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THE BEST BUSINESS REFERENCE

Your credit is exactly what you make it. A bank account is worth far more to you when the time comes than an armful of

Letters of Recommendation

Money in the bank is what talks and a small beginning has led to many a man's success.

We welcome your account, large or small.

The First National Bank of SPEARMAN

NEW HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT FIRM

Jones Implement Company of Amarillo Buy J. M. Forshee Stock, and Have Charge of the Business.

The Jones Implement Company last week purchased the stock of hardware and implements of J. M. Forshee and will operate the business at the old stand in the future. The stock was being invoiced yesterday and the new managers hope to have everything lined out and in good working order by Monday, February 5. The Jones Implement Company conduct an immense business in Amarillo and this will be a branch house of the Amarillo concern. The local managers are E. C. Womble and Delon Kirk, successful stock-farmers who have resided in this section for years and are familiar with the needs of the people of this section. Mr. Womble held a very successful sale of his farm stock and machinery last Tuesday and is moving to Spearman today. He will occupy the residence in south Spearman which he recently bought from the Reporter editor. Mr. Kirk says he will move his family to Spearman just as soon as he has time. The new firm intends to enlarge the business considerably and to be in a position at all times to sell the farmer-stockman of the Spearman country anything he may want in the way of hardware or machinery for the farm and ranch. They will have a sample floor, on which will be kept a sample of every line or piece of machinery they sell, so their customers may know exactly what they are purchasing. The Reporter wishes for this new firm much success.

The Public High School is the poor man's College.

Hiram Wilbanks and Chester O'Brien were here from Texline Sunday, on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Rebecca Lynch returned to her home at Guyton Sunday, after spending a week here with her sister, Mrs. Virgil Wilbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Secord and the baby were in from the Cole community Tuesday, and were pleasant callers at the Reporter office.

O. B. BURNETT COTTON-SEED IN SPEARMAN

So far as we have been able to learn the first cotton seed ever shipped into this country arrived the latter part of last week. The seed was received by the Spearman Equity Exchange and are of the famous O. B. Burnett variety, produced in Moore county. The Equity got these seed for planting purposes and will be sold to the farmers at cost. Mr. Burnett has experimented for years on the production of a cotton that would grow and produce on the north plains. He believes he has succeeded and the Moore county crop last year would indicate that he has, beyond his fond expectations. The Equity is helping out with this cotton experiment by getting the seed here on time, and a few acres of cotton on every farm will not hurt. Even if the crop does not mature sufficiently to make a profitable lint crop, it makes the finest pasturage in the world and we have the cattle to eat it. A few acres of cotton on every farm will help along with the sows, hens, and cows and wheat will be the surplus cash crop. Cotton will build up the soil. Cotton must be cultivated. A wheat crop will follow a cotton crop, the land being all ready for seeding. Plant cotton.

W. F. C. Eting, prominent north flats farmer, was in the city Monday night on business.

J. T. Smith was in from the north flats Monday with a load of oats, which he readily disposed of at a good price.

Good Milk Cow For Sale. One full-blood Jersey of the McMurray herd, will be fresh soon. Cash or terms. See Dr. GIBNER.

P. H. Westerfield, brother of Rex Westerfield of the Panhandle Lumber Company, arrived from his home at Glazier Sunday and has accepted a position with the W. L. Russell grocery and dry goods store.

Sterling P. Jackson, of the Jackson Brothers Hardware Company, of Guyton, came down to Hansford Monday to pay the taxes on the body of fine land owned by his firm, located in the north part of Hansford county. Sterling did not take the time to come on over to Spearman, and we are a little sore about it.

ESCAPED PRISONER RE-CAPTURED

Dick Cannedy, Who Attempted To Make a Get-Away, is Again in Jail and Will Likely Stay There.

The Sheriff's force had a lively little man-hunt last Friday when Dick Cannedy, held on a whiskey charge, escaped from his guard at the Palo Duro hotel and made a run for liberty. He was found by Deputies Wilbanks and Maupin and brought back to Spearman late Friday afternoon. Cannedy rode horseback from Spearman to where he was captured, in a straw stack about 25 miles northwest of Spearman. The Cannedy boys, Dick and Jim, were being held here, pending the completion of bonds, on charges in our local court for the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors. Immediately after the recapture of Dick Cannedy Sheriff Richardson hiked the two off to jail at Amarillo, where they will doubtless remain until the meeting of District Court in April. The Reporter stated last week that the Lowe boys, Harmon and Bill, were completely exonerated of the charge of manufacturing and selling intoxicants, but it seems that they too, are being held on a conspiracy charge by the federal court, growing out of the finding of the still last week by local officers, and are under bond to appear before the next federal grand jury sitting at Amarillo.

B. Y. P. U. ORGANIZED

On Sunday afternoon January 21, several of the young people and teachers met at the school building to organize a B. Y. P. U.

After the opening exercises the following officers were elected for the office: Miss Huskerson, President; Mr. Keith, Vice President; Mae Raney, Secretary; Maudell Cauhn, Corresponding Secretary; Arnold Wilbanks, Treasurer; Miss Deakin, Librarian; Miss Nannie Holland, Chorister; Berynce Burran, Pianist. We extend to all a cordial invitation to come to our meetings on Sunday evenings, at 6:30.

THE FRESHMAN PARTY

On Friday evening, January 26th, the Freshman class met at the home of Bessie Barkley for a few hours of recreation and to try to relieve their minds from the strains following the mid-term examinations. Games and music furnished the entertainment for the evening, as Freshmen can play as hard as they can study they did ample justice to the delightful refreshments that were served.

The Freshman class is a jolly bunch and are always in for fun. We hope we can meet often and have many other good times this year.

The cow, sow and hen will win—rain or no rain.

Albert Balentine left via the Guyton mail car Monday, bound for Colorado points.

TURKEY GOBLERS for sale at \$5 each; have only a few and if you need one better see me now. They are at my home in Spearman. 7th. SAM ARCHER.

Grinding out copy fast enough to keep a linotype going good is a job which ranks along with digging post holes or carrying a hod. Phone the local news to the Reporter.

The cow, sow and hen idea is rapidly gaining favor in the Spearman country, as is evidenced by the number of high grade milk cows, and thoroughbred sows and chickens from the prize-winning strains which are being brought into the country.

J. F. Stewart was here from Amarillo Tuesday, visiting with relatives and attending to business matters. Stewart was the telephone man at Hansford for a number of years and the Spearman country still looks good to him. He reports that his family are well and are well pleased with their home in Amarillo.

Miss Faye Wilbanks returned Friday of last week from an extended visit with relatives in Boise City, Idaho. She visited a number of places of interest in the mountain states and reports an interesting trip. Miss Faye has accepted a position with the Independent Telephone Company and is now the "hello" girl at central.

J. R. Cooksey came from Goodwell on the Guyton-Spearman mail car Monday for a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Davis. Mr. Cooksey is well known throughout the Spearman country, as he traveled over this country for several years while engaged in the business of selling Raleigh remedies. He is a fine old gentleman and the Reporter editor enjoyed a little visit with him.

Sam Archer recently invested in two "Old Trusty" incubators. That is not much of a news item. We are printing it merely to show the trend of thought of men who have made the Spearman country what it is, and are making it a still better and more prosperous country. Sam Archer is among those whose deals usually run into the thousands of dollars. But he realizes that the cow, the sow and the hen will pay big dividends; that the cow alone; that wheat alone, will not do because of high priced land and the uncertain seasons. But the cow, the sow and the hen; a small bunch of range cattle, a few acres of cotton and the regular run or sorghums, etc., will bring home the bacon.

SPEARMAN BONDS SELL AT PREMIUM

City Council Closes Deal with H. C. Burt and Company of Houston, on Tuesday Night.

