

## EPWORTH LEAGUERS MAY HAVE NEW CAMP

Northwest Texas Conference Will Take Matter Up at Annual Meeting at Stamford

Oct. 25—(Special) Panhandle Methodism will be thrown into a commotion when Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson's scheme to establish a second Epworth Leaguer's camp in Texas is generally known. Rev. Mr. Ferguson, formerly pastor of the Polk street Methodist church in Amarillo, and the builder of that structure, now financial agent for the Clarendon college, is the originator of the proposition, and is one of the committee composed of one from each presiding elder's district to present it to the coming meeting of the north west Texas annual conference which meets at Stamford, Nov. 10. Rev. Mr. Ferguson has been interested in this proposition for more than a year, but only today made the announcement of his purpose to present the same before the coming conference. He states that this camp will in no manner be a rival to Epworth-by-the-Sea, near Corpus Christi, but that the state is large enough for two camps. It is believed that the scheme will meet practically the undivided approval of the conference.—Dallas News.

### Thoughts

The autumn season in all its glory, is upon us. In many ways fall—when all nature prepares itself for the wintry blasts and frigid temperatures—is the most beautiful of Iowa seasons. But then, with all its varied color schemes, pleasing to the eye, and its invigorating climatic conditions, it is a time, to the thoughtful mind, fraught with many lessons to mankind. It is the time of decay and death. How symbolical it is of human existence. Man, born, flourishes for a day, and then dies and is forgotten. They are analogous; both represent a species of existence placed here by the guardian of destinies. The beginning and the ending, the alpha and the omega of all things remains today as much a mystery, as when man groveled in the mire of thought many centuries ago. Civilization has advanced, until mankind, today, has reached the loftiest pinnacle of his existence, but is he nearer the shrouded mysteries, of his beginning and his ending? He comes and he goes and no man can fathom nature's secret.

Nature is dying; the autumn period, in plant life is but a reminder of man's transition. The autumn brings human beings to a full realization of the fact that they will sooner or later pass out of life's activity, and enter that mystery, which we term death. What is then left? What heritage can man leave to posterity? Better by far a good and noble life than hoarded riches, influence honor and all. These cannot be carried through the veil, which separates us from the present and the hereafter. How much better are we off than the ancient savage, the barbarian. All are on a similar basis. He was satisfied; but, there is that something in the civilized man that remains to be satisfied, the ego craves for worldly attributes, which savagery knew nothing of. The primitive man is not worried with questions which perplex the great minds of civilization. Life to him is similar to that of the lower animals, but then is he not happy? Are we? The race that lives close to nature gains much. The old Grecian civilization was perhaps the most self-satisfying of any the world has ever possessed. Nature was the

guiding star of man's existence. He was ruled by her dictates, her whims and her teachings. The old teachers, Socrates, Aristotle and most of the brilliant minds, which moulded sentiment and character in that old, ancient civilization, lived satisfied lives. Ah, yes, and the ancient Chinese civilization, was self-satisfying. Confucius and the pupil which followed, Mencius, expounded the doctrine of righteousness many centuries before Christ was born in Bethlehem. The autumn brings thought to the realization that modern civilization is far from self-satisfying. There is something not obtained—it is not lacking, perchance, but not grasped. Present-day conditions are far more different than, when the old masters held sway. The way has been pointed out, the satisfied-way has been made known, but then the fruition of the state has been blanketed with other conditions. Conditions, which go far in satisfying worldly ambitions, have taken the place of what old masters would have us live for. The ego in man is expended in other fields than preparing for the period of existence, which comes after the evil of death is parted. What does it profit a man if his whole life and energy is expended along certain lines, which do not uplift the human race, nor give posterity anything of benefit? Is he really satisfied? Modern civilization certainly has uplifted the man, but has it uplifted his condition, as regards his relationship to the masses and himself?

The autumn period breeds thought. It is symbolic of the dying and the dead, and man's condition in the world. The individual is the ruler of his own actions, but when the idea of self predominates in the thought of the ego, is he benefitting posterity? Rather did not the primitive man enjoy his existence to a greater extent than the man of today, who is so beset with thoughts of selfish ends? But the way has been pointed out for satisfaction for that, which man craves, but it is thorny and fraught with many privations, and the other, that of living for self's glorification is the easier, and is chosen by the multitude.—H. H. W.

### Cold Wave Predicted.

Observer D. S. Landis of the Weather Bureau in Ft. Worth received warning of an approaching cold wave from Chief Moore at Washington tonight. The norther is scheduled to reach this locality from the Rocky Mountains early next week. The telegram from Washington is as follows: "A disturbance attended by general precipitation will be the Pacific coast about Thursday, extend over the plateau and Rockies Friday, the central valleys and Great Lakes Saturday and Sunday and reach the Atlantic Seaboard about Monday, Nov. 1. Following this disturbance a cool wave for the season will overspread the Pacific States by the close of the week, extend over the plateau and Rocky Mountain districts Sunday, the central valleys and lake region about Monday and reach the Atlantic states Tuesday or Wednesday. MOORE"

W. F. Hendrix of Tulia, Texas was in Canton Thursday.

Miss K. Slade of Amarillo, Texas was in town Thursday.

B. Paff of Tulia, Texas, was in town Thursday.

Geo. Craig is expecting to leave Sunday evening for "back yonder" (Ohio) to visit his folks and spend most of the winter with them.

## LET US DEMONSTRATE.

The Best way in the World to Advertise is to Show People.

The Plains is a great country. In as far as advantages, natural resources and possibilities are concerned it is equal if not superior, to any part of the world. We who live here and are familiar with the country know this. We know it is a great country, and that it possesses the three greatest essentials to the highest possible development, these being fertile soil, a delightful climate and an inexhaustible supply of the finest water. We know furthermore that it isn't a droughty country, and that it is not cursed with the numerous drawbacks that have long been charged against it.

But what have we been doing to convince the world beyond our own confines that it is really a great country? We have been talking and preaching and sending out literature, and in these things it cannot be said that we have misrepresented. In fact we have been more conservative than the facts warranted, but we haven't made converts, or at least we have not secured results in proportion to the merits and opportunities of the Country.

It therefore behooves us to see where the trouble lies.

We have simply too much neglected the opportunities about which we talk and know to exist.

We know it is one of the greatest truck raising countries in the

ough, practical farming and demonstrated that what we preach is true. What we really need is more demonstration and fewer preachings. We know that no country in the world raises finer sorghum, millet, kaffir corn, and milo maize, and we know that there are fortunes in the seed business alone. No country in the world beats this for seed farms and wholesale houses are calling for more seed, seeds of the proper kind and such as the Plains alone can produce to perfection in so far as those particular crops are concerned. Yet, where is there a big seed farm on the Plains?

Even in this most unfavorable crop year we have had, those who tried have raised good crops an abundance for their own use, and some to spare. The trouble is, not enough of them tried, and some of those who tried merely pretended.

The magnificent exhibits sent to the Dallas Fair are certainly convincing evidence of what the plains can do, and this under the most adverse circumstances. The trouble is we are not doing enough. Too much of our land is lying idle. No matter whose fault this is. Primarily it is because we are not getting enough farmers into the country, and we have failed in this because we have failed to convince the farm-

er. There is just one way to do this, and that is by demonstration. There is money in demonstrating. It pays the man who does the demonstrating and it convinces the man who sees what has been done. Up in Hale county there is a big fruit orchard. It has always been a big revenue producer. Some time ago it sold for a big sum, a nice fortune. Not long since a prominent real estate man told me that that orchard had been the means of selling thousands of dollars worth of land in that section of the country. Prospectors had seen it and had been convinced. Take in any country or community, and what is the first thing the real estate man does? He shows prospectors the finest farms and the best crops. The trouble is in no country are there enough of these kind of farms and crops and in most places none at all. Is it because the land will not produce? No. It is because the land is lying idle. Uncultivated and not given a chance. How are we to remedy this? The first thing is for the people to come to full realization of the fact that the farming interest, the poultry interest, the truck and fruit growing interest the dairying interest, and every interest and agriculture industry to which this country is adapted must be demonstrated. When the people have come to fully appreciate this fact they will work



world, and that it is adapted to an innumerable variety of vegetables of the best shipping character and greatest revenue producing kind; that these vegetables are fresh and green and ready for the market late in the summer and early in the fall when the gardens in other sections have gone to seed or blistered, withered and wilted. We know that by truck growing and gardening alone we could produce thousands of dollars worth of revenue—could ship out the stuff and bring in the money. We know we could do this with our wells and windmills, if it never rained. We also know, and the rest of the world knows that we have done nothing of the kind. It is against us as an advertising proposition, and it is against us as a business proposition. Our failure in this one particular has permitted thousands and thousands and thousands of dollars to go to waste. And while we have preached that which we did not sufficiently practice we have made the world skeptical.

