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Chamber of Commerce CURRENTS

By the Secretary

How Terry Sizes Up

The following are figures as obtained by the Chamber of Commerce revealing the acreage, yield and average per acre of some of the best black land counties in the state and also Terry's standing for 1924:

| County | Acreage | Yield Per A | Bales |
|------------|---------|-------------|--------|
| McLennan | 234,730 | 54,655 | 23 |
| Collin | 176,901 | 49,311 | 27 |
| Williamson | 266,979 | 77,733 | 29 |
| Terry | 60,000 | 15,000 | 33 1-3 |

These figures indicate to us that Terry's yield is higher based on total acreage and average per acre than the famous black lands, not to speak of our feed crops. Black land prices run from \$75 to \$200 per acre, while our land runs from \$15 to \$50 per acre. A fellow can be pardoned for having pride in his home town and county, but when figures will back him up, he is then justified in telling the world about them.

A Prudent Step

The City Council called the election off two days before the voting for the proposed paving project for our city. The consensus of the citizenship's opinions seemed to suggest this action. We all seemed to concur in the opinion that our town needs sewerage facilities not only from a standpoint of public necessity but in view of sanitary and health welfare its needs is daily felt. While we did not think that paving was of as much necessity as the sewerage, and as it would be too burdensome to carry both, hence the paving issue was called off to permit the consideration of something else needed more seriously, and in this connection the citizens are the judges as to what they want done. The city council acts upon the mandates of the municipality of which they serve.

The clean up campaign idea is well taken with a number of our people, but the Chamber of Commerce was supporting it from a city-wide standpoint, for it is of no value for one neighbor to clean up his premises and the outhouses and the rest of us not do it, for then our flies would visit him just the same. We are still pulling for a clean-up week, city-wide in its movement, business section and residence as well.

Swat the Fly

The early fly is the fly to swat; He comes around before it's hot; Sits down and files his legs, And lays about a million eggs.

EXCAVATION STARTED FOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Excavations for the heating plant was started last week at the site of the new high school building about a block east of the grammar school building, which will be rushed to completion as material will soon be arriving for the foundation. The building will be rushed in order to try to get it ready for the September term of school.

It is going to be a beautiful building when complete, as it will be constructed of cream brick, and the architectural design is pretty. It is so constructed that additions can be made from time to time as the school demands at minimum expense.

Thompson and Wingerd are the builders and John Scott architect.

FOUR HELD HERE FOR "HOT" CHECKING AT TATUM, N. M.

Two men, accompanied by their wives, we suppose, were arrested by the sheriff's department here Friday, charged with giving a check for \$30 at Tatum, N.M., on a Brownfield bank in payment for a tire they were in need of. The parties were unknown here, and are supposed to be residences of Wichita Falls.

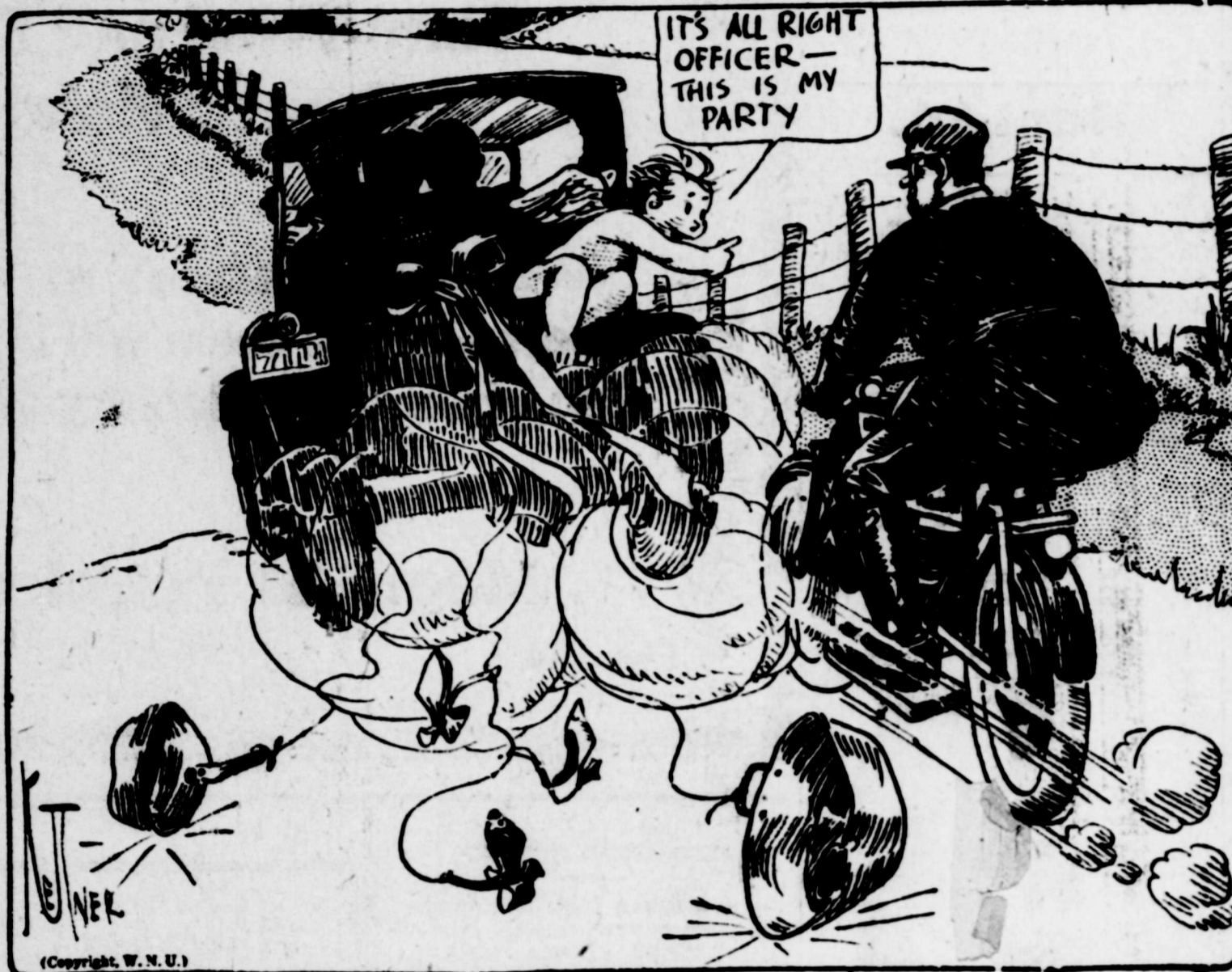
A brother of one of the defendants came in Monday and settled a fine of \$81.00 for them, which included the cost of the tire, and they went on their way rejoicing, and probably re-checking.

THOSE WITHOUT WATER METERS TO BE CUT OFF 15TH

If you are tied on city water without a meter, you will be cut off the 15th of June.

Save yourself and the city trouble by calling your plumber.
By Order of the Mayor

The June Bride



PREPARATIONS MADE FOR REVIVAL AT CHURCH OF C.

Song and prayer services have been going on this week at the local church of Christ, and those members who have attended seem to have their voices attuned not only for those old revival favorites, but some astonishingly pretty new ones. In fact Bro. Burnett seems to have the singers in splendid shape to turn over to Bro. Teddie tonight.

To those who have never heard Bro. McLung, let us advise you to hear his first and last sermons if possible while he is here. There is no necessity in giving this advice to those who heard him last year, for they will need no urging. His series of sermons are so closely connected with each other, that they become seemingly a continued story of Jesus and His Love, and you are going to appreciate every one of them whether you agree with all he says or not. Even if you disagree with him, you can't help respecting him for his fairness and earnestness. For truly he is a pulpit live wire. While he don't preach to please the multitude, and makes no bandstand displays, the love in which he proclaims the Word has gained him friends all over the southwest among both saint and sinner.

Several additional lights have been added in the church building, so that all can easily see to help sing no matter in what portion of the building, and 60 new song books are on hand to augment the others.

City water has recently been piped into the newly completed baptistry, so that all baptismal services can be had in the building. If the weather becomes too warm during the meeting, electric fans will be added, so that those attending will be comfortable at all times.

All things are now prepared. Come and "let us reason together."
—The Committee

STAGE CAR OVERTURNS AND BURNS MONDAY NIGHT

While returning toward Meadow Monday night driving one of the big Nash line cars belonging to the King hotel, it went into a ditch and taking fire, burned up despite efforts of the driver, Rance King and his companion, Jack Bailey to extinguish the flames. They also came very near burning themselves, as they had difficulty in getting out from under the car.

The boys report meeting several cars in the road whose lights so blinded them that they went into the ditch before they knew it. They were running only about 15 miles per hour which fact probably kept them from being crushed, but were only slightly bruised.

Mr. King carried insurance on the car but not enough to cover the loss, it is understood.

J. T. Whitley is now sojourning in the Moran country oil fields.

PAVING BOND ISSUE ELECTION CALLED OFF

After due consideration of the best interest of all concerned, and the future of our little city, the City Council had a called meeting recently and stopped the election for Tuesday of this week when the qualified voters of the city were to pass on a bond issue of \$50,000 to pave some fourteen blocks in the business section of our city.

While many doubtless would have supported the bond issue for paving, and scarcely any doubt that we need paving, the general opinion even with our best boosters was that we were going the wrong way about the matter, as they considered sewerage of more convenience just at present, as well as a measure to safe guard the health of our citizenship. And in view of the fact that \$50,000 is about our bonding limit for the present, and further that even with our nice paving we could not hope to have sewerage too in the next several years, probably, it was thought best to stop the election.

It is our understanding that the Councilmen will be called together at once by Mayor Joe J. McGowan, and an election called for a bond issue of some \$50,000 for a modern and up-to-date sewerage system and disposal plant.

It is our opinion that it won't be but a few years at best when we can realize our ambition to have our streets well paved.

Later: An election has been called for July the 7th to vote on a bond issue of \$50,000 to put in a Sanitary Sewerage System for Brownfield.

PROCLAMATION

The State of Texas, County of Terry, City of Brownfield:—

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Brownfield, Texas, deems it necessary that the citizens of said City get together on a Clean-Up Week that the said city may be out in a more sanitary condition; and

Whereas, it has been suggested that the week beginning June 8th, 1925, would be suitable to the majority of said citizens:

Now, therefore, I, Joe J. McGowan, Mayor of said City of Brownfield, Texas, hereby set aside the week beginning June 8th, 1925, as GENERAL CLEAN-UP WEEK for said city, and earnestly request that every one do his part toward ridding the city of rubbish of all kinds by first turning his attention to his own premises, and then to the streets and alleys about him.

Pile your rubbish near the street or alley that it may be reached without difficulty.

An earnest cooperation from every citizen is respectfully asked that we may have a CLEANER CITY.

Joe J. McGowan,
Mayor, City of Brownfield, Texas

INDICATIONS GOOD FOR ROAD BONDS TO CARRY

The Herald has made no large canvass of the road bond issue situation, but in a quiet manner has felt the pulse of the citizenship almost all over the county, and we find many people who vigorously opposed the court house bonds to be ardent supporters of the road bond issue. We also have it on good authority that both Meadow and Tokio, which voted adversely on the court house bonds, will throw up a good strong majority of the road bonds.

It is also our understanding that we are almost sure of getting the Lamesa road designated as a State Highway in the next few days, and if so, to our notion this will almost clinch the proposition by getting a full support from the south end of the county, which now appears to be a standoff.

