

WANT MORE HOGS

The following letter from the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company to J. T. Holland, president of the First State Bank, of this city, should prove interesting to the farmers of Randall county. The company proposes to furnish hogs to the farmers of this section at absolute cost in order to increase shipments to their yards. The Plains country is one of the best sections in the state to raise hogs and every farmer should have a number. At the conclusion of this letter it is shown that the farmers have lost \$21,216,000 by not producing enough hogs.

Fort Worth, Texas,
July 25th., 1912.
Mr. J. T. Holland, Pres.,
First State Bank,
Canyon, Texas.

Dear Sir:
We would like to ask your cooperation on a matter that we believe we are mutually interested in. We have for the past six years made a persistent effort to encourage the raising of hogs in the State of Texas. We will admit for the sake of argument that this has not been done from a philanthropic motive but from a selfish interest. We believe, at the same time, that you will agree with us that the raising of hogs in this State will produce as much added wealth to the farmers as it has in Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and other States. If this is a fact, we believe that you will agree with us that what ever redounds to the financial benefit of the farmers must of necessity add to the increased prosperity of the Banks. This State has just gone through three years of drouth, but at the present time we seem to be on the verge of an unprecedented successful crop year, and the situation that now confronts us is that there is plenty of feed on hand and but few hogs in the country to use it up. This applies particularly to your section, and we would like to know whether you would be interested enough to undertake to place amongst your farmers a carload or more of brood sows, and if so, we will be willing to go to the expense of gathering up these sows, shipping and delivering them at the actual purchase price plus the freight. In other words, we will not charge a cent for the expense of locating, purchasing, gathering and shipping these hogs but will turn them over to you at actual cost; the idea being, of course, that these hogs shall form the nucleus from which the farmers would raise and select from, their seed stock for future needs.

This is a work that cannot be undertaken by any corporation or individual but must be cooperative if any good is to be accomplished, and we feel satisfied that you will receive this letter in the spirit in which it is sent and consider it from the mutual advantages it offers.

We want to point out to you also that the hog situation has a bearing on the cattle situation in this state; in other words in order that Texas should reap the full benefit that the Fort Worth market offers, it is necessary that a sufficient number of hogs be developed and marketed in this State in order to insure slaughter locally of the cattle that are raised in the State. In other words, a packing house has to regulate the slaughtering of its cattle to a more or less extent, according to the number of hogs that it slaughters, for the reason that the distributing houses of the packing plants do not call for a straight car load of beef but for a carload of provisions and beef, and consequently if this mixed carload cannot be made up at these packing houses they have to be made up from northern packing houses and the State loses the advantage

that it should have on account of its neglecting to furnish the proper proportion of hogs.

Kindly give this matter your early attention and give us the benefit of your advice in the matter, and say whether you will undertake to cooperate with us.

Yours very truly,
Fort Worth Stock Yard Co.
O. W. Matthews,
Secretary and Treasurer.
WORTHY OF CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

Hog slaughtering capacity of Packing houses at Fort Worth for 9 months 1,500,000.
Hogs marketed first 6 months 1611, 314,000.
6 months shortage in 1911, 1,186,000.
Hogs marketed first 6 months 1912, 175,000.
6 months shortage in 1912, 1,326,000.
Increased shortage in 1912 as compared with 1911, 140,000 or 41.5 per cent.
Actual shortage first 6 months as compared to actual demand, 1,326,000.
Loss to farmers in failing to produce above shortage, \$21,216,000.00.

A vast amount of ill health is due to impaired digestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole system becomes deranged. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets is all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, invigorate your liver, and regulate your bowels, entirely doing away with that miserable feeling due to faulty digestion. Try it. Many others have been permanently cured—why not you? For sale by all dealers.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsay Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

Oscar LaRoe Killed.

One of the saddest accidents that has happened in many days happened Tuesday when Oscar LaRoe lost his life in an accident at Happy. Mr. LaRoe was assisting in moving a house when in some way he fell in front of the trucks which passed over his body causing his death a few hours later. Immediately after the accident Mrs. LaRoe and a sister left for Happy, the father and mother being only a few miles away at the time of the accident. Mr. LaRoe was thirty-three years of age and had made Tulia his home for a number of years. He leaves a wife and two small children besides a father, mother and eight brothers and sisters, to mourn his departure. —Tulia Herald.

BILIOUS SPELLS

NO LONGER DANGEROUS

Dodson's Liver-Tone is a Safe Medicine to Take the Place of too Powerful Calomel.

In the days when calomel was the only liver remedy, a torpid liver, or a spell of biliousness was a serious thing. Calomel is a powerful mineral substance that compels the liver, no matter how weak it is, to do its work, but does nothing to strengthen the liver and a large dose—sometimes the usual dose—may cause salivation. Dodson's Liver-Tone is a builder that strengthens the liver while making it do its work. It is entirely vegetable, pleasant to take, has no bad after effect and is perfectly suited for children as well as grown people. You don't have to be careful what you eat.

