

POULTRY SHOW WINS PRAISE FROM JUDGES

Terry County's First Annual Poultry Show Exceeds Expectations of Most Optimistic. More than 200 Birds On Display Here. Exhibitors Well Pleased.

"The finest lot of show and production birds that I have ever seen," said Mr. D. F. Eaton, Lubbock County Agent when he had finished judging the two hundred birds at the First Annual Terry County Poultry Show held here last Friday and Saturday. He further stated that "the people of this County need not send out of the County or State for eggs, baby chicks, or breeding stock, for this show certainly reveals the fact that as good stock can be had here as can be found anywhere."

These voluntarily statements of Mr. Eaton's meant success for the show; for the primary purpose of holding this exhibition of poultry was to ascertain the quality of Terry County flocks.

The high standard of the birds on exhibit was apparent to the many people who visited the show. It was easy to see the results of careful mating, judicial selection and culling, and constant care that the breeders are giving their flocks in their untiring efforts to build up a flock of high producing birds that will meet the standard of perfection in every way.

Sweepstake cock of the show went to a Rhode Island Red owned by Jno. S. Powell of Brownfield. Pappy John also had sweepstake old pen and was the largest exhibitor, having twenty-seven Reds on exhibit and everyone of them a beauty.

Sweepstake cockerel was shown by C. L. E. Meils, of Meadow. This superb bird was also adjudged sweepstake male of the show which was the highest honor that could be given. This cockerel, a Rhode Island Red, which is of the Mahood strain will be mated to a pen of Mahood pullets and we predict that Mr. Meils will come back to the fall fair and winter show with pens of Reds that will be hard to beat.

A Brown Leghorn hen belonging to S. C. White of Brownfield beat all the others in the race for best hen of the show, while a Rhode Island Red pullet owned by Mrs. K. Sears won in sweepstake pullet class.

The best Old Pen of the show was won by the splendid pen of Reds owned by Jno. S. Powell while the sweepstake award in young pens went to Mrs. L. B. Brazelton's young pen of Black Minorcas that were hard to criticize.

It can be seen from the above sweepstake winnings that the Rhode Island Reds were the outstanding variety exhibited as five of the 7 above championships were won by this breed. Not only did the Reds win in single and pen competition but in Breeders Flock classes, as a pen of ten pullets and a cockerel owned by Amos Montgomery led seven other flocks to win the purple ribbon.

This breeder's flock class was something new in showing poultry. The class consisted of ten females and a male and was judged upon a production and a show standpoint. This was perhaps the most beneficial class of all as it showed eleven birds and any breeder that has that many birds that are good enough to show is able to furnish eggs or chicks in desirable quantities. Although this is the first time that such a class has been made on the Plains it will likely become popular at Poultry Shows for at this show there were eight flocks totaling eighty-eight birds on exhibit. The quality of these eight exhibits were unusually good with competition so close that there were only three points difference in the first three pens of the sweepstake class.

Friendly rivalry, a keen interest, and much enthusiasm was shown throughout the show by the breeders. E. M. McCoy and W. B. Downing never let an opportunity slip to tell the wonderful qualities of the Cornish Game birds that they had on display and declare that this variety will come in for some purple ribbons at the next show. Many people accused T. E. Verner of trying to show White Minorcas as White Leghorns, but Tom was able to convince them that the excellent flock that he had on exhibit were English White Leghorns despite their unusual size. These birds were heavy winners at the Lubbock Fair last fall and at the Lubbock County and they have great productive capacity. Another outstanding flock of White Leghorns was exhibited by W. Clyde Smith of Brownfield. He just recently moved up from the south part of the county and he brought a flock of chickens on which he was able to win first place and which promises to produce winners.

Penny Ballard, B. B. Brown and J. C. Montgomery furnished the competition on Barred Rocks. These men report that they sold every cockerel

that they had for sale during the show and could have sold more. The thirty-two Black Minorcas exhibited by Mrs. L. B. Brazelton and W. B. Thrasher were above par and were excellent specimens of this splendid egg breed.

The beautiful Buff Orpingtons were shown by C. J. Simmons and Mary Emery. This is one of the larger breeds that lays well and is certainly good eating.

John Chisholm had some Reds and White Leghorns on exhibit that he did not enter in competition, but gathered an egg apiece a day from his coops.

P. G. Stanford of Plains, brought a pen of Rose Combed Barred Rocks over too late for the judging. Mr. Stanford says that his birds are heavy layers and that their combs will not freeze as will the single comb breeds.

Another chicken crank that did not have an exhibit was Tom Hock. Tom said his pen was in heavy production and that he did not want to check them, but he gave the host of R. I. Red breeders warning that he was coming to the next show and that he aimed to carry some of the ribbons back when he went home.

In the Turkey Division Mrs. K. Sears showed the sweepstake winners of the show. The Mammoth Bronze toms belonging to Mrs. Sears are of the A. D. Walker strain and are as fine a specimen as can be found. You do not wonder that she is able to sell young toms that will average above twenty pounds on the Xmas market, when you look over her breeding flock.

In the Narragansett breed Mr. Allen and W. G. Thrasher divided honors. This breed is becoming more popular and is rivaling the Mammoth Bronze for size.

Winners of the First Annual Terry County Poultry Show are listed below:

Black Minorcas—

Cock—1st, W. G. Thrasher.
Hen—1st, 2nd, 3rd, W. G. Thrasher.
Young Pen—1st, Mrs. L. B. Brazelton.

Cockerel—1st, Mrs. L. B. Brazelton.

Pullets—1st, 2nd, 3rd, Mrs. L. B. Brazelton.

Breeder's Flock—1st, W. G. Thrasher; 2nd, Mrs. L. B. Brazelton.

Barred Rocks—

Young Pen—1st, J. M. Montgomery; 2nd, B. B. Brown; 3rd, Penny Ballard.

Cockerel—1st, J. M. Montgomery; 2nd, B. B. Brown; 3rd, Penny Ballard.

Pullet—1st, B. B. Brown; 2nd, J. M. Montgomery; 3rd, Penny Ballard.