Today is a day of good roads, and a county is judged in the quality, education and standing of its people by their roads. Counties who have them have also learned that it not only pays them in the amount of additional tourists who come to their county and spend more or less money in passing through, but also saves the citizens of that county, time, money and patience in getting wherever they want to go. They also find that it is no longer a question of loading their team, but loading the wagon or truck, and the load capacity of the wagon or truck is the limit. Then after the vehicle is loaded, the distance is no object, as only the speed law limit restrains them in getting to their destination.

A vote for the bonds is a vote for progress, for convenience, and for time and money saved. As far as the old argument goes about saddling a debt on our children goes, let us just say this: The children of the future generations are going to have good roads or know the reason why, and if we do not give them good roads they are going to laugh and jest of their parents non-progressiveness.

NORTH OF 36 THE BEST SHOW YET IS VERDICT

Large crowds saw North of 36 both Monday and Tuesday nights at the Rialto Theatre, and almost all were unanimous in the verdict that it was the superior of Thundering Herd Sunset, or Covered Wagon.

Almost the same characters were used in North of 36 as Covered Wagon, but there seemed to be better action, and more realistic. Then too, it just naturally appealed to a Texas being as the scene was laid in our own beloved State.

Messrs. Jones and Bynum are giving the theatre goes the very latest. To cite a case in point, a picture was run here recently only ten days behind its first run in Chicago.

Z. Burk of the Snappy Filling Station is now a regular reader.

EDITOR SEES NEIGHBORING TOWNS SUNDAY

Half of the world don't know how the other half lives, it is said, and we believe this is almost true, despite the fact that the country is full of motor cars. This we do know, that this editor is classed in the ignorant bunch, for we have lived here more than 16 years and Sunday was the first time we ever saw O'Donnell, Texas, less than 40 miles away. However, there has not been any O'Donnell more than that about 12 years.

The editor and family carried Mrs. E. A. Morgan and children to Lamesa Sunday morning, where we were met by her husband from Coahoma. While there we called on Editor Smith of the Reporter, who kindly took us through his most excellent newspaper plant. He has not only one of the most complete, but one of the most neatly and conveniently arranged country newspaper offices we ever had the pleasure of visiting. It was our first personal acquaintance with Bro. Smith, but we found him just as agreeable and polite as any country editor should be.

Lamesa is a growing, progressive, and pretty little city, chock full of good wide-awake folks, and we are proud to have such a city near us.

After lunch we decided to return via Tahoka and O'Donnell instead of by Pride and Lou, and we found the two towns and the country surrounding them making rapid progress, although we did not stop in the former and only long enough to get a cold drink in the later. Tahoka folks are building some nice churches. O'Donnell was odd as a Plains town because of its unusually narrow streets, though it is a surprising large town for its age and has many nice stores and residences.

As to the crops, we believe we saw a million rows of cotton Sunday, all up to a good stand, and feed likewise except a small section between Lamesa and O'Donnell which seemed to have had very light rainfall so far.

CITY HEALTH OFFICER ISSUES A STATEMENT

To the People of the Incorporated limits of Brownfield:—

As there has come some complaints recently concerning certain premises that are filthy, I wish to state that if the party complaining will make the complaints known to me, I will make an immediate investigation, and if same justifies, will order improvement as the health of our little city comes first of all things. This especially applies to open toilets where flies can reach and breed, and filthy hog pens.

If there are any contagious diseases near you, it becomes your duty to report same that quarantine may be made of the family, no matter if it is your own family, or the family of your best friend.

Let us have a clean town, a healthy town, with no filthy places or dead animals abounding to imperil our life or the life of our neighbors. This can be done only through cooperation with your health officer.

Very truly yours,
M. C. Bell, M.D.
City Health Officer

HERE'S A RIGHT BIG FIRM IT LOOKS LIKE

The Bell Telephone system is pretty much a large concern, according to information from the company headquarters.

There are 345,000 Americans owning stock in the organization, which is worth approximately \$2,250,000, and 40,500,000 calls are handled more or less promptly every day and this number 1,800,000 are long distance calls. The company employs 148,000 operators, which figure equals the population of Fort Worth.

MONEY RAISED TO PUT WELL AT MEADOW CEMETERY

The people of Meadow made up money this week for the purpose of putting in a well at the cemetery and donations were received to the amount of \$115 according to R. H. Timmons, secretary of the cemetery association.

A contract will be let soon for the digging of the well, and it is stated that a pump and casing will be put in. —Meadow Review.

DR. HERNDON TO PREACH AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUN NIGHT

Dr. T. V. Herndon, of Dallas, will preach at the Baptist Church Sunday night, June 7th. Brother Herndon is Budget director of the Baptist State Board.

WITCHER SUCCEEDS DALTON AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

W. C. Witcher, Lubbock attorney, was yesterday appointed by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson as prosecuting attorney for the 72nd Judicial District of Texas, to fill out the unexpired term of Hon. Parke N. Dalton of Crosbyton, who succumbed to an attack of erysipelas here last Friday, according to semi-official reports reaching here from Austin last night.

While the appointment of Mr. Witcher came unexpectedly to many persons here. Those who have kept in close touch with the situation man of pleasing personality, fine character's selection. Five local attorneys bid for the place and for the past five days political wheels in Lubbock County, the Plains and other parts of Texas have been churning rapidly, as friends of the different applicants busied themselves in attempting to land the position for their favorite candidates.

Mr. Witcher came to Lubbock about three months ago from Fort Worth, where he had been engaged in the practice of law and set up an office in conjunction with Henry R. Bishop and Howard Matney, in the Wilson building, under the firm caption of Bishop Witcher and Matney. He has appeared in a number of cases since his arrival, the most important being last week when he represented a group of Slaton Citizens in a mandamus suit filed against the authorities of that city.

He first became known in Lubbock last year when he spoke from a platform in the Courthouse yard against the K. K. K. and several years ago was engaged in lecture work of this type which carried him over a number of states. He is a were not at all surprised at the Governor and makes a very forceful speech and will no doubt have little trouble in adapting himself to the duties of his new office.

Since his arrival in Lubbock Mr. Witcher has been unsuccessful in the purchase of a suitable dwelling, and with several children attending school in Fort Worth has delayed the moving of his family here. Mrs. Witcher and the children are expected to arrive in Lubbock as soon as suitable quarters can be found.

Unless a special session is called, which is highly improbable, Lubbock people will have their first opportunity to hear Mr. Witcher prosecute a case in a local courtroom next August when the next term of District court will be called. He will, however, attend courts in other counties of the District prior to that date. —Plains Journal.

A NEW CITIZEN'S VIEWS ON BROWNFIELD

Brownfield should be a beacon light of prosperity to seekers who wish to build and establish a home, and to do this we have to begin a town by making it attractive to them. The first thing one looks at is the school and banking facilities, which Brownfield has, and should be proud of. Second, trading possibilities, which are wonderful. Third, the condition of the city in general.

The writer is very proud of the city in finding it so well established as it is, and with a city administration that it has—a select body of citizens who are devoting their time in making the city what it should be. They have the proper spirit in wanting paved streets. Yet there is lots of preparatory work that should be attended to before this is done. First, sewerage; second, curb and gutters, with the gutters connected to the sewerage, which would handle the water in the business section of town. Sewerage would do away with the cesspool and fly harbors in the alleys. Trash burners would go away with the loose paper and trash blowing about town, and let a merchant burn his trash and paper with the fire hazard decreased about 90 per cent.

Dear reader, I am not a knocker, but a booster heart and soul for the city of Brownfield. While I am in business and a stranger amongst you, I am a booster, and am ready to assist the city's administration in anything that is for the betterment of the town. If you don't believe it, try me and see.

(Signed) C. R. Miller
Messrs. J. W. Spencer and Kerschner, of Brownfield, were down the week end with their parents and uncle and Mrs. J. L. Randal.

C. L. Williams

announces

the addition of a complete stock of

GROCERIES

He will be ready to serve you the early part of next week with

Free Delivery

Give him a trial and "Save Money"

C. L. Williams

Groceries, Hardware, Furniture and Undertaking

CALIFORNIA, I LOVE YOU

Oh, come to the land of the western sun,
Where every business is overdone;

Where the stores charge freight on
the goods made here;

Ask them the reason, they think you
queer.

They serve you climate with all your
meals.

So blamed hot your back just peels,
The "Ananias Club" includes the state

From San Diego to the Golden Gate.

The movie stars marry twice a year,
Would marry again if the way were

clear.

The grape fruit here is something
fine.

Cross between a lemon and a pum-
kin rind.

Cows eat barley instead of hay,
The cream gets lost in the milky way.

They sell you lots that were made by
hand.

And make you believe its really land.
The views of the ocean is very nice,

That is included with the price.

They weigh the sack and then the
fruit.

Then weigh them again and their fingers
to boot.

They claim it is wet if it rains once
a year.

You get so dry you can't shed a tear,
The chickens have mites, the dogs

have fleas.

The desert winds blow and the oranges
freeze.

We shovel sand, you shovel snow,
Just about a standoff, far as I know,

So tune up your flivver and start for
the west.

Where jobs are scarce and pay is less,
Bring all your cash and plenty of

clothes;

When you get any more the Lord
only knows.

I'm telling this story which I know
is true.

As seen by me thru eyes of blue,
If the booster club ever gets this

back,

They'll change my eyes from blue to
black.

They ask us to write the truth to a
friend.

Now this is done, so this is the end.
The above was sent the editor by

a friend who makes his home in the
Golden State, who adds that it is just

about the truth of the matter.—Ed.

RAILROAD MAN SAYS SOUTHPLAINS A LEADER

"The South Plains of West Texas
is advancing more rapidly than any

other section of the country today
and to me seems to have a future that

is unbounded."

That was the statement made here
the early part of the week by C. L.

Seagraves, of Chicago, general colon-
ization agent of the Santa Fe railway

company and the man for whom Seagraves
was named, who was in Lub-
bock on business.

The opinion of Mr. Seagraves can
be taken without reservations as his

business with the railway company
takes him all over the west, the

Southwest, and Central parts of the
nation and keeps him in touch with

conditions all over the country.

Mr. Seagraves was in this section
looking over the territory served by

the Santa Fe and inspecting the coun-
try west of here on the new branch

line to the New Mexico border. He
has been in the service of the Santa

Fe for thirty-nine years, the last
twenty five of which have been as

general colonization agent. He vis-
ited the plains one time before, that

being in 1909 when the Santa Fe first
entered this territory.—Plains Journal.

The Senior BYPU of Seagraves will
render a program here Sunday even-
ing at the Baptist church at 7:15.

A. V. McKinney, one of our com-
paratively new comers, was in to get

on the right side of the ledger re-
cently. Mr. Mack became a reader

of his new home county paper almost
immediately after moving here.

Com. Will Black of Gomez, had
business here Monday.

Cattle and Poultry as Weather Prophets

Can meteorologists, even with the
aid of wireless, forecast weather with
more accuracy than country folk who
watch nature's own barometers? If

cattle in a field scratch themselves
vigorously, or stand with their tails
to the wind the countryman will tell

you it is going to rain and his pre-
diction is invariably correct. If the
fowls come out to feed on a wet morn-
ing there is little chance of it clear-
ing up that day, says the Flower Grow-
er. The appearance of toads, frogs

and earthworms in unusual numbers
invariably means rain, and so do the
singing of blackbirds, the falling of
soot or the creaking of furniture. If

the ants in the garden build their walls
frequently or the house sparrow keeps
to the ridge country residents prepare
for rain, though if birds frequent the
eaves they will confidently prophesy
fine weather.