Spearman's City Council has been a busy body this week. Pursuant to the advertisement that they would sell the city's bonds and buy the material for the erection of a water and light plant in Spearman, on January 31, the town has been full of bond brokers, material men, engine men, and in fact representatives from some of the leading firms of the United States, which deal in these commodities. H. C. Burt and Company, of Houston are the successful bidders for the city bonds. The bonds sold at par, plus a premium of \$300. Also, the purchasers pay the expenses of printing the bonds and the fee of the attorney who passes on the legality of the transaction. The accrued interest on the bonds from the date of issuance to the date of delivery also goes to the city of Spearman. This is considered the best deal in bonds that has been made by any city council in the southwest in some time, and our councilmen are to be commended for their good work in this line.

The council is today dealing with material men, and in advertising parlance, they have a large assortment from which to make their selections. Among the bidders on the material are: The Sid Jones Implement Company of Spearman, Chicago Bridge and Iron Works, Pittsburgh-Des Moines Steel, Fairbanks-Morse, St. Mary's Oil Engine Company, Western Electric, and many others whose names we failed to learn.

The Council purchased of the Eureka Fire Hose Company, 1500 feet of 2 and one-half inch standard hose. Also four nozzles, one cut-off and other paraphernalia which in the end will make up a complete fire-fighting equipment. They are arranging to purchase a fire wagon and equip the same with chemical tank and hose for both water and chemical.

It is rather hard to figure on just when the actual work of construction will begin, but the city council assures the Reporter that they are doing all in their power to push the work along as speedily as possible. They are not hastening into any agreements or contracts, rather preferring to attend to the city's business with care and proper attention, but they want to start this work as soon as possible, not only for the benefit of the town but also to furnish employment for many citizens of the community during the dull months of the late winter and early spring.

The installation of this water and light plant means a new epoch in the history of Spearman. The town is passing out of the country village class.

Better days are in store for Spearman and the Spearman country. Watch us grow.

Read the Reporter every week; \$1.50 per year in advance.

The reliable incubator—OLD TRUSTY. Andrew Hardware Co.

"Make Texas Schools the best in the world", is the slogan of the Texas State Teacher's Association.

COAL at reduced prices. \$12.00 to \$14.50. Buy before the supply is exhausted. Scott Brothers. 7th.

Farm Loans. Prompt service. Lowest interest rates. GEO. L. AYCOCK. Texhoma, Okla. 7th.

Postmaster Ellis went to Perryton Tuesday to see Dentist Jarvis, and the Reporter editor is going for the same purpose the first day we can get loose.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walker and little daughter were in Spearman the early part of the week. Mr. Price is a successful banker and Mr. Walker is an insurance man of Stratford, Texas.

Gray Sparks, Joe Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hays and daughter Alta, left Monday morning for Jemez Springs, New Mexico, where they will visit and recuperate for a couple or three weeks at the famous health resort of Elmer Seward, who is a brother of Mrs. Hays. This health resort is rapidly gaining quite a reputation and is said to be a sure shot for rheumatism and other complaints. Joe Sollers went out there in search of relief from rheumatism and reports a complete cure. We hope the Spearman parties out there find the springs and the hunting up to their every expectation.

Rex Sanders was in town Tuesday, and reports a piece of hard luck that is really discouraging. Rex that day received through the mail, a gift from Mrs. Sanders' mother, a nice percolator. He took the percolator from the postoffice to his saddle horse, tied the same to his saddle and went about his business. When he was ready to start home the percolator was gone. When the Reporter man went home to 10:30, Rex was still in town and we suppose was afraid to go home without the percolator. At any rate, whoever got this piece of kitchen machinery should return the same at once. A percolator is used in making coffee, anyway, and will perhaps be of little use to the fellow who got it, who was probably looking for a copper coil.

As Time Passes

We grow older in experience as well as in years.

Experience is teaching the farmers and stockmen over the southwest country that diversification pays.

Chickens, hogs and a few milk cows will make any industrious farmer a living and the money crop, when it comes in, is clear of any lien for living expenses.

Let us profit by Experience.

Guaranty State Bank

SPEARMAN, TEXAS

LOCAL MEN ARE HELPING THE BOYS

M. Major and J. G. B. Sparks have arranged a scheme whereby they are enabled to assist any worthy boy of the Spearman country to get a start in the thoroughbred hog business. These gentlemen will sell a boy a registered sow pig for the sum of \$25.00, and wait until the purchaser makes the purchase price from the sale of the sow's pigs for their pay. They ask no interest on their money merely the \$25.00 back when the pig has grown to a sow and has raised a bunch of pigs of her own. They also allow service for the sow free of charge, she to be bred to a fine boar belonging to the donors. Furthermore, along about fair time next fall Major and Sparks will give the following prizes:

To the boy showing the best pig, \$10.00; Second best pig, \$5.00; Third best pig, \$2.50.

These gentlemen are doing this merely to encourage the boys of the Spearman country in the raising of thoroughbred hogs. This is the finest hog country on earth and the surest way for the boys of the country to grow up to be prosperous and independent home owners is for them to start in some profitable line of endeavor at an early age. This is the chance of a lifetime for any worthy boy, who has the place to take care of the pig. It has been said that a boy can grab a good sow pig by the tail and she will pull him out of any tight place he may get in to. Boys, this is your chance. See Doc Major or Gray Sparks and have a little talk with them about the matter.

Language most shows a man.—Ben Johnson.

W. M. Lieb, staunch farmer-stockman of the Lieb community, was looking after business matters in Spearman Tuesday.

E. C. Hooper and daughter, and son Berta and Clyde, were in from their home 15 miles southeast, Monday trading and visiting with friends.

On Saturday, January 27, 1923, a fine little daughter arrived to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell. The little lady has been christened Doris Jean, and she is just two years younger, to a day, than her rollicking brother, Bill Jr.

IS NOT EXTRA STRONG FOR COTTON

A Prosperous Farmer of the North Flats Never Makes a Complete Failure on Wheat.

W. F. C. Eting, prominent stock farmer of the north flats, was in town Wednesday looking after business matters. In discussing the cotton raising idea, Mr. Eting states that he is perfectly willing to raise his part of the fleecy staple, but that his faith in this country as a wheat producing section is not shattered one bit. For the last five years Mr. Eting has raised on an average of 15 bushels of wheat per acre, and during all the years that he has farmed here, he has never plowed up an acre of wheat. Mr. Eting is an exceptionally good wheat grower, and makes a go of it where many men would fail. A little cotton would do him no harm and would not interfere with his wheat growing.

"S. & H" Premiums Your Discount

We are now giving the famous "S. & H." Green Stamps on all purchases.

Always keep in mind the fact that these stamps are your earned discount and that "S. & H." Premiums are household necessities. Begin and save today.

HILLHOUSE DRUG CO.

The People with the Goods
SPEARMAN TEXAS

BE READY

Now is a mighty good time to think about the possible effects of cold, stormy weather upon your family and to lay in a supply of simple household remedies, so that you will be prepared at the first sign of trouble.

Our stock is brand new—fresh as drugs and medicines can be, and our prices are right.

Hale Drug Co.

The Rexall Store
SPEARMAN, TEXAS

MONEY

PLENTY OF MONEY

To loan on farms and ranches in Hansford, Hutchinson and Ochiltree counties. Interest rate down with all other lines of business and options of settlement satisfactory.

The best line of Farm and Ranch land ever offered in this section of the country and on terms never offered before. Business lots, residence lots and acreage. We have just what you want.

J. R. COLLARD

Real Estate, Loans, Insurance

Write for Information

Spearman, Texas

Reduced Prices

on High Class Seasonable Goods

150 pairs or more of men's, ladies' and children's shoes, priced from \$2.00 to \$5.00 per pair.
Ladies' "ready-to-wear" garments at give-away prices.
All men's winter coats going at one-fourth off.
Many bargains in men's, ladies' and children's sweaters, at a big reduction in price.
We have anything you may need in winter wear and priced as low as anywhere.

