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LUBBOCK IS MOVING STEADILY ON

IMPROVEMENTS DURING THE PAST TWELVE MONTHS ARE MOST EMINENT

CITY AND COUNTRY CO-OPERATE IN IMPROVEMENTS

Diversified, Intensified Farming is Responsible for the Great Progress being Made in City and Rural Improvements, Future Bright for Greater Developments.

Lubbock has improved within the past twelve months in many ways. Not only has there been more substantial buildings erected in this town than any other town of its size on the south plains, but she has improved in various ways. Not only has the town improved, but the country surrounding it has been keeping up a lively gait.

The farmers and land owners have been improving. New farm houses have been built, larger tracts of land have been put in cultivation. New farms have been opened up, and our farmers are turning their attention to the diversified, intensified theory of farming. For this reason there are noticeable improvements in conditions over a year ago. For instance, last year our merchants were having eggs shipped into town for Easter uses, while this year there are dozens after dozens stacked up in the retail stores and hundreds of crates are being shipped out to other markets by our produce dealers. The change in this instance is caused by the farmers devoting more time and attention to the poultry department of the farm, which is one of the strong spokes in the diversified farming wheel. Another improvement is that the farmers are selling fat hogs on the market here all the time, which is another important link of the great chain of diversified farming methods. And still another, the great amount of feed that has been shipped out of Lubbock during the past six months is a big item that has never before been considered as an important feature until the last season's big crop was gathered. This along with cotton has brought the farmer out on the top, and he is the man that carries the

coin these days and has the fat bank account. It is a noticeable change from past years and the importance of the diversified methods is being more universally recognized than ever before. The theory will be worked out more thoroughly this season, a greater diversity of crops will be planted. Some crops that have never been thought of before will be tested, and the results will be watched with keen interest.

Then, too, more people are turning their attention to the soil, some of the heaviest land holders in the county are devoting increased acres to the cause of farming. They are putting in thousands of acres of the rich soil in farms this year, which heretofore has grown nothing but grass. This will bring about greater equipments in the city of Lubbock in the way of grain elevators, cotton compresses, oil mills, broom factories, creameries, canneries, etc. which will come in due time, to supply the demands.

All in all the great improvements that have been brought about in the city of Lubbock and the territory surrounding her are worthy of notice, and those who have been away several months and return to our town, notice the change at once, more readily than we who are here and watch the progress as it moves gradually, but surely along. Lubbock the recognized railroad center of the South Plains, the future wholesale center of this section of the state, the coming manufacturing town of the west, and the best town on earth to live in climbs steadily on to higher attainments, and her fame spreads abroad over the land as the town that does things. Come to Lubbock.

School Entertainment

The recital given at the High School building last Friday night was well attended, and was quite a success in every particular. It was given by Miss Brown's music class, assisted by members of Miss Campbell's class and Miss Word's expression class. The program, which appeared in the last issue of this paper, was carried out in full. Each number being very entertainingly presented.

The proceeds of this entertainment was given entirely to the piano fund, and Miss Brown certainly deserves great credit for the time she has put in the preparation of her class for this occasion, to be given entirely for the benefit of the school. She is anxious that the school piano be paid out during this term of the school, and a few more successful attempts as this one will accomplish the purpose.

Lubbock's New Buildings

We have had nothing to say recently with regard to the new buildings in Lubbock, but this is largely on account of there being nothing much to report, the progress being good on both the Lubbock Mercantile and the Hotel building. These buildings are very substantial structures, and will make a wonderful improvement in the appearance of the square as soon as they are completed. It will take some sixty or ninety days to complete them.

J. H. Moore, is canvassing the district this week, in that part around Tahoka and Brownfield, in the interest of his candidacy for the office of District Judge of the 72nd Judicial District.

Your Paper

If you did not get your paper last week, and several did not, very likely it was caused by your name being erased from our list. We did not like to cut you off, but notices had been mailed you several times and as no response was made, we decided you did not want the paper, or at least you did not want to pay for same, so we cut you off our list. There were a few however, that complained of not getting their paper, whose names are still on our list. This we cannot account for as it is almost impossible for us to miss your name after it has been placed on the mailing machine. We appreciate you coming to the office and getting another however, when you fail to receive one at the post office. We want you to read the Avalanche, and if you do not get it through the mail come to the office for it.

The Weather

This week we have had much pleasant weather. After the nice rain last week, the sun has shone out, and although rather cool part of the time things are beginning to look very spring like. The new grass is coming fast, and will soon be long enough for stock to get a good deal of it, which is a welcome sight to the owners of live stock in this section of the country. Though the losses in most cases have been very light, still a fresh range will result in great good to the range stock of this territory.

Mr. Cauthen of Abilene, was here the first of the week, looking over this country with a view of locating.

Lubbock Summer Normal

The State Department of Education has recognized the Lubbock Summer Normal and it now behooves us as teachers of the town and county also the citizens of the town to work to make it a success. In order for any institution to be successful it takes the co-operation of all those interested and all should be interested in this normal. From a financial point of view a normal will make no town rich and if that is the thing we are looking for we may be disappointed. But socially, educationally and morally it is worth a great deal. To have more than one hundred teachers in our town for six weeks, engaged in a work to better prepare themselves to meet the great responsibility of developing and molding the character of the future citizenship of our country will evidently have a tendency to implant in the hearts and minds of our young people an inspiration that will lead them on to higher and nobler things and also help to bring about among our patrons a greater desire to assist the teacher in revolutionizing our town and country educationally that our children may have better opportunities to prepare themselves to meet the duties and responsibilities of life. In working for railroads and other public enterprises Lubbock has never done anything by halves, but her citizens have gone into it with all their power and energy and things have happened, and I hope the same spirit will prevail in making this normal a success. The teachers alone can't do it—we need your assistance, your advice, your friendship. If you have teacher friends in other parts of the State who would like to get out of that hot and sultry climate and spend a summer where it is cool and pleasant write them and ask them to come and spend a pleasant and profitable summer attending the Lubbock Normal. As an advertising scheme the Summer Normal is not surpassed. When teachers from different parts of the country come and spend six weeks in mingling with the refreshing breezes of the Plains and become acquainted with the home like hospitality of our people, many of them will remain and others will go to their homes praising Lubbock, Lubbock county and the Plains country and make arrangements to come here as soon as possible. It will be as seed cast upon the waters—fruit will be reaped after many days. We need a better educational spirit both among the children and parents. Too many children make school of secondary importance and too many parents are prone to allow their children to attend shows, parties and ball games to the neglect of their studies and then blame the teachers because the children do not make high grades and fail to be promoted. The shows and parties, unless they have an educational value, are very detrimental to pupils going to school. Ball games have a disciplinary influence, hence educational, but these games should not interfere with the child's lessons but be an inspiration to study. In order to accomplish this parents should never permit their children to leave home to play games when they have made poor grades in school. We need more thinking men and women who are able to solve the great social problems now confronting us for solution, hence let us use our best efforts to accomplish this. Let us all pull for the normal and have the largest and most successful one ever held in the South Plains country and perhaps it will help us solve our educational problems. "Come to Lubbock."

J. K. WESTER, Conductor.

Clay McGonagill, of near Knowles, N. M., was indicted this week by the Ganes county grand jury on charge of being implicated in the robbery of the Seminole National Bank on February 15, 1912. Mr. McGonagill was in Seminole at the time Deputy Sheriff Cousineau read the indictment to him. His bond was fixed at \$10,000 and was readily signed by four citizens of this county. Mr. McGonagill returned to his home in New Mexico yesterday. Seminole Sentinel.

Big Sale in Progress

Simeon O'Neal's big Liquidation sale is on in full blast. The doors were thrown open promptly at the appointed hour, 9:00 o'clock, April 3rd. A large number of people were waiting at the door to gain entrance for the special offers for those who were first in the house. The sales to date have been very satisfactory, and the indications are splendid for an increased number of shoppers as it becomes more fully known, and the people from the neighboring towns have time to get here. Aside from the regular force at work in this sale, are Messrs. Geo. L. DeShazo, Chris Harwell, Jesse Parker, Neal Goggans, Mac Ward, Misses Hattie McGee and Willie Wilson. Mr. Otto H. Schultz has the sale in charge and is well pleased with the way it is starting off.

Back From Cooper

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Henry returned the first of this week from Cooper, Texas. Mrs. Henry had been there several weeks with her sister, who took seriously worse last week, and died. Mr. Henry was called to her bedside but the afflicted lady died before his arrival. The remains were interred in Cooper cemetery, where her parents were buried.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry sympathize with them deeply on account of the death of their sister.

The Worsham Sale

The D. C. Worsham big sale opened last Saturday morning according to schedule and it has been a real busy place ever since. It is coming up to the full expectations of the management, and everything is very satisfactory.

Mr. Worsham is putting fourth special efforts to make the sale a record breaker, and people are coming in from all parts of the country taking advantage of the great bargains offered. In this issue of this paper will be found a half page ad which will be of interest to you if you will look it up and see what he has to offer.

Nothing has been learned definitely of the contracts that are to be let on the star routes out from Lubbock, beginning April 16. A number of bids went in from various portions of the country tributary to the route, and we understand they vary greatly in price. Information will likely be sent us during the present week. The people along the route are getting very anxious for the service to start. It will certainly be a great benefit to the country to the west of us as well as the city of Lubbock.

The City Election

Very little interest was manifested in the election of three aldermen in the city election last Tuesday, which was held in the City Hall. Only 42 votes were cast, and the three men on the ticket received all of them. None were scratched and no new names were added. This goes to show that the people were pretty well satisfied with the present administration. The elected aldermen were N. R. Porter, B. O. McWhorter and P. B. Penney.

