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Chamber of Commerce CURRENTS By the Secretary

Why We Do Not Have Plenty of Cotton Pickers

The following statement from the United States Farm Labor division of the United States Employment Service in reference to the present shortage of cotton pickers, their office being in the C. of C. building at Fort Worth:

"But for the extraordinary efforts to secure cotton pickers in Texas and Oklahoma, and inducements they offered, West Texas would be plentifully supplied. Trucks and car drivers were employed in Oklahoma paid railroad fare and delivery with a bonus running as high as \$5.00 per capita. Price for picking ranged from \$1.25 with board to \$2.50 per hundred without board. Between Dallas and Hall counties more than 6000 were induced to abandon West Texas within three weeks time. The first call for cotton pickers in large numbers came from Miss. La., and east Texas, (these states' crops being the largest in ten years). The fifty odd drouth counties furnished them. When the first West Texas call came, this division instructed all agents to cease serving out of state cotton growers. Published stories carrying the thought that Texas could not spare any more. Wrote and wired all applicants for cotton pickers out of Texas that we were ten thousand short. Within a few days after West Texas made its first call, the migration started, but within a week Oklahoma came in, and then began the campaign which has resulted in the extraordinary inducements mentioned above. But for this there would be plenty to supply West Texas for both the cotton and the row crop. Within a few days, perhaps a week or ten days, there will be a big release in East Texas and Central Texas. Our entire force with all the publicity the newspaper can give us will be devoted to an effort to direct this release into West Texas. All newspapers, Chambers of Commerce, County Agents and State Employment men are cooperating in the effort to provide West Texas with the help needed."

C. W. Woodman, Asst. Dir.

The director does not mention in the above letter, however, some of the things our men report: that the merchants and farmers in some sections of Central and East Texas tell the negroes exaggerated stories of the severity of the Plains weather and the possibility of mistreatment in order to keep them in their localities to handle the crop they have, and they have believed the stories in the main, too, for it is hard to get them away.

Standard Decoration

The business men of Brownfield will soon be in position to correctly display the Colors on all appropriate occasions. Through the untiring efforts of the American Legion, every business institution in our city with possibly three exceptions that the committee visited, so they report, signed up to purchase and pay for its installment, the standard method of decorating our city. Thus Brownfield will fall in line with the other progressive towns and cities and wait until Armistice Day, when, as we understand, everything in town will be closed by the Mayor's proclamation to this effect, and that we will all raise and pay to every contributor to America's causes, whether at home or on the battle field. Then we will see Brownfield decorated in her uniform manner.

Armistice Day will be a day of celebration in Brownfield. There is being planned a monthlong parade, to be participated in by all the schools, the American Legion, the Legion Auxiliary and the various clubs of the town that will enter. The parade is scheduled to begin at 10:30 A.M. and it is hoped that the various organizations will see to it that their orders have representatives in the parade. This parade is open to all business houses to have a decorated float or car in same. The evening program will be given over to athletic contests on the local school grounds, followed by a football game between the Legion boys and all Ex-High School Stars. This promises to be a royal battle, each team averaging over 200 pounds. The American Legion will have a banquet in the hall at 5:30 P.M. A committee is at work trying to secure an appropriate play to be staged at

Can't Fool Him This Year



MAN WANTED HERE CAUGHT IN ARKANSAS

J. B. Jackson, alleged to have attempted statutory rape upon the little twelve year old Vaughan girl living near Meadow more than a year ago, was found by East Texas and Arkansas officers living at Little Rock, Ark., recently, and was brought over the State line to his old home at Cooper, Texas.

Sheriff F. M. Ellington returned from Cooper Wednesday with the prisoner, and after reaching Brownfield Jackson made bond in the sum of \$2,000 and was released. His brother, a contractor of Lubbock, is said to have been one of his bondsmen. His case will likely come up for investigation at the January term of district court.

MASONS HAVE AN INTERESTING PROGRAM

On Tuesday night the 27th, the Masons, Eastern Stars and the public were invited to the Methodist church auditorium, where moving pictures depicting the Masonic Welfare Association, were shown. Masonic hospitals, schools, lodges and other departments were viewed.

B. B. Cobb, Secretary of the Scottish Rite Cathedral in El Paso, lectured as the pictures were being projected. His talk was interesting and served to acquaint members and visitors with a broader knowledge of the order's work.

Tom Kane, an American War veteran, recuperating in El Paso since the war and a professional operator, contributed his services to the machine operation out on the Masonic committee's trip.

W. H. Stockwell, a 33 degree Mason, delivered a splendid address at the conclusion of the program. His topics were related to the things teaching on the finer qualities of the everyday life. The fragrant breath of parts of Masonic principles were evolved by Mr. Stockwell, who is also of El Paso. The program was given under the auspices of the Scottish Rite order of El Paso.

It was enjoyed by a large number. Coffee and sandwiches were served by the local Masonic lodge.

the evening hour in the Rialto Theatre, by local talent, proceeds to be given to the Legion.

Last Saturday was one of the heaviest trading days in the history of Brownfield merchants. The surrounding territory for miles are finding it to their advantage to trade in Brownfield. Every line of merchandise is represented, and the best of stocks are maintained and prices are more favorable. Prices for the farmer's products are bringing more in Brownfield than in neighboring towns daily. These factors should continually draw trade from wider districts. It pays to trade in Brownfield.

BROWNFIELD TO HAVE UP-TO-DATE POST OFFICE

O. E. Smith, of Dallas, postal inspector for Texas, was here last week and during his stay in our little city in company with Postmaster J. C. Bohannon called on the Herald, and described to us just what Uncle Sam expects to do for us in the next few months in the way of getting our post office in a neat building and providing up-to-date and standard fixtures for same.

He said he found the building now provided not only entirely inadequate in size, but entirely insufficient in appearance, as it could never be made to look clean and sanitary, and the department would never consent to have up-to-date fixtures put in such a building. He found the building both leaky and musty and entirely unsuited to a growing, progressive town like Brownfield, and plans and specifications were immediately drawn to comply with conditions such as Mr. Smith thinks should be provided for our city.

If we understood the conditions to be met rightly, an up-to-date building containing at least 1800 square feet must be provided by the proposed lessee, together with standard fixtures as designated for second class offices by the postoffice department, and the lessee must provide, heat, light and water, for which the government will take a five or ten year lease. Those who wish to figure on such a building may see Postmaster J. C. Bohannon who will provide them with such plans and specifications.

It is hoped that the building for the postoffice may be located more centrally in the business section of the town than at present.

BE SURE TO ATTEND THE PTA TUESDAY NIGHT

Don't fail to attend the PTA meeting next Tuesday night at the grade school auditorium, as some very important business is to be transacted. One of them being the election of a new set of officers. It is not fair for any of us to stay away for fear we may have to be somewhat burdened with responsibility of such offices if we do attend. Remember that we have put these offices on one set of people for more than a year now, and they are really serving now for some one else. Let's be fair and just, and all be willing to bear the burdens alike.

There will be other matters that must be disposed of, not to mention a program that will be interesting.

The PTA is an integral part of our school system, and takes real patriotic men and women to keep it functioning, and those who are attending regularly would like to remain at home around the fire with a good book as well as you. If we do not attend these meetings and help make the school better, we have no right on earth to kick and knock the school if it does not function to suit us.

NO CROPS ON PLAINS SAYS CENTRAL TEXAS MERCHANTS

Atty. R. L. Graves returned one day last week from the counties of Runnels, Brown and others, where he went to get hands. He reports that he looked for cotton pickers for several days, saw hundreds idle and in dire need of work, but to save him he could get only about fifteen hands after several days spent down there.

He said they made no crops hardly, the people were in debt and idle and he could not understand why they did not want to come here, especially the Mexicans and negroes. He finally went to a chamber of commerce secretary and this is the story he got after appealing to him for information:

"These hands are indebted to our business men, who feel sure we will make a good crop here next year and they are afraid if they go to the Plains they will stay, and they are telling them if they go they will not find anything to do here as this, the Plains, is no farming country. And even if they give you work they won't pay you anything for it, and should they pay you, they will frame you with the officers up there on some petty charge and fine you for all the money you have."

We had an idea that the dark ages were past, and that at least Texas had crawled from under the blanket of ignorance and prejudice and stood four square to the world. But it now seems that we had reconed without consulting our host in Central West Texas, which happens to be the same section that cut such a diddo when the locating board decided this was the logical place for the Tech college. People who persist in peddling such dope as that would not patronize a college if they had one. Just why a set of people designating themselves as "business(?) men" put out such unmitigated falsehoods is quite beyond us. It looks to us like it would be a pleasure to such ninnyskulls to watch the laboring people of their section shiver with insufficient clothing and fuel this winter, and undernourished with food.

It is no wonder that the God of heaven forgot that forsaken section this year, and failed to send rain.

NORFLEET GETS APPOINTMENT AS DEPUTY GAME WARDEN

Pete Norfleet, son of J. Frank Norfleet, of Hale Center, has been appointed special Deputy of the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

Pete figured prominently in his father's notorious man hunt and capture of the swindlers of \$45,000.00 of which he was a victim.

He being familiar with this section of the state, having been reared in this vicinity, his work has been assigned to this part of the Panhandle.—Lamb County Leader.

W. J. Chesney, came in one day recently and got on the right side of our subscription ledger.

TEN COMMANDMENTS GREAT- EST PICTURE HERE YET

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week were truly the gala movie days, not only of the season, but for all time since the town sported a movie show. They all went; the big, little, old and young. The religious, irreligious and the indifferent; the sinner and saint, the teacher, pupil and preacher. They all went and the great majority were moved as no picture has ever moved them. Very little if any adverse comment was heard, but the amazement of all was the fidelity in which the story as told by the Bible was followed.

And although here three days, the largest crowd saw it the very last night, and while the theatre was comfortable filled Wednesday and Thursday night, and the matinees well patronized, the nearly eight hundred seats were nearly all taken on Friday night.

Not only was the story of the exodus and the suffering of the Israelites faithfully portrayed, but the miracle performed by the hand of God through Moses were astounding, and one did not have to stretch the imagination much to feel they were a part and parcel of the moving caravan. The crossing of the red sea was great; the receiving of the ten commandments on Sinai marvelous and the destruction of the golden calf a climax unprecedented in movie annals, and made those witnessing these episodes wonder why the Israelites were not more faithful to Jehovah after witnessing such scenes and deliverances.

Not only was the prologue enjoyed but the modernized drama following it in which the breaking of these commandments were the central feature, was worth a great sermon, perhaps many of them, and many people after seeing this great play announced that they were greatly benefited and intended living better lives.

The management of the Rialto should have the thanks of the entire community for bringing such a great picture in our midst.

LOCAL TAILOR INSTLLS LATEST CLEANING MACHINE

C. George one of Brownfield's hustling tailors, called the writer in one day this week to look at a new machine he recently installed to better handle his big cleaning and pressing business.

While the machine was not really at work at the time, Mr. George put on the motor and showed us just how it operated when clothing was in it. The washing and scrubbing machine was not unlike others we have seen but what really was the great improvement was the pumping apparatus that pumped the gasoline back into a filtration or settling tank after being used, and what it lacked clarify it, the next tank it went into finished. From this last tank the gasoline returns to the cleaning machine as nice and clean as when drawn out of the barrel. Therefore in place of having to clean clothing with dirty gasoline a slice of clean gasoline is always in the mashing machine.

Mr. George informed us that two large consignments of clothing were cleaned last Saturday and when they finished the gasoline still looked almost as clear as when they started. He will also install one of the latest drying machines, or wringers as they are more properly called as soon as it arrives from the factory.

Our tailor men keep up with the procession.

