The Eagle wishes to thank Mr. Gage and co-workers for having given our people an opportunity to study and learn so much about mohair.

FORT WORTH LIVE STOCK REPORT

Cattle receipts are the lightest this week they have been for several weeks. All kinds of fat cows and heifers are fully 25 per cent higher than the close of last week; canners, cutters and stock cows, steady to strong. Choice fat cows selling from \$6.25 to \$6.75, with a few extra fancy cows up to \$7; medium to good cows, \$5.50 to \$6; common kinds, \$5 to \$5.50;

cutters \$4.50 to \$4.75; canners \$3.75 to \$4, with very few under \$4. While grass heifers have shared the advance in price, they are not as much in demand as fat cows. Extra good baby beef continues very scarce and at the high time of the year. Bulk of grass heifers are selling from \$6.50 to \$7.25, while a few loads of extra fat, white-face grass heifers are bringing \$7.75 to \$8.25; common kind \$5 to \$5.50.

Stockers continue very scarce, and prices are about steady with last week's slight decline. Three cars of choice, white-face, dehorned stocker yearlings were sold at \$8.40, averaging 538 pounds, the top for the week. Bulk of the horned, white-face yearlings selling from \$7.75 to \$8, with older steers, same quality, around \$7.50 to \$8; red stocker yearlings, \$6.50 to \$7.25, with two and up at about the same prices, and the common and Jersey kinds selling at \$5. to \$6.

Calves are 25 cents higher, best heavy and medium weight calves selling from \$8.50 to \$8.75, a few extra choice ones selling up to \$9. Bulk of the good veals quotable from \$9.50 to \$11.

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All transfers of school children from one district to another for school purposes shall be made before August 1st.
J. B. Randolph,
County Judge.

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Beware of cheap imitations of genuine medicine. The name of the medicine is on the wrapper. If you see a "Druggist" without the name of the medicine on the wrapper, it is a cheap imitation. Do not buy it. Buy the genuine medicine. Buy the medicine that is on the wrapper. Buy the medicine that is on the wrapper. Buy the medicine that is on the wrapper.

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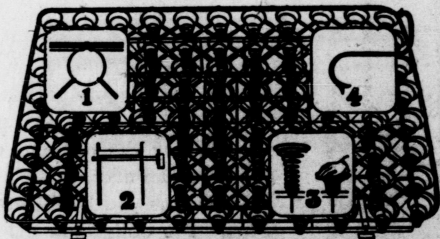
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