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Chamber of Commerce CURRENTS By the Secretary

A Chamber of Commerce in practical operation should include every citizen of the county in its membership, no matter what line of endeavor they are engaged in. Every farmer should be a member; every business man should be a member, and every inhabitant of the county in any line of work should become identified with the organization.

The idea that a Chamber of Commerce is an organization of merchants and bankers only is not well taken, and cannot be substantiated as the activities and publicity performed by it is for the benefit of all citizens of the county wherein it is functioning, and nothing is sponsored by it that is not of expected benefit to the entire citizenship of the county.

Some of the activities and work planned for our organization during the year is a better understanding and closer ties of friendship between the people of the town and county. Also more hogs, more cows and more hens. Better markets for farm products, more highways and better schools. And along the highway line the writer states that he has just returned from Austin, and while there secured promised designation from Lamesa to Littlefield via Brownfield, and from Seagraves to Brownfield, and as soon as the Highway Commission takes over these roads our county commissioners will have more money to spend on the side roads, and it will only be a few years until we will have a good system of dirt roads as there are to be found anywhere in the State.

Thursday May 27th we will make the first one of the community trips, and advance notice will be given to the locality visited. The band will be with us.

Don't forget the County Fair. Join the Chamber of Commerce. Purchase tickets for the monthly luncheon on next Monday night at the Legion Hall.

Arrangements have been made with the management of the Rialto Theatre for the free showing of several reels on poultry management and other farm interests. This will be staged at 2 P.M. Monday, June 7th, Trades Day, and all farmers and others interested in poultry and other farm stock are urged to attend. Remember it will be FREE.

REV. G. J. THOMAS A BUSY MAN OF LATE

Rev. G. J. Thomas, local pastor of the Methodist church dropped in for a few minutes Monday afternoon, and in conversation with him we learned that he has been kept on the jump lately.

Besides his growing duty as pastor of the home congregation, he was called to Plains Sunday morning, at which time he delivered the baccalaureate address for the Plains High school graduates, and then attended a fine dinner at a ranch home several miles west of Plains. Sunday night he delivered the baccalaureate sermon to several fine young men and women who graduated at the Johnson school in this county.

He also showed us a letter from the Odd Fellows Lodge at McLean, asking him to come up there and deliver the memorial sermon for them on Sunday, June 6th. He remarked that he would go if he could find a man to fill his place here. When the writer volunteered, he was accepted, and then had to crawlfish, not expecting to be accepted.

SCHOOL STUDENTS PUT OVER A GOOD MINSTREL SHOW

The high school students, led by Prof. Dick Heath put over a fine minstrel show last Thursday night at the Rialto Theatre, that was attended by a big crowd which showed its approval by frequent applause.

Not only the story was good, but those who so faithfully depicted the characters of the story did themselves proud. The song and dance part of the show was above the average for amateurs, and kept the house in an uproar. Mrs. Anderson's orchestra was also a big end of the entertainment, and received the hearty applause of the crowd frequently. This splendid aggregation of musicians is a decided help to our little city.

We understand the show was also a success from a financial point of view.

"All's Right With the World"



HUGE CROWDS ATTEND OLD FIDDLERS CONTEST

The crowd that packed the Rialto Theatre last Friday night to witness the "Old Fiddler's Contest," represented almost the entire county, as the contestants were from widely separated sections of the county, and all were well rewarded for their coming, and heard some fine old time music rendered by real artists in their line. The winner of the first prize was Bill Crowder, of the Turner community, and second by A. L. Turner, of Seagraves, and third by Uncle Joe Hamilton of this city. Mr. Wallace and Ben Lee also made some very fine music. About the most interesting stunt of the evening was during the rendition of Ben Lee's contest piece, when Uncle Joe Hamilton's feet began to itch, and soon he was on them giving us the double-shuffle and other old time steps. He brought down the house.

The winding up stunt was Sheriff Frosty Ellington with banjo, accompanied by "LeRoy" dishwasher at the American cafe doing the buck-and-wing. This black boy, though large, can sure move his feet around. The judges in the contest were Mrs. Redford Smith, Sheriff F. M. Ellington, and Deputy Sheriff E. Brown.

GAINES COUNTY FARMER WINS DISTINCTION

G. F. Brown of the Doss ranch, 22 miles east of Seminole, returned last week from the Ginners' Convention held in Dallas from April 8th to the 12th. Mr. Brown was an honored guest at this convention with all expenses paid as a prize for winning the largest number of bales of cotton at the Lambeth & Johnson Gin in Lamesa. His total was 118 bales from 600 acres.

Mr. Brown stated that the convention crowned O. Lambirth, one of the owners of the gin, with a crown shaped like a round bale of cotton as an honor of his gin for winning more bales of cotton than any round bale gin in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, for the last season.

On his way home Mr. Brown visited his old home in Erath county, and when Rev. H. J. Martin had said some slighting remark concerning the productive possibilities of Gaines county, Mr. Brown asked: "How much did you make in this one-bale country?" The reply of a bystander was, "one and a half bales of cotton and half a bed full of feed."—Lamesa Journal.

COSTS MOTORISTS \$700 ANNUALLY FOR AUTO

It costs the average automobile owner \$700 per year to own and operate his car, according to a nation-wide study made by the Bureau of Industrial Technology. Depreciation and upkeep, aggregating \$4,500,000,000, are the largest items in the nation's automobile bill.

CONTRACT FOR LARGE BRICK BUILDING LET RECENTLY

B. L. Thompson, local contractor, was the successful bidder last week on the 50x120 one story brick building for Moore Bros. on the corner of Hardin and 7th streets, just across 7th from the Quality Filling Station. The building will front south, and work will start on it as soon as material can be put on the ground, and rushed to completion. The old wood building, formerly the old McAdams lumber company office, will be moved over temporarily, to make room for this splendid new modern structure.

We understand that a modern drive in filling station will occupy the front and it is rumored the Brownfield Chevrolet will occupy all the front with display rooms and storage. Also small sections will be cut off for two other establishments in the rear.

When completed it will add greatly to the appearance of West Hardin, making it take on a decided modern city appearance. One by one the old pioneer wooden buildings are going, giving room for modern structures that comply with the fire rating of the city commission and state commission, and are day by day reducing our fire hazards.

It is rumored also that several other buildings are under contemplation and will be erected this summer if conditions and the outlook is as good as now.

The entire front and side, totaling 170 feet will be plate glass in the new building.

ROCK ISLAND TO BUILD A NEW LINE

Washington, May 12.—The Chicago Rock Island and Pacific Railway was authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to construct a line 145 miles long from Liberal, Kansas, to Amarillo, Texas.

The line is designated to develop new territory and to serve as a second main track for the handling of the road's through trans-continental traffic. It will run in a general northerly direction from Amarillo to Liberal.

The route is through Potter, Carson, Hutchinson and Hansford counties, Texas; Texas county Oklahoma, and a short distance in Seward county, Kansas.

Work on the road will start at once, according to its officials.

M. AND M. CLUB

Mrs. McBurnett was hostess to the Maids and Matrons Club May 18. It being the last meeting of the club year, there was no lesson.

The hostess served punch and cake to the following: Mesdames Fagala, Sawyer, Lewis, Bell, Stricklin, King, McGowan, Brownfield, Wingerd, Miller, Copeland, Winston, and Misses Nancy and Elizabeth Dumas and Mozelle Treadaway.—Reporter.

PUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSING 1925-26 TERM THIS WEEK

The 1925-26 term of the Brownfield public school came to a close this week after a very successful term in which everybody seemed to have cooperated to make it one of the best from the primary grades to the head of the high school departments, and the patrons and friends of the school are rejoicing over the results.

Of course there were some complaints, there always are, but in the main everyone is pleased with the results obtained. Little if any friction was found to exist in the faculty and the trustees worked hard to help them at every opportunity.

This week, each night has been devoted to as many programs put on by the several departments of the school, starting Sunday night with the baccalaureate address delivered by Texas Tech professor. All of these programs have been well attended and enjoyed.

We have not learned just how many of our instructors have signed up for the next term, but understand that quite a few of the old faces will be seen at their post of duty this fall. One or two, however, we understand are to attend school themselves, both during the summer terms in college and universities, as well as the regular term beginning this fall.

MEADOW PRIVATE BANK NOW A NATIONAL

Another mark of progress came to light in Meadow this week when an announcement was made that the Bank of Meadow had been granted a charter to operate in the future as a national bank, which absorbs the assets of the old bank. It will be known as the First National Bank of Meadow with a capital stock of \$25,000. This will give the people of this section better banking facilities, equaling that of any bank in the county or this section. The Review congratulates the management of the bank in effecting this arrangement, which will be shown as good business judgment and which will be of such value to our people and town.

The same management that had the Bank of Meadow in charge will be in charge of the new bank.—Meadow Review.

BROWNFIELD RANCHMAN BUYS STRING OF STEERS

Ross Rentiro, of Brownfield, loaded a bunch of steers at Seagraves, Friday morning he purchased the first of the week. They were shipped to Amarillo and will be pastured near that place.

He purchased 160 twos from S. C. Doss, 30 threes from R. S. Newberry, 170 yearlings from W. F. Scarbrough, and 165 yearlings from Hood Bros. T. C. Heard made the above deals.—Seminole Sentinel.

MANY TERRY COUNTY FARMERS DONE PLANTING COTTON

A Herald representative got out among the farmers on the streets Saturday afternoon and learned that a great many of them had finished planting cotton last week, and others will finish this week. Perhaps 90 per cent will have finished by Saturday of this week.

Many of them we also found had planted their corn some time ago and generally speaking it was up to a good stand, but there was some complaint of gopher rats eating it, even corn six inches high. The row feed crops will be planted later, except in cases where it is wanted for early green stuff for the hogs and horses.

The cool weather of the past two weeks has been a decided draw back in getting stuff up, especially cotton, but with the warm weather of this week it is believed that cotton will come right up, and shank-up sufficiently in the next week or two to permit cultivation. Farmers report weeds coming along with the crops but the knife go-devils will put the quietus on them.

Pastures are also reported to be in excellent condition, and no farmers with cows are suffering for want of milk and butter, and they are bringing in much cream to the stations here. Cattlemen report their stock, cattle all doing well, and as there is plenty grass and weeds, there has been no cattle losses from eating hickory this year.

WHAT IS A COLLEGE WORTH TO A TOWN?

By Will C. Brown, Jr.

Did you ever wonder how much a college is worth to a city in which it is located, measured from the viewpoint of dollars and cents? To impress upon the business men of Abilene the value of Abilene Christian College to their business, the faculty of the A.C.C. started an investigation to answer this question.

