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The Sudan News

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"Boost or Move"

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SUDAN REJOICES OVER WATER PROSPECTS

Boesen Plats Addition to Sudan; Will Build a \$25,000 Home

Eleven years ago there came to Sudan (then James' Station) a man of vision. At that time James' Station was a little prairie settlement on the Santa Fe railroad, with a box car depot minus an agent. The settlement had not even a post-office or business house. Mr. Boesen building the first real residence and the first business house of any kind.

This man with the forward vision "Pete" Boesen, better known as the Daddy of Sudan. With unerring eye he visioned the vast possibilities of one of the most productive sections of the Panhandle, and discerned in the future the steady stream of all kinds of products flowing out from the city that he was to start on a remarkable growth.

Mr. Boesen laid out the first plat of the city and was the driving power that started building and development. During all these years he has never wavered in his optimism and his every move has been one looking to the future of the city of his founding. As the years passed he was joined by other forward looking citizens who pooled efforts with him, and gradually there evolved on the prairies of Lamb county a city with all the possibilities abounding in the most favored of localities.

But Mr. Boesen, it seems, has as yet merely made a beginning. Recently he has laid out and platted an addition to Sudan, lying on the southern outskirts, containing 75 acres, which is being sold for residence purposes. This territory will go rapidly and will not be long in developing.

In this addition Mr. Boesen has reserved a plat 300 by 600 feet on which he will build a modern home costing in the neighborhood of \$25,000. This home will contain all modern conveniences and will be an inspiration to many future settlers.

Not only Mr. Boesen, but the citizens of Sudan collectively, should be congratulated on the substantial results so swiftly accomplished toward the establishing of a solid, substantial city.

Many things still remain to accomplish, but many achievements have been reached, and with the united efforts of all, the future will see their realization.

FARM BOARD MUST HAVE UNITED SUPPORT

President Hoover's federal farm board began functioning last Monday, although there still remained a vacancy which was to be filled by a representative of the wheat growers of the nation. Owing to the tremendous wheat crop now being harvested, the board faces a difficult situation at the very beginning of its labors and one which will need prompt attention and disposal if the growers of the present crop are to profit from its work. In fact, it is already too late to benefit many of them because a large part of the grain has already been sold. The chairman of the board is Alexander H. Legge, who resigned as president of the International Harvester Company in order to accept the appointment. Other members of the commission are: James C. Stone of Lexington, Kentucky, vice chairman and representative of the tobacco growers; Carl Williams of Oklahoma City, representing cotton; Charles Teague of Los Angeles, fruit farming; C. B. Denman of Farmington, Missouri, livestock; William F. Schilling of Northfield, Minnesota, dairy; Charles S. Wilson of Hill, New York, miscellaneous agricultural enterprises of the northeastern section of the country; the Secretary of Agriculture. These men have a gigantic task before them and it is safe to say their work will be severely criticized by many of those whom they are endeavoring to serve as well as by men in industry whom their efforts will undoubtedly antagonize. It is going to take much time and thought to enable them to arrive at just and equitable conclusions in regard to the varied interests of agriculture and to formulate a plan which will be practical and acceptable to the farmers.—The Southwest Plainsman.

MODERN RIP VAN WINKLE.

One dark and stormy night Uncle Eli Podger's baby was taken sick with the colic and his wife Jerusha hustled him off to town in his old automobile to get 15 cents worth of ipecac.

Twenty eventful years passed. The baby got over the colic and at the age of 19 had married a traveling man from Pittsburgh, Aunt Jerusha in all those 20 years had never lost faith in her husband. He would return some day and be able to explain it all, she told everyone.

Finally that day came. Eli breezed in in the same old car, got out and handed the bottle of ipecac to his wife.

"What kept you so long?" she asked in her usual calm manner.

Eli replied, "I was lookin' for parkin' space."

Amherst Will Celebrate Birthday

AMHERST, Texas, July 30.—Amherst's annual Birthday Celebration will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 8, 9 and 10, with one of the largest and most unique programs ever staged.

Reports are pouring in from everywhere, that 15,000 people will throng the city each day of the big celebration, helping to celebrate the city's 6th birthday.

Complete carnival attractions all of the week. Three fast games and one of the largest and best Rodeos ever staged on the South Plains. The Rodeo will include steer riding, bronc riding, bulldogging, calf roping, goat roping and wild cow milking, horse races, saddle horse races, ladies' paint pony races, shetland pony races, etc. The bucking Ford will be seen at the Rodeo, and just watch the cow hands try their skill at riding bucking Fords. They simply can't keep their seats.

Dancing will be held each night under the management of Mr. Hoover of Lubbock, manager of the U-Town Dance Palace of that city and Amarillo. Good floors and a good orchestra will greet the dancers.

"Easy Money," a famous bucking horse from the Bud Johnston ranch near Lubbock will be a special feature. He is one of the best bucking horses on the Plains and will be seen each day in action.

Airplane stunts, wing walking, parachute jumping, speaking, clown acts, and other side-line amusements will greet the people.

Plenty of ice water for everyone.

