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HOMESEEKERS COMING BACK.

Fifteen Thousand Settlers Return From Canada. Don't Like It There.

Washington, D. C.—The Canadian railroad rates are held to be exorbitant, crops in the Dominion are uncertain and the ice and snow in August and September make no desirable sort of climate, say fifteen thousand settlers who, according to the reclamation office, have left their farms in Canada to return to the United States.

Clarence J. Blanchard, statistician of the Reclamation Service, reports that he interviewed many of those returning settlers and they predict many more will come back as soon as they can get go of the land. Prospects for a general backward movement are believed to be bright.

Boarding Normal School Students.

The committee found lodging for 100 students and boarding places for 65. This is not as many by half as we shall be compelled to care for. The price for rooms ranged from \$5.00 to \$10.00 per month, furnished and cared for. The price of board and lodging ranged from \$15.00 to \$20.00 per month. The committee found a few good places for \$16.00 per month or less. The prevailing price is \$18.00 to \$20.00 per month. The prices of rooms here are about as high as they are in cities. The best rooms in Austin, for instance, near the University with bath and toilet included, the rooms kept and everything furnished, cost \$10.00 per month.

In the other normal school towns, board and lodging for students ranges from \$14.00 to \$18.00 per month. The prevailing price is \$16.00 per month. In Abilene, a college town, students are boarded and lodged for \$14.50 per month. In Stephenville, the price is \$14.00 to \$15.00, while in their dormitory, students are boarded for \$18.00 per month. In Hereford, I am informed, students board at \$16.00 per month. In Goodnight a neighboring college town, the students are boarded at \$12.50 including lodging. At Clarendon, students are boarded at \$15.25 per month in the dormitories and in town. The president of Clarendon College told the writer that he had more places in the town that were willing to take students at \$15.25 per month, than he could fill.

AN ERROR.

It is not a fact that it costs more to live on the Plains and in Canyon than it costs to live elsewhere now. It costs more to live anywhere now than it did a few years ago. But staple groceries and all necessaries cost about the same any where in the country. For instance the price of meat, flour, coffee, sugar, lard, etc., etc., are about the same in all towns having railroad facilities. If people in a given town can live or take boarders at a certain price, the same sort of board can be furnished by the same sort of people anywhere else in that section of the state, for the same price. The writer knows from experience that it costs less to live in Canyon than it does in some places in middle Texas.

WILL WORK OUT RIGHT.

This problem will work out right but we are in a crisis now. The price of board and the number of places will effect the attendance of the normal. And the prices set now by people who will take boarders to "accommodate the boarders" will fix the prices to some extent, of those

who will hereafter follow the boarding house business.

NO FURTHER SACRIFICE NEEDED.

The people of Canyon have made great sacrifices to obtain the location of the normal school. And nobody will be called on to make further sacrifices but good board at reasonable rates is absolutely necessary now.

DOMESTIC SERVANTS.

The students who come here, will add to the amount of cooking, cleaning, washing and scrubbing that must be done. Who will do this work? The problem is of easy solution where the people are ready and willing to admit the truth and act upon it as people have done in other communities situated as ours is.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE SURE.

That we shall have a large attendance here is sure—as soon as we are sure that we can care for such an attendance.

The school may not be largely attended the first year. There is still a question in the minds of many as to whether we shall have a working session this fall. Others prefer to wait until the school is well on its feet. But in the course of a few years we shall have a great attendance, winter and summer, the year round. We shall have a great house, well equipped and a faculty of specially strong men and women, but it takes more than these to make a strong school. The town itself must grow to be a good school town—with plenty of accommodations of all grades.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS.

So far as we can now judge, the building will be ready and the furniture in place to begin work on time. Indications point to a large attendance. We shall do good work from the first day. And Canyon is destined to become a great school town—known throughout the country as such.

Respectfully,
R. B. COUSINS.

West Texas Normal.

The prospectus for the new State normal at Canyon City contains a deal of interesting information concerning the school and its environs. Views of the main building, the city and adjacent scenery are given, together with a full outline of both the courses of study and the programme for the year.

The school expects to open in September with an enrollment of 500 or more, and there are accommodations for twice that number. The class rooms number forty, the auditorium has a seating capacity of 1,800, the offices, laboratories and society rooms are ample, and the gymnasium and swimming pool are unique and complete. The building is in Spanish renaissance, suggesting the university and the state capitol.

Hon. R. B. Cousins, former state superintendent of public instruction, is president of this normal, which was created by a bill of the Thirty-first legislature. Its field of operation is broad and its purposes comprehensive. There is no doubt that the school is endowed with the spirit of the West and that it will be one of the liveliest factors in the upbuilding of West Texas.—Ft. Worth Record.

C. O. Keiser was out to the McNeil farm the other day and bought a fine beautiful Persian cat for his little daughter Phyllis. Miss McNeil raises many of this species of the feline tribe and sells them all over this country. We can almost see the joy on Miss Phyllis' countenance when she receives this express package at her home in Keota.

STAND BY HOME MEN.

The News is especially interested in two of her citizens at the coming primary. They are A. S. Rollins and J. C. Hunt. Mr. Rollins is candidate for judge of this judicial district and Mr. Hunt is candidate for state representative. The News trusts that the people of Canyon will give them loyal support. They are worthy and honorable men. Mr. Rollins is honest, conscientious and in every way worthy of the support of the voters of Canyon and Randall county. His election will mean much to Canyon. The News believes in sticking pretty close to home men. Judge Rollins has been identified with the town's best interests. He has always been a booster. You always knew just where to find him. Word is being passed around that he will carry three counties and

perhaps four. We hope he does. Judge Hunt has put up a vigorous campaign for state representative. He is meeting with much encouragement. People of this county should stand loyally behind Mr. Hunt. We have the State Normal now and we will be wanting appropriations and Judge Hunt in the House, he will be able to do much for Canyon. Stand by him, voters. Make it unanimous for him. Remember that when you are voting for friend Hunt, you are voting for Canyon. Therefore we want to see A. S. Rollins and J. C. Hunt nominated at the coming primary and Canyon and Randall county can do much towards their success by giving them loyal and hearty support. For this one day lay aside any personal prejudice and let's all pull together.

Coyote Proof Pasture Succeeds in Colorado.

The enclosure of sheep range within a coyote-proof fence has been tried in Colorado by F. H. Taylor, of Mancos, with highly satisfactory results. An experiment begun by the U. S. Department of Agriculture on the Wallowa National Forest, in Oregon, to discover whether sheep could be advantageously pastured with in such an enclosure, led Mr. Taylor to give the new method a trial. The outcome is set forth in a letter to the department, as follows:

"After reading the description of your coyote-proof fence in Oregon, I constructed a fence to enclose about 500 acres in the same manner. The fence was constructed during the fall of 1908, and in the spring of 1909 and 1910 one thousand head of ewes lambed in this enclosure. In the vernacular of the herder, "one hundred per cent of the lambs were saved," that is, a lamb to every ewe, "and one man did all the work. I think the per cent of the lambs would have been higher, but one animal, presumably a coyote, was inside when the fence was constructed. It was impossible to capture this animal even with hounds. Some of the herders thought the animal was not a coyote, but since coyote tracks were found in several places I am of the opinion that it was. Whatever the animal was it raised its young inside the enclosure."

Connecting his loss with the capacity of this animal, Mr. Taylor says:

"A great many of the lambs were killed and a small hole eaten behind the foreleg and the remainder of the carcass was untouched. On the land outside the enclosure it required the services of three men and a pack of hounds to care for one thousand ewes, and only 95 per cent of the lambs were saved. This per cent could not have been saved without the assistance of the hounds."

"I consider this fence a splendid investment since it easily pays for itself in three years. On the other hand, it is often difficult and sometimes impossible to get men during the lambing season. For this reason the money value of the fence can hardly be estimated."

