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ANNUAL C-C BANQUET BE HELD JANUARY 25

CHILLICOTHE POULTRY JUDGING TEAM CARRIES OFF TOP HONORS SATURDAY

CONSTITUENTS APPROVE MOFFETT ENDORSEMENT OF SOLDIER'S BONUS

NEWSPAPERS ARE CHOICE OF C-C FOR ADVERTISING

Sales Promotion Campaign to Be Largest in History of Company

"NEWS" NAMED AS ONE ON BIG LIST

Haynes and Erwin Realize Value of Newspaper in Local Field

Newspaper advertising will again form the backbone of Continental Oil Company's 1935 sales promotion program, the largest in the history of the company, it was announced here today by C. B. Haynes and R. J. Erwin, Conoco's local managers, who stated that the Chillicothe Valley News has been selected to carry Conoco advertising again.

"Proof of the value of newspaper advertising, backed by quality products and outstanding service," said Haynes and Erwin, "is seen in the fact that our company during 1934 showed a profit of 55 per cent in the sale of germ processed motor oil as compared to the previous year."

"As a matter of fact, Conoco's gross sales in 1934 were better than for any year since 1929—a fact that leads us to believe that general business conditions are definitely on the upgrade. Of course, Continental Oil Company hasn't just marked time, but has gone out after business, backed by a larger advertising program year after year."

"This year marks the sixtieth anniversary of Continental Oil Company, and we expect 1935 to be the best in our history."

Des. While on Visit Here

Mrs. Mary Alice Greig of Ballinger, here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moore died Saturday from a short illness. The body was taken in charge by E. W. Gees and carried to Ballinger Sunday. Funeral rites were held Monday.

Chillicothe Has New Food Store

W. W. Murray, recently of Byers, has opened a grocery store in the Nuckles building, formerly occupied by Davis Brothers Hosiery.

Mr. Murray has many years of experience in the retail business, and asserts he is mighty glad to locate in Chillicothe. He will carry in stock only the best quality foods, but sell on a close margin of profit.

Pardons Granted To Hardeman Men

Conditional pardons from the state penitentiary have been granted by the outgoing governor, Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, totaling thirty as well as granting 14 full pardons, ten general paroles and seven commutations of sentences.

Cecil Warren of Hardeman, Brown and Coleman counties, left of six years, Miles Ishel, Hardeman and Jones counties, burglary two years, were included, it was made public Wednesday.

Mrs. B. M. Poole and daughter, Miss Willie Mae Poole, were in Vernon Wednesday for a visit with friends.

Also Side With Him Relative To Old Age Pension Proposed

Representative Moffett's endorsement of the payment of the soldier bonus, as well as favoring an old age pension, apparently has met with the approval of several constituents here. It has been learned following the publication of a statement from the legislator before his departure for Austin.

Although the Townsend proposal for an aged pension, which would pay to people of this nation \$200 per month after reaching the age of 60 years, seemingly is too much to be spent in a given time, according to the voice of some Chillicothe people. They are heartily in favor, however, for some kind of pension that would keep the aged in comfortable circumstances.

Two of the first subjects to come before the new Congress were the soldier's bonus and the old age pension, and it is believed now these two are to be given consideration, by a vote, before Congress is many days old. The President has frowned on the payment of the soldier's bonus at this time, and indicated should it come to him he would veto it. What will be its outcome is problematical.

Getting back to state legislation, however, the representative predicts there will be plenty doing during this session, facing the many troubles that have beset the state government because of the depression and drought.

FARMERS UNION STATE MAN WILL SPEAK TONIGHT

J. M. Edwards of Munday to Address Members of Chillicothe and Odell

State Secretary J. E. Edwards of Munday is to be the principal speaker before members of the Chillicothe and Odell Farmers Union organizations at a meeting to be held tonight at the high school auditorium, starting at 7 o'clock.

It is urged on all members to be present, and the speaker will bring a good talk along the lines of the work being undertaken.

New Legislature Convenes For Vital Session



Photographed above is the famous capitol building at Austin, second only to the National Capitol in size. Here the new Texas Legislature which convened Tuesday faces problems considered greater in variety than ever before. Action is anticipated promptly on relief, brought about because of the depression and drought, taxation, liquor laws, oil control, gas wastage, and other vital subjects that are demanding early solution. Representative Moffett of the 114th district departed Sunday to be in attendance.

CONTEST HELD AT VERNON ON LAST SATURDAY

Score 2,747 Points to Westover's 2,649; Jack Gentry Is High Man

W. M. GOURLEY IS INSTRUCTOR

Team Hopes to Make Trip to Kansas City; Chance Very Favorable

Chillicothe Future Farmers of America chapter's poultry judging team, composed of Jack Gentry, Oscar Dodson, and Harvey Williams, carried off high honors in the district poultry judging contest at Vernon Saturday by a big margin.

Five schools competed with the following results:

Team:	Points
Chillicothe	2,747
Westover (Baylor Co.)	2,649
Harrod	2,616
Burkhardt	2,579
Childress	2,548

Jack Gentry was high point man in the contest. Oscar Dodson second, both of Chillicothe, Lee Lynum, of Westover, third, Bomar Harris, Harrod, fourth, and J. Donier, Westover, fifth.

The Chillicothe team will receive in the immediate future a beautiful silver trophy from the officials of the Wilbarger County Poultry Show Association at Vernon. These boys, together with three alternates, T. Coats, L. D. Worley, and James McCaslin, will train for the state judging contest to be held at the M. College this next spring, and it is expected the local team will give other teams in the state real competition. Should they win at the state meet, they will be accorded a free trip to the national contests to be held in Kansas City with all expenses paid including the expense of their coach, W. M. Gourley.

Headquarters Here

Harry G. Porter, salesman of the Northern Texas Utilities Co., has been sent here from Houston to be in charge of sales in this district. Porter arrived this week, and will make his headquarters in Chillicothe.

Claude Smith of Mexia, here this week for a visit with Mrs. B. M. Poole and family.

Mrs. Earl McPherson of Quanah was in the city Wednesday.

4,047 BALES OF COTTON GINNED IN CHILLICOTHE

THIS WEEK'S FIGURES OF CHILLICOTHE GIN NOT AVAILABLE, HOWEVER

Ginnings had reached a total of 4,047 bales up to this morning. However, last week's figures of the Chillicothe Gin must be given in as much as late figures were not available. All other gins show new reports.

Gins:	1934	1935
West Texas Gin	424	2,465
Turner-Randel:		
(RB-888)		
(SB-314)		758 4,811
Farmers Co-Op:		
(RB-1050)		
(SB-1615)		2,140 5,550
Chillicothe Gin		725 2,781
Totals	4,047	15,617
(Last week's figures)		

ACHIEVEMENTS OF LOCAL FFA ARE PUBLISHED

How Schools Scored at State Fair Last Fall in Dallas Made Known

In a recent issue of the Lone Star Farmer, a bi-monthly magazine published by the State Department of Education at Austin, giving records of achievements of the students of vocational agriculture and members of the Future Farmers of America, a news story appeared giving the results as to honors won last fall at the state fair of Texas in Dallas.

How the schools ranked are as follows:

Class first, Chillicothe second, Sherman third, Rising Star fourth and Murchison fifth, and the schools tied for sixth place include: Athens, Karnes City, Ennis, Denison, Honey Grove, Pearson Chapel, Sanger, Towns placed seventh were: Linden, Bonham, Mesquite, Grapeland and Tulla.

Schools participating represent every section of the entire state. A large number failed to make winnings at all, and consequently were not mentioned in the state report.

The record established by the Chillicothe FFA chapter makes it very outstanding, being a close second to the winning school of the state. Chillicothe will make a strong bid this year for first honors among the chapters of the entire state.

Other achievements will be (Continued on Page Eight)

OUT OF TOWN SPEAKER TO BE BROUGHT HERE

Decision Reached at Meeting of Board of Directors Last Friday

WILL ALSO BE 'LADIES NIGHT'

Invitations to Be Sent to Nearby Towns and Local Communities

Friday night, January 25, is the date set for the annual chamber of commerce banquet, decision being reached by the board of directors in meeting last Friday.

According to plans an out-of-town speaker of note will be brought here for the main address, and furthermore, the banquet will also be considered "Ladies Night." In addition to the members and their wives and sweethearts invitations are to be sent to nearby towns and to the local rural communities, which should last the capacity of the banquet hall.

One of the best programs to ever be arranged for a like occasion will be undertaken.

"It was decided to contact the membership to see if they wanted to hold an annual banquet and if so to see if the date would be satisfactory. Practically all members voted for the event and the date. It will be an open meeting and ladies night. Every chamber of commerce has its annual banquet and meetings. It helps to bring out the membership, a social way and at the same time get first hand information concerning the activities of the organization, as well as be entertained with a good program." One of the chamber of commerce officials pointed out.

The following committees have been named by the president:

Program committee: E. L. Grimes, Dewey Marsh, Roy Sutton; ticket and invitation committee: J. P. Hedrick, O. L. Boston, Raymond Touchstone and J. H. Anderson; arrangement and menu committee: J. Frank Graham, C. R. Tubb, J. C. Fish, and C. L. Glazener.

RECORD BEING MADE PRAISED

Sam Breedlove, Student at John Tarleton, Given High Ranking

Sam Breedlove, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Breedlove of Chillicothe, who is a student in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, ranks high scholastically as well as in character with the dean of men, Gabe Lewis, who has advised the parents. He says:

"I feel obligated to write you and express to you my deep gratification for the excellent record being made here, by your son, Sam. I am sure that home training has much to do with excellent records made in college, and I certainly feel that at least a large portion of the honor belongs to you."

"In my capacity as Dean of Men, I am probably in closer contact with the boys than anyone else, and I want to assure you that my dealings with your son have always been very pleasant. He ranks high scholastically. I consider this a most excellent record, and Sam an excellent student."

"If I can be of any service to you or your son in any way, please do not fail to call on me. Yours very truly, Gabe Lewis, Dean of Men."

CHINA PRESS GIVES WRITE-UP OF TRIP TO INDIA BY DR. WM. WEBB

Former Chillicothean Had Reached Shanghai December Third

Dr. Wm. S. Webb, former Chillicothean, son of Mrs. E. M. Webb, had reached Shanghai, China, December 3, and a news story appearing in the China Press, an English newspaper, dealt with the famous surgeon's trip to Shikarpur, India.

A photograph of Dr. Webb, appeared also.

Quoting from the China publication of December 4, it says:

"Approximately 1,000 cataract operations will be performed in India during the next six months by Dr. W. S. Webb, Fort Worth, Texas, specialist in eye surgery who arrived yesterday morning as a through passenger aboard the President Polk. Dr. Webb is en route to Northern India and will work at Shikarpur in cooperation with Dr. Holland, well-known eye specialist, and with Dr. Mathra Das, at Mozatani, Punjab."

"Every year two outstanding American eye specialists are invited to come to India at their own expense to perform cataract operations. The invitations are eagerly accepted as there is little opportunity in the United States to do many of these operations."

"India," said Doctor Webb yesterday, "has more blind people suffering from cataracts than any place else on the face of the globe. It is a long way to go to do these operations—especially at your own expense—but it is well worth the trip. During the summer that I am in India I expect to do (Continued on Page Eight)"

POULTRY, EGG ASSOCIATION TO BE FORMED

Meeting to Be Held Saturday in City Hall to Discuss Plans

All poultrymen interested in the organization of an egg and poultry association are urged to be in attendance at the meeting to be held in the City Hall, Saturday afternoon, January 12, at 2:30 o'clock.

All points on how to form and handle the association to market eggs and poultry will be discussed according to J. E. Johnston, one of the parties interested, who added, "We have gone through the 1934 drought at a loss. Now we must try to make 1935 pay. Market authorities in Chicago look forward to a good year for poultry."

"Eggs are going to market in volume sharply diminished from last year at this time, and the scarcity this spring of laying hens will still lower the volume of last year."

Market authorities say middle-western egg collections, a direct index of production, have been running twenty to fifty per cent below last year since October. The selling of flocks and the high price of feed, and poor production through the dry summer, are the cause.

Fresh eggs sold in Chicago July 1 at 14 cents. Since then prices have doubled with spot eggs now selling around 50 cents, the highest level since January, 1933.

The hatcheries, through their code, will start setting January 10, which will take millions of No. 1 eggs off the market and help hold market prices up.

"Let us cooperate to succeed in getting better prices this year for our poultry products," Mr. Johnston urges.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES TO BE FRIDAY NIGHT

Program for Group Graduating at Mid Term of Grade School, Arranged

GENE ROGERS TO MAKE ADDRESS

Six Students Complete Work at High School, Announces Superintendent

Principal Claude Smith of the Chillicothe grade school announces commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, January 11, 7:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium for the group of students graduating for the mid-term.

The following program will be rendered:

Processional: Boyce Young.
Invocation: Rev. R. T. Breedlove.

Salutation: Iva Lee Beene.
Piano Solo: Dorothy K.
Reading:
Valedictor: Reynolds.

Address: Gene Rogers.
Certification of Class: Claude Smith.

Presentation of Diplomas: W. E. Hancock.
Benediction: Rev. J. A. Phipps.

At the close of the semester, ending this week, a total of six students of the Chillicothe high school have completed the required work for graduation, but their graduation exercises will not take place until the end of the second semester, declared the City Superintendent of Schools, W. E. Hancock, adding "At which time exercises will be held for those who are completing their high school work now and for those who finish at the end of the year."

