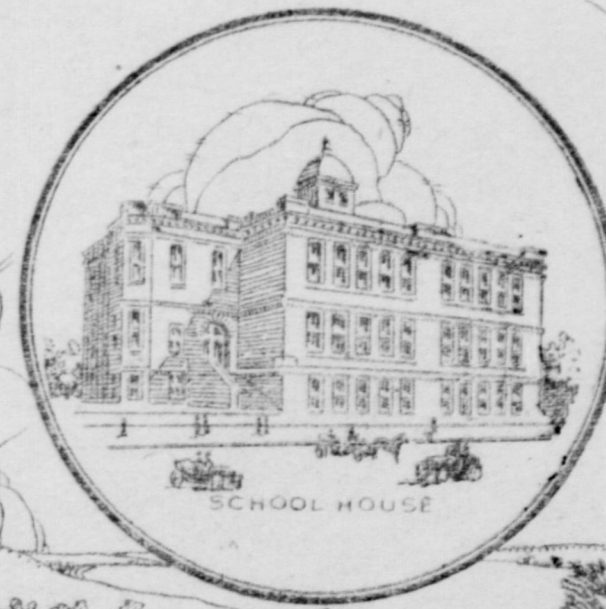


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This department is complete, the goods are fresh and dependable, and off the already cheap prices we allow a five per cent discount on purchases for Cash.

Range Prices and Prospects

Wool and mohair, for which he refused an offer of 66c a pound flat, laid down on his Sutton-Edwards county ranch in April, 1920, has just been sold at Boston by Oscar Appelt of San Angelo for 38c a pound, or 32 cents net, after shipping, storage and commission charges have been deducted.

Tom Adams, formerly of Sonora, who now lives here, was advised early last week that 6,000 bounds of his long 1920 spring wool had been sold at Boston for 36c a pound.

But these two sales do not indicate the early return of an open market, which collapsed the middle of last May, when wool was bringing as high as 78c a pound, in the opinion of local dealers. They stated Saturday that eastern mills, now running from 32 to 40 hours a week, instead of eight and ten hours daily, as in normal times, are merely purchasing the choicest clips to supply immediate orders on fabrics, which so far have been light.

Although the spindles of the American Woolen Company have started running, many of the mills are still shut down, it was said. Of the estimated 12,000,000 pounds of wool from Texas' 1920 spring crop, on consignment in Boston, Chicago and Philadelphia warehouses, probably not over 10 per cent is of sufficiently high grade to justify the prices received by Mr. Appelt and Mr. Adams, it was pointed out.

Of Texas' 1920 spring wool production, estimated at around 18,000,000, probably 3,000,000 pounds remain in storage in the State today. Not over 1,000,000 pounds, it is stated, was sold before the market disappeared last spring. On consignment from San Angelo and Mertzon firms is 5,738,240 pounds, according to Sam H. Hill, vice-president of the Wool Growers' Central Storage Company, while in this territory 216,531 pounds are being held.

The loss that will accrue to Texas shepherds, if the wool is disposed of at present prices, is apparent when the statement is made that the cost of production last year was around 35c a pound. Under present conditions only about 15c a pound net can be obtained. The producers believe that the enactment of tariff legislation would raise the average price to 25c net. Consequently, sheep raisers almost without exception are strongly in favor of a tariff and are now sending data to Congressman Hudspeth and others, on which to base a rate of protection.

Crimins & Pierce of Boston bought the clips of Mr. Appelt and Mr. Adams. Mr. Appelt made his sale through the Del Rio Wool & Mohair Association, trucking the fleece there from his ranch, 100 miles south of San Angelo. He also disposed of 10,000 pounds of mohair, receiving 50c a pound for the clip from the grown goats and 50c a pound for the kid hair. The net return on the mohair will be around 44c and 54c a pound, freight, storage and commission charges amount-

Some Results of Prohibition

Nearly twice as many men and women were treated in the city's hospital for alcoholism during the last four months of 1920 as during the same four months of 1919, according to statistics made public in a letter from Bird S. Coler, commissioner of public welfare, to Mayor Hylan. During the 1919 period mentioned, 982 cases were treated in the municipal institutions, as against 1,311 cases for the last four months of 1920.

Commissioner Coler's letter to Mayor Hylan stated that the first three months of prohibition showed a perpendicular drop in alcoholism, but that the last few months showed an almost equally abrupt ascent. The reason for the slump in alcoholic addicts at first was given by the commissioner as "fear of death" from wood alcohol, and the lack of organization of the bootleggers. As time went on, however, everyone concerned has become bolder, he said. Associated Press Dispatch.

If we anticipated made that statement the janitors would say we were liars and liquor hirelings. But it is the statement of democratic officials under the administration that passed this law that has made a hypocrite factory out of half the people, we wonder what they will say now about the great virtues of prohibition.

Get this, you white winged reformers: With your nation-wide prohibition there is the greatest crime wave in the history of mankind. With your nation-wide prohibition there has come the lowest degree of morals in the memory of man. With your national prohibition there has come more dishonesty in business than ever existed before in the memory of man or nation.