Storms from the northwest or south-
west are usually brief, but a storm
from the northeast is likely to be long
and severe. A veering wind brings
fine weather, a backing wind means
rain. These are the countryman's

barometer. Their significance is
based upon the observation and ex-
perience of centuries, and the fore-
cast made from them is quite as re-
liable as any issued from the metro-
logical observatories.

Taking of Photograph Once Tedious Process

In the first attempts to make a
photograph in the early part of the
eighteenth century, the subject to be
photographed sat between the source
of light and a sheet of sensitized paper

fastened on a board. His shadow
blocked off a certain proportion of the
light rays, and as a result his profile
in silhouette was left on the paper.
This image, however, faded in a few

minutes.

Even as late as 50 years ago, taking
a single picture was often a day's
work, and required such skill and ex-
pert knowledge and such elaborate,
costly, and cumbersome equipment

that the few who had mastered the
art were glad to capitalize their
knowledge by utilizing it profession-
ally.

The earliest sunlight picture of a
human face is supposed to be a dag-
uerrotype of Miss Dorothy Draper,
and was taken by her brother, Profes-
sor Draper, in 1840. The subject had
to sit motionless in bright sunlight for
almost six minutes.

Didn't Seem Fair

A business man who had motored
out to his summer camp for the week-
end met his little daughter at the
bridge and presented her with a small
sack of candy. Just before they

reached camp they overtook the small
barefoot boy who brought them milk
each morning.

"Give the little boy some candy,
Gertie," her father suggested.
Gertie picked out a small piece, but
her father took the bag and poured
out several pieces into the boy's out-
stretched hand.

After the boy had gone Gertie said
reproachfully, "Papa, why did you give
that milk boy nearly all my candy?"

"Why, my dear, you must be gener-
ous! Think of all the nice milk he
brings, and they don't charge much for
it."

"Oh, well," said the little girl, still
reproachfully, "I only had a few bits
of candy, and he's got a whole cow
full of milk."—Youth's Companion.

Turbans and Nests

The turban is a fashionable head-
dress in Burma, and each girl eagerly
looks forward to the time when it will
be her privilege to swathe her head in
yards and yards of dark cloth. But

until she has found a young man who
is willing to build her a bungalow house
and to raise rice for her, she cannot
wear this coveted head-dress. Because
among the Kachins unmarried girls
are not permitted to wear a turban
nor do they let their hair grow long.
They wear bobbed hair and have done
so for centuries. But the day a Kachin
girl is married she lets her hair grow
and binds it up with the turban, which
she wears with pride. For the turban
marks her as a married woman.—Family Herald.

Panama's Noah's Ark

Barro Colorado island was formed
when the valleys about it were flooded
by the impounding of the water of the
Chagres river to form Gatun lake, says
the Detroit News. It resembles
Noah's Ark in that there gathered as
the waters rose nearly every form of
animal life in the vicinity, seeking
escape from the rising flood.

Despite that it is only two miles
from the Panama river, it has been
found to harbor amphibians of new
and strange habits as yet unstudied
and innumerable species of insects
never described, as well as many
strange and exotic plants, number-
ing 2,000 or more. It abounds with
anteaters, sloths, armadillos, peccaries,
tapirs, agoutis, coatis, the ocelot, the
jaguar, many species of bat, monkeys
of various kinds and the famous black
howlers.

Want Ads

FEED FOR SALE: A few hun-
dred bundles of kaffir corn; extra
heavy, at 10c per bundle; 8 1/2 miles
N.E. Brownfield; 1 mile north of
Challis—O. K. Tongate 1p

LOSP: Yale key No. H567 and a
Miller Mfg. Co. key both tied on a
string. Return to Herald and receive
a reward.

FOR SALE: Ear and seed corn.
See R. D. Lindley 2 1/2 miles east of
Brownfield. 6-19p

FOUR ROOM house for rent. Call
No. 116 22c

NOTICE: The city of Brownfield
now has its own electrician, and those
who have their houses wired, will
please see Geo. E. Tiernan over the
State Bank building, who will notify
the City Electrician to tie you in on
the circuit. 15c

FEED AND SEED and the famous
Blue Wagon Mebane cottonseed for
sale. See K. W. Howell at the old
McAdams Lumber Yard. 4c

KASH COTTON SEED for sale at
Harrison-McSpadden gin; first come
first served. See Rex Headstream or
J. S. Estlack. 8-16c

FOR SALE—One section of good
catclaw land, 20 miles west of Brown-
field, will build small house and other
improvements and will give responsi-
ble party all it makes the first year.
Address lock box B, Lubbock, Tex-
as. 5-15ch.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS seed for
the yard. It stays green winter
and summer.—at Bowers Bros.

FOR RENT a 4-room house in the
east part of Brownfield. See or phone
W. E. Winn, Gomez, Texas. 15c

REVENGE LICE Destroyer is a
louse killer; sticks where others fall
off. Kills head as well as body lice
on livestock and fleas on dogs. Guar-
anteed to give satisfaction by Bowers
Brothers.

HERALD one year and the Dallas
Semi-Weekly Farm News for seven
month both for \$1.40 for a limited
time.

BIG LINE OF FIELD SEED, such
as Mortgage Lifter, Cane seed, Feter-
ita, Hegeira, Kaffir, Red Dwarf Maize
and Sudan. All picked and tested.—
At Bowers Brothers.

DID YOU KNOW you could read
52 books for \$1.00; less than the cost
of one good book. Library situated
in the Herald building with librarian
in charge every Monday from 4 to 6
P. M.

FOR SALE: Maize heads, bundle
sorghum and cotton seed. See A. C.
Holcombe, Gomez, Texas. 6-5c

SAVE RENT: Houses built on in-
stallation plan. See C. D. Shambur-
ger, City. 4-24c

MANY PEOPLE are making mon-
ey by using these want ads. Others
are saving money by reading them.

BROS. & BROS. will have a stock
of fresh Potato and Tomato plants,
beginning Monday, 18th, from the
Ledy Plaut Farm. 6-12p

COMPLETE stock of generator
brushes and ignition parts for all
makes of autos at Brick Garage. 66c

NEW PERFECTION oil stoves at
Holgate-Endersen Hdw. Co. 11c

BEST LINE of staple and fancy
groceries on the market.—Brothers
& Brothers.

READ more good books. The M.
& M. Library situated in the Herald
building has near 500 volumes to se-
lect from. Library open each Mon-
day from 4 to 6 P. M.

Magnolia Gasoline and Magnolene Motor Oils

Time Tried and Tested
Ask your Neighbor

We have hundreds of Magnolia Oil
Users—all of them will be glad to tell
you of the dependability of Magnolene.

Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Phone 10.

Ton. May, Agent

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of
skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema,
Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak,
Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on
Children. We will sell you a Jar of
BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guar-
antee. It will not stain your clothing
and has a pleasant odor.

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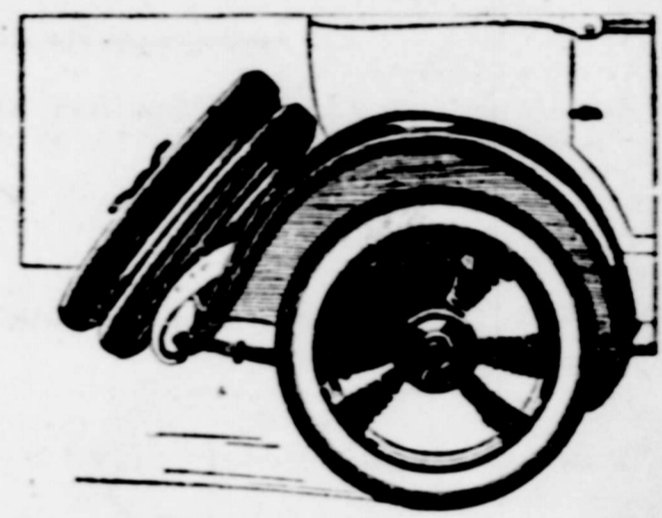
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Some way or other The News made several comical errors in the paper of last week when heads got mixed up in the mechanical department. The head to one article had the Baptist improving a bath house, and another head had the senior class of Sweetwater high school planting slips.—Nolan County News.

It sure is strange how the stuff will change your head. Even the old sour mash, double copper distilled, bottled in bond kind would sometimes cause the man in the moon to look like he had three heads. We don't fool with this modern stuff.

The Herald is pleased to acknowledge receipt of a 465 page Short History of American Railways, complimentary of the Santa Fe system, coming through A. M. Hove, assistant editor of The Earth, official Santa Fe publication. The volume is attractively and interestingly written, and printed, with numerous illustrations of steam engines from the first crude efforts now found only in museums, to the finest moguls now pulling long strings of cars across our continent. The Santa Fe has our hearty thanks for this neatly bound and valuable volume, which will find a place in our library.

We notice that young Wrigley is going to pave a street with gold. His dad has been instrumental in plastering many a chair seat with gum to the horror and dismay of many a young man and young lady. And right here we will tell you something on the gum business. When you sit on chewing gum don't bother it in any way until you can get a piece of ice and let it stay until the gum is thoroughly hardened and it will peel off without leaving a sign.—Lamesa Reporter.

Yes, but what about the flesh just under the pants where the ice is laid, Smith? Wont it peel off too? Suppose you only had one pair of pants?

A young fellow got drunk up in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, got in a car, turned on the gas and ran over and killed a child. The courts gave him a fine of \$500 and two years in the penitentiary. No drunken man has killed a child in this way in this county yet, but we are just lucky that they haven't. When such a tragedy does occur, we are going to see and hear a great amount of indignation. In the mean time we give men convicted of this offence a nominal fine and turn them loose. And yet a drunken man at the steering wheel of an auto is more dangerous to life than a mad dog but when the tragedy comes we will all be furiously indignant.—Marshall News.

"It was a wonderful wedding. The girl was as sweet as any girl who ever lived, but modern. As she walked up the aisle on her father's arm, her lips lightly tilted at the corners with a happy smile, she was a picture of modest beauty. Her filmy wedding gown and gossamer veil floated around her false blonde head like a halo. She was as nearly an angel as girls get to be in this world. As the altar as she passed from her father, the man she had always loved, to the other man, to whom she would devote the rest of her life, her dainty slipper touched a potted lily resting on the floor and turned to the dear old pastor waiting at the altar, and said, "That's a h-l of a place to put a lily."—Honey Grove Signal.

You will find that some of the newcomers are the salt of the earth, and the minute they land here they are confirmed boosters for the city and county. Then we are sorry to say, some are the other kind. We encountered one of 'em Sunday afternoon. In conversation with him he found that we had been here some sixteen years, whereupon he inquired somewhat sarcastically if we had been able to stand the sand and winds that length of time. Now this bird looked everything else but the picture of prosperity. His glib and radical tongue had probably cost him a job back east somewhere, and he left there "cussing" the country, and came here seeking work, he said, and begin as is probably his habit, by "cussing" this country too. And this unappreciative specimen expects people who love their city and community to give him work. But the world is composed of all kinds of creatures.

Dalt Lewis and family, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Jones are visiting relatives at Stephenville, Texas.

Mrs. Carl Pierce left this week for Detroit, Texas, where her husband proceeded her several weeks ago and obtained a job in a garage. This is their old home town.

Elbert Proctor was in one day last week after supplies. Elbert is scarcely ever seen around town during the farming portion of the year.

