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FARMER IS DRAGGED TO DEATH GRAY COUNTY OIL BRINGING HIGHEST PRICES

CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY'S GASSER EXPECTED TO EXTEND PAMPA FIELD TO SOUTHEAST

Approximately seven and one-half millions of barrels of oil is stored in the Panhandle at the present time, according to estimates by oil officials. Pipeline runs during the past week were increased by 30,000 barrels, yet the storage increased also.

The average daily output of the Gray County field for the past seven days is placed at 8,875 barrels. With the large number of new locations that were made last week, the local field is expected to make a substantial jump in production in the near future.

While the oil from the other counties in the Panhandle is selling at the rate of \$1.25, oil from the Gray County field is selling as high as \$1.80 per barrel. This means that a minimum estimate of the Gray County field per day in dollars is \$13,000. The oil as a whole from the Pampa field is of the highest quality found in the entire Panhandle of Texas.

Three Important Traffic Laws As Noted By Graves

The increasing number of trucks and automobiles on the city streets and county highways has made the city and state traffic laws come closer to us, according to the county officials. The following are three of the outstanding laws concerning traffic on the streets and county roads:

Section 213. Rate of Speed. Whoever shall operate or drive any motor vehicle upon the public highways of Texas at a rate of speed in excess of thirty-five miles per hour, or who shall drive or operate a motor or other vehicle in the corporate limits of an incorporated town or city or within or through any town or village not incorporated at a greater rate of speed than twenty miles per hour, shall be fined not less than five or more than two-hundred dollars.

Section 225. Brakes. Any person who operates upon a public highway a motor vehicle not provided with adequate brakes kept in good working order, or any person having control or charge of a motor vehicle or who shall allow such vehicle to stand in any public street or highway unattended without first setting the brakes and stopping the motor thereon, shall be fined not less than one-hundred dollars.

Section 24E. Intoxicated driver. Any person who operates or drives an automobile or any motor vehicle upon any street or alley or on any public place within the limits of an incorporated city, town or village or upon any public road or highway in this state while such person is intoxicated or in any degree under the influence of intoxicating liquor, shall be confined in the penitentiary for not more than two years, or be confined in jail not more than ninety days, or fined not more than five-hundred dollars, or be punished by both such fine and imprisonment in jail.

"We have not had much trouble with drunks in cars as yet," says Sheriff Graves, "but we are on the watch and intend to get every one that we find. There is nothing more dangerous than a drunk man driving an automobile."

Two Deaths Here During The Week

The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Goule who died at her home at 5 o'clock Tuesday night, was sent to North Platte, Nebraska Thursday evening for burial. She was the wife of C. E. Goule, and was thirty years old at the time of her death. The five-months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Morphis who died early Thursday morning was buried Thursday evening at the Fairview Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. James Todd Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Byrne spent last Thursday in Amarillo.

Two Bootleggers Are Arrested This Week

Two bootleggers were arrested by Sheriff E. S. Graves and his deputies this week. One of them was caught in the oil fields south of here with more than eleven gallons of whiskey. The other one was arrested in the edge of Pampa and had more than two gallons of whiskey in his possession.

More than thirty other persons were arrested in the past week by the sheriff and his deputies. The charges were for being intoxicated and gaming.

Game Reserve Is Made Just West Of Here By State

Word has been received by E. R. Thurman, special deputy game warden, from the State Game department stating that 55,200 acres just west of here has been made a game reserve by the state government. The land comprises 55 sections and is the property of H. B. and W. D. Price.

The White Deer Creek runs through this land. The land will be a reserve for the next ten years, at which time it will again be opened as a hunting ground. There are plenty of deer and quail and a few turkeys on the new reserve, according to Thurman.

The state law prohibits any and all hunting on their reserves, and trespassers carrying guns of any kind are subject to a penalty, according to the deputy.

This reserve makes thirty-two in the state of Texas. Several sections north of the Price land is expected to be signed up as a reserve. If it is, the reserve will be increased to include nearly 100,000 acres.

"The game in Texas has shown a rapid decrease in the past two years," says Thurman. "With the acreage that is now in reserve, the supply of wild game should be plentiful in Texas in the years to come. At the expiration of ten years the land now held in reserve will be turned back to the land owners and the law on that particular land will be withdrawn."

"Bulldogging" Steer From Car Is Latest

The automobile has entered another realm of the horse, the dangerous game of "bulldogging" steers which has been popular in the Lone Star State ever since the vast herds of cattle first roamed its prairies.

The stunt was successfully performed for the first time recently by a daring cowgirl at a rodeo at Bandera, Texas.

Crouched on the running board of a Chevrolet touring car, she rode in pursuit of a wild Texas steer. A group of yelling cowboys mounted on horses joined in the chase. The driver of the Chevrolet adroitly avoided a frenzied charge when the steer suddenly stood his ground and attempted to gore his pursuers.

The car then whirled in a swift circle and ran alongside of the galloping steer. The cowgirl leaped from the running board to the animal's neck and threw him to the ground. She suffered no injury.

Veteran cowmen in Bandera County, the heart of the western ranch country, declare that "bulldogging" from a car seems safer than when the rider is mounted on a horse.

William Johns, who suffered a broken arm in the game against Wellington is recovering rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Woodward were Panhandle visitors Wednesday.

Great Decrease In Cotton Ginned Here

Only 1,309 bales of cotton were ginned in Gray County prior to Nov. 1 this year as compared with 2,033 bales to the same date last year.

Nueces County leads the other counties in the state this year, having ginned 100,553 bales of cotton prior to Nov. 1. The number of bales ginned in the same county last year was 35,779, which shows an increase of 64,759 bales this year.

"Better Roads" Is Universal Opinion At Luncheon Here

Sixteen men representing the various districts of the county held a luncheon at 1 o'clock Thursday and discussed the good roads movement. Short speeches were made by those present, and each one gave good reasons why the bond issue should carry and give Gray County hard surfaced roads. Riley Strickland was toastmaster.

M. D. Bently of McLean said that he presented the petition to 57 persons to call an election to issue bonds for the building of roads, and he further stated that 56 of the 57 signed the petition and expressed the desire that Gray County be lifted out of the mud. He ended by saying that the fifty-seventh person who would not sign the petition stated that he would not vote against the bond issue. "All we need in my part of the county," said Bently, "is the election and we will do the rest."

Otto Studer gave some statistics that were compiled by the state highway department, and explained how it would be a saving rather than any burden on the taxpayers to have good roads.

Riley Strickland told how he had worn out a "hivver" between here and LeFors and other neighboring towns. He was endorsed by many others present who stated that they had the same experience, and would like to lessen the expenses of the general public by having better roads.

The other persons present gave short talks and endorsed the improvements on the roads in Gray County.

Those present were: M. D. Bently, M. A. Turner, Thomas O. Kirby, E. H. Hedrick, Mayor F. P. Reid, Riley Strickland, H. Otto Studer, C. F. Buckler, C. S. Barrett, J. S. Wynne, H. B. Lebett, Ben F. Reno, Judge Ben S. Baldwin, S. V. Pritchard, E. S. Pritchard and J. M. Dodson.

Escaped Convict From Oklahoma Is Caught Here

Sheriff E. S. Graves and Deputy Sheriff Smith received a wire from the Oklahoma State Penitentiary stating that Bruce Norris, an escaped convict was in Pampa. A few clues were included in the wire, and before the sun went down the officers had their man.