In chapel, cards were distributed among the students with blanks to be filled in on which were these four questions:

How much do you spend each quarter (3 months) for clothing?

How much do you spend for shoes?

How much do you spend for incidentals?

How much do you spend for supplies, pencils, books, paper, etc.

Upon tabulating the results, according to the students' own testimony, they spend over \$25,000 each three months for Abilene goods, and these figures include only those expenses of the students, aside from the regular three or four hundred dollars per nine months that they pay for tuition, fees, board and room.

Terry Redford, of Brownfield, a popular student of Simmons University, of Abilene, is one of the talented members of the Simmons Cowboy Band, which left Abilene Saturday, noon for an extended tour to Birmingham, Alabama. The Cowboys were selected as the official band of the Texas division U. C. V., at the annual Confederate reunion to be held at Birmingham. While enroute, stopovers of a period of a few hours will be made each at New Orleans and Mobile, where brief band concerts will be given.

YOAKUM COUNTY ROAD BONDS DEFEATED

In the election held throughout Yoakum county last Saturday to see whether or not the county would issue bonds in the sum of \$100,000 for building and maintaining good roads of some hard material, the issued was defeated worse than at the last election held earlier in the spring, according to reports reaching here.

The unofficial vote as given the Herald was 78 for and 108 against. It takes a two-third majority to carry road bonds.

They say the third time is the charm, and maybe they will have better luck next time.

MARRIED

Mr. Ardath (Red) Gailey of this city and Miss Jewel Merchant, of Carlsbad, N. M., who is teaching in the Plains schools, were married May 7th at Plains. Mr. Gailey has already gone on to Fort Worth to prepare a home for them, where she will join him as soon as school is out a Plains this week.

The Herald one year \$1.00.

PEOPLE ENJOYED FINE BAND CONCERT SUNDAY

A crowd of several hundred people parked their cars around the Court Square Park Sunday afternoon to hear Prof. John S. Powell and his well trained bunch of musicians render a choice selection of band music. The music was received with enthusiasm, as was demonstrated by the cheering and blowing of car horns after each selection. This is the first open air concert here in some time, and this probably was another reason it was so much enjoyed.

While some of the selections rendered were old pieces that have long been favorites with music lovers, several of the pieces were never rendered in public concert before, and two or three of them brought wild cheers from the throng of listeners. One or two of them were more on the style of modern music than anything the Brownfield band has ever played before, and they were well received. Just a little on the jazzy order but not enough to rob them of melody.

MRS. R. C. COX DIES FOLLOWING OPERATION

Mrs. R. C. Cox, of this city, died about 2:45 Monday afternoon at the Lubbock Sanitarium, just a few minutes after coming out from under the anaesthetics, and following a second operation in the past few months. At the time of her death she was, we understand, engaged in conversation with a sanitarium physician. Mrs. Cox was 36 years of age.

The body was prepared for burial and brought to Brownfield, where it was laid to rest, following funeral services conducted by her pastor, Rev. G. J. Thomas, of the Methodist church assisted by Rev. C. E. Ball, pastor of the Baptist church, at the Brownfield cemetery.

Deceased leaves a husband and four children, ranging in age from 4 to 12 years, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spear, several brothers and sisters and numerous friends to mourn her departure. A brother from Snyder and a sister from Knox City were here for the funeral.

TEXAS FAST APPROACHES THE CENTURY MARK

"The Lone Star State celebrates the 90th anniversary of its revolt against Mexico. Texas has made history both before and after its independence was attained. Autonomy began with the defeat of Santa Anna in April, 1836, and for nine years Texas constituted a republic. Admitted to Statehood in 1845, Texas entered with reservations which had to do with the privilege of subdivision into four separate States with full representation.

"In more than this, however, Texas has occupied a unique place among the states of the republic. Sharing the boundary line with Mexico, its burden of international disagreements and occasional forays has been heavy. In picturesqueness even the mounted police of Canada were surpassed by the Texas rangers and the prowess of Texans with their six-guns is told about rural firesides the world over.

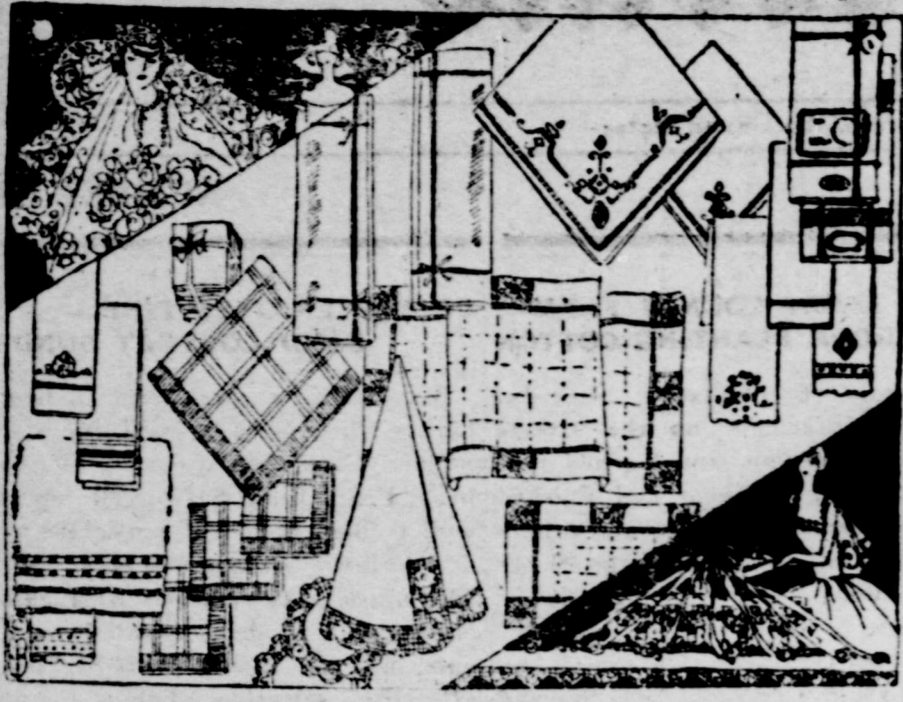
"Texas has been under six flags. Texas anthology has given to literature the story of Lasca and the libretto of the cowboy's lament, the dying puncher who protested against burial on the lone pra-ra-ra-ree. Fiction may have embellished the story of the Alamo, but it remains one of the most thrilling chapters in American history.

"Ninety years of Texas finds the state with a woman governor who is asking reelection, and there are many other contrasts between past and present. It is the first state in the union in size and the only one in which the annual crops exceed one billion dollars. Within its borders remain the old and the new, the last word in modernity rests against some backgrounds wholly primitive.

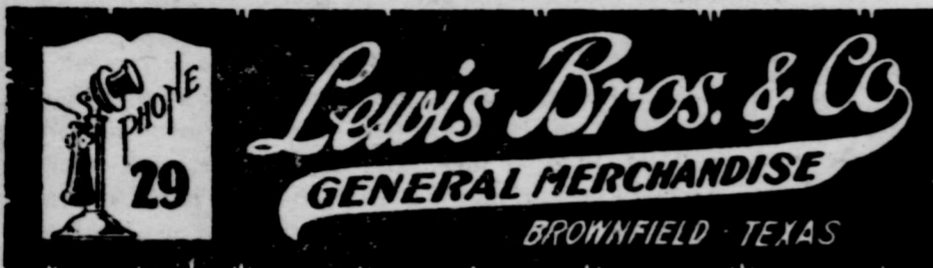
"Texas begins its last decade for centennial honors with a record for progress most of the other states might envy. It is far from being the finished product yet, for there is plenty of room to grow."—Kansas City Journal-Post.

Mesdames George Smith and Chas. Colburn, of Lovelland were down from Lovelland last week advertising their chauntango to be there this week. They were afraid they might fail to put it on if they did not receive the help of neighboring towns.

Are You Undecided?



Have you waited to the last minute to get that present? Let us suggest a piece of linen for a graduation gift. A nicer and more useful gift could not be given at the same price. Many appropriate ideas for the boy graduate too



DON'T MISS! Our Saturday SPECIALS!

It Means MONEY to You
Once you buy from us you will become a regular customer. Note the Prices:

Extra Special Sugar only 10 lbs. to customer 65c

CATSUP, gallon 75c

APRICOTS, gallon 75c

PEACHES, gallon 65c

PLUMS, gallon 60c

SYRUP, Pure Cane, gallon 80c

SALMON, pink, Large can 17c

TOMATOES, No. 2 9c

PORK & BEANS Large can 9c

LETTUCE, per head 9c

RADISHES, per bunch 7c

FLOUR, "Golden Crown" 48 lb 2.30

FLOUR, "Golden Crown" 24 lb 1.20

'Trade With Us and Save the Difference'

We Carry a Full Line of Staple and Fancy Groceries. Also all kinds of Seed, Plants and Feed.

COME TO SEE US!

Farmer's Supply Co.

J. W. Chisholm, Prop.

East Side Square

Brownfield, Texas

BIRTHDAY DINNER
Elder A. L. Burnett invited a num-

ber of his friends to his home Wednesday, where his friend wife had

COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

In the matter of County Finances, in the hands of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas.

Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, in regular session, of the May Term, 1926.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Terry County, and the Hon. H. R. Winston, County Judge, Terry County, constituting the entire Commissioners Court of said County, and each of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of May, A.D. 1926, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. Lula Smith, Treasurer of said Terry County, Texas, for the period beginning on the 1st day of Feb. A. D. 1926, and ending on the 30th day of April, A.D. 1926, and after finding that her report was correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said Treasurer since her last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by her present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 30th day of May, A.D. 1926, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1448-1449-1450 and 1451, Chapter 1, Title 29 of the Revised Statutes of Texas.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in the hands of said Treasurer belonging to Terry County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this, the 10th day of May, A.D. 1926, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit

JURY FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		1732.02	
To amount received since said date		1677.05	
By amount disbursed since said date			712.04
By amount to balance			2697.03
Total			

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		1488.73	
To amount received since said date		14604.42	
By amount disbursed since said date			13,200.42
By amount to balance			2892.73
Total		16093.15	16093.15

GENERAL FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		780.77	
To amount received since said date		8322.28	
By amount disbursed since said date			7204.29
By amount to balance			1898.76
Total		9103.05	9103.05

PUBLIC BUILDING FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		1296.28	
By amount received since said date		17.64	
By amount disbursed since said date			314.29
By amount to balance			999.63
Total		1313.92	1313.92

SPECIAL ROAD WARRANT FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		O.D. 38.44	
By amount received since said date		5114.57	
By amount disbursed since said date			2891.44
By amount to balance			2184.79
Total		5114.57	5114.57

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL BOND FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of February, 1926.		4874.91	
To amount received since said date		8338.41	
By amount disbursed since said date			5550.25
By amount to balance			4663.07
Total		10213.32	10213.32

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL BUILDING FUND		Dr.	Cr.
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of Nov., 1926.		16209.06	
To amount received since said date		15808.12	
By amount disbursed since said date			29779.55
By amount to balance			2237.63
Total		32017.18	32017.18

RECAPITULATION		Dr.	Cr.
Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day		\$2697.03	
Balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day		2892.73	
Balance to credit of General Fund on this day		1898.76	
Balance to credit of Public Building this day		999.63	
Balance to credit of Special Road Warrant Fund on this day		2184.79	
Balance to credit of Court House and Jail Bond Fund on this day		4663.07	
Balance to credit of Court House and Jail Building Fund, this day		2237.63	
Total cash on hand belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us May 10, 1926		\$17,573.64	

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS
The bonded indebtedness of said County we find to be as follows, to-wit:

Court House and Jail Bonds	\$9,000.00
Court House and Jail Bonds	15,711.78
Outstanding Road Warrants	21,000.00
Moline George Co., of Texas	4,000.00
Texas Bridge Co., of Texas	3,500.00
Galeon Road Machine Co., of Texas	3,234.00
Russell Grader Mfg. Co., of Texas	155.00
Total	\$116,600.78

Witness our hands officially, this 10th day of May, A. D. 1926.

H. R. Winston, County Judge.
W. E. Harred, Com. Pre. No. 1.
W. F. Stewart, Com. Pre. No. 2.
T. O. Hooker, Com. Pre. No. 3.
W. H. Black, Com. Pre. No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by H. R. Winston, County Judge, and W. E. Harred and W. F. Stewart and T. O. Hooker and W. H. Black, County Commissioners of Terry County, each respectively, on this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1926.

(SEAL.) Jay Barret, Clerk, County Court, Terry County, Texas

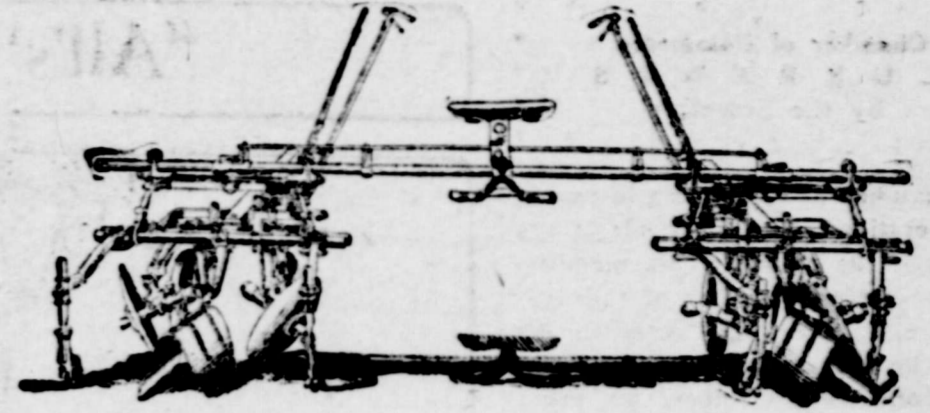
prepared for him a most magnificent birthday dinner, with a baked hen as the main piece-de-resistance, aside from the large birthday cake, which contained by actual count 28 candles. He was also the recipient of many nice birthday presents from his many friends.

The preacher also proved to have lots of wind, and if he can run in the election according to the wind displayed in blowing out the candles, he will be a good one, for he blew the last one of them out: the first pop-

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We can supply one with beam and shovel equipment to suit your soil



Corn (cotton) and other tender, growing row crops demand careful, efficient cultivation. Neglect during the growing period will make itself known in reduced yield when the time comes to gather the crop. Surely it is poor economy to worry along without sufficient equipment or with cultivators that are badly worn when you can secure a new 1 or 2-row McCormick-Deering so easily. Remember that new tools that increase the yields or save labor are sure to be good investments. When you have gone over these McCormick-Deering Cultivators at our store you'll agree that they're winners.

Holgate--Anderson Hdw.
Brownfield, Texas North Side Square

C. I. Bedford and son, of Plains, sent in their renewal for the Herald this week, and also ordered a supply of stationery.

The Lynn county sheriff, Mr. Simpson, was a visitor in Brownfield on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Powell delivered a fine golden cage, which he had mounted, to Clyde Brylie, at Tahoma, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bridges made a flying trip to Lubbock Tuesday afternoon, and encountered quite a hail and rain.

H. A. Lattimore, traveling representative of the Star-Telegram, was here this week in the interest of that paper.

Rev. C. E. Ball returned this week from his vacation on the border and also from attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Houston. He will deliver his report of the convention to the local Baptist church on Sunday morning, and will write a report of the entire trip for the paper next week.

Elder Claude McClung, who held the revival meetings for the local church of Christ for the past two years, started a revival for the L. mesa church Wednesday night of this week.

Judge H. R. Winston and family returned Saturday from the Pecos river, where they went on a fishing trip. He reports poor luck.



Boys-- Take Father's Advice

Hard knocks have taught him the value of Money--that it, oft-times, has been his best and only friend!

Now that YOU have completed your schooling and are about to start on your own in the business world, seek Dad's advice. He'll tell you to--start a

SAVING ACCOUNT!

First National Bank

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"SERVES TERRY COUNTY"

Capital, Surplus and Profits

\$65,000.00



The Golden Rule In Banking

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

Brownfield State Bank

Brownfield- Texas

**CONSERVATIVE
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BARNUM SAID IT— THEY'RE STILL BEING BORN

Barnum said the "American people like to be humbugged."

It has come to the notice of several health departments that there are men traveling around thru the country claiming to be specialists on diseases of the eye, usually claiming to be professors in some medical college. They pretend to find some trouble with your eyes, or if there is some real trouble, they claim to be able to cure it, charging fabulous prices for medicine and glasses. They then depart and never come back. The patient is no better and often worse.

Some time ago I saw a wagon filled with packages of medicine called "home remedies." The vendors were selling a year's supply of medicine for \$10. Various concoctions recommended to cure almost every disease that flesh is heir to. The people who bought this medicine would use it something like this:

A child would become sick with sore throat—they would look thru their supply and find one recommended for sore throat. The child would get worse until after a day or so the family would find that the remedy was doing no good, then they would send for the doctor, and he would find that it was a case of diphtheria, and too late to do any good.

I saw a circular a few days ago, boasting a cure for tuberculosis, diphtheria, asthma, colds, pneumonia and skin diseases—all cured by one kind of medicine at \$5.00 for enough to last 60 days. Of course, they never expected anybody to get but one bottle. The circular stated that if the medicine did not cure the disease mentioned, you had something else.

Stick to your family doctor; get his advice about medical matters.—Dr. Register in Progressive Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Turner were up from Seagraves Friday night visiting their daughter, Mrs. Carl Lewis, and taking in the old fiddler's contest.

Stability is more essential to success than brilliancy.

THIS CANDIDATE LOST MORE THAN THE OFFICE

The truthful editor of the Southwestern Missourian said that a Carter county candidate who was defeated came in with his tale of woe, so believe it or not:

He says he lost four months and 25 days canvassing, lost 1,360 hours of sleep thinking about the election, lost 40 acres of corn and a whole crop of sweet potatoes, lost two front teeth and a lot of hair in a personal encounter with an opponent, donated one beef, four shoats and five sheep to barbecues, gave away two pair of suspenders, five calicoe dresses, five dolls and 13 baby rattlers, kissed 12 babies, kindled 14 kitchen fires, put up 8 stoves, cut 14 cords of wood, carried 24 buckets of water, gathered 7 wagonloads of corn, walked 426 miles, shook hand 9,089 times, told 10,001 lies and talked enough to make 10,000 volumes of good sized books, attended 26 revival services, was baptized 4 times by immersion and twice some other way, contributed \$50 to foreign missions, and made love to nine grass widows, got dog bit 39 times and then was defeated.

MISS HOLT ENTERTAINS SWASTIKA CLUB

Miss Vallie Holt was the charming hostess to the Swastika Needle Club on Monday the 17th.

The evening was most pleasantly spent and plans for the summer were discussed.

Miss Holt, assisted by her sister, Florence, served delicious refreshments to the following guests: Misses Othell Rentfro, Lorena and Gladys Copeland, Blanche Brothers, Marie Brown, Thelma McPherson and Irene Lindley.

Club adjourned to meet next Monday with Thelma McPherson at the home of Mrs. Will Adams.—Reporter

Travis Bynum, who has been in Ft. Worth for the past several months, taking a business course, and later working, returned home last week, and announced that "he had come in home to help dad make a cotton crop."

Early Gatherings of Baptists in Alabama

Lorenzo Dow, who is said to have reached the distant frontier settlements of Alabama along the Tombigbee as early as 1733, at the age of twenty-seven, preached as a son of thunder, says a staff correspondent of the Birmingham News. He was a Baptist. The first trace which the writer finds of the presence of the Baptists in Alabama is around Huntsville, but shortly after they found a footing in the southwestern part of the territory in the neighborhood of St. Stephens, the first capital of Alabama.

Rev. John Nicholson had the honor of organizing the first Baptist church in the state. It is said that in the fall of 1831 a number of families met and spread their tents near Elyton and held the first campmeeting ever held in Alabama. There were unusual demonstrations among those who became interested in the matter of religion. One who witnessed these peculiar manifestations thus described them: "It was not unusual to have a large part of the congregation prostrated upon the ground, and in some instances they appeared to have lost the use of their limbs. No distinct articulation could be heard; screams, cries, groans, shouts, notes of grief and notes of joy, all heard at the same time, made much confusion, a sort of indescribable concert."

Source of Quinine

Cinchona, or cinchona, is the name of the South American tree, the bark of which produces the well-known drug called quinine. The virtues of the bark were discovered about 1535, and in 1635 a decoction made of the bark cured of fever the wife of the viceroy of Peru whose name was Cinchona. The bark was introduced into France in 1640, and is said to have cured of fever the dauphin, who later became King Louis XIV. The bark came into general use in 1680, and Sir Hans Sloan introduced it into England about the year 1700. The cinchona tree has been planted in India and Ceylon and thrives there.

