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BUFFALOES OPEN WITH HOWARD PAYNE CAGERS

GAMES PLAYED FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS AT GYM.

Simmons College Team Will be Here Monday and Tuesday Nights for Games With Locals.

The basketball season for the Buffalo teams opens Friday night at the Normal gymnasium, and four hard games are in prospect for Coach Burton's pupils. Howard Payne will be the first on the docket this season, and the boys from Abilene do not intend to allow the ease to go by default. Captain Hale and his sturdy quartet of helpers are keen on winning those first two games of the season, and it will be a battle worth seeing.

Simmons College sends her quintet of cagers to meet the Buffaloes Monday and Tuesday night, and two more hard games are in prospect for the Buffaloes.

Simmons and the Buffaloes have always played very close games. Two years ago the teams divided honors in the series. Last year Simmons barely nosed out a victory over the Buffaloes. This year the Buffalo players are out for revenge.

The Buffaloes settled down to earnest training after the re-opening of school last week. A number of the men kept training during the holidays and Coach Burton states that all of his men are in fairly good condition but they lack smooth team work which it is hoped will be developed before the season opens.

The squad has been cut and now includes only those who are eligible for the first team. Five letter men are among the cagers and four of these men are playing their third year with the Buffaloes. They are: Captain Mitchell, center; Lancaster, guard and Henry guard, who is playing his second year with the team. Of course none of these men have their places cinched as there are more than 25 likely chaps who are working out each day and Coach Burton states that a number of these men are showing great form in practice.

Burton has his schedule almost complete and lacks only a few more games which he hopes to schedule in the next few days. Since Texas Christian University cancelled their games with the Normal Buffaloes the coach is making an effort to fill these dates with some team down in the state. If this is impossible he will likely play two games with some team in Oklahoma while he is on the long road trip.

The schedule follows:

- Jan. 12-13—Howard Payne at Canyon.
- Jan. 15-16—Simmons College Cowboys at Canyon.
- Jan. 24-25—North Texas Normal College at Denton.
- Jan. 26-27—East Texas Normal at Commerce.
- Jan. 29-30—Southwestern University at Georgetown.
- Jan. 31-Feb. 1—Sam Houston Normal at Huntsville.
- Feb. 2-3—Southwest Normal at San Marcos.
- Feb. 23-24—New Mexico Military Institute Cadets at Canyon.

Civic Improvement League Want All of Loose Papers Burned

Mrs. C. R. Burrow, president of the Civic Improvement League, calls attention to the fact that Canyon is looking rather shabby in places, owing to so much waste paper blowing around, and lodging in corners and under shrubbery.

Waste paper scattered over town gives a very bad appearance, and creates a fire hazard. The Civic Improvement League would like to have all of our citizens carefully gather up old waste papers and rubbish scattered over Canyon and burn this trash rather than let the wind scatter it.

BREAKS GOLF RECORD

T. V. Reeves lowered all golf scores on the Canyon course with a score of 34. A few weeks ago he made a score of 35. T. V. was the first player to make the course in par, 36, this record being made a year ago.

He played 18 holes yesterday in 39 and 34, total 73, which was his best on 18 holes.

CITY COUNCIL CALLS ELECTION FOR FEBRUARY 10th TO CLOSE EVELYN STREET FOR NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

A petition was presented to the city council this morning asking for election to be called by this body in order to close Evelyn street for the block north of the present school building in order that the new high school building may be located in the middle of the street.

The city council ordered the election held on February 10th.

The petition was signed by thirty-five voters, after having been circulated for only thirty minutes. Several voters asked to sign the petition after it was placed in the hands of the city authorities.

The board of trustees for the Canyon Independent School District selected the middle of Evelyn street as the location for the new high school building several weeks ago, but discovered after a petition of protest had been filed with the board, bearing the names of ten property owners, that the board of trustees did not have the authority to condemn the street. It was discovered that under the present city charter no body in Canyon had the power to close the street, but such power could be delegated to the city council upon a vote of the people of the district.

The voters will be asked give the city council the power to close this street for this one block, but does not delegate the council power to close other streets without a similar election.

The bids will be opened for the new high school building on Jan. 22nd, and as little delay as possible is desired so that work will not be unnecessarily after the contract is let.

FIREMEN TO MEET.

The annual meeting of the Canyon Volunteer Fire Department will be held Friday night at the court house, 7:30 o'clock for the election of officers for the coming year.

Amarillo Rape Case Filed Yesterday in Justice Peace Court

Miss Beatrice Manning of Amarillo filed a charge yesterday afternoon in Justice Moreland's court, charging Joe Chandler and Elwood Clark of Amarillo with rape upon her person on Jan. 2, within the boundaries of Randall County.

Warrants were issued for the arrest of the men, and an examining trial will likely be held within a few days.

Lee Alred Caught Very Large Mexican Bald Eagle

Lee Alred brought to the city Saturday a very large Mexican eagle which he caught Friday night near the canyons northeast of Happy. He was hunting coons with his brother when the roosting place of the eagle was discovered. Lee says that eagles select a roosting place and return to it every night just as chickens do.

The eagle was shot with a .32 rifle and captured. It weighed 15 pounds and was an exceptionally good specimen. Another eagle was shot, but in the darkness got away.

Lee is going to have the bird mounted.

DELEGATE TO CONVENTION

At the meeting of the Farm Bureau Saturday, W. H. Hicks was elected delegate to the state convention in Dallas next month. Geo. Frank was elected alternate.

STORK SPECIAL

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hud Prichard Jan. 3rd. Mrs. Prichard has been in the hospital at Lubbock for several weeks.

PHONE THE NEWS.

The Randall County News is very anxious to get all of the news of Randall county. Much valuable news is liable to escape if you do not assist us a little. We will appreciate it very much if you will phone us all of the news during 1923. This would mean a better newspaper and a more valuable newspaper for Canyon and Randall County.

One Hundred Seven New Students Enroll in Normal College

The attendance at the Normal is now the highest in the history of the school during the regular session.

Secretary Shaw stated yesterday that 107 new students had been enrolled since the opening of the winter quarter last Tuesday and seven who withdrew during the fall quarter have reentered school.

Mary Hudspeth Hall Will Be Located on Lots East of Campus

The directors of Mary E. Hudspeth Hall have bought the three corner lots east of the Rev. Fronbarger home, southeast of the Normal campus. The new hall will be located upon these lots. Arrangements are being made to start work upon the new building in the spring.

A minstrel for the benefit of this fund will be held soon under the direction of R. N. Brothers of the Normal faculty, who has had considerable experience in minstrel work. The "show troupe" will get together this week for assignment of parts, etc., and announcement will be made soon as to the big show.

Forty Farmers Hear Haynes and Miller Discuss Hog Pasture

A large and interesting meeting of swine breeders and farmers was held yesterday afternoon at the court house. A. B. Haynes discussed the subject of sweet clover and Henry F. Miller the question of Sudan for hog pasture.

Mr. Haynes presented his experience of the past six years with sweet clover and interested the farmers so much that more than 500 pounds of sweet clover seed will be bought for hog pastures. Mr. Haynes says that his stock will leave alfalfa pasture and go to the sweet clover pasture. However, stock must become accustomed to the sweet clover before they eat it well.

Next Wednesday at two o'clock H. C. Roffey will discuss the development of the brood sow, and W. L. Deeke will discuss developing the show litter.

The meetings are held with a view of discussing the dairy cow, the hog and poultry for the farm. All farmers and others interested are urged to attend these meetings every Wednesday afternoon.

FARMERS WANT HITCHING POSTS

At the meeting of the Farm Bureau Saturday, a committee was appointed to go before the commissioners' court asking that hitching racks be established somewhere in the city.

On account of the paving, the hitching racks around the square were removed, and it is now desired that they be put up somewhere near the square so as to be convenient for the farmers driving to town.

Poll Tax Payments Number 285; Only Three Weeks Left

With only three weeks left for tax paying, tax collections are reported by Sheriff and Tax Collector W. C. Black to be slow. On the second week of last year the payments had reached 318, while the total payments to date only number 285.

The following is the payments by precincts:

No. 1	187
No. 2	6
No. 3	27
No. 4	6
No. 5	9
No. 6	10
No. 7	13
No. 8	27
Total	285

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Leading Stockmen Invited Here For Judging Contest

The vocational stock judging contest will be held in Canyon on Feb. 16. There are fifteen schools in this section with vocational agriculture, and practically every one will send a stock judging class to participate in this contest, as it will be necessary to enter the district contest before going to Fort Worth a month later. About fifty boys will be here from the Panhandle towns.

Frank R. Phillips, head of the agriculture department of the Normal, has issued an invitation to all stock breeders to come to Canyon at this time and see the boys at work in the judging contest. John Burns, secretary of the Texas Hereford Breeders' Association will be here on that date, as well as several other authorities of the state, and A. & M. College representatives.

SUPPLY ELECTION HELD.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Canyon Supply Company Monday night, the following directors were elected for the coming year: Dr. J. M. Black, C. T. Word, R. W. O'Keefe, O. N. Gamble and H. C. Gamble.

The directors elected the following officers:

President—Dr. J. M. Black.
Vice President—C. T. Word.
Sec'y-Treas.—Mrs. W. T. Moreland.
Manager—O. N. Gamble.

Graves New Cashier First National; Powell Now Vice President

R. I. Graves of Whitesboro has been elected cashier of the First National Bank of Canyon, succeeding E. H. Powell, cashier for the past six years, who now becomes active vice president.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders Tuesday night, the directors of the past year were re-elected and Mr. Graves was added to the directorate.

C. D. Lester was re-elected president.

Mr. Graves comes from Whitesboro where he has lived for many years. He was cashier of the First National Bank at Celeste until recently. He comes highly recommended as a banker by the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas.

Red Tags Hung on Automobiles Which Lack 1923 Plates

Sheriff and Tax Collector W. C. Black has collected 540 automobile taxes up to yesterday afternoon. There are therefore about sixty delinquents in the county, according to the figures of last year.

The sheriff's department has red notices printed, calling the delinquents to come to the sheriff's office and explain the why of running autos without the new 1923 number plates.

No fines have been assessed against those who have not complied with the law, but no further warnings will be given on this account.

DEMAND REGISTERED STOCK

W. E. Bennett, new county commissioner, was here Monday attending Commissioners' Court. Mr. Bennett is one of the largest breeders of registered Herefords in the Panhandle. He states that the breeder of registered stock was hit on the same proportion as the breeders of common stock. He was glad to state that there was getting to be some interest for registered animals, and believes it is steadily on the increase.

IF KNOCKS CAME TRUE?

- 4004 B. C. "Bah! The apple won't hurt Eve."
- 2500 B. C. "Look at Noah's big boat. It will never rain enough to float it."
- 33 A. D. "Crucify him."
- 1492 A. D. "Naw! Columbus, the world ain't round."
- 1835 A. D. "I maintain a steel mould board will poison the ground."
- 1855 A. D. "A threshing machine better than a flail? Preposterous!"
- 1900 A. D. "A man fly like a bird? Crazy."
- 1914 A. D. "Federal Reserve Bank—a wild dream of the politician."
- 1923 A. D. "All these city improvements will just naturally ruin Canyon."

GETTING READY FOR POULTRY SHOW WHICH WILL BE HELD IN CANYON ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JANUARY 26-27

C. F. Walker states that interest is increasing in the Poultry Show which was authorized and endorsed at the meeting of the Randall County Commercial League last Wednesday night.

Dr. W. H. Duke of Amarillo will be judge of the show. He is one of the most competent judges in this section, and will give the breeders much valuable information regarding their poultry.

Coops for the show will be brought here from Amarillo. Owing to the expense of hauling the coops, only sufficient number will be brought to take care of the birds exhibited. Therefore, Mr. Walker wants all who intend to exhibit in the show to let him know at once.