ODD COMBATS SEEN IN JUNGLE WORLD

Constant Struggle Seems to Be Nature's Law.

Boars, bears and hyenas are formidable fighting animals. Wolves and other members of the dog family hunt in packs and are clever fighters, says a writer in the New York Herald-Tribune. They are fleet of foot and full of courage. Sanderson, the Mysore hunter, gives some fine stories of the hunting capacity of dogs. He tells about the conquest of an elephant by dogs named Marquis, a bull-mastiff; Lady, a bull-terrier; Bismarck, Viper and Fury, pups of the above, nine months old, and Turk, an old bull-terrier. He said:

"I had taken my dogs to capture a bear in the jungle when we saw an elephant coming toward us. I decided to let the dogs attack him. Then the elephant turned and made off. He had not gone 200 yards. Turk and Lady were up to it and Lady had secured a cheek hold. Turk seized the trunk, Bismarck held an ear and Bill Sykes, another bulldog, had him by a leg. The fierceness of this fight cannot be told in words. The elephant roared lustily and dragged the dogs along, often on their backs, and apparently in imminent risk of being trampled to death. The smaller dogs, maddened by excitement, were yelling and snapping at the elephant's feet. This fight went on for hours until finally my men assisted the dogs and tied the elephant's legs with a rope. All the animals were completely exhausted and injured. All were bleeding from numerous wounds. Plenty of milk and good, soft beds of straw soon put the dogs into good bearing condition again."

This experienced hunter, in speaking of the courage of bulldogs, said: "A bulldog is not dismayed by any object, however strange. In this respect it differs from every other created being."

The jungle world is full of bloody contests of this character. Every hunter can relate innumerable experiences about animal combats, strategy and the many types of armor nature furnishes the organic world with for assault and defense. It is a fighting world and must have fights, and, as Bishop Whewell, in his Bridge water treatise, wisely said long ago: "Regarding the material world, we can at least go so far as this—we can perceive that events are brought about not by isolated interpositions of divine power, exerted in each particular case, but by the establishment of general laws."

The struggle of the whole of the organic orders for existence is one of these general laws and would almost seem to be a necessary one.

Famous French Prison

La Condemnerie, the old prison in the Palais de Justice in Paris, was the scene of much bloodshed in the reign of terror of the French revolution. In one week 328 prisoners were killed there.

Most Ancient Building

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Where?

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When?

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Who?

Claude McClung will do the preaching—a Bible scholar with a Bible story. Virgil O. Tedlie will lead the singing.

What Else?

THIS:—No person who is not a Christian will be asked to contribute any money to help pay the expenses of this meeting. Christians will have an opportunity to contribute of their money "as God has prospered" them on Lord's day mornings. No collections will be taken at any other services.

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In 1923, January 15, a bill was introduced in the house of representatives authorizing the "coinage of 50-cent pieces in honor of the three-hundredth anniversary of the settling of New Netherland, the middle states, in 1624, by Walloons (French and Belgian Huguenots), under the Dutch East India company," writes Anna Curtis Chandler in St. Nicholas. This bill was passed, and 300,000 50-cent pieces were coined, just as coins were provided for the Pilgrim celebration. On one side of the Huguenot half-dollar appear the faces of two of their strong supporters; on the other side, the ship in which they sailed, Nieu Nederland.

The settlement of the New Netherland was claimed by the Dutch republic because of Henry Hudson's explorations in the Half Moon, in 1609. Although an Englishman, he was in the service of the Dutch East India company. In the ship which arrived in 1624 were 32 families, mostly Walloons who had found a refuge in Holland from religious persecution in their home countries. Led by Jesse de Forest, from Avesnes, France, an ancestor of Robert D. de Forest, president of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, they, in 1623, like the Pilgrims before them, had started out to find new homes in the New world. The leader perished on the voyage, but in May, 1624, their ship, the Nieu Nederland, reached the Hudson river.

Some of the settlers went to Fort Orange, now called Albany, others went to Delaware and to Connecticut, while some stayed on Manhattan Island and helped found the settlement which in 1625 was called New Amsterdam, in honor of the Dutch city of Amsterdam, and today is New York, named after James, duke of York, the "Baby Stuart" of Van Dyck's famous painting.

Henry Hudson wanted to find for the East India company a shorter way from Holland to the East Indies than that around Africa by way of the Cape of Good Hope. When he sailed up the Hudson river he thought he had found the passage which led to India, and perhaps even to the great Khan whom Marco Polo met in his travels and Christopher Columbus expected to find. He was greatly disappointed; but because of the furs which could be obtained on the newly found island of Manhattan, some merchants of Holland formed the United New Netherland company, and a house was built for fur traders, near what is now Bowling Green park, and was called Fort Manhattan. So rich was the new country in furs that another company was founded in Holland, called the West India company, to trade with the West Indies, as the East India company traded with the East Indies, and this was the company which decided to make a city out of the little trading post on Manhattan Island.

It was the Dutch government which carried out the colonizing of New Netherland, the name given the new settlements along the shores of what are now New Jersey, Connecticut and New York state. But among these colonists who helped settle New Netherland, were English, French Huguenots and Walloons—which meant "strangers."

It seems queer to think that our mighty city of New York—the metropolis of the New world, and the largest city in the world—began in such a small way. But it did. If Peter Minuit, the first Dutch governor of New Amsterdam, or Peter Stuyvesant, its last Dutch governor, could return today, after almost 300 years, he would be so astonished that he would think he was in an enchanted land of giants whose buildings seem to touch the sky.

Progress in Petunia

"No, sir," triumphantly declared old Riley Rezidew. "I ain't going to patelize this 'ere hotel any more! I don't like the 'commodations—you don't keep 'em up to date!"

"What in tunket's the matter, Uncle Riley?" returned the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "What's happened, anyhow?"

"The new proprietor of the Palace Timber yard has put a dandy base-burner stove into his office, and I'm going to leave there after this. He caters to a higher grade bunch of gents than you do!"—Kansas City Star.

He Can't Be Shown

Mrs. Mildred Melville Mallison of Eugene's fame said in a recent lecture in Council Bluffs:

"Men declare that they are just to women, but it is not true. A man grows grey and fat and wrinkled, but he expects his wife to remain slender and blooming. He grows bald, but he would be horribly aggrieved if she did not retain all her hair."

Mrs. Mallison smiled grimly. "Show me the man," she cried, "who will agree that it's as fair for his wife to snore as for him to."

Will Please Children

Children's rooms offer an excellent field for stencils, especially in the home without a nursery. Frolicking children, animals, windmills and clouds, flowers and domestic fowls are designs in keeping with the world of play. Background colors for such rooms should be light and cheerful. Applied decorations usually look best if done in primary or strong contrasting colors.

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Didn't Exactly Order Speeders to "Desist"

As for Irish yarns—they never cease to beguile the world. Celtic or non-Celtic. A volume of them, such as Henry Robinson's "Further Memories of Irish Life," can always be trusted to furnish examples of the volatile or inconsistent spirit—according to the viewpoint—of the Irish. On the word of Sir Henry, Ireland was a paradise for motorists when motor-ing first became the rage and he proves his contention with a story of an incident watched by himself and Col. Oliver Nugent.

There were two policemen on duty at the roadside, and Nugent asked them what they were doing, as each had a notebook in his hands and wore an air of intense responsibility.

"We're watching out," they said, "for to see that them motorists isn't exceeding the legal limit."

At the time the cars were going "all out" along the level stretch of road, few of them under 40 miles an hour, and many of them far beyond it. Whereupon Nugent, much amused, asked the sergeant what he would do in the possible event of seeing one that appeared to be exceeding the limit.

"We'd order him to desist," said the sergeant.

"But supposing he didn't desist," said Nugent, "what then?"

"We'd arrest him," said the sergeant.

At that moment a roar was heard down the road and a dark-blue torpedo-shaped racer, with driver and mechanic in leather skull-caps, crouching low in their seats, came along at about 70 miles an hour—a flying blur of blue on the highway.

It seemed that here at last was a case where the "order to desist" must inevitably be given. They waited with great curiosity for the result. But not a bit of it!

"Good for ye," yelled the excited constable at the flying car; and the sergeant, making a speaking-trumpet of his hands, shrieked out encouragingly: "Ye're the best yet!"

Collect Tree Seed

Ranchers and mountain farmers in parts of New Mexico have found an interesting and profitable side line in the gathering of evergreen tree seeds. Pine, spruce and fir seedlings are much in demand the world over for ornamental window-sill and commercial purposes, and since it is obvious that nurserymen cannot wait 50 years or so for seed trees to begin bearing, the seeds must come out of the native woods—American Forests and Forest Life.

Trade Winds' Effects

The trade winds do more than carry the west-bound mariner on his way, says Nature Magazine. They have been called "the pulse of the atmospheric circulation," because their fluctuations are related to the weather events of distant regions, and their parching breath is responsible for most of the world's big deserts.

The worn-out question, "Does Advertising pay?" is answered in Forbes Magazine. Two similar articles—one advertised and one unadvertised—were placed on sale in one hundred stores. No attempt was made by store clerks to influence the decision of purchasers. It was found that 87 per cent of the customers bought the advertised product, 6 per cent of them bought the unadvertised stuff and the remaining 7 per cent had no preference.

Even when the unadvertised article was priced lower, 60 per cent of the customers bought the one which was advertised. Only 24 per cent bought the unadvertised article. There might have been a time when advertising was regarded as a donation to a struggling newspaper owner. This is not true any longer. Business firms in the present day do not hesitate to make donations to charity and civic welfare, but advertising is far from being a donation with them. It is an investment which pays dividends, and the fact that it is not stopped shows that it does pay.

The fact that a business firm makes a statement regarding its goods or service and signs its name in an advertisement is proof enough that it is willing to back up what it says, and the goods are more likely to be worth standing behind. The play of sand in sugar is past; a merchant selling inferior merchandise soon finds himself without any business. It won't stand advertising.—Tahoka News.

J. L. Lyon, successful Union farmer, paid the Herald a short call recently.

Mrs. W. R. Spencer, of Lubbock, accompanied by her sisters Mesdames Perkins, of Lubbock, and Butler, of Oklahoma City, were down recently visiting their friends, Mesdames J. L. Randal and W. A. Bell.

E. B. Free, who has for the past several months been connected with the C. R. Rambo Abstract Company as employee, moved his family to Lamesa this week, where he has purchased half interest in an abstract plant. Mr. Free and family are fine folks, and Brownfield's loss is Lamesa's gain.

L. B. Howard, former manager of the Jones Dry Goods Co., at this place but who has been with the Rose Co., at Merkel for some time, wrote us this week to change his Herald to Hamlin, as he is now managing the Jones store at that place. L. B. is a hustler, and we know he will make good in his new place.

Editor Buchanan of the Meadow Review, was in our city Monday and paid the Herald a pleasant call.

Shaw's Good Stories

The vegetarian savant, George Bernard Shaw, has false teeth. It develops. He told a story about them while dining out, a thing he seldom does, usually preferring meatless meals at his own board.

While on a holiday in Italy last year, "G. B. S." said, he absent-mindedly left his teeth behind, and only recovered them when a youth rushed up the gangplank of his vessel, waving them in the air and shouting at him.

"What did you do?" Shaw was asked.

"Put them in, of course, with great éclat," he replied.

Shaw also referred to his patriarchal beard which, he avers, was turned a bright green by the recent poisonous fog that darkened and dirtied London for 60 hours.