There is today in these United States more robbery, more burglary, more forgery, more gambling, more prostitution, more swindling and more theft than was ever committed in the worst days of saloon regime.

The reason is scientific and fundamental. Whenever a government exceeds the purposes of government and invades the inalienable rights and liberty of the citizen, then the citizen loses respect for that government and the next step is to lose respect for the right of his fellow man and crime follows. These facts are so plain that no informed or intelligent person denies them. And what is equally and alarmingly true, conditions are not going to get any better.

No government can stand that will put a citizen in jail for squeezing the juice out of a bushel of grapes, whether he raised them or not. Ex-Governor James E. Ferguson, in The Forum.

The price of print paper has dropped fifty per cent. The day of the profiteer is rapidly passing.

The Mardi Gras season will be celebrated this year in the great southern cities for the first time since the world war began. At Galveston King Frivolous of the First will reign. At New Orleans and Mobile the celebration, it is announced, will be on a grander scale than ever before in history. The merry season begins on the 7th of February.

News and Notes for Busy Readers

The Schubert Trio will be in Ozona (at the Majestic) Tuesday evening, the 25th inst.

Moody Price, Meridian (Miss.) lawyer, was hacked to pieces in his bed, an axe being used.

Now that the Orient has received its two and a half million dollars from the Government, it is expected to tamp the ties.

The Texas State treasury has more money than at any time in the history of the State, due to the millions of oil money paid in.

Snow all over Oklahoma last week, and in West and North Texas. Even Ozona had a little flurry of downy white.

Donal O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, came to this country as a stowaway in a big ship. The State Department has ordered him to leave.

At Paris, France, it is reported that a serum has been discovered that will prevent and cure the foot and mouth diseases in animals.

New York all-night restaurants where jazz music is played must close, the police say, at one o'clock in future. More blue laws, say New Yorkers.

The widowers' and widows' social club of Cuyahoga county, Cleveland, Ohio, have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

The Pan-American Congress at the City of Mexico adopted a resolution demanding that the United States withdraw its armed forces from San Domingo.

400,000 gallons of whiskey, valued at three million dollars, were "stolen" from prohibition warehouses lately in Chicago. The prohibition agents are evidently the "wet goods" alright.

All the recent Presidential appointments are being held up in the Senate awaiting the incoming of the Republican administration. The Senate takes the ground that "to the victor belongs the spoil."

The War Department has ordered a reduction of the American army of occupation in Germany from fifteen thousand to eight thousand men. The American army of occupation is costing seventy-five thousand dollars per day.

Sam Ridges, wealthy Topeka, Kansas, publisher, died. In his will he left provision to have a daily paper delivered at his tomb every day for twenty years, also the electric light people are paid to maintain a light at the grave for twenty years.

Sir William Geddes, of Great Britain, has given his consent for the United States to lend Austria two hundred and fifty million dollars. May as well lend it to Austria as to any other foreign country. Our own people will not be allowed any of it, anyhow.

Senator McNealus, of Dallas, has introduced a joint resolution providing for a State Constitutional convention to be held, beginning Dec. 31, this year. Senator Page proposes a Constitutional amendment providing that the Governor receive \$8,000 per year, instead of \$4,000.

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For several months an effort has been made to discourage excessive speculation in stocks, commodities and land values and to bring about a wholesome price deflation. To some extent this has been accomplished through the increase in rates asked for money.

Building up cash reserves at this time will assist materially in relieving the strain on credit, and bringing industry, farming and business enterprises to greater real prosperity.

This letter is written to our depositors as a suggestion of how best they can help, and also profit, the present situation by building up cash reserves.

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OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, Jan. 20, 1921

Question of the Hour: "Paid your car tax?"

Your car tax is now due. Pay it before you go away from home with your car.

Quit yer beefin! Money matters are already getting easier, and after March 4th things will resume normal very rapidly.

Text for Today: "I commended mirth. Because a man hath no better thing under the sun than to eat, and to drink, and to be merry." Eccles. 8:15.

Secretary Harben, of the Texas Press Association, suggests that the best resolution, in a business way, for the new year, or for any other time, is that we will answer every letter we receive just as soon as we get it. Do It Now.

Abilene, Texas, has a new city ordinance prohibiting boys and girls under sixteen years old being on the streets after 8:30 o'clock at night. The next order will probably be that every citizen must secure a permit from the mayor before using the sidewalks. The members of that city council are no doubt training for service in the legislature.

The House has voted to allow seven million two hundred thousand dollars to help enforce prohibition in the United States. The jobs must be distributed, and a job without pie would not be worth scuffling for. On with the dance! Tax the people up to their eyes and give the hungry job hunters a chance! Maybe we can all get jobs.

The United States government has agreed to lend Greece thirty-two million dollars. Wish someone could prevail upon the government to lend Americans a little of their own money. Just a little would help some, and then we'd be more

willing to supply the foreigners. Not that our willingness amounts to a hill of beans, however.

