

**SUPT. NORMAN SAYS
SHOULD BE MORE ACTIVE
INTEREST IN SCHOOLS**

Urges Parents To Acquaint Themselves With Work And Co-operate

The local Parent-Teacher Association will meet in its regular monthly session on the first Tuesday in February. A splendid program is being prepared for the entertainment and instruction of all who will come. The meeting will be held in the new high school building at 3:15 o'clock. As one vitally interested in the work of this organization and fully aware of its value to the public schools, and appreciative of its many services rendered so unselfishly, I wish to urge that we have a record attendance at this next meeting.

Every parent owes more to his/her child in an educational way than a financial support. Financial support is a necessary condition, but a sympathetic attitude towards the school and a working interest in the school is greatly appreciated by all school people and teachers. Parents do not often know how important is to the general school system that they may become by continuing remaining away from the school while they are in session. A child's scholarship and standing in any given subject is directly related to the same degree as his interest in that subject. The matter of developing this interest is the problem first of the teacher; and, secondly of the parent. Just as a student can not be expected to do well in a subject that he knows nothing of, just as a parent cannot be interested sympathetically in the school system

which he has no first-hand knowledge. In this connection may we say that it is practically impossible for parents to receive the complete facts about the work done in the schools through the children. It is often surprising how much credence sensible people put in this kind of evidence. Dr. Charles Eliot of Harvard University states that even

crowns-up, among their educated lawyers and doctors, cannot relate accurately an ordinary occurrence. If this be true, then what of the statements of a child, especially when influenced by fear, anger, jealousy, or the memory of some injured or real wrong. There are two very serious reasons why we cannot afford to listen too credulously to a child's stories: First, because

drawn, they are not, as a rule, capable of seeing things in their correct proportion; second, they frequently cannot see the injustice of falsehood and the injury that may result from it; therefore, they sometimes state untruths. Having done this, the fear of punishment and the natural unwillingness to confess often cause them to cling to their statement regardless of the injury this may bring to others. But referring again to the matter of educational interests, we conclude that the greatest friend

that the public schools have are those who know most about them. On the other hand we are faced with the undeniable fact that the most potentially dangerous enemy of the school system is the good citizen who guesses, or hears, or believes that there is something wrong with the system but who does not know it. Our schools do not get enough publicity.

Publicity of the right kind is a valuable asset to a person or an institution. However, unfavorable publicity spreads much faster than the better kind. Rob a bank or murder a fellow man and it is upon the air to the ends of the earth in 12 hours. Build a character or state a character in the right direction and it will scarcely be known outside the

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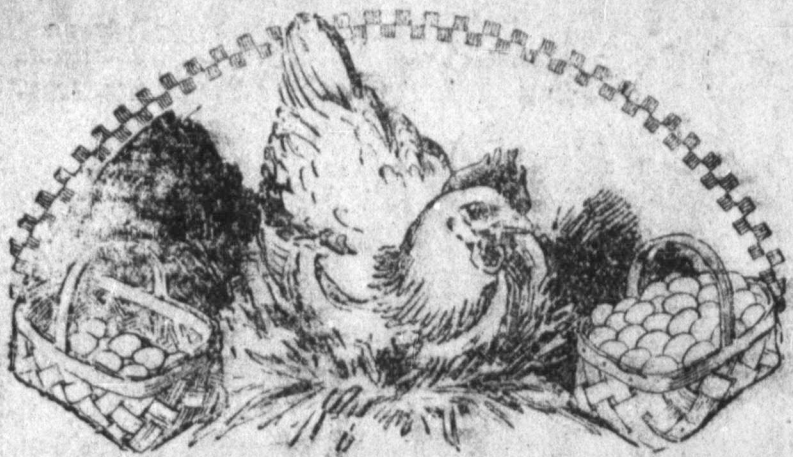
Bedford Continues

Grocery Business At Same Location

Sam Bedford, who will take over the Bedford & Broadbent grocery on Feb. 1, announces that the business will be continued at the same location in the Earnest building on East Second.

Bedford said he wishes to thank the public for the business given the firm of Bedford & Broadbua and solicited a continuance of the same. He says a complete stock of staples

Sam Bedford has lived in this county many years and has been in the grocery business here for more than a year and has built up a large trade. His friends will be glad to know he is to continue in business.



A few Eggs cost a lot— A lot of Eggs cost little

It doesn't cost those who are feeding their hens Purina Poultry Chow one single penny more to get eggs. It actually costs less! That's because it costs a lot to get a few eggs. Poor layers eat almost as much feed as heavy layers. The only kind of feed that really costs little is the feed that makes lots of extra eggs.

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**LEW CODY AT HIS
BEST IN PICTURE**

Lew Cody has undoubtedly been provided with the greatest role of his career with John M. Stahl's production, "The Gay Deceiver," from the great stage success, the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture which is at the Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. The role fits as if tailored for him. It is a radical departure from the light comedy stuff he has been doing until recently, things like "An Exchange of Wives," "His Secretary," "Monte Carlo," and others. It provides a wide range of dramatic expression and full play in the whimsical, exact style that is so distinctly his own. Cody is a delightful artist who will be enjoyed in every foot of film in which he appears in this picture. None of his admirers can afford to miss him, and those who don't know his work should hurry to get acquainted.

**"THE GAY DECEIVER"
AT PALACE MON.-TUES.**

"The Gay Deceiver," John M. Stahl's production from the stage for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, which will be at the Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 31, Feb. 1, marks the return to the screen of Dorothy Phillips. Since the death of her husband, Allan Holubar, she has been in virtual retirement. She has a wonderful part in a cast that includes Lew Cody, Marceline Day, Day Dr. Aron, McVann McGregor and Carmel Myers.

VICTORIA: The 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCurdy of Sadriff, Colquhoun county, has developed a violent case of hydrophobia as the result of having been bitten by a mad dog two years ago. Physicians held little hope for recovery of the girl, who had been given the Pasteur treatment shortly after the bite.

New Gym Helps Basket Ball, 3 Games Scheduled

The inspiration afforded by the new gymnasium, one of the best high school gymnasiums in the state, has added greatly to the interest of the fast developing sport of basketball in Colorado high school and town. The Colorado Wolves who fought so valiantly for the district title last year under the tutelage of Coach Cantrell, are looking even more formidable this year. With a good return of letter men beginning where they left off last year, rapid progress has been made in rounding into shape what appears to be a strong contender for district honors.

Letter men of last year who returned to the color this season are Dorn, forward; McCurry, guard and captain; Thomas, forward; Hart, guard; Van Zandt, guard. New men on the squad are: Fuller, Rice, Porter, L. Smith, Powell, Haines, Pond, Whisenant. A valuable asset to the team is big Irvin Lawless who entered from Center, Texas, in September. This big fellow is a clean player and hard-worker. He rose high for the big tip off and rings up many difficult shots.

The team to date has played three games, winning them all. "The local team" of the Col-Tex Refining company, composed of former college letter men, have been the victims of a brace of encounters. While only Tuesday night of this week a burl team of Plovers from Roscoe high school tasted bitter defeat from the Wolves by the top-heavy score of 43-13. These same teams will meet again on the local court Friday night. The Roscoe girls' team proved a better machine than the Colorado girls could muster and their superior team work returned them victor 26-9 in the preliminary. They will return tonight for more laurels and the local queens hope to turn tables.

The Wolves will meet the Lorraine high school Bulldogs in a series of three games on the local court for the county championship, beginning next Tuesday night. These will be among the hardest games scheduled for the Wolves as the Bulldogs are always hot against the Wolves. Dates will be announced soon for game with Abilene and Stamford. These latter two teams were district winners and runners-up respectively last year and are presumed to be good.

Football fans and lovers of good sport will enjoy these games played upon the floor of a standard gymnasium. A number of headliners will be on the line tonight with the Plovers.

SAN ANTONIO: Alejandro P. Carr, Mexican consul general of Mexico said he had no comment to make on the action of Wilkey county grand jury in dismissing charges against eight officers or former officers in connection with the San Antonio killings of four Mexicans and an Australian.

CORPUS CHRISTI: Mrs. Lorraine Jones Sponte, daughter of land owner and cattleman, has been elected president of the Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce.

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PRESIDENT BAR ASS'N SAYS WIDE REFORM IN COURT ACTION NEEDED

Recommendations of Trial
Judges Given Emphasis
In His Article

T. W. DAVIDSON

President Texas Bar Association

"We are in the midst of a crime wave."

"You can't convict the criminal who has friends and money to hire a good lawyer."

"The rich criminal has a great advantage over the poor criminal."

"Our laws are not enforced."

"Too many guilty men go free."

Remarks of the above character are heard every day. In fact, it has become fixed in the mind of the citizen that a man with money need not be punished. This is not at all true, but the almost universal belief that it is doubtless tends to increase crime. Unfortunately it is often true. It is a pity that it is true.

As to the penal code, enumerating the things that are lawful and those that are unlawful, the layman holds the same relation as the lawyer. This is true with the statutes generally as far as they deal with the substantive law, but when it comes to the rules and regulations of the practice and court procedure, this is something in which the lawyer is peculiarly interested, and something for which he is particularly responsible. If it is to be improved, the duty of producing such improvement rests primarily with the bar of Texas.

The State Bar Association feels this responsibility, and will present a program to the next legislature, not to change the law, in any radical sense, but seeking to improve its administration.

Some of the measures to be presented to the legislature by the special committee on judicial reform will be embodied in the following proposals which have been made up from suggestions made by the special committee on remedial procedure of the American Bar Association, and adopted by the Texas Bar Association. Let me say here by the way of parenthesis, that the trial judge carries a grave responsibility. He is, in many particulars, the most powerful administrative officer in the nation, and his recommendations should not be treated lightly. A member of the committee on judicial reform addressed indiscriminately a number of judges throughout the state asking this one question:

"What three things in your mind will do most toward improving our criminal practice?"

The answers to this question have supplied probably a dozen of the following propositions, several of which will be presented by the Texas Bar Association as a part of its recommendation for the reform of criminal procedure of Texas:

1. That no case should be reversed for an error which manifestly did no injury to the defendant.

2. The court should qualify the jury instead of permitting the lawyers to do so, and thereby indirectly begin the argument before the introduction of evidence, allowing, of course, the attorney for either side to request that the jury be qualified by the court with reference to any proper matter.

3. Allow the state to amend an indictment where the name of the injured party is incorrectly written, or where some clerical error occurs, providing, of course, that the same shall not operate to the injury or surprise of the defendant.

4. Amend Article 710 of the criminal procedure so as to permit the defendant to testify in his own behalf as he now does, but eliminate that portion which forbids the attorneys to comment upon it or the jury to discuss it.

5. Where several defendants are indicted for an offense growing out of the same transaction, the right of severance, that is, to be tried separately, shall be purely within the discretion of the court, and each of the defendants shall be allowed to testify in the case, thereby saving delays and much complication and great deal of expense to the state.

6. Where more than one offense under the statute is committed in the same transaction, that there be no separate indictment for each offense, but that each offense shall constitute a separate count in the same indictment.

7. Where a sheriff shall knowingly investigation, accept an insufficient bond, he shall be held liable thereon as though he were one of the sureties.

8. That the suspended sentence be available only upon a plea of guilty. That is to say that a defendant shall not be permitted to enter a plea of not guilty before a jury and then say to them, "I swear to you I am innocent, but if you think I am guilty, then I want you to suspend the sentence." The attitude of the defendant should be either one of not guilty from the start or one of throwing himself upon the mercy of the court. (This suggestion has met with opposition, but it seems to me personally that it is based upon sound logic. Jehovah never went about forgiving people until there was repentance and confession, and why should the law be asked to do more?)

9. Abolish the degree of manslaughter, and let every man charged with the intentional taking of human life be tried for the offense of murder, letting the penalty include the present penalty for manslaughter. (This proposition is very strongly urged by Judge Phipps, of one of the criminal district courts of Dallas county. He correctly says that a large per cent of cases reversed by the court of criminal appeals is due to errors committed by the trial court in attempting to properly present the law of manslaughter to the jury. If the court has had occasion to listen to the juror's charge in the subject of murder, he will recall that in some cases, practically one-half of its contents dealt with the application of the facts to the law of manslaughter. These long definitions often confuse the jury who are conscious only of the fact that they are trying a man for killing his fellow creature. Most convictions for manslaughter are after all only compromised verdicts wherein the lower penalty has been administered. This same opportunity of the jury to compromise can be had, and the defendant in no sense suffer thereby, at the labor of the trial court will be greatly diminished and the number of reversals of murder cases could probably be cut 25 per cent.)

10. Let the jury pass upon the guilt or innocence of the defendant, and let the court fix the punishment as is now the practice in the federal court. (This recommendation would overcome the wide difference in the amount of punishment now administered. For instance, the jury in one case gave Mayor Collier three years; another jury gave his wife for the same offense ten years. I have seen, as we all have, men frequently tried for one offense and receive a life sentence, and upon a subsequent trial upon the same statement of facts receive only a five-year penalty. And, so, the court is better able to administer this punishment, because he passes upon hundreds of cases, where the juror may pass on only one in a lifetime.)

11. Amend the law on the change of venue so that the court may in its discretion select and import a jury from another county instead of transferring the case with all the witnesses to some distant place, the argument being that it would be better, for instance, to bring a jury to Fort Worth than it would be to take the city of Fort Worth to Austin in the trial of an important criminal case.

12. In capital cases, let preliminary motions, like that of severance and change of venue, be made at the time the case is being set rather than at the time it is called for trial. This practice will not only save many delays, but save the state multiplied thousands of dollars.)

