

STREET PAVING TO START SOON

PAMPA ROTARY CLUB ORGANIZED

Hog Raising Litter Record Challenged

Back in early December the News printed a story in which Otis Hendrix, Gray County farmer, challenged any stock raiser to beat a record of 319.7 pounds for a nine-pig litter at six months of age. And now comes W. C. Wyatt with an answer to the challenge. Mr. Wyatt, who lives on the Geo. Walstead ranch about 12 miles north of Pampa, reports that two pigs of a litter of six weighed 335 pounds each when six months and seven days old. Only two of the litter were kept for feeding. The animals were fed on maize, corn and skimmed milk. They were Berkshire crossed with Duroc Jersey blood. Mr. Wyatt strongly believes that every farmer should have some hogs along with other farm produce.

SHERIFF GRAVES AFTER SUSPECTS

3 Men In Denver Colo. Charged With Theft Of Auto Here

Sheriff E. S. Graves departed for Denver, Colorado last night to bring back three men who are charged with the theft of an automobile here recently. The men gave the names of George Browne, William Humphries and Harry Dyer to the Denver officers when they were arrested.

Sheriff Graves made an application for requisition papers as soon as the men and car were taken in Denver, but the papers were not returned here from the governor's office until yesterday morning.

J. O. Colquitt, owner of the Chrysler Roadster that the men were found with, went to Denver the first of last week and returned with the car.

Colquitt left the car standing in front of the Methodist Church here two weeks ago last Sunday night, and on returning in about an hour, the car was gone. The officers here were notified at once, and sheriff Graves immediately sent a report to officers in various cities, which led to the arrest of the three men.

Attempt Under Way To Widen Highway

J. S. Harrison of the Carson County Highway Department, was in Pampa yesterday in regard to plans under negotiation to widen the road from Pampa to Amarillo from 60 feet to 80 feet.

At present there are several places on the road where fills had to be made over lakes, and the passage part of the road bed is barely enough for two vehicles to

Basketball Fast Becoming National Sport—Henderson

AUSTIN—That basketball is fast becoming, or already is, the national sport of the United States is especially true of the schools of Texas, according to Roy Henderson, athletic director of the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League, recently.

"In a trip through the state, one seldom games a rural school which does not have on the grounds the goal posts of a basket ball court," Henderson asserted. Small schools frequently have the money for the equipment or boys enough to put up teams in other sports. In such schools several basket ball teams are often organized, starting in to play at the fall and continuing throughout the year. Every year teams from small schools make good showings in the State Meet."

CHARTER TO BE RECEIVED SOON

Twenty-Four Charter Members Are Named

C. C. Cook was elected president of the Rotary Club which was organized at a dinner meeting at the Schneider Hotel Saturday evening. W. C. Upton was elected secretary. The other officers elected are: Lynn Boyd, vice-president; J. M. Dodson, treasurer; W. L. Woodward, sergeant-at-arms. The following were elected as directors of the club: C. C. Cook, M. K. Brown, Lynn Boyd, Neal McCollough, J. M. Dodson, Tom Rose and Dr. A. Cole. The other 24 charter members of the club are: O. K. Baker, C. S. Barrett, C. P. Buckler, George Custer, A. H. Douette, C. T. Huukapillar, W. E. Lowe, G. C. Malone, J. E. Murfee, P. O. Sanders, A. R. Sawyer, Joe M. Smith, C. L. Thomas, Rev. James Todd Jr., DeLea Vicars and W. L. Woodward.

The club was organized under the supervision of Rep. H. C. Pipkin of Amarillo. A petition was signed at the meeting for a charter to Rotary International.

The charter will be presented by the district governor at a meeting to be held in the near future.

The first luncheon of the members of the club will be held tomorrow. The members of the Christian Church will serve the luncheon.

COTTON GINNED HAS DECREASED

5,923 Bales To Date Falls Under The 1925 Crop

A recent report shows that 5,923 bales of cotton have been ginned in Gray County from the 1926 crop. Last year there had been 7,042 bales ginned in the county at this time.

The amount of cotton ginned in the entire state has made an enormous jump over last year; to date, 5,117,799 bales have been ginned, last year at this time only 3,999,769 had been ginned.

Ellis County leads this year with 29,969 bales. Last year only 78,956 bales were ginned in the same county. Nueces County is second with 162,762 bales as compared with 36,967 bales from the 1925 crop. Williamson County is third with 191,793 bales as compared with 16,439 bales the year before.

Murfrees Visiting Eastern Markets

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murfee and daughter, Jeanne, departed Sunday for St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Murfee will visit the markets there and buy merchandise for his store.

He will also visit the Chicago and New York markets before returning to Pampa. A representative of the Murfee Store goes to the Eastern markets twice each year to buy additional stock.

The Murfees expect to return to Pampa in about three weeks.

Bert Back At Rex With Her Brevities

Bert returned with her brevities to the Rex Theatre this week, and continues to keep the crowd laughing. The De Haven twins are staging novel performance every day.

The program of the pictures and vaudeville is changed daily. The brevities played here two weeks ago and came back Monday for another week.

Approximately 3,000 Car Licenses Issued

The last date for obtaining 1927 automobile licenses has been set at February 10th by Sheriff E. S. Graves, county tax collector. The time was postponed from the first of the month to the tenth due to a shortage of tags here.

"Persons found driving a car or truck after Thursday without a new license plate will be arrested and fined," says Sheriff Graves.

Approximately 3000 tags have been issued in the county to date. Last year, at this time, there were less than 1000 automobiles listed in the county.

Applications for the tags are being taken at the office of the sheriff now. The office is open here so that persons who have not obtained the 1927 license plates will not have to go to the county seat at Lefors to get them.

