

BUYERS AND SELLERS MEET IN AMARILLO

MANY OF CANYON'S PEOPLE ATTEND THE BIG EVENT IN AMARILLO

Hon. W. N. Waddell, representative of the United States Bureau of Markets, conducted under the Department of Agriculture, opened the program of the second meeting of the Buyers and Sellers of Livestock association yesterday morning.

Mr. Waddell described the manner in which he accepted the position of supervisor of stock yards, declaring it was one of the greatest honors ever paid a "plain Texas cowboy."

Mr. Waddell was assigned to the colossal undertaking of supervising and directing the livestock commission men all over the country. He served in this capacity for seven months, and during that period devoted much time to the War Finance Bureau.

The speaker declared that after his seven months of study of the cattle situation in the United States, he came to the conclusion that co-operation between the various livestock associations in the country with a bureau somewhat similar to the Bureau of Markets was the best solution of the problem.

"We stabilized the hog market and we can stabilize the cattle market, despite the many statements to the contrary," Mr. Waddell declared, adding that the future independence of the cattle industry hangs on the Bureau of Markets.

"It is up to organizations such as the Buyers and Sellers' Association, the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, the Swine Breeders' Association to furnish practical men to the Bureau of Markets," Mr. Waddell stated.

In this way the interests of the entire country would be served. Also through this market reporting system producers will know buying and selling conditions, the same as the packers must know before making large purchases of cattle.

Mr. Waddell declared he concurred in the opinion of Mayor W. D. Davis, of Fort Worth, given in the opening meeting Tuesday when he declared the stock yards and terminal facilities must be separated from the packers, with government supervision.

WILL GATHER CLOTHES FOR DESTITUATES OF EUROPE AND EAST

The clothing problem is one of the most serious faced by peoples liberated by the war. At the present time the American Red Cross is shipping one million garments to the destitute refugees monthly.

Clothing must be supplied to the suffering peoples in France, Belgium, Italy, Roumania, Serbia, Greece, Montenegro, Palestine, Albania, Czechoslovakia and Poland. To meet this need the millions of members of the Red Cross will be asked to assist by a donation of old clothing that will prove a veritable Godsend to those who have borne the brunt of the war.

Corporal Laurence Miller Killed.

Mrs. Mary Miller, Hutto, Texas. My Dear Mrs. Miller, I have been intending writing to you but have been so busy with every thing that has to be done coming out of the line with a Company.

Your son Corporal Laurence Miller was killed by a shell that burst right over the hole that he was in, about four o'clock the afternoon of the 7th of October. We were then about five kilometers from Somme Py France, north.

This war is over and of the men that had to pay the supreme sacrifice, none paid the price any braver than did your boy, and every Officer and man in the Company thought that there was no one like Recruit Miller.

Hoping some day Mrs. Miller that I will be able to meet you in person and then I can tell you just how Laurence was killed better than I can write it.

You have my most sincere sympathy. Yours truly,

ANDREW SWYTH, Capt. Inf.

S. H. HEYSER KNOCKED DOWN BY BICYCLE

Last Thursday night while walking down the street toward the Normal, S. H. Heyser was run into by a young man on a bicycle and badly cut and bruised. It seems that it was dark and neither Mr. Heyser nor the rider were able to see the approaching danger until they collided.

MEETING OF BUSINESS MEN SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE NEWS OFFICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Canyon Business Men's Association will be held Saturday night, March 1st, at the News office at 7:30 o'clock. Plans will be laid for a Trades Day Monday, March 10, which will be a big day for the people of Canyon's trade territory.

DISTRICT COURT HELD OPENING SESSION MONDAY

List of Grand and Petit Jurors are Drawn and Court Docket Set.

At the opening of the spring term of District Court Monday with Judge Henry Bishop presiding, the following petit and grand jurors were drawn:

Grand Jurors. Carl Hill, Roy Cage, Ed Baird, Lige Bennett, J. C. Barnett, Ben Wesley, R. E. Prewitt, C. O. Keiser, G. D. Walker, C. D. Lester, Jim Redfean, Dave Park, Ed Harrell, Pete McElroy, Tom Dowlen and J. A. Curry.

Petit Jurors (3rd Week). Henry Bentz, Joe Garrison, S. W. Lee, R. A. Thomas, Cass Jennings, J. M. Stephens, L. A. Pierce, W. M. Lichtwald, J. B. Hensley, J. S. Christian, P. W. Winstead, Henry Schultz, C. L. Gordon-Cumming, I. H. Hollabough, John Fry, M. J. Holloway, W. E. McCormick, D. N. Redburn, J. B. Knox, Elmer Wilson, L. A. Hess, Oscar Hunt, Grant Belles, William Schultz, J. W. Dison, O. R. Blankenship, C. A. Elder, J. F. Hood, J. P. Hicks, C. L. Thompson, T. C. Boulware, C. W. Wower, John Toles, Carl Laughery, Sam Wiggins and C. R. Holland.

Petit Jurors (4th week). W. H. Hicks, W. S. Mires, T. V. Slack, C. M. Ackerman, Joe Foster, D. C. McCormick, H. E. Richards, S. M. Snider, J. M. Peet, G. R. Stratton, E. J. Helms, J. S. Penrod, R. H. Caler, T. H. Bolling, E. E. Adams, E. H. Cole, R. B. Gist, Joe Crowley, Bob Hileman, J. W. Turner, J. W. Prewitt, L. C. Jenkins, J. W. Blair, Rector Lester, J. W. Ricks, Fred Hettler, Wm. Ash, J. A. Tate, Frank Woods, Ed. Gibson, S. M. Downing, C. E. Downing, C. E. Long, Jess Schaefer, D. V. Rusk, J. M. Alred. A special venire of one hundred men has been drawn for 10 o'clock March 10th, when the case styled the State of Texas vs. Meesemer charged with murder, will come up for trial. One civil case was disposed of this week and the court recessed.

Meeting of Ford Dealers.

John Guthrie attended a meeting of the Ford dealers of this district, in Amarillo, Friday, February 21st. A banquet was tendered the dealers by the company at the Amarillo hotel. At this meeting plans were made for resuming the distribution of Ford cars on a large scale. For the past few months it has been impossible to get cars on account of the factory being turned over to war work. With the exception of Briscoe, every county in this district was represented.

Macy Younger has received his discharge from the Navy and arrived last week. Macy says he only made eleven trips to France.

MAYOR CALLS ATTENTION TO SANITARY MEASURES

Sanitary Regulations Must Be Observed to Prevent Disease.

The town council is contemplating a new well. They purchased a new modern engine fully equipped and will be in a position to furnish an abundant supply of water to the city at all times, as soon as the new well is completed and machinery installed.

Mr. Arnold of the light plant is installing new machinery and promises a steady and dependable light service so that the future of our town from a water and light standpoint is full of promise. But there is another especially important question to be solved and one which will require the unqualified co-operation of the citizens of the whole town to secure; namely, Sanitation.

Canyon has a sewer ordinance requiring every person, being the owner or agent thereof, a building having no water closet or privy connected with public sewer and which is situated within any block in Canyon or within eighty feet of which extends a public sewer to connect up or be subject to penalty after thirty days notice. Those not on sewer mains will be required to construct a sanitary privy which must be fly-proof, which shall be constructed according to certain plans and specifications and be standardized.

And again, we must clean up the town and thereby abate worst pest of all, the common fly. The fly breeds in filth, feeds in it, lives in it and contaminates everything they set their dirty legs on. It is a very good thing to swat, trap or poison flies, but it is still better to prevent flies breeding, by keeping stables clean and hog pens sanitary, by keeping garbage in receptacles, with close fitting covers, which should be emptied and washed out frequently.

The time to begin against flies is before they have been seen in March and April. A pair of flies bred in April may give origin to a million by August. Do not let these millions come into existence. Keep the first pairs from breeding. Strict cleanliness and immediate destruction of all old filth are the best measures against flies.

Remember: No filth, no flies, less disease.

Respectfully,

A. M. WILSON, Mayor.

John Fry, Will Scott and family, and Peter Meyers and daughter, of the Jowell community were in town on business yesterday.

THE WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS NOW ASSURED

At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, held at Mineral Wells, February 18, Mr. Chester A. Crowell, staff writer for the Dallas News, was selected as Publicity Manager. Mr. S. E. Miller, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Mineral Wells, and Mr. Geo. W. Briggs, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Lubbock, were selected as Field Managers.

The general plan of the work as outlined by the Executive Committee is as follows: Mr. Crowell, who is an expert in publicity will devote the greater part of his time to that line of work, and will do other development work as the need may arise. The Field Managers will begin work March 1st, putting their entire time in the field, organizing West Texas, and putting the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on its feet, and will also be prepared to step into any county, and assist that county in any development work they may desire.

It is the intention of the Field Managers to visit every county in West Texas at some time in the near future. While all West Texas will be benefited by this organization, the individual counties will naturally receive much more benefit through active participation in the work. The plans include a wide publicity throughout the United States on the resources of West Texas.

A number of committees, such as Agricultural, Stock Raising, Irrigation, Good Roads, etc., will be appointed to take care of the development along these lines, with the assistance of the field men, and will work for the advancement of West Texas along every line. The future of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is now assured.

STRING OF DERRICKS ACROSS TEXAS, IS PREDICTION

There will be a string of oil derricks stretching from Fort Worth northwest into New Mexico, is the prediction of some. The Daily Oil Record, published at Tulsa, Okla., prints the following oil story:

That there will soon be a string of derricks stretching along the Permian formation from Ft. Worth northwest into New Mexico, is the opinion of Fred A. Gillette, Oklahoma operator who spent several months studying the trend of the oil mind. Gillette declared Tuesday that his opinion was shared by a number of other operators with whom he had recently been in conference.

Geologists claim that the Permian formation covers all the territory running to the northwest, well into the center of New Mexico. The Wichita county fields are on this structure as well as the new development which is now going on near Amarillo.

Gillette is interested in the Amarillo territory where he said eleven drilling contracts have been signed and are awaiting good weather to start work. He said the roads there are just now becoming passable and that developments are expected to start soon.—Amarillo News.

Ben Winkelman has been discharged from the army and arrived home Monday night. Ben was in the 36th division in France and on October 21st was badly gassed and has been in the hospital most of the time since. The wounds are nearly healed. He states that he saw Clifford Dooley before he died and at the time it was believed he had a fair chance for recovery. His head was badly crushed and one leg was cut off.

J. H. Goode has been discharged from the army and is home from France. Mr. Goode has a large collection of foreign coins, which he gathered while in France.

NORMAL BEGAN NEW QUARTER ON MONDAY

CELEBRITIES ARE SELECTED FOR NORMAL ANNUAL, "LE MIRAGE"

After an interesting program last Saturday, the Cousin's Literary Society elected these officers for the new quarter: Chas. Keffer, president; Steve Burns, vice president; Harper Allen, secretary; Frank Farmer, treasurer; Emri Stidham, sergeant-at-arms.