We know that no country in the world is equal to this in the production of kaffir corn and milo maize, and we know that they are unexcelled as money crops. We know that no country in the world is a better hog country, and that no crop beats hogs for profit, yet it is only here and there that we have a man who has gotten right down to thro-

out the proper solutions, and there are many ways and they are simple.

Idle land is the cause of the country. This kind of land will consume itself with interest, whether this interest be paid or simply lost. Producing land convinces others, brings immigration to the country, creates a demand and thereby enhances value, and more than that it produces its annual net revenue.

Let us come to a full realization of this proposition. Let us have a few demonstrations and dividend producing farms in every community. It is the best way in the world to advertise, and it is business.

We need a few more Judge Goughs and Pat Paffraths, and several thousand people who will practice what they preach and demonstrate.

By Don H. Biggers, Sec'y P. P. F. of C. Club.

### Usery Rudolph

Mr. Dan K Usery and Miss Winifred May Rudolph were married Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rudolph. The wedding was a quiet affair, and besides the members of the family, only a few intimate friends were present.

While the wedding march was played by Mrs. Waddill, the couple took their position under the wedding bell, made of cosmos carnations and ferns, where they were married with the pretty ring ceremony, impressively spoken by Rev. A. W. Waddill.

Immediately after the ceremony and after the guests had extended hearty congratulations the young couple repaired to the depot and boarded No. 1 for Canyon City, where they will make their future home. They did not get away however, without getting a liberal portion of rice thrown on them by their friends.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Rudolph, and is a well educated, refined and attractive young lady, and Mr. Usery is to be congratulated in winning her for a partner through life. The groom is an honest and industrious young man. We know it for he spent nearly two years on the Star force, and was always at his post of duty. He resigned his position here a year ago to accept a better one on the Randall County News at Canyon City, and now has full charge of the mechanical department of that paper.

May God's richest blessings rest upon them in the wish of the Star.—Stratford Star.

### Big Watermelon Given Taft

The Chamber of Commerce saw that a big 70 pound melon, taken from the exhibits at the Dallas Fair, was placed on the President's car with the following letter:

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 23, 1909. Hon. William H. Taft, President of the United States:

Dear Sir: On behalf of Knox County, Texas, the undersigned representatives of the Knox County Exhibit at the Texas State Fair, desire to present to you a "Georgia Rattlesnake" watermelon, grown in Knox County. This melon weighs about seventy (70) pounds, and was grown without irrigation, under the very adverse circumstances which Texas has undergone this summer on account of lack of rain.

R. E. Goree

A. J. Glasgow

Committee.

Phone Brock to clean your clothes. He will get them and return them.

### A CITY PARK

Canyon City Should Have a Park Says Mayor Haney

The time has come and conditions are such that the people, young and old and all of one accord should cry out and work for and secure a city park, land is cheap, vacant and suitable (for nothing else). We have schools, Churches, Civic Leagues, Book clubs, and some say a Commercial club. What are they doing? What can we do? What can they do? We all have children and grand children or kin folks who have such, and we are all going to die some time, as little as we think of it, and the next generation will laugh at, if not ridicule our negligence, littleness and dullness, if we so neglect so great an opportunity as we NOW HAVE to contribute to the things that make for higher, nobler and more refined civilization.

Think of it! Schools, Churches Societies, and No Park. No pleasure grounds. No evidence of higher education. We don't need any arguments and I will not stultify an intelligent people by attempting such, for a city park. We need thought, determination, organization, and work, work.

How uninviting everything looks and will continue to look and be without a pleasure ground, beautified with walks, promenades, fountains, lawn trees rare shrub flowers and all things else that is pleasant, restful and inspiring to life.

We are installing water, sewerage, and other sanitary conveniences and a Park is now feasible and longer neglect will be next to criminal, to say the least of it, it will be evidence of our want of even semi-civilization, I would suggest a plan for a city park, but possibly some would oppose it, because I advocate it. If a heathen, a publican, or a sinner or even a saint will make a motion that we do now have a park, I will second the motion and do my part with money, work and wind to accomplish the object what say you?

Jasper N. Haney.

### Payton Sisters Company will Return.

The Payton Sisters will return here for Monday night, Nov. 1st. and will play at the Thomas Opera House, "The way of the World." "The way of the world" is a comedy and when we say comedy that is what we mean. From the rise of the curtain to its final fall it is one startling funny situation after another, all blending into a conglomerate mass of entanglements for the unfortunate husband who so far departed from the ways of the world by telling the truth to his wife. The plot of the play is not revealed until the last minute of the piece, and when the curtain falls, the audience is left speechless with laughter. That this bill made a decided hit in Amarillo is sufficient guarantee of its merit.

The same specialty artists are with the company including Al Phillips, the dancer whom you all remember.

Patronize the business men who advertise in this paper, you will find they are the live ones. Their stocks are up to date, they watch the markets keenly, buy their goods at the right time and consequently sell cheaper than their "18th century" brothers, who cannot see the value of advertising. "Everything comes to him who waits" was never meant to apply to business. The merchant who sits behind the stove waiting for business to come in without making an effort to get it will soon have to close his doors.

Dr. Harrell attended the Dallas Fair last week.

Joseph Reisdorf, of Umbarger, Texas, was in Canyon, Tuesday.

B. W. Chamberlain and son of Clarendon, Texas, was in Canyon Wednesday of this week.

Born:— Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Foster, a big fine 8 1-2 lb girl.

The News received a souveneir postal card from D. N. Redburn, which reads, "Texas looks good to me, tell you all about it when I get in."

B. D. Garmon of Umbarger, was a visitor in Canyon Sunday.

F. E. Cainway of Clarendon came over to Canyon on last Wednesday.

J. W. Vonholt, who resides on a farm near Umbarger, was a News office caller, Wednesday.

Miss Inez Mossman, of Princeton, Ind, is visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Shaw.

H. M. Bogar called Tuesday, and informed the News he had sold his farm, and left an order for sale bills, see his add else where.

John E. Wentworth, was a sojourner in Canyon Monday.

T. J. Murry of Seattle was a business caller in Canyon, Wednesday.

N. B. Hudnall, of Tyler, Texas was visiting his son, Will, here Monday and left Tuesday evening for Hartley, Texas, to visit a daughter.

R. G. Kirsch, of the firm of R. G. Kirsch Co., Architects, left last Saturday evening for St. Joseph, Mo., and other points east, he expects to return to Canyon, in about a week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Oct. 26th a son.

J. R. Ballard, expects to leave soon for Lake Arthur, N. M., we understand he has a farm near that place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Keiser accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Ingham, with Guy Hoover, at the wheel autoed over to Amarillo, on last Wednesday.

Congressman J. H. Stephens, from the district in which Randall county is located, spent last Monday night visiting his sister, Mrs. Judge Bakman of this city.

Mr. Penhale in room 4, over the Supply has the typhoid fever.

Mrs. Martha Lewis of Amarillo, spent Saturday in Canyon visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grunes.

Miss Emma Bowyer, who is a milliner at the Supply company, spent last Saturday and Sunday in Hereford visiting friends.

John Molesworth one of the large ranchmen of the plains, has sold his cattle interests, and with his family who are now in San Antonio, Texas, expects to winter in Southern France.

**Canyon City Professional Cards**

**H. Holte,**  
Watchmaker, Jeweler.  
In City Pharmacy, West Side Square.  
PHONE 32.

**D. M. Stewart,**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office in Wallace Building on East side of square. Calls answered day or night. Office Phone, No. 90, Residence Phone, No. 24.

**F. M. Wilson,**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office, City Pharmacy. Calls answered day or night. Residence phone No. 46.

**S. L. Ingham,**  
Dentist  
Canyon National Bank building. All work warranted.

**Geo. A. Brandon,**  
Lawyer  
Twenty-three years' practice and experience in Texas courts. Office in court house.

A. S. Rollins C. V. Woolley  
**Rollins & Woolley,**  
Lawyers  
Court practice solicited. Will attend to cases in all courts of the state. Examination of land titles a specialty. Notary in office. Office in Smith building. Phone 92.