The group listed for graduation include: Kathryn Bous, Otto Calhoun, Inez Calhoun, Irvin Davis, Donald Sabie, and R. D. Thompson.

WITH OUR FARM FRIENDS...

—Just things in general of what they are doing

Elison Haynes, who is naturally one of the more intelligent men of this community, desires to keep well-informed, and as a consequence has made arrangements for a year's reading of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and the Chillicothe Valley News. Elison happens to be a mighty good tiller of the soil. He knows farming and he knows newspapers.

Joe Jones, living on the Dodson farm south of Chillicothe, was in town one day last week, looking as if he is getting plenty to eat. Don't know about his drink.

Cleve Handel was a business visitor in town. Cleve is well located in so far as farming is considered. He is in the Farmers Valley territory and that's where good land is to be found. If crops are made at all they are made there.

Tom King, who has been farming (Continued on Page Eight)

The Chillicothe Valley News

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TAXES

We may start with the understanding that our present system of taxation is broken down. It was devised when real property was eighty per cent of all property. This is not true today and yet real property still bears the brunt of taxes. You might just as well adapt yourself to the idea that taxes are going to be higher and are going to touch things which have never been taxed before.

NEWSPAPER ERRORS

Yes, newspapers make mistakes. There is no concealing the fact, because the errors themselves are spread where all the world may see them. But is there as much inaccuracy as people often think?

In no business and in no profession, save that of pure scientist, is the premium on accuracy so high, the penalty for inaccuracy so prompt and the proportion of accuracy so great.

There isn't a newspaper man anywhere who does not know that, trivial though his error may be, some one will catch it. Even when it escapes the watchful editorial gaze, even when no one in the office picks it up, even when he, himself, is unaware of it, there are still the old subscribers—thousands of them—vigilant, alert, aggressive, resentful, eager to put their finger on the "break," communicate with the editor, and "show up" the writer and the paper.

These old subscribers are by far the most valuable asset a newspaper can have. Their militant, microscopic scrutiny is the finest possible corrective influence.

FOOD PRICES ARE RISING

The United States Department of Agriculture has raised this year about \$420,000,000 in processing taxes on foodstuffs, and paid this money to farmers for crop restrictions. The Department of Labor estimates that about \$6,200,000,000 for food taxes on the tax on this amounts to 20 per cent.

But the Department of Labor also tells us that foodstuffs as a whole are about 20 per cent higher in price just now than they were a year ago. Some of this increase, in addition to the 7 per cent which can be charged to processing taxes, follows naturally because of depleted production. But by no means can all the remaining 13 per cent increase be charged to this cause.

There is but little proof at hand that food processors and dealers have been taking advantage of restricted crops to raise prices unduly. But the fact remains that food prices are now 20 per cent higher than they were a year ago, and it is also a fact that the necessity for such an increase has not yet been demonstrated.

The federal government is the agency which curtailed food production. It is also the agency which must protect the citizens of this country being made the victims of possible food profiteers. Having created a food condition making undue profit-taking possible, it must be just as zealous in guarding us against the evils that might follow.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE BALL

For the next few months the emotions, the fears, the hopes, the ideas of business men are likely to be kept in a state of turmoil by conflicting reports, rumors and speeches emanating from Washington. We are not condemning them, for they are all a vital part of our recovery picture, but we do say that unless the average business man keeps his eye on the ball and quits worrying about every conflicting report he hears he is in for a tough and nerve-racking time. Bear in mind that the administration is anxious for recovery. Its great and central purpose is to speed recovery. It is encouraging industry to sit up and take part. But even the administration is a complex proposition. There are many minds within even the highest circle. Many of these minds are individualistic and do not compromise easily. It is an era of compromise we are entering. There will be resistance to compromise by those with pet theories. They'll make speeches. They'll flood the country and the papers with "statements." Some of these speeches will be disturbing, some will be purely political, some will have merit, some will have none. There will be confusion, and the average business man, with his desk piled high with problems of his own, may find himself in a maelstrom of emotions, fears and hopes, shifting as the tides of oratory ebb and flow. For your own peace of mind, keep calm, keep in mind that when all the shouting is over there will be compromise and progress. Business is definitely on the upgrade. Keep your eye on the ball, relax, and you'll make longer shots in 1935 than you dared try in 1934.

AN ESTATE

Not every father is able to leave his son a big estate made up of lands, mortgages and bonds, but any father can bequeath to his children an estate worth indefinitely more—one for which they will rise up to call his name blessed. He can leave an honorable name, a good reputation, the memory of a Godly life and a record of fair dealing. He can teach his son to have a profound respect for a fact, a deep reverence for character, a thirst for knowledge and a willingness to work. If any youth has all this he will not need any money that may be willed to him; if he does not have this no money that may be left him will do him much good. This is an estate any man can leave his children.

THE SEVENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS

The new congress promises to be one of the most momentous in the history of the nation. It marks, in the first place, the passing of the old "lame duck" sessions. The men who took their seats at this session were those chosen last November by the people to represent them.

The work of the new congress will probably be along the line of national planning, plus reformation of some of our present practices, than it will be for recovery and relief.

The President has an overwhelmingly Democratic senate and house with which to work out his policies. It may prove too one-sided perhaps, especially if certain of the radical elements that sailed into Legislative power under the Roosevelt "new deal" banner take into their heads to pick over the administration trances.

There is a great amount of work facing the new congress, and the President will undoubtedly endeavor to expedite this as much as possible. The national legislators are in a position to do much good for the country, but there exists also the possibility of doing much damage to recovery progress.

President Roosevelt remains the commanding figure in the national set-up at Washington. As long as he remains this command, there is little reason for national fear. But if congress becomes obstreperous, the flying fur and feathers ought to make quite a spectacle.

THE HITCH-HIKER

Many states, especially in the east, give the hitch-hiker no recognition except from the police. The thumber of rides finds his lot increasingly hard, with Virginia bearing down more than any other state. In that state the hitch-hiker may find himself jailed for 30 days or fined \$50, or get both the fine and imprisonment. Connecticut provides a \$10 fine for those who solicit rides, and New Jersey raises the fine upward of \$50 and 15 days in jail. The District of Columbia has a drastic law against the hitch-hiker, providing 10 days in jail and a \$300 fine. In Pennsylvania there is a law providing a fine of \$2 for any person who stands on a main highway or street to ask for a "lift." New York also has a law against the "hitch-hiker." In the west the states have not been so active against him. In Minnesota the thumber must be on the highway to violate the law. He can stand on the shoulder of the road and get by with it. In Wisconsin it is a misdemeanor to be in a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride. Utah has an anti-hitch-hiking law, but it is not enforced. If the movement for legislation spreads there is likely to be more hiking and less hitching.

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Agriculture is one of the great basic industries of the Nation and as the farm situation at present is most important from an economic standpoint, farm statistics are of paramount value. During the last year one of the most important factors in the drive for recovery has been to increase the purchasing power of the farmers. The grain and packing industries, manufacturers of farm machinery, and mail order houses, need accurate data on the production of crops, the number of livestock and other items pertaining to farms and farming. All manufacturers and distributors are interested in supplying the needs of a rural population of over 53 million people. The number of farms and the number of people on farms will indicate some of the potentialities of the rural area as a market for manufactured products.

The Census of Agriculture now being taken will provide the public with data showing the number of farms, the number of persons living on farms, the number of hired help on farms, and the number of horses, mules, cattle, sheep, swine, goats, chickens, and turkeys on farms January 1, as well as the acreage and production of the most important crops harvested in 1934. These figures will serve as an indicator of the amount of money which the inhabitants of the rural areas will have to spend for feed, livestock, fertilizer, food and clothing.

There are many sources of data on farm production, but the Census figures are used as a basis for making these estimates. The returns from this census will also be the permanent basis for farm statistics for the next 5 years.

Were a man to wear a little pancake hat over one ear, he would be drunk.

The weather man is the best paid writer of American fiction.

Just Between ...Us...

BY THE NEWS HOUND

An attentive ear is being turned toward Dr. Townsend, sponsor of the old age pension. In fact Congressman, who heretofore thought only of themselves, are beginning to believe others need help, also. Especially those people having reached the age of sixty and over. Dr. Townsend would have the aged receive \$200 per month, with every bit of it to be spent in a month's time. This would tend to bring about recovery, as well as taking care of them.

We are for the plan. At least for those people who are in need. There is nothing more pitiful than to see an old couple marching toward the poor house, nothing left of what they had accomplished during their younger days. We will gladly pay an additional sales tax if it will be the means of keeping them away from the poor house.

We hear quite a bit of complaint, locally, that times are not what they should be, and they are doubtful if the New Deal is bringing about a recovery. The trouble is we made no agricultural crops, and as a consequence, there was nothing to bring money here. Had we gained 10,000 bales of cotton, or had we realized more from the 1934 wheat crop, we would be carrying a smile where there is now a scowl.

Give us better crops and you will find no better country than in Chillicothe. There will be money for all, and all will spend to help each other.

According to one local man, who had been "stuffed" for Christmas with turkey and all the trimmings, the best thing to his taste was when he had a chance to eat turnip greens and cornbread a few days later. "They tasted better than all the turkey you could bake."

And it is written that "Peace on earth come from good will of men."

How fine this country would be if kind words were expressed now instead of when you are gone.

Street Pickups:

Lee Womack making those everyday rounds with "cold" checks . . . and the business man groaning as he sees him enter . . . Times are hard—two barbers splitting a nickel . . . Wallace Waldrup getting set for another year—and of course, utilizing some of "The News" space for advertising . . . and we might add the housewife who desires to save more money this year may do so by reading News advertisements . . . Moving time for S. W. Smith, regretting so many people go where to trade . . . and P. P. Turner admitting it . . . Dan Wilson driving to Vernon to see "One Night of Love," and found it was a fine picture altogether different than the title indicated . . . John Hayhurst usually grinning and smiling when he doesn't have been something to go wrong . . . Vernon Williams—the most courteous person in town even if he does get the worst of the deal.

Love laughs at locksmiths. It is claimed, and we add, perhaps so, but it's the last laugh that does the most good.

The reason women are recognized

WEAK AND SKINNY MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Saved by new Vitamin of Cod Liver

Oil in tasteless tablets. Instead of those straggly bones! New vigor, vim and energy instead of tired listlessness! Steady quiet nerves! That is what thousands of people are getting through scientific latest discovery—the Vitamin of Cod Liver Oil concentrated in little sugar coated tablets without any of its horrid fishy taste or smell. McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets, they're called! "Cod Liver Oil in Tablets," and they simply work wonders. A little boy of 5, seriously sick, got well and gained 10 lbs. in just one month. A girl of thirteen after the same disease, gained 8 lbs. the first week and 2 lbs. each week after. A young mother who could not eat or sleep after baby came got all her health back and gained 10 lbs. in less than a month.

You simply must try McCoy's at once. Remember if you don't gain at least 10 lbs. of firm healthy flesh in a month get your money back. Demand and get McCoy's—its original and genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablets.

Approved by McCoy's Health Institute. Beware of substitutes. Insist on the original McCoy's—there are none better.

ed as the superior—and we must admit it—is because they always win out, if nothing more than having the last say.

A preacher may look like he has an easy time, but on the contrary it is the most difficult job to fill.

What we have always wondered is what the preacher, in the throes of a fine sermon, thinks of some of the audience who go to sleep.

And there is an end to everything—as there is to this.

FUNERAL RITES CONDUCTED FOR W. M. WEAVER

HAD BEEN RESIDENT OF CHILLICOTHE 4 MONTHS, COMING FROM LONGVIEW

Funeral services were held at the Chillicothe cemetery Friday for W. M. Weaver, 64, who died at the Rock Hotel Thursday morning following an illness of nine weeks. Heart trouble caused his death.

Rev. R. T. Broedovoe, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated at the last rites.

Mr. Weaver came with his wife to Chillicothe from Longview about four months ago when his son purchased a local mattress factory, although most of the forty years he has lived in Texas has been near Paris, where he farmed. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are the widow and three sons, C. M. Weaver of Longview, Ray Weaver of Denison, and M. M. Weaver of Chillicothe.

Don't Experiment

If you have an itching skin, get a bottle of BROWN'S LOTION from your drugist today; a liquid remedy for ITCH, ECZEMA, IMPETIGO, (sores on children) ATHLETE'S FOOT, TETTER, POISON IVY, BARBER'S ITCH, MOSQUITO or CHIGGER BITES. Itching and infection are checked by the first application. Don't use messy salves and bandages. BROWN'S LOTION is sold by the Chillicothe Drug Co. 60c and \$1.00 bottles. First bottle sold with MONEY BACK GUARANTEE. Adv. 12

HEALTH TALK

By John W. Brown, M. D. (State Health Officer)

"The analogy between fires and communicable diseases is a very close one, observes the Texas State Department of Health. Every fire has a definite cause and usually a small beginning, just as every epidemic of disease has its origin in a single case. The flames of conflagration increase in height, heat, and destructive power to a maximum and then gradually recede. In like manner, every outbreak of infectious disease increases to a peak when the most cases are reported and then subsides. No fire can rage without combustible material; no epidemic can get underway without susceptible persons. A fire may smoulder and break out anew unless checked; similarly, infectious diseases may be very subtle and insidious in its manner of spread until investigated and brought under control.