Norris had assumed the name of "Lucky" here in Pampa. He had been arrested before here, but he was not suspected as a convict. Sheriff Graves arrested him Tuesday afternoon, and after a little talking, Norris admitted that he was the man in question, an escaped convict from the Oklahoma Penitentiary. He escaped in November 1924, and had not been apprehended since that time.

Officials from Oklahoma came here Wednesday and took him back to the penitentiary. A reward of \$100 was offered for his arrest.

D. J. MASON DIES OF INJURIES RECEIVED WHEN MULE HE WAS LEADING BECAME FRIGHTNED

D. J. Mason, a farmer residing 17 miles south of here, died at the home of a neighbor at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from injuries sustained when he was dragged by a mule.

Mason was leading the mule from the farm of a neighbor when the mule became frightened and started to run. The rope that was attached to the halter was entangled to Mason's hand, and he was dragged more than 150 yards before he was freed.

Mitchell Mason, his son, was the first person to pass along the road following the tragedy. He found that his father was unconscious and rushed him to the home of a nearby neighbor. Mason lived until three o'clock in the afternoon, but never became conscious before he died.

He is survived by his wife and eight children all of whom are making their home with their mother except one daughter, Mrs. Leonard Webb of Olton, Texas.

D. J. Mason was born Aug. 17 1879. Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Groom.

G. C. Malone's funeral directors were in charge.

Mayor Reid Urges All Merchants To Note Ordinance

Several state officials have visited Pampa during the past few weeks and have investigated the condition of the town. Most of the officials have reported to the city officials and pointed out changes and offered advice.

Mayor F. P. Reid says that the fire situation here is one of the outstanding problems and should be remedied at once. He also points out the problem of sanitation here.

"The city has been very lenient in the matter of sanitation, and the keeping of trash and refuse on the premises in the downtown district, more especially in the fire district," says Mayor Reid.

"The State Health and the State Fire Marshall's office have complained and unless we are more careful in the building of fires in the rear of our business houses our insurance will be cancelled or the key rate will be raised.

"Many of our merchants have shown an utter disregard for the rights of others and the safety of our city, especially in the past few weeks when we have had trouble with our water system, and many times we have been without a drop of water in our tower and should a fire have started it is difficult to say how much damage would have been done, especially should we have had much wind.

With business as it is at present and with the tremendous stocks carried by most of our business houses, a fire would undoubtedly result in heavy loss.

"While it is true that we have a fire engine and a chemical, the capacity of the engine is only 300-gallon per minute, which is entirely too small to handle a large fire. A five-hundred gallon per minute engine is required to keep our fire rating, and if we let trash and rubbish accumulate and continue to burn it in the rear of our business houses we will no doubt have the key rate raised or have the insurance cancelled entirely.

"The co-operation of the merchants is desired by the City Council in keeping these conditions at a minimum, and it is not our desire to arrest and fine anyone, but, unless there is an immediate improvement we will have to enforce the ordinance to the letter. We would much rather have your co-operation but if such is not forthcoming, it will be necessary for us to take other means to accomplish what everyone should be willing to do."

Sheriff Graves Gets "The Limit" Tuesday

Probably a small per cent of the law violators that are caught are given "the limit," but we know of one case where a sheriff "got the limit." Sheriff E. S. Graves and two of his friends went bird hunting Tuesday, and the report is that all of them "got the limit." The three of them killed 36 birds.

Post Office Will Be Moved To New Quarters At Once

The first shipment of the equipment for the new post office building arrived Wednesday. The equipment in the present quarters will be moved to the new quarters next week, according to W. A. Crawford, postmaster.

"Our postal business here in Pampa is increasing daily," said Crawford. "When we move to the new building I am sure that our service can be greatly improved. A carrier will begin work as soon as the street signs are installed. The contract has been let for the making and placing of the signs at street intersections, and I believe that they will be completed so that the first carrier can begin work before the Christmas rush."

The new building is located on Kingsmill Avenue just off of Cuyler street, is 30 by 75 feet. It is constructed of brick and tile. It will contain 800 lock mail boxes and 1300 square feet of working space for the employees. The present building has 531 boxes and 1183 square feet of working space.

"The additional number of boxes will help to relieve the congestion at the general delivery window. With a carrier working, the service on general delivery should be good."

Wire Service Same For Farm And City

Vast improvements in rural telephone service, from the time when the farmer's rural telephone was more a subject for jokes than a means of communication, to the present smooth-working system that is on a par with the metropolitan telephone user, were explained by members of the United States Independent Telephone Association at their thirtieth annual convention in Chicago recently.

"One thing that has helped tremendously has been the decrease in competition until today there is practically none," said Charles C. Deering, Secretary. "It used to be that you couldn't call a fellow citizen unless he was a subscriber of the same telephone company, but now the farmer can make long distance calls as easily as the city man."

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF GRAY.

To the resident property tax-paying voters of Gray County, Texas: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the fourth day of December, 1926, within Gray County, Texas, to determine if said county shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the commissioners court on the first day of November, 1926, which is as follows:

On this the first day of November, 1926, the commissioners court of Gray County, Texas, convened in Special Session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the courthouse at Lefors, Texas, the following members of the court, to wit: T. M. Wolfe, County Judge. C. W. Bowers, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Thomas O. Kirby, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2. M. M. Newman, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

Being present, came on to be considered the petition of E. B. Hedrick and one hundred twenty four (124) other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Gray county in the sum of \$1,200,000.00 bearing a rate of interest to be fixed by the commissioners court not exceeding five and one-half (5 1/2%) percent, maturing at such times, as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and trunplikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Gray county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity, and praying that the funds derived from the sale of said bonds be expended according to the following schedule:

Highway No. 33, otherwise known as the Southwest Trail, 14 miles at \$16,500.00 per mile, or \$231,000.00.

Highway No. 75, otherwise known as the Postal Highway, 22 miles at \$14,000.00 per mile, or \$308,000.00.

Highway No. 88, otherwise known as the Clarendon Highway, 12 miles from Pampa, South, at \$16,500.00 per mile, or \$198,000.00.

Highway No. 33-A, otherwise known as the Fort Elliot Highway, 8 miles, from Pampa, East, at \$16,000.00 per mile, or \$128,000.00.

Highway No. 88, otherwise known as the Clarendon Highway, 16 miles, beginning at the end of the section mentioned above, at \$7,500.00 per mile, or \$120,000.00.

Highway No. 33-A, otherwise known as the Fort Elliot Highway, 20 miles, beginning at the end of the 8 mile section mentioned above, at \$7,500.00 per mile, or \$150,000.00.

The sum of \$65,000.00 to be used for the construction of lateral county roads; in addition thereto, any premium or premiums derived from the sale of said bonds to be used for the construction of lateral county roads; and

It appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Gray County; and

It further appearing that the amount of the bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Gray County; and IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the court that an election be held in said county, on the fourth (4) day of December, 1926, which is not less than thirty day from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of \$1,200,000.00, bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the commissioners court not exceeding five and one-half (5 1/2%) per cent, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and whether or not the funds derived from the sale of said bonds shall be expended according to the following schedule:

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The sum of \$65,000.00 to be used for the construction of Lateral county roads; in addition thereto any premium or premiums derived from the sale of said bonds to be used for the construction of Lateral county roads.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of article 627 to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Sectional, Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this county, and who are resident property taxpayers in this county, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

The polling places and the Presiding Officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

Precinct No. 1 at Lefors, the regular polling place of which is at the courthouse, with Mr. M. B. Davis as Presiding Officer;

Precinct No. 2 at Pampa, the regular polling place of which is at the office of the White Deer Land Co., in the White Deer Land Co. building, with Mr. J. E. Murfee, Jr., as Presiding Officer.