EVERYTHING TO EAT

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| 6 cans No. 2 1-2 "Red Dart" table peach | \$1.38 |
| 6 cans No. 2 1-2 Logan Berry | 1.75 |
| 6 cans No. 2 1-2 Egg Plums | 1.30 |
| 6 cans No. 2 1-2 Pumpkin | .90 |
| 6 cans Opal Corn | .75 |

P. M. MAIZE & CO.

We have other "Bargains" not mentioned. Come and see.

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WHY NOT NOW?

Developments of the past two years in the north Hutchinson county fields, the big gasser north of Texhoma and the promising field near Liberal, prove conclusively that gas is to be found in the Spearman country. And there is a strong probability that oil is there also. At any rate the chances for oil will justify an attempt to develop the field. Geologists say that indications for oil along the Palo Duro are very plain and that some day a great field will be developed along that stream. But why not develop it now? Surely there is some way for the land owners to get together on this proposition and make an honest endeavor to bring about this development, which would mean so much to the entire country, and unlimited riches to the owners of the land. It is being done in other places every day and there is no reason why it should not be done here. Many of the Hansford county land owners are now getting along in years. They have worked hard all their lives and the majority of them have accumulated a comfortable fortune. But if they enjoy the pleasures which is justly theirs in their declining years, the wonderful resources of the country must be further developed in the next few years. These land owners should get together on a safe and sane proposition and put down a test well on or near the Palo Duro. Gas alone would soon pay the expense of drilling, and the probability of striking oil is too great to be further neglected or overlooked. This is the way it looks to outsiders, and to men who are anxious to see the Spearman country developed, that the present generation may enjoy life in its fullest measure.

OUR CORRESPONDENTS

The Reporter is endeavoring to line up a corps of country correspondents. We want a correspondent in every community in the Spearman country. Last week we had nice letters from Holt and Lieb and this week we expect several new

ones. We will devote a page each week to these correspondents and will furnish the writers with stamps and stationery and send them the paper free. We consider the country correspondent's page as important and interesting as any page in the paper. If you want to furnish us the news of your neighborhood, call at the office and we will supply you with the stationery. All we ask is that we know who is doing the writing. We do not care to print your name, but just want to know who is sending in the items. Come in, get your supplies and help us make the Reporter one of the best weekly papers in Texas. We will do our part.

GOOD BOOSTERS HERE

Jesse N. West, breeder of thoroughbred Duroc hogs, and P. E. McMeans, County Agent of Hemphill county, were here Tuesday looking after business matters. Mr. West has one of the best herds of hogs in the southwest and informs the Reporter that he will hold a big spring sale on March 3rd, at Canadian. He has anything you want in the way of a Duroc and wants everyone to attend his sale. Mr. West and Mr. McMeans both spoke very encouragingly of the wonderful opportunities offered the breeder of good hogs, cows and chickens in the Spearman country. They say that Hemphill county is putting on a great campaign for more dairy cattle, more good hogs and more chickens. They have a purebred livestock association and the people are waking up to the fact that grade stock will not pay, when the purebred can be produced just as easily and cheaply. Mr. West says he intends to bring a show herd of his famous hogs to the Spearman fair next fall.

THE COUNTY AGENT

At Marfa, Texas, the County Agent acted as a selling agent for local stockmen and sold their entire crop of calves, obtaining a better price than the owners expected. A county agent is worth many times the salary they draw to any county, and Hansford county needs such an agent at this particular time more than ever before. Conditions are changing; Hansford county is passing into the purebred stock and diversified farming age, and we need this county agent. Perhaps the county commissioners will consent to consider this matter again, if it is presented to them in the proper light.

THIRD ONE ON PERRYTON

Spearman High School Girl's Basketball Team Wins Third Game From Perryton.

On Wednesday night January 24, the Spearman Sextette met the Basketball girls of the Perryton High School at Perryton in the third game of the season.

The Perryton girls showed in the beginning that they were determined to win. They even exhibited some of the roughness of which the Spearman girls have so often been accused but even with that they couldn't win from the loyal girls who represent Spearman's team.

The game in the first half was played rather quickly and to a decided advantage to our team, for at the end of the first half the score stood 12 to 6 in Spearman's favor. The second half was not played as well as the first, for, for some unknown reason, the Spearman girls lost out during the latter part of the game, but even if the score for Perryton did climb up during that period, the Spearman girls were not yet ready to lose to Perryton and in the end came out victorious by a score of 15 to 14.

Yes, it was a close game and a hard fought one too, and the pep and sportsmanship displayed by the Spearman spectators on the sidelines acted as a stimulant to the girls who were representing their school and their town, on Perryton's court. Even if the Spearman girls had not won they would have shown their opponents that they could take defeat as well as victory.

The line up for Spearman was as follows:

Forwards, Mae Roney and Pauline Lowe; Centers, Susie Pierce and Eva Cator; Guards Winnie Dacus and Mattie Ruth Berner; Substitute, Gawle Little. All of the girls played well and all deserve commendation for their playing. These girls are planning to enter the Tri-State Basketball Tournament at Dalhart, Texas February 17th, and hope to bring back the loving cup. Go and help them!

FROM FAR AWAY INDIA

Jhatia Dec. 24th, 1922.

The Spearman Reporter:—

According to the promise I made before leaving I will try and describe my trip over. We left New York at midday the fourth of November in the midst of a typical New York fog and never saw the sun for twenty-three days, when we were off the coast of Portugal. There are about eight in our party, Mr. Bostaph, wife and child, a Mr. Kimmons, Mr. Ware, Mr. Moon, Mr. Detrie, and myself all from different parts of the states. We crossed the Atlantic on the Cadric, of the White Star line, and believe me she is some ship. There were eleven missionaries on board coming to India. They were from the M. E. Church. I had met one of them some years ago near Cherokee, Oklahoma. One of the girls was coming out here to take the place of her sister that had died here. We stayed in Liverpool four days but it was so foggy and cold that we did not get around very much and could not take any pictures. We were in Liverpool election day and night and believe me we sure had a time. At the hotel where we were staying there were two Irishmen. Of course all hands had a few drinks and the Irishmen started the old argument about Irish freedom. One of the fellows was from Ulster and the other from the south of Ireland. Needless to say the fellow from the south of Ireland came out victor in the scuffle. There was a fellow, an Irishman by the way running for a seat in the house of commons and an Englishman was running against him. The Englishman won and had a band parading around town election night. One old Irishwoman threw a brick and knocked the baten out of the bandmaster's hand breaking it in pieces. We left Liverpool on Thursday, November 16, on the City of Baroda. There is accommodations for one hundred twenty-one passengers on the City of Baroda and there was one hundred twenty-three on board, so you see we were pretty crowded. Our first stop was at Port Said which is said to be the most sinful city in the world and for my part I think it is well said. We were in Port Said four hours so did not get much time ashore. One sees some curious sights there. Most of the native women wear a sort of a shawl that covers their faces and head with only two small holes for the eyes. When a woman is untrue to her husband and is caught he immediately cuts off her nose. The lads soon learn how to see their faces. They would accuse them of being bad women when they would raise their shawl to show that they were not.

I neglected to describe our hotel accommodations in England. There is no steam heat in the hotels, only small coal grates and one has to pay extra if one has a fire. It takes about an hour to get a meal as everything is served in courses and a fifteen minute wait between courses. One has an argument before one can get anything to drink with a meal as they drink after they have finished. They usually finish a meal by drinking stout or whiskey and soda. We were twenty-four hours coming through the Suez canal. It is the most desolate place in the world; nothing but sand dunes as far as the eye can see and with good glasses too. Unlike the Panama canal, there is no locks, only a ditch dug out in the sand. They have to keep dredging out the silt and sand as the wind is continually filling it up.