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To the following recommendations I would add—

14. The twofold a defendant incompete a plea of insanity that the same jury that passes upon his guilt or innocence should also pass on his sanity, and if they find him insane that he should be sentenced to serve a term in a home for the criminal insane instead of being turned loose upon the public.

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CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. M. Thomas is our superintendent. A splendid attendance last Sunday, regardless of the weather.

Sermon and worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 5 p. m. Prayer Band at 6:45 p. m.

Come and worship with us. We will be glad to see you.

Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Notice the change of hour from 7 o'clock.

Some one has said that "The morning congregation indicates the popularity of the church, the evening hour the popularity of the pastor, and the Wednesday evening prayer meeting the popularity of Christ Jesus."

What do you think about it? Come to all these services and bring your friends.

W. M. ELLIOTT, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

All services will be on regular schedule next Lord's day. The subject at the evening hour will be of interest, "The Correct Pattern."

We invite you to be with us.

If our plans materialize I will be at Vincent next Sunday for the morning and afternoon for a "Fifth Sunday meeting," but will fill my pulpit at the evening Gospel service as you will note.

J. D. HARVEY, Minister.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The interest in the First Baptist church continues to grow. In the last three Sundays there have been 14 additions, and new pupils being reported in Sunday school each Sunday.

We are well pleased with the way the work is starting off. Every one should do his or her best to make the church services attractive and interesting to our young folks.

The B. Y. P. U. is on the up grade and should have all the encouragement possible to make it grow. Our young people are the hope of the future and the best we can do for them is to train them for their place in the church life.

Every person, whether a member of the church or not, owes it to themselves and their friends to attend church and Sunday school. No one would want to live in a town or community where there was no Christian influence. To be fair in this matter each one should join in and create this Christian atmosphere we all love so devoutly. Come with us.

D. W. MORGAN, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

A good day Sunday outside of the fact we let Big Spring walk away with us.

Sunday school at 9:45. Be in your place.

Preaching at 10:55. Subject, "A Magnanimous Proposal."

At the evening hour, the Junior will give a beautiful pageant play, Come and you will be pleased.

Enworth League at 6:30 p. m. We have room and a welcome. Our music is good. Place—easy to find and easy to like.

M. M. BEAVERS, Pastor.

**PRICES ARE LOWERED
BY CHEVROLET CO**

Reductions in the prices of Chevrolet closed cars and addition of many improvements to the cars were announced Saturday by the Chevrolet dealers.

The price reductions in the closed models range from \$20 to \$50. The open cars are offered with balloons and disc wheels at only slightly higher prices than the former open models without such equipment.

Embodied in the new line, which goes on display throughout the country this week, are hosts of improvements, many of which were found hitherto only in larger and more costly cars. The economies of tremendous volume production have made possible the marks of distinction which individualize the new line, according to a factory statement.

New Model Added

The new cars are mechanically finer, entirely new body lines, smarter in appearance, complete equipment and outstanding in the display of colors. Seven models, five closed and two open cars, comprise the line. One model, a rakish, beautiful sport cabriolet, has been added.

Some of the standard features of the new models are as follows: Air cleaner, oil filter, balloon tires, bullet-type head-lamps and cow-lamps, newly designed radiator shell, one-piece full-crown fenders, heavier running boards, larger steering wheel, new instrument panel, new tire carrier assembly and co-incidental ignition and steering lock.

Beauty and refinement has been stressed in the design. Appointments have been catered to with a thoroughness that promises to please the most fastidious motorist. The new line has been built to establish a new standard in the low price field, it was announced.

You will find large stock of Plover Points and Buster Bottoms at PRICE BROS.

HOUSTON: Sewall Meyer, and Albert Cole, defeated candidate for mayor, were fined \$1 and costs, a total of \$11.20, by Justice of the Peace Overstreet Monday when they pleaded guilty through their attorneys to charges of affray. They had a fight on New Year's day.

Theatre

PALACE

Fri. and Sat., January 28-29

The Regular Scout

Starring Fred Thompson and Silver King, the wonder horse. A big western outdoor picture. Also

Adventures of Mazie.

Mon. and Tues., Jan. 31, Feb. 1

The Gay Deceiver

Starring Carmel Myers, Dorothy Phillips, Lew Cody and Roy D'Arcy. A big comedy-drama. Do not miss it. Also an Educational Comedy.

Wed. and Thurs., Feb. 2-3

Say It Again

Starring Richard Dix. His newest and best picture, even better than The Age of Cad, so don't miss it.

Also News and Fables.

Fri. and Sat., Jan. 28-29

Red Hot Hoofs

Starring Tom Tyler and his Pals in a big Western special. Also a good Comedy.

Mon. and Tues., Jan. 31, Feb. 1</

Examination Papers Are Food For Laughs

The green race is principal among mankind, organisms indigenous to temperate zone are found mostly the tropics, old-Mother Earth shivering when subterranean fires barn out, quakes, and bobbed hair and skirts are conveniences not even 25 years ago, according to students of Colorado, who must think of an exotic old world a jolly-turkey after all.

Darwinian expoundings appear to be of minor importance to a generation accustomed to reading of "easiness" and her experiences, for a local high school junior was asked to inquire at the library desk

for "Oranges and Peaches," when she had been told to get "The Origin of Species."

Rare is the child who has not decided that "pigment" surely refers to pigs when met with an agglomeration of words following a "define" in the examination list or one who has not reverted to phonetic spelling when baffled with "scissors" or "bloody." And, hoping that teacher will give him something for trying, almost every student has at some time drawn upon his imagination and created whole armies to devastate mythical lands and peoples.

Even Teachers Smile

All of which cause the proverbially somber teachers to giggle up their pedagogical sleeves and hunt in the same profession to share with them the ludicrous information.

As the flowers that bloom in the spring, true, la, age has nothing to do with the thing as the "bone" book compiled by the State Department of Education with excerpts from teachers' examination papers indicates. And, although this happened in the first grade, it might have been somewhere else:

General Test Held

The teacher decided to divert from the regular lesson and test the general knowledge of her students. "Who is the president of the United States?" she queried, whereupon doubtful hands waved and guesses were made from the most prominent murderer to the mayor of the city. Finally one youngster had an inspiration and cried, "It's Adam," to be met with scornful rebuffs from a future suffragette, who exclaimed, "I know better, it's Eve."

"Tell all you can about Nero," read a test question and the enigmatical answer was, "The less said about Nero the better."

Right, Anyway

Name six animals of the frigid zone," was another question and a student wrote, "Three polar bears and three seals." Another student said that the cause of the war of 1842 was that the British wanted to prey on the American ships.

"Seal a little bit of longitude and some latitude up in a bottle and set it adrift in the ocean. The place that this bottle is picked up will determine the direction of the ocean current," wrote one small boy in an examination and a little girl, upon being asked to enumerate some of the provisions of the treaty following the Spanish-American war, said that,

since provisions had run low during the war, it was necessary to order more for the treaty.

Wouldn't Buy Ticket

A high school English teacher this fall asked her freshmen students to write themes upon, "My first impressions of high school life," and it was with some dismay that she read in one of them: "During the first few days of school a boy tried to sell me a ticket to the artist's course, but since I cannot draw a straight line without using a ruler, I declined to buy it."

Twins, whose surname is Black, are attending a local school. One of them engaged in fistfights with another little boy and the latter was called into consultation by the principal. In seeking facts in the case, the principal said, "Now, as I understand it, you have been fighting with a little Black boy."

"Oh, no," hastily interposed the lad, "He isn't black, he's just kinda speckled."

All Kinds of Folks

The principal races of mankind, according to a despairing geography student, are the white, yellow, black, red, green and tan. And another volunteered the information that a Republican is a sinner mentioned in the Bible.

Intending to say that transpiration is a menace to the plant, a botany disciple wrote that transpiration is a minister to the plant, and another student on this same subject wrote, "The red algae are found mostly in the tropics, while very few are found in the torrid zone. They are adapted mostly to cold climates."

Dangerous Stuff

A boy was telling of the harmful effects of nicotine and, in an effort to convince his hearers of the evil, said that a drop placed on the end of a dog's nose would kill a man instantly.

Feeling that perhaps her pupils thought of history in an abstract manner, a teacher was taking much time in explaining to her students that the incidents of history actually happened and have a bearing upon present day problems and activities when an interested pupil asked: "Is history still happening?"

This same teacher told her pupils of the chain of early Spanish forts in the southern section of the United States and had insisted that the children learn the location of the various places, saying that the Spaniards had planned a road to connect them, running from San Augustine, Fla., to the Pacific coast.

On an examination she asked the students to locate Fort San Antonio, and one boy wrote: "San Antonio is in Southwest Texas, on the San Antonio river on the war path."

"Did you get those history questions on the test today," a junior high school girl asked and her companion answered, "Yes, it's the answers I missed." And that's most assuredly that!

Baylor Wreck Recalls Perdue Wreck; Local Man in Latter

The recent wreck in which ten Baylor boys were killed when a train struck their bus, recalls the fearful railroad wreck of Perdue University special train a number of years ago when 17 were killed and 42 injured. J. L. Pidgeon, who at that time was head of the Perdue University band, was on the second section of the Perdue train which was entering the city limits of Indianapolis, Ind., when the first section met a freight train in head-on collision and killed 17 of the Perdue men.

Perdue University had hired two special trains to carry them from Lafayette to Indianapolis where a football game was to be played on Oct. 31, 1903, the day the wreck occurred.

Pidgeon had charge of the band on the second section of the train, which piled up on top of the first section when the freight was hit, and every instrument in the 40-piece band except Pidgeon's tuba, trombone was smashed beyond use. Pidgeon's horn was saved and he now has the same horn and he has used it in practice and playing with the Colorado band for the past several years.

Pidgeon has several pictures of the Perdue wreck which he has posted at his service station, corner Third and Walnut, and many citizens have called to see them since the Baylor wreck.

Pidgeon says the Baylor wreck served to call to his memory the fearful sights following the Perdue wreck which was the worst wreck of the kind in history.

2,200 Cars Registered; 1,200 More Sheriff Says

According to Sheriff R. E. Gregory there are about 1,200 cars in Mitchell county that have not been registered for 1927. Up to Wednesday night about 2,200 number plates had been issued by the collector's office. Sheriff Gregory estimates that the county will be about 2,500 cars registered this year, which leaves 1,200 or 1,300 cars to be registered.

HOUSTON—Mrs. Freda Deiter, 40, found dead in bed at a hospital here with a sheet tied tightly around her neck. She was being treated for melancholia and the coroner returned a verdict of suicide.

Here is News That Will Interest Every Woman in Colorado

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SHALL THE RURAL SCHOOLS OF TEXAS BE DESTROYED

The following letter from the Brazoria County Common School Trustees is self-explanatory:

To All Friends of Education: Shall the rural schools of Texas be destroyed? \$60,000 was appropriated for an educational survey of Texas and what have we after two years of search? Mostly a copy of laws from other states.

We wonder how many rural teachers in Texas were consulted. But of course they have not the intelligence to pass on matters pertaining to their schools. City teachers and college professors know more of rural conditions than the actual teachers (?)

We believe in legislation to help rural schools and not to destroy them or curtail their powers. Let the rural people control their own schools. The proposed law by the survey would put all power into a county board, the trustees of a common school district will sign on the dotted line.

We want schools that will educate rural children of their homes and not cut them off from city schools and influence them with a jelly-beanism and happy-go-luckyism. We have too many soda water jeremiads walking the streets now.

A report from all over the State from rural educators, county super-

intendents and others show an overwhelming opposition to the proposed laws. If you want to see them get in touch with our secretary, Supt. E. H. Bushacker, 2814 North Gundlup street, Austin, Texas, who is a rural teacher and an ex-serviceman of the fighting 90th and still fighting for democracy. The rural school is the only place where the true voice of democracy can still be heard.

We have proof that in some places the county board, where the independent districts control the board, have destroyed the rural schools and the city schools are crowded to such an extent that the little tots from the country have to crowd about town hall of the day, exposed to dangers. Oh, give us a law that will protect the rural district!

We knew we are up against a hard proposition, because money has been allotted from school children all over the State to help get the proposed laws enacted. All rural children who contributed bought the rope to hang themselves with.

All we ask is this: Get a copy of the Educational Survey Report and study it. That's all.

We heartily endorse the four-squarable plan advocated by Farm and Ranch and the able work of Mr. E. Stockard.

Any one who wishes to cooperate with us, call on our secretary, address above.

We also oppose any legislation that

will increase the tax burden. THE COMMITTEE, Brazoria County Common School Trustees.

MILLINER GOES TO EASTERN MARKETS

Mrs. D. C. Haynes, milliner at the F. M. Burns Dry Goods Co., left this week for the eastern markets to purchase new and up-to-date millinery stock for her store. She will be gone about two weeks, and Mrs. W. E. Reid will have charge of her place while Mrs. Haynes is in market.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been granted in Mitchell county since last week's report: Warren Williams and Laddell Kniffel.

NOTICE

All members of Mitchell County Fair Association urged to be present at Chamber of Commerce at 2:30 p. m., Saturday, January 29th, very important business to be transacted. J. H. KITCHEN, Secy.

DALLAS: Captain William Henry Garton, 56, banker and prominently identified with the development of Dallas, is dead.