City Pharmacy will sell you a bottle and guarantee it to give you perfect satisfaction. If it doesn't you can get your money back simply by asking for it.



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for all toilet purposes are selected by us with great care. We can furnish soaps suitable for washing the dirty boy, for bathing the baby, for washing the teeth, for washing the hair, for the ladies toilet and the mechanic's dirty hands. We also sell medicinal soaps. Come in and see our soap display. We are having a special sale.

CITY PHARMACY

THE "REXALL" STORE



SAFE

SOUND

CONSERVATIVE

ACCOMODATING

GROWING

A GUARANTEE FUND BANK

The First State Bank

LOST A good grain crop by not having Hail Insurance

The St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co., an old line stock company with over \$8,000,000 cash assets will protect your grain crop against damage from HAIL. Liberal contracts, reasonable rates, attractive terms.

Will also insure your building, household goods, implements, and live stock against FIRE AND TORNADO.

FOUND Absolute Protection with

C. N. HARRISON C. R. McAFEE
J. E. WINKELMAN

St. Paul policies offer gilt edge protection. Losses paid in ten years, \$22,559,204.

S. A. Shotwell & Co.

Wholesale and Retail
Coal, Grain, Hides and Field Seeds.

Best Grades of Nigger
Head and Maitland Coal.

TERMS CASH

Read the Ads in this issue.



Satisfies

There never was a thirst that Coca-Cola couldn't satisfy. It goes, straight as an arrow, to the dry spot. And besides this,

Coca-Cola

satisfies to a T the call for something purely delicious and deliciously pure—and wholesome.

Delicious
Refreshing
Thirst-Quenching

Demand the Genuine as made by
THE COCA-COLA CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Free Our new booklet, telling of Coca-Cola vindication at Chattanooga, for the asking.

Beautiful "Alba" Shades

Creamy "Alba" shades, come in and look at them. An electric iron is convenient if you have only a small amount of ironing to do. Try one and if you do not want it bring it back.

Throw away your old carbon globes and get the "Mazda" lamp. It will pay you in money and comfort.

- "Alba" shades for 25 and 40 watt lamp.....\$.80
- "Alba" shades for 60 watt lamp..... .85
- Mazda lamps, 60 watt..... .75
- Mazda lamps, 15, 20, 25 and 40 watt..... .65
- Electric Iron..... 5.00

Canyon Power Company
Office in First National Bank

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FOR THE SUPERIOR KIND OF

Commercial Job Printing

ALL WORK CASH

I wish to call your attention to the fact that all my work will hereafter be strictly for cash. I would like to figure with you on your plumbing. I am in a position to give you the very best work at the very lowest prices.

PAT THOMPSON

L. N. Dalmon N. J. Sechrest M. S. Kellr
Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention. Ask for Catalog

The Plainview Nursery Co.

Growers of Native Trees from the best selected varieties on the Plains. Fruit, Shade and Ornamental Trees; Evergreens, Privet Hedge, Roses, Flowering Shrubs, Bulbs; all kinds of Berries, Grapes, Rhubarb, Asparagus, Tomato, Potato and Cabbage Plants in season. Largest and best equipped Nursery in West Texas, supplied with plenty of water, a necessity for handling Nursery stock. Investigation solicited.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in September, A. D. 1912, being the 3rd day of said month, within lawful hours, at the Court House door of Randall county, in Canyon, Texas, as Sheriff of said county I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, those thirteen parcels of land situated in Randall county, Texas, containing in the aggregate eight thousand, six hundred, ninety-two and 35-100 acres, all of which were located by virtue of certificates issued to the International & Great Northern Railroad Company and were patented to said Company as being part of its Block No. Six in said county and more particularly described as follows:

Survey No. 102 containing 672.91 acres
 Survey No. 103 containing 673.05 acres
 Survey No. 104 containing 672.85 acres
 Survey No. 105 containing 672.61 acres
 Survey No. 120 containing 673.7 acres
 Survey No. 121 containing 673.77 acres
 Survey No. 122 containing 673.28 acres
 Survey No. 123 containing 672.93 acres
 Survey No. 134 containing 662.72 acres
 Survey No. 135 containing 662.71 acres
 Survey No. 136 containing 662.76 acres
 Survey No. 137 containing 663.11 acres
 Survey No. 138 containing 655.95 acres
 which said lands are known as part of the Timber Creek Pasture Lands and are situated about eight to twelve miles East from the city or town of Canyon in said Randall county, Texas.