Hen—1st and 2nd, B. B. Brown.
Breeder's Flock—1st, J. M. Montgomery.

Brown Leghorns—

Old Pen—1st, S. C. White.
Cock—1st, S. C. White.
Hen—1st, 2nd, 3rd, S. C. White.

Rhode Island Red—

Old Pen—1st, Jno. S. Powell; 2nd, Amos Montgomery.

Cock—1st, Jno. S. Powell; 2nd, Amos Montgomery.

Hen—1st and 2nd, Jno. S. Powell; 3rd, Amos Montgomery.

Young Pen—1st, C. L. E. Meils; 2nd, Jno. S. Powell; 3rd, K. Sears.

Cockerel—1st, C. L. E. Meils; 2nd, Jno. S. Powell; 3rd, K. Sears.

Pullet—1st, K. Sears; 2nd, Jno. S. Powell; 3rd, C. L. E. Meils.

Breeders Flock—1st, Amos Montgomery; 2nd, Jno. S. Powell.

Buff Orpingtons—

Young Pen, 1st; Cockerel, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd; Pullets, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. These honors were taken by C. J. Simmons.

White Leghorns—

Young Pen—1st, O. K. Tongate; 2nd, R. L. Holly.

Cockerel—1st, O. K. Tongate; 2nd, R. L. Holly.

Pullet—1st, R. L. Holly; 2nd, O. K. Tongate.

Breeder's Flock—1st, W. Clyde Smith; 2nd, T. E. Verner; 3rd, R. L. Holly.

Cornish Game—

Old Pen—1st, E. M. McCoy.
Cock—1st, E. M. McCoy.
Hen—1st, 2nd, 3rd, E. M. McCoy.
Pullet—1st, 2nd, 3rd, W. B. Downing.

Sweepstake Cock, a Rhode Island Red, owned by Jno. S. Powell.

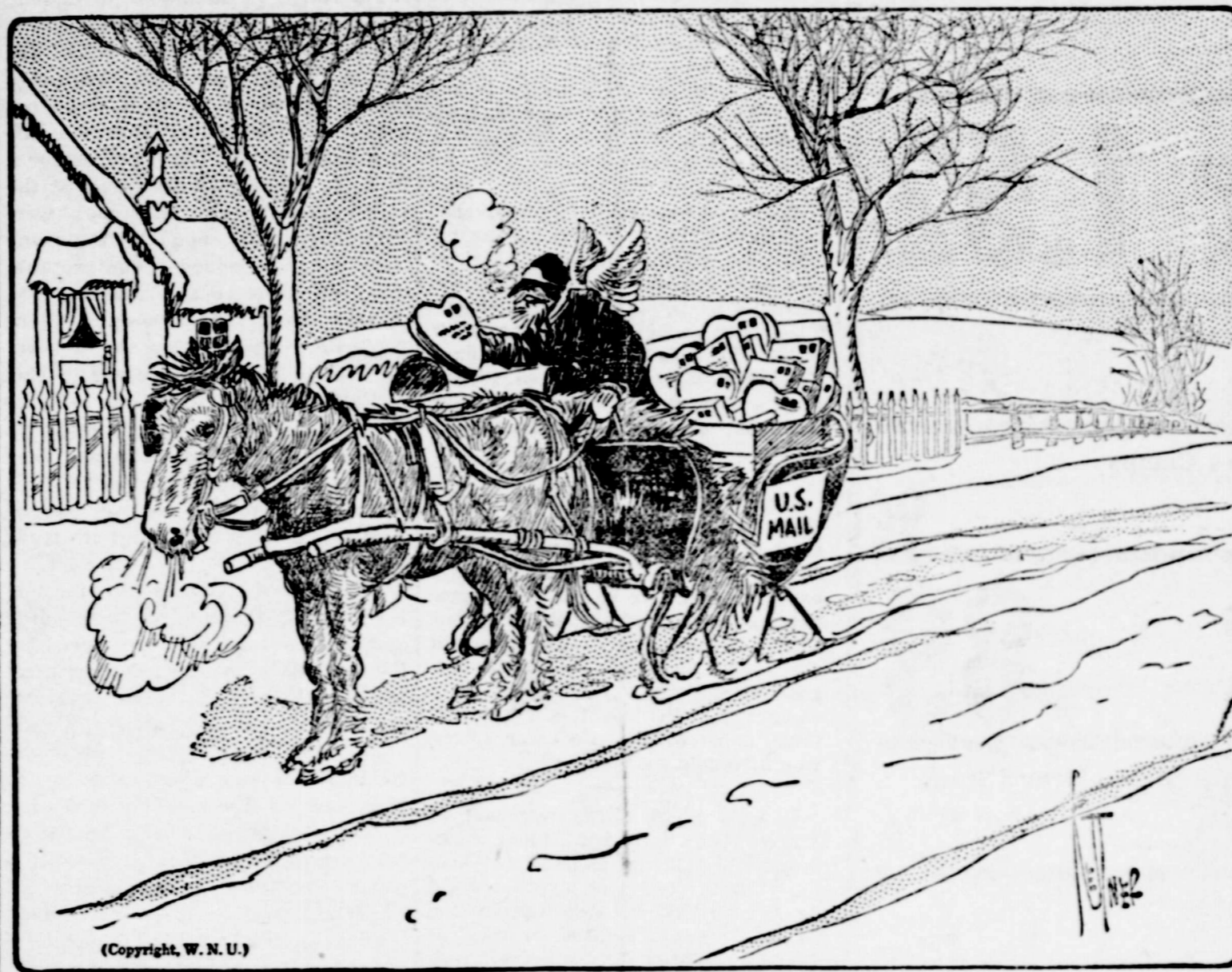
Sweepstake Cockerel and Sweepstake male, a Rhode Island Red owned by C. L. E. Meils.

Sweepstake hen, a Brown Leghorn owned by S. C. White.

Sweepstake Pullet, a Rhode Island Red owned by Mrs. K. Sears.

Sweepstake Old Pen, Rhode Island rooster.

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Poultry Breeders Go Into Organization Here

In an enthusiastic meeting of Terry County Poultry Breeders here Saturday afternoon it was decided to organize a permanent poultry association.