"The practice of disease prevention is beginning to effect public opinion. Certain well known diseases like diphtheria and smallpox are absolutely preventable. Others will soon come under the same category. Dr. Herman Biggs, former Health

Commissioner of New York, said: 'Within certain limits, it is possible for any community to determine its own death rate.' This statement applies without a doubt to diphtheria, but unless local health agencies are adequately supported, this scourge and other preventable conditions as well, will continue to take a toll of infant and child life. Social diseases continue to spread and demand measures to curb and control them, which are similar to those used against typhoid fever or tuberculosis.

"Retrenchment is necessary along the line and it is not compatible with progress. Let retrench but let us not burn the bridges which lead to the health of our present and future citizens."

Mrs. W. A. Ritter returned this past week from a visit during the holidays with relatives in Grayson, Collin and Wood counties.

A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

Don't let them get a strange hold. Fight them quickly. Creomulsion comes in a can. Powerful but harmless. Pleasant to take. No narcotics. Your own druggist is authorized to refund your money on the spot if your cough or cold is not relieved by Creomulsion. (Adv.)

"OH! THIS DRESS IS RUINED!"

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APPRECIATION

The WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY is duly appreciative for the patronage and co-operation received from its customers and friends the past year.

Our aim has been to render a superior service at constantly

reduced rates. In expression of our gratefulness for the patronage received, we have continued our policy of rate reductions. Our customers are now able to enjoy a dependable electric service at rates below the state's average.

Our hope of reward is in YOUR INCREASED USE of service. Your continued increase in patronage and your co-operative influence in obtaining full information so as to understand your power company's problems will combine our efforts in the future development of West Texas and reduced cost of electric service.

We feel that we have established a foundation by our past experiences and achievements for a greater public service. As we close out the year of 1934 and make our plans for service in the future, we pledge our entire organization—to the 160 towns and communities we serve—in a continued improvement of our service.

West Texas Utilities Company

JUST THINGS GOSSIPY

My friend, C. W. Underwood, who is a close observer on rainfall while not being able to control the elements, of course, failed to mark up enough precipitation during the month of December. So, he has a job on his hands during the Year of 1935. In fact, with Jupiter Pluvius, Underwood could give humanity no better New Year than a fine, soaking rain. The gentleman in the rain was very obliging—that at times.

Horace Turner is soon to occupy his new place as a residence. He moved most of it from Odell and therefore it is not all new. However, after it is finished it will look like new, and that's all Horace cares. It is being repaired. Turner was asked what kind of paint was used—the inquirer thinking perhaps John Helmecker might have had a hand in it, but the owner declared he used his own company's product. We don't know whether Horace allowed John to make a bid or not. Chances are he didn't.

I have been advised by a certain citizen of the Center Point community that there will be a shower given for Barney Chandler. That would be very fine, and no doubt pleasing to Mr. Chandler.

A young lady employed by an organization here remarked Saturday for the life of her she could not understand why young people got married now, when most of them are out of jobs. Of course the young lady was not considering the part love plays in the matrimonial ventures. In fact she may be the next. That usually happens when one talks.

Knowing what faces legislators and the Legislature convened Tuesday, I can sympathize with Representative George Moffett for having to be there. With all the relief matters, not to overlook the conditions brought on by the drought, it is going to be a long thing but easy sailing. There will bob up that certain amount of argument—with a chance for another fight among legislators—that only brings on publicity, do no good. George does not have a good time there. But, his sympathy is with people of this part of the state, and he wants to get what is due. There are those who like to fight for their

I understand now why Harry Koch, publisher of the Quannah Tribune-Chief is so prosperous—he owns a good Hardean county farm. That is, I take it he owns a farm because he was included in the number receiving cotton checks recently. No newspaper man is prosperous because of the revenue coming from running a newspaper. I trust the time will come when another newspaper man may own a farm—in Hardean county.

Looking across to the Frank Henry ice station I note a few former Eagle football players kicking the old pig skin around, running, and getting in a goodly amount of exercise. It tell on them—those cigarettes they have been smoking since quitting high school.

My partner in crime, none other than Harry Norwood the Inter-type operator, has been a busy soul over the week-end. But, he was found he was moving to another locality in the city. Neighbors where he formerly lived had begun complaining, so now Luke Hindman, et al., will have to put up with him. He finished his moving on a day when he should have been doing something else, say working at the shop. Rather than face bad luck he left the broom behind. Harry is rather superstitious, you know.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD ONCE!

LAST RITES FOR TOLBERT FARMER HELD SUNDAY

DEATH COMES TO J. W. MOTE AT HOME, MILE SOUTH OF TOLBERT, SATURDAY

J. W. Mote, 65, well-known farmer residing a mile south of Tolbert, died at his home Saturday evening at 6 o'clock following a lengthy illness. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Frost & Laxton Funeral Chapel, Vernon, with the Rev. Hubert Thompson, pastor of the Tolbert Methodist Church, officiating, and interment was in the East View cemetery. Pall bearers included Ed Lee, Garland Smith, Joe Fouts, Oscar Tooley, M. A. Mashburn, and J. D. Cook.

The deceased moved to Wilbarger county fourteen years ago from Grayson county, and had been engaged in farming near Tolbert.

Surviving are the widow, four daughters and three sons, one sister, Mrs. Joe Eads of Farmers Valley, two half sisters, Mrs. Lillian Smith of Goose Creek and Mrs. Pearl Duval of Georgetown; three brothers J. D. Mote of Anna, Ocie Mote of Texarkana, Earl Mote of Durant, Okla., and two half brothers, Jess Mote of Georgetown, and Lewis Mote of San Antonio.

To Be Dismissed Sunday Emory Bellamy, who had the misfortune to lose an arm while working at a gin in Medicine Mound several weeks ago, and who has been in a Quannah hospital since, will be dismissed from there Sunday.

In Auto Wreck Miss Virginia McCaleb, expression teacher, has returned to Chillicothe to resume her work. Just previous to Christmas she was a victim of an automobile accident occurring in Vernon, receiving a back injury. However, she has practically recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and Mrs. Gardner were visitors in the north part of Wilbarger county Sunday.

Tobe Hughes of Quannah was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

KNOW YOUR GUIDING STAR

By Jane Carroll

A man bought one of those five cent horoscopes done up in a pack age like peanuts sold across the counter in the same way and invented for the same purpose. It was prepared for people born between November 21st and December 22nd and included the date of his birth. It said: "You are fearless, determined and combative, but, noble in purpose, a good friend and generous enemy. Have superior executive ability, gifted with keen insight into the future; are very active, enterprising, outspoken, and persevering, but dislike opposition of any kind to your plans. Honorable and good natured but often unintentionally lacking in courtesy. Professions or promoter, musician, physician, inventor, equestrian, lawyer, accountant, artist, teacher, orator." His record: "You are noble in purpose, moral and faithful, good friend and generous enemy," and murmured, "By Jove, that is me," and thereby registered qualities in the subconscious which he began to radiate. Scanning the professional tendencies of one born under his sign he thought, "musician, artist," "right again, returned to his canvas convinced he had chosen the right vocation and traveled straight to success.

Horoscopes may serve a place in the life of certain people. It is debatable whether expensive ones over which many hours of valuable time are spent in an attempt to analyze and apply are more helpful than the least expensive ones, both, like nursing bottles, in normal development, they are seen outgrown. As in the case mentioned above, they have served as helpful suggestions in starting one in the right work; but intuition is a reliable guide in every respect. Merely ask to be shown the way and believe.

A man lost his purse. He wrote an inquiry and sent it with a dollar to a "commercial astrologer." Before his letter reached its destination he received his answer. Why? Because he had asked BELIEVING; he would be answered. It is always belief that does the work. The biography of a late actress of the screen explains how her phenomenal comeback was foretold by the stars. Her success

was due, not to the stars, but to the fact she had been convinced in some manner—whatever she believed in—that she could and would succeed. Each of us has access to a Power that knows only Success, Health, Beauty, Life, but, alas, some find it only through long circuitous routes over many planets.

As to forecasts: "These questions we ask about the future are a confession of sin," says a wise one. "God has no answer for a question of things. It is not an arbitrary decree of God; but in the nature of man that a veil shuts down on the facts of tomorrow; for the soul will not have us read any other cipher but that of cause and effect. By this veil, which curtains events, it instructs the children of men to live today. The only mode of obtaining an answer to these questions of the senses is to ignore all low curiosity, and accepting the tide of being which floats us into the secret of nature, work and live, work and live, and all unawares, the advancing soul has built and forged for itself a new condition, and the question and answer are one. Thus the soul is the perceiver and revealer of truth."

"Man is his own star; and the soul that can render and honest and perfect (upright) man, commands all light, all influence, all fate; nothing to him falls early or too late. Our acts, our angels are, or good or ill. Our fatal shadows that walk by us still."

Another says: "Study Astrology, Numerology and all of theologies only for the purpose of knowing about them, not to adopt

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It's healthful for kiddies and grumpies too. Phone 6, delivered to your home morning or night.

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Anything You Want in the Automobile Line.

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QUANAH LEGION MAP PLANS FOR DISTRICT MEET

Support of Other Organizations of Quannah Assured

QUANAH, Jan. 9.—Elaborate plans are being made by the local post of the American Legion for entertaining the first 1935 quarterly meeting of the Thirteenth District of the American Legion in Texas which will be held in Quannah March 8-9. Committees from the chamber of commerce, Rotary Club, Optimists Club, and a number of other civic organizations met with the American Legion Monday night, January 7, and discussed plans.

Those in charge of the entertainment declared the entire city is backing the Legion and have promised support in making it a pleasant meeting for the 300 Legionnaires expected to be in attendance.

Lloyd Lowery of Altus, Okla., former representative from that district to the state legislature, has been in Chillicothe a few days on business.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!

CLASSIFIED ADS—bring results

ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTERS 524

IS BOOST OVER PREVIOUS COUNT BY 63. OFFICIALS MAKE KNOWN

Sunday school enrollment showed a hike compared to the previous count it is revealed by officials in giving out the individual attendance this past Sunday. A compilation by The News shows a combined registration of 524, higher by 63 than was checked for December 30.

Churches: Jan. 6 Dec. 30
Church of Christ 162 89
Methodist 185 161
Baptist 297 182
Presbyterian 50 43

Total 524 461
Summary: Gains, Baptist 45, Presbyterian 1, Methodist 4, Church of Christ 13.

HELP KIDNEYS

If your kidneys function badly and you have a lame, aching back, with attacks of dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, swollen feet and ankles, rheumatic pains... use Doan's Pills. Doan's are especially for poorly functioning kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended the country over. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS



Chillicothe Valley News GETS THE BUSINESS MESSAGE Into the HOMES OF BUYERS

The functions of advertising are to search out buyers and inform them of new merchandise styles, explain values and tell where and at what prices they may be had. Getting these business messages delivered in as an efficient and inexpensive manner, as is consistent with good taste, and, through a medium that insures attention and acceptance, is a merchandising problem that was solved years ago by the establishment of the good, reliable and dependable newspapers.

The Chillicothe Valley News is a good newspaper—it will get your sales message, Mr. Merchant and Mr. Business Man, into the homes of Chillicothe buyers.

Every week, throughout the year, The News goes into the majority of homes of the Chillicothe trade area. Advertising display space in The News is the most economical method of parading your merchandising offerings before an attentive audience who are the home newspaper reads of The Chillicothe Valley News.

COMPLETE ADVERTISING SERVICE

The Chillicothe Valley News is equipped to supply a complete advertising service to Chillicothe business and merchant advertisers. This includes fine merchandise illustrations, attention-compelling layouts and merchandise-moving copy. A phone call will bring a News representative to explain all details and assist with sales promotions, if desired. Simply phone No. 49.

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The Chillicothe Valley News

Established In 1899

The News Building—118 South Biggs Street
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Entered at the postoffice in Chillicothe, Texas, as second-class mail matter, under the Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

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In First Zone, per year, \$1.50
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TAXES

We may start with the understanding that our present system of taxation is broken down. It was devised when real property was eighty per cent of all property. This is not true today and yet real property still bears the brunt of taxes. You might just as well adapt yourself to the idea that taxes are going to be higher and are going to touch things which have never been taxed before.

NEWSPAPER ERRORS

Yes, newspapers make mistakes. There is no concealing the fact, because the errors themselves are spread where all the world may see them. But is there as much inaccuracy as people often think?

In no business and in no profession, save that of pure scientist, is the premium on accuracy so high, the penalty for inaccuracy so prompt and the proportion of accuracy so great.

There isn't a newspaper man anywhere who does not know that, trivial though his error may be, some one will catch it. Even when it escapes the watchful editorial gaze, even when no one in the office picks it up, even when he, himself, is unaware of it, there are still the old subscribers—thousands of them—vigilant, alert, aggressive, resentful, eager to put their finger on the "break," communicate with the editor, and "show up" the writer and the paper.

These old subscribers are by far the most valuable asset a newspaper can have. Their militant, microscopic scrutiny is the finest possible corrective influence.

FOOD PRICES ARE RISING

The United States Department of Agriculture has raised this year about \$420,000,000 in processing taxes on foodstuffs, and paid this money to farmers for crop restrictions. The Department of Labor estimates that about \$6,200,000,000 for food taxes are the tax on this amounts.