The Lasserre Comedy Company played a return engagement at the Lyric Theatre last Monday. This company became quite popular with the theatre going people of this city. The managers of the opera house are expecting Albert Taylor and his excellent company back in a few weeks, which will be good news to those who enjoy first class entertainments of this kind.

Cemetery Association

There will be a meeting of the Lubbock Cemetery Association at the store of W. E. Robinson next Thursday, at 3:00 o'clock. Some very important matters demand the attention of the people of Lubbock relative to the cemetery, and a good attendance is greatly desired on this occasion.

G. E. Lawson, representing the Hall Music Company, of Abilene, was here this week, and was a pleasant caller at this office. He stated to the Avalanche man that he expected his company would put on a piano sale here during the summer months.

CITY IMPROVEMENTS CONTINUE

COUNCIL KEEPS THINGS ROLLING AND MANY IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING CONSIDERED

WILL GRADE A NUMBER OF THE STREETS SOON

Dirt From the Sewer Trenches will be Utilized. Street Sprinkler to Start this Week. Water Service Being Extended.

The City Council of Lubbock is a "busy body," not in the sense that the word is used in Webster's vocabulary of the English language, but they are busy in their official capacity, in as much as they are planning some needed improvements within the city limits for the very near future.

They are planning to grade a number of streets and cover them with the dirt that is taken out of the sewerage trenches which has proven to be very fine for that purpose. It packs well and has a good firm surface, making fine streets both in dry and wet weather.

This is a much needed improvement as some of the streets are becoming rough on account of the great amount of traffic, the heavy wagons breaking through the soft places causing holes to wear in the street. Another important improvement is the starting of the street sprinkler. This service will be started immediately. Saturday is the date of the contract which was awarded to C. T. Jackson of this city several weeks ago. Mr. Jackson has contracted to do the work, agreeing to put a specified amount of water on the streets in a specified part of the

business part of the city each day.

There are still other improvements contemplated and in fact are now being worked out, but are not ready for the public at this time, not that they are being kept secret entirely, but there is a time for everything and it is sometimes not best to give out detailed information before it is in correct form.

Efforts are being made to extend the water service as much as possible though to what extent this will be done depends largely upon the number of patrons that are secured for the service. Sewer connections are being fixed for along the line of the sewer pipes, which will improve the appearance of the city as well as the health conditions.

The city fathers are keepin in mind the future city that Lubbock is destined to make, and the facilities they are putting in while at this time are far in excess of what is really needed at the present date, are being built in anticipation of the greater Lubbock that people are planning for, both in Lubbock and other places. Lubbock is building on a firm, safe, foundation. Then, come to Lubbock.

Baby Died

Last Thursday afternoon the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore, and placed its hands upon their 14 months old baby, the idol of the home, and took it from this world of trouble, sorrow and suffering, to that land where all is bright, where the sunlight of the blessed Master ever shines upon the redeemed of earth. This child was the only one that has ever gladdened the hearts of this father and mother and the separation was no doubt very keenly felt. There is consolation to those of an upright heart, however, in the words of the Savior who said: "Suffer little children and forbid them not to come unto Me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the people of this city. The remains of the little one was borne to its last earthly resting place in the Lubbock cemetery by loving friends, where funeral services were conducted by Elder Liff Sanders.

Lamesa Looking for Railway

Lamesa, Tex., April 2.—Representatives of the Texas Central Railroad are expected here at any day. This road is proposing to extend its line east and cross the Plains and is considering Lamesa as one of its new railroad points. With this east and west railroad and the Santa Fe building between here and Sterling City, Lamesa and Dawson county would enter upon a new and great development era.

Big Cattle Deal at El Paso

El Paso, Tex., April 1.—One of the largest cattle sales of local history occurred today, when \$100,000 worth of stock changed hands. Bevins & Morris of Amarillo sold 4,000 head of cattle to L. E. Booker, a stockman of this city. This sale will take all the stock from the Stockton ranch, located near Silver City N. M. The first delivery will be made May 1, the remainder to be delivered before June 20.

Amarillo Election

Amarillo's new municipal government, according to returns on yesterday's election, is as follows: Mayor—W. E. Gee. City Marshal—J. F. Speed. City Attorney—E. T. Miller. City Secretary-Treasurer—S. J. Brown. City Assessor and collector—T. W. McBride. Aldermen—Lee Bivins, P. H. Seewald and C. C. F. Blanchard.

Shoemaker, W. A. Robertson this week is turning out a pair of shoes for a party in Arizona. Mr. Robertson made this same party a pair last year and return order is a pretty good indication that he is well pleased with the job.

J. D. Peete, has rented the building on South Singer street, owned by Van Sanders, and will open a tin shop there within a few days.

Mr. Gaither, of Terry county, was here the early part of this week looking after business matters.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the many kind friends who helped us during the recent illness and death of our darling babe and may God's richest blessings rest with you all. MR. AND MRS. J. H. MOORE.



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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1912

PARCELS POST

The parcels post proposition is soon to come up before congress. This idea was first advanced by John Wannamaker, the merchant prince of Philadelphia, who was the pioneer in the mail order business. When he became postmaster general he urged it. Next Postmaster General Meyer, who was a Hebreu, and in touch with those mercantile interests which favored such a proposition, advocated the idea, and now Postmaster General Hitchcock favors the scheme. The latter proposes

to try it out on the rural routes alone. Of course this is what the great mail order houses want. Let Uncle Sam do their fetching and carrying for a price that would be below cost and then they could launch out on a campaign of mail order exploitation that would sound the death knell of the country merchant and the country town. The farmers of the country, availing themselves of the mail order opportunities that would follow such a system, would throw so large a volume of their business

to the concerns located in the great cities that they would force their home merchants out of business, destroy the home market for produce and convert their county seat towns to mere cross road hamlets where the farmers would only have to go to pay his taxes and attend court. The mercantile interests that now pay so much of the personal taxes of the county and help sustain the courts, the roads, the bridges, the county schools and the other local institutions would not exist and the farmers of Nemaha county could certainly not tax Montgomery Ward, Sears & Roebuck, and the host of concerns of a similar character that would spring up in the big cities to maintain the institutions we now have in the cities to maintain in this country. They would have to pay cash in advance for everything where they now get a liberal credit from the local merchants. This is not an overdrawn picture. It is one that will actually exist in the event that a bill of this kind is passed by congress. The farmer owes it to his home towns to maintain them and to do his trading in them. It is these small commercial and market centers which give additional

value to his farms, maintain his schools, his courts, his produce markets, his credit in time of need, his banking institutions, his churches, his good roads, his telephone systems and all of the other advantages that come from a co-operation of town and country. It has urged that the parcels post would put the express companies out of business. Uncle Sam, if he wants to, can do the same thing by taking over the express companies and nationalizing them the same as the posts as a matter of public policy and could establish express rates and service that would be of benefit to the people without injuring the small towns. —Republican, Auburn, Neb.

STRANGE!

Lubbock is a great railway center. Every week there are two columns in the Avalanche regarding the seven or eight roads being built there, but the funny part of it is, there is little railway activity outside of the Avalanche office, especially the front page of said paper. But it pays to boost; they may come in time. —Canyon News.

"Little activity outside of the Avalanche office." Well this is just another case of jealousy closing the eyes of a good newspaperman. If the Canyon News will only take the time to refer

to many of the articles, he will find that the majority of them are credited as having come from people who do not live in Lubbock, but who are acquainted with the situation, and can plainly see the hand writing on the wall, and know that the roads are coming to Lubbock. The News can see it too, but seemingly hates to acknowledge it.

SAYS WE ARE RIGHT

Commenting on an article that appeared in the Avalanche several weeks ago with regard to the opening of a straight road west from this place, the Yoakum County News says:

"The Avalanche speaks words of wisdom and good advice in the above article. Lubbock is now getting the trade from this part of the country and the business men of that town should see that our freighters have good roads over which to travel. Most of the people of Terry county are making Tahoka their shipping point, but we believe that the business men and citizens generally of Yoakum county will make Lubbock their shipping and trading point so long as they receive good treatment at the hands of its business men."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one effective cure deafness, and that is by constitutional treatment. It is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed, it has a tendency to close, and the perfect hearing is lost. When it is closed, the air cannot reach the eardrum, and the ear is deaf. We will give you a refund of your money if you do not get cured by our method. We will give you a refund of your money if you do not get cured by our method. We will give you a refund of your money if you do not get cured by our method.

New Mexico women are circulating petitions for state wide prohibition. Here's hoping that they succeed.

Money to Loan

I can loan you money on land at eight per cent interest, three to ten years time. Louis A. Robinson.

Prof. O. B. Powell, principal of the Acuff school had business in Lubbock Saturday.

I want your gray business. I am prepared to handle any kind promptly and without injury. Simpson, the Grayman.