TEXAS NEWS BOILED DOWN

GALVESTON: Mrs. Andrew Mammola, 51, is dead, her daughter, Josephine, 15, seriously burned, and the husband and father, suffering from burned arms and hands as the result of the explosion of an open car used by them at Hiltzheim Monday.

ABILENE: Governor and Mrs. Dan Morris have moved into the executive mansion.

RAYMONDVILLE: Charges against eight officers of Wilbrey county, accused of the death of five men of disputed nationality, were here last September, were dismissed.

SHARLOT: City health department Monday closed all churches, and other public gatherings, because of an effort to stop the spread of small pox here. Since the case was closed, all children have been vaccinated, about fifty cases of the disease are now reported, but the situation under the health officer's eye.

COLONY

A NEW LIQUID FOR COLDS AND FLU GIVES PROMPT RELIEF SOLD AT ALL DRUG STORES

W. W. WHIPKEY IS GIVEN CONSIDERATION FOR HIGHWAY COMMISSION

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the governor's decision will be awaited with keen interest here.

ABILENE, Texas, Jan. 27.—Judge Ben Russell of Baird and W. W. Whipkey, Colorado engineer—were urged upon Governor Dan Moody yesterday for appointment to the state highway commission. The third member, whom Governor Moody has declared he wishes to be an engineer or contractor with experience in road construction, is yet to be named. Come Johnson, Tyler attorney, and R. S. Sterling, Houston business man, have already been appointed.

Representative E. C. Cummings of Abilene said today in Austin, following a conference between Governor Moody and a delegation of West Texas legislators headed by Homer Waile, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, that the delegation asked that the third commissioner "come from within a one hundred mile radius of Sweetwater."

The delegation asked Mr. Moody to name a West Texan as the third commissioner. Cato Sells of Fort Worth is in Austin and has been mentioned as the third member. Mr. Moody is reported to have asked the delegation whether Sells would be acceptable and to have received the reply that he would "if he has the interests of West Texas at heart."

Mr. Moody Wednesday submitted to the senate for confirmation the names of Mr. Sterling and Mr. Johnson. Sterling will be chairman of the board, succeeding Eugene T. Smith, and would serve six years. Johnson would succeed George Robertson and serve four years.

The names were referred to the committee on nominations and likely will not be acted upon until the third member is named. All indications are that they will be confirmed without a dissenting vote.—Abilene Morning News.

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SUPT. NORMAN SAYS SHOULD BE MORE ACTIVE INTEREST IN SCHOOLS

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public school systems. The mistakes of school boards are magnified. How often we hear the expression, "If I were on the board I would do this or that way." And, "If I were superintendent I would do this and so." Or if teacher "I would use different tactics." A little bit of learning on a subject may often make us mad. It may cause us to presume that we know more about the other fellow's work than he has been able to learn in many years of experience and application. School boards make mistakes and will admit it. Superintendents, principals and teachers make many mistakes and will admit it. These people can not herd every wish of every patron, and all intelligent people know this. Every citizen should conceive a good motive and fair qualifications to those in charge of education and lend a sympathetic spirit of cooperation to make mountains from mole-hills.

What has been said is not by way of criticizing anyone in particular. We do not wish to state that there is not enough active interest in the public schools of our town. This would be interpreted by some as meaning that things were moving harmoniously and well and that the patrons were passively satisfied. This is probably true, but while the patrons are thus sitting at ease, the critics are at work. They are in every district. They do not come to the school house nor meet those they accuse face to face. As the one employed by the board to listen to grievances against teachers, or in any connection with the schools, there has been not more than a half dozen patrons approach the superintendent with a grievance in two years. I believe this to be a record.

The superintendent is responsible to the board, to the parents and to the children to get the best service from the teachers for the public that they are capable of rendering. This is accomplished by different superintendents by various means. The superintendent regards himself as neither parent nor teacher, or as both. He stands between the two for the benefit of the child. If your child is failing in his work the teacher does not have time nor energy to sit down and write the parents full details as to the reasons why. In such cases a friendly meeting between teacher and parent has accomplished great good in hundreds of cases within the writer's experience. We do not wish to abuse an old expression, but "teachers are human" after all. The hardest hours of a teacher and those which bring her to premature gray hairs are not the ones spent in laboring over the three R's during school hours—although these would ruin the patience of most parents, but they are the

long and wakeful hours of the night spent in worry over cutting criticism that have reached her and which she can never correct. The writer wishes to be understood that he admits that many teachers are called but few chosen who are "born" teachers. Every town has two or three. With salaries of \$75 a month and two-thirds of it for room and board, not to mention clothes, summer schools, books, magazines and incidentals, we can not expect better than average teachers. This, we claim to have, and the work will stand up anywhere in the country as being average standard work. The person who does not have sympathetic spirit and attitude toward the teaching profession, with all the teachers' faults included, it not fit for a place of trust in the school system, and will always be the progress of character building as based upon education which enables one to distinguish between right and wrong and gives him the power of will to act accordingly.

LOCAL TELEGRAPH MGR. WANTS BETTER SERVICE

Mr. J. O. Wolf, Colorado manager of the Western Union Telegraph company, has just returned from a conference in Dallas at which several of the officials of the company's New York office were present. One of the chief topics of discussion was the growing demand made by the public for suggestions as to how the telegraph can be used in the solution of specific business problems. In the old days people merely called upon the telegraph company and asked for rates but now they call it for what it is, in effect, merchandising counsel. It is to further the rendering of such assistance that conferences of this sort are being held in various parts of the country.

Time was when telegrams were used only in emergencies but now conditions are changed. Telegrams are now not only used in emergencies but are becoming a part of every day business and social life. Business men use them to route salesmen, to make sales, to collect delinquent accounts, to answer inquiries, and for many other purposes in the conduct of everyday affairs, and their wives use them to invite guests to their social functions.

Among uses of the telegraph discussed at the conference were the money transfer service and the use of the telegraph as a vacation necessity. Business men keep their representatives on the road supplied with cash by the use of the money transfer service, make payment of goods with the order in the same way, use the service for sending cash with bills on work and in various other ways. Many business men take paid of telegraph blanks with them on their vacation. They use them to telegraph ahead for reservations at hotels, to remember the home folks by letting them know of their safe arrival, of their itinerary, and by sending Dad and Mother greetings on their birthdays, to keep in touch with the office during their absence, to pay the rent and insurance problems, and for many other purposes.

COUNTY COURT GRINDS OUT JUSTICE TO MANY

Twenty-seven misdemeanor cases have been heard and six felony cases bound over to the grand jury, as a result of the meeting out of justice in the county court this month. Most of the misdemeanor cases were for cold checking, County Attorney Geo. H. Mahon reports.

A large number of speeders have been fined on pleas of guilty in Justice W. S. Stoneham's court.

Carl Swatter of Colorado, old-time Indian fighter who is drawing a pension now from his former activities in Indian fighting, was adjudged insane in county court Wednesday.

Ruben Rushin of Westbrook, 16-year-old boy, was given a sentence of from one to five years in the reformatory at Gatesville on a burglary charge.

John Grosh of Westbrook, father of nine children, was given sixty days on the county road for a charge of deserting his wife and children. In a verdict in equity court rendered on Wednesday by Judge Thompson.

Five half-brother boys were given suspended sentences on charges of party party and three parents have them in good chapering in the presence of the court Wednesday.

OIL ACTIVITIES CONTINUE NEW LOCATIONS ARE MADE

Announcement has been made that the Magnolia Petroleum company is planning a new casing head gasoline plant to be located in the Chalk field. This plant will likely be more of a booster plant to furnish fuel for the operators and pipe lines, and will likely take the gas of other companies.

A new 3,000 foot test will be made by Paul C. Teas on the Strain farm in the northeast quarter of section 82, block 97, H. & T. C. survey in northern Mitchell county.

R. P. Pein's Edwards No. 1 in section 11, block 34, Glasscock county, has been located and a 3,500 foot test will be made.

Additional evidence of the increased activity of this section is seen in the Kokana Petroleum company check-boarding around all the Marland Oil company's holdings in Howard county. Up to date they have about 900 acres leased and will probably continue until they have obtained several thousand. At the same time Hill & Roebuck of Wichita Falls have checker-boarded Howard county with about 1,000 acres in leases. All of this means that this section is in the limelight and a great deal of testing and defining will be carried out.

Fun Program At High School Gets O. K. Of Patrons

The fun and farce program staged at the high school auditorium last Friday evening was one of the most unique ever seen here and E. M. attracted undivided attention of all the patrons in attendance.

The program was staged for benefit of the high school library and the attendance was large.

Impersonation of fifteen local citizens by as many high school students was one of the most enjoyable features, and was received with a roar of laughter. A number of other entertainment features were given, all of which were of a fun-making nature and received by the audience as such.

Members of the school board were shown in "regular session" and the characteristic poses brought forth a roar of applause.

Probably the main feature of the program was the "liar's convention," participated in by representatives from a number of civic organizations of Colorado. Col. C. M. Adams represented the Lions club; J. Riordan the Chamber of Commerce; Dr. T. J. Ratliff represented the physicians; Rev. M. M. Beavers, the Ministerial association; Mrs. A. L. Whipkey, the Civic league; Mrs. Jimmie Charlton, the Shakespeare club, and Mrs. J. G. Merritt, the Self Culture. Each of the speakers extolled the claims of their organization and their undertakings, or some big "lie" or another.

H. L. Hutchinson, W. R. Morgan and Mrs. E. J. Wallace were the judges in this liar's contest and they awarded first prize to Col. C. M. Adams, and second prize to J. Riordan and third prize to Mrs. Jimmie Charlton.

The first prize was a small black puppy which was presented to the Colonel by little Miss Thomas, daughter of Chester Thomas.

The high school rendered music and gave several beautiful selections. The high school quartet gave two numbers and a member of the quartet gave a solo and encore that was loudly applauded.

Miss Elizabeth Terrell and charge of the latter part of the program, staged by the high school students, and this was highly appreciated by the audience.

High School Lyceum Number Promises Much

The next number of the Lyceum course, secured by the high school and the P. T. A., which will be given at the new high school auditorium next Tuesday evening, February 2, promises to be one of the best numbers heard here, according to local citizens who are sponsors of this event.

The number will be the De Wille Concert company, featuring DeWille Semerau and his concertina grande. The company is said to be in a class to itself as one of the most unique companies in concert work. The concertina grande is an instrument that approaches the piano organ in tone qualities, and DeWille is one of the world's recognized masters of this instrument. He has been engaged in all lines of professional concert work and has alone taken the place of an entire concert company through a season of summer Chautauques.

La Naomi Coffin, the violinist, for ten years a pupil of the famed Tintinelli, has in four years, Lyceum and Chautauque, forced to the front rank the violin. She is also an accomplished pianist.

More than half of the program of the DeWille Concert company consists of ensemble music and the variety is unusual and appealing. Mr. DeWille also gives a group of imitations of birds and animals and familiar musical instruments play several of the most popular songs of the day with voice and piano, and also plays the piano for some of the solo numbers of the other two members of his company.

Following these three artists in one evening gives us the DeWille Concert company one of the most satisfactory attractions we have ever enjoyed.

Special invitation is extended to every one to attend. Those holding season tickets will be admitted on these Others will pay 25c for children and 50c for adults. Funds go to the high school annual fund.

Stockholders Of Fair Assn. Meet Saturday

J. H. Greene, secretary of the Mitchell County Fair association, has called a meeting of the association members and stockholders to meet at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to discuss the future plans of the association and the revenue every one interested in the fair association to be present at the meeting.

The fair association two years ago bought a 40-acre tract of land adjoining the city limits on the northwest and had planned to erect exhibit buildings and other improvements there, and the meeting Saturday will discuss the advisability of going ahead with the plans, or sell the land at a loss and disband. According to Secretary Greene, the association should do one or the other, and he asks that those interested be present at the meeting Saturday and give their views.

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FOR RENT—A good five-room stucco house, with bath, breakfast room and basement, all modern plumbing. North Colorado. See M. L. WATSON. 1tc

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FOR RENT—On third and fourth, a good farm of 300 acres. About 100 acres old land, balance new land. Tractor broke. Want family able to work and gather big crop. Might rent to right kind of man on halves. See or write to H. H. Van Zandt, at Hyman, Texas. 1tp

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FOR SALE—One Underwood Portable Typewriter, good condition. 1tc C. R. EARNST.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn Cockrels bought of M. Johnson as baby chicks in May, \$1.50 each. Witt Hines, C. P. Conoway's ranch, Westbrook. 1tc

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FOR SALE—Four burner Neuo Perfect Oil Cook Stove, as good as new. Will sell or trade. C. W. Igichart, at East Side Market. 1tp

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FOR SALE—\$1700 Below cost, new brick residence. Will take in rent property not to exceed \$2500. James R. Porter. 1tp

BRAND new Underwood typewriter for sale at wholesale cost, also one dandy used Woodstock cheap, both on terms if desired. See W. E. Reid, at Record office. 1-2Bp

FOR SALE—A good Ford roadster, with truck bed, 1926 engine. New tires and in good condition. Will sell at a bargain. See D. C. Russell at Hamlet's Candy Store. 1-2Bp

FOR TRADE—Good 4-wheel trailer. Will trade for wide-tire wagon. Call phone 518-W. L. Bowen. 2-4p

HATCHING EGGS FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds and Buff Orpingtons. At Colorado Poultry Show on three entries of Buff Orpingtons I won first cockerel, 1st pullet, 1st and grand champion pen. On the Reds I won 1st young pen, 2nd pullet. Eggs \$3.00 per setting of 15. \$15.00 per 100. Phone 25, or see T. N. Morgan at Williams & Morgan gin. 1tp

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WANTED—To buy walking middle buster. Must be in good condition and worth the money. See J. H. Greene.