PRIDE-LOU GIN REBUILDING IN RECORD TIME

The Ely-Forest Gin, located about midway between Pride and Lou in the northwest corner of this county which was burned on last Sunday morning a week ago, is being rapidly rebuilt. The gin house has been practically completed and the new machinery is expected any day. Expert machinist from the factory that makes the gin equipment will be sent out to put up the plant and get it in running order.

W. J. Ely, one of the owners of this plant says that he expects to have the plant in shape to gin cotton about the first of week after next.

This will likely break a record for speedy construction of a gin, for it generally takes two or three months to put up such a plant, but it is probable that this one will be in operation three weeks from the time it burned.—Lamesa Journal.

FIRST LYCEUM NUMBER NEXT WED. NIGHT.

The first number of the White & Brown Lyceum will be at the grade school auditorium next Wednesday night under the auspices of the Parent Teacher Association, entitled "The Storm," and if you miss it you will pass up what is said to be one of the stage masterpieces of the age, and one which towns further east that have already seen it this season are still talking about.

This is the play that ran in New York for six months without losing popular favor, and it must certainly be some play if Gotham patronizes it that long. It is a story of the northwest forest, the principal characters being a young lady and two men, one from the east and one from the west, in which a forest fire is used to try the temper of each. Don't fail to see this greatest of dramas of modern times.

This lyceum being under the auspices of the PTA, who do not care to make money out of it, but have brought it here for educational purposes only, have set a price on the season tickets in reach of all; adults \$1.50 for the five performances, and children \$1.00. To make matters even more attractive, \$5.00 has been set as a family ticket for the whole season, no matter how many children you may have, just so they all come to the auditorium together.

Don't forget to read the advertising elsewhere in this issue, and don't forget the date of "The Storm," next Wednesday night at the grade school auditorium.

GRANDMA DAUGHERTY RAISES FINE TURNIPS

If anybody in the country has fall turnips, you may just plunk down your cash that Grandma Daugherty is in that bunch. We have known her nearly seventeen years, and if she has ever failed, we don't remember the year, and she always has plenty of them; large, brittle meated fellows, and all the standard varieties.

One time we asked Grandma how come she raised turnips each year, rain or shine, and she replied: "When the county was new, some 20 years ago, I always noticed that Mr. W. H. Gist, now a citizen if California, always brought nice turnips to town each year, and through curiosity, one day I asked him his receipt for raising turnips. He told me that he always planted his turnips on the first day of August, rain or shine, hot or indifferent, and that is all there is to it." Of course if there is not sufficient moisture in the ground at that time to bring the seed up, grandma depends on her windmill, and subsequently while they are growing, but she says nine chances to one if we get rain at all it will be about the first part of August.

The Herald takes this means of thanking Grandma for a big mess of these luscious vegetables this week.

WINDHAM RANCH ON MARKET TO SMALL FARMERS

One of the best bodies of land in Terry county is now on the market for farming purposes and at prices in the reach of almost anybody, and in 160 and 320 acre tracts. Not only are the prices favorable, but the terms such as to make it possible for any man with a small cash payment and a will to work, to pay for their land from year to year with the proceeds from the crops and at the same time make a living for the family.

This land is equal in every way to the lands being sold north of us in the new railroad belt at twice the price asked for the Windham ranch lands, and you take the disadvantage of having to build up schools and the roads in that section. The Windham ranch area already enjoys the advantages of good schools and good roads and are in from 80 to 12 miles of six gins here at Brownfield, and one just a few miles at Lou.

The John B. King Land Co. is selling this fine 13 1/2 section ranch, and we respectfully call your attention to their ad in this issue. If you want a real home in the sure enough cotton growing section of the South Plains, see them at once, and get a choice selection as these lands will go in a hurry. All these lands are capable of cultivation, as it is perfectly smooth prairie land.

Enthusiastic Local Citizens will vote on October 28th to decide whether the gas will take over the local gas company and operate it as a municipal utility.

CALL 71
S. A. LAUDERDALE
 for prompt service when you have any
 draying or transfer.

Take Time to See Our Display
 of
Furniture and Hardware
 We have an ample range from which to select.
 Also our stock of **RADIO BATTERIES**
 Complete stock of staple and fancy
GROCERIES
C. L. Williams
 Furniture, Hardware and Groceries

Stay away from that hot stove and let the
AMERICAN CAFE
 Do your worrying about Sunday Dinner

YES—I AM A NUT!

Some people say I am a nut about making advertising pay better by making better ads.

All right. I am a nut. But I am in pretty good company. The record of the nuts up to date runs high.

Archimedes was a nut, but you can't hoist a derrick to-day without Archie's help. He was the fellow who said: "Just give me standing room for my lever, and I'll pry up the universe."

Columbus was a nut. He went from capital to capital trying to find a king sporty enough to back his plan for making the geography twice as big, and they joshed him.

Galileo was a nut, but they didn't josh him. When he said the world went around the sun they tied him to a rack and tortured him until he took it back.

Newton was a nut. But we might not know yet what makes the apple fall if it wasn't for Ike, the Nut.

Watt was a nut and we have the steam engine. Singer was a nut and we have the sewing machine. Morse was a nut and we have the telegraph. Fulton was a nut and we have the steamboat.

When the English people heard Stephenson's idea of a wagon on rails pushed by steam, they laughed their heads off but Stephenson kept on and now railroad mileage is 253,558 in this country alone.

Everybody takes a kodak with them because Eastman was a nut.

Darya was a nut and now the automobile industry is the third largest in the country. Ford was a nut—and is yet.

So, if I am a nut, I am rather proud of it. Don't think that I put myself in a line with these names. They are all big nuts—cocoa-nuts, at least—while I am only a pea-nut.

But I am just as much in earnest about my own particular nuttiness as they were.

I do believe that if I had a chance to talk to you, I might (and you I only say "might") be able to suggest something better than you have used or are using in their advertisements. Anyway, I am always willing to put my time against yours to find out.—Exchange.

**FRUGALITY SECOND
 NATURE OF SCOTCHMEN**

A Scotchman, wishing to know his fate at once, telegraphed a proposal of marriage to the lady of his choice. After spending the entire day at the telegraph office he was finally rewarded late in the evening by an affirmative answer.

"If I were you," suggested the operator, when he delivered the message, "I'd think twice before I'd marry a girl that kept me waiting all day for an answer."

"Na, na," retorted the Scot. "The lass who waits for the night rates is the lass for me."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Leader, James King.
 Lesson Topic: Life as a Hurdle Race.—Heb. 12: 1-4.
 Song.—No. 133.
 Pledge: Leader's Talk.
 Prayer: Mrs. E. G. Alexander.
 Obstacle of Sloth: James Dallas.
 If We Fall: Grace Barrett.
 Obstacle of Worry: Otho Flippin.
 Steady Progress Counts: Henry Scudday.
 Obstacle of Doubt: Paul Lemons.
 Crown of Life: Frances Plain.
 The Judge of the Race: Mammie Sue Flache.
 A Will to Win: Laura Head.
 How the Christian Endeavor Helps: Delores Lynn.
 Questions on Lesson: Leader.
 A Special: Fay Brown.
 Christian Endeavor Benediction.—Reporter.

SANTA APPROVES A CHRISTMAS GIFT

Santa Claus has been down a great many chimneys since he started business, and he is intimately acquainted with a large number of people. He knows that the best kinds of gifts are those which please the whole family, and which bring the excitement and enjoyment of Christmas every week. That is why he looks so jolly when he receives hundreds of subscriptions to the Youth's Companion with which to fill his sack. And, being wise from long experience, he knows that people are likely to overdo things around Christmas, so he chuckles when he sticks a companion into the top of a stocking. "Be as greedy as you like," he thinks, "the more the better for you."

The 52 issues of the Youth's Companion for 1926 will be crowded with serial stories, short stories, editorials, poetry, facts and fun. Just send your order to the address below and Santa will take care of delivering your paper to your home or to the home of a friend. Subscribers will receive:

1. The Youth's 52 issues in 1926 and all the remaining issues of 1925. All for only \$2.00.
2. Or include McCall's Magazine, the monthly authority on fashions. Both publications, only \$2.50.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION
 Subscriptions received at the Herald office.

Threemorton—Survey of the proposed new Post-Fort Worth line of the Santa Fe is progressing rapidly. Three gangs are pushing the work and at the rate the work is moving he gang should be in Fort Worth within a fortnight. One of the gangs which ran a line from Double Mountain formed a lasso here with the other two gangs indicating that the line might run direct from Hasell here. No public announcement of the Santa Fe's policy will be made until the action of the Inter State Commerce Commission on the Denver case has been taken.

**Power of Perversity
 Not Well Understood**

Perversity is one of the great forces of nature. Men have been fighting it for a great many years and opposition has served only to make its power greater. It has seldom been harnessed, except by chance, but potentially it is a mover of mountains.

Sebastian Bach was an orphan who possessed a fiddle, a store of genius and an elder brother who was "practical." The brother permitted him to practice on the fiddle one hour each day—no more; and when Sebastian stole away and practiced in secret he was cuffed for his sins. It may be that his musician's soul yearned to express itself, but he was a boy as well as a genius; and it is quite probable that perversity, more than genius, spurred him to rebellion.

When a small daughter is offered a book and told that it will prove instructive, she at once abominates it; forbids her to read another, and at once it holds a fascination almost beyond her powers to resist. Make the eating of sauerkraut an offense against church and state and at once many thousands of good folks who never were tempted by the stuff will become enamored of it.

Consider the peach tree. It must be pruned to the orthodox "basket" shape to admit the sunshine and lighten the task of those who pick the fruit. But the pruners cut away the top wood only; they do not disturb the roots. And because the roots continue to supply undiminished vitality the tree exerts itself to put on more wood than was cut away. Efforts to keep it low but encourage its efforts to grow higher.

And there is steam. Free in the air, it is impotent and worthless. Restrained and its struggles to escape afford power to keep the wheels of civilization turning.

If perversity may be harnessed and set to work, why employ it only as a means of engendering bitterness? It is here to stay; the supply is unlimited and everlasting; it is more dependable than loyalty, a sense of duty or fear of the devil.

It seems a foolish business to waste good breath in moralizing when perversity stands ready to turn the trick. There were times when even unwise movements get great help from perversity.—Baltimore Sun.

Wool Grown in a Hurry

An invention which makes sheep's wool grow faster was described by Professor Barker of Leeds university at the international conference of sheep breeders at Chester.

He said a Japanese doctor had placed on the market a fluid which, when injected in the veins of a sheep, say, every two days, promotes rapid growth of wool.

"So rapid is the growth said to be," Professor Barker continued, "that two months' injection produces twelve months' growth at the ordinary rate. Thus two or three shearings each year are possible."—Tit-Bits.

Woman Fertile Inventor

Among the many interesting things on show at the Exhibition of Inventions held recently in London, few attracted more attention than an apparatus designed by a woman inventor, Miss Verena Holmes. It is a device enabling an important operation in the treatment of consumption to be carried out in the home, and it is regarded as a great boon by the medical profession. Miss Holmes, who is a qualified engineer, has a number of other inventions to her credit. One of the most promising is a new type of diving apparatus.

New Salvador Railway

A contract has been signed and approved by the President and the national assembly of Salvador for the construction of a branch railway line, 16 kilometers (10 miles) in length, from Alahuapitan (in the department of the same name) to the Guatemala frontier, north of El Naranjo. Construction is to be completed before April 24, 1930. It is intended ultimately to connect the line now in the course of construction between Santa Ana and Alahuapitan with Guatemala City.—Commerce Reports.

For Sale
Chevrolet
Coupe
A-1 condition
Terms
 -See-
BROWNFIELD CHEVROLET COMPANY
BLUE BUGS?
 Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens, and paint your hen house with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Money back guarantee by—E. G. Alexander.