J. J. Adams has accepted a position in the grocery store of Loug Brothers.

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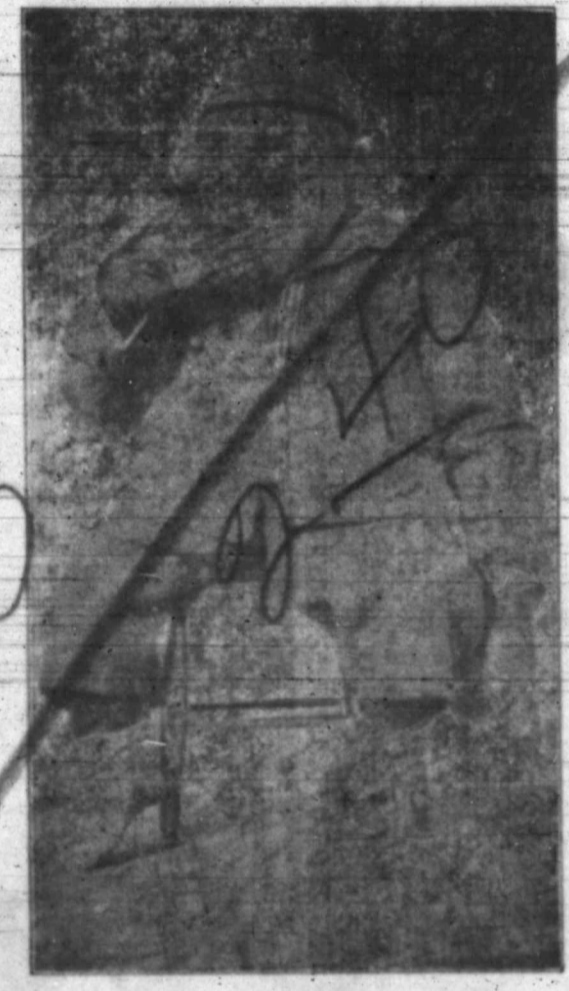
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BAND CONCERT AT 2:30 P. M. MONDAY, APRIL 8
WATCH FOR IT

W. C. T. U.

BY MRS. S. P. STUBBS
In the ballot we have lead a non-better and firmer set in any bayonet."—Neal Dow. sooner or later the thinking who engages in looking to

Continent. He has been deeply concerned of late with the social uplift work of the Laymen Missionary Movement and the Men and Religion Forward Movement, but a close study of the questions brought to his attention led him to the deliberate conclusion that no real progress

Washington, or for rejoicing over the election of an anti-vice mayor, but on the contrary one finds this comment, "Whatever the cause the election of so hide-bound a prohibitionist as the chief magistrate of a leading Pacific Coast city is a blow to the liberal cause," and the "liberal cause" is the cause that stands for a wide open town and the exploiting of human virtue and weakness for gain.

If there ever had been a doubt a shadow of doubt as to this unholy alliance dissipated by the evidence collected by the Chicago Vice Commission, showing the large numbers of, saloon-keepers on all three sides of that great city catered to and protected this trade in womanhood, and in fact, according to the divekeepers themselves, could not have existed without its Reformers and social workers who deal at close range with the vice problem are most emphatic in their denunciation of the liquor evil as aid to the destruction of girls. A careful scientist has called alcohol the indispensable vehicle of the business transacted by the white slave traders and has asserted that without its use this trade could no longer continue; says Jane Adams, the noted advocate of social reform; adding the wide spread movement against alcoholism is one of the best possible aids to the crusade against the social evil.

T. E. McDaniels, of Waco, was here the first of the week looking after some land interests he recently acquired in Lubbock County. He last week closed a deal with B. F. Smith for a section of land northwest of town. He was a pleasant caller at this office Monday, and stated in reply to the question whether he would move here soon, that he was undecided, just what steps he would take in the matter. He and wife both like the Plains and may finally make this their home.

NEW GOODS, LOW PRICES

COMPLETE LINES AND COURTEOUS TREATMENT

These are the cards we are playing and by which we hope to claim as a customer every man, woman, boy and girl in Lubbock's vast trade territory. We have the goods and must sell them. So call on us and let us show you.

This week we call your attention to our dress goods lines, especially our showing of suitings, including reps poplins, peques and the new cordurys. These goods were bought by us direct from the mills, thereby eliminating the jobbers profit and placing us in position to give you more for your money. See them, priced 15 to 50 cents per yard.

The Lubbock Mercantile Co.

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THERE IS NO USE ARGUING WITH YOUR WIFE

If she has bought groceries from our store during March, she will want to get her April groceries here too, and you will have a hard time convincing her that she should get them elsewhere. Prompt, careful attention given every order. REMEMBER THE LARGE ASSORTMENT OF RACKET GOODS.

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and the amelioration of the rows of society reaches the victim that the liquor evil can be eliminated before much progress can be made. A case in point is the declaration of a prominent young discipaliam of Baltimore, Maryland, William F. Cochran Jr., who will use his resources to aid anti-saloonion in his state, for which he has already purchased columns of advertising on the first page of the more Sun. It is especially interesting to note some of the reasons of thought which led this decision, as given by the

could be made in this line until the power of the saloon was broken. True it is as Thomas Carlyle once remarked. A thinking man is the worst enemy the Prince of Darkness has. The so-called respectable element among the liquor men is quick to resent the accusation that the "White Slave Traffic" and the legalized liquor business are in partnership yet they have never been able to disprove this truth. One looks in vain in the columns of the liquor journal for condemnation of the deplorable conditions which have existed in the vice districts of Seattle

MANDAMUS GRANTED

Litigation Was to Compel Tax Collector to Issue Receipts
Waco, Tex., March 29.—After lengthy arguments in the Fifty-fourth District Court today Judge R. I. Munroe granted the mandamus sought by seventy-three citizens of West to compel County Tax Collector Lee Davis to issue them poll tax receipts late this afternoon. Among those who were deprived of their right to vote is Mayor A. L. Willie and other prominent citi-

zens living at West. It was announced by County Tax Collector Davis that he would appeal the case. As this is what is known as a preference matter, the Court of Civil Appeal will very likely pass on the case at an early date. A city election takes place in West next Tuesday, but those who won out in court today can not vote until the higher court has rendered its decision. It was contended by the petitioners that they paid the money to a Deputy Tax Collector at West early enough to have entitled them to secure poll tax receipts. The money was sent to an agent of the voters at

West here, but the letter, though the postmark showed it to have been received here on the afternoon of Jan. 31, was not delivered to the agent until the following delivery.

See Louis A. Robinson for rent houses from \$5 to \$25 per month.
Post City 7—Lubbock 8

Post City High School and Lubbock High School ball teams played a fast game here last Saturday. Lubbock winning the game in the eleventh inning by a score of 8 to 7. The game was hotly contested from start to finish. Both teams made a few costly errors. Weak-

ley pitched a good game, striking out ten men, while Burse cut down fifteen.

Post City could not get on to Burse and did not obtain very many hits, but the Lubbock fellows landed it out quite frequently and Weakly was landed on for two home runs.

Both teams played a fast game. —Post City Post.

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You can buy a coupon book or you can make arrangements to pay the deliveryman when order is delivered. Please do not ask us for credit, for we would be compelled through fairness to ourselves and others to refuse.

The Cash Meat Market

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The Other Side
"When it is said of a man that he is a dyspeptic, the people wonder whether his wife writes novels or votes," says the Atchison Globe.

After reading the above paragraph, I interviewed the wives of three of the worst dyspeptics I know, says Mary E. Donley, in The Woman's Standard.

The first one has seven children. She said: "I am so busy with my household duties, for John never thinks of hiring a day's work for me, that I do not go to church more than once or twice a year, and never think of taking time to read, not even a chapter in the Bible."

Wife second has seven children, and has devoted so much

of her time to cooking that she has not been to see the county seat of her county in fifteen years, and has forgotten how to write her own name.

Dyspeptic third has a wife who has been beautiful, is refined and educated. He is a beastly drunkard. When I asked her if she read much, and what she thought about suffrage for women, she replied: "I don't read much, and have so little heart or mind left, after twenty-five years of sorrow and care, I don't care much for what goes on around me, but if voting means less drunkenness, less heartaches, less sorrow and woe, I say, lose no time in securing the ballot for women."

After these three had borne

testimony diverse to the opinion of The Globe editor, I concluded he must be a dyspeptic himself, whose wife at some time in her life had written a story or voted in a literary society.

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NINE MONTHS SCHOOL Lubbock School Will Continue Full Time—Board Acts Wisely

Last week mention was made of the fact that there was some talk of the Lubbock Schools being cut short this year on account of the funds being exhausted. The board however after several meetings planning ways and means to overcome the difficulty, decided that it was not the proper thing to do; and arrangements were made to carry on the school to the end of the term, which will be about seven weeks longer. It was a wise act on the part of the School board to continue the school as long as possible. It will give the children a better opportunity to prepare themselves for promotion at the end of the term.

GOING TO CLEAN UP OR BE SICK?

Summer and hot weather are coming—also flies. In April or May after a few hot days, the doctors will be called to attend from 30 or 50 per cent of the babies in the city of Clovis. A great majority of these babies will have desentery. Some will die. A little later typhoid will be reported, possibly five or twenty cases, with two or three deaths. This statement is true, provided, the sanitary condition of the city is not made better than it is at present or what it has been in the past years.

Mother or father, if you could look into the future and positively know that your baby would be sick, would you not be interested in preventing it? Taking into consideration the doctors fee, is it not a good investment to spend a dollar or two now in cleaning up your premises rather than being forced to spend a much larger sum later?

If you, Mr. Grown Person, absolutely knew that you would have typhoid fever in next June would you not be more than willing to take part in a clean up crusade that would make typhoid impossible? Any sensible man would. The board of health of Clovis has had very much trouble in getting premises cleaned up and kept in sanitary condition. A great majority of residents have maintained their premises more resembling a pig pen, and when asked to clean up have impudently wanted to know why the city don't do it. The city did not make your place unsanitary so why should you be on charity. Instances are on record where Clovis residents have been arrested and forced to clean up and the process had to be repeated within a month. It seems that a portion of the people would part with every cent they possess rather than keep clean. A few must see the hearse coming after them before they can be made to see the importance of sanitation. Clean up keep clean, save your money, enjoy health, or keep filthy, pay doctors bill, and die.—Wateguinado?