RAMSEY'S RIG BEING REBUILT

Fire Delays Test But Oil Operations Continue

Fire which destroyed the rig of the Ramsey Brothers State No. 1 near Boise City, Cimarron county, Oklahoma, Saturday afternoon has delayed further testing of the sensational find in the Oklahoma Panhandle.

It is believed that a cigarette stub cast carelessly into the slush pit by an onlooker started the flames which quickly spread to the rig.

The rig will have to be replaced and the hole cleaned out before the formations from which oil was taken at 4,100 feet can be further tested. The well had been swabbing two or three barrels an hour of 38.6 gravity oil.

The unfortunate destruction of the derrick is not expected to halt oil operations in the vicinity of the well, but on the other hand, may result in immediate drilling of new tests. Replacement of the derrick, it is estimated, will take about a week.

OIL ACTIVITY CENTERED AROUND PAMPA TERMED AS "FAST AND FURIOUS"

Oil play in the fields south and northwest of here are termed as "fast and furious" during the past few days. New locations are being reported daily and a string of trucks are constantly hauling material from Pampa to both of the fields.

The Marsten Oil Company has made four locations in the Roxana field northwest, each being 350 feet from the corner in the northeast forty of the southeast quarter section 198, block 3. These locations are one mile east of the Prairie McConnell well in section 67.

The Roxana Petroleum corporation number 1 Bryan "B" in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest part of section 167 in the Roxana field made 283 barrels at a depth of from 3176 to 3214 feet.

The McMann Oil Company's number 6 Worley-Reynolds in section 83, block 3, in the south field, is making around 300 barrels at from 2977 to 3000 feet.

Number 1 Holmes of the Magnolia Petroleum Company in section 164, block 3, did 60 barrels at from 3120 to 3150 feet. The numbers 15 and 16 Worley-Reynolds wells of the Wilcox Oil and Gas Company came in for production last week. The number 15 well in section 61, block 3, made 150 barrels at from 2552 to 2599 feet. The number 16 well made around 100 barrels between 3020 and 3060 feet.

MOTOR CAR HIT BY FAST TRAIN

Joe Renz Killed At St. Francis R. R. Crossing

Joe Renz was instantly killed yesterday afternoon when the car which he was driving was struck by number 22 Santa Fe passenger train at the crossing near St. Francis. Renz apparently did not hear the warning whistle of the train, according to persons who witnessed the accident.

The car was practically demolished and the body of Renz was badly mangled when he was hurled into the air by the impact.

A letter found in one of his coat pockets revealed that he had a brother, Herman Renz, living at New Braunfels, Texas. The body is being held in Amarillo pending instructions from the brother.

Renz has been employed on the farm of Fred Klinke, county commissioner of Potter County, for the past week. He was not very well known in the community having been there out a short time.

AVIATOR HURT BY PROPELLOR

Earl Roland Sustains Severe Scalp Wound

Earl Roland, aviator suffered a severe scalp wound yesterday afternoon when the propeller of an airplane which he was cranking struck his head. He was rushed to the emergency hospital where the wound was dressed.

A deep gash was cut from the center of Roland's forehead to the center of his scalp. No explanation of the accident could be offered except that he failed to get free from the propeller before the motor fired and started the propeller at a rapid speed.

MATERIAL BEING ASSEMBLED BY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

Actual Work To Begin Fifteen Days After Written Notice Is Served By The City Council

Plans are being made now to have the paving of eleven blocks of street started by the last of the month. A subcontract for the gravel has been let by the Stuckey Construction Company, and the gravel will begin to be hauled to the streets sometime this week. Other material is also being assembled.

Eight-inch water mains are being put in to replace the six-inch mains where the paving is to be done. The contract between the city and the Stuckey Construction Company specifies that the actual paving shall begin within fifteen days after the contractor receives a written notice from the city.

The program includes eleven blocks, six of which are on Cuyler Street, extending from the school building at Brown Avenue to Atchinson Avenue south of the Santa Fe tracks. The paving will probably be started at the school building and carried on south on Cuyler Street to Francis Avenue. Foster Avenue will be paved from Cuyler Street west to the Rex Theatre. A half block east and west of Cuyler Street on Kingsmill and Atchinson Avenues will also be paved.

The contract price for the brick paving is \$3.08 per square yard, and 83 cents per linear foot for combination curb and gutter. The contract calls for completion within 100 working days after the contractor is ordered to begin work. The water hydrants are being moved back now so that the paving work will not be delayed when started.

NEW INDUSTRIES TO LOCATE HERE

Sites To Be Obtained On New Santa Fe Spur Line

Representatives of several large industries have been in Pampa during the past week negotiating for a location on the Santa Fe Railroad spur that branches off to the southwest from the main line here on property owned by the White Deer Land Company. Officials of the company say that several industries will be located on the spur in the near future.

The Santa Fe Company built the spur last fall after they had applications from four companies, The Jarecki Manufacturing Co., The Min-tener Lumber Co., The Cities Service Co. and The Gulf Production Co., stating that they would locate as soon as the spur was completed. All of the above companies now have plants on the spur.

The spur is about one-quarter of a mile long, and is arranged so that building locations can be made on each side.

Merry Madcaps At Crescent All Week

The Merry Madcaps are playing at the Crescent Theatre again this week. The company is presenting a new program each day to the crowds that attend the Crescent.

The orchestra numbers as well as the singing and dancing numbers, are meeting with unusual success.

W. H. Mohr Moves To Pampa

W. H. Mohr, formerly of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, has moved to Pampa where he is interested in the Quality Jewelry Store. He is making plans to conduct a novel sale of jewelry, the packages being already wrapped before the customer makes a purchase.