But the Department of Labor also tells us that foodstuffs as a whole are about 20 per cent higher in price just now than they were a year ago. Some of this increase, in addition to the 7 per cent which can be charged to processing taxes, follows naturally because of depleted production. But by no means can all the remaining 13 per cent increase be charged to this cause.

There is but little proof at hand that food processors and dealers have been taking advantage of restricted crops to raise prices unduly. But the fact remains that food prices are now 20 per cent higher than they were a year ago, and it is also a fact that the necessity for such an increase has not yet been demonstrated.

The federal government is the agency which curtailed food production. It is also the agency which must protect the citizens of this country being made the victims of possible food profiteers. Having created a food condition making undue profit-taking possible, it must be just as zealous in guarding us against the evils that might follow.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE BALL

For the next few months the emotions, the fears, the hopes, the ideas of business men are likely to be kept in a state of turmoil by conflicting reports, rumors and speeches emanating from Washington. We are not condemning them, for they are all a vital part of our recovery picture, but we do say that unless the average business man keeps his eye on the ball and quits worrying about every conflicting report he hears he is in for a tough and nerve-racking time. Bear in mind that the administration is anxious for recovery. Its great and central purpose is to speed recovery. It is encouraging industry to sit up and take part. But even the administration is a complex proposition. There are many minds within even the highest circle. Many of these minds are individualistic and do not compromise easily. It is an era of compromise we are entering. There will be resistance to compromise by those with pet theories. They'll make speeches. They'll flood the country and the papers with "statements." Some of these speeches will be disturbing, some will be purely political, some will have merit, some will have none. There will be confusion, and the average business man, with his desk piled high with problems of his own, may find himself in a maelstrom of emotions, fears and hopes, shifting as the tides of oratory ebb and flow. For your own peace of mind, keep calm, keep in mind that when all the shouting is over there will be compromise and progress. Business is definitely on the upgrade. Keep your eye on the ball, relax, and you'll make longer shots in 1935 than you dared try in 1934.

AN ESTATE

Not every father is able to leave his son a big estate made up of lands, mortgages and bonds, but any father can bequeath to his children an estate worth indefinitely more—one for which they will rise up to call his name blessed. He can leave an honorable name, a good reputation, the memory of a Godly life and a record of fair dealing. He can teach his son to have a profound respect for a fact, a deep reverence for character, a thirst for knowledge and a willingness to work. If any youth has all this he will not need any money that may be willed to him; if he does not have this no money that may leave him will do him much good. This is an estate any man can leave his children.

THE SEVENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS

The new congress promises to be one of the most momentous in the history of the nation. It marks, in the first place, the passing of the old "lame duck" sessions. The men who took their seats at this session were chosen last November by the people to represent them.

The work of the new congress will probably be along the line of national planning, plus reformation of some of our present practices, than it will be for recovery and relief.

The President has an overwhelmingly Democratic senate and house with which to work out his policies. It may prove too one-sided perhaps, especially if certain of the radical elements that sailed into Legislative power under the Roosevelt "new deal" banner take into their heads to kick over the administration traces.

There is a great amount of work facing the new congress, and the President will undoubtedly endeavor to expedite this as much as possible. The national legislators are in a position to do much good for the country, but there exists also the possibility of doing much damage to recovery progress.

President Roosevelt remains the commanding figure in the national set-up at Washington. As long as he remains this command, there is little reason for national fear. But if congress becomes obstreperous, the flying fur and feathers ought to make quite a spectacle.

THE HITCH-HIKER

Many states, especially in the east, give the hitch-hiker no recognition except from the police. The number of rides finds his lot increasingly hard, with Virginia bearing down more than any other state. In that state the hitch-hiker may find himself jailed for 30 days or fined \$50, or get both the fine and imprisonment. Connecticut provides a \$10 fine for those who solicit rides, and New Jersey raises the fine upward of \$50 and 15 days in jail. The District of Columbia has a drastic law against the hitch-hiker, providing 10 days in jail and a \$300 fine. In Pennsylvania there is a law providing a fine of \$2 for any person who stands on a main highway or street to ask for a "lift." New York also has a law against the "hitch-hiker." In the west the states have not been so active against him. In Minnesota the thumb must be on the highway to violate the law. He can stand on the shoulder of the road and get by with it. In Wisconsin it is a misdemeanor to be in a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride. Utah has an anti-hitch-hiking law, but it is not enforced. If the movement for legislation spreads there is likely to be more hiking and less hitching.

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Agriculture is one of the great basic industries of the Nation and as the farm situation at present is most important from an economic standpoint, farm statistics are of paramount value. During the last year one of the most important factors in the drive for recovery has been to increase the purchasing power of the farmers. The grain and packing industries, manufacturers of farm machinery, and mail order houses, need accurate data on the production of crops, the number of livestock and other items pertaining to farms and farming. All manufacturers and distributors are interested in supplying the needs of a rural population of over 53 million people. The number of farms and the number of people on farms will indicate some of the potentialities of the rural area as a market for manufactured products.

The Census of Agriculture now being taken will provide the public with data showing the number of farms, the number of persons living on farms, the number of hired help on farms, and the number of horses, mules, cattle, sheep, swine, goats, chickens, and turkeys on farms January 1, as well as the acreage and production of the most important crops harvested in 1934. These figures will serve as an indicator of the amount of money which the inhabitants of the rural areas will have to spend for feed, livestock, fertilizer, food and clothing.

There are many sources of data on farm production, but the Census figures are used as a basis for making these estimates. The returns from this census will also be the permanent basis for farm statistics for the next 5 years.

Were a man to wear a little pancake hat over one ear, he would be drunk.

The weather man is the best paid writer of American fiction.

Just Between ...Us...

BY THE NEWS BOARD

An attentive ear is being turned toward Dr. Townsend, sponsor of the old age pension. In fact, Congressmen, who heretofore thought only of themselves, are beginning to believe others need help, also. Especially those people having reached the age of sixty and over. Dr. Townsend would have the aged receive \$200 per month, with every bit of it to be spent in a month's time. This would tend to bring about a recovery, as well as taking care of them.

We are for the plan. At least for those people who are in need. There is nothing more pitiful than to see an old couple marching toward the poor house, nothing left of what they had accomplished during their younger years. We will gladly pay an additional sales tax if it will be the means of keeping them away from the poor house.

We hear quite a bit of complaint, locally, that times are not what they should be, and they are doubtful if the New Deal is bringing about a recovery. The trouble is we made no agricultural crops, and as a consequence, there was nothing to bring money here. Had we gained 10,000 bales of cotton, or had we realized more from the 1934 wheat crop, we would be carrying a smile where there is now a scowl.

Give us better crops and you will find no better country than Chillicothe. There will be money for all, and all will spend to help each other.

According to one local man, who had been away for Christmas and had "stuffed" himself with turkey and all the trimmings, he was hard to his taste was when he had a chance to eat turnip greens and cornbread a few days later. "They tasted better than all the turkey you could bake."

And it is written that "Peace on earth come from good will of men."

How fine this country would be if kind words were expressed now instead of when you are gone.

Street Pickups:

Lee Womack making those everyday rounds with "cold" checks . . . and the business man groaning as he sees him enter . . . Times are hard—two barbers splitting a nickel . . . Walbridge Waldrup getting set for another year—and of course, utilizing some of "The News" space for advertising . . . and we might add the housewife who desires to save more money this year may do so by reading News advertisements . . . Moving time for S. W. Smith. . . R. L. Barlow regretting so many people go else where to trade . . . and P. P. Turner admitting it . . . Dan Wilson driving to Vernon to see "One Night of Love" and found it was a fine picture altogether different than the title indicated . . . John Hayhurst usually grinning, and when he doesn't there has been something to go wrong . . . Vernon Williams—the most courteous person in town even if he does get the worst of the deal.

Love laughs at locksmiths, it is claimed, and we add, perhaps so, but it's the last laugh that does the most good.

The reason women are recognized

WEAK AND SKINNY MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Saved by New Vitamin of Cod Liver Oil in tasteless tablets.

Founds of firm healthy flesh instead of bony straggly bones! New vigor, vim and energy instead of tired listlessness! Steady, quiet nerves! That is what thousands of people are getting through scientific latest method—Vitamin of Cod Liver Oil concentrated in little sugar coated tablets without any of the horrid, fishy or greasy taste of the old-fashioned cod liver oil. They're called "Cod Liver Oil in Tablets," and they simply work wonders. A little boy of 5, seriously sick, got well and gained 10½ lbs. in just one month. A girl of thirteen after the same disease, gained 5 lbs. the first week and 5 lbs. each week after. A young mother who could not eat or sleep after baby came got full health and gained 10 lbs. in less than a month.

It simply means try McCo's at once. Remember if you don't gain at least 5 lbs. of firm healthy flesh in a month get your money back. Demand and get McCo's—the original and genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablets—made by Dr. Geo. McCo, Inc., New York City. There are some better.

ed as the superior—and we must admit it—is because they always win out, if nothing more than having the last say.

A preacher may look like he has an easy time, but on the contrary it is the most difficult job to fill.

What we have always wondered is what the preacher, in the throes of a fine sermon, thinks of some of the audience who go to sleep.

And there is an end to every thing—as there is to this.

FUNERAL RITES CONDUCTED FOR W. M. WEAVER

HAD BEEN RESIDENT OF CHILLICOTHE 14 MONTHS, COMING FROM LONGVIEW

Funeral services were held at the Chillicothe cemetery Friday for W. M. Weaver, 64, who died at the Rock Hotel Thursday morning following an illness of nine weeks. Heart trouble caused his death.

Rev. R. T. Breedlove, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated at the last rites.

Mr. Weaver came with his wife to Chillicothe from Longview about four months ago when his son purchased a local mattress factory, although most of the forty years he has lived in Texas has been near Paris where he farmed. He was born in Tennessee. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are the widow and three sons, C. M. Weaver of Longview, Ray Weaver of Denison, and M. M. Weaver of Chillicothe.

Don't Experiment

If you have an itching skin, get a bottle of BROWN'S LOTION from your druggist today; a liquid remedy for ITCH, ECZEMA, IMPETIGO, (sores on children), ATHLETE'S FOOT, TETTER, POISON IVY, BARBER'S ITCH, MOSQUITO or CHIGGER BITES. Itching and infection are checked by the first application. Don't use messy salves and bandages. BROWN'S LOTION is sold by the Chillicothe Drug Co. 60c and \$1.00 bottles. First bottle sold with MONEY BACK GUARANTEE. Adv. 13

HEALTH TALK

By John W. Brown, M. D. (State Health Officer)

"The analogy between fires and communicable diseases is a very close one, observes the Texas State Department of Health. Every fire has a definite cause and usually a small beginning, just as every epidemic of disease has its origin in a single case. The flames of conflagration increase in height, heat, and destructive power to a maximum and then gradually recede. In like manner, every outbreak of infectious disease increases to a peak when the most cases are reported and then subsides. No fire can rage without combustible material; no epidemic can get under way without susceptible persons. A fire may smolder and break out anew unless checked; similarly, infectious disease may be very subtle and insidious in its manner of spread until investigation and brought under control.

"The practice of disease prevention is beginning to effect public opinion. Certain well known diseases like diphtheria and smallpox are absolutely preventable. Others will soon come under the same category. Dr. Herman Biggs, former Health Commissioner of New York, said: 'Within certain limits, it is possible for any community to determine its own death rate. This statement applies without a doubt to diphtheria, but unless local health agencies are adequately supported, this scourge and other preventable conditions as well, will continue to take a toll of infant and child life. Social diseases continue to spread and demand measures to curb and control them, which are similar to those used against typhoid fever or berberiosis.

"Retrenchment is necessary along the line and it is not compatible with progress. Let us retrench but let us not burn the bridges which lead to the better health of our present and future citizens."

Mrs. W. A. Ritter returned this past week from a visit during the holidays with relatives in Grayson, Collin and Wood counties.

Don't let them get a strange hold. Fight them quickly. Creosolium combines 7 helps in one. Powerful but harmless. Pleasant to take. No narcotics. Your own druggist is authorized to refund your money on the spot if your cough or cold is not relieved by Creosolium. (Adv.)

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JUST THINGS GOSSIPY

My friend, C. W. Underwood, who is a close observer on rainfall while not being able to control the elements, of course, failed to mark up enough precipitation during the month of December. So, he has a job on his hands during the year of 1935. In fact, with Jupiter Pluvius, Underwood could give humanity no better New Year's present than a fine soaking rain. The gentleman in the rain has been very obliging—that about times.

Horace Turner is soon to occupy his new place as a residence. He moved most of it from Odell and therefore it is not all new. However, after it is finished it will look like new, and that's all Horace cares. It is being repainted. Turner was asked what kind of paint was used—the inquirer thinking perhaps John Heilke might have had a hand in it, but the owner declared he used his own company's product. We don't know whether Horace allowed John to make a bid or not. Chances are he didn't.

I have been advised by a certain citizen of the Center Point community that there will be a shower given for Barney Chandler. That would be very fine, and no doubt pleasing to Mr. Chandler.

A young lady employed by an organization here remarked Saturday for the life of her she could not understand why young people got married now, when most of them are out of jobs. Of course the young lady was not considering the part love plays in the matrimonial ventures. In fact she may be the next. That usually happens when one talks.