**Jasper N. Haney,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
Practices in all courts in this state. Office phone 91. Canyon, Texas.

**J. G. Hunt,**  
Lawyer  
Does both criminal and civil practice. Twelve years' experience. Land titles passed upon. Write all kinds of contracts and instruments. Notary in office. Office northeast corner public square, up stairs. Canyon, Texas.

W. D. Scott W. J. Flesher  
**Scott & Flesher,**  
Lawyers  
Civil practice solicited. Office in court house. Notary in office. CANYON CITY, TEXAS.

**H. V. Reeves,**  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Office in Wallace Building on East side of square. All calls promptly answered. Office Phone 90. Residence Phone 233

**Northwestern Title Co.**  
Complete Abstract of All Randall County Property  
**R. A. TERRILL, - MANAGER**

**Painting and Decorating.**  
I have had a long experience as a decorating contractor and am in a position to give you satisfactory work at reasonable prices.

**New Wall Paper**  
in latest designs always on hand. You get the latest at the same or less price than the old styles.  
SEE ME BEFORE BUYING.  
**W. W. Trimble**  
DECORATING CONTRACTOR.

Winter time is on. Let Philips, the tailor, clean and press your winter suit. Phone 223.



*Hallowe'en*  
Hart Schaffner & Marx  
Good Clothes Makers

**H**ALLOWE'EN---a time for fun and frolic; for social festivities; for all sorts of good times for all of us.

If you're going to be involved in any functions where good clothes count, better see us beforehand and let us look after that part of it for you. We'll put you into some of these fine

**Hart Schaffner & Marx**

clothes and we can promise you one thing sure; nobody else in the crowd will be better dressed than you'll be.

Fine suits in all the latest weaves; dress clothes for formal affairs; overcoats for hay rides or sleigh rides, or dressy use. We've got all these things ready for you; all-wool, fine tailoring and correct fit and style.

Suits \$20 to \$27.50 Overcoats \$20 to \$25

A Christmas Present to the good Guesser.



You May be the Lucky One

This Store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

R. A. Terrill, former editor and manager of the News, left for the Dallas Fair Tuesday afternoon. He will be gone from our city for a week or so and during his absence will visit Austin and Greenville.

Miss Ellen Donald returned from Tulsa last Saturday where she has been attending the big street carnival in that city last week. Miss Donald said that the carnival was a success and that she had the time of her life.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, the Spooder-Wallock Stock Company gave a series of light comedies which delighted everyone. "The Wise Old Owl" presented the last night, was one which kept the audience in a roar of laughter from start to finish.

During a game of foot ball on the play grounds of the City Schools last Tuesday, Cecil Reynolds was accidentally tripped by one of his playmates and fell in such a way as to break his collar bone. The hurt was very painful but nevertheless the young fellow will soon be back in school.

Jack Brock, the Tailor, who is situated on the south side of the square and a close neighbor to the News office, is making some extensive improvements in his shop. The building is being papered and a dressing room is being partitioned off. Sometime in the near future some new machinery for cleaning and pressing clothes will be installed and Jack hopes to make his establishment a credit to the looks of the stores on that side of the square.

Robert Harrel, better known as "Bob," returned from a trip to Ft. Worth, Dallas, Galveston, and Mineral Wells, last Tuesday, and he spent most of his time in the latter place, as his parents reside there. Bob says that country is in a pretty hard shape and does not look as good to him as the Panhandle. He intends entering the medical department of the State University located at Galveston sometime next year. It looks natural to see Bob behind the fountain at the Bon Ton again.

**Wayside, Texas, Items**

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McGhee, and son, were visitors at Canyon from Friday, to Sunday.

Public school at Beulah, is progressing nicely. Don't forget the literary at Beulah on next Friday night, regular meeting nights every two weeks.

There will be preaching on next Sunday at 11 o'clock at Beulah, by Rev. Laney. All are invited.

J. T. McGhee and wife have just returned home from a visit at the Dallas State Fair, they report having a delightful time and seeing a great fair.

Miss Minnie Walters and Ed. True called on the Sluder sisters Sunday for a social call.

Mrs. M. L. McGhee and children were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mayo and family, over Sunday.

Miss Emma and Grace Sluder were dinner guests of Misses Alta and Maud Beasley, Sunday. Teddie

**CANYON CAFE**

Best Meals in Town.

MRS. GEO. DITTO

**Your Supplies**

are matters that interest you very much just at this time. We are in a position to offer you some exceedingly low prices in the lines of goods which we handle. Our expenses at Umbarger are small and we can therefore sell on a closer margin than other people.

**Dry Goods**

Particular attention is called to the prices on our dry goods, shoes, hats and all kinds of wearing apparel. They are well worth investigating.

**Groceries**

Our good stock of things to eat, bought at the right time and at low prices, gives us an opportunity to save you money which you musn't miss.

**Hardware**

If you are in need of anything in this line let us show you our line and name the price. You will buy.

It is our intention to keep what you need and sell it at a low price. Come to see us.

**Paul M. Will  
Umbarger, Texas.**

**CANYON PAINT SHOP**

Agents for the famous Sherwin-Williams paints. Large stock on hand now.

**BEST GRADES OF WALL PAPER.**

We also are contractors for all kinds of painting, paperhanging and decorating.

Signs and carriage painting given special attention.

**WEATHERED BROS.,  
Proprietors.  
SOUTH SIDE SQUARE**

**GOOD MEATS**

We have removed our meat market to the Thompson building, first door east of First National Bank and we are now prepared to furnish the very best of meats to the eating public.

**WE KNOW WHAT**

the people want and will have just the right kind of meat at all times. We are experienced butchers and know the business which is a great item in this line.

**GIVE US A TRIAL**

**Dawson Bros.**  
Phone 172.

The undersigned wishes to dispose of some, nicely located, vacant town lots.

All parcels of acre land situated near Canyon, inquire of owner. I. L. Van Sant.

**TALKS ON ADVERTISING**

**III.—The Business That Gets Away**

By Henry Herbert Huff

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"Good morning, Mr. Business Man!"

"Well, say, what about keeping my patrons from going to Near City to trade?"

"I realize that this is quite a problem. You are not doing your part, however. Every week the Near City merchants send pages of bargain offerings into many of the homes in this community. These people read them and go there to buy. That is perfectly natural. Your prices are very likely equally low, but how are they to know if you do not tell them? Frequently a distant store that advertises widely is better known to the public than one in their own town that shuns publicity. If you business men of this town will advertise and prove that you offer as good values as the Near City merchants, you will get back your trade. It pays to sacrifice profit on some items if you have to in order to substantiate this claim. The larger stores give the patron a little better selection, but the country merchant can do as well in price. Let larger sales, smaller profits, be the watchword."

"But we have done some advertising."

"Yes, but I must tell you candidly such copy will not bring trade. I shall explain later HOW an ad. should be written, but let us pass to something else."

"What about these 'soap' clubs?"

"You said your customers approve of this idea of paying double prices for their goods and being deceived into believing the premium costs nothing. Sell that way yourself. That is the solution to this problem. Make up assortments as nearly as possible like those of the 'soap' companies and pick attractive premiums to go with them. But this alone is not sufficient. You must tell the people you are ready to match these offers, likewise where you meet mail order prices. You told me you could do so. It remains to convince the public of this, and that is the work of advertising."

"You have convinced me that advertising is what is needed to put an end to our troubles. I never saw it in this way before."

"Yes, Mr. Business Man, charity is out of place in business. The fellow who gets trade is the one who proves to the public that he can give it the greatest value for its money. It will not do to WAIT for business. You must go after it. And now, when by well planned advertising you have cornered the trade that gets away, suppose you take a hand in the game the Near City merchants played on you. For years the farmers south of you have been buying in rival towns. Business men there consider this trade safe for eternity. Why don't you business fellows make a bid for a share of it? An aggressive advertising campaign, with plenty of 'leaders,' will pull it away while the outside merchants are sleeping. Business is a game in which every one is entitled to all he can get legitimately. Go where you choose for it. Land all you can."

**The Optimist's Corner**

Mention good living and nine out of every ten people will take it for granted that you mean good food, and perhaps a great deal more of it than is necessary. But that is not good living. Good living is an art, and there are but few who get the best out of life. One may have money and still lack the refinements of life. The real object and end of life cannot always be attained by poverty, either. It depends largely upon the character and the conscience of the individual. Good living does not consist in a large variety of dishes poorly cooked, but a few wholesome dishes well cooked. It does not mean a large house, poorly kept, but a house well kept; not plenty of clothes, gorgeous and out of date, but a few clothes, modern and kept in order. The same rule will apply to books collected under various circumstances to a library reflecting one's habits and tastes. These things with a few friends of like habits and tastes to while away a social hour, go far towards realizing in ourselves the comfort and joy of living, and in shaping the individual character. But there is the ethical which must be considered. It is the ideal which speaks more for the higher life than for anything else.