Policy of Farm Board Outlined by Legge

BATON ROUGE, La., July 30.—Outlining the policy of the federal farm board, Chairman Alexander Legge declared here tonight before the American Institute of Co-Operation that its main object would be the expansion and strengthening of the cooperative movement.

The federal farm board, as now organized, is not going to buy or sell any commodity, agricultural or otherwise, Mr. Legge said. "It is our duty to assist you in doing a better job of it yourselves. While we are assisting you, we will want to have some voice in the transaction, particularly when you call for government funds to aid in the operation."

It is probable that you may find this board of real assistance. The board will provide a contact between organized farmers and the government and any organized group may come to the board for counsel, advice and assistance.

"There are many people who think the board's activities should be directed to the arbitrary raising of the price level for agricultural products. The board cannot raise the prices arbitrarily. Prices, as has been said many times, are determined by the basic economic conditions. What the board hopes to do is to assist farmers to become better able to compete with other groups in the markets of the nation and the world."

FARM GROUPS SHOULD COMBINE

With the federal farm board appointed and the operation of the new federal farm bill getting into swing, the necessity for commodities to be organized by groups becomes apparent.

At the present time, there has been a deplorable absence of movements along this line. There are several cooperative groups handling a given product, and unless these get together, there will be the two-fold handicap, first, of competition among these groups, and second, inability to secure adequate federal aid.

It is time for these groups to sit around the council table and effect an organization that will eliminate competition among farmers, and bring to farm marketing the maximum benefits of concerted action. Ultimately, the entire wheat crop of the nation should be marketed through one farmers' sales agency. This cannot be brought about until farmers in the several states or producing areas get away from the idea that it is necessary to have several agencies dealing in the same commodity.—Nebraska Farmer.

BORGER.—Another bridge over the South Canadian river may be built if plans of officials and residents of Roberts county, just east of Hutchinson county, are carried out. It is planned to continue Highway 88 from Donley county north through Gray, Roberts, Hansford and Ochiltree, to join Highway No. 4 at Perryton. The road would begin at Clarendon and pass through Jericho and Pampa.

Portales Man Kills Wife and Daughter; Attempts Suicide

PORTALES, N. M., July 29.—Apparently demented as a result of ill health for the last few weeks, B. F. Bouldin, 47 years old, prosperous farmer of the Portales Valley is in jail here tonight denied bond following the fatal shooting of his wife, 60 years old, and his daughter, Mrs. Ed Barker, 25 years old, this forenoon in the hotel room where the mother had gone to visit her daughter.

Due to feeling against the aged man bond was not granted in the case, it was reported following an inquest in which the verdict was "premeditated murder."

Bouldin had intended to kill himself after slaying the other two but had exhausted the shells in the .41 calibre Colt's automatic which he purchased shortly before at Wheeler's hardware store and had returned to the store to buy more shells when police caught him, it was indicated.

Leaving his farm home this morning where another daughter Mrs. Knoles from Texas was visiting, he told her he would be back in time for dinner. He went to the hardware store and in a very deliberate manner explained that he never had had a gun at his home and wanted to buy one. He debated and haggled over the price trying to get it cheaper thereby giving no hint to attendants of his later action. Finally he agreed to take it and when the clerk asked him if he wanted a box of cartridges he replied that he would just take six and loaded the gun in the store.

He fired six into the bodies of the two women apparently without realizing it and then turned the gun on himself, but it was empty. He went out the back door of the hotel and to the hardware store reporting that he had changed his mind about getting more shells when officers arrived.

In his jail cell where he is in a state of collapse, he pleads with everyone to kill him, "to finish the deal" as he calls it, declaring that he was frustrated in doing it himself.

Mr. Bouldin was the father of Maurice Bouldin, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Portales. Mr. Barker is employed in a cafe here.

A child 21 months old belonging to Mrs. Barker was lying on the bed in the room but the aged man made no effort to shoot it.

JULY A GOOD MONTH TO SET STRAWBERRIES

Strawberry plants set during July or early August will produce a crop of fruit the following year. When set in winter or spring they must go through one growing season before producing a crop. Therefore, by setting the plants a few months earlier a year will be gained. It is a little more difficult to get the plants to live during midsummer, but if one will set good plants properly there should be no difficulty in getting them to live during the hot dry weather of July and August. Water carefully when setting and mulch with straw, hay, or other material so as to conserve all moisture possible for the use of the plants. In the lower part of the South one may delay setting the plants till the latter part of August or September and have them mature fruit the following year.—The Progressive Farmer.

Amendments Are Thought Defeated

Contrary to predictions following the election on the two constitutional amendments, it seems by later reports that the fate of the amendments is in grave doubt. Many predict that when the votes are counted the measures will be found to have been defeated.

Early returns were most optimistic, but as the rural vote began to come in the lead of the amendments was rapidly cut down.

The proponents of the measures now admit that only an official count will decide.

Just what till enthusiastic Americans invent air polo, played with one-man planes and a gas-inflated ball.—Boston Herald.

We understand from the advertisements that the college lads are at least passing their cigaret tests with great success this year.—Arkansas Gazette.