Knowing what faces legislators and the Legislature convened Tuesday, I can sympathize with Representative George Moffett for having to be there. With all the relief matters, not to overlook the conditions brought on by the drought, it is going to be anything but easy sailing. There will bob up that certain amount of argument—with a chance for another fight among legislators—that only brings on publicity, doing no good. George does not have a good time there. But, his sympathy is with people of this part of the state, and he wants to do what is due. There he likes to fight for their

I understand now why Harry Koch, publisher of the Quannah Tribune-Chief is so prosperous—he owns a good Hardeman county farm. That is, I take it, a hard farm because he was included in the number receiving cotton checks recently. No newspaper man is prosperous because of the revenue coming from running a newspaper. I trust the time will come when another newspaper man may own a farm—in Hardeman county.

Looking across to the Frank Henry Ice station lot I note a few former Eagle football players kicking the old pig skin around, running, and getting in a goodly amount of exercise. It tells on them—those cigarettes they have been smoking since quitting high school.

My partner in crime, none other than Harry Norwood the Inter-type operator, has been a busy soul over the week-end. It was found he was moving to another locality in the city. Neighbors where he formerly lived had begun complaining, so now Luke Hindman, et al., will have to put up with him. He finished his moving on a day when he should have been doing something else, say working at the shop. Rather than face bad luck he left the broom behind. Harry is rather superstitious, you know.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD ONCE!

LAST RITES FOR TOLBERT FARMER HELD SUNDAY

DEATH COMES TO J. W. MOTE AT HOME, MILE SOUTH OF TOLBERT, SATURDAY

J. W. Mote, 65, well-known farmer residing a mile south of Tolbert, died at his home Saturday evening at 6 o'clock following a lengthy illness. Funeral rites were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Frost & Laxton Funeral Chapel, Vernon, with the Rev. Hubert Thompson, pastor of the Tolbert Methodist Church, officiating, and interment was in the East View cemetery.

Funeral bearers included Ed Lee, Garland Smith, Joe Fouts, Oscar Tooley, M. A. Mashburn, and J. D. Cook.

The deceased moved to Wilbarger county fourteen years ago from Grayson county, and had been engaged in farming near Tolbert.

Surviving are the widow, four daughters and three sons, one sister, Mrs. Joe Eads of Farmers Valley; two half sisters, Mrs. Lillian Smith of Goose Creek and Mrs. Pearl Duval of Georgetown; three brothers J. D. Mote of Anna, Ocala Mote of Texarkana, Earl Mote of Durant, Okla., and two half brothers, Jess Mote of Georgetown, and Lewis Mote of San Antonio.

To Be Dismissed Sunday

Enory Bellamy, who had the misfortune to lose an arm while working at a gin in Medicine Mound several weeks ago, and who has been in a Quannah hospital since, will be dismissed from there Sunday.

In Auto Wreck

Miss Virginia McCaleb, expression teacher, has returned to Chillicothe to resume her work. Just previous to Christmas she was a victim of an automobile accident occurring in Vernon, receiving a back injury. However, she has practically recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell

and Mrs. Gardner were visitors in the north part of Wilbarger county Sunday.

Tobe Huxch of Quannah was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

KNOW YOUR GUIDING STAR

By Jane Carroll

A man bought one of those five cent horoscopes done up in a package like peanuts sold across the counter in the same way and invented for the same purpose. It was prepared for people born between November 21st and December 22nd and included the date of his birth. It said: "You are fearless, determined and combative, but, noble in purpose, moral and faithful to obligations, a good friend and generous enemy. Have superior executive ability, fitted with keen insight into the future; are very active, enterprising, outspoken, and persevering, but dislike opposition of any kind to your plans. Honorable and good natured but often unintentionally lacking in courtesy. Professions or promoter, musician, physician, inventor, equestrian, lawyer, accountant, artist, teacher, orator." He reread, "You are noble in purpose, moral and faithful, good friend and generous enemy," and murmured, "By Jove, that is me!" and thereby registered qualities in the subconscious which he began to radiate. Scanning the professional tendencies of one born under his sign he thought, "musician, artist," "right again, returned to his canvas convinced he had chosen the right vocation and traveled straight to success."

Horoscopes may serve a place in the life of certain people. It is debatable whether expensive ones over which many dollars of valuable time are spent in an attempt to analyze and show are more helpful than the least expensive ones, both, like nursing bottles, in normal development, they are soon outgrown. As in the case mentioned above, they have served as helpful suggestions in starting one in the right work, but intuition is a reliable guide in every respect. Merely ask to be shown the way and believe.

A man lost his purse. He wrote an inquiry and sent it with a dollar to a "commercial astrologer." Before his letter reached its destination he received his answer. Why? Because he had asked BELIEVING he would be answered. It is always belief that does the work. The biography of a late actress of the screen explains how her phenomenal comeback was foretold by the stars. Her success

was due, not to the stars, but to the fact she had been convinced in some manner—whatever she believed in—that she could and would succeed. Each of us has access to a Power that knows only Success, Health, Beauty, Life, but, alas, some find it only through long circuitous routes over many planets.

As to forecasts: "These questions we ask about the future are a confession of sin," says a wise one. "God has no answer for them. No answer in words can reply to a question of things. It is not an arbitrary's decree of God but in the nature of man that a veil shuts down on the facts of tomorrow; for the soul will not have us read any other either but that of cause and effect. By this veil, which curtains events, it instructs the children of men to live today. The only mode of obtaining an answer to these questions of the senses is to ignore all low curiosity, and accepting the tide of being which floats us into the secret of nature, work and live, 3028 3144 live and all unawares, the advancing soul has built and forged for itself a new condition, and the question and answer are one. Thus the soul is the perceiver and revealer of truth."

H. D. CLUB WOMAN SELLS CANNED CHICKEN

Mrs. M. L. Walkup of the Goodlett Home Demonstration Club finds that she can make a profit from her canned chicken. She has sold twenty-eight (28) number 2 cans of canned chicken and has an order for fourteen (14) more cans. Mrs. Walkup cans chicken in several varieties such as chicken with bones, boneless chicken, cubed and ground. She hopes to work up a good trade with her canned chicken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boaz, Sr., were in Tipton, Okla., Tuesday, having gone to get their daughter Mrs. Ted Dotts, who has been a guest of friends in that city.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!

QUANAH LEGION MAP PLANS FOR DISTRICT MEET

Support of Other Organizations of Quannah Assured

QUANAH, Jan. 9.—Elaborate plans are being made by the local post of the American Legion for entertaining the first 1935 quarterly meeting of the Thirtieth District of the American Legion in Texas which will be held in Quannah March 8-9.

Committees from the chamber of commerce, Rotary Club, Optimists Club, and a number of other civic organizations met with the American Legion Monday night, January 7, and discussed plans.

Those in charge of the entertainment declared the entire city is backing the Legion and have promised support in making it a pleasant meeting for the 300 Legionnaires expected to be in attendance.

Lloyd Lowery of Altus, Okla., former representative from that district to the state legislature, has been in Chillicothe a few days on business.

CLASSIFIED ADS—bring results

ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTERS 524

IS BOOST OVER PREVIOUS COUNT BY 63 OFFICIALS MAKE KNOW

Sunday school enrollment showed a hike compared to the previous count it is revealed by officials in giving out the individual attendance this past Sunday. A compilation by The News shows a combined registration of 524, higher by 63 than was checked for December 30.

Churches: Jan. 6 Dec. 30
Church of Christ 102 89
Methodist 165 161
Baptist 207 162
Presbyterian 50 49

Total 524 461
Summary: Gains, Baptist 45, Presbyterian 1, Methodist 4, Church of Christ 13.

HELP KIDNEYS

If your kidneys function badly and you have a lame, aching back, with attacks of dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, swollen feet and ankles, rheumatic pains... use Doan's Pills. Doan's are especially for poorly functioning kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended the country over. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

DAY IN AND DAY OUT We Want to SERVE You!

With

- SHOP SERVICE
- GOODYEAR TIRES
- GASOLINE AND OILS
- WASHING
- GREASING
- TIRE REPAIR

Anything You Want in the Automobile Line.

FORD PARTS AND ACCESSORIES

WE ARE NOW SHOWING THE NEW

FORD V-8 FOR 1935

Touchstone Motor Company

Telephone 39 Quick Road Service
Chillicothe, Texas

Chillicothe Valley News

GETS THE BUSINESS MESSAGE Into the HOMES OF BUYERS

The functions of advertising are to search out buyers and inform them of new merchandise styles, explain values and tell where and at what prices they may be had. Getting these business messages delivered in as an efficient and inexpensive manner, as is consistent with good taste, and, through a medium that insures attention and acceptance, is a merchandising problem that was solved years ago by the establishment of the good, reliable and dependable newspapers.

The Chillicothe Valley News is a good newspaper—It will get your sales message, Mr. Merchant and Mr. Business Man, into the homes of Chillicothe buyers.

Every week, throughout the year, The News goes into the majority of homes of the Chillicothe trade area. Advertising display space in The News is the most economical method of parading your merchandising offerings before an attentive audience who are the home newspaper reads of The Chillicothe Valley News.

COMPLETE ADVERTISING SERVICE

The Chillicothe Valley News is equipped to supply a complete advertising service to Chillicothe business and merchant advertisers. This includes fine merchandise illustrations, attention-compelling layouts and merchandise-moving copy. A phone call will bring a News representative to explain all details and assist with sales promotions, if desired. Simply phone No. 49.

RENT that Extra Room You Can Turn that Spare Room into Profit With a Want Ad!

FIREPLACE CAN ADD CHARM TO HOME IN WINTER

New Chimney Will Also Enhance Beauty of Exterior Improvements

Builders of homes a decade or two ago had a tendency to omit fireplaces, partly because the development of central heating appeared to obviate their necessity. As a consequence, there are many homes today that lack the comfort and cheer of a blazing open fire.

There was a time when no home was built without an open fireplace, and there is no reason now why every home should not have one.

The work of installing one or two should be started shortly, so that the fireplace may be ready for next winter. If cash is not available, Government-guaranteed modernizing loans may be had at once.

New Chimney Needed

A special chimney is necessary, for a fireplace may not share a flue with any other heating unit. An outside chimney is the easiest type to install, and it puts the family to little inconvenience during the construction period. Carefully built, an outside chimney can add greatly to the exterior beauty of the house.

A new fireplace makes a radical change in the character of a room, and for this reason it should be handled with the utmost care. Corner fireplaces are unfortunately out of style. As the fireplace will be the central attraction of the room, drawing the family and guests to its vicinity, scrupulous attention must be given to its location and structural detail, and the furnishing possibilities of the room after its construction. Ordinarily, there should be no doors or windows on either side. Never should the fireplace extend far out into the room. Sufficient space must remain in the room for comfortable furniture to be grouped around the hearth. Additional wiring outlets should be made nearby if provide for the portable lighting fixtures and other appliances near the fire.

Style Should Tone In

The style of the hearth depends on the period and interior or exterior scheme of the room. An enameled Colonial mantelpiece, for example, is correct for a room with enameled trim. A room with rough unplastered walls and stained unvarnished trim is charming with a hooded fireplace in the Italian manner, or a mantel consisting of a single plank of stained wood with hearth and face of brilliant Spanish glazed tile. A mantel of face brick is in excellent taste for a great many rooms. It blends best with dark stained floors and furniture. A gray, original touch for rooms with white woodwork and light walls is provided by the hearth of brilliant glazed tiles, which are becoming of increased popularity with the present-day demand for more color.

From the practical standpoint, a fireplace should be provided with a good draft to prevent smoking even on wet days, and it should give a maximum amount of heat. It is a good plan to equip it with one of the patent fireplace flues and throats made with double walls that serve to make a hot-air chamber like that of a hot-air furnace. For the sake of safety, fire brick or special flue lining and a good tight ash chute and pit and clean-out are necessary. A hearth extending 18 inches in front and about 12 inches on each side of the opening also is essential.

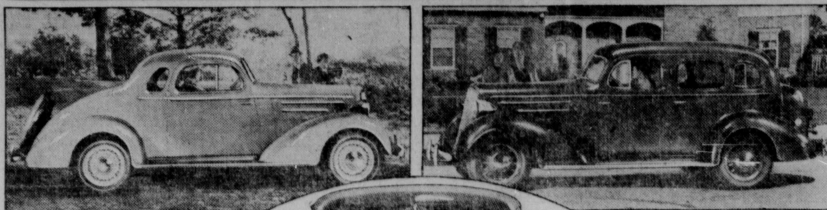
DON'T SLEEP ON LEFT SIDE—AFFECTS HEART

If stomach GAS prevents sleeping on right side try Adrika. One dose brings out poisons and relieves gas pressing on heart so you sleep soundly all night. Chillicothe Drug Co. Adv. L-2

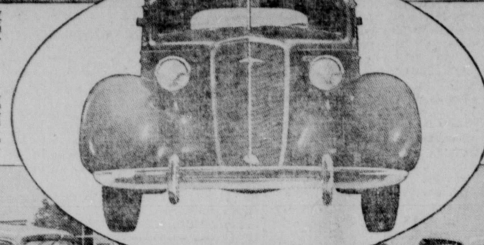


BUYERS
of Household Goods
are Quickly Found
With a
Want Ad.

Chevrolet Announces Two New Lines for 1935



The Coupe model typifies the beauty and style of Chevrolet's New Master De Luxe series for 1935. Improved performance and exceptional economy also characterize these cars.