When we were in the Red sea we could see Mt. Sani where Moses went to receive the ten commandments. One of the ship's officers showed us the place where Christ was supposed to have driven the waters back to let the Israelites pass. We passed near the Perin Islands,

where time is counted from the year it rained. It rained in 1887 and again in 1917. All water is brought in small earthen vessels by small schooners. After we left the Red sea we passed along the shores of Arabia. Nothing but a desert. One can scarcely realize that Arabia was once the leader of science and mathematics and now it is not safe for one to land there as the women commit the most outrageous things imaginable. They had a fancy dress ball on board the City of Baroda and I dressed up as a policeman and got first prize. The first prize was a one pound note and I am keeping it as a souvenir as I think it is the first time an American ever won anything on an English ship. We arrived at Bombay the eleventh of December after having been on the water twenty-four days. Believe me it was sure nice to touch land after being crowded up on that little tub. I was sick for three days before we landed and several days after, so did not get any pictures of Bombay and vicinity but the other lads did and I will get some of them and send them to you. We were supposed to go from Bombay to Karachi by steamer but could not get accommodations so came up by rail about eleven hundred miles. They made the trip in forty hours which is extra good time considering their equipment. When one gets a reservation here he has to furnish his own bedding as they do not have anything but a sort of a cushion in the car. Of course we did not know that and we did not sleep very much. We covered up with overcoats, bathrobes, and anything we could get hold of. There is a number of free cities here that are governed by Maharajahs among which is Baroda, Kotah and Lahore. They always have private stations for the native rulers. While in Lahore I visited a garden that was built three hundred and fifty years ago. It contains eighty acres and has three different levels. I could not learn where the water came from that supplied its numerous fountains. There is a native keeper that always gives you some roses for which he always expects a tip. Speaking of tips this is the worst country in the world. They will run up and grab your luggage and start off with it without any invitation whatever. The garden is finished in various colored marble and is sure beautiful. I will write and tell you more of the country and its customs later. I will close wishing you all a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous new year.

Yours respectfully,
J. M. WILLIAMS,
care Whitehall Pet. Co., Ltd. 83 the Mall, Lahore, India.

BASKET BALL TOURNAMENT

A Tri-State Basketball Tournament is to be held at Dalhart, February 17th. Two large silver loving cups are to be awarded to the winning teams, one to the boys and the other one to the girls. Large banners will be given to the teams winning second place.

Spearman is planning to enter this meet to win. Our boys and girls think it would be mighty nice to have these trophies become the property of the Spearman school.

A surprise came this week to the faculty and students of Spearman High School and it has brought regret to the hearts of all. Rev. Laney was ordered by those in authority to move to White Deer, therefore, Mrs. Laney had to give up her work in the department of music here. Her work has been entirely satisfactory and she will be missed by all.

Her work outside of her department has been of no little value to the school and will be long remembered by her many friends here.

Five of the Laney children have been enrolled in school here and their classmates will miss their congenial comradeship. It is hoped that they will be well pleased with their new school and teachers.

DEFINING MEN

"Mr. Stark, what is a gentleman farmer?"
"One that raises nothing but his hat."

Meat Meal for Chickens—a sure egg producer. Spearman Equity Exchange.

Lemonade and Cats

"A STORY ABOUT GETTING SOMETHING CHEAP."

It happened at a village Sunday School picnic, two little boys had lemonade stands—one on either side of the entrance. The pastor came along and going up to George, said, "Well, my little man, how much do you charge for your lemonade?"

"Five cents a glass," replied George.

"And how much do you charge?" He asked, turning to Harry, who ran the competing stand.

"Two cents a glass," replied Harry.

The pastor cast a censorious eye upon George and said to Harry, "I'll try a glass of yours, my boy."

As he quaffed the fluid, he smacked his lips and said, "That's good, I'll have another glass," and he smiled when he thought he was getting two glasses at less than Gorge asked for one.

"Tell me, my little man," he said to Harry, "How can you afford to sell your lemonade for two cents a glass when George is asking five cents?"

"Well, you see," said Harry, "The cat fell in my pail."

When the price is cut there is usually a reason. The lemonade tasted good to the pastor only until he learned the reason for the cut; then any price would have seemed high.

It's a strange thing that a man who sees the justice and wisdom of asking a fair price for the thing he sells often fails to see the justice and wisdom of paying a fair price for the thing he buys.

To the man who is looking for cheap insurance the story of "Lemonade and Cats" is worth thinking about.

We do not have the cheapest insurance but there is none better.

Hansford Abstract Co.

Abstracts and Insurance

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SMOKE PALO DURO 10c HAVANA CIGAR

The Cigar that Has Stood the Test

Made in Amarillo by

"THAT MAN BENESCH"

Your Dealer Has Them

Ruth Roland in "White Eagle" every Tuesday night at the Lyric.

Raise Chickens

and eggs to sell—looks now as though it would beat the wheat business—it will considering what is invested and that they never fail.

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THERE ARE A FEW LEFT LIKE HIM

When the Central Exchange Bank at Woodward was closed last week, Uncle Jack Garvey, the president, is reported to have said:

"Take the money I have in the bank and throw out the worthless paper if it takes every cent I have."

Uncle Jack had about \$60,000 in cash in the bank. Chas H. Martin, the missing cashier, was in many respects his protégé and Uncle Jack thought so much of him that it was reported he had decided to make him his heir. The two had been very close for years. Cashier Martin's disappearance was a severe blow to Uncle Jack.

Woodward residents swear by John Garvey, more familiarly known as Uncle Jack. Following the closing of the bank a note was presented on which John Garvey and another Woodward man were sureties. The other man tried to wretch so it is reported, declaring he did not sign, declaring he did not sign. Uncle Jack turned to him and in his western drawl, remarked:

"By God we did, sign that note. We are going to pay it and you'll pay your half."

Folks who know Jack Garvey, know that his word is as good as gold. If he has a weakness it is in his firm, steadfast belief in his friends and he doesn't make friends in a hurry.

Uncle Jack Garvey was captain of a government mule train at 19. He helped build Fort Hayes and whacked bulls and mules for the Indian fighting army during those bloody days on the Western Plains. When the west afforded no opportunity for scouts and Indian fighters Jack Garvey sought the outposts of civilization and with a few hardy plainsmen established Beaver and organized the state of Cimarron sending Dr. Chase to Congress. But Congress laughed at the "gentleman from No Man's Land" and so Cimarron and its two cities Beaver and Alpine, dropped back into cow town existence. Gone was the dream of empire.

Uncle Jack drifted into Oklahoma as organizer of Kingfisher, and

later went to Woodward where he owned a saloon when saloons were not outlaws. There isn't a man or woman in Northwestern Oklahoma who will sneer at Jack Garvey because he once owned a saloon, the saloon where Temple Houston shot up the Jennings boys.

There are a few pioneers like Jack Garvey left in the world, a few.—Wichita Eagle.

WEST TEXAS COLLEGE BILL IS PASSED IN SENATE

The senate on Monday passed finally the Bledsoe bill, providing for the establishment of a Texas technology college in West Texas after debating the measure for two hours. The final vote was twenty-four to five. The measure had been engrossed in the House.

The measure carries appropriation provisions totalling a million dollars. An attempt to amend the bill reducing the appropriations \$350,000 was defeated. The amendment was submitted by Darwin. Two minor amendments by Witt were adopted before final passage. One makes the balance of \$150,000 appropriated for purchasing a site which is not used for this purpose available for building and the other altered the purposes of the College.

Senator Bledsoe, author of the bill, made the principle address in favor of the measure. He said the bill was an attempt to reconcile the views and opinions of educators and citizens from all parts of the state. He said the proposed college has the support of practically every official of state schools with the exception of Dr. Bizzell of the A. and M. College, whom he stated has not expressed an opinion on the measure.

THE SATTERWHITE BILL

Representative Lee Satterwhite of the Amarillo district has introduced a bill in the Legislature to equalize the assessment and distribution of state taxes. It would create a state tax board. This board would consist of a chairman to be named, the State Comptroller and the Secretary of State. The Board would employ a necessary staff of experts to handle the whole matter and have power to adjust all tax renditions, collections and distribution. The Fort Worth Star Telegram, in commenting on the Satterwhite bill says:

"This bill, if passed will cure the intolerable condition which now exists in Texas and under which a large number of counties are paying more than their just share of the taxes and others are paying less than they should. Assuming that this is true one cannot hesitate to say that there are few measures likely to come before this session of the Legislature which may be regarded of greater importance.—Amarillo Daily Tribune.