Panhandle Wheat Breaks All Records

The Amarillo Daily News of July 23, summarizing the wheat situation, says:

The Panhandle has already shipped 32,701,000 bushels of its 1929 wheat crop, and the total crop is now estimated at 42,500,000 bushels.

This exceeds by 20 millions the previous Panhandle record made in 1926 and is 15 million more than the state report.

The figures were compiled from reports furnished by the three railroads as to their shipments up to Saturday night and using 1350 bushels as an average carload.

The estimate shows that seventy per cent of the crop has been moved. The yield exceeds the largest estimate made in June by more than 25 per cent and represents an average yield per acre on 1,750,000 acres planted to wheat last fall of more than 24 bushels.

All railroads report an ample supply of cars with loadings gradually diminishing. In reporting the handling of 14,175 cars for the season and 3,461 for the week from Santa Fe points in the Panhandle, J. E. Tinsley, agricultural agent for that line estimated that the total handling of the Santa Fe would be 22,500 cars, which includes the eastern New Mexico territory.

The Fort Worth & Denver reported that it had handled 5,000 cars up to Saturday night and J. W. Mode, superintendent, reported an abundance of empty cars.

The Rock Island report shows that 5,148 cars have been handled this season.

Grain men estimate that seventy per cent of the crop has been marketed and that more than eighty-five per cent has been harvested and assert that the harvest will be over, except in isolated spots within the next three days.

Federal Farm Board Complete

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The personnel of the federal farm board was completed today by President Hoover's selection of Sam R. McKelvie, former governor of Nebraska, as the fifth member.

The Nebraskan, who publishes the Nebraska Farmer, a magazine, will represent the wheat areas.

McKelvie accepted the position upon the condition that he would be free to retire at the end of the first year if he desired.

The Nebraskan is expected to take his place on the board as soon as possible.

McKelvie supported President Coolidge during the controversy over the equalization fee plan in the old McNary-Haugen bill, having taken a determined stand against the fee in his publication. He was governor of his state from 1919 to 1923.

Farmers Building Better Homes

One of the best indications of continued prosperity in this vicinity is the continued building of more and better farm homes and general farm improvements. Then, too, the farmers of this section are putting their operations on a more scientific basis than ever before. Labor saving machinery is taking the place of horses and mules and production at the least possible cost is the program of the day.—Muleshoe Journal.

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They used to tell the aspiring young magazine writer that he ought to do newspaper work, but that is no longer necessary. All he needs now is a term in the White House.—New Yorker.

A Kansas editor earnestly wishes the Literary Digest would take a poll of the country to find out what member of the family is supposed to look after the furnace.—Passaic Herald.

The Republican party is seventy-five years old. The Democratic party is much older, and last November it looked its age.—Hartford Courant.

The Crime Commission is lucky. As a rule such commissions can't get their report in before conditions change.—Boston Citizen.

Bandits Loot Bank at Hooker, Okla.

HOOKEER, Okla., July 26.—Five unmasked bandits who held up the First National Bank here this morning escaped with cash amounting to \$9,822.94, according to a check-up made this afternoon. No trace of the men had been found late today.

Three of the bandits walked into the bank at 10:40 a. m. today, produced revolvers and calmly ordered the tellers and a dozen or more customers to back up against the wall. They then scooped up all the currency and silver in the bank except \$5.

The trio backed out of the bank with their loot in a sack and rejoined two others outside, each at the wheel of an automobile. Three of them speeded out of the city in a Buick Master Six and two escaped in a tan-painted Ford.

The robbery was conducted calmly, and passers-by were unaware of what was going on inside the bank until the alarm was given as the bandit cars sped away.

Endurance Fliers Make Record of 420 Hours

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—The end of the record smashing endurance flight of the St. Louis Robin came at 7:35 o'clock, central standard time, tonight, when its pilots, Dale "Red" Jackson and Forrest O'Brine, descended from the sky which had been their home for 420 hours, 21 minutes. They exceeded the record of the Angeleno by seven full days at 2:01 p. m. today.

The plane made a perfect landing in the middle of the field with about 15,000 spectators watching them.

Both men were pronounced in excellent physical condition. O'Brine had gained two pounds since he and Jackson went up, July 13, scaling 140 pounds tonight as against 138 pounds when the flight began. Jackson's weight was the same as when he went aloft, 154 pounds.

The heart action of both men was pronounced normal and physicians said their hearing was normal. They conversed easily with reporters and friends in the hangar.

Farm Lands Due For Big Rise in Values

"As we come to consider the situation with reference to agriculture at this time, we should not overlook the fact that the present price of land, in comparison with the inflated American dollar, is one of the cheapest commodities on the American market.

Agriculture is today at the very threshold of its greatest prosperity. It is the soundest industry in the United States today. Owners of farmlands, whether they live upon the farms or are non-resident owners or have investment in farm mortgage loans, will undoubtedly hold the most advantageous position of any class of citizens of the United States during the 25-year period just ahead of us."