Competition is open to all in this show, but Randall county breeders are especially urged to bring their birds to the show in order that neighbors may compare. Each breeder will be more than repaid for the trouble of the show in the new points he learns upon poultry and poultry raising. Merchandise prizes will be awarded for winnings in the show.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued this week by Mrs. Ethel Woods, county clerk:

- Jas. R. Bull and Miss Mina Chance, Jan. 4th.
- Austin Gilbert and Miss Alfa Dyre, Jan. 4th.
- Jack Engman and Miss Grace Barnes, Jan. 6th.
- Herbert D. Patton and Miss Helen L. Sullivan, Jan. 9th.

CLUB WILL MEET

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Canyon City Club will be held next Monday afternoon, Jan. 15th, at the District Court room at 2:00 o'clock for the election of officers.

Large Attendance at Lecture of Captain Ebbert Here Monday

Capt. F. B. Ebbert of the Anti-Saloon League, spoke to a large audience at the Baptist Church Monday night upon the question of law enforcement, with regard to the liquor laws.

Capt. Ebbert has made a close study of the prohibition laws of all states and has been engaged in this work for several years. He contends that every state has sufficient laws to kill the illicit liquor traffic as being engaged in by so many people. He advocates prosecuting the bootlegger first under the state law, second under the federal law and third under the federal revenue law. By the time the criminal has gone through the three cases, he will have had sufficient experience that he will never again engage in this business, and it will be a lesson to other bootleggers. The speaker stated that it was customary to prosecute under but one of these laws, and in case of guilt the criminal was given only a small fine.

Capt. Ebbert laid heavy responsibility of law enforcement in America upon the shoulders of the citizenry, and deplored the attitude of indifference toward law enforcement. He believed that most peace officers were willing to enforce the laws of the land if they knew the citizenship would assist them in the prosecution.

A flag was given to the grade of the public school which procured the largest vote by ballot from the audience, and the fourth grade was the winner. Miss Bettye Jane McDonald is teacher of the winning grade.

Jackson Day Dinner Discusses Various Problems of the Day

The first Jackson Day Dinner in the Panhandle was given Monday night at the Amarillo Hotel, and an organization perfected to make this an annual event. Democratic doctrines were praised by the various speakers, and the belief freely expressed that Democracy was soon to mount again into power in this country.

R. E. Underwood of Amarillo was toastmaster. Judge J. D. Hamlin of Farwell, Hon. W. A. Palmer of Canadian and Dr. W. A. Hamlett of Amarillo were the speakers of the evening. After the set program a number of the banqueters were called upon. Judge R. L. Lester represented the Canyon delegation.

Those attending from Canyon were Judge and Mrs. R. L. Lester, W. J. Flesher and C. W. Warwick.

Delegation Friday Heard A. & M. College Proposition

A delegation from Canyon went to Lubbock Friday to attend the meeting held for the purpose of discussing the West Texas A. & M. College proposition. Those going from Canyon were S. B. McClure, Rev. H. F. Aulick, J. S. Humphreys, B. T. Johnson and Dr. C. E. Domell.

The Canyon delegation was highly pleased over the trip to Lubbock, the reception given the delegations from many towns which attended the meeting, and for the prospects for the A. & M. College. No discussion was allowed of a probable location for the new college. All fire was centered upon the question of getting the bill through the legislature and then selecting the location.

While in Lubbock this delegation investigated the possibilities of church building, and were favorably impressed by the Lubbock plan of building the basement for churches and then waiting until the congregations were financially able to complete the church. The delegation will report to the Baptist congregation in Canyon their impressions and information gained regarding the basement plan.

FIRE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

One of the section houses near the water plant burned Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. A Mexican section hand and his son were living in the house. The boy stated there had been no fire in the house since morning when his father left for work on the railroad.

When the fire boys attempted to start the fire truck, it was discovered that someone had stolen all of the gasoline out of the tank. The gasoline tank on the truck had been filled only a few days previously. Fortunately the services of the department were not needed in the fire, as the truck was late in arriving upon the scene.

Registered Bulls Sold to California; One Goes to South Texas

T. A. Dowlen has sold one of his yearling registered bulls to F. C. Harding Jr. of Willow City, near San Antonio. The bull will be shipped at once.

Twenty six head of young registered Hereford bulls have been bought and shipped to California from four different Randall county breeders as follows: W. E. Bennett, four; E. E. Adams, eleven; Parker D. Hanna, ten; G. R. Stratton, one.

BOOK CLUB ELECTION

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Book Club yesterday, officers were elected for the coming year as follows:

- President—Mrs. J. A. Hill.
- Vice President—Mrs. C. R. Burrow.
- Secretary—Miss Agnes Meyers.
- Treasurer—Mrs. M. S. Blish.
- Librarian—Mrs. L. Angel.

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At the Jackson Day Dinner in Amarillo Monday evening, the question of dividing the state of Texas brought forth greater demonstration than did the praise of Democracy or Andrew Jackson. Jackson is a departed character; Democracy is a fact in Texas; the division of Texas is a live issue. In the crowd of more than a hundred representative citizens from almost every town in the Panhandle, only a few expressed opposition to the creation of a new state in West Texas. Those opposing did so from the standpoint of sentiment. Their arguments did not stand up when the fact was pointed out that sentiment had little to do with the division of tax money in Austin when East Texas was able to grab, and would continue to grab, the big part of the taxes paid in by West Texas. Sentiment is a good thing when there are no cold facts staring us in the face. West Texas will never get a square deal so long as we are tied to the older part of the state. The quicker West Texas becomes a state unto itself, the quicker will this great empire be developed to its highest point of efficiency, and to the place it should have been developed long ago. West Texans will not stand for one minute with being cheated by their merchant or banker, but humbly submit to the fraud perpetrated politically and financially during the past score of years, and some of our people talk as if they actually liked this kind of treatment and fraud. Everything is perfectly grand when our politicians at Austin cheat and fraud us of our natural rights, because it is unpatriotic to think of separating ourselves from the older part of the state politically. The undertakers of West Texas would have a merry business if neighbor treated neighbor as we are delighted to be treated by our politicians.

The law enforcement speaker Monday night believed that there were plenty of laws to kill out the bootleg business if they were properly enforced. He laid the responsibility where it belonged—upon the shoulders of the citizenship of the community. The people make the laws through the election of their representatives; the people enforce the laws, through the election of the executive and judicial officers; those delegated with law enforcement can hardly be every place at the same time, and see everything. Chances are that not 1 percent of our people would report a bootlegger case if he knew of one, and had the necessary evidence. Therefore, by our silence upon law enforcement, we encourage law violations. The bootlegger knows that the people will not report him, hence he travels an easy pace in all our cities, selling his wares to whom he pleases. Law violations can never be checked until the citizenry gets a backbone, or the old one strengthened. It's up to us; what are we going to do about it?

Henry Ford bought a railroad which was almost defunct, and for the first six months under his operation, the road made a lot of money. The last six months, however, has proven a body blow to the railroad, with a loss of \$168,807 showing up. Ford is the greatest automobile manufacturer in the world. That is no reason why he should be the greatest railroad operator in the world, although we are willing to admit that he would more likely be more of a success in the railroad game or any other big game than we would be, or any other citizen of Canyon for that matter. Some people have become foolish about Ford's ability and want him for President. Ford is likely to be as great a failure in politics as he has proven to be a railroad operator. Every man to his own job. It may be a big or a little messy job. But any man can come nearer putting over the job he is thoroughly acquainted with than by jumping into strange territory.

At the meeting of the Commercial League last week President Hill pointed out a number of things Canyon had accomplished within the past year, the advantages of living in Canyon, and the opportunities of Canyon. He stated the great big truth that should soak into the heads of all of us: THE PEOPLE OF CANYON DO NOT APPRECIATE THE ADVANTAGES OF CANYON. We believe this to be true of 99.99 percent of the people of Canyon if not 100 percent. We look longingly at the green pastures just over the fence and forget that we are in knee-high clover, as it were. We think what wonderful opportunities there are in other towns not a thousand miles away, and overlook the fact that every opportunity in these other towns exist right here in Canyon, with an additional score or more opportunities that other towns do not possess. Think more about the opportunities and advantages of Canyon; study more the possibilities of Canyon; compare our town with others; we will all profit by the comparison and will strive to make Canyon a little better place in which to live.

President Harding has more backbone than we imagined. He has vetoed a pension bill, which would mean another big haul on the public treasury. Pensions in this country are on the increase. More people are getting more money every year, in spite of the fact that only a few of the old Civil War veterans are still living. Spanish War veterans are getting a big haul. If the bonus bill is not passed, very likely the World War veterans will eventually get on the pension list. America venerates the men who fought for their country in time of danger, but that is no reason for feeding these men throughout their lives. The pension bill has become the great national treasury grab. It was dangerous in proportions years ago, and fast becoming larger and larger. No congressman or senator has had the nerve to stand up and make a last ditch fight against it. President Harding is to be highly complimented for vetoing this bill which would add many millions more to our national expense account.

The easiest way not to improve conditions in Canyon is to cuss everybody in authority and not attempt to make any improvements yourself. The hardest way to improve Canyon is to take off your coat and work like the mischief to improve things that are possible to be improved by any good citizen. Most towns the size of Canyon needs less cussers and more workers; more doers and less idlers; more boosters and less knockers. Don't cuss out everything in Canyon until you have worked long and hard that any defect you may see might be improved. After you have worked hard to overcome the evil, you will no doubt see that there are other people doing their dead level best along the same lines, and the thing will sooner or later be accomplished.

Citizens of Canyon have complained of miscellaneous shooting of target rifles. Several persons have narrowly escaped being shot with stray bullets during the past few weeks. It seems that Santa left a number of rifles in Canyon, and certainly no present so greatly delights the heart of the boy than a dandy good target rifle. However, rifles in the hands of careless youth are mighty dangerous around town. A little more care is needed. Some one is liable to be badly injured by a stray shot.

Every question that will come before the Texas legislature will be fought out on the Klan and anti-Klan basis. The question of the constitutional convention is being covered up by this moody question. This being the case, we trust no constitutional convention is called. Any document prepared under such conditions would never be acceptable to the people of Texas.

THAT SACRED HOMESTEAD CLAUSE

Some of the advocates of a constitutional convention are proposing that a proviso be placed in the resolution calling the convention by which the homestead provisions of the present constitution would be retained without changing a word. It is argued that this is necessary to insure the adoption of the new constitution by the people.

That may be true, though we should like to see a campaign in which the homestead provisions of the constitution were discussed fully and intelligently before the people. We would not be certain in that event that the people would be so overwhelmingly in favor of retaining them. The truth is that the homestead provisions constitute one of the most archaic features of the present constitution. It is difficult to understand how the people in Texas can set so high a value upon something which is little else than a handicap upon the small land owner, especially the small farmer, and which does nobody else any good, when it is only necessary to observe conditions in other states that have nothing resembling our homestead laws, and where there is a higher percentage of farm ownership and home ownership and less tenantry. The proof of the pudding is in the eating of it. Texas started out owning every inch of her public domain. She was the only state in the Union that this was true of. And yet very few states have a higher percentage of tenantry than Texas has today. This came about under the "sacred homestead" provisions of our constitution.

However, the framers of proposed new constitutions insist that this must not be changed. They insist that what a man owns of his home must not be an asset, while what he owes on his home, though it be only a fraction of its cost, shall continue to be counted a liability. They insist that a man who puts a few hundred dollars into a tin lizzie shall have more actual credit standing than the man who puts three or four times that much into a home. And then they think they are protecting somebody.—Star-Telegram.

The Civic Improvement League wants you to help keep Canyon clean by burning all papers and trash around your place. Canyon is getting unsightly by so much trash accumulating in the corners and other places deposited by the wind. Have a bon fire of the trash.

France is marching on Germany with a view of protecting herself in the collecting of the war damages. Germany will likely soon discover who really started the war in 1914, and France is likely to discover who started the next war.