F. E. Purcival Here This Week

F. E. Purcival of Lawton, Oklahoma is in Pampa this week looking after business interests. He owns a farm six miles northwest of Pampa.

OIL ROAD WORK COMPLETE SOON

Plans Being Made For Permanent Upkeep And Repair

Repair work on the oil field road northwest of Pampa is expected to be complete by the last of this week. The bridge has been widened from twelve to twenty feet and banisters have been installed. The repair extends from Pampa to Skelly.

The Pampa Chamber of Commerce is financing the road work from the Gray County line five miles out on to Skelly. The county is doing the work from Pampa to the county line.

The road from the Gray County line on to Skelly in Carson County is practically a new bed. More grading is being required on this part of the road than on the old part near Pampa.

As soon as the grading is completed this week, the Pampa Chamber of Commerce intends to employ various farmers along the road to keep it in good condition by using drags after each rain, or whenever the road might need to be worked.

The 1927 budget of the Chamber of Commerce includes \$8,000 to be used in the repair and upkeep of roads leading into Pampa. A highway committee of the organization composed of M. K. Brown, P. E. Boyd, F. P. Reid, A. H. Douette, M. W. Jones, R. R. Jones and Tom Ashby, will meet from time to time and determine the condition of the various roads and make appropriations for repair work.

The present plans are to have the road leading to the field south of Pampa repaired as soon as the northwest road is completed.

Miami Man Here Yesterday

B. F. Jackson of Miami was in Pampa yesterday looking after business interests. He owns some land near here.

Searchlight On Garage Attracts Much Attention

"What's that light for?" is one of the common questions heard on the streets of Pampa at night. And all of the curious persons are not in Pampa—the large revolving search light mounted on top of the C and G Garage has attracted attention for miles around as it projects a glittering stream of light.

The large light is a regular government airplane searchlight. It was installed by the proprietor of the garage to show everyone where Pampa is located. The lens of the light is 24 inches in diameter, and when the beam is projected vertically it is claimed to be visible for a distance of forty or fifty miles. It has a two mile horizontal penetration.

The light is now mounted on the roof of the garage, but it is to be placed higher on a twenty-four foot tower. Many inquiries are made every night about the light.

Your Opportunity Is Here!

Noelton townsite will be formally opened
to the Public Wednesday, Feb.
9th, at 10 A. M.

The Panhandle's greatest investment opportunity will be opened to you at this time. Great numbers of people have already become interested in this "Town where a town is needed," and choice locations will go rapidly. Don't fail to be on hand at the opening time.

Noelton is located in the fastest developing section of the Panhandle Oil Fields. Directly between the Parks-Noel and Prairie-McConnell wells, two big producers, it is in the center of more than a score of drilling operations now under way. Derricks are rising rapidly on all sides and new locations are being made daily. Experts predict a major field for this territory.

Noelton Townsite is ideally located to care for this immense development. Streets are being graded, contract has been let for laying of Gas and Water Mains, a two story Hotel is under construction and several other business houses will be started soon. Even in its infancy the future of Noelton may be easily seen.

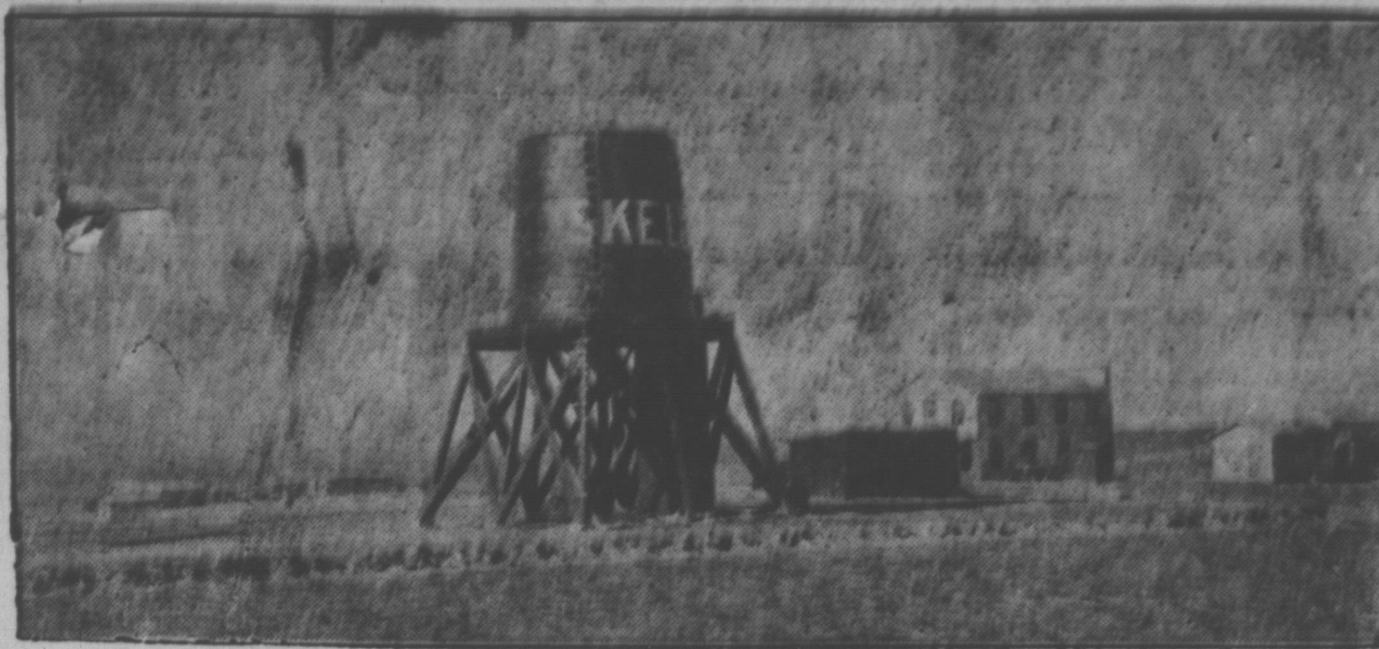
Lots are now available at \$150 and up. Terms, 30 per cent down and balance in six months. Come out tomorrow and make a sound and profitable investment.