The above from the Clovis Journal is timely. Lubbock needs a round or so cleaning house too. Let us not put this off. Do it now. Probably there will only be a few more days of cold weather and then Mr. Fly will put in his appearance. Starve him to death this year by not having anything around for him to eat. Clean up before he arrives.

Don't know exactly what was the matter with the Ralls Banner this week, but it came to our desk with the front page printed on the back, and the back on the front and two pages up side down. Bad brand you have been using Morris.

Frank Higgins has been spending several days here shaking hands with friends and transacting business. He is operating the auto between Crosbyton and Spur.

ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE
I hereby announce as a candidate to succeed myself as Judge of the 72nd judicial district subject to the action of the democratic primary July 27th 1912.
W. R. SPENCER.

We are authorized to announce Judge James R. Robinson, of Lubbock, as a candidate for the office of judge, seventy-second judicial district subject to the action of the democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce Judge H. C. Ferguson as a candidate for the office of judge of the 72nd judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 27th.

We are authorized to announce J. H. Moore, of Lubbock, as a candidate for the office of judge of the 72nd judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for district attorney of the 72nd judicial district of Texas to succeed myself subject to the action of the democratic primary in July.
J. E. VICKERS.

We are authorized to announce G. E. Lockhart, of Tahoka, Texas, as a candidate for the office of attorney for the 72nd judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 27th.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
We are authorized to announce Jno. R. McGee as a candidate for the office of county judge to succeed himself of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the July democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce E. R. Haynes as a candidate for county judge of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the democratic primary.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
We are authorized to announce R. A. Sowder as a candidate for the office of county attorney for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the democratic primaries.

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR
We are authorized to announce W. H. Flynn as a candidate for election to the office of sheriff and tax collector for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primary, in July, 1912.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
We are authorized to announce J. H. (Hurd) Stanfield as a candidate for the office of tax assessor of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries of 1912.

We are authorized to announce S. C. Spikes, as a candidate for the office of tax assessor for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primary, in 1912.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. K. Porter as a candidate for the office of tax assessor (re-election) for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, 1912.

We are authorized to announce J. W. Agnew as a candidate for the office of tax assessor of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
We are authorized to announce J. B. Mobley as a candidate for the office of county treasurer of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce R. H. Wilson as a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer of Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce Chris Harwell as a candidate for the office of county treasurer for Lubbock and attached counties subject to the democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK
We are authorized to announce J. A. Wilson as a candidate for re-election to the office of county and district clerk for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR
We are authorized to announce H. G. Guinn for re-election to the office of county surveyor, Lubbock and attached counties subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR HIDE AND ANIMAL INSPECTOR
We are authorized to announce the name of C. E. (Bob) Jasper as a candidate for the office of hide and animal inspector, Lubbock and attached counties.

FOR COMMISSIONER—PRECINCT 1
We are authorized to announce R. A. Barelay as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 1, Lubbock county, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR COMMISSIONER—PRECINCT NO. 2
We are authorized to announce Geo. M. Hoies as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the democratic primary in July.

FOR COMMISSIONER—PRECINCT NO. 3
We are authorized to announce L. O. Burford as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR COMMISSIONER—PRECINCT 4
We are authorized to announce Bob Penney as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Wright, as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
We are authorized to announce Knight as a candidate for justice of the peace of Lubbock county, subject to the democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce Caldwell as a candidate for justice of the peace of Lubbock county, subject to the democratic primary.

Directory
OFFICIALS & SENATORS
Congress—W. R. Smith
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COUNTY OFFICE
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County and District Clerk—R. A. Sowder
Treasurer—R. H. Wilson
Sheriff and Collector—W. H. Flynn
Surveyor—H. G. Guinn
County Assessor—H. K. Porter
Hide and Animal Inspector—C. E. Jasper
County Chairman—Geo. R. Penney
County Commissioner Precinct No. 1—R. A. Barelay
County Commissioner Precinct No. 2—Geo. M. Hoies
County Commissioner Precinct No. 3—L. O. Burford
County Commissioner Precinct No. 4—Bob Penney
Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 1—C. C. Gage
Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 2—Higbee.

LODGES
Notice of lodge meetings will be inserted in this column for 50 cents a month, payable semi-annually. Requests to be made upon request of properly authorized representatives of the lodges.

CHURCHES
Church notices of every denomination will be run in this column free of charge. Announcements, only.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Services the first and second Sunday of each month at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school each Sabbath afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. at the church. Pastor, H. C. Hays.

FIRST CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock. Pastor, Rev. J. L. Elliott, except on Sunday. Love feasts will be held at 11 o'clock on the first and third of each month. Service at 10 o'clock, Sunday, H. C. Hays, Superintendent.

COLEMAN-STREIGHT MARRIAGE
Mrs. Minnie Lee Straight and H. Coleman Married at Hillsboro

Hillsboro, Tex., March 2
Mrs. Minnie Lee Straight married here at 7 o'clock night to C. H. Coleman of Denison and Waco.

The above despatch appeared in the daily papers under date of March 29th. It will be remembered that Mrs. Straight—the woman that was indicted for the killing of her husband, who was editor of McGregor Mirror. She was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment the first trial, secured a new trial in an appeal.

J. B. Bradley returned from trip to Hillsboro, the first of the week. He has secured a position as time keeper on the interurban construction work there, will move his family there awhile at least.

LAND BARGAIN

I will sell you Section No. 1, Block J. S. 640 Acres, 2 miles N. W. of Lubbock \$12.50 per acre. Will call \$5,000 of the purchase price four years at only 6 per cent interest.

This land is in the irrigated belt, a part of same is on 20 feet to water. By install a pumping plant this land can be made worth \$100 per acre. Here is your opportunity buy a fine section of land in small outlay of cash with a low rate of interest. Other business compels close out my lands and this your chance to make a valuable home of this tract of land. Quick if you are looking for real BARGAIN. Address

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TRUE PATRIOTISM
Patronizing Home Industries is
One Way to be Patriotic—Don't
Kill Home Enterprises

The following is an address by
William Allen White, Emporia,
Kas., to Southwest Lumberman's
Association, Kansas City, Mo:
I am exceedingly sorry that I
cannot attend your convention.
It seems to me that the Lumber-
men of this section are under-
taking a work that should com-
mend them to all good citizens.
The preservation of the home
trade to the home town carries
with it the preservation of many
of our American institutions: It
seems to me that a lot of good
things in American life will pass
if the country-town passes. And
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American country town, the
town of from one hundred to one
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to sacrifice that man and his
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of a hundred dollars' worth of
goods is just as unpatriotic as it
is to spit at the flag. For the
flag, if it means anything, means
the golden rule; the flag means
friendly burden bearing; it means
mutual help in trouble; it means
standing together against com-
mon foes. The motto of the
mail order house is every man
himself and the devil take the
hindmost—and you bet the
devil will. That spirit never
fails to work; and the weak man,
the unprotected man, the man
alone—the man on the farm, at
the end of the fact, when his
farm market is gone, when his
town is gone, when the spirit of
selfishness and greed has left
this country cold and hard and
mean and neighborless—the
farmer will be the hindmost;
so I am glad to know that this
association is taking up this
work—cheerless, thankless, but
necessary and patriotic task—
and it is pushing it to a success-
ful conclusion. You have my
heartiest sympathy and may
call upon me whenever I can
help.

**Are You ?
A Woman ?
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The
Woman's Tonic**

Mrs. C. M. Ballenger and baby
of Lubbock, are in the city on a
visit to her parents. Judge and
Mrs. T. J. White. —Coleman
News.

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J. J. REYNOLDS

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XXXII. GOVERNING
PETER THE GREAT, standing at the tomb of Richelieu, ex-
claimed, "Thou Great Man, I would have given thee half of
my dominion to have learned of thee how to govern the
other half," and Peter the Great was one of the most progressive
monarchs of any nation or age. The greatest rulers the world
has ever produced are those who sought wise counsel from their
associates and profited by the experiences of others.
Knowledge is the most valuable element known in human life
and to government it is the most powerful asset in civilization.



PETER THE GREAT AT THE TOMB OF RICHELIEU.
Let that country feel secure whose rulers cry aloud for wis-
dom and who are anxious to exchange power for knowledge and
sacrifice ambition for intelligence to the end that the throne
may become the fount that makes the brook of industry flow and
flood the land with a golden stream of happiness and prosperity.
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Simeon O'Neal, Lubbock, Tex.

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The Lubbock State Bank

Removal Notice

This is to notify the public that we have moved our stock of grain and coal from our old stand on South Singer Street to the Dillard Glenn stand on the track, formerly the W. H. Denison office building. We will be pleased to have our old customers call on us at the new stand, where we will be better prepared to accommodate you in our line. Our firm name will hereafter be Downing & Hill, 39-11 Downing & Co.

Blackleg Salt

A crushed rock salt with an approved Government preparation that absolutely prevents blackleg. Guaranteed. Price \$2.50 per 100 pounds. Order now. F. M. Curvey, Panhandle, Texas. 37 4t

J. C. Cass, manager of the Cass Auto Company, is in El Paso this week. He made the trip in one of his famous Buick cars.

has a full fledged Bank, which operation last Mon-

If in need of a pure bred Barred Old South Rock Goketel; see Mrs. Geo. M. Boles. Eggs \$1.50 per setting of 17. Phone No. 81. 38 2t

For Inspector

In this issue of the Avalanche will be found the announcement of C. R. Jasper, who offers himself as a candidate for the office of hide and animal inspector of Lubbock and attached counties. Mr. Jasper has had considerable experience with cattle, and while he has never worked in this special capacity, he feels that he is thoroughly competent to fill the position, and asks the support of the voters of these counties in the July primary.