The United States troops are to be recalled from the Rhine. That is right. Either get in on European affairs, or get out.

Military men say that it takes five men behind the lines to get one soldier into battle. When you take into account the Quartermaster Corps, the Ordnance Corps, the Motor Transport Corps, the Medical Corps, the Sanitary Corps, the Signal Corps, the Corps of Engineers, the Coast Artillery and other special services such as those of chemical warfare and aviation, the present United States Army of one hundred and twenty-five thousand men is really small, for it means only about twenty-five thousand men available for infantry, cavalry and field artillery.

Laboratory experiments by the Bureau of Mines have resulted in the discovery of a simpler and cheaper method of extracting helium from natural gas. The government has already stored more than two million cubic feet of helium and is producing about fifteen thousand feet a day at Fort Worth, Texas, in the large helium plant there.

Two new aeroplane carriers for the United States Navy were originally planned as battle cruisers. They are much larger than any other navy vessels, for they are eight hundred and fifty feet long at the water line and have a beam of one hundred and five feet. The new craft, which are propelled by electricity, will have a speed of thirty-three knots, or thirty-eight land miles, an hour. How many seaplanes each will carry is a naval secret but the spacious upper deck will be left clear for the hop-off and for landings.

The effort to be economical in national government has brought about the Federal Real Estate Board, the business of which is to know of the existence and uses of all government buildings. The annual bills of the government for storage and rent run into millions. One department may have empty space, whereas another in the same city may be paying a large sum for rent. Putting scattered government offices in Chicago into government buildings saved two hundred thousand dollars a year.

An exhibit at the recent International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago showed two flocks of hens, one that had been culled until it contained only eight birds and one, unculled, that contained twelve birds. Each flock had produced approximately the same number of eggs during a year, but the larger flock had cost \$7.20 more to keep, without counting extra labor, extra housing room and extra capital invested. Any poultry keeper can easily learn the few simple rules for culling a flock.

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- One Man's Overcoat, size 44, regular price \$19.50; Clearance price \$14.75
- Four Men's Overcoats, sizes 36, 37, 38, 40, regular price \$10.00; Clearance price \$ 8.00
- Two Mens' Overcoats, sizes 38 and 40, regular price \$32.50; Clearance price \$22.50
- Four Men's Overcoats, sizes 38, 40, 37, regular price \$35.00; Clearance price \$25.00
- Three Boys' Overcoats, regular price \$12.50; Clearance price \$ 8.75

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- Wool Shirts for Men, big values, in two lots:
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SIX MORE DAYS OF SPECIAL BARGAINS

Our sale has started off with a Bang, and is going at full blast. Every one is taking this opportunity to buy needed merchandise at such low prices. This sale will go on all this week. We will have extra specials each day.

Thousands of yards of Embroidery, specially priced and bought for this sale. Lot No. 5, 5-yd. pieces, \$1.50 per piece.

Do not fail to visit our store during this sale, it means a great saving to you. Six more days of bargains.

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ONE CENT TO ONE DOLLAR STORE

"WATCH OUR WINDOWS"

610 POLK ST.

AMARILLO, TEXAS

Wayside Items

W. H. Hicks and Jesse Hicks were business callers in Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brandt were at L. Brandt's for dinner Sunday. Ben Weller spent Sunday at the L. E. Simms home. William Moore has received a Victory medal with four stars. L. E. Simms has received a very large bald eagle, whose wings measure seven feet from tip to tip. He was very glad to add this eagle to his collection. The eagle was killed on the Bell ranch, New Mexico. Mr. Frank, Catherine and Anna Frank are all on the sick list this week. It is believed that George Frank will be home in a few days. The Literary will be glad to have him attend. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hancock and Elizabeth spent Sunday afternoon with George Frank and family. Hugo Skarke spent Sunday afternoon at the George Frank home. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tweek and family spent Sunday afternoon at the George Frank home. James Hancock was a business caller in Amarillo Saturday. John Straub and family spent Sunday at the Clem-Friemel home. Emma and Mary Schuling spent Sunday at the W. M. Erdman home. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Erdman spent Sunday at the W. M. Erdman home. W. H. Hicks and family spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Hicks. Albert Fishbacher spent Sunday at the Nick Hollenstein home. Howard, Irene and Agnes Hicks spent Sunday afternoon with Louise, Lorena and Reuben Mayfield.

Umbarger Notes

A dance was held at the Erdman hall Saturday evening. It was well attended and enjoyed by those present. Mrs. R. Mingle spent Sunday at the B. Hess home. M. Hollenstein was a business caller in Canyon Saturday. L. Wick was a business caller in Canyon Wednesday. F. Weissmueller is very seriously sick this week. Mrs. Paul Artho has recovered from her long sickness. E. J. Friemel was a business caller in Canyon Saturday. O. J. Podzemney and family and Otto Przillas have returned from Schlenburg, where they have been visiting relatives. Joe Michalek spent Monday evening at the O. J. Podzemney home. Mrs. Rose Mingle was a business caller in Canyon Saturday. V. Skypola and family were business callers in Canyon Saturday. L. Wick has built a new garage and barn on his place.

GOOD MANNERS

Though a few people still insist that the typewriter is for business only and insulting when used socially, today's custom permits typewritten letters for nearly all occasions. However, commercial paper should not be used for social correspondence, a wide margin should be left at top, bottom and sides of the page, and the signature, either to a business or social letter, should be in pen and ink.

Fairview Breezes

A strong north wind blew over Fairview Monday but is nice and still at this writing. Sunday School Sunday and E. Y. P. U. that night with a good program and fair attendance. Rosetta Dunlap is attending school at Happy now. A large crowd gathered at J. W. Wesley's Sunday afternoon and enjoyed a nice singing. Uncle Henry and Aunt Lou Wesley spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Sutton. H. B. Wesley's little son, Woodrow, happened to a very painful accident Thursday morning while going to school. His horse fell, throwing him several feet. A bruised and skinned face were the results. H. R. Stone of Happy was in Fairview community buying produce Monday. E. J. Helms was a business caller in Happy Monday. G. E. and Alvin Wesley butchered some fine hogs Monday; some weighing over 400 pounds. Quite a number of Fairview people were in Happy Saturday. There will be a program at Fairview Sunday night, Jan. 14, and diplomas will be issued to those who made the required grade in Sunday School and Bible course. Bro. E. E. Dawson, pastor of the Tulla Baptist church will be the principal speaker of the evening. We are sure if you will come out and hear him you will not regret your time spent at Fairview.

Pleasantview Items

We are having delightful weather for the time of year. Farmers are idle as they have all turned their stock in the fields. Ed Gibson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Wall, who lives west of town. Our Literary Society meets next Saturday night. We are expecting a crowd from the Campbell and Wilson schools, so everybody come and help entertain them. Also Mr. Lovorn and Mr. Wimberly will be here to organize a singing class.

NEVER DID LIKE INDIANS

An Oklahoma editor tells of an old Indian that came into his office to pay for his paper. The editor took the money, then the Indian wanted a receipt. The editor tried to talk him out of it. Mr. Indian insisted on getting the receipt. After the editor had made it he wanted to know why he was so persistent about wanting a receipt. The Indian said: "Me die sometime. Go to big gate and St. Peter ask if I been good Indian, I say yes. He say did you pay your debts? I say yes. He say, did you pay editor for paper? I say yes. He say, where is receipt? I no have it. I have to run all over hell to find you and get receipt."

Eugene Debs says that sovietism was the only good thing that came out of the war, which is the most crushing indictment of the war we have yet heard.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

We now are so well protected from cheap foreign labor that it can't even buy high priced American goods.—Richmond News Leader.

NORMAL NOTES

The Normal Calves proved themselves basketeers Saturday night by again doubling the score on Canyon High. Before the Christmas vacation these two teams met, and Canyon High went down in defeat, the score being 41 to 18. The score Saturday night was 29 to 13 in favor of the Calves. Both teams were fast and showed that they had had good coaching. The line ups for the two teams are: Canyon—High—Forwards, Sanders, Brown, capt.; center, Foust, Gerald; guards, Anderson, Black. Calves—Forwards, McQuin, Reed, Lattis, capt.; center, Fuller; guards, Lowe, Haines, Moody. Through a recent letter to Mr. Shetty, it was learned that the committee selecting the question for Inter-Normal debates for 1923 choose the following: Resolved: That free cancellation of all war debts among the nations allied against Germany is for the best interests of the world. The try-out for representation on the debating teams will be held on Friday evening, January 19. Twenty-four young men will take part in the try-out. The Winter Quarter opened with the largest number of students ever enrolled in the West Texas State Normal College. On January 9th, 105 new students had enrolled, and five students who withdrew before Christmas had returned. Miss Tommie Hefner of Silverton spent last week end in Canyon with Miss Reba Brown, who is attending school here.

TOPICS IN BRIEF

As to Turkey—to keep her straight, keep her Strait.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot. Cain denied being his brother's keeper.—But then Abel had no oil districts. Associated Editors. Europe will do better by paying off her new debts than by paying off her old scores.—Washington Post. A pocketbook is a good gift, but it will not be needed until a few weeks after Christmas.—Knoxville News. "A man is what he eats," said an old philosopher. Does that make Clemenceau a hard-boiled egg?—Philadelphia Evening Ledger. Now scientists say youth can be prolonged by eating cabbage. As between sauerkraut and monkey glands, give us old age.—Beloit News. It is reported that the Russian Reds are on a new tack. We hope that at last this is something that will get under their skin.—Manila Bulletin. If the Ku Kluxers had any real business sense they'd rent out the backs of those white costumes they wear for advertising purposes.—New York Tribune. Maybe the United States will quit leading the enlightened nations in illiteracy when the enlightened nations stop sending their illiterates over here.—Toledo Blade. Since it appears that most of the European nations want to cancel their war debts to us, we can't help feeling grateful at their moderation in not borrowing more.—Nashville Southern Lumberman. A bad wound, burn or cut should be cleansed of dirt or impurities and dressed with Liquid Borozone. It heals the flesh with marvelous speed. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by City Pharmacy. 40t4

NEEDLESS PRECAUTION

"I am particularly liable to seasickness," said a young naval recruit to the officer in charge. "Could you tell me what to do in case of an attack?" "Taint necessary, my boy," replied the officer, "you'll do it."

General Chin is leading the exposition against the Chinese bandits, and that is the kind of a general we seem to get when we go after our profiteers.—American Lumberman (Chicago).

It must at least be said to Newberry's credit that when he resigned his seat in the Senate he wasn't uppity enough to demand his money back.—Beloit (Wis.) News.

The Russian muzhik is about played out.—Greenville Piedmont.

No more Rheumatism



"Suffering has gone from your face, mother!"

S. S. S. is the Great Builder of Red Blood-Cells and Rheumatism Must Go! Just Try It!

"Rheumatism? Me? No, indeed, it's all gone, every bit of it! It's sunshine and joy for me now for the first time in years. I feel a wonderful glow again in the free motion I used to have when my days were younger. I look at my hands and think of the twists and swellings they used to have. I bend my way over to the floor. I haven't been able to do that in many years. I can thank S. S. S. for it all! To me it was a vision of joy and liberty. Brothers and sisters in misery, do not close your eyes and think that health, free motion and strength are gone from you forever! It is not so. It is here and now for all of you. S. S. S. is waiting to help you. There is a reason why S. S. S. will help you. When you increase the number of your red-blood cells, the entire system undergoes a tremendous change. Everything depends on blood-strength. Blood which is minus sufficient red-cells leads to a long list of troubles. Rheumatism is one of them. S. S. S. is the great blood-cleanser, blood-builder, system strengthener, nerve invigorator. It stops skin eruptions, too, pimples, blackheads, acne, boils, eczema. It builds up run down, tired men and women, beautifies complexion, makes the flesh firmer. Start S. S. S. today. It is sold at all drug stores in two sizes. The larger size bottle is the more economical.

