





### Nutrition Worker Closes Work in City for the Year—Work Continues

Miss Mildred E. Smith, Nutrition Worker for the American Red Cross, closed her work in Canyon last week and left for Maryville, Missouri.

Miss Smith makes the following report regarding her work in Canyon:

The American Red Cross Nutrition lessons under Miss Mildred Smith, Red Cross Dietitian, were completed March 7th. The work is to be continued under the direction of Miss Helen Burton of the college Home Economics faculty, Mrs. Harvey Cash, Nutrition Chairman, and Mrs. Dan K. Usery. The teachers will weigh the pupils each month and report to Mrs. Cash and Mrs. Usery.

When the school children were weighed the first time 31.8% were found to be underweight; but at the last weighing, just before Miss Smith completed her work, only 21.5% were found to be under weight. However all who were weighed the first time were not weighed the second time due to the fact that many were out of school with measles. The next weighing at the end of March will probably be a more accurate report of the actual gain in weight.

All children found to be 5% or more underweight at the first weighing were given a physical examination to locate any physical defect which could be causing the condition of underweight. Four of the local physicians very kindly gave their services for the examination. Those conducting the examination were Dr. Biggers, Dr. Donnell, Dr. Stewart and Dr. Wilson. Notice of the defects found was sent to the parents of each child and many took steps to have the trouble corrected.

Thirty minute lessons were given each week in each grade room in both the public and training schools. The work included instruction in Health Rules and simple rules for selecting a well balanced diet.

In the high school, chapel talks were given, and in addition to that lectures on Dietetics were given to the girls in Mrs. Phillips' food class. The high school students were weighed and measured and a report given to them as to how they stood in regard to normal weight.

A ladies class, with a membership of fifty-one, met each week for instruction in Food Selection. This class was probably the largest single class in Food Selection in the Southwestern Division of the American Red Cross.

A story hour was held each week for the children. Here stories about good health were told. Games and songs on health were a feature of each story hour also.

Miss Smith feels that the success of the Red Cross Nutrition program in Canyon is due to the splendid co-operation given by teachers, parents, children, and Red Cross Executive Board. Ladies of the town were never too busy to go and help when called upon. These same people are going right on with the work so that the program will be of permanent benefit.

A collector of colonial silverware in New York City paid \$4,200 at auction for the silver bowl made by Paul Revere and presented to General William Shepherd by the Springfield (Massachusetts) militia for suppressing the Shays Rebellion in 1787.

### Manual Training Department of College Does Much Repairing

Several hundred dollars each year in repair bills and new furniture is saved the College through the efforts of the Manual Training Department. That department headed by R. A. Terrill and Robert Donald has saved the College annually much money by repairing chairs, desks, cases and tables from the administration building and from the dormitories owned by the state.

Recently repair work on chairs from Cousins and Randall Hall amounted to \$80 if the dormitories had been charged the prevailing prices. However, the students and instructors of the department quickly did the necessary work with the dormitories being out only a few cents for glue and screws.

The classes in carpentry and cabinet making under the instruction of Professor Robert Donald number 70 pupils and every one of the seventy-six works at some time during a period of two days in the workshop. Each student makes some kind of furniture after a preliminary course of three weeks when the student is taught the proper use and care of tools. Students who have been in the course for two or three years have sets of useful furniture which they have made at small expense.

The workshops are filled with machines for speedy and efficient work. The list of large machines in the wood-work division of the department include: eight motor head lathes, with variable speed, one combination grinder, one twelve inch joiner, one six inch joiner, one bench saw, one hand saw, one hollow chisel mortiser and one surer. All of the machines listed are direct motor driven or with short belts. Electricity is used for power. Work tables for thirty students are in the room. The equipment used is kept in excellent condition and the two large rooms used by the woodwork division a constant hum of machines.

Many students who have been trained for some time in the department are able to make money to defray a large part of their expenses through

work on buildings in Canyon and through cabinet and desk making.

Display and science cases used in the college were made by the department. Cabinets, desks, stools, chairs, the woodwork part of farm tools, and even houses in Canyon are made by the students who study manual training in the department.

Professor Donald states that students who take the courses for a longer period than one year must know how to make cabinets and desks and how to do practical woodwork of any kind.