Demand It!
Magnolia Gasoline
 and
Magnolene Motor Oils
Magnolia Petroleum Co.
 Phone 10. Tom May, Agent

Lubbock—Lubbock will entertain the 1926 Convention of the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association. This action was taken by the executive board at a recent meeting in Dallas.

Taboka—This city has decided by election to sell the municipally owned light and ice plant to the Mutual Light & Power Company of Amarillo. The consideration is approximately \$6,000 and the new owners will take charge about November 1st.

Want Ads

ANNOUNCEMENT—We wish to notify our old friends and customers in Terry County that our shop is now located at 216 W. Gurley st., Prescott, Ariz., and we will appreciate any orders for either new boots or repairs. Martin & Son, Prescott, Ariz. 11-2026

BARGAIN DAYS HERE: You can now get the Star-Telegram Daily and Sunday at the regular bargain rate of \$7.45, and the remaining days of October and all of November. Your paper will be dated up to December 1, 1926. See the Herald at once.

LIST your lands with me and I will sell them for you. Quote best price first time and cash and terms prices. Describe land fully depth of water state whether agent or owner—wha commission will you pay. Address: H. T. Green, 605 1/2 8th St., Wichita, Falls, Texas. 11-6-26

A GOOD Studebaker car for sale! See Ben Hurst. tlc

STRAIGHT SALARY: \$35.00 per week and expenses. Man or woman with rig to sell Egg Producer, Eureka Manufacturing Company, East Saint Louis, Ill.

SAVE RENT: Houses built on installment plan. See C. D. Shamburger, City. 4-24

Geo. Allen
The House Reliable
 Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE
 Western Texas. Largest Selection of MUSIC TEACHER Supplies, etc., etc. Catalog and BOOK OF CHORDS FREE. 215 W. 11th St. SAN ANGELO

MANY PEOPLE are making money by using these want ads. Other are saving money by reading them.

NEW PERFECTION oil stoves a Holgate-Endersen Hdw. Co. tlc

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 of Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

ALEXANDER DRUG STORE

TRY A SACK of our flour. It has a full guarantee to please you.—Brothers.

WANTED: Farmers to bring their produce to the Brownfield Produce Co. They pay more. 10-2.

SAVE RENT: Houses built on installment plan. See C. D. Shamburger, City. 4-24

WITH OUR BIG Refrigerator to preserve them, we are able to pay the highest market price for your butter and eggs.—Brothers & Bros

FEDERAL FARM LOANS at 5 1/2 per cent interest, and 34 years and six months time on them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

Just Received!
 A Carload of
Chrysler Four
 Sedans and Touring Cars
 Come in and see them.
THE BRICK GARAGE
 HARRIS BROTHERS Brownfield, Texas

The Terry County Herald, 1 year for \$1.00

Big Stock
GOOD LUMBER
 Everything to Build with
HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT CO.
 A pleasure to serve our customers

CAR LOAD of seed wheat, rye and barley just received. Bowers Bros., Brownfield, Texas. tlc

CARBON PAPER—Any size sheet up to 24 by 36 inches at The Herald. tlc

COMPLETE stock of generator brushes and ignition parts for all makes of autos at Brick Garage. 666 tlc

FOR SUMMER SOD breaking contracts or old land, see J. H. McKinney, City. 10-tlc

EDISON Mazda Lamps; a large assortment at the Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co. tlc

CAR LOAD of seed wheat, rye and barley just received. Bowers Bros., Brownfield, Texas. tlc

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

BROTHERS & BROTHERS always has a nice assortment of fresh candies and fruits.

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe and sport model Maxwell. Inquire at the Cicero Smith yard. 23c

FRESH MILK delivered anywhere in the city. Sanitary Dairy, phone No. 184. 11-tlc

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

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe and sport model Maxwell. Inquire at the Cicero Smith yard. 23c

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ELOQUENT MAN IS MASTER OF MINDS

Wondrous Indeed Is Magic Power of Words.

Bismarck objected to rhetoric, as a barrier to judgment. He was a sledgehammer speaker himself, relying on a crushing weight of argument, not on subtle finesse, in a debate. Some disputants are wrestlers, some are fencers. He was one of the former, and he felt an instinctive distrust of those who rely on a swift play of wit, like the flashing thrust of a rapier, to confuse and subdue the adversary.

What is the power of words that some men use to captivate and hypnotize their fellows? Many a crook has flourished because he talked so well. The proposal that he brought would never bear the searching analysis of daylight, but he wrapped it in a veil of words, and it took on the glamor of romantic mystery, the light of a fresh dawn of adventure. As he expounded it, it began to seem worth staking the soul upon, the only thing to do in a world of humdrum materialism. If he poured the vials of his scorn upon the liberal horizons of science they seemed to wither and shrivel like dry leaves in a hot sun; but what he approved was made, in the mind's vista, to blossom like the rose and be fairer than a moonlit fountain in a soft green glade.

It was the magic language, beautifully composed—of words compelled by eloquence to do a master's will. And he who used them so delighted in the music of his voice. He became impatient and imperfect as a listener. He was always waiting for others to get through that he might begin. He demanded that the stage be set, the program built for him.

Not always will men of diction, instead of men of action, have the right of way. Today there are men who suffer greatly as they behold large segments of society apparently stamped, wrong-headed, obdurate, in the direction of fallacy, by those who use the necromancy of mellifluous words. On runs the lulling stream of language; it catches the light, it tosses and flashes, it foams in pearl and cascades again in silver, it goes up and down, it waves in and out—and where does it arrive? None knows and none may say. It passed, as the wind ripples over wheat, and left no durable impression.

But in time the dead will find its voice, mightier than the mere delightful sound of those who talked, more potent than the style of him who wrote and had nothing to say, because he never really lived and never did a thing that mattered. The worker will leave his record, when the talk of indolence at last is stilled and the ink of futility is dry.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

German Writes of Lincoln

One of the latest publications on the German book market is a biography of Abraham Lincoln in German. Hitherto only the German translation of the Carl Schurz sketch of Abraham Lincoln's life existed. The author of the German work is Count Albrecht Montzels. The book has met with a favorable reception by the press. Reviewing it the Vossische Zeitung says: "Despite the obvious thoroughness of Count Montzels' investigations and research work among the mass of existing Lincoln biographies, his book reads like an interesting short story." Another paper states: "Even among educated Germans, there are not many who fully realize Lincoln's historical importance."

Cats Dodge Electricity

Attendants at the city dog pound are convinced cats either have nine lives or are quicker than electricity. The men have no trouble executing dogs by electrocution, but they have had difficulty sending cats out of the world. Cats taken to the pound for biting persons and later ordered executed have managed to make a flying leap out of the opening to the electric "chair" the instant the current touched them. Sparks even flew from their fur, but otherwise they seemed unhurt. Now the attendants have adopted the expedient of first knocking senseless cats sentenced to death.—Detroit News.

Found Stolen Money

Lynn (Mass.) police were sent to investigate the report that some one had rifled the clothing of the employees of a bakery, and had escaped through a window, taking \$50 in bills from the clothing. The policemen examined the window through which the thief was supposed to have left the building. It was only a little jump to the ground and the policemen made it easily. There lay the roll of bills on the ground. The money was returned and all was well.

The Wise Ones

The Grand Duchess Cyril said many clever things during her American visit. Thus to a New York girl reporter—"The women most successful with men," said the grand duchess, "are not the beautiful ones, but the wise ones. And the wise ones are those who know that men are only babies with beards."

Pure Aluminum

Pure aluminum, the goal of many years of research, soon will be available in commercial quantities through the development of a new refining process, says Popular Science Monthly for August. This product has a beautiful silver color and luster which it retains very well.

Hallowe'en Fancies

The children and grown-ups, too, get a big lot of wholesome fun from a Hallowe'en party. Before you start planning a single thing for your Hallowe'en party take a few minutes to see the many suggestions we have for making your party a big success.

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STALWART GUNMEN GUARD COCHRAN CO. COURTHOUSE

All or part interest which marked pioneering on the Plains is to be experienced at Morton, in Cochran county, where the new courthouse which is being erected at a cost of \$125,000.00 is under construction.

The building has been completed to the third floor and huge steel beams have been placed there, with necessary arrangements made for the brick masons to continue their work and to allow any possibility of disturbance of the cherished structure. Those in authority have employed a night watchman whose duty it is to guard the building from sundown to sunrise, a job that does not involve any arduous task but one which is certainly difficult to perform because of the long hours and the demand of those in authority for the watchman to be on the job every minute.

It was at three o'clock in the morning that the writer had an opportunity to see something of the alertness with which the guardsman is adhering to the instructions which have been given by his employers, for without knowing that the building was guarded, and in fact not realizing that we were about to intrude upon forbidden grounds, we parked the jimmy in the main street of the little town and as a short cut to the home where the keeper of the filling station lived, of whom we wished to purchase necessary gas for the car, we started to climb the fence and angle across the courthouse lawn. "Halt," and with out knowing whether we were about to be robbed of the two dollars which was the sum of our purse, and which we need'd to make the necessary purchase of gas and oil, we found ourselves standing as still as night itself, and in fact, experienced the thrill of fear as it crept over us when the seriousness of our plight was realized in a flash.

"Just want to know 'who you are and what you are doing here' the voice said and an explanation was not at all difficult to make. The watchman was not at all unfriendly afterwards, however, in fact offered every possible assistance in seeing that our wants were supplied. The employment of a guardsman at Morton is not a surprise to those who have kept in close touch with the political situation in Cochran county, or the location of the county site has been the center around which a persistent legal battle was fought and he brick and steel of the building is the material evidence that the battle has far has been won by the Morton action while their careful guarding of the structure is further evidence of their eagerness to keep the status of the cast just where it is without other interruption from anyone.

The guardsman who keeps his nightly vigil over the cherished courthouse is a stalwart individual of immoveable determination and while we didn't take any chances on finding out about his gunnability we were really informed by those who are acquainted with him that intrusion upon the grounds of the courthouse would likely prove fatal unless accompanied by an explanation.—Lubbock Avalanche.

MANY EX-SERVICE MEN YET IN TEXAS UNIVERSITY

Austin, Texas, Oct. 26.—Ex-service men registered in the University of Texas this year number 175, whereas a few years ago there were over 1000. Most of the war veterans are registered for graduate work or a course in the School of Law.

Mesdames A. M. Brownfield and F. M. Ellington left Sunday morning for San Antonio as delegates to the Eastern Star grand assembly.

RIGHT ABOUT FACE!

Readers of the Houston (Tex) Press doubtless rubbed their eyes in amazement, when they saw on the front page of that Scripps-Howard paper a new column headed "Chronicles of Billie" by Colonel Billie Mayfield.

While the Ku Klux Klan was in Texas with the Press leading the fight against the Klan, Mayfield was the publisher of Mayfield's Weekly, bitterly assailed the Press on many occasions.

Several years previously while a Colonel in the Texas National Guard Mayfield admitted responsibility for an attempt to kidnap G. V. Sanders, then editor of the Press, from Houston and punish him for criticism of the conduct of guard officers during a period of martial law at Galveston.

In his first Press column, Mayfield related humorously that he noticed "They are cornering brains for The Houston Press, and I felt that I was needed too" so he applied for a job.

The column is a revival of one which Mayfield wrote for the Houston Chronicle prior to the National Guard and Ku Klux Klan episodes. Inclusion of it by editor C. J. Lilly of the Press is a remarkable example for a newspaper doing the unexpected.—Ex.

Amarillo—The Southwest is growing better according to Judge Wilson. The extremely light criminal docket of the United States District Court reflects the prosperity of the Southwest and crime has all but disappeared. Good crops and plenty of work for all labor is the answer.