S.S.S. makes you feel like yourself again

THE BEST MEATS

We are stocking our Meat Market with the very best meats that can be had, and the prices are as low as you can find in this section of the state.

We are trying to run a market that shall be worthy of your patronage. Any suggestion you may make for its betterment will be greatly appreciated. We trust you will give us your patronage.

NORMAL MEAT MARKET

J. W. TEAL, Owner

WE ARE YOUR BEST

BUILDING MATERIAL FRIEND

The prosperity of this community is increased with every building that goes up, so we are interested in your building plans even if you buy your material elsewhere:

Our advice, our service is most freely at your service in anything pertaining to our line.

Don't hesitate to call on us as hard as you will, when you will, with the full assurance that it will be a pleasure to us to assist.

CANYON LUMBER CO.

(BURROW LUMBER CO., HAPPY)

EAGLE "MIKADO" Pencil No. 174

For Sale at your Dealer Made in five grades

ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND

EAGLE MIKADO

EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK

LITTLE WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Start the New Year Right

By resolving to buy every dollar's worth at home this year, instead of sending your money out of town, and paying more in Amarillo than the same goods cost you here.

If you'll do this, we will enlarge our stock and make it possible for you to supply every requirement and at a big saving to you.

We fully realize, and from last year's experience know, that with conditions as they are now, we must go after volume and make prices that will not only hold our trade at home but that will bring business from other towns. This we have done for the past eight months and we are highly pleased with results.

People have been in our store and bought their winter's supply of goods that had not been in Canyon for years. We are going after business harder this year than ever before, and if prices and quality prevail, our customers will not have to order or leave town for a single item in our line.

We have just received a heavy shipment of staple cotton goods that we bought 90 days ago at around 20 per cent under today's market, and are in position to save you money on this merchandise. Sheeting has advanced around 10 cents per yard since our purchases were made.

GROCERIES

On same basis as Dry Goods, volume, quick turn-overs and close margins. If you are not buying groceries from us it will pay you to investigate. We will positively NOT BE UNDERSOLD. Get our prices; service and satisfaction guaranteed. All we ask is a trial.

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

NOTICE TAXPAYERS

Please be advised that all taxes not paid before FEBRUARY FIRST will take 10 per cent. penalty. This will only take care of them for two months. If not paid by April 1st, they will go on the DELINQUENT TAX RECORD, which will make an additional cost of \$2.25 for each assessment.

Women are required by law to pay their poll tax.

Both men and women are required by law to pay their poll tax at the same time the property tax is paid. Unpaid poll taxes are a lien upon any real or personal property you may own, or come into possession of.

W. C. BLACK

TAX COLLECTOR, RANDALL COUNTY, TEXAS

THERE SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN A REASON FOR SAND STORM MONDAY

With such extremes on either side of the United States, can you wonder that Canyon had a regular sand storm with just a little mixture of both Los Angeles and New York weather?

A BLIZZARD IN NEW YORK
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Blizzards swept the East Coast today carrying with them enough snow to block traffic on New York streets. Lines are down in many sections and some distress from the smaller sea craft in the outer harbor.

IT'S HOT IN LOS ANGELES
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—The temperature here today broke a record for elevation going to the high point of 89.9 degrees, which, according to the weather bureau is the hottest day in January in more than 44 years.

OPENED BUFFALO CONFECTIONERY AND GROCERY

Ray Campbell has bought the Buffalo Confectionery from Ray Daniel and changed the name to Buffalo Grocery and Confectionery, on account of adding groceries to the business. Mr. Campbell has been in business here for a number of years, having opened the East End Grocery, of which he was manager for several years, and later with the Central Grocery. Mr. Daniel has accepted a position in Secretary Shaw's office at the Normal.

FOREIGN MISSION PROGRAM

An all day prayer meeting and reports on Foreign Missions fields was given by the local W. M. U. Tuesday. Morning Session:
Devotional—Mrs. Alice Davis.
Italy—Mrs. J. D. Key.
China—Mrs. B. T. Johnson.
South America—Mrs. Rayzor.
Brazil—Mrs. Fite.
Mexico—Mrs. Jno. Davis.
Afternoon Meeting:
Devotional—Mrs. B. T. Johnson.
The need of Missionaries in Foreign Fields—Mrs. Will Davis.
Japan—Mrs. Jno. Humphreys.
Africa—Mrs. J. A. Hill.
Russia—Mrs. B. F. Fronabarger.
This was a day of information and inspiration, sweet spirit and fellowship. At the noon hour a bountiful and appetizing luncheon was spread, of which we partook in a great way. Our pastor, Bro. Aulick assisted us with his presence and help on the program. All expressed themselves as being the highest spiritual uplift and get together meeting we have had for some time.

ODD FELLOWS INSTALL

A delegation of Amarillo Odd Fellows headed by E. M. Lyons, district deputy grand master, went to Canyon Thursday night and installed the officers of Canyon City Lodge, I. O. O. F. H. C. Dowd was installed as noble grand and the other officers were installed as follows: Taylor Meyers, vice grand; H. O. Price, secretary; H. C. Roffey, treasurer; Louis Browning, warden; Louis Upfold, conductor; J. A. Carr, inside guardian; Sam Wiggins, outside guardian; C. A. Price, R. S. V. G.; D. M. Stewart, L. S. V. G.; H. Duncan, R. S. S.; W. R. Stockett, L. S. S.; C. M. Ackerman, chaplain. The installing officers were: E. M. Lyon, district deputy grand master; J. M. Stidger, district deputy grand warden; Sam Wiggins, district deputy marshal; E. Price, district deputy grand secretary; C. M. Ackerman, district deputy grand chaplain; J. B. Greutz, district deputy grand treasurer.—Amarillo Tribune.

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, Rector
Second Sunday after the Epiphany.
On this Sunday night the rector proposes to begin a series of sermons on "The Christian Pilgrimage" as followed out in the Book of Common Prayer, the first being The Start, i. e., How the young child becomes a Christian—the New Birth—Baptism—Regeneration. This will be followed by other sermons showing the successive steps by which the Christian proceeds in the "Journey Godward," as a bishop has described it.
All are cordially invited.

A church usher, not recognizing Mr. Rockefeller, gave him back \$10 he had dropped into the contribution box. That usher will never grow up to be a college president.—New York Tribune.

SOME NEW YEAR'S DON'TS

Don't sprinkle salt on the tail of temptation.
Don't snore in church. It's mean to keep others awake.
Don't be satisfied to pass as you go. Save enough to get back.
Don't get married with the sole idea that misery loves company.
Don't follow the beaten track unless you are satisfied to remain beaten.
Don't accept advice from a man who never offers anything else.
Don't expect opportunity to knock at your door with a letter of introduction.
Don't trust to luck. Nine-tenths of the people in the world guess wrong.
Don't buy your friends. They never last as long as those you make yourself.
Don't envy the rise of others. Many a man who gets to the top is mere froth.
Don't greet Misfortune with a smile unless you are prepared for a one-sided flirtation.
Don't make good resolutions unless you constantly carry a repair kit with you.
Don't place too much confidence in appearances. Many a man with a red nose is white all the way through.
Don't fail to have an object in view. Many a man leads such an aimless existence that he could fire at random without hitting it.—Lubbock Avalanche.

FARMER'S INCOME \$185—DAVIS

The American farm income in 1920 was 1,202 million dollars or about \$1.85 for each of the 61.2 million farmers in the United States. Jonathan M. Davis, governor-elect of Kansas, said recently in address before the Kansas City Knife and Fork Club. Out of that \$185 the farmer must educate his children, pay his church and hospital bills, provide his amusements, and repair his buildings, and pay off or reduce his indebtedness.
He contrasted that situation with the dividends of from 25 per cent to 300 per cent of the great corporations as reported in the newspapers.

HOW MUCH, NOT HOW LITTLE

Henry Ford, whose income is said to run into six figures a day says: "The man who will use his skill and constructive imagination to see how much he can give for a dollar, instead of how little he can give for a dollar, is bound to succeed. I cannot understand why people don't see it."
Well Henry, the hardest thing to see is the obvious. Most of us are too busy looking for cure-alls and short-cuts that do not exist. With a gold mine in the back yard, we are rain-bow chasers seeking the fabled pot of gold at its foot.

MISSIONARY ELECTION

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. C. M. Ackerman to quilt a quilt given to them by Mrs. J. M. G. Davis for the Orphan Home at Albany. All enjoyed lunch, after which election of officers for the ensuing year.
Mrs. J. W. Shanklin, President.
Mrs. W. D. Smith, Vice President.
Mrs. M. A. Biggers, Secretary and Treasurer.
Mrs. C. M. Ackerman, Reporter.
Seventeen members, one visitor were present. Refreshments were served by the hostess which were enjoyed by all.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

William James in his wonderful chapter on "Habit," suggests one of the greatest formulas ever put into print for character-building and life happiness. He says, substantially: "Resolve each day to do at least one task that you would rather not do." And this saying is akin to the great scientist Huxley's declaration: "Perhaps the most valuable result of education is the ability to make yourself do the thing you have to do when it ought to be done, whether you like it or not; is the first lesson that ought to be learned."

EXPERT TESTIMONY

Three of the following men were experts in this field of knowledge:
George Washington: "My first wish is to see this plague of mankind (war) banished from the earth."
U. S. Grant: "There never was a time when, in my opinion, some way could not be found to prevent the drawing of the sword."
President Harding: "If I catch the conscience of America, we'll lead the world to outlaw war."
Gen. John F. O'Ryan: "I would be a traitor to my country if I did not do everything in my power to abolish war."

A little girl, brushing her hair, found that it "crackled" and asked her mother why it did.
"Why dear, you have electricity in your hair," explained the mother.
"Isn't that funny?" commented the little one. "I have electricity in my hair, and grandmother has gas in her stomach."

After the Christmas cooling comes the January billing.—Washington Post.
We're stupid, of course, but we can't see how Dr. Come can leave Europe while it is getting worse and worse.—Brooklyn Eagle.
Eamon de Valera has made a strong bid for popularity. He urges the Irish not to pay their income taxes.—Dallas Times-Herald.
We may need a larger Navy and a bigger Army, but we can't support them on tax-exempt securities and stock dividends.—Columbus Dispatch.
Claim that "some of our best people" violate the prohibition law depends wholly on the meaning given to "best."—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

The Turks are talking of joining the League of Nations, but nothing further has been heard from Mexico, the United States and Russia.—Indianapolis News.

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSES

For now we see through a glass darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known.—I. Cor. 13:12.
For thou art my rock and my fortress; therefore, for thy name's sake, lead me and guide me.—Psalms 31:3.

In India 19,396 persons died from snake bite in 1921. It might pay the United States to suppress the automobile and import snakes.—New York Evening News.

Prohibition enforcement will be easier as soon as every citizen who indorses it as a matter of public sentiment adopts it as a matter of personal principle.—Washington Star.

The death sentence imposed on an English woman for killing her husband shows, once more, that the Britons really believe in equal rights.—New York Morning Telegraph.

The world powers accent embroil on the "oil."—Asheville Times.

SCHOOL TAXES DUE

The taxes for 1922 for the Canyon Independent School District are now due and must be paid by the last day of January, 1923 or they will be placed on the delinquent tax roll, and be assessed penalty and interest.
J. B. HENSLEY,
404 Collector.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the FIRST STATE BANK OF CANYON, TEXAS, will be held at its banking house on Tuesday, January 16, 1923, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m.
3923 GRADY OLDHAM, Cashier.

B. FRANK BUIE

Attorney-at-Law
Will until future notice, office in Canyon the second and fourth week in each month. The first and third in Hereford.