Fleet, graceful lines also mark the New Master De Luxe Sport Sedan. Ample luggage space is provided by the built-in trunk, and a luggage compartment behind the rear seat cushion.

Another active model in the New Chevrolet line is the New Master De Luxe Coupe. Numerous body and chassis refinements, in conjunction with the Master engine, unite to make these cars outstanding values in the lowest-priced field.

Typical of Chevrolet's two new lines of cars are the models illustrated here. The Master De Luxe series reveals strong emphasis on beauty and style. Mechanically, the Master De Luxe series and the New Standard series have much in common, including the Master engine, in which numerous refinements have been made to enhance performance, durability and economy. As these pictures reveal, the New Master De Luxe departs distinctly from previous Chevrolets in the striking advance which has been made in body design and trim.

EXPECT STEADY BUSINESS RISE FOR THIS YEAR

Increased Advertising Contracts Up to 50% are Being Completed

Contracts already concluded with national advertisers, according to all surveys completed, call for greatly increased appropriations, most of which will be spent with newspapers. In 1935, estimates of enlarged expenditures for advertising, regarded as one of the most dependable barometers of business trends, range from a general average of 15 per cent upward.

William H. Rankin, president of the Rankin Advertising agency, predicted that newspapers will carry as much as 50 per cent more national advertising in 1935 than in 1934. He referred to one large concern, which has not used any space since 1929, recently asking six agencies to submit plans for the expenditure of \$300,000 in the first 6 months of the new year.

"The natural increase in buying power due to President Roosevelt's New Deal," he said to the New York Times, "will increase consumption during 1935 at least 25 per cent and advertise ahead of consumption 35 to 50 per cent."

He believed the Export and Import bank and reciprocal treaties will encourage large appropriations, such as the cigar advertising, already appearing. Increased imports from various countries are counted upon already by big advertisers, rayon, knitted underwear, wool goods fields and others are already scheduled, he said, for industry-wide promotions.

Roy S. Durstine, vice president of another of the largest American advertising concerns, said that outstanding gains in advertising are expected in building materials due to the Federal Housing Administration's campaign, farm equipment and other goods for agricultural community consumption and automobiles.

Continued improvement in radio set advertising is indicated, he said, and was especially optimistic over increased space requirements for advertising of paints, hardware, heating, air-conditioning, plumbing, food, cigarettes, tobacco, and beverages. He added that the enormous impetus started in 1934 in promotion of drugs, toilet goods and particularly cosmetics, will gain added strength in 1935 and that "any change occurring in clothing and dry goods will be for the better."

Authorities reported that advertising of office equipment is steadily increasing and predicted that substantial increases will be

New Process "Washes" Oil of Impurities—Makes Cars Start Quicker



An ice coated engine in a test room with the temperature at zero, started instantly with a motor lubricant made by new Clearosol Process, which "washes" oil clean of natural impurities as you would wash dirt from your hands with soapy water.

STARTING of engines in winter has always been the car owner's worry. In many cases the trouble is due to improper lubricating oils, which causes piston rings to stick and valves to gum. A process to refine oil properly has been sought ever since the automobile has come into general use.

Recently the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company announced a revolutionary new way to refine oil that is expected to change the entire trend of present day refining, and to save trouble and dollars for motorists.

Chemists and engineers have long sought a way to completely remove from oil the harmful elements which nature imprisoned in crude millions of years ago. They have been striving to discover new methods which would supplant older systems of refining, complicated and unsatisfactory in many ways.

The new way known as Clearosol process uses powerful solvents to "wash" oil of impurities, as you would wash dirt from your hands with soapy water.

made in the fields that in the last few years have been at their lowest in modern times, namely machinery and mechanical supplies.

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT BUYING TEXAS SHEEP

San Angelo, Tex., Jan. 7.—More than 6,000 sheep have been purchased in this section for Mexican ranchmen by representatives of the Mexican Government. Most of the animals bought were registered Rambouillet lambs and yearling ewes and rams. The sheep will be sold to ranchmen in Mexico on easy terms.

J. C. Boyd of Amarillo, is a business visitor in Chillicothe today.



**BUSINESS
CHANCES**
Find a Partner or
a Buyer With a
Want Ad!

NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HARDEMAN

Before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, on this day personally appeared Dewey Marsh, who, after being duly sworn, deposes and upon his oath says that he is Cashier and active manager of The Bank of Chillicothe, The Bank of Chillicothe, an unincorporated bank, located at Chillicothe, in Hardeman County, Texas, that said, The Bank of Chillicothe is a co-partnership and is doing a general banking business; that it has been engaged in the general banking business at Chillicothe, in Hardeman County, Texas, for more than two years prior to June 14th, 1933.

Affiant further deposes and says that the following is a complete list of the members of said partnership, to-wit:

F. L. Moffett
O. H. Dodson
L. S. Hawkins
W. S. Dodson
George Moffett
Dewey Marsh

And that no other person, firm, corporation or association of persons has or owns any financial interest or stock in said partnership.

Signed: Dewey Marsh, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1935.

Signed: Luck Stephenson, (Seal) Notary Public.

Miss Bernice Taylor, who resides in the Elm Grove community, was a visitor in Chillicothe Wednesday afternoon.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!

NEWS ITEMS FROM BAILEY HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKinnon and son have returned from Midland, Texas where they attended the funeral of Mrs. McKinnon's father, Mr. T. R. Shelburne. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Holcomb and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bell of Tule. June Chandler visited in the Bartley home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baird spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Walser and family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donovan and family attended church at Medicine Mound Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Davis are the proud parents of a girl, born December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Diak Carlton and family and Mrs. J. W. Carlin visited Mrs. Nora Saussman and family of Medicine Mound Sunday.

New Kidneys

If you could trade your neglected, tired and ailing kidneys for new ones, you would automatically get rid of Night Bling, Nervousness, Headaches, Backaches, Burning, Itching and Aches. To correct functional kidney disorders, try the guaranteed, Doctor's special prescription, use called CYNEX (Don't see). Must fix you up in 3 days or money back. If all together,

day. Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holcomb Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKinnon and son visited Mr. and Mrs. John Lance and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Northam of Farmers Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Northam and family Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donovan and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Phillis.

PRIVATE BANK RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF CHILLICOTHE (Unincorporated) OF CHILLICOTHE, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31ST, 1934

ETAOIN SHIRDLU	ASSETS	ETAOIN SHIRDLU
Loans and discounts		\$148,950.00
Overdrafts		477.30
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed		16,800.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities		6,549.00
Banking house	\$27,500.00	
Furniture and fixtures	2,500.00	30,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		6,000.00
Cash in vault and balances with other banks		108,878.74
Outside checks and other cash items		423.29
Other assets: Net worth of partners outside the bank		955,823.00
TOTAL ASSETS		\$1,273,002.73

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, public funds, and deposits of other banks	\$263,682.05
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	3,277.35
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	1,120.33
Total of items 15 to 19:	
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$268,079.73
(c) TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$268,079.73
Capital Account:	
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Net worth of partners outside the bank	955,823.00
	1,005,823.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,273,002.73

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HARDEMAN, ss:

I, Dewey Marsh, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed: Dewey Marsh, Cashier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1935.

(Seal) E. L. Grimes, Notary Public.
CORRECT—Attest:
F. L. Moffett
O. H. Dodson
W. S. Dodson, directors.

RECAPITULATION ASSETS

Loans and discounts	\$ 48,375.84
Overdrafts	477.30
Banking house	27,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,500.00
Other Real Estate Owned	6,000.00
Cash and Exchange	\$109,302.03
12c Cotton Loans	93,095.33
Bills of Exchange	7,479.51
State of Texas Bonds	5,000.00
State Warrants	1,549.72
U. S. Gov. Securities	16,800.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$318,079.73

LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
DEPOSITS	268,079.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$318,079.73

ART EXHIBIT

By Pupils of

Lee Ross Boyles

In Graham's Center Window

January 9 to 16

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The month of January is the last month you have to pay your 1934 State and County and Poll Taxes without penalty. February 1st is the dead line and penalty must be added.

On back tax (or delinquent taxes) the penalty and interest will be taken off for a short time only, from February 9th to March 15th, 1935, after this date penalty and interest will again be added to back taxes.

1935 automobile license plates will be on sale from February 1st to March 31st without penalty; license not to be put on cars until April 1st.

Please note differences in dates that penalties and interest are effective on 1934 taxes and on back taxes.

I will be in Chillicothe at the First National Bank on Friday and Saturday, January 18th and 19th, for your convenience in paying 1934 taxes.

Jack Brazil

Tax Assessor—Collector

NEW FEATURES TO BE FOUND IN '35 CHEVROLET

Beauty and Styling Improved; Economy Still Emphasized in New Offering

LOCAL DEALER SHOWS SEDAN

Public's Interest in Car is Revealed in Number to Visit Show Room

Saturday, January 5, the new Chevrolet for 1935 was displayed before the eyes of the American public, and was hailed as the most beautiful and biggest value the company has ever offered. At the local show room of the Glazener Chevrolet Company, a new Standard sedan is now on display, and the interest the public has held was clearly illustrated in the large number to view the new automobile.

This year master deluxe body models include sedan, coach, business coupe with luggage compartment, sport coupe with rumble seat, sport sedan, and town sedan. In addition to the coach, business coupe, phaeton, and sport roadster, which comprised the standard line last year, the 1935 New Standard line includes a full-sized four-door sedan and a sedan delivery car for light commercial uses.

Mechanically, the two models have in common numerous important improvements in construction and design. Both engines have an original system of high pressure jets supplying oil to connecting rod bearings, and electro-plated pistons, heavier crankshafts, and other new features that contribute to better performance, smoothness, and economy. In both chassis, newly designed clutches, more effective braking systems, stiffer frames, and other advances in design give greater ease of operation, increased durability, and a better ride.

Master De Luxe Appearance

Visually, the new Master De Luxe retains only the characteristic outlines of the radiator, and the familiar trade-mark on hub caps and radiator emblem, to indicate that it is of Chevrolet origin. The V-radiator itself is more car and more sloping, the unit fenders are highly contoured in their streamlining, while the windshield not only slopes back steeply but also is slightly V-shaped, causing all the forepart of the car to flow smoothly into the body, which is the utmost in smoothness. By utilizing the newly developed call-steel roof construction, Chevrolet has attained a sleekness formerly impossible. Its highly crowned roof sweeping from the windshield to the streamlined, graceful rear end in a continuous curve, an effect heightened by the absence of roof panels and moldings and by the continuity of body color over the entire top.

Every detail of the car is new—starting with the front bumper and including the radiator grill, the ornament that supports the radiator filter-cap (now under the hood), the horizontal hood louvers, the running-board pattern, streamlined door handles, spare tire mountings (concealed in some models), tail lamp, and rear bumper. Aside from appearance, there are important improvements in body comfort and spaciousness, and especially in the ride. The wheelbase of the new Master De Luxe is increased to 113 inches, and an even greater increase in body space has been gained by moving the engine forward. The appearance of great length has been enhanced by lowering the floor level, dropping it one inch nearer the ground by lowering the chassis side rails.

The Master De Luxe sport and town sedans have integral trunks embodied in the rear panels, with compartments for the spare wheel. In the three sedans, pressed steel wheels with short rounded spokes are regular equipment. Wire wheels with large hub caps are used on the other models.

New Standard Improvements. In the lower priced line of New Standard models, larger bodies, a new engine with 23 per cent more horsepower, an improved chassis frame, and numerous other new features give improved performance, still better economy and increased comfort and safety. Bodies are generally improved in spaciousness and comfort, and possess many new convenience and appearance features. The newly added four-door sedan has the same dimensions as the coach, which is 3 1/2 inches longer than the 1934 models and provides 2 1/2 inches more legroom in the rear compartment. The closed models all have flat floors in the rear compartment, the

ridge formerly existing in front of the seat having been eliminated. The driver's seat, in all closed models, is equipped with finger-tip control for quick adjustment.

Redesigned dials, behind concave glass that eliminates reflections and promotes visibility, are mounted in an improved instrument board having walnut-grained panels.

The main chassis changes are the result of a comprehensive revision of design to effect a marked increase in performance ability. To attain greater acceleration, higher speed, and better hill-climbing, Chevrolet has adopted for the New Standard line the larger "Blue Flame" engine of the same displacement (206.8 cu. in.) and compression ratio (5.45 to 1) as used in the 1934 Master models, but incorporating many new features contributing to better performance throughout its speed range. To match the gain in engine power and car speed with the necessary increase in braking ability, the cable-controlled braking system also has been improved in strength and stiffness to an even greater degree than would have been required merely to keep pace with the increase in the loads imposed upon it by both the engine and the brakes.

Improvements Common to Both Chassis Models. In both engines, crankshaft has been redesigned and now weighs 69 pounds, or 5 1/2 more than last year's Master.

Both Chevrolet engines have a new system of lubrication to serve the crank-pin bearings of the connecting rods. At low speeds, lubrication is effected by oil picked up from troughs by connecting rod dipper. As the engine speed picks up, the oil pump forces high pressure jets of oil to flow constantly from six nozzles, one in each oil trough, directed upward so that the streams are in the paths of the connecting rod dipper as they approach and pass the bottom revolution. Instead of only momentarily, the high velocity of the dipper against the stream of oil, added to the velocity of the oil jets, builds up a tremendous pressure that insures a copious supply of oil to the bearing.