The Department of Agriculture entered upon the experiment of enclosing sheep range within a fence which would turn stock destroying animals in the belief that this method would save forage as well as stock and wages. This belief has been fully justified by the results. The Oregon enclosure carried more sheep than an equal area

of range of the same quality outside, produced a heavier lamb crop, heavier sheep, and more wool, and at the same time resulted in a better condition of the range itself. These advantages are due to the different behavior of sheep pastured within such an enclosure from that of sheep herded in the ordinary way.

When a band of sheep moves about in charge of a herder, it must be kept from scattering much. As a result much of the forage is wasted through trampling. Within an enclosure, however, the sheep soon learn to spread out and shift for themselves. Under these conditions it is not to be wondered at that a given area supports more sheep, puts them in better condition, and suffers less wear and tear. The success of the new method, however, depends on the extermination of all dangerous animals within the enclosure, and on the maintenance of a fence which will keep off outside attacks.

Mr. Taylor believes that the Wallowa plan of construction is open to improvement in one particular. He advocates placing a barbed wire on the ground before the woven wire is unrolled and stapling it down. I expect to build another inclosure soon," his letter concludes, "and will have a barbed wire stretched around the enclosure and have the men place their foot on the wire and press it close to the ground. With the fence already constructed it seemed almost impossible to get the wire as close to the ground as is necessary on account of the uneven surface."

J. A. Edwards Returns Home.

J. A. Edwards of the "Craving Milling Co.," returned home last week from a weeks trip along the Pecos valley country down as far as Roswell, N. M. He says that the splendid rains that have been falling in this locality, failed to reach the section of country he visited. The weather conditions there were very hot and dry. He seemed very much pleased with the outlook for a heavy crop of forage, that will be assured for the farmers in this locality. He was glad to note that the heavy, copious and frequent rains of late has brought about some rapid changes as to both the range pastures and row crops, making the country, look good to him. As to wheat harvest it has stopped as well as threshing but with the cool, drying weather that now prevails work will soon start up.

If you want pure home made lard, phone 18, City Market.

Stewart-Holland Nuptials.

Sunday morning at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holland, Mr. Tom Stewart and Miss Mattie Holland were united in marriage by Pastor M. E. Hawkins.

The bride looked unusually sweet in a handsome dress of cream-silk-silk-eyes-silk and the groom looked his best in the usual black.

Immediately after the ceremony, congratulations and best wishes were said, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart accompanied by Misses Mamie Conner and Maud Brandon, of Portales, N. M., and Messrs. Grady Holland and Pat Thompson, left on the west-bound for Hereford. Arrived, the party were taken to the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, where pretty soon an elegant and bounteous repast was served during which the guests made all the "breaks" thus saving embarrassment to the bride and groom. After dinner the party was autoed over the city, Misses Conner, Brandon and Messrs. Holland, Thompson returning on the afternoon train to Canyon City. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart remained, taking supper that evening at Sulphur Park, being duly "served" that night and returning home next morning where they were met by a crowd who had made the usual rice and shoe preparations necessary upon such occasions, but who, thru sympathy felt and in prospect, desisted on promise of good behavior. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will make their home here and for the present are keeping house in Mrs. Bertha Thomas' house.

Mattie Annis Holland, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holland, a pretty blonde, is one of whom the novelists would say "to know her is to love her," being possessed of a beautiful Christian character, a rare wit and the various other accomplishments which go to make up the character fitted to make a home with all that word should mean to humanity. Mr. T. H. Stewart, the fortunate groom, whom the girls "have" spoken of as "that cute brunette who works at the Thompson Drug store" has made many friends since he came here to make his home, about a year and a half ago, by his straightforward, noble and Christian conduct.

The good wishes of the many friends of this happy couple will accompany them thru life's journey.

Camping Party.

On Thursday afternoon of last week a party of campers from Hereford passed through this city enroute to the "Falls in the canyons" the party was chaperoned by Mrs. S. J. Rice, and those who composed the party were E. M. Isabel, Edgar Norman, Jessie and E. J. Rice of Hereford, Charles Cogdell, Roy and Mildred Gilbert and Leona G. Miller of Spring Lake. They had all of the necessary equipment to have a delightful time camping. The trip to Canyon was marred a little when about five miles out one of the ladies discovered that a suit case was lost containing gold watch and wearing apparel, after delaying for noon hour watering the team and writing out a "Lost" add, a stranger came to the city with the lost suit case, which was quickly identified, when the campers were soon happy on the road for the falls, where they expect to camp about ten days.

George Phillips and wife arrived today from Indiana for a few days visit in the Pecosville.

PHYSICIAN TRACES TYPHOID TO FLIES.

Clean Up Campaign and War on Common Pests is Urged.

Eight new cases of typhoid fever in Ft. Worth are reported to the city physician during this month, while the doctor does not believe there is occasion for any great alarm, he says unless the residents of the city clean up their premises and keep them clean and wage warfare against the common house fly, the infection is liable to spread and become a serious menace.

"The housefly is mainly responsible for the spread of typhoid infection," said Dr. Trimble, "and unremitting warfare should be waged against this pest. All houses should be tightly screened and flypaper and poisons should tempt the flies to an early death if they succeed in getting through the screens into the house.

These warm days and the accumulation of decaying of vegetable matter to be found on so many premises furnish fine places for the propagation of typhoid germs which the flies carry throughout the neighborhood. All such matter should be cleaned up at once, and the premises kept clean. All slop barrels should be kept covered at all times, and should be kept emptied at least once every day. Too much precaution can not be exercised in this particular. But do not lose sight of the main cause of all the typhoid, is the little common fly, therefore make war on the fly, destroy him at all times and all of the time. Let everyone inspect his or her premises. Clean up everything place all of the old empty cans in a sack so that the garbage wagon can haul the same away, do it now, and not delay such matters until we have an epidemic of typhoid and then lock the barn after the horse is stolen.

A Large Rooming House to be Erected Near the Normal.

A large commodious rooming house to be erected that will accommodate about fifty students is planned, contract let to Mr. Goodwin, who will commence building at once, this building will be constructed of cement blocks which will be furnished by the Canyon Cement works, B. T. Johnson, mgr. The parties who are behind this building project might be mentioned: J. M. Harder, B. T. Johnson, Dr. Stewart, Mr. Ballard and Mr. Slover, all good responsible citizens.

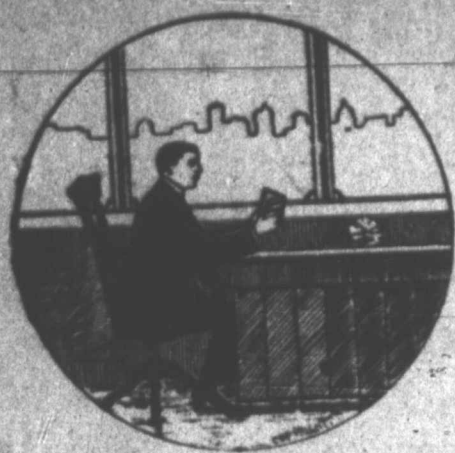
To the Managers of Special Election.

The special session of the legislature is now in session and the 106th Representative District, including Randall county, is not represented; therefore you will please make the returns of this election to my office, as promptly as possible in order that I may certify the results to the Secretary of State, to the end that we get representation in said special session, as early as possible.

A. N. HENSON,
Co. Judge.

Have you noticed that big bull snake in the window of the Leader store? It was killed out at the Normal school and is over seven feet long. Mr. Hutchings, the Leader man, says if he would meet a critter like that in the road, he would never stop running.

T. C. Thompson, Roy Callum, Dr. Ingham, C. Doniphan, J. E. Winkelman and W. E. Groendyke attended a banquet given at Amarillo Thursday night for the hardware men.



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Notice to Voters

Notice is hereby given to all those who expect to vote at the primaries on July 23rd, will be required and called on to present their poll tax receipts, unless legally exempt. The requirements will be the same as though they were voting at any regular election. This rule will be strictly enforced by all presiding officers. L. C. LAIR, Chairman of the County Central Committee.