NEFF ON EDUCATION

"Texas ought to go into the educational market and buy the best system that is in the market. It has been computed that \$200 investment for every boy and girl is necessary to purchase a first class educational system for Texas"—Governor Neff before joint session of present Legislature.

WANTED—To trade an improved quarter Wheeler county land and a car as first payment on a half section level plains land. C. E. McCauley.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The east one-half of section 69. Sale price \$17.50 per acre. Liberal terms. Or will make a deal for breaking and planting. Or will improve same and rent. If interested write J. F. Hill, Marlowe, Oklahoma, making a proposition.

CITY COUNCIL REDUCES LIGHT AND WATER RATES

At the regular meeting of the City Council last Friday, W. L. Brown presiding in the absence of Mayor Tate, all other members being present in the matter of electric service it was moved by Warrenburg, seconded by Collins, that the following rates for lighting and general service be inaugurated and that the reduction in charge be made effective on and after the present month's billing.

Amending that part of the electric rate ordinance and causing the same to read as follows:

"After minimum usage of 10 K. W. the rate in effect shall be ten cents per K. W. for all additional current up to and including 100 K. W. used in any one month, former rates for all amounts in excess of 100 K. W. remaining as now in effect.

"Establishing an electric heating rate for a minimum additional charge of \$2.00 for 40 K. W. or less per month with a flat rate of 5 cents per K. W. for all current usage of this service over stated amount.

"That the new heating service be effected and meter set for such use upon application from any regular consumer, without extra deposit or charge, when by the possession of electric heating device or equipment announcement is made of consumer's desire to make use of this service."

The Council has shown by their action their desire to make of the Water and Light Department a continued live branch of the city's utilities. The rates proclaimed mean a real saving for all users during the remaining winter months and the expression of an additional revision downward of rates both as to water and lights, as soon as safety of operation permits, met with general approval.

The above desired condition can become a fact if all citizens become patrons. Have you city water and city lights in your home and place of business? If not, for your own convenience and for the good of your neighbors let this department serve you.

The service is good. It is the intention of the city administration to maintain and improve this condition.—Texline Enterprise, Dec. 29, 1922.

The Light and Water plant at Texline was constructed by the Gantt-Baker Company, Oklahoma City.

AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION

The reverential attitude that for one hundred years preserved the Constitution of the United States from any change except the amendments that resulted from the Civil War has apparently been definitely abandoned. The income-tax amendment, the senatorial-elections amendment, the prohibition amendment and the woman-suffrage amendment followed one another in rapid succession. Now an amendment forbidding child labor is proposed and there is a strong movement in Congress for important changes in the constitutional provisions that govern the election of the President and that fix the date of inauguration and the meeting of a newly elected Congress.

For some reason not entirely clear the two proposed amendments dealing with those matters were referred to the agricultural committee of the Senate. That committee has reported favorably. One amendment provides that the President shall be inaugurated in January instead of March, and the new Congress shall meet at the same time instead of in December, thirteen months after it is elected. The second amendment abolishes the electoral colleges, but does not open the presidency to direct popular vote. Each state would continue to have the electoral votes that it has now, but they would not be cast by persons chosen for that purpose, but would be certified direct to Congress by the election officers in each state.

It is impossible to feel that the "palladium of our liberties" is seriously threatened by either change. There are those who think that Congress legislates too much and too hastily anyway, and who would like to have its opportunity for action delayed as long as possible. But in these days when election returns are known everywhere almost as soon as the polls are closed, and when public officials speed to Washington on limited express trains, the leisurely, not to say dilatory, practices inherited from the eighteenth century seem to most Americans a little absurd and even potentially dangerous.

The change in the manner of electing the President also seems objectionable except to those who fear that it is only a step toward direct election by popular vote. Even that idea has of course a great many supporters in Congress and throughout the country. Generally speaking those who oppose it are those who do not like too much centralization in government and who are jealous of the continually menaced authority of the various states.

The newspapers report that Mr. Bryan has still another proposal for changing the method of electing the President. He would make the Congressional district and not the state the unit and would give each district one vote for President. In practice that would be nearly equivalent to having the chief magistrate elected by Congress, though now and then a closely divided district might elect a member of one political faith and vote for the other party's presidential candidate. Mr. Bryan's idea is to keep the entire vote of a great state like New York or Illinois from being cast for a candidate who may have received only a few hundred votes more than his competitor. The point is important in theory rather than in practice, for probably in no instance, except the disputed election of 1876, have the disputed colleges chosen a President who would not have been elected according to the results of the election for members of Congress.—The Youth's Companion.

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I will do any kind of Blacksmith and Repair work, and make a specialty of disc rolling and horse-shoeing.

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AT GUYMON, OKLAHOMA, FEBRUARY 16th, 1923

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Will also offer one of my great herd boars for sale at private treaty. I will sell at auction some of the best sows and gilts any one would wish to buy bred to the Grand Champion boar of the Panhandle Free Fair held in Guymon last October, 1922. This boar is the offspring of Skyscraper and Stilts. If you will look up the record you will see that Stilts is one of the greatest boars of the breed. He sired the World's Champion sow, young herd and aged herd, also the produce of dam that won first. This is the time to buy and this sale is the place to get real hogs—a bunch of sows by Big Stilts, bred to this wonderful boar. Hogs do well in this country and hogs should consume the feed that we raise. Such is the case in the corn belt and were it not for hogs, the corn belts would not be what they are, and we who live in the kafir and maize belts can raise it every year, when corn fails. All committees investigating successful agricultural localities have found that the cow, the sow and the hen have played very important parts. We must have livestock on the farms and as horses are not meat animals they will not meet with great favor in the future. The hog is the stock for profit and quick returns. This sale will be in a warm building—the big Free Fair Pavilion in Guymon—so do not fear the weather. Bring your friends and meet the good bunch of Boosters in Guymon. Write for a catalog.

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Artisans have completed the concrete walks around James Glass' home.

Bill Bowhard's reputation as a saxophone player is established.

For sale—An automobile, good paint, tires in fine condition, looks like a new car.

Confectionery

I am opening up a nice, fresh line of CONFECTIONERY GOODS In the Postoffice Building, Spearman. Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Fruits, Candies, School Tablets and other School Supplies. My stock is clean and fresh—brand new—and I intend to make it a point to keep it so. Call in and get acquainted.

C. L. THOMAS
Postoffice Building Spearman, Texas

Notice

I have sold my Blacksmith business to J. E. Close, who will conduct the same in the future. This gives me more time for Automobile Repair Work. Bring me your car troubles.

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CAUSES OF THE GREATER PART OF THE FIRES

(Lucille Maize—S. H. S.)

Ask yourself the question, what are the causes of the many fires in our nation, and through your mind will quickly run the usually attributed causes. But, do you think these causes take place without an aid. At the bottom of it all, I think you would find that some person made the cause possible. Our fires, then are started purposely? No, the most active trait of the character was at work in the form of the great enemy of humanity, "carelessness" really does its work.

In 1916 fires caused by electricity destroyed sixteen million dollars worth of property. But how did it happen? Chiefly by the carelessness with which contractors placed wires in buildings. Still, there are other causes, often times the current of an electric iron is not turned off when it is left, resulting in the iron becoming too hot and a fire taking place. It may not seem as though losses from that one cause would often occur but just to show that it is possible I am going to give one of the ways that I know this could happen from having experienced it.

Several years ago one of my aunts and I were visiting some friends in Washington City. The basement of their home was used as a laundry room in which was an electric iron. One morning my aunt pressed some clothes and when she had finished she forgot to turn the current off. We went to the business district of the city and after being there for some time she remembered that the current was still on. What to do she could not think for a minute because their home was a long distance from where we were. It took half an hour to go by street car. By the time she could reach there it would be too late for it had already been nearly an hour. There was no telephone in the home either but just across the street on the corner was a drug store. She hurried to a phone and called the drug store, told them her trouble and asked if they would send word. They told her they would and feeling relieved we continued our shopping and then hurried home to know if any damage had been done. We were told that in another minute the whole basement would have been in a flame. Here, forgetfulness together with carelessness caused a great deal of worry even if no property was lost.