First Patent

The first inventor to take advantage of the first national patent act, which congress passed in 1790, was Samuel Hopkins of Vermont. His patent was for an improved method of "making pot and pearl ashes." In those days the potash industry was important. Potash, which was used in making soap and glass, was produced by leaching wood ashes and boiling down the lye. To make a ton of potash, which was worth about \$25, the trees on an acre of ground had to be cut down and burned, the ashes leached and the lye evaporated in great iron kettles.—Youth's Companion.

Koran Inspired Work?

The Koran or Alcoran, the sacred book of the Mohammedans, was written about 610 by Mahomet, who asserted that it had been revealed to him by the Angel Gabriel in 23 years. It was published by Abu-bekr about 635. The leading articles of faith preached is compounded of an eternal truth and a necessary fiction, namely, that there is only one God, and that Mahomet is the prophet or apostle of God. The Koran was translated into English by Sale in 1734. It was a rhapsody of 6,000 verses, divided into 114 sections.

New Rays Discovered

Science has established the existence of new rays, stronger than ultra X-rays and 1,000 times greater in frequency, with ionization the same at all times of the day or night and of 10,000,000-volt variety. They were partly described by Dr. R. A. Millikan of the California Institute of Technology to the convention of the National Academy of Sciences in Madison, Wis. He has studied them since the World war, beginning where German scientists left off. Millikan won the \$40,000 Nobel prize for first measurement of the electron. The rays, unnamed, are due to atoms passing over to other atoms, with the sun having no effect on the action, he said. They appear throughout space, bombard the earth from all directions at all time, and have extraordinary absorbing power.

Was Well Stocked

A day book of a retail grocer located in a midwestern town shows the entire list of imported articles sold by him in 1932 as follows: Coffee, tea, figs, mustard, pepper, cloves, allspice, nutmeg, ginger, cinnamon, lemons, oranges, sage, prunes, raisins and almonds. Other foods handled by him were: Eggs, molasses, dried apples, dried peaches, cranberries, potatoes, sugar, vinegar, saleratus, butter, cheese, crackers, lard, smoked halibut, whitefish, dried herring, rice, sirup, salt, cream of tartar, beans, rye, coffee, peanuts, beef, veal, pork, lemon extract, onions, cabbage, turnips and native nuts. If this storekeeper had other foods they were not indicated on his charge account for two years.

Nothing Ever Lost

Elements which enter into the making of a soap-bubble film are as lasting as those which form granite rock; no material thing is ever lost or destroyed, says science. Man's immortality is fairly well assured both by science and the Bible. It was the Frenchman, Lavoisier, who first proved with his fine balance, that in all chemical operations it is only the kind of matter that is changed, the quantity remaining the same. This was the discovery of the conservation of matter to which knowledge of the conservation of energy has since been added.—Capper's Weekly.

Wonder of Nature Is Vision Given to Birds

The vision of birds is an amazing thing. A vulture soaring almost out of view sees a carcass lying perhaps in a quite inconspicuous position; a kestrel hovering at a height of 100 feet, spies a mouse creeping about in the grass; a gannet cruising round 200 feet above the sea observes a fish swimming some distance below the surface, says W. W. White, in the Nineteenth Century Magazine.

The gannet's sight is by no means the least remarkable among keen-eyed birds, for it has to penetrate water as well as air. A gannet's hurdle on fish beneath well expresses the action. At once it checks its flight, poises for a second, half closes its wings, and dives with tremendous speed. There is a curious corkscrew-like motion in the downward swoop, and at the moment of entering the water the long, pointed wings are folded.

Day's Length Varies in Different Parts

If you met a man, and he casually remarked that he ate 315 meals yesterday, you would either be amazed at his appetite or take him for a hardened romanticist. But the man may be from Spitzbergen, where they have a day three and a half months in length.

And on the whole it would be wise, if one should undertake to do certain work to receive so much a day in payment, to understand just where the work is to be done, or one might have to labor 18½ hours at Stockholm, if it happened to be the longest day of the year, or all the time from May 21 to July 23 if in some parts of Norway.

In Petrograd the longest day is 19 hours and the shortest 5 hours. In Finland there is a 22-hour day. In London and at Bremen the longest day is 16½ hours; at Hamburg and Dantzic 17 hours, and at Washington about 15 hours.

Officer's Revenge

A naval officer, who had taken offense at something said at a dinner party by a clergyman who had just been made an honorary canon, and who was somewhat autocratic, resolved to be revenged.

He invited the whole party to inspect his ship next day, and when inquiry was made regarding the use of one of the steam wooden cannon he had put in a conspicuous place to attract notice, he replied, in a loud tone: "Oh, that wooden thing; it's only a dummy—a sort of honorary cannon!"

The Great Smith Family

The great family of Smiths bear a name which is not only the commonest but the oldest in the world. Professor Mahaffy, when deciphering the Petrie papyri, came upon one bearing the name of Smith, unmistakably written. "We have never," he says, "found anything like it before, and it is surely worth telling the many distinguished bearers of the name that there was a man known as Smith in the twentieth year of the third Ptolemy, 227 years B. C., and that he was occupied in brewing and selling—beer!"

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The following political announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Party Primary, July 24, 1926.

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- For County and District Clerk
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- For Commissioner Pre. No. 4
 Edd C. Bartlett
 W. S. Crowder
 W. H. Black
- For Public Weigher, Pre No. 1
 J. S. Smith
- For Weigher, Pre. No. 4
 R. A. Crews
 W. M. Green

The first term of District Court ever held in Cochran county is in session at Moron this week in their fine new \$150,000 court house which has just been completed.

Texas has many combined editors-preachers, and Jess Mitchell of the Littlefield Leader is one of them. He delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday at Littlefield to the graduating class of his city.

Lynch Davidson says Moody has taken enough of the planks in his platform that he can allow Moody a wholesale discount on the lumber. Well, Dan just had to have a platform, didn't he, and he didn't have time to build it himself?

According to the last issue of the Colorado Record, the Whipskey Bros, owners of that splendid journal, have just installed a Webb Duplex perfecting press, and enlarged the paper from six to seven columns. The last issue was printed on this fine new press which cost a small fortune, and produced a very neatly printed paper.

There is a growing conviction that free tourist camp grounds do not attract the best class of tourists. The better class of people do not object to paying a nominal fee for better accommodations than can be furnished

by free camps. Where there is a well conducted fee camp ground, there is little excuse for a free camp.—McLean News.

Both the Southern Methodist in session at Memphis, Tenn., and the Southern Baptist convention at Houston, did not fail to tell the nation just where they stood on several vital questions. Many and varied were the resolutions passed by both of these big religious bodies of the Southland. They both seem to stand for restricted immigration and against America entering the world court.

Thomas L. Blanton is nothing if he isn't fighting for something or another, and the reports say the grafters at Washington hate no one quite so ardently as they do the Congressman from the 10th Texas district. The last octopus the modern St. George has tied into, seems to be the undesirables who are trying to get through the cracks in the draw-bars erected against them. But Thomas L. says "they shall not pass," and he means it too.

There has been many bathing revues this year and other bathing revues in other years, but they all seem to be conducted on the old injunction the good and careful mother delivered her daughter, to "tie their clothes on a hickory limb and not go near the water." It remained however, for Texas University co-eds to show the world that girls can stage a real revue in water, where they propose to put on some real diving, swimming, and floating stunts. In other words, they do not aim so much to display their shapeliness as they do their skill

Our good friend Jack Stricklin, editor of the Terry County Herald, has got it all figured out. He says Ma will be eliminated in the first primary. All of Ma's supporters will line up for Lynch Davidson in the second primary and Dan will not be the man. Wise men often differ. Therefore we have figured this thing out a little different from Jack. In the hot fight between Jim and Dan, Lynch is going to be almost entirely forgotten. He will be third best in the race. His little bunch of supporters will then go most for Dan, and in the second primary Dan will be the fast horse. Now let us hear from some of the Ferguson folks.—Lynn County News.

All right Hill, we'll interview the two Ferguson supporters in this county for you and let you know what they say. One is a doctor and the other a banker and wont be hard for us to find.

A New York physician has created or resurrected a scientific name for a very old disease. It is "ergophobia," a combination of two Greek words that mean "work" and "fear," and is used to describe a psychological ill which creates a feeling of panic in the presence of work. The ergophobia, it appears, is not physically unfitted for manual work, but like the person who has a deadly fear of standing on heights or being trapeped in closets or walking thru cemeteries at night, he is a prey to a "curious dread of unknown shadowy ills that may befall him if he works." Fastening a fancy name on laziness will probably have no marked effect on the public's attitude toward the hobo. "Bum" is shorter, more expressive more memorable descriptive than ergophobia, the rest of the world which has its own periods of unenthusiasm over work, will still be inclined to attribute any permanent condition of that sort to what is known, however inaccurately, as shiftlessness. It will require more than a Greek name to uproot the idea that laziness is voluntary, and as far as fear is concerned it will take time to wipe out the force of the old saying, "he isn't afraid of work—why he can lie down

beside it any day and go sound to sleep.—Sudan News.

HISTORY IN CAKE



This replica of historic Independence Hall in Philadelphia is a fine example of the baker's art. It was made by the chef of one of Philadelphia's leading hotels to advertise the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, which will open in that city June 1 and run to December 1 to celebrate the 150th anniversary of American Independence. The "State House" stands on a table at the entrance to the main dining room of the hotel.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY HAS CALLED MEETING

The American Legion Auxiliary met in called session May 7th with several new members on hand. The banquet for the C. of C. was discussed, and it was decided to try it. Mesdames Miller, Wingerd and Miss Dumas were appointed to gather details and report at the next meeting.

The bill for the framing of the charter was allowed. No further business appearing, we adjourned to meet May 21st.—Reporter.

H. W. Boyer, one of the prominent farmers of the Pride section, was in Brownfield one day last week.

NOTICE

This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted and everybody is forbidden to hunt, fish or anyway trespass on our property.—GREEN & LUMSDEN.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas, County of Terry:—In the District Court of Lubbock county, Texas: Green & Hurlbut, plaintiffs vs. W. T. Hooper, et al, defendants.

Whereas by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Lubbock county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1926, in favor of the said Green & Hurlbut, a partnership composed of Wm. D. Green and Claude B. Hurlbut, and against the said W. T. Hooper and Ione Hooper, No. 2260 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1926, at 5 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Terry county, Texas, and belonging to the said W. T. Hooper and Ione Hooper, to-wit: all of section No. 59, the S.E. 1/4 of section No. 53, and the S.W. 1/4 of section No. 60 of block No. 4X, located and situated about 15 miles north from the town of Brownfield, Terry county, Texas; and on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1926, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the rights, title and interest of the said W. T. Hooper and Ione Hooper in and to said land and property.