FOR SALE:—A three room house and block in west part of city. Inquire at News office.

WANTED:—To rent a farm on which everything is furnished. Best of references given. Address J. Frank Osborne, Rena-scalar, Ind., R. F. D. No. 4.

FOR SALE:—At a bargain a good piano, inquire of Mrs. M. Jett.

It will be to your interest to figure with us before you buy that bill. Fulton Lbr. Co.

FOR SALE:—First class tin shop, a snap for the right kind of a practical tinner. Will take in part payment good young stock. Outside interests demand all my attention, reasons.

P. V. Weinstead.

FOR SALE:—1 team mules, 1 Jersey cow. Inquire of Dr. C. L. Daniels.

Miss Addie Money is visiting friends at Happy.

T. J. Hall of Tula was a business caller in Canyon Monday.

Dr. H. Taylor, of Hereford, was a short time in Canyon Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Parker of Roswell, N. M., was a visitor in Canyon Sunday.

Z. E. Black of Plainview made a short business call in Canyon Sunday.

A. P. Wilkins of Wichita, Kans. was a business caller in Canyon Saturday.

G. Kan of Hereford, Texas, was a short time visitor in Canyon Sunday.

Edna Ross of Pecos, Texas, was a short time visitor in Canyon Sunday.

Chas. K. Needham is here from Iowa and will remain for some little time.

P. J. Meyers of Happy was a short time business caller in Canyon Tuesday.

Annetta Garet returned Monday from a weeks visit with friends at Umbarger.

The Canyon National is having a new awning put on the west side of their brick block.

Mrs. Dr. Black returned Friday from a visit with friends and relatives at Wolf City.

Why not do that building now? Our stock is complete and prices right. Fulton Lbr. Co.

Erma Alderson returned home Friday from a few weeks visit with friends in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hudson from Hico spent the first of the week here a guest of Miss Pearl Shelnett.

Mrs. Will Myers left Monday for Dallas to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Cason.

Geo. A. Baynor of Colorado Springs, Col., was a short time business caller in Canyon Tuesday.

R. W. Maysor of Wichita, Kans., was looking after some business deals in Canyon Tuesday.

N. W. Pritchett of Paragold, Ark., was in Canyon Tuesday looking after some business matter.

J. P. Hix, Wallace Moore and Misses Harold and Carter autoed to Amarillo Sunday to attend the ball game.

Carl Gilliland and Hon. John P. Slayton of Hereford were in Canyon Tuesday looking after political matters.

Saturday is primary day. Keep sweet, but hustle. Don't get mad. Remember that the other fellow has his opinions.

Eugene Thompson of Dallas, Texas, made a brief business call in Canyon Saturday, leaving for the south Sunday morning.

Why increase high cost of living? When a good refrigerator these hot days will save expense. See line at Thomas Furniture Co.

Miss Anita Garrett returned Monday from a trip to the country. She was accompanied by Miss Sallie Cage who will remain for a visit.

When that car of beer was wrecked the other morning, some of the Mexicans down by the depot swiped a keg of beer. They had a great time.

Mrs. Wm. Coole and son arrived yesterday from Canadian. Mrs. Coole is the wife of Wm. Coole, the man who bought out the Bailey barber shop.

A word to the wise, and more especially to the newly married, "The Thomas Furniture Co." will furnish your home on easy payment plan. Please call and see us.

Rev. J. J. Hutchison left the city the first of the week to spend a couple of weeks on a farm resting up. He will not be here next Sunday to fill the pulpit at the Christian church.



YOU WILL NOT FIND A STARVED STOCK OF GOODS IF YOU VISIT OUR ESTABLISHMENT. BUT A STORE CROCK FULL OF PRETTY THINGS. CAREFUL BUYING ENABLES US TO GET LITTLE PRICES AND GIVE LITTLE PRICES. WE DO NOT BUY "SECONDS" THAT WE MAY MAKE "STARTLING REDUCTIONS." WE ARE NOT THE BIGGEST BUYERS IN TEXAS, BUT WE BUY FIRST QUALITY GOODS AND GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS THE BENEFIT OF THE LOWEST PRICES.

The Leader
 CANYON, TEXAS.
 DRY-GOODS & CLOTHING
 "THE QUALITY TELLS."

Miss Maude Brandon arrived Saturday for a few days visit. She likes her new home and reports business pretty good. They are getting along nicely with their paper.

Dennis Bush, manager of the Keiser Bros. & Phillips farm, is working sixteen men out at the ranch. This, Thursday, morning, Pete Meyer and force start the big steam plow.

R. A. Terrill was in Amarillo Wednesday. He says that our candidate for judge, A. S. Rollins, is a sure winner. Whoop it up for him and let's make it unanimous in Randall County. It would mean much for Canyon to have a district judge.

About 25 to 30 people gathered at the cemetery Wednesday to assist in cleaning up and digging ditch for water main. Every one was anxious and willing to work and we feel greatly pleased with the work that was accomplished. Men left their business to come and help us and we certainly appreciate the interest manifested and hope it will continue to grow until our cemetery is a credit to our town and country. Everybody should be interested in this work and help us to make it a beautiful resting place for our dead.

Civic Improvement Society.

Umbarger News

We have been enjoying some of the good old summer time's weather the past week or so.

Miss Aneta Garrett visited Miss Sally Cage the past week. Miss Sally accompanied her home Monday.

Miss Mary Burnham was the guest of Mrs. Rhinehart Saturday.

Mrs. Campbell visited her daughter, Mrs. Neva Stratton, Sunday.

Miss Anna Wansley spent Saturday with the Misses Cage.

Miss Mary Picken departed for Kress Sunday, being called there on account of the serious illness of her little niece.

The all day meeting and children's day exercises held at the Hoffman School house, Sunday, July 17th, was a success, having services in the morning and the program in the evening. They also had a very beautiful dinner for it was one that the ladies of the Hoffman vicinity know how to prepare.

Endorsements of Hon. A. S. Rollins

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 47TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Greenville, Texas, July 14, 1910.

We, the undersigned citizens of Canyon City, having the utmost confidence in the integrity and ability of our fellow-townsmen A. S. Rollins, both as a lawyer and as a citizen, knowing that he numbers among his clients many of our best people, and during our constant association with him for the past several years he has proven that he is unbiased, fair and impartial, and his deportment as a lawyer and a citizen has at all times been above reproach, and further knowing him to be a man on unquestioned honesty, strong character and sterling worth, we take pleasure in endorsing his candidacy for the office of Judge of the 47th Judicial District:

- M. E. Hawkins, pastor Methodist church.
- L. T. Lester, president First National bank.
- D. A. Park, cashier First National bank.
- H. O. Howell, with First National bank.
- O. E. Cannon, with First National bank.
- R. H. Wright, vice pres. Canyon Nat'l bank.
- J. T. Holland, president First State bank.
- J. P. Winder, cashier First State bank.
- R. G. Oldham, vice pres. Canyon Mer. Co.
- J. C. Pipkin, president Canyon Mer. Co.
- Ed W. Pipkin.
- R. S. Pipkin, sec. treas. Canyon Mer. Co.
- Joe Foster, grocer.
- J. D. Gamble, livery.
- O. C. Davis, real estate and insurance.
- Geo. Reynolds.
- W. J. Fleisher, assistant County Attorney.
- W. D. Scott, County Attorney.
- R. H. Sanford, Sheriff.
- M. P. Garner, County Clerk.
- H. E. Muldrow, prop. Star Barber Shop.
- James Dawson, prop. Canyon Meat Market.
- C. M. Thomas, Merchant.
- W. F. Garner, mgr. Thomas Furniture Co.
- A. G. Thomas, merchant.
- C. P. Hutchins, mgr. "The Leader."
- G. H. Hutchings.
- W. E. Lair, sec. treas. Canyon Supply Co.
- W. T. Moreland.
- N. C. Bishop, cigars and confectionery.
- L. E. Cowling, land.
- A. M. Smith.
- L. C. Lair, vice-pres. First National bank.
- O. I. Smith, real estate.
- C. N. Harrison, insurance and abstracts.
- C. R. McAfee.
- Tom L. Miller, mgr. Ice & Light Co.
- C. C. Doniphan, Thompson Hardware Co.
- C. Brooks.
- D. Thomas.
- Travis Shaw.
- W. H. Newberry.
- J. M. Black, pres. Canyon National bank.
- C. V. Woolley.
- R. A. Terrill.