In order to restore a clean color to his facial adornment, he told his listeners, he had to scrub it with a cleansing preparation famous for polishing pots and pans.

Wife Takes No Chances

Mrs. Peck (watching ballet dance)—Come on, Henry! If that's the way she interprets spring, I don't want you in here when she starts to interpret summer.

WRITERS OF JEWISH EMPIRE IN DESERT

Interesting Study of Medieval
Africa by Frenchman.

Reviewing Charles de la Ronciere's recent book, "Decouverte de l'Afrique du Moyen Age," E. Bernoulli observes that in the Middle Ages relations between Africa and Europe were much closer, more frequent and more congenial than in the succeeding more "enlightened" centuries, says L'Action Française.

In the Thirteenth and Fourteenth centuries the kings of Aragon concluded a number of commercial treaties with the Arab rulers of Tunis, Tlemcen, Marrakech, Fez and Sijilmassa. Maljuca was formerly the seat of a famous Jewish cartographic school, of which the influence is apparent on all of the Catalan planispheres. Charles V. sent Abraham Cresques's Catalan atlas to the Louvre.

"These relations between Europe and central Africa were indeed largely due to the Spanish and Moroccan Jews, polyglot by necessity and tireless international traders. They ceased at the close of the Fifteenth century, when the Arabs were driven out of Spain and when the Jews, also expelled, were being massacred wholesale by the Moslems in the Saharan oases (1492).

"One of the most interesting chapters of M. de la Ronciere's book describes this Jewish era in the Sahara. Throughout the Middle Ages, in fact, the Jews in southern Algeria and Morocco, mentioned by St. Augustine, had extremely prosperous colonies in most of the oases. A Jewish empire of the Sahara may even have existed in the first centuries of our era. The first 42 kings of Ghana (up to the year 700), which was the capital of a great and flourishing state, were white. Hebrew inscriptions to this effect have been found in the recently unearthed ruins of the city, Elthopia, where there are still a few Israelites along the Blue Nile, had a Jewish king in the Fifth century.

"Supporting his statement upon the persistent references to the mysterious Ben-Israel tribes and other evidence, M. Delafosse, author of 'Les Noirs de l'Afrique' and numerous other works, believes in the Jewish origin of the Peuhls. The Arabian geographer, Khordadbeh, tells us that in the Ninth century the Jews carried on a flourishing trade in slaves, ephraes, swords, holes and spices; and a Kalman Jew refers to a Jewish Saharan empire whose ruler was converted to Islamism. In the Fifteenth century Mallat reported the survival of a rivalry between the Jews and 'Philitines' (the Touraregs) in the heart of the desert."

What Is Iron Made Of?

This looks like a singular, not to say foolish, question, and yet some chemists are beginning to doubt whether iron is really a chemical element. They think that instead of being an elementary substance it may be a highly complex compound, and that eventually means may be found of separating or isolating the bodies, or elements, of which iron is made up.

Different substances are ordinarily combined either by simple intermixture, as oxygen and nitrogen are intermixed in the air, or by solution, or by chemical combination.

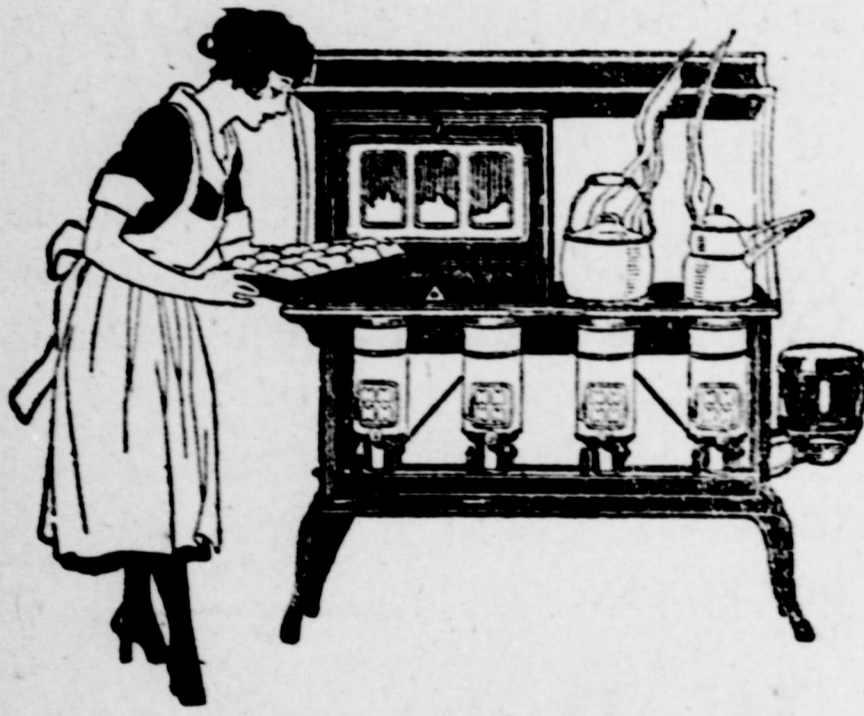
But of late it has been suggested that there may be a fourth state of combination still more intimate than that which is implied by the usual expression "chemical union." The combination of yet unrecognized elements which make what we call iron would be an example of the fourth state.

What this conception necessitates may be judged from the fact that it seems to do away with the atom as the smallest elementary particle of matter.—Washington Star.

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Stand the Test

Since assuming the job as inspector of Dempster Windmills for this section, I have examined some 600 mills and out of this number have only found 5 or 6 defective, and this was generally found to be on account of poor erection of towers. This is good proof that Dempsters stand the test in this section of deep water and high winds. If your Dempster is not giving good service, see, write or phone me. I will be glad to make it work or give you a new mill.

A. M. McBurnett

Brownfield, Texas

County Clerk Barrett called recently and got on the right side of the subscription ledger.

David Holden was down from Sudan Tuesday and spent the night here with his sister, Mrs. Stricklin.

A QUESTIONABLE MOVE

"The Farm Labor Union of Texas, for governor in the next gubernatorial campaign, will support either a laboring man or have their own candidate in the field."

That's what W. W. Fitzwater, of Bonham, national president of the union, told delegates at the state Federation of Labor convention, which opened Monday in Amarillo.

Theoretically Mr. Fitzwater's idea is right.

Practically speaking, it has one chance in a thousand of ending successfully.

Nor organization, regardless of whether it is an association of bankers or an organization of workmen, has the right to select the officials of the state or the nation, as an organization.

The same holds good for the Ku Klux Klan or the Anti-Ku Klux Klan, the American Legion, or the Federation of Churches.

Naturally every organization will favor some candidate in any election for the reason that some candidate's platform will further the plans of the organization better than others.

But to plan ahead to elect a member of any organization just because he happens to belong to that organization and understands its aims and problems is not fair to the balance of the people—unless he be a veritable Moses and understands the problems of others as well.

In his speech Mr. Fitzwater went on to say that his organization was searching for a laboring man to run for governor. "We ought to nominate men out of the shops, the mines and from the farms to make the laws we need," he said.

All of which is all right if a map of this type can be found who can also take the reins of big business and manage it.

The running of a state is like the running of a business of similar size. A trained executive, a man versed in the management of a big concern is the type to look for.

This type of man is rarely selected. But that is the end we should all work for in seeking perfection in political management. If such a man be found in the mines, or discovered in a bank, he is the man to be elected because he has those qualities and not because he is a miner or a banker and represents a certain group.—Plains Journal.

AN OLD TIME AUCTION SALE

"Having sold my farm, and am leaving for Oregon Territory by ox team, will offer on March 1st, 1849, all of my personal property to wit:

"All ox teams except two teams, Buck and Ben and Tom and Jerry; 2 milk cows; one gray mare and colt; 1 pair oxen and yoke; 1 baby yoke; 2 ox carts; 1 iron plow with wood mole board; 800 feet of popular weather boards; 100 three foot clapboards; 1500 ten foot fence rails; 100 gallon soap kettle; 85 sugar troughs, made of white ash timber; 10 gallons of maple syrup; 2 spinning wheels; 30 pounds of mutton tallow; 20 lbs. beef tallow; one large loom made by Jerry Wilson; 500 poles; 100 split hoops; 100 empty barrels; one 32 gallon barrel of Johnson Miller whisky, 7 years old; 20 gallons of apple brandy; one 40 gallon copper still; 4 sides of oak tanned leather; one doz real hooks; 2 handle hooks; 2 cythes and cradle; 1 doz wooden pitchforks; one half interest in tan yard; one 32 caliber rifle; bullet molds and powder horn; rifle made by Ben Miller; 50 gallons of soft soap, hams bacon and lard; 40 gallons of sorghum molasses, six head of fox hounds, all soft mouthed except one.

"At the same time I will sell my six negro slaves—2 men, 35 and 50 years old; 2 boys 12 and 18 years old; 2 mulatto wenches, 40 and 30 years old. Will sell all together to same party, as will not separate them.

"My home is two miles south of Versailles, Ky., on the McKonn ferry pike. Sale will begin at 8 o'clock a. m. Plenty to drink and eat.

"J. R. Moss."

ALL GREAT MEN BELIEVE IN ADVERTISING

"I believe in advertising and publicity. It has done more to bring humanity to right understanding than almost anything else in the world. When you put advertising forward you must believe in it. Advertising to be effective must be honest and must carry a message. I want to advertise the United States of America as the best republic in the world; I want to advertise American business as the best business in the world, and God helping me, we are going to make it the best business in the world with out letting government destroy it.—Warren G. Harding.

Bennie Knoll came in from Stephenville last week where he has been attending John Tarleton College for the past term, to visit home folks for a few days before returning for the summer course. He will teach this winter, he informed us.

Care Needed to Keep Plants in Good Health

Gardeners are occasionally asked to inspect unhealthy window plants and to advise concerning their treatment. Very often it is found that the ill health of the plant is due to mistaken kindness on the part of the owner. For instance, it is deluged with water day after day, with the result that the soil turns sour and the plant becomes moribund.

Another not infrequent cause of trouble may be traced to erratic watering; that is, daily attention for a time and then a period of forgetfulness, during which the unhappy plant receives no moisture, says Gardenlag Illustrated. A third cause is not uncommonly traceable to the fact that the plant is placed directly in a draft. It is not, as many suppose, the easiest matter in the world to keep window plants in good health, and it is only by patient attention and close observation that the cultivator learns the exact requirements—the likes and dislikes—of individual varieties. Careful watering, occasional weak doses of stimulant and, in the case of aspidistras and other fine-foliated plants, occasional spongings of the leaves, will go far toward success in the case of pot plants.

Some Observations on Men, and His Helpmate

"There is only one test of a man's character—his attitude to women."

"A man hates a woman to be remarkable, not because it renders them both conspicuous, but because it lessens his chance of being so."

"To find out whether a man is worthy of a moment's consideration from you, watch his attitude to women who are older and poorer than himself, and see him in a moment of unexpected success. Even then you can't be quite sure, for whereas women sometimes pose before other people, men pose all the time, and particularly to themselves."

"It is highly inconsiderate of any wife to be unwilling to spring at once into the posture her husband wishes her to adopt; to be kittenish when he wishes to toy, adoring when he desires to soar, submissive when he elects to swear, and aspiring when he requires to converse as with an equal. It is just like a woman to have moods of her own at such a time."—From "Mere Man," by Honor Bright.

Green Grocer

"Have you any nice fresh eggs to-day?" asked the breezy customer.