The above statements made by noted economists in one of our farm journals are made in their broadest meanings and cover the entire United States. While they are optimistic yet they have sufficient reasons for their statements and prophecies.

Land, as cattle, sheep, hogs and all other commodities, has its low and high prices. In as much as it is the basis of all wealth and is now one of the cheapest commodities, it stands to reason that it is due for a rise in value.

President Hoover has smashed another precedent, and now follows Mrs. Hoover down the aisle or into the limousine, despite the rule that the President must go first, and we honor him for it, although, of course, it may be that he got tired of being told that his coat needed pressing.—Ohio State Journal.

WHOLEY INSTALLS ELECTRIC SAW AND PLANER

A Beaver Electric saw and planer of the latest type has been added to the carpenter shop of the J. C. Whaley Lumber yard. The new machine is equipped with saw, planer, plows and lathe for all kinds of woodwork.

DALHART.—Roy Allen, 46-year-old farmhand, was killed here when he was run over by the Rock Island Golden State Limited.

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One of the oddities of Wall Street is that it is the dealer and not the customer who is called broker.—Dallas News.

Citizens of Sudan are rejoicing at the prospects of a plentiful supply of pure water in the very near future.

About a year ago the citizenship of the town came to the conclusion that the city badly needed, and could afford to install a modern water system, and an election was ordered for the purpose of voting bonds for this purpose. This carried, and the bonds later were sold to the Panhandle Construction Company of Lubbock, which company was also awarded the contract to install the plant.

For some months the company has been busy sinking a well that would afford an ample flow for the city's needs.

This well was completed some weeks ago, and on a test pumped exceeding 200 gallons a minute, and indicated an inexhaustible supply of the purest of water.

The contractors during the past week have been busy laying out the mains and laterals for the entire city, and work will start soon on the ditches.

Work has started on the site of the reservoir, which will be located in the city park. This will consist of an elevated tank of ample capacity for the needs of the city for many years to come.

Sudan has enjoyed since its birth a steady and consistent growth, and the installation of a modern water system will give added impetus to this growth. Aside from the added protection from fire, the certainty of an ample water supply will be an inducement for many industries of various kinds to locate among us.

SUDAN SCHOOL GAINS FURTHER RECOGNITION

Word has come to the editor that the State Department of Education has recently notified our school authorities that the local school has been given increased credit for one unit in agriculture and a half unit in physiology, making the school a total affiliation of 24 units' credit.

It was already on the "All Southern List" and now rates as much credit as schools of the East that are 50 years old, or older.

Already requests have come from more than a dozen outside pupils for chance of admission to our senior class. This class will probably reach 40 this year.

Just get behind the board and faculty and watch us become a real school.

HOLT OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY WITH ATTRACTIVE SALE

One year ago A. M. Holt & Sons opened for business in Sudan, and in the short time since that date this house has gained an enviable name among Lamb county people. Always on the alert for attractive goods and prices for their customers, and actuated by a sincere desire to render real service to their customers they have grown in appreciation and confidence of the people.

If you want real service and attractive prices, attend their anniversary sale advertised elsewhere in this paper.

BAPTIST REVIVAL TO START AT CIRCLEBACK

On Sunday evening, August 4, the Baptist denomination will begin a series of revival services at Circleback.

The services will be in charge of Evangelist Thomas B. Hart, of Glynedale, Arizona. The singing will be conducted by Charles Burgess, of Southwestern Seminary.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and aid in giving to the Circleback community a genuine revival of religion.

SINGING CONVENTION MEETS NEXT SUNDAY AT PETTIT

The Plateau Singing Convention, now in its ninth year of active successful operation, with Jno. F. Taylor of Clovis, New Mexico, as its only president, meets the coming week-end with Pettit in Hockley county. Sunday will be marked by some unusual singing. Community lunch will be spread public on that day. Sudan people are invited to be present and help make the day a great success.

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THE AMERICAN CREED

"I believe in the United States of America and the principles of freedom, justice, equality and humanity upon which it was founded and for which American Patriots have given their lives and fortunes.
"I believe it is my duty towards my country to love it; to support its constitution; to obey its laws; and to defend it against all enemies."

Any erroneous reflection upon the character or reputation of any person, company or corporation which may appear in these columns will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the management.

"BOOST OR MOVE."

ROAMING ABOUT.

While tens of thousands are starting out for a trip to somewhere else, and railroads and steamship lines are making it easy and comfortable to go there, and at reduced summer excursion rates, a very considerable number of people are planning automobile tours of long or short duration. The traveler, whether on the de luxe trains or boats, or on the highways, must expect to find things different from what he is accustomed to at home.

But it is a good thing to go about, see places, different and meet people away from the usual crowd. People who stop at home all the time do not always appreciate it. Most people crave a change, and with summer comes a desire to roam about a little.

The automobile offers an excellent way to wander. It is like the old stage coach or horseback riding, but different, of course. Touring by motor car has become popular with millions of people. Some start out and go clear across the continent, or from far North to far South. Others jaunt here and there and spend a lot of time not very far from headquarters, but in new environment. The highways are being steadily improved all over the country, and long trips can be made with comfort, and as quickly as desired.