Fires brought about by rubbish alone cause the destruction of more property than any other thing. When greasy rags, cotton waste, green hay or oily clothes are piled in a heap and left to themselves they become hot because the air cannot circulate through them and finally burst into flame. In that very way our home caught fire and had the floors of three rooms and an inside wall destroyed before it broke through the outside wall and was discovered. Carelessness here did its work under the name of spontaneous combustion.

It is not strange that many unnecessary fires can be traced back to the match for it is said that over seven hundred million flames are struck daily in the United States alone. Many of these fires come from the carelessness of parents in having matches within reach of little children. The smoke destroys thousands of homes and barns by carelessly and thoughtlessly tossing matches and cigarette and cigar ends in wastebaskets, on the floor, and in piles of rubber. When gasoline is used for the cleaning of wearing apparel it is often carelessly placed near an open flame which sometimes causes dangerous explosions and destructive fires. After these clothes are cleaned it is a great temptation to those in apartments and tenements to dry them on the fire escapes which might cause the loss of lives should a fire happen to break out while the fire escape was serving the purpose of a clothes line.

Now is the time to start being more careful and one of the ways we can do it is to be very sparing in the use of cotton, wax candles and paper chains on our Christmas tree decorations. The candles are likely to make a bonfire of the cotton and paper and lead to a serious fire, taking the happiness of Christmas by the loss of property and the suffering of humanity.

THE ROY FIRE

(May Eberhart—S. H. S.)

Many serious losses from fire in this country come from unknown reasons or from someone's carelessness. There are even people in the United States who would not hesitate to destroy the magnificent edifices if it would be a source of advantage to them.

An example of such citizenship as described above is well portrayed in the fire that occurred at Roy, New Mexico, during the year of 1921.

The county had borrowed money in order to build a new school house at Roy as several districts had been combined at that town. The beautiful \$60,000 school building was just two weeks from completion. It had been equipped with every modern convenience. There was a large gymnasium in the second story. There was also different apartments for domestic art, agriculture and manual training. Besides the many school rooms there were two large rooms, one of which was to be the library and the other the laboratory.

Every school child was looking forward to the time when the building should be completed. One night, however, the town was suddenly illuminated by a great light and to the people's utter amazement when they looked toward the west part of town they saw the school building burning.

Everything that was possible was done in an effort to save the building but it was of no use as the building was afire in every room.

Much effort was made to find the

one who was guilty of such an atrocious deed and finally a carpenter, who was working on the building, was arrested for removing his tools from the store house the night before the fire.

When court was held he confessed that he had been hired to burn the building, by the contractor who was losing money and wanted his insurance. The contractor had promised to pay the carpenter \$500 but afterward the latter said he refused to pay but \$100, therefore, he said that he would not keep the secret although he knew that he would go to the penitentiary. He said his method of starting the fire was by pouring gasoline in each room and then saturating his handkerchief in gasoline, lighting it and throwing it into the window. This caused all the rooms to burn at the same time.

The contractor was unable to defend himself against the accusation although the public in general did not believe him guilty. His wife was heart broken. As yet there has not been anything proven although a certain religious domination in that vicinity is strongly suspected.

The United States should see that such people as these are sentenced to a life's term in the penitentiary. Furthermore they should try to obtain reliable workmen who are not likely to be bribed so easily. It also would be a good plan to employ only those men who do not smoke. Then there would likely be fewer fires caused by throwing down lighted matches.

It is the duty of every American citizen to report any act that may cause destruction of property to the government.

MATCHES

(Mildren Ward—S. H. S.)

It is stated that when man learned how to produce fire, he made the first practical invention and that this discovery marked his emergence from the lowest state of savagery. Looking back to the history of ancient times we find that the savage used two pieces of dry wood, with which he rubbed together to produce a flame. Many ages passed on before the splint of wood, tipped with an inflammable head was invented. From rubbing bits of wood together man passed on to the production of fire by means of a piece of flint, a steel and a bit of cloth for tinder. Then the progression was very slowly made to other methods that were of less trouble.

In the beginning of the nineteenth century devices similar to a match in the modern sense came into general use. For some purposes it was customary to obtain fire by means of a flint and steel, a tinder box and splints of wood tipped with sulphur. The tinder consisted of fragments of carbonized linen and cotton, treated to a high temperature in a closed vessel. The sparks made by striking the steel on the flint, fell into the tinder, set the mass in a glow and developed enough heat to set fire to the sulphur tips of the splints. These splints were known as "brimstone matches." In 1805 a French scientist invented asbestos saturated with sulphuric acid together with splints coated with sulphur and tipped with a mixture of sugar and chlorate of potash. The match heads ignited when brought in contact with the substance in the bottle.

The invention known as the instantaneous light box was both dangerous and inconvenient, and was superseded by a friction match which is said to have been invented by John Walker an English druggist. This match was introduced in 1827. It consisted of a wooden splint coated with sulphur and tipped with a mixture of chlorate of potash, sulphide of antimony and powdered gum. The match was ignited by drawing it through by a piece of bent sandpaper.

The next step in the development of the match was the invention of the phosphorus friction match which was one of the "strike anywhere" kind. The first of this kind made in the United States were manufactured at Springfield, Mass., in 1836. The head consisted of white or yellow phosphorus, with sulphur and other substances that yield oxygen easily in the presence of heat. White or yellow phosphorus is a deadly poison which is liable to infect the laboring men who handle it with a disease called "plossy jaw," but now the use of white or yellow phosphorus is forbidden by law in most every country engaged in the manufacture of matches. Now they have employed a substance as a substitute known as sesqui-sulphide of phosphorus, which has also been used as a which is a harmless ingredient. Red substitute.

Lundstron, a Swedish manufacturer invented the safety match which has been on the market since 1855. This match can be ignited only by rubbing it on a specially prepared surface. Its head contains no phosphorus. The striking surface, which is on one side of the box is formed by a compound of phosphorus and sand.

In the match industry the best grade of lumber is used. Ordinary match is made from two-inch planks of white pine, from which all knots have been removed. The wood is sawed into blocks the length of a match, and the blocks are then run through a machine which cuts them into rows of splints. Each row contains splints for forty-four matches. When the splints have been cut they are carried from the cutting end of the machine by the block which heats the ends, then to a chisel chair attachment over a receptacle containing melted paraffin and finally to one containing the substance of which the heads are made.

The match tips are heated so the paraffin will not chill as it comes in contact with them. The bundles of matches are finally cooled by blasts of cold, dry air and automatically

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deposited in boxes. There are a number of girls that place covers on them and pack them into cases and the operation is completed. Two million matches can be produced in one day by machinery requiring the services of only seventy-five operators.

FIRT QUARTERLY CONFERENCE FOR 1923.

Spearman charge

The first quarterly conference for the Spearman circuit convened in Spearman January 20, with our presiding elder, Rev. George W. Shearer in the chair. There was an official from each organization of the church present besides quite a number of visitors from the respective points. Those representing Spearman church were: A. F. Barkley St. and church lay leader, E. W. McMurry, St., R. F. Dennis St., W. L. Davis St., R. L. McClellan, St. and S. S. Superintendent. Grand Plains was represented by B. F. Walling St. and L. S. McClellan St. W. M. Lieb and J. Mathews represented Lieb community, both stewards. Holt was represented by Prof. W. J. Warren, and D. B. Kirk, stewards. F. A. Shapley was confirmed as a steward for Grand Plains.

All of the officers of the church were organized into one body, electing as President, A. F. Barkley, and S. L. McClellan, Secretary. By this means our officials will be better prepared to look after church work.

Our presiding elder, Bro. Shearer gave us four great sermons while with us which was enjoyed by all who heard him. We look forward to his coming again with great anticipation.