"Madam," answered the man who had just started in the grocery business, "permit me to remind you that nice eggs are necessarily fresh and fresh eggs always nice. Moreover, if I have any I have them today. My possession of eggs yesterday or tomorrow does not affect the situation, therefore—"

"Humph!" snorted the woman as she started for the door. "eggs are not the only fresh things in this store. I'll do my trading elsewhere."—Boston Transcript.

Blessings of Quarantine

"I wish to thank the city authorities for quarantining my family and me recently for three weeks because one of them had smallpox. During that time my wife caught up with her sewing. We had three square meals every day, as no one came in and she was not permitted to leave. We enjoyed three weeks of good night's sleep, and, best of all, a cousin with four children, who had arranged to visit us, saw the smallpox sign on the door and left town so scared that she will never come back again."

The above letter of thanks was received by a city health department recently.—From Hygeia.

Suspicious Confirmed

The story is told of an engraver in the government printing shops at Washington who, at the time the first \$20 yellowback gold certificates were issued received his salary in these new bills and decided to take a short trip to New York.

When paying his hotel bill in New York he handed the clerk one of the yellowbacks, whereupon the clerk turned it over several times, then refused as payment as he could not accept it, saying that he had never seen such a bill and thought it of no value.

"Why," said the engraver, "of course it's good. I made it myself just last week."

"That's what I thought," returned the clerk as he rang for the house detective—Forbes Magambo.

Submarines

There are a number of things which make a submarine stay at varying depths in the water. First, this depends upon the size and weight of the boat; second, the density and condition of the water, and third, the mechanism of the boat. Some are built to go deeper than others. The coast submarines are constructed so as to stay at a more shallow depth. Seagoing submarines are constructed so as to remain at a depth of from 200 to 300 feet.

His Curiosity Satisfied

The curiosity of a motorist on a country road was aroused by the seeing, too small to read, on the spare tire of a car ahead. Anxious to know what it said, he put his foot on the accelerator and read: "If you can see this you are too darned close for comfort."

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Good selected Seed at \$1.75 per bushel delivered

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Where?

At the Church Building, two blocks east of square.

When?

Tonight at 8:00. All week day services at 10 a. m. All night services at 8:00 p. m. All Sunday morning services at 11:00 o'clock. Meeting continues through June 14th.

Who?

Claude McClung will do the preaching—a Bible scholar with a Bible story. Virgil O. Tedlie will lead the singing.

What Else?

THIS:—No person who is not a Christian will be asked to contribute any money to help pay the expenses of this meeting. Christians will have an opportunity to contribute of their money "as God has prospered" them on Lord's day mornings. No collections will be taken at any other services.

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MADE THEIR HOMES IN NEW AMSTERDAM

Eastern Metropolis Founded
by Mixed Company.

In 1923, January 15, a bill was introduced in the house of representatives authorizing the "coinage of 50-cent pieces in honor of the three-hundredth anniversary of the settling of New Netherland, the middle states, in 1624, by Walloons (French and Belgian Huguenots), under the Dutch East India company," writes Anna Curtis Chandler in St. Nicholas. This bill was passed, and 300,000 50-cent pieces were coined, just as coins were provided for the Pilgrim celebration. On one side of the Huguenot half-dollar appear the faces of two of their strong supporters; on the other side, the ship in which they sailed, Nieu Nederland.

The settlement of the New Netherland was claimed by the Dutch republic because of Henry Hudson's explorations in the Half Moon, in 1609. Although an Englishman, he was in the service of the Dutch East India company. In the ship which arrived in 1624 were 32 families, mostly Walloons who had found a refuge in Holland from religious persecution in their home countries. Led by Jesse de Forest, from Avesnes, France, an ancestor of Robert D. de Forest, president of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, they, in 1623, like the Pilgrims before them, had started out to find new homes in the New world. The leader perished on the voyage, but in May, 1624, their ship, the Nieu Nederland, reached the Hudson river.

Some of the settlers went to Fort Orange, now called Albany, others went to Delaware and to Connecticut, while some stayed on Manhattan island and helped found the settlement which in 1625 was called New Amsterdam, in honor of the Dutch city of Amsterdam, and today is New York, named after James, duke of York, the "Baby Stuart" of Van Dyck's famous painting.

Henry Hudson wanted to find for the East India company a shorter way from Holland to the East Indies than that around Africa by way of the Cape of Good Hope. When he sailed up the Hudson river he thought he had found the passage which led to India, and perhaps even to the great Khan whom Marco Polo met in his travels and Christopher Columbus expected to find. He was greatly disappointed; but because of the furs which could be obtained on the newly found island of Manhattan, some merchants of Holland formed the United New Netherland company, and a house was built for fur traders, near what is now Bowling Green park, and was called Fort Manhattan. So rich was the new country in furs that another company was founded in Holland, called the West India company, to trade with the West Indies, as the East India company traded with the East Indies, and this was the company which decided to make a city out of the little trading post on Manhattan island.

It was the Dutch government which carried out the colonizing of New Netherland, the name given the new settlements along the shores of what are now New Jersey, Connecticut and New York state. But among these colonists who helped settle New Netherland, were English, French Huguenots and Walloons—which meant "strangers."

It seems queer to think that our mighty city of New York—the metropolis of the New world, and the largest city in the world—began in such a small way. But it did. If Peter Minuit, the first Dutch governor of New Amsterdam, or Peter Stuyvesant, its last Dutch governor, could return today, after almost 300 years, he would be so astonished that he would think he was in an enchanted land of giants whose buildings seem to touch the sky.

Progress in Petunia

"No, sir," triumphantly declared old Riley Reizew. "I ain't going to patelize this 'ere hotel any more! I don't like the 'comydations—you don't keep 'em up to date!"

"What in tunket's the matter, Uncle Riley?" returned the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "What's happened, anyhow?"

The new proprietor of the Palace lumber yard has put a dandy base-burner stove into his office, and is going to loaf there after this. He caters to a higher grade bunch of geats than you do."—Kansas City Star.

He Can't Be Shown

Mrs. Mildred Melville Mallison of Eugenic fame said in a recent lecture in Connell Bluffs:

"Men declare that they are just to women, but it is not true. A man grows grey and fat and wrinkled, but he expects his wife to remain slender and blooming. He grows bald, but he would be horribly aggrieved if she did not retain all her hair."

Mrs. Mallison smiled grimly. "Show me the man," she cried, "who will agree that it's as fair for his wife to snore as for him to."

Will Please Children

Children's rooms offer an excellent field for stencils, especially in the home without a nursery. Frolicking children, animals, windmills and clouds, flowers and domestic fowls are designs in keeping with the world of play. Background colors for such rooms should be light and cheerful. Applied decorations usually look best if done in primary or strong contrasting colors.

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It's a George Ade story and one you must not miss.
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DORTHY DEVORE and MATT MOORE
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"The Narrow Street"

One of the most delightful comedies of the season
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FRIDAY, June 12th

"The Night Club"

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A mad, merry melange of girls, gaiety and Griffith, the High Hat
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SATURDAY, June 13th

A FOX SPECIAL

"It Is The Law"

AND A TWO REEL COMEDY

WRITES OF JEWISH EMPIRE IN DESERT

Interesting Study of Medieval
Africa by Frenchman.

Reviewing Charles de la Ronciere's recent book, "Decouverte de l'Afrique du Moyen Age," E. Dermougen observes that in the Middle Ages relations between Africa and Europe were much closer, more frequent and more congenial than in the succeeding more "enlightened" centuries, says L'Action Francaise.

"In the Thirteenth and Fourteenth centuries the kings of Aragon concluded a number of commercial treaties with the Arab rulers of Tunis, Tlemcen, Marrakech, Fez and Sijilmasa. Malaga was formerly the seat of a famous Jewish cartographic school, of which the influence is apparent on all of the Catalan planispheres. Charles V. sent Abraham Cresques's Catalan atlas to the Louvre.

"These relations between Europe and central Africa were indeed largely due to the Spanish and Moroccan Jews, polyglot by necessity and tireless international traders. They ceased at the close of the Fifteenth century, when the Arabs were driven out of Spain and when the Jews, also expelled, were being massacred wholesale by the Moslems in the Saharan oases (1494).

"One of the most interesting chapters of M. de la Ronciere's book describes this Jewish era in the Sahara. Throughout the Middle Ages, in fact, the Jews in southern Algeria and Morocco, mentioned by St. Augustine, had extremely prosperous colonies in most of the oases. A Jewish empire of the Sahara may even have existed in the first centuries of our era. The first 42 kings of Ghanna (up to the year 700), which was the capital of a great and flourishing state, were white. Hebrew inscriptions to this effect have been found in the recently unearthed ruins of the city, Ethiopia, where there are still a few Israelites along the Blue Nile, had a Jewish king in the Fifth century.

"Supporting his statement upon the persistent references to the mysterious Beni-Israel tribes and other evidence, M. Delafosse, author of 'Les Noirs de l'Afrique' and numerous other works, believes in the Jewish origin of the Peuhls. The Arabian geographer, Khordadbeh, tells us that in the Ninth century the Jews carried on a flourishing trade in slaves, ephebes, swords, hides and spices; and a Kalman Jew refers to a Jewish Saharan empire whose ruler was converted to Islamism. In the Fifteenth century Mallant reported the survival of a rivalry between the Jews and 'Philitines' (the Touaregs) in the heart of the desert."

What Is Iron Made Of?

This looks like a singular, not to say foolish, question, and yet some chemists are beginning to doubt whether iron is really a chemical element. They think that instead of being an elementary substance it may be a highly complex compound, and that eventually means may be found of separating or isolating the bodies, or elements, of which iron is made up.

Different substances are ordinarily combined either by simple intermixture, as oxygen and nitrogen are intermixed in the air, or by solution, or by chemical combination.

But of late it has been suggested that there may be a fourth state of combination still more intimate than that which is implied by the usual expression "chemical union." The combination of yet unrecognized elements which make what we call iron would be an example of the fourth state.

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Shaw's Good Stories

The vegetarian suvant, George Bernard Shaw, has false teeth. It develops. He told a story about them while dining out, a thing he seldom does, usually preferring meatless meals at his own board.

While on a holiday in Italy last year, "G. B. S." said, he absent-mindedly left his teeth behind, and only recovered them when a youth rushed up the gangplank of his vessel, waving them in the air and shouting at him.

"What did you do?" Shaw was asked.

"Put them in, of course, with great éclat," he replied.

Shaw also referred to his patriarchal beard which, he avers, was turned a bright green by the recent poisonous fog that darkened and dirtied London for 60 hours.

In order to restore a clean color to his facial adornment, he told his listeners, he had to scrub it with a cleansing preparation famous for polishing pots and pans.

Wife Takes No Chances

Mrs. Peck (watching baller dance)—Come on, Henry! If that's the way she interprets spring, I don't want you in here when she starts to interpret summer.

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ADVERTISING TESTED

Didn't Exactly Order Speeders to "Desist"

As for Irish yarns—they never cease to beguile the world. Celtic or non-Celtic. A volume of them, such as Henry Robinson's "Further Memories of Irish Life," can always be trusted to furnish examples of the volatile or inconsistent spirit—according to the viewpoint—of the Irish. On the word of Sir Henry, Ireland was a paradise for motorists when motor-ing first became the rage and he proves his contention with a story of an incident watched by himself and Col. Oliver Nugent.

There were two policemen on duty at the roadside, and Nugent asked them what they were doing, as each had a notebook in his hands and wore an air of intense responsibility.