The rite of fire-walking in Tahiti as practiced by the priests is explained as follows: The stones used are basalt of volcanic origin, porous and non-conductive. A stone heated red hot at one end remains comparatively cool at the other. Because of this fact the native priests and their acolytes may with impunity walk over the surface of the glowing rocks.

The Mexican federals have the arms and the rebels the legs.—Detroit News.

### Deeds Filed This Week Transferring Randall County Land

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


J. A. Guthrie to D. B. Davis, sw 1-4 block 4, Heller addition to Canyon, consideration \$300.00.

R. A. Campbell to Leopold Stoeker, sections 87 and 88, block B-5, consideration \$16,536.

A. M. Smith to Howard Williams, block 15, Normal addition to Canyon, consideration \$650.

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Men's Union Suits, Summer Athletic styles, \$1.00 values <b>55c</b>	Men's Dress Shirts, odd lot sizes and patterns, values up to \$1.50 <b>79c</b>	Men's Khaki Work Shirts, a good \$1.25 value. Our Sale price <b>75c</b>
Men's Silk Ties, values up to \$1.25. Price Wrecking Sale Price <b>39c</b>	Ladies' Felt House Shoes going in this sale for only, the pair <b>55c</b>	Men's Overalls, good \$1.75 grade Sale Price <b>95c</b>

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## WORK OF SPRING QUARTER BEGINS

A NUMBER OF NEW STUDENTS ARE ENROLLING.

Total Number of Students Doing Required Work Reached 918 Last Quarter.

The Spring quarter opened yesterday morning with a number of new students enrolling for work in the institution. The enrollment of new students has been light so far, however, a number will probably enroll in the next week or two.

Nine hundred and eighteen students had been enrolled in the institution at the end of last quarter. Of these 327 students are enrolled in the college proper, and the remainder are enrolled in the Normal School and in the Training School. The enrollment in the college is about one hundred more than ever before in the history of the school.

In addition to the 918 students doing resident work, approximately 100 students are doing work by correspondence, and 540 members of women's study clubs are taking courses planned and directed by the Teachers College. Instruction is being given, directly or indirectly to nearly 2,000 people by the College.

## Cotton Seed Twenty-one Years Old Produces a Fine Test

A. C. Pipkin brought a sample of cotton seed that is 21 years old to the County Agent's office to be tested for germination. They were put into the germinator along with other samples that were being tested and showed that there were 35 seed out of 100 that were capable of producing strong plants, which was a much better showing than many of our 1923 seed could do.

These seed were grown by Mr. Pipkin in Ellis County, some of them were brought along when he moved to this county and were thrown up in a loft where they have been ever since. Through curiosity Mr. Pipkin brought the sample to be tested. Mr. Jennings states that this is the oldest sample of cotton seed he knows of to show that percentage of germination.

Another sample 11 years old was brought in by Mr. W. L. Pickett and is now on test.

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## Old Time Resident Died at Happy; Is Well Known Character

Happy, March 15.—With the passing here recently of William Stuetzel, another builder and pioneer of the West is added to the hall of fame in the world of historic characters. "Old Bill" as he was known to every ranchman and cattleman in the Panhandle, occupied a dominant position in the list of the old timers who were of the sturdy type who first entered the Panhandle and helped to start what later developed into our present industries, prosperous country. He was a commanding figure in days of the first settlers in this section, and his work carried him into contact with practically every family on the Plains.

Stuetzel was an enlisted man from Pennsylvania, a Civil War veteran. He has drawn a pension from the Old Soldiers' Fund for many years. He was a well digger and windmill builder by trade and came to Wichita Falls forty five years ago. He worked along the ranches up to Mobeetie and Tascosa, then to Lubbock, and sunk wells for a majority of the ranchers on the plains. Every old cattleman knew "Old Bill" and he could call them all by name. His policy of honesty and fairness made him a man loved by all who knew him, and every one was his friend. Stuetzel attended strictly to his own business and never gossiped.

Mr. Stuetzel was among the few old timers who now live in the Panhandle, and his death is grieved by all the people who have followed the development

## Plainview Man in Austin Regarding Cotton Seed Tests

Plainview Herald: J. B. Wallace, manager of the Plainview grain exchange, returned yesterday from Austin where he has been in conference with those in charge of the seed laboratory of the state department of agriculture.