Pastors report indicated some progress. May the blessings of the Lord be upon the efforts of all his people.

J. A. LANEY, Pastor.
R. L. McCLELLAN, Secretary.

"Make Texas Schools the best in the world", is the slogan of the Texas State Teacher's Association.

The benefits of education and of useful knowledge, generally diffused through a community, are essential to the preservation of a free government.—Sam Houston.

Come and get your incubator—OLD TRUSTY Andrews Hardware

Bids for Depository of County Funds

In accordance with the provisions of Art. 2440, of the revised Civil Statutes of 1920; Notice is hereby given, that the Commissioners Court of Hansford County, Texas, at its regular meeting on the second Monday in February, 1923, same being on the 12th day of said month, will receive bids as Depository of the funds of Hansford County.

Any and all Banking Corporations, Associations or Individual Bankers of said County, desiring to bid, will be permitted to do so as provided in Art. 2441 of Statutes above referred to.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1923.

A. E. TOWNSEND,
County Judge of Hansford County.

Queer Feelings

"Some time ago, I was very irregular," writes Mrs. Cora Robie, of Pikeville, Ky. "I suffered a great deal, and knew I must do something for this condition. I suffered mostly with my back and a weakness in my limbs. I would have dreadful headaches. I had hot flashes and very queer feelings, and oh, how my head hurt! I read of

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and of others, who seemed to have the same troubles I had, being benefited, so I began to use it. I found it most beneficial. I took several bottles . . . and was made so much better I didn't have any more trouble of this kind. It regulated me."

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NO TRESPASSING

The public will please take notice that I will not allow hunting or fishing in my pasture on the Palo Duro, west of Spearman. Please observe this notice and avoid trouble. 20th St. Mrs. JOS. W. JONES.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers.

Positively no hunting allowed. W. T. COBLE, Owner of the Turkey Track Ranch.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pastures, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted. JAMES H. CATOR & SON.

HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE

Hunting will not be allowed in the VZ pasture, on the Palo Duro. Hunters will please take notice and avoid trouble, as I will positively prosecute all such as trespassers. RUTLEDGE HENDERSON, Manager. S. C. TYLER, Owner.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch lying in the northeast corner of Lunsford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. GUS B. COOTS, 36152* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch.

TO TRESPASSING

Trespassing will not be allowed on the Simmons ranch on the Palo Duro. Fishing and hunting is positively forbidden. SAM ARCHER, Owner.

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One Avery Gas Tractor, 25-50 H. P., 10 disc plows, and three tandem disc harrows, for sale or trade. This outfit is in good repair; ready for service on the spot. Will sell or trade. Call at Andrews Hardware Company, Spearman, Tex. 501f

NOTICE

All those knowing themselves indebted to Drs. Haney & Gibner are expected to make satisfactory settlement by January 20, either by payment or bankable note. Strangers are expected to pay the cash. 213

FARM WANTED.

I want to rent a farm located in Hansford county. Address me at Guymon, Oklahoma, or present residence, 14 miles northwest of Spearman. 41p. R. W. THOMPSON.

FOR SALE—300- to 600-chick "Colony" brooder, stove type; brand new. See Alva Garner, Spearman. 5tp. 5tp.

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Announcing

the purchase by the Jones Implement Company, of the J. M. Forshee stock of Hardware and Implements in Spearman.

The undersigned firm wishes to announce through the Reporter that it has purchased the entire stock of Hardware and Implements of the J. M. Forshee Hardware Company, and will conduct a Hardware and Implement business at the Forshee old stand in the future.

The stock is being invoiced today and we will be open and ready for business early next week.

We intend to enlarge this business by adding to the stock and erecting new buildings, until we are equipped to meet the demands of the trade of the Spearman country. Our line will embrace everything in the Hardware and Implement line, from the smallest articles to the big combines and engines.

Come to see us when in Spearman and do not hesitate to mention the articles in our line which you anticipate buying.

Our aim will be to supply your wants.

We earnestly solicit your business and are here to look after your wants.

The Jones Hardware and Implement Company

Forshee Old Stand

SPEARMAN

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford county—greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon unknown heirs of R. E. Clute by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 31st Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest Dist. to said 31 Jud. District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hansford County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hansford, on the 3rd Monday in April A. D. 1923, the same being the 16th day of April A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 274, wherein N. W. Willard, is Plaintiff, and Unknown Heirs of R. E. Clute, is Defendant, and said petition alleging suit to foreclose a deed of trust dated on the 15th day of March 1920 given by R. E. Clute to F. W.

Wilsey, Trustee, to secure the payment of eight promissory notes, given by R. E. Clute and payable to Thomas C. Spearman, all dated at Chicago, Illinois, on March 15th, 1920, and bearing interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, said notes expressly retaining the vendor's lien upon all of the Northwest 1-4 of Section No. 8, in Block No. 1, certificate 3-498, H. and G. N. R. Co., Original Grantee, located in Hansford county, Tex., containing 160 acres of land, and said notes providing that the interest thereon shall be payable annually and that all past due interest shall bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent, and further that a failure to pay any note, or installment of interest when due, at election of the holder of said notes, or any one or more of them, would mature the entire series, said notes being as follows:
Note No. 1, due Dec. 1, 1920, \$153.00, Note No. 2, due Dec. 1, 1921, \$514.28, Note No. 3, due Dec. 1, 1922, \$514.28, Note No. 4, due Dec. 1, 1923, \$514.28, Note No. 5, due Dec. 1, 1924, \$514.28, Note No. 6, due Dec. 1, 1925, \$514.28, Note No. 7, due Dec. 1, 1926, \$514.28, and Note No. 8, due Dec. 1, 1928, \$514.32.
Plaintiff specially alleges that said

NATIONAL CITIZENSHIP DAY

IN THE SCHOOLS OF AMERICA

THE REVITALIZATION OF A NEGLECTED DAY

Everywhere there is a clamant cry that the schools of the land must give more attention to citizenship questions and to training for real citizenship. A Dallas business man came into our office not long since and said: "Why is there not a National Citizenship Day in our schools and why should not the birthday of the Father of our Country be made such a day?" We think the suggestion in this question is a happy one indeed. Most certainly a National Citizenship Day would be a fine thing for our schools to celebrate. There is no more sacred day for such a celebration than George Washington's Birthday unless it be the Fourth of July and the fact that that day comes in the summer makes it impossible to observe save in those few schools which run all the year. Come to think of it it is a little strange that Washington's Birthday should have been so neglected. Save for some social festivity here and there and an occasional patriotic program in some club or school one hardly knows when the day comes and goes. Why not revitalize this great day in our country's life for citizenship ends? Nothing would do this more

than to establish it as National Citizenship Day. As a nation we need such a day not only for the schools but for our whole civic life. Of course it is fitting that the schools should lead in its establishment because they are the institutions which are set to lay the foundations and erect most of the structure of citizenship.

When this citizenship suggestion came to us we turned the "suggestion" to the Interscholastic League of America as the organization which should lead in getting the birthday of Washington "set up" in our schools as National Citizenship Day. Unless we mistake it the ideals back of this organization when built into realities will render to the nation a citizenship service great and splendid. We are therefore in full sympathy with them in seeking to put George Washington's Birthday on the map as National Citizenship Day in the schools of America, and we bid them God-speed in this noble piece of work. It will revitalize the day in our national life and be a great blessing both to the schools and to the nation.—Editorial in January Texas School Journal.

deed of trust was given for the purpose of further securing the payment of said notes and provided that upon default being made in the payment of said notes, the said trustee, upon the request of the holder thereof, should sell said land at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and out of the proceeds arising from said sale, to pay the amount due upon said notes of both principal and interest, and all necessary expenses incident to such sale, rendering the balance of the purchase money, if any to the said R. E. Clute; that the said Thomas C. Spearman for a valuable consideration, transferred said notes and the liens securing the same to plaintiff, and the plaintiff is now the owner and holder of said notes and the lien securing the same; that the said R. E. Clute, his heirs and assigns, failed to perform the conditions of said deed of trust by failing and omitting to pay said notes, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, which became due and payable Dec. 1, 1920, 1921 and 1922, respectively, as also the annual interest due upon all of said series of said notes, and that plaintiff has elected to declare all of said notes due and payable; that said R. E. Clute died intestate at some place in the state of Kansas during the year 1922, and left no estate subject to administration, and that no administration has been taken out in the state of Texas, and that there is no need of

such administration, and that the names and residences of his heirs are unknown.