RADIO'S GROWTH.

Eight years ago the country had one broadcasting station—in Pittsburgh. Today it has 630. Eight years ago there were virtually no receiving sets in existence, only home made crystal affairs that were considered playthings for the children. Today there are upward of 10 million radio sets in the United States, costing from \$5 to more than \$1,000 each. One plant advertises that their plant covers 32 acres. Hundreds of radios are being turned out every day. One million microphone appearances a year are made in the 630 broadcasting stations of the country. In 1926, 5 million dollars were paid out in salaries to radio entertainers through the National Broadcasting Company alone. Radio has made a remarkable growth in eight years.

IT'S NEWS NOW.

Team runaways was one of the very common items appearing on the front pages of country newspaper some fifteen to twenty years ago. In those days scarcely a week passed without something of that kind happening for the editor to write about. And quite often too there were some very exciting and sometimes disastrous runaways, as the files of any country newspaper of that date will show. In this day of fast cars and when there is a steady stream of air traffic flowing noisily over the housetops everywhere, the runaway of a team is an unusual occurrence, and calls for mention in the public prints probably as much because of its novelty as otherwise. It's the drift of the times.

THINGS OF THE PAST.

It is not good to live in the past. When a man or woman gives up and sits in a comfortable corner by the fire all day and thinks, the mind inevitably goes over and over the things of the past. When memory fails it sometimes retains the things which happened in youth, in the years long gone by. The man or woman who is able to keep interested in things which are happening in the present and the things which are approaching from the future, is never too old to be of use. But when the mind gropes always about in past glories and happiness and achievements, that mind has no constructive value to the present generation.

NEW 4-H RECORD.

There will be 86,000 more boys and girls enrolled in 4-H club activities this year than last year. These figures are based on estimates from 46 states, and are given out by the secretary of the national committee of boys' and girls' club work. The total number is estimated at 750,000, a new record.

"If you are going to do anything permanent for the average man, you must begin before he is a man," said President Roosevelt. "The chances of success lie in working with the boy, and not with the man."

OUR WORRY.

"It isn't hard to fill a newspaper with reading matter," says an exchange, "but it is hard to fill it with reading matter which the editor feels with some degree of assurance will be of interest to the reader."

What not to publish often worries a newspaper man more than what to publish. Once a man in Ohio conducted a newspaper and printed everything that came in. He got out two issues.

THE COUNTRY BEAUTIFUL.

Those who would preserve the scenic splendors of our highways recently sought a slogan which would briefly express their purpose. So they offered a prize. The trophy goes to Marion Boyd, a Detroit girl, who offered the apt phrase: "This is your country—beau-

tify it." It doesn't exactly sound like a slogan, but in a terse and patriotic moment it puts the proposition up to the individual—which is where it belongs.

THREE KINDS OF LIARS.

There are three kinds of liars abroad in the land. The willful liar, whose falsehoods are malicious. The harmless prevaricator who romances for amusement. And the fisherman who believes every tale that he tells and whose falsehoods do no harm. The last mentioned lays over his brethren like the proverbial tub over the dime.

THE GERMAN SHIPS.

The newest German battleship has a lot of surprise features that will make the eyes of old salts pop with wonder. It can go faster and shoot oftener than anything now afloat in its class. Also it has a lot of mechanical doodads that make for vast efficiency in handling the vessel.

THE SPEED MANIA.

A Michigan hen taking part in the International Egg Laying race laid 184 eggs in 208 days, and then dropped dead. Another daredevil sacrificed to our modern mania for speed.

THE HOME GUARDS.

What this country needs is more big butter and egg men and fewer big navy champions.

Of all the sad accidents that can happen to man, is to go on a tin can picnic and forget the can opener.

It generally takes about a week to rest up from your vacation before you are able to work again.

They can go barefooted if they want to, but stockings will continue to have supporters.

The new abbreviated currency might be referred to as Long Green's brother Shorty.

Maud Muller on a summer's day was out on the highway instead of raking hay.

The price of wheat should be comforting to growers—if they have the wheat.

It's hot in California. Will Rogers swears to it. Some other men swear at it.

So far those screen grid radios have failed to screen out the static.

The world is still full of love in spite of what you read to the contrary.

Will the "jelly hats" bloom again when school opens in the fall?

President Hoover would make the postoffice deficit a dead letter.

Weather prediction: August—Fair and warmer furs in style.

We have five seasons, winter, fall, spring, summer and foolish.

Automobiles have made the hospitals what they are today.

Famous last words: "Step on the gas; let's get there!"

And what will happen when we have 365 holidays a year?

Some men do the best they can—and that's very little.

Wanted, trousers pockets that wives cannot locate.

The long green is now neither long nor green.

Thirty-one days hath August, eighth month.

Adventure is a great antidote to weariness.

It may seem odd, but it's hard to get even.

It is never too late to correct a mistake.

A family picnic party includes the ants.

WORTH-WHILE EDITORIALS

ANOTHER LEGISLATIVE JOKE.

(Fort Worth Star-Telegram.)