"Prohibition is here to stay"—just as long as it continues to supply more than fourteen thousand jobs in the United States, and Senator Thomas, of Colorado, is right. Just as long as any bureau, or whatnot, furnishes a lot of Federal jobs to a horde of hungry papsuckers, at the expense of the people, just so long will these things be here to stay.

If our State Senator, Dick Dudley, succeeds in getting his bill through to immediate passage, tax payers will be allowed to pay one quarter of their taxes before the first day of February, and the balance in three equal instalments—May 1st, August 1st and November 1st. The bill should pass. It will only be operative for the current year—and the people need their small change now.

Kuzn Bill has had a mighty sore back lately, and it jars him awfully to sneeze. He never has had hay fever, but he's a natural born sneezer. It is, with him, one of the great luxuries of life. Sneezing, too, is the only thing we know of that a person can do without violating some law. Strange as it may seem, there is no law against sneezing. Now, don't you go and call the attention of Dick Dudley, or Brevevis Stewart, to the omission. Save your postage. Some of them will soon discover the oversight and introduce a bill.

This week it rained three out of four days before our publication date, so we were unable to boat it around to the business houses and make new year's contracts for advertising in time to issue a full size sheet. It is hoped we may have the business next week to justify us to resume a full sized paper. Otherwise the paper will not be enlarged.—Frankston Citizen.

Miss Cara May McKee, editor of The Citizen, thus explains why the paper appears on the "half-shell." That's business; and a lot of the country papers would be more prosperous if they would quit trying to give double value in service. Fact is, all of the papers have looked sick since the holidays.

Texas has more than eight million dollars in the treasury, due to the tremendous oil taxes. Now, right here, we call upon our Brittevis, in the House, or our Dick Dudley, in the Senate, to introduce a bill abolishing ALL tax payments for the year 1920, instead of trying to create enough new offices to spend all that money. Let the people keep their money for one year. The State has plenty of money to run on for another twelve months without a cent of back tax money. All those who may have already paid their taxes, should either, under the provisions of the suggested bill, have it returned to them, or have credit vouchers given them, good for the taxes of the current year. Get busy, now, you fellers up on the Colorado.

Wool and Mohair Men Optimistic

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Del Rio Wool and Mohair Company, held at the office of the company last Tuesday afternoon, the following officers were elected to serve during 1921:

- J. B. Moore, president.
- E. E. Sawyer, v-president.
- Roy Hudspeth, v-president.
- E. E. Wilson, treasurer.
- E. F. Messler, secretary.
- W. J. Trent, manager.

The very satisfactory progress made by the company during the year 1920 was reviewed before the meeting and commendation of the successful policies which had been pursued was expressed.

Officials of the company in giving out a statement concerning the meeting declined to give information relative to its financial status other than to say that business had been good and the returns on the investment satisfactory.

They look forward to another prosperous year at this time. While passing through a stage of financial depression just at present, indications are that it is only temporary, and the near future will see business on the way to normal once more, it was said.

The opinion of these officials is valuable since, while as yet unconfirmed, a rumor to the effect that their company made a net earning of more than \$2500 during the past year of troubled times and uncertain markets has been heard.

STOVES STOVES STOVES

We have a good assortment of cook stoves, wood and coal heaters, that we are offering for quick sale. Ozona Lumber Company.

MUSIC RECITAL

Of special interest to the people of Ozona will be the recital to be given at the High School Auditorium on Friday evening, February 3, by Miss Ruth Carson, Soprano, Miss Tindell, Pianist, and Mr. Leon M. Gambrell, Baritone. The program for this musical will be published in The Stockman next week. Admission fee will be 25 and 35 cents.

All kinds of garden tools are now in at the Ozona Lumber and Hardware Co. "Get the Habit." Nearly everybody will be gardening now to some extent, at least. It is so much trouble to always borrow your neighbor's hoe, and you know he may be using it when you ought to have it.

You ladies will also be wanting your flower pots now. We have them in all kinds and sizes. Call and see them. Ozona Lumber and Hardware Co.

Baptist Church Announcements.

Next Sunday morning the pastor will tell a story for the children who are present at the Baptist church. There will be a sermon in addition to the story. The desire is to make this service as attractive as possible to all—both children and adults. We cordially invite everyone to attend all services at the Baptist church. You are always welcome.

Time of services:
 Sunday School meeting at 10 a. m.
 Preaching service at 11 o'clock.
 Sunbeams meeting at 4 o'clock.
 B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. and
 Evening preaching service at 7:15 p. m.
 Our services are open to all. You are cordially invited. Come.
 LEON M. GAMBRELL, PASTOR.

NOTICE.

All parties are hereby warned not to move stock into or thru our pastures in Crockett county, without permission, and are also warned against breaking gate locks, tearing down fences etc.
 FLOYD HENDERSON,
 BEAN & CO.

Please bear in mind, also, that we carry a full and complete line of S&W Paints. Are you "sprucing up" this Spring? Ozona Lumber and Hardware Co.