Plaintiff prays for citation against the unknown heirs of the said R. E. Clute, for judgement in his favor for the amount due on said notes and costs of suit and for a foreclosure of said lien upon said land, and that said land be directed to be sold as required by law, and that the moneys arising from such sale be applied to the payment of his debt, for both general and equitable relief.

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

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said court, at office in Hansford Texas this the 30th day of January A. D. 1923.

KEESE C. NESBITT, Clerk.
District Court, Hansford County.

CAUSE OF GRIEF

"I heard last night that wheat was selling for ten dollars a bushel," said Willie in class last week looking blue.

Bob: "Well, what are you looking sour about?"
Willie: "My project isn't wheat."

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Car and Truck Sales

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Actual deliveries for last month greatly exceeded any previous December in the history of the Ford Motor Company—

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Mrs. G. P. Wilburn called on Mrs. W. S. Secord Saturday.

Ike Klutz made a business trip to Guymon Wednesday.

Edward Rafferty was transacting business in Spearman Friday.

L. F. Noe and family took supper with W. S. Secord and family Saturday.

Mrs. Chris Sangster and daughter spent the day with Mrs. McKinzey Saturday.

R. L. Henderson and W. S. Secord made a business trip to Guymon Wednesday.

Mrs. Nora McKinzey and daughter Miss Drue were shopping in Texhoma Wednesday.

Chris Sangster, J. C. Sangster and W. S. Secord made a business trip to Spearman Tuesday.

Mr. L. F. Noe and family and Mrs. W. S. Secord and children called on Mrs. D. A. Wilburn, of the Lieb community Saturday.

Mrs. W. S. Secord visited the school Friday and report them getting along nicely, after a week's vacation on account of the teacher Miss Cecile Dowdy being sick.

Miss Francis Noe celebrated her 11th birthday Friday with a delicious dinner, the following guests being present: Misses Cecile Dowdy, Drue McKinzey, Cleve Ellison, Mrs. W. S. Secord, Master Winfield Secord and little Mary Sue Secord.

Dr. G. H. Pratt.

Chiropractor.

Spearman, Texas.

AN OLD NEWSPAPER

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Steele were in the city Saturday, from their fine ranch home on the Palo Duro north, and were exhibiting quite a curiosity in the way of a newspaper. It was a copy of the Kansas State Journal, published at Lawrence, Kansas, by H. E. Lowman and Company, and the date of the issue was January, 14, 1864. The paper is well preserved, the print is good, but it is printed on a very cheap grade of paper. As the civil war was still raging at the time, it is a wonder they were able to secure any kind of print as far west as Lawrence at that time. The leading article was an account of Quantrell's Raid on Lawrence, which had just taken place. Horace Greely furnished the leading editorial. The advertisements on the front page are from Chicago firms, and they would sound rather queer at this time. One man advertises that he "will exchange rectified whiskey for corn, rye or cash, just as you please." This paper is a great keepsake and Mr. and Mrs. Steele are justly proud of it.

NOTICE

The Boland Paint Co., does all kinds of painting, paper hanging, staining, varnishing, and water coloring. In fact anything in the painting line.

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FEED FOR SALE

Extra good bundle maize, large bundles, good grain. See Clarence Winder, Spearman.

Orville Walker of Lakeside was transacting business in the city Tuesday afternoon.

AGRICULTURAL JOKES

Roy said the only reason he did not like agriculture, was that he could not do anything on examinations.

We caught J. B. out in the henyard the other day pouring hot water down an old hen to make her lay hard boiled eggs.

Wilson found that when he washed his feet he could stand up better. (others need it.)

Nature is a wonderful thing. It seems that no plant of any kind can peep from the ground that Mother Nature hasn't a bug on hand to catch it.

J. B. BUCHANAN.

Projects of the Plant Production Agriculture Class

The plant production students are taking up their project study. The boys of our class are taking as their projects the following: Wheat, Maize, corn, and cane. The boys taking wheat as their project study are: Paul Thompson, Paul Little, J. B. Cook, Robert Cator, Roy Sparks and Anson Ward. The ones that are taking maize are Patt Barber, Wilson Buchanan, J. B. Buchanan, Walter Fulbright, and Eugene Richardson, Willie Maupin is taking cane as his project, and Johnnie Archer is taking corn.

The purpose of this is to help the agriculture students to make money and learn how to take care of a crop and make better workmen out of them. It also gives them one and one-half credits in their school work.

BOAR FOR SALE:—One Red Duroc male hog. A good one. If you need a good boar see this one, at my farm 11 miles south and two west of Spearman. 7:30p.

C. T. ROGERS

THE COTTON GROWERS

- D. B. Kirk 50 acres
R. W. Morton 50
Fulbright and Son 50
B. F. Wallin 50
W. F. Euling 100
Jno. Shapleigh 50
Bob Archer 50
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Jno. Collard 50
Ed. Close 25
A. J. Wilbanks 25
Bill Tennyson 50
Chas. Hitch 100
Judge Storrs 25
S. B. Hale 40
Frank Wallin 50
Geo. Pierce 25
A. M. Wibanks 25
W. L. Harris 15
J. F. Edwards 100
J. O. Starns 50
Total 855 acres.
(Add your name to this list.)

Wheat fails—eggs and chickens never do. OLD TRUSTY INCUBATORS enough said. Andrews Hardware Company.

I have 25 to 30 high grade White Leghorn hens for sale at 60 cents each or will trade for mixed chickens. W. E. Callaway.

Those who attended the sale at the Edgar Womble farm on Tuesday report that there was a good crowd and a splendid sale. A number of Spearman citizens attended this sale and all report a pleasant day.

Geo. L. Aycock and R. M. Spradlin were here from Texhoma Monday, paying up some taxes for non-resident land owners and looking after business matters generally. The gentlemen report that interest in the Allison test well north of Texhoma is still running high. Geologists and oil men from Virginia are there this week and are testing the gas pressure of the well and making other investigations.

NEFF ON EDUCATION

"Texas ought to go into the educational market and buy the best system that is in the market. It has been computed that \$500 investment for every boy and girl is necessary to purchase a first class educational system for Texas"—Governor Neff before joint session of present Legislature.

NOTICE

Services at the M. E. Church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Bible lesson at 7 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. R. L. McClellan, Supt. Special music.

A cordial welcome to all. J. A. LANEY, Pastor.

B. Y. P. U. SOCIAL

The B. Y. P. U. gave a social Friday evening January 26th, at the home of Miss Mae Raney.

About thirty young people were present. At about 8 o'clock the social committee started the games which lasted until almost 11 o'clock. At this time refreshments were served. The outstanding things learned at this party were that Miss Walker is a great sculptor and Clyde Hazelwood a great soloist.

Sometime later the guests departed for their respective homes. Everyone seemed to enjoy the evening very much and most of them promised to come out to our meeting. We give to everyone an invitation to come. If you are not a member come and visit us. We enjoy your presence and we will be encouraged by your attendance.

NOTICE

I have a black mare and a black two-year-old stallion have been at my farm, about 2 1/2 miles northwest of Spearman, on the Spearman-Guymon road, for eighteen months. The owner will please call, pay charges, and take these animals away or they will be dealt with as the law directs. T. Jones and Co., Clarendon, Texas.

FOR SALE

Seed sweet potatoes, cabbage, tomato, transplanted tomato, pepper, Bermuda onion and sweet potato plants in season. Write for circular: T. Jones and Co., Clarendon, Texas.

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