The famed "farmer's tractor" exemption feature of the new gasoline tax law seems to have been reduced to the status of a little legislative joke. A dispatch from Austin detailing preparations of the Comptroller's office to handle the tax contains the bland prediction that red tape would plentifully about the process prescribed for obtaining refunds on exempted gasoline will prove efficacious in discouraging applications for such refunds to such an extent that the State Treasury will profit many thousands of dollars. It is only the large consumer of gasoline for purposes other than propelling automobiles that is expected to be a regular applicant for refunds.

Thus, to all intents and purposes, the "exemption" written into the law for the benefit of the farmer who uses a tractor or a gasoline engine for farm power, is a joke exemption. The law grants the exemption, and then hedges it about with so much red tape that to obtain it will be difficult and tedious, and, in many instances would cost more than the tax refund sought.

The exemption will be of benefit to some large users of non-automobile gasoline in the state. For instance a firm which keeps airplanes in flight will be much better off under the new law, since the effect will be to enable it to buy gasoline two cents cheaper than under the old law. The same will be true of owners of motor boats, and power plants of large size using gasoline as fuel. But the multiplicity of documents which must be filled out and filed, and the \$1 filing fee required with each claim for a refund, will operate to eliminate from the list of beneficiaries of the exemption all small users whose monthly purchases of gasoline run no more, say, than 100 gallons. The filing fee itself will eat up the refund on 25 gallons.

The legislature must have its little joke. The exemption of gasoline used on the farms and elsewhere for non-automobile purposes was a needed act of justice not embodied in the old gas law which provided a rate of 2 cents a gallon. Its inclusion in the new law helped to allay opposition to doubling the tax rate. Now that it has served to "put over" the 4-cent rate, it appears to have been only a pretended exemption except as applying to large users.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY
Saturday, Aug. 3, 1929

To show our appreciation to our many friends for the business given us during our first year in business, we are going to put on a real Bargain Day at our store.

10-lb. Can K. C. Baking Powder, per can, -----	\$1.18
5-lb. Can K. C. Baking Powder, per can, -----	.62
50c Can K. C. Baking Powder, per can, -----	.43c
25c Can K. C. Baking Powder, per can -----	.19
2 1-2 pound can Folger's Coffee, per can -----	1.30
3-pound can Admiration Coffee, per can -----	1.39
2-pound can Old Spanish Trail Coffee, in stever, per can -----	1.15
1-pound pkge. Peaberry Coffee, per pkge, -----	.19
1-pound pkge. Fancy Peaberry Coffee, per pkge -----	.27
No. 2 can, per can -----	.10
Campbell's Soups, per can -----	.09
No. 2 Spinach, per can -----	.14
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LET'S TALK TURKEY

Popular Opinion Vastly Overestimates the Difficulties of Turkey Raising. A Great Opportunity for Profits Being Overlooked by Farmers and Poultry Raisers.

Nobody knows who started that figure of speech, "talking turkey," to indicate getting down to essentials, or "down to brass tacks" as many people say. Whoever started it, it is certainly an appropriate phrase to use in discussing the exceptionally profitable but relatively neglected industry of turkey raising. Here is a business in which the demand has always exceeded the supply and yet, ever since 1890 the supply has been steadily diminish. Prices have not dwindled, however. On the contrary, they have consistently increased from year to year.

What a wonderful opening for wide-awake farmers to step in and make some real money! Yet, with but few exceptions, they turn deaf ears to the loud knocks of opportunity. Why? Unquestionably the one great drawback has been the old belief that turkeys could not be raised unless given the run of unlimited range. They have always been confined to the old-fashioned methods once held all but sacred.

Another old-time theory that has lately been pretty thoroughly exploded is the belief that only natural hatching and brooding methods were practicable in turkey raising. It has been clearly established that poult hatched in incubators and reared in brooders are much less likely to succumb to the scourge of blackhead and other diseases which prey on their kind, than those hatched and brooded under hens. The reason for this is that naturally hatched poult acquire the germs of blackhead from older fowls just as they do from chickens where permitted to run with them. Confine them so they cannot get out to run with chickens or with old turkeys, or to run on ground where chickens have been for at least one year.

Three other essential planks in the turkey raiser's platform must be: sound feed, clean water and clean range. For those who still adhere to the old ideas about turkeys, this must sound like rank heresy. Yet the truth of such simple doctrines is vouched for by the foremost authorities on turkey raising in the country.

If you can raise chickens successfully, you can raise turkeys with equal success, only don't mix them. The methods of incubating, brooding and feeding will with but slight adaptation enable you to gain equally as good results with turkeys, and with a greater reward for your efforts. The profits so fondly imagined by those who would like to try turkey raising are there for you if you follow right methods. National custom calls for three great festivals every year when nothing but turkey will really suffice as the principal item on the menu and it would not be impossible to educate

the public to a still wider use of this delicious meat if it were always possible to supply the present demand. All readers of this article are welcome to any further help I can give them. I shall be glad to hear from those who are really interested and who really want to "TALK TURKEY" to a purpose. Address any inquiries or comments to me in care of the editor of this paper.