DIAMONDS and JEWELRY OF QUALITY

Fine Watch Repairing
HUGH WHITCOMB
402 Polk St., Amarillo

IT'S GOOD

To have a place where you can get fresh, clean, groceries from a new stock, supplied by courteous clerks at lowest possible prices.

The Buffalo Confectionery and Grocery supplies each of these good qualities and is ready to serve you.

Our Drinks and Sweets

come up to our very high standard and must be tested to be fully appreciated.

QUICK DELIVERY PHONE 6

RAY CAMPBELL, Prop.

IN THE FUTURE

As in the past we will strive to merit the trade of the people of this community. Our stock will be kept fresh and complete and capable men will remain in charge. We have appreciated all the business given us during the past twelve months and do our best to merit the same in 1923 and each succeeding year.

Jarrett Drug Co.

CANYON, TEXAS

Let Wanamaker Teach You

You remember the story about John Wanamaker. The first day he was in business his receipts were \$24.64. He kept 64 cents and spent the \$24 the next day in advertising. We all can't duplicate this feat, but according to the best statistics available three per cent of the gross sales should be put aside for advertising.

Possibly you will say, "I don't need to advertise. I've been in this town thirty years and everybody knows me."

Probably they do, but did you ever stop to think of the sales you lose because your fellow competitor advertises? He may advertise the same goods you have in your stock, but the people don't know you have them. The other fellow gets the sales because he advertises. And then how much more business would you do if you did advertise?

We know of one merchant who advertised a lot of goods at 19 cents a yard. They cost him 27 cents. He took a clean loss, but while the sale was going on he could buy new goods at 12 cents. He put them in with the other goods and the result was that he cleaned his shelves of the old goods and broke even on the deal. Advertising and good buying liquidated his stock without a loss.

Wanamakerize Your Business Policy and Bid For Success in 1923.

We can't all be John Wanamakers, but we all can advertise in proportion to our business. Results will be sure if you advertise honestly and give service. A newspaper can bring people to your store, but it can't make people buy your goods. Your clerks must do that and it depends on the service you give as to how successful your business will be.

Advertising today, especially in newspapers, is the greatest business getter there is. This is acknowledged by men who know. People read advertisements in newspapers. They have been educated to do so.

What is done in big towns can be done right here in Canyon if you will show the pep, give the service and advertise. MAKE BUSINESS GOOD. You can do it thru this paper.

Randall County News

ADAMS & McCREREY AUCTIONEERS
Wayside, Texas
Reasonable terms and satisfactory services. Get open dates at News Office, or write us.

LOCAL NEWS

Reese Hardin left Tuesday for Dallas where he will enter a linotype school.

Miss Pauline Brigham entertained a few friends Friday night at the B. A. Stafford home in honor of Miss Hazel Allen before her departure for California. Bridge was played during the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Captain H. C. Samble returned Saturday from Denison where he was a witness in federal court.

R. O. C. Brumley of Amarillo was a business caller in the city Saturday. S. B. McClure was in Groom Saturday on business.

Miss Hazel Allen left Saturday for Los Angeles, California, where she will study piano during the coming nine months under E. W. Grabill. H. James and Dr. McElroy of Happy were in the city yesterday.

E. H. Powell was in Happy yesterday on business.

A number of old time friends gave a surprise party yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. I. N. Hix, one of the very oldest citizens of Canyon.

Frank R. Phillips leaves today for a business trip to Spearman and Dalhart, where he will visit vocational agriculture classes.

W. B. Parsons will leave Friday for his home in Missouri, after spending a few weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pierle.

W. H. Neal has returned from a business trip to San Antonio.

Frank R. Phillips, Misses Gray and Phillips were in Claude Tuesday night to attend a banquet.

Mrs. J. H. Hurley and daughter, Mildred, of Guyton, Okla., visited this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. T. Moss.

R. P. Jarrett was in Amarillo Tuesday night to speak before a meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association.

President J. A. Hill and Frank R. Phillips were in Happy Friday night to speak before a mass meeting of the farmers and business men.

C. N. Harrison returned Sunday from a week spent in Austin.

The Martha Groves Chapter will meet with Mrs. C. M. Ackerman Tuesday evening, January 16th, at 6:30 p. m. Subject of the lesson, the "Length and Promises" of life according to the Bible. Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, leader. This is the first meeting in 1923 and all members are urged to be present and help us start the new year with 100 per cent attendance.

President J. A. Hill is in Austin this week on business.

FAVORS COTTON CROP

Ardmore, Okla., Jan. 3, 1923.
Randall County News,
Canyon, Texas.
Gentlemen:

Am enclosing check for \$1.50 in payment of subscription for 1923.

Am pleased to note thru your paper the interest that seems to prevail out there in favor of raising cotton in Randall County. To my way of thinking, I believe if cotton can be grown in Randall County that it will be the greatest help for the prosperity of the country than any crop they can raise, and will without doubt increase the value of land very materially.

I have 640 acres of land about 8 miles southwest of Canyon that I would be willing to let any one put as much of same in cotton as they want and will give them the first crop for breaking the land. Cotton is certainly a money making crop.

Yours very truly,
JACK UNDERWOOD.

Lawyer—As a matter of fact, you were scared half to death, and don't know whether it was a motor car or something resembling a motor car that hit you!

Victim—It resembled one, all right. I was forcibly struck with the resemblance.—Utica Globe.

To drive out worms that are eating away the strength and vitality of your child, use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels the worms without injury to the child. Price 35c. Sold by City Pharmacy. 40ts

Happy Happenings

On Friday night, Jan. 10th, Mrs. Phebe K. Warner of Claude will be here to speak to the people of Happy and the surrounding community on the subject of "The Consolidation of Schools." This is a very important matter concerning this school this year. There will be a barbecue and speaking during the entire day. Everyone is urged to be present.

Mrs. Mary Ostermyer of Takoma, Washington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. B. McManigal and family.

G. T. Caldwell and family were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Fowler were in Amarillo Saturday.

Bill Anderson and family were visiting in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Newton and children and father, Mr. Osborne, left Sunday for Goree, where Mrs. Newton is moving.

Mr. Newton is in the sanitarium at Sherman, and is seriously sick. It has been stated that there is little hope for his recovery. He sold his store here to Alton and Emit Grounds and his home here is for rent. The many friends of Mrs. Newton regret very much to see her leave here, but wish her the best of success at her new home. The people also wish for the recovery of Mr. Newton, and a brighter day.

President Hill and Prof. Phillips of the Canyon Normal were here Friday night. A large crowd was present to hear the lectures given by these men.

President Hill spoke on "Education in Texas." The subject of Prof. Phillips was "Poultry." The lectures were greatly enjoyed by all, and have been a great benefit to the people. We hope that these men will be with us again soon.

Glen Dowlen and Ural Barnard, who are attending the Canyon Normal, spent the past week end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McManigal and daughter, Eva, were Amarillo callers Monday.

Everett Dison is attending school in Canyon having started since Christmas.

Faunce Scott entertained a number of his friends with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon, honoring his sixth birthday.

Miss Elsie Maye Barnard was here.



WE ARE HELPING HOUSEWIVES WITH THEIR MEAT MENUS

—By publishing this series of valuable recipes which show how to make use of the most inexpensive cuts of meat, we not only simplify the housewife's menu problem, but we are actually making it possible for her to save money when she buys the better cuts of our fine meats.

—If you haven't found this out yet, ask Billie Butcher about it.

TODAY'S RECIPE

SUET PUDDING—Two cups chopped beef suet, two cups chopped raisins, two cups molasses, two cups sour milk, one heaping teaspoon soda, one teaspoon onion, half teaspoon cloves, one teaspoon cinnamon, flour enough to make a stiff batter. Fill into well greased baking powder cans and place in a pot on a rack. Pour boiling water around them and cover allowing them to boil for three hours. Serve with hard sauce. These puddings will keep for weeks if kept covered.

VETESK'S MARKET

DRAY AND TRANSFER

I have bought the dray business of R. W. Jackson, who is retiring from business in Canyon, and adding the equipment to my present outfit.

I am prepared to do all of your hauling, light or heavy, and will greatly appreciate your business.

PHONES 28 OR 238

D. B. Holcomb

ed on the face Saturday when she poured kerosene on live coals. However, no serious complications followed. Prof. O. R. Bridges was in Amrillo Saturday.

Wayside Items

Sunday School Sunday led by D. L. Adams. Fair crowd. Good program in afternoon at B. Y. P. U., led by Jno. Gillham. He did real well and only a ten-year-old boy.

Literary at the school auditorium next Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

M. C. Sluder and Mack Gillham made a trip to Tulla Tuesday with a truck load of hogs for J. W. McCreery.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mayo of Goodnight visited with their children, Mrs. Elmer Knight of near Vigo and Mrs. Lella Carter and Joe Mayo of Wayside the past week.

Duke Keys, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Heister, received a message Tuesday to come at once to Clarendon. His mother and her little orphan grandson were both sick. The child was not expected to live. Van O'Neal took him to the station.

Mrs. W. R. Franklin and little daughter, Fannie May, have been sick with colds but are improving.

W. G. Franklin went to Amarillo to move his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Kerlin and family to their new home near Nara Visa, N. M., this week.

W. I. Lane presented his wife with a Majestic range stove Monday. A delightful present.

Mr. and Mrs. Knighten, who have been visiting relatives in New Mexico, returned home Monday. They report a fine time while gone they feasted on venison and wild turkey.

J. W. Holland and family visited at the Muzum home near Vigo Park Saturday night.

Ruth Knox of Eldorado, Oklahoma, is visiting at the J. B. Knox home.

A man arrested for murder bribed an Irishman of the jury with \$100 to hang out for a verdict of manslaughter. The jury was out a long time but finally came in with the desired verdict. The man rushed up to the Irish juror and said, "I'm obliged to you; did you have a hard time?"

"Yes," said Casey. "A devil of a time. All the rest of them wanted to acquit you.—Boys' Magazine.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Charter No. 5238 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Canyon, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 29, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c).....	\$396,233.62
Total loans.....	\$396,233.62
Overdrafts, secured, \$4,963.20; unsecured, \$2,523.97.....	7,487.22
U. S. Government securities owned:	
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).....	50,000.00
All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any).....	100.00
Total.....	50,100.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:	
Banking house \$20,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$5,000.....	25,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house.....	18,649.65
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	14,777.97
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....	36,844.11
Amount due from State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, and 10).....	28,461.38
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12).....	1,525.22
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.....	66,830.71
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer.....	2,500.00
Other assets, if any.....	5,233.36
Total.....	\$591,840.86

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	50,000.00
Undivided profits.....	\$24,158.69
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	17,889.00
Circulating notes outstanding.....	49,600.00
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	7,606.32
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25.....	7,606.32
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check.....	203,707.10
State, County, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....	13,152.10
Deposits requiring notice, but less than 30 days.....	16,820.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31.....	216,859.20
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal saving):	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	75,307.50
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts).....	37,682.30
Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank.....	81,696.36
Total.....	\$591,840.86

State of Texas, County of Randall, as:
I, C. D. Lester, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. D. LESTER, President.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1923.
(Seal) W. J. FLESHER, Notary Public.
Correct Attest: L. T. LESTER, ED GERALD, R. L. LESTER, Directors.

Membership Given The Buffaloes in National Athletics

Coach S. D. Burton has a letter from Dean W. Frank Nickelson of Franklin University, Middleton, Conn., notifying him of the election of the Normal as a member of the National Athletic Association. A. & M. College is the only other Texas school now holding membership in this association.

The association has to do with making rules for college athletics and this matter is taken up each December at the New York meeting. The Buffaloes were invited to send a representative to the meeting last month, but word came too late to make the trip. The Buffaloes will be represented next year at the meeting.

DEEDS FILED LAST WEEK IN COUNTY

The following deeds as furnished the News by the Randall County Abstract Company, have been recorded in the County Clerk's office:

J. M. Burkhalter to F. U. Sawyer, lot 10, block 1, Cowart addn. to Canyon. Consideration \$100.

J. M. Vetesk to J. J. Green, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 29, Canyon City. Consideration \$2,000.