WILSON'S PROFANITY

"I will do my damndest," cabled President Wilson to Lloyd George in the Spring of 1918, in answering the plea for more troops immediately. The phrase is revealed in a recent biography of the late Sir William Robinson, and showed the human side of the President that many persons in these United States declared that he did not have.

Woodrow Wilson always held that 'cussin' had its uses and values. In a speech to the Southern Society while he was president of Princeton, made a humorous defence of profanity insisting that it had its rightful and necessary uses. "There are men" said Mr. Wilson "who cannot understand anything except profanity. Why waste the King's English upon them when you wish something done?" was the central idea. Like the lie, he insisted, profanity was a thing too valuable to be wasted, on the contrary a thing to be used only in dire emergency when the truth would do more harm than the lie.

In that phrase is a lesson that might be taken to heart by almost everybody in these days when cussin' and lying seem so general. In the hustle and bustle of everyday business profanity is the rule rather than the exception. It is used familiarly and affectionately, and rudely and angrily. Study that sentence of Wilson's in answer to a heart plea from stricken Europe. It must have brought a thrill that fine phrases would never have produced.—Star Telegram.

Tom May and wife made a business and pleasure trip to Lubbock Monday of this week.

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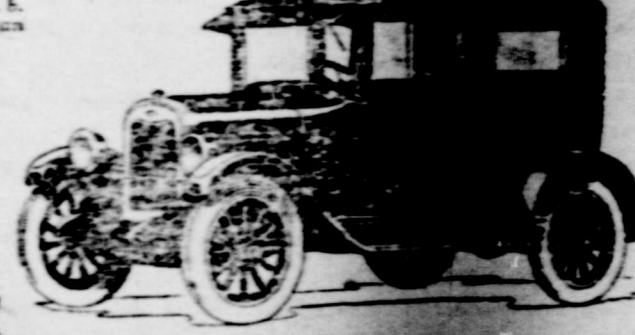
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Balmorhea—The Toyah Valley News is a new newspaper to be published here. The owners are Lee Kingston and George Price and publication has already begun.
Slaton—The City Commission has called an election for Nov. 17th to pass on a proposed \$100,000.00 paving program here. The Slaton Public square will be the first unit paved.

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We have seen no motions this week that looked like our big weed patches were seriously threatened. In fact the weeds give every appearance that they have a feeling that they were here first and have no idea of moving. They may defy the citizenship who seem to be indifferent to them as next door neighbors, but one of these days old Jack Frost will arrive and give them a whack that will leave them black and shriveled. Perhaps the citizenship anticipate just such a condition as this and are holding their own energy, for they know a swift norther will follow, and presto! the weeds have drifted on. Drift is right. And in just such condition becomes the great danger of fire, not to say anything about the danger to eyes, nose, throats, and the general health of the people.

Best, Texas, seems to have rather repudiated its name recently, as the dailies report some 200 arrests in that small oil burg for dispensing whiskey as per pre-Volstead days, not to say anything about gambling and hobnobbing with painted women et cetera. The correspondents failed to state how the other 50 people of the town conducted the business after the other 200 went to jail. Perhaps, though, the neighboring villages all locked in to help milk the people. That is one reason the Herald has never gone hog wild over the oil business in this section. We have a good agricultural section and we know it. Agricultural people are cultured people—law-abiding people, and we know that just the very opposite kind follow in the wake of oil booms. And this is saying no harm of the people who really discover the oil.

We understand that our football team has been disbanded. This is just as well, in fact better. This is no longer a game of sport, but a game of trying to see how many men can be permanently crippled or killed, and unless a reformation can be instituted, we believe the game should be entirely banned. We understand the last game our boys played, one of them were knocked unconscious, and remained that way for some time. We have a young man in a sanitarium now recovering from an operation for rupture caused from this game last year. Only recently a young man was sent from Tech College back to his home in Haskell in a coffin. Scan

your dailies and see how many are disable every day, and maybe so disabled as to handicap him in after life, for you are certainly handicapped if a cripple; we know. There are hundreds of other splendid games in which all may take part that give vigorous exercise, with a small hazard to life or limb. When a school or college goes batty over football, some dozen or two boys get all the advantages of physical training, and the balance, including both boys and girls shiver around on the lines, developing flat chests and flabby muscles. All the development they get is their lungs giving the school yell.

One of our banker friends asked us last week why we did not come out editorially on the proposition of calling a special session of the legislature together. We informed him that we did not consider that our opinion would have much weight either way; that we are merely one of the many thousands of innocent bystander taxpayers, and if the politicians wanted to assemble in Austin, and wrangle, play politics and raise "old hilly" in general, and at the same time spend a cool hundred thousand dollars in tax money that the people are going to have a hard time paying at best they would probably do so whether we said yea or nay. There are some half a dozen little souls in Texas, almost large enough for J. P.'s, and Constables who imagine the people of Texas are down on their knees praying for them to be the next governor and they seem to be the only ones who really think a special session is necessary. The Herald at the same time is of the opinion that there is something a little nasty in some of the departments at Austin, for where there is so much smoke, generally a little fire exists. And while we do not always agree with the Ferguson's this time we do, in that they have grand juries all over Texas, and if any crimes have been committed against the commonwealth, they ought to be able to find it, and if there are any cases worthy of impeachment, there will be plenty of time then to call a session of the legislature for that purpose.

The faculty of Baylor University passed a ruling prohibiting car riding at night by students. Not to be outdone, the guilty ones appeared a few nights later escorted in buggies drawn by horses of unknown origin and age. We suppose that when this medieval method of travel is ruled illegal, double seated bicycles will be the last resort of the students in shaking the urban dust from their feet.—Canyon Normal Prairie.

But these students are not near as modern as the girl who attended Classes a whole day in her pajamas in one of the northern universities, or the class of sophomore girls who entertained with a smoker.—Jayton Chronicle.

Kids are very smart these days and if any loopholes appear they find 'em it is related that another prominent eastern schools, also forbid autoing but nothing was said about visit-

ing bridge parties. Therefore, when the co-eds went out with their jelly-beans, they were always careful to cross a bridge during the drive and report they had been out "bridging."

IS IT FAIR TO THE PRINTER?

The Manufacturer, of current issue prints the following which we reproduce as a perfectly fair statement of the government engaging in private industry:

The whole principle involved in the subject of government ownership of industry is wrapped up in the government printing and selling stamped envelopes, the only absolutely socialistic movement that the government has gone into.

To the everlasting glory of the American press, it has stood solidly as a matter of principle and without price against all encroachments of government which would tend to destroy or break down American ideals of freedom and the right exercising individual initiative and enterprise. It has done this in the face of government competition and government ownership in the printing industry and in spite of the fact that a large percentage of stores, banks, doctors, lawyers and manufacturing institutions which would fight such competition in their own line of business, consistently fail to patronize the printing office of the publishers from whom they expect protection when necessity arises.

On orders under 10,000 it is impossible for printers to furnish envelopes with a printed return address at a price to compete with the government. For amounts over 10,000 larger printers can produce printed envelopes far below government figures.

It is the small printer and publisher who is hurt by the government competition. This is the government rule in all lines of activity when government ownership is established. The more the government gets into the field of business the more impossible it will be to eliminate the government printing of envelopes.

This problem affects not only the printers of this nation, but every individual who ever hopes to do anything besides draw pay in an official position.

BLANTON PLEDGES FIGHT ON ARMS APPROPRIATIONS

Harkening to the cries for world peace, uttered in sundry and strange languages the last several days, Representative Blanton of Texas, made known to the world at large through the medium of the Interparliamentary Union yesterday, that military appropriations are going to have hard sledding in the next Congress as far as he is concerned.

"That is my seat right over there," the fiery Texas told the polyglot gathering, pointing to his seat. "The general staffs of all the navies are for bigger navies, and the army staffs are for bigger armies," he declared.

"I want to promise my colleagues in this conference," he said "that there is going to be a fight in this body by the general staff of the Navy of the United States.

"I am going to fight against a big Navy and I am going to fight against a big Army and I am going to fight against big armaments because that alone will bring about peace in the world."

The foreign delegates craned their necks to get a look at the drouthy

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 "I suffered from womanly troubles which grew worse and worse as the months went by," says Mrs. L. H. Cantrell, of R. F. D. 9, Gainesville, Georgia.
 "I frequently had very severe pains. These were so bad that I was forced to go to bed and stay there. It seemed to me my back would come in two."
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FIGHT BREWING AGAINST AMARILLO CHIROPRACTORS

A determined fight against chiropractors is promised by members of the Potter County Medical Society who are co-operating with other Doctors in other parts of the state in their fight against these men and women whom they declare are operating without license.

The doctors declare all chiropractors are required by law to have a license and cite as proof of their statement the statute which says license are required of "those who shall treat or offer to treat any disease or disorder, mental or physical deformity or injury by any system or method or to effect cures thereof and to charge therefor, directly or indirectly, money or other compensation."

No complaints have been filed here but it is possible that at least one will be made against a local chiropractor. A court of inquiry was held before Judge H. R. Airheart the first part of this week at which time a number of witnesses were questioned concerning chiropractors.

W. F. Nix is acting as special prosecutor, assisting county attorney H. J. Stanfield in this matter.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Teems, tried in 1916 resulted in the conviction of the defendant on a charge of practicing without a license. The defendant contended he was giving adjustments and not treatments, but the higher court upheld the findings of the lower court, it is pointed by those advocating the doctors' interests.

a chiropractor in Amarillo, according to Alex Mood is that against Dr. A. D. Fensty, indicted on a charge of negligent homicide in connection with the death of Robert Bradford last August. Mr. Mood is attorney for Dr. Fensty.—Amarillo Daily News.

MORE WATER BONDS VOTED AT TAHOKA

In the election held last Saturday the citizens of Tahoka authorized the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$60,000 with which to extend and improve the water system of the city and also voted to approve the sale of the municipal light, power and ice plant, heretofore owned and operated by the city.

The vote on the water bonds was: For, 83; against, 56.

The vote on the sale of the power and ice plant was: For, 81; against, 58.—Tahoka News.

"Limited" Railway Trains

The word "limited" as applied to trains came into use about the time of the Civil war. Originally the only limiting feature of the "limited train" was the number of cars to be drawn. Now "limited" is applied to trains running a certain distance, carrying only a limited number of cars and prescribing the accommodations that can be given each passenger, for which an increased fare is charged. Such trains are invariably fast trains. Consequently "limited train" has become synonymous, popularly speaking, with "fast train."—Pathfinder Magazine.

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Rockefeller as a Loafer

When I asked Mr. Rockefeller to what he chiefly attributed his success, he instantly replied, "To others," writes C. B. Forbes in Hearst's International-Cosmopolitan. "Ever since my early manhood I have been a loafer," said Mr. Rockefeller. "While the newspapers were picturing me as a slave to business, working day and night, the truth is that I wasn't working hard at all—at least, not at business. I was working hard very often, but not at 26 Broadway or at any other place of business, but at my home, near Cleveland, where my special hobby was the transplanting of trees, and where I did a lot of gardening. I left others to do the hard work. After middle age I rarely ever visited the office, and it is many years since I did any work whatsoever there."

Had an Alibi

"Want to join the Legion, buddy?" asked a Legionnaire of a husky young man of about his own age. "Can't; wasn't in the service." "Why weren't you?" the veteran demanded. "My intentions were good," was the rather reluctant explanation. "I went to a recruiting office where they put me in a room and told me to take off my clothes. A doctor walked up to me, looked at me kinda hard, an' then thumped me on the chest. I wasn't in the habit of letting strangers get rough with me, so I thumped his chest—an' I didn't get out of the hospital until the war was over."—American Legion Weekly.

Nature Was Before Them

At Bronson, Minn., Charles Falk chose a rainy afternoon for butchering his fattened hog because the weather was not suitable for other work, and with the assistance of a neighbor the necessary preparations were made. When everything was ready the men proceeded to the pig-house to administer the stunning blow, but to their amazement found the porker dead near the door. It was found that lightning had killed the animal.