The said sale will be made by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Travis county, Texas, upon a judgment in favor of Thomas R. White, Jr., John J. Phelps and Charles W. Cox against Thomas H. Rowan on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1912, for the sum of Forty-nine thousand, six hundred, two and 44-100 dollars (\$49,602.44) with ten per cent interest thereon from said date and costs of suit, and foreclosing the plaintiffs' vendor's lien on the lands herein described as the same existed on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1908, and as it has at all times since existed against the defendant, Thomas H. Rowan and against all the other defendants in said suit, viz: Joseph L. Moore, W. S. McCuen, William L. McMillian, The Buffalo Pitts Company, A. T. Renfro, Robert Moore, Charles A. Blair, B. M. Seward and the First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, and upon a judgment rendered in said suit foreclosing a lien upon said lands secondary to plaintiffs' lien in favor of the First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, against defendants, Joseph L. Moore and W. S. McCuen, in satisfaction of a certain judgment rendered in favor of said bank against said Moore and said McCuen for the sum of Eight thousand, one hundred, sixty-three and 10-100 dollars (\$8,163.10) with interest thereon at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from the 7th day of November, A. D. 1911, which said order of sale bears date August 2nd, A. D. 1912, and the same was levied by me upon the aforesaid lands on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912.

Witness my hand on this, the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912.
 Worth A. Jennings, Sheriff
 Randall county, Texas. 2073

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas on the 28th day of October 1909, E. C. Thomas and C. M. Thomas did execute and deliver to me their certain deed of trust of that date conveying to me all of lots No. 11 and 12 in block No. 39, Canyon City, Randall county, Texas, as shown by the recorded plat of said town in the deed records of said county and block No. 17 in Bomar addition to Canyon City, Randall county, Texas; as shown by the recorded plat of said addition in the deed records of Randall county, Texas, which deed of trust is of record in the records of Deeds of Trust in Volume No. 4, page 181, and Whereas said Deed of Trust was given to secure the First National Bank of Canyon in the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust fully described and which note was originally for the sum of \$3500.00, and whereas said note is unpaid except as to credits to the amount of \$500.00 which are shown on same, and

Whereas the owner and holder of said note, The First National Bank of Canyon, desires me to sell said above described property as provided for in said deed of trust:

Therefore, I, D. A. Park, trustee as aforesaid, will proceed to sell said above described property under the terms of said deed of trust on the first Tuesday in September A. D. 1912, the same being the 3rd day of September, 1912, before the Court house door of Randall county to the highest bidder for cash, and the proceeds of such sale will be applied as provided for by the terms of said deed of trust.

204 D. A. PARK, Trustee.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all dealers.

REDUCTION SALE TEN DAYS ONLY

ALL SUMMER GOODS MUST GO

Our buyer is now in market purchasing our fall stock, and to make room for new goods and to also get cash to pay for them, we are putting on the greatest reduction sale that has ever been offered to the people of Canyon and Randall county. Come early and get first pick. The stock will move rapidly at these prices. :: :: :: :: ::

THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY

Men's Suits
 Good assortment in browns, grays, serges, and fancy patterns.

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| \$25.00 Suits | - - - - | \$17.00 |
| 22.50 Suits | - - - - | 15.50 |
| 20.00 Suits | - - - - | 13.55 |
| 16.50 Suits | - - - - | 11.50 |
| 15.00 Suits | - - - - | 9.00 |
| 13.00 Suits | - - - - | 8.00 |

Gloves

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| \$1.75 Grade for | - - - - | \$1.40 |
| 1.50 Grade for | - - - - | 1.15 |
| 1.00 Grade for | - - - - | .85 |

Hats

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| \$6.00 Stetson for | - - - - | \$4.85 |
| 5.00 Stetson for | - - - - | 3.95 |
| 3.00 Hats all go for | - - - - | 2.20 |

Shirts

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| \$2.00 Grade for | - - - - | \$1.60 |
| 1.50 Grade for | - - - - | 1.20 |
| 1.25 Grade for | - - - - | .95 |
| 1.00 Grade for | - - - - | .80 |

Underwear
 in Union and Two-piece Suits

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| \$2.00 Grade for | - - - - | \$1.60 |
| 1.50 Grade for | - - - - | 1.20 |
| 1.00 Grade for | - - - - | .80 |
| .50 Grade for | - - - - | .40 |

Shoe Department
 600 pairs Men's, Ladies and Children's Oxfords and Pumps go in this sale at 20 per cent reduction.

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- All Men's belts.
- All Ladies belts.
- All Ladies skirts.
- All fancy parasols.
- All Boys wash suits.
- One lot Ladies shirt waists.
- All Ladies white silk dresses.
- All white and fancy hand bags.
- All Men's and Boys' straw hats.
- All 5c laces, embroideries and insertions.
- All Ladies and Children's hats in millinery department.
- All colored lawns ranging in price from 5 to 30 cents.

OFF

20 per cent off on all silks, messalines and fancy silk dress patterns.

20 per cent off on Men's, Ladies and Children's silk, lisle and cotton hosiery.