C. N. Plaster to C. L. Carson, section 41 and 38.8 acres section 56, block B-5. Consideration \$20,472.50.

W. A. Chaffee to Blanche E. Chaffee, west half of section 198, block M-6. Consideration \$1.00.

Aching joints, rheumatic pains, neuralgia, can be relieved quickly by a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is a powerful penetrating remedy. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by City Pharmacy. 40ts

Drs. Ingham & Ingham DENTISTS ALL WORK WARRANTED

WM. F. MILLER Dealer in REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE RENTALS AND LOANS HAPPY TEXAS

THE FIRST STATE BANK
CANYON, TEXAS
At the Close of Business, December 29th, 1922.
As made to the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans.....	Capital.....
Furniture and Fixtures.....	Surplus & Undivided.....
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund.....	Profits.....
Asm't Dep. Guar. Fund.....	Money Borrowed.....
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank.....	Reserve for Taxes.....
Other Assets.....	DEPOSITS.....
CASH & EXCHANGE.....	
Total.....	Total.....

The above statement is correct. Grady Oldham, Cashier.

The First State Bank
Canyon Texas

State Guaranty Fund Bank A GOOD COMBINATION Member Federal Reserve System

(THE ONLY GUARANTY FUND BANK IN RANDALL COUNTY)

25 Hogs Duroc Hogs 25

Bred Sows and Gilts and two Spring Boars, Sensation, Scissors, Pathfinder and Col. Blood Lines.

Mated to the two herds Boars owned by Knight & Roffey. "Pathfinder's Monarch" No. 405265; he is litter mate to "Pathfinder's Paramount," that splendid boar owned by Hanks & Bishop; also litter mate to "Pathleader," that famous boar of A. T. Whitney's.

Also mated to "Walt's King Pathfinder," a splendid (spring) son of "Walt's King of All," owned by Fernow & Enck, which boar's litter mates, sisters and half sisters have taken the Blue Ribbons at the last two National Swine Shows.

Terms: Nov. 1, 1923 Note, or 5 per cent discount for cash.

Sale Day—THURSDAY, JAN. 25, 1923, 1:00 P. M.

Auctioneers: J. W. McCreery and W. S. Williams.

DUROC SWINE AND ALFALFA FARMS
JOHN KNIGHT, Canyon, Texas.

Going Back in Business in Canyon

We have been out of the Pattern business for a year. We are back in it again, with a stock twice the size formerly carried and a real pattern service. The Standard Designer with Belrobe.

The Designer Magazine will be on sale each month. Ask for the fashion sheets. Yours for the asking.

THE LEADER

SEES BIG YEAR IN ADVERTISING DURING 1923

The true mirror of the times, the true reflection of national prosperity is to be found in the advertising columns of the modern newspaper, said William H. Rankin, president of the Wm. H. Rankin Co., in a recent message broadcasted by radio. The subject of Mr. Rankin's talk was "Advertising and Its Value in 1923." He said in part:

"The standards in buying which the general public relies upon have been established only by high-class advertising. First, the quality of the product is established; then the name is established and thereafter, as the quality is steadily maintained, or improved, the name, which becomes by constant and persistent advertising a household word, becomes increasingly valuable and standard. You have only to think a moment of the advertised articles that you regard as standard of their class to understand how valuable advertising has been to the great consumer."

"If advertising, which so largely helped us to win the war, has been a great instrument in bringing us to prosperity in times of peace, so it is to be a great and even greater factor in the prosperity that I see coming to us in 1923."

"Let me give you one concrete instance of the sort of service advertising gives to the consumer: When in 1870 the price of grapes was \$7.00 a ton, the price of grape juice to the consumer was \$24.00 a case. In 1890 with grapes selling at \$10.00 a ton, the output of grape juice had been increased by advertising that it was possible to sell it at \$4.75 a case. Then grape prices steadily advanced until in 1921 the grape juice manufacturers paid \$135 a ton, an advance of 1,350 per cent; but at the same time the cost of grape juice only advanced 65 per cent. It was the increased demand caused by national advertising that enabled the economies of big scale production and made the product cheaper to all consumers."

"Advertising is the most powerful economic factor that has arisen in the world. It means economic marketing; it means co-operative buying. It establishes new economies; invites, nay compels, honesty and square dealing; creates confidence and by increasing consumers makes products cheaper to each one."

"I can offer you no better or more helpful message for the new year than to urge you to buy advertised goods. Remember that advertising is a real and vital educational force."

UP TO LOCAL MERCHANT

A Montgomery Ward club was organized Tuesday night, we understand. The members are pledged to buy everything possible from Montgomery Ward. They have weekly meetings and the secretary takes the orders and in case any mistakes are made take it up immediately with the mail order house—Medicine Lodge Index.

We understand the mail order houses through a bureau, subscribe to all the weekly papers. Most newspapers will perhaps find they have at least one unknown subscriber who renews regularly and promptly; his address being Chicago or some small town nearby. From the weekly papers especially the country correspondence, it is said mailing lists are obtained, and in case a paper does not have much advertising from the local merchants, a catalogue campaign is begun. Looking over the average run of advertising in the Index, no doubt the mail order house finds a fruitful field in Barber County for club work. If local merchants allow a mail order house to out-advertise them in their own field it is not up to the editor to throw fits about it; and he doesn't seem to be doing so.—E. E. Kelley in Topeka Capital.

The French are sending an automobile expedition to explore the heart of the Sahara Desert, a region that white men have never before penetrated. The expedition will go south from Algeria and hopes to reach Timbuktu on the Niger River. Five armed cars with caterpillar traction will carry eighty gallons of gasoline apiece. Preliminary missions have already established gasoline stations several hundred miles south from Tagant and north from Timbuktu. The worst part of the journey will be the waterless stretch of three hundred miles through an extremely rough, boulder-strewn waste.

The worm will turn. An automobile derailed a train in Illinois—Asheville Times.

IF YOU HAVE
Malaria, Flu, Sick Headache, Constipation, Dizziness, Agony, Sour Stomach, and Bloating, your food does not assimilate, you have no appetite,
Tutt's Pills
will remedy these troubles

ON BEING ENTERTAINED

"Most people would like to be thought entertaining, but, since they are not remarkable for their flow of spirits or quickness of wit or gift of narrative, they feel that there is no possibility of gaining such a reputation. Their conversation, as they admit, tends to be humdrum and commonplace. Yet they have always available two topics to which, if they will, they can give individual treatment—themselves and their friends. The idea that to talk about yourself is boring and in bad taste is so widely current that many persons don't talk about themselves enough, and their conversation is colorless in consequence. Some of the best talkers are people who rarely discourse on anything but their own personal experiences, observations and points of view. And, in caution it must be added, some of the most tireless talkers are to be found among those who confine themselves to similar subjects of conversation. Perhaps the possession or the lack of the ability to see yourself in retrospect objectively makes all the difference. People who can't see themselves in that manner should never be encouraged to talk about themselves."

But talking about other people is dangerous, we have been told; a man is so easily tempted to spread idle gossip and to repeat stories of a depreciatory character. That is one of the easiest ways of making interesting conversation. But no one whose conversation is mainly of that sort is regarded as interesting for long; to acquire a reputation for sharpness of tongue is to lose a good many opportunities for pleasant social intercourse. The people who are always welcome, who are always entertaining to friends and acquaintances, are those who take a kindly, hearty, good-humored view both of themselves and of other people—those talk about themselves is free from egotism and whose talk about others is without malice."

NO CURE FOR THE FLU

The cause of "flu" remains an unsolved mystery, says the Journal of the American Medical Association. That's alpha and omega, the beginning and the end, trail ends where it starts.

"Flu" which became highly pandemic in our country in 1918, was a disease such as follows every great war. It got its start where people were the most miserable, undernourished and unsanitary. Developing strength it spread and easily struck down victims among the strong. Now that humanity has less starvation and suffering, it has greater resisting powers against "flu."

Applying the principle to individuals. A well nourished body and a cheerful mind can ward off most diseases. And it's doubtful if our generation will have another severe "flu" pandemic on a big scale.

TRANSFERS PROPERTY

John D. Rockefeller no longer is the richest man in the world, according to rumor among big bankers. Wall Street Journal says: "Statement of W. C. Teagle, president of the Standard Oil of N. J., before Senate committee, that John D. Rockefeller has not been a stockholder in that company since 1920, is considered confirmation of reports current in banking circles for some time that the bulk of the Rockefeller fortune has passed to John D. Rockefeller, Jr."

"The reason for this transfer of ownership undoubtedly takes in the rather drastic inheritance taxes state and federal."

"The inheritance tax can be dodged by giving away property before death. And gifts are not even taxable as income."

"Do you think you can support my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"I don't know sir, but I can certainly save you fifty per cent of her present cost to you."—Boston Transcript.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Child-birth

Valuable Illustrated Book Sent Free

How thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Clayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradford Regulator Co., 14-38, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all drug stores.

S. B. McCLURE

Real Estate Bargains
List your land or property with me. I look after your interests.
Canyon, Texas

TOWN PESTS



The Expert broadcasts Free Advice on All Subjects, from Raising Chickens to Running the Town. Because he has Failed at Everything he ever Undertook, the Expert's Advice should be Good, for he Knows all the Wrong Ways to Do Things. Just take his Advice backwards. That's All.

Guided by intelligence, a strong will is the greatest of blessings; the servant of stupidity, it is nothing but a curse.

Even when debts are cancelled, some body has to pay them.—Philadelphia Evening Public Ledger.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RANDALL.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Potter County, Texas, on the 8th day of January, 1923, by the Clerk thereof in the case of Wm. H. Bush versus Susie Willie Hand, Amarillo National Bank of Amarillo, Texas, E. S. Burgess, T. M. Bruner, Robert T. Ricks, James A. Bush and the Amarillo Hardware Company in cause Numbered 3610, and to me directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hour prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the First Tuesday in February A. D. 1923, it being the 6th day of said month, before the Court House Door of Randall County, in the town of Canyon, Texas, the following described property, situated in Randall County, Texas, and described as follows:

286 acres out of Section 168 in Block 9, Original Grantee Beaty, Seale & Forwood, and described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest Corner of said Section 168 in Block 9, Original Grantee Beaty, Seale & Forwood:— Thence South 89 degrees 46 minutes East 950.5 vrs. to a point in the south line of said section 168, Thence North 8 minutes East 950 vrs. to a point: Thence South 89 degrees 46 minutes East 475 vrs. to a point: Thence North 8 degrees East 500 vrs. to a point in the South Line of the T. M. Hand 168 acre tract out of said survey:

Thence North 89 degrees 47 minutes West with the South Line of said Hand 168 acre tract to a point in the West Line of said Section 168: Thence South 8 minutes West with

Herbine corrects biliousness, indigestion and constipation. It is a fine herbal medicine that drives out impurities and restores healthy conditions in the system. Price, 60c. Sold by City Pharmacy. 4044

W. J. FLESHER

LAWYER
Complete Abstract of all Randall County Lands

Farm and Ranch Loans
5 to 10 years Optional Privilege
Prompt Service

See or Write
R. J. STOVALL
CANYON, TEXAS

R. L. LESTER

ATTORNEY AT LAW
CANYON, TEXAS

Real Estate—Insurance

City Property: Randall County Lands
Fire and Automobile Insurance
Office in the Flesher law offices
J. A. Guthrie

the West Line of said Section 168 to the place of beginning;

The above described land was levied on this the 10th day of January, 1923 as the property of Susie Willie Hand to satisfy a judgment amounting to the sum of \$3454.42, and interest from November 14th, 1922 at the rate of ten per cent per annum and costs of suit. Given under my hand this the 10th day of January, 1923.