**Misunderstanding**

On last Saturday night at the Opera house, there was some misunderstanding as between our city official and the management of Richards & Pringle's Famous Minstrels, and for a while it was thought by eye-witnesses the affair would end in a mix-up of some importance.

It is regrettable to say that, in the past, and those who have been in charge should see it happen again.

**Bro. Harder Entertains Class**

Last Sunday morning Rev. Harder, pastor of the Baptist church, announced that he would entertain the Bible class of that church, Tuesday evening, the admission fee being that the men should be able to give names of the books of the Old Testament and the women those of the New Testament.

The social was a success, about forty were present and only a few could not name all the books. Bro. Young seems to have taken the prize for naming the least, getting no farther than Genesis while some of the women held him a fair race by only naming the first three of the required admission. These delinquents were required to wear their flowers upside down and take a back seat.

The paying of the entrance fee and the penalty put upon those who were not prepared to stand the examination at the door, caused much laughter and merriment while during the evening music was rendered and refreshments served.

The bible class is the largest class in the Baptist Sunday school and Bro. Harder, the teacher, is making the work interesting and enjoyable as well as instructive by social entertainments. In the announcement of this gathering to his class, Bro. Harder made the penalties rather hard saying that only one half the refreshments would be served to those on the back seats but most ran the risk of this humiliation and came to spend a very enjoyable evening.

**School Girls**

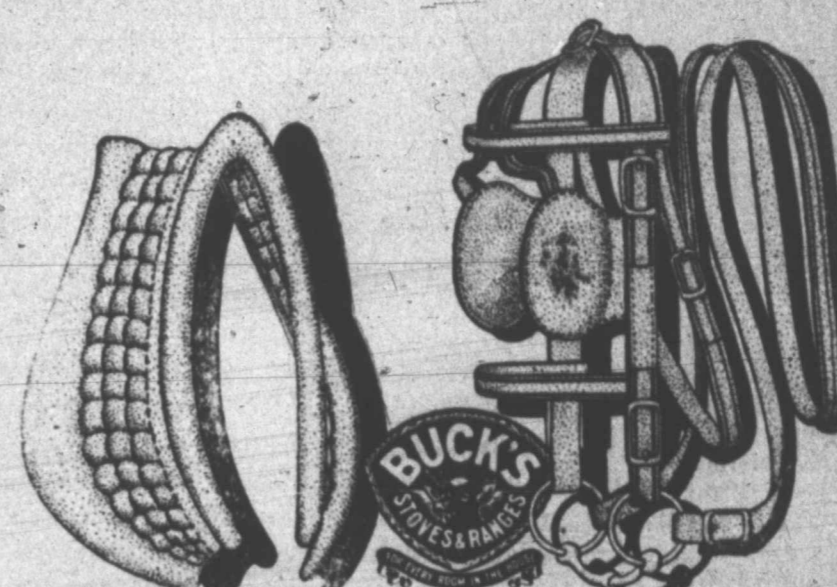
Come Saturday morning and early after noon and you won't have to wait so long as during the rush hours, for stamps. A young lady will be there to assist you.

THE LUSBY STUDIO

**Bowsher Sweep Mills**



Will grind corn with or without husks, all kinds of hard and small grain. The only mill on the market that gives guaranteed satisfaction in grinding Kaffir corn and Milo Maize in the head. If you want a thoroughly satisfactory mill, take the BOWSHER.



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By **Chas. K. Needham**  
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The News will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

**Railway Time Table.**

| MAIN LINE, WEST BOUND.       |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| No. 27 to Clovis             | 8:30 p. m.  |
| No. 118 to Carlsbad          | 10:15 a. m. |
| No. 73 Local Freight         | 8:00 a. m.  |
| MAIN LINE, EAST BOUND.       |             |
| No. 38 from Clovis           | 10:00 a. m. |
| No. 114 to Kansas City       | 4:00 p. m.  |
| No. 74 Local Freight         | 2:40 p. m.  |
| PLAINVIEW BRANCH, NORTH B'ND |             |
| No. 28 to Amarillo           | 2:50 p. m.  |
| No. 91 Local Freight         | 8:00 p. m.  |
| PLAINVIEW BRANCH, SO. BOUND. |             |
| No. 27 to Plainview          | 10:30 a. m. |
| No. 93 Local Freight         | 8:10 a. m.  |

Trains No. 27 on the Main line leaving Canyon City at 2:50 p. m. is made up here, and Train No. 28 on the Main Line arriving from Clovis at 10 a. m. stop at this place.  
Local freights and trains Nos. 27 and 33 don't run on Sunday.

**THE TOWN THAT PUSH BUILT**

I.—The Wise Workman



HERE is a workman who is wise because each thing he needs he buys from local dealers who advertise. Whenever he gets his weekly pay he doesn't send the money away. But spends it here, where it will stay.  
P. S.—The local dealer who's up to snuff will always advertise his stuff.

**SUPPRESSION OF NEWS**

One of the problems an editor has to meet is often repeated requests of prominent citizens, sometimes valuable patrons of the paper, that this or that item of news be withheld from publication.

This is a problem of special difficulty in smaller towns. In larger cities such requests are not so frequently made, and is easier to follow a general rule on the subject. Speaking of cases of this kind, in which the matters whose suppression is sought constitute legitimate item of news: The News wishes to say:

People come at a newspaper with the time worn warning that "it will do no good to publish these things." Publicity is regarded as being almost if not quite as potent a preventive of lawbreaking as the fear of punishment, and the effect of publicity should be considered before rather than after the commission of offenses.

This fear makes the work of the officers of the law easier, and the public should know what is going on locally in the town.

Newspapers usually are glad to withhold the publication of news which might prove injurious to the good names of any individual or work harmful to his business, but there is a class of people who make a habit of try-

ing to suppress everything with which some of their friends are connected. Many years of experience teaches us that no newspaper ever made any friends or realized any benefits from suppressing the legitimate things the public ought to know.

**THE EDITORS TROUBLES**

The man who edits the average country newspaper cannot well avoid treading on somebody's toes continually; must expect to be censured often for unintentional failures; must expect to be called a coward because he does not "pitch into" everybody and everything that somebody thinks wrong, and a fool if he speaks out too plainly on public evils, crazy if he fails to regulate all society and church affairs, idiotic should he fail to advise or prevent all divorce proceedings; there by saving to all persons a court airing or costs; in fact he is expected to grind other people's axes and turn the grindstone himself.

Still we think it is one of the noblest professions on earth; the one in which the earnest man can do the most good to his fellow man and in which an honest man can wield much power for good.

**COOK vs PERRY**

Cook and Perry started for the pole, Each one bent on reaching the goal,

Cook got there in nineteen-eight, Perry reached there a year too late,

Cook got home to tell the news, Peary found it out and it gave him the blues.

Peary belonged to the polar trust And thought no one ought to go there "fust"

But Cook was game and would not wait, Now Peary is mad at him and fate.

Noel

Complaints are being made as to the conditions of the public highway along the line of the proposed Boulevard to Amarillo. The Judge or county road commissioners should see to it that this very much needed is attended to at once, especially the hill-road and bridge just north of Canyon.

**The Freedom of The Press**

The United States government has lost its libel suit, instituted against the Indianapolis News and its editors. Without arguing the merit or lack of merit of the charges made by the News against anyone involved in the purchase of the Panama canal site, it may be stated, without fear of successful contradiction, that the government deserved to lose the case. A decision adverse to the newspaper which is alleged to have offended would have opened the way for further attacks on the freedom of the press, and eventually we might have been in danger of a censorship altogether distasteful and unjust, and as unnecessary as it would be unjust.

The government cannot afford to go so far as was contemplated in the prosecution of this case. Even though the government and certain officials may have been libeled, the matter hardly called for the action proposed. It would have been much better to have tried the case solely before the bar of public opinion, and to have trusted to the fairness of the people.

Gazette

FOR RENT:—New twenty-four room apartment lodging house near the Cafe and depot, Canyon City, Texas. A snap for easy money.—Sewer, Water Works, New Depot, Normal College and more soon to begin work.