20 per cent off on all Boys' suits.

20 per cent off on all Ladies and Men's neckwear.

20 per cent off on all trunks, grips and suit cases.

20 per cent off on all Men' and Boys' trousers.

20 per cent off on all table linens.

Red Seal gingham 12 1-2 ct. grade for 10 cents.

All \$5.00 Silk kimonas for \$3.35.
 All \$1.50 Crepe kimonas for \$1.15.

33 1-3 per cent off on all fancy vests.

20 per cent off on all ribbons.

20 per cent off on Men's and Boys' summer caps.

Cash when you get the goods at these prices, everything charged at regular prices

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY, AUGUST 1 AND CLOSSES SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

The Canyon City Supply Co.
 DRY-GOODS, CLOTHING & GROCERIES
 CANYON, TEXAS

The Randall County News.
C. W. Warwick, Managing Editor.

Entered at postoffice at Canyon, Texas, as second class matter. Office of publication, West Houston street.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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| One year, in county | \$1.50 |
| Six months | .75 |
| Three months | .50 |
| Two months | .40 |
| One month | .25 |

We wish to call the reader's attention to four proposed constitutional amendments which appear on page six of this issue. These amendments were passed by the last legislature and will be voted upon by the people of Texas before their final adoption. Every voter should read each amendment and study them so as to be thoroughly acquainted with them by the time of the November election when each voter will pass judgment upon them. The amendments are published in every county in Texas and no voter has the right to go to the polls in the general election saying he knows nothing about these amendments. The News believes that all four are good and should be unanimously approved by the voters of the state.

The milo maize crop in the West is very fine and all those who have planted milo maize won't have to buy feed next year. Maize is a great substitute for corn, and is almost a sure crop in the west. The time will come when maize and kafir will be

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF.

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Canyon Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A Lame, Weak, or Aching one. Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures. Endorsed by strangers from faraway places. It's different when the endorsement comes from home. Easy to prove local testimony. Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this case: C. E. Coss, prop. of hotel, Canyon, Texas, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I have received very satisfactory results. This remedy acts as advertised." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, Sole Agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. 11-2t

Santa Fe EXCURSIONS

State Democratic Convention, San Antonio, Aug. 13-15, ticket sale Aug. 10-12, limit Aug. 18. Round trip \$22.00.
Panhandle Bankers Association, Plainview, Aug. 13-14, ticket sale Aug. 12-14, limit Aug. 15. Round trip \$2.30.
Cotton Carnival, Galveston, Aug. 7 to 17. Ticket sale Aug. 6 to 15, limit Aug. 19. Round trip \$23.15.
Merchants Meeting, Dallas, August to September. One and one-third fare on certificate plan. First meeting Aug. 5 to 14.
Summer Tourist round trip rates to Texas and other Summer Resorts in United States. Phone or call at ticket office.

R. McGee, Agt.

the universal crop of the west and Indian corn will be abandoned.—Texas Farm Co-Operator, Ft. Worth.

The News acknowledges receipt of a very pretty booklet from the Young Men's Business Club of Canadian advertising their city. "We Canhandle the Panhandle" is the slogan of this organization and every fellow in the club is a born booster. W. A. Palmer is secretary of this club.

A few people are inclined to be "sore" over the results of the primary. Forget it. Put the same amount of energy in boosting Canyon as you expended upon your favorite candidate and you will forget your troubles. All together now for Canyon.

Hereford Recorder: We are just wondering how many of the successful candidates that said "I will" wilt.

Get into the booster band wagon tonight and attend the Commercial club smoker. Boost for Canyon.

Join the crowd tonight and attend the Commercial club smoker

Send the News back home. "The Folks" will appreciate it.

"EXCUSE ME."

Sunny Hill Items.

Rev. DeVolt is conducting a splendid revival meeting at Sunny Hill school house. It is not known how long the meeting will continue, but will probably close in a few days as the evangelist has another engagement. A good deal of interest is manifest and many hope the meetings may continue through the week. Rev. DeVolt is very ably assisted by his two daughters who sing and play.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allison returned Thursday from a several days fishing trip.

Miss Jessie Gill of the Normal was the guest of Sunny Hill friends Sunday.

Miss Abbie St. John is visiting with Miss Bertha Rushing and Mrs. Ellis Knox.

Grandma Allison has been visiting with Canyon and Umbarger friends for some time.

An excellent rain fell Sunday night which will be a great help to all the row crops. The rain began to fall shortly after the close of the meeting and very few of those in attendance were able to get home until Monday morning on account of the darkness. Only one accident has been reported, Miller Currie ran his horse through the fence, in the darkness, and both he and his horse were quite badly crippled.

"Excuse Me."

City Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that City Taxes, for Canyon City, Texas, for the year 1912 will be due August 1, 1912, and will be delinquent September 1, at which time a penalty of ten per cent on amount of taxes will be added. J. H. JOWELL, City Marshal and Tax Collector. 17t4

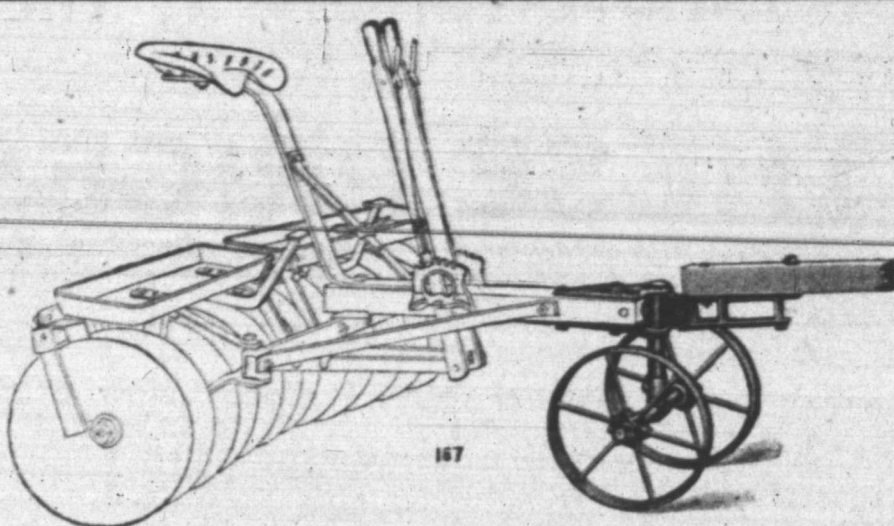
Notice!

Notice is hereby given that my land in Survey No. 1, Block B-5, has been posted. No fishing or hunting is allowed on same. I hope that no parties will persist in giving me trouble so that prosecution will be necessary. 16m2 L. T. Lester.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

Preverve the Moisture Best done by killing the weeds

"Follow the binder and header with the disc harrow," say the expert agriculturists, "in order to kill the weeds and preserve all the moisture until the ground can be plowed." Many farmers are doing this, but all should be in this class, especially since good rains have fallen. Nothing can be done early that will do more to preserve the moisture than by forming a mulch with the disc harrow.



P. & O. Disc Harrow

Leads them all, it positively has no equal. It is made in all sizes. Also can be equipped with tandem attachment so as to double disc as you go. It is the longest life and most substantial disc harrow on market. See us before buying.

Thompson Hardware Co.

Classified Ads

Ads in this column are 1 cent per word for first insertion and 1-2 cent per word for succeeding issues. No ad taken for less than 15 cents.

FOR SALE—Good set single harness and Studebaker buggy. 16tf I. L. Vansant.

FOR SALE—Good horse and harness. Good young horse, gentle for ladies to drive. 16tf Grady Oldham, Canyon.

FOR SALE—At bargain, one horse and buggy. Apply at this office. 19p3

WANTED—Would like to rent a good piano. Phone 169. 19tf

FOR SALE—The N. E. 1-4 and the S. W. 1-4, Sec. 134, Blk. 9, Randall Co. Will sell in a body or by the quarter, price \$15 per acre. Address Box 69, R. F. D. No. 3, York, Nebr. 17p4

For Sale—Good dairy business in Canyon, doing good business. Herd of good Jersey cows. 19tf A. D. Dooley.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

Do you need help during house cleaning time? Call up the News office and get some Matchless Sanitary Cleaner. Absolutely guaranteed.

Dr. Claude Wolcott
Eye—Ear—Nose—Throat
GLASSES FITTED
Suite No. 2 Fuqua Block
AMARILLO

For Sale or Trade.

One of the finest improved sections in Randall county, three miles west of Canyon, all under cultivation, fenced in four fields, good thirteen room house, all modern, well, barn, cattle sheds, forty rods to school. Will trade for good ranch where I can lease plenty of grass. What have you? Address J. P. Anderson, Canyon, Texas. 20t2

If you are not a regular reader of the News, your name ought to be on our lists. You need the News to keep up with the times

A big shipment of Matchless Sanitary cleaner just received at the News office.

See the News Printery

FOR THE SUPERIOR KIND OF

Commercial Job Printing

Artistic Effects FOR HOME BUILDING

Can be secured by the use of Lumber, usually at a great saving over substitutes and with much greater stability. Shingles and novelty siding properly used is one example of exterior effect, and for interior purposes there are dozens of patterns and a variety of woods that, with comparatively little extra cost, furnish those pleasing touches that mean so much for comfort and coziness. It would surprise you what really can be done with the superior lumber we handle these days and how perfectly substantial a frame house can be built. We want to talk with you about this lumber question before you build and give you the benefit of our observation. We carry a large line of Building Material and can furnish you anything you want.

The Citizens Lumber Co.

GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE OF FURNITURE

Everything marked in plain figures

and will be sold at just half price.

Stock must be closed out, so come

early while you can get bargains.

DENNIS & WILLIAMS

AT THOMAS FURNITURE CO.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND BOARDS OF TRUSTEES AND MANAGERS OF THE EDUCATIONAL, ELEEMOSYNARY AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS SHALL BE ELECTED OR APPOINTED FOR THE TERM OF SIX YEARS

(H. J. R. No. 9.) HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a"; providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State and such other boards as have been or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of said boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election, and making the appropriation therefor.

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

SECTION 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known and designated as "30a," and to read as follows:

Section 30a. The Legislature may provide by law that members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or Managers of the educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for the term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of such boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law; and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the Legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots. "For the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendments shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Board of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law."

SEC. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published, as required by the law of the State.

SEC. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election. 1914

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING CITIES OF MORE THAN 5000 INHABITANTS TO ADOPT THEIR CHARTERS BY VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

(H. J. R. No. 10.) HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

House Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5, of Article II, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

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

SECTION 1. That Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent. of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a

sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two per cent thereon; and provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters, by a vote of the people." The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas out of moneys not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclamation for the election. 1914

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIVES.

(S. J. R. No. 9.) SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows, and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy, and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax, and making appropriations for same.

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

SECTION 1. That Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas 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, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900, and their widows in indigent circumstances, and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900, and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to January 1, 1900, to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas, who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1861, and also to grant aid for 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 for by law; provided, the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property not exceeding five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate Army and Navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia.

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 general election of State officers, in November, 1912. At which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution

relating to increase of Confederate pensions;" and the voters opposed to said amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions."

SEC. 3. 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. 1914

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CREATING THE OFFICE OF PRISON COMMISSIONER AND MAKING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PRISON COMMISSIONERS SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 22.) HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Constitution by adding thereto Section 58, creating the office of Prison Commissioners, and making the term of office of the members of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Section 58. (Article XVI.) The Board of Prison Commissioners charged by law with the control and management of the State prisons, shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, and whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20th of the year following the adoption of this amendment, and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four years and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified, and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this state shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term thereof.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this state is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "For a six years' term for Prison Commissioners;" and those opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against a six years' term for Prison Commissioners."

SEC. 3. The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment. 1914

I. O. O. F.

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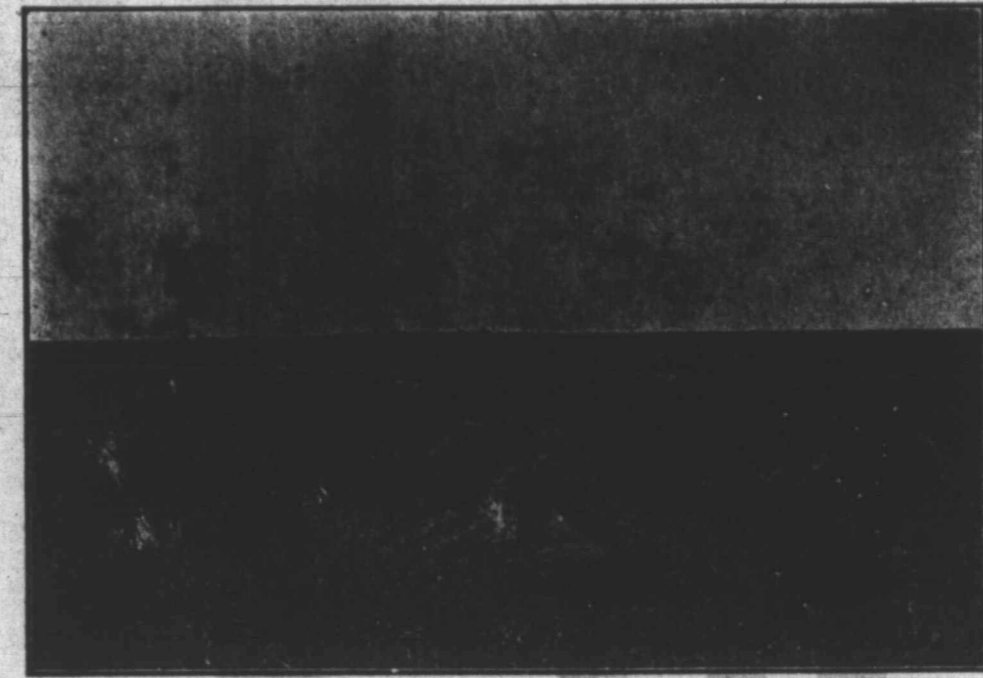
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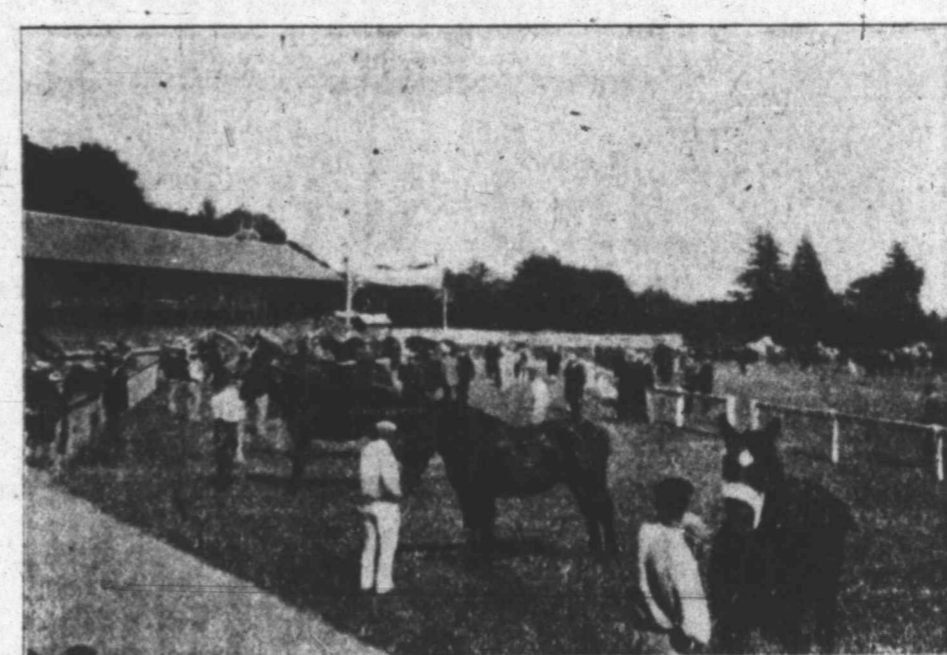