Precinct No. 3 at Steed, the regular polling place of which is the Grandview Schoolhouse, with Mr. Lee Fortenberry as Presiding Officer;

Precinct No. 4 at Alanreed, the regular polling place of which is the S. L. Ball Building, next door to the Post Office on the South, with Mr. S. R. Loftin as Presiding Officer;

Precinct No. 5 at McLean, the regular polling place of which is at the Office of Mr. M. L. Bentley in the West end of the Montgomery Drug Co. Building, across from the Post Office, with Mr. A. A. Callahan as Presiding Officer;

Precinct No. 6 at Laketon, the regular polling place of which is the Laketon Schoolhouse, with Mr. W. S. Paris as Presiding Officer;

Precinct No. 7 at Farrington, the regular polling place of which is the Farrington Schoolhouse, with Mr. C. C. Gillis as Presiding Officer;

said Court at my office in Lefors, Texas, this 1st day of November, A. D. 1926.

CHARLIE THUT, County Clerk. 32-4t-c

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the estate of R. A. Burgess, Deceased, A. A. Callahan of McLean, Texas has filed in the County Court of Gray County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said R. A. Burgess Deceased, filed with said application and for Letters Testamentary.

As above stated the last will and testament of the said R. A. Burgess is filed with said application for the probate thereof, and the number of said cause is No. 191 on the Probate Docket of the County Court of Gray County, Texas.

Which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the 3rd Monday in November, A. D. 1926, the same being the 15th day of November A. D. 1926, at

Breeding Cattle And Hogs Shipped To Peru

A number of Hereford and Aberdeen-Angus bulls purchased in Colorado a year ago and shipped to the Cerro de Pasco Copper Corporation at Lima, Peru, have done so well that a representative of the concern has returned to make further purchases this year. According to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture, 610 head of breeding cattle consisting of bulls, cows and heifers of the Hereford Aberdeen-Angus, and Brown Swiss breeds, were assembled from points in Colorado, Wyoming and Montana during the first week in October. A few hogs of the Duroc-Jersey breed will also be included in the shipment.

The stock will be grazed in the Andes country at an altitude of from 11,000 to 13,000 feet, and for this reason it was considered desirable to purchase cattle raised in a high altitude in the United States.

The Court House thereof, in Lefors, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof 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 Lefors, Texas this the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1926.

CHARLIE THUT, Clerk. County Court, Gray County, Texas. 31-4t-c

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WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE

BY JOSEPH KAYS

At 21—Charles W. Elliot, Famous Educator, Was Already a Teacher.

AT TWENTY-ONE I was a tutor at Harvard.

In my freshman year I became much interested in chemistry, and from the beginning of my sophomore year I had the privilege of working in the small chemical laboratory which Josiah Parsons Cooke, instructor in chemistry, was allowed to fit up at his own expense in the basement of University hall.

During the last three years of my college course I did much work in that little laboratory every week, in addition to attending all the recitations required of my class, and doing well in all the studies of the regular course. To the best of my knowledge I was the only undergraduate at Harvard college who had the privilege of studying a science by the laboratory method.

At that time also I joined a new boat club which was mainly recruited among professional students and was intended to furnish pleasure and exercise to its members, but not to prepare men for the race. As I proved to the club to be a strong and enduring swimmer, I was invited to join the Harvard crew because it had proved impossible to find six undergraduates competent and willing to row.

Charles W. Elliot, one of the most famous educators of the country. He died a short time ago at the age of ninety-two. He was active in his work almost to the time of his death.

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SOCIETY NOTES

Willing Workers Club Meets With Mrs. Converse

The Willing Workers Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. Converse as hostess. The topic for discussion at the meeting was "Chicken Raising." Each of the members present answered the roll call by telling of the number of chickens they raised this year.

Miss Venice Turcotte gave a talk and told how and what to feed to get the best production of eggs. Mrs. L. W. Holland gave several good ideas on the raising of turkeys. Various other subjects were discussed on poultry raising.

Delicious refreshments were served to eight members and three visitors present. The next meeting of the club will be held December 1st with Mrs. L. W. Holland as hostess.

Mrs. Ledrick Hostess To Women's Auxiliary

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, with Mrs. John Andrews presiding.

Mrs. T. D. Hobart was chosen Bible Study leader, and Mrs. P. C. Ledrick was elected president.

The Auxiliary voted to meet twice a month, the first and third Wednesdays.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Andrews, Wednesday, December first, for bible study.

At the close of the meeting a delightful salad course was served to the 15 members present.

Rev. B. J. Osborn, wife and daughters, left Thursday morning for Wellington where he will fill the pulpit of the Methodist church at that place.

Rev. Osborn has been very successful here and the good wishes of the Pampa people go with him.

H. C. Powell, purchasing agent for the Diamond "C" Stores, is in Saint Louis where he is buying stock for the stores. He will visit other eastern markets before returning.

Educational Film To Aid Fire Prevention

The activities of the Boy Scouts of America in doing their bit in forest conservation through an organized national campaign to assist in preventing forest fires are depicted in a United States Department of Agriculture educational film, Good Turns for Our Forests. In this picture the scout—woodsman, craftsman, trapper, camper, traffic director and soldier—turns actor. Miscellaneous scenic views from the national forests and actual forest-fire scenes are included in the film.

News Want Ads Pay

Notice to lot owners on Amarillo Highway in Finley Banks addition. On December 1st, 1926, all our unimproved lots facing above highway will be advertised as follows: 25 foot lots from \$300. to \$500. 50 foot lots from \$400. to \$750. Lee Banks & Co. C-o W. H. Henke. \$5-1tc

The Crescent Theater has purchased a new projector and it will be installed as soon as it arrives, according to H. A. Gilliland, owner of the theater.

Make the evening instructive as well as entertaining with a Radio. Oden Music Shop. \$5-1tc

Everybody's humming Baby Face. Hear it on the new orthophonic at Oden's Music Shop. \$5-1tc

News Wants Ads pay.

The Prairie Oil and Gas Co. has made drilling location on Finley Banks addition.

The royalty you get from lots in Finley Banks addition might make you some real money. \$5-1tc

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The opening of our new and thoroughly Modern Barber Shop, equipped with the latest and most modern equipment to be had.

WE SPECIALIZE IN WOMEN'S BOBS

IMPERIAL BARBER SHOP

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Friday, November 19th, at 9 o'clock sharp the doors will swing open for the greatest Thanksgiving sale ever held in the Panhandle. Our stocks are now more complete than ever. You will find during this sale a big selection in Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Mens' Furnishings and Footwear at a big saving to you. In fact our stock is too big and we want to reduce, that's the reason we are giving this sale to the good people of Pampa and Vicinity.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO INVESTIGATE THESE THANKSGIVING BARGAINS AND--
bring added cheer to the Thanksgiving Feast with a new selection of Clothes and Shoes. Whether you will entertain or be entertained, clothes play a highly important part in making the occasion a happy one. Good taste and cheap prices in clothes is a specialty at Thornton's. Here you will find Ready-to-Wear and Footwear from the foremost manufacturers in the country at a saving of 30 to 40 cents on the dollar.

This Sale Starts Friday, November 19th, at 9 A. M. Sharp!

Friday, November 19th at 9 O'clock
One hundred \$1.00 Brooms
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Ask when entering the store for your Broom Ticket

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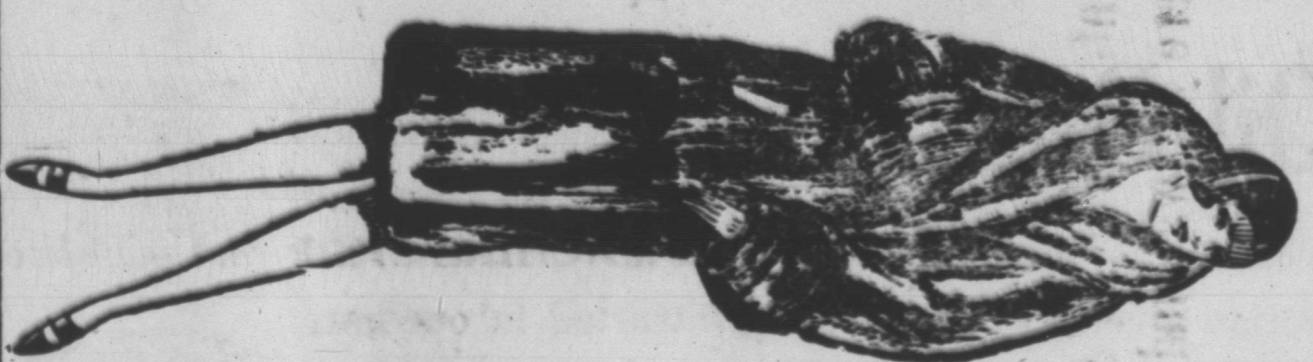
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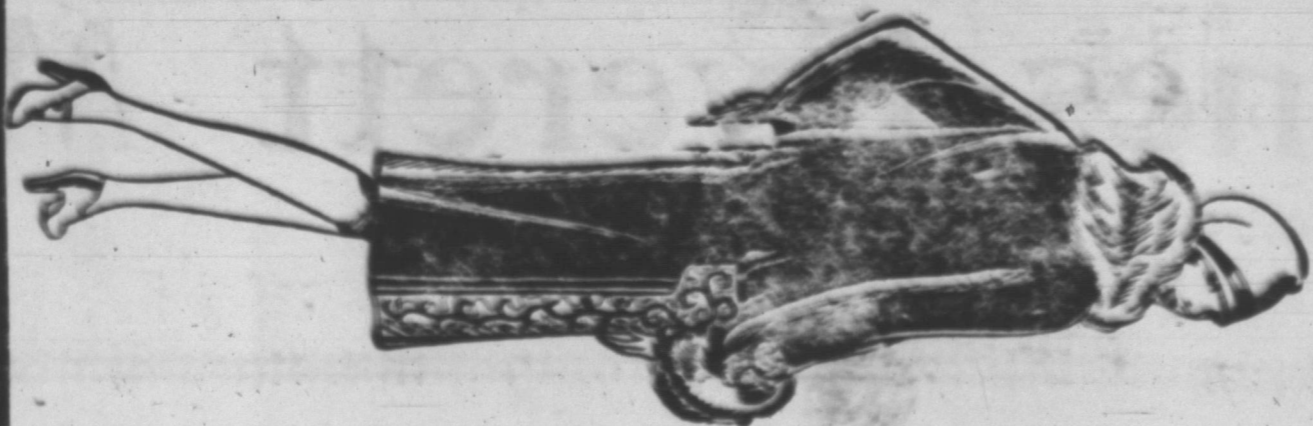
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Men's Low and High Top Dress Shoes with air cushion insoles in Tan and Black Vic Kid and Russian Calf.
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**Wind From The West
Suits Everyone Best**

"Every wind has its weather," said Bacon, a good many years ago. The Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture says there is considerable truth in this old idea. The prevailing direction of the wind in middle latitudes is from west to east, roughly. Winds of different direction, and especially shifting winds, imply a storm disturbance of some kind. For instance, the cyclone, or region of low atmospheric pressure, is always accompanied by a system of winds directed spirally inward, counter-clockwise about the center of the northern hemisphere, clockwise in the southern. Now, this wind system almost invariably moves eastward and is nearly always accompanied by precipitation on its front side and clearing weather on its rear.

Wind from the east may therefore mean that a storm is close at hand; wind from the west, that the storm is past and gone. Wind from the south is commonly the most humid and frequently brings rain. Wind from the northeast is invariably cold, and being caused frequently by an approaching storm is almost certain to bring disagreeable rain or snow, justifying the saying:

"The wind from the northeast
Neither good for man nor beast
The gentle west wind 'suits every-
one best," and another old proverb
advises people to "do business with
men when the wind is in the north-
west." The weather Bureau supports
this shrewd saying because when the
wind is from that direction at any
place in the temperate zone of the
Northern Hemisphere the weather
there is likely to be cool, dry, fine
and bracing.

J. C. Browning and L. S. Hobbs
of Amarillo were here last Friday
on business.

**THE YOUNG LADY
ACROSS THE WAY**



The young lady across the way says the scientists have discovered dinosaur tracks made 10,000,000 years ago in Arizona and she wonders how the creature compared with the dinosaur of the present day.
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The Hotel Stenographer
By Rex Fulkerson



"THERE are no secrets between my wife and me," boasted the House Detective.

"That's tough, Kelly," answered the Hotel Stenographer. "That's mighty tough on somebody. Whether you are not very nice people or you never have any fun in your lives. If you were both so slow that you never did anything before you were married that you did not want to tell, you certainly must have led a mighty bum existence. No kisses in the back of a taxi, no sly hug on a straw ride, no holding of hands in the 'movies,' must have been a mighty staid life.

"If you both did all the things which normal humans do and told each other all about it after you got married, you were a mighty poor pair of sports, and it was tough on the people with whom you did these things.

"When I get married, Kelly, I shall either keep my mouth shut to my man about what I did before I met him or else lie to him like a lady. It can't be any fun for a man who loves a woman to hear the details of the other man who kissed his wife before he came on the scene. So if he is fool enough to insist on her telling him, there is only one thing for her to do as a good and dutiful wife who wants to make her husband happy, and that is to do what you and your wife did, lie to each other.
"Even so, Kelly, it is hard for a

woman to tell a man she never had a sweetheart till he came on the scene and let him get the idea that he alone kept her from being an old maid. The best way is to lie to him till some time when you get mad at him and then tell him the truth just to take him down a peg like your wife will do to you some day.
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Watermelon is African

The watermelon is a native of Africa. It was early taken to India, as seems indicated by its having a Sanskrit name. It reached China about the Tenth century A. D. It has no name in the ancient Greek and Latin languages and was probably not known to these peoples much before the Christian era.

**THE YOUNG LADY
ACROSS THE WAY**



The young lady across the way says the talent of commercialism ought to be kept out of our college athletics absolutely and the best halfback in the world ought to receive more than a good living salary.
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Miss Manda Leech left Tuesday for her home in Denton after several weeks visit with her sister Mrs. Tom Clayton, and brother Ewing Leech.

L. T. Hill of Oklahoma City who will open a department store at the corner of Foster Ave. and Cuyler St. in the Brunow Building when it is completed, was here Monday.

Prevent any disappointment. Select your Orthophonic Victrola now. Have it delivered Christmas morning. 35-11p

Just a little five-hundred barrel well on the Finley Banks addition means a year to every lot as long as the oil lasts. 35-11c

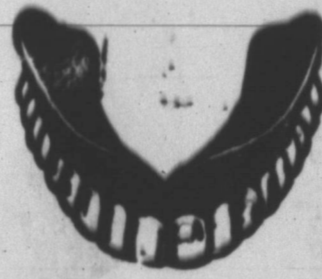
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Power On Farms Gives Rise To 5 Big Advantages

Extension of electric service to rural communities is resulting in five major advantages to farmers, according to an analysis of the situation by Dr. E. A. White, director of the committee on the relation of electricity to agriculture, as reported by the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

These advantages are—improved living conditions; increased production per worker; decreased operating costs; improved quality of farm products; timeliness of farm operation as result of dependable power supply.

It is estimated that between five and ten percent of the six and one-third million farms of the United States now have electric service, said Dr. White and twenty state organizations have been formed since 1922 to study farm electrification problems.

"It is no longer a question whether or not there is to be rural electric service in the United States," declared Dr. White. "It already exists, and additional lines to serve farmers are being constructed. The taking of a new form of energy to agriculture, making it an integral part of farm living conditions and production, is a tremendous undertaking.

"In the last analysis, we are more concerned with systems of farming than with specific operations. For this reason there is a feeling in the United States that with some notable exceptions, such as irrigation farming, rural electrification may still be looked upon as an experiment, not as to its ultimate desirability or coming, but as to the changes in our agricultural system which its general introduction will bring.

"It is most gratifying to report that electric light and power companies of the United States are giving constructive attention to rural electric service development. Nineteen operating companies already have one or more men devoting full time to this class of service. Others are organizing rural service departments, thus giving the work the same recognition as is accorded

Pampa Represented At Opening Of New Power Plant Unit

Mayor F. P. Reid, Willy Strickland and M. A. Turner motored to Borger Wednesday where they represented Pampa at the formal opening of the Panhandle Power and Light Company's \$7,500,000 super-plant four miles northwest of Borger.

Willy Strickland made an address representative of Pampa. More than 150 people attended the ceremonies which formally opened the plant. The visitors made a thorough inspection of the plant. Construction of the plant was not started until August 22 and it is now complete. Its rapid construction is said to be a world's record. Several large construction companies participated in the work which accounts for such rapid work.

A barbecued dinner was served to the visitors at 1 o'clock. John Snider, supposedly the Panhandle's best in his line, prepared the feast. Several officials of the company made short talks. Following these were speeches by the various representatives of other cities. Officials of the Panhandle Power and Light Co. told of the work that had been done and of their future plans, and explained the policies of the company.

The present plant has a capacity of 10,000 kilowatts, and has an ultimate capacity of 50,000 kilowatts. It was designed and built by the Canadian Construction Co. of Kansas City, Mo. The buildings, steel work, pipes and boilers were installed by other companies of Kansas City and New York.

Bob Holton and Miss Dee Breeding motored to Wheeler last Sunday where they spent the day visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merten and little son departed Thursday for California where they will spend the winter.

other classes of business. "The character of the effort being expended in this direction promises to place rural electric development on a sound and aggressive basis."

School Man Upholds "Married Teachers"

The Texas schools can be improved 100 per cent by making the teaching profession comfortable and attractive enough to hold the most competent of its personnel, according to R. T. Ellis, executive secretary of the Texas State Teachers' Association. He was referring to the married teachers in particular when he made the assertion before the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Association in convention at Fort Worth.

God's Love

We are taught to think that God's love is the biggest thing in the universe. Let us think of some of the biggest things we know, and then we will lift our eyes upon one that is bigger than all.—J. H. Jowett.

Happiness Counts Most

The will of God respecting us is that we shall live by each other's happiness and life, not by each other's misery. . . . men help each other by their joy, not by their sorrow.

Some railroads may be operating at a loss, but the fact that 1,100,000 freight cars are loaded each week in this country perhaps keeps them hanging on, hoping business will eventually brisk up a bit.

News Wants Ads pay.

BABY CHICKS FOR SALE

Barron strain large type purebred White Leghorn baby chicks \$10.50 a hundred.
Everlay strain Brown Leghorns, \$11.50 a hundred.
Sheppard strain single comb Anconas, \$14 hundred.
Owens and Donahue strain Rhode Island Reds, \$14.85 hundred.
Thompson strain Barred Rocks, \$14.85 hundred.
White Rocks, \$16 hundred.
All good, healthy, strong purebred guaranteed.
We pay postage charges and guarantee live arrival on all baby chicks.
Pullets of any breed listed, \$1.50 each.
Cockrels, good size, \$2 each.
Poultry book on feeding and raising chicks and pullets, \$3 postpaid.
THE FULGHUM HATCHERY EMORY, TEXAS

31-12t-e

C. A. Dawson, formerly of Panhandle, and L. C. McArthur formerly of Borger, opened the Imperial Barber Shop in the Holmes Building Monday.

News Wants Ads pay.

No gas and oil smells on Finley Banks addition because at those rare intervals when the wind blows from the northwest. 35-1tc

W. L. Woodward, Manager of the Pampa Gas Co., returned from a business trip to Fort Worth Wednesday.

SORE BLEEDING GUMS
Only one bottle of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy needed to convince you. No matter how bad your case, get a bottle, use as directed, and if you are not satisfied, druggists will return your money. H. & K. Drug Co. 5-1f-c

News Want Ads Pay



Turkeys - - Chickens

They're plump and meaty and will roast tender and delicious. We have them in the size you need. We also have everything necessary for the "trimmins."

In fact you may come here for your complete Thanksgiving Dinner with the assurance that the quality you get cannot be excelled—and the prices will please you immensely.

- CRANBERRIES
- CELERY
- LETTUCE
- TOMATOES
- FRUITS
- NUTS

Pampa Poultry Mercantile ASSOCIATION

Dunaway Brothers will be open for business in their new home, next door to Piggly Wiggly, on Monday, November 22nd

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It's A Known Fact

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That our prices on Gas Stoves are right. Because of the fact that we buy in unusually large quantities, we are enabled to keep up the excellent quality of our stoves, as well as other merchandise, yet sell at remarkably low prices.

We now have, on the track, a carload of Bedroom and Living Room Furniture, and we invite your personal inspection of this, as well as our entire stock of Home Furnishings.

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G. C. MALONE FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING CO.

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Classified Ads

Rates for Classified Ads: One and one-half cents per word per week, minimum twenty cents. Strictly cash in advance.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cost range cook stoves at bargain price, \$5.00 to \$35.00. All in good condition. G. C. Malone Furniture and Undertaking Co. 3-12c

FOR SALE—House on four wheel trailer; 5-tube set; Remington 25 high power rifle; new saddle. Call after 6 p. m. on Sunday Mrs. Auther, 247 Brown Ave. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—One drop head singer sewing machine, \$15.00. Also new singers on easy payments; Repairs for all makes of machines. Eldridge, the singer man, Thornton's store. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—Small cafe and domino parlor. Paying proposition. Good lease. Will sell reasonable. 424 So. Cuyler street. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—Small Restaurant, East of Buick garage, on West Foster, known as Kelly's place. Mrs. Carrie Thomas, Box 883. 34-2tp

FOR LEASE—Farm from one to five years. Section 222, block m-2 Gray County, Texas. 125 acres farm land, balance pasture. Fair improvements, all fenced, good water. Want renter to reside on place. Apply to owner, C. E. Walker, 215 West Fourth St., Tulsa, Okla. 35-4tp

FRUIT SALE—The Wayside Club will have a fruit sale at the Pampa Poultry Association, on Cuyler Street, Wednesday, November 24th. 35-1tc

FOR SALE—Tent, come by twelve, boxed four foot and floored, call second cook at Pampa Restaurant. 35-11-p

FOR SALE—Sorghum Cane, banded. See T. C. ... three-fourth miles south of railroad on Clarendon Highway, or phone 5995F4 35-21-p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room modern apartment. Phone ... 35-11c

Light house keeping rooms, two rooms modern and fully furnished. Phone 238. 35-11p

WANTED

WANTED—To buy used furniture and oil stoves. ... Furniture and Undertaking Co. 3-12c

Wanted—Clean, Cotton Bags, Pampa News.

WANTED—Housekeeping, steady, call Mrs. S. L. ... Phone 223-J. 35-11p

WANTED—Boy 15 years old wanted to work after school and Saturdays. Good opportunity. Gordon Store Company. 35-11c

HELP WANTED—Energetic Salesman wanted to sell ... and Loan shares in Pampa surrounding territory. Splendid commission to right man. Panhandle & Loan Ass'n. Amarillo, Texas. Four Dlx. 35-11c

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR QUICK ACTION LIST YOUR ... all leases, ... property with Rice and ... located just across street from ... Pampa Station. 3-12c

We are glad to assist you in planning that new home you have been contemplating building. Our motto, "Service that Satisfies." White House Lumber Co., Pampa, Texas. 11-11c

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Black, four year old saddle horse, a dark blemish on left thigh, no other marks or white hairs. The animal disappeared from Cornett Camp last Thursday night. Reward will be paid on return to Pryor Cornett. 35-2tp

HOTELS

Texas Hotel, Pampa, Texas. A modern hotel in the panhandle oil fields. Price reasonable. 35-3tp

Cattlemen Exchange Quantity For Quality

The old order is slowly changing on the open range in favor of the modern cattleman who substitutes quality for quantity to satisfy the changing demands of the consuming public for lighter weight and better quality beef. To help the cattlemen make this change, grading demonstrations are being conducted in the western range States by the United States Department of Agriculture all the way from the irrigated valleys of Washington and the mountain ranches of Wyoming and Montana south to the desert ranches of Arizona and New Mexico. These demonstrations are conducted on isolated ranches sometimes 75 miles from a railroad or at the shipping pens, using herds at hand, and are attended by cattlemen who often come 100 miles to learn how to cull and grade their cattle.

The financial benefits of marketing cattle by grades and the benefits of nation standardization of grades, so that cattlemen everywhere may know what is meant by a certain grade, are being emphasized. In some of these remote valleys or isolated desert ranges are found remarkably good stock of good blood, lines, type and conformation.

Progress In Dust Explosion Control

One of the early dust explosions which took a toll of 13 lives, occurred in 1878 in a flour mill. This disaster led to efforts to develop methods and equipment for effective dust control. Marked progress has been made in recent years in the control of dust explosions and in the prevention of the resulting fires in flour mills particularly. Only 4 lives have been lost in dust explosions in flour mills since the original explosion in 1878. Heavy losses, however, have occurred in many other grain and milling industries.

SAVING IN PAVING

A study by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture has demonstrated that in construction of brick pavement brick 2 and 2 1/2 inches thick will give the service for which those of three and four-inch thicknesses have previously been used.

In the mail order catalogue did you see any mention of company investments in Pampa. Did you ever see one of your neighbors names on the company payroll or the corporation's name on the city's tax rolls?

Crops Of Fuel Are Grown By Belgians

In Belgium one may see trees from which the branches have been trimmed to a considerable height and even the tops cut out, for fuel. So states G. M. Hunt, Chief of the Department of Agriculture's Forest Products Laboratory, who has recently returned from a five-months investigation of European Wood preservation methods. These trees furnish crops of fuel just as any other trees produce crops of fruit. While such practices, because of labor cost, may be impracticable in the United States, they should nevertheless serve to illustrate the possibilities in utilizing more economically our rapidly shrinking forest resources.

RENTED FARMS

That one-fifth of the farm landlords in this country own approximately half of the rented farms, the other four-fifths having but one tenant each, is indicated by a survey conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture of the ownership of rented farms in 184 counties grouped in half the states.

"Inside" Information

Foods To Be Thankful For
Here's a choice of Thanksgiving dinner menus depending on the size of your family: fruit cup, then roast stuffed turkey, candied sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, broiled fresh tomatoes, individual pumpkin tarts, with meringue on top, coffee with or after the meal. Grapefruit with candied cranberries in the center, baked stuffed chicken, rice, Brussels sprouts or five-minute cabbage, grape jelly, cranberry ice, frosted cup cakes, cider. Have a salad after the main course instead of a fruit course first, if you prefer. You don't need both. Lettuce with Russian dressing is good.

Winter Desserts

Dried fruit shortcakes, make good winter desserts. Prunes, figs, dates, raspins, apricots and peaches may be used in this way. Stew the fruit, sweeten to taste, removing any pits, and add such special seasoning as spices or a few drops of lemon juice if you desire it. Spread the mashed pulp on both layers of a biscuit foundation which has been split in half and well buttered. Cream, either plain or whipped is an acceptable addition to these shortcakes.

Baked Bananas

Baked bananas are in order, as winter advances. Peel the bananas, split lengthwise, place in a baking dish, sprinkle with lemon juice and sugar, and bake until tender. Serve warm for dessert.

Nuts

Now that nuts are in season, you can enjoy them in a great many different dishes. They not only improve the flavor of salads, cakes, breads, scalloped dishes and other foods to which you add them, but they increase the food value.

We know of no picture more beautiful than that of a mother seated by the fireside reading bedtime stories to the children before she tucks them away for the night.

Mistaken Idea Of Tornado Corrected

The commonly accepted definition of a Tornado, often found even in dictionaries, is erroneous, according to the Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture. The "funnel shaped cloud like a waterspout, sand column or dust whirl" is not the tornado itself, but a phenomenon that occurs with it, a product of the violent and destructive winds that constitute the tornado. In meteorological terms a "tornado" is a small, violent, rotating windstorm, sometimes confined to an area of a thousand feet or less.

accompanying an extensive region of low barometric pressure. It may cover a thousand miles or more and is usually characterized by clouds and precipitation. A "hurricane" is a cyclone, which usually originates in the warm waters of the south Atlantic or Caribbean Sea, and consists of violently destructive winds that damage property and endanger life. This same type of storm is called a typhoon when it occurs in the vicinity of the China Sea and the Philippines. The probable direction of a hurricane can be predicted by observations, and the speed of its progress is reckoned.

gent, rotating windstorm, sometimes confined to an area of a thousand feet or less. A "cyclone," as meteorologists understand it, is a system of winds ed from its measured wind velocity. The weather Bureau sends out by radio and telegraph warnings of ships at sea and persons at all points in their paths may take steps to protect themselves. We have no objections to women smoking, but we do object to them carrying matches; and we haven't any great love for a match borrower. So, there—that's that.

NEW CROWNS SOAR EVER HIGHER

Millinery grows daily more unusual and therefore more intriguing. Each hat has its own delightful trick in draping its high crown or placing of its simple trimming of ribbon, jeweled pin or bright flower.

In felt, Velour, Velvet, Satin and grosgrain, priced \$3.00 to \$15.00

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Warner Baxter



Warner Baxter, prominent in the "movies," first became interested in theatricals while attending school in Columbus, Ohio, where he was born. Later he became associated with stock companies, finally signing a contract with a motion picture concern. His latest pictures include "Welcome Home," "Rugged Water," "A Son of His Father," and "The Best People." He is 5 feet 11 inches tall, has brown eyes and brown hair.

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS
By H. IRVING KING

THE SOW THISTLE

WHEN the sow thistle drops its blossoms it is a sure sign of rain. This superstition, according to the Journal of the American Folk Lore Society, exists in the southern states; very likely the reader will know of its existence in other sections of the country. As far as the writer can find out, it is the only survival in this country of the many superstitions connected with the sow thistle in Europe, where from time immemorial it has been a magic plant.

Though not indigenous to this continent the sow thistle—or swine thistle as it is sometimes called—is now widely distributed here. The name that the immigrant has brought with it is reminiscent of one of the magic attributes with which it is accredited in the Old world, where sprigs of it are nailed inside the pig troughs so that the swine may profit by the magical virtues which it imparts to their food. In Europe, as in America, the sow thistle is able to forestall the rain.

The legend of the discovery of the virtues of the plant in question is evidently more modern than the superstitions which pertain to it. The legend says that in a time of drought and a visitation of the plague, Charlemagne was hidden by an angel in a dream to shoot an arrow into the air; whatever that arrow lighted upon would cure the plague. Charlemagne followed directions and his arrow lighted upon a clump of sow thistle. By royal proclamation the people ate sow thistle and the plague disappeared; presumably the rain fell also. It is evident that the sow thistle was one of the many "lightning plants" of the old Germans—plants which were supposed to be engendered, or at least fructified, by lightning and lightning is, as a rule, accompanied by rain. In the use of the plant in connection with hogs so common in Germany, there may be a reminiscence of the pig which was sacrificed to him to insure moisture.

As Told by Irvin S. Cobb

WAY TO BEAT THE GAME

THOSE who in their youth were addicted, or subsequently have been addicted, to the good old American game of "seven-up" will appreciate a little tale which Frank I. Cobb, chief editorial writer of the New York World, told.

Cobb, who was born in Kansas and reared in Michigan, went to a town of the former state to sell upon an elderly uncle as a matter of business. He arrived about supper time. His uncle received him and ordered him, telling him that his husband would probably be along shortly.

Time passed and still the old gentleman did not appear.

"Wonder," said Cobb, "whether Uncle Henry has been detained at his shop."

"Oh, no," said his uncle in a resigned tone. "He's down at No. 2 cigar store, drinking tea."

Catching Up

"Why should we stop when you really know all about it?"

"Why, indeed! My girl brought all the wine thing."

Soil Surveys Aid Wise Use Of Lands

Interesting facts of many kinds are brought to light through soil surveys carried on by the Bureau of Soils of the United States Department of Agriculture. For example, a survey in southeastern Idaho covered an important general farming and livestock region, and the facts disclosed by it tended to discourage the promotion of an irrigation district as being unprofitable. A survey of over 1,200 square miles in Oregon revealed large areas of hill lands that could never be adapted to the production of prunes, walnuts and small fruit. In Arizona, by means of a survey, a number of soil types were identified suitable to a more extensive production of lettuce, cantaloupes and early potatoes. Through a survey in the Chico area, California, a serious trouble known as "die-back," in formerly productive prune orchards was found to be associated with the presence of decidedly calcareous subsoils. Extensive field and laboratory studies are now being made on this basis by a corps of State specialists. A survey recently started in Eldorado County, Calif., an important pear-growing district in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada, is expected to aid in the identification of lands suitable for the extension of the pear-growing industry and of others that may be utilized for timber or for grazing rather than for fruit.

Have you visited Oden's Muste Shoppe at Miller's Drug Store? 35-11p

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Saunders motored to Amarillo on Armistice day.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Vernon—The Vernon park bond issue authorized at an election held October 11 has been sold and its proceeds are to be used in the purchase and improvement of a park site for civic activities.

Decatur—Community schools will be conducted in the rural sections of Wise county if plans of County Agent materializes. Rural instruction in terracing is being sought by him through the co-operation of the extension department of A. & M. College.

Clyde—Waterworks and sewage bonds in the sum of \$60,000 were voted here recently by a vote of 3 to 1.

Stamford—Publicity manager E. H. Whitehead and Exhibit Manager B. M. Whiteaker of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have begun a week's service tour of more than a score of towns in the Red River district of the organization which they serve. Whitehead will collect material for the November issue of "West Texas Today" which will feature the Red River district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Whiteaker will collect specimens for the agricultural display being maintained at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition by the West Texas Chamber.

Markel—New and extra equipment for pumping water into the city reservoir is being installed here.

White Deer—Contract for the construction of two brick business houses have been let by White Deer citizens.

Street and highway paving. Coming from two ways in Finley Banks addition. 35-11c

B. E. Fatheree who went to Wichita Falls last Wednesday returned Sunday.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The City of Pampa is now ready to receive city taxes. We need money to operate the city affairs. John W. Andrews, tax collector, will have the books at his office at the south door of the City Hall or Fire Station. All who can please take care of your city taxes now.
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ENOUGH wheat will be produced in the United States this year to make 52,018,000,000 leaves of bread, according to the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation. The latest official estimates indicate that 820,000,000 bushels of wheat will be produced this year, and it is figured that 62 one-pound loaves of bread can be obtained from every bushel of wheat. Of the total estimated output 623,000,000 bushels were produced by winter wheat growers and 212,000,000 bushels by spring wheat growers in the Northwest. Last year the winter wheat production was 308,000,000 bushels and spring wheat 271,000,000. The present crop is above the five-year average of 802,000,000 bushels. The acreage devoted to the crop this year is put at 57,584,000 and the latest estimates place the production at 14.8 bushels per acre, the Foundation states. Winter wheat will run over 17 bushels per acre and spring wheat 10.2 per acre. Domestic needs are estimated at 840,000,000 bushels, so there will be more than 250,000,000 bushels for export. Prices are not as high as a year ago, but the crop probably will bring growers more than a billion dollars.

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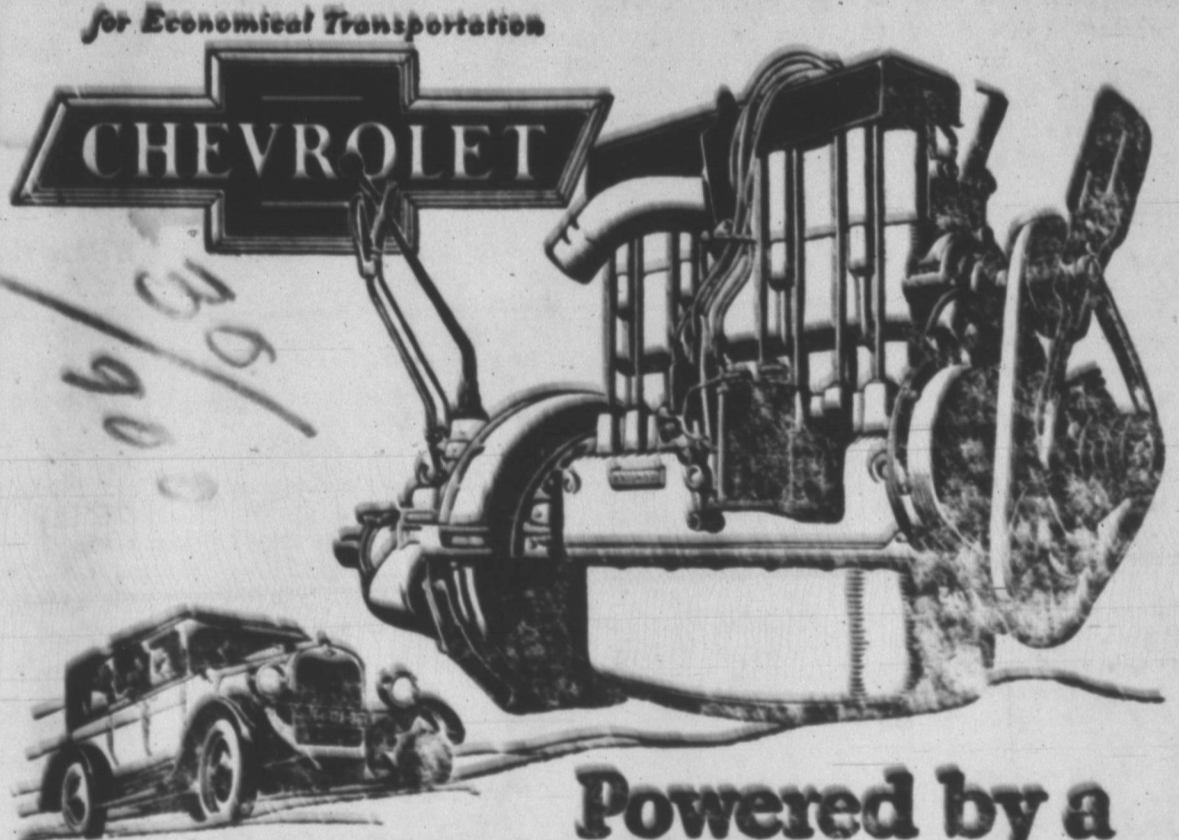
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HELPING WITH HER THINGS

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WHEN are men old? Well, I would say Not when their hair begins to gray, Not even when their step is slow, Not when so very old they grow They are too feeble anymore To do the things they did before— Like one who now no longer springs To help his wife on with her things.

Man's age may very often be a matter of his memory. He gets forgetful, and we say, Yes, even when not even gray, "He's getting old; he can't recall The things he used to do at all." He more her coat and hat he brings Or helps his wife on with her things.

We all grow gray—the women, too— But not so fast the woman who Has still a man who keeps her young— Not by some flattery of tongue But by the little kindly deeds. A woman's heart forever needs. Ah, I am sure the woman sings Whose husband helps her with her things.

The man who wants to keep himself From gathering dust upon the shelf, The man who wants to keep his wife Still looking on and up at life, I'm sure could find no better way To keep their hearts from growing gray, To keep their hearts forever spring's Than—well, to help her with her things. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

A WELL-ORDERED DAY

TO BEGIN in the early morning to arrange your mind for the orderly going of your routine work in a way which shall assure avoidance of all unnecessary friction, or waste of energy you have stored up during sleep, is a pretty sure indication that you are heading for a tranquil and successful day.

There is always a new-born power in high resolve. This force plays a great role in the lives of those who are conscious of its presence.

Discordant notes, jarring flare-ups of temper and nervous flurries, scamp at hastily to cover on the approach of men and women whose hearts are attuned to the music of the spheres, which is nothing more nor less than being in sweet accord with duty.

To see ourselves as others see us, is trying on our eyes and vexing to our souls.

If we can do this in the drear gray of morning, it should not be charged against us that we are deficient in the qualities that go to make a well-ordered life.

But how many of our kind can do this? How many of us in a spirit of calm determination can put aside pride and egotism, and stick to the high purpose until we actually bubble over with happiness which we are eager to share with others?

A well-ordered day opens the way for others of the same sort.

A constant repetition of similar days would in a little while lighten all forms of irksome labor, remove causes for discord, and draw humans together in a closer bond of friendship and a more open communication.

If you had an unhappy experience yesterday, see that nothing shall happen to disturb your serenity today. While sipping your coffee at the breakfast table, get a grip on yourself and plan for improvement.

Acquit yourself in a manner which shall make your employers or associates notice the change that has come over you, and the orderly fashion in which you approach your work.

Hold to your purpose without a frown or a curl of the lips, and impart your spirit to others.

In short time you will find yourself going at a new speed, rising steadily as you go and in sweet harmony with duty and with your fellow beings. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

YOU WILL FIND PEACE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

PEACE you will find, but never where The heart has never found a care; For I have found the fairest flowers Not in the well-attended bowers Of hothouse gardens. On the slope Bloom bright anemones of hope Along the rocks, amid the snow. The only peace that mortals know Comes after strife. So you will find After your grief content of mind.

Love you will find, but 't will not be In words of studied flattery. For sympathy is not a thing To loudly shout or proudly sing. It has no words, yet speaks more true Than all men's flattery can do. Ah, I have seen love better said By eyes than lips. When years are fled The love you will remember best Is love that was the quietest.

Joy you will find, but not among The songs that are too lightly sung. The laugh too loud. The joy that stays Is born among life's tranquil days, The wife's embrace, the baby's kiss, The husband's arms—in things like this, The heart will find the joy more deep. The joy the heart will want to keep. In simpler things that never cease You will find love, and joy, and peace. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)



"I WAS to a wedding last night," said the Hotel Stenographer. "Some guy determined to leave the land of the free and join the home of the brave crowd, eh?" asked the House Detective.

"Yeah," answered the girl. "Being a bride is no joke, no matter how much fun and old shoes they throw."

"We have spoken of the blushing bride for so long people expect a bride to look shy. Just as they expect a flivver to squawk its horn in every traffic jam. Brides just have to look that way, no matter how they feel. I never saw so painful an effort to look modest and shy as was on that girl's face last night."

"She used to be Marie O'Halloran. She married a guy whose name nobody with false teeth could pronounce without losing 'em. He is a Luzernian or something whose people came over here and made some money and educated him into a doctor."

He is a sheikish looking chap with a nice car with a green Irish cross on it. She has wanted him so bad that if he hadn't proposed when he did, I think Marie would have used violence.

"She spent every dollar she had, and every minute of her time on her clothes, till she was bankrupt and owed a lot at one of those installment department stores. At last he came through with the works and she got him. To go through all that and at the wedding try to look as though the whole thing was sprung on her by surprise and that she was almost sorry that she yielded, took more ability than a 'movie' queen has in displaying hatred when the good-looking villain kisses her against her will. Still, women have to keep up the fustions, or we are gone goolings, and she did the best she could, and they say an angel can't do more."

Would Outlaw Flannellette

Coroners of England have urged a movement to have flannellette garments outlawed by parliament because of the numerous accidents due to the inflammability of the cloth. "The number of inquests I have held on deaths in this district from this material is appalling," said Dr. W. Aymer Lewis, district coroner at Oswestry, recently.

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says Mr. McGraw is a wonderful manager, but one man can't do it all, and of course the Yankees can't win the pennant every time.

KNOW TEXAS

About sixty persons out of every one-hundred live in the country. Eighty-four persons out of each hundred in Texas are white and seventy-six out of each one hundred are native white people.

There are about 200,000 more men than women living in Texas. Sixty-nine per cent of the foreign born population of Texas are natives of Mexico. Germany ranks second with about eight per cent of the foreigners in Texas.

The area and resources of Texas are sufficient to care for a population of thirty million people.

Reindeer Meat Soon To Be On Sale In U. S.

Reindeer meat exported from Alaska this fall for consumption in the States will soon be on sale and prices will be reasonable, according to the reports to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. One leading reindeer company in the Territory expects to export not less than 5,000 carcasses, and more if the vessels with refrigeration facilities can be obtained for shipping the meat from Nome, Alaska, to Seattle, Wash.

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