The Sophomore class met Saturday at twelve o'clock in room 205. The first question decided upon was the election of celebrities for the "Le Mirage." After a heated discussion of the celebrity election problem, the class elected the following officers: Emri Stidham, president; Everett Key vice-president; Florence Schlenker, secretary; Wesley Allen, treasurer; Joe Weaver, sergeant-at-arms.

The Baptist led this week in Normal students Sunday School attendance. The following is the total report:

- Methodist—Boys 12, Girls 37. Presbyterian—Boys 8, Girls 18. Baptist—Boys 30, Girls 22. Christian—Boys 4, Girls 14. Church of Christ—Boys 3, Girls 7. Catholic—Boys 1, Girls 7. Miss Lula Ruskling left Saturday to accept a position in the Hughlett School near Claude.

The Sesames did not meet last Saturday, but we are going to make up for lost time at our next meeting; come and enjoy this program:

- Vocal Solo—Olean Baumgartner. Lecture—Mr. Dufflot. Reading—Joyce Mills. French—Addie Coffman. Present Day French People—Lynn Bobb.

The Dodson family—One scene taken from "Mill on the Floss."

The Home Economics Club will have a business meeting next Saturday. Misses Eris Gustavis, Mary Meador, and Ruth Sockwell pent last week-end in Amarillo.

Erma Guenther visited with home folks Saturday and Sunday.

The Department of Physical Education gave an informal exhibition of class work in the college auditorium, Monday.

The basket ball game Monday evening between the training school team and first Normal team resulted in the score of 17-5 in favor of the Normal team.

Irene Smith left Tuesday morning for her home at Floydada.

Gladys Norfert returned to Canyon Friday after spending two weeks with her home folks near Plainview. She reports that the members of her family have recovered from the flu.

Thirty-three or four boys reported for base ball practice the first day. Prospects are that the Normal will have a strong team.

Misses Hudspeth and Rambo are in Chicago attending a meeting of Normal school Deans of Women.

Mr. Clark was in Amarillo Monday. Miss Mary Childress who is now teaching near Happy, visited friends in Canyon Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ina Jordan of Plainview, who is now teaching in Friona, was in Canyon Saturday. Her brother, Ben, who has recently returned from the A. E. F. in France met her here.

Mr. Dufflot was in Clarendon last Friday. Friday evening he delivered an address before the Orthonian Literary Society of Clarendon College on "Life as a work of Arts."

Geo. Burns of Lubbock visited Miss Edith Eagman last week. The following new students are beginning their work in the Normal this quarter: Lois Berry, Canyon; Mary Christian, Plemmons; Ruth Stewart, Canyon; Rose Stewart, Canyon; Annie Whittenburg, Plemmons; Ester Fothergill, Canyon.

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Those of us who are past middle age are prone to eat too much meat and in consequence deposit lime-salts in the arteries, veins and joints. We often suffer from twinges of rheumatism or lumbago, sometimes from gout, swollen hands or feet. There is no longer the slightest need of this, however, as the new prescription, "Anuric," is bound to give immediate results as it is many times more potent than lithia, in ridding the impoverished blood of its poisons by way of the kidneys. It can be obtained at almost any drug store, by simply asking for "Anuric" for kidneys or backache. It will overcome such conditions as rheumatism, dropsical swellings, cold extremities, scalding and burning urine and sleeplessness due to constant arising from bed at night.

Send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a 10c. trial package.

MADERA, CAL.—"I recommend Doctor Pierce's Anuric very highly. I have suffered for the last three years with catarrh of the bladder, having tried every remedy I heard of but without relief. I saw Anuric advertised in the paper, and like a drowning man grasping at a straw I thought I would try it also, which I did with great success, as it relieved me almost immediately, before I had taken all of the trial package, and having great confidence in the remedy I immediately sent to the drug store and bought a full-size package. I can say to all suffering from any disease of the kidneys or uric acid troubles, try this remedy and suffer no longer. I have great faith in Dr. Pierce's remedies."—S. F. HENSLY.

Believes in Pure Breeds

J. L. Orr of Margaret was in Vernon yesterday, and says that he is stronger now than ever before for pure blooded big boned hogs. Mr. Orr exhibited a Poland China Sow at the Wilbarger County Fair last year. Later he shipped her to Fort Worth. The sow weighed 805 pounds in Vernon, but had lost fifteen pounds when he got to market with her. However, the price the packers paid Mr. Orr for his premium Poland China would make the average man gasp. It was \$150.10.

Mr. Orr has a pig of this sow, which he believes will weigh 1,000 pounds.—Vernon Record.

Are "McAdoo's" Now

Farmers who want to buy quantities of the variety of field pea introduced several years ago by the U. S. Department of Agriculture from Germany, and then known as the "kaiser pea," will save trouble by not using that name any more. These peas are now known as "McAdoo's" and they are as widely distributed thru the Northwest as Liberty Bonds, which caused the substitution in nomenclature.

Wind Blew Wagon Over

During the high wind on Thursday last, a wagon of feed, on which J. E. Linder was driving, turned over with Mr. Linder on the underside of the wagon. While Mr. Linder was considerably bruised, fortunately no bones were broken, and now he is on a fair way toward recovery.—High Plains News.

PEACE PROJECTS ARE HANDLED RAPIDLY

CONSTITUTION OF SOCIETY OF NATIONS ALREADY HALF COMPLETED

Paris.—The society of nations commission is more than half through its considerations of the proposals which will be embodied in the first tentative outline and submitted for discussion in the plenary session of the peace conference. All the points thus far taken up have been assented to and there remains only the decision as to their final wording.

Such rapid progress necessarily means the sacrificing of many individual and national programs long prepared and cherished, and is an index of the harmony that has existed in all the meetings.

Professor George D. Herron, social democrat, and William Allen White, well-known Kansas editor and author, are going to Prince's Island to represent the allies in the conference with the Russians.

American officials here profess to believe that the Bolshevik reply to the invitation for a conference means that the era of bloodshed in Russia is over. Inasmuch as that France's principal fear in the Russian situation has been that their heavy investment in the Empire would be a dead loss, she may consent to send delegates.

Neither France nor Great Britain has given any indication of their attitude toward the conference since the Soviet reply was received.

It is stated by important American officials that the Italian-Jugo Slav issue is rapidly approaching satisfactory solution.

HOME OWNERSHIP AMENDMENT PASSES

WOULD PERMIT USE OF STATE'S CREDIT FOR PURCHASE OF HOMES FOR CITIZENS.

Austin, Texas.—With two amendments, the house has finally adopted the joint resolution submitting to the voters the question of allowing the use of state credit for the buying of rural homes for citizens. The vote was 116 to 11. This is Governor Hobby's scheme to provide land for the landless.

One of the amendments took from the resolution the clause which permitted the creation of public and private corporations, through which the land buying system is to be put into practice. The resolution leaves the question of agencies for buying and selling land in the power of the legislature.

Another amendment offered limits the amount of land to be sold to any one purchaser to 200 acres.

County Officers to Meet in Galveston

Austin, Texas.—The County Judges and Commissioners' association of Texas, at the closing session of its semi-annual convention here, selected Galveston as the next place of meeting to be held during August, the exact date to be fixed later. County Judge Cecil L. Simpson of Dallas county was elected president. Other officers elected are: County Commissioner W. P. Deuman of Bell county, vice president, Judge William E. Muse of Somervell county, secretary-treasurer.

Pending Bills Affect Oil Industry

Austin, Texas.—Of the several bills affecting the oil industry now pending in the legislature, the one which has made the most progress is that granting unrestricted rights of eminent domain to pipe line companies. The others have not progressed very far on the legislative calendar. Each branch of the legislature passed bills extending the right of eminent domain to pipe line companies. The present law grants them that right, but limits the size of the pipe.

Gross Production Tax 1 1/4 Per Cent

Austin, Texas.—By an unanimous vote the House Committee on Revenue and Taxation has decided to impose a tax of 1 1/4 per cent on the gross production of oil. It also gave an unfavorable report on the bill to impose a 2 per cent tax on the gross receipts of refining concerns and on oil leases of the state. The committee adopted the report of its subcommittee on the three measures. The tax of 1 1/4 per cent was recommended instead of a 2 per cent tax.

Loss on Wheat Guarantee Feared

Washington.—The bill appropriating \$1,250,000,000 as the government's guarantee on the wheat price for 1918-19 probably will be reported by the house agriculture committee and it is expected, will carry the necessary machinery for putting the guarantee into effect on the basis of \$2.26 per bushel, the government's established price.

Opposes Change in Grades for Cotton

Washington.—The bill by Senator Smith of South Carolina which proposes to restrict cotton deliveries to five grades was opposed at a conference of senators and representatives from the cotton growing states by E. A. Calvin of Houston, Washington representative of the marketing bureau of the Farmers' Union. His speech followed the proposal of Senator Kirby of Arkansas that the bill be indorsed, whereupon Mr. Calvin spoke against changing the grades.

CLEMENCEAU STILL A "DOUBTING THOMAS"

GREAT HELP MAY BE DRAWN BY TEUTON FROM CHAOTIC BUT FRUITFUL RUSSIA.

ONLY A LULL IN THE STORM

Germany Might Reopen War But for Wilson's Assurance as to Operation of League.

Paris.—"While I have said that the war has been won, it would perhaps be more accurate to say that there is a lull in the storm," says Gorge "At least," he says, "it is as well to face squarely all the possibilities." Although Germany had been beaten militarily and had been largely disarmed, there still remained, the premier pointed out, "a chaotic but fruitful Russia from which great help may be drawn by the Teutons." There would be danger, he thought, of a reopening of the military debate, if it were not for the assurance President Wilson had voiced recently that whenever France or any other free people was menaced, the whole world would be ready to vindicate its liberty.

In the society of nations, said the premier, each nation must be willing to renounce its traditional aloofness and be willing to employ the national strength outside its own country, both in war and in peace.

Premier Clemenceau warmly praised the help the American troops had given in winning the war for democracy and expressed disbelief that there was a man in the American army of occupation who regretted that he had "fought on the side of freedom."

Claim Rangers Add to Terrorism

Austin, Texas.—Mrs. Virginia Yeager of San Diego, Duval county, owner of a ranch, has testified before the joint committee of the house and senate which is investigating the state rangers that they were abusive and discourteous in her presence, and that she thinks more Mexicans crossed the river early in the war to avoid the rangers than to avoid the military service.

Additional Fire Credits Granted

Austin, Texas.—Additional credits on account of good fire records for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918 have been announced by the Texas Fire Insurance Commission as follows: Beaumont, 12 per cent, loss ratio 433; Jacksboro, 15 per cent, the maximum loss ratio 114; Kerrville, 15 per cent, loss ratio 402; Whitesboro, 15 per cent.

Seattle Strikers Are Losing Ground

Seattle, Wash.—Conservative labor leaders say that when the general strike conference committee of the union delegates reassemble they would renew the fight to have the sympathetic strike called off and a definite time fixed for its expiration. They were said to believe the strike would come to an end within a very short time.

Strike in Tacoma Called Off

Tacoma, Wash.—The general strike in Tacoma was officially called off shortly before 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the strike committee.