Mr. Wallace states that he learned much about the department's system of handling experiments in seed germination which will be valuable to him in the work he is doing for the exchange. An electric seed germinator has been in use in his office for several weeks. There was some little variance in the germination tests; he completed and the tests of the department on the same lots of seed and his trip to Austin was to learn where he was doing the work incorrectly.

Mr. Wallace says that he was informed by the department that last year some farmers made the mistake of taking the live seed test for germination test, with the result that poor stands were secured. The live seed test is made by soaking seed 10 minutes in water before placing them in the tester. The number sprouting would indicate the percentage of live seed. However, since this is done under more favorable than field conditions, it is not a dependable test and to determine germination percentage the seed should be tested without soaking.

An element which enters into the desirability of seed for planting is sensitiveness. Sensitive seed may do well under the most favorable conditions, but under adverse conditions would not do well, although they test high in germination. So sensitive seed should not be planted unless the conditions of temperature, moisture, etc., are the very best.

Four large furnaces located at Pootung, across the Whanpoo River from Shanghai, China, are used solely for the purpose of destroying drugs which have been seized by customs officials. Many thousands of dollars worth of opium and its derivatives are burned annually.

## Chinese Elm Trees to be Planted on Court House Lawn

Through the efforts of County Agent Jennings four Chinese Elms have been received from the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Sub-Station, No. 8, at Lubbock. These trees were donated by Mr. R. E. Karper, Superintendent of the Station, in order to test them out under our conditions. These trees have proven very well adapted to the Lubbock conditions having made as much growth in six years as the average tree will in ten or twelve years.

This tree is a native of China. Some seed were imported to this country several years ago, and some of them were sent to the Lubbock Station in 1918 and now the first trees to be propagated are almost twenty feet high.

The trees received here were seedlings transplanted to the nursery row last spring and have made a growth of about four feet in one year.

During the severe midwinter, mountain sheep in Southwestern Colorado were forced to come down to the settlements of man for fodder. At Ouray, Colorado, hay is provided for them on their daily visits during the severest weather. The citizens are proud of the herd and defend them both from the weather and from human enemies.

James Eads Howe, known all over America as the millionaire hobo and benefactor of the downtrodden, has forsaken the hobo life and plans to settle down and enjoy life in San Diego, California, in the land of sunshine and orange groves, according to reports.

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## Umbarger Notes

About four inches of snow fell Wednesday followed by a little rain Sunday morning.

The snow stopped work in the fields for a few days. The small grain that has been sown now has a good chance to come up.

E. J. Friemel was in Amarillo with a sick baby Sunday.

L. Wick and family and Frank Vorvald and family spent Sunday at the R. Friemel home.

Several farmers have started to drain a lake in the L. Wick pasture. They are digging a hole near the lake and when they reach quicksand they expect to let the water run in and escape through the quicksand. The water has been standing over the road making it impassible since the big rains last fall.

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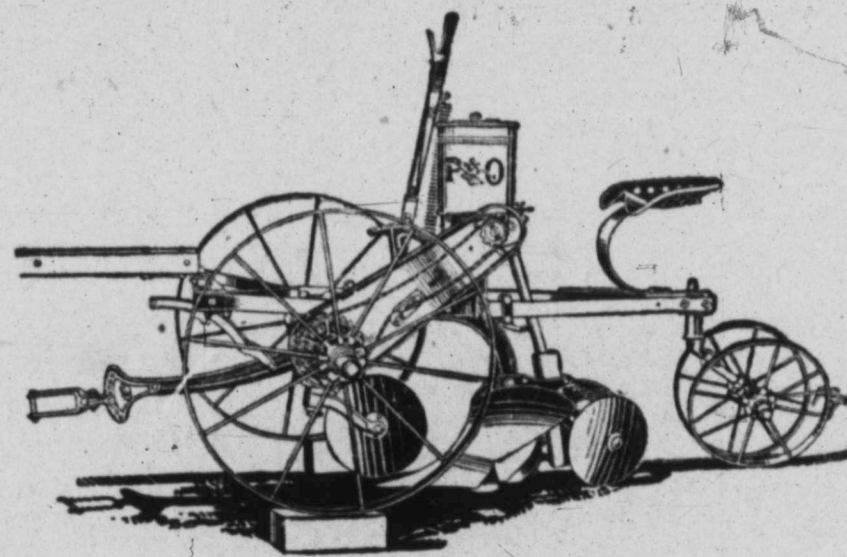
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