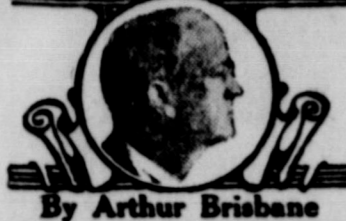


This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

**SOLDIERS NEED BRAIN.
WE ARE RELIGIOUS.
KILLING BREEDS KILLING.
THE HATEFUL AGE.**

A college authority says college men fall, not for lack of learning, but for lack of CHARACTER. There is not enough discipline in universities, Dr. Brown tells the Union College Alumni Association.

College treat boys from 18 to 23 as though they were men, whereas usually they are children.

On the other hand the West Point Academy seems to overdo discipline. A first-year cadet, A. J. Van Leeuwen, trying to stand straight and stiff enough to please his superiors, strained too hard and broke his neck.

Young West Pointers, stiff and straight, are fine to see and gratifying to their superior officers. But it is an agile mind rather than a stiff neck that makes a great soldier. Napoleon was slouchy, also Frederick the Great.

Lord Inchcape says missionaries are to blame for the upheaval against Britain in China. This calls indignant denials from bishops and others.

Everybody should know that missionaries have done great good, not only spiritually but materially in the Far East, especially in a medical way. They have taught natives to take care of their bodies as well as their souls.

Some of them, it is true, have made money. The seven greatest sugar fortunes made in Hawaii all belonged to descendants of intelligent missionaries.

But what is there wrong about making the souls of heathen and saving a fortune, honestly, at the same time? One, or ten, talents should not be buried. The Bible says so.

Major Coupal, President Coolidge's physician, says some Egyptians had false teeth. He has a set found in the Nile mud made by the Greeks who now sell you fruit and other things.

Such teeth were rare. Even in George Washington's day the making of them was very clumsy. The ancients went through old age without false teeth or eye glasses.

No wonder they called old age "the hateful road."

The Egyptian Chamber of Deputies has passed a cotton limitation law, and for three years cotton planting in Egypt will be cut down two-thirds.

The Government thinks that the best way to solve low-price problem. Some may starve—but that is part of the game.

Here, thus far, Government decides that the best thing to do about cotton farmers is to do nothing. That also works, sometimes.

Attorney-General Shaffer of North Dakota wants the Legislature to restore the death penalty for murder. He says a burglar will shoot more recklessly if he knows the worst penalty is life imprisonment. In fact, those that practice robbery with violence deliberately select States where there is no gallows or electric chair.

Perhaps exceptions must be made in these days of promiscuous shooting, but it has been proved a thousand ways that, under normal conditions, murder increases when the Government sets an example in killing.

We are more religious than the people of England. There such questions as "Do you believe in God—in Immortality—in Hell—in Heaven—the Divine Birth of Christ," etc., bring all sorts of strange answers. Here we usually answer "Yes" to such questions.

RODEO AND RACE MEET IS SUCCESS

Association Lacks Approximately \$100 Breaking Even

PLAN JULY EVENT
Biggest Crowd In History Expected Then; Results Given

Cash prizes totalling approximately \$1500 attracted a large number of riders and horses and the two days' program was one of the best offered in West Texas this season. Among the fine race horses here for the meet was one of the fastest horses in the state, Magician, owned by Lee Cook of Sanderson. Magician was brought here from the Jaurez track where he has been a consistent winner. Incidentally he carried off honors in several events here.

Following are results of the most important events in the two days' program of races and rodeo events:

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Free-for-all 1/2 mile race
1st. Bonnie Atkins, owned by Bob Murchison and Dick Nasworthy, Pedro up.

2nd. Slip Along, Lee Cook of Sanderson.

Free-for-all 3/4 mile race.
1st. Magician, Lee Cook.

2nd. Tar Baby, Murchison and Nasworthy.

Steer Break-Away.
1st. Allen Holder, 10 flat.

2nd. Lewis Jones, 10 1-5.

Bronc Riding.
1st. Dan Utley.

2nd. John Henry, Ft. Worth.

Goat Roping.
1st. Cal Johnson, 15.

2nd. Tom Standefer, Morton, 15 3-5.

A special matched goat roping contest between Emmett Buck of Sanderson and Jake McClure of North Texas closed each afternoon's program. The contest Friday afternoon was for a purse of \$250, which was won by Buck with an average time of 16 seconds. McClure's time was 17 2-5. Each roped five goats.

Saturday afternoon Buck and McClure again engaged in a contest for a purse of \$500, each roping ten goats. McClure won this pot with an average time of around 17 seconds.

Saturday morning's program included two races, a quarter mile maiden race won by Blue Bonnet, owned by Bob Murchison, with Miss Crockett, owned by Joe Pierce, second. In the half mile race, Black Beauty, owned by Lee Cook, nosed out Bonnie Atkins, Dick Nasworthy.

The program Saturday afternoon featured the two-days event. In the steer break-away contest Clyde Meadows of Eldorado won first money with a time of 8 4-5. J. C. Montgomery of Ozona won second place with 13 2-5.

Otis Bowie of Eldorado was first in the bronc riding contest with Dan Utley second.

The next event on the program for the afternoon was a half-mile free-for-all race, which was won by Black Beauty with Bonnie Atkins second.

In the 3/8 mile event, Magician was an easy winner, with Tar Baby in second place. Slip-Along won the mile event by a nose, with Handsome Charley, owned by Bob Murchison, second.