Dated at Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, this the 15th day of May, 1926. (6-5) F. M. Ellington, Sheriff of Terry County, Texas

CITATION ON APPLICATION IN PROBATE—BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas.
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continually and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Terry County, a copy of the following notice:
 The State of Texas.
 To all persons interested in the Estate of John Peters, deceased, Mrs.

Louvinia Peters has filed in the County Court of Terry County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of John Peters, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary of the estate of John Peters, deceased, which application will be heard by said Court on the 7th day of June 1926, at the Court House in said county, in Brownfield, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Give under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas this the 10th day of May, 1926. 5-21 Jay Barret, Clerk, County Court, Terry County, Texas

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

The State of Texas,
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for a period of ten days, exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in said Terry county, a copy of the following notice:
 The State of Texas.
 To all persons interested in the Estate of S. A. Shepherd, deceased, Mrs. Sharkie I. Shepherd has filed in the County Court of Terry County, an application for Letters of Administration upon the Estate of said S. A. Shepherd, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1926, the same being the 7th day of June A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof in Brownfield, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, on this the 8th day of May, A. D. 1926. 5-21 Jay Barret, Clerk, County Court, Terry County, Texas

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas,
 County of Terry:—Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain pluries Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Lubbock County, of the 4th day of May, 1926, by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of Eight Hundred Thirty Four and 50/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of W. M. Charbonneau in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1571 and styled W. M. Charbonneau vs. A. L. Turner, placed in my hands for service, I, F. M. Ellington as Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did on the 5th day of May 1926 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Terry County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: West 1-2 of block No. 9, original town of Brownfield, Texas, and levied upon

Run-Down gave out easily
 "MY health wasn't any account at all," says Mrs. H. L. Cayton, of Washington, N. C. "I would start to do my housework and I would give out before I had done anything at all. I did not have any strength, and if I did the least thing it seemed to tax me so I could not finish. I was run-down sure enough. Several of my friends had taken Cardui and they said to me, 'Why don't you try it?' I knew I needed something to build up my general health and to increase my strength. 'Finally one day when I was recovering from a spell of sickness, I decided to try Cardui. I got a bottle and began to take it. I could notice that I was improving as my appetite got better and I did not give out nearly so quick. I took several bottles and I felt lots better. 'Two years ago I decided to take it again. It built me up and made me feel like a different person. It is the greatest medicine for women that I know anything about.'"
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as the property of A. L. Turner, and that on the first Tuesday in July, the same being the 6th day of said month at the Court House door of Terry County, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell the above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. L. Turner.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said sale, in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper published in the County of Terry.
 Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, 1926.
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 Sheriff Terry County, Texas

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R. S. Webber, prominent citizen of the Meadow section, was in the city Saturday, and became a regular reader of the Herald.

E. C. Roberts and wife, of Seagraves were up Friday, and Miss Sal-trie Truman Stricklin returned home with them to spend the week end.

TRACES OLD SONG BACK TO SHAKESPEARE'S TIME

Austin, May 17.—Nursery rhymes sung to children today were equally as well known to little folks of Shakespeare's time, says Dr. L. W. Payne, professor of English in the University of Texas. For several years Dr. Payne has been making a study of a nursery song, called "The Frog's Courting." This song is widely known in Texas, and Payne says more than half the students in his classes have heard the song in their childhood. The song begins thus: The frog went a courting, and he did ride—

Uhn-huhn,
A sword and pistol by his side—
Uhn-huhn.

There are many varieties of both stanzas and music. I have collected about 50 versions from Texas sources and 14 distinct tunes. He has traced the song back to Elizabethan times in England, finding the first reference to it in 1544 and the first printed music in 1611. The song was brought to America by the early settlers from England, Scotland and Ireland, and has continued to be handed down by tradition with various changes due to local influences. The paper will be published in the four-volume volume of Texas Folk Lore Society with many Texas versions and the musical score for the 14 tunes.

RALLS FARMER PLANTS 4,500 ACRES TO COTTON

Ralls, May 13.—All the rocks are not in New Mexico, for there is a little Rock in Arkansas. Neither are all the big farms found off the caprock, and you don't have to leave Crosby county to find them.

A hundred acre cotton field is a large one, but one Ralls farmer is cultivating 4,500 acres this year—all in cotton. He has two fields—a 2,500 acre field of sod, and a 2,000 acre "patch" on old land.

Prospects for a bumper crop are very bright at this time, and if this man has anything like a fair yield it will require the services of one large ginning plant to care for his crop.

Mr. K. Baldwin, manager of the Jones Dry Goods store, with his family, visited relatives and friends at Lamesa and O'Donnell, Monday.

Mr. Walter Pope and Mr. Wesley, of Anson, had business here the past week.

STATE HIGHWAY TO PASS THROUGH SEAGRAVES

Monday morning C. M. Armstrong and Rev. A. D. Jameson, president and secretary respectively of the local chamber of commerce, left on the Santa Fe for Austin, where they went to meet with the State Highway Commission in regard to opening up a main highway between Seagraves and Brownfield, to join the highway from this city to Seminole. An effort will be made to get the State Highway department to take over this road.

A meeting of the chamber of commerce was held Saturday night at which time it was decided to send the above officers of this body to Austin.

Later—The above gentlemen returned Thursday from Austin and reported that they were kindly received by the State Highway Commission which they met Tuesday, and the designation seems to be assured. The road, which has already been granted by the Commissioners' Court at Brownfield, will be a direct line from Brownfield to Seagraves, where it will meet the Del Rio Highway that has been designated this far, and there seems to be no record of such action at Austin, but our representatives were assured that in the event that it develops that the highway from Del Rio has not been designated, the Commission will designate the road from Brownfield thru Seagraves to Seminole, and on to the State Line. The road from Lamesa to Seminole is certain to be designated and the gap from Seminole to Brownfield thru Seagraves will connect Seagraves with the east and west highways, thus affording our town good connection with the east and also putting it in direct touch with New Mexico.—Seagraves Signal.

FARMERS ARE HIRING TOO MANY MEN

A visitor to Farm and Ranch recently remarked that one reason why so many farmers had to borrow money every spring to see through until harvest time was that they hired too many men. When asked to explain, he said:

"Thousands of farmers do not produce their own meat. They hire a farmer up North to produce their meat; they hire a railroad to haul those hogs to market; hire a packing house company to butcher them, and then hire another railroad to haul them to Texas where a cold-storage man is hired to keep them, and then a retail merchant is hired to serve them in small portions over his coun-

Invitingly Cool!
Home Cooked Foods—Prompt Service
This Cafe is a real place to enjoy a meal.
American Cafe

After The Game
Relieve That Thirst
With ---
a drink from our fountain!
The drinks made here will be sure to make an instant "hit" with you.
PALACE DRUG STORE
"If It's In a Drug Store, We Have It"



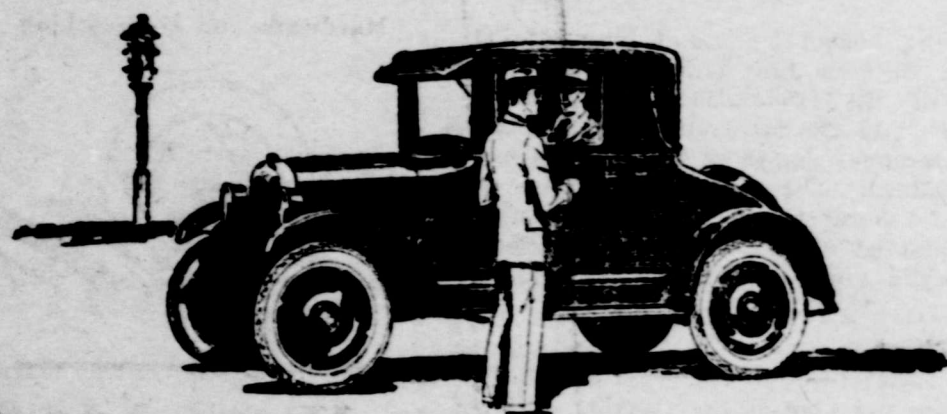
ter."
The same thing can be said about the farmer who buys corn and other feedstuffs; who buys butter, canned fruits, canned milk and other foods he could produce himself. He hires some other farmer to produce his food and feed, and then hires a lot of men to handle them for him until he is ready to use them. If fewer men were hired our farmers would be more prosperous.—Farm and Ranch.

W. R. Sandefer, one of the best known surveyors of this section, being licensed state surveyor, died near Treadway in Lynn county, while on a surveying job recently, at the age of 78 years. His home was in Wilson but the body was carried to Lubbock for burial. Mr. Sandefer has done quite a lot of surveying in Terry Co. in former years.
Hereford.—50 blocks of paving to be laid here.