Can Go to University

Austin, Texas.—Every Texas man who was wounded in France, who desires to enter the university of Texas next fall to begin or to complete a college education already begun, and who has not the means himself to secure that training, will have the means provided by former students of the university.

County Convict Camps Not Needed

Dallas.—On the contention that \$19,927.27 is too much money for conducting the convict camps in Dallas county for a period of six months, when there is an average of only fourteen convicts per day in the camps, the state legislature is to be asked to amend the Dallas county road law.

Kansas City Strike Leaders Arrested

Kansas City, Mo.—Five of the six strike leaders arrested on charges of violating the order of Judge John C. Pollock, forbidding interference with the operation of street cars in Kansas City, Kan., were ordered held for the federal grand jury, to sit at Topeka April 14.

Irish Resolution Favorably Reported

Washington.—The House Foreign Affairs Committee has favorably reported a resolution expressing the hope that the peace conference would "favorably consider the claims of Ireland to the right of self-determination."

Legislators Study Oil Tax Problems

Austin, Texas.—Taxation of oil companies and kindred interests presents a problem to the legislature of Texas that is attracting attention alike of oil men and lawmakers.

Teachers Will Convene in Houston

Austin, Texas.—The executive committee of the Texas State Teachers' association has concluded its meeting, selecting Houston as the place for the next annual convention of the association.

FORT WORTH WILL RIVAL CHEYENNE IN GREAT RODEO

Wild West Celebration Here March 10 to 15 Will Be One of Best Ever Staged in United States

Fort Worth, Texas.—From the Canadian line to the Mexican border, among the men who know the feel of the saddle and the free, open life of the range, the news has been spread that Fort Worth is challenging the right of Cheyenne to be known as the "Boss Round-up City" of the world.

This happens to be the facts in the case. Made confident by the unqualified success of last year's Rodeo, held in connection with the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show, the management is making plans on a larger scale this year and the Rodeo March 10-15 will be an "all contest" affair that will bring forth the very best efforts of the best riders in the country. For they are coming—and coming in numbers, too, although they know that they will have to ride and ride their hardest to be able to participate in the idistribution of around \$2,500 in prizes that has been hung up. Besides famous men riders, the cowgirls will be here and special prizes have been set aside for them.

As a round-up and a return for a week to the days of the old west, with broncho-busting, wild horse and steer riding, wild horse racing, roping, etc. Fort Worth will have a complete and satisfying entertainment in the Rodeo. Bob Tadlock, himself a product of the range and known to nearly every Southwestern stockman, has been named by Secretary-Manager Sansom as chairman of the Rodeo committee and told to go his limit for a clean, competitive show that will make people hold onto their seats and wonder what the evening's casualties will amount to. Ed R. Henry, Gil Whittington, Wad Ross and W. O. Rominger will assist him in the celebration. Already, Leonard Stroud of Rocky Ford, Colo., champion broncho buster and trick rider of the world, has arrived in this city and he is helping the Rodeo committee to work out details. The most rigid riding rules are to be applied. And every night's program will be a masterpiece of thorough detail, even though the sensations will likely come spontaneously.

Secretary-Manager M. Sansom, Jr. and his assistants are working out the plans for this year's Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show most thoroughly. They have hung up \$25,000 in prizes for the livestock exhibition alone and this together with the increased interest of stockmen of the Southwest, assure larger exhibits in every division.

Besides the Rodeo and the fat stock, there will be a car-

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Man Took Poison
John Welch, formerly of San Jon, where he owned and farmed a place a few miles northwest of town, came to Tucumcari last week and secured a job in the railroad shops. His wife had been living in Tucumcari since last December and they met at the Oklahoma Hotel early Friday morning. It is said he proposed to secure a house in town where he wanted Mrs. Welch to join him, but she refused. He said he would kill himself if she did not return to him, but she was emphatic in her refusal. He went into another room where he took poison and within ten minutes was dead. His troubles were soon ended and he signed a peace treaty which cannot be broken. His father and sister were notified at San Jon and they took charge of the body.—Tucumcari (N. M.) News.

A Canyon Man's Experience

Can you doubt the evidence of this Canyon citizen?
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R. E. Hileman, prop. bicycle repair shop says: "Doan's Kidney Pills gave me positive relief from weak kidneys and lameness across the small of my back. I am quite free from all these troubles since I used Doan's."
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Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Hileman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

TOMORROW'S MAN

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The total average daily production of the North Central Texas oil territory, including both the northern and southern districts, is 135,000 barrels, according to the latest reports. This is an increase of between 8,000 and 9,000 barrels over the previous week.

The northern or Wichita Falls district has a production of 66,500 barrels, a decrease of a few barrels, compared with the production of last week. The Ranger district is producing 68,500 barrels daily, an increase of nearly 9,000 barrels over last week.

The Burk Burnett pool has an output of 53,400 barrels. Eastland County has about 54,000, Stephens County 9,000 and Comanche County 4,000 barrels.

The past week has been without exciting features in the Wichita Falls district, except for the announcement that the Burkbridge well, just across the toll bridge from Burk Burnett, in Oklahoma, has found a sand around 1,632 that looks promising, and that the well is considered of sufficient importance for the Government to request that the expert drillers of the United States Bureau of Mines, Petroleum Department, be permitted to set the casing and drill the well in. The Government is especially interested because the land on which the Burkbridge well is being drilled is Indian land, and leased by the Indian Service to Mayor J. B. Marlow, M. J. Bashara and other Wichita Falls men, who are drilling the well.

If the Burkbridge really gets a good well it will mean the proving up of much territory between this well and those on the Texas side, and will also mean a boom that will surpass anything that has yet been experienced in this section, according to the indications to be observed at present. Land has gone to high figures some distance from the well, and there is promise of developments practically throughout Cotton County if the Burkbridge meets expectations.

A. B. Miller, who has had years of experience in drilling deep oil wells in the various fields of the country, has the management of the Happy Oil and Gas Company, and to a Plainsman reporter gave the following: "The Happy Oil & Gas Company was induced to begin operations in the Plains country, first from the fact that gas has already been discovered in this section of the state in quantities large enough to convince the oil world that there will be some wonderful oil and gas discoveries made in the Panhandle country. We have made our locations near Happy from our geological reports

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which show conclusively that we are on well defined structures favorable for the production of oil. Our first well will be a deep test 3600 feet deep. Ben Harper and Curt Bowser, two of the best deep well men of the country, will have active management of the drilling."

The Birkett test well near Belvidere is again going deeper. This is the test being made by the Pratt County Oil and Gas Development Co. A few months ago, when a little deeper than three thousand feet, a string of tools was lost in the bottom of the hole. The finances of the company were then expended and operations were stopped for a time. Since then more stock has been sold and money raised by the company officials at Pratt and the test will go down to a depth of four thousand feet if necessary. A new set of workmen have been on the job for the past several weeks, pulling casing, resetting it and doing other work necessary to resume drilling. This is now done and the drill is once more going into the ground. The last reports were that they were drilling at the side of the tools still in the hole and expected to drill past—Coldwater (Kans.) Talisman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wyatt of Deroeno visited the Speight family recently. Mr. Wyatt told us that his neighborhood was going into the oil business and that everything is about ready to go down after it. Here's hoping they strike more than they know what to do with.

A number of placer claims have been filed there and a great deal of land has been leased ready for drilling—Taiban (N. M.) Valley-News.

The oil excitement has reached Ralls, and as the Banner stated a week or two ago, based on the opinion of experts, it is believed that oil exists in the vicinity of our town. So strong is this belief that a meeting was held here Saturday for the purpose of discussing the matter. Two gentlemen from Fort Worth, presumably reliable oil men, had made a proposition to some of our leading citizens that if a lease on 50,000 acres of land could be secured that they would guarantee to sink a test well.—Ralls Banner.

John Coffman's brother has been visiting him for a few days. He is said to have a divining rod by which he locates producing oil well and that he is getting a fabulous sum of money from some oil company locating for them. He says that there is oil beneath the surface near Coleman. We hope that he knows what he is talking about.—Stratford Star.

New oil companies are springing up all over the country. Melrose has joined the procession with a company which was organized Tuesday night and christened the Excelsior Oil Company.—Melrose (N. M.) Messenger.

There have been a great many rumors gone out over the surrounding country in connection with the oil developments in Lynn county, since the company had to close down waiting for the eight-inch casing. The News is glad to inform its readers that there is nothing wrong and drilling will be resumed immediately upon arrival of the necessary material.—Tahoka News.

Quite a number of our business men and citizens have been quietly at work securing leases, preparatory to developing for oil and gas in Swisher county. Their knowledge and observations of our soil formation, as well as the opinions of eminent geologists, have been the basis for their work.—Tulia Herald.

Has 200 Acres Ready to Plant
L. H. Sanders, who lives three miles north of Claud has two hundred acres listed and will put all in row crops this year. He figures that he will raise the biggest crop this year he has ever harvested since he came to this country twelve years ago. He has sixty-five acres in wheat.—Clovis (N. M.) Journal.

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WANT THE RAILROADS RETURNED TO OWNERS

OPPOSE BILL TO APPROPRIATE \$750,000,000 MORE TO COVER FEDERAL OPERATION.

Washington.—Five members of the Texas delegation, Representatives Black, Connally, Dies, Jones and Mansfield, and one Oklahoma member, Mr. Chandler, have voted against final passage of the bill appropriating \$750,000,000 to be added to the revolving fund of \$500,000,000 already appropriated for use in connection with the government's operation of the railroads.

The Texans named, together with Representatives McLemore and Rayburn, supported Mr. Rayburn's amendment requiring that federal control be terminated by Dec. 31, 1919, which was defeated by the house. Mr. Rayburn has introduced a separate bill to carry his amendment into effect. He contended that the railroad owners ought to know when the properties would be returned, and the government ought to have a date fixed so congress could work with a definite purpose in view.

"The lesson in government operation of railroads has indeed been a costly and bitter one," said Mr. Rayburn to the house. "It will cost us millions upon millions of dollars to ever get out of this thing. I believe that we will at least be partially compensated, if not more than compensated, for all the money we have put into the thing and actual demonstration to the American people of the heresy of the whole idea of government ownership of railways."

PREMIER EISNER IS KILLED

LATER MINISTER OF INTERIOR IS SHOT WHILE DELIVERING SPEECH IN LANTAG.

Copenhagen.—Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian premier, has been shot and killed by Lieutenant Count Arso Valley as Eisner was on his way from the foreign ministry in Munich to the diet, says a Munich dispatch. The shooting occurred in the Praunerstrasse and death resulted from two shots fired from behind into his head.

Herr Auer, Bavarian minister of the interior was also shot. The shooting took place during the session of the lantag, while Auer was alluding to the assassination of Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian premier.

Auer fell wounded in the left side and Deputy Osel was killed and two other officials were seriously wounded. The shots were fired from the public gallery and caused a panic among the deputies.