"We're watching out," they said, "for to see that them motorists isn't exceeding the legal limit."

At the time the cars were going "all out" along the level stretch of road, few of them under 40 miles an hour, and many of them far beyond it. Whereupon Nugent, much amused, asked the sergeant what he would do in the possible event of seeing one that appeared to be exceeding the limit.

"We'd order him to desist," said the sergeant.

"But supposing he didn't desist," said Nugent, "what then?"

"We'd arrest him," said the sergeant.

At that moment a roar was heard down the road and a dark-blue torpedo-shaped racer, with driver and mechanic in leather skull-caps, crouching low in their seats, came along at about 70 miles an hour—a flying blur of blue on the highway.

It seemed that here at last was a case where the "order to desist" must inevitably be given. They waited with great curiosity for the result. But not a bit of it!

"Good for ye," yelled the excited constable at the flying car; and the sergeant, making a speaking trumpet of his hands, shrieked out encouragement: "Ye're the best yet!"

Collect Tree Seed

Ranchers and mountain farmers in parts of New Mexico have found an interesting and profitable side line in the gathering of evergreen tree seeds. Pine, spruce and fir seedlings are much in demand the world over for ornamental windbreak and commercial purposes, and since it is obvious that nurserymen cannot wait 50 years or so for seed trees to begin bearing, the seeds must come out of the native woods.—American Forests and Forest Life.

Trade Winds' Effects

The trade winds do more than carry the west-bound mariner on his way, says Nature Magazine. They have been called "the pulse of the atmospheric circulation," because their fluctuations are related to the weather events of distant regions, and their parching breath is responsible for most of the world's big deserts.

The worn-out question, "Does Advertising pay?" is answered in Forbes Magazine. Two similar articles one advertised and one unadvertised were placed on sale in one hundred stores. No attempt was made by store clerks to influence the decision of purchasers. It was found that 87 per cent of the customers bought the advertised product, 6 per cent of them bought the unadvertised stuff and the remaining 7 per cent had no preference.

Even when the unadvertised article was priced lower, 60 per cent of the customers bought the one which was advertised. Only 24 per cent bought the unadvertised articles.

There might have been a time when advertising was regarded as a donation to a struggling newspaper owner. This is not true any longer. Business firms in the present day do not hesitate to make donations to charity and civic welfare, but advertising is far from being a donation with them. It is an investment which pays dividends. If it did not pay it would be stopped, and the fact that it is not stopped shows that it does pay.

The fact that a business firm makes a statement regarding its goods or service and signs its name in an advertisement is proof enough that it is willing to back up what it says, and the goods are more likely to be worth standing behind. The play of sand in sugar is past; a merchant selling inferior merchandise soon finds himself without any business. It won't stand advertising.—Taboka News.

J. L. Lyon, successful Union farmer, paid the Herald a short call recently.

Mrs. W. R. Spencer, of Lubbock, accompanied by her sisters Mesdames Perkins, of Lubbock, and Buttler, of Oklahoma City, were down recently visiting their friends, Mesdames J. L. Randal and W. A. Bell.

E. B. Free, who has for the past several months been connected with the C. R. Rambo Abstract Company as employee, moved his family to Lamesa this week, where he has purchased half interest in an abstract plant. Mr. Free and family are fine folks, and Brownfield's loss is Lamesa's gain.

L. B. Howard, former manager of the Jones Dry Goods Co., at this place but who has been with the Rose Co. at Merkel for some time, wrote us this week to change his Herald to Hamlin, as he is now managing the Jones store at that place. L. B. is a hustler, and we know he will make good in his new place.

Editor Blackstone of the Meadow Review, was in our Monday and paid the Herald a short call.

CHICAGO ROUNDUP CAUSES BATTLE OF TONGUES

It's on again—the battle of tongues. At the grocers' in meeting, at the church supper, in hotel lobby, everywhere there is evidence of it. Preachers base their Sunday morning services on it. Teachers discuss it among themselves and their classes. Lodges pass resolutions concerning it. "Subscriber" and "Citizen" keep the press humming with it.

And like the cross-word puzzle, it will not down—this rodeo. First Chicago got heat up over it. How much danger to the animal in being ridden, roped or "bulldozed"? split the great western metropolis into two fighting camps. The heat of conflict transferred itself to other places. Humane societies took a hand in it and now from one end of this great country to the other, office boys and housewives and bank presidents alike find time amidst pressing duties to take one side or another in the great talk-fest of the times.

George A. H. Scott, secretary of the American Humane Society and chairman of its committee on rodeos, is inclined to be in favor of the Chicago roundup and world's championship rodeo to be staged in August. After witnessing dozens of rodeos in his line of duty, he feels that bulldozing and broncho busting is far more dangerous to the man than to the animal. "If anyone thinks a wild horse or a long horned steer is defenseless, let him try to ride or wrestle one. The only real cruel thing that the rodeo contains is the roping, and as only experts will take part in this rodeo, there is really no reason for interfering. The Chicago Association of Commerce will provide a real, clean thrill for thousands from every part of the United States, and it would be serving no good purpose to try and stop the spectacle."

But there are others—and the battle of tongues keeps merrily on.

DID YOU KNOW?

That—21,000,000 letters went to the Dead Letter Office last year?

That—803,000 parcels did likewise?

That—100,000 letters go into the mails yearly in perfectly blank envelopes?

That—\$55,000 in cash is removed annually from misdirected envelopes?

That—\$12,000 in postage stamps is found in similar fashion?

That—\$3,000,000 in checks, drafts and money orders never reach intended owners?

That—Uncle Sam collects \$92,000 per year for the return of mail sent to the Dead Letter Office?

That—it costs Uncle Sam \$1,740,000 yearly to look up the addresses on misdirected mail?

That—200,000,000 letters are given this service, and—

That—it costs in one city alone \$500 daily?

And Do You Know

That—this vast sum could be saved and the Dead Letter Office abolished if each piece of mail carried a return address, and if each parcel were wrapped in strong paper and tied with a stout cord?

Moral: Every man knows his own address if not that of his correspondent. Put it in the upper left hand corner!

London Gets Rare Bird

One of the rarest birds in existence has been presented to the London zoo by the New York Zoological society. It is a grey-hooded ground pigeon, a representative of a race which has more or less forsaken life among the branches and taken to the ground. A year ago the only relic of this remarkable rarity possessed by scientists was a solitary skin, which formed the evidence for recording the species. This skin, it appears, was lost, and the bird, save for its name, was practically forgotten. But last year an explorer visiting the remote island of Mukubira brought back with him to America several live specimens of the grey-hooded ground pigeon, and these were presented to the New York Zoological society. The bird is of small size, somber colors, somewhat hump-backed, and with the comparatively long legs that might be expected in a ground-hunting bird.

Chinese and Peanut Oil

Peanut oil is one of the prime necessities of the Chinese in south China and means as much to them as olive oil to the Spaniard and as lard to the American. It is the cooking oil and foodstuff of the race. The United States consul reports from Hongkong that both imports and exports of the oil are steadily increasing. During the first quarter of 1923 imports reached the high total of \$739,700 and exports \$571,920. Large stocks of peanut oil are always maintained in Hongkong. Most of the local oil is crushed from nuts grown in the colony in south China and north China. Exports are shipped chiefly to nearby markets in south China, the Straits Settlements, the Philippines and Canada.—United States Commerce Reports.

Spoons in His Stomach

Two spoons were removed from the stomach of a man, twenty-eight years of age, at the David Lewis Northern hospital, Liverpool, England. They were dessert spoons, each about nine inches long and had been swallowed two years before when the man was in prison and had attempted to commit suicide. An X-ray examination showed that both spoons were near his ribs. "I have never known similar articles to remain in a person's stomach so long," said the surgeon who performed the operation. The man had complained of pains and said that the spoons clinked together as he turned over in bed and woke him up.

May End Mosquito Plague

An end to mosquito plague may be brought about by raising a brand of non-stinging mosquitoes guaranteed to expel the stinging variety, according to a paper by a well-known scientist, read in the Academy of Sciences, Paris. The scientist described how he had found in certain parts of Brittany a variety of common mosquitoes which never entered houses and never stung human beings. Furthermore, he noted that where these were found there was never any sign of the stinging variety. As an experiment he transported some of the harmless variety from Brittany to the Charente department and found the non-stingers supplanted their stinging brothers in a short time.

Rally to Ancient Custom

The old custom of sending out the "drums and whistles" early on New Year's morning is being maintained in some parts of Scotland, "bands" of noisemakers parading the streets and rousing people to tell them that the new year has arrived.

Expert Advice on How to Compose Love Poem

First of all, to compose a love poem it is necessary to know a few facts about the girl. Don't be alarmed—nothing intimate or flaque is necessary. Color of eyes—hair—shape of mouth and general appearance are good facts to observe. The condition of teeth is another good point. However, it is not considered good form to pry open the mouth for a detailed inspection. The feet are another good point—if small—and the distance between the ankle and knee—only, however, if voluntarily exposed.

Next is to think of all the words that rhyme with "love." Incidentally don't forget that "you" and "true" are perfect rhymes. If you want to do the thing right it is better to borrow—of if you can't borrow, to buy, a rhyming dictionary which will give you words rhyming with "thou," "evermore," "sweet," "passion" and others. Write the poem with due precautions on the delicate questions of complexion and possible changes of color of hair. Pay some (but not too much) attention to nether extremities, as previously mentioned.

Revise the poem. Re-revise it. Copy it.

Stand up and read it aloud, with appropriate gestures, before your mirror.

Blush. Tear it twice, once lengthwise and once across, and deposit the whole in a safe place.—From the Jester.

Water Is Literally Their Staff of Life

The most amazing race of human beings is undoubtedly the El Moro, a tribe of "fishmen" who inhabit the desert wastes bordering Lake Rudolf, in Kenya colony, Africa. This tribe represents the only known specimens of semi-aquatic people and it is a curious fact that any tribesman dies if he is kept without water for about three hours. As a rule they drink every hour during the day, for even an hour and a half without water causes cracking and bleeding of the lips, the Boston Transcript says.

The El Moro tribesmen spend their days swimming in the waters of Lake Rudolf and fishing from frail rafts constructed with palm branches. Fish is almost their only diet and they have no opportunity of varying their menu, unless they are fortunate enough to spear a hippopotamus. The water of Lake Rudolf is undrinkable to anyone but the El Moro, for it contains a large quantity of soda and has an objectionable taste. The proportion of soda in that lake increases yearly, and it is believed to be this fact that has caused the "fishermen" to become a deformed race.

Explaining the Message

A telegram was sent by an old lady asking the doctor to come to her husband as he had gout. When the doctor arrived he found the old man in bed with bronchitis.

"What made you say your husband had gout when he is suffering from bronchitis?" asked the doctor. "You surely knew what was the matter with him?"

"Oh, yes, we knowed he'd got the bronchitis," replied the old lady cheerfully, "but neither one of us knowed how to spell it!"

Salvages Bird Shot

A man in California makes a living by picking up bird shot. He asks permission to salvage the shooting fields of gun clubs for bird shot. Then he sweeps up the ground within a 200 yard radius of the shooting points, lifts the shot from the dirt, and melts it into lead bars for commercial use.

The Golden Rule in Banking

We devote that same particular degree of prompt, efficient and confidential service to our patrons, depositors and friends as we would desire accorded to the business which we entrust to others. A Golden Rule, that we follow, which means a good bank for you.