Big Sales by Big Mertzson Firm

Two hundred thousand pounds of mohair and 25,000 pounds of kid hair, both of the 1919 and 1920 fall clips, have been sold at Mertzson by the West Texas Wool & Mohair Association, according to announcement made by Duwaine E. Hughes, secretary-treasurer and manager of the firm. The longer staple brought 27 cents a pound, or \$54,000, while the hair from the young goats commanded 40c or \$10,000.

The buyers were Crimins & Pierce of Boston, who were represented by J. M. Lea of Del Rio. About seven cars were required to move the shipment over the Orient to San Angelo, thence over the Santa Fe to Galveston. From that port the mohair went to Boston by boat.

The spring productions of mohair in 1919 and 1920 were consigned to Crimins & Pierce. Both crops amounted to around 150,000 pounds, Mr. Hughes stated. The company's 1920 spring accumulation of long wool totaling about 2,000,000 pounds, was also consigned to the Boston firm.—San Angelo Standard.

Get More Eggs

By feeding Martin Egg Producer. Double your money back in eggs, or your money back in cash. Guaranteed by all dealers.

The Ozona Woman's Club will meet Saturday afternoon, January 22, at the home of Mrs. J. B. Blakeney, 3 o'clock sharp, for the purpose of electing officers for the year. All members are urged to be present.

Garden tools, garden seed, garden hose, lawn sprinklers, etc., etc. Just what you have been thinking of buying. Chris Meinecke & Son will show them to you.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly increased by constitutional conditions. In order to cure it, you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials free.
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Our sales manager keeps in touch with the wool and mohair markets of the United States and we can assure our customers the top prices for their products

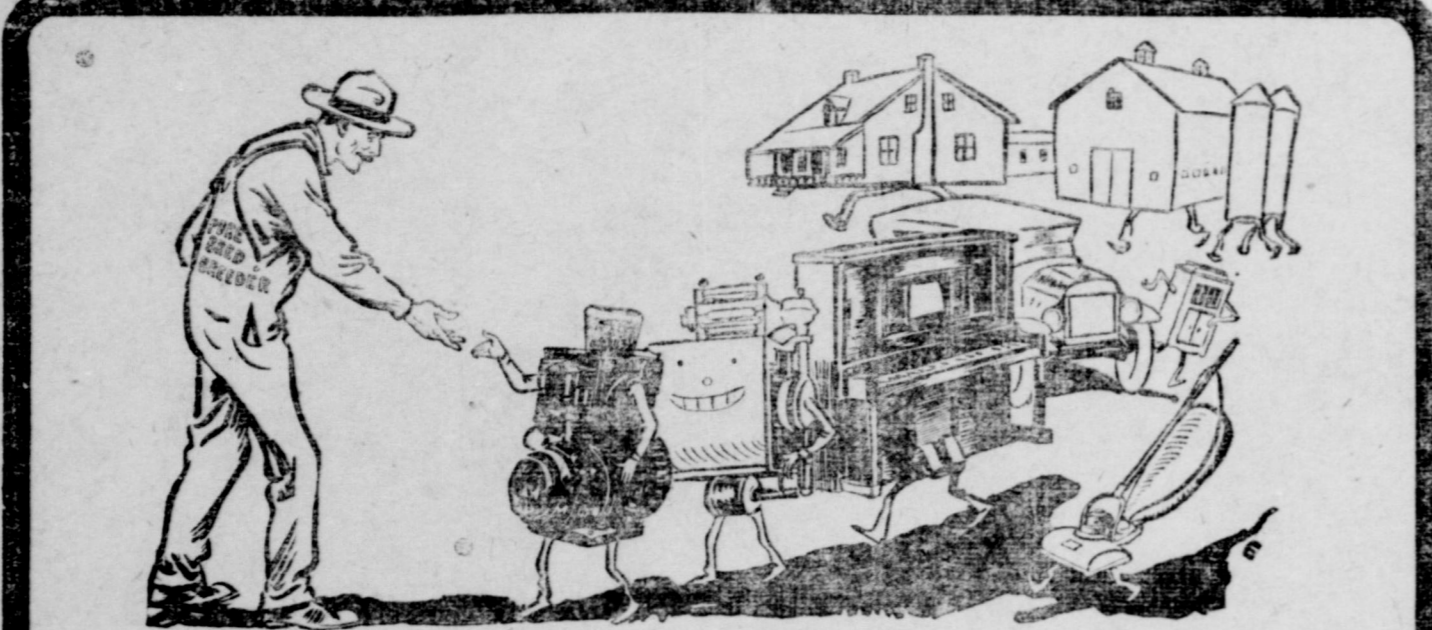
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Farmers raise pure-breds for the same reason. They like to be prosperous and pure-breds will make them so. Better cattle widen the margin between the producing cost and the selling price of beef; they make their own market as breeding stock.

Don't let a pure-bred bull go to waste in this community. Remember that the poorest pure-bred is better than the best scrub. He is easier to feed, he makes better beef, and he will pass his money-bringing qualities on to his get. Only the pure-bred can make the cattle industry stable and certain of steady return, year after year.

THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, whose cooperation enables us to present these advertisements, has long been an ardent supporter of the pure-bred, because they pay the farmer who raises them. This dominant weekly of farm service studies for you every aspect and every problem of your business and the conclusions at which its trained investigators arrive can be accepted as thoroughly reliable. These investigators say: "Buy Pure-Breds."

In the next 52 big issues (which will come to you for just \$1.00) the editors will tell you why.

Texas Hereford Breeders' Association
 John Lee, Secretary San Angelo, Texas

THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, Philadelphia, Pa. I'm glad to see you pushing our organization with good advertising. And here's my dollar for a subscription for one year, fifty-two issues. The two go well together.
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 (My Address) _____
 (Town) _____ (State) _____

Range Notes.

Pon Seahorn sold 165 calves to Cauble & Patterson.

J. W. Scott, of Sheffield, sold 50 head of yearling steers to Bustin Canon.

W. E. Friend this week sold one of his big fat cows to Robert Cooke, for the local market. The animal dressed over six hundred pounds.

A big bunch of cattle passed through Ozona yesterday from the Hudspeth ranch being driven to Barnhart for shipment to market. They looked fat and fit.

Charlie Lindley has leased his 4-section ranch in Crockett county, west of Ozona, to Din. John and Tom Patrick for their sheep range. Price, 50 cents per acre per year.

E. W. McKenzie received Tuesday from San Simon, Ariz., 12 cars of steers, 3 cars of which were unloaded at Fort Stockton and 9 at Girvin. Those unloaded at Girvin will be pastured on the Tol Dawson ranch, on the other side of Pecos river. Ft. Stockton Pioneer.

See some of these beds we have here. Joe Oberkampf.

Oliver typewriter ribbons for sale at The Stockman office.

E. B. Deland is improving his home place.

Give us your orders. Ozona Lumber Company.

BORN—Monday in Ozona, to Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Coates, a boy weighing ten and a half pounds.

A. J. Pope, the oil man, and family, left Monday for their new home at Douglas, Kansas.

Connellor Beaver Board make the best inside finish. Ozona Lumber Co.

"The Flaming Disc" at The Majestic every Tuesday night is followed by a comedy reel. See it.

Austin Buck, after a short stay in town, left with Mrs. Buck and Miss Kathleen yesterday for the ranch in Terrell county.

Charley Lindley Loses Finger Joint

Coming to Ozona from his ranch Friday Charley Lindley saw a man having car trouble, and stopped to help. A spring was broken. Charley jacked up the car, the jack slipped and caught the end of the middle finger of Charley's right hand, pinching it off. He drove on into town and Dr. Foster amputated the finger at the first joint.

Charley is out of luck in the car game. Some time ago he ran into a clothes line and came near being decapitated, the wire catching him just under the chin.

Kincaid Family Re-Union

Mrs. T. A. Kincaid celebrated her fiftieth birthday (and "proud of it") at her beautiful home in Ozona last Monday, surrounded by her hubby Albert and her fine family of children and grandchildren. There were twenty-three present, and everything imaginable good to eat was enjoyed. Mrs. Kincaid received some handsome presents, but what she appreciated much more was the good wishes of all who know her.

Plows—steel beam. Meinecke's Windmill oil.

Ozona Lumber Co.

"The Flaming Disc" is the new serial at the Majestic. See it every Tuesday night.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker last Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Baker's grandmother in Ozona, a boy.

Need anything in the line of Crockery? We have it—just what you want at prices as low as any and quality A1.

Ozona Lumber Co.

Don't forget that the celebrated Schubert Trio will be at the Majestic, in Ozona, next Tuesday night. Auspices Ozona Woman's Club.

Judge O. J. Ingham is here from his home at Stratford, Texas, visiting his son Ben and family. He has gone down on his son's ranch to hunt buffalo.

SAWYER-COOKE

At the home of the bride in West Ozona, 8:30 o'clock Wednesday night, January 19, 1921, Mr. John H. Sawyer and Miss Lillian Cooke were united in marriage. Rev. Leon M. Gambrell, pastor of the First Baptist church, performing the ceremony in the presence of members of the immediate family and a few intimate personal friends.

The groom is mechanical foreman of The Stockman, and is from Barksdale, Edwards county. He has been with The Stockman for near seven months, and has proven himself a steady and industrious young man. We are hoping to make a great newspaper man of him. He served his time in the U. S. army during the late disagreement we had with Germany.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Robert Cooke, old time respected citizen of Ozona. She is a girl of sweet disposition, lovable character and is prominent in church work.

The young couple will make their home for the present with The Stockman family on Broadway.

We deliver and put up all stuff bought here. Joe Oberkampf.

Paint is the life of a house. We have it.

Ozona Lumber Co.

Will F. Noelke and Wils Owen were two big ranchmen who came in yesterday to pay their taxes.

Good assortment of Earthenware for cooking purposes now in at the Ozona Lumber and Hardware Co.

LOST—Boy's Overcoat, on the Ozona-Pandale road. Will the finder please return to The Stockman office?