HELP WANTED

Collector, male or female for part time work, making monthly collections in Colorado. 18 per cent commission paid. \$200 real estate bond required. (no cash).—Periodical Publishers Service Bureau, 317 Simpson Bldg., Dallas Texas. 1-24-c

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Will buy any part or all of 100 tons of Maize for cash. Colorado Produce Co., Phone 395. 1tc

SEWING WANTED

I would appreciate a share of your sewing of all kinds. Phone 155. 1tc MRS. M. S. WERT.

CAR WANTED

Have some dandy city lots in Colorado to trade for second-hand car. See 1tp EMBEL & WOOD.

NOTICE

I now have plenty milk. If there is any one not getting plenty of sweet milk, just phone 906. 2-18c A. D. FREDDY.

FARM WANTED

Have client who wants good farm home for himself and will trade some dandy good brick business property in Colorado for the right place, give or take difference. See W. E. Reid at Record office. 1-2Bp

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LOST—One 33x5.77 Speed Buil Firestone Tire and Disc Wheel, between Big Spring and Colorado. Return and receive reward. HENRY LEWIS, Colorado-Big Spring Bus Line. 1tp

\$10.00 REWARD for information leading to recovery of mink Walker bound, slender built, black and white, tan ears, 18 months old. Lost December 22, at that time wearing collar bearing W. R. Davis, Box 950, Sterling City, Texas. 2-4p

MISCELLANEOUS

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POSTED—My pasture 25 miles southwest of Colorado on Beal's Creek also Robert Lee road known as Gay's pasture, are posted according to law and I positively will not allow any kind of wood hauling or trespassing of any kind. Better stay out. F. L. TERRY. 1tc

POSTED—All my lands are posted according to law. No hunting, wood hauling or trespassing allowed. Please stay out and save yourself trouble.—Mrs. Sam Smartt. 1Felp

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Mrs. Edwards' Frock Shop that has been located in the W. E. Hill building on Elm street, has been moved back upstairs over the Bedford grocery, and will be in charge of Mrs. Bedford until about September 1st, while Mrs. Edwards will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hooks, who has recently undergone an operation.

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Surprise Birthday Party
Thursday was Storchheim Beal's birthday and that evening Mrs. Beal surprised him with a birthday party. Some of his old-time friends were invited in and after a lovely supper bridge was played. The sister, Mrs. Snyder, had told some it was his birthday and a number of boys were brought in for the little boy who had the party. The supper, consisting of chicken a la king, hot biscuits, jelly, olives, and coffee, followed by fruit cake and pineapple meringue, was served from the prettily appointed bridge tables which were afterward cleared for the game.

Merry Wives
The Merry Wives met Wednesday with Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr. She carried out the Valentine idea in her entire scheme. The tables were hearts adorned with eggs of silk. The favors were Valentines and ice cream in the form of pink hearts surrounded by a cupid, with angel cake was served. She had three tables of players, the invited guests being Mrs. W. L. Doss, Sr., Mrs. J. L. Johnson, Mrs. Darcourt and Mrs. J. Vaughan. A delightful afternoon was enjoyed. The next meeting is with Mrs. B. Dozier, at the home of Mrs. Fred Dozier.

Self Culture Club
Mrs. W. E. Reid was hostess for the Self Culture Club, Wednesday. It was voted to buy a flag for the high school and a committee was appointed to secure this. The club went on record as favoring the training school for development of negro girls, and voted to have the secretary write the senator and representative. Mrs. Hughes conducted the lesson on "Citizenship." Mrs. Thompson, by invitation, gave a very splendid paper on "Do We Fail to Train for Good Citizenship?" Mrs. Jones gave "Sentiment in Politics." Mrs. Hubbard, "Functions and Influence of Government." Mrs. Merritt, a "Syllabus of Civics." Mrs. Hughes, "Taxation and Government." Frieda Merle, the daughter of the house, gave a delightful musical reading. Mrs. Lockhart announced the P. T. A. and made a plea for attendance. Mrs. Whippley read a splendid editorial on "Child Labor Laws." The hostess

served sandwiches, pickles, coffee, cake and whipped cream pudding. Her guests were Mrs. Ralph Lee, Mrs. A. L. Whippley, Mrs. Hill Lowe, Mrs. Roy Womack, Mrs. Rudd and Mrs. Thompson. The next meeting is with Mrs. Henry Pond.

1921 Club
The 1921 Club met Friday with Mrs. Bill Broadbuss. The lesson was upon Kaufman & Connelly's "Dulcy" and "To the Ladies." Mrs. Collier had a paper on "The Legitimate Drama and the Movie." Mrs. Tom Pritchett read the play, "Dulcy." Mrs. Dolman had a paper, "The Essential Truth" in "To the Ladies." At the social hour the Hesperian Club came downstairs and joined the 1921 Club and Mrs. H. B. Broadbuss, Mrs. Bill Broadbuss and Miss Broadbuss served a salad plate with coffee and candy. The next meeting is with Mrs. Thompson.

Shakespeare Club
The Shakespeare Club met Friday with Mrs. Stonerod. The lesson, from Henry VIII, was led by Mrs. Thomas. Mrs. Broadbuss gave a magazine article from the Literary Digest. Mrs. John Doss gave one from the Literary Digest. Mrs. J. L. Johnson gave a paper on "The inauguration of Gov. A. L. Whippley, of the crowd, and all the interesting things she saw and heard." At the social hour the hostess served a salad plate, followed by lemon pie and coffee.

Parent-Teacher Meeting
The following program will be rendered February 1, at 3 p. m., at auditorium of the high school by the Parent-Teachers' Association:
Music by High School orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. M. M. Beavers.
Tribute to Mothers' Congress—Mrs. C. P. Gray.
Pupils of Second Grade, Mrs. Norris and Miss O'Neal, teachers.
Gingerbread Man Folk Dance, a march song—Pupils of Junior Class of Colorado High School.
Tribute to George Washington—Lillie Mae Hill.
Tribute to Robert E. Lee—Mary Dickson Smith.
Tribute to Lincoln—Lola Muri Johnson.
Piano Solo—Margaret Cook.
After Day Tribute—Shirley Cook.
This is the first program meeting of the new year and every member is urged to begin right by attending. Those on the program have gone to

some trouble to arrange these numbers and they want you to hear them.

Harmony Club
The Harmony Club met Tuesday with Mrs. A. L. Dolman. She had five tables of players and a very enjoyable party. Her guest list included Mesdames Bennett, Loney, Ed Majors, Joe Smaot, Jerald Rioridan, Bruce Aycock, W. M. Elliott, Frank Lupton, Harry Ratliff, John Brown, Ross Dixon, Jeannette Porter, Lois Prude Bennett and Miss Goodkitt. Candy was served on each table. When the game was finished, chicken salad, potato chips, wafers, cranberry sauce, pickles and candy were served. The meeting next week will be with Mrs. W. L. Doss.

Dramatic Club
The Dramatic Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Murehison. Miss Broadbuss read the play, "Captain Apple Jack," which was very much enjoyed. At the conclusion of the session, Mrs. Murehison served chocolate and cake. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lee Jones, Jr.

Home Makers' Club
The Home Makers met Friday with Mrs. R. Doss. With Mrs. Gerald Vaughn as leader, Mrs. Benham became a new member. The following subjects were given: "Restore the Fireplace and Hearth," Mrs. Doss; "Bringing the Sideboard Up-to-Date," Mrs. Willms; "Add Color to the Table," Mrs. Fred Dozier; "The Sanctin of the Home," Mrs. Lee Jones, Jr.; "The Mantle Should Be the Keynote of the Room," Mrs. Ed Jones, Jr. The hostess served a salad plate. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Young.

Mrs. Tidwell Entertains
Saturday afternoon Mrs. Dewey Tidwell entertained at bridge in honor of Mrs. Gordon Powell. There were five tables of players, and while snow and ice held forth outside, it was easy and pleasant inside and all had a lovely afternoon. At the conclusion of the game pretty luncheon (cloths hand-painted in hearts and gay ladies and gentlemen were spread, and a cold sandwich, potato chips, pickles, tea and macaroons were served.

Birthday Dinner
Friday was Roddy Brooks Merritt's birthday and his mother, entertained with a noon dinner party for him. The guests of honor were his grandfather, D. N. Arnett, whose birthday was Thursday, and Gilbert Gurney, whose birthday was Saturday. The table was centered with a big birthday cake for all three and further adorned with roses and carnations, the gift of Roddy's partner, A. L. Whippley. A three-course dinner was served to fourteen.

Hesperian Club
The Hesperian Club met Friday with Mrs. H. B. Broadbuss. This was time for the election of officers. Mrs. J. A. Sadler was made president, Mrs. A. L. Whippley first vice president, Miss Ivey Belle Jones second vice president, Mrs. B. H. Miltner recording secretary, Mrs. Jewe Carey corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. H. Winn treasurer, Mrs. Sadler as delegate to the district meeting, Mrs. Wallace alternate. Mrs. Sam Majors was elected delegate to the State meeting, Mrs. Merritt alternate.

Mrs. Milwee gave the Host and Hostess lesson in this play. Mrs. Sam Majors, who has just returned from a trip to the border, showed some of the shrubs of that region, and a Mexican corn-sheller made of corn bound tightly together. Her talk was very interesting. Mrs. Quinn came up from the 1921 Club and thanked the women for what they had done for Dorn school and told of their efforts to organize a P. T. A. and of sale planned for Tuesday.

The social hour was spent downstairs with the 1921 Club.
Mrs. Bennett and Daughter Entertain
Thursday afternoon Miss Clippie Bennett entertained the Bridgeette in a very lovely manner. She had just the club members, but her mother invited some of her friends, which made five tables of players. The tables held baskets of candies as well as the cards, score pads, etc. At the close of the game chicken salad, potato chips, sandwiches, olives, macaroons and coffee were served.

In the evening Miss Bennett had her young lady and gentlemen friends in with three married couples to give the proper dignity to the occasion. There were seven tables of players. High scores were won by Miss Eleanor Thomas and Dr. Brown. The prizes were a China bell and a leather key-ring. The refreshments were in two courses—a potato salad followed by pineapple pie, and coffee, with plate favors of sweet peas. Candy was passed during the game.

Missionary Society
The Methodist Missionary society met Monday with the new president, Mrs. Chester Jones, in her beautiful new home. Mrs. Arnett played for the work and the workers. The corresponding secretary reported the year books. The treasurer gave her report for the year, which showed an increase in everything except members. Superintendent of Y. P. Mrs. Wallace reported they would meet the first and third Thursdays and study Young Man on "Freak and the thirty studies in the Life of Christ." Junior superintendent, Mrs. Winn, reported good attendance at meeting Sunday in the church, and putting on a play now. Mission Study Superintendent, Mrs. Thompson, not present, to study Life as a Stewardship, and Our Temple Hills. Social service reported much legislation to come of interest to Inter-racial Prison Reform and Prohibition. The society went on record as favoring the passing of a bill by the legislature to finance a training school for delinquent negro girls. Mrs. Otto Jones, Mrs. Stonerod and Mrs. McHenry were made program committee. The pledge for the year was made \$185.00. The members voted to pay 50 cents each for the Canyon workers.

Food Sale
The food sale held Saturday by the Home Department in the Jones building totaled \$18.00. Mrs. Roy Dozier, Mrs. Stonerod and Mrs. Hubbard have the one this week in charge. Day your Sunday dinner from them.

Auxiliary to American Legion Report For 1926

Sent to headquarters	\$71.00
Sent to soldier boys	60.10
Flowers to sick and deceased members	20.50
Expenses	63.60
Made during year	215.98
Total in bank for year	262.51
Paid out	215.98
Balance	\$46.53

Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Treas.

Christian Tea
The Christian ladies had a seated tea in the church parlors Monday. They each took their sewing and spent a very pleasant afternoon, at the same time realizing a nice sum for their treasury.

Daughters of American Revolution
The D. A. R. Chapter will meet Saturday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. E. Way. All members asked to be present.

Bridge Breakfast
One of the very nicest things of the season was the bridge breakfast given Saturday morning by Miss Janice Wilks, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Wilks, and her sister, Mrs. Harry Kagan, at whose home it was given. While it sleeted outside the open fire and cozy home was warm and inviting. The four daintily appointed tables were most tempting, as was the food. Glasses of orange juice, surrounded by crushed ice was first served, followed by creamed chicken on toast, jelly doughnuts and coffee, then baked apples with whipped cream. The bridge game followed immediately after the breakfast and lasted until 11:30. High scores were won by Miss Eleanor Thomas and Miss Bennett. The prizes were a towel and a pillow top. Salted pecans were served during the game.

Baptist Circle
Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. J. C. Hall and studied Revelations. There were eight present, one new member and a good meeting. Mrs. Ruth is the next hostess, with the Mission Study for a lesson.

Circle Two met with Mrs. Green DeLaney, with eleven present. They

studied Oak and Laurel, and met next with Mrs. B. F. Wilson.

Circle Three was with Mrs. Gustine. They had a good lesson from Gallatians. They voted to send a box of clothes to a needy family. Six members were present. They will study Ephesians next time and meet with Mrs. Whippley.

Circle Four met with Mrs. O. B. Price. They had eleven present and a very interesting business meeting resulted. They studied "All the World in All the Word." They will meet next time with Mrs. Price.