Brownfield State Bank

Brownfield, Texas

A Good Bank—In a Good Town—In a Good Territory

"Guaranty Fund Protection"

CONSERVATIVE—ACCOMMODATIVE—APPRECIATIVE



Everything Good

Quality is a paramount issue at this store when it comes to a question of price or quality. We believe the best is the cheapest, even at a few cents added cost.

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Brownfield, Texas

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Notice to Car Owners

We are equipped in our service department to relieve your car of all knocks and rattles. We finish your cylinders by exactly the same method employed at the factory.

Twelve years experience of our shop foreman with the electrical equipment of your car, avails you of the opportunity to put your car in perfect condition.

Work absolutely guaranteed, you must be satisfied.

Just Arrived!—a carload of New Cars, look them over.

Brownfield Chevrolet Co.

Our old friend M. K. Lindsey, of the Meadow country was in to see us one day last week and had his paper changed to Levelland. Mr. Lindsey and family were among the first settlers in Terry county, and have always been highly respected in their community as well as throughout the county, and old Terry is losing is at least temporarily losing a family that is hard to replace.

O. McAdoo was in Monday to have medical attention to his neck, which was broken out and threatened with blood poison.

The special road tax election in Gaines county last week for 15c carried by a good majority.

C. L. Williams, regular merchant, has added goods to his stock of hardware and...

We Handle

Case, P&O and Oliver

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IMPLEMENTS

—Purchases of New Implements today must have repairs later. Are you safe-guarding the utility of your implement by knowing that a well organized repair department is at your Service.

The cost of a broken piece may be small, but days and maybe weeks of waiting is expensive.

Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co.

Perfectly Safe

"I was afraid my sermon last Sunday would annoy some of my people, but it didn't," said the clergyman.

"What was your subject?" asked his friend.

"The Duplicity of the Average Man," and I spoke pretty plainly."

"You couldn't tread on any corns that way. Every man considers himself above the average."

How Crocodiles "Hunt"

The scent, sight and hearing of crocodiles are most acute, a writer in the New York Herald-Tribune remarks. Their favorite method of hunting is to be immersed in water, or under brush, grass or bushes near a drinking place, and when a victim bends its neck to drink, by a swift rush it is seized by nose, leg or tail and crushed in the powerful jaws of the crocodile. The powerful tail also is a valuable aid to a crocodile when in a battle, often when a large animal, like a deer or goat, is browsing near the bank of a river, a crocodile may quietly steal close to it and by a well calculated stroke of its tail stun the animal and knock it into the water.

Old Term of Reproach

The word "cornudgeon," meaning a crusty and disagreeable person, is a corruption of corn merchant. During a period of financial depression in England the corn merchants were accused of keeping up the price of corn through their avarice, and hence "corn merchant" came into use as a term of reproach.

DR. MILLARD F. SWART

Eye Specialist

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Saturday, June 13

One Day Only

CHAUTAUQUA COMING TO MEADOW

We are informed this week by some of the business men of town that arrangements have been made for a Chautauqua to come to Meadow. It is the Western Welfare Chautauqua of Pierce City, Mo. and is said to be one of the best little chautauquas on the road.

Representatives of the organization were in Meadow several weeks ago a necessary steps were taken at that time by the business men of Meadow to secure it. A contract was drawn up and signed by 20 business men and citizens of town and a copy of the contract has been returned to gether with a statement from officials of the organization assuring us that they will be here at some future date.

The company will be here three days and will present a double program, afternoon and night, consisting of real live entertainment all the way through.

No specified time has been arranged for their coming although information regarding the time of the entertainment is expected at any time. The exact date will be announced later.—Meadow Review.

LIBERTY ITEMS

By Bumblebees.

Well, it looks as though we might have another rain. Some have corn, kafir, cotton and maize up and still planting.

We had our Children's Day program last Sunday, which seemed to be greatly enjoyed by all present, and we had a pretty good congregation. We had folks from Brownfield, Tokio, Plains and Turner with us.

Judge and Mrs. Mooreland, Mr. and Mrs. Hague, Mrs. Beall and several more from Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Smith and several others from Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Brit Clare and several others from Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner and niece from Brownfield; Bro. and Sister Wade and several others from Tokio. Judge Mooreland, Sister Wade and Bro. Tensley all gave nice talks, which we enjoyed very much. While there isn't very many of us down here in this little corner so far away from town, the writer thinks the children did their bits well in the program as the grown folks in singing. We had lots of dinner on the ground, and if anybody went away hungry it was their own fault.

Mr. and Mrs. Clampet and Mr. and Mrs. Williams from near Brownfield, were also here for our Children's Day.

Mrs. Fannen and Miss Lula Huskcy, made a trip to Tokio Thursday.

Mrs. Fannen was a caller at Mrs. J. A. Taylor's, this week.

Our school was out Wednesday. Miss Blanche Commons, our teacher, started for her home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Clampet was a caller at Mrs. Gertrude Taylor's, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fannen were callers at Mr. Cotton's, Sunday night.

Miss Olgie Fitzgerald, of Lubbock, who has been visiting the past week with her parents, returned home on Monday.

Miss Irma Green returned to Brownfield Sunday from a four weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Green of Linden, Texas.

A. F. McDonald, manager of the Farmers Gin, and wife, returned recently from Rochester, Minn., where he took treatment from Mayo Bros. He informed us that he was feeling very much improved in health.

Jim Moore and family passed thru Monday from Gomez, on their way to Amarillo for a visit.

SHERIFF SIMPSON UNDERGOES OPERATION

Sheriff Marshall Simpson underwent a serious operation for gall stones at the Lubbock Sanitarium Tuesday morning. Physicians stated that his gall bladder had burst and that his condition was such as to render his recovery very doubtful. In fact, after the operation and up to this time the doctors have had little hope for him. Phone messages from the sanitarium Wednesday morning, however, stated that he was apparently a little stronger and that there seemed to be a good fighting chance for his recovery. Many friends here and throughout the county are hoping that he may successfully pass the crisis and win his way back to health.—Tahoka News.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Brownfield, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brownfield, Texas, that an election be held on the 7th day of July, 1925, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Brownfield, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the City of Brownfield, in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars payable within forty years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of constructing a Sanitary Sewer System, in the City of Brownfield, Texas."

The said election shall be held at the Courthouse in the City of Brownfield, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

A. M. Brownfield, Presiding Officer and Judge.
J. E. Shelton, Clerk.
H. M. Pyeatt, Clerk.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the General Election Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property tax-payers of said City, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of bonds."
And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of bonds."
The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor of the City of Brownfield, attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at the City Hall, and at one public place in each of the voting place of the City of Brownfield, for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city, and which notice shall be published once in each week for four weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of the election.

Joe J. McGowan, Mayor,
City of Brownfield, Texas.
Attest: W. P. McDuffie,
City Secretary.

LUBBOCK TO HAVE NEW HOSPITAL

A large deal was closed recently whereby the magnificent Ellwood home, located at the southwest corner of Lubbock and south of the Tech site, was purchased by a group of Lubbock physicians who will convert the former of building into a modern hospital in which the most modern equipment available will be installed.

The deal was consummated by W. L. Ellwood, owner of the building.

The building was sold by Mr. Ellwood together with a tract of land facing 200 feet on 19th street and running to the south edge of the property and includes practically all of the beautiful yards of the place, where thousands of dollars have been spent in developing the most desired trees and shrubs.

The property was bought by Drs. G. G. Castleberry, M. H. Starnes, V. V. Clark, J. R. and W. N. Lemmond, who have announced that a south wing will be added to the building, giving the hospital a total of 35 patients rooms.

While it will be some time before possession is given by Mr. Ellwood, actual construction of the south wing will be started in time to be completed and equipped this summer.—Lubbock Avalanche.

BODY OF PLAINVIEW EDITOR TO BE SENT HOME

Plainview, Texas, May 22—The body of J. M. Adams, Plainview editor, who died in Toulon, France Sunday, May 10 while on a world tour, will be shipped from Marseilles, France on June 8, according to advices received in Plainview by his daughter, Mrs. E. Q. Perry. The body will be shipped from Marseilles to Galveston and it is thought it will be in transit for nearly three weeks.

Adams who was the owner of the Plainview News and a pioneer newspaper man of west Texas, having edited papers at Coleman and Comanche. He had been on a tour of the world since January 1st, when he contracted the India influenza while in that country a month ago. He had intended to take a year for his travels but was on his way home following the flu attack.

Roy Harris has been on the sick list the past week, but is reported to be some better.

Charley Moore underwent an operation at Lubbock on day recently and

AN ORDINANCE

The State of Texas, County of Terry, City of Brownfield:—

An Ordinance Prohibiting Peddling Etc.

Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of peddling, auctioning or offering for sale any goods, wares or merchandise of any kind or character on any street or alley within three blocks of the court house square of the City of Brownfield, Texas; provided nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the sale of any commodity of whatever kind raised or produced by the person offering the same for sale.

The fact that the City of Brownfield has no adequate ordinance preventing such sales or auctions, and that such practice causes a congested condition of such streets and alleys make it imperative that the rule requiring ordinances to be read at three stated meetings be suspended and that this ordinance become effective from its passage and publication.

Any person violating this ordinance shall be fined in any sum from \$5.00 to \$100.00 and each attempt to sell shall be construed as a separate and distinct offense.

W. P. McDuffie,
Secretary, City of Brownfield, Texas

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Terry. To the resident property tax-paying voters of Terry County, Texas: Take notice that an election will be held on the 20th day of June, 1925 within Terry County, Texas, to determine if said county shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the commissioners court on the 11th day of May, 1925, which is as follows:

On this the 11th day of May, 1925, the commissioners court of Terry County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof, in the courthouse at Brownfield, Texas, all members of the court to-wit:

H. R. Winston, County Judge; W. E. Harred, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, W. F. Stewart, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, T. O. Hooker, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and W. H. Black, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 being present, came on to be subject the petition of Tom May and 79 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said County in the sum of \$200,000.00, bearing 5% per cent rate of interest, maturing at

STARTED SATURDAY

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Brownfield, Texas

such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said County, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax-paying voters of said Terry County; and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed 1% of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Terry County; and

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that an election be held in said County, on the 20th day of June, 1925, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of \$200,000.00, bearing 5% per cent rate of interest, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said County subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 627 to 641, inclusive, of chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident property tax-payers in this County, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At South Brownfield, with A. M. Brownfield as Presiding Officer;
At North Brownfield, with J. E. Shelton as Presiding Officer;
At North Gomez, with Ben Broughton as Presiding Officer;
At South Gomez, with B. O. Black as Presiding Officer;
At Scudday, with M. L. French as Presiding Officer;
At Meadow, with Jno. E. Reel as Presiding Officer;
At Sawyer, with James M. Matthews as Presiding Officer;
At Tokio, with J. T. Pippin as Presiding Officer;
At Johnson, with R. I. Cook as Presiding Officer;

At Union, with J. C. Johnson, as Presiding Officer;
At Willow Wells, with C. J. Bonham as Presiding Officer;
At Hunter, with J. L. Lyons as Presiding Officer;
At S. W. Brownfield, with O. E. Adams as Presiding Officer;
At N. W. Brownfield, with Will C. Brown as Presiding Officer;
At Wellman, with J. R. Garrison as Presiding Officer;

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper published in the County, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the County, one of which shall be at the courthouse door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted, as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the consummation of said election are made by the duly authorized election officials and received by this Court.

Given under my hand, with the seal of the County, on this 11th day of May, 1925.

H. R. Winston,
County Judge.