In view of the fact that Judge Albert S. Rollins of Canyon City, Texas, is a candidate for the office of District Judge and inasmuch as Judge Rollins was born and reared in Hunt County, Texas, and was for several years a prominent and most highly esteemed attorney of this bar.

We, the undersigned members of the bar and county officials of Hunt county, without the knowledge or consent of Judge Rollins, do of our own initiative commend Judge Albert S. Rollins to be a pure, honest and courageous gentleman, eminently fitted by natural ability, education and legal attainments that thoroughly qualify him for the high office of which he aspires.

- H. B. Mock.
- J. F. Nichols.
- V. W. Grubbs.
- F. M. Kemp.
- C. L. Elder.
- B. F. Looney.
- L. A. Clark, ex-District Judge.
- B. F. Vaughan.
- J. C. Matthews.
- Harry L. Carpenter.
- B. Q. Evans.
- J. H. Dinsmore.
- L. L. Bowman.
- Mayo W. Neyland.
- Robert L. Neyland.
- Geo. S. Perkins.
- Thos. Ragsdale.
- R. D. Thompson.
- T. D. Montrose, District Judge 62nd District.
- R. L. Porter, District Judge 8th District.
- A. R. Nicholson.
- Sam D. Stinson.
- J. F. Jones.
- R. S. Sherill.
- J. T. Craddock.
- J. P. Copeland.
- Ellis Birdson, Tax Collector.
- Louis Payne, County Treasurer.
- J. A. Mattox, County Auditor.
- Joe H. Smith, District Clerk.
- O. S. Moore, Deputy District Clerk.
- Ben H. Holcolm, Deputy Tax Collector.
- Sid L. Arnold, County Clerk.
- N. G. Runnion, Chief Deputy County Clerk.
- D. L. Hensell, Sheriff.
- J. W. Manning, County Judge.
- Morris B. Harrell, Asst. County Attorney.
- W. G. Patterson, County Commissioner.
- Hugh Milton, County Commissioner.
- W. H. Whitfield, County Commissioner.
- Albert F. Mason, Justice of the Peace.
- A. M. Butler, Tax Assessor.

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Railway Time Table.

MAIN LINE, WEST BOUND.
 No. 27 to Clovis 2:45 p. m.
 No. 13, to Carlsbad from K. C. 10:05 a. m.
 No. 74 Local Freight 10:55 a. m.

MAIN LINE, EAST BOUND.
 No. 28 from Clovis 10:05 a. m.
 No. 14, to Kansas City 5:10 p. m.
 No. 74 Local Freight 2:55 p. m.

PLAINVIEW BRANCH, NORTH B'ND
 No. 28 to Amarillo 2:55 p. m.
 No. 24 Local Freight 2:45 p. m.

PLAINVIEW BRANCH, SO. BOUND.
 No. 27 to Plainview 11:15 a. m.
 No. 24 Local Freight 10:30 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 28 don't run on Sunday.

CONGRESSMAN JOHN STEPHENS

From the sentiment expressed around Canyon and in the country, we believe our people are all in favor of returning John Stephens to congress. He has an opponent in the person of John W. Veale, but the candidacy of Mr. Veale is not taken very seriously. Mr. Stephens is a conscientious, hard working member. He has been in Washington a long time. He has been there just long enough to give to his district the very best service. A man to serve the people best must be thoroughly acquainted with the affairs of the government. Mr. Stephens has always worked for the very best interests of his constituency. Mr. Charley Edwards in writing from Washington, D. C., has the following to say of our congressman:

"Probably the most unassuming and unostentatious member of the Texas delegation is Hon. John Hall Stephens of Vernon, Texas, the member from the Thirteenth Texas district. Ever since his experience as a member of the Texas State senate in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second legislatures he has been one of the hardest workers in legislative matters of any who has represented the State of

Texas at Washington. He is one of the three members of the delegation who came here in the Fifty-fifth congress and has been here continuously since then. Next to Judge Smith he represents more territorial area in his district than any man in the United States, there being forty-eight counties in his district.

Mr. Stephens is a native Texan, and after graduating in the law department of Cumberland university, at Lebanon, Tenn., in 1872, has practiced law ever since in the Panhandle country of Texas. He has lived so close to the Indians all his life that it was in the nature of the eternal fitness of all things that he should be placed on the Indian affairs committee of the house. I can say without fear of successful contradiction that Mr. Stephens is the best posted man of that committee on Indian affairs ever had on that committee. He has just introduced a resolution to take the old Geronimo group of Apache Indians, who were arrested with their chief and placed in bondage, and give them their freedom. He says there are only six of the warriors of that gang left; that they have become highly civilized, are excellent farmers and that it is a hardship upon the women and children with those Indians to deprive them longer of their liberty, and he hopes to have the resolution passed at this session of congress.

"Mr. Stephens has the distinction of having a country named for him in the new State of Oklahoma. It was a just tribute to him for the work that he did in getting Statehood for Oklahoma and for the work he has since done in conjunction with its representatives.

"He is one of the kindest men in the world, and although he does not talk much, is one of the hardest workers in the house of representatives. The death of his good wife has been a sore trial to Mr. Stephens, but it has not soured him, or make him work any the less assiduously for the interests of his constituency, the State of Texas, or the democratic party. If the next house should be democratic it is a foregone conclusion that another Texan will be at the head of one of the big committees of the house, and he will be Hon. John H. Stephens, chairman of the committee on Indian affairs."

Hon. John P. Slayton of Herford, spoke at the court house Tuesday night on the political issues. John Slayton is an able attorney. He stands high in his home town. Our people can not possibly make a mistake in voting for him. If he is elected, he will give to the state of Texas a

splendid service. Being a man of broad and liberal views he would be a power in the senate of this state. The News don't take a very prominent side in this primary, but she does feel an interest in the candidacy of John P. Slayton. So we say, give John Slayton a boost, and if he is elected, you will have no cause to regret supporting him.

There is no question but that Judge J. C. Hunt of this place is decidedly the best qualified man in the race for representative. He is honorable, fair, firm and stands for the Panhandle interests like a stone wall. If there is a single citizen of Randall County who has naught against Judge Hunt as an honorable, honest, faithful man, we do not know him and if there is one against him, dollars to doughnuts that there is something wrong in his head or heart somewhere that cannot be seen.

At the Slayton meeting the other evening, Joseph E. Farrow made a short address. He is a candidate for the House in this district. Farrow may be alright, but our people are with Judge Hunt, because he is a home product and just the man to send to the House of Representatives of Texas.

We notice a lot of farmers marketing their second crop of alfalfa. Gee, but it looks good to see so many loads go by this office to the warehouse for storage. Business men tell us that their trade has doubled in the last two weeks. This fall promises to be the biggest fall trade in the history of the town.

Freight Wreck.

Early Sunday morning occurred a rear-end collision between two sections of No. 33, time freights going west. While the first section was getting orders and all of the train crew were in the dispatchers office, the second section, which was only a few minutes behind, came crashing into the rear of the first section with the suddenness that the caboose (way car) was demolished together with a refrigerator car loaded with beer. It is said that of the liquid, very little was lost as plenty of Mexicans were on hand to see that nothing was wasted. As soon as daylight arrived a wrecking crew was on hand to remove the wreckage to about a mile out along the company's right-of-way, when it was burned. No person hurt, the principle damage was to the rolling stock of the company.