Be there early. Our representatives will be on the grounds. Follow Berger road out of Pampa and our road signs will direct you to the townsite.

NOELTON TOWNSITE CO.

OFFICE ON THE GROUNDS

School Bell To Ring For Oil Field Children! New School House At Skelly



The above school house was built by a public spirited citizen of Skelly, the oil town which serves the new Roxana Pool and the location of the school. Mr. Henry Schater, owner of the 13,000 acre Schater Ranch upon which the town of Skelly is located, donated the school site.

W. G. Skelly, president of the Skelly Oil Co., which has the oil lease on the entire ranch, is expected to be at the new field with a party of executives, this week. This visit of the Skelly Oil Co. executives portends the early start of drilling activities on the Schater Ranch, which

is practically necessitated by the recent bringing in of the Prairie's McConnell No. 1 as a good producer.

This well, with the Nunn-McCauley and other recent wells which have been brought in as heavy natural producers. Makes practically all of the Schater Ranch good drilling territory. The new oil town of Skelly, named in honor of W. G. Skelly, will be at the center of this activity, and as a consequence an immense amount of new building construction is taking place in this youngest of the oil towns.

ed in San Antonio and Houston. Fruit groves of Mercedes and surrounding sections are supplying numerous demands for shipments of crates of grape fruit to points over the state for making of the new drink and for regular purposes.

Amherst—Appointment of Judge John H. Wood of Amherst on the Executive Board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been confirmed by President Arthur P. Duggan of the regional organization.

Vernon—A. M. Bourland of this city is acting on the state committee which is investigating possibilities of Rural Electrification in Texas. He was appointed to the service by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Childress—The Gate City Creamery located in Childress is preparing to install a modern chick feeding plant. Chickens are to be fed, fattened, frozen and dressed and shipped for eastern markets at the plant.

Stamford—The January issue of "West Texas Today" has been released. The number, originally intended as a special El Paso edition, featured service activities of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce

in saving South Plains shippers a quarter of a million dollars annually in watching West Texas interest at Austin during the session of the state legislature, and in stamping out hog cholera in afflicted areas.

Odessa—Modern and sanitary equipment is being installed in the Stewart and Berkstresser dairy recently opened here. The dairy supplies the town's needs as well as serving customers in Crane, the new oil town of the section.

Turkey—A modern bakery and ice plant have been secured for Turkey.

Roy Siner motored to Oklahoma City Saturday and returned with Mrs. Siner and son, Billie who spent several days in Oklahoma last week visiting friends and relatives.

SOME GUMS—PYORRHEA
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Section To Open Tomorrow
The opening day for Nocton, the Panhandle's newest oil town, will be held tomorrow. The townsite is located eight miles west and one mile north of Pampa.

It is on the property of J. L. Noel. The streets are being graded now, and the sale of lots will start tomorrow.

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HEAT ESSENTIAL TO CANNED FOOD

Certain Bacteria Are More Resistant Than Others

Micro-organisms, such as the bacteria which commonly cause spoilage in improperly canned goods, vary in their power to resist the destructive action of heat. Not only is there considerable difference in the amount of heat required to destroy different species of bacteria, but different strains of the same species often vary widely in their degree of resistance. Some individuals of the same strain are even more resistant than the rank and file.

In the studies of the resistance of bacteria, C. A. Magoon, a bacteriologist of the United States Department of Agriculture, has shown that by purposely selecting resistant survivors of varying temperatures and propagating only from those which in turn survive a greater degree of heat a strain of bacteria can be obtained which are at least 25 times as resistant as the original selection.

This ability of certain resistant bacteria to survive the ordinary sterilization process and to develop into a race of super-resistant individuals is of particular significance to the canning industry, says Doctor Magoon. It is important in canning food to use a sufficient degree of heat to kill all destructive bacteria without heating the product so much that its quality is impaired. Therefore, it is important to know the highest point of resistance which the bacteria are able to reach in order that proper sterilization may be applied.

It is quite common experience of canners to have an occasional outbreak of spoilage in the plant, even though they had used the same processing temperatures that had proved successful in past operations. Such a condition may now be possibly explained by the fact that super-resistant strains of bacteria had developed and contaminated the raw material.

Still more information on this important subject is needed, however, according to Doctor Magoon, for until more is known of the reasons for these differences in resistance, satisfactory and reliable methods of spore destruction can not be developed and the technology of food production will continue to be ruled more or less by the laws of chance.

Whims—A complete modern privately owned tourist camp to be operated in connection with the Lee Carter Hotel is to be erected here. Tourist cottages will be equipped with electric lights, gas and water and all modern conveniences.

News Want Ads Pay

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112 S. Main St.

A. E. SHAW, Mgr.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Wichita Falls—Several hundred dollars in cash and scholarships of value will be awarded high school boys and girls of West Texas who are successful in presenting the merits of their home towns in the annual "Home-Town Contest" sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in connection with their annual convention. Rules of the competition are the same as those of last year.

Stamford—Butter, poultry, and eggs produced in the Lone Star State for years to come will be entirely consumed through Texas demands and other outlets with no danger of over-production according to authoritative word sent in to the

West Texas Chamber of Commerce form the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company.