Oil Does Not Freeze

A very precious oil, suitable for aviation, since it does not congeal even at a very high altitude, can be extracted from crickets, says consular advice to the Department of Commerce from Algiers. Recently about 18 tons of crickets were sent to Holland from Algeria. Part of this quantity was utilized for feeding poultry, and from the remainder the oil for aviation purposes was extracted and has apparently given every satisfaction.

Mining in Arizona

Gold, silver, copper and lead to the value of \$9,610,279 were mined in Arizona in 1924.

Carried on Husband's Work

The first newspaper in Pennsylvania, the American Weekly Mercury, printed by Andrew Bradford, after his death in 1724 was for some years published by his wife.

MANUAL TRAINING DEPT. MAKING "SLOW-UP" SIGNS

The Manual Training Department of the Brownfield High School, under the direction of Prof. O. W. Fagala, are this week busy turning out "Slow Down" signs as warnings to our speed maniacs as they approach the public school grounds.

The Maids and Matrons Club of this city agreed to furnish all lumber necessary for their construction, and the Prof. announced that his class in manual training would be more than glad of the opportunity to make and paint and erect the signs free of all charge.

It is said that some of our folks who are always in a big hurry to go nowhere in particular, pass the school grounds, where hundreds of little fellows are at play at most any rate their vehicles are capable of making, endangering the lives of the little fellows who may be in their crazy paths. We have state laws governing such matters, and also city laws, we understand, and they should be rigidly enforced.

Of course it may be argued that the officers cannot be on the school grounds, but this does not keep the mayor from making one of the principals or two of them if necessary, special officers, and furnish them with stop watches if necessary. Several days on the street building force ought to have a tendency toward sobering some of our speeders.

R. A. Crews, public weigher, of Wellman, was up this week on business and reported that he had done weighed nearly 500 bales of cotton that was ginned there.

Mrs. H. G. Lees and children from Dexter, N. M., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dallas. Will Moore, of Gomez, was seen on the streets this week.

J. L. Lyon has a crew of his kin folks in from Oklahoma, helping him gather his cotton crop. He informed us that he had about 20 bales open at present.

FOUR ARE HURT WHEN MACHINE WRECKS SUNDAY

Mrs. Grady Scarborough, of Grape-land, Texas, 29, was instantly killed and four others injured when a heavy touring car in which they were riding turned turtle on the Lubbock-Littlefield Highway one mile east of Littlefield late Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Scarborough was visiting her father, E. B. Clark of Littlefield.

The injured are Miss Gladys Scott, 16, daughter of W. A. Scott, farmer; Miss Laura Mae Clark, 16, and Earl Clark, 18, children of E. B. Clark, farmer and former business man of Littlefield, and Hadley Hilborn, 18, of Littlefield.

The accident occurred when the steering works failed to function, while the car was going at a fast rate of speed.

Funeral services of Mrs. Scarborough will be conducted at the Bursan-Mason undertaking parlors at Littlefield, Monday.

The injured were rushed from the scene of the accident to Simpson's sanitarium at Littlefield.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Edwin Dodd, ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dodd, fell from a box car Friday of last week while he and other boys were playing around the switch yards, and was hurt rather badly. He was however able to be back in school this week.

Gigantic Power Project

The island of Sicily is to be provided with electric power from Italy, which will embrace the erection of one of the most wonderful transmission wires in the world. Bids have been received from an American company for the construction of two steel towers, higher than the famous Eiffel tower in Paris, which will carry the transmission cables across the Straits of Messina. The height of the towers will be approximately 1,082 feet, and the distance between them will be two miles. There will be two circuits of three cables each, running 30 feet apart. The cables will be of steel, about four-fifths of an inch in diameter, and will clear the water in the center of the straits at a minimum height of 230 feet. At one terminus the cables will have automatic movable attachments to allow for changes in temperature and for wind pressure.—Family Herald.

Influence of Religion

Uncle Toby had a neighbor who was in the habit of working on Sunday, but after a while he joined the church.

One day he met the minister to whose church the man belonged.

"Well, Uncle Toby," said the minister, "do you see any difference in Mr. Smith since he joined the church?"

"Yes," said Uncle Toby, "a great difference. Before when he went to mend the fences on Sunday he carried his ax on his shoulder. Now he carries it under his overcoat."

SCENE AFTER THE FOREST FIRE IN "THE STORM"



"The Storm," Langdon McCormack's great drama of the northwest woods, will be presented by the New York Players on our Lyceum course. Marooned in a woodsman's cabin, Lisette, the little French Canadian girl, is loved by two Americans, Burr, a woodsman, and Dave, a city man. Will she return Dave's love and go

with him to the culture and fine clothes of the city? Or will she love the big soul of her father's friend, Burr? This great lesson in life's choice is dramatically presented in this play.

The climax is a forest fire—a scene which tests moral fibre, reveals the greatness of one man's heroism and

burns the dross from the other's soul, transforming him thenceforth into one of God's good men, honest and square dealing.

After its phenomenal run in New York, the Herald said, "The Storm" can run for years and be remembered for a lifetime.

What About Your Winter Reading?

The HERALD hardly ever clubs, but when it does it tries to make it worth while to its readers. In order to gain new readers as well as renew old ones, we make the following offer for a limited time:

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THE FEMALE IS THE MORE NERVOUS OF THE TWO

Recently the editor read an article from the pen of a prominent movie director in which he stated that the female sex of the specie humanus was the more nervy of the two, and he then stated his reasons. In directing pictures of thrilling scenes where the actors and actresses had to plunge through fire or into icy waters, or any other dangerous undertaking, the woman would do so unhesitatingly, whereas the average man would hesitate and dread.

This week we heard a story about a Brownfield party of ladies and girls that well illustrate this. Whether or not the story is true or not, we made no effort to learn, but anyway we believed it, knowing as we do the nerve of the party. It ran something like this:

The lady accompanied by some of her friends was journeying to a neighboring town, leisurely in a high-power car, when an ordinary looking, rattling jitney passed them like a streak. Whereupon the lady remarked to her friends that night she that was going to pass her up. They had not run far however, until her car struck a deep rut that turned her car upon its side. No ill effects happened other than a shakup. They got out and righted the car, when the owner asked "Girls, are you still game to go around that jitney? A unanimous vote resulted, and

they passed it too.

The average bunch of men would have had all the race took out of them when the car turned up.

Yet we can't say that women are more reckless than men, but on the other hand are not half as likely to try to "show off."

CHEMIST MAKES REPORT ON BROWN TOOTH STAIN

Canyon, Texas, Oct. 24.—The brown tooth stain, so prevalent on teeth of children raised on the Plains of Texas, was the subject of an address given recently by Dr. C. A. Pierle, head of the chemistry department of the West Texas State Teachers' College, at Clarendon. The address was delivered to an audience of physicians, dentists, teachers and parents.

For more than two years Dr. Pierle has been experimenting with rats and guinea pigs and has been able to produce the brown tooth stain at will. His work is financed by the National Dental Association, to which he recently made report of his finding at the annual meeting of the association at Louisville, Ky. Lack of milk and green vegetables are believed to be the cause of this disease.

Postmaster J. C. Bohannon, accompanied by Assistant Postmaster A. L. Burnett, were visitors in Lubbock this week between trains, and visited the local sick white up there.

The Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist church will be in session the first part of November at Canyon. Rev. J. P. Watson, local pastor of the Methodist church is making all preparations to attend and is busily engaged in cleaning up unfinished business in order to make as good report for this church as possible. A great number of new members have been added under his pastorage, and he has been instrumental to a large degree in the erection of their modern and beautiful new church building of which they stood in great need when he came here. He has also made many fast friends in and out of his church who will regret to see him and his excellent family move away should that happen to be the decree of the presiding elder. However, as Rev. Watson has only been two years there may not be any likelihood of his moving.

LLOYD GEORGE SAYS WAIT ON US AWHILE

Liquor is one of the things wrong with England today, Lloyd George is telling the British people, according to an editorial in the Dallas News, which continues: Last year they spent a billion dollars on drink. He is "convinced that prohibition is an experiment we ought to investigate." Then he refers to America's case: "There is no use in indulging in slapdash condemnation of America. Not only have the Americans carried prohibition, but no political party now in America dares propose abolition of prohibition. As politicians the Americans beat us at every turn."

"It is an experiment we ought to investigate. Do not condemn it haphazardly. One hundred and ten million of people do not continue to make fools of themselves for long. They are the most prosperous people under the sun, not because they have the gold, but because they have not the drink."

STAR-TELEGRAM BUYS FORT WORTH RECORD

Fort Worth, Oct. 24th.—According to an announcement posted on the Bulletin Board of the Fort Worth Record today, the paper will be transferred October 31st, to the ownership of Amos G. Carter, owner and publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

The Middle Course

"It is impossible to do one's best every day," is perhaps true. But it is not impossible to see that one does not do one's worst. If perfection is unattainable, strike a happy medium.

Opinion and Affection

Opinion is something wherein I go about to give reason why all the world should think as I think. Affection is a thing wherein I look after the pleasing of myself.—John Selden.

But Shrewd in One Way

The noble red man made the women do the work, but he was a poor manager in other respects.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

The Real Test

The chief pang of most trials is not so much the actual suffering itself as our own spirit of resistance to it.—Jean Nicholas Grou.

Small Elsie Did Not Want Another Oyster!

Oysters, like olives, are an acquired taste, and a taste that some persons never acquire. There are many, says E. E. Whiting, writing cheerfully in the Boston Herald, who sympathize with the oft-quoted young woman who said: "I'm glad I don't like oysters, because if I liked 'em I'd eat 'em, and I hate 'em." There are many also who will feel akin in spirit with the little girl who was making her first appearance at a home dinner at which there were grownup guests.

The first course was oysters on the half-shell. Her mother observed approvingly the placidity and exemplary demeanor of her daughter, and thought to remove some of the solemnity and restraint of the occasion by letting the child go to the joys of the dinner. So she said:

"Would Elsie like a nice oyster?"

Elsie looked doubtful, but dutifully opened her timid mouth, and mother popped an oyster into it. Elsie closed her lips, and the mother turned her attention to her guests and her oysters. She got to the last oyster on her plate and then remembered her child, whose silence and sustained good manners continued to make a most delightful impression. So she turned to the child and asked: "Would Elsie like another nice oyster?"

A look of anguish came into the face of the patient little girl. She gently and cautiously parted her lips just far enough to reply: "I don't ant 'is 'un!"

Day of Two Thomases

The annual festival of St. Thomas takes place always on the shortest day of the year. It is said to have been placed on that particular day to punish him for his unbelief. He shares this date with his militant namesake, Thomas a Becket, whose spectre can be seen occasionally in the crypt of Canterbury cathedral. It is a real ghost, and has been photographed, one snapshot showing a dim figure against a pillar where ordinary photographs reveal no such appearance. Rationalists explain that an ancient fresco, painted out at the Reformation, becomes visible through the overlaid material during damp weather.

Post Beaten by Thugs

In 1679 the English poet, John Dryden, was attacked on the street by masked thugs and severely beaten after he had quarrelled with John Wilton, earl of Rochester, poet and favorite of Charles II.

PAY WELL AND GET GOOD TEACHERS

Fort Worth Texas, Oct. 24.—"That the country should gag over the expenditure of the proper amount necessary to secure trained teachers is unthinkable," according to the Philadelphia Ledger. It is about time we faced this issue flatly and realized that it is not a matter of sentimental altruism but of common down right horse sense.

We have backed too many wrong horses in a wasteful way in our national budgets, and now is the time to put our money in the right team—the well trained teacher in a properly appointed school.