The quarter-mile cow-pony race was perhaps the feature of the afternoon's program. Five cow ponies were entered in the event. Tony, owned by Bert Kincaid with Dick Nasworthy upled the field. Redwood, owned by Roger Dudley, with Rusty Smith up, was a close second, the rest of the field trailing as follows: Waco Black, Sam Robertson up, Cant-Lope, Pat Lee Anderson up, and Hop-Along, Albert Bailey, Louis Cravey up.

In the goat roping contest Jake McClure (Continued on last page)

REVIEWING 1926

By A. B. CHAPIN



J. S. McCreary Quits School

To Enter Business At Chilton; J. A. Floyd Succeeds Him

J. S. McCreary, mathematics and science teacher in the Ozona schools, has resigned his position effective at the beginning of the present term and his position has been filled by J. A. Floyd of Whitesboro, Texas, it was announced this week by C. C. Minatra, superintendent.

Mr. McCreary accepted a position with the local schools at the opening of this year's work and taught until the Christmas holidays. He was athletic coach for the high school. He is entering business at Chilton, Texas, Mrs. McCreary's home town, being in charge of a fleet of commercial trucks there. He will be engaged in this work during the rest of this year after which he will enter medical school.

Mr. Floyd comes to the local schools highly recommended. He is a former student of Baylor University at Waco and has had experience as a teacher at Whitesboro and Burleson, Texas. He was principal of the Whitesboro school. He has also had experience in coaching athletics, debates and plays and will be a valuable asset to the local schools in this line. He is married and he and his wife have rooms at the L. L. Bewley home.

R. A. M. NOTICE

Ozona Chapter No. 237, Royal Arch Masons, will meet Saturday evening, January 8. Important business will be transacted. All members are urged to be present. Visitors welcome.

C. J. WATTS, H. P. RAY PINER, Secy.

JUNCTION AND OZONA TIE IN GRID BATTLE

Scoreless Tie Results In Clash Of All Stars Here

\$150 GATE RECEIPT

Proceeds From Game Go To High School Athletic Fund

The Ozona Lobos and the Junction Wildcats scratched and clawed to a scoreless tie on the Ozona fair grounds gridiron last Friday morning when they met as a curtain raiser to the Mid-Winter Rodeo and Race Meet. Both teams, made up of former college and high school football players, put up a stiff fight for a counter but each threat at the goal ended in failure through four quarters. Receipts from the game, amounting to \$150, went to the Ozona High School athletic fund.

On yardage gained and first downs, the Junction aggregation had the edge on the locals. Junction made eight first downs to Ozona's two. The Lobos showed plenty of fight on defense, however, holding the visitors on two occasions in the shadow of their own goal posts. Once the Junction team marched down the field on passes and line bucks to within one yard of the goal line where they were held by the locals for four downs. The last down was an incomplete forward pass over the goal line, which gave Ozona the ball. Ozona again held the visitors on the eight yard line for downs.

With an impenetrable line barring them from the goal and a touchdown, Junction boot artists tried for a field goal in the third

quarter but it went under the bar.

The line-ups were as follows:

Junction	Ozona
Vic Urban	LE Allen Robinson
"Sox" Smith	LT Chas. Davidson
"Gip" Henderson	LG Red Finley
Bill Wright	C Big Boy Deland
Don Jones	RG Boyd Clayton
Sidney Randall	RT Bill Grimmer
Ned Maddox	RE Otho Adams
Howard Blackburn	Q H. Phillips
Dennis Wallace	LH Jake Young
Ernest Randall	RH Frank Russell
	FB Bob Weaver

Substitutions for Ozona—R. O. Reynolds for Grimmer, Homer Adams for Phillips, Worth Odom for Young, Vernon Cox for Odom, and Morris Dudley for Weaver.

Officials: Joe Davidson, referee; John Fogarty, umpire; and Alvan Harrell, head linesman; and A. O. Lawler and Hilton North timekeepers.

Driller Breaks Leg In Oil Well Mishap On Col Coates Ranch

A Mr. Free, head driller at the test well spudded in on the Collins Coates ranch near here recently, suffered a broken leg Tuesday when in some manner his leg became entangled in the "bull wheel" on the drilling machinery.

The leg was broken between the knee and the ankle, the injured man being brought here where he was given first aid treatment by Dr. G. L. Coates. He was later taken to San Angelo to a hospital.

Employees at the well declared that Mr. Free's escape from death was nothing short of miraculous. He was hurled several feet into the air by the force of the revolving wheel and persons familiar with oil well machinery declare that an accident of this kind is nearly always fatal.

Don't miss "The Birth of a Nation" at the Ozona Theater Monday and Tuesday. Adv.

STOCKMEN TO MEET IN S. A. RATE PARLEY

Proposed Revision Of Orient Rates Brings Stockmen's Protest

MEET JANUARY 13
Differential Proposed On Stock Shipments West Of S. A.

All stockmen throughout this territory using the Orient railroad for movement of their stock are urged to be present at a conference between shippers and officials of that railroad to be held in San Angelo Thursday, January 13, at 1 o'clock p. m., it was announced here Wednesday afternoon by T. A. Kincaid, president of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, who had just returned from San Angelo.

The meeting has been called for the purpose of entering a protest with the Orient railroad against a proposed new rate on livestock which is to go into effect February 1 under plans announced by the road. Livestock shippers thru the territory who will be affected are urged to be present to hear an explanation of the proposed rate revision and to take what action necessary.