The Simpson Petroleum Company has kerosine for sale by all leading grocers. 39 1t

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It is a good deal cheaper to have your shoes repaired than it is to have had years of experience in the shoemaking business and I can make you a pair of boots or shoes that will fit and insure comfort. My prices are reasonable. Come in and let me work on your shoes. Work guaranteed.

W. A. ROBERTSON

North Side of the Square

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE—Team of good heavy work horses, seven miles south of town. S. D. Stewart. 38 1t

FOR SALE—White maize seed. Davidson's Feed Store. Phone 134. 38 2t

FOR SALE—One good jersey heifer, of very fine milk stock. Jack Robinson, Phone 137. 38 2t

FOR SALE—Plane of Pride of the South cotton seed. See E. R. Davis or phone 159-3r. 39 1tp

FOR TRADE—Four room house and two lots, also barber shop, all in Roswell; all valued at \$6,000. Trade for Lubbock property. Address P. S. Jackson, Lubbock, Texas. 38 2t

Well improved 100 acre farm in Haskell County, to trade for Lubbock or Lynn County land. \$2500.00. Insurance, also stock of Dry Goods and some good revenue bearing property to trade for plain land. Send us your proposition. 39 1t COGDILL & RANKIN.

FOR RENT—Business house on Broadway. Call at this office.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Mrs. W. F. Essex. 32 1t

HAULING—That is my business, and I know how to do the work. I am well prepared to handle all kinds of jobs, and will appreciate your business. Simpson, the Drayman. Residence phone 43. 35 1t

WANTED TO LEASE—One or two sections of land with farm house on it, or will buy out some one who has a lease, within ten or twelve miles of Lubbock. Address T. S. Jackson, Lubbock, Texas. 38 2t

STORAGE—I can help you so why don't you try it on charity. Instances are on record where Clovis residents have been arrested and forced to clean up and the process had to be repeated within a month. It seems that a portion of the people would part with every cent they possess rather than keep clean. A few must see the hearse coming after them before they can be made to see the importance of sanitation. Clean up keep clean, save your money, enjoy health, or keep filthy, pay doctors bill, and die. Watugoinado?

The above from the Clovis Journal is timely. Lubbock needs a round or so cleaning house too. Let us not put this off. Do it now. Probably there will only be a few more days of cold weather and then Mr. Fly will put in his appearance. Starve him to death this year by not having anything around for him to eat. Clean up before he arrives.

Don't know exactly what was the matter with the Ralls Banner this week, but it came to our desk with the front page printed on the back, and the back on the front and two pages up side down. Bad brand you have been using Morris.

Frank Higgins has been spending several days here shaking hands with friends and transacting business. He is operating the auto line between Crosbyton and Spurr.

Church Notes

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE Program at Methodist church April 7:

Voluntary, "The Lord is Risen"—By choir.

Anthem, "Golden Harps are Sounding"—By choir.

Apostles Creed.

Prayer.

"Duet", "He Arose"—Madams, Wheelock and Norton.

Scripture Lesson.

Offering and Notices.

Solo, "The Choir Boy"—Mrs. S. R. Pierce.

Sermon.

Anthem, "The True Easter"—By choir.

Doxology.

Rev. G. B. Overton preached at the evening hour in the Methodist church last Sunday. Bro. Overton is always willing to preach when called upon and the people of Lubbock are always glad to hear him. He has charge of the Slaton church this year, preaching three Sundays. One Sunday in the month his time is given to the Prairieview church, but last Sunday being the fifth Sunday he was permitted to remain at home.

Rev. Arbuckle, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Tahoka last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Special service will be held in the First Presbyterian Church, in this city Sunday. Special music has been provided for the Easter service and the public is invited to attend, both morning and evening.

Rev. Mason is scheduled to arrive here today and will preach in the South Side Christian church Friday, Saturday and Sunday night. You are cordially invited to attend.

We are authorized to announce Chris Harwell as a candidate for the office of county treasurer for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK
 We are authorized to announce J. A. Wilson as a candidate for re-election to the office of county and district clerk for Lubbock and attached counties, subject to the democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR
 We are authorized to announce H. G. Guinn for re-election to the office of county surveyor, Lubbock and attached counties subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR HIDE AND ANIMAL INSPECTOR
 We are authorized to announce the name of C. R. Jasper as a candidate for the office of hide and animal inspector, Lubbock and attached counties.

FOR COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT 1
 We are authorized to announce R. A. Barley as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 1, Lubbock county, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

FOR COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT 2
 We are authorized to announce Geo. M. Boles as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the democratic primary in July.

FOR COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT 3
 We are authorized to announce L. O. Burford as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR COMMISSIONER - PRECINCT 4
 We are authorized to announce Bob Fetney as a candidate for re-election to the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Wright, as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 4, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

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 All parties indebted to us to January 1st are hereby requested to come in and settle or make satisfactory arrangements and save further trouble to yourselves and us. Don't treat this as a joke. We mean what we say.
 WE MUST HAVE OUR MONEY
 LUBBOCK MERCANTILE CO.

Notice
 Hereafter any stock put in the public pound shall be held until all fees are paid. No further "put-off's" or "put-it-talks" will be tolerated. This means one and all. J. V. Roy, Pound Master. 38 2t

The First National Bank this week have had their new fixture put in order and the interior for the killing of the band, who was editor of McGregor Mirror. She was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment the first trial, secured a new trial in an acquittal.

J. B. Bradley returned from trip to Hillsboro, the first of the week. He has secured a position as time keeper on the interurban construction work there, and will move his family there awhile at least.

LAND BARGAIN
 I will sell you Section No. 3, Block J. S. 640 Acres, 2 miles N. W. of Lubbock \$12.50 per acre. Will cash \$5,000 of the purchase price, four years at only 6 per cent interest. This land is in the irrigated belt, a part of same is on 20 feet of water. By install a pumping plant this land can make worth \$100 per acre. Here is your opportunity to buy a fine section of land with small outlay of cash, with advance on long time with a low rate of interest. Other business compels me to close out my lands and the your chance to make a valuable home of this tract of land, quick if you are looking for real BARGAIN. Address
 W. L. SAWYERS
 OWNER
 BOX 745, EL PASO, TEX.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
 We are authorized to announce Knight as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace of Lubbock county, subject to the democratic primaries.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
 We are authorized to announce Caldwell as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace of Lubbock county, subject to the democratic primaries.

Directory
 OFFICIALS
 Sheriff—W. R. Smith.
 Auditor—W. J. Bryan.
 Representative—J. J. Dill.
 District Judge—W. R. Spivey.
 District Attorney—J. E. Beck, Tex.
 COUNTY OFFICE
 Recorder—J. R. McGee.
 County Clerk—R. A. Sowder.
 County Assessor—R. H. Wilson.
 Surveyor—H. G. Guinn.
 County Assessor—H. K. R. Hide and Ani. Inspector—Geo. R. County Chairman—Geo. R. County Commissioner Pre. No. 1—Knight.
 County Commissioner Pre. No. 2—Boles.
 County Commissioner Pre. No. 3—Burford.
 County Commissioner Pre. No. 4—Fetney.
 Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 1—Knight.
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 LODGES
 Lodge meetings will be held in the public pound on the 1st of each month, upon request of a representative.

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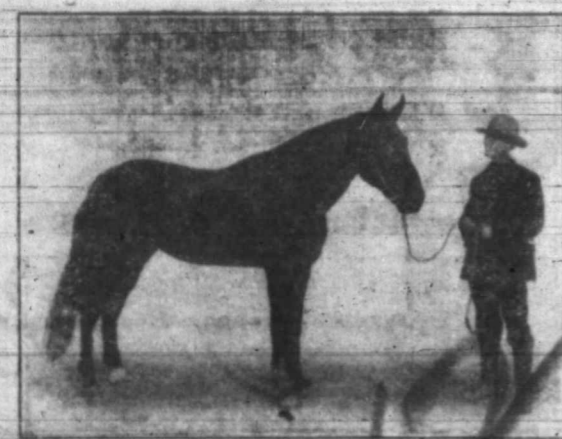
THAT you can find most anything you want in the GROCERY line at our store
 THAT by selecting our store as your trading point for April you have made no mistake

THAT our stock is fresh and high grade in every respect.

THAT you can get the celebrated W. O. W. FLOUR here which we guaranteed to be everything that it is represented to be.

THAT your patronage is highly appreciated and we will do everything in our power to make your shopping pleasant and mutually satisfactory.

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DON'T FORGET
ZOLA REX
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STANDARD AND REGISTERED

The great combination harness horse bred by Col. Exall of Dallas.

If you have a nice mare to breed this season, TERMS—\$15.00 the season; \$20.00 with return privileges, \$30.00 due when mare shows to be with foal.

REUBEN



THE PURE BRED HALF MAMMOTH AND HALF BLACK SPANISH JACK

A combination of color, size, bone and action Pure black with white points. TERMS—\$10.00, due when colt comes.

If you have a mare you are sure to want a nice bay 2:30 goer to drive or a big black mule to farm with or sell for the spot. This stallion and jack will make the season of 1912 at my barn 5 miles west of town.