Mercedes—A divine drink, heralded as both a health promoter and beautifier, made from tree ripened and sunsweetened grape fruits of the Valley, is receiving widespread recognition as a most acceptable beverage. The drink is called grape fruitade and is already being adopt-

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GET OUT YOUR GUN

Lots of money in the banks. This is a recognized fact—the common talk of the streets—yet there are business men who seem to fear that this winter will not be a prosperous season for business. If these men are afraid, if they are timid, their prediction of slow business will probably come true in their own cases. But let us look into this matter further. This money in the banks does not belong to the banks, but to the people—the same people who are or should be our customers. Now in every individual there is a desire to possess certain things. These desires may be held in check by caution or thrift. This is indeed easy for the usual individual as long as no especial effort is made to sell him the things he really desires. Left alone, much of his money will doubtless remain in the bank, and he will neither satisfy his desire for many things he really wants nor make any contribution to industry.

There is no lack of prosperity. There is no buyers strike. If there is anything wrong with trade it is merely sluggishness or what engineers call inertia, to be overcome.

There was a time when such a condition was serious, for there was no means of starting motion in the currents of trade. Advertising at that time began and ended with the sign on the store-front and there was at hand no medium for presenting to the people the merchandise for which there always exists a latent desire. Undue thrift on the part of the people, hesitancy to buy, have even been known to develop into financial panic.

All this is now changed, for, in advertising, business has the means of presenting merchandise to the public, converting dormant desire into actual sales. No longer need we fear that while there is money in the banks of the country there still may be stagnation in trade.

Advertising, like Aladdin's lamp has the power to work miracles, but just as the lamp required rubbing before it performed its wonders, so must advertising be buried until its light shines out before result can be obtained. The mere possession of an advertising department or the desire to advertise is useless. The man who would stimulate business and make substantial sales must apply liberal quantities of printer's ink, for then and then only will advertising shine out with a sales-creating brilliance.

An old hunter and trapper of our acquaintance, who every summer brings in a fine lot of bear skins, once told us that early in the spring when bears, coming out of their winter's sleep, were hungry and were roaming around in search of food, it was easy to trap them but that in the fall after a summer feeding of berries, honey, and other bear delicacies, they were contented in further food, and then it was that they had to be hunted with the high-power rifle.

While it may seem a long call from bears to business, this explanation of the habits of bears illustrates just the condition we now face. Customer demand is not great—there is no wild attempt to buy quantities of merchandise—just the usual ads will catch no great number of orders. This is a fine time for getting out one doing intensive order hunting.

The firm which would make a sales record for the year will do well to get down their high-power rifle of advertising and start thoroughly to beat the brush.

INCIDENTAL ADVERTISING

Recently a group of editors voted to be more careful to speak well of their state. They realized the influence of casual remarks which may be made without thought of the impressions given.

It is equally true that a person may do his or her community much good or much harm by his remarks to people who are alert for ideas about a subject. When a person goes visiting, he usually exaggerates the merits or the evils of his town. Individuals seem made according to these two patterns. Exaggeration may be harmful and derogatory statements can hardly be otherwise. But facts speak for themselves. Surprisingly few people know the facts about their city which other people desire to learn.

Pampa is getting many a good word from the people who come here as oil or commercial scouts. These boosters work without pay. They are impartial. Their comparisons often carry more accuracy than the home folks could give.

The eyes of the nation are upon West Texas. At this time prosperity is spreading over the area like a flood. But in all floods, this one of boom days will recede to pools—cities favored by location and energetic citizenships to become the bigger, thriving communities of the future. Pampa, now past the first flush of prosperity, is drawing to itself substantial growth. Make your favorite prediction and stick to it—until it is outgrown. Scores of predictions by citizens old and new have been dwarfed by recent developments.

Speak well of Pampa, and while enjoying the mounting values get behind the forces which are going after those things which will make a truly greater Pampa. All-around development is highly desirable—along church, school, civic, industrial, and recreational line.

Speak well and plan well, for the nation listens.

About Farm Women

"In the olden days a woman took her kitchen, and, in fact, her whole house, according to a man's planning," soliloquizes the Higgins News, "but now days the lady of the house knows what she wants and tries her best to get it, even though money may not be plentiful."

"She goes to work to make things better in a practical way and she usually finds that

she has done a good job at making over her small kingdom. We recently read of a farm woman who made over her kitchen and then went to work on the rest of the house and made so many improvements that her husband surprised her by getting a carpenter to help her finish the job. And that, of course, was what the farm husband should have done. We expect comparison of some farmers' barns and garages with that part of the house in which the farm women work would be painful. Kitchen improvement would do much to make farm life more pleasant for the women folk. But as the Higgins News warns, "do not work too hard in order to make work easier—we wondered when we read the story of the carpenter woman if she was laid up for a week after her work was finished."

On Growing Towns

The Spearman Reporter points out that growing towns are a good deal like growing boys. And the editor says: "To make a boy grow you have to give him a lot of good wholesome food. Some families think they do not get much personal returns, as the boy may not do much for his family, but they have got to get their satisfaction out of producing a real boy. If you only half feed a boy he will become only half grown."

"Much the same is it with towns. They also need a lot of good food in the shape of business enterprises, the willingness to work, and public spirit."

Happiest is he who is happy while making others that way, eh Charlie?

Some people can tell time by a cat's eyes, but the time has passed when a young man could look into his girl's eyes and tell when to go home.

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SOCIETY NOTES

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams are visiting their daughter, Miss Ruth Williams, and Mrs. N. L. Groves, for a few days.

LEE-BARNETT

Miss Goldie Lee and Fuller Barnett were married Sunday morning at 8 o'clock in pretty and impressive ceremony by the Rev. James Todd, Jr. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wynne.