Narrow Vision of Duty.
Sacramento, Cal.—William Howard Taft, president of the League to Enforce Peace, has given out a statement here in which he reiterated his assertion that "those who oppose the proposed league of nations covenant, on the ground that we should maintain the so-called policy against entangling alliances, have a narrow vision of our national duty."

Would Reorganize Ranger Force
Austin, Tex.—Complete reorganization of the state ranger force is proposed in a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Paul D. Page of Bastrop. The bill, which is similar to a bill introduced in the house on the same subject, proposes for the rangers and for seven companies, one of which shall be a headquarters company, with a total of 130 men.

Presents Financial Claim.
Grand Duke Friedrich August Oldenburg, who was dethroned when the revolution broke out, has, according to the Vorwaerts, presented a financial claim to the Oldenburg diet. He demands a yearly allowance of 150,000 marks for the grand ducal family over a period of fifty years and the claim states that the present financial situation of the grand duke is extremely precarious.

J. Henry Will Address Cattle Raisers
Dallas.—Francis J. Honey, special counsel for the federal trade commission, in its investigation of the packing industry, and one of the most noted orators in the country has accepted an invitation to address the convention of the Cattlemen's Association of Texas in Dallas next month.

Annual Egg Show at Dallas.
Dallas.—The second annual egg show of the State Poultry association will be held in Dallas April 26, 26 and 27. It was decided at a meeting of the Dallas County Poultry Raisers' association, which will assist in the financing and management of the exhibit.

Big Price for Cow
Probably the record amount of money ever paid in the open market here for a single cow was received Wednesday morning by C. B. Poe of Wylie. He had a cow that weighed 1430 pounds and brought \$14.00 per hundredweight. The total price was \$200.20. Swift & Co. bought the cow. It was a 5-year-old Red Short-horn.—Ft. Worth Livestock Reporter.

EXPLANATION MADE OF INCOME TAX RETURNS

REPORTS MUST BE FILED BY MANY FROM WHOM NO TAXES ARE COLLECTABLE.

FIRST PAYMENT DUE MAR. 15

Failure to Report and Pay Promptly Penalized and Payments in Advance Are Welcomed.

Washington.—Within the next three weeks, or by March 15, every unmarried man or woman who earned \$1,000 or more in the calendar year 1918 and every married person whose income amounted to \$2,000 or more must make a detailed report of his income to the federal revenue collector of his district. On or before March 15 the first installment of the income tax must be paid, one-fourth of the entire amount due, or all of it if the taxpayer chooses.

This means that millions of Americans must get to work at once to prepare their returns, and for the guidance of taxpayers, the internal revenue bureau has issued explicit instructions covering the preparation and filing returns.

First, get a tax return form from the revenue collector's office or from a bank. There are many kinds of these forms. If a person's income was below \$5,000 he should ask for the form especially intended for the smaller incomes.

The tax rate for most individuals is 6 per cent. For a single person this is imposed on the difference between the total net income for the year and \$1,000, the so-called exempted amount. For a married man, or for the head of a family, the exemption is \$2,000 and the 6 per cent is imposed on the difference between that and the total income. There is provision for an additional exemption of \$200 for each child or other dependent person, under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support. Thus a married man with one child or an aged parent would have an exemption of \$2,200 and would pay tax on the difference between this and his net income. A man with two children would have an exemption of \$2,400; three children, \$2,600, and so on.

The regular or normal tax is 12 per cent on incomes of more than \$5,000 in case of unmarried persons and more than \$6,000 in the case of married persons without children.

Penalties are provided for failure to file on time or to pay the tax promptly, and tax officials welcome returns and payments before March 15. Payments in full by March 15 also will be welcomed on the ground that the government needs the money.

In The Same Class Now.
A bill has been introduced in the legislature placing the minimum wage of sheepherders and cowpunchers at \$50 a month and board. This places the two classes of animal worriers on a level. And the time was to say that a cowboy was no better than a sheepherder meant quick gun action.—Ft. Sumner (N. M.) Review.

The dairy farmer who keeps his cows too long on pasture in the fall discovers that milk production decreases. This is overcome by supplementary feeding whenever possible with silage. Silage will not only hold up milk production until winter, but throughout the winter months when fed with roughage.

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PASSES BLUE SKY MEASURE

MANY PROVISIONS TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC IN STOCK SALES ARE PROPOSED.

Austin, Texas.—The senate has finally passed, with a few corrective amendments, the bill to amend the blue sky law of Texas. The bill as amended is in substance as follows:

Every person, firm, corporation, joint stock company, or association of persons, acting by agreement or declaration of trust or otherwise, organized for profit, which are now attempting or shall hereafter attempt to sell or contract to sell any stocks, shall, before offering for sale or contracting to sell any stock, or increased stock, file under oath in the office of the secretary of state a statement showing in full detail the plan upon which the promoters or those having in charge the sale of such stock propose to sell same, together with a copy of all the forms of contract, stocks to be used, the names, location and domicile of all persons who desire to offer for sale such stocks, and if a company or corporation, the names of its officers or proposed officers, if any, and promoters and their addresses; the amount of capital stock and the amount at which the stock is to be sold, and such other information as the secretary of state may require; if a foreign corporation, it must file with the secretary a copy of the charter; such statement shall also show the commission, promotion fee and other incidental expenses proposed to be charged for its organization, and how the commissions and fees are to be paid.

A bond must be filed with some surety company as surety, with the secretary of state in an amount not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$50,000, not to exceed 10 per cent of the stocks proposed to be issued.

Oil Leases are Subject to Tax
Austin, Tex.—Oil leases are subject to taxation and must be assessed by state and county tax assessors, says Comptroller H. B. Terrell.

The Randall County News and The Southwest Plainsman, both for \$5.00

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What the Traffic Census Will Show.

Money that goes into road improvements is an investment, and is therefore purely a business proposition. Investments ought not to be guess-work or matters of opinion. Gross income and net profits should be figured in advance, as closely as possible; and so when the question of voting road bonds is under consideration the voters should ascertain just what they are getting for their money whether this is more important to them than the money they will be required to pay for it.

Road improvement can be transferred from a guess-work to a business basis by means of a traffic census. A traffic census shows the amount of travel over a road and the weight of products hauled from and to a community. It may be taken by the commissioners' court, one or more men being appointed to record the teams going over a road, distance traveled, weight hauled, and length of time required to haul it. This census may be taken at any time, lasting several days for each county. The length of the haul multiplied by the weight will give the ton-mile and if the time required is counted at a fair working wage, the cost per ton-mile is found.

There should be no guess work about investments and surely there should be no heated oratory setting out mere opinions. A community will certainly better itself by improving its roads, and a survey of the facts will show what results may be expected in the way of profit.

Texas should get the facts about road improvement.

The School as a Community Music Centre.

Time was when churches existed almost solely as places where people might go and worship. Likewise schools were places where young folks might go and learn. As the idea of modern service has broadened the work of the churches, so it has enlarged the fields of activity for the school. Not only do the larger universities and state institutions have their extension departments these days, but the high schools, both city and rural, are beginning to find themselves called upon for more extended service in their communities.

Particularly in the field of music is this true, and wonderful opportunities are opening up to the schools to serve in the capacity of music centers. Several of our state universities are now offering lecture and music courses, for comparatively small fees to communities desiring such attractions. Indeed, this very thing is true of the West Texas State Normal College, where entertainments of the above mentioned kinds may be had for much less money than can like talent of the bureau and professional managers.

Besides, practically every school of any pretensions these days maintains musical organizations made up of students and faculty members; choruses, orchestras, bands, glee-clubs, string quartets, etc. Now it is to these organizations, especially, that the communities around and about the institutions of learning are most frequently turning for musical help. Indeed, it occurs to the writer that almost every patriotic campaign and drive of the past twelve or sixteen months has been locally assisted by and centered in some of the above mentioned organizations of the W. T. S. N. C.

This is a splendid sign of the times. But, as yet, it is merely a beginning of what is hoped will be a

universal condition. Not only should this be true of the larger state institutions, but the average high school can, with its present advancement in music, developed by the teaching of the art in the schools, have a chorus, an orchestra, and often a band, and not until every country school house is a community social center, particularly for purposes of musical enjoyment, will the ideal of the music department of the Normal School of West Texas be realized.

Courses are offered, especially in the summer quarters, preparing students in the organization of directing of just this kind of work. Suggestive plans on organization of choruses, music clubs, etc., will be furnished gladly to anyone desiring such assistance. The State of Texas furnishes this to its citizens and is anxious to have them avail themselves of its service. No community should lack for musical leadership and no community should be without community music.—Wallace Clark, Director of Music.

Keep Up Your War Risk Insurance.

Many men in the Service have been led, either by lack of information or through misapprehension, to discontinue their payments of War Risk Insurance premiums. For the benefit of the Services we give some essential points from Information Bulletin No. 1, Bureau of War Risk Insurance, issued by the Conservation Section on Feb. 1, 1919:

Present certificates are one-year renewable term contracts, and may be continued as such for a period of five years only, from the date of the declaration of peace. At any time during this period of five years the term policies may be converted, without medical examination, into any one of the following six forms: Ordinary life, twenty-payment life, thirty-payment life, twenty-year endowment, thirty-year endowment and endowment maturing at age of sixty-two. If the term policies are to be converted as above, the conversion must take place during the five-year period mentioned. Typical rates for Government policies in three of the six kinds into which the war risk policies may be converted are as follows:

\$1,000 Insurance		
Ordinary Life		
Age	Mon.	Ann.
20	\$1.15	\$13.58
25	1.29	15.24
30	1.47	17.36
35	1.70	20.08
40	2.01	23.74
45	2.43	28.71
50	3.01	35.56
20-Payment Life		
Age	Mon.	Ann.
20	\$1.76	\$20.79
25	1.91	22.56
30	2.10	24.81
35	2.33	27.52
40	2.62	30.95
45	2.99	35.32
50	3.50	41.34
20-Year End.		
Age	Mon.	Ann.
20	\$3.31	\$39.10
25	3.33	39.34
30	3.36	39.69
35	3.41	40.28
40	3.51	41.46
45	3.68	43.47
50	3.98	47.01

Converted policies will participate in dividends earned from any mortality or interest savings. These dividends may be used to reduce premiums or accumulate at compound interest. All policies are non-taxable, incontestable and non-assignable. All policies are payable in event of death, only in 240 monthly installments. Endowment policies are payable in cash at maturity if desired. Policies may be reduced but not increased.

Further information concerning conversion, including rates, blanks for making conversions, etc., may be secured by addressing Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Conservation Section, 301 Southern Building, Washington, D. C.—Army and Navy Journal.

"HELP PRODUCE MAXIMUM CROPS"

Repair Week, March 3 to 8, 1919, National Farm Equipment

Encouraged by the success of 1918 repair week and knowing the importance of the question of repair supply the implement dealers of the United States with the co-operation of the manufacturers, and the encouragement of the Food Administration, the United States and State Agricultural Departments, Agricultural Colleges and Farm Bureaus, have designated March 3 to 8, 1919, as National Farm Equipment Repair-Week and farmers are urged to place orders for needed repairs that week.