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College Fraternities

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"Girl" in the Scriptures

The word "girl" occurs in the King James version of the Bible only twice, once in the singular and once in the plural. Joel 3:3 says: "And they have cast lots for my people; and have given a boy for an harlot, and sold a girl for wine, that they might drink." Zech. 8:5 says: "And the streets of the city shall be full of boys and girls playing in the streets thereof."

Complicated Chess

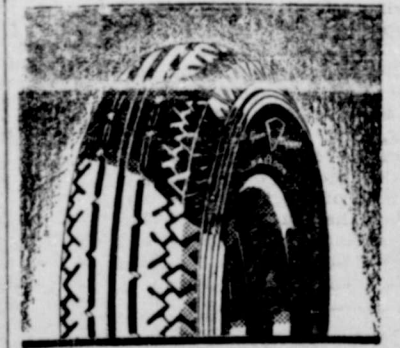
So varied are the moves of the several pieces in chess that it is estimated it would take two men 250,000 years—playing night and day at the usual speed—before every possible way of playing the first four moves on each side would be exhausted.

Popular Fur

Kolinsky fur comes from animals of the weasel family, natives of Siberia and China. The under hair is short and rather weak, but regular as its top hair. The color is generally a tawny yellow and is always dyed to imitate the fur of other members of the weasel family. This fur is considered high grade and is expensive.

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J. W. HAMMOCK, Correspondent

WHEN PLUMS ARE RIPE THEY ALL WANT TO PICK

As will be seen by reading the reports, the politicians are quick to come crying for government aid for the farmers of Texas. In all the months of hard work by our President, working with the congress and organized farm groups in these United States, you did not notice any member of this committee sent by the Governor of Texas, doing any great things to try to help the farmer.

So when they were given a hearing before this new board, they were told they could not play with them, or words to that effect.

The committee from Texas were told that the new farm board could deal only with organized groups of the producers, or duly elected representatives of a sure-enough farm cooperative.

If the big boys really want to help the farmers to help themselves get farm relief, they might go back home and make an effort to get the farmers of Texas to sign up with the best cotton cooperative in Texas at this time, and then use some of their great influence to fight the interests that are unfriendly to the farmers and their efforts to organize.

Then they might be doing their state and their cotton producers a service that would be worth while.

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TURKEY is putting the finishing touches on the new 200,000 gallon water reservoir and pump houses which complete one of the most modern, up-to-the-minute water supply plants in West Texas. Large quantities of all purpose water is available at all times for all demands now.

SWEETWATER'S new auto building will cost \$22,000 according to the contract which was let recently. It will be started immediately, and will be occupied by the Rutledge Brothers Motor Company. It will occupy the west 90 feet of lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of the original town plat.

CHILDRESS' State Fair in September will feature races among other things, and the track is being reconditioned at this time. All turns on the track will be resurfaced, and the straight-aways will be graded down to a hard pan.

When Roby entertained the Four-H clubs of Fisher county in the dress contest every community in the county was represented. Three hundred persons attended the event, and a total of 50 dresses were entered in the contest. First place in the state classes were awarded a trip to the short course to be held at A. & M. College in August.

SONORA offers evidence of activity among West Texas sheepmen in the announcement that within one week recently more than 30,000 yearling lambs were sold to Kansas and Colorado buyers for approximately \$230,000.

ABILENE is making plans to improve Kingsolving Field, the municipal airport, so as to make it one of the best equipped air depots in the Southwest. Erection of a steel and concrete hangar covering a space of 97 feet and a two-story, fire-proof terminal building, will be the first work started on the field.

For Double Protection

A pneumatic motor car bumper has just been placed on the market, and the only thing now needed to make the joys of motoring complete is a pneumatic telephone pole.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

ELECTRA recently held a "law enforcement party" under the direction of Robert P. Hall, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Charles I. Frances of Wichita Falls made one of the addresses which was heard by citizens from all over the county.

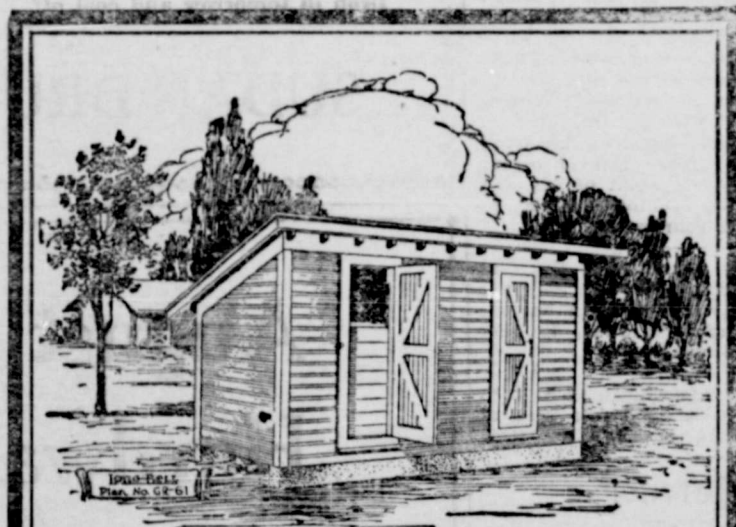
The West Texas Chamber of Commerce with the U. S. Chamber of Commerce is urging the cooperation of doctors in filing birth certificates, and parents in seeing that birth certificates have been filed for their children in order that the census next year will be correct, and will give the state the proper status.