This is a fine report for a rainy afternoon—thirty-six out, all studying at the same time, making plans to help others, and this without the aid of "tea and cakes."

T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist Sunday school met Thursday with Mrs. Lee Jones, she and Mrs. D. M. Logan being hostesses. The president, Mrs. C. E. Way, led the devotional, using 2nd Corinthians. Twenty reported on their "Dollars" and a total of \$41.23 reported so far. It was suggested that the class piece a "Friendship" quilt to make money. Squares to complete a friendship quilt were given Mrs. Way and Mrs. Johnson, president and teacher of the class. Mrs. D. W. Moran, who that morning had heard Dr. Truett and Dr. Scarborough in Sweetwater, brought a wonderful message of the wasted opportunities of prayer. This will surely inspire those who heard it to be more prayerful and enlarge their prayer lists. At the close of the business session a stamp contest was enjoyed. Mrs. Gustine's class are guests. With these honored guests there were more than thirty present. Hot tea, wafers and whipped cream were served.

Junior Missionary Society to Put On a Play

Sunday evening at the church hour, the Junior Missionary society will put on a little Missionary play called "Color Blind." This represents the favored children of the rich, the children of the slums, and foreigners of all nationalities; shows how parents would be exclusive but children are "color blind" when it comes to playmates. The leading character is taken by Lillie Mae Hill. Frieda Merle Reid is the intreated foreigner. Talva Mae Hart, Irene Dorn, Jessie Jones and a number of others have parts. Come out and see these Juniors. Many grown-ups need the lesson. They got the lesson in the conference last year and are hoping to do so again.

A Correction

The society editor said last week that Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Murehison gave a tea for Mrs. Powell, when it should have been Mrs. Bradford Landers and Mrs. Murehison. We thought we said what was told us over the phone, and hereby apologize to Mrs. Landers, the leading hostess.

Country Club Hostesses
Mrs. John Brown and Mrs. P. E. Coleman will be hostesses for the next Country Club ladies' day, February 2.

EXCEL BIBLE CLASS
In spite of the cold weather conditions, there were thirty members present in the Excel Bible class Sunday. We are glad to say there were seven new members.

For the benefit of those who were not present Sunday, we wish to say we have changed our place of meeting from the Ritz to the Tuttle Theatre. Conditions here will be much better and we hope to have at least fifty present Sunday. An invitation is still extended to all those who are not members of any Sunday school class in town to meet with us Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Reporter.

Honoring Mrs. Huesinger
Monday afternoon Mrs. D. H. Snyder entertained in honor of Mrs. Huesinger of San Antonio, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Hyman. She had three tables of bridge and a very delightful afternoon was spent. A refreshment plate of sandwiches, potato chips, olives and coffee, followed by fruit cake and marshmallow pudding was served.

Sunday School Class Meeting
Mrs. Merritt's Sunday school class met with her Tuesday afternoon. As only a few were present, they made

some recommendations as to a name and officers, and decided to meet the fourth Tuesday in each month. Chili and crackers were served.

NO LOSSES REPORTED FROM RANGES RESULT OF BLIZZARD WEATHER

Cattle In Good Condition And Ranchmen Are Feeding; Stock Suffer

With sleet and ice covering the ground and the temperature dropping to five degrees below freezing, ranchmen of Mitchell county report considerable suffering among stock on the ranges but no losses so far from the freezing weather of last Saturday.

O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, and A. E. Maddin, manager of the Nail ranch interests, report cattle on feed and the ranges all covered with a heavy coat of ice with a possibility of some loss if the present severe weather should continue. However, they report all the range stock in excellent condition and able to carry through a siege of bad weather.

A heavy coat of ice was to be seen everywhere last Sunday morning, the ground being frozen, but farmers report no damage to fall crops. Many farmers rather are inclined to think the weather conditions prevalent the past few days will greatly increase the outlook for the 1927 crop, because insects and early heat will probably be eliminated by the severe weather.

The blizzard struck here about 5 o'clock Friday evening and continued to increase in violence until noon Saturday.

BURNS BUYERS LEAVE FOR EASTERN MARKETS
Mrs. H. P. Ragan, buyer for the F. M. Burns Dry Goods Co., left this week for the New York market to buy new goods for the store here. Buyers from the Burns stores at Elginville and Tulsa met Mrs. Ragan at Dallas and will accompany her to the eastern markets.

Mrs. D. C. Haynes, milliner at the Burns store here, also left this week for the St. Louis and New York markets to buy a complete new stock of millinery goods.

ROAD AT CLYDE OPENED
CLYDE, Jan. 25.—The backbone highway from Clyde to the Taylor county line is being opened for traffic, although the last coat of rock and asphalt have not been applied and will not before the latter part of March. The road, even in its present condition, is much better than the old road.

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LOCAL NOTES

Oscar Majors and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Sweetwater, visiting with J. P. Majors and family.

Eight people had camped for \$1.05 at Bean's Economy Cash Store. We have a few more camped cars at a low price. A. J. Herrington.

Plenty of money to loan on city residence. Less than 6 percent interest. Porter & Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Murchison visited in Fort Worth last week.

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Rube Hart is now in the oil business with the Simms company. See him for oil and gas.

Advertise in the Colorado Record and get results.

We are now ready to serve you with fresh sweet milk. Call 140, TILLEY'S DAIRY.

Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Morgan went over to Sweetwater, Thursday, to hear Dr. Truett, Dr. Lee Scarborough and others of the Baptist party who are touring the State in the interest of the work.

Let us suggest that you buy your groceries, gas and oil at the Riverside Filling Station. "Service that Smiles at Trials." M. A. Geddens.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dunn, enroute from a trip to California to their home in Lubbock, spent Friday with their niece, Mrs. H. E. Grantland.

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H. L. Lockhart, vice president of the Lockhart company, has been in Los Angeles, Calif., for the past two weeks, on business.

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Genuine 13 plate FORD battery, \$12. A. J. Herrington.

We have a Special Price on Michelin 29x1.40 tires at \$11.20. This tire is fully guaranteed to be as good, or run as far, as any one's best tire. Stop at the Canteen Service Station.

Milburn Duggan returned Saturday from a business trip to Dallas.

We will sell you the best Double Row Beam Hitch Lister Planters money can buy. Bed your land two rows at a time, then use the same tool to plant your crop. Save time and buy from Price Bros.

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All kinds of Avery Implants at McMurtry's.

Miss Edith King left Friday for Dallas, where she secured a position with a toilet goods company.

Goodrich 29x1.40 Tires for \$9.85, at the Canteen Service Station. This is a standard tire and no one can meet this price. Canteen has better prices. Come in and figure with us.

Tax Assessor, Roy Warren, is working in the southwest portion of the county this week, assessing taxes for the year 1927.

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S. C. Harris, Justice of the Peace, at Lorraine, was in Colorado Monday on business.

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The Presbyterians had no missionary meeting this week, but will observe a part of next as a week of prayer.

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Phone R. B. Terrell for your Plumbing troubles.

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Mrs. Pelfry is reported ill this week.

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Mrs. Whitmore was quite sick the first part of the week.

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Miss Mary Broadus and city went to Sweetwater Tuesday evening to hear the opera, "The Bohemian Girl."

Newest in sheet music—"My Girl Has a Trouble." "I Just Wanna Be Known as Susie's Feller."—Colorado Music Co.

Edith J. L. Martin was here from Snyder the latter part of last week.

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Mrs. A. W. Crawford of Whiteset, Iowa, sends in check for \$250 to pay for the Redbird in another year and says she would not be without the paper. She has been a subscriber for this paper for a number of years and is greatly interested in the oil development in this section.

The Crawford own land in this county. J. A. Buchanan is local agent for these people.

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I am doing only a thirty-day charge business and am paying out for what I buy. I am forced to collect my accounts promptly each month, and I ask that you either pay cash for your market goods or pay promptly each 30 days. I appreciate your business and will offer an accommodation I can but I must collect my accounts each month or sell for cash only. I trust city Market customers will continue to patronize us but be governed by the above.

W. H. Morris, Prop.

GULF COMPANY NOW INSTALLING TANK FARM

The Gulf Production Company has bought in fee the south one-half of section 41, block 34, T. & P. survey, township 1 S. 2, and a half mile from Midland, northeast and on the T. & P. tracks and is moving material for four tanks of 80,000 barrels capacity. A twenty-five car loading rack is to be built.

The tank farm will be connected with the McElroy field by an eight-inch pipe line. The distance is about fifty miles.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS PRINT YEAR BOOK

The Mitchell County Women's Home Demonstration Clubs have just received from the press of The Whippoorwill Printing company a beautiful year book for 1927. There are five women's clubs in this county, and the officers of these are as follows:

Bureau—Mrs. Mac Rod, president; Mrs. Roddie Towell, vice president; Mrs. E. Blackard, secretary; Mrs. Jim Rodin, parliamentary.

Conway—Mrs. J. M. Byrd, president; Mrs. H. P. Shepherd, vice president; Mrs. Mattie Hines, secretary; Mrs. H. M. McDaniel, parliamentary.

Lawson—Mrs. E. E. M. Galt, president; Mrs. W. A. Keith, secretary.

Phibbs—Mrs. E. H. Dorrberry, president; Mrs. Rhodes, secretary; Mrs. S. D. Donahoe, parliamentary.

1923 Club—Mrs. Ed. Koch, president; Mrs. O. M. Homer, vice president; Mrs. U. D. Wolfen, secretary.

New Hope Items

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Latty entertained with a party Friday night.

Mrs. Edward Thompson of Snyder spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Dick Hardy.

Mrs. Ross Morehead of Eastland is spending the week with her husband.

Mrs. Earle Martin spent the week with friends in Colorado.

Jim Latty and Ben Ellett motored to Big Spring and Knott, Friday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stokes of Knott are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson.

Mrs. H. H. Watford has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. John Slaton who has been in the Colorado Sanitarium for some time, is expected home in a few days.

Mrs. Viola Hamons of Lubbock is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Swartz.

New Hope and Latty met on the Roger basketball court Friday afternoon.

New Hope and Latty played first game, New Hope winning then Rogers played the winner. The scores were 12 and 7 in favor of New Hope.

The game with Rogers resulted in a score of 12-8 in favor of New Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. June McNew of Big Spring have moved to New Hope to make their home.

Little Jerald Dean Whitefield has been sick with pneumonia for several days.

Dick Gregory of Colorado was in our community Tuesday.

Mr. Dee Hardy was in Westbrook Monday on business.

Word was received Saturday morning at 10:30 that Mr. T. B. Jackson who was visiting in Carbon, was stricken with paralysis, of which he died in about 40 minutes. He leaves a wife and seven children, twenty-six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, and a host of friends to mourn his death. He was 28 years of age. Funeral services were held at Carbon Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was the father of W. O. Jackson of Westbrook, D. F. G. Jackson of Carbon, J. W. Jackson of Westbrook, Mrs. H. E. Graham and Mrs. V. H. Jackson of Alabama, Mrs. G. H. Jackson of Tahoka, and Mrs. H. B. Burrows of Colorado.

Miss W. O. and J. W. Jackson returned home Monday night from Carbon, where they went to attend the funeral of their father, T. B. Jackson.

Miss Mattie Ruth Franklin and Mrs. Mabel Bohnannon spent the week end with home folk in Colorado.

John Latta was a business visitor in Snyder Monday and Tuesday.

Shepherd Locals

Should we feel fine? These rainy days mixed with sunshine predicts fortune.

Those who have been on the sick list are: Dixie and Novelle Davis, and Curtis Myers.

Miss Katie Davis was a visitor of Miss Dixie Carroll the first of the week.

Miss Estelle Davis and Katie Davis, and Lewis Wilson were visitors at school this week.

Last Friday afternoon Looney's basketball team, both boys and girls, came over for games. The Looney girls easily won the score, but the boys were not so easy. The score of the boys' game was 15-10 in favor of Looney.

Thursday afternoon, Shepherd met Longfellow boys on their court for a game. The result was 17-2 in Shepherd's favor. The boys have a good team, but with a little more practice will be better than most.

School is progressing nicely under the leadership of Miss Ella Mae Thompson. Miss Agnes Bradford is assistant teacher. Miss Bradford is new to us, but she is fast making a reputation for herself by her ever-fresh efforts. Miss Thompson has been with us several years and is known by all. Were it not for her ever-willing trustees, H. H. Cook, W. H. Newell and Mr. Taylor, it might not have been so. We have forty enrolled now.

W. H. Nowell made repairs at the school last week.

On account of cold weather the P. T. A. did not meet last Friday night, as planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll entertained a few of their friends Wednesday night.

AUSTIN: Bill introduced in the House to require railroads to construct overhead or under-pass crossings at all federal or state designated highways in Texas as a result of the crash Saturday at Lound Rock with the cost of ten lives.

REA'S RED BALL STAGE LINE

Leaves Colorado every day east at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. for Trent the newest oil field.

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Oil Operations In Vicinity Of Colorado Grow

Oil operations in the vicinity of Colorado are on the increase and it now looks like 1927 will see the biggest oil activity ever witnessed in West Texas.

Marland has announced 28 locations in the Chalk field, and will shortly announce 24 locations around the Fred Ryer well on the Clay ranch, south of Chalk. This company has several wells drilling in the widest territory in Jones and Fisher counties, northeast of Colorado, and has wildcat locations in several parts of Howard county.