CONGRESSMAN JONES TO WED PLAINS GIRL

Amarillo, Oct. 21.—Congressman Marvin Jones, Amarillo, representative of the Eighteenth Congressional District, and Miss Rebecca Stickle, Canadian will be married at Canadian December 30th, it was announced here Tuesday.

Miss Stickle is a daughter of Vas Stickle.

Dick Harbin, State Highway superintendent for Terry county, dropped in one day this week and had us send the Herald to his brother at Eastland, Texas.

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A TENSE MOMENT IN "THE STORM"



"The Storm" which will be presented by the New York Players on our Lyceum course is a red-blooded play of the out of doors. It is a play that grips the emotions. "The Storm" had a continuous run of forty weeks in New York.

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ST. LOUIS BANKERS VISITING THE PLAINS

A number of St. Louis bankers and financiers under the leadership of Mr. R. Kelso, president and general manager of the Texas Utilities Co., are this week making a tour of the Plains section of Texas and New Mexico, who are not only making a survey of the physical properties of this big company, but taking in the situation in general, as they are preparing to make improvements and extensions to their property that will probably run into several million dollars.

The itinerary did not include this city, as they only have one of their numerous ice plants here, but they seemed to follow mainly the routes of their high tension light and power lines, and proposed lines, and the main stops were at the central power stations like Plainview, Lubbock, Canyon, Hereford and Clovis, N. M. They could see a duplicate of the Brownfield ice plant in a half dozen cities they visited.

It is a fact worthy of note that just a few years ago a bunch of St. Louis and New York capitalists and their engineers visited this same section, and recommended that a line be built to Lubbock and Floydada from their then central plant at Plainview, and fully believed that would answer for a decade or more. In less than three years these same engineers were giving orders for numerous extension and improvements, many others have been made since, and there is no telling what orders will be promulgated at this time, as with every trip these men of means become more enthused with the possibilities of this the fastest growing section of the world. But whatever they may decide, there are to great amount of people here who are so pessimistic as to discourage new capital in coming in and helping to build up this section.

The Herald is for municipal ownership where sufficient capital is not available to build a good plant, and where private rates are not satisfactory, but it is a well known fact that his big company have already reduced the municipal rate of plants they have bought only recently, and in turn these cities were permitted to reduce the tax rate of its citizens.

PROGRAM OF SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CONFERENCE

To be held with the First Baptist Church at Slaton, November 3 and 4, 1925.

Tuesday: Assembly at 10 A.M.

J. P. Hardesty, presiding.

1.—Devotional: 20 minutes—L. A. Wilson, Slaton.

2. Announcements, 10 minutes.

3. The Missionary Message of the Old Testament: 30 minutes—C. E. Dick, Post.

4. Christian Fellowship: 30 minutes—L. L. F. Parker, Spur.

5. Sermon: R. A. Scranton, Field Secretary, Plainview.

Noon: Reassemble at 2 P.M.

Missionary O. J. Harmonson, presiding.

1. Devotional: 20 minutes—L. E. Payne, Lubbock.

2. Announcements, 10 minutes.

3. Missionary Message of the New Testament: 30 minutes.

4. Baptists and their Institutions—Round table led by T. V. Herndon, Dallas.

Supper: Reassemble at 7 P.M.

Rev. J. W. King, Presiding.

1. The Place and Importance of Country churches in our Denominational Life: 30 minutes—G. W. Parks, Roscoe.

2. Sermon: Ross A. Smith, Lamesa Wednesday: Assemble at 10 A.M. Rev. C. A. Jones, presiding.

1. Devotional, 20 minutes—W. M. Lawrence.

2. Doctrine of the Resurrection: 30 minutes—M. C. Bishop, Colorado.

3. Doctrine of Salvation: 30 minutes—Jefferson Davis, Snyder.

4. Address, 30 minutes—C. E. Ball, Brownfield.

5. Sermon—T. V. Herndon, Dallas Noon: Reassemble at 2 P.M.

Geo. Alexander, presiding.

1. Why the Name Baptist: 30 minutes—Pastor W. A. Bowen, Lubbock

2. Needs for the present Denominational Emergency: 30 minutes—B.N. Shepherd, Tahoka.

3. The Associational Missionary and his Problems—Roundtable led by W. F. Markham.

A meeting of the Executive Board of the Post Encampment is called to meet at the same time of this Conference. It is hoped a full attendance will be on hand. This conference is held for the purpose of bringing our western people closer together in their cooperative efforts to carry forward the banner of our Savior in this section of our great state. Free entertainment will be furnished to all who come. Let's all come together and spend the two days in a good time serving the Lord.

Brady—Abolition of Meeter rents and material reductions in water and light rates have been announced by the City Water Board. Water rates received a flat 50 cents per 1000 gallon cut, while light rates are designed to benefit large users of electricity.

CAJUN CLINGS TO HIS OLD CUSTOMS

Modern Ways Make Little Appeal to Him.

The Cajun of southwestern Louisiana has his own particular customs, some of them handed down by his Nova Scotian ancestors, others of more modern invention, says Nevil Henshaw in Adventure Magazine.

Often, in naming his numerous children, he will stick to a single letter. Thus, in a family that has chosen the letter O, the boys may be: Odion, Oliver, Octave, Ovide, Opatih, Otta, Otto; the girls: Octavie, Odella, Ophelia, Odile, Olive, Ollita, Olympe, Onseah. This system, though pleasantly alliterative, must result sometimes in confusion.

As inevitable as his cup of black coffee is the Cajun's use of brick dust. This, pounded small, is scattered inside, and especially upon that shelf-like portion of his home which, however small, he calls a gallery. In its way it is ornamental, the dull red of the dust standing out against the dark weathered gray of the unpainted planking behind.

In the better class families the French proprieties are observed. Religious duties are seldom neglected. Saturday night balls, which last through until daybreak, are ended by the dancers attending mass in a body. Children are instructed fully in the principles of their faith with, sometimes, curious results.

I know of one boy who, having failed continually in his catechism class, was the despair of the kindly priest who taught him. In the end the good father resolved on a desperate measure.

"See, Toto," said he. "You have not passed, you will never pass. Yet you are a good boy and work hard. So I will give you your chance. One question now, an easy one, and you go through. On what day was the birth of our Lord?"

As he thought Toto's face was expressionless. He answered with marked uncertainty, "Good Friday."

The priest was patient. It was necessary to be so.

"Come," he pleaded. "Consider my question. It is a great day, one that we celebrate always."

At this a change came over Toto. His face flushed, his eyes glowed. Triumphantly he came out with it:

"Ah, mon pere, I know now. It is Mardi Gras."

Heavy Mountain Work

At El Millargo, 4,000 feet above sea level in a very lonely part of the cloud-covered Cordo Merida mountains of Venezuela, is one of the most unusual hydro-electric generating stations in the world. All of the equipment of the station, which supplies electricity to the Venezuelan city of Valencia, had to be specially designed so that it might be transported in sections on the backs of pack mules. Also with concrete and other supplies likewise brought to El Millargo by trains of pack mules the engineers in charge of this project have built a 2,000,000-gallon water storage reservoir and a concrete canal which diverts the water to the hydro-electric plant.

Famous English Park

Hyde park is a famous pleasure ground in London, a mile and a half long and three-fourths of a mile wide, extending westward from Piccadilly to Kensington gardens and covering an area of 350 acres. It was formerly the ancient manor of Hyde, belonging to the abbey of Westminster, and was laid out as a park and enclosed in 1533. In the reign of Henry VIII. In Elizabeth's time, stags were still hunted there, and under Charles II it was used for horse racing. The "Serpentine," an artificial sheet of water, was introduced by Queen Caroline, wife of George II.—Kansas City Star.

Transvaal's Gold Output

The gold output of the Transvaal gold mines during May amounted to 813,249 fine ounces, valued at \$3,456,308. As compared with the April total, the increase in quantity was 25,730 ounces, and in value \$109,352. Natives employed in the mines at the end of May numbered 172,982, as compared with 170,188 at the end of April. A bill embodying the findings of the De Villiers wage award, granting a 20 per cent increase to men now on a basis of less than \$1 a day has passed the house of assembly.—Commerce Reports.

Roses in Southwest

Most curious are the wild roses of the dry Southwest. They are low-stunted bushes of brown branches and many straight brown or white prickles, more like a gooseberry bush. The fruit is all prickles like the prickly gooseberry of our swamps, says Nature Magazine. The flowers are purple, rose or white, solitary, more like a strawberry bloom than of a rose. As the bushes are built for heat rather than for frost, they are not easy to grow in northern gardens, though they will live and bloom.

Oldest Cigar Store?

Lancaster, Pa., claims the distinction of having the oldest cigar store in America. It has been in the DeMuth family since 1770 and today is operated by Henry DeMuth. The store is a museum for treasured relics among them, the first bathtub in Lancaster county, more than a century old. It is built of wood, much after the fashion of a modern barrel.

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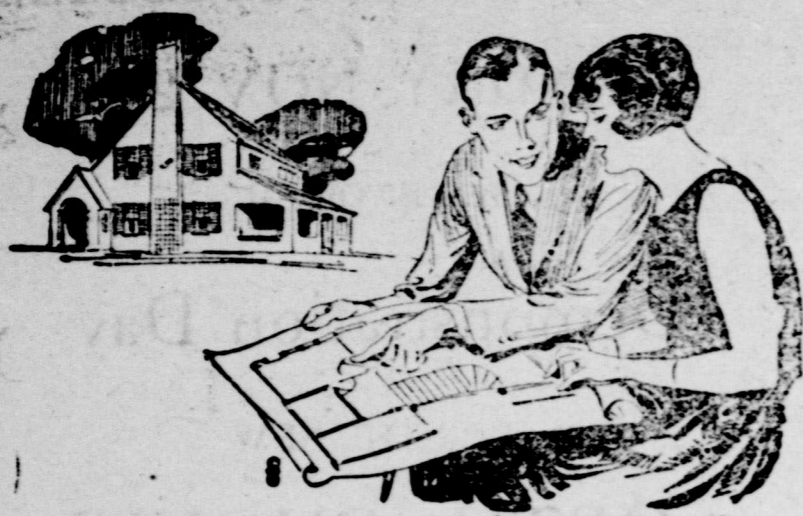
We received a letter the past week from Frank Martin Jr., stating they were now finally located in the city of Prescott, and doing well, and received several orders for boots not to mention much repair work the first day they became established in that city. He also reported that they liked fine and that Prescott was truly a cowboy town. Elsewhere readers will note the splendid writeup given them by the local paper at Prescott.

While we hated to see the Martins leave Brownfield, we are certainly glad that they have found a country more suited to their business, and more like this country was when they came here some eight or ten years ago, and we know they will make good. The Herald had the privilege of doing business next door to Martin & Son for some six or seven years, and always found them on the square in everything, and as true neighbors in time of need as man ever had. The editor can never forget the time when he was recovering from flu-pneumonia and not able to lift heavy

forms, when all we had to do was to step to the door and yell for Frank. And being too weak to walk home for lunch, we brought it along and Mrs. Martin would send us a hot cup of coffee each day at noon. Do you wonder we like the Martins? Aside from their neighborliness, they are truly artists in their line, and nobody excels them in making cowboy boots, and their products went from Maine to California, and from Texas to Canada.

They are located at 216 Gurley St., Prescott, Ariz., in the very heart of the business section of that city. They have not forgotten their old friends here, and have nothing but praise for the good people here, and ask us to express their thanks for the business given them while here.

San Angelo—The District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here Oct. 28th, during the All-West Texas Convention which will be in full blast at the time. Foster A. Whaley, Manager of the organization, also R. Q. Lee, President, and Homer D. Wade, Asst. Manager will attend this meeting.