The Orient proposes to eliminate all differential rates on livestock at points east of San Angelo and to fix a differential at 3 1/2 cents per hundred maximum on livestock shipments originating west of San Angelo destined for other lines and passing through San Angelo. Differentials on other commodities have been eliminated by the line, it was pointed out by Mr. Kincaid, and the proposed new rates are interpreted as discriminating against the livestock industry, which has stood behind the road and kept it alive throughout its existence.

The present differential on livestock on the Orient is 4 1/2 cents. This rate, however, was to have expired this month under an agreement between livestock shippers and the road a year ago. Mr. Kincaid declared, and what the road claims is a reduction in differential is in reality a tax of 3 1/2 cents a hundred or a minimum of \$7.70 a car on livestock when no differential applies on oil or other commodity shipments. Unless shippers act immediately, this rate revision will go into effect for no definite time limit, and it is important that every shipper be present at the meeting in San Angelo, Mr. Kincaid said.

The following announcement, given to the press this week by Orient officials, gives a summary of the proposed rate revision.

All differential rates on livestock at points east of San Angelo and on livestock moving between points on the Orient lines are to be lopped off and all differential rates on livestock originating west of San Angelo are to be materially reduced, according to the recommendations of W. H. Hargrove, general freight and passenger agent for the Orient, as announced Monday. Mr. Hargrove returned during the week end from Wichita, Kansas, where he conferred with J. J. Lane, general traffic manager for the Orient relative to the reduction of livestock rates, in a measure consonant with the doing away as of January 31, the \$10 a car and 10 cents a hundred arbitrary on other freight west of San Angelo.

Mr. Hargrove leaves Monday for Dallas where he will docket for hearing the revised schedule, which he wants to become effective February 1.

Here is the nature of the proposal made by Mr. Hargrove:

Elimination of all differentials on livestock moving between points on the Orient lines.

Eliminating all differentials on livestock originating east of San Angelo.

Revising downward differentials (Continued on last page)

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The first venture of the Ozona Fair Association with a Mid-Winter Rodeo and Race Meet, held Friday and Saturday of last week fell slightly short of an even break financially but was more successful in that respect than association members had expected from the first attempt, according to announcement made by members of the financial committee. A final check on the accounts of the entertainment showed the association approximately \$100

short on the affair. It is believed now that the Mid-Winter event has been organized it will be an easy matter to put over a most successful entertainment next winter. Plans are already under way for the regular July Rodeo and Race Meet, to be held July 4, 5, and 6 of this year, and members of the association are expecting to outstrip the remarkable record piled up last year, the first event under the management of the new fair association.

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an A. Larkin, is the prospective builder of the new monarch of York's skyline—a 108 story building. It will be the biggest thing made by man and will 1208 feet, overtopping the North Building by 416 feet and cost \$22,500,000.



Mrs. G. L. Bunker and Mrs. Brock Hoover spent last week-end in San Angelo doing some shopping.

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Hugh Childress, Jr. is expected to fully recover from the injury to his shoulder sustained nearly three years ago. A piece of dead bone, supposed to have been his continued trouble, was removed Monday morning.

It's not too late to buy an overcoat. The worst of the winter is yet to come. Let us show you some pretty models we have in stock. Roy Parker Shop Adv.

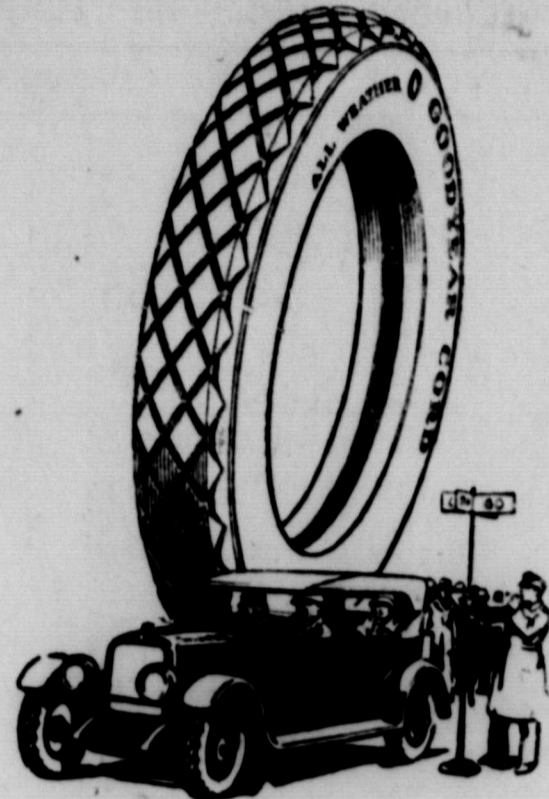
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Austin left Sunday for their home in Fort Worth. Mrs. Austin had been visiting her parents for some time.

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Matsuda Wins In Wrestling Match

After injuring his arm in a fall from the stage to the concrete floor of the Ozona Theater, Mike Reid of Chicago, gave the decision to Matty Matsuda of San Angelo, Japanese jiu jitsu expert, in a finish wrestling bout here last Saturday night.

The match was to have gone to a finish, best two out of three falls. The match lasted about an hour when Reid in escaping the Jap's hold flipped his body off the stage and landed on his elbow on the concrete floor.

Davidson, Crockett Judge Since County Was Organized 1891

Ozona, Jan. 1.—The only county judge in the state of Texas who has been county judge since the county was organized, again on today, took up his portfolio for another two years. Here is what one of his commissioners, Ralph Watson has to say of him: "He is a good sized man, weighing about 175 pounds, is as gray as he can be and has a lot of sense." This seems to be the attitude of the county to the man, who when people come to him to file suits, gets

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them together, if possible, and compromises it to avoid the light of pitiless publicity and the bad feeling that suits engender.