The Magnolia Petroleum company has recently purchased several thousand acres of lands in Mitchell and Howard counties and it is expected they will drill a number of wells south of Latta, in and near the Foster field. They already have four producers there and three others drilling. The Henshaw acreage, recently purchased by Magnolia, lies directly southwest of the Magnolia Foster wells and between these and the Chalk field, and it is expected that several wells will be drilled on this acreage by the Magnolia company. They are also operating extensively in the Westbrook field and will drill several new wells there.

The California company is going ahead with operations in Westbrook field, where they are the major producers. They have several wells there and are drilling a well a mile east of the producing field which is being watched with great interest. This well may spread the field toward Colorado, which would mean much to this city. This well is near the center of section 26, block 28.

The Cedar Bend well in section 11, block 27, seven miles northwest of Colorado, is attracting unusual attention for a wildcat well. This well is awaiting casing at 2,005 feet and the log is said to be running true to the Westbrook wells, except the line is showing about 100 feet higher.

Two showings of oil were encountered in this well, one at 1510 and the other at 1750 feet. Owners of the well believe the Westbrook pay will be reached at about 2,900 feet, and they are optimistic over the outlook for a producer on this side of the river. This well is five miles east of the Westbrook field and should it come in for a good production it will mean a very wide extension of the discovery of a new field, either of which would certainly put Colorado on the map in grand style, since this well would have to be reached from Colorado, and is the closest well to this city.

For that reason local citizens are watching this well closely, and the operators about the well, keeping nothing secret about its operations.

Several wildcat wells are planned in Cooke county, southwest of Colorado, and several wells are drilling east of Colorado in Nolan and Fisher counties, north of Roscoe, with two or three wells being talked of north of Loring.

It is pretty near certain that the territory in the vicinity of New Latta and between there and Westbrook pay will get some tests and the territory in the vicinity of Cuthbert is said to be scheduled for some tests.

It looks like this year will see hundreds of wells put down in this vicinity, many of which will be wildcat wells. If they strike the good pay the lid is off, but if they do not, we can see a steady increase in the proven territory that will make the oil business good.

Past Week Is Busy One For Two Colorado Doctors

The past week has been a very busy one for at least two Colorado doctors, according to records of births given out. Drs. Ratliff and Hubbard have ushered nine healthy young Americans into the presence of happy parents the past week, and since the first of January have accompanied about twenty of these youngsters into Mitchell county.

The arrivals for the past week are:

Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Cherry of Dorn, a girl, born Jan. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Pierce of Champlin, a boy, born Jan. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boyd, Hyman, girl, born Jan. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Hamilton, Lorraine, boy, born Jan. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Franklin, Southwest Colorado, girl, born Jan. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Zerbst, six miles southeast of Colorado, girl, born Jan. 23.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. H. Shaw, Colorado, boy, born Jan. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Woodward, 20 miles south of Colorado, boy, born Jan. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hamilton, 2 miles south Colorado, girl, born Jan. 25.

THE PROBLEM SOLVED

(K. I. Penning, manager of the Burton-Lingo Co., brought in the following poem which we gladly reproduce. It is very appropriate just at this time, he says.)

(By W. A. LEWIS, Cleburne, Tex.)

When cold's low and cold's high, It appears to me to diversify. Would be a sane and easy way To bring about a better day.

With butter at fifty cents a pound, And cream at forty the whole year round.

With turkeys high and going higher, Is enough to make a man desire To raise more birds and a little less hell.

Is a land where opportunities dwell, If we'd only move time for the dairy.

And a better time to the dairy now.

We'd worry about the price of oil, For we'd have plenty ourselves to sell.

With fifty-cent eggs and a six-bit way, oh why! Why not a million of them?

From their stagers and break their backs, Picking eleven-cent cotton and dragging a sack.

With corn in the crib and chickens in the yard, With meat in the smokehouse and a trust of lard, With cream in the pitcher and honey in the mug, With butter on the table and lasses in the jug, Things to you won't seem so high, For you'll be selling—won't have to buy.

Now stop that grumbling, for the fault's your own— You expect to reap where you have not sown.

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HATCHERY STARTS SATURDAY

We will begin operation on our Hatchery on Saturday, January 15th, and will take eggs on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, beginning on that date, for custom hatching.

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WE OUGHT TO BE

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DRILLING NORTH OF
ROSCOE IS ACTIVE

Drilling is going forward rapidly on the oil tests north of Roscoe this week.

The Hite test, located on the Willows farm, 6 miles north of Rescoeur, is 1,700 ft. deep. The first 1,000 ft. of casing was set on the second line shaft. It has been put on the ball. A strong stream of water was encountered at 800 ft. First casing was struck at 550 feet. The Hodge test, 1,200 ft. deep, is about 100 ft. and 16 1/2 in. casing was set. J. Devesner, drilling contractor, and G. H. Johnson of the Hinchey Company, have been working almost daily on the Hite test. The three tests at that company going.

The Anderson-Richard well, 15 miles north of Rescoeur, is full of water at 2,340 feet. Drillers are seeking a formation in which to set casing.

The Langford test, 5 1-2 miles north of Sweetwater, is on top of the deep lime at 1,820 feet. The tools first hit this formation at 1,800 feet.

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WINTER TIME DELIVERIES
WORK BENEFIT TO BUYERS

"The heretofore prevailing custom on the part of car buyers of having delivery withheld until spring is growing less and less each year," says E. A. Allen, Dodge dealer for Colorado territory. "This is now a thing of the past, due to a proper analysis of the many conditions surrounding winter deliveries working to the benefit of the customer. The new car—light, staunch—will better withstand the strains of winter roads, will break in better,

and will cost less to run than an older car. Practically the sole possibility of damage is freezing the radiator, which can easily be prevented by the use of a proper amount of anti-freeze solution in the cooling system. Breaking in a new car in winter is easier, quicker, and far more satisfactory and successful than breaking in a new car in spring or summer when there is a temptation to overstep and use the car more carelessly.

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PURPOSE AND PLANS
OF COUNTY FEDERATION
EXPLAINED BY MEMBER

Mrs. H. L. Harrell of Loraine Wins Prize For Best Article

Mrs. H. L. Harrell of Loraine was awarded first prize for the best paper on the County Federation of Women's Clubs, a contest sponsored by Mrs. J. Lee Jones, president of the organization for last year. The prize given was a beautiful Blue Bonnet painting.

The article by Mrs. Harrell follows: The Mitchell County Federation is the result of a desire to help a greater number than could be reached through the individual clubs. A synonym for the word "Federation" is "Service"—that service to be anything which would be helpful to any individual or group of individuals. Its motto, "Cooperation," which means working together for the betterment of the whole.

The Federation is composed—not of Colorado women or of Loraine women or of the rural women, but instead—Mitchell County women. These Mitchell County women are forced forward by a driving power incentive and that incentive is unselfish love which enables them to make a sacrifice—if need be—to lift another to a higher plane of happiness.

The idea of the County Federation, conceived in the heart and mind of a few, is brought to flowering beauty and upheld by the hearts and hands of its members. Since the Mitchell County Federation can be no stronger than its weakest link, and since its influence is felt throughout the county, the district, the state, we must realize it is made up of women who are working for better homes, better communities, a better world and to this end all purposes and activities are directed.

The Federation in order to attain its greater purposes resolves to do the many little things necessary to constant and permanent development. Once a month we come together in this, our clearing house, and meet our neighbors who were once not our neighbors. Here these new neighbors through the greater understanding which their lives have given them, help to solve another problem, share another's joys, and to take into their own hearts the ideals of a more beautiful life.

Through the duty of these women as homemakers they have been led to study sanitation, economics, and beautification until now, according to Miss Myrtle Murry, a District Home Demonstration Agent, the County Federation has a greater number of beautiful, well-equipped, sanitary rural homes than has any other county of equal population in the district. In this building of beauty in our homes we have also built in our own souls more of love and thoughtfulness and less of criticism and selfishness towards others.

At the second meeting of the Mitchell County Federation our first president gave us this message: "You as an individual are responsible for the Community and State." Since every succeeding president has stressed the need of all its members keeping in touch with every phase of the political situation and legislative affairs that they may exercise their suffrage intelligently till now the Federation feels that not one member fails along this line. To the untiring effort of one of our members and her committee, are we indebted for our Public Library. The County Federation was told it could not be done. However, now people from all parts of the county are using the books, and the work is done. The Federation has accomplished many things and will continue to do so, even alone, but it is most encouraging and gratifying to know that we have the support and approval of such organizations as the Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce. These organizations are working with the County Federation for a greater Mitchell County.

The Federation is working shoulder to shoulder with our Home Demonstration Agent and our County Agent. No call for help in their work has ever been disregarded. With the beginning of the present administration a Cooperative Market was organized for the purpose of helping the rural women to dispose of their surplus of chickens, turkeys, butter, eggs, canned goods, and vegetables. This is done through the president without cost to the women who either sell or buy except the value of the product sold. Several hundred dollars of home products have been disposed of and the president is now looking forward to that time when we have our County Club house where we may have our market with its regular manager. Our County Club house, where we will have our library, our Rest Room, our modern equipped kitchen, our every-day meeting house for all the women and girls of Mitchell County. The Mitchell County Federation has, during the four years of its existence, accomplished much, but it seems to me there is nothing that can bring more pleasure and happiness than the neighborliness of the county's people.

"Onward we press, the things behind forgetting. And reaching forward to the things before." Ring the brave words like strains of martial music. And we pass through the New Year's open door.

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Stoneroad Gives Explanation
of Service Charge of Banks

T. W. Stoneroad, Jr., active vice president of the City National Bank of Colorado, gives further explanation of the service charge which will go into effect here on next Tuesday, February 1st.

All of the banks in Mitchell and Scurry counties have agreed to make this service charge in conformity with regulations adopted by practically all the banks in the State. The local banks, however, have tempered the rules considerably in favor of the public. They have included just such accounts as they have found to be a drain on their assets, and do not pay expenses of carrying.

In speaking of this, Stoneroad said: "A careful analysis of checking accounts in hand through out the country discloses the fact that a number of accounts do not pay the cost of carrying them. This analysis further shows that any checking account averaging less than \$50.00 over a period of a month and against which more than two checks are drawn during such period is being carried at an actual loss to the bank.

"To partially overcome this loss banks generally, both in the city and country, have adopted what is known as the service charge for these small accounts. Along with other banks in the State and adjoining counties, our bank will, beginning February 1st, 1927, make a charge of fifty cents for opening a checking account of less than \$50.00 and will make a monthly charge of fifty cents on all checking accounts averaging for the month less than \$50.00, and against which account more than two checks have been drawn during any one month.

"This service charge will not apply to: Lodge and fraternal accounts, accounts under the jurisdiction of the courts, accounts of administrators, executors and trustees, public accounts of any nature, accounts which have deposits only, savings accounts, accounts which not more than two checks are drawn each month.

"The service charge is not a new idea—it is justified because it is right and it is made to cover clerical and stationary expenses incident to bookkeeping on the accounts which have heretofore been handled at a loss.

"It is not the intention or purpose of the bank in instituting a service charge to discriminate against the small account or to drive it away. We welcome small accounts—we trust their number will increase. We venture the hope that the plan outlined above will prove an incentive to our depositors to build up their accounts to the amount where the service charge will not apply. We do not wish to lose a single account, and we firmly believe, with your cooperation that practically every account can be maintained where it will at least pay its own way. We realize fully that many small accounts will some day grow to be large ones, and so we are willing to handle them at actual cost—but a fair minded person will not want us to handle them at a loss.

"If after reading this article you do not thoroughly understand the service charge, we trust you will feel free to call at our bank and have same fully explained to you."

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HAS TEXAS NO FAVORITE SON?

When there was fighting to be done, during the McKinley administration, the South furnished her full quota of volunteers.

When there was fighting to be done, during the Wilson administration, the South kept deep with the other sections of the Union.

But when there's a nomination for president to be made, neither of the two old parties so much as deigns to look below the Mason and Dixon line.

Not even when naming the vice presidential nominee.

It wasn't so in the old days: Washington and Jefferson, Madison and Monroe, and Jackson and Polk were Southern men.

Isn't the South as much a part of the Union as it was in the days before the war between the States?

What's the idea of treating the South as though it were a mere province?

Why should the democracy of Texas turn away from the sons of the Lone Star State to seek honors on the men of other sections?

Is William Gibbs McAdoo a bigger man than Samuel Palmer Brooks?

Is Alfred Smith a bigger man than Oscar Colquhitt?

If Texas democracy regards itself as merely the fringe, what does victory signify?

If Texas democracy can't furnish men for the elective positions, what satisfaction is there in a few appointive places?

No, a thousand times no; it's the other fellows who are practicing sectionalism, and Texas democracy apparently has not sufficient spunk to call their hands.

Union implies the perfect equality of all the members.

Why is it that the two old parties treat the Southern states, as though they were outside the Union?

Look at Mr. Coolidge's cabinet: not a man from the South. If that isn't the renkest sort of sectionalism what would you, reader, call it?

Wasn't it Roger Q. Mills who said to the congress: "We are back in the house of our fathers?"

That was some fifty years ago, and yet the Democratic party, looking to the South for the bulk of its support, has not cared in all the time since to put a Southern man on its ticket.

Has Texas no favorite son?—Waco Times-Herald.

"CONQUEST CAMPAIGN" MITCHELL-SCURRY ASSOCIATION TO BE HELD AT ROSCOE, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, AT 10:00 A. M.

Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association will mobilize its representatives from each and all the several churches at the above named time and place for the purpose indicated in the above caption.