4113 W. C. BLACK,
Sheriff Randall County, Texas.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids or proposals will be received by the President of the School Board, Mr. G. G. Foster, at Canyon, Texas, until Jan. 22nd, 1923, at 2 p. m. for the furnishing of labor and materials and the erection of a High School Building at Canyon, Texas, according to the plans and specifications as furnished by E. F. Rittenberry, Architect, at 303 Blackburn Building, Amarillo, Texas.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of (\$1,000.00) One Thousand Dollars, made payable to Mr. G. G. Foster at Canyon, Texas, as a guarantee that such bidder will in good faith execute the required Surety Bond and will in six days enter into a contract with said School Board for the above building. The successful bidder will be required to give a Surety Company's Bond in the amount of 50 per cent of the contract price of the building.

Separate bids will be received on the Heating System. Contractors may receive plans from the Architect at his office at Amarillo, Texas, by depositing \$50.00 cash or certified check as a guarantee that such contractor will return plans and specifications at time set for receiving bids, and that he will submit a bona fide bid for said building. The School Board reserves the right to accept any or reject any and all bids. 4011

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County, Greeting:

D. R. Burns, Administrator of the Estate of A. E. Burns, Deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the Estate of said A. E. Burns, Deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration, you are hereby commanded that by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Randall, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said Estate to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April Term, 1923, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court house of said County in the City of Canyon, on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1923, when said account and application will be considered by said Court.

Witness O. W. Gano, Clerk of the County Court of Randall County. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the City of Canyon, this, the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1922.
(Seal) O. W. GANO, Clerk of the County Court, Randall County, Texas. 4013

Willard
DODGE
SPECIAL AT
\$35.00

"IF ITS ELECTRICAL WE HAVE IT"
Arnold & Potter
ELECTRICIANS

WHEN IN AMARILLO DROP IN AT
DARNALL'S CAFE
Where you will find plenty to eat and well prepared, too.
MERCHANT'S LUNCH ONLY
Come in and make yourself at home with us.
P. E. DARNALL, Prop. 515 POLK STREET

Which Is Larger the Sun or a Cent

The sun is the largest but you can hold the cent so close to your eye that you'll lose sight of the sun. Don't let a cheap price or a big can baking powder make you lose sight of quality.

CALUMET

The Economy BAKING POWDER



Is the quality leavener—for real economy in the kitchen, always use Calumet, one trial will convince you.

The sale of Calumet is over 150% greater than that of any other baking powder.



THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

WHY WAIT?
Until after the Fire or Storm to see us? We always have on hand a fresh stock of Good Insurance.
See Us Before It's Too Late!
J. D. GAMBLE, AGENT

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR.
INTERESTING FACTS
106,327 FORD CARS AND TRUCKS
RETAILED IN NOVEMBER
Approximately the same number scheduled for delivery this month

This volume of deliveries to actual owners is entirely unprecedented for this time of the year—It has taxed the manufacturing ability of the Ford plants working at full capacity—

It indicates a volume of business during the rapidly approaching months of "heavy demand" which will be far beyond the maximum production schedule which the Ford Motor Company has set—

And that means a Ford shortage even more acute than the one which existed last Spring and Summer.

Dealer stocks all over the country are low—there are no reserves to draw upon to meet the demands for delivery—

There is no way in which dealer reserves can be built up, as deliveries have been made to customers as fast as Cars could be manufactured since last April.

The only way you can protect your desire to obtain prompt delivery of a Ford even at this time is to place your order immediately.

This emphasizes more strongly than anything we could possibly say the necessity of your making prompt arrangements with a Ford Dealer for the listing of your order, particularly if you are contemplating the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer.

We believe you are entitled to know these facts as they actually exist.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Detroit, Michigan

See the Authorized Canyon Ford Dealer

KUEHN & FARLOW
A Small Deposit and Easy Payments if Desired

LITTLE WANT ADS IN THE NEWS BRING BIG RESULTS.

SORGHUM CROPS IN THE WESTERN COUNTIES

By A. K. Short, Agronomist, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.

Introduction—The Sorghums are justly becoming the staple feed crops of approximately the western two-thirds of Texas. Kafir, milo, feterita, begari, shrook kafir, darso and shallu constitute the principal varieties of the grain sorghums. Except in favored localities one or more of these crops should take the place of corn on most farms west of the 98th meridian or west of the line drawn through Henrietta, Mineral Wells, Hamilton, Austin, Lloresville, Bellville and Corpus Christi, and a portion of the acreage usually planted to corn 25 to 50 miles west of the indicated line.

Kafir, milo and feterita have proven their worth in West Texas. It is, therefore, desirable as a matter of sure crop production to confine the grain sorghums plantings largely to these crops. In as much as new varieties of the grain sorghums are being introduced from time to time, it is well to try out new varieties, but only in a small way at first; and depend upon kafir, milo or feterita for the main feed crops.

Moisture is the limiting factor in production throughout most of the grain sorghum belt. The roots of the grain sorghums are thoroughly distributed through the soil, and seem to be able to secure water under very unfavorable conditions. The grain sorghums are more or less drought resistant. This characteristic renders them adaptable to regions of light rainfall, long periods of drought and hot winds. Notwithstanding their ability to withstand unfavorable drought conditions, grain sorghums will respond to any reasonable amount of moisture distributed throughout the growing season. It should also be remembered that drought resistance does not necessarily imply that these plants would use less moisture in their development than corn, but does mean that they have the power to endure severe periods of drought without being destroyed. In regions where grain sorghums are grown it is readily noted that they increase in yield as the moisture increases, until the limit of production is reached.

Preparation of Soil—The land should be thoroughly and deeply prepared, either by plowing or listing in early fall. Blowing is preferable in south and southwest Texas, where the winter moisture falls in the form of rain, but in the extreme northwest, listing east and west is preferred, as the lister furrows catch and hold drifting snows. Whether the soil is plowed or listed, it should be left rough throughout the winter. A rough or ridged soil will catch and hold more moisture than a smooth one. As spring approaches and the weeds begin to grow, harrow after each rain so as to maintain a soil mulch, destroy weeds, and conserve moisture. When deep fall plowing or listing is impossible, shallow spring listing is preferable to shallow spring plowing. Early spring listing is better than late spring listing. Always double disc if possible. List early; work ridges when necessary to keep the weeds down and to conserve the moisture until planting time; then list and plant in lister furrow if land

has been listed; if the land has not been listed, open rows and plant with lister planter, or open the rows with the most convenient furrow opener and plant with an ordinary two-row planter.

In fields where the soil tends to blow it is usually better to let any vegetable matter remain until spring. In case the vegetable matter does not prevent blowing, start listing as quickly as possible. If the soil is moist, listing will usually stop blowing. It is a good practice to leave the surface or plowed land cloddy, as there is less danger of the soils blowing. There is greater danger of plowed land blowing than listed land, as the ridged surface tends to retard the force of the air currents and checks dust drifts.

The planting furrows should be run at a right angle to the slope. This tends to prevent water running off the field. The fact that contouring usually causes the rows to be crooked is of minor importance when compared to the conservation of moisture and soil.

Planting—Never plant seed until all the weeds are killed. The grain sorghums should be planted in furrows, regardless of whether the land was plowed or listed. Best results are obtained by planting two rows at a time in the furrows with a row planter. The planter covers the seed and packs the soil better than the lister attachment, thus insuring a better stand. If the ordinary lister planter is used, some method should be devised as a substitute for the two row planter in placing the seed on firm soil, leaving a narrow pointed ridge over the seed and packing the soil around them. A good way to use the lister planter is to substitute a very small plow for the ordinary sub-soil attachment, which will form a narrow and shallow trench about 1 inch deep and 1 inch wide in the bottom of the lister furrow in which the seed are dropped by the planter attachment. Set the covers so they will form a sharp ridge over the seed, and attach two short pieces of round post about 8 inches long, to the lister to drag in the furrow of the covers. These should be attached in such a manner that the front end will be slightly elevated, when the lister is in operation. If properly attached, they press the soil firmly about the seed and leave a sharp peak just over the seed. A short piece of angle iron will serve the same purpose. The placing of the seed in the shallow narrow trench, and leaving a sharp ridge over them is quite important in securing a good stand. Placing the seed in the narrow trench and packing the soil brings the seed in contact with the maximum amount of moist earth, which is necessary in a dry season, and the pointed ridge prevents hard dashing rain from packing the soil, so the young plants cannot break through. In case the soil becomes packed before the plants come up, the crust should be broken as soon as the land is dry enough to work. The crust may be broken by special row harrows, or by scratchers, made

by driving nails into a piece of round post, or driving spikes through a piece of 2x8 timber; the post or timber should be about 2 feet long. Attach 3 to 6 scratchers to a long 2x4 scantling at the proper distances to follow in the depression in which the seed are planted. Two horses will easily pull four scratchers attached to the scantling. This enables one man and two horses to break the crust on 30 to 35 acres per day.

Time to Plant—Owing to the large territory in Texas where the grain sorghums are grown no definite dates can be given. In general, kafir should be planted as soon as the soil becomes warm, (medium early corn planting time) and milo and feterita 15 to 20 days later. Early plantings, provided the soil is sufficiently warm will produce the best average yields. It occasionally happens that later plantings produce the better crops. The safe plan is to make some plantings early; some in mid-season and some as late as will permit the crop to mature before frost. The first planting of seed should not be covered more than 1 1/2 to 2 inches deep. Later plantings may be covered 2 to 2 1/2 inches.

Quantity of Seed to Plant—Seed should be selected in the best from the field and stored in some dry place during the winter, secure from depredations of birds, rats and mice. Just before planting time the seed should be threshed by hand and carefully cleaned and tested for germination.

The rows should be spaced 3 to 4 feet apart. The distance between the rows should be governed by the width of row the cultivator will till well. The amount of seed per acre will depend upon the rainfall. The greater the rainfall the heavier the seeding. As a general rule two or three pounds per acre will give best results in the

eastern portion of the grain sorghum belt; while from one to two pounds per acre is ample for extreme west Texas. Under the former rate of seeding the plants will be from 6 to 9 inches apart in the rows and under the latter conditions from 9 to 18 inches apart. During dry growing seasons better results will be obtained by thinning the plants from 18 to 30 inches apart in the rows.

Cultivation—There are two methods of cultivation in practice. For the lack of better terms the methods may be designated as the lister-cultivator and harrow-cultivator methods. Each has its advocates, and each has its advantages. The farm equipment should determine the method of cultivation practiced. The two do not blend well, as it is difficult to keep the lister-cultivator in place if the open furrow has been filled by using the harrow.

The harrow-cultivator method consists in harrowing the field in the direction of the rows every week or 10 days from the time the plants are large enough to harrow until they are 8 to 12 inches high. Then use the ordinary cultivator until the plants become too tall; after which a small one-horse harrow cultivator should be used every week or ten days until the crop has formed its seed.

The first cultivation with the cultivator should be with bull tongues or small shovels, running at least four inches deep, for the purpose of establishing a soil mulch to conserve moisture. Subsequent cultivations should be made with the sharp sweeps, set flat, being careful not to cultivate deeper than the previous cultivation.

In case the weeds start too early in the spring to be controlled by using the harrow, they should be destroyed by using the slide lister-cultivator before harrowing.

The lister-cultivator method consists in using the lister-cultivator from the beginning. The discs of the lister-cultivator should be set so as to throw the dirt from the plants, and the at-

tached plows so as to run in the middles while the plants are small. Usually, at the second cultivation the discs are set the same as for the first. Bull tongues are put on the plow attachments. One is run close to the plants and the other one runs in the middles. As soon as the plants get large enough the discs are reversed so as to throw the earth to the plants and sweeps are substituted for bull tongues on the plow attachments. Cultivations should be repeated every week or ten days until the plants become too tall to use the lister cultivator.