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My farms are all favorably located, as regards towns and railroads and give the buyer a wide range in selection. All the improved farms are rented to good farmers and will produce a substantial revenue this year.

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KEITH OF THE BORDER

A TALE OF THE PLAINS

By RANDALL PARRISH

Illustrations by DEARBORN MELVILL

least six hours the start with fresh horses.

CHAPTER XXXIII

Fairbain and Christie. Dr. Fairbain had originally joined the searching party...



"You Know What I Mean—That I Love You."

her imprisoned hand. "You are just a nice age," with firm conviction...

"I do," she said; "you are the best man in the world." Fairbain could not move...

"But let us not talk of ourselves any more tonight. There is so much I wish to know..."

her eyes, but it was a pleading smile. "I don't think it would be so very hard," she admitted...

"You know what I mean—that I love you—wish you to be my wife?" "I supposed that was it—that that you wanted me."

"No; we scoured the whole town and found no trace. Now they are outside on the prairie..."

"There is a little light showing already," she exclaimed, pointing. "See, yonder. Oh, I trust they will find her alive and unhurt..."

"And I will," he said solemnly. "Wherever they may have gone I shall follow. I am going now, dear, and when I come back you'll be glad to see me."

CHAPTER XXXIII

Following the Trail. The withdrawal of the sheriff merely stimulated Keith to greater activity...

him, insisting upon sparing the horses as much as possible. This was to be a stern chase and a long one...

men were certainly waiting there under orders, Hawley's adherents in charge, and every arrangement perfected in advance...

"What would result when the man discovered his mistake? Such a discovery could not be delayed long..."

"You really wish me to go, Christie?" "Not that way—not that way," and she turned impulsively with hands outstretched...



Keith Bent Over to Study the Tracks.

Keith bent over to study the tracks, insisting upon sparing the horses as much as possible. This was to be a stern chase and a long one...

"Tain't likely he's got an outfit 'long with him that's lost any Injuns. I don't know what they're bound, so mor'n you do, but I reckon they're reasonably sure they've got a clear road."

"They pulled up on the banks of a small stream to water their horses, and ate hastily. The trail led directly across, and with only the slightest possible delay they forded the shallow water..."

"Must have been about daylight they reached here," he said, picking up his dangling rein, and looking into the questioning faces about him...

"Well, whoever it was, the girl is still with the others, and their trail is the easiest to follow. We'll keep after them."

By this time Keith had reached a definite decision as to his course. If the fugitives received a fresh relay of horses down there somewhere, and crossed the Arkansas, he felt positively sure as to their destination...

(Continued Next Week)

CANYON LUMBER CO.

Everything in the way of building material.....

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Social and Personal Notes

"EXCUSE ME."

Miss Ruby Ballard spent Saturday in Amarillo.

B. Frank Bull was a business caller at Channing Tuesday.

G. W. Wharton, of Amarillo, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Miss Dixie Harrison arrived Tuesday to visit at the home of her brother, C. N. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Hereford, spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. R. S. Pipkin.