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Touring or Roadster \$510

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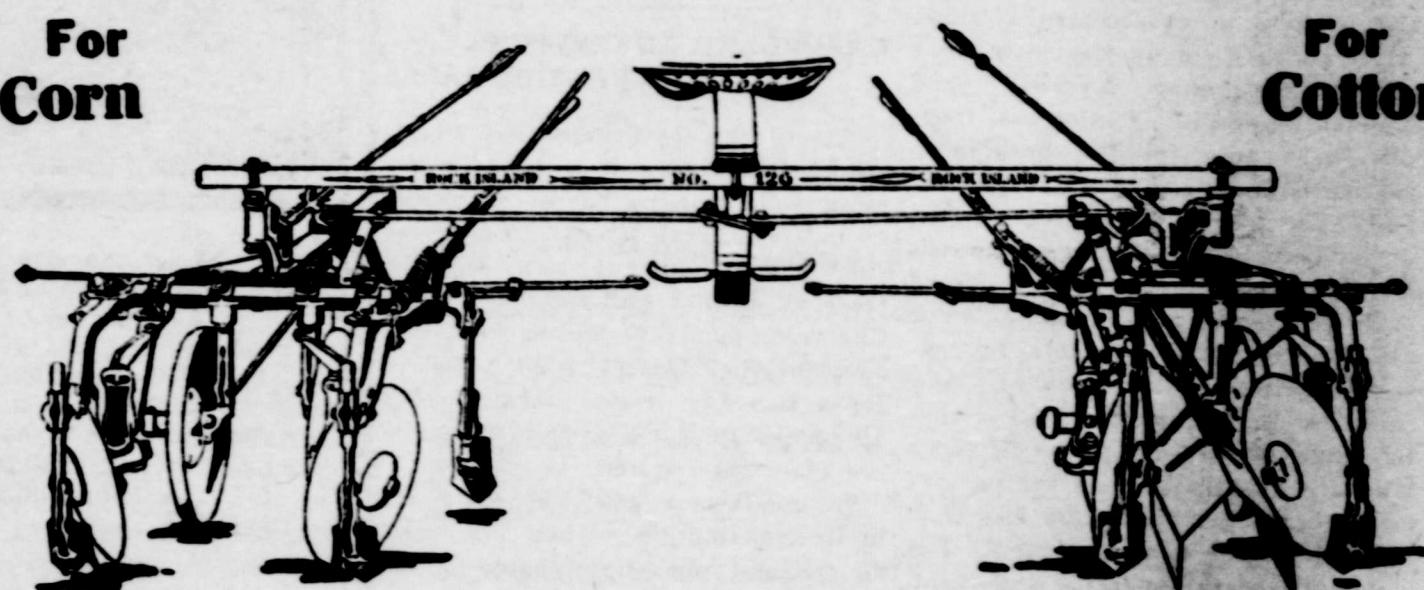
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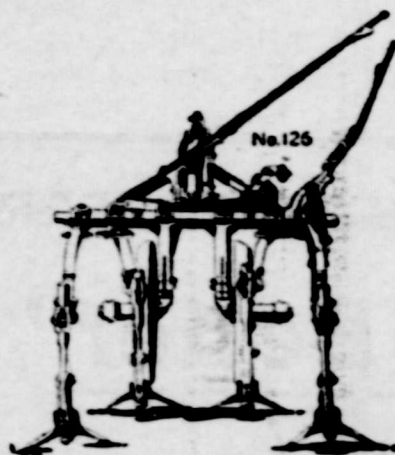
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THE ROCK ISLAND NO. 126 LISTER CULTIVATOR IS A TIME AND LABOR SAVING MACHINE.



BUILT FOR THIS SECTION AFTER A CAREFUL STUDY OF CONDITIONS AND NEEDS. WITH ITS VARIOUS ATTACHMENTS A COMPLETE OUTFIT CAN BE HAD AT A MINIMUM COST.

ADJUSTMENTS FOR DIFFERENT WIDTH ROWS WITH HIGH FRAME. DOUBLE ACTING DISCS THROW DIRT IN OR OUT AT ANY WIDTH OR ANGLE.

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Get prepared to properly cultivate your crop with a machine which will increase your yield and reduce your production cost. We carry a complete stock of attachments and parts, and that means something to you.

C. L. Williams
Brownfield, Texas

SMILE YOU WAY Back To Health

Let us help you smile your way back to Health again!

Eat more FRUITS and VEGETABLES.

The Phone will get them! Just Call 83.

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WRECKED CARS!

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Our wrecking crane will get it--
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8 hour battery service. The acetyline torch enables us to do any kind of welding.

BRICK GARAGE

JACK

My Spanish Jack 4 years old, is making season at my place 3 miles northeast of Johnson school house. Can take care of stock for customers living a distance from my place. Inquire for prices.

H. L. Lee

WHAT ANDREWS REALLY SAID ABOUT BEER

Much excitement was caused during the recent hearings on prohibition by the fact that General Andrews said that he believed that if non-intoxicating beer were distributed it might help law enforcement. It is certainly true that if the big brewers who are now campaigning for the restoration of beer were allowed to make a cereal beverage, non-intoxicating in fact, which happened to please the beer-consuming public, they might make less difficulty for the prohibition enforcement service. After all, they simply want to resume the dividends they formerly paid. Ninetenths of the agitation and trouble they cause for the prohibition service is in an effort to achieve this end. The trouble is, as General Andrews pointed out, that it is impossible to arrange for the distribution of such beverages, and he might have also pointed out that there is no reason to believe that an alcoholic content short of the point of intoxicating beverage would satisfy the drinkers who are dissatisfied with the present cereal beverages containing less than one-half of one percent alcohol. Because of General Andrews' statement, the impression went abroad that he favors a change in the law so as to permit the sale of "light beers." In order to clarify this misunderstanding,

Senator Herrell asked General Andrews, "Then you did not mean to change the law?" and General Andrews answered, "I certainly did not."—Exchange.

Mrs. W. R. McDuffie left Monday for Ennis, where she will visit her grandparents for the next six weeks, and where she will be joined by her husband in June, when his vacation begins.

Miss Dollie Miller, of Plainview, is here this week visiting her friend, Mrs. Stricklin.

CHEVROLET ADVERTISING FAST INCREASING SALES

One of the most important advertising conferences ever held in the automobile industry has been concluded in the general offices of the Chevrolet Motor Company, located in the General Motors building in Detroit. Chevrolet dealers from various sections of the country were called in for a two day session during which all phases of the Chevrolet advertising plan was covered.

So satisfactory was this conference in its contribution of new ideas and advertising suggestions, based on the dealers' experiences in widely scattered territories that plans have been made to arrange regular monthly meetings. The dealers will assist in making the Chevrolet cooperative ad-

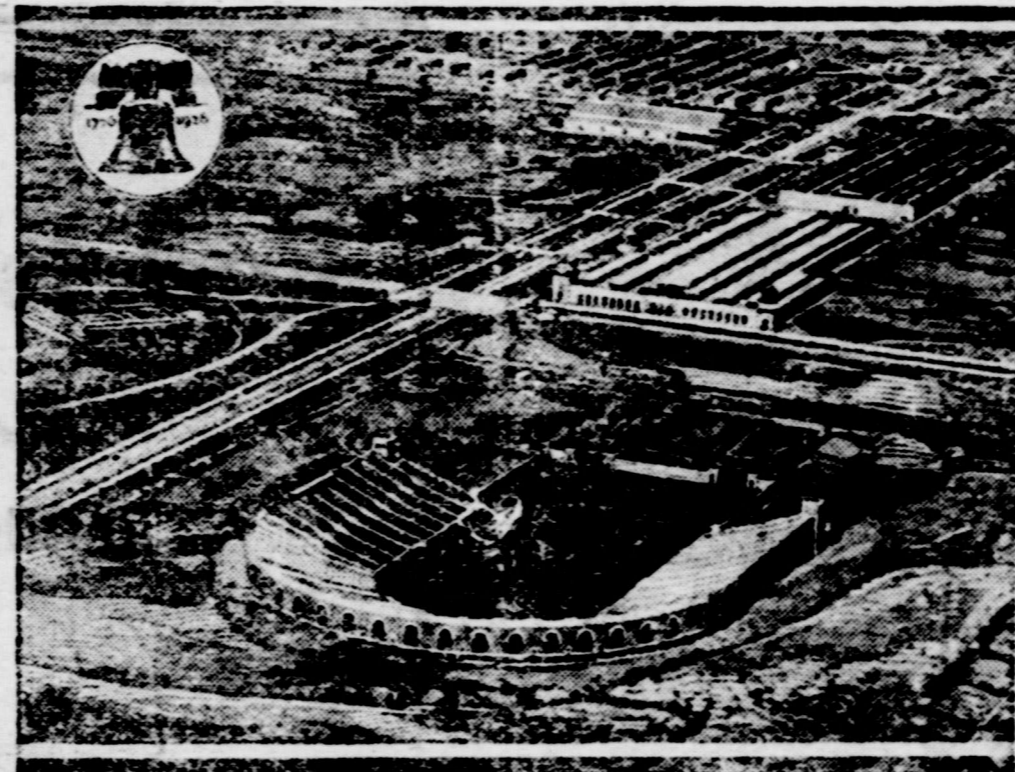
GET IT WHERE THEY'VE GOT IT AND GET IT QUICK! BIG STOCK GOOD LUMBER-----EVERYTHING TO BUILD WITH HIGGINBOTHAM--BARTLETT COMPANY

SITE OF THE FIRST PHONE MESSAGE



Walter S. Gifford (left), president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, and Leonard H. Kinnard (right), president of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania and Associated Companies, are shown standing on the exact spot where Alexander Graham Bell first talked over his invention at the Centennial Exposition 50 years ago. In the background can be seen Memorial Hall, relic of the Centennial, and which is now being used as a museum. It was on this spot that Don Pedro, then Emperor of Brazil, met the 29-year-old inventor and exclaimed, "My God, it talks!" when he heard Bell's voice come over the wire. The exhibits to be staged by the organization these men represent will be one of the great features of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, which opens in Philadelphia June 1 and continues to December 1 to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

THE SESQUI FROM THE AIR



An idea of the size and scope of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, which will be held in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1, to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of American Independence, is given in this photograph. In the foreground is the great Municipal Stadium, which seats 100,000 persons. North of the stadium can be seen two of the vast exhibition buildings. The first is the Palace of Agriculture and the second the Palace of Liberal Arts. Opposite the latter building is the big auditorium, which seats 29,000 persons on a single floor. To the left of the stadium can be seen the world famous Indian building, the Taj Mahal.

vertising campaign the greatest plan ever produced for any group of retail merchants.

J. E. Grimm, Jr., advertising manager, presided at the meeting, assisted by members of his advertising staff. Talks were given on advertising art, preparation of copy, direct mail advertising and outdoor advertising.

The cooperative advertising campaign now under way in addition to the regular national schedule was reviewed. Dealers learned that thru the cooperative plan, Chevrolet advertising is now appearing in more than 4,000 American newspapers, making every dealer, large or small, a consistent newspaper advertiser. The vast circulation of these papers, tied up with the copy in the national schedule, gives Chevrolet a great national coverage and assures uniformity of the message broadcasted.

Aside from the product itself, Chevrolet officials said no other one element had done so much toward increasing Chevrolet sales as the cooperative plan enthusiastically supported by the dealers.

Although 1925 was Chevrolet's biggest year, with sales totaling more than 500,000, the first three months of the year already shows an increase of more than 70 per cent over the same period last year and April sales figures promise to eclipse those of the same month in any previous year.

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

6 Percent Farm & Ranch Loans
Thirty-three years Government amortization payment plan.
Privilege of paying loan all or in part after five years. Partitions and partial releases granted on re-appraisal.
QUICK SERVICE, on other good loans, with prepayment option at any interest paying date.
YOUR ABSTRACT BUSINESS IS SOLICITED. WE CATER TO THOSE WHO CARE
GUARANTY ABSTRACT & TITLE CO.
Office Over First State Bank Building. Telephone No. 91
W. W. PRICE, Mgr. Brownfield, Texas.