Immediately after the ceremony, amid showers of rice, the couple left for their home in Amarillo.

Women's Auxiliary

To Give Washington Tea The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will give a Washington tea Monday, February 21, at the home of Mrs. T. D. Hobart. A program is being arranged now, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

The proceeds will go to the new Presbyterian Church building fund.

P. T. A. Meeting

Friday Afternoon The Parent-Teachers Association met Friday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Carson Loftus, presiding.

The association voted to hold the next Lyceum number in the High School Auditorium soon. A splendid program was presented by the children from the third grades. The banner was won by pupils from Mrs. Daniels' room.

Mesdames Doucette

And Greek Hostesses Mesdames A. H. Doucette and Curtis Greek were joint hostesses to the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Doucette.

Mrs. John Andrews was in charge of the meeting. Interesting articles on missions were given by Mrs. T. D. Hobart and Mrs. Dave Pope.

After the business session, a social time was enjoyed and a delicious plate, lunch was served to the 13 members and 2 visitors present. Mr. Fisher will be hostess at the next meeting.

Entertained Mothers

Entertaining their mothers at a regular club meeting was the novel way in which club girls of Cranfills Gap and Live Oak communities in Bosque county observed an Informal Mothers' Day. Readings and songs and tributes glorifying Mother were followed by games between mothers and daughters. At Live Oak the meeting was concluded by organizing a Womans Club.

SURPLUS SKIM MILK AND WHEY MAKE VALUABLE POULTRY FEED

Concentrated sour-skim-milk poultry feed now being made in many milk plants where there is a surplus of skim milk can be improved as a feed for poultry by the addition of whey, thus increasing the milk-sugar content, says the Bureau of Dairy Industry, United States Department of Agriculture.

Experiments in feeding have clearly established the fact that milk sugar has a definite function in controlling digestive disturbances due to infections of the lower intestines. Several investigations have proven the beneficial effects of milk sugar in combating the white bacillary diarrhea and coccidiosis in chickens. Experiments also indicate that feeding chicks a dry mash containing 20 parts of milk sugar, or of skim-milk powder which is 50 per cent milk sugar, materially reduced the losses among chickens heavily infected with coccidiosis.

The concentrated sour-skim-milk now being made contains 5 per cent milk sugar when whey of skim milk only. Whey contains about 5 per cent milk sugar. The Bureau of Dairy Industry has described a method of utilizing whey in conjunction with skim milk when both are available to make a product that contains more than 15 per cent milk sugar. In this way the feed value of whey may be utilized and the value of the product as a poultry feed considerably increased.

Follow Pay Dates

Part of the girls poultry club members in Brazos County brought in pullets to the county poultry show to pay for the winnings of eggs which they had obtained last spring from breeders. Miss W. Sevier writes that these debts were paid by the proceeds of a pullet auction in which many of the birds brought \$2.00 a piece.

The only state in which the total crop values exceeds a billion dollars is Texas.

3 Lamps For Each Person in America

The estimated number of incandescent lamps, exclusive of miniature bulbs such as used in automobiles and flashlights, sold in the United States during 1926 was 315,000,000, according to figures made public by the General Electric Company. This is an increase of 12 1-2 per cent over the previous year and the greatest annual increase in the history of the incandescent lamp industry.

The estimated number of miniature lamps sold during 1926 was 305,000,000, an increase of about five per cent over 1925.

Plan Of New Fox Den Brings Many Inquiries

A practical type of fox den and pen has been designed through the cooperation of the Bureau of Public Roads and Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture. Inquiries for blue prints of the design have been received from more than 1,000 persons interested in fox farming. A limited number of these prints are available for distribution.

BORGER BOY KILLED WHEN PIT CAVES ON HIM Banno Awtry, 15 years old, was smothered to death Saturday when a sand pit in which he was working near Borger caved in. His father, covered to the arm pits in the slide, shouted to other workmen, who dug him out and uncovered the lifeless body of the boy.

Scottish County Gets Its First Telephone

Here in America, where not only every county of the state, but practically every hamlet has telephone connection, it is difficult to imagine in these days an entire county without telephones. However, such a situation has existed in Great Britain up to just a few weeks ago.

A recent issue of the Telegraph and Telephone Journal of London states that the telephone has just penetrated the county of Sutherland in northern Scotland for the first time, exchanges having been established at Dornoch and Golspie, and adds the rather interesting information that "we rather believe that telephone exchanges now exist in every county in England, Scotland and Wales."

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Average Cash Fare Is Now 7.7423 Cents

The average cash fare charged by electric railways based on rates in effect in 272 cities of over 25,000 population, according to the 1926 census, was 7.7423 cents in December 1, 1926, according to the latest report of the American Electric Railway Association.

The average cash fare on December 31, 1917 was 5.0727 cents. The first peak in cash fares was reached on November 1, 1921 with an average cash fare of 7.4604 cents. This peak was exceeded on November 1, 1924 when the average cash fare reached 7.4667 cents and has since slowly continued upward.

Dodge Export Record Is Very Good

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Texas is fifth among the states in total value of mineral products.

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Texas Is Close Second In Nation In Oil Storage And Pipe Lines

Texas, by small margins, ranks second in the United States with respect to oil storage and pipeline mileage, yielding to California in the first instance and Oklahoma in the second.

A survey of petroleum pipe lines recently conducted by the Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, shows a total of slightly more than 90,000 miles of pipe in the United States. This tremendous pipeline system has a capacity of approximately 15,750,000 barrels of crude oil, which is equivalent to one fourth of the nation's average production for one month.