Special price on K. C. baking powder this week—25 cents can for only 20 cents. Market Grocery.

F. P. Guenther is entertaining this week two brothers from Lavoca county. They came through in their car.

G. G. Foster announces that the subscription list to the new Sunday school room at the Methodist church may be found at the First National Bank where those subscribing are asked to call and settle.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Prof. Gordon, of Trinity university, is visiting at the Word home.

Rev. Nance, of Hereford, preached Sunday night at the Christian church.

Trade at the Market-Grocery. We have a new and fresh stock of goods.

Mrs. Felix Robinson, of Dallas is visiting at the home of C. D. Cleveland.

Miss Carrie Quirk was down from Amarillo over Sunday visiting friends.

Lloyd Cook, of Henrietta, is visiting at the C. R. Burrow home.

Mrs. Stanford, of Detroit, Mich., arrived last week to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Travis Shaw.

C. B. Bates, of Prosper, arrived Monday to visit for a month at the parental W. E. Bates home.

All collections are made at the Market-Grocery every Monday. We give 5 per cent off on all weekly payments of grocery bills.

B. A. Stafford, Jr., went to Portales, N. M., Monday to attend the city schools institute. Mr. Stafford was recently elected to the position of latin and English teacher in that city.

Miss Florence Mash, who has been attending the Normal at Canyon, visited with the J. O. Brown family, returning Thursday. While here she secured the Stoneback school for the coming year.—Hale County Herald.

Mrs. S. W. Yoe, of San Saba, arrived today to visit at the home of her son, Supl. T. J. Yoe.

I will have another car of peaches here about Aug. 15, at \$1.00 per bushel. D. N. Redburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike D. White, of Austin, are visiting at the Geo. A. Brandon home. Mr. White is one of the most prominent attorneys in the state.

The Merchant of Venice was presented at the Normal auditorium Monday night by the senior English class. The presentation was exceedingly interesting.

In connection with a full line of drugs, glass and paints, S. V. Wirt handles a full line of wall paper.

Miss Skiles, of the Turk & Armstrong Dry Goods Co, clerical force, left Saturday for a ten days vacation trip to Sulphur, Okla.

Mrs. Henderson returned Monday to her home at Hillsboro after spending two weeks at the home of her brother, D.C. Cleveland.

Phone 123 for Baggage. All calls answered promptly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser and daughter, Phyllis, arrived Wednesday from Keota, Iowa, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Brier was called to Pennsylvania by the death of her sister and will not return to Canyon for some time.

Mrs. M. C. DeGraffenreid bought two lots this week just east of the Joe Service residence from F. P. Luke, consideration \$350.

If it is Baggage you want hauled, we will treat you right. Shelnett Transfer Co. Phone No. 123.

S. E. Roberts is here from Missouri visiting with his sisters Mrs. John Knight and Mrs. W. F. Heller. Mr. Roberts owned the first store in Randall county, but left here many years ago.

J. E. Rogers and family drove to Clovis Friday to visit his brother. Mr. Rogers returned home Tuesday and reports that big rains had fallen all the way from Clovis to Canyon. He reports the crops looking fine.

Mrs. Mary E. Cartwright and son, Wilford, of Hartley, were in the city Tuesday trying to find a house to rent. Mrs. Cartwright intends to move to Canyon in a few weeks in order to place her children in school.

If you have lost anything, want to buy something or have anything for sale, put a few lines among the classified ads. They are cheap and will bring results.

MARY

**BELOVED WIFE OF
JOHN SMITH**

**BORN FEBRUARY 30, 1820
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Here lies me and my daughter,
Never heard of CRAZY WELL WATER,
So we stuck to Epsom Salts,
And here we lie in these cold vaults.

You can get Crazy Well Water at
CASSLES DRUG COMPANY
EAST SIDE SQUARE

(GOOD FOR RHEUMATISM)

G. W. Leverton went to Channing Monday on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cook, of Henrietta, are visiting at the C. R. Burrow home.

Miss Kate Garner returned Friday to her home in Montague county after spending two months with relatives in the city.

Mrs. W. F. Garner and mother Mrs. Meadow, returned Friday to Plainview after spending two weeks with relatives in the city.

Miss Ritchie went to Amarillo Friday, accompanying her nephew George Ritchie, who returned to his home at Mineral Wells after spending two months in the city.

Mrs. G. R. Reid received the sad news of the death of her mother, Mrs. R. G. B. Fain, which occurred at Chillicothe Sunday morning. Mrs. Fain had been in feeble health for some time and her death was not unexpected.

Try a want ad in the classified column.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hanna returned Saturday from California where they have spent two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Park and family went to Amarillo Monday where they joined the M. S. Park family for a week's outing on the canyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coffee went to Amarillo Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Jack Cavet and children, of Ft. Worth, are visiting relatives in the city.

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