Ever since the county was organized Judge Davidson has been on the job as county judge, excepting one term when on account of

a sheriff's race he was defeated. The next time the citizens wrote his name on the ticket and he was again judge.

While Judge Davidson is putting his grip down only to pick it up again for a two year stroll down the delights and duties of

public office, Tom Nolen, county clerk, is surrendering his place after an incumbency of twenty-two years and the office went to Bright Baggett, the man whom Nolen defeated twenty-two years ago for the same office.
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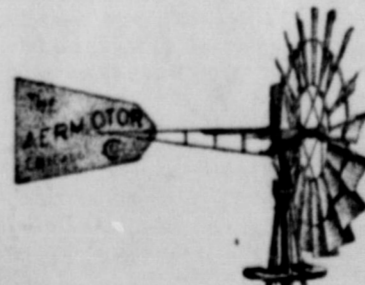
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We believe the powers that be are trying to give us a party. Some time ago these columns we voiced our sentiments with reference to the drainage (or lack of it) of the principal thoroughfare of Ozona. We pointed out that the main street is graded more or less on the plan of a water trough, low in the middle and high on either side. We pointed particularly to the condition existing along the block in which the new Perner building is located, the fact that to park at the curb one must throw his car into gear and apply all available brakes to keep the old buggy from rolling back into the middle of the street.

Now it seems that instead of grading the street down to afford an outlet for the water that stands all over the street, in every low place, more dirt is being dumped on the sides of the street, preparing for more slush holes and turning more water into the middle of the street. Engineers and road builders declare that a problem of bad drainage can not be solved by filling in low places without providing a proper shed. Unless the job is done thoroughly, some inconspicuous sink is overlooked. When it rains, water collects and obstructions along the path of natural drainage back up the water and traffic knocks out all that has been done in the way of filling in.

Of course, we're not an engineer nor road builder, but it seems to us that the better plan of making a good street would be to grade it up in the center, round it off to the sides and provide a continuous drainage gutter from one end to the other.

About that hospital. From those backing the movement we learn that it was the plan to drop the project during the Christmas holidays but to take it up again immediately after the holidays and push it to a decision.

That hospital should be one of the major objectives in the way of civic development for 1927 and it is not too soon to begin working on it in earnest. Although no definite announcement has been made, it is understood that there is some question as to the availability of the Kincaid property, which was proposed as a site for the hospital. That, of course, would be an ideal arrangement, a building suitable for conversion into a hospital, available at a reasonable price and ideally located for the purpose.

But if that building is not available, then some other plan should be advanced for the completion of this project, one of the greatest needs of this community.

Just this week a man, head driller on an oil well being drilled near here, suffered a broken leg in an accident at the well. He was brought to Ozona, suffering agonizing pain on the way, but could get only first aid treatment here. There is no X-ray machine here nor a place in which he might receive expert care and attention. Consequently he had to suffer untold agony during an automobile ride to San Angelo to a hospital.

There is apparently no question in the minds of the people regarding the need of a hospital, the only question is how to go about getting one. The best plan, it seems to us, would be to call a mass meeting of citizens, thrash out the matter and decide on some method of procedure. Let's do that this month.

A few days ago a fellow boasted to us that every time he goes to one of the nearby larger towns he always brings back an automobile load of supplies purchased from the stores there. And he gets them cheaper, he declares, than he could buy them in Ozona.

Now the queer thing about it is that the man is in business in Ozona himself, makes his living here, expects Ozona a Crockett county people to trade with him and yet he does his trading elsewhere, or a good part of it at least.

There are a number of reasons why one does not profit by trading elsewhere than with his home town merchants. For instance, when one figures that he is saving a few pennies by going a hundred or more miles away to get his supplies, he does not figure in the

cost of these supplies his gasoline and oil burned in making the trip and the wear and tear on his car.

Again, he doesn't stop to think that every dollar he spends away from home is taking just that much away from his home town, retarding the growth of his community that much and hampering his home town merchants in giving him better service and better prices through a larger volume of business.

Furthermore, he doesn't stop to think that the home town merchant pays his taxes here, spends his money where he makes his living and is contributing to the protection and service of county government. The merchant in the far-away city doesn't contribute a penny to the growth of this community. There are often cases where it is necessary to go to the larger town for some needed commodity which can not be obtained here, but we might at least give the local merchant a chance by calling by to see what he has before we go elsewhere.

In Defense of Texas S. & G. R. A.

The Angora Journal, published at Portland, Oregon, seems to have assumed the role of chief adviser and general ram-rod of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association in respect to its attitude toward the goat industry, judging from recent editorial comments. The Journal's comments indicate particularly that it is dissatisfied with T. A. Kincaid of Ozona as president of the association on the ground that he is a "sheep man" and is insisting upon the association choosing a "goat man" as its head.

The Journal first donned the cloak of "protector" to the goat men of Texas following the annual meeting of the S. & G. R. A. at Del Rio in July, attacking the association and President Kincaid for alleged neglect of the Angora industry on account of the failure of the chevon publicity committee to report on its activities.

This writer attended that meeting and will testify that President Kincaid called for report of the chevon publicity committee but that committee indicated that it had nothing to report. The Journal editor suggests that "if the chevon committee needs re-organization for the good of the industry, get a new alignment." There are some good men on the chevon publicity committee and they have done considerable work toward getting the apt trade name for goat meat before American consumers. Others might be better but it is our opinion that the Portland publication might do more good furthering the cause in Oregon than it can by criticizing the actions of the Texas organization.