Be sure to attend the Schubert Trio performance at the Majestic next Tuesday night. You will regret it if you should miss it.

Try one of these Guarantee mattresses. If they don't stand up money will be refunded at once. See them at Joe Oberkampf's.

F. L. Getzenaner, the big Uvalde oil magnate, was here last Friday enroute to the Fort Stockton oil field, accompanied by his first assistant, R. B. Campbell.

Joe Oberkampf has installed that big lighting system, ice and cream factory and power plant we told you about some time ago. We hope to tell you all about it in next week's Stockman.

Crockery. Anything and everything in this line. A visit to our store will convince you that you need not seek elsewhere to supply your every need.

Ozona Lumber Co.

Mrs. Sam Smith bought of Byrd Phillips a house and lot in North Ozona, and is having the place enlarged and improved preparatory to renting it. Here is a good opportunity for the house hunter.

Mrs. Ira Carson, during the last sleety weather, slipped and fell, striking the side of her face on a nail and narrowly escaping serious injury. Her face was severely scratched very near the jugular vein.

Miss Bill Kirby has been here from Fort Worth during the past week visiting her parents and other relatives, and was accompanied for the trip by her chum, Miss Jack Davenport, also of Fort Worth.

Mrs. T. D. Word has entirely recovered her health and she and daughter, Miss Nettie, will return home next week from San Antonio, where they have been visiting the daughter and sister, Mrs. O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid left for Del Rio Tuesday morning, where they expected to take train for San Antonio and other cities east on a pleasure trip, in which also Mr. Kincaid combines business.

Little Mary Bell Flowers suffered a rather painful accident last Monday at her home. She was trying to save a pet kitten from the attack of a dog and the cat bit and scratched her right hand, making severe lacerations.

Ozona High School Notes.

Homer Adams, Editor.

Rebekah Baggett, Hester Banger, Floy Clare Stewart, Elizabeth Odum, Reporters.

Exams are over! Work has started with a vim, and the Senior Class is right in the lead. (Don't mention this to Mr. McNeal, because only one passed a "pop quiz" on Shakespeare, and he might disagree.)

Josephine surprised everyone by hopping into class on a pair of crutches Tuesday morning. Too much tennis for Jo, especially on such a hot day when bones in the feet bend easily under—under—heat.

Ma Cox took the math class out to practice Monday, but results were not encouraging. In spite of all efforts every answer to the same simple problem was different. Mr. Cox has been persuaded to stay and try the class out again!

It might be mentioned that the Senior class had the largest percent of exemptions of any class in school. The only thing that disturbed them was the fact that cholera and dyspepsia, or something like that, became prevalent in the study hall, and Mr. Grissom recommended a dose of exams to be administered by Mr. Butler and Mr. McNeal.

Mr. Gambrell, the Baptist pastor, was present at chapel Tuesday morning and rendered a splendid talk on "PUSH." He has kindly consented to continue his services as often as possible, and the school greatly appreciates his helpful spirit in the work.

Several improvements have been made in the school recently. The study hall has been enlarged, the library moved, the studios of the music teachers moved into the building and the schedule rearranged.

B. V. P. U. Program.

Subject: What Change Did God Work in Me When I Was Converted?
Leader, Jack Sawyer.
Scripture reading by Leader.
What is meant by Conversion—Lillian Cooke.
God changes our minds about Sin—Cora Buarett.
God changes our feelings about Sin—Allan McKinney.
Special Music.
A change in attitude—Mr. Jackson.
A change in our standing before God—Alice Gilbert.
Song: "Saved."

Dock McSparran is here today from Del Rio meeting old friends.

Fresh vegetables in season at Meinecke's.

Deputy County Clerk Miller, Bruce Drake, and a lot of the rest of us, are "down with our backs" this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Eaton are here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Miller. It is reported that the doctor may locate in Ozona.

Thompson Stricklen was in town yesterday from the Magruder ranch south of Ozona, and reports having been catching a lot of varmints in traps. He is running his sheep there now.

Dr. McWhorter, pastor of the Ozona Methodist church, is one ahead of The Stockman family in eats. He and family enjoyed a 'possum and 'tater dinner the other day. Marse 'Possum was caught in a trap, and was fit, fat and fine.

Miss Margaret Davidson is "learning to be a school teacher" at Canyon, instead of the State University, as stated in last Stockman. Kuzn Bill thought it was strange she didn't make Dad send her The Stockman to Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schauer came home Monday from Del Rio, where they have been visiting friends for several weeks. Otto is entirely recovered from the effects of the accident reported in these columns three weeks ago. They enjoyed greatly their visit to their good friends, the Walkers. Otto says he didn't visit the "Land of Liberty," but you sure can't believe all you hear.

A basketball game was to have been played between the Sherwood and Ozona boys last Saturday, but it was impossible for the Sherwood team to come. The boys hope to arrange for a game with Ean Angelo soon.

There were several exemptions in the tenth grade. Mina Montgomery, the "Junior Star," upheld her standard with an exemption in every subject. Chas. E. Davidson, Jr. with great ease made 100 on his geometry.