If the crops are to be gathered without waste, the farm machinery must be in good repair, so as to avoid delays in the field. Do not put off ordering until the day you want to use the implement. The difficulty of having orders filled promptly in the rush season, together with the delays in transportation render it necessary to place orders for your repair equipments early.

Many farmers, who last year, failed to heed the warning, suffered loss. Do not let this happen to you. You will receive good repair service if you will co-operate with your dealer.

Prizes For Polecats!

"What will they be exhibiting next?" was the query propounded to nobody in particular by a lady of this city when she read in the premium list of the Kansas National Live Stock Show that polecats, yes, common ordinary polecats, were to be shown and that prizes are to be offered for the best varieties. There are not as many varieties of polecats as of pickles, for while Mr. Heinz has isolated 57 varieties of the latter, there are but 27 varieties of skum—excuse us—polecats.

You ask us why they offer prizes for the best polecats? We'll tell you why, Clarabell. Because polecat fur is growing so valuable that ranches are springing up all over the country upon which the gentle polecat is bred and raised. Of course, one of the first things they do to a baby polecat is to deprive the dear little thing of his perfume bottle and his atomizer and from that time on he is as odorless as a kitten, easily tamed and domesticated and the cutest pet in the world.

The government encourages the raising of properly-censored polecats and has published several bulletins telling all about how to engage in the polecat ranch business without the aid of a gas-mask. It is said that there are 20 varieties of denatured polecats entered in the Fur Bearing Animals section of the Kansas National Live Stock Exposition, which is to be held at Wichita, Kans., the week beginning Feb. 24.

The Ton-Mile.

A ton-mile is the amount of work required to haul a ton a distance of one mile. This work is best measured by its cost, which will be less on good roads and greater on bad roads. The man pays for the hauling is the man who pays the bill for bad roads. The United States Department of Agriculture, in 1906, when only eight per cent of the roads were improved, put the cost of hauling a ton of freight over a mile of road, averaged from 1894 counties in every State in the Union, at 22 7-10 cents per mile. This cost was figured on the basis of day wages for man and team at the rate he would have been paid for the time if he had been hired for ordinary work. A calculation as to the haulage over Texas roads several years ago placed the acreage cost of the ton-mile at forty-three cents. A comparison of the cost of the Texas ton-mile with the average ton-mile in the United States, made from figures given in a government bulletin, shows that it costs the Texas farmer eighty to one hundred per cent more to haul a ton of his products a mile than it costs the average farmer in the United States.

However, it is our own individual haulage cost that interests us. Many efforts have been made to get an approximation of the weight that can be hauled by the average horse over various kinds of level roads. As near as it can be determined, the weight a horse can handle in an ordinary wagon is counted as follows: Over a muddy earth road, from nothing to 800 pounds; on a smooth, dry, earth road, from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds on a gravel road in poor condition, from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds; on a gravel road in good condition, about 3,300 pounds; on a macadam road, from 2,000 to 5,000 pounds, on a brick or concrete road, from 5,000 to 8,000 pounds. If the speed of travel is same on all, the horse will haul on a good macadam road from three to five times as many tons per mile in a day as upon a moderately muddy earth road; putting it in another way, the radius of travel and haulage is from three to five times as great over a macadam road as on the average dirt road. Expressing

NOTICE!

Beginning March the First, we will send out deliveries, both in forenoon, and afternoon. We want to thank our customers very kindly for the patience they have had with us during the war when we were trying to cut expenses, and also during the bad weather, when it was almost impossible to make deliveries. We realize that we have imposed on you, but we want to assure you that in the future, we are going to rectify our short comings of the past. Beginning March the first, all orders taken up to NINE o'clock in the morning, will be delivered before ELEVEN, and all orders taken up to FOUR o'clock in the afternoon, will be delivered by FIVE-THIRTY.

We have purchased a truck and will guarantee prompt deliveries from now on. If your orders fail to reach you on time, please notify the management and they will surely be there on time the next day. We expect to carry a larger and more complete stock of groceries than we have been carrying. Beginning next week, we will get in a shipment of fresh vegetables each Friday, and if we have enough demand, will get two a week. Phone us your wants, and if we haven't it, we'll get it for you. We are after your business and want to please you. Again thanking you for past favors, and assuring you of better treatment in the future, we are,

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it in still another way, the effect of lowering the ton-mile cost by building a macadam road in place of a dirt road, is the same as picking up the community and putting down from one-fifth to one-third nearer the market.

Texas should lower the cost per ton-mile by building better roads.

In January the Navy Department transported overseas from Europe 97,039 troops, the commander of the Atlantic Cruiser Force has reported to the Secretary. Of this number 12,192 were carried in cruisers and 7,528 in battleships, the remainder coming in troops transports manned and operated by the Navy. The figures do not include troops brought back in ships belonging to other nations. The total rated capacity of the vessels arriving was 105,593.

The Girls' Round Table.

When we are not courteous, it is not because we do not know how to be, but simply that we do not take the time. All of us know, for instance, that we should always rise when an older person enters the room, but do we always observe this fundamental courtesy? If you were perfectly frank, how would you answer these questions? When you are going down the sidewalk with your girl friends, do you sometimes take up the whole walk? And do you, once in a while, push somebody off—just for fun? Do you, by any

chance, belong to that class of girls who like to chew gum and who forget that this is really obnoxious habit? Do you always remember to thank people for the courtesies shown you?

These are just a few of the outward signs of personal courtesy; but if we practice them, we shall most likely get the real spirit of a courteous girl.

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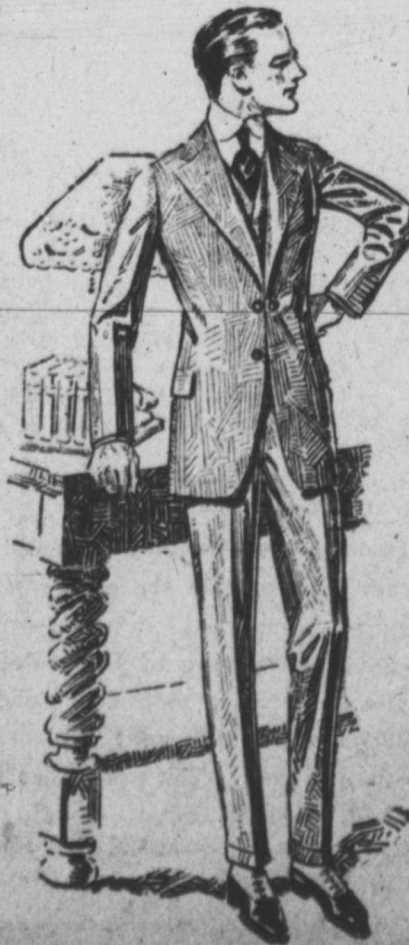
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Perfumed with the costly new odor of 26 flavors.

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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

PERSONAL MENTION

If you have guests in your home, please phone the News. If you are going away on a visit, call No. 41.

Best Texas wheat bran, \$2.75 per hundred. W. H. Hicks.

P. J. Sullivan, vice president of the National Stock Yards National Bank, of Chicago, is in town on business.

H. T. Shelnut of Marlin Springs has been here on business the past few days.

W. H. Lewis, of Atwell, Colorado, has been here visiting his daughter for a few days.

J. S. Ashby and P. J. Neff of Happy were in the city on business the first of the week.

Henry Prichard has received his discharge from the Navy and is home from California.

Mrs. W. B. Anthony and children of Plainview are visiting at the home of N. E. McIntire and family.

H. J. Dillingham and son, D. T., were in Canyon over Sunday, enroute home from a trip to New Mexico.

Elsie Price has moved back to Canyon from Arlie, Texas, and will live on the Price farm southwest of town.

George Masters and family have returned from Los Angeles, California, where they spent the winter. They will move to the Jeff Wallace place east of town.

H. C. Randolph, attorney from Plainview, was in Canyon the first of the week on legal business. He will be one of the representatives of the defense in the Messemmer case.

L. D. Sewell of Plainview was in Canyon visiting Sunday.

UMBARGER NEWS.

E. H. Cole was a business visitor to Amarillo Tuesday.

W. L. Brodie and Billy, Jr., were visitors to Canyon Thursday afternoon.

Miss Marie Kehmeir, who attended the Normal last quarter is now visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Johnson before returning to her home in Colorado.

Charlie Beckman was looking after business interests in Canyon Friday. W. L. Brodie received another car of cake Saturday and the farmers are very busy hauling it out for their stock this week.

Miss Hazel Gandy is again able to resume her school work after a weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Friemel entertained several young people in their home Saturday evening. Games and dancing furnished amusement for the evening. Refreshments of cake and chocolate were served. Those participating in the pleasure of the evening were, Misses Annie Friemel, Francis Summers, Francis Beckman, Francis and Louis Skypala and Otelia Raffle, Messrs. Chas. Clarence and Walter Beckman, Augustus and Otto Skypala, Paul Artho, Rudolph Friemel and Carl Kedensky.

Henry Gandy and Howard Brown visited friends in Canyon Saturday and Sunday.

L. Bader spent Sunday in the L. Bader home.

WAYSIDE ITEMS.

Weather changeable, bad quit a good part of the time; light snow, hail and disagreeably cold Friday. Another light fall of snow on Monday.

Rev. Pirtle filled his appointments Sunday and Sunday night at Wayside with fair congregation.

Mrs. L. J. McGehee attended church and Sunday School last Sunday. She is still not very strong.

A phone message from Amarillo Tuesday called W. R. Franklin and Mrs. Ida Sluder to the bedside of Mrs. Fannie Franklin who was visiting Mrs. Edith Kerlin. J. C. Payne drove them to Amarillo at once. Mrs. Franklin is improving.

Mrs. Sluder returned Sunday and Mr. Franklin returned Tuesday.

Among the sufferers with rheumatism are Mrs. Grace McCreery, Mrs. Lottie Whittle and Mrs. Myrtle McGehee. All are better and we hope they will soon be restored to health again.

Quite a few of our citizens are planning to attend the Buyers' and Sellers' Convention in Amarillo this week. The weather threatens to be unfavorable.

Messrs. Service and Bishop finished up their part of the job of J. S. Sluder's dwelling the past week. The painting and some other things he expects to do himself.

Wm. Payne and wife made a trip to Amarillo Saturday returning on Monday.

Earl Beasley left this week for Edler, Colo.

EPISCOPALEAN ARCHDEACON WILL MOVE TO CANYON

Rev. Wm. Garner, Archdeacon of the Plains, who has made his home in Amarillo the past year, will move to Canyon with his family to make his home in a few days. Rev. Garner has rented the house recently occupied by T. H. Rowan. He will have a regular appointment here once a month at least and the rest of the time will be spent at the various Episcopalean churches on the Plains.

We welcome Rev. Garner to Canyon.

Marion Rascher has returned to Canyon to live after receiving his discharge from the army. He has spent the past few months in France. His mother who has been in Colorado during his absence has returned and at present they are making their home at the Baltimore.

Marion states that he will soon be back in the automobile repair business in Canyon.