The Portland editor is perhaps not aware of the fact, when he speaks of Mr. Kincaid as a sheepman, that the president of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association is one of the largest goat owners in the sheep and goat raising district of Texas. That is just one of the things that a man in Portland, Oregon, can not know about condition in Texas.

The Journal also calls attention to an alleged "break" or "threatened break" between the sheep and goat raising industries of Texas. As far as local officials of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association are informed, there is no friction whatever between the two interests within the Association. The Association is for the advancement of the sheep and goat raising interests and its efforts are directed toward the betterment of both impartially. That is another thing that one in Portland can not observe in Texas.

"We believe that fair consideration of the goat men's interests by the sheep men of Texas will unite them into an influential body—an organization more influential than two such can be," the Journal declares in its December issue. Again the Journal editor is perhaps not aware of the fact that the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association is a united body of sheep and goat men and is one of the most influential organizations in this section of the state, and is gaining in influence and power

rapidly.

Again, the Journal editor calls the name "chevon" B. M. Halbert's idea, or "Halbert's nickname for goat meat" as it is said to have been termed in Congressional discussion. As a matter of fact the name "chevon" was selected by a committee appointed by the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas from hundreds of names submitted by persons from all over the state in a contest sponsored by the association. Col. Halbert has done considerable toward furthering adoption of the name to officially designate goat meat as an edible commodity, but the name was selected, we have it from President Kincaid, by a committee named by the association.

The editor of the Angora Section of the Edwards County paper in answering the Journal's attacks declares that the Portland editor might do better by furthering the interests of the Angora industry in his own section. The Texas Angora editor also points out that "the better way to advance the Angora industry just at present is to try to increase the world supply of Angoras. After that is done, then it will be the proper time to try to popularize chevon." The Edwards editor is a member of the chevon publicity committee.

About Your Health

Things You Should Know



by John Joseph Gaines, M. D.

VENTILATION

Ventilation in winter is a problem of first importance. There is no doubt that ill-ventilated apartments make for ill-health. Rarely do we find a family now-a-days without one or more sufferers from respiratory infections.

I want to emphasize at the outset however, that warm air does not mean impure air, by any means; neither may we look on cold air as always being "fresh air." One of the essentials of air in the living-room is, that it be comfortable to the occupants; great or sudden variations in temperature may be exceedingly harmful.

Circulating air is better than stagnated; the outlet for overheated, or foul air should be at the highest point in the living apartment; the inlet for out-door air at the lowest. If front doors are opened and closed frequently during days and evenings, plenty of out-door air may be admitted in that way; and, air should be held inside, long enough to be warmed by the heating-plant. It is therefore evident that, the outlet for air should be smaller than the opening for intake.

The closed room is generally to be looked upon with suspicion. No matter if it be a public hall, a church, a theatre, or any place used on occasions. Public halls should be treated with formaldehyde two or three times a week; the air should be changed daily. A bedroom should always be left wide open after occupation,—the bedding thoroughly "aired" and frequent sprinklings with a solution of formaldehyde may prevent many a respiratory infection. People know these things, but so many neglect them.

Bride Given Shower At New Hotel Ozona

Mrs. Massie West, a recent bride was honored with a shower given by Miss Emma Phillips and Mrs. Sherman Taylor Monday afternoon at the Hotel Ozona, with nearly fifty guests present. The room was decorated in white with a white bell over the chair of the honoree.

Miss Geraldine Coates spoke for the entertainment of the guests. Mrs. W. J. Grimmer rendered a piano solo. Mrs. Joe Pierce Jr. accompanied by Mrs. Victor Pierce, sang, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Miss Floy Clair Stewart played while little Misses Tommy Smith and Lois D. Adams, costumed in white tarlton and satin as fairies, danced in from opposite doors and invited Mrs. West into the treasure room where her gifts were stored. The bride and the guests followed them into the treasure room piled with many beautiful and useful gifts.

After everyone had seen the gifts a dessert course of mince pie with whipped cream, and coffee was served.

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January 15

THE OZONA MERCANTILE

"Small Profits, Many Sales"

David Crockett Club Names New Officers

The David Crockett Literary Club had a business meeting January the fifth for the purpose of electing officers for this term.

The following officers were elected: President, Mildred Davis, Vice President, Johnny Cross, Secretary and Treasurer, Katherine Baggett, Pianist Eleanor Ingham, Choister, Ethel Childress, Sargent at Arms, George Bunger, Reporter, Helen, Chapman, Critic Miss Kaderli, Parliamentarian, Mr. Floyd.

The corps of officers will be thoroughly efficient.

Entertained With "42"

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett entertained a few friends with a small informal forty-two party at their home last Thursday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. North, Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham, Miss Emma Phillips and Miss Leta Graham, Nelson Hawkins and Allen Robison, Miss Rachel Graham and Miss Mary Childress filled in when Mr. and Mrs. North were compelled to leave early. A chicken salad course was served at the end of the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress and Hugh Childress Jr. went to San Angelo the first of the week to secure medical attention for the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and small son have returned to their ranch after spending the holidays in Menard visiting Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watters.

LOST—Envelope purse on New Years Day. Size 5 x 4 inches, trimmed in natural calf skin. Pair of gloves, Pullman ticket among contents. Reward for return to Stockman office. Adv.