31st Jasper N. Haney, Phone 3

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**Sugar Beets Grown in The Panhandle**

One of the interesting features of the exhibit in the Agriculture Hall at the State Fair Grounds is the exhibition of sugar beets grown in the Panhandle district, in Dallam, Hartly and other northern counties. This being the second year the farmers of the two first named counties have experimented with the sugar beet for the purpose of determining, first whether the soil of the upper Panhandle was suitable to the sugar beet and whether the plant would thrive at all in sandy loam; second; whether it could be produced in sufficient volume to be profitable.

Last year was the first year the sugar beet was ever planted in either of the counties named, it was not tried until after the Commercial club of Dalhart, took the matter up and established at a cost of some \$4000 an experiment station, or farm. And under the direction of the Government's supervision a few farmers were induced to put in a number of small parcels of one quarter acre plats, and it was shown that the beet would grow there and do well.

Tests made by the Agriculture Department at Washington, reveal the fact that they yielded over nineteen 19 per cent saccharine matter, while the high test show about twenty five 25 per cent.

This years yield, under adverse conditions showed about two tons to the quarter acre or about eight tons or better per acre, while the most favored, irrigated soil in Colorado yielded about fifteen tons per acre.

Next year it is the intention of these Panhandle farmers to try the sugar beet under irrigation, and if the demonstration show the yield results in anything like the Colorado soil.

The production of the sugar beet will be undertaken on much larger scale, with the final result towards establishing and operating, a modern sugar beet factory.

The Government Geologist at Washington, who have tested the upper Panhandle water supply of the counties Randall, Potter, Hartly, and Dallam particularly, have said that it is a vein, stream or reservoir of an average depth of forty feet, it being derived from the eternal snows of the Rocky mountains, descending upon the plains in the form of precipitation through the growing months and percolating through the shale and gravel sub soil when the snow melts in summer, thus giving an unending and absolutely inexhaustible supply, reached at a depth at from forty to three hundred feet or an average of about 200 feet, this depth makes it available for irrigation purposes, if necessary.

A number of the representatives of the several Commercial Clubs are now at the State Fair, looking at and studying the various types of irrigation pumps exhibited, at the State Fair by the various firms of Dallas, with the one object in view of ascertaining the most economical and effective types of irrigating pumps.

**Ladies' Book Club**

At a recent meeting of the members of the Ladies' Book club of this city, it was decided to take final steps in establishing a library where persons whether members or not may be able to get good literature to read. The library is located in the third story of the court house opposite the county court room. Tickets can be gotten from any member of the club for \$1.50 per year or may be gotten at Thompson's Drug store.

The library will be open for the first time Saturday, Nov. 6th in the afternoon, and will be open every Saturday afternoon from then on. In our next issue we will be able to state more about this great reading club and how it is to be operated.

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Phone No. 32

**Missionary Rally**

Program for the Laymens Missionary Rally, 5th Sunday, Canyon City.

11 a. m. Song—"Stand up, Stand up, for Jesus", followed with Prayer.

"The Origin of The Laymen's Missionary Movement,"

15 Min. by Dr. Wilson

"Our share of the work, and the plan adopted, by the Laymen at Chattango", 15 minutes by Dr Cartwright, of Amarillo, District Leader.

"Open Discussion"

"What shall we aim to get the Men of our Church to do?"

(1)—Study; What and How?

5 min. by Prof. J. L. Redus

(2)—Pay; What to, and How

Much?, 5 min. by G. G. Foster.

(3)—Work; When, and Where?

5 min. by J. E. Rogers: "Open Discussion"

Song—"From all the Dark Places, of Earths Heathen Faces.

"What the N. W. Texas conference proposes to do this year; and the need there-for,"

10 min. by Rev. M. E. Hawkins, pastor.

Song—(Every head reventually bowed), "All, yes, All I give to Jesus", followed with short prayer.

Collection, Special for Missionary work: Adjournment.

Doxology.

7:15 p m—Song service, 15 min

7:30 p m—"The Money side of the Gospel", by John A. Wallace

20 min.

Song—"The Morning Light is Breaking."

8:00 p m.—Mission of the Methodist Church to Men", by Rev. Hawkins.

Benediction

County Court Items

No 320, Aug Kaiser vs Salzman case continued.

Fulton Lumber Co vs L. J. Scott et. al, Judgment by default.

No 313 Canyon Coal Co vs P & N. T. Ry Co. An agreed judgement.

No. 302 T. E. Money vs P & N T Ry Co, An agreed judgement.

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## NEW ERA FOR BOWSER

Works Complete Change in Him  
For Twenty-four Hours.

THEN HE HAS A RELAPSE.

Cook Suspicious All Along—There Are No Kicks For a Whole Day, and He Takes Wifely to the Theater. Supper Afterward.

Ninety-nine times out of a hundred Mr. Bowser follows a regular programme when called to get up in the morning. He hunts for his day shirt; he hunts for his socks; he hunts for his collar and tie. He finds one of his shoes in the upper hall and the other under the dresser, and his watch is as apt to be found under the bed as elsewhere. Mrs. Bowser expects it and goes through with it and looks for her reward beyond the skies.

The other morning, to her unbounded surprise, there were no kicks. Mr. Bowser even forgot to throw out a hint about wives getting up in the night to rob their husbands of small change. Ninety-nine times out of a hundred he kicks at breakfast, but on this morning he actually praised the chops and coffee. The cook overheard him, but instead of flushing with pleas-



"Why, Sarah, how can you think so badly of my husband?"

ure she looked at Mrs. Bowser and shook her head in a solemn way. She afterward explained her action by saying:

"A woman may change her mind a dozen times a day and it's all right, but whenever a man changes, then look out. When a man is too good he's more dangerous than when he's too bad. I'm predicting that something awful will happen in this house within the next two days."

Mr. Bowser generally jams his hat on his head after breakfast and starts for the car with a "Slong" to Mrs. Bowser, and on the way up to the corner he wonders how he can make it hot for the conductor. On this occasion, however, he hung around for a while and tickled Mrs. Bowser under the chin and stooped to pet the cat. Before he had reached the corner he had made up his mind that street car conductors were human beings and should have words of sympathy and encouragement now and then. On the way over to the office a fat woman stepped on his foot, and he raised his hand and smiled at her. She was so taken with his action that she returned and stepped on the other. The conductor gazed into his beaming face and then returned only 15 cents out of a quarter, but there was no kick.

Four times that day Mrs. Bowser was called up on the telephone to find Mr. Bowser at the other end. He hadn't much to say either time. He just asked after her health and added that he never expected to see the day when he should regret falling in love with and marrying her. In his last message he suggested that the cat be treated with the greatest urbanity and that the cook's wages be raised \$3 per month. Mrs. Bowser was puzzling over this last when the cook came to her, with a stiletto in her hand, and, passing it over, said:

"Be prepared. When he comes home tonight, if he is not his old self again, then let him know that you are armed to the teeth and will die in the last ditch."

Prepared For the Worst.

"Why, Sarah, how can you think so badly of my husband?" was asked.

"It would be the same with any man. If he's a kicker he's no right to be oily and sweet and throw folks off their guard. I shall sleep this night with the family ax under my pillow."

Mr. Bowser came home with a forty candle power smile on his pliz and greeted Mrs. Bowser with a kiss. A politician on the car and called his candidate a robber, but he had only laughed at the idea. A cross-eyed passenger had taken him for some one else and dunned him for \$2 borrowed money, but the incident had only provoked a smile. At the table he complimented the dinner as a whole. He said it was a regular banquet. He said the cook ought to be working in the White House at a hundred dollars a month. He said that if he could always be sure of having such a home and such a dinner he would give up trying to go to heaven. He said that he would rather come home than go to a cabinet inner. He said that on numerous occasions he had sought to fable his hands in the lifeblood of the old "yaller" cat, but never without his conscience pricking him afterward, and he had fully and firmly decided

never again to seek to harm a hair of her body.

It was one of the most entertaining dinners for months and months, and, although the cook gave Mrs. Bowser a glance of warning every time she brought in a new dish, there was no cloud on the horizon. The greatest surprise of all came when the meal had been finished. Mr. Bowser pulled a couple of theater tickets from his pocket and announced that he had ordered a carriage to convey them to and fro.

"But the expense!" gasped Mrs. Bowser.

"Hang the expense! Nothing is too good for my little wife."

While Mrs. Bowser was dressing and fluttering about the cook brought the stiletto again. It had been brightened up and a sharper point put to it.