Later cultivations should be made with the ordinary cultivator, with sweeps attached, and the one horse cultivator should be used as recommended in the harrow-cultivator method. The ordinary one or two row implements are applicable to either method. Implements used in good corn culture are adaptable to grain sorghums culture. In case of doubt use same cultural methods as for corn except plant below level on other than bottom or poorly drained land.

For more detailed information regarding preparation of soil see Farm and Home Hint, No 233, or talk with your County Agent.

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NOW LANGUISHES IN PRISON

Bought \$150,000 Estate in Michigan on Payment of But \$1,000—Duplicated Two Wives, One of Whom Lived Modestly in Toronto, While the Other Traveled Around With Him Under the Title of "Countess of Dunblane"—Mystery About His Past.

What two boxes of crested stationery, worth a paltry \$40.50, will do for a man when judiciously employed could be related by "Earl of Dunblane," alias A. J. Walker Grieg, now reaping in the state prison at Jackson, Mich., under sentence as an embezzler, says the New York World.

Among other things, that crested stationery helped obtain for "Earl of Dunblane," a wealthy consort, a Chicago woman, who automatically became the "Countess"; they helped obtain for him a former millionaire's estate of 1,700 acres at Cheboygan, Mich., and a life of opulence for a period of years, and they helped to maintain in Toronto in comfort, if not in luxury, a second establishment consisting of a wife and eight children whose existence naturally was unknown to the "Countess" of Chicago and Cheboygan.

Had the Grand Manner.

Crested stationery did not accomplish all this unaided. There were in addition several suits of expensive tweeds. There was a black ribboned pince-nez bridging an aristocratic nose, or held deftly in long slim fingers to emphasize conversation. There was also a thick yellow cane and the grand manner. The combination was impressive. A great many persons, both men and women, to their regret, found it irresistible.

As stated, the "Earl's" meteoric career was based partially on an original investment of \$40.50. The word investment is misleading. For so far the \$40.50 stationery bill has not been paid.

About four years ago "Dunblane" began his campaign in Chicago and Michigan. In Chicago he met Sara Turngreen, reputed to be wealthy, and the divorced wife of Wilbur Dye. They were married at Sault Ste. Marie in January, 1919. "Dunblane" gave his residence as Nottingham, Eng., his age as thirty-six, his occupation as English barrister, and his previous state as "single." Nevertheless he was then, as subsequently, going to Toronto every second week-end with a check for \$100 for Christina Grieg and her family. When he couldn't come personally, as developed in recent months, he sent the funds by mail.

Were Paying Guests.

After the "Earl" and the "Countess" were married they went to Chicago. Her two children were put in a private school. He and she lived with her parents, the Turngreens.

"We were their paying guests," said the "Earl" in answer to the prosecution's query as to how he, the "Earl of Dunblane," had come to live with his father-in-law.

It must not be supposed that the "Earl" was lazy and inactive, or that he expected his new wife's family to support him. His whole life as far as known has been a peculiarly active one. And so after a reasonable interruption warranted by such an event as marriage, "Dunblane" appeared in Detroit, where he floated a company known as the "Title Guarantee and Casualty company." He became its president and sales manager. And here "Dunblane" was in his element. The tweeds, the pince-nez, the yellow cane, the grand manner and, when it could be introduced, the crest, were irresistible. He toured Michigan selling stock. He also sold stock in Ontario.

An era of great prosperity for "Dunblane" set in. He and the "Countess" lived at the best hotels in northern Michigan, at Cheboygan, he discovered a magnificent estate formerly owned by a millionaire, but falling into disrepair. It had 1,700 acres overlooking gray water, it had a winding driveway half a mile long leading through evergreens up to the four-story mansion which, with its huge gray tower, goes under the name of "The Castle." Just the setting for the "Earl of Dunblane."

So he bought it at a price of \$150,000, of which \$1,000 was cash and \$149,000 mortgage. A large mortgage? But why not for the "Earl of Dunblane"? The estate needed repairs. So workmen were called in, while the "Earl" and "Countess" went traveling.

They spent several months in Montreal. There he organized another company and became president of it.

And every two weeks, when possible, "Dunblane" took a train for Toronto, where he became A. J. Walker Grieg and delivered \$100 to Christina Grieg.

Subscribers Become Suspicious.

And now the more prosaic and sordid part of the adventures of "Dunblane" must be told. It seems inappropriate that such a romantic name as "Dunblane's" should be troubled with monetary affairs, but now money and the ugly word embezzlement must enter. When "Dunblane's"

Michigan company got its charter the Michigan securities commission required that the company, during its stock-selling activities, should deposit 85 per cent of its stock sale proceeds in a joint account between the company and the commission. But "Dunblane," through accident or mistake or other reason, opened up accounts of his own. In particular he had one account at St. Ignace, Mich., and in particular he spent from there the sum of \$240,67, part of the proceeds of a stock subscription by Mary E. Miller, one of the several who subsequently laid charges of theft by embezzlement.

It was a long time before "Dunblane's" subscribers became suspicious. When they did warrants were issued simultaneously in Michigan and in London and Aylmer, Ont. It was, however, Sheriff Weaver of Charlevoix who located "Dunblane" and the "Countess" living in La Corona hotel, Montreal. The "Earl" registered under the name of James Cro-marty. "Dunblane" did not fight extradition but returned immediately to Charlevoix for trial.

Admits the Facts.

At the trial "Dunblane" admitted the facts concerning the Mary E. Miller subscription. He had acted in ignorance, he said. He said many other things, but he was convicted and sentenced to from two and a half to five years.

It is estimated that, all told, "Dunblane" sold \$90,000 of stock.

There is still much mystery about his past, but so far as can be learned he was born in Aberdeen of poor parents. As a child he ran around the streets with no shoes or stockings, his clothes in tatters. Developing a mania for reading, he made himself what he is today, a man of learning and culture.

At twenty he married a Scotchwoman, who became Christina Grieg. They dwelt in Aberdeen. Several years passed and several children blessed the union. Grieg and his family then moved to Nottingham, where he formed his first association with the insurance business. He appears to have had some dealings with the Scottish Union and National Insurance company, but he was not there long. In the witness box he said that he had assisted Sir Herbert Croft to organize another insurance company there.

Ten years ago Grieg appeared in Canada. He established himself as a barrister at Moose Jaw. He bought a 600-acre farm in Saskatchewan, he bought 10,000 prairie acres near Regina. In 1914 he had filled such a place in Moose Jaw society that he ran for mayor, but received only 67 votes. About that time he became involved in a deal over lot titles and quit-claim deeds.

On the Move.

He was arrested, allowed out on bail, and departed hurriedly for points east. He turned up in Lowell, Mass. Here he lived with an elder brother, and here he brought his family from Scotland. Here he organized another insurance company. But again he moved suddenly.

Next his family are heard of at Ann Arbor, Mich., and then they came to Toronto.

Grieg himself says his mother's name was Christina Tait Milne, his father's Alexander, marquis of Dunblane. To a Toronto Star reporter he said he was an M. A. from Aberdeen, a bachelor-of-law from Edinburgh, a fellow of the Engineering Institute of Scotland, and a fellow of the Royal Scottish Geographical society.

Books of reference show that the title Viscount Dunblane belongs to the earl of Leeds. In the witness box Grieg said his mother's father was the youngest brother of the earl of Leeds. The fact was not recorded in Burke's Peerage, but it should be, he said. "Have you hobnobbed with royalty?" asked the prosecutor. "I have associated with noblemen," replied Grieg with dignity.

Wise as Father.

In court in the presence of the "Countess" Grieg was asked about his Toronto wife and family. There was some confusion as to how many of the eight children are his. Eventually he told the Judge Christina Grieg was twenty-eight and had four children when he married her.

The status of his marriage to the "Countess" or of his previous marriage to Christina has not yet been officially inquired into, although Judge Sample, when sentencing Grieg, put it on record that he wished allegations of bigamy and of perjury to be investigated.

Christina Grieg resolutely refused to go to Charlevoix from Toronto for the trial. To reporters she gave the impression of suffering from shock, and expressed the greatest incredulity concerning the revelation about her husband's financial and marital adventures in the United States.

The "Countess" Sara remained loyal all through the earlier stages of Grieg's trial. She sent books, among others, "This Freedom," to the jail, and called when she could. At the unhappy conclusion of the trial she became hysterical. But when the existence of Christina Grieg in Toronto was revealed, she hastened to inaugurate an independent inquiry on her own account.

Grieg on his arrival at Jackson jail to serve his sentence found some appreciation. "What about this card stuff?" asked the warden when Grieg was presented. "Is it true or is it bunk?" Then when Grieg had answered, the warden extended his hand. "Shake," he said. "After all these murderers and hoodluggers it is a great pleasure to meet a real high-class crook."

ABOUT TAXES

The following item was taken from a recent issue of the Walton (Ind.) Independent:

Say, Tom, one of the over-fed ivory domed officials at Washington, has found a new idea for the raising of the money for the soldier's bonus. This is to issue tax free bonds to them. In this way they would eventually—with the rest of us—pay themselves their bonus. It's a great scheme to keep the war profiteers immune. But we should worry.

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"Were you very sick with the flu, Rastus?"

"Sick, sick! Man, Ah was so sick most every night Ah look in dat casualty list for mah name."—Whis Bang.

A young man entered the lobby of a hotel and anxiously inquired: "Is Henry Ford here?"

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NOTICE OF HOLDING OF ELECTION

Whereas, a petition was heretofore presented to the City Council of the town of Canyon, signed by 35 citizens and qualified voters of said town of Canyon City, Randall County, Texas, petitioning the City Council of said town of Canyon City, that an election be held as soon as practicable for the purpose of submitting to the legally qualified voters of said town of Canyon the question of whether or not power shall be conferred upon the City Council of said town of Canyon City to close that portion of Evelyn Street within said town of Canyon City lying south of Block No. 9 and north of Block No. 16 in Heller's Addition to said town of Canyon City, as the same appears on file in the office of the County Clerk of said Randall County, Texas; and,

Whereas, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1923, said petition was considered by said Council and on said date a resolution passed granting same and directing that an election be held in said town of Canyon on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1923, for the purpose of submitting said question to the legally qualified voters of said town of Canyon City, and directing the Mayor of said town of Canyon City to issue notice of said election, as required by law;

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the town of Canyon City, Randall County, Texas, on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1923, within the hours prescribed by law, for the purpose of submitting to the legally qualified voters of said town of Canyon City, Texas, the question of whether or not power shall be conferred upon the City Council of the town of Canyon City to close that portion of Evelyn Street within the town of Canyon City lying south of Block No. 9 and north of Block No. 16 in Heller's Addition to said town of Canyon City, according to the map or plat of said addition on file in the office of the County Clerk of Randall County, Texas.

J. D. GAMBLE, Mayor
Attest: PEARL JINKINS,
(Seal) City Secretary.



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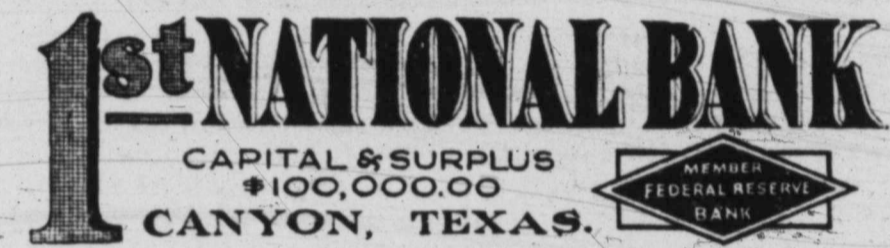
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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
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U. S. L. & Other Bonds 52,128.33	Surplus and Profits..... 51,471.51
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Bkg. House, Furn., Fixt..... 25,000.00	Rediscounts F. R. Bank..... 116,390.11
Other Real Estate Owned..... 18,649.65	Deposits..... 357,341.17
Cash & Sight Exchange 125,064.55	Total.....\$624,802.79
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