Ozona Women's Club Elects New Officers

The Women's Club of Ozona held an election of officers at their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Vice President, Mrs. A. C. Hoover, Secretary Mrs. C. C. Coates, Recording Secretary, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Fussell.

The district meeting of the Woman's Federated Club meets in Ozona in the spring and a very successful year is expected.

"The Birth of a Nation"

D. W. Griffith's Epic of Civil War Days
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Monday and Tuesday

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He's Funnier Than Ever

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Program

Mon. and Tues. "The Birth of a Nation"
Wednesday "The Mile a Minute Man" A Western
Thurs. and Fri. "The Waltz Dream" from Faust.
Saturday Harold Lloyd in "For Heaven's Sake"

The Ozona Theater

"Tasty Movie Menus"

Kincaid Sees Good Year For Ranchmen

T. A. Kincaid, president of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas: "If the Old Ma-sah smiles on us this year we will make a living. 1926 was a fairly good year, but had it not been for the mutton lambs the ranchmen would have been in the same condition as the cotton farmer.

"One of the best wool clips in years will result if we can get a rain in the spring as the wool looks good now.

"Wool is not very high, what it will bring this spring I do not profess to say. The goat business was never better in the history of the game and the goat men have no complaint.

"A good deal of sheep proof fencing has taken place during the last year and country west of here is going under the fence.

"As president of the association I want to say that the legislative committee is to active, especially if any attack is made on the tariff, and the association is also to continue its attack on the high freight rates." —S. A. Standard.

Announcement

REALIZING THE NECESSITY OF A STORAGE HOUSE IN BARNHART, I HAVE PURCHASED THE 60x 80 FOOT GALVANIZED WAREHOUSE ON MAIN STREET AND ORIENT TRACKS AND EXPECT TO DO A GENERAL STORAGE BUSINESS. I WILL BE GLAD TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR LOCAL OR CAR LOAD SHIPMENTS. WE WILL MAINTAIN AN OFFICE IN THIS WAREHOUSE, INSURING YOU THE BEST OF SERVICE.

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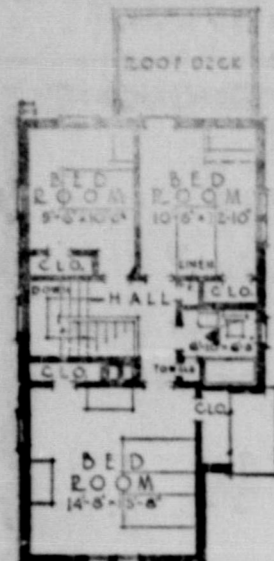
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Barnhart, Texas.

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PLACING your house according to your lot is the privilege of the person who builds this practical dwelling of the English farm house type. The entrance is so arranged that the house may either be placed lengthwise for a thirty-foot city lot or crosswise for a 30 or 70 foot lot.



The design here calls for a combination of stucco and stained siding with the roof of dark weathered shingles. The pleasing features of the living room include its windows on three sides, open fireplace and built-in book shelves. The open porch or sunroom may open off from either the living or dining room. The kitchen has all the details that delight the housewife—cupboards, broom closet, breakfast nook and double windows over the sink.

The three bedrooms all have double exposures and are well provided with clothes and linen closets. The bathroom is so placed as to be equally accessible from each bedroom. The attic is ventilated and makes a serviceable storage or playroom by sheathing the rafters and sides with celotex, which serves both as a wall-board and insulating material.

SECOND FLOOR PLAN
CEILING HEIGHT 8'-0"

This small home so light and spacious, yet compact and adapted to doing without a servant, is a typical 1926 product. The poky, dark homes of fifteen or even ten years ago with their fussy little hallways and poor planning would be scorned by the modern housewife who has learned to expect comfort built right into her home and to have everything planned for her convenience in working. Cold, draughty houses are also out of date. All well built houses, are insulated as this one is, with celotex sheathing on the exterior walls under the stucco. This effects a great saving in fuel in the winter and resists the intense heat of the sun in summer.

**Ozona To Be On
Air Next Monday**

Ozona will be on the air Monday January 10, when, according to announcement just received, Southland Life Insurance Company's Radio Health Exercise program will be dedicated to the city.

Radio fans are familiar with Southland Life Exercises which are broadcast over station WFAA at Dallas every morning, except Sunday, from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock. Over 26,000 charts, necessary in taking the exercises, have been mailed out by the Company, an indication that some 60,000 to 75,000 people have been or are taking the exercises.

Dedication of the program, along with a short talk on Ozona will be given at the beginning of the third exercise period, 7:10 A. M. on the morning mentioned.

W. E. Smith was ill two or three days the first of the week with an attack of tonsillitis but is practically recovered now.

J. A. GOWAN DEAD

J. A. Gowan, stone mason, well

known in Ozona, builder of the Ozona National Bank building, the school building, the Dudley Garage building and the new Methodist church, died at his home in Fort Worth Monday, according to word received by Walter Kyle of this city, a long-time friend of Mr. Gowan's.

Mr. Gowan had been a stone mason for more than half a century. Mr. Kyle worked with him for several years on the Ozona buildings and in other towns.

LOST—New white gold Gruen wrist watch with white gold band. Rectangular shape with black enamel trimming. Reward for return to Louise Coates. —Advl

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneeman and family spent Christmas in El Paso visiting Mrs. Schneeman's brother, Charles Perner. They also stopped by Sierra Blanco and visited another brother, Ross Perner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green and their daughter, Miss Mozelle Turney, of Eldorado came over for the Redeo and visited Mrs. Green's brother, Tom Smith.