"Take it and stab him to the heart the moment he grabs you by the throat," she whispered. "I have five sisters and four cousins, all married women, and they go armed most of the time."

"But you are silly, Sarah."

"I'm just prudent, ma'am. I'll leave it to any policeman on earth if Mr. Bowser is not a suspicious character the way he has acted today and if it isn't for you to be on your guard against him. How easy to throttle you in the carriage and throw your body into the street to be run over by the cars! Let me speak to him and tell him that unless he brings you safe home I'll have the bounds of justice pursue him for the rest of his life."

But Mrs. Bowser decided to trust herself to the situation. It was a good play, and the theater was jammed. People elbowed Mr. Bowser, and he even begged their pardon for it. They stepped on his toes, banged him around and climbed over him, but he was a ray of sunshine in a rainy April day. Mrs. Bowser fairly longed for him to kick, but he wouldn't. He went right at it to enjoy the play, and, although it was a tragedy, he laughed about once in two minutes all through it. People around him scowled and hissed and said that any man who would laugh at a death scene ought to be thrown out of the house by the neck, but nothing that could be said riled him. He just went right on laughing and saying that it was the funniest play he had seen for forty years.

When the finish came Mrs. Bowser expected to be taken right home, but there was another surprise in store for her. She was taken away to a restaurant, and Mr. Bowser ordered lobster and champagne and other things regardless of expense. He said he was a happy man. He said that life was worth living. He said they would go to the theater every night in the week thereafter and he would order a thousand lobsters and a barrel of champagne sent up to the house next day. When the supper was ended and Mr. Bowser was looking for the carriage Mrs. Bowser had the great good fortune to run across their family doctor, who was also in the place for a bite to eat.

"Oh, I'm so glad!" she exclaimed as they shook hands.

"It's about Mr. Bowser?" he queried.

"Yes, Doctor, do you know?"

Struck a New Era.

"I know all about it. I saw him on the car when he went home, and I was only four seats back of you in the theater tonight."

"You saw him laughing?"

"I did."

"And he wouldn't kick at anything?"

"I took notice."

"And this splendid dinner—what do you make of it?"

"You need not be at all alarmed. Mr. Bowser has simply struck a new era. All husbands do now and then."

"But how long is it going to last? I confess that I'm almost afraid of him."

"These eras sometimes last fifteen minutes and sometimes twenty-four hours. Knowing Mr. Bowser as I do, I should say that he'll be the same old Bowser when he wakes up tomorrow morning."

And the doctor was right. Mrs. Bowser overslept herself by a quarter of an hour, and what woke her up was Mr. Bowser saying as he hunched around the room for a missing sock:

"By thunder, woman, you got up in the night and threw that sock out of the window just to spite me! The time has come when you and I have got to have a long talk together, and if it lands you in your mother's home without alimony don't you blame me for it!"

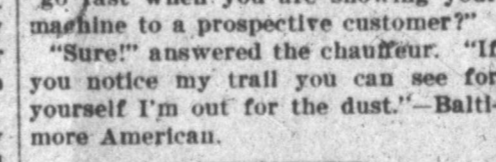
M. QUAD.

By Natural Means.

"Do you always," asked the country friend of the professional chauffeur, "go fast when you are showing your machine to a prospective customer?"

"Sure!" answered the chauffeur. "If you notice my trail you can see for yourself I'm out for the dust."—Baltimore American.

Childhood's Sunny Hours.



"Goodness, sonny, what's the trouble?"

"Nawthin'. I just wanted to see if I had forgotten how to cry—booboo!"

—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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Ten head two year old heifers with suitable bull.  
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John Hutson, Canyon City, Texas

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**White Swan Grocery Co.**  
For the Sixty Days  
Beginning Monday, Sept. 6, Closing Nov. 6

Am going to give away FREE five useful household articles to cash customers purchasing the largest amount during the sale, to-wit:

- 1st. One Cane Rocking Chair.
- 2nd. One Wooden Rocking Chair.
- 3rd. One Large Rug.
- 4th. One Center Table.
- 5th. Lamp Stand.

These goods can be seen at our store after the 15th of this month.

Am offering the—

**White Crest Flour at \$3.50 per 100 lbs.**  
**The Noted Honey Bee Flour at 3.00 per 100 lbs.**

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Canyon, Texas.

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### Some Postal Rates

Since August 1, parcels up to 11 pounds in weight can be sent through the mails from this country to Japan at a rate of 12 cents a pound, or any fraction of a pound. This announcement has lately been made by the postoffice department, and it suggests the unreasonableness of a government which withholds domestic parcels post to please a few express companies. A package such as you can send half way round the world for twelve cents a pound, would cost more to send most any place in the U. S. Nor is that the only unreasonable feature brought to light by the arrangement. Your domestic package is limited to four pounds, against 11 pounds for foreign. Of course the post office authorities are not to blame as they have long urged a parcels post such as is possessed by nearly every European nation, and which have universally proven successful. The fault lies with congress.

### Warning

The city Marshall wishes the News to announce to those who have formed the habit of throwing their rubbish into the alleys and high-ways, to think twice and quit it, as there is a city ordinance against doing such unlawful acts, and if complaints are made he will have to see to it, that the ordinances are fully obeyed. The marshal also states too, that some are gathering their rubbish and hauling it out and dumping along the roadside leading to the city, thereby not only committing a nuisance, but giving cause for teams to frighten, and endanger life or limb.

The News is doubly sure that all good people will see to it that their premises are free from rubbish, or anything that would endanger the health, or property of any of its citizens. Our reasons for being so sure is that we have faith in our city fathers that they would not place any unnecessary burdens on the people.

Let everybody see to it that their premises, are kept free from all unsightly things, and all rubbish burned, and not allowed to accumulate.

### Meeting of The Baptist Philatheas

Only a few of the members of the Philathea class of the Baptist church were able to attend the meeting held at their church last Tuesday afternoon. It was decided to hold a business meeting every month and also hold an afternoon tea at the different homes of the members of the class. Some new officers were elected and some other small business matters were attended to.

The first tea will be given at the home of Miss Emma Harder next Monday afternoon at 4.30 and all the members of this young ladies class are urged to come and bring some girl friend if possible.

This will be the first of the social gatherings of the class and the young people are looking forward to the time when the Philathea class will be the largest in that Sunday school.

### The Texas Magazine

We received the first number of The Texas Magazine, which is devoted to the financial, commercial and industrial interests of the State of Texas, published at Houston, Texas, by Frank Eberle. We desire to state that it should be in every business man's office.

### Specialist

I treat all diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, also have glasses, and pay special attention to fitting them. 16 years experience in special practice. Consultation and examination free. Canyon City, Nov. 10 & 11, 1909. L. E. Smith, M. D. Weatherford, Texas. 31-2 t

### Amarillo May Get Federal Building.

Captain Harry Ingerton, postmaster of Amarillo, received a communication from the supervising architect of the United States treasury department, asking for information bearing on the needs for a federal building at this point.

The communication after stating that a bill asking for an appropriation has been offered in congress, calls attention to the fact that it is imperative that queries be answered with as little delay as possible.

The department wants to know the receipts of the post office ten years ago, at the present, and an

estimate of the business ten years from today.

Captain Ingerton states the fact of the entry of the Amarillo office to the first grade, is doubtless responsible for the notice of the Federal government in a large degree.

As to the question of what he thought as to the business to come? Captain Ingerton declared that he believed \$200,000 annually would be very conservative.

Wanted—Young lady wants board and room with private family, modern house preferred. Apply at News office.

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### Heavy Cattle Shipments.

Cattle shipments from the Panhandle towns and specially Amarillo, are the heaviest known for many years. The manager of the Pecos Valley lines stated last evening that there is a shortage of cars to the number of 900 with demand increasing rapidly. Cattle on the plains are in excellent condition and a number of prominent buyers are here in the field.

Some special bargains in residence property, and close in. Acreage property. Smith & Monroe, Smith building.