Jessie Pierce, a prosperous farmer residing some six miles north-west from Canyon, has had some great experiences with swifts wolves which were killing his chickens, so he procured some deadly poison the next trip to town, and commenced to administer it, when the next day he found one dog dead, three swifts, and other animals that were chicken lovers. It took a dozen of his chickens a day to keep all fed up. He says all kinds of forage crops are doing fine and the prospects are good for a large yield, most of the small grain is harvested and threshed, yield good and quality fine.

Major E. C. Gordon of Amarillo, was in Canyon Saturday, shaking hands with old time friends, it is reported by some that he was looking after some political matters as well. The Major is an interesting conversationalist and well informed on many of the doings in pioneer days of the Panhandle country. The News will always be glad to have him call when in Canyon.

The News went to press a day earlier than usual on account of matters that would need attention this week.

Sample Democratic Ballot


TEST—I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

- For Governor—
 WILLIAM POINDEXTER,
 Of Johnson County.
 ROBERT VANCE DAVIDSON,
 Of Galveston County.
 O. H. COLQUITT,
 Of Kaufman County.
 CONE JOHNSON,
 Of Smith County.
 JAMES MARTIN JONES,
 Of Cherokee County.
 For Lieutenant-Governor—
 H. BASCOM THOMAS,
 Of Hopkins County.
 A. S. HAWKINS,
 Of Midland County.
 J. H. WEBSTER,
 Of Dallas County.
 A. B. DAVIDSON,
 Of DeWitt County.
 JAMES T. HAMMONS,
 Of Eastland County.
 For Attorney-General—
 JEWELL P. LIGHTFOOT,
 Of Camp County.
 For State Treasurer—
 WILLIAM WINNINGHAM,
 Of Limestone County.
 SAM SPARKS,
 Of Bell County.
 For Comptroller—
 W. F. LANE,
 Of Tarrant County.
 D. C. BURKES,
 Of Bell County.
 B. F. TEAGUE,
 Of Washington County.
 EDWIN WALLER,
 Of Waller County.
 BOB BARKER,
 Of Bexar County.
 For Railroad Commissioner (regular term)—
 THEODORE G. THOMAS,
 Of Harris County.
 L. T. DASHIELL,
 Of Leon County.
 ALLISON MAYFIELD,
 Of Grayson County.
 J. W. BLAKE,
 Of Hill County.
 For Railroad Commissioner (unexpired term)—
 WILLIAM D. WILLIAMS,
 Of Tarrant County.
 For Commissioner of the General Land Office—
 J. T. ROBINSON,
 Of Morris County.
 CHARLES W. GEERS,
 Of Tarrant County.
 H. ELLIS HILL,
 Of Harrison County.
 For State Superintendent of Public Instruction—
 F. M. BRALLEY,
 Of Fannin County.
 For Commissioner of Agriculture—
 ED R. KONE,
 Of Hays County.
 For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals—
 A. J. HARPER,
 Of Limestone County.
 FELIX J. MCCORD,
 Of Smith County.
 P. A. TURNER,
 Of Bowie County.
 For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—
 T. J. BROWN,
 Of Grayson County.
 For United States Senator—
 CHARLES A. CULBERSON,
 Of Dallas County.
 For Chief Justice of the Second Supreme Judicial District of Texas—
 T. H. CONNOR.
 For Representative 13th Congressional District—
 JOHN H. STEPHENS.
 JNO. W. VEALE.
 For State Senator 29th Senatorial District—
 W. A. JOHNSON.
 L. GOUGH.
 JNO. P. SLATON.
 For Representative of the 109th District—
 J. C. HUNT.
 B. F. JACKSON.
 JOSEPH E. FARROW.
 T. W. TOLLINSON.
 For Judge 47th Judicial District—
 J. N. BROWNING.
 A. S. ROLLINS.
 For District Attorney 47th Judicial District—
 HENRY S. BISHOP.
 E. T. MILLER.
 For County Judge—
 W. D. SCOTT.
 For County Clerk—
 M. P. GARNER.
 For Sheriff and Tax Collector—
 WORTH A. JENNINGS.
 R. H. SANFORD.
 J. T. SERVICE.
 For Tax Assessor—
 T. V. SLACK.
 CYRUS EAKMAN.
 O. C. DAVIS.
 H. J. CAVET.
 WILL CAGE.
 M. M. WESLEY.
 C. L. DANIELS.
 For County Treasurer—
 P. E. YUNG.
 For County Attorney—
 W. J. FLESHER.
 For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1—
 HENRY J. WEBBER.
 T. F. REID.
 W. J. REDFEARN.
 For Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1—
 W. J. REDFEARN.
 For County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2—
 E. W. NEECE.
 For County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3—
 W. S. COOK.
 For County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4—
 M. S. PARK.
 For Chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee—
 L. C. LAIR.
 For Precinct Chairman—

For the submission by the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Texas, a Constitutional Amendment to the people of Texas, for their adoption or rejection, prohibiting within the State of Texas, the manufacture, sale, use, import and intra-state shipment of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and medicated biters, capable of producing intoxication, except for medicinal and sacramental purposes.

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Clothes Pins per doz. 1c	Refrigerators	Garden Rakes 27c	Stoves	Vehicles	5 bunches v
Tin Cups, each 1c	\$20.00 Pre-Inv. price . . . \$16.70	" Hoes 37c	Arcadian maleable non-breakable	1 cut under rubber tire Velie Buggy	2 papers be
Pie Plates 2c	19.50 " " 15.95	" Cultivator 69c	Steel Range, regular \$62.50, Pre-Inv. price \$54.85	without top, regular 125.00, Pre-Inv. price \$112.50	2 spools Dar
Bread Pans 7x13 1-2 8c	15.00 " " 12.85	4-Tine Forks 92c	Never-Fail Range with copper reservoir, regular \$40.00, Pre-Inv. price \$34.05	1 Phaeton, regular 115.00, Pre-Inv. price \$99.45	2 cards Hoo
" " 9x15 9c	13.50 " " 11.65	Long handle Shovels with round point 69c	Empire Range (Charter Oak), regular 30.00, Pre-Inv. price \$23.85	1 Velie Surrie, ext. top, regular 142.50, Pre-Inv. price \$121.85	Regular 10c price
" " 11x17 11c	Water Coolers	Long handle Shovels with square point 87c	Agate 8-18 Charter Oak, regular 23.75, Pre-Inv. price \$18.45	1 Studebaker Surry, regular 150.00, Pre-Inv. price \$132.50	2c can Tak
" " 17 1-2x16 1-2 17c	8-gal. regular \$3.00, Pre-Inv. price \$2.65	Post Hole Shovels 95c	Good Prices and Terms		In both 1 3
1-qt. Cups and Measures 7c	10-gal. regular \$3.50, Pre-Inv. price \$2.95	Short handle Shovels 69c	on	Wagons	3
4-qt. " " 17c	Ice Cream Freezers	Post Hole Diggers \$1.05	All Implements	3x9 Webber Wagons, regular 90.00, Pre-Inv. price \$82.85	Tr
1-qt. Drinking Cups, extra heavy tin 7c	4-qt regular \$2.65, Pre-Inv. price 2.23			3 1-4x10 Webber Wagons, regular 92.00, Pre-Inv. price \$85.85	
Dish Pans, heavy tin 27c	Lawn Mowers	Hinges		3x9 Columbus Wagons, regular 87.50, Pre-Inv. price \$78.85	
2-qt. Tin Buckets 7c	\$11.00 Pre-Inv. price \$8.85	4-in. Strap 9c		3 1-4x10 Columbus Wagons, regular 88.00, Pre-Inv. price \$78.85	
4-qt. " " 9c	7.00 " " 5.95	6-in. Strap 11c		Farm Trucks	
12-qt. " " 19c	Lawn Hose	8-in. Strap 13c		3 1-4 South West, regular 55.00, Pre-Inv. price \$44.40	
12-qt. Galv. " " 21c	10c regular, Pre-Inv. price 8 1-2c	10-in. Strap 21c		3 1-4 New Moline, regular 72.50, Pre-Inv. price \$62.60	
Cake Pans 11c	Screen Doors	12-in. Strap 39c		Burroak Wagons	
Milk Strainers 16c	\$2.00 regular, Pre-Inv. price . . . \$1.49	Axes		3-in. regular 72.50, Pre-Inv. price \$63.00	
Galv. Foot Tubs 37c	2.25 regular, Pre-Inv. price . . . 1.73	\$1.25 regular, Pre-Inv. price . . . 95c		3 1-4 regular 75.00, Pre-Inv. price \$66.25	
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Rolling Pins 13c					
Long handle Dust Pans 13c					
100 ft. Clothes Line 31c					
Food Choppers 7c					
Egg Beaters (Dover) 7c					
No. 2 Lamp Burners 6c					
Galv. Stove Boiler, extra large . . . 77c					
No. 1 Galv. Wash Tubs 47c					
No. 2 " " 52c					
No. 2 " " 69c					
Brass Wash Boards 37c					