Notwithstanding the near dates of our regular quarterly and monthly meetings, it is the unanimous URGE of the officers of our Association, together with the missionary, and a score of other interested and loyal workers, that we should, in keeping with the plans of our State Conquest Campaign Commission, show our fullest cooperative spirit in this great and worthy project. In this we shall not fail. Therefore, it is of the greatest importance that we duly assemble active workers from all our churches, for a call meeting and great rally. Some one, preferably, Pastors, Deacons, Board members, S. S. Superintendents, W. M. U. and B. Y. P. U. presidents will be most anxiously expected. Weather conditions should not hinder. If we can't drive, let's go on the train.

The local organization will be set up for the Conquest Campaign in our Association. Don't stay away for fear of collections. Don't cross a bridge before we get to it.

Outside speakers have been invited and have agreed to come. District Organizer, Pastor Heard of Big Spring; Drs. Sandefur and Jenkins of Abilene will be expected. Dinner will be served to all those who will attend. This will be done in the famous Roscoe style. "NUF SED." Come one and all—Come at any cost.

The spirit that sends forth this urgent call to every loyal Baptist, is in keeping with the supreme command of Christ, when He delivered unto His apostles the Great Commission.

"Every non-cooperating Baptist church in Texas today, or pastor who has sought to be a divider of our forces, are in the courts and are being tried for their lives—those of any consequence at all are." Dr. L. R. Scarborough, said at Sweetwater. Those of little consequence are likewise being tried in their own conscience and in the mind of public opinion. Likewise is our denomination being tried in the world opinion. If our people were as eagerly reading, and listening in about our great Conquest Campaign, as they are about a certain famous preacher's trial, we could safely announce a victory now.

Brethren—This one time, without fail, meet us at Roscoe, February 2, GEO. E. ALEXANDER, Missionary.

MITCHELL-SCURRY BAPTIST S. S. AND B. Y. P. U. ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING CONVENES WITH THE CHAMPION CHURCH JAN 30TH

Program—Prof. A. R. McLaney, Presiding
10:30 a. m. Congregational Singing—W. R. Miles, Directing.
10:35 a. m. Devotional—Rev. I. D. Hull, Colorado.
10:45 a. m. Installation of all officers for the New Year. (Any officer elect absent will spoil this number.)—Field Secretary, Geo. E. Alexander, in charge.

11:00 a. m. Special Music—Roscoe Sunday School
11:05 a. m. Snappy one minute reports from Sunday Schools.
11:15 a. m. Address—Rev. D. W. Morgan, Colorado pastor.
12:00 m. Dinner and Social hour. (Slogan for Social Hour clubs.)

"BOOST FOR A BETTER ASSOCIATION"

B. Y. P. U. SESSION

1:00 p. m. The new president, Mr. Royce Lewis, Roscoe in charge Song Service—Mr. Melvin Newton, Snyder, directing.

1:10 p. m. Devotional—Rev. N. E. McGuire, Abilene.

1:20 p. m. Address—"Our New Year's B. Y. P. U. Program," "Out Where the West Begins"—Mr. Taylor McCaslin, Sweetwater.

1:45 p. m. Special Music—Paynes Chapel.

1:50 p. m. A. B. Y. P. U. Question Box—Everybody places a question in the box written and at this time the president will open and read.

2:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. Pep Contest—By Juniors, Seniors, Roscoe, Champion and Lorraine leaders.

2:15 p. m. Snappy one minute report from officers.

Roll call of new officers and presentation of written copies of their duties, by President Lewis.

2:30 p. m. Playlet—Sancroft, Y. P. U's.

3:00 p. m. Announcement of committees, time and place of next meeting, resolutions, adjournment.

NOTICE OF CHANGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF MITCHELL COUNTY, GREETING:

Oath having been made, as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon Joe Gabler, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice's Court of Precinct No. 2, Mitchell County, to be held at Westbrook, in said Mitchell County, on the 21st

day of February, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 32, wherein H. H. Armstrong is plaintiff, and Joe Gabler is defendant, and said petition alleging that the defendant, Joe Gabler, is indebted to the plaintiff, H. H. Armstrong, in the sum of forty and 15-100 (\$40.15) dollars for labor and material furnished defendant by plaintiff at defendant's special instance and request, that this debt is past due and unpaid, plaintiff asks for judgment and costs in this suit.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand this 17th day of January, A. D. 1927.

H. A. LASSETER,
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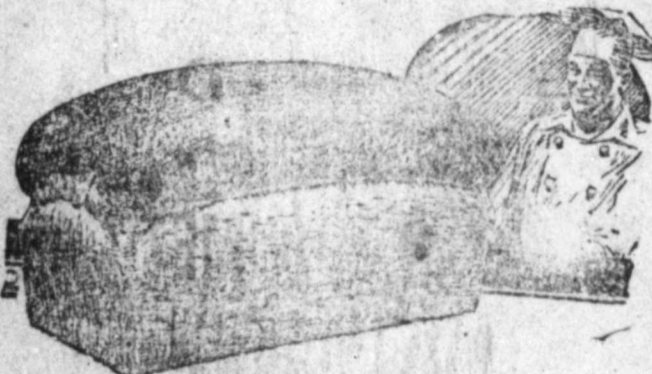
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The P. T. A. met in regular session at the school building Friday afternoon with a fairly good attendance. After the business session Mr. Griswold read a paper on "Habit-Forming in Childhood," which was followed by a round-table discussion in which many interesting talks were made. Our next meeting will be on the evening of February 4, at which time a program will be presented.

The play, "A Poor Married Man," will be put on by the pupils of the tenth grade, on the evening of February 11, for the benefit of the Parent-Teachers' association. This play is full of comedy from beginning to end, so if you enjoy a good laugh, be on hand to get your share.

The Loy Scouts had their regular meeting at the school building Tuesday night, with 20 members present. We are very happy indeed over the interest that is being manifested by our boys in this work and feel that much good will be accomplished. As citizens of the town of Westbrook, let's get behind Brother Northcutt in this work and make it possible for him to out over a program that will do much in helping our boys to find their places in life. This is a worthy undertaking and must be backed up by responsible people if the desired results are accomplished.

Mrs. Hattie Berry was a visitor in Stanton several days last week. Misses Boston and Donner entertained the Missionary Society on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donner. As a result of the Mary and Martha contest in which the Marys were losers. As soon as the guests arrived the revealing of candle friends took place by presenting each person with an old-time picture of their candles. Much fun was had in guessing the pictures, as some of them were very unlike the originals of today. Many other interesting games and contests were enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to 20 guests.

The "Poverty Party" which was given at the Riden building Friday evening was greatly enjoyed by all those who participated. The proceeds amounted to \$22.00, and the "Welcome All Sunday School Class" wishes to thank all who so kindly and generously assisted in putting it over, and also thank Mr. Riden for the use of the building.

Rev. Mr. Summers and family left last week for Big Spring, where Bro. Summers has accepted a call as pastor of the Methodist church. Bro. Summers and family have been tireless workers during their stay here and their services will be greatly missed by their many friends in Westbrook.

Despite the extreme bad weather, we had a splendid attendance at the Methodist church, both Sunday morning and at night. Rev. Northcutt did not preach the third series of sermons as had previously been announced, as so many telephoned Sunday afternoon requesting him to wait until next Sunday night, hoping that the weather would be better and more people would be present to enjoy it. There has been a great deal of interest manifested in these series of sermons, and those who have heard the first two have expressed themselves as thinking they were great sermons and a wonderful inspiration to our boys and girls to try to live up to the standard as the sermons. It is with great anticipation that we are looking forward to the next three which will be delivered in the near future. Sunday night the subject will be, "An Ideal Husband" from the wife's point of view.

The next number of the Iveson course will be had on the night of February 1, 1927. The DeWillo Concert company will give the program. This company is in a class by itself as one of the most unique companies in concert work. A real treat is in store for anyone who hears this program. Let's all go and have a real feast of high class music. See the ticket committee and reserve a seat. The Westbrook school board has let the contract for an addition to the school building at Westbrook. The addition will consist of two recitation rooms, two laboratories and a large study hall. In addition to the building proper, walks will extend to the streets on the east and west sides of the building. The J. M. Morgan Construction company of Big Spring was the successful bidder, at \$9,496. Plans for the school include leveling and beautifying the grounds and arranging so that vehicles cannot get onto the playground and endanger the lives of the children. The school board is to be congratulated for their progressive ideas along school lines. Comprehensive plans are carried out in the Westbrook school plant will be one of the most convenient and best equipped in this part of the state.

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California Co. No. 1 Butler-2, sec. 9, blk 28, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 1315 feet.
California Co. No. 2 Foster, sec. 5, blk 29, two 1-S, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2555 feet.
California Co. No. 2 Hendrix-1, sec. 19, blk 28, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2355 feet.
California Co. No. 6 A. L. Miller, sec. 22, blk 28, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2700 feet.
California Co. No. 8 H. C. Miller, sec. 22, blk 28, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2715 feet.
California Co. No. 18 Morrison-2, sec. 28, blk 28, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2500 feet.
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Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 M. Foster, sec. 17, blk 29, two 1-S, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 2530 feet.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 4 M. Foster, sec. 7, blk 29, two 1-S, T & P Ry sur. Fishing at 1510 feet.
Morrison & Thompson No. 1 Cor. 7th, sec. 45, blk 29, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 1630 feet.
Riley & Donnell No. 1 Cronan, sec. 91, blk 97, T & P Ry sur. Location.
P. & T. No. 1 Cronan, sec. 82, blk 97, H & T Ry sur. Location.
Tees & Stevens No. 1 Hardee, sec. 25, blk 97, H & T Ry sur. Shut down at 1250 feet.
William Seider at No. 1 Dow, sec. 11, blk 97, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 1710 feet.
Yancy et al. No. 1 Sanders, sec. 95, blk 95, two 1-N, T & P Ry sur. Shut down at 25 feet.

HOWARD COUNTY
Covey et al. No. 1 C. O. Clark, sec. 194, blk 99, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Donnell-Morris, sec. 1, blk 1, sec. 41, blk 35, T & P Ry sur. Location.
Francis & Brunson No. 1 Egan, sec. 11, blk 31, two 1-S, T & P Ry sur. Material.
Humboldt Oil & Refining Co. No. 9 Deuth, sec. 192, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Moving in National machine.
Lockhart & Co. No. 1 Scott, sec. 86, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. On pump.
Lockhart & Co. No. 1 Chalk, sec. 114, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 2 M. Chalk, sec. 124, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Producing 30 barrels.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 M. Chalk, sec. 124, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 4 M. Chalk, sec. 124, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 5 O. Chalk, sec. 114, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 6 G. Chalk, sec. 114, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia O & S No. 5 O. Chalk, sec. 113, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Shut down for water at 1344 feet.
Magnolia O & S No. 7 O. Chalk, sec. 113, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 S. Hyman, sec. 113, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Drilling at 150 feet.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 2 Hyman-Chalk, sec. 113, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 Hyman-Chalk, sec. 95, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 2 S. Hyman, sec. 113, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. Location.
Reeves & Apperman, No. 3 Clay, sec. 26, blk 29, W & N Ry sur. To deepen from 1607 feet.

FISHER COUNTY
California Co. No. 1 Anderson, sec. 22, blk 20, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 1715 feet.
California Co. No. 1 Maegenheim, sec. 15, blk 1, H & T Ry sur. Drilling at 1130 feet.
Stearn-Streeter No. 1 Howe, sec. 12, blk 20, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 350 feet.
Helmick & Tamm, No. 1 Barron, sec. 106, blk 3, H & T Ry sur. Location.
Hucney Gas Co. No. 1 Langford, sec. 7, blk 21, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 1700 feet.
Marland-Zoch-McCamy No. 1 La-

nus, sec. 15, blk Y, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 760 feet.
Mason et al. No. 1 Cross, sec. 12, blk 20, T & P Ry sur. Location.
Bob Roney Co. No. 1 Maberry, sec. 56, blk 1, H & T Ry sur. Shut down at 2523 feet.
Phillips, Fred. No. 1 C. M. Webb, sec. 2, blk K, T & P Ry sur. Drilling at 720 feet.
Shamrock Oil Co. No. 1 Wheeler, G. Creath sur. No. 221: Underreaming at 2440 feet.
Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 De-nice, sec. 6, blk K, T & P Ry sur. Location.
Zack et al. No. 1 Clayton, J. W. Posey, Preemption No. 1: Underreaming at 1245 feet.

NOLAN COUNTY
McChesney et al. No. 1 Bremer, sec. 29, blk 22, T & P Ry sur. Location.
Malone & Wheatland No. 1 Berry, sec. 35, blk 23, T & P Ry sur. Location.
Stein & Grochen, No. 1 Ross, sec. 287, blk 90, J. Chalk sur. Location.
Zweffel et al. No. 1 Lanchabon, sec. 120, blk 1, H & T Ry sur. Shut down at 300 feet.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Huskell—Work on the city hall here is progressing nicely. When completed, the building will hold offices of the mayor, city secretary and water department as well as housing equipment of the Haskell Fire department. A city jail is also included in the building, occupying part of the ground floor in the rear of the structure.

Stamford—Nine of the 15 men named as Master Farmers of Texas in the recent contest of The Progressive Farmer are men who live in the territory covered by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Although West Texas entered in the contest were rather lacking in the minority, more than fifty per cent of the winners were carried off by the western section. The Master Farmers of West Texas came from the following counties: Comanche, El Paso, Medina (2), Hale, Kerr (2), Lubbock, and Howard.