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Olney. A new natural gasoline plant in here and is made necessary because of increased production of wet will be the third such plant to be put gas in this field.

Debt Mankind Owes to Benefactors of Race

Of all the faults of human character, surely none is so base as heartless indifference to benefactors. And have we today any benefactors like Caesar, Alfred, Cromwell and their compeers? Our closest friends, our earliest teachers, our parents themselves are not more truly our benefactors than they. To them we owe what we prize most—country, freedom, peace, knowledge, art, thought, the cultivated sense of right and wrong. What a long tale of patience, sacrifice and martyrdom is the history of human progress! Should it not affect us as if we were reading in the diary of a parent the record of his struggles for his children? For us they toiled, endured, bled and died; that we by their labor might have rest; by their thought might know, by their death might live happily, writes Frederic Harrison in "The Meaning of History."

We know the devotion which the believers in every creed have felt for the authors of their faith. Intolerance and narrowness as this has often been, it yet bears witness to a sense of one of the deepest and best of our emotions. The feeling may become too often partial and bigoted; yet let us beware of neglecting it. Let us dread above bigotry itself, a temper of irreverence and ingratitude. For when did these men work, if not for us? Not for themselves, when they gave up peace, honor, life, reputation itself—as when the great French republican exclaimed, "May my name be accursed, so that France be free!" Not for themselves they worked, but for their cause, for their fellows, for us, their children. Not that they might have fame, but that they might leave the world better than they found it; that the good time, long hoped for, might come at last.

Girl's Strange Mentality

Scientists are trying to find out what actuates a girl named Thea Allen. Until lately she had shown nothing specially strange about her actions, except the habit of writing with her left hand as well as her right. One day, however, she told her folks that she was continually thinking of two or three things at the same time, and very soon she began to do things that seemed to prove it. She wrote at first, two different words at the same time, one with each hand. Being a good drawer and a pianist she trained herself so that she can paint and draw with both hands at once. She can play the piano with one hand, and at the same time write or draw with the other. At an examination before doctors she drew a portrait with each hand in twenty seconds. She can also write with three pieces of chalk at the same time. Just how or why—nobody yet knows.—Family Herald.

His Dog His Instructor

Here's a worth-while dog story, as told in the Winamac (Ga.) Republican: "John Moorman was talking the other day about modern sports and old-time sports—basketball and dog fights. Said John: 'When I was a kid I had a dog that was scrappy, and was my instructor in philosophy and values of life as well. My dog didn't always lick his opponent in battle, but when he himself received a drubbing, he didn't whine around the house and at his master's heels, but crawled way back, under the kitchen and stayed there, without food or further comfort until his wounds were healed. Then he emerged, took a full meal and was ready again with pep and vigor to meet the world's problems. When he was licked 'he went way back and sat down,' and in the still trade was able to get his bearings and meet his further tasks with decision.'"

Houses Built in Day

Modern four-room dwellings, built of nonburning materials covered with a thin veneer of metal, are being erected completely in 24 hours by builders of Budapest, Hungary. Although the homes are inexpensive, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, it is claimed they have the advantage of being protected against fire and will last over a long period of time without the need of repair. The parts of the structures are all designed and prepared before construction is started so that the pieces may be quickly slipped into place and fastened without further fitting or cutting. The method is reported to have been copied from that employed in the manufacture of toy houses made from sheet metal.

Optimism

Harry Carey's little son Dobe is an enthusiastic motorist and when any of the hands make the round of the Carey ranch in the family fly, Dobe is sure to go along.

To enter the Carey place you climb a modest grade into Gumsite pass and after a rain it's a slippery, tricky piece of road. Thus it came about that the flier slipped and slid and finally stalled just before it reached the top of the grade.

"Gee whiz," said Dobe, "one more sliver an' I bet we'd a made her!"—Los Angeles Herald.

Quite Different

"Did you say that Skinner succeeded by getting around him better men than himself?"

"No, by getting around better men than himself."—Boston Transcript.

Generally a Fact

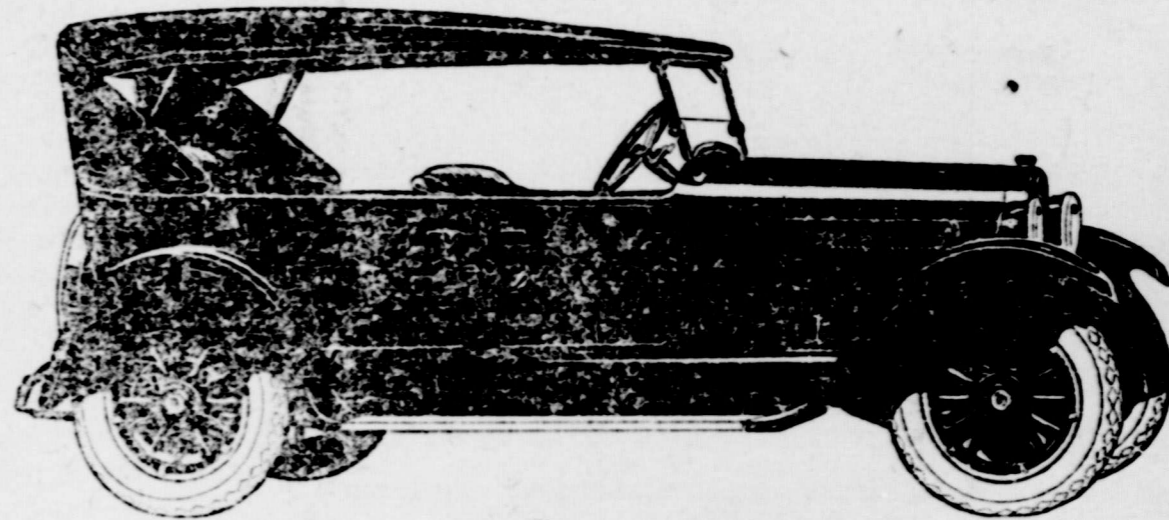
"What is your honest opinion of a man who marries for money?"
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The Martins, who entered the shoe and boot business in the early days in Texas, found that the section in and around Brownfield, where they originally operated their factory, was rapidly becoming a farming section, and the picturesque cattlemen of other days were passing and a different type of rancher who didn't appreciate the romance of the range had come in their stead. This change wrought a change in the business. They could have stayed back in Texas and have developed their store into a shoe shop but the love of the cowboy and his aura of colored high-top boots, flowing chaps, five gallon hat and other togs of the western and, held a mysterious power over them and they found themselves drifting westward, pioneer like, to the last stand of the real cowboys, Prescott.

Cattlemen of Yavapai county will have an opportunity at Martin's cowboy boot factory to obtain everything they may want in boots, chaps, quilts, etc., for their motto is everything for the cowboy, and first class shoe repairing for everyone.—Prescott News

DIRECT TELEPHONE LINE BEING CONSTRUCTED TO LUBBOCK

The South Plains Telephone Company of Brownfield is constructing a direct telephone line from Brownfield through Meadow to Lubbock and it is expected to be completed in a few days. H. O. Claunch, local manager states. Heretofore it has been necessary in calling Lubbock or any point north to go through Brownfield in order to get connection. This has made it very inconvenient for local patrons and the new line will enable us to have better telephone service.

Many new local phones will be put in a few days Mr. Claunch stated. We believe there should be from two or three times as many telephones in and around Meadow as there is a present.—Meadow Review.

Reports from the sanitarium at Lubbock are to the effect that all the Brownfield and Terry county patients are doing nicely.

Brownwood—The Brownwood Bulletin, popular Central Texas Daily Newspaper, celebrated its 25th birthday with a special edition. The Bulletin was founded October 15th, 1900.

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Harry Schermer printer, who started *How to* Hayes, original business with the newspaper is still on the job. *How to* retains his former position.

THE MOTHER'S SELF-CULTURE CLUB

The Mothers' Self-Culture Club met with Mrs. E. G. Alexander, Wed. Oct. 21. The club will meet twice each month hereafter, on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays. All members are urged to attend these meetings as the lessons are unusually interesting. The club meets Nov. 4th at the home of Mrs. V. A. Bynum.

Program

Paper: The Relation of a Perfect Development of the Child's organs for digesting, breathing and acting to right conduct and successful life.—Mrs. Joe J. McGowan.

General Discussion, based on paper and preparatory readings.

Faulty Positions.—Mrs. H. R. Winston.

Care of the Teeth.—Mrs. Dr. Hughes.

Outdoor Exercise.—Mrs. Walter Gracey.

Mind and Morals.—Mrs. J. E. Shelton.

Vocal Solo.—"All Thru the Night."—Mrs. W. A. Bynum.

Spiritual Factors in Mental Growth.—Mrs. F. M. Ellington.

Baby Life.—Mrs. E. G. Alexander.

Physical Care.—Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Piano Solo.—Mrs. E. D. Jones.

Adjournment.

WHO AM I?

I am as visible as the wind. I am one of America's most powerful forces. I am nowhere in particular. I am everywhere. I exist in every city of any size in America. I am neither the butcher, the baker nor the candle-stickmaker. I am the combined effort of all these men. I am strong where business is good. I am weak where business is poor. I exist not for personal glory of men. I exist for the good of the community. I recognize no creed, no religion, no politics. I recognize every man alike. I exist by the effort of men of every social standing. I am intangible, yet my efforts are most tangible. I am the spirit of the community—the modern Chamber of Commerce.

Snyder—The R. S. & P. Railway here is erecting a modern Depot adequate to take care of Snyder and the City's needs. This city is making great strides in civic progress and the new station is necessary in order to keep pace with the growth of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Jones were visitors at the home of his brother, S. W. Jones and family, Sunday.

TAHOKA CITY LIGHT AND ICE PLANT SOLD

Tahoka, Oct. 21.—The city of Tahoka held an election Saturday to vote on the question of the municipally owned light and ice plant. By a large majority, the city voted to sell the plant to C. M. Thompson, who is not known to the citizenship in general, but who is understood, however, to have interests in light plants in other places.

The plant was operated by the city several years and it was claimed that it did not render satisfactory service and was not making money.

The primary lighting rate of 29 cents per kilowatt under the city management, was reduced five cents per kilowatt under private ownership.—Amarillo Daily News.

RAT-A-TAT OF RIVETER MAY SOON DISAPPEAR

The din of the steel riveter on the nearby skyscraper, a din that makes the tired business man even more tired, may soon be obsolete, thanks to electricity.

Prediction is made by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers that the flame of the electric arc may replace the riveter and that the steel skeleton of the future building may be a single welded unit.

The cost of drilling thousands of rivet holes will be saved. The strength of an arc weld is equal to that of the parts welded. A welded joint is impervious to water, oil or gas. Finally the expense of welding is said to be only three-fourths that of riveting.

Messrs. T. O. and Tompsy Young, prominent citizens of Fisher county, and sons of the late A. B. Young, of Hamlin, were up this past week looking after their town property, and dropped in to renew for the Herald. It is our recollection that their father was taking the Herald when the editor bought the paper more than 16 years ago, and they have kept it up since. They report a destructive hail in that section lately that ruined a big scope of country in Jones, Fisher, Scurry and Nolan counties.

Neill Wright, of Lubbock, district agent of the Southland Life Insurance Co., was down Tuesday on business and while here paid the Herald a short call. Mr. Wright informed us that nearly a million and half dollars in insurance had been handled through his office this year already.

F. M. Smith, of Gomez, was a business caller at the Herald office one day recently.

Complete Disarmament Hard to Bring About

There is nothing new under the sun; and even anti-weapon laws have been tried before—in 1382, for instance. A greedy and witless king of France, Charles VI, attempted to reimpose on the people of Paris what would now be called a sales tax. The people of Paris arose in their might—armed, as it happened, with mallets. The insurrection was quickly put down by the disciplined forces; but, to prevent further troubles of the kind, a rigorous disarmament law was passed and very strictly enforced. Paris was regarded as the pivot of the kingdom; it must not be split by internal fighting; and obviously—to the feeble mind of Charles VI—fighting would be absolutely prevented by the removal of the inhabitants' weapons.