Jno. S. Powell, veteran breeder of Rhode Island Reds was elected President; C. L. E. Meils, an enthusiastic poultryman of Meadow was elected Vice-President and T. E. Verner, a hatcheryman and extensive breeder of White Leghorns of Meadow, was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

The purposes of this organization will be to stimulate interest in the poultry industry in Terry County and to encourage the raising of pure bred flocks of a high standard in production and in appearance.

The next meeting of this association will be held in Brownfield at the Courthouse on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Everyone who is interested in poultry are invited and urged to attend this meeting.

A Rules and By-Laws Committee consisting of R. B. Davis, T. E. Verner and Jno. S. Powell were appointed to formulate rules to be submitted to the association at their next meeting.

An aggressive organization is being planned that will cover the poultry industry of Terry County and it is hoped that every person interested in poultry will join this association and help raise the standard and the profits of the poultry of this county.

Terracing School to Be Held Near Meadow

A small terracing school was held in the Meadow community last week. The farmers learning to terrace were T. L. Causseaux, Mr. Ellington, Mr. Wieland, Mr. Simmons, Homer Causseaux and Mr. Cooper. These men together with Mr. E. B. Hart and E. M. McCoy have, with the help of the County Agent, terraced and contoured about seven hundred and fifty acres this year.

These demonstrations will be watched this year with considerable interest by the people in that community as there is a lot of sloping land on which crops are usually short due to the water running off before soaking in.

Reds owned by Jno. S. Powell.

Sweepstake Young Pen, Black Minorcas owned by Mrs. L. B. Brazelton.

Sweepstake Breeder's Flock, Rhode Island Reds owned by Amos Montgomery.

Mammoth Bronze Turkeys—

Old Tom—1st, Mrs. K. Sears.
Young Tom—1st, Mrs. K. Sears.
Old Hen—1st and 2nd, Dollie McLeroy.

Young Hen—1st, 2nd, 3rd, Mrs. K. Sears.

Young Trio—1st, Mrs. K. Sears.
Narragansett Turkeys—

Mr. Allen: Old Trio, 1st; Old Tom, 1st; Hen, 1st and 2nd.

W. G. Thrasher: Young Trio, 1st; Young Tom, 1st; Young Hen, 1st and 2nd.

Sweepstake Male—Mrs. K. Sears.

Sweepstake Female—Dollie McLeroy.

Diversify or Break— Choice up to Farmers

The future, we mean the immediate future of the cotton farmer appears anything but rosy, and it is at such times that we town folks like to take our typewriters and spin off a lot of advice to our good friend the farmer. Yet it is not after all so much advice that we would give him, but rather sympathy and encouragement if there is any. We urban folks cannot but reflect that the same prosperity that butters the biscuit of the farmer, also puts the same material on our bread, and we sink or swim together, but we had rather swim.

Cotton at present keeps on backing, despite the fact that a medium crop has been produced. Either world consumption has been lowered, or more foreign countries are raising it. These facts with the lowered morale of the exchanges since the debacle on wall street, have seen the price of everything the farmer raises gradually fade, until some of them are now much below the cost of production, with the possible exception of corn. So the question of raising another medium or big cotton crop with slavery prices is squarely up to the farmers of the south and this includes Terry county, of course. It would seem therefore fool hardy to raise another big cotton crop to sell below cost of production and make the next crop worthless. Better let the world want some cotton for a spell, and get more for it. If cotton was the only thing that would grow in this section, there might be some cause for uneasiness, but this section will grow almost anything that the rest of the temperate zone will grow, and a whole raft of stuff will grow better right here than any other place in the whole world.

The Herald's idea if it is worth anything at all would be to cut the cotton crop nearly half what it was last year, but make it the very best seed that can be obtained of a better staple cotton, and devote the rest to feed crops in order to care for the natural increase in the farm animal herds.

YES, YES

Farmer Sells Corn at 70c on His Farm

That the corn crop of Terry county has turned out very much better than was expected, is being acceded to every day by both the farmer and buyer as well, but much of the crop is of much poorer quality than for several years, although some farmers who cultivated the land well or had a bit more rain than his neighbor is harvesting a fair quality of corn. But the price even in the field this year is better than farmers have been receiving for it delivered in the city, for several years past.

J. L. Hyman, successful farmer of the Challis community was in one day recently to have us send the paper to his sister in south Texas, and informed us that he had just sold his entire crop of about 3000 bushels delivered at the end of the rows where he is harvesting and ricking it for the buyer, for 70 cents per bushel. The past few years 40c to 50c was the average price of corn here. So you see, Mr. Hyman is receiving in the neighborhood of \$2100 for his corn in the field.

If we did not misunderstand Mr. Hyman, he informed us that about 63 bales of cotton were gathered from the farm this year, besides a large quantity of maize and bundle feeds. Mr. Hyman has been in the county some 10 or 12 years and has always made a reasonably good crop.

Misses Irene and Evelyn Pippin spent the week-end with their sister, Ida Mae, who is at Canyon, Texas attending the college there.

W. J. Smith, of west side was here Monday, after supplies for the farm.

Berlin now has the tango craze.

LOCAL MERCHANTS MAKE ADVERTISING PAY THEM

Greater Space Appropriations For the Year 1930. They Do Not Expect Miracles From Their Advertising, But By Close Attention Make It Pay Them.

Many of our local merchants are thoroughly sold on advertising and are increasing the appropriation for 1930 over the past year. Of course they are not wild over advertising, or anything of the sort; they do not think that advertising is the remedy for the whole battle, but they do believe that it is and will be a great means to the end of success. They realize that no amount of advertising minus service and good will is going to get them anywhere, but they are convinced that advertising plus service, good will and quality goods will mean success where failure would be the result otherwise.

Last week the firm of Hudgens & Knight had a whole page in the Herald of 154 inches of advertising. This was no "sale" as that word is usually understood, but was just giving the public their specials for just two days of that week. This big firm plans on many such ads during the year 1930. Besides this ad, you will note that they carry many other special ads from time to time which they pay for wholly or share the cost with the manufacturer.