Electro-Plated Pistons. An important contribution to smooth engine performance, newly adopted by Chevrolet, is the use of electro-plated pistons, in combination with redesigned piston skirts which provide greater bearing area. The pistons are plated to a thickness of .001 inch. The use of plating considerably shortens the period for the proper breaking in of the engine. As the piston wears in, the fits fill up any minute irregularities in the surface of the piston and cylinder walls. The ultimate result is an ideally smooth surface on both piston and bore with resultant improvement in performance.

In the cooling systems, water pump capacity has been increased forcing the water to flow faster through the nozzles in the cylinder head.

Brake and Clutch Actions

Better. Two major changes directly improving the certainty and ease of control, with a reduction in the effort required of the driver, are the new brake and clutch designs.

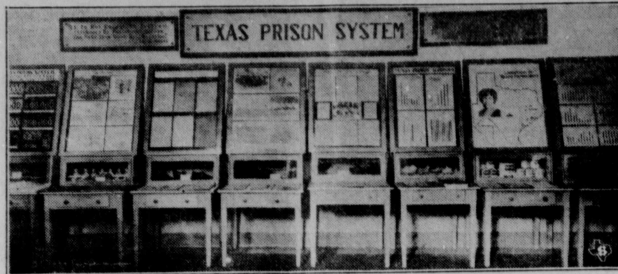
The adoption for both models of "brake-boosting master" possessing a higher degree of friction, and in the New Standard the use of wider brake drums and shoes, having 16 and 2-2 per cent greater effective braking area, permits the cars to be stopped in a shorter distance with less pedal pressure.

In both clutches, smooth operation is procured through the adoption of a new waved driven plate that eliminates chatter even at light driving load applications. Knee-action, in the Master De Luxe only, has been modified to increase its efficiency and to improve the ride control. Durability of the mechanism is improved.

Frames of both chassis models have been improved in rigidity. The Master De Luxe Y-K frame is lighter, wider, and lower. Its new front cross-member and king pin support increases front end rigidity 24 per cent, preventing changes in the camber and caster angles of the front wheels. Additional stiffness also has been provided at the dash and over the rear axle.

Body Structure. Greater strength, durability, and safety are provided in the Master De Luxe bodies, built by Fisher. The framework consists of wood braced by steel, around which are closely fitted and welded

First Exhibit of Texas Prison System School



This is the first exhibit of the Texas Prison System school ever entered at a State Teachers' convention. J. M. Reynolds, school supervisor, brought the exhibit to Galveston for the annual teachers' convention. All articles in the exhibit were made by inmates of the state penitentiary at Huntsville and various state prison farms. (Texas News Photo.)

TRAINING SCHOOL HELD AT VERNON

Candlestick Bedspring Featured at Meeting Held Last Saturday

VERNON, Jan. 9.—Conducted by Mrs. H. M. Lacey, a candlestick bedspring training school was held at the county court house here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lacey stressed beauty and quality in the revival of this fashioned art. She declared that spreads should be ample in size; that designs should be simple yet interesting and attractive; that all over patterns were often more pleasing, and good workmanship was shown in uniform tufts accurately following the lines of the designs; that tufted spreads are

never ironed, the crinkle being an ear-mark of its colonial ancestry. Those attending included Mrs. Clyde Ashworth, Elliott; Mrs. D. D. Dockery, Elliott; Mrs. J. R. White, Northside; Mrs. Roy Hoffman, Thrift; Mrs. E. B. Gillis, Eastside; Mrs. C. H. Boraff, Rock Crossing; Mrs. Tom Smith, Rock Crossing; Mrs. F. E. Hogue, South Vernon; Mrs. W. W. Magee, South Vernon; Mrs. Gertrude Thompson, Red Valley; Mrs. Forest Shelton, Red Valley; Mrs. A. D. Anderson, Hinds; Mrs. N. D. Brook, Farmers Valley.

Move to Manchester. "Please send paper to Manchester, Star Route 2. We are liking our new home fine," declares E. W. O'Rear, in requesting that The Valley News follow him to his new home, the family having moved this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClintock were visitors in Davidson, Okla., Sunday.

RELIEF PROJECTS IN COUNTY GIVEN APPROVAL BY TRC

Hardeman County Allotted \$3,532 for Continuation of Program

AUSTIN, Jan. 9.—Work relief projects on which the Texas Relief Commission authorized expenditure of \$251,747.98, were approved by the engineering department of the Commission last week. These projects will provide employment for 3316 men for periods ranging from 5 to 120 days.

House repairs in the rural rehabilitation program claimed the largest share of approvals, \$53,435.15 being designated to be expended in this type of work as a result of which 442 houses will be made habitable for rural rehabilitation clients.

On street and highway projects the Commission will spend \$34,321.49 as 1423 men are provided with jobs. Repairs and construction work on school and school grounds were approved in the amount of \$18,690, to employ 352 men.

In most cases, construction costs are shared by the Commission and county or city, allowing most of the Commission's investment to go for paying relief labor. Although these projects called for 3316 men, many more than that will work, since relief laborers work only long enough to complete the month's family budget.

List of nearby counties in which new projects were approved and

amount of money contributed by the Commission follows:
Cottle, \$3,560; Foard, \$4,164; Hall, \$260.80; Hardeman, \$3,532; Knox, \$144; Montague, \$3,722; Wheeler, \$300; Wilbarger, \$14,712.50.

JAIL BREAK IS HALTED SUNDAY

Sam Henderson, Alias Pemberton, Believed Have Attempted Escape

VERNON, Jan. 9.—On early Sunday night, frustration what was believed an attempt by Sam Henderson, alias Fay Pemberton, to escape from the larger county jail and confiscated six small saw blades from bed clothing in Henderson's bed in the jail.

Henderson is being held on two charges of robbery with firearms and is an escaped convict from the Oklahoma penitentiary. Under the name of Pemberton he received sentences totaling 83 years in Oklahoma, 40 years each for murder and manslaughter and three years for burglary.

District Attorney Ed Gossett recently indicated he plans to indict Henderson under the habitual criminal act and ask that death penalty for the escaped convict when his cases are brought to trial.

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WHAT FARM FOLKS ARE NOW DOING

Timely Tips on What Farm Folks are Doing in Texas

Wellington: Shade trees can range cattle says Paul Wellingsworth county young cottonwood in his pasture, according to John O. Stovall, farm demonstration agent. Early in the fall of 1934 Mr. Starr located the contours on the slopes of the range pastures with the help of the farm demonstration agent, plowed up the soil, and made terraces. These terraces held the water that had been rushing down off the hillside and disappearing in gyp holes or sinks. Mr. Starr then planted small cottonwood trees about 60 feet apart and about six feet back from the terraces on the upper side holding the water. None of the trees received any moisture except by rainfall.

Jefferson: More than 1000 pounds of pork is being cured this year from pigs raised by Charlie Lee Grubbs, Marion 4-H club boy, according to John H. Erickson, farm demonstration agent. Three years ago young Grubbs purchased a pure bred gilt out of a carload distributed by the farm demonstration agent. Before the end of the year, he sold two pigs out of the first litter and paid for his sow. In order to reimburse his grandfather, with whom he makes his home, young Grubbs keeps the farm home amply supplied with pork the year round.

Kingsville: Because of the success of previous terracing work 20 acres of land to be planted to cotton in the spring were terraced this fall on the farm of Henry Schonefeld in Kieberg county, according to W. L. Wilkins, farm demonstration agent. In 1929 M. R. Bentley, Extension agricultural engineer, gave a terracing demonstration on the farm and in 1932 Mr. Schonefeld terraced a 20-acre hill on his farm with the help of the farm demonstration agent. This field was planted to Rhodes grass as a permanent pasture.

Paducah: A tufted robe which costs and was valued at made from three 100-lb feed sacks by Mrs. M. A. Mitchell county and displayed at the Achievement Day held recently by the clubs of the county, according to Miss Emma Gunter, home demonstration agent. Natural and rose candlewick yarn was used by Mrs. Webb in working the diamond shaped pattern. Fifty other articles including dresses, aprons, pajamas, luncheon cloths, and pillow cases were made from sacks and exhibited by other club members.

Georgetown: A cheese press made at no cost from odds and ends picked up on the farm was displayed by Mrs. Arthur Rice at a cheese show held recently in Williamson county, according to Miss Bessie Vogt, home demonstration agent. The press, which is large enough to press the curd

Railway Crossing At Quanaah May Be Removed By Denver

Railroad engineers of the Fort Worth & Denver City Railway have surveyed the main street crossing in Quanaah, completing the work this past week, preparatory to making plans for an underpass.

Quanaah is the twelfth town along the line to receive attention for the removal of dangerous crossings. According to Agent Hughes nothing has been attempted for the main crossing in Chillicothe, although it is felt in time this crossing will be given attention.

Of eight to 10 gallons of milk at one time, was made by Mr. Rice in his spare time.

An old wagon tongue was used for making the oak blocks used for the forms at the base of the press and for the pieces across the top. The end-grain rods were old ones picked up from a scrap heap. The jack screw was taken from an old scissor barber chair, and the handle was taken from a worn-out separator. The bucket is an old six quart ice cream can with holes punched in it from the inside. The blocks used on top of the cheese are several of the oak blocks from the tongue.

Galveston: Evelyn Silbernagel, 4-H club girl of Galveston county has canned her way to a bank account of \$56 and an improved bedroom in the past two years, according to Miss Lorraine Morrison, home demonstration agent. Evelyn sold 800 cans of standardized tomatoes and tomato juice this year at 10 cents a can. Her seed and cans cost \$24, leaving a net profit of \$56. Last year she sold 400 cans and used the money received to improve her bedroom.

DISTRICT COURT OPENS IN VERNON

Six Weeks Term to be Presided Over by Judge Stokes; Grand Jury Meets

VERNON, Jan. 9.—Six weeks January term of the Forty-sixth District Court opened here Monday morning with Judge W. N. Stokes on the bench. Trial of non-jury cases is scheduled this week.

The Wilbarger county grand jury convened under the direction of District Attorney Ed Gossett and will investigate a number of cases, ranging from minor felonies to murder.

The jury is composed of H. B. Alexander, Jess L. Showers, D. B. May, J. B. Lockett, H. A. Hasehoff, C. H. Randel, R. A. Ashley, Earl Whitley, G. A. Creager, B. P. Wilson, Marvin L. Sharp, and H. B. Clarida.

Mrs. W. H. Douglas of Van Alstyne is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Ritter.

Check up on your supply of bill heads or statements, and if you are in need call a representative of The News.

GIVES INSIDE PICTURE OF PRESS CONFERENCES WITH 'FIRST LADY'

Martelle Wickliffe Trager, Former Chillicothe Resident, One of Group Attending Press Interviews With Mrs. Roosevelt

Mrs. Roosevelt was too busy the first week in January to see the press representatives except at tea, January 2 when she entertained them, the women executives of the government and persons who had left their cards at the White House this season. Several hundred were received by her from four to six.

Hundreds of Washingtonians leave their cards at the White House each season. They drive up in taxis and leave them with the footman or come in chauffeur-driven cars and have the chauffeur take the cards to the door. A corner is turned down to let the First Lady know they called in person.

Wednesday morning, January 2 Mrs. Roosevelt attended Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's musicale at the Mayflower Hotel. These popular morning musicales have such distinguished guest lists that they read like pages from WHO'S WHO. As a matter of fact one does almost have to be in it to be able to attend them.

Thursday was the busiest of busy days for the First Lady. At 12 o'clock she went to the opening of Congress to see her very good friend, Mrs. Caroline O'Day, representative at large of New York, sworn in. From there she went to a luncheon given for her by Mrs. Dern, wife of the Secretary of War.

The Diplomatic Reception given by the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House

WHAT GRADE LABELS MEAN TO FARMERS

GOVERNMENT'S PLAN WOULD INEVITABLY FORCE QUALITY OF FOODS DOWN

Crops grown for canning take up forty per cent of the truck crop acreage in the United States. Most of these crops are grown on contract under which the canner buys the crop at an agreed upon price. Thus the grower has a sure sale for what he raises at a price which is often more remunerative than he gets for crops subject to market hazards.

Anything that hurts the canner likewise hurts the grower. The two go up or down together.

The canner now faces a demand from certain government offices that he place a grade label on his product. He knows that any attempt to put all canned foods in three general grades means that he will have to pack against a price—and that price will be for the lowest quality in each grade. Inevitably, the general quality of canned foods will be down, and when quality goes down consumption goes down with it. This means reduced sales of truck crops for canning and the reversion of truck acreage to staple crops already in the surplus class such as wheat and corn.

Canners have offered a better labeling plan—a plan that puts on the label the facts about the food stated in plain, everyday language and a plan that rewards the canner for keeping up quality, penalizes him for short-comings, and in every way protects the consumer.

Quanaah Cannery Is Closed Down

Texas Relief Commission's canning plant at Quanaah has been closed down, and only the Chillicothe cannery is being operated in Hardeman county.

Due to lack of foodstuffs is given as the reason, while the local place is running near capacity. Mrs. Daisy Seabrook, until January 1 the Hardeman county canning supervisor, and now serving as county treasurer, declared the plant here would run indefinitely so long as the people in this community continued to bring in foodstuffs.