Oklahoma, with 19,180 miles of pipe lines is the leading state in total mileage, with Texas second and Pennsylvania third. From point of trunklines alone Texas is considerably ahead of any of the other states, a position which it owes to its size and to the growth in the movement to its Gulf Ports. California, though the leading state from point of production, ranks only seventh in pipe-line mileage. This is due to the fortunate location of the Los Angeles Basin fields, some of which are within sight of the refineries to which their oil is delivered or of the port of San Pedro through which their oil is shipped.

The survey on which the present analysis is based was made by the Bureau of Mines as of May 1, 1926. The last survey of this nature, made in the spring of 1924 by the U. S. Geological Survey, recorded a total mileage of nearly 83,000 with a capacity of approximately 14,450,000 barrels. This indicates an increase of 9 percent in both mileage and capacity during two years.

Pipe line varied in diameter from 2 to 16 inches, the most common size being six inches. The total pipe line mileage was about equally divided between trunk lines and gathering lines, though the capacity of the former was about four times that of the latter. This was due, of course, to the difference in average diameter that for the former being 7.4 inches as compared with 3.7 inches for the latter. The common size for trunk lines was 8 inches, and for gathering lines 2 inches.

Huge Tankage

The grand total of tankage, exclusive of producers' storage at the wells, available in the United States for the storage of crude petroleum and of petroleum products at refineries on May 1, 1926, amounted to over 800,000,000 barrels of 42 U. S. gallons, which if confined to a square mile would cover it to a depth of 164 feet.

The combined pipe line and tank capacity of the United States is over 839,000,000 barrels of oil. On May 1, 1926, there were 530,000,000 barrels (net) of oil (410,000,000 barrels of crude petroleum and 120,000,000 barrels of refined oils) held in tank farms, in pipe lines, and at refineries. There was also approximately 20,000,000 barrels of basic sediment and water involved in this storage, making a total of 550,000,000 barrels of liquid in storage, indicating utilization of 65 per cent of total capacity.

Of the total tank capacity, nearly 500,000,000 barrels was at tank farms and over 300,000,000 barrels at refineries. Of the latter, 80,000,000 barrels was crude storage, hence the total available tankage for crude in the country was approx-

imately 58,000,000 barrels. If allowance is made for basic sediment and water and for tankage not filled for general practice, there was on May 1, 1926, 140,000,000 barrels of unfilled crude storage available for use. The distribution of this unused capacity was, however, very unequal. Some localities were using all of the available capacity. Of the total storage at refineries amounting to 300,000,000 barrels, 80,000,000 barrels was used for crude petroleum. This represents an average of 600,000 barrels of all classes of oil for each refinery in the country. Since there were stored at refineries about 50,000,000 barrels of crude petroleum and 120,000,000 barrels of refined oils, it follows that the percentage of storage filled by the former was 60 and by the latter 55.

Farm Storage

Tank farm storage comprised by far the major portion of the total capacity for crude petroleum of the country. Also the major portion of the total capacity for all oils. This type of storage includes on farms and along pipe lines, but does not include crude storage at refineries or on producing properties. Owing to incomplete information, storage on producing properties which is estimated as 10,000,000 barrels is not considered in this survey. There are four types of storage, namely, steel, wooden, earthen and concrete. Steel storage is by far the most widely used and comprising 80 per cent of the total. The remainder was about evenly divided between earthen and concrete storage, with wooden storage almost negligible. In general, evaporation losses are much higher from wooden tanks than from steel tanks, and the few wooden tanks in use today are either relics of past days or have been built for a special purpose.

Evaporation losses are of course higher from earthen storage than from any other type, but the ease with which it can be built, has resulted in its use in flush fields producing heavy oils. Concrete storage is of fairly recent origin and finds almost exclusive use in California, where the presence of much flush production in 1923 made the immediate construction of large reservoirs imperative. Concrete storage is cheaper to build than steel storage and when used for heavy oils

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California, with nearly 200,000,000 barrels of tankage, is the leading state in point of oil storage capacity. Texas, with 170,000,000 barrels is second; and Oklahoma, with 140,000,000 barrels is third. Each of these states has about the same amount of crude storage; that is, 120,000,000 barrels. California, besides leading in concrete tankage, also leads in earthen storage, with Arkansas a close second. None of the other states has over 50,000,000 barrels of total storage.

There is available at Atlantic ports approximately 60,000,000 barrels of tankage, 40,000,000 barrels of which is for refined products. At the ports on the Gulf of Mexico there is storage capacity of about 130,000,000 barrels, the greater part of which, 75,000,000 barrels, is for crude oil.

Further details are contained in Information Circular 6016, "Survey of Petroleum Pipe Lines and Storage Capacity for Crude Oil and Refined Products," by G. R. Hopkins and R. C. Coons, which may be obtained from the Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

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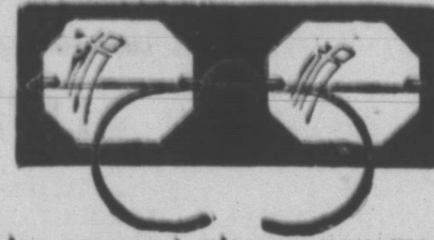
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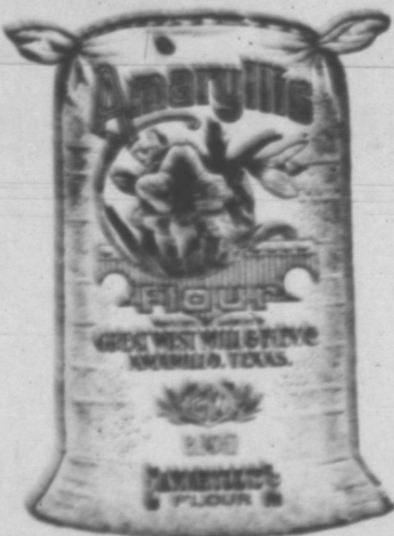
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FOUND—One bird dog. About 6 months old. Owner call phone 135. 55-4tp

WANTED

WANTED—To buy used furniture and oil stoves. G. C. Malone Furniture and Undertaking Co. 3-tfc

WANTED—Clean, Cotton Rags, Pampa News. x

Miss Margaret Buckler III
Miss Margaret Buckler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Buckler, is confined at her home with an attack of influenza.