The All Texas tour being sponsored by the Dal-Paso Cavern Highway association under the direction of Wm. A. Wilson, secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce will start at Marshall August 1, and disband at El Paso August 5, Carlsoad Caverns being the high point of the tour. Cars will be added to the motorcade at every stopping place and entertainment will be given at stops.

VERNON'S Chamber of Commerce head, Grady Shipp, is acting as right hand man for Pres.-Mar. Bourland of the WTCC in guiding the work of the regional organization until the annual convention in October. They called a meeting of the advisory board for Monday, July 29, in Fort Worth.

TULLIA'S ton litter work in Swisher county is showing up some good results. J. K. Adams weighed his litter of seven pigs at the age of 110 days and found 1040 pounds of live weight. The total cost of this gain is \$28.45, or \$2.73 per hundred pounds. The pigs have had access to alfalfa pasture and were fed a protein supplement.

HARTLEY county sent a large representation to the annual Farmers' Short Course held at College Station July 29 to August 3. Many of them were farmers and their wives who took advantage of the



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The new ten-thousand dollar bills will contain pictures of Chase. Any of the customers who are not bank-

ers or bootleggers can find out how the old gentleman looked by consulting a history book.—New Yorker.

Be Sure You're Right

A way to know the right from the wrong is to reason out things as you go along. But knowing and doing are two different things— You must act when you know if it anything brings. Our copy-book had a maxim that said, "Be sure you are right, then go ahead." That you should save, you know is a fact, But it profits you nothing unless you act. The First National Bank has found that a man Must not only know but act on his plan.

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TOWN AND COUNTY Our Neighbors

Levelland

(Lubbock County Herald.)

After being out 30 days, 12 hours and 50 minutes, the "Three Nuts" closed their trip to every county seat in Texas, when they checked in at the Dallas plant at 10:05 p. m. Saturday night. They left Levelland at 9:12 a. m. June 29th and reached the Dallas plant on July 20th at 10:05 p. m., after having been out 732 hours and 53 minutes without stopping the motor of their car.

The First Missionary Baptist Church of Levelland began its series of meetings Saturday night, July 20, with Pastor R. H. Burroughs and Elder W. B. Wages of Lamesa. The meeting is no win progress and may continue for 2 weeks.

A feast was had at the American Legion hall Monday night in honor of the "Three Nuts" who returned Sunday night. Good eats, good music and a general good time is the verdict of those who attended.

The friends of Levelland school, who are legion, were made to rejoice Monday when news came to Supt. A. R. Ellis from the State Department of Education, informing him that full affiliation had been granted.

Sheriff Williams has asked us to say that cow stealing is getting quite so common in our county. Parties with trailers locate their prey, park some convenient distance down the road, and then drive some good farmer's milk cow down and load it and are far away by milking time. This thing occurred on two different occasions last week.

Dimmitt.

(Castro County News.)

With the construction work started on Dimmitt's new \$85,000 high school building, comes word Monday of this week from the State Department of Education at Austin, that our high school had been given an and one-half additional credits, bringing the total up to eighteen and one-half affiliated credits.

Two young men, 16 and 20 years of age, one living in Parmer county and the other a resident of this county, were arrested Wednesday morning by the sheriff's department near Dimmitt with a load of wheat, stolen from Parmer county. Sheriff Maples made the arrests, and later in the day the young men confessed to officers that they had stolen three loads, two in Parmer county and one in New Mexico.

About six weeks ago Ham Lambert of the Big Square community, started for his ranch, located near La Junta, Colorado, with 900 head of cattle. He arrived last Sunday, losing only three head on the entire trip.

Surveyors were at work Wednesday of this week for the Jordan-Hall Construction company, who have the contract for the construction and installation of Dimmitt's \$40,000 city water works system. A location for the deep well was selected, and part of the material has arrived for the construction work.

Up to Thursday noon of this week, I. H. Bruce, local Denver agent, reports a total shipment of 586 cars of wheat from Dimmitt since the season opened four weeks ago.

The Baptist churches of the Cleo and Flag communities will join in a cooperative revival, to begin on Saturday night of this week, to continue for two weeks.

A splendid attendance has been reported at meetings being held at the Presbyterian church this week.

Matador

(Motley County News.)

The revival meeting now going on at the Methodist church is both broadening and deepening in interest. The splendid crowds in evidence of the fact that the people of Matador are interested in the things of religion.

The summer term of District Court of the 110th district convened at Matador Monday, July 22, with District Judge Kenneth Bain, and all the other officers present.

The Matador fire boys attended the District Firemen's convention at Paducah Tuesday, July 23, competing for honors in the various drills.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held in the city hall Monday afternoon, the opening date of school was set for September 9th.

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