Thelma, Frieda and Jack Pope left Monday for their new home in Douglas, Kansas. Jack hopes no teacher lives there.

The "unconscious duct," given by Dixie Davidson and Floy Friend in chapel was enjoyed to the greatest extent.

A quartet, composed of Dixie Davidson, Floy Friend, Josephine Nolen and Rebekah Baggett, has been having some exciting tennis games, and they are assured of a good credit at the confectionery.

On account of sickness W. T. was unable to take the exams. He is still unable to attend school, but is improving.

In the General Science examination was the question, "What are the uses of charcoal?" Neville answered, "To clean your teeth and for commercial purposes."

Lucile's paper on a monthly exam contained this: "Patrick Henry said, 'I rejoice that I have but one country to live for.'"

Fidelis Class Elects.

The Fidelis class of the Baptist church met at the home of the pastor, Monday, Jan. 17, 1921. The purpose of the meeting was for organizing the class. The following officers were elected: President, Eva Davis. 1st vice-pres, Bernice Watters. 2nd vice-pres. Mrs. Mike Couch. Secretary, Lena Carson. Treasurer, Ernestine Estes. Reporter Gertrude North. Teacher, Mrs. Gambrell. The time set for business meeting was the Tuesday after the third Sunday in every month. Gertrude North, Reporter.

The Methodist Woman's Home Mission Society will meet this (Thursday) afternoon with Mrs. McWhorter, at the parsonage. Please let every member be present.

The Woodmen Circle had a nice supper Monday night, and installed the new officers recently elected. The names have been already published in The Stockman.

Little Bill Friend, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Friend, fell off the fence in front of his uncle Harry Friend's home on Broadway Tuesday afternoon and broke his right arm in two places. He never whimpered, but walked home and told his mother to phone for the doctor, as he had broken his arm. He is doing well.

Ranch for Sale

1200 acre ranch, 24 miles north of Uvalde, one-half mile from Reagan Wells Postoffice. Fenced goat proof. Well watered by springs and river. Has house, sheds and some field. Terms to right party.

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Woodmen of the World Elect

At the recent election the following officers were chosen by the Ozona Woodmen of the World: Houston Smith, C. C. W. M. Johnigan, A. L. O. W. Smith, Banker. Roy Parker, Clerk. Jim Patrick, Escort. Si Bell, Watchman. Joe Graham, Sentry. Dr. E. C. Foster, Physician. Chris Meinecke, G. L. Banger W. D. Barton, Mgrs.

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RANGE PRICES AND PROSPECTS

(Continued from First Page)

ing to about six cents a pound, Mr. Appelt said.

Returning Friday from his ranch, Mr. Appelt reported that conditions to the south are good. Rains last week averaged a quarter inch, falling slowly and soaking the ground, and insuring the reviving of weeds and grass. Stock, he said, are in extra good shape. None of the 6,000 sheep and 3,000 goats on his ranch will have to be fed during the remainder of the winter.

"I am very optimistic about the future for the livestock industry," Mr. Appelt said. "There is an undercurrent of better feeling along this line in everything, I believe."

Many stock raisers share Mr. Appelt's opinion. Some say money matters are slightly easier. Bankers report that some stock paper is now being offered and by summer a relaxation to some extent in the financial stringency, which has crippled the industry for almost a year, is looked for.

Physical conditions, it is agreed, were seldom, if ever, better at this time of the year and better markets alone are needed to place the producers on their feet. —San Angelo Standard.

BIG EGG YIELD

"From a small flock of hens I now get 20 to 25 eggs per day, whereas before giving them Dr. LeGear's Poultry Prescription, I only received three or four. Its cost has been repaid me over and over." So writes Mrs. J. W. Montgomery, Tunnell Hill, Ga.

You should increase your yield now, while prices are high, through Dr. LeGear's Poultry Prescription. It is a tonic that builds up the hen's strength and vitality, and stimulates the egg-producing organs.

For 28 years Dr. LeGear has been recognized as America's foremost Expert Poultry Breeder and Veterinarian. Any time your poultry or stock are ailing, it will pay you to get the proper Dr. LeGear Remedy from your dealer. It must give satisfaction, or your dealer will refund your money.

SUES NIECES AND NEPHEWS

Alleging breach of contract and slander, a suit for \$3,000,000 damages, said to probably be the largest sum in litigation of the kind ever entered in an American court, was filed in 44th district court.

W. P. Slaughter, brother of the late Col. C. C. Slaughter, is plaintiff, and in this petition names as defendants his niece and four nephews, all children of his dead brother, who shared in the \$16,000,000 dollar estate of Col. Slaughter. The petition sets forth the allegation that in September, 1916, a verbal agreement was entered into between Col. Slaughter and plaintiff, whereby plaintiff was appointed manager of three Slaughter ranches in Texas at a salary of \$6,000 per annum. One of these ranches, according to the petition, comprises 180,000 acres in Martin, Howard, Dawson and Borden counties; another 36,000 in Hudspeith and El Paso counties, and the third 10,000 acres in Hill county.