EXOLA STOCK FARM
 J. L. TUBBS, PROP.
 PHONE 2211L-1S P. O. BOX 473

us from the face of the earth. The man who will sell his vote is low, the lowest on earth, except one and that's the man who will buy a vote.

If we sow Sabbath desecration we will reap lawlessness. Men, if God lets you live one more Sunday, you say, "Children, come on, I'm going with you to Sunday school." Again, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord in vain, for God will not hold him guiltless who taketh His name in vain." This is the only commandment on which God commented after He said it. No excuse on earth for swearing—but it is violated more than any other commandment. Oh, young man, if I never quit another sin in time or eternity, I'd get up on my manhood and stop profanity. It never made you a dollar.

Again, "Provide all things honest in the sight of God." Gambling! Do you know gambling is on the increase—small gambling and large gambling. \$88,000,000 they say changes hands every day in gambling. A man who gambles—I don't care who it is—walks in the shadow of the penitentiary. I know what it is to toil, and I'd rather go out and plow stumpy ground, barefoot, and earn a dollar, an honest dollar, and put it in my trousers and go to sleep—I'd rather have it than a million dollars gained in gambling.

Of all hard men to win to Christ, the gambler is the hardest. They are the most heartless. Of all deaths they die the most terrible. God pity the man who gambles. Oh, that is a treacherous stream.

Then, again, "Thou shalt not commit adultery." David knew that sin and impurity was his reward. You are going to reap what you sow. Every child has a right to be properly born and to have certain safeguards around it. Blood will tell. The most damnable thing this side of hell is for any city to set aside a district and put in some mothers' daughters to satisfy the passion of beasts. That would do for the days of the jungle.

Buy a house like paying rent. See Louis A. Robinson for further particulars.

Marion Coleman was in from his Ranger Lake ranch Saturday and brings in a splendid report of range conditions in that section. He says his stock are doing nicely, and has not lost anything this winter.

COMMON SENSE IS A SPLENDID ASSET ANYWHERE

Those who do not possess a certain amount of it, no matter how well learned he may be in books, he might make some wonderful blunders in life, and some costly mistakes.

THE COMMON SENSE SILO

is what we want to call your attention to at this time. You have heard much and read more about silos within the past few months than probably ever before. It is brought about by the ingenuity of man and the necessity of better methods of curing feed after you have raised it, and make it more valuable. We have a model of our COMMON SENSE SILO at our office, and we invite you to call and see it, and let us explain every detail to you.

A. G. McADAMS LUMBER COMPANY

A MEDICINE AS GOOD AS YOUR MONEY.

Money Promptly Refunded if Dodson's Liver-Tone Fails to Take Place of Calomel.

The Red Cross Drug and Jewelry store sells Dodson's Liver-Tone as a perfect substitute for calomel. If you try one bottle and find that it is not just as good in its action as calomel and at the same time gentler and without the bad after-effects of calomel, please call and get your money back. It will be given you promptly. Dodson's Liver-Tone is a vegetable liquid with a pleasant taste, that livens up the liver, mildly but surely, instead of whipping it into action as the strong chemical calomel does. It is used by both children and grown-ups for constipation and liver trouble. That is why the Red Cross Drug and Jewelry store is willing to guarantee it absolutely, not with another bottle, but with your money back. Isn't a medicine with a guarantee like this worth a trial?

MRS. THOMSON DEAD

Mother of Mrs. Jno. F. Turner Died at Her Home near Florence, Texas.

Mention was made last week of the serious illness of Mrs. Thompson, and this week the Florence Vidette contained the following notice of her death:

"After a short illness as the result of that terrible disease, Meningitis, Mrs. D. D. Thomson died at her home three miles west of town last Saturday afternoon and her remains were laid to rest in the Florence cemetery Sunday. Mrs. Thomson was a noble christian character, and is the mother of a family of noble children who will miss her

sadly. She leaves an aged husband and a number of children step-children and grand children who will miss her hospitalities her kind words and good advice but her noble christian example will live on to guide her children through this life and fit them to meet her in the world to come

See Louis A. Robinson rent houses from \$5 to \$25 per month

Mrs. R. H. Wilson is this week visiting her brother, Dr. N. Long, in Sweetwater.

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SERMON BY REV. BROWN

Says He Wants to Get Man Right With God and He'll Be Right On All Subjects

The last meeting of the Brown-Curry revival, being conducted in Roswell was especially a men's series. In the song service there was a full choir. It was enjoyed and at its close there was an air of regret that this was the last. Rev. Brown said:

There is so much I would like to say in this last sermon. I'll not speak on temperance. If I get a man right with God he's right on all subjects. The text is Gal. 6-7. "Be not deceived. God is not mocked for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." It was once thought that separate laws governed the spiritual and the natural worlds; but now it is believed that the same laws apply to both. That spiritual laws were first made and then brought down to govern the natural world. Like begets like—it is self-evident, and it is always true that men reap what they sow. I don't need the bible to prove that to you. I believe that before I was converted, and I believe it a hundred times more now. Every nation will reap what it sows, every city will reap what it sows, every man will reap what he sows. Get this, God does not hate a sinner. Your father and mother may turn against you, but God loves you. He hates your sins, but He loves you. You think it wrong to swear, to lie, because God says it's wrong. You fail to understand God's law and many a man is bitter against God's law because he thinks God is depriving you of certain rights instead of protecting you with His love. Every "Thou shalt not," is a danger signal.

He says, "Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy." What will you reap if you sow Sabbath desecration? You teach it to your child and he will ignore law in general. That's why some men are behind the bars. A man with a breath like a brewery comes up and says, "We don't like the American Sabbath." There are both good and bad citizens coming from foreign shores, but they must be taught to respect our laws. If the time ever comes when we forget God's day, He may wipe

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PURE WATER MAKES HEALTHY LIVESTOCK

It is as essential to the health of your horses and cattle that they have pure water as yourself

WITH THE AID OF A GALVANIZED STOCK WATER TANK

It is possible for you to furnish them clean water every day. They are easily cleaned out. Try one. Get our prices on all kinds of tin and sheet metal work. Estimates free.

CITY PLUMBING AND SHEET METAL WORKS
 PHONE 383

IF YOUR HORSE OR COW COULD TALK

More than likely they would tell you to get their feed from our store. We handle the kind that livestock like. Just any old thing is not good enough for your buggy horse or milk cow. There is good feed and sorry feed the same as anything else. We always try to have the best. Remember we sell coal. You can get the celebrated Maitland here.

W. B. DOWNING & COMPANY PHONE 324

OUR APRIL GROCERIES ARE NO BETTER than the MONTHS PREVIOUS

BUT WE WOULD LIKE TO FURISH YOU WITH YOUR GROCERIES THIS MONTH

We guarantee every order that goes out of our store to be exactly what we represent it to be. LET US BE YOUR GROCERS THIS MONTH.

Long Brothers Company

12/145

BOB TAYLOR DEAD
Succumbs to Operation for Gall Stone—Well Known in Texas

6:45 o'clock.
USED VIOLIN IN CAMPAIGNS
"Fiddling Bob" Taylor, so known because he played his way into the hearts of his audiences, carrying his violin wherever he campaigned, was 61 years old. He was born at Happy Valley, in East Tennessee, but spent most of his life at Nashville practicing law.

were removed and the operation was regarded as successful, but stomach complications developed, causing extreme weakness, to which he finally succumbed.

Senator Taylor was known to thousands of Texans by reason of the many lecture tours of the State, and the numerous visits on business or pleasure which he paid to Dallas. He used to say that he felt just as much at home in this city as he did "among the boys" back in Tennessee.

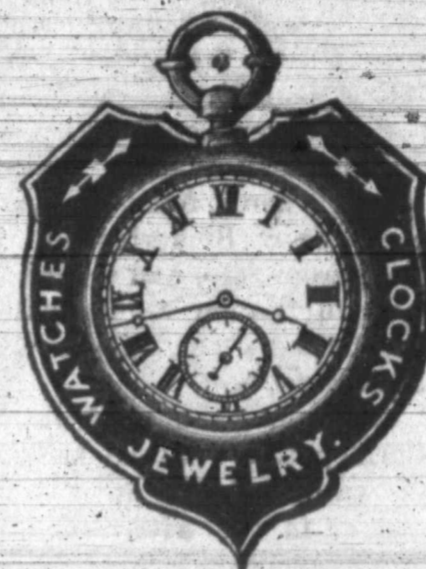
We note that Jno. F. Turner, formerly with the Avalanche as advertising and job solicitor, has accepted a position with the Four County News at Hamlin, Texas.

If you are a citizen of Lubbock you are a citizen of the best town on the South Plains.

Washington, March 31. Robert Love Taylor, United States Senator from Tennessee, "Fiddling Bob" to all the South, died here today, unable to withstand the shock of an operation for gall stones, performed last Thursday.

Early this morning the Senator began to fail to respond to stimulants. Mrs. Taylor, worn out by a day and night vigil, had gone to her apartments. At 3 o'clock this morning the Senator began to sink so rapidly that she was sent for. She was at his side when the end came at

Bring Me The Particular Jobs



I have pleased many particular people and can please you. If your watch or clock is not keeping good time, bring it to me and I will tell you what is the matter with it. If it can be fixed I can do it, and will charge you only a reasonable price for the work and for the extras that it might need. I guarantee every job—if it isn't right I make it right.

SEND OR BRING ME YOUR CRIPPLED WATCHES OR JEWELRY

W. S. NORTON, At the Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Store, West Side Square

SEE US FOR FIRE INSURANCE

PIERCE BROTHERS

PHONE 147

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

12/145

Notes on City Building
(By A. J. Arnold.)