Another big advertiser, is Chisholm Bros. They are preparing to make their advertising pay them more this year than ever before, and are not only going to carry more space in the

Herald, but are going to devote more time to this part of their business, and thus get all that is coming to them in this way. Other firms, both grocery and dry goods have talked with us about their advertising for the year as more a part of their business than ever before.

And now we come to the consumers part of the deal. Does advertising pay the buyer. It certainly does, for he gets enough off on these special prices each week to pay for reading them, plus his gas bill to town and back, and he knows just where to find these bargains without having to hunt around. By trading with such a merchant he knows he is trading with a firm that by advertising keep their merchandise moving and always fresh—not shelf worn stuff, and he realizes that these quick, cash turnovers of merchandise means not only a small but quick profit to the merchant, but a saving to him on fresh goods.

Therefore, advertising is beneficial to the merchant; it is a great help to the buyer; it is the life blood of your home town paper. It cannot exist without it and give you a home paper that is worth a whoop. Therefore, it is the advertising merchant that makes your home paper possible.

Swine Breeders are Having a Great Meet

The Panhandle Swine Breeders Association are having a very fine session here as we go to press, for as early as Wednesday morning representative breeders from all portions of the south and north Plains were here, as well as a few from other portions of the state. Also there were some speakers of note from all sections of the state to address the breeders after the business sessions were over. All business as well as all lectures are being held in the auditorium of the First Baptist church, and all phases of hog raising will be covered.

Tuesday night the Chamber of Commerce gave the Swine Breeders a banquet at the hotel Brownfield, where they were again welcomed to this city, and asked to come again. Many of our own breeders are taking advantage of the opportunity to attend all sessions and get as much out of the meeting as possible. Breeders from many of the adjoining counties who can go home at night, are also attending. The Herald believes the sessions will mean much to our farmers as well as club members as they are picking up a world of good information.

Several pens of fine registered pigs, shoats, as well as matured stuff were on hand at the Cicero Smith Lumber yard, all of which we understand will be auctioned off today (Wednesday afternoon) to the highest bidders, and here is where a number of our local breeders are going to get an opportunity to pick up some fine additions to their herds at their own price, as they will absolutely go to the highest bidder.

Owing to the lateness in the week of the last day of the show and meet, the Herald will give a more detailed account of it in the next issue.

No Use to Close School Says Health Officer

In conversation with Dr. M. C. Bell, city health officer one day this week, he informed us that some of the citizens were becoming quite excited over the fact that there are some contagious diseases in the city, and that there was some talk of closing the public schools. According to the doctor, there is no necessity at the present time for this step, and he does not think there will be. If so, he will warn the school authorities in plenty of time.

At present, and at no other time, there is only one case of smallpox, a colored woman, and all those staying at that place have been vaccinated and quarantined, and he does not anticipate any more cases. There are three cases of scarlet fever, all doing nicely at present, and none of these have ever been in school. He hardly expects further outbreaks from these cases as homes where they are have been quarantined, and the rest of the children, if any, immuned.

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Nancy Carroll Tells Meaning of "Sweetie"

Lessons on how to be a "sweetie" were given recently to an eager group of schoolgirl extras by Nancy Carroll, Paramount star. As the "sweetie" in "Sweetie," a romantic revue, Miss Carroll portrays a chorus girl who suddenly finds that she has inherited a boy's school.

"Sweetie" really comes from the word sweetheart," explained Miss Carroll. "To be a 'sweetie,' a girl must remember first of all to be as feminine as she can. It would not be a bad idea for a 'sweetie' to faint and swoon now and then as the



NANCY CARROLL in "Sweetie" A Paramount Picture

'sweetie' of yesterday did, just to remind men how fragile and feminine they were.

"A girl makes a great mistake in trying to merely be a man's pal. Of course, she should be a pal while she is a 'sweetie,' but to strive to be a pal only, is disastrous. Men marry their 'sweeties' but never their pals, unless they find that she really is a 'sweetie' after all. When a man pats a girl on the shoulder as though he were saying 'good old girl,' she is sunk.

"Every girl can be a 'sweetie,' whether she is a frivolous little flapper or a more serious person, because for each type of man there is a different type of 'sweetie.'"

This city will learn all about "sweeties" when "Sweetie" comes to the Rialto Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday next week.

County Agent to Assist In Culling Poultry

The County Agent assisted Messrs. Banks, Thurman, Greene and Jones in culling their flocks last week. One hundred and twenty culls were removed from these four flocks. Mr. Davis says that he will be glad to help anyone cull their chickens but would prefer that a group of neighbors set the same morning so as many as possible can be taught to cull and a number of flocks culled on one trip.

'M' SYSTEM

You are especially invited to visit our store, Saturday, Feb 15. We will have with us Brown's Cracker and Candy Salesman and Folger's Coffee representative. Join us and eat cakes, drink coffee and buy your week's supply of these Nationally Advertised Groceries at a Saving.

FLOUR Gold Crown 48 Lb. Sack **1.52**

Tall Can Brookdale **SALMON** 15c No. 2 Can Supreme Crushed **PINEAPPLE** 21½c

No. 2 can Supreme **SPINACH** 13½c Medium Can Van Camps **KRAUT** 9c

LARD 3 Pounds Crustene **.89**

Medium Can Van Camps **HOMINY** 7½c No. 2½ Can Hunts Staple Heavy Syrup **PEACHES** 22c

Washing Powder, Large Package **BORAX** 18c Farmer Boy Ribbon Cane **SYRUP** 73c

COFFEE FOLGERS 2 Pound Can **.98**

1 Pound Hersheys **COCOA** 28c No. 2 Can Ozark Green Cut **GREEN BEANS** 12½c

No. 2 can Libbys Country Gentleman **CORN** 2 for 25c No. 2 Can Glen Valley Early June **PEAS** 12½c

Cakes & crackers specially priced

Sugar Cured Breakfast **BACON** lb. 24c 4 Pound Bucket (Open Kettle) **PURE LARD** 47c

Long Horn **CHEESE** 27c Fresh Pork **SAUSAGE** lb. 20c

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane
To Terrify Terrorists
For Col. Star Mothers
Adam's Old Excuse
Women Spend 53 Billions

Los Angeles, Calif.—The shooting of the Mexican president, his wife and another, none killed, fortunately, will mean drastic action in Mexico. No nation will tolerate, even in civilized times, a campaign for the control of government by murder. Back of the young hand that fired the shots there stands in the shadow some murderous organization, relying on terror and using servile tools for its purpose.