Time passed, about 30 years. A generation of Parisians arose which knew no weapons. Then under circumstances it is not necessary to detail, a certain duke of Burgundy wished to have command of the city. It was politically impossible for him to take it by force of arms; but it was possible, as it would be nowadays, for him to engineer the election of a friend of his to the captaincy of the city. Had all the inhabitants been armed, this move would have been without effect; a captain can only command; and to order the whole body of the citizenry to fight against its own interests would be useless.

But, under the circumstances, the count de St. Pol's course was clear. One class of citizens had of necessity been exempted from the disarmament process—the butchers. The butchers had knives, axes and bludgeons galore—just as after modern disarmament plumbers would still have lots of lead pipe, and miners plenty of dynamite. And one class of citizens can usually be induced to betray the other classes for its own benefit.

So the duke of Burgundy controlled Paris, much against the desire of the Parisians at large, by means of a Parisian militia.

The powerful, but unarmed, university; and the indignant, but weaponless, population, protested violently. But it has not been recorded anywhere that their protests ever did them any good.—F. R. Buckley in Adventure Magazine.

Appeals to Old and Young

Florida has two new assets to add to its bid for popularity. First, the California earthquake. Second, a pirate ship, remarks Grove Patterson in the Columbus Dispatch.

An old pirate ship was discovered twelve feet underground in Sarasota, Fla. It stirs the blood of youth, if you have any. Do childish adventures of the mind still play about pirate ships? They used to. A boy who never wanted to be a pirate probably never wanted to do anything. It is as inevitable to want to sail on a pirate ship as it is to want to be conductor on a train. If they find any more pirate ships in Florida we'll all get the fever.

Lamps Without Filaments

Through the invention of an electric light bulb that requires no filament, Conrad Schicklerling of Newark, N. J., claims that municipal lighting bills may be cut in half. A 500-watt lamp of the new type, he says, will burn twice as long as filament lamps and consume less than half the current now required. The inventor also has made lamps of two-watt size for use on signs and auto lamps of two candle-power and higher, without filaments, says Popular Science Monthly. Still another of his inventions is a vacuum tube filament or grid, designed especially for alternating current rectification in radio B-battery eliminators.

Better Train Handling

Passenger engineers are studying the effect of "taking up slack" in a long train by riding in the rear of such a train under a plan devised for better handling effected by the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac railroad, according to Railway Review. In this way the engineers are impressed by the fact that the handling of the train, which they thought performed with due caution from their cab, was attended with serious discomfort to those in the rear cars. The plan has worked out satisfactorily, not only from the actual physical experience of the engineers' observations, but from the psychological factor which entered into the operation.

Belated Remorse

"Madam," said the leader of the brigands, "we'll have to hold you until your husband ransoms you."

"Alas!" replied the woman. "I wish I'd treated him a little better."

Source of Reform

Reforms come from below. No man with four axes howls for a new deal.—Rochester Times-Union.

Keep Guard on Tongue

Many a man's tongue shakes out his master's undoing.—Shakespeare.

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COBRA SPITS DEATH FROM FIFTEEN FEET

Jungle Has Many Other Deadly Denizens.

To end a controversy over the death-dealing effect of a "spitting" cobra at a distance of 15 feet, C. Emerson Brown, superintendent of the Zoological gardens, is in possession of additional expert advice that upholds his contention.

"Publicity given the purchase of the deadly collection of snakes which were brought here from New York has aroused doubt in the minds of a number of persons who have informed me in writing and by telephone that they do not believe the snakes are so deadly," said Mr. Brown.

"One man wrote me he would not be afraid to face the pair of 'spitting' cobras at a distance of 15 feet, without any barriers between them. Of course, I do not believe he would, but he won't be given a chance, anyhow," added Mr. Brown.

Mr. Brown then offered a letter from Raymond Diltmars, curator of reptiles at the Bronx zoo, in New York, who is reputed to be the greatest authority on reptiles in this country. The letter reads:

"The black cobras that spit poison are the most dangerous of reptiles and can spit venom 15 feet with deadly precision and effect. At that distance, poison hurled 4 feet high on the glass of a case containing the species has clouded the glass.

"This condition prevailed here recently, when the cobras sent you and the ones here in the zoo were exhibited for the first time to visitors. The glass had to be washed so the snakes could be seen properly.

"Regarding the inquisitive gentleman who would face the cobras at a distance of 15 feet, he should equip himself with a bucket of potassiumate of potash solution to duck his head in to counteract the effect of the venom.

"Such an emphatic demonstration or lesson in natural history as he would stage might teach him something tangible about the ways of African cobras, if he survived."

The "spitting" cobra, like those in the zoo, are black, with red blotches on their underside, and the ones in the zoo are six feet long and about three inches in diameter. The snakes are in specially constructed cages.

Of the seven deadly cobras in the zoo, Mr. Brown says the green cobra of the Mamba species is the fastest snake in the world and strikes beyond its length in any direction with its head about five feet from the ground. The green snake is twelve feet long, has long fangs and is less than one inch in diameter. Mr. Brown added the green cobra strikes without giving a warning, and does not have to be "egged" to do it, either.—Philadelphia Record.

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CHRYSLER OVERTURNED AT LAMESA

Sunday afternoon while Messrs. Rosemond and Brunson, who are at present engaged in the installation of Lamesa's new White Way System, were driving in a new Chrysler Coach about three miles west of Lamesa, the car got into a rut in the road going at the rate of perhaps thirty miles an hour and turned turtle. Fortunately no one was seriously injured and aside from a broken finger and a few cuts and scratches the occupants came out a little worse for the experience. They went to Doctor Bowden's office on the south side of the square where they received first aid. The car was not badly damaged. Some of the glass along with the windshield being broken and one front fender being pretty badly bent was all the damage done and the car was driven back to Lamesa.—Lamesa Reporter.

W. M. SOCIETY

The Womens Missionary Society of the M. E. Church was entertained in a social meeting by Mrs. Fred Smith, assisted by Mrs. J. P. Watson, and Mrs. J. W. Casey on Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Smith.

After the devotional service led by the society president, Mrs. H. O. Longbrake, and readings, "The Gospel" and "Pa," give by little Miss Louise Watson, social games and contests were indulged in. An art contest proved that Mrs. W. B. Downing and Mrs. A. B. Bynum are capable of the art of drawing animal pictures. The afternoon was spent in a social way.

Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, mince pie with whipped cream were served to the following: Mesdames O. Longbrake, Glenn Harris, J. L. Mann, Jessie D. Cox, J. R. Thompson, C. L. Williams, W. B. Downing, V. A. Bynum, A. B. Bynum, G. S. Webber, J. P. Watson and J. W. Casey.

B. Tidwell and family, of Seagraves spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jones.

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THE BATTLE OF GERMANTOWN

Rarely does a growing municipality reach out its tentacles of new factories and dwellings and encompass an entire battlefield. Yet this happened in Philadelphia and the battlefield within a city will be one of the attractions to the many visitors to the Sesqui-centennial International Exposition which opens there on June 1st, 1926.

During the Revolutionary war, in the history of which Philadelphia played such a prominent part, the British army went into encampment at Germantown, at that time a small village a few miles to the north. The town consisted of quaint stone buildings stretched along two miles of an old road that in the days of Wm. Penn had been a cow path.

It was the autumn of 1777-78, and the British had just decamped upon and occupied Philadelphia, where the Declaration of Independence had been signed a year before.

Just prior to going into his historic winter encampment at Valley Forge, Washington with only 11,000 troops, swept down upon the British and totally surprised them, he had almost the entire British army beating a hasty retreat when an odd incident happened that turned almost certain victory into humiliating defeat.

Six companies of fleeing British Infantryman sought refuge in a huge stone mansion. They barricaded the doors and prepared to fight while their ammunition lasted, but the advancing colonial troops, flushed with the possibility of a quick victory, passed the house and pushed forward after the retreating Britishers.

Later, when Washington ordered reinforcements up from the rear, these fell upon the house and attempted to dislodge the force within. The sounds of firing in the rear struck terror in the hearts of the patriots who had gone ahead. Officers and men alike became possessed with the idea that they had been surrounded by a strong British force, and began to fall back. Soon the entire Continental was in retreat.

The Chew house, the mansion in which the Britishmen took refuge, still stands. It is now a museum and contains many objects of historical interest connected with the battle.

its heavy stone walls still are marked from the volleys of Continental bullets fired against it in the vain efforts to dislodge the enemy.

Today the entire battlefield of Germantown is within the built-up limits of Philadelphia. The Chew house and a few of the other stone buildings of the original settlement are the only ones which have withstood the advance of modern building.

MISTLETOE BUYS CREAMERY PLANT IN SOUTH PLAINS

Continuing its policy of expansion to meet the ever increasing demands in the Panhandle and Plains country, the Mistletoe Creameries closed a contract Monday for the purchase of the Cloverleaf Creameries of Lubbock, according to an announcement made yesterday by George Maggard, Vice-president.

Mr. Holtzhauser will remain in charge of the Lubbock plant which will continue to manufacture ice cream and will possibly erect a large building on the site recently purchased.

This company has recently purchased a creamery in Plainview and is operating a plant at Wichita Falls. It also maintains a distributing house in El Paso. All four of these branches are operated out of the Amarillo office.—Amarillo Daily News.

SUDAN SCHOOL BOND ELECTION CARRIES

The School Bond election went over Saturday in grand style, with a victory of more than two to one. 49 objected to the bonds but 102 were strong for a new \$100,000.00 school.

As soon as the bonds can be sold and the funds are available, work will be begun on the new school. It is the earnest desire of the school board to have this building completed and furnished in every detail by the opening of the fall term of 1926.—Sudan News.

Austin—A deficiency appropriation totaling \$58,180 has been granted to Texas Tech by Governor Ferguson. The money is to be used to pay instructors salaries and to defray expenses of the year.

MAYFIELD WILL SEEK TWO BILLS ON RAILROADS

Dallas, Oct. 22—Two bills, designed to foster railroad development will be submitted to the next Congress by United States Senator Earl B. Mayfield of Texas. Senator Mayfield, who is in Dallas for a conference on the proposed measures, said he was confident they would pass the Senate and he hoped to have them pass the House of Representatives through the unified support of the Texas delegation.

The bills have received the endorsement of governmental leaders, Senator Mayfield said, and the time between now and the convening of the next Congress will be spent by him in the interests of the measures, which he believes if passed, would prove of inestimable value to railroad development.

"First in importance," said Mr. Mayfield, "is the bill which seeks to have the right of rate making restored to the individual state railroad commissions. This power which was unquestioned until the supreme court decision on the Shreveport case has since that time been delegated to the Inter State Commerce Commission.

Representatives from States admit that there is much needed legislation to our laws governing railroad development and rate making and I believe the physiological time has arrived when these changes can be effected.

The second bill which the Senator has prepared deals with that part of the Esch-Cummins law in which the railroads were returned to private ownership after they had been under government control after the world war. Under this act the Interstate Commerce Commission is given the power to regulate the building of new roads. This has worked an undue hardship in Texas Senator Mayfield said "and we want that part of the law repealed.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Farrar and little daughter, of Sweetwater, were here Thursday and Friday visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. L. Randal. Mr. Farrar is the efficient county clerk of Nolan county.

J. A. Gloss is numbered among our new readers.

Mrs. Stricklin was a business visitor to Lubbock, Tuesday.

Walter Bond returned home Tuesday from the Lubbock Sanitarium.

S. J. Miller paid us a call this week to renew for his Herald.

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