Plaintiff avers he managed these properties until the death of Col. Slaughter, Jan. 25, 1919, but that on Feb. 8, 1919, he was discharged by defendants, whom he names as R. L. Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, Jr., A. A. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter, and Mrs. Winnie Slaughter Veale.

Of the \$3,000,000 damages asked, \$1,500,000 damages is in remuneration for "actual damage" claimed to have been sustained by plaintiff by alleged slander, and \$1,500,000 as exemplary damage.

For a Persistent Cough.

Some years ago H. P. Burbage, a student at law in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for a long while with a persistent cough which he said "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, he concluded to try it. "I soon felt a remarkable change, and after using two bottles of the small size was permanently cured."

Oliver typewriter ribbons for sale at The Stockman office.

BIG AND FATAL FIRE AT PECOS

Pecos, Texas, Jan. 13.—Fire early today destroyed property estimated at \$100,000. The flames started in a jewelry store and police believe they came from an attempt of burglars to blow open the safe, as an explosion was heard first.

Seven volunteer fire fighters were injured, one perhaps fatally, when the walls of a building collapsed.

The Cowan building, housing the postoffice, several stores and offices was destroyed.

Archie, Bert and William Ross, volunteer firemen, sons of County Judge James F. Ross, were injured by falling walls, and Archie and Bert are in a serious condition.

R. J. Rutledge, superintendent of schools, was struck by a fallen wooden awning while attempting to salvage stock of the Gilpin confectionery, and is in a serious condition.

Others injured were:

Fire Chief Charles Manahan, badly cut on head.

George Finley, badly cut on head.

City Marshal Marion L. Roddy, hands badly burned while removing bricks from buried firemen.

Archie Ross is reported to be internally injured, while William Ross suffered a broken leg and injuries to his back.

Firms burned out are Brady-Camp Jewelry Company, Pecos Abstract Co., Western Union Telegraph Co., E. L. Collins Insurance Agency, Gilpin Confectionery, Pecos Valley Southern Railway office, Ira J. Bell and United States Horticultural Board District office, Armstrong Manufacturing Company, Finley & Anderson, Hudson & Starley, James F. Ross, Lawyers, W. D. Cowan and Sons, Ranchmen, and Mrs. D. A. Dodds, Real Estate.

Bad Cold and Cough Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Several years ago C. D. Glass, Gardiner, Me., contracted a severe cold and cough. He tried various medicines, but instead of getting well, he kept adding to it by contracting fresh colds. Nothing he had taken for it was of any permanent benefit until a druggist advised him to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says "I was completely cured by this remedy and have since always turned to it when I had a cold and soon find relief."

Tallest Man in Marines.

Denver has produced the tallest man in the United States marine corps. He is Rueben A. Pratt, 22 years old, who is six feet, nine inches tall, and weighs 287 pounds.

The officers had to get special permission to enlist him, as he tops the height limit of the corps by seven inches. No uniforms on hand were large enough to fit him, and a special outfit is being made.

Croupy Children

When children get croup or colds in chest stop it at once by this method. Apply Fidelity Volmine to chest and rub in well. Cover with white flannel and allow patient to inhale vapors freely. Fidelity Volmine is sold by all druggists. When it's Fidelity Quality you're it's pure. Fidelity Volmine is sold by all druggists and in Ozona by W. E. Smith Co.

GOING SOMEWHERE?

Anyhow, Cam Longley is making those regular daily except Sunday, and sometimes Sunday, trips between Ozona and Barnhart, and he is just as regular as the Orient trains, and just a little more so. Wherever you may want to go in this neighborhood, he would like to advise with you. He may be able to save you money, and, at any rate, he can put you and your baggage next to the best service.

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U. S. NAVY IS DOUBLE JAPAN'S

What officials believe to be complete information as to the relative naval strength of the principal world powers is now in the possession of the American Government.

The information has been compiled in the form of tables which show that Great Britain's seapower is double that of the United States, and that, although the British preponderance in capital ships will practically have been overcome by the United States with the completion in 1923 of the American shipbuilding program, the American Navy will still be greatly inferior in types of vessels which naval officers regard as extremely important, notably destroyer leaders, cruisers and light cruisers, cruising submarines and airplane ships.

The American Navy today has more than double the strength of the Japanese Navy and this ratio will be maintained even with the completion of the building programs of the two countries. The United States will be far superior not only in capital ships, but also in destroyers and submarines. The Japs, however, will have double the number of battle cruisers, now possessing four such vessels with eight others projected, while the United States has none completed and only six building.

Without reference to second-line ships, of which Great Britain has a preponderance in all classes over the United States and Japan, the British contains 26 battleships, carrying at least 10 guns each of 12-inch calibre or larger, and displacing 20,000 tons or more. The United States has 16 such vessels, Japan 6, France 7 and Italy 4. Great Britain has no first-line battleships under construction, while the United States has 11, Japan 7, France 4 and Italy 4.

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