If you want to kick, join your commercial organization and be a constructive kicker.

Are you obstructing the wheels of a Texas town? If you are, look out! You will get run over.

If you want to find fault get on the inside; don't stand on the outside and sneer.

Go bury your hammer; join the commercial club; pay your dues;

start to boost; get to work; learn to cheer.

The same law which binds a man to Christian Brotherhood binds him to Christian citizenship. A man can no more lay aside his duty to himself and his fellow citizens than he can lay aside the light of God's truth.

Any town that expects to grow has got to work. Opportunities are not known unless you advertise them. Publicity is

the key to success. Tell the truth and build up a firm foundation. There is enough good in the truth without having to misrepresent.

"One Man" Commercial Clubs can do very little in town building. It takes every man working as a unit to build cities.

Indiscriminate advertising brings little results and soon bankrupts your organization. At the same time, "one shot" special editions have proven ex-

pensive and lacking results. Advertise all the time, but do it judiciously.

"I would be an unworthy citizen if I should decline to pave the street in front of my property, but at the same time use the good streets my neighbor paved; for the same principle I am a member of the Commercial Club."

The voters of today should not ask "how much are my taxes, but how much do I get for

my taxes, how much is security of persons and property; how much is sanitation health, recreation, education and pleasure?"

"A lady told me the story of a tragedy in her life. She was the only daughter of wealthy parents. A church member, but she played cards, danced and attended the theatre. Her suitor would do none of these, even while he visited her. At once after marriage, she said to him:

"Now, understand, you are going to dance with me, you are going to the theatre with me and play cards with me and my friends." He replied seriously, "Do you mean that?" And she said: "I do indeed!" Then he said: "God have mercy on me!" Weeping, she continued: "Today he is a gambler and a drunkard, and his wife made him so. God have mercy on me!"—Dr. J. L. White, in Sunday School Teacher.

TIN AND SHEET METAL PRODUCTS

We are prepared to do any kind and turn the job out in an entirely satisfactory manner.

We do repair work to.

BATTLE & USLEAMAN
Shop East Side Square Phone 136

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Business Change

The firm of Battle & Usleaman has been dissolved and M. R. Usleaman is now the sole owner

of the sheet metal business formerly conducted under the firm name of Battle & Usleaman, on the east side of the square.

Rev. Dixon, who has been here several days looking after business matters, was a pleasant caller at this office Monday. He attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Tahoka one day, returning to this place Saturday evening. He reports conditions in the Plains neighborhood very favorable. He is working in the missionary cause in the territory west of here, and says his church work is getting along nicely. The winter has been too severe for him to cover as much territory as he had hoped to when he moved to Plains, but with the coming of spring he will extend his field of labor and will be kept very busy. He left Tuesday, accompanied by his son, Ben, for his home in Plains.

IT PAYS IN DOLLARS AND CENTS

as well as in personal satisfaction to buy from us. You always have the positive assurance that what we sell you is exactly as represented.

WE ALWAYS COMPOUND PRESCRIPTIONS WITH CAREFUL EXACT-

NESS and we use only the purest, freshest, full strength drugs. Thousands have trusted us with their prescriptions, let us compound yours. **QUALITY, ACCURACY and SKILL** are the important parts. It's a pleasure to serve you; make our store your headquarters. Mail or phone us your wants.

Yours to please

The Lubbock Drug Co.

West Side Square

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Do Your Spring Training at Mineral Wells
Excursion Tickets on Sale all the time

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Wonderful waters and Baths that Build up

A. D. BEL Asst. Gen. Passenger Agt. DALLAS, TEXAS
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HAVE YOU A HOUSE TO MOVE?

IF SO WE ARE PREPARED TO DO THE WORK AND HANDLE THE JOB IN A SATISFACTORY MANNER. It will pay you to figure with us. Our prices are as reasonable as is consistent to good work. We can handle the most difficult job. See us before contracting your work to some one else away from home. We are home folks and can do the work as good as anyone else.

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NOTICE HORSE RAISERS PERCH

A five-year old blood bay Percheron horse

Will make the season at The Lubbock Grain and Coal Company's Wagon Yard

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UMPAUL A registered Kentucky Jack, dark iron grey with mealy nose and white belly, no surer foaler to be had and a fine individual. Will make the season at the Lubbock Grain and Coal Company's Wagon Yard.

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A. P. SEITZ, Owner



Lubbock Has Famous Meteor
Some time ago there was made mention in this paper of a large meteor rock having been brought to town by Mr. B. O. McWhorter. Mention was also made of the discovery in the daily papers over the State and the following is from the Fort. Worth Telegram:

The recent discovery of the meteor on a ranch near Lubbock, Texas, which fell more than thirty years ago, recalls to the older Fort Worth residents the sight of the immense boulder falling the afternoon of March 28, 1880.

Postmaster Lon Barkley said on Thursday that he saw the meteor when it fell. He was in camp near Blue Mound, ten miles from here, and was on his way to Denton county with a herd of stock belonging to Capt. S. B. Barnett.

In recalling the incident, Mr. Barkley said that he looked at his watch and that it was 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon. The meteor appeared to be the size of a wash tub, he said, and although it was 280 miles away appeared to strike the earth only a few miles distant.

The meteor never had been found until a few weeks ago and then by accident. Meteorologists, who examined the immense rock, declared there was no question but that it was the meteor that fell thirty years ago.

Dr. Barcus Resigns

Dr. J. Sam Barcus has resigned as president of Seth Ward College, to take effect at the end of the school term, in order to take up pastoral work again. The board has elected Prof. W. M. Pearce, dean of the school, to the presidency. Plainview News.

We understand that Dr. Barcus has been called by the Bishop to take a pastorate in North Central Texas, and will go to his new work as soon as the school closes this session.

Died in Colorado

J. A. Wilson, Saturday morning received a message bearing the information that his father had died the night previous, and his remains would be taken to Rifle for interment. Mr. Wilson was here several months two years ago, and many of the people who did not formerly know him formed his acquaintance and will join the Avalanche in extending to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy.

The many friends of the family will regret to learn that W. H. Denison has moved with his family to Oklahoma, where they will make their home in the future, for a while at least. Mr. Denison has a large contract job in that section, and his little baby being in very poor health, having never recovered from the effects of swallowing some lye several months ago, he likes to be nearer home in case the little one becomes suddenly worse.

Money to Loan

I can loan you money on land at eight per cent interest, three to ten years time. Louis A. Robinson.

How to Spread News

It has been said that three of the quickest ways to spread news are to telegraph, telephone or tell a woman.

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The stork is a popular bird among Texans. We have the largest families of any State in the Union, and there is a child born every four minutes in Texas. There are 122,000 births and 43,734 deaths per annum.

The stork is a splendid bird, but too slow for development work. It would take it two generations to double our population. It must be said, however, to the credit of our Legislatures, that so far they have never attempted to regulate or restrain the flight of the stork.

Our immigration agents travel more rapidly than the stork. There are 69,000 people moving to Texas annually who remain here permanently, and these people bring with them \$123,000,000.

The immigration agent, as a developer, has many advantages over the stork. The natural born citizen brings no property into the State; in fact, we have just seen that 30 per cent of our native citizens leave the State and take property away with them. It is 12 or 15 years before a child becomes a revenue producer, and during this time he is an expense; but when the immigration agent moves people into the state, they bring property with them and they immediately become revenue producers. We must look to the immigration agent to rapidly increase our population and wealth.

The immigration agent selects the very best citizens on the globe—men who have the business ability to see our remarkable opportunities for development and the courage to take advantage of them, while the stork works indiscriminately; and when we look over the State and see 15 of our native citizens leaving the State each day, taking property away with them, as well as failing to take advantage of our magnificent opportunities, one is inclined to exclaim "what a foolish bird."

Basket Ball

The Post City and Lubbock basket ball teams played here Saturday; Post City being victorious by a score of 16 to 1.

Post City has won two out of three games from Lubbock. Lubbock should realize from the beating Post City gave them that they know nothing about the game.—Post City Post.

There are other things that sometimes prevent games more than not "knowing the game" and the same has been intimated that this was not the reason in this case. Our girls can tell a good deal that they have not already said about Post and the basket ball.

UNIVERSITY HOME COMING

Plans to Bring Back 10,000 Ex-students—Renewal Days of "Auld Lang Syne"

Georgetown, Texas, March 30.—Three years ago at the first Home Coming of Southwestern University a second was planned for five years thence; but changed conditions have made imperious an immediate Home Coming, the date being Friday April 19.

At a meeting of representative ex-students of Southwestern the following "call" was issued: Not for what you are, nor with any design on what you are supposed to have, but simply for what you used to be—Oh verdancy and freshness!—we want you to gather with the old bunch and "play ball" once more on the old grounds. They are coming from all over the State. Won't you meet them?

There will be special rates and special sleepers on all roads. The informal program will be—just a great love feast, no talk on money or politics, a base ball game with the University of Texas, barbecue, midnight goat ridings, and all things in remembrance of the past.

Write us please that you are coming. Write us anyhow, sending the names and addresses of ten or more ex-students. Write to your roommate and to those of the old bunch you want to meet. If you do not know where they are, send us for addresses.

Friends of the institution are also invited to be present. Yours for the old bunch.

T. M. McCULLOCH, Chairman, Waco, C. A. NICHOLS, Treasurer, Georgetown, A. K. RAGSDALE, Secretary, San Antonio.

Address communications to Allen K. Ragdale, Secretary Home Coming Committee, Georgetown, or J. Frank Dobie, Secretary Ex-students Association, Georgetown.