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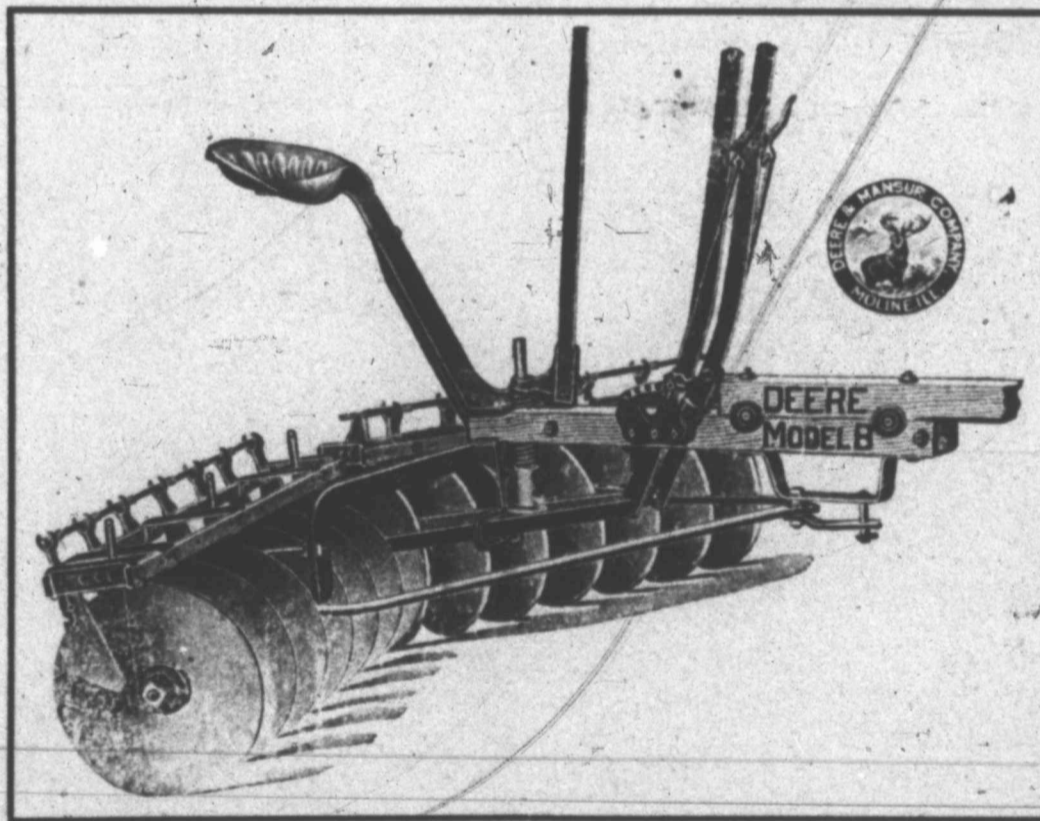
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With landing devices and wheel flanges. This disc is thoroughly adapted to use in old ground or stubble in which it is desirable to plow five inches or more, and instead of cutting out a square furrow, the disc leaves the furrow concave and porous, and therefore more receptive of moisture from rain and snow, and in many instances preventing wasteful washing of the soil. In operation the New Deere Disc opens a furrow at full length the first time around. Other makes of disc plows do not do this, it frequently requiring three rounds to get down to their normal working depth. The natural tendency of the two and three furrow plows would be for the forward plow to lift higher or drop lower than the rear one, but this tendency is overcome by the rear lever which is used to maintain the rear plow at the same level with the forward one.

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Every person going on my place east of town will please close the gates and follow the road or I shall be compelled to close the land against all trespassers. R. H. Sanford. 5f

FOR SALE:— Fifty acres of Maize and Kaffir Corn in shock. Inquire at Rogerson Hotel. 28w3 pd

COWART'S CONFECTIONERY:— For your Pure Sweet Apple Cider and Home made Taffy. 28tf

NOTICE—No camping, hunting or fishing allowed on the following sections on the Terra Blanco and Palo Duro creeks: Sections No. 11, blk. K, 14, Deaf Smith county; 108, 117, 140 and 141, blk. K, 14; Nos. 11, 12, 13, 20, 21, 23, blk. 1, all in Randall county, Texas. Any parties found trespassing will be prosecuted. Signed, John Hutson, owner and agent, Canyon City, Texas. 12tf

If you want plowing of any kind done, see H. W. Bogenreif, at this office.

LAND FOR SALE AND RENT:—I have some choice improved farms near Happy for rent on shares to the right men. Also the best improved and raw lands in Randall and Swisher counties for sale at the lowest prices. Some must be sold quick. See or write Stewart E. Brown, Canyon City, Texas. 24tf

NEBRASKA FARM:—To exchange for Panhandle lands. J. Frank Smith. 26 tfc

For cleaning and pressing call Phillips. Phone 223, work called for and delivered.

Winter time is on. Let Phillips, the Tailor, clean and press your winter suit. Phone 223.

I have 10,000 bundles of Kaffir corn and maize on my place one mile East of town for sale. L. E. Cowling. 27tf

I have a number of mares, horses and colts for sale, also four extra good milk cows and some feed. I reside 7-2 miles north west of Canyon on the mail route. J. R. Eling. 28w4

FOR SALE:—Alfalfa seed. See L. G. Conner at his office. 21tf

FOR RENT:—Rooms suitable for offices. Call on J. F. Smith. 28tf

FOR SALE:—A broad east binder. Address "Dan" care News. 26 tfc

Any one wishing sand or gravel furnished and delivered, phone 204 or call on J. V. Young. 31tf

One good fresh milk cow for sale. Inquire of R. E. Foster. 31 tf

Mr. Foster wishes to announce that he is prepared to sharpen disc, plows of all kinds. He has the best equipped blacksmith shop in Canyon. Can do all kinds of machinery repairing at the lowest prices.

Horse shoeing a specialty, on West Evelyn street. 1t

### Amusements

There has been something doing at the local opera house in the amusement line for the theatre goers of our city. The management has put on an extra good bill for this season and some of the best that has been booked were here this week. The shows have been especially attractive and entertaining while the different characters portrayed in some instances made the house roar with laughter.

The Quaker Male Quartette presented, last Thursday night, the most entertaining and enjoyable musical productions given in Canyon in many years and, although they did not have a very good house, the audience appreciated their efforts in trying to quiet some noisy boys and give them a musicale of the best talent that can be procured in this country.

Richards & Pringle's Georgia Minstrels was the next, slated last Saturday night. This minstrel is known all over the United States as model intertainers.

### School Boys

Come Saturday morning or soon after dinner to avoid the rush and disappointment, if you want stamp photos. 29 2t

### THE LUSBY STUDIO

The News is a live, local paper devoted to Canyon City and Randall county. Do you read it? It is worth all it costs and more.

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### At Our Churches

#### METHODIST

Sabbath school at 9.45 a. m. G. G. Foster, Superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Pastor, Rev. Hawkins Epworth League, 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, evening at 7.30 All are invited to these services.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

#### NOTICE

Rev. D. T. Summerville, District Superintendent of Ft Worth Texas, will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Oct 31st 1909 All are cordially invited.

#### Sunday services

9.30 a. m. Sunday school  
11.00 a. m. Public worship, Rev. J. S. Groves, pastor  
6.45 p. m. Christian Endeavor.  
7.30 p. m. Evening services  
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, Bible study and prayer meeting.  
You are cordially invited to any and all of these services.

#### BAPTIST

#### Sunday services,

9.30 a. m. Sabbath School  
J. C. Hunt, supt.  
11.00 a. m. Preaching  
J. M. Harder, Pastor  
6.45 p. m. Union Endeavor  
Will Hudnall, leader  
7.30 p. m. Preaching, by pastor J. M. Harder.  
7.30 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

#### Sunday services

10.00 a. m. Bible school  
11.00 a. m. Public worship.  
J. J. Hutchinson, Pastor  
6.45 p. m. Christian Endeavor.  
7.45 p. m. Public worship  
7.40 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting.  
7.40 p. m. Friday training for service.

#### B. Y. P. U. Meeting

The young people of the First Baptist church will meet Sunday Oct. 31 at 6.45 for their regular B. Y. P. U. service.

#### Program as follows.

Subject of lesson—  
Worlds Survey of Missions.  
Leader—Robert Rowen  
Scripture reading, John 20: 21-23.  
Song, prayer.  
1—Fight of Missions, Douglass Johnson.  
2—Field of Missions, Lena Lillyer.  
3—Force of Missions, Beulah Speakman.  
4—How can the B. Y. P. U. help in missions. Rev. J. M. Harder.

All the young people of the town are cordially invited.

#### Visitors From Jones County, Texas

A committee of prominent citizens and county commission of Jones County, and the towns of Anson, (county seat) and Stamford, consisting of the following named gentlemen, J. E. Robinson S. C. Gentry, Claude E. Jones, (Anson) J. A. Carrigan and A. R. Clary Stamford.