USE OF NATURAL GAS INCREASES

Report Of Government Shows Waste Is Decreasing

Indicative of better utilization of natural gas on the part of consumers is the report compiled by the Bureau of Mines of the Federal Government.

During 1925, figures in the report show domestic consumers of natural gas increased by 92,600, or nearly 3 percent over 1924, bringing the total number of domestic users of this fuel up to 3,556,000. While the number of domestic users was increasing the amount of domestic consumption in cubic feet was decreasing by about 5 per cent.

"Use without waste" is the slogan of the natural gas industry, which while urging users to eliminate wasteful usage, is doing everything within the industry to preserve the natural gas supply. The relative rank of the principal gas producing states was unchanged in 1925. Oklahoma, which ranks first, registered a 16 per cent gain in production, and Texas, the fifth in importance a 26 percent gain. California, West Virginia and Louisiana which rank, respectively, second, third and fourth, had slight declines in output.

Interstate transportation of natural gas, which is carried on mainly for domestic consumption increased in 1925. The major interstate movement continued to be from West Virginia to Ohio.

Mexico City Rules Horses From Streets

While most large cities still allow traffic in congested districts to be slowed down to the plodding walk of dray horses, Mexico City has ruled them off the streets. The capital of Mexico has become one of the world's most completely motorized cities.

This results from a law that recently went into effect which forbids the use of any metal tired vehicle on the city pavements. The metal shoes of horses, of course, come under the ban. Public demand for the law grew out of the heavy upkeep for the pavement which was said by engineers to be due to metal shod hoofs and wheels. The speeding up of traffic was also sought.

Texas Shows Gains In Electrical Use

According to statistics in the Electrical World, Texas closed 1926 with 208 electric power and light companies, a reduction from the number in the preceding year. The amount of energy generated by these plants during 1926 was 1,486,000,000 kilowatt hours. This is an increase of 514,000,000 as compared with 1925. Texas now

stands thirteenth in the states in quantity of electric power generated. The total number of customers of electric power and light companies in Texas January 1, 1927, was 616,890, which is a gain since the preceding year of 40,390.

An interesting development is to be seen in the fact that 885 new power customers were added during the year.

League Enrollment Of 4,500 Is Largest Of Its History

AUSTIN—Registration of schools in the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League closed February 1 with upwards of 4,500 schools in Texas paid up as members of the League for the current school year.

This is the largest enrollment in the League's history, according to Roy Bedchek, chief of that bureau of the Extension Division. It is believed, Mr. Bedchek stated, that the increasing emphasis placed upon work for the small rural schools is largely responsible for the increased membership. This year for the first time there are two events which are open only to one and two-teacher rural schools. The Three-R contest is one of these events and the rural pentathlon is the other. Winners in these events in county meets are eligible to participate in the district meets, and winners in the various district meets are eligible to the State Meets which will be held at the University of Texas May 5, 6 and 7.

Miss Loraine McCuffin of Greenville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hattie McCuffin. She expects to return to her home Saturday.

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Texas Progress Notes

Truscott—The pumping station of the Magnolia and Gulf pipelines here has arranged with the West Texas Utilities Company for power to the amount of 360 horsepower.

Abilene—This city gained 1,035 gas customers and 1,240 electric customers during 1926.

Texarkana—The 132,000 volt transmission line between Texarkana and Shreveport recently completed is 65 miles long.

Seagraves—The new electric light plant of the Gaines County Public Service Company here is to be in operation within sixty days.

Fort Worth—The twenty-second annual convention of the Texas Independent Telephone Association is to be held here March 15 to 18.

Spur—The Spur Light and Power Company has been taken over by the West Texas Utilities Company and improvements are being made in the plant and service.

Paducah—Twenty-three new street lights have been placed in this city.

Texas is second only to New York in the annual quantity of exports. Philadelphia ranks third.

The estimated population of Texas is 5,312,661. This is exceeded by only three states.

SHE TELLS THE STORY OF MANY OTHERS

Dr. W. C. Rountree, Texarkana, Texas.
Dear Doctor:—About 8 years ago I was taken with a bad case of stomach trouble. I got better in Winter and worse in Spring and Summer. I suffered untold agonies, took many kinds of medicine and found no relief. After four years I broke out with something that looked like sun burn. At first it appeared on my hands, later on my face and neck. My mouth got sore, feet burned and swelled until I could hardly walk. My heart beat too fast and I had a hurting in my chest. Some one sent you my name and you sent me one of your little books and Questionnaire, but I did not order your treatment at first. I waited thinking I would get better, but instead I got worse. Finally I got so bad that I could not walk 20 steps without resting. I ordered your Pellagra treatment and on the 9th day of July 1926 I began taking it. I soon saw that it was helping me and by the time I had taken one treatment the rash and many of the other symptoms had disappeared. I have taken four treatments and am entirely relieved of all symptoms of Pellagra. I appreciate the honesty and kindness with which you have dealt with me, for I have found everything that you told me about the treatment to be just like you said. I want to ask all who have this disease to not put off ordering your treatment like I did for while they are waiting this terrible disease is stealing their life away.
(Miss) Savannah Taylor, Rt. 1, Box 100, Naples, Texas.

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