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TRULY the most beautiful Chevrolet in Chevrolet history! Truly an achievement which must immediately change all existing ideas as to what the buyer of a low priced car has a right to expect for his money!

Here is the irresistible appeal of unbroken, flowing body lines—of modish new Duco colors, fashionably striped—of notable smartness—of that flawless silhouette regularly associated with the costliest of custom-built creations.

Here are score after score of advancements in design, literally too numerous to list completely—but typified by one-piece full-crown fenders, bullet-type lamps, coincidental steering and ignition lock and large 17-inch steering wheel.

Here is definite assurance of longer life, more satisfactory operation and even greater economy—for all models are equipped with a new AC oil filter and an improved AC air cleaner!

Such features as these are usually found only on cars costing up into the thousands. They are marks of distinction on the world's finest automobiles. Yet these are now offered on The Most Beautiful Chevrolet because the spectacular growth

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THE COACH	\$595	THE COUPE	\$625	THE SEDAN	\$695	THE LANDAU	\$745
Former price \$645		Former price \$645		Former price \$735		Former price \$765	
The Touring	\$525	The Roadster	\$525	The Sport Cabriolet	\$715	1-Ton Truck Chassis Only	495
Price includes balloon tires and steel disc wheels. Former price \$535 with balloon tires only.		Price includes balloon tires and steel disc wheels. Former price \$535 with balloon tires only.		Entirely new model with rumble seat.		1-2-Ton Truck Chassis Only	395

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Ballon tires now standard on all models—All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich., effective January 1st, 1927.

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Agent for Gulf Products

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Barthart, Texas

To Broadcast



Walter Damrosch, for 42 years conductor of the famous New York Symphony Orchestra, is to retire in April. He intends to devote his time to broad-casting which is wonderful news for the millions of music loving radio fans.

Bold Bad Bandit



New photo of Mrs. Rebecca Rogers of Austin, Texas, 22 year old co-ed bandit, who is charged with holding up and robbing the Farmers' National Bank at Buda, Texas. When released on bail she went off to be married and faces trial after her honeymoon.

Don't miss Harold Lloyd in "For Heaven's Sake," Saturday. Admission 15 and 40 cents.

Little Miss Posey Baggett celebrated her fifth birthday Wednesday afternoon with a party for her friends. The guests played games under the direction of the small hostess' mother, Mrs. J. M. Baggett. Ice cream cones and the birthday cake with its five candles composed the refreshments.

You will be thrilled every minute at "The Birth of a Nation," at the Ozona Theater Monday and Tuesday. Adv.

Richard Flowers made a hurried trip to San Angelo Wednesday.

You get results from feed, by feeding out of the checkerboard bags. PURINA.

Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Assistant Deputy Grand Matron of the Eastern Star, was in Big Lake Tuesday in connection with her duties in that capacity.

Try our prompt service. We call for and deliver your clothes. Roy Parker Shop Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett and Mrs. Mary Perner went to San Antonio Monday. Mrs. Perner stopped off to visit her sister, Mrs. Eb Buck, at Bandera. Mr. Baggett went for medical attention. They intend to return Saturday.

Harold Lloyd at his funniest in "For Heaven's Sake", coming Saturday of next week.

Our "Continuous Flow" system of dry cleaning will make your clothes look new again. Roy Parker Adv.

Miss Hester Bunger did not return to Baylor University for the winter term. She plans to re-enter for the spring term at the end of which she will receive her degree.

"The Birth of a Nation" is the most spectacular production ever filmed. Here Monday and Tuesday. Admission 15 and 40 cents. Adv.

Miss Mary Kincaid has returned to Dallas to re-enter Hockaday. T. A. Kincaid, Jr. has returned to A. & M. and Bud Kincaid has gone to Schreiner Institute at Kerrville.

"The Birth of a Nation" at the Ozona Theater Monday and Tuesday. The greatest picture ever filmed. Adv.

Melvin Archibald returned to Lubbock Saturday after spending the holidays with Hugh Childress Jr.

You will enjoy seeing "The Birth of a Nation" again if you have seen it before. If you haven't seen it by all means don't miss it Monday and Tuesday nights. Adv.

Mrs. J. M. Estes of San Antonio has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul Perner, the first of the week. She has gone to San Angelo to visit another sister, Mrs. Drake, before returning home.

Feed Purina Hen Chow and Chowder to your chickens for highest production. PURINA

Mrs. A. E. Deland, Mrs. Ray Dunlap and Mrs. A. C. Hoover entertained Wednesday afternoon for their cousin, Mrs. Jack Murk. Mr. and Mrs. Murk were married in Comanche the home of the bride, December 24 and will make their home on the Hoover ranch.

If you want good rich whole some milk, feed your cow, COW CHOW. PURINA

Miss Willie Sue Montgomery left Monday to return to Austin where she is attending the University of Texas. She is in her Senior year. Marshall Montgomery did not return to take up his work.

You can't afford to miss "For Heaven's Sake", coming Saturday of next week.

You'll laugh until your sides hurt at Harold Lloyd in "For Heaven's Sake". Coming to the Ozona Theater Saturday of next week.

Mrs. Fayette Schwalbe came in from the ranch Wednesday seriously ill.