Plainview—Hale county has added 16 fine registered bulls to its bull circles. The animals were brought from Ohio by Paul Huey, county agricultural agent.

Shamrock—A two-story hotel containing 24 rooms is being erected here. Each room is to be equipped with hot and cold running water and will be heated by gas.

Tampa—Brick work on the new Schneider Hotel has started, and the building will be ready for occupancy by May 1, according to the contract. Several colors of bricks are being used in the work.

Stamford—Approximately a quarter of a million dollars annually will be saved by shippers of the South Plains section due to activity of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in their behalf. The West Texas Chamber through its traffic department has successfully presented the Santa Fe differential cases to the railroad commission and as a result, South Plains shippers will be relieved of paying the western differential.

Lampasas—Lampasas 24,000 egg capacity chick hatchery has opened for 1927 operations. C. R. Oakley is in charge.

Borger—Outlining a booster and advertising campaign to be launched this month, the local Chamber of Commerce directors at a recent meeting chose the slogan, "Buy It in Borger," as the initial move toward civic promotion and development.

Levelland—Contract has been entered with the Texas Utilities company for maintenance of fourteen street lights for the business section of the town. The lights are to be of 100 candle power and of the pole and bracket type.

Paint Rock—Possibilities of Paint Rock as a summer and health resort are to be explored if movement on part of leading citizens ever through. The town believes its location near the banks of the slivery Concho make it an ideal spot for a summer playground where swimming, fishing, fishing and hunting can be had in abundance.

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CHARLIE THOMPSON, County Judge.

BUTCHERS' NOTICE

All persons operating as butchers of cattle, hogs, sheep, goats or any other livestock, are required by law to furnish a bond to be approved by the commissioners' court, and further required to make quarterly reports to the commissioners' court of livestock butchered. After February 1, 1927, all persons failing to comply with these provisions will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

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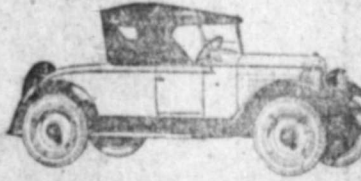
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LORAIN NEWS

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MRS. ZORA DEAN

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for all subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact all other business for the Whaley Printing Company in Loraine and vicinity. See her and take your County paper

W. F. Johnson of Abilene is here on business this week.

Misses Thelda Black and Gertha Lee were Colorado business visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Virgie Howell, who has been pending a two weeks' visit with relatives here, left for her home at Comanche, Sunday.



GEO. B. ROOT

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Horsey, January 23, a son. James R. Brown left Monday night for El Paso, where he has employment.

Rural line connections with the Loraine telephone exchange, north and south of town, which were out of commission Saturday and Sunday as a result of heavy sleet, were being repaired Monday and Tuesday as rapidly as possible. The bad weather set in Friday evening, when the worst weather of the season arrived, followed by rain and sleet, with a thaw up on Monday evening.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Miss Verna Smith, who died at her home at Paducah on Tuesday night. Miss Smith, who had visited here a number of times, had many friends in the circle of acquaintances. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith and the granddaughter of Aunt Joe Smith, who resides here. No particulars of her death have been learned here, at this writing.

Ellen Loreta, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkenberry, age nearly two years, died Monday night at 10:45. The little sufferer had been sick since Sunday. Pneumonia poisoning was thought to be the cause of death. Funeral services by Rev. O. B. Annis were conducted at the Methodist church, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with interment in the Loraine cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends attended. The bereaved parents have many friends here who were made glad over the departure of this little one.

Mr. Otis Muns entertained members of the Epworth League with a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon, Friday evening. Games offered the principal amusement of the evening. Refreshments and entertainment were given by Mrs. Muns and Mrs. Mahon.

Each of the young people, about twenty in all, having had the first of the season's snow, were looking forward with happy anticipation when they would again get out at a party in the Mahon home.

Services at the Methodist church Sunday were reported "well attended" considering the weather. Twenty-nine present at Sunday school.

The Loraine Study Club met with Mrs. W. E. Martin on Thursday of last week. The lesson was on the "Friend Canyon of Arizona." Mrs. Charles Coffey was leader. After the lesson, Mrs. Martin passed around for instruction some rocks, photographs and pressed flowers which she received from Grand Canyon several years ago. The hostess served a

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Institutions Mourn Death of

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One Abilene Boy

DEAD

JIMMIE S. WALKER of Green-

ville, Tex., died at the

Round Rock hospital

Monday night, after

being injured in a

train wreck Saturday

night. Walker was

one of the ten

Dayton students

who were killed

when a train hit

a bus carrying

them to Austin

to play Texas

University. Five

others were

injured. The

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of the Texas

Department of

Transportation.

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Austin to play

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sity. The bus

Chiropractor and Farmer In Gun Battle at Big Spring

BIG SPRING, Jan. 21.—Formal charge of murder was filed here tonight against E. P. Little, Howard county farmer, in connection with the fatal shooting at 10 a. m. Friday of Dr. Guy Longbotham, chiropractor. Little is in the Mercy hospital recovering from bullet wounds in the hip and neck suffered during the gun battle which occurred when Dr. Longbotham drove up to his office in front of which Little is said to have been waiting. Two charges of buckshot from a double-barreled shot gun struck Longbotham in the left side. Little was shot with an automatic pistol, three shots being fired from the pistol and two taking effect.

Five Shots Fired
Eye-witnesses say they do not know who fired first, that the five shots came in quick succession. Little, they say, was standing by his automobile when Dr. Longbotham got out of his car. The chiropractor got back in his car, after the shooting started, it is said, and then stumbled out on the far side, staggering a few steps before he fell.

Both Are Married
Longbotham was 26 years old and was married, with two children. He

had lived in Howard county since 1920. Little is 29 years old. He is married and has one child. Dr. Longbotham is said to have been treating members of Little's family.

Little is said by eye-witnesses to have been waiting in front of Dr. Longbotham's office for some time before the chiropractor, who is said to have spent the night in the country, drove up to the office.

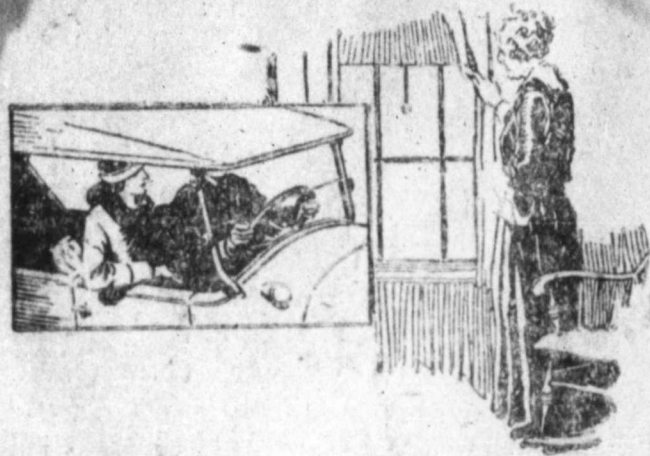
Dr. Longbotham is survived by a brother, three sisters, his father and his parents, as well as widow and two children.

Little will recover of his wounds, it is said. He is a half-brother of Jimmy Little, county attorney.

BALMORHEA WILL PUSH FOR COUNTY DIVISION

Developments in the proposed County division following last week's open meeting and representative gathering, have settled into the lining up of strength, and influence by both factions, each writing to various State representatives and senators asking for their support. Pecos business men and leading citizens are quietly doing their bit toward the cause of keeping the county intact, while the leading citizens of the "Creek" seek division. Pecos Enterprise.

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—said Aunt Julia as she watched the Robinsons drive away in their new machine, "but it just makes it all the funnier how folks live like kings and queens one minute and like I don't know what the next. Mrs. Robinson drives around like a queen in that machine, and on Monday she does a load of washing that leaves her feeling like nothing at all. Now if they can keep that gasoline buggy going, wouldn't you think she'd stop doing the washing?"

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Meats you can eat—meats you really enjoy. Temptingly fresh and tasty; juicy and tender. Try a steak or roast—THEN you'll be a steady customer of ours.

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Following is the mid-term examination exemption list of Hutchinson school of Colorado:

7A—A. R. McHoney, Teacher
History—Inez Carter, Geneva Melton, Juanita Wood, Russell Soper. Arithmetic—Inez Carter, Geneva Melton, Juanita Wood, Russell Soper. English—Inez Carter, Geneva Melton, Juanita Wood, Russell Soper.

7B—Miss Ethel Hollingshead, Room Teacher
History—Juanita Cook, Alice Harriman, Zilpha Thomas, Ralph Dean. Arithmetic—Juanita Cook, Mary Evans, Zilpha Thomas, Lawton Callison, Sam Cowan, Paul Thompson.

7C—Miss Alice Boyce, Teacher
History—Conrad Gaskins, James Guitart, Mary Frances Majors, Nina Lee Rogers.

7D—Miss Janice Wilkes, Teacher
History—Lavinia Bazz, Frances Ann Beal, Mary Bean, Ruth Bloodworth, Mary Cook, Eleanor Henderson, Pauline Jones, Imogene Lawrence, Winnie Powell, Mary Venable, Alf Foster, Louis Levinson, Frank Bodzin, John Lee Henson.

7E—Miss Ruby McGill, Teacher
History—James Bodine and Wilda Smith. Arithmetic—Edgar Allmond. English—Velma Barber.

7F—Miss Gladys Webb, Teacher
History—Darrell Bandy, Donald Bandy, Howard Davis, Willard Lynch, James Lupton, Ralph Skinner, John Smith, George Otis Witten, Dora Frances Harvey, Elizabeth Hutchinson, Lucy Mae Hargrove, Gladys Louise Jones, Edith Lockhart.

7G—Miss Mary Terrell, Teacher
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NOTICE

IN RE: ESTATE OF W. L. EDMONDSON, DECEASED, NO. 510 IN THE PROBATE COURT OF MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS.

Whereas, S. O. Givens of Lorraine, Mitchell County, Texas, was on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1927, duly appointed as temporary administrator of said estate and has given bond and qualified as such, said appointment to continue until the next term of said Court, which convenes on the 1st Monday of March, 1927, same being the 7th day of March, 1927, at which time said appointment as temporary administrator will be made permanent, unless good cause be shown to the contrary. Therefore, notice is hereby given to all parties interested in said estate that the said S. O. Givens will make his application to said Court for an order permitting his said appointment as such administrator of said estate, at which time any contest or protest to such appointment will be heard by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1927.

J. LEE JONES, Clerk, Probate Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

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CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Mitchell, it, there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Mitchell County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, L. M. Mills, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Mitchell at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 1538, wherein the First State Bank of Lorraine, Texas, is plaintiff, and L. M. Mills is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: That on the 3rd day of April, 1925, the defendant made, executed and delivered to this plaintiff his certain promissory note for the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight (\$158.50) and 50-100 Dollars, bearing date on the date and year aforesaid, payable to the order of plaintiff at Lorraine, Texas, and due on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1929, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the date of accrual until paid and providing for 10 per cent additional on the amount then due as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit is brought on same, whereby defendant became liable and bound to plaintiff and promised to pay the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon according to the tenor and effect thereof; and to better secure the payment of said note, the defendant made, executed and delivered to plaintiff his certain mortgage lien, a verified copy of which is filed in the public records here marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of the pleadings herein, on the following described personal property, to-wit: Being on two black mare mules four and five years old, about 16 hands high, no brands; 4 light Jersey cows coming 2 years old, no brands, one Durham and Jersey cow coming two years old, no brand; and that thereafter to-wit, on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1926, the above described note and all the accrued interest thereon, together with other moneys loaned the defendant was secured into a certain promissory note in the principal sum of Two Hundred Eighteen (\$218.10) and 10-100 Dollars, bearing date on the day and year aforesaid defendant made, executed and delivered to plaintiff, payable to the order of plaintiff at Lorraine, Texas, and due on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1926, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity until paid and providing for ten per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit is brought on same, whereby defendant became liable and bound to plaintiff and promised plaintiff to pay the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon according to the tenor and effect thereof.

of, said note being in words and figures substantially as follows: "Lorraine, Texas, Jan. 12, 1926, \$218.10, October 1st, 1926, after date, without grace, for value received, I, we, or either of us promise to pay to the order of the First State Bank of Lorraine, Mitchell County, Texas, the sum of Two Hundred Eighteen and 10-100 Dollars, with interest from maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum. The makers, sureties, guarantors, and endorsers of this note, and all other parties hereto, severally waive demand, presentment, notice of dishonor, diligence in collecting, grace notice and protest and agree to all extensions and partial payments before or after maturity, without prejudice to the holder, neither with the renewal hereof extinguish any of the liabilities of the parties and if this note is not paid at maturity and it is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or if it is collected through a bank, a notary or any other court, which here or after maturity, then an additional ten per cent on the principal and interest shall be added as attorney's fees for collection. Payable at the First State Bank, Lorraine, Texas. Due Oct. 1st, 1926. No. 57501. L. M. Mills."

That plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of Samuel C. Harris, an attorney, for collection and has contracted to pay him the ten per cent stipulated in said note, the same being reasonable and the usual and customary fee.

That said note is now past due and unpaid, and defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused to still fails and refuses to pay the same, or any part thereof, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of Two Hundred Forty-three (\$243.89) and 89-100 Dollars.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, that it have judgment for its debt, interest and attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of its lien on the above described personal property, and that same be decreed to be sold according to law, and for such other and further relief special and general in law and in equity, that it may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1927.

J. LEE JONES, Clerk, County Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

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