MRS. CHAS. HARTER ENTERTAINS NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. Chas. Harter was hostess to the Needle Club Thursday afternoon. Interesting conversation enlivened the needle work throughout the afternoon after which refreshments were served. The guests of the club were Mesdames A. M. Wilson, E. W. Reed, J. E. Winkleman, Levi Angel, L. E. McDade and W. E. Thatcher.

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CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.
A. B. HAYNES, Pastor.

Rev. Fronabarger has returned from a trip to East Texas and will fill his pulpit here Sunday morning.

Mrs. S. H. Heyser has returned from St. Louis, where she has been purchasing the spring stock of goods for the Variety Store.

Stork Special.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morris, eight miles southwest of Canyon, Tuesday, Feb. 25, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Long, Tuesday, Feb. 25, a nine-pound boy.

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Preaching at 11 o'clock.
Evening services, at 6:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Everyone cordially invited to all our services.

R. A. STEWART, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Sunbeams, 2 p. m.
B. Y. P. U., at 5:30 p. m.
Preaching at 6:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 7 p. m. at 6:15.

Teachers' meeting Friday night at 6:15 p. m.

B. F. FRONABARGER, Pastor.

EXPIRES

The date is set—NEXT SATURDAY is the final day. That's your last chance to save in the "Move On" Sale—the biggest bargain event in Canyon—the saving campaign that has put the highest grade merchandise into the homes of our customers are amazing savings. Don't be late. Time is short. You can count the very hours now to the close. The days will be the greatest of them all. Here are new bargains, not shown before, that will be offered tomorrow and to the close of the sale Saturday. Get your share. Get here on time.

LADIES' HOSE

\$2.00 Grade—Move On	-----	\$1.59
\$1.25 Grade—Move On	-----	90c
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60c Grade—Move On	-----	47c
50c Grade—Move On	-----	39c
25c Grade—Move On	-----	21c

CHILDREN'S HOSE

60c Grade—Move On	-----	47c
50c Grade—Move On	-----	39c
35c Grade—Move On	-----	24c
25c Grade—Move On	-----	21c
15c Grade—Move On	-----	11c

MEN'S HOSE

85c Grade—Move On	-----	69c
75c Grade—Move On	-----	59c
65c Grade—Move On	-----	49c
50c Grade—Move On	-----	38c
40c Grade—Move On	-----	28c
35c Grade—Move On	-----	21c
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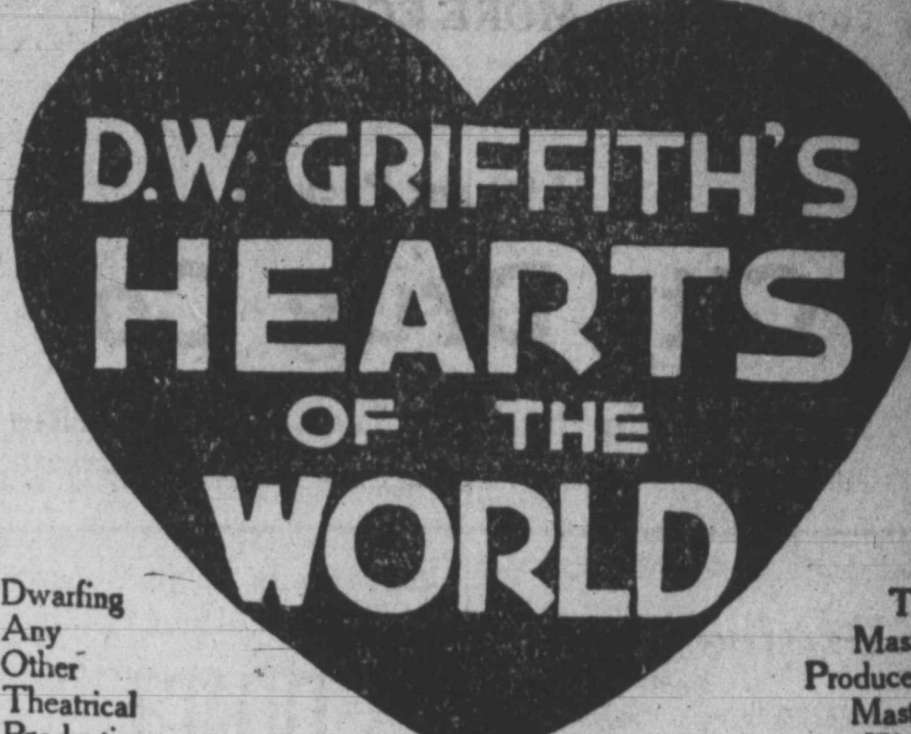
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The Canyon Delphian Club will meet Monday, March 3, at three o'clock. The subject of study will be Early and Norman England, leader, Mrs. Bell.

The Normal wishes to announce that the Summer Quarter will begin June 5, and continue to August 18. A copy of the summer catalogue will be sent to anyone desiring it.

J. E. Rogers went to Amarillo yesterday to visit his son, Paul, who is in the sanitarium. Mr. Rogers reports that Paul is improving the last few days and that the flesh on his arm is starting to mend and there is no doubt but what his arm will be saved.

Frank Watson and family leave this week for Melrose, N. M., where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Watson, milliner at the Canyon City Supply, has returned from eastern markets, where she purchased the spring stock of millinery for that store.

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Zone Shipping System Opposed

Cattle markets are not now receiving supplies of any volume in the country warranting thought of the restoration of the zone shipping system in vogue some months ago. But consideration is being given by the U. S. Railroad Administration, railroad officials and market livestock interests to the adoption of zone rules again in the season of large runs next summer and fall. The advocates of the zone plan of shipping cattle, limiting various districts to specified markets and days, are not, however, in the majority. In general both feeders and breeders are especially opposed to the inauguration of another zone program.

So much dissatisfaction and criticism resulted from this program the past year that many Government officials, including those associated with the Railroad Administration, are averse to making another effort to revive it. The prevailing sentiment is that it is harmful to a market to inject into it a zoning or restrictive influence, especially a market for cattle, which are widely scattered and shipped under constantly-varying conditions. Perhaps war conditions the past year were an excuse for attempting the zone plan, owing to unusual congestion on railroads. But the railroad industry is returning rapidly to normal as far as possible under Government control.

Nothing is more conducive to the maintenance of all markets for cattle on a par with one another than unrestricted shipping conditions. When one market, Kansas City, for example, reaches a level on stockers and feeders out of line with Chicago, there is a surprising reversal in the destination of market consignments. A zone plan makes such diversions impossible and is unfair to the cattle industry. A zone plan, too, puts limitations upon the marketing of cattle ready for slaughter, which is not to the liking of the alert feeder who is constantly endeavoring to find the highest market on which to sell, a privilege which should not be denied any producer.

Purebred Hereford interests are not concerned intimately with the zone proposals for this year, but they will be found on the side of the men who are engaged in producing cattle for slaughter and for feedlot. The American beef-cattle industry, notably Hereford interests, will be found in a healthier and more thriving condition with a minimum of interference with the channels for marketing. The production of beef cattle is extending into many new channels and undergoing important changes in old regions to an extent demanding freedom in shipping. — American Hereford Journal.

Pears For The Plains.

The Easter Beurre pear has always done fairly well in this country, providing a heavy and regular bearer. It is more satisfactory in this respect than the Winter Nelis planted side by side with it. It does not, however, command as high a price as the Nelis. The Easter is a good keeper, hence its name. When baked with a touch of lemon to bring out the flavor it is delicious. In our household, we eat the Nelis out of hand so long as it lasts, then fall back on Easters by the oven route. To those who prefer delicacy of flavor, with a slight acidity, the P. Barry pear is commended. There is also an attractiveness about its slender form that appeals to many. In fact, the Barry is truly the esthete among winter pears. It is a good keeper excelling the Nelis in this respect, but inclined to shrivel in this dry atmosphere. Baked by a skillful cook, the Barry develops considerable richness and translucence. Whatever variety be hailed as queen among winter pears, certainly the P. in the name of the Barry should stand for Princess. It is a good bearer for the size of the tree, but on account of its slender growth and somewhat dwarfish habit, the acre yield is not so large.—Field and Farm.

Prizes for Wilbarger Boys and Girls
Clois L. Greene, county Commissioner from Precinct No. 1 will pay the traveling expenses to the Dallas Fair of ten boys and girls who make the best records in the farm club work this year. This announcement was made by A. M. Bourland, president of the County Fair Association, Tuesday.

Special prizes have been offered the club workers by J. A. Dixon and Perkins-Timberlake Company. Mr. Dixon authorizes the announcement that he will pay \$25 for the best five acres of grain sorghum. This includes kafir, maize, feterita, hageria. A second prize of \$15, and a third prize of \$10 will be given by Mr. Dixon for the best yield from five acres of any of the grain sorghums. Perkins-Timberlake Company will give \$20 for the best yield on five acres of corn; \$10 for the second best yield; and \$5 for the third best yield.—Vernon Record.

MARKETS.

Kansas City Live Stock.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—**CATTLE**—Receipts 12,000; markets slow to weak; native steers, \$9.50@17.00; native cows and heifers, \$6.25@12.00; stockers and feeders, \$8.00@14.50; bulls, \$6.50@9.75.
HOGS—Receipts 10,000; markets closing steady to 5 higher; rough heavy, \$15.00@16.50; heavy \$16.80@17.80; market and butchers, \$16.65@17.65; light, \$16.00@17.20; pigs, \$10.00@15.75; bulk, \$17.00@17.50; receipts—6500; markets steady; lambs, \$15.75@17.90; ewes \$11.00@11.85; wethers, \$12.00@13.00.

Kansas City Grain
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—**CASH WHEAT**—No. 1 red, \$2.30@2.31; No. 2 red, \$2.28@2.29; No. 3 red, \$2.26@2.28; No. 4 red, \$2.20@2.25; No. 1 hard, \$2.29@2.31; dark, \$2.30@2.31; No. 2 hard, \$2.27@2.28.
CORN—No. 2 white, \$2.36; No. 3 white, \$1.32@1.33; No. 2 mixed, \$1.35@1.37; No. 3 mixed, \$1.35; No. 2 yellow, \$1.36@1.39; No. 3 yellow, \$1.35@1.35.
OATS—No. 2 white, 63 1-2; No. 3 white, 62@62 1-2; No. 2 mixed, 60@60; No. 2 red, 65@66; No. 3 red, 63@66.
KAFIR—No. 2 white, \$2.58@2.63; No. 3 white, \$2.45@2.52.
MILO MAIZE—No. 2, \$2.47@2.50; No. 3, \$2.42@2.44.
BARLEY—No. 4, 86@88.

Unplanted His Potatoes

W. C. Bush, out on the Ledbetter farm, planted his Irish potatoes on the 13th. When told what day of the month it was he picked them all up, and will plant them later on. One of his neighbors said he was superstitious of the 13th; another said it was because he left Mitchell county on the 13th, and returned on the 13th; but the real cause of it was that Mr. Bush had figured it out that the moon was wrong, as he always plants his potatoes in the moon instead of the ground.—Colorado Record.