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1.00 112.50 Inv. \$99.45 ular 121.85 1.00 132.50 1.00 \$82.85 ular \$85.85 7.50 \$78.85 ular \$78.85 1.00 \$44.40 2.50 \$62.00 ce \$63.00 \$66.25	Notions, Suits, Pants, Trunks and Suit Cases Notions 5 bunches white Tape, Per-Inv. price.....5c 2 papers best Pins.....5c 2 spools Darning Cotton, Pre-Inv. price.....5c 2 cards Hooks and Eves. Pre-Inv. price.....5c Regular 10c Finishing Brade, Pre-Inv. price.....5c 2c can Talcum Powder, Pre-Inv. price.....15c Boys Suits In both Nickerbocker and Plain Suits at 33 1-3 per cent discount Mens Trousers 33 1-3 per cent discount Trunks and Suit Cases at 25 per cent discount Bleach Domestic God Nuf Bleaching per yd.....5c Calicoes Pre-Inv. price per yd.....5c Mens Elastic Seam Drawers Regular 50c elastic seam bleach drill Drawers, Pre-Inv. price.....35c Ginghams our stock of Red Seal and Zephyr Ginghams, 12 1-2c and 15c, Pre-Inv. price per yd.....8 1-2c Ladies' Vests Regular 10c vest, 4 for.....25c	Hats, Shirts, Shoes and Oxfords Hats Our stock of hats is larger than it should be at inventory time and we are offering some exceptional values to reduce it. \$6.00 and 6.50 Stetson Hats.....\$4.85 5.00 Stetson Hats.....3.95 3.00 Hats.....2.35 Ladies' Oxfords at Half Price One lot Ladies' Oxfords, just a few of a size and kind at just HALF PRICE Comfort in Our Shoes Are your shoes comfortable? We can fit you correctly, which means comfort to you. Our stock is to large and must be reduced. Many special bargains are offered in this department. \$6.00 and 6.50 Edwin Clapp Shoes.....\$4.84 About 100 pair 4.00 and 4.50 Oxford and Shoes, just a few pairs of a kind, all good new styles at just.....\$2.65 Mens Shirts Pretty patterns in both soft and negligee styles. \$2.50 Shirts.....\$1.85 2.00 Shirts.....1.45 1.50 Shirts.....1.15 1.25 Shirts......85	White Goods 15c white goods.....10c 15c white Lawns, Pre-Inv. price.....10c 15c white Demity, Pre-Inv. price.....10c 15c cross bar Lawns, Pre-Inv. price.....10c 15c white Waistings, Pre-Inv. price.....10c 25c white goods per yd.....19c 25c white Lawns, Pre-Inv. price per yd..19c 25c white Demity, Pre-Inv. price.....19c 35c Shear Waisting; Pre-Inv. price.....19c 25c Flaxon.....19c All 50c Silks at.....19c Clothing Just 100 Suits to select from. Many pretty snappy patterns. As long as they last at 30 per cent Discount Percales This includes our entire stock of Percales all widths and colors.....7 1-2c Shirting Our entire lot of 10 and 12 1-2c Shirting Pre-Inv. price.....8 1-2c Hope Bleached Domestic, yard wide, Pre-Inv. price per yd.....8 1-2c A good heavy clean brown Domestic, Pre-Inv. price.....6 1-4c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting Pepperell or Luna at.....25c	Queen Quality Shoes \$2.85 and \$2.35 Every Lady in Randall County knows the value in Queen Quality Shoes. Our stock is too heavy for this/seasan, and we will give these exceptional values during this sale. We have all the new lasts, including Patton Vici, Pat. Kid, in both lace and button, in black and tan. Millinery We have a nice lot of ready trimmed hats. Also an assortment of trimmings, all good new materials. All go in this sale at HALF PRICE Don't Forget the Opening Date Saturday, July 23rd
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Resources	
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U. S. Bonds and Premiums	52,000.00
Banking House F. and F.	7,000.00
CASH	50,801.87
Total	\$239,757.30
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided Profits	722.71
Circulation	49,600.00
DEPOSITS	114,434.59
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Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a Home for Wives and Widows of Confederate Soldiers and Sailors.

House Joint Resolution No. 7.

Joint Resolution to amend Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, associations of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1880, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indigent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1880, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors anterior to March 1, 1880; provided, said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that no appropriations shall ever be made for the purpose heretofore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided, the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no in mate of said homes shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home; and provided further, that the provision of this Section shall not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

SEC. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the regular election of State officers, in November, 1910.

The sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this Resolution. W. B. TOWNSEND, Secretary of State.

To the People of Commissioners Precinct No. 1.

It is well known that I am a candidate for that office and though I have not personally solicited your support, it is not that I have failed to appreciate your suffrage but because you all or most of you know me and because I am willing to abide your decision. If you make me your choice, I will serve you to the best of my ability.

Yours truly,
T. F. REID.

Dr. B. F. Peck and wife of Pecos, Texas, arrived in Canyon Sunday. The doctor has been so well and favorably impressed with the appearance with our city that he has decided to remain here and become one of our citizens, and it is his expectation to open an office, he comes highly recommended as an "Oculist."

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the M. E. Church will have a box supper Mrs. Dr. Howell's on the lawn Thursday evening, July 28, beginning at 6 p. m.

NOTICE.

That there will be a mass meeting held at the District Court room at 3 p. m., Saturday, July 23rd, 1910. Important business. Everyone who is interested in the Reunion be on hands. By order of Committee.

The comet, having hung about until we were converted, shall gradually peter out and leave us quite deserted. We must recall we are not all the world it sets aright, and bid it speed where there is need to cause another fright.

It is a sort of cop upon a beat of great dimensions, and must by then be getting on to scatter its attentions. They have John D.'s and Morgan P.'s on many a distant ball, and were it not for Halley hot these few would grab it all.

Sarah Miller has friends visiting her from Canada.

Rev. J. M. Harder left on the evening train Friday for Jones county, Texas, to hold protracted meetings in that locality for the next two weeks.

Judge Hunt campaigned Canadian and Panhandle City country this week and made a speech Tuesday night at Panhandle City and will wind up his campaign at Amarillo.

B. T. Johnson filled the pulpit at the First Baptist Church last Sunday during the absence of Rev. J. M. Harder, a good attendance was present.

FOR SALE:—One span 2 year old meles, one span three year old mules, one male four years old, all gentle, and good color, can be seen at the Palo Duro Club grounds. A. G. Brown.

At the first Baptist church on next Sunday morning and evening services will be conducted by President L. E. Gates of the Wayland College located at Plainview, Texas. He is a forcible speaker, a great thinker, and it will be an intellectual treat to hear him.


Tuesday, Sept. 6, was selected by Mr. Roosevelt as the date on which he will address the national conservation congress in St. Paul. He has telegraphed Representative Scott of Kansas that he will make his Kansas speech at Ossawatimie on Monday, Aug 29. The address will probably be of a historic nature.