Smith won't buy just Paint—he buys Permanence

When Smith has his house painted he expects its surface to be beautified and protected from the elements for years to come. So he thinks he has not only a right but an obligation, to dictate the kind of paint to be used. And it's Acme Quality!

ACME QUALITY Paint & Varnish
Famous for giving "value received" through 40 years of use. Our store is Smith's Acme Quality Paint and Varnish Service Station. Yours, too. Make use of it—today!

Brownfield Hdw. Co.
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Want Ads
EXTRA HIGH patent flour—every sack guaranteed. Special \$2.40 per sack.—Hudgens & Knight. tlc
FIVE ROOM house for sale or trade, modern.—A. J. Burks.
GOOD EAR CORN for sale at market price. See A. B. Cook & Son at the store. 2ltfc
GOOD EAR CORN for sale 1 1/2 mi. N.E. Brownfield. A. B. Bynum. 2tc
MAN OR WOMAN—\$50. to \$75. weekly to show our samples and take orders for Famous Packard Tailored Shirts and Neckwear direct from our factory. Easy work; experience unnecessary. Your pay starts at once. Summer lines ready. Representatives in other counties earning from \$80. to \$75. per week. Essex Coach furnished free. Act quick. Write for free samples—Packard Manufacturing Co., T835, Orleans, Chicago, Ill. tlc
WINDMILL Milk house and tank for sale. See Roy Harris. tlc

PITCHERS AND BOWLS. Since installing running water, I have several pitches and bowls for sale at half retail price. Only been used a short time; call to see them. Will also pay a cent above market price for good fryers in cash. King Hotel. 5-11p

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

FOR RENT—At reasonable figure, good five room stucco residence and plastered inside. Applicant must be able to pay rents promptly. Water furnished free. Apply at Herald office.

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

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

FOR SALE: 80 Leghorn hens.—Mrs. John Lynn. 5-21c

CHattel MORTGAGES—At the Herald office now, at 5c each or better prices in quantities.

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

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

HEADED MAIZE for sale. F. F. Bozeman, 12 mi. N. W. City 28p

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. 15-

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.

TIME TO COOK—and what a pleasure it is on my new Electric Range. See them at the Brownfield Hardware Company. tlc

CANE SEED for sale. See C. A. Stuart, Tokio. 5-21p

SEE US FOR BARGAINS in hardware, groceries, furniture and implements.—Hudgens & Knight.

SAVE—The Baby chicks by feeding them STARTINA and BABY CHICK CHOW. The growth of the chicks when fed on this feed is guaranteed to be twice as fast as when fed on ordinary feed, by the Purina Co., St. Louis. Bowers Brothers. tlc

ALLEN The House Reliable
Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Brownfield, Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalog and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE to the "ring." Established 1890. 548 ABBEY
TIME TO COOK—and what a pleasure it is on my new Electric Range. See them at the Brownfield Hardware Company. tlc

LARGE SACK Meal—special 70c. Hudgens & Knight.

"Magnolia Means Better"

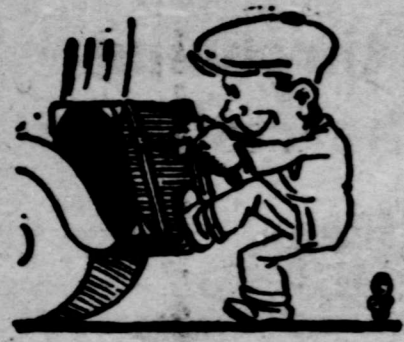
Magnolia Gasoline
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Magnolene Motor Oils

Retail Stations: Quality, Snappy and Everybody's.

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Tom May, Agent



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Fix your car up for that
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Enjoy Your Hours of Rest!

Let us solve the problem of what you will have for tomorrow's dinner. Save yourself every unnecessary step and bit of work that you can.

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'Next door east of Postoffice'

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All Work Guaranteed

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At Alexander's Drug, Brownfield, Texas

Have You Tried It? The New and Better

TEXACO GASOLINE

WHAT IT DOES:

Gives you a Quicker Start

Gives you a Quicker Pickup

Gives you More Miles Per Gallon

Gives you relief from Carbon or spark knock

Forms a dry gas and burns completely

It does not flood the cylinders

For Sale at

Stations where you see the Texaco Star

Look For The Texaco STAR

The Texas Company

W. M. Adams Agt.

NETWORK OF GAS MAINS MAY REPLACE COAL CARS

Coal must continue to be the country's chief source of heat, and with waning supplies of oil and natural gas, the efficient use of coal becomes a matter of increasing economic and social importance, declares Floyd W. Parsons, in Nation's Business.

"The idea of carrying heat units about in trucks and buckets is no less ridiculous in this modern age than it would be for us to revert to the practice of getting our water from the well in the back yard," he says.

"When a ton of raw coal is burned in the average household furnace, only about twelve million heat units are utilized effectively. But if this same ton of coal is burned in a modern gas plant, at least twenty million heat units are made available for effective work. Millions of dollars can be saved by producing all of our heat units in great central stations at strategic points instead of continuing the present practice of having small, inefficient, isolated gas plants in cellars of our homes and other buildings. If we are awakened to the necessity of revolutionizing our fuel practices, we shall develop a new and great industry devoted to the distillation of coal and the distribution of heat units.

"Simultaneously with the construction of a nationwide network of power lines to carry electric current, we may build an equally extensive system of pipe lines to carry gas. Of course, there are difficulties. But in the light of coming developments we shall be amazed at the insignificance of the problems that now deter us."

A bunch of the county candidates went to Pride Saturday night to attend the closing play of the school, and they were allowed to make their announcements. Pride is in the corners of Terry, Lynn and Dawson counties, and we understand that all three counties were well represented with candidates.

W. W. Cobb, formerly laundryman at this place, but more recently of Ralls, was here this week on business and informed us he had moved to Lubbock.

The Herald had a dinner Tuesday that he sure did enjoy, at the King Hotel, by request of Uncle Johnnie, the proprietor. The bill of fare was especially well prepared, seasoned and cooked, and would have tempted the appetite of any normal person. The King Hotel is now installing hot and cold water in each room, making it a thoroughly modern hotel.

Memphis.—The Memphis Gold Medal band announces that it will attend the Panhandle District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held at Crowell on May 11th.

Rising Star.—Two new oil wells in the west edge of the new Dunn Pool indicate that an entirely new oil belt is to be developed. Hotel accommodations are good here considering the large demand and new oil pool development.

Carbon.—Merchants of Carbon dispensed quite a large sum of money in a recent section-wide spelling contest held here. The contest was between pupils in the school and patrons outside the school.

Lubbock.—Application of the Santa Fe Ry System to extend its lines eastward in Floyd county will be considered at a hearing called by the Interstate Commerce Commission to be held in this city on May 30th.

Cisco.—The Bankhead Highway eastward in Eastland county from the end of the brick will be retopped with asphalt immediately, after which the road will be hard-surfaced in Calahan county.

Wheeler.—The Wheeler county court house has been equipped thru-out with new electrical fixtures of the largest type.

Stamford.—Officials of the Texas Transcontinental Trail recently met here and let a contract for 40,000 booklets describing the newly named highway between Texas and New Mexico.

Silverton.—What is believed to be the first hog nursery in the entire southwest has been located here for the purpose of supplying selected gilts for West Texas farmers.

Big Spring.—\$10,000 fund raising, for Chamber of Commerce activities.

Sierra Blanca.—Texas & Pacific Railroad building new stock yards.

Panhandle.—Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company makes application to extend line 30 miles to oil and gas fields in Carson and Hutchinson counties.

Sulphur production in Matagorda county valued at \$2,615,840 for three months ended March 31st.

Dalhart.—Test well to be drilled on Coats ranch.

ROGER SHERMAN, SIGNER

A cobbler's trade would seem a strange apprenticeship for one who was destined to be a statesman and signer of the Declaration of Independence, yet such was the first calling of Roger Sherman, of Connecticut. The 150th anniversary of the adoption of the famous document will be celebrated by the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1.

As a shoemaker he supported himself, his mother and several younger children by his industry, at the same time spending his leisure time in study. In 1743 he joined his elder brother in keeping a small store in New Milford, Conn., and the next year was appointed County Surveyor of Lands. Meanwhile he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1754.

Roger Sherman was one of the most useful men of his time, and served his state and nation in a variety of ways. He was elected to the Connecticut Assembly several times and in 1759 became a judge of the Court of Common Pleas. In 1774 he was chosen a delegate to the first Continental Congress. When Congress resolved on June 11, 1776, that the Committee for preparing a Declaration of Independence should consist of five persons, Roger Sherman was one of the men chosen for membership.

He performed his greatest public service in the Federal Constitution Convention. In the bitter conflict between the majority and minority state political parties he and his colleagues, Oliver Ellsworth and William Samuel Johnson, acted as peacemakers. Their share in bringing about the final settlement, which provided for equal representation in one house and proportional representation in the other, was so important that the settlement itself has come to be called the "Connecticut Compromise."

In the Federal Congress (1789-93) he favored the assumption of state debts, the establishment of a national bank and the adoption of a protective tariff policy.

Sherman was not a deep and original thinker like James Wilson, nor a brilliant leader like Alexander Hamilton, but his conservative temperament, sound judgement and wide experience qualified him to contribute vital service to his country in its most critical period.

MANY OIL MEN NOW WORKING IN LEA COUNTY

Lovington has been assuming metropolitan airs during the past few weeks, and if things continue as they have, it may become necessary to enforce traffic regulations for automobiles. Big cars filled with oil men are constantly seen on the streets, and they are not confined to the town alone, but are visiting every part of the county.

Wednesday afternoon twelve or fourteen automobiles with more than twenty geologists for the Marland Oil Company were working the territory west of Lovington. These people have been camped between this place and Carlsbad for nearly a month. They are working the whole of the territory. They began at the Maljamar well and have gone over the country west of the caprock. They are now engaged in making a thorough survey of the plains country. Other big oil companies also have their geologists in the field, and the big pool which is thought to be some where in this section of the country will be located if it is possible for geologists to locate it.

In addition to these geologists many representatives of the big companies are here leasing land. They seem to take no chances, but are securing leases in every part of the county and in the adjoining counties of Texas. When they have finished their work, they will have so well located and scattered their leases that the companies they represent will have holdings in the pool regardless of where it may be found.

Most of these people, as well as independent oil men and speculators, are making Lovington their headquarters; all of which makes things more lively than they have been for some time.—Lovington Leader.

We are authorized to announce a protracted meeting to run a week or ten days will start at the Johnson school house Saturday night. The meeting will be conducted by Elder Porter Wilhite.

Robert Forrester and wife, of Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Forrester's father, R. R. Hughes, was in the city Friday and Saturday of last week visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Forrester had some dental work done and his car worked over while here.

O'Donnell will vote in the near future on a \$65,000 waterworks system. No town can make a city without a good system of waterworks.

N. W. Jones, one of the Gomez community farmers was in Saturday with a bunch of his home made brooms for sale.

SAVE with SAFETY

At Your Rexall Store

GEORGIA ROSE

TALCUM 25c
BATH SALTS 75c
TOILET WATER 1.00
Vanishing Cream 25c

Articles that should be on every dressing table. Perfumed with the fascinating odor of the popular rose.



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Service- Plus!

We're located within a couple of minutes driving distance from your home or office—Motorists! So if your car is low on gas or it needs oil or greasing, stop here and find out what our "service-plus" policy means.

Quality Filling Station

SPECIAL!

for 10 days—Cash Only

FLOUR, best grade made, per sack	\$2.30
MEAL, large sack	.70
PINTO BEANS, 15 lbs.	1.00
SUGAR, 10 pounds	.75
SUGAR, 25 pounds	1.75
BLUE LABEL karo,	65c
RED LABEL karo,	70c
25c K. C. BAKING POWDER,	20c
80c K. C. BAKING POWDER,	65c
2 pounds SUGAR PEAS,	15c
2 pounds WAPCO PEAS,	20c
2 pounds WHITE SWAN PEAS,	25c
35c PEACHES per can,	25c
STANDARD SUGAR CORN per can,	11c
WAPCO SUGAR CORN per can,	15c
WHITE SWAN SUGAR CORN per can,	17c
STANDARD quality COFFEE per lb.	30c
3 pounds can CAROMA COFFEE,	\$1.45

Special Prices on all sizes PEANUT BUTTER

We save you money on Groceries,
Hardware, Furniture and Imple-
ments.

Hudgens & Knight

West Side Square

AMERICAN RAILROAD SERVICE LEADS WORLD

Special telegraphic stock quotations are to be furnished regularly on the limited transcontinental trains of the Union Pacific. Travelers can have their stock reports the same as if in their own offices at home.

A good modern railroad furnishes a variety of service that is simply amazing to travelers from abroad. Such attention become commonplace with us because we expect so much, and the railroads do not fail to bring the impossible to pass.

Some changes in railway legislation may be needed. But no amount of legislation will contribute so much to the public welfare as a continuance of the remarkable increase in the efficiency and economy of operation that has occurred within the last

three years. The nation will always be dependent upon the ability and initiative of railway officers for efficient and economical management; and any kind of regulation which does not recognize this plain fact, will tend to arrest in improving railway service and reducing the cost of rendering it.

Finishing his prayers the other evening, little Walter surprised his mother by saying, "This concludes our program for tonight: Good night and Amen."—Boston Transcript.

E. H. Green was among the throng that milled over the Brownfield streets, Saturday. Said he was moving along nicely with the farm operations.

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Miss Bernice Weldon and mother, heralding the arrival of Mauda Maynett, 10½ pound girl, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berl Hahn, the 14th inst

Rev. N. B. Shepherd, of Talucka, editor of the Baptist Worker, was a business caller in Brownfield Tuesday and paid the Herald a short call.

Haskell.—Haskell National Bank let contract for general remodeling and enlargement of its bank building.

The Herald printed announcements

men and women are finishing their high school work there this year, and fine programs are being rendered all this week.

Prof. and Mrs. Foster, of the Plains schools were on Friday afternoon to have the final print their commencement programs. Six young

Vernon.—The Vernon Chamber of Commerce is making plans for a trade trip to Oklahoma, the party to leave on May 12th.

New Georgettes

Beautiful Styles in
Pretty Pastel Shades.

The ideal dress for afternoon
parties and evening wear.

One lot of New Georgettes
just received this week

Special
at **\$10.75**



JONES DRY GOODS

Brownfield, Texas

"The Store of Better Values"

1ST AMERICAN YOUTH ENTRY



Edith May Adams, eighteen year-old Barrington, N. J. girl, presenting her entry blank to Mayor Kendrick in his office at City Hall, Philadelphia. The American Youth and Teacher Award was established as a tribute to American youth and teachers by the Board of Directors of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, through which the people of the United States and the world at large will celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of American Independence. The exposition will run from June 1 to December 1. Miss Adams' entry blank cited her for heroism displayed recently when she remained inside a burning building helping doctors render first aid to injured firemen. She is a candidate for the Golden Eaglette, the highest gift within the hands of the Girl Scouts. Each state will elect a girl and boy and one teacher to represent them and the successful candidates will be the guest of the Sesqui officials from June 28 to July 5 at the exposition. This will also include a trip to Washington where they will be received by President Coolidge and presented with medals.

THE COMMUNIST FAILURE CAME AS PREDICTED

Gregory Zinovieff, called one of the most powerful Soviet leaders in Russia and Chairman of the Communist International's Executive Committee, expresses the fear that the American Communist Party is disappearing.

He warns the present Communist organization that all its energies should be concentrated on the United States to prevent disappearance of radicalism.

He deprecates that so far all the expensive work of trying to spread Communism and Social political and economic doctrines among Americans is proving futile.

It seems the political and economic experiences of the American people have led them to produce a governmental structure so solid that the shallow surf of Sovietism beats upon

it in vain.

More and more is the ownership of great corporations and even financial institutions passing into the hands of employees, and there is resulting a gradual evolution of a higher stage of cooperative society.

Here is one single fact to prove this statement: 16,358 employees of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey recently became holders of common stock valued at \$38,000,000—next largest owners in this property to John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

The rank and file of workmen under the Communist doctrine own

nothing. They exits from day to day as pawns in a political game. It is no wonder their party is disappearing in America, where every individual can think for himself.—Manufacturer.

MUST VACCINATE ALL DOGS IN TEXAS

Austin, May 11.—For protection of livestock in Texas, Governor M. A. Ferguson today on recommendation of the State Livestock Commission, issued a proclamation effective May 15th, providing for vaccination of all dogs against rabies.

ONE THAT THE EX-KAISER TRIED TO PUT OVER

This is the story told by the former Kaiser as evidence in support of his contentions that the Americans didn't know what they were fighting for in the great war.

"One American prisoner, a strapping sergeant, was taken before my son, 'Crown Prince,'" says the former Kaiser in one of his effusions published in this country by George Sylvester Viereck.

"What are you fighting for?" "I don't know, sir," the prisoner replied.

"Come, come! you must have a reason," the Crown Prince exclaimed.

"Well, sir," the soldier said, scratching his head, "Alsace-Lorraine is a lake between Germany and France. The French have one side of it and the Germans the other. The French are entitled to half the fishing, and now those darn Germans won't let the French. That ain't fair sir, and we can't stand that!"

Of course it would be beyond the mentality of the former Kaiser to comprehend that anybody would dare "kid" a crown prince.—Star-Telegram

Several local physicians attended the banquet at Lubbock Saturday night in honor of Dr. Rosser, President of the State Medical Association. They report the banquet fine, and a splendid address by Dr. Rosser on the enforcement of the medical practice act.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING IS ALWAYS FRESH

I sat in a barber chair at X-ville, gazing at a number of advertisements of the "permanent" type set around a framed mirror. There were 12 ads in the rack—painted, scroled, and encased in glass. At the time of my sitting, 3 of the stores represented in the frame had gone out of business during the year, 2 had changed hands with consequent changes in street addresses, and two had changed proprietors and titles of the concerns. In other words, 7 out of the 12 ads in the frame were worse than obsolete, because to the stranger in town they actually "mis-represented" the town even as a business directory.

I do not say that barber shop mirror advertising has no value. All legitimate advertising has value. But this actual case emphasized another strong point in newspaper advertising over the painted variety, namely that the former's text is always fresh and timely with little or no opportunity for waste due to changed conditions. Copy for ads may be changed as often as the paper comes out. The business man thus avoids long time payments for dead or long time space.—Exchange.

Grady Brown returned Sunday from Clovis, N. M., where he went after his wife and children who were visiting her parents. They are now domiciled in the Cecil Smith house.

DOG RACES TO BE HELD SOON AT LUBBOCK

Lubbock, May 17.—Already complete plans have been made for the next dog races to be held at the Lubbock Coursing Park, which is located one and one-half miles due south of Lubbock. This is the only park in active operation in the Panhandle or South Plains, and people who are interested in this phase of sports are showing intense interest toward the coming event which will be held on the 4th and 5th of June.

A large number of cash prizes are to be offered on these two days to the winners of the different classified events which are now being scheduled by the management of the course. There will be plenty of contest for every sort and breed of dog, according to Gene Wofford, manager of the park. The people of the entire state and other states are cordially invited to come and enter their hounds and dogs in the contest.

Already Wofford has received word from several of the largest centers of dog races in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas that dogs from their parks will be represented in the contest here in June. Among those who have definitely decided to enter the races are: Miles, Texas; Elk City, Okla.; Temple, Texas. Dogs that will be winners of the Bowie meet which will be held on the 17th of this month will be here. In fact Wofford has in hand names of many owners of registered dogs that have assured him they would be here on the specified dates.

The Lubbock Coursing Park shows an investment of something like five thousand dollars, and is numbered among the leading parks in Texas. Work has been resumed by the management in keeping the grounds in perfect condition up until the time for the races start. It is in conformance with regulation parks which will afford all dogs a like chance in the races.

Rabbits for the races are being shipped in from Kansas and are thought to be the fastest rabbits that can be secured in this section of the country. The last races held here used the Kansas rabbits and they proved to show better speed than Texas rabbits.

FT. WORTH TO CARE FOR TEXAS DELEGATES

Fort Worth, May 17.—Texas superintendents and principals have been asked to stay in Fort Worth hotels during the annual convention of the Department of Superintendence of the National Education Association. The convention will be held in Dallas February 23 to 26, 1927, and hotels in that city have been reserved for the out-of-state visitors who are expected to number more than 10,000. There are more than 3,000 of the Texas group.

In addition, the deans of colleges in American will hold their convention sessions in Fort Worth during the general sessions. This group will number more than 500.

M. H. Moore, superintendent of Ft. Worth schools, is chairman of the Texas division of the N.E.A. and he arranged for the use of the hotels in Fort Worth.

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