Mountain Lion Kills Sheep.

Joe J. Brazil reports the loss of twenty-five head of sheep in one night, due to the raid of a mountain lion. Some of the cowboys working for J. J. White trailed the lion across the White pasture, after he had killed the sheep, but failed to come up with it. Very little of the carcasses were eaten, apparently only the liver being taken from each animal.

The lion is reported as being one of extra large track, and easily trailed. Several hunters are camping in White's pasture, in hopes of collecting the reward offered by White and Brazil. It is possible that other stockmen of the vicinity will increase the reward for the animal.

J. J. White offers a reward of \$50.00 and J. J. Brazil an additional \$50.00, a total of \$100.00 for the capture, dead or alive, of the Mountain Lion, that has been killing their stock during the past few days in their pastures in the Forest Reserve, south of Abo. Here is a chance for the hunters and trappers to pick up a little extra money.—Mountainair (N. M.) Independent.

Voice Restored by Cow's Kick

Cyrus Ziegler, a Shelbyville, Ind., farmer, after being unable to speak above a whisper for six months, can now talk as loud and as strong as ever. A hefty kick delivered by a cow which Ziegler received in the stomach, brought back his speech, according to the Milwaukee Journal. Yes, he was milking the animal when she kicked. He landed head first against the side of the barn. When Ziegler regained consciousness his first thought was of the cow. He spoke to her in strong and powerful language and surprised himself when he heard his own voice. The sound of the voice and the fact that he could speak again took away his anger and the cow got off easy.—American Hereford Journal.

France Needs Cows.

Serious conditions from lack of milk are related in a cable received at the office of the American committee for Davastated France. Mrs. Dike and Miss Morgan, who are in charge of the Committee's work in France beg that at least 100 milch cows be provided at once to save the lives of babies and little children in the Department of the Aisne.

It is almost impossible to buy cows in Europe and the few for sale are held at enormous prices. American breeders who can supply cows suited for export to France are requested to communicate prices and full particulars to the American Committees of offices at 16 East 39th Street, New York City.

Putting in Spring Wheat

P. J. Neff has five teams in his field today putting in spring wheat. In our twelve years experience in the Panhandle, we have never had a better season for spring wheat than at the present time.—Tulsa Herald.

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Much Land Classified

During December the department of the interior through the geological survey classified 1,338,545 acres of New Mexico as subject to the 640-acre stock-raising homestead act. This brings the total area designated under that act up to the end of the calendar year to 12,568,570 acres.

Nearly 43,000 applications to enter lands under the stock-raising homestead act have been received in the geological survey, and about 13,000 of these have been disposed of, a great majority of them by designating the land applied for. By far the greater part of the applications still undisposed of will probably be acted on during the winter months in connections with the classifications made as a result of field examinations during the summer of 1918.

Under the 320-acre homestead act action by the interior department resulted in the designation of 536,935 acres. By this action the total area classified as non-irrigable and designated for entry under this act was increased to more than 283,560,000 acres.

The Strong Withstand the Winter Cold Better Than the Weak

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It must be plain to any sensible person who realizes that the stomach, liver and bowels must work in harmony if digestive troubles are to be avoided or overcome.

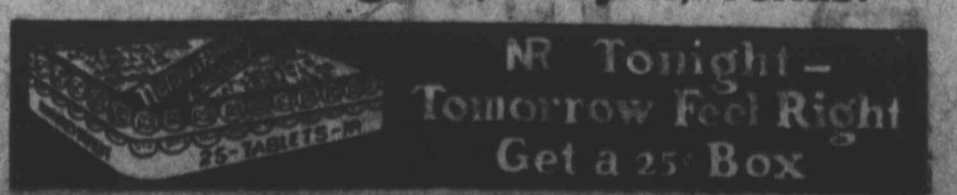
This fact also explains why sufferers from indigestion, also suffer more or less from headaches, biliousness and constipation.

If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, lacking energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two

and just see how much better you feel. See how quickly your sluggish bowels will become as regular as clock work, how your coated tongue clears up and your good, old-time appetite returns. See how splendidly your food will digest and how your energy, "pep" and "ginger" revive. Just try it. You take no risk whatever for Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is only 25c a box, enough to last twenty-five days, and it must help and benefit you to your entire satisfaction, or money returned.

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Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Prohibiting the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors.

House Joint Resolution No. 1. A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20 thereof by striking out and repealing said section and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of Texas of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section; providing that until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject of the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to certain regulations with reference to the same; providing that this amendment shall be self-operative, and until the Legislature shall provide other or different penalties, the violation of any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed a felony punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for a term of years specified, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence; conferring authority upon District Courts and judges thereof, under their equity power, to issue upon suit of the Attorney General injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision; providing that, without affecting the provisions hereof, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; declaring that the Legislature shall have power to pass any additional prohibitory laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment and prescribing certain rules and regulations with reference to the same; declaring that the provisions of the General Election Law shall govern in all respects as to qualification of electors and method of holding the election and in all other respects where applicable; directing proclamation for the election and making certain provisions for the election and ballots thereof and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of the State; and making an appropriation to carry out this resolution.

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

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

Section 20: (a) The manufacture, sale, barter and exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, are each and all hereby prohibited.

The Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section.

(b) Until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject, the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of

Article 598, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried on and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felonies, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue, upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof, which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition," said amendment shall be lost, and so declared.

All the provisions of the General Election Laws as amended and in force at the time of said election shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and all other respects, so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

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

Section 4. The sum of Five thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), 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 such proclamation and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State. (A true copy.)

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Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Providing for and Relating to Equal Suffrage.

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 7) Proposing to amend Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so that it shall hereafter, in substance, provide that every person, male or female, subject to no constitutional disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall reside in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; declaring that the electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; providing that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she shall offer to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that poll tax has been paid before the first day of February next preceding such election; declaring that if said voter shall have lost or misplaced such tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote, upon making affidavit that such tax receipt has been lost, which affidavit must be in writing and left with the judge of the election. And declaring that all laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters and governing and regulating elections shall apply to male and female voters alike; and all laws relating to elections shall remain in full force and effect until changed or modified by the Legislature, and declaring that this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting.

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

Section 1. That Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that hereafter said section shall read as follows, to-wit:

Section 2. Every person, male or female, subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she offers to vote at any election in the State and hold a receipt showing such poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. All laws now on the statutes of this State relating and relating to qualified voters in both primary and general elections shall apply to male and female voters, and shall be in effect until such statutes are changed or amended by the Legislature. And this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

Section 3. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition," said amendment shall be lost, and so declared.

All the provisions of the General Election Laws as amended and in force at the time of said election shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and all other respects, so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Section 4. The sum of Five thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), 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 such proclamation and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State. (A true copy.)

to the vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, the same being the twenty-fourth day of said month; at said election, the votes shall be placed on an official ballot which shall have printed, or written, thereon the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment, shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas," and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil, or pen through said words. All ballots cast, as above provided, shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws, as amended and enforced at the time said election is held, shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such elections, and in all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Section 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Section 5. The sum of Five thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), 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 such proclamation, publication and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State. (A true copy.)

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution. Giving the Legislature Power to Give or Lend, or Authorize the Giving or Lending, of the Credit of the State for the Purpose of Assisting Citizens, Heads of Families, to Acquire or Improve Their Homes.

(House Joint Resolution No. 19) To amend Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend, or authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes; authorizing the State to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon terms and conditions prescribed by the Legislature; authorizing the Legislature to create such agencies as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section; providing that obligations created under this section shall never be taxed; and providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing any deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and that such obligations shall be secured in addition to the usual liens by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; and providing that the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into under this provision or any statute enacted thereunder; and providing for the classification of lands acquired under this

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Act, and limiting acreage sold to any one person where lands are classed as agricultural. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 50, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will read and hereafter be as follows:

Section 50. The Legislature shall have no power to give or lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or other, or to pledge the credit of the State in any manner whatsoever, for the payment of the liabilities, present or prospective, of any individual, association of individuals, municipals or other corporation, whatever, except that the Legislature shall have the power to give or lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting native born or naturalized citizens who are heads of families and who will become in good faith actual occupants, to acquire or improve their homes; and for this purpose the State is authorized to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon such terms and conditions and in such manner and subject to such limitations as the Legislature may from time to time prescribe. Provided that no land shall be acquired by the State under the terms of this amendment to the Constitution until the said lands are examined, and the value of said lands is appraised and ascertained as to its actual value for agricultural purposes, by a commission hereby authorized, composed of the Governor, Attorney General, Land Commissioner, Comptroller of Public Accounts and the State Treasurer; and their report shall be available to prospective land purchasers. The Legislature shall have authority to create by law such agencies as may be deemed necessary to effect the purposes of the Act. Obligations created under this section shall never be taxed, and the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and in addition to the usual liens may secure the same by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; provided, however, the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into with the State under this provision or any statute enacted hereunder. The terms of this Act shall not apply, or be extended to any person who is not a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas and who has not been such citizen at least two years prior to the extension of such aid, nor shall the terms of this Act ever be applied to any lands outside of the State of Texas. Provided further that all land acquired by the State under the provisions of this section for which the State may lend its credit shall be classified as agricultural lands or otherwise, and if classified as agricultural lands, then no more than 200 acres shall be sold to any one person under the provisions herein.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1919, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes."

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Section 4. That the sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof, as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State. (Attest: A true copy.)

Notice. The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or Constable of Randall County, Texas, Greeting:— You are hereby commanded to publish for ten days exclusive of the day of first publication and return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in Randall County, Texas, a true and correct copy of the following notice, to-wit:

The State of Texas: To all persons interested in the person of William Sterrett Thomas, a minor: You are hereby notified that G. N. Caler and wife, Sallie J. Caler, on the 15th day of February, 1919, filed in the County Court of Randall County, Texas, an application for the appointment of themselves as guardians of the person of Wm. Sterrett Thomas—a minor, which application will be heard at the next term of said County Court of Randall County, Texas, commencing on the first Monday in April, same being the 7th day of April A. D. 1919, at the court house thereof in Canyon, Texas at which time you and all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said applications, should you desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 15th day of February A. D. 1919.

O. W. GANO, Clerk of the County Court, Randall County, Texas.

A true copy I certify, WORTH A. JENNINGS, Sheriff Randall County, Texas.

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Subject—"Church Building Loan Fund".
Lesson Topic—"Our Father's House".

Bible lesson by Mrs. Alice Davis. Our hearts were touched by her instructive impressions of prayer, faithfulness and true worship, always in our place in the Temple of God. Prayer of thanksgiving for the open Bible and Churches—Mrs. Fronbarger.

Voluntary talks by each member on "What the Church has meant to Me."

Paragraph discussions by Mesdames Duflet, Ballard, McClure, Hughes and Fronbarger. Prayer

for "Churches thus built" and for "8000 S. B. C. Churches needing help in Building" by Mrs. Melloo of Mayfield, Ky. She also gave echoes of women's organizations in her state.