One Cold Saved.
Logic is logic, whether it touches the affairs of nations or a cold in the head. The conviction, says London Tit-Bits, was forced upon a Liverpool woman whose coachman, although he had been ill for several days, appeared one morning with his hair closely cropped.

"Why, Dennis," said the mistress, "whatever possessed you to have your hair cut while you had such a bad cold?"

"Well, mum," replied the unabashed Dennis, "I do be takin' notice this long while that whiniver I have me hair cut I take a bad cold, so I thought to meself that now, while I had the cold on to me, it would be the time of all others to go and get me hair cuttin' done, for by that course I would save meself just one cold. Do you see the power of me reasonin', mum?"

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Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.
G. G. Foster, Superintendent.
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.
Pastor, Rev. Hawkins
Epworth League, 8:30 p. m.
Evening services at 7:30.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, evening at 7:30
All are invited to these services.

PRESBYTERIAN
Sunday services
9:00 a. m. Sunday school
11:00 a. m. Public worship,
Rev. J. S. Groves, pastor
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Evening services
7:30 p. m. Wednesday 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
6:30 p. m., B. Y. P. U.
Ben Terrill, Pres.
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. Hutchison, Pastor
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Public worship
7:40 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Services are held at the Christian Science reading room (one block south of square) every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome at these services. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10:15. The pastor of this church is the Bible and Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures.

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To owners of dogs, who reside in the corporations of Canyon, are notified to call at City Marshal's office and pay their dog license. All unlicensed dogs after July 10th will be dealt with according to city ordinance.
J. H. Jowell; Marshal.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This Liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism, and always affords quick relief. Sold by City Pharmacy.

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KANGAROO MEAT.

Why the Native Youngsters of New Guinea Refused It.
In certain parts of New Guinea the wallaby, a species of kangaroo, are very plentiful, and the traveler in search of sport finds the pursuit of them an exciting occupation. Wallaby steak is a refreshing change from canned meats, and the natives are only too glad to have the remnants of the carcass. A writer in an English magazine tells an amusing incident connected with the animal.
He had been ashore in one of the sparsely populated regions of the coast and secured four wallaby, an ample supply for the whole party, native guides and servants included. But he found that, although wallaby is regarded as such a delicacy that no trouble is considered too great to obtain it, none of the native boys in the party would touch it.
This was a mystery until one of them explained that they had been trained in childhood in the belief that if they ate wallaby before reaching a certain age it would stop their growth. These boys all belonged to the part of the country where wallaby are few, and one can imagine the crafty old folks seated round the festive pot and winking at one another as the young people declined the succulent dainty.

LACEMAKING.

An Old Legend That Tells of the Origin of the Art.
Lacemaking is by no means so old an industry as most persons suppose. There is no proof that it existed previous to the fifteenth century, and the oldest known painting in which it appears is a portrait of a lady in the academy at Venice painted by Caspaccio, who died about 1623. The legend concerning the origin of the art is as follows:
A young fisherman of the Adriatic was betrothed to a young and beautiful girl of one of the isles of the lagoon. Industrious as she was beautiful, the girl made a new net for her lover, who took it with him on board his boat. The first time he cast it into the sea he dragged therefrom an exquisite petrified wrack grass, which he hastened to present to his fiancée; but, war breaking out, the fisherman was pressed into the service of the Venetian navy. The poor girl wept at the departure of her lover and, consumed by his last gift to her. While absorbed in following the intricate tracery of the wrack grass she began to twist and plait the threads weighted with small beads which hung around her net. Little by little she wrought an imitation of the petrification, and thus was created the bobbin lace.

The Realistic.
During a performance of "Captain Lapalisse" at a Valencia theater some years ago an incident occurred which for lifelike effect left nothing to be desired. During the said play some of the actors mingle with the spectators in order to co-operate from the body of the house. No sooner had Miralles, the actor, taken his seat in the stalls than a daring pickpocket robbed him of his gold watch. Miralles seized the man by his coat collar and called out in a deep bass voice:
"Police! Help! Thieves!"
The audience, taking this little episode to be part of the performance, roared with laughter. Even the policemen joined in without stirring hand or foot.
"This is no farce!" cried the actor in tones of despair. "The fellow has got my watch!"
The voice sounded so natural that the audience broke into loud applause at "such excellent fooling." Meanwhile the thief managed to break away from his captor and escaped.

A Judicial Expert.
The native with a stogie met the native with a pipe.
"Howdy, Zeb?" quoth the stogie native. "Hear 'bout th' fuss down to th' courthouse?"
"Nope," drawled the man with the pipe. "What was it about?"
"Why, Jim Simpson has been suin' Abner Hawley for alienath' th' affections of his wife, an' Judge Musgrove told th' jury to bring in a verdict of 6 cents damages, 'cause he thought that was all the damage was worth to Jim. An' Jim's wife got mad an' threw a chair at th' judge, an' he had her arrested an' put in th' cooler."
"But didn't th' judge go a lecture too far when he fixed her value so low?"
"Not at all, not at all. You see, he was her first husband."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Singer and Orator.
"If I had my way," Dr. Macnamara once confessed to an interviewer, "I should be singing in 'Carmen' instead of making speeches from the treasury bench, but unfortunately the British public thinks a great deal more of a man who can make a bad speech than a man who can sing a good song."—Westminster Gazette.

To Reform Him.
Minister—You say you are going to marry a man to reform him? That is noble. May I ask who it is? Miss Bennett—It's young Mr. Bondclipper. Minister—Indeed? I did not know he had any bad habits. Miss Bennett—Yes; his friends say that he is becoming quite miserly.

Anticipation.
"Doesn't it make you the least bit nervous to see what elegant furniture Mrs. Eedy is putting into her house next door?"
"Not a bit. My husband says it will be sold by the sheriff within six months—and I'll be there to buy it."—Chicago Tribune.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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. 12tc

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I will take my land (southeast quarter Sec. 144, Blk. 6) off of the market. All who have my land listed will please take it off list. Anyone wishing to buy, can write me and will sell at a bargain. GEO. W. FLESHNER, 16-2t Golden, Ills

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Notice - Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Randall: By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Randall County, on 6th day of July A. D., 1910, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of C. O. Keiser versus D. P. Koch, et al, No. 454, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in August, A. D. 1910, it being the 2nd day of said month, before the Court House door of said Randall County, in the State of Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
All the Northwest one-fourth of Survey No. 13, Block No. 2-Z, Certificate No. 119, John H. Gibson land in Randall County, Texas, levied on as the property of D. P. Koch, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2682.30 in favor of C. O. Keiser and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of July, A. D. 1910.
15-3c R. E. SANFORD, Sheriff.
FOR SALE:—A few good horses and mares. I. L. VANBANT 16ta