President Roosevelt delivered his address to a joint meeting of the House and Senate Friday. Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied several members of her family, heard the President give his speech from the Presidential box in the gallery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Roosevelt who spent part of the Christmas holidays in Texas did not get back to the White House in time to attend a New Year party given for them and Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt by the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

The menu of a recent children's party at the Executive Mansion consisted of cream of wheat, string beans, creamed chicken, ice cream and cookies.

At the recent opening of Congress some of the new members of the House and Senate were embarrassed to find they had invited more guests than could be accommodated in the small galleries at the Capitol. A ticket doesn't assure one admission because every year there are more issued than can be accommodated.

Mrs. E. S. Hendrick has returned home following a visit in Houston with Mrs. W. F. Dickey, who is ill. On her way home she stopped in Fort Worth for a visit, also.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD ONCE!

ON TEXAS FARMS

By Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Extension Service Editor

"Back in 1932 we grow seedless cotton," a negro farmer in Houston county told a public meeting, meaning that it took about all the money the seed brought then to pay for the ginning. His cotton seed brought money this year.

W. G. Farrier of Omaha is one of a number of Titus county farmers who are planting fruit trees this winter. He is putting in 3500 early Elbertas.

Eleven thousand pounds of sweet and bur clover seed were saved last summer and sowed last fall by farmers in Comal county. The late rains have brought the clovers up to a good stand, according to G. E. Ellinger, farm demonstration agent.

Twelve hundred feet of concrete tile are being put down in the Ennis Creek school yard for subirrigation of shrub beds and a row of trees, as a result of the success of the subirrigated relief garden in that county.

Making a fence, putting out 192 shrubs, under-planning the porch, partly adding the yard, building cobblestone walks, and moving 115 loads of dirt were some of the things Mrs. T. H. Kelly of the Baker Home Demonstration Club in Parker county did in 1934 yard improvement.

Out of Hospital
Miss Mildred Rhoden of Farmers Valley, who underwent an appendicitis operation in a Vernon hospital, was released Sunday and returned to her home.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to everyone who was so considerate and kind during the illness and at the death of our loved one. We especially appreciate the attention and kind acts administered by Dr. Lowery, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Rhee, Mrs. Guidroz, and Rev. Breedlove, as well as the many others. We want you to know we will always remember you, and pray God's blessings on everyone.

Mrs. W. M. Weaver.
C. M. Weaver and family.
Ray Weaver and family.
M. M. Weaver and family.

Poor Cotton Staple

Cotton from the 1934 crop now being brought to the gins is proving to be of a very poor quality, both in staple and seed.

COUGHING, WEAK AND THIN AFTER FLU

"I nearly died from 'flu' last October, and it left me with a terrible cough."

"I saw Milks Emulsion advertised and started using it. It helped me right from the start. I had no appetite and my stomach was in bad shape. But 12 bottles have straightened me out entirely. I eat anything without distress, my cough is gone and I have gained back my strength and flesh."—Emma Withers, Box 50, Belmont, N. C.

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INSTANT STARTING
LIGHTNING PICK-UP

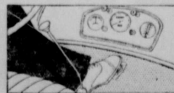
TRY THIS BETTER WAY OF STARTING YOUR CAR IN EXTREMELY COLD WEATHER

Automobile makers recommend this method of starting in cold weather, except for cars with automatic starters. Try it for a quick, easy start without danger of "flooding" by too much choking.

*If your motor does not start instantly on Special Winter-Blend Conoco Bronze Gasoline, it needs mechanical service.



1. Leave ignition OFF. Push down your clutch pedal and keep it down.



2. Open hand throttle one-third. Leaving ignition OFF, step on starter for several motor revolutions.



3. Push choke back in. Turn ignition on. Step on starter. Motor should fire instantly.



4. Warm up motor gradually. Use choke sparingly, only enough to get smooth firing.

LOOK...FARMERS!...LOOK
Three Big Days
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We are pleased to announce to the farmers of this community that we are distributors of the well and favorably known line of

Avery Farm Implements

There will be an opening display of these IMPLEMENTS at our store in Chillicothe on the above dates. Factory men will be present.

VALUABLE PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY FREE!

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CHILLICOTHE FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Chillicothe, Texas

WOMEN WHO ARE PARTICULAR PREFER

Cara Nome Cosmetics

because these fine facial products have proven far superior in giving that soft, velvety skin so much desired. Try Cara Nome at our suggestion.

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WEST TEXAS TO PLAY ITS PART IN STAGING TEXAS CENTENNIAL

Progress of This Section Shown in Amount Paid On Taxation

While West Texans, in preparing to participate in the Centennial celebrations of 1936 in commemoration of Texas' 100th birth day, realize that their section of the State shares with the remainder its antiquity, it is of the achievements of West Texas and its people within the last fifty years that they are justly proud.

An able sketch, prepared by R. C. Crane of Sweetwater, President of the West Texas Historical Association, recalls that as late as 1873 more than one-half of the State, comprising the major portion of what is known as West Texas, was recognized by the Legislature as being subject to incursions by wild Indians. Then, the Legislature, on account of continual depredations by the tribesmen upon settlers, exempted for two years from payment of poll taxes all that part of Texas west of a line running along the east side of Montague and Wise counties, along the west lines of Tarrant, Johnson, Bosque, Williams, Travis, Bays and Deas counties, and thence southward to the Rio Grande.

Thus about 138 of the present-day 254 Texas counties were located in the "Indian country," although as a matter of fact at least 74 of those 138 counties have been created since 1873. In that year there were only 32 counties organized west of the line, the balance of the region consisting of unorganized territory not created into counties.

The progress of West Texas in aiding in the upbuilding of the State perhaps is indicated best by the fact that in 1932 the fifteen counties of Potter, Taylor, Lubbock, El Paso, Val Verde, Nolan, Brown, Tom Green, Pecos, Reagan, Hutchinson, Jones, Runnels, Stephens and Wilbarger, paid more taxes than the entire state did in 1873, in which year the aggregate taxable values, according to the tax rolls, amounted to \$159,958,000 while, in 1932, the taxable values of these counties which were west of the Indian line, amounted to \$366,626,000.

In 1932, the taxable values in the fifteen counties of Armstrong, Childress, Concho, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Hall, Hardeman, Knox, Martin,

Oldham and Scurry all west of the line, aggregated \$176,428,424 and therefore paid more taxes that year than did the entire State in 1873. If the taxable values of the two groups be added together, it will be seen that the total is about \$543,054,436, or just a little less than the entire States' taxable wealth amounted to in 1882, about 50 years ago, which was \$603,060,917.

In 1887 there were 114,754,508 acres of land on the tax rolls of the State at a valuation of a little more than \$2.61 per acre. In 1932, there were 166,628,381 acres, valued at slightly in excess of \$9 per acre. The difference of more than 50,000,000 acres added to the tax rolls in that period was due almost wholly to the purchase by citizens of lands in West Texas belonging to the various school funds, which previously had not been subject to taxation.

Incidentally, over 4,000 miles of railroad have been constructed in the last 50 years in West Texas, largely by the co-operative efforts of its people and without the aid of any of the \$2,000,000 acres of lands, located mainly in West Texas and donated by the State to aid and promote railroad construction, the public domain having been exhausted before West Texas day arrived.

With Our Farm—

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ing southwest of town, has moved to Chillicothe, evidently deciding if he is to farm it has got to rain, and if it doesn't rain, then he won't farm. What rain has fallen so far would not wet a grasshopper and that don't suit Tom.

W. W. Cole of Big Valley—Medicine Mound—(the farms in Big Valley and is a banker in Medicine Mound.) was in Chillicothe one day last week, complaining of a cold. W. W. is like many more people in the state who believe changes should be made in the state Constitution, many features contained therein now obsolete.

China Press—

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probably a thousand catastrophic operations. It is the only place in the world where a doctor can do so many operations in so short a period of time.

Achievements—

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marked up before the PFA year ends on July 1. Should Chillicothe show the best state record the local chapter will be entered in the national contest to be held in Kansas City in October.

Card of thanks, obituaries are charged at the rate of 5c per line, 5 average words, to the line, tative of The News.

LARGE GAINS IN INSURANCE SHOWN BY SOUTHWESTERN

Specific Proof of Progress Revealed in Financial Statement

Of all the indices of Texas business conditions, perhaps none



Making The Home More Livable

Purposeful Lamps for Study and Reading



By Jean Penrice

OF COURSE no mother means to hurt her children's eyes or her own. Nor does Betty, away at college in the hubbub of quizzes and rushing tests, mean to injure hers.

Yet they do that very thing when they fail to provide good lighting for reading, study or sewing. And that, scientists say, is one reason why 20% of grammar school children, and 40% of college students have defective eyes. Now comes a new lamp that obligingly takes such responsibilities off mothers' and students' shoulders! You will know you are actually protecting eyesight when you use it, because it bears a tag of approval showing it meets specifications of a national scientific organization, the Illuminating Engineering Society, designating it as an "I. E. S. Study and Reading Lamp."

And what a relief such scientific approval is—when you consider that good light actually adds to the alertness and chances of success for your child. Recent comparative school room tests reveal that pupils studying under

good light are keener and more progressive than those handicapped by poor lighting. One of the nice things about the I. E. S. lamp, designs for which have been created by many leading manufacturers, is its variety of style. Whether you live in a spacious home, college dormitory or modest cottage, appropriate ones to suit every purse are available for any decorative scheme: leather chair,avenport, or on table or desk.

Several things make these lamps "kind to the eyes." The one in the large sketch at the right is scientifically the correct height for the table, 19 inches from base to bottom of shade. A glass bowl in each lamp shade directs light upward and at the same time sends well-diffused light downward, thus eliminating glare. Excellent results are attained by using a standard 100-watt bulb for which all have been designed.

A few of the many designs are indicated in the sketch at the left: a wall type fitting on a push pin, and others for floor and table. With lamps like these, Johnny and Betty have no excuse for low grades!

ready outlet for its reserves and supply funds in the mortgage loan field, and 55 per cent of its assets were invested in loans on Texas farms and city property. At the end of 1934 only 36 per cent of its assets were in mortgages, while the bond item had increased from 8 per cent to 22 per cent.

The tendency toward increasing liquidity is revealed in the larger proportion of cash and United States Government bonds, now more than five millions, or approximately 12 per cent of all assets, as compared to 8 per cent at the end of 1929. While the normal income of a legal reserve life insurance company far exceeds its normal disbursements, the companies have been called upon in recent years to meet heavy withdrawals of policy reserves or "cash values." Many millions of dollars have been loaned to Texas citizens on the security of their policies, and

doubtless many a business and family budget has been saved by these emergency funds.

President O'Donnell says that the demand for policy loans has been steadily decreasing, however, and the life companies are turning again to long-term investments. With gradual retirement from the Federal Government of the real estate loan business the companies are anticipating an improved demand for first mortgages. Properly selected Texas mortgage loans have given a good account of themselves during the depression. The Southwestern Life's figures for 1934 reveal that interest collected on real estate loans during the year yielded a return of six per cent on a total investment of more than sixteen millions. Since organization in 1903, the Company has loaned approximately forty-six millions to Texas citizens on Texas real estate.



Stronger Than Ever

On January 1, Southwestern Life filed with the Insurance Department at Austin the strongest financial statement of its history. In condensed form it appears below.

During the past year, the Company GAINED MORE THAN FIFTY MILLIONS Insurance in force, and increased its surplus by more than \$200,000.00. Southwestern Life has \$1.29 of assets for every dollar of net liability.

Gain Since 1929

While its reserve liability on all policies has increased only 31% during the past five years, the Company's capital and surplus (held for the additional protection of policyholders) have increased 45%.

Condition of the Company December 31, 1934 32nd Annual Statement

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
First Mortgage Loans on Texas Real Estate \$16,034,235.19	Legal Reserve on All Policies - - - - \$36,559.90
Home Office Building - 1,500,000.00	Reserve for Interest and Premiums Paid in Advance - - - - 424,900.00
Other Real Estate - 1,380,019.00	Reserve for Taxes - - 81,000.00
United States Government Bonds - - 2,110,734.78	Reserve for Sundry Liabilities - - - - 319,910.77
Bonds Guaranteed by U. S. Government - - 2,285,852.76	Investment Reserve Fund - - - - 250,000.00
State of Texas Bonds - 953,226.24	Surplus Funds Held for Additional Protection of Policyholders: Capital Stock \$2,000,000.00
Texas Municipal and County Bonds - - 4,601,840.26	Unassigned Funds - - 4,803,515.54
Cash in Banks - - 871,634.55	
Interest and Rents Due and Accrued - - 1,320,123.35	
Loans to Policyholders 11,782,418.68	
Net Premiums in Process of Collection - - 1,598,353.23	
Total Assets - - \$44,438,438.04	To Balance Assets - \$44,438,438.04



The Company Back of the Policy



Chillicothe Representative

W. W. BRAGG, Agent

Phone 4

Chillicothe

C. F. O'DONNELL President

Added Security No Increase in Cost

The Company operates under the Registration Law of Texas. Securities are deposited with the Insurance Commissioner of Texas, the market value of which is greater than the net liability to all policyholders.

As evidence that the required deposit is maintained, the Insurance Commissioner is required to sign the following certificate on every Southwestern Life policy:

"THIS POLICY IS REGISTERED, AND APPROVED SECURITIES EQUAL IN VALUE TO THE LEGAL RESERVE HEREON ARE HELD IN TRUST BY THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS."

LIFE INSURANCE

IN FORCE . . . \$273,485,209.00

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