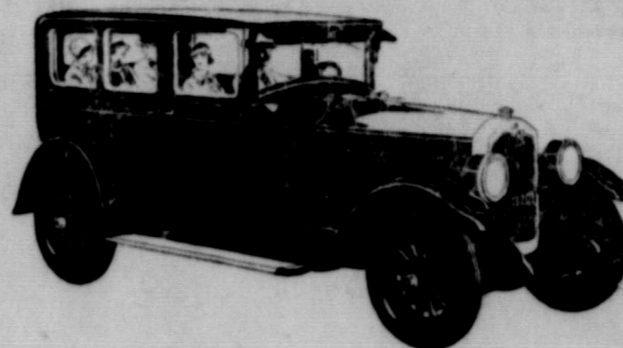
Feed Purina Hen Chow and Purina Chowder to get results from your chickens. PURINA

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Adams spent Christmas visiting Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sims, near San Angelo.

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But, if in 1926 our service was good, in 1927 it is going to be better. This business is never satisfied with good enough, when it can give something still better.

Service may mean the way our salesmen greet you—the attention they give your every want—the courtesy with which they comply with your wishes—it may be the finding of something here which cannot be obtained elsewhere—it may involve the many little business courtesies due to you as a valued patron, such as, "Yes, Sir!" "Yes, ma'am!" and "I thank you," for which we are famous.

Service may mean promptness or sterling, reliable quality.

Service to us means everything!

In 1927 we shall try to make this business the sort of place that we have always liked it to be—the kind that is most talked about—pointed out on the street—recommended by one and all.

We want to thank you most heartily for the prosperity of 1926 and wish you great happiness and prosperity for 1927.

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ON THE STROKE OF TWELVE



Varsity Expects Wealth From Its West Tex. Lands

Austin, Texas, Jan. 6—It is regarded as not improbable that the year 1927 may bring to the University of Texas much additional wealth in oil royalties, possibly from sources not as yet discovered or developed. There is a feeling of optimism as to the possible future wealth of the University because of the fact that the institution owns 63,000 acres of land in Crane County and 77,000 acres in Upton County, upon which oil is now being produced in small quantities; that it owns 294,000 acres in Andrews County, which oil geologists believe may be in line of oil development now being carried in the Maljamar field of

Eastern New Mexico, and the new Winkler County pool; that it owns 53,120 acres in Winkler County, not far from discovery wool in that county; that it owns 184,960 acres in Pecos County, where there activity in oil operations; it owns 356,480 acres in Crockett County, near initial oil production that it owns 89,640 acres in Ward County; 22,400 acres in Loving County; 453,120 acres in Hudspeth County; 22,720 acres in Irion County; 14,080 acres in Martin County; 57,600 acres in Schleicher County; 46,800 acres in Culberson County; 61,400 acres in Terrell County, all of which are believed to have oil possibilities. In addition to these landed holdings, the University owns 194,560 acres in Reagan County from which the institution has already received approximately \$5,000,000 of oil royalties.

POSTED—My ranches lying in Crockett and Val Verde Counties trespassing positively forbidden. T. A. Kincaid. —Adv. 12-27

STOCKMEN MEET

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tials on livestock from points west of San Angelo to points on other lines and coming through San Angelo. For example, the differential on beef cattle sheep and goats, in double decks will be one cent from Tankersley with the maximum differential 3 1/2 cents a hundred. At Barnhart the differential is 3 1/2 cents, according to the revised schedule, a reduction of 1 cent a hundred is from Big Lake west to Ft. Stockton a reduction in the differential of 1 1/2 cents a hundred is scheduled.

Here is the plea that Mr. Hargrove will make for the establishment of the new rates:

"Due to the contemplated change in the differential rates on the other traffic, it will be our purpose to restrict differential rates on livestock to territory west of San Angelo, which is recognized as differential territory on all classes and most commodities."

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Crosby of Eldorado was first in

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To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

17 flat. Lewis Jones of Christoval, champion calf roper of the world, was second with 17 1-5. Louis Cravey was third with 17 4-5 and Albert Bailey of Ozona fourth with 18. The steer riding event was topped by Dan Utley, with Blackie Russell second.

Only one accident marred the two days program. Shorty McClure, a visiting rider, suffered a wrenched leg Saturday morning when he missed his hold in a steer bull-dogging contest and fell from a running horse. His injuries were not thought to be serious, however.

The dance drew about seventy-five couples, many visitors being here from other parts of the coun-

try. The Brownwood Orioles, who played for the three Christmas dances given at the new \$140,000 hotel, furnished the music. The members of the dance committee were Lee Wilson, Stephen Perner, and Bill Grimmer.

Joe Pierce, Jr., was in general charge of the program, assisted by Wayne West, Early Baggett, Clay Montgomery, and Scott Peters. "Red" Hawkins was the arena director. Officials in charge of the rodeo were Paul Perner, chairman John Bailey, C. C. Montgomery, W. W. Childress, and Ralph Watson, judges. Ad Harvick and J. B. Moore, inspectors for the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas, Tom Smith, Roger Dudley, Rusty Smith, and others assisted

in the carrying off the program. Paul Perner, Collins Coates and Roy Henderson had charge of the races.

On July 4, 5, and 6 1927, a rodeo, race meet and stock show will be held with an auction sale of bucks from the western and north western breeders planned. Prizes of \$1500, offered during the mid-winter meet, will be eclipsed by the \$3000 offered during the coming summer. The fair association is now out of debt and the program now calls for the erection of more sheep and cattle sheds and other improvements at a cost of \$4000. Nothing short of the best sheep show in the state will be accepted here as the goal of the association, Mr. Pierce says.

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