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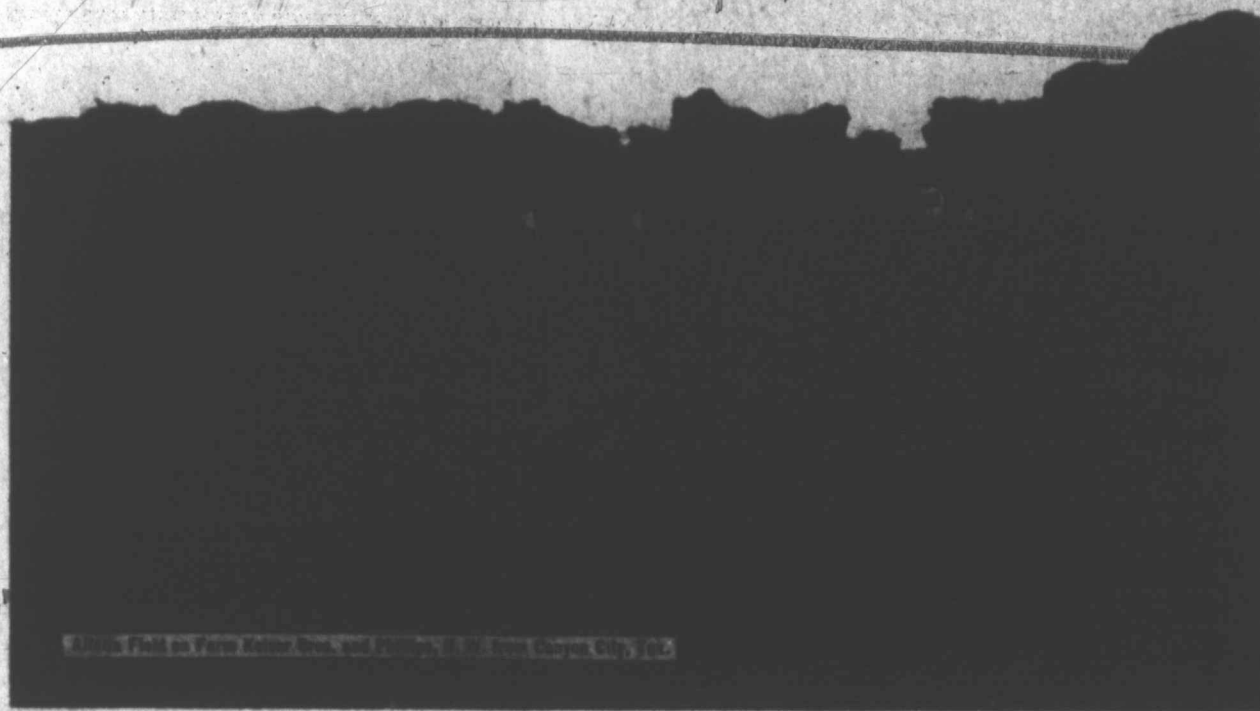
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Wayside Notes

Weather the finest kind to finish harvesting and thrashing. The heavy rains retarded some.

Rev. Arthur Coleman delivered an interesting sermon last Sunday at Beula, a good crowd out, and Sunday School at the usual hour. Brothers and sisters can't we do better? Let's try to meet earlier.

J. E. Rogers and family consisting of wife and four children, Gladys, Mabel, Paul and Leslie visited Wayside Saturday and Sunday and were warmly welcomed by old friends and neighbors. They came in their new car and quite a number of friends enjoyed a spin and are ready to pronounce it, "Profec-tion perfected." They spent the night with W. J. Sluder, attended church and Sunday school at Beula, took dinner with W. H. Hamblen, then home in the afternoon. They have a cordial invitation to repeat the visit.

Marvin Sluder is still unable to walk but does not suffer much pain.

Uncle Reuben Rogers and wife, Aunt Mattie, left Monday to visit their children in Clay county. We wish them a pleasant trip. They expect to be gone about 10 days.

New wheat is being put on the market. W. D. McGehee has carried 3 wagon loads to Happy. He threshed 875 bushels and had in about 100 acres.

Miss Edith Franklin of Lubbock came in Saturday and is visiting with her brother, Will Franklin and friends around Wayside.

Jerry Bizzle of Rannels Co. has been visiting old friends the past week spending his time with the Hollaugh families.

TEDDIE.

The finest line lace curtains in city at Thomas Furniture Co.

Coin News

The weather the past week fine for harvesting and thrashing. The heavy rains the past month stopped work for a while. Edd Wesley and family spent Sunday with Robt. Wesley and family.

Chas. Sutton and H. Miller and families attended the picnic at Tulia on Saturday. All report a fine time.

Elzo Guest and wife visited Saturday night and Sunday with Ben Wesley and wife.

Mrs. Emery Wesley of near Wayside called on Mrs. Walters Monday.

Miss Addie Donnelly of Canyon spent several days at the home of Isom Hollibough and wife.

Grandpa and Grandma Sluder and granddaughter, Miss Emma, were shopping in Happy Friday.

Rev. Sharp visited at the home of W. B. Walters Sunday night.

Rev. Younger will hold services at Fairview Sunday at 11 o'clock. All are invited to come and help the Sunday School.

Mrs. Claud Hamblin is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Deer, near Lubbock.

P. C. Buckner and family were Happy callers last Tuesday.

TEDDY.

Pleasantview Items.

The weather is very fine at this writing for all kinds of work that is to be done such as plowing and cultivating the growing crops and thrashing which is in full sway here in the Panhandle. Weeds are making their regular appearance and it is an ideal time to kill them for soon they will mature the seed and it will be no use to destroy them. The crops have improved wonderfully in the last ten days and everything now points to an abundant crop of row grown forage and hay. The grass is exceedingly

good on the broad prairies and range cattle are doing fine.

Wagoner started his independent thresher Monday of this week on the farm of Jim Stoddard who has nearly 400 acres of wheat. Mr. Stoddard is reported as getting a little better and we are glad to note his improvement.

Mr. Schnelle returned home last Friday from a prospecting trip up in southeastern Kansas. He says that the prospects for crops are better since the late rains.

Politics in this locality are rather quiet, not much doing.

Bro. Younger filled his regular appointment here Sunday to a good attentive audience.

O! for the 23rd to pass and election be over and all the defeated candidates which will number many score, all go back home and go to work and let the man alone that's trying to kill the weeds and raise a crop and set the Panhandle flying.

The sheriff was out this way this week but was not looking for anyone in particular but rather looking for everyone to vote for him.

Little Olive Schramm was on the sick list Sunday but we hope not seriously so, otherwise the health of the community is good. BOOSTER.

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An item of importance was overlooked by the reporter two weeks ago was the return of the Clevelanda to their old home in this city. They are welcomed back by their many friends.

Read Notice to Land Owners.

In the matter of the petition of W. S. Cook and others, for a public road in the County of Randall.

To all persons over whose lands the following proposed road shall pass:

TAKE NOTICE, That the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Randall County to lay out, survey and assess damages resulting from the establishment of a Public Road, as petitioned for by W. S. Cook and others beginning at Northwest corner of Survey No. 10, Blk. M9, John H. Gibson land and running to West line of Randall County will, on the 1st day of August 1910, in discharge of our said duty, meet upon the following premises, to which you have some claim or title, to-wit: Surveys 110, 91, 60, 41, 16, 9, 42, 59, 92 and 109 in Block M 8, A. B. and M. And Surveys 5, 36, 45, 76, 85, 114, 125, 156, 165, 196, 205, 236, 245, 276, 286, 294, 277, 244, 237, 204, 197, 164, 157 124, 117, 84, 77, 44, 37 and 4 in Block M 6, S. K. and K. and then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are hereby requested and required to produce all evidences which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this 1st day of July, 1910.

Chas. F. Zoeller,
J. J. Bauer,
J. M. McNaughton,
W. H. Foster,
C. F. Herschberger,
Jurors.

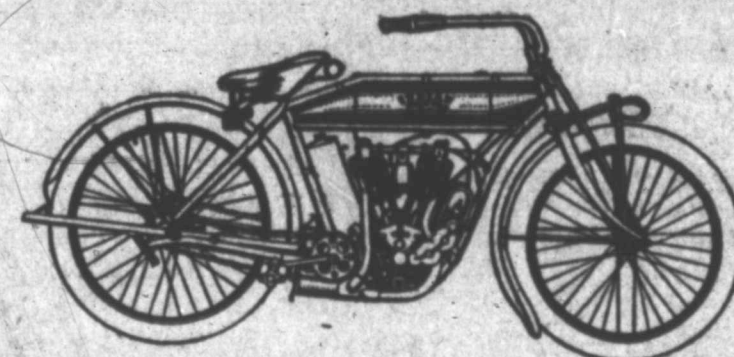
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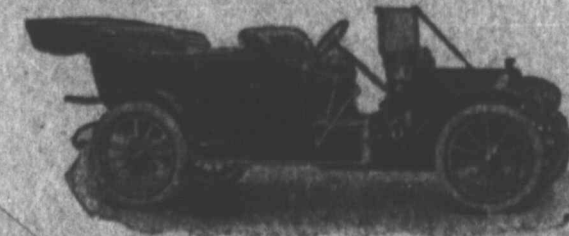
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