B. F. Smith and son, were visitors to the Avalanche office Monday. Mr. Smith says the deal to sell his place has not been definitely closed, but he expects that it will. He is undecided just what he will do should he sell out, but will probably move to town for awhile.

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Texas Industrial Notes
 Furnished by the Texas Secretaries Association

A trade and training school for girls and women is to be erected at El Campo at a cost of \$500,000.

The Attorney General recently approved road bonds to the amount of \$84,000 for Leon county.

Preparations are being made by the San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railroad to ship between 500 and 600 cars of cucumbers out of its territory this season.

During the closing days of the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth last week, \$2,000,000 worth of cattle and ranch sales were made.

The Attorney General has approved road bonds to the amount of \$400,000 for Grayson county.

Reports received from Washington indicate that the new dreadnought "Texas" will be launched in the early part of May at New Port News Virginia. The Texas will be one of the most powerful battleships afloat.

Two thousand and three hundred steers recently sold for \$57.50 each, near Pampa.

A farmer near Denton recently sold one White Rock fowl for \$100.

A \$75,000 modern sanitarium is to be built at Paris in the near future.

The Industrial Oil Company of Houston will erect a new plant to cost \$300,000.

Through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce Houston is to have a new candy factory.

Through the efforts of the Chambers of Commerce of Fort Worth and Dallas, a Reciprocity Club will be formed between the two cities, with a slogan of "North Texas ahead of the world."

Four Texas Shorthorn bulls, owned by Frank Schofield of Hillsboro, won first prize over four International champion heifers, owned by Northern breeders, at the Fat Stock Show just closed at Fort Worth.

The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company recently purchased the Panhandle Telephone and Telegraph Company for a consideration of \$175,000.

The Kingsville Commercial Club has subscribed for one of the leading farm papers in Texas, for 150 farmers in the

Kingsville territory. The paper is to be sent one year.

It is estimated that 7000 cars of onions will be shipped to northern markets this season from the Brownsville section.

The annual meeting of the Texas Dealers' Association will be held in Fort Worth, May 23rd and 24th.

A farmer near Columbus recently sold one bale of long staple cotton for 22 cents per pound.

The Wooten Grocery Company of Abilene has filed an amendment increased its capital stock from \$200,000 to \$300,000.

A charter, has been granted the Southern Traction Company of Dallas; capital stock \$1,500,000.

School Land for Sale
 Leagues Nos. 21 and 22 McCulloch county school land for sale by the Commissioners Court of McCulloch county. Land is situated in Hockley county, in the shallow water belt and is fine agricultural land. Sealed or open bids will be received up to second Monday in April. Terms \$1 per acre cash and balance 40 years at 5 per cent interest. Bid for lease of leagues 23 and 24 will be received at same time. Right to reserve any and all bids reserved. Commissioners Court, McCulloch County, Brady, Texas. 36 4t

Mrs. A. B. Robertson and son attended church services here Sunday, from their ranch near Slaton.

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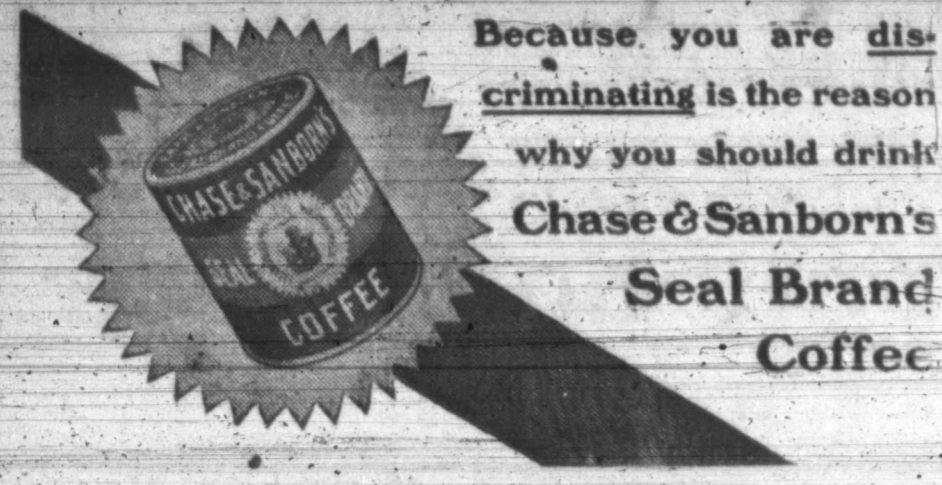
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Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

Mesdames Edward and James Robinson entertained a number of their friends March 28 at the home of Mrs. Edward Robinson on Broadway. The party was given in honor of their cousin and guest Mrs. J. E. Montgomery, of Amarillo. There were ten tables and fifteen games of progressive '42' were played. Mrs. Forester won high score with Mesdames Norton and John Penney second highest. Delicious fruit salad on buttered loaves, pickles, sandwiches, nut-bread, angel food cake and coffee was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Posey, Kimbro, McWhorter, Rankin, Sowder, Priest, Summers, Mast, Royalty, Schenk, Wright, Perdue, Slaton, Benson, Boerner, Brown, Griffin, Price, Cox, Cosby, Palmer, John Penney, D., Robinson, Jim Neal, Norton, Merrill, Hitt, Carter, Quick, Rush, Cates, Wearn, Porter, Ellis, Hurt, Bledsoe, Downing, W. B. Atkins, Hurdman, of Amarillo, Forester, and Miss Amy McLary. The guests all agree in pronouncing the entertainment a perfect success, and Mesdames Edward and James Robinson charming entertainers.

The Wednesday Needle Club met with Mrs. Pierce and Miss Elizabeth Robertson at the lovely home of the latter on the 27.

A delightful afternoon was spent. Refreshments consisting of prune salad on lettuce leaves, sandwiches, cake and lemonade was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Kimbro, Wolfarth, Palmer, Haynes, Cox, Word, Merrill, Copeland, Robbins, Sowder, D. Robinson and Mrs. Montgomery, of Amarillo, and Mrs. S. H. Adams, of Slaton.

"V. C. U." On last Saturday evening the young ladies met at the home of Miss Effie Norris, and there organized a club to be known as the "V. C. U."

In the business session which followed, the club motto, "As you like it," was chosen and club colors of white and gold. Miss Delia Wilkinson was unanimously elected superintendent, and Miss Mildred Moore correspondent.

Delicious refreshments were served following which music and games occupied the time until ten forty-five when the guests departed to meet with Miss Barclay on next Saturday evening. Those present at the organization were:

Misses Delia Wilkinson, Ora Steward, Annie Taylor, Effie Norris, Mildred Moore, Bess Norton, Wren Jordan, Moneta Abney, Lillie Barclay, Johny Mae Harper, Pearl Clark, Blanch and Hazel Friedrich, Willie Wilson, Willie Williamson and Kate Hooker.

Ask your grocer for Magnolia Best Light, keystone. 39-1t

Testing the Mains

The water mains have been pretty thoroughly tested this week, under high pressure they stood the test admirably. The hose company attached the hose to the hydrant near the stand pipe and were able to throw water to the bottom of the reservoir which is 100 feet from the ground. This is considered a very fine pressure, and shows that the water facilities are adequate as far as water pressure is concerned for a city several time the size of Lubbock.

We have moved. You will find us at the Glenn Dillard old stand near the railroad track, at the end of the street running north from the Postoffice. Our business will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of Downing & Hill. 39-1t W. B. Downing & Co.

Y. O. McAdams, of the firm of A. G. McAdams Lumber Company, was in the city the first of this week.

County Officer 82 Years Old

San Angelo, Tex., April 1. Thomas Stonehouse of Sherwood enjoys the distinction of probably being the oldest county officer in Texas. At 82 years he is Treasurer of Irion County and has held the office for years. On the occasion of his birthday, Sunday, he celebrated with a dinner for his friends. He is a typical West Texan.

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The sporting element of the city enjoyed some genuine horse racing last Saturday afternoon, and quite a good deal of excitement was created.

10,000.00 cash money for one who will name my ab name I like better than Sanitary Barber Shop. Sa Davis.

Mrs. M. E. Arnold, who been running aboarding at Slaton several months has turned to Lubbock, and make this her home in future. They leave Lub occasionally but they come after a short absence. Co Lubbock.

SEE OUR MILLINERY STOCK

To the ladies of Lubbock and trade territory, we wish to state that we are prepared to supply your wants in the millinery line, and will be pleased to have you call and see our stock. We are located on the north side of the square in the Pickett Penny building. Come and see us when in town.

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"Is a shoe for gentlemen" for dress use. They are not designed for those who insist upon shoes at a non-resisting price, but for those who want the BEST, and are willing to pay for it. We have a good assortment of Spring Styles in the different leathers. Your dress will be incomplete without one of them.

PRICE \$6.00 THE PAIR



Walk Over Shoes

Are sought and worn by discriminating buyers the world over, because they represent the acme of style and service at a given price. Ask the man who wears them. We carry them in the best patterns, shapes and leathers.

PRICE \$3.50 TO \$5.00 TRY THEM



Queen Quality Shoes

Are all that the name implies. If you would know of their varied and special merits. Ask the woman who wears them. We have a representative stock of Oxfords, including the latest styles and pretty patterns. They are made of select stock of solid leather, over lasts specially designed to give them individuality.

PRICE \$3.00 TO \$4.00 Don't Fail to See Them

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