So much enjoyed the inspiring uplift from such a talented spirited life. Miss Ola Ballard and Marie Fronbarger served delicious home made candy.

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RAINBOW DIVISION WAS PREPARED TO STRIKE AGAIN WHEN THE FIGHTING CEASED

"The Ninetieth Division may have fired the last shot in the war, but the Rainbow Division was on the ground with another ready, if the clock had not struck eleven," said Lieut. H. D. McCrummen of Austin, who was a visitor in San Antonio yesterday. Lieut. McCrummen was with Battery D, 149th Field Artillery with the Rainbow Division and was in the latter next to Lieut. Louis Jordan who was one of the first Americans killed in the war and the first alumnus of the University of Texas to give his life for liberty.

On February 1, 1918, the Rainbow Division took up its position in Lorraine on the Luneville sector. Much to the surprise of the members of the Rainbow Division, they expected to find barbed wire entanglements and shrapnel, they found the front very quiet, and cows were grazing about the communication trenches. "It seems that an agreement had been made," said Lieut. McCrummen, "between the Germans and French not to fire at each other and both sides, being war-weary, they had settled down to await the close of the war. But the Americans turned the dope over." The Americans began a little practice artillery firing and bumped off a few Heinies. Restless and impatient for a fight, the Americans were continually dropping a stray shell uncomfortably close to Heinie's quarters.

The Rainbow Division moved to the Champaign sector July 12, 1918, when an attack from the Germans seemed imminent, and were attached to the Fourth French Army. On the night of the fourteenth an American Infantry patrol captured prisoners who revealed the exact hour the attack was to begin. Within the next two days the Germans made eleven attacks. Here's where the Alabama 167th Infantry won its spurs. Throwing away their rifles, the 167th drew trench knives and for the next two days closed up the breaches with their heroic dead. The Germans were repulsed in every attack on the sector held by this regiment, and, when the battle was over, half the regiment was wiped out. "An Alabama man is ace high!" said McCrummen warmly. The checking of these assaults and the wonderful sacrifice by the 167th made possible the victory at Chateau-Thierry, which was the beginning of the end.

Two days later the Rainbow Division was transferred to Chateau-Thierry. The Division captured 24 kilometers of territory and ten small villages.

At the close of this engagement the Division was sent to the St. Mihiel salient. When asked about this battle, Lieut. McCrummen replied, "The artillery fire was so effective that the Infantry had little to do. The Germans were all driven into the dugouts, and all the infantry had to do was to throw in a grenade, and they swarmed out singing 'Kamerad' as they usually did. It was like smoking a rabbit out of a hole," chuckled Lieut. McCrummen. The 165th Infantry got more prisoners than they had men in the regiment here. Lieut. McCrummen was liaison officer in this engagement, going up as the infantry advanced to telephone the proper artillery range for the barrage so as to prevent shells falling short and killing their own men.

The first French refugees were found after this battle. Lieut. McCrummen says that although the Americans were victorious over the Germans, the French women and girls soon took the whole outfit captive. "Aside from the fact that these refugees had been almost starved to death, they said they had not received much ill-treatment from the Germans."

From St. Mihiel to the Argonne Forest was the next move of the Rainbow Division. "Before I tell you about this, the last big battle of the war, I want to say a word for the Y. W. C. A. The Y. W. C. A. men were with the Division at every engagement I went into, and they went right up to the front line just like the rest of us. I have bought canteen supplies in the front line trenches, where I was doing observation work. The 'Y' men were our best friends always." During the Battle of the Argonne, Lieut. McCrummen's regiment was almost completely wiped out. Of the two battalions of the regiment only one battery of each was left, when the battery of each had been put into one. Lieut. McCrummen was struck in the ankle with a piece of high explosive shell November 8th, just three days before the armistice was signed, and was carried out of the battle. He has been in the United States since January 3rd and was discharged at Camp MacArthur this last week.

Our enrollment for the year has reached 555. This is the largest enrollment for any year, the next largest being 535.

A Square Deal for the Farmer

Because prices of foodstuffs are high and farmers appear prosperous, people out of touch with the present market situation and the causes behind it are using the word "profiteer" without reason or justification.

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NORMAL NOTES

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The Freshman class which met Thursday elected the following officers: Alma Guenther, Pres.; Kathleen Jennings, Vice Pres.; Mildred Livingston, Sec'y.; Walter Phillips, Treas.; Obed Baker, Sgt.-at-Arms.

The Cousins have a very interesting meeting in view for next Saturday, the program being the following: Five minute speeches—

History of private ownership of railroads—Emri Stidham.
Condition of railroads from 1900 to 1916—Joe Weaver.

History of Government control of railroads in Germany—Ira Younger.

Debate—Resolved, "That Government control of railroads should be permanent." Aff.—Burns, Day. Neg.—Keffler, Goodwine.

Our question for Inter-Normal debate this year is Government Ownership of Railroads. San Marcos will debate us here. Our debators will be chosen last of next week.

In the school election for the selection of celebrities for the "LeMirage" the following were elected:

Prettiest Girl—Audie Penrod.
Best All-Round Girl—Mary Bradford.

Handsome Man—Boon Moreland.
Typical Pedagogue—C. L. Condrey.
Corridor Specialist—Ira Younger.
School Comedian—Henry Horreson.
Lord Chesterfield—Chas. Keffler.
Dame Fashion—Clara McLoughlin.
Teachers' Pet—George Ritchie.

Miss Clara McLoughlin is enjoying a visit from her father and mother and Mrs. Ed McLoughlin, all of Ralls, Texas.

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Training School Notes.

The 8th grade cooking girls entertained the Training School faculty, Mr. Hill and Miss Rambo last Thursday at 12 o'clock with a Buffet luncheon. Miss Tip Bradford acted as hostess. The menu was served in three courses, all of which was prepared by the 8th grade girls.

The Training School boys' basketball team played Tulla High Monday night. Tulla gave them a hard fight. The game ended with score was 8 to 7 in favor of Tulla.

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The boys begin playing baseball this quarter and are planning a number of matched games with Hereford.

Will Practice Now.

The last issue of the Vega Sentinel contained the announcement that C. N. Bissell, who has been preaching gardening for the past two years, had finally become so thoroughly indoctrinated with the "light-farming" bug that he has sold the Sentinel and will devote his time, henceforth, to the bucolic life.

Doubtless Bissell will make some discoveries. He will find that there are other insects besides "type lice" and that they are equally disconcerting and more persistent. He will find that the sixteen point cabbage (on the seed package) will very likely produce small pica heads in his garden—and that with the most assiduous care in distributing and setting. His double column display of tomatoes may look attractive in the form but refuse to justify their existence by producing the fruit. Then there's the onions. Like as not they will be off their feet from the start and never can be made to print up. We raised a war garden, last summer, and any time that the aforesaid Bissell gets stuck, we will honor a draft on the monumental fund of wisdom (the garden variety) which we thereby acquired.

But the dairy business, that is something else again. We haven't as yet, tried that seductive occupation, though we've had the hankering for 10! these many years. However, if Friend Bissell proves as good a farmer as he is a printer, he'll be living like a king 'long about next August and we hereby accept an invitation to sample the fruits of his labor about that time.

The Sentinel will henceforth, be directed by Garrete Owen, who has served his apprenticeship in the Sentinel office and has lived in Vega for the past eleven years.

To him, we extend our best wishes and a welcome to the Plains fraternity.—Southwest Plainsman.

How Training Helps

A survey of the results secured by the graduates of the farm industry or three year course at the North Dakota agricultural college brings out the fact that they have reproduced 80 per cent more wheat per acre than the average of the state, 90 per cent more oats, 53 percent more barley and three times as much corn per farm. The average amount of alfalfa on the farms of these graduates was 12 1-2 acres, which is much above the average for the state.

These graduates also had one-half more stock than the average for the state. Accounts are kept by 87 per cent of them. The land farmed per

horse is the same for the graduates as for the state, namely 34 acres, indicating that by good management increased production can be secured without any additional horse labor.

It is also interesting to know that 89 per cent of the graduates of this course are farming.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale

FOR SALE—One John Deere plow with sod attachments, one two row planter, 8 miles west. W. E. Johnson, Canyon, Texas. 46-3tp

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc-Jersey boars and gilts, September litter, also 2 bred gilts and 1 bred sow. Pikes right. John Knight. 48tf

FOR SALE—One Overland car, one second-hand Ford, four display glass cases. J. M. Vetsak. 1t

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FOR SALE—One span large work horses. Can give time, cheap. Mrs. T. E. Meyers, Canyon, Texas. 47-4tp

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FOR SALE—One full blooded milk strain roan short horn bull calf, 10 months old. N. W. Uselding, Happy, Texas. 47-2tc

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Miscellaneous

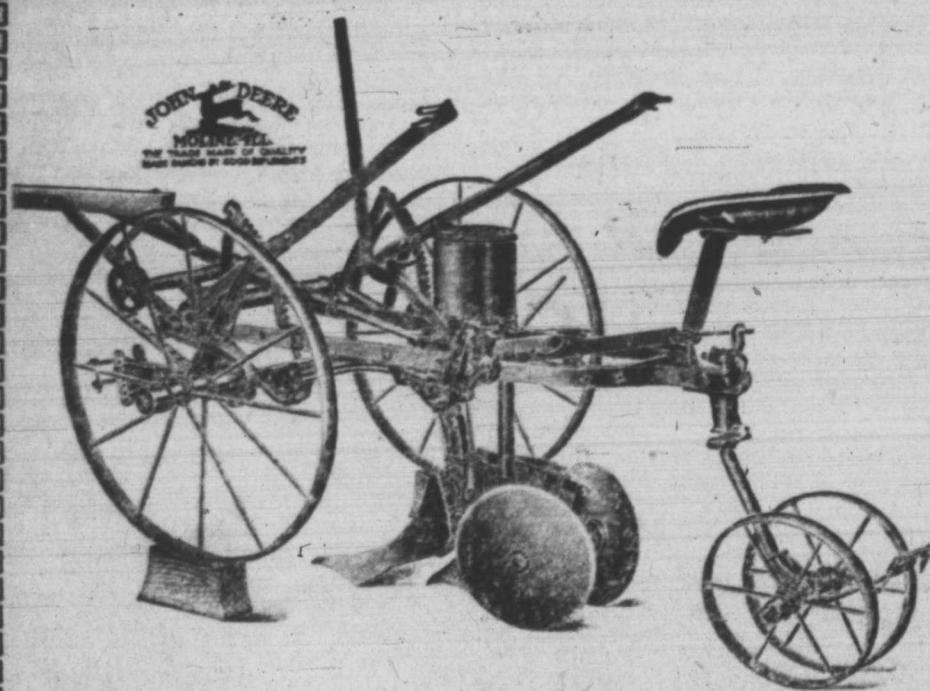
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WILL TAKE horses for pasture, by head or will lease 400 acres for balance of year, living water and shade.—W. E. Bates. 47-1f

LOST—Green plaid coat, and three pair of gloves, between town and Amarillo, on west road. Finder return to News office. 47-1f

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