And in charge of Elmer Withers, an Architect of some note, this committee is out on an tour of inspection, and they stopped over in Canyon to inspect Randall County, court house, and they left here for Amarillo, to look over Potter county court house. Jones county has recently had a bond issue for the purpose of building a new court house, and these gentlemen are looking over those county seats that have of recent date built new court houses.

It will be remembered that Mr. E. G. Withers, was the Architect that drew plans for Tulia Swisher county court house.

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# PUBLIC SALE!

Having sold out, I will sell at my residence six miles northwest of Canyon, on what is known as the E. D. Harrell farm, on

## THURSDAY, NOV. 4,

Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property;

**10** Head Horses and Mules. One brown gelding, 10 years old and a good family horse, not afraid of autos, weighs 1150. One bay Norman gelding, weighs about 1300. One bay horse, 7 years old, weighs about 1100. One bay horse, age 7 years, weighs about 1100. One black mare with foal, age 9 years, weighs 900. One brown pony, 2 years old, broke to ride and drive. One bay mare colt, 8 months old. One black mule colt, 8 months old. One brown colt, 10 months old. One bay yearling mare colt, a beauty. One Holstein milk cow about 7 years old. One red cow, age 4 years, a good milker. 40 head of shoats. 60 high grade Buff Wyandotte chickens.

**Farm Implements:** 1 three section harrow, 1 McCormick row binder, 2 riding cultivators, 1 Canton disc harrow, good as new, 1 walking plow, 1 road wagon, 1 single buggy, 1 wagon, 1 set single light harness, 1 set work harness, 2 sets chain harness, 1 feed cutter, 1 blacksmith bellows and other articles.

**Household and Kitchen Furniture:** One hot blast heating stove, 1 four hole Home Comfort cook stove, wardrobes, dressers, 2 dining tables, 1 set dining chairs, telephone in good shape, washing machine and other articles too numerous to mention.

**Terms of Sale:** On all sums of \$10 and over a credit of 12 months time will be given without interest, purchaser giving note with approved security. If not paid at maturity, notes to draw 7 per cent interest from date of sale. Six per cent discount for cash on sums over \$10. All sums less than \$10 cash in hand. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Hot coffee and sandwiches will be served on the grounds by Mrs. Ditto.

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R. A. Campbell, Auctioneer Travis Shaw, Clerk

## Happy's New Store

We beg to announce that on Sept. 15, we opened an entirely new stock of general merchandise in our own building which we recently erected. We are opening this business for the reason that the country is developing so rapidly that the business has become a necessity to accommodate the trade now coming to Happy. In order to keep this trade we must offer the best in our stock of

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**Ralph News**

News is scarce this week, as farmers are all busy stacking feed, or sowing wheat.

A. L. Roles and wife were over Sunday visiting with their son, Ray and family at Happy.

A very interesting sermon was delivered on Sabbath evening by the Rev. Speakman, as usual, there was a good attendance.

Charley Ross was a business caller at Canyon City on Tuesday was attending the unloading of his stock of groceries for his new store at Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Roles entertained a number of young people on Sunday evening.

In the village of Ralph on Sunday morning, there was quite a little excitement when it was discovered that a prominent young couple secretly drove over to Canyon City, but after all the wise old heads learned that they were invited over to dinner by some of their friends.

Miss Etta Thompson of Canyon City was over on Sunday the guest of Miss Rena Craig.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charley King, on Sunday, Oct 24th, a son and heir apparent to the King's family Kingdom.

It is said that Charley's head will need a hoop, if it continues to swell, but we all are in hopes he will seek medical aid before it comes to that pass, Mother and son are getting along nicely.

Guess Who

Large samples of fall and winter goods now on display at Jack Brock's Tailor Shop, south side of square.

**Pleasantview**

O! the weather, the delightful weather, no one could ask for more beautiful weather, than this section of the Panhandle now affords. The recent rain has made sod breaking a past time and pleasure, in this locality.

The Pleasantview public school was closed Monday, on account of the teacher being summoned as a juror at Canyon City.

The Rag tacking surprise at Mrs. Emery's home on last Friday was quite a success. Just think of it, ten or more women tacking rags and talking at the same time, I expect it wasn't a lonesome place. However all report an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Ed. Gibson is going to hold a ladies sewing "Bee" on Thursday of this week, a good crowd is expected.

Everybody in the neighborhood is expecting a big time on tomorrow night at the Box Supper, great excitement contemplated.

Three binders are at work on the farm of J. H. Crowley, we think it is better late than never.

M. Wakefield and his hired men are "batching" on his farm east of Plainview, they are busy sowing wheat.

Prof. Cowley sold to Mr. Wallace of Canyon, his young calves, this week.

David Crowley of Greenfield, Iowa, is visiting his father's family here.

The first prize should be awarded to Miss Remona Schram, for the good work she has done, harvesting about one

hundred acres of corn. At the beginning of harvest the hired man was called home rather suddenly and scarce of help, Miss Remona relieved the situation by donning a jacket, seized a whip in one hand and an oil can in the other, and mounted the binder, and continued to stay there until over a hundred acres of corn was in the shock. Now boys don't go north or anywhere else, when we have such good, smart, willing girls as this in Randall county, none better in the Panhandle.

Success to the Farmers of the Panhandle, and to the Box Supper.

**Booster**

**Umbarger Notes.**

The weather is beautiful. Large number at church Sunday, dinner on the grounds, and the two services conducted by Rev. T. D. Sharp, the Methodist pastor were greatly enjoyed by all.

The quarterly conference held the last meeting of the year, at the Umbarger school house, on Wednesday from 12 to 1 o'clock by Rev. M. E. Hawkins of Canyon. Rev. L. D. Sharp desires to extend to the people throughout his work here his sincere thanks for their kindness to him.

The Educational Rally at the Umbarger school house last Friday was well attended. A short program was rendered in the afternoon by "The Good Will Club" An interesting and encouraging address by the superintendent of schools, Judge A. N. Hensons, after which refresh-

ments were served. The board of trustees held a business meeting and decided to continue the school through the winter, with the same teacher in charge.

The local lumber yard is being removed to the north side of the town.

Mrs. R. H. H. Woods and baby have returned from a short visit to relatives in Plainview.

C. B. Slaughter was seriously injured Monday afternoon by being thrown from his buggy while the horse was running away.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cage attended services in Umbarger, on Sunday and Wednesday.

Work has begun on our new hotel.

**Mirage**

**A Lawn Party**

A lawn party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Brandon's little daughters, Misses Emma and Maude who entertained on their beautiful lawn some of their neighbors' children, Thursday evening. Those present were little Emma Niel, Bernice McDonald, Alice Prater, Mattie Holland and Maud Cund. The main features of amusements were blind-man's-bluff drop-the-handkerchief, hide-and-seek and other like games so much enjoyed by little people after which fruit was served to the ever hungry little maids. By this time it was time for little children to be in bed and each left with regret and hoping Mrs. Brandon would invite them to play in her "back yard" again.

Be a News subscriber.

**Fire! Fire!**

About 2 p m Thursday rumor was current on the streets of Canyon that Plainview, county seat of Hale County, was burning up, and for an hour or more the News reporter could get no confirmation of the report until late in the afternoon when the News received a more definite report which was to the effect that most if not all of the business section located on the south side of the square were burned, the buildings were mostly of wooden construction and occupied or used as restaurants, stocks of groceries, a harness shop, jewelry store, two barber shops, loss about \$20,000 to \$25,000 with some insurance.

Our informant stated that while it was a loss, that the same would be rebuilt as soon as the losses could be adjusted with the insurance companies. The News is sorry to learn of the loss, yet she says "joy" to the pluck, and grit displayed by the property owners, when they declared that they would Phoenix like, "RE-BUILD."

Miss Vera Eaves will be a member of a theatre party who will see "Graustark" at the Grand in Amarillo, tomorrow night, and the guest of Miss Ina Farris and brother, Ernest, who are enroute to their home in Mt. Dora, N. M., via Amarillo.

Mr. James, a farmer living near Ceta, was a News caller Thursday.

Henry Beckman, a farmer living near Umbarger was a News caller, on Thursday.

**STRAYED:**— One female scotch collie dog about ten months old. Had on collar with a license tag, No. 14, Canyon Texas. Will pay reasonable reward for information leading to recovery.—C. R. McAfee. 31 11

**LOST, LOST:**— In Canyon, a brown Mink fur neck piece. The Finder will please leave the same at the News office and get reward. 31 11



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