Ortiz Rubio and the powerful Portes Gil, former president, now Rubio's secretary of the interior, will find a way to terrify the terrorists.

Before the would-be murderer shot him, Ortiz Rubio, in his brief inauguration address, had promised that all classes of Mexicans "should enjoy the privilege of being classed as men." Those familiar with conditions under which Mexico's lower classes have lived, and with the attitude toward them of the upper classes, will know what that means to the Mexican under dog.

Congress votes more than \$5,000,000 that "gold star" mothers may visit their sons' graves in France. Of 11,000 mothers entitled to go, 6,000 have expressed a desire to go. Many cannot go, because of duties at home. Others, perhaps, dread the sorrowful shock. To those that do not go, congress should pay in cash the pro rata amount that it would cost to send them, about \$1,000. No other course would be fair.

Richard Stewart, rug merchant of Warren, Ohio, is in jail. Judge Perry found him guilty of molesting a woman. Stewart offers an excuse as old as Adam: "The woman led me on." In jail Stewart refuses to eat. It would have been fortunate for Adam, and for us, but bad for the clothing business, had Adam likewise refused to eat.

Charles Evans Hughes returns to the Supreme court as chief justice, at President Hoover's request. In him the people have a brilliantly able man, worthy to take Mr. Taft's place.

And from Mr. Hughes' acceptance of the position you learn that honor and opportunity to be useful are more important than financial profit.

Mr. Hughes gives up a private law practice worth more than \$500,000 a year for the small salary and great opportunity of the Supreme bench.

Chicago's Retail Advertising Institute is told that American women spend every year fifty-three billion dollars.

A million is a great deal. A thousand millions is a very great deal. Fifty-three thousand millions spent by the women in this country is an extraordinary amount of money.

The rich, in this happy land, very happy for some, are richer than they ever were. The Treasury department tells you there were 496 Americans in 1928 with annual incomes above \$1,000,000. The total on which they paid income tax was one thousand and seventy-three millions.

And, as you know, this represents only a fraction of the really big incomes. There are men with incomes above one hundred millions each. Their money is in great corporations. The latter re-invest their earnings and hand stock dividends instead of cash to the big controlling stockholders. On such dividends, in accordance with Supreme court decision, the really rich men pay no income tax.

One man, with much more than a hundred million income, paid, as shown reports once published, only six millions income tax. Without the stock dividend device he would have paid forty millions at least. A lot of salary earners and professional men made up the difference.

Of the supermillionaires, twenty-four have more than five millions a year each. With all that money you would expect to hear of some remarkable and interesting things done, but money and imagination do not often go together. Imagination prevents accumulation.

Doctor Leivinstein, president of the Society of British Chemical Industries, warns Britain not to be caught napping in knowledge of chemical warfare. Poison gas, he says, will be the main weapon in the next war, regardless of treaties.

The British chemist warns wisely. Poison gas in the last war shared the honors with airplanes and submarines. In the next war it would make life in cities impossible, and fill the streets with thousands of dead bodies, the moment hostile planes began operations overhead.

For brains and ingenuity there are always openings and success. What is wanted is something that will give a decent living to any man or woman willing to do honest work. Even the average man has a right to live, as should have.

Guy T. Nelson has purchased the Tonsorial Shop on east Main street, and his many friends will find him there in the future with J. Frank Norris Walters occupying the other chair. Guy says he has a little shop with a big service. Note his ad. It's union.

J. G. Currie, of the Sengraves section, was up Tuesday shopping with our merchants.

Both of Brownfeld's Banks Working Fine

The Brownfield Chamber of Commerce Band played a few pieces for the Lions Club Banquet, which was held in the Brownfield Cafe, the evening of February 6. The musical program was surprisingly good. It wasn't the ordinary blaring, ear splitting, noise of an indoor band concert, but a very soft production of choice marches. The director realizes the difference in, "outside" and "inside" concerts and is drilling the band on both. When the outside concert season arrives the band will have some real halley numbers prepared.

The Beginners' Band, which was organized of absolute beginners about November 1, made its first appearance before an audience Friday, February 7. They played for a P. T. A. meeting and program at the Lahey school. The beginners were very much encouraged by the many compliments received. The program was well rendered and almost 100% of the band was present. These youngsters who will be the Brownfield Band in the future are getting invitations from all parts of the county to play for school programs and other public gatherings. They will soon be able to respond to these invitations, and therefore spread Brownfield good-will to all its trade territory.

Although it remains for the old hand to play the more difficult music and many months will be required for the beginners to merge themselves into it, although for real programs we depend entirely upon the old hand. But there is yet a great obstacle in its way when called on to play out of town. The band has mostly business men in it and when they are called on for a trip out it is usually hard for them to get away. The youngster band is not handicapped by this fact and hence, expects to be used quite often.

The old hand will play this week for the County Basketball Tournaments and Monday night the beginners Band will play for a P. T. A. meeting at the home of Mrs. M. V. Brownfield.

Let's all boost the band work in Brownfield, and make ours the best band in West Texas.

NGRS GETS RENEWAL OF 1200-WATT POWER

Radio Station KGRS, Amarillo, received a renewal of its license for operation on 1,200 watts of power. It was announced yesterday by E. B. Gish, owner and manager.

Plans are already underway for construction of a transmitter to be located outside of Amarillo. The installation of the new transmitter will give the station an increase of ten times the present power.—Amarillo News-Globe.

W. S. Copeland was in from the farm Saturday and dug up another dollar for the Herald.

A. V. Taylor one of the old reliables of the west side was in this week to renew for the 20 oddth time.

FEED BOWERS BEST LAYING MASH for—MORE EGGS

FEED BOWERS BEST STARTING FEED for—GOOD START

FEED BOWERS BEST GROWING FEED for—QUICK GROWTH

FEED BOWERS BEST HEN SCRATCH FEED to—BALANCE RATION

FEED BOWERS BEST BABY SCRATCH to—AID GROWING FEED

FEED BOWERS BEST DAIRY RATION for—MORE MILK

FEED Bowers Best Supplement for Swine 31% Protein Approved Formula of A. & M. College —Make Hogs Out of Pigs At Small Cost—

—Complete line of Purina Chows— (A feed for every purpose)

Remember that our feeds are balanced for production and cost less by actual test. We have our own mixer and do our own mixing daily. Fresh feeds are worth more than old. We will appreciate a trial order from you. All feeds that we offer for sale have been registered by the Feed Control Service of Texas.

A home institution interested in the welfare of Terry County.

BOWERS MILLING CO.

Located by the water tower—Come to see us.



Hunt as long as you wish—but our barber work is unexcelled. Located 1st door east of National Bank.

GUY T. NELSON, Prop.



Serviceable, too—run-stop hem line, reinforced toe and heel, extra long. And economical—very moderately priced for such fine hosiery.

Beautiful!

No length of skirt can hide its silken loveliness! Snug-fitting, smooth and sheer, through months of wear, it will win your lasting admiration and complete satisfaction.

Humming Bird Full Fashioned Hosiery

Now on display, the new style-colors decreed by Paris. See them.

COLLINS DRY GOODS COMPANY

ACCURATE PLUMBING

If you have not had your gas plumbing done call me for prices. Can also do your water or sewerage plumbing and fitting.

Frank Ballard

Plumbing Gas Fitting Electrical

Mr. J. D. Bailey has purchased the Grocery Guild from T. M. Flippin and son, and opened for business under his own name Monday morning. It will be known as the Bailey Cash Grocery. Mr. Bailey and sons once conducted a grocery here before, and were very popular merchants with

the people here. We predict a nice business for Mr. Bailey.

C. J. Preston, of Meadow is a new reader. This came in from the bunch of sample copies put out for us by the progressive postmaster at Meadow last week.

Konjola Again Triumphs Over Stubborn Case

"My Experience With New Medicine Was Amazing," Says Farmer, Aged 68



MR. JOHN OELRICHS

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Sardines	American Box	.5	MINCEMEAT	LB.	.11
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Peanut Butter	Tasty 1 Can	.24	Coffee	White Swan 3 lb.	1.44
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Honey	Desert Gallon Gold	1.09	Coffee	Our Special Peaberry 1 lb. pkg.	.32
Flakes	-pkg.-	.10	Black Berries	Gallon East Tex	.46
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APPLES Fancy Washington per Dozen **.26**

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Cherries	Candied 5 oz.	.19	Cheese	Long Horn Pound	.28

MEADOW FIVE WINS TOURNEY
LAMESA, Feb. 8.—The Meadow Bronchos carried off the championship of Lamesa's fourth annual class

B boys basketball tournament here Saturday night by defeating F. T. McCollum's Lamesa five, 16-28. The Big Spring reserves held third place honors after being defeated in the

semi-finals by Lamesa. Twenty-four South Plains quintets were entered in the two-day meet. Douglas Hill, center for Lamesa, carried off high point honors of the

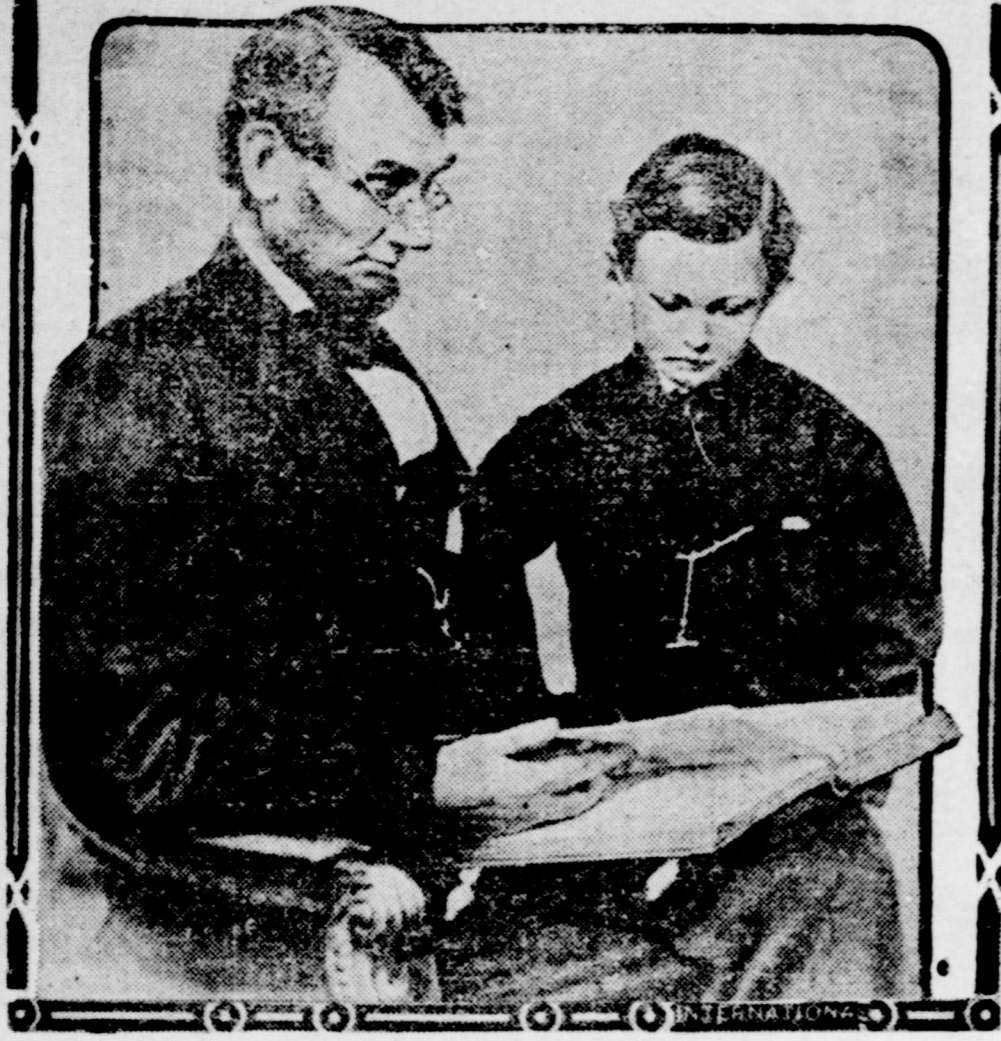
tournament by scoring 42 points. One of the greatest basket-ball crowds of the season filled the local high school gym. Members of the winning team were

H. White, Hinson Simpson, Castlebury and C. White. Officials for the tournament were Windy Nicklaus and Murry McWhirter. Mason Coston, McCarty player, was voted most val-

uable man for his team by the coaches. **SLOW MOTION STORY**
Mumbo—"My gal am so lazy she

won't laugh when she hears a funny joke."
Jumbo—"Huh! Dat ain't nothin'. My gal am so dog-goned lazy she won't ache when she got a pain."

Cares of State Forgotten



Abraham Lincoln reading to his son Thomas (Tad).

"Little Tad" Father's Pet

"Whatever became of Little Tad?" is the question I have been asked oftentimes in my work of bringing forth new stories about the greatest of all Americans. Even those whose memories cover the two generations from the time Abraham Lincoln was living in the White House seem confused about the identity of "the Child of the Nation." In Tad's day he was more widely known than Robert.

Tad, on account of the strange pet name his father had given him, has been confused with Willie, who died in the White House in February, 1852, or with Robert, who survived his father more than sixty years, to be secretary of war and United States ambassador to the court of Great Britain, as well as highly prominent in big business as president of the Pullman Palace Car company.

But the Lincoln's youngest son always will remain, "Little Tad" in the minds of the American people, though he grew to be a stalwart youth and lived a while in Germany, where, as has been related, he won the childish devotion of the little girl who was afterward married to the last of the czars of Russia and who heroically met the tragic fate of the Romanoff dynasty there.

In preparing this series of "New Lights" it has been necessary to review the many sources of light on Abraham Lincoln and his family. In this process of research for "things new and old" I have been surprised to find how many of the best Lincoln stories were started on their cheering way by the artist Frank B. Carpenter, who wrote "Six Months in the White House" after spending the first half year of 1864 there for the purpose of painting the now famous picture of "Abraham Lincoln Reading the Emancipation Proclamation to His Cabinet."

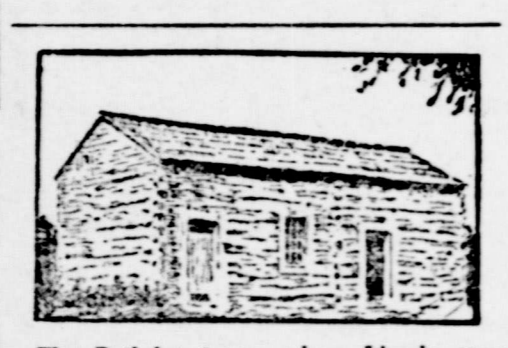
Near the President. Carpenter wished to live near the President in order to catch his natural expression as well as to be at hand to arrange a sitting for the picture whenever possible. In that half year the painter saw and heard the best stories about Lincoln, which fact shows there were many times more stories which might have been related from and about Lincoln if some one had only been on hand to jot them down as Frank Carpenter was inspired to do; for Abraham Lincoln was himself a master story teller.

As one story suggests another, since I have been relating the new stories picked up in the course of twenty years writing for newspapers, books, magazines and moving pictures, I have received letters with stories from eye and ear witnesses

from all parts of the country, even dating back as far as Lincoln's young manhood. Since the appearance of this series of "New Lights" I have received word from Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Washington (state), Oregon and California, offering fresh anecdotes which have never been published about Lincoln, who became the source of more stories than any other human being in history.

Naturally Carpenter's little old book could not have been true to the life if he had not related a number of tales about "Little Tad," to the first of which I now refer in order to make these stories more intelligible to the present-day reader. Here is the great portrait painter's introduction of Tad Lincoln:

"Some photographers from Brady's gallery came up to the White House to make some stereoscopic studies for me of the President's office. They re-



The Rutledge tavern where Lincoln came to know Ann Rutledge.

quested a dark closet in which to develop the pictures and, without a thought that I was infringing upon anybody's rights, I took them to an unoccupied room of which 'Little Tad' had taken possession a few days before, and with the aid of a couple of servants, had it fitted up as a miniature theater with stage, curtains, orchestra, stalls, parquet and all. Knowing that the use required would not interfere with his arrangements, I led the way to this apartment.

Tad Asserts Rights. "Everything went on well and one or two of the pictures had been taken, when suddenly there was an uproar! The operator came back to the office and said that Tad had taken great offense at the occupation of his room without his consent and had locked the door, refusing all admission. The chemicals had been taken inside and there was no way to get at them, he having carried off the key. In the midst of this conversation Tad burst in, in a fearful passion! He laid all the blame upon me—said that I had no right to use his room, and that the men should not go in even to get their things, for they had no business in his room!

"Mr. Lincoln had been sitting for a photograph and was still in the chair. He said very mildly: 'Tad, go and unlock the door.' Tad went off, muttering into his mother's room, refusing to obey. I followed him, but no coaxing would pacify him. On my return to the President, I found him sitting patiently in the chair, from which he had not risen. He said: 'Hasn't the boy opened that door?' I replied that I could do nothing with him—he had gone off in a great pet. "Mr. Lincoln's lips came together firmly. Suddenly rising, he strode across the passage with the air of one bent on punishment and disappeared in the domestic apartments.

"Directly the President returned with the key to the theater, which he unlocked himself. 'There,' he said, 'go ahead; it is all right now.' "He then went back to his office, followed by myself, and resumed his seat.

"Tad," said he, half apologetically, "is a peculiar child. He was violently excited when I went to him. I said: 'Tad, do you know you are making your father a great deal of trouble?' He burst into tears, instantly giving me the key."—Wayne Whittle, in the New York World.

The true rule in determining to embrace or reject anything is not whether it has any evil in it, but whether it has more of evil than of good. There are few things wholly evil or wholly good.—Lincoln.



Abraham Lincoln when he was practicing law in Springfield, Ill. The majority of his portraits at that time show him with his hair carefully parted at the side, combed and plastered down. He did that especially to suit his photograph, but the most of the time his hair was uncombed and tumbled, as it is shown in this picture.

STATES GRANT LAND FOR NATIONAL PARK

Washington, D. C.—The States of North Carolina and Tennessee have notified the Secretary of the Interior that they have acquired and are ready to turn over to him a minimum of 150,000 acres of land in what is ultimately to constitute the Great Smoky Mountain National Park on their border line. Representatives of

these two states, including their Governors and Attorney Generals, and members of their park commissions, will come here on February 6 and formally tender to Secretary Wilbur the title to this initial area. This action on the part of these two states will mark the first delivery of Great Smoky Mountain park land to the Government and the first concrete step toward the actual consummation of the project.

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THESE are important points to remember in considering the purchase of a motor car. They show why it is possible to put so much extra quality into the new Ford and still maintain the low price. They are also the reasons why more than 35% of all cars sold today are Model A Fords.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

He Marketed His Feed Crop at \$50 Per Acre

Marketing his bundle dwarf maize the season of 1928-29 at \$52.77 per acre through 106 high grade Hereford calves followed by hogs has convinced D. H. Perry of Nueces county, Texas, that a feed crop is even more valuable some years than cotton.

Mr. Perry, unlike scores of our good cotton farmers, is seeking some sound and practical method of changing the farming program of all cotton. Prompted by the increasing hazard to the cotton crop caused by insects and rot, and as a seeming necessity to diversify, Mr. Perry planted a larger feed acreage than usual and harvested a bumper crop. Since a limited market existed for feed in Nueces county he decided to market the feed through cattle, so 106 high grade Hereford calves carrying their milk fat were purchased and grazed for four weeks in a 17-acre second crop hegari field. The heads of this crop were in the soft dough. Also 106 hogs were placed in the feedlot at the same time. The calves seemed to gain from the start and did not lose a pound of their milk fat, and much credit was given to the milky condition of the hegari heads

for their splendid progress.

The hogs saved much grain knocked down by the calves while grazing. A barley patch was allowed the hogs while following the cattle the remainder of the feeding period.

While the calves were still grazing the hegari field they were gradually forced to ground maize bundles the fourth week. By the time the hegari crop was grazed down the calves were practically on full feed of ground maize and cottonseed meal. During the feeding period they consumed an average of 2 pounds of cottonseed per day and the equivalent of two and one-half bundles of dwarf maize. To give some idea of the quality of the feed, it may be stated that the maize bundles averaged 8 pounds with 5 pounds of heads and 3 pounds of fodder to the bundle, furnishing approximately the necessary requirements for calves of 7 pounds of fodder and 12½ pound of head per day.

The feeding period lasted 140 days and the calves were marketed in March. They made a daily average gain of 2 pounds per day per head. While they did not carry a high finish, they were classified by Armour and Company as good butchers and dressed 57 per cent to 59 per cent.

Mr. Perry believed so strongly in the results he received year before last that he repeated the feeding last

fall with 300 head of yearling and two-year-old Hereford steers. His experience also stimulated ten other farmers who planted approximately 2,000 acres in maize and hegari, and these men fed 2,200 head of cattle on their farms. Older cattle are being fed than Mr. Perry used year before last, but their progress in the feedlots indicate that they too will manufacture feed into \$50 per acre revenue.

ARCHBISHOP CURLEY DEFINES A LAW

Baltimore, Md.—In referring to prohibition at the annual dinner given by the Baltimore League of Laymen Retreatments, Archbishop Curley called to the attention of his audience that they were not met "to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the noble experiment."

"Nor are we here to condemn it," he added. "We have no desire to dash water on a drowning RAT."

Although the sentiments of all citizens may not be in exact accord with the prohibition laws, they were enacted by the highest legislative bodies of the Nation; are provided for in the Constitution, and should at least demand respect, especially from those in influential positions.

Italy has 300,000 auto vehicles.

BIG BUSINESS ALRIGHT BUT MUST BE CURBED

From Speech of Congressman Marvin Jones, House of Representatives, Jan. 31, 1930:

I want to make a plea for a change in the order of things.

Too many laws are being enacted, both state and federal. There is too much centralization of authority in the national government. Laws already enacted are not being properly enforced. In spite of the law against trusts, mergers and monopolies, those in charge of its administration, for the last eight years have permitted illegal acts and combinations, if they have not actually encouraged them. Mergers, chain organizations, and holding companies have been allowed to develop until the yeomanry of the country is being destroyed.

I have repeatedly warned as to these dangers, but those in charge of the machinery of government have refused to take heed.

The rights of the states must be recognized and state and local control reserved in all matters except those of a strictly national character. There must be a curbing of the mergers, combinations and holding companies and the gambling on the exchanges. These tremendous concerns are setting prices and dictating terms to smaller concerns all over the

country and in every phase of business life. The independent concern is being compelled to fight for its life. Individual rights are being lost.

The laws against such unfair methods should be enforced. Whenever necessary they should be strengthened, and the rights of the individual to fair play should be protected.

I am not opposed to big business. I glory in the accomplishment of American business men, but these accomplishments must and should be kept within the terms of law and business of whatever nature must be made to deal fairly. In no other way can there be a permanent prosperity.

RATHER MESSY

"How is business in your town?" "It is in a rather peculiar condition at present. The lime business is slack, the tailors are just sew-and-sew, the glue factory is all stuck up, the baker kneads all the dough he can get, yet he spends most of the day loafing, and the policemen do their hardest work while they are arresting."

We had a long, official looking letter this week from J. F. Winston that we were almost afraid to open, believing it a dun, but it was a dollar on renewal.

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Legal Enactments for Settling Public Lands

During the existence of the government under the Articles