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HAVE YOU DONE YOUR PART?

LIST OF THOSE WHO HAVE SUBSCRIBED TO RIGHT-OF-WAY FUND

The following is a list of those who have subscribed to the right-of-way fund for the Fort Worth & Denver South Plains Railway Co. that is now being raised. The fund being raised is for \$30,000 and there has been \$22,500 signed up, which leaves a balance of \$7,500 to be raised.

The remaining amount must be raised at once, as it will only be a few days until the Denver Officials will be here to sign the contract with Lockney, and if you want the committee to sign the contract the funds must be raised in order for them to do so.

If you have not done your part you should see some member of the soliciting committee at once and give them your note for the amount you feel you should give toward the proposition. It is just as much the duty of one citizen as another to help raise this fund, and each should give in accordance with his or her ability to give. If your name does not appear in the list below, you should see that it appears in the list we shall publish next week. We are all working for a common cause, and that is the good of the community at large. We will all benefit in one way or another from the building of the railroad, and it is an investment instead of a donation when you give to the right-of-way fund. Below is a list of those who have signed notes for the right-of-way fund and those who have donated right-of-way, also those who have donated part of the right-of-way across their land and the committee has made agreements on the rest of the right-of-way across their land:

- Those Signing Notes:
- O. D. Wofford \$ 100
 - A. A. Suits 50
 - J. E. Watson 100
 - Security State Bank 500
 - First National Bank 1,000
 - J. F. Stewart \$ 100
 - Alex Newman 50
 - B. B. Lee 25
 - J. W. King 20
 - J. C. Wilson 50
 - R. B. Brown 50
 - Mrs. C. H. Brown 100
 - C. V. Ford 100
 - W. H. Fields 350
 - A. B. Kolbs 50
 - T. B. Mitchell 25
 - J. T. Marr 150
 - W. E. McClure 25
 - W. M. Ferguson 50
 - A. L. Watson 100
 - C. L. Anderson 50
 - Baker Mercantile Co. 1,500
 - Crager Furniture Co. 150
 - L. B. Steele 5
 - H. Cook 25
 - W. L. Street 10
 - E. T. Pratt 25
 - J. B. Harper 50
 - E. R. Harris 100
 - J. L. Leach 100
 - J. W. Davis 25
 - H. H. Ball 50
 - J. S. Kemp 10
 - Ira Simpson 300
 - J. B. Pool 50
 - W. C. Nichols 250
 - R. L. Orman 50
 - J. L. Pearson 25
 - A. S. Cummings 160
 - C. L. Jarrett 25
 - J. H. Upton 50
 - Carlie Ayres 25
 - H. B. Adams 100
 - Arthus P. Barker 100
 - J. H. Brooks 40
 - C. K. Bennett 25
 - E. C. Brown 100
 - Floyd Barber 50
 - N. T. A. Byars 50
 - J. E. Burns 100
 - J. W. Baggett 100
 - H. L. Barton 100
 - U. S. Braswell 100
 - Leonard Brewster 25
 - J. L. Belt & Son 25
 - David Bates 100
 - W. A. Brewster 100
 - Mary A. Burnett 100
 - S. T. Cooper 250
 - W. W. Cooper 100
 - F. C. Cole 100
 - C. R. McCollum 400
 - H. P. Coleman 25
 - J. D. Childress 100
 - Jesse W. Dineen 100
 - M. H. Davis 150
 - Dyer Oil Co. 200

- J. B. Downs 100
- F. F. Ewing 25
- Frank H. Ford 150
- J. W. Fox 25
- W. L. Griffith 100
- John Griffith 100
- J. D. Griffith 100
- C. A. Griffith 75
- Roy Griffith 100
- E. Guthrie 50
- N. E. Greer 250
- L. H. Gruver 50
- R. L. Gass 100
- Dr. S. M. Henry 50
- G. B. Harris 100
- J. H. Hartman 300
- L. M. Honea 200
- John Hodel 200
- J. H. Harper 200
- J. W. Howell 50
- T. B. Hill 50
- Floyd Huff 50
- Joe E. Keliehor 250
- F. M. Kester 50
- Knox-Patterson Gin 250
- J. H. Karr 100
- Mrs. W. D. Long 1,000
- J. W. Monroe 200
- R. E. L. Mewshaw 50
- Geo. T. Meriwether 800
- A. R. Meriwether 400
- O. R. McCollum 50
- W. B. Mathews 25
- W. E. Mangum 50
- D. F. McDuffee 100
- G. S. Morris 150
- R. B. Mercer 50
- R. G. Morgan 100
- S. W. Perry 100
- Z. T. Riley 150
- Riley & Brewster 150
- T. V. Rankin 100
- J. T. Robbs 25
- A. L. Rains 50
- Ryan Speagle 100
- A. J. Smith 100
- W. O. Stark 100
- H. O. Sherbet 250
- South Plains Grain Co. 250
- N. J. Smalley 25
- P. E. Shick 250
- T. H. Stewart 250
- B. J. Smith 250
- C. H. Schacht 100
- W. R. Stone 75
- Burton Thornton 250
- M. H. Taylor 75
- Texas Land & Development Co. 500
- J. R. Teaver 30
- S. B. Virden 100
- J. H. Williams 100
- J. C. Woodruff Lbr. Co. 500
- West Texas Gin Co. 100
- W. L. Whitt 50
- W. A. Whitlock 50
- Geo. Webster 100
- Deck Wells 100
- J. F. Conner 50
- A. C. Goen 50
- A. T. Reed 50
- Ira Broyles 50
- T. L. Griffith 100
- J. E. Burns 25
- E. O. Baker 150
- Geo. W. Brewster 150
- E. H. Rankin 100
- R. B. Groves 25
- H. H. Brown 10
- Virgil Threet 25
- W. H. Counts 50
- S. H. Bolin 25
- H. E. Witte 25
- L. A. Wofford 200
- J. L. Dagley 25
- N. E. Waller 10
- Cecil Key 25
- Jack Gilbert 25
- J. H. Byington 10
- Cecil Cope 10
- Rudd Parsons 10
- W. G. Hodel 10
- Grady R. Crager 20
- Jim C. Whiteley 20
- O. W. Fry 100
- E. W. Henderson 50
- B. B. Vernon 25
- R. E. Simmon 25
- N. T. A. Byars 50
- E. R. Craft 25
- W. O. Sherbet 100
- W. J. Myers 100
- Ray Myers 15
- L. B. Stinebaugh 25
- T. H. Moore 10
- D. Chessir 25
- Ed Whitfill 25
- W. S. Cope 25
- E. L. Marshall 75
- J. R. Maddox 25
- T. Z. Reed 25
- W. A. Buford 50
- J. G. Fortenberry 50
- H. C. Randolph 50
- J. M. Anderson 50
- J. D. Dillard 25
- J. W. Malone 25
- W. E. Norris 25
- Eay Lecky 200
- J. E. Norris 25
- T. N. Crank 25

C. OF C. HAD GOOD MEETING MONDAY

APPOINT COMMITTEES FOR HOLDING OF ANNUAL BANQUET AND ELECTION

The Chamber of Commerce met in regular weekly session Monday at noon with a good attendance present. The annual banquet was discussed and it was decided to hold the banquet within the next two or three weeks, the date to be announced later, and to invite Mr. Frank E. Clarity and other Denver officials, and the representatives of the towns of Quitaque, Petersburg, Turkey and Estelline, to be present at the banquet and have all the contracts for the right-of-way for the Denver and South Plains Railway signed at the time. It is proposed to make quite an affair out of this banquet as Lockney will be ready to sign the contract with the Denver, and it is the desire of some of the Denver officials, as Lockney was the first town in all the South Plains country to invite them to build to the town, that all the towns along the line meet here for the final signing of the contracts. Messrs. E. S. Shoaf, H. B. Adams, W. W. Angel, A. P. Barker, Roscoe Gass and D. C. Lowe were appointed as committee on arrangements, and Messrs. A. B. Brown, Artie Baker, T. Z. Reed and Miss Lauream Christian were appointed as entertainment committee.

CLARENDON BOY HAS SKULL FRACTURED IN ACCIDENT

CLARENDON, Nov. 14.—Sam Blocker, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blocker, a prominent 25 family of Clarendon was thrown from a horse at 11:30 o'clock today and 25 rendered unconscious from a fractured skull. Last reports at 5 o'clock 100 were to the effect that little hope was 25 held out for him. The boy is a member of the Clarendon high school senior class and was spending the day at his fathers ranch 12 miles north of Clarendon, helping 30 with a round up when the accident occurred.

MULESHOE VETS BUY COURT HOUSE FOR THEIR HOME

MULESHOE, Nov. 13.—The World War Veterans of Bailey County met 25 here and organized a post, which has 100 not yet been named. The old county 50 courthouse was placed on sale and the 50 legion bought it in for \$1,075. This 50 building will be moved to a lot on the 100 square as soon as county officials are 25 moved into the new courthouse and 25 will be occupied by the legion as a 150 home. J. E. Aldridge was made post commander, H. O. Smith, vice commander; 10 S. A. Goodson, adjutant, and George 10 Dodson, treasurer.

- T. J. Jarboe 40
- C. F. Reeves 25
- J. N. Nelsom 25
- P. G. Garland 25
- K. D. Middleton 50
- Mrs. Rebecca Dodson 106
- C. W. Smith 200
- Glen Griffith 250
- J. S. McLain 150
- B. Yearly 25
- Roe McCleskey 100
- J. F. Dollar 20
- J. T. McLain 100
- J. H. Robertson 25

People Who Gave Right-of-Way

- C. A. Wofford
- Mrs. W. D. Long
- H. H. Harper
- A. B. Blount and Maggie Blount
- R. T. Spence
- H. A. Anderson
- S. F. Gilliland and wife
- Mrs. R. L. Reeves
- R. W. Watson
- E. W. Tidwell and wife
- J. M. Cox and wife
- L. A. Cooper
- J. H. Baxter
- J. M. Cooper
- G. B. Johnson
- O. C. Bailey
- R. E. Cox
- T. J. Mabry
- Scott Alexander
- Mrs. R. W. Long
- G. Milton
- Baker Mercantile Co.
- Geo. T. Meriwether
- Contract On Sale of Right-of-Way
- S. J. Livingston.

METHODIST CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

REV. J. T. REA OF MERKEL GIVEN LOCKNEY STATION—E. E. ROBINSON PRESIDING ELDER

In the annual conference of the Methodist Church at Canyon Sunday Rev. J. T. Rea of Merkel was sent to be pastor of the Lockney Methodist church for the coming year. Rev. J. P. Patterson, who has been pastor here for the past two years was sent to Tulia Station. Rev. Patterson is moving this week to Tulia with his family, and Rev. Rea is moving here from Merkel. Rev. E. E. Robinson of Lubbock, formerly pastor of the Plainview Methodist church, but who has been presiding elder of the Lubbock district for the past year, has been transferred to this district as presiding elder. Rev. R. A. Hart of Stamford has been sent to supply the Lockney circuit, and Rev. T. B. Hilburn, formerly pastor of the Lockney circuit goes to Turkey. It is with much regret that both his and the different churches of Brother Hilburn leaves his circuit on the circuits part, and many of his members were disappointed in his not being returned here. J. L. Henson returns to the Floydada station for another year. J. W. S. Webb has the Floydada circuit west, and A. D. Moore has the Floydada circuit east for the coming year. Rev. Marvin Brotherton goes to Kirkland and Goodlet, in the Vernon district, near Childress, for next year.

M. E. CONFERENCE AT CANYON NAMES NEW MINISTERS

CANYON, Nov. 15.—Appointments of preachers for the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference were announced here Sunday night, as follows: Aabilene District—Presiding elder, W. E. Lyon; Abilene, First Church, W. M. Pearce; Abilene, St. Paul's, A. L. Seales, who comes from the North Texas Conference; Abilene, Oak Street, E. D. Landreth; Abilene Circuit, J. M. Moody; Albany, Joe Boyd; Anson, H. C. Gordon; Anson Circuit, J. R. Williamson; Avoca and Tuxeda, J. E. Short; Baird, C. C. Wright; Clyde, L. H. Davis; Cross Plains, T. W. Brabham; Cross Plains Circuit, J. B. Baker (supply); Hawley Circuit, J. B. Hibbert; Lueders-Nugent, A. Brown; Merkel, W. K. McCarty; Merkel Circuit, to be supplied; Moran, H. A. Nichols; Clyde Circuit, E. H. Johnson; Van Zandt; Putnam, John W. Price; (formerly Joplin); Ovalo, Raymond Trent; C. H. Ledger; Tuscola, B. H. Terrell; Tye, J. W. Brown; Nugent Circuit, to be supplied; Thomas Hanks, supernumerary First Church, Abilene; President McMurry College, J. W. King; McAdoo Circuit, W. W. Raley; Editor Missionary Literature, B. Freeman; student McMurry College, C. B. Meador; General Evangelist, R. lege, W. V. O. Kelly; teacher, McMurry College, J. V. G. Anderson; student College.

Amarillo District—Presiding elder, W. M. Lane; Polk Street, Amarillo, L. N. Stuckey; Buchanan Street, Amarillo, Z. T. Bryant; Houston St., Amarillo, Z. B. Pirtle; St. Paul's, Amarillo, J. W. Hendrix; San Jacinto Heights, 25 Amarillo, V. H. Fisher; Booker, J. J. McNeely; Canadian, C. E. Pike; Chan- 100 ning, J. A. Laney; Dalhart, W. P. Garvin; Higgins, E. L. Sisk; Miami, 100 I. T. Huckabee; Panhandle, J. B. Huckabee; Spearman, J. B. Wheeler; Stratford, Joe E. Eldridge; Texline, Fred Wilson; Vega, E. Hill; White Deer, E. G. Foote; Zeback, R. O. Browder; Bovina-Friona, I. E. Walker; Hereford, J. O. Haynes; Hereford changed from Plainview District; Presbyterian Orphan Home, G. J. Irvin; general evangelist, F. M. Neal; missionary to Africa, Ancil Lynn; supernumerary, D. W. Hawkins. Clarendon District—Presiding elder, J. T. Griswold; Clarendon, J. H. Ham- 100 blen; Clarendon Circuit, North, W. J. Knoy; Clarendon Circuit, South, H. G. Walton; Claude, W. A. Hitchcock; Hedley, J. W. Hawkins; Lake View, M. E. Hawkins; Lelia Lake, A. O. Lean, J. A. Scoggins; Memphis, C. E. Jameson; Memphis Mission, Sam A. Thomas; Robertson, U. S. Sherrill; Pampa, E. J. Osborne; Pampa, W. E. Hamilton; Shamrock Circuit, John B. Crow; Wellington, J. T. Hicks;

TRADES DAY DRAWS GOOD CROWD

MRS. T. E. MAYES GETS \$75 PREMIUM—MRS. J. C. JACKSON \$40

The regular third Monday drawing was held in Lockney last Monday and a good crowd was in attendance. Mrs. T. E. Mayes was awarded the \$75 cash prize on ticket No. 182340; Mrs. Mayes lives 5 miles northeast of Lockney; Mrs. J. C. Jackson was awarded the \$40 cash premium on ticket No. 152-382. Mrs. Jackson lives 17 miles north of Lockney. Clara Gunn held the ticket that won the \$25 cash prize, it being No. 188389. The seven \$5 premiums were won as follows: No. 175824, Robert Webster; No. 189379, Herman Huffman; No. 203605, Mr. Yoakum; No. 137903, Nina McCormick, Alcino; No. 179831, Bruce Whitlock, Roseland; 202561, Buck Sams; No. 159953, Mrs. Clyde Bennett. The next trades day will be held December 21st, which closes the six months term that was inaugurated in the summer, making a total of \$1,050 given away in cash premiums by the merchants of the town.

LONGHORNS DEFEAT CROSBYTON INDIANS

The Lockney Hi Longhorns defeated the Crosbyton Indians to a score of 31 to 0 in a fast and thrilling game last Monday at the Hi School Park. The Longhorns played one of the fastest and snappiest games of the season. They rushed the Indians off their feet from the first down until the game was called in account of darkness in the first of the fourth quarter. Lockney has the best foot ball team they have had in five years. They have won more games and played better foot ball than any team since the days of "Big Boy Burns" and his hard hitting "Wampus Cats."

The Longhorns have some men in their eleven that are going far in the foot ball world. Marlin (Goat) Jarnigan is one of the fastest broken field runners in the Panhandle. Paul Ragle, while not so good a broken field runner, because he has to much speed, just runs around the opposing eleven and the best way of tackling him is to herd him out of bounds. Kelly (Blue John) Teaff as a line plunger and kicker is one of the best on the Plains. Vernon Shelton is one of the fastest half backs playing foot ball on the plains. Earl, (Dog) Rives is just like a locomotive headed through a string of box cars. Don't ever be guilty of getting in front of him because there is danger ahead.

Weldon Logan as a tackle has been the star of the season. Weldon received a lick in Monday's game that broke his collar bone. He made 60 yards in three downs against the Indians, getting his collar bone broke the third down. Weldon promises to be one of the best foot ball players West Texas has ever produced.

The Longhorn line is one of the best lines in this country. There has not been but four of the five first down made through their line this season. Last, but not least is the man who is responsible for this fast, winning Longhorn team, Coach (Mat) Noble. He is one of the best coaches that Lockney High School has ever had. He started the season with very little material and has made a winning team. He has brought out the latent foot ball qualities in some of his men that never dreamed they had the prowess they have. The Longhorns will play Clarendon Hi at Clarendon Thanksgiving Day. Everybody that can go should go help the boys win this game because it will mean much to them. This game will be the hardest game they will have this season. So go help them win.

JAKE JAILED AS EVIDENCE AT SHERMAN

SHERMAN, Nov. 14.—Jamaica ginger valued at \$3,500 was brought here from Denison today and locked in the county jail to be held as evidence against alleged liquor violators. Jess. D. Carter, of Austin, of the State Fire Insurance Commission, was here over Sunday, visiting his brother, D. P. Carter and family.

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LET MR. MOODY PROCEED.

The action of Governor Ferguson in instructing the Highway Commission to employ attorneys to resist the suit Attorney General Dan Moody has brought against the American Road Company is indeed surprising. The basis of the Attorney General's suit was awarded at an exorbitant price and that the company as a result has made excessive profits. These profits the Attorney General estimates at \$650,000, and his suit aims, among other things, to recover this \$650,000

and return it to the State Treasury to the benefit of the tax payers.

Mrs. Ferguson's action puts her in an unenviable position, a position which we believe she was led into more by her desire to defend a branch of her own administration than a desire to obstruct the Attorney General in his efforts to recover money for the State. We can hardly believe that otherwise Mrs. Ferguson would have taken so untenable a position. Her action, in effect if not in fact, makes her the champion of a contract which the chief legal officer of the State alleges is excessive and exorbitant and on which he is demanding the return of \$650,000 to the state.

One would naturally expect that had not Mrs. Ferguson been influenced by a desire to protect a department of her own administration, or at least under the mistaken idea that such was her duty, she never would have addressed such instructions to the Highway Commission nor placed herself in such position. Neutrality in the situation no doubt would have been the course her duty would have pointed out to her.

Mrs. Ferguson's action is regrettable, to say the least of it. Too much has been said and too much has been done regarding the highway situation to have it stopped at this stage of proceedings upon any technicality as to the Attorney General's authority or upon any direction the Governor may give. There have been too many charges, too many counter-charges, and too many developments that have claimed public attention, not to justify a thorough sifting of the entire situation. There are many things in Mr. Moody's charges in his suit against the American Road Company that are too important to be ignored.

The \$650,000 claim of excess profits is only one. Another is the \$436,000 in cash and Liberty Bonds, reposing in escrow in a Dallas Bank. This money, belonging to the American Road Company, the Attorney General located in the safety deposit box of a Kansas City bank and had returned to Texas and to the jurisdiction of Texas courts. A third fact is that dividend checks, totaling \$819,000, made out to stockholders of the American Road Company and drawn against this \$436,000 item, were likewise returned uncashed at the instance of the Attorney General.

These things would indicate at least that Mr. Moody is entitled to a hearing in court on the charges he makes.

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for that is the only place that the issue can be properly determined and the truth or falsity of the charges correctly established. To have these suits brushed aside on the mere technicality that the Attorney General, as the chief legal officer of the State, can not institute such suits without the authority of the Governor will not satisfy taxpayers and citizens of Texas. They are interested in the cause of good roads and the manner in which their money is spent. They want to know whether it has been wisely and judiciously spent or whether it has been wasted. The determination of the American Road Company suit at least will afford that opportunity. Certainly, the situation is not one wherein technicalities should be pleaded and surely Mrs. Ferguson should be just as desirous of having this situation cleared up as any taxpayer.

Mrs. Ferguson's husband, former Governor Jim Ferguson, has publicly declared that he advised with the Highway Commission because he realized that the success of his wife's administration would largely be determined by the actions of that body. If the commission has been guilty of unbusinesslike methods and of extravagant expenditures, one would naturally feel that the Governor and her husband, who had advised with the commission to prevent these very things, would appreciate rather than resent the assistance of Attorney General Moody in establishing or failing to establish the rumors and charges that have been afloat for many months.

We can see no possible damage that will result to the State or to the cause of highways by the trial of the suit against the American Road Company. On the other hand, we can see much to be gained. First, a clarification of the entire situation, and, if the allegations are established, an enormous saving to the State on unfinished contracts and a possible recovery of a substantial amount on the completed contracts. Should Mr. Moody fail entirely, no one should be damaged. Certainly, the cause of roads will not be, for we can not imagine even the present contractors not being desirous of carrying out the terms of the contract. Even if they should, we are constrained to believe that there are plenty of other substantial and able contractors in Texas who would gladly do so.

As to the politics of the situation or controversy, The Star-Telegram has the personalities connected with the not the slightest concern. It has no prejudice whatsoever against any of them and it is interested in politics only to the extent that such affects the welfare and prosperity of the State.

But we do feel that the public is entitled to know the truth about the highway situation and that the Governor, the Highway Commissioners, all other affected parties, should be willing and anxious to have it cleared up. Certainly, some of them can afford to put themselves in a position of resisting the efforts of the Attorney General. Manifestly, having made an investigation and filed a number of suits, he is entitled to proceed and have his day in court. Rather than obstructing him, we feel that the Governor should co-operate with him, but if she can not co-operate because it is one branch of her administration that is under fire, the least she should do, in our opinion, is to adopt an attitude of neutrality and of watchful waiting.

By all means Mr. Moody should be allowed to proceed. Nothing else short of that will satisfy the people. And if he succeeds he will have done the State a service and have earned its gratitude.—Star Telegram.

Miss Mabel Dagley left last Tuesday for her home in Long Beach, Calif., after a visit of several days here with her mother, Mrs. N. L. Dagley, and her brother and sisters.

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ties to which other men are blind, just as an artist sees beauty in objects where the layman sees none. There are men who have an instinct for buying and selling which other men lack, just as the actor knows intuitively how to touch the wellsprings of our laughter and our tears. And we are no more responsible for not being Napoleons of finance than we are for not being John Barrymores. We can fairly blame nature for that.

Then there is the element of luck. It is foolish to deny that chance plays a big part in our affairs. First of all is the luck of being born with what Kipling calls two sides to your head; the luck of having a good, healthy body instead of a sickly one; the luck of being reared by strong parents, instead of weak, foolish or over-indulgent ones; the luck of marrying a sensible, thrifty wife, instead of a silly, extravagant one; the luck of making the right friends and getting the right start in life.

All of this is chance or fate, as we choose to call it. It is something with which we have nothing or very little to do. But it decides our destiny.

For a man to be born poor and humbly, for him to have no advantages of education and no powerful influence to advance his fortunes is not bad luck. On the contrary, necessity is a spur that goads men on to success. Many a millionaire began his career on a slak-pile. Many a famous inventor, scientist, politician was born in a tenement. But you could count on the fingers of one hand all of the men who were born to riches and high place who have ever achieved anything worthwhile in the world.

Then comes the personal equation. Many men fail in the world because they are trying to do the wrong thing, the thing that nature never intended them to do. They are round pegs in square holes. Many a good carpenter is a failure as a jack-leg lawyer. Many a man who is a failure as a salesman would have success as a preacher.

Unless a man loves his work for itself, unless he is interested in every detail, and finds himself continually thinking about it and wondering how he can do it better, he may be sure that he has chosen the wrong occupation, and that he will have to shift over to doing the thing he wants to do before he ever succeeds.

Many men fail because they never learn to do the thing they are doing well. They always turn out a make-shift job, and make-shift work is always cheap work. It is only the experts who draw down the big salaries.

Emerson said that if a man made a mouse trap that was better than any other mouse trap, the world would wear a path to his door step even though he lived in a wilderness. That is truer today than it ever was before. Employers everywhere are pining to pay \$10,000 salaries a year to them.

The man who knows all about the line he sells, the craftsman the crack-erjack stenographer, the expert in any line succeeds. Those who do the kind of work that just gets by fails.

Many men do not succeed because they are not willing to put in the little extra effort that would carry them to success. They are paid but not an extra honest equivalent for the money they are paid, but not an extra stroke more.

They work with their eyes on the time clock. The men who succeed never stop until their job is done. They never count the effort they make. They look only to the result. Like the hero of the poem, "While their companions sleep, they are toiling upward in the night."

Many men fail because of their bad tempers. They get into rages in which they throw up good jobs or break up partnerships that would have meant fortunes to them. They can never rise to any high position because they cannot get along with people.

An uncontrolled temper stands between many a brilliant doctor and lawyer, and success in his profession. It explains why many a merchant sees customers pass his door to go to his neighbor's and why many a skilled workman never gets a foreman's job in the shop.

A man's family has a lot to do with his success. The old proverb says truly that a woman can throw more out of the back door than a man can put in at the front door with a shovel. No man, except a wizard at money-making can make any headway against an extravagant or wasteful wife. Nor is it easy for a man to succeed who is handicapped by a delicate wife and sickly children.

Thousands of men who see themselves passed in the race by men no more intelligent, no more industrious than they are, know that the reason that they cannot run is because of the crushing family burden they bear on their backs. For often, it is not only wife and children, but helpless old fathers and mothers, and parasite uncles and brothers who ruin them.

In addition to details, lack of promptness, extravagance, over-indul-

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DOROTHY DIX DISCUSSES THE ELEMENTS OF SUCCESS

Variety of Reasons That Keep Men From Achieving Success In Life

A man says bitterly: "I am sober, moral and industri-

ous. I do not drink. I do not gamble. I work hard. Yet I make a bare living for my family. Why do I not succeed? What is the matter with me that I cannot get along in the world as other men do?

There are many reasons why one man succeeds and another fails. Some are the fault of the individual. Others

are not. To make much money, a man must have financial genius. That is a gift of the gods just as much as is a tenor voice, or the ability to write, or paint, or act. Nor can a man create in himself this talent any more than he could make himself an opera-singer, or a poet, or an actor. There are men who see opportuni-

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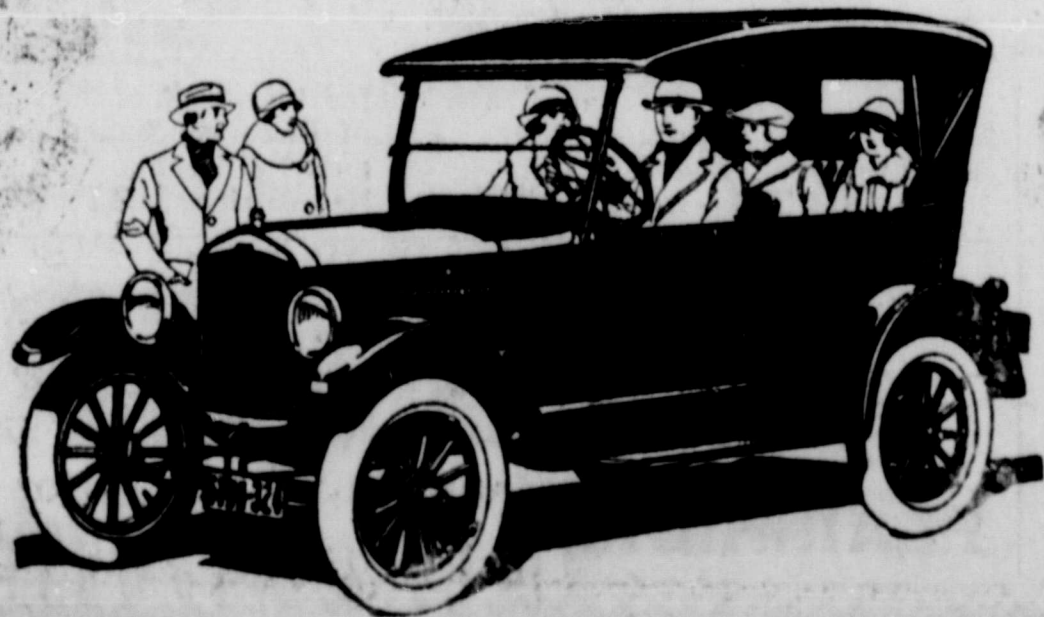
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gence of children, keeping up with the neighbors, are other reasons why men do not succeed. Let the man who does not get along have a vivisection party with himself and see which one of these is the reason why he fails.

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Texas Items

An ice plant has just been completed at Anahuac and is now in operation.

The Brownsville tax rate has been set by the board of city commissioners at \$2.41 on the \$190 valuation.

Thousands of dollars worth of sweet potatoes decayed in the fields of Cherokee and Smith counties during the recent rains.

The release of 19 counties in South Texas from foot and mouth quarantine and embargo will now permit several thousand calves to be sent to market from El Paso.

Plans have been accepted by the county commissioners for the erection of a three-story annex to the court house at Lufkin, which will cost around \$60,000.

The Anderson County commissioners court has signed the contracts for new graveled road from Tennessee Colony to Bethel in the northwestern part of the county.

One of the outstanding cotton yields made this season is that of Carl Foster of Edom, 19 miles west of Tyler, who has gathered 23 bales of cotton from 13 acres and has three more bales open in the field.

About \$5,000,000 will be spent by the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad on Texas properties of the company during 1926 for maintenance by the budget, W. M. Whitenton, vice president in charge of operation, announces.

The city commission of Navasota has fixed the city and school tax rate at \$2.35, the same as the 1924 rate. City tax rolls show the 1925 property rendition to be \$3,169,246. The school district has an additional property rendition of \$696,972, on which the school tax is applicable.

A campaign which seeks to eliminate the shorter staple cotton from Rusk County farms has been launched. The movement follows in the wake of considerable dissatisfaction among Rusk county farmers, who found that the price decline in Rusk County this fall fell heavily upon the shorter staples of cotton.

The program for the fourteenth annual meeting of the Texas Editorial Association, to be held in Brownsville December 1 to 5, has been announced. While the greater part of the sessions of the convention will be held in Brownsville, side trips to Mercedes, San Benito, Harlingen and Matamoros are also provided for.

Three bonds of City of Abilene refunding bonds, one for \$40,500 water works, another for \$25,500 street improvement, and the third for \$25,000 school building bonds, all bearing 4 per cent and maturing serially, has been approved by the attorney general's department.

A Justice of the Peace at Austin has approved in the law books a provision that prohibits hunting on Sundays within half a mile from a church, school house or private residence. A fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$50 is provided for violation of the statute. The law, however, appears to be silent on the question of hunting on week days within these prescribed limits.

University oil royalties of \$105,728.75 were received by Land Commissioner J. T. Robinson Saturday from the T&O Oil Company, one of the operators on university lands in Reagan county. The remittance increased to approximately \$1,400,000 the oil royalties now being held in suspense pending decision whether the money goes to the university permanent fund or to the fund available for building purposes.

The commissioners court of Brazoria has called an election on December 4 for the purpose of voting on \$1,000,000 in bonds for construction of a deep water channel at Freeport. All voting precincts in the county, except Alvin and Chocolate Bayou, which are in the eastern part of the county, are included.

The fall production of wool in Texas will not exceed 4,500,000 pounds, which compares with 6,000,000 pounds in 1924. The average wools will probably be heavier than last year but the staple will be shorter.

Bad eyesight, a wornout typewriter ribbon or just a poor and lowly proof-reader has again thwarted the will of the legislature of the great State of Texas. The session, in their last assembly, sought to make the open season on fur-bearing animals begin "after November thirtieth." In the printing of the bill, the word "thirtieth" was made to read "thirteenth." The courts have held that in cases of this kind the way the law finally reads in the statutes must prevail.

A college that offers anything short of the best in faculty material is committing a crime against the student, Dr. Lindsey Blayney, president of the College of Industrial Arts, told the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in convention at Austin last week. Mrs. John D. Sherman, president general of the federation, deplored the "breakdown" of the American home, and Dr. Walter Spawns, president of Texas University, discussed results of the recent Texas school survey.

MEN'S CLOTHING FURTHER REDUCED SUITS

ALL WOOL—EXTRA TROUSERS

\$22.50	\$19.95	\$42.50	\$35.85
\$25.00	\$22.35	\$45.00	\$37.95
\$27.50	\$23.65	\$47.50	\$38.50
\$28.50	\$24.48	\$48.50	\$41.50
\$30.00	\$24.95	\$49.50	\$42.35
\$32.50	\$26.95	\$52.50	\$43.95
\$34.50	\$28.85	\$55.00	\$46.35
\$35.00	\$29.50	\$57.50	\$48.25
\$37.50	\$31.65	\$59.50	\$49.95
\$39.50	\$33.45	\$62.50	\$52.95

ODD PANTS

\$3.50	\$2.75	\$6.50	\$5.45
\$3.75	\$3.10	\$6.75	\$5.50
\$4.00	\$3.25	\$7.00	\$5.95
\$4.25	\$3.45	\$7.50	\$6.25
\$4.75	\$3.95	\$8.00	\$6.75
\$5.00	\$4.15	\$8.50	\$7.25
\$5.50	\$4.58	\$9.00	\$7.75
\$5.75	\$4.85	\$9.50	\$8.15
\$6.00	\$4.95	\$10.00	\$8.50
		\$10.50	\$8.95

DRESS HATS

\$3.50	\$2.98	\$5.50	\$4.85
\$4.00	\$3.58	\$6.00	\$5.35
\$4.50	\$3.98	\$6.50	\$5.75
\$5.00	\$4.48	\$6.75	\$5.95
		\$7.50	\$6.65

FANCY PATTERNS IN NECKBAND SHIRTS

\$1.25	\$.98	\$2.75	\$2.10
\$1.50	\$1.15	\$3.00	\$2.25
\$1.75	\$1.25	\$3.25	\$2.55
\$2.00	\$1.55	\$3.50	\$2.75
\$2.25	\$1.75	\$3.75	\$2.95
\$2.50	\$1.85	\$4.00	\$3.10

FIFTY MEN'S SUITS GREATLY REDUCED

Twenty Suits at \$14.50	Thirty Suits at \$24.50
Six Overcoats at \$9.50	

We have had exceptional good business this year and we attribute it in a large measure to our CASH POLICY—Enabling us to sell at LOWER PRICES.

- All Boys' 2-pznt Knicker 6 to 18 yrs., for Half-Price
- Men's Wool and Cotton Mixed Union Suits \$2.65
- Children's Ribbed Union Suits, 20 to 28 79c
- Men's Heavy Fleece Union Suits, 36 to 46 \$1.35
- All Boys' Knicker Pants, 6 to 18 Half-Price

- Men's good weight well made Blue Overalls \$1.25
- Fleeced Shirts and Drawers 65c
- One lot Arrow Soft Collars three for 50c
- One lot Arrow Stiff Collars three for 25c
- Men's All-wool Knit Gloves 25c
- Men's Pure Wool Sox, extra length legs, knitted on hand machines, pair 50c
- Men's heavy wool mix Sox three pair for \$1.00

CARTER-HOUSE

Continues to Nov

We find that owing to the delay in getting some of our new fixtures we will be unable to remodel our Store completely until after January 1st. However, in order to reduce our stock as much as possible we have decided to continue our present Remodeling Sale up to and including Saturday, November

DON'T FORGET TO ASK FOR FREE SILVERWARE

THANKSGIVING SALE

Special—Special—Special—Household Furnishings, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Sheets, Bed Spreads, and Draperies Included in this Sale is our Annual Offering of Thanksgiving Linen and Household Furnishings.

- 60 inch Fancy Bordered Cotton Damask, Special, the yard 50c
- 64 inch full Bleached Mercerized Damask, Special, the yard 68c
- 66 inch good weight Bleached Mercerized Damask, Special, yard 79c
- 72 in. extra heavy full bleached Mercerized Damask, Special, yard 95c
- 72 in. fancy bordered, colored and white Damask, Special, yard \$1.19
- 70 in. extra heavy, all pure Linen German 1-2 bleached Damask \$1.79
- 70 in. Warranted all pure Linen Plain Satin Damask, yard \$2.79
- 54 in. scalloped colored edge Table Cloth, each 95c
- 63x64 in. Mercerized, Hemmed Table Cloth, each \$1.69
- 64x72 in. extra heavy, Hemmed Union Table Cloth, each \$1.98
- 54x54 in. Breakfast Set, 6 Napkins, waffle weave, cold linen \$4.25
- 16x16 in. Manantico Hemmed Napkins, dice pattern, dozen 95c
- 19x19 in. Mercerized Hemmed Napkins, snow drop pattern, doz. \$1.79
- 15x30 in. Huck Towels, fancy border, dozen \$1.50
- 18x36 good weight bleached Turkish Towels, each 19c
- 72x90 Wearwell tape edge Hemmed Sheets \$1.29
- 22x38 in. Bath Mats, assorted colors, each 95c
- 81x90 in. Bath Mats, assorted colors, each \$1.39
- 9-4 Pullaway Bleached Sheeting 45c
- 72x90 in. Field quality, Doreus Bed Spreads \$1.95
- 36 in. Fancy Embroidered Dot Curtain Marquisette, the yard 39c

BEDDING—BLANKETS—BAGGAGE

BIG REDUCTIONS

- Feather Pillows at \$1.19
- Heavy Single Grey Blankets, medium size 89c

HOSIERY SPECIALS

- Women's Full Fashioned Silk Hose, Pointed and Square Heels, service and chiffon, cotton top, black and Colors, \$2.00 value, at \$1.39
- Women's pair Silk, mock seam, cotton top hose, black and colors, and Full Fashioned Chiffon, black only 79c
- All Silk Chiffon Hose, black only \$1.19
- Women's Silk and Fibre Cotton Top Hose, black and colors 39c

COTTON PIECE GOODS

- XTRA—36 in. Sheeting, values up to 50c, Special 25c
- XTRA—Soft Fine Zephyr Gingham values to 50c, Special 25c
- XTRA—English Prints, values up to 50c, Special 25c

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XTRA—32 in. Devonshire Cloth, fast colors, values 40c, Special	25c	ues up to 20c	10c
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XTRA—Cheviot Shirting, extra heavy, value 25c, Special	15c	XTRA—9-4 Bleached Sheeting Special	45c
XTRA—27 in. Dress Ginghams, values up to 20c	10c	XTRA—9-4 Brown Sheeting Special	35c

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Pearl Buttons, the card	at	3c	Dress Snaps	at	3c
Pin and Safety Pins	at	3c	Bias Fold Binding	at	7c
Finishing Braid	at	3c	Hair Pins, 15 to the card	at	7c
Shirt Collar Bands	at	7c			

SILKS—SATINS AND VELVETS

40 and 54 in. Crepe Black Satins, Canton and Charmeuse, \$4.50 and \$4.00 values, Special	\$3.35
40 in. Satins, Canton, Flat Crepes and Crepe Failles, \$3.50 and \$3 values, Special	\$2.25
40 in. Satin, Duches, Peau de Soie, Feau de Chess, \$2.50 and \$2.25 values, Special	\$1.85
40 in. Cut Velvets, Chiffon and Black Satin, \$7.50 values, Special	\$5.65
40 and 54 in. Panna Velvet, Satin Crepe and Epingle, \$5.50 and \$5.00 values, Special	\$3.75
XTRA—One lot Silks, values to \$2.50, Special	98c

WOOLENS—WOOLENS

54 in. Chameen, Twilleen, Poirer Twill of Plain and Fancy, \$4.85 values, Special	\$4.35	54 in. all wool extra fine Balbriggan in the wanted colors, \$3.85 values, Special	\$3.25
54 in. Flasha, Fancy Flannels in the wanted colors, \$4.45 values, Special	\$3.95	45 in. all wool Poirer Twill of Plain and Fancy, \$2.85 values, Special	\$2.55
54 in. Maroda all-wool Coating of the Black, Prince and Tants, \$6.65 values, Special	\$5.45	XTRA—One lot all-wool Dress Goods, values to \$2.50, Special	98c

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Any Florsheim Shoe or Oxford for	\$8.85	WE ARE CLOSING THESE OUT	
Any Edmonds Footfitter, \$7.00 values, for	\$5.95	150 pair Florsheim and Walkover Shoes, black and brown	\$4.95
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Black for	\$10.50	200 pair Boys' Shoes, all leather and sizes, pair	\$2.45
Brown for	\$11.50		

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LOTS OF NEW ONES TO SHOW YOU.

\$14.75	\$ 9.75	\$32.50	\$21.75
\$16.75	\$11.75	\$33.50	\$22.75
\$19.75	\$13.75	\$35.00	\$23.75
\$23.75	\$18.75	\$36.75	\$25.75
\$24.75	\$18.75	\$39.75	\$29.75
\$27.50	\$18.75	\$44.50	\$32.75
\$29.75	\$19.75	\$49.50	\$35.75
	\$54.50	\$35.75	

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\$19.75	\$14.75	\$44.50	\$36.75
\$23.50	\$18.75	\$47.50	\$36.75
\$24.75	\$18.75	\$49.50	\$39.75
\$27.50	\$21.75	\$54.50	\$44.50
\$29.75	\$23.75	\$56.50	\$44.50
\$33.50	\$26.75	\$74.50	\$49.75
\$36.75	\$28.75	\$89.50	\$59.75

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Ladies' Silk Petticoats at	Half-Price	Ladies' Union Suits at	89c
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House Dresses at	95c	Chamoisuede Gloves at	79c
Children's Gingham Dresses at	95c	WOMEN'S FURNISHINGS AND NOVELTIES	
Satinette Bloomers at	89c	A Big Table of Various Articles, Good Merchandise, at	VERY, VERY LOW PRICES
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BIG REDUCTIONS	All Ladies' \$7.45 Patterns in all leathers and heels	\$6.25
See our table of Men's Women's and Children's Shoes at	All Men's Work Shoes Discounted.	
Don't pass up our Bargain Tables of good Sturdy school shoes for Children.	Men's, Women's and Children's Tennis Shoes and Oxfords, at	98c
Sizes 5 to 8		\$1.95

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Clearance of Women's Oxfords, Cuban heels, all styles except Selby's Arch Preservers at the following low prices.

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\$5.95—\$4.75	Black	\$8.45
\$4.95—\$3.95	Brown	\$8.95

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas C. of C.)

Littlefield—This town claims to have memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce per capita than any town in West Texas. B. F. Bennett who was here this week secured sixty-two members here and was told to call again if that was not enough. Littlefield is awake and is unanimously behind the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Colorado—R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will speak here on the evening of November 30. He is to make a campaign along the T-P reaching as far as El Paso. His complete itinerary for the trip is: Harmleigh 4:30 p. m., Nov. 19; Roscoe noon Nov. 20; Lorraine 3 p. m. Nov. 21; Big Spring Sunday Nov. 22 he will speak at the First Baptist Church; Lamesa noon Nov. 23; Midland 8 p. m. Nov. 23; Barstow 10 a. m. Nov. 24; Pecos noon Nov. 24; El Paso Nov. 25. Mr. Lee may stop at Balmorhea Nov. 26 on his return trip.

Coleman—The heart of Texas district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held ready under way to make this the here Dec. 18 and preparations are all-greatest district convention ever held. This district includes a number of counties in central West Texas and some unusual features will be staged during the convention.

Robert Lee—A big irrigation meeting was held here Nov. 13. Eminent men in irrigation were here and high officials of the Orient Railroad were present to encourage the project. A Lincoln Fellowes head of the United States Reclamation Bureau made the principal talk. West Texas Chamber of Commerce was represented by E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager of the organization. The project here is located on the Colorado River and is potentially one of the greatest projects in the country. It will be entirely located in Coke County.

Abilene—Armistic Day was celebrated in appropriate manner all over West Texas. Many towns staged parades. Prominent figures of the state and nation spoke at various points over West Texas. Many cities enjoyed football games and athletic contests. The religious side of the holiday was not overlooked. Appropriate ceremonies being held in churches over the entire section. Practically every city of consequence in the section observed the holiday.

Midland—The ordinary "pie" melon which grows wild throughout West Texas is the best medium known with which to poison rabbits. Experiments here have demonstrated this fact. Farmers of the Midland Country are being urged to haul in and preserve these melons for use in fighting the pests. The melons ordinarily considered valueless are meeting with ready sale for this purpose.

Floydada—A direct highway from Post through Floydada to Clarendon connecting the Glacier to Gulf with the Colorado to Gulf is now assured. Crosby County has let the contract for the road down toe cap rock leading to Post. This road will be a great asset to Floydada as well as a convenience to tourists.

Sagerton—The Southwest precinct of Haskell County voted bonds in the sum of \$100,000 for hard surfacing the highway through this corner of the County.

Clovis, New Mexico—This city now is able to greatly reduce city taxes by the sale of the water and light plant which has been municipally owned to a private corporation. City taxation has been reduced from \$64,050 to \$33,499 as a result of the sale.

Baird—Callahan County now has a county farm demonstration agent. Farmers and townspeople of the entire county joined in petitioning the commissioners' court of the county to appropriate the necessary funds to secure the work and the court allowed the petition. Callahan County is making great strides agriculturally.

FERGUSON'S PARDON RECORD GOES OVER 1,000

AUSTIN, Nov. 14—"Ma" Ferguson's pardon record, including paroles, furloughs, restoration of citizenship and other things which have to do with persons given prison terms for alleged violation of law, jumped over the thousand mark Saturday.

It was learned here Saturday through semi-official sources that Governor Ferguson intends to issue pardons to 100 state prisoners on Nov. 26, marking each with the simple notation, "Thanksgiving."

Governor Ferguson reached the 999 mark Friday night. But Saturday she granted one conditional pardon, one parole and four furloughs and extensions.

Wm. McGehee went to Fort Worth last Saturday to confer with Mr. Frank E. Clarity, concerning the signing of the Lockney right-of-way contract with the Denver Road.

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National Sales Contest Week

This week marks the close of the greatest sales contest ever conducted by any automobile manufacturer. Our salesmen, as well as thousands of other Chevrolet salesmen, are striving to win!

One of our men has probably explained to you why over 2,000,000 buyers have chosen Chevrolets, and has shown you Chevrolet feature after feature found only on the finest quality cars. Give him your order this week and help him win a valued prize.

Chevrolet gives you fine performance, beautiful appearance and long life. Here is a quality car at a price you can well afford. Let us show you how easy it is to become the owner of a new Chevrolet.

Touring \$525	Coupe \$675	Commercial Chassis \$425
Roadster 525	Sedan 775	Express Truck Chassis 550

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The Coach \$695
F. O. B. Flint, Michigan



OZARK FILLING STATION
LOCKNEY, TEXAS

QUALITY AT LOW COST

SEIZES 400 GALLONS IN LIQUOR RAID
INCLUDES WHISKEY, ASH, STILL AND OTHER APPARATUS

AMARILLO, Nov. 17.—With the seizure yesterday afternoon of a 75 gallon still, 350 gallons of mash, about 50 gallons of whiskey, hundreds of empty bottles and other apparatus for the still, and seven 50-gallon barrels making and labeling "bonded" whiskey. Sheriff Wiley Pollard and his deputies believe they have found the

source of much of the liquor that has been sold in Amarillo recently.

Acting upon a tip they have worked on for several days members of the sheriff's department yesterday closed in on a house on Mabry street and arrested a woman who was alone at the house with her small child. A close

watch is being made for others believed connected with the "distillery." In a room of the house they found 50-gallon barrels of mash while in other parts they discovered six 10-gallon kegs partly full of whiskey, about 24 quart bottles

wrapped and labeled, machines for capping and stamping the seals, coils, labels and numerous other articles used in the manufacture of whiskey.

Three truck loads of the loot were carried to the county jail, where it was sorted for evidence.

No charges had been filed against the woman late last night. This is one of the biggest raids conducted here in several months.

Last summer 250 quarts of high grade whiskey were seized in a servant's house and seven men arrested. Not since that time has any large amount of whiskey been seized by local officers, but smaller amounts have been captured from time to time.

PALO DURO CANYON ENCAMPMENT SITE CHOSEN BY CHURCH

AMARILLO, Nov. 17.—Deep in the bowels of the earth with serene sky above, murmuring brook below and cedar-studded palatial walls on either side, a picturesque site has been selected in Palo Duro Canyon by the Encampment committee of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference and will be purchased just as soon as necessary funds can be obtained, according to Rev. C. E. Jameson, pastor of the Memphis church, who was in Amarillo yesterday en route home from conference at Canyon. Jameson is one of the Prime factors behind the movement.

A campaign for funds is to be conducted among the 50,000 Methodists in the district during the next month, according to Jameson.

"Such grounds will enable us to control our own affairs and enable us to bring to this natural playground from 5,000 to 10,000 Methodist young people annually for encampment and for Epworth League and other outing companies," Jameson said.

The Epworth League general board has tentatively agreed to erect a large tabernacle on the ground to stimulate interest in the project and encourage the use of the grounds, it was said.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL

There was a nice crowd at the box supper Friday night. There were \$39.60 proceeds, which did very nicely for the financial conditions of our community. We appreciate it very much.

On Sunday evening there was singing, which was attended by a number of singers from Aiken. Though the crowd was small we enjoyed the sing-

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Two Extraordinary Groups at—
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Every Garment involved represents the highest type of tailoring and craftsmanship. This season's preferred Styles, Colors and patterns in widest variety. Arrange to attend this important selling event.

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We are also offering a splendid collection of Men's Overcoats made of high quality fabrics in a large variety of colors to complement your every suit. Excellent value at—

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and Lasts Four Four Weeks.

We have enlarged our store and it is now packed with Toys and Gifts for the entire family.

When Northcutt Variety and Hardware puts on a Sale it saves the public hundreds of Dollars as we cut prices to the bone. In anticipation of a bumper crop we bought heavy and now we must dispose of this big stock.

If you live within 75 miles of Plainview, by all means come here to do your Holiday Shopping.

Remember the Dates of Sale, Saturday, Nov. 28th to December 24th.

NORTHCUTT
Hardware & Variety
707 Broadway
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

ng of the new songs in the new book. We invite every one out on next Sunday week. We expect to have fifty copies of the new books by then.

Mr. Nicholas and sisters, also Mrs. Cooper and sister and Mr. Jones and wife spent the week end visiting relatives and friends at Turkey.

Misses Maye and Ada Foster, former students of our school, but now attending Lubbock high school spent the week end with home folks.

A basket ball game was played Friday afternoon between the Prairie Chapel and Cedar Hill boys on the home court. The game was well played, the locals leading the score until the last quarter in which time the visiting team showed their supremacy and defeated the locals by a score of 27 to 20.

The girls basket ball team will play Lockney, at Lockney Friday.

Look out "old maids," Jimmie Carthel has purchased a Ford roadster.

Mr. R. L. Brown has gone on a two weeks deer hunt down in South Texas.

Our community was visited Saturday afternoon with a slight snow, even tho it didn't put enough moisture. Every one was glad to see the snow, in the ground to do any good.

We are now entering on the third month of our school term and those pupils, as a majority that have been coming regular, are doing well. We hope that all of the pupils will study as much at home while out as possible. If they do not it will be hard for them to make their grades this year. We would like to see every one pass, so com as soon as you can.

LOCKNEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Lockney Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Shurbet. There were about twenty ladies present and several new members were enrolled. The demonstration on "Meat Canning" by Miss Bass was very interesting and instructive. Our district agent, Miss Murray, met with us and gave quite an interesting talk on the different phases of Home Demonstration work. Our next meeting will be Nov. 25 in the home of our president, Mrs. Kester. The subject will be "Basket Making and Crafts." There will be plenty of material for all who desire to make a basket or tray. Be there promptly at 2:30. This will be Thanksgiving day but we believe we will have a good attendance as all are interested in this subject.

Hostess—Mrs. Kester.

Roll Call—Order of Business.

Leader—Mrs. Griffith

Subject—Basket Making and Crafts

Demonstration—Miss Bass.

"For what are we thankful?"

For all the sunlight—the shadow—the song:

The blossoms may wither and fall.

But the world moves in me

For simple sweet living

That doth teach it, heaven

And faith that can reach

porter.

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Batteries Recharged and Repaired. Tires and Tubes Vulcanized and Repaired.

BRING YOUR TROUBLES TO ME
SAM LIVINGSTON

THANKSGIVING SPECIALS

THANKSGIVING is always an interesting occasion for festivity—family or social gatherings—hence an occasion for new and impressive raiment. For this special occasion many sections in this Store have assembled unusual values. Herewith we present, because of space limitations only a few of them. A trip through the store will reveal many more.

RELIABILITY! This is the word that governs all Jacobs Bros. Co., activities. It is the word our buyers have constantly before them in the selection of merchandise for this store. It is the word most frequently associated with the Jacobs Bros. Store by the shopping public.

THANKSGIVING SPECIALS

- Men's good weight ribbed union suits, sizes 36 to 46. Per garment **98c**
- Men's heavy fleeced union suits. A well made garment. Size 36 to 46. Per garment **\$1.45**
- Men's high grade flannel gowns. Size 15, 16, 17 and 18. Per garment **98c**
- Boys' Knicker Suits and knee pants. Size 5 to 17 **One-Half Original Price**
- Men's and Boy's Cotton Flannel Knit Wristlet Gloves, regular 15c quality. A pair **10c**
- Men's 240 weight Wrought Iron Blue Overalls, all sizes, per pair **\$1.00**
- 27 inch Red Seal and Red Apple Gingham, per yard **18c**
- 36 inch Good quality unbleached Domestic, per yard **34c**
- 9-4 Gibraltar Brown Sheeting, per yard **34c**
- 27 inch Good quality Dark Outing, Per yard **18c**
- Light colored Outing, 27 inch, per yard **16c**
- Blue Bird Dress Gingham, 29 inch per yard **10c**
- 72x90 Sheets at **98c**
- 16x28 Turkish Towels, each **12c**
- 36 inch Novelty Crepe Suiting, all wool. Durable shades for school and sport wear, per yard **\$1.00**

THANKSGIVING SALE OF LINENS

LINENS for every use and need are now offered at amazingly low prices, in this annual event.

Every woman takes great pride in having and serving from fine Linens, and every woman will revel in the wondrous array awaiting her choosing at this store.

- 58 inch Table Damask, 65c and 75c values for **58c**
- 72 inch Table Damask, mercerized finish, 85c value, only **68c**
- 72 inch Fine Quality Table Damask, \$1.00 value **79c**
- 72 inch Extra Good Quality Table Damask, \$1.25 value **98c**
- 64 inch All Pure Linen, \$1.85 value, for **\$1.48**
- 72 inch All Pure Linen Table Damask \$2.25 value, only **\$1.87**
- 70 inch All Pure Linen Table Damask \$3.50 value, only **\$2.89**
- Permanent and Indestructible**, Finish Lininized Table Covers, 64x80, \$3.50 values, only **\$2.89**
- 72x72 All Pure Linen Table Covers, \$4.50 values for **\$3.60**
- NAPKINS**—18x18, \$2.45 values 6 for only **\$1.95**
- NAPKINS**—20x20 All Pure Linen \$2.50 value for only **\$1.95**
- NAPKINS**—20x20 All Pure Linen \$3.50 value for only **\$2.89**
- BREAKFAST SETS**—64x64 Table Cover and Six Napkins 18x18 to match. In white with colored borders. Will make a fine gift. \$4.50 values only **\$3.85**

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They surely are wonderful Coats at that price—big warm, friendly fellows of thick, deeppled, rich fabrics that will prove the dependability and durability of their friendship through many a winter of comfort-giving satisfying service.

LADIES' HATS

Since writing our last adv., we have received three new shipments of hats which we offer for—

THANKSGIVING SPECIALS.

Ladies Hats in Satin and Metal Combinations. Modish shapes to suit all types. In lovely shades of Pencil Blue, Henna, Black and Gold, Black and Silver, etc., at the almost unbelievable prices of **\$2.35 and \$2.85**

We have also received beautiful mid-winter Hats in corded taffetas, satins and metal lace and flower combinations. Dressy, desirable models that are sure to please even the most particular hat dresser. These attractive hats are so moderately priced that every woman should be able to invest in a new hat for Thanksgiving. Only **\$4.85 and \$5.50**

BATH ROBES

We can offer to the Thanksgiving shopper one of the nicest collections of bath robes to be found in the city. Beacon cloth robes in both conventional and fancy designs, colors shading from light to dark, in greys, tans, blues and lavender. Some have house slippers to match. Priced

from **\$4.85 to \$14.50**

Beautiful soft toned corduroy robes in rose, wine, pansy, pink and blue. Some are dressy, lace trimmed and silk lined. Priced from **\$4.85 to \$11.50**

Silk quilted robes, dainty and beautiful, for the daintiest of ladies **\$18.50**

Elegant brocaded Silk Robes for Men. Very beautiful for **\$22.50**

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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

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ADDITIONS TO HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS

CANYON, Tex., Nov. 14, 1925.—The latest accession to the Natural Historical Museum of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society is a huge rattler which was killed a few weeks ago in the Lighthouse region of the Palo Duro Canyon. The snake is five feet eight inches in length and ten inches in circumference. The snake has been well mounted and hundreds of people who have come upon it unexpectedly in the down town window where it is displayed have received bad frights.

D. N. Redburn of Randall County has added a metal Indian arrow head and a metal tomahawk blade to the Society's large collection of materials showing Indian life. The two pieces given by Mr. Redburn are unlike any others already in the Indian collection.

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Society is only four years old, but its collection has grown so rapidly that it is badly in need of a building in which to house it. Several pioneers of the Panhandle section are suggesting that a museum be built upon the campus of the West Texas State Teachers College, which is the headquarters of the organization. Such a building would carry the name of the donor and would be a lasting and fitting memorial for some man who has lived many years in the Panhandle and whose efforts have been crowned with financial success.

The Society numbers more than two hundred members who are scattered over northwest Texas, and New Mexico and one lives in Missouri.

NORTHWEST TEXAS METHODISTS RAP FERGUSON REGIME

CANYON, Nov. 15.—A direct rap at the present State administration, of which Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson is head, was taken Saturday by the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference.

The conference went on record as condemning the administration as "contrary to the spirit and best interests of prohibition." The report was made by the Board of Temperance and Social Welfare, and was as follows:

"We recommend every religious sect, fraternal order and secret organization which has for its aim and object, in part or the whole, the making of social conditions better, either by aiding the duly constituted officers of the law in the enforcement of the same or by establishing means of preventing anti-social conditions."

"Move to strike out the reference to secret organizations," called out Rev. B. W. Dodson of Slaton. A ye and no vote was ordered on Dodson's amendment. The yeas had it by a big majority and the reference was stricken from the report.

This resolution went through intact at last year's conference at Abilene, with the "secret organization" reference retained, it not having been objected to at that time.

THE ALMON HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Almon Home Demonstration Club met in the Harris home last Friday afternoon. We had more present than last time. Everyone enjoyed

ed the demonstration with the tin turned from Fort Worth Saturday.

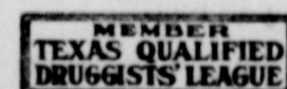
Our next meeting will be with Mrs. A. S. Green. We all want to try and be there by 1:00 o'clock so we won't be so late getting through. The program will be on Gifts and Gift Suggestions.

Dr. N. E. Greer and son, Wayne, re-

turned from Fort Worth Saturday. Dr. Greer had been down on a visit to his family, who are living in Fort Worth during the school term, and Wayne returned home with him.

J. P. Woodridge of Plainview was in Lockney Monday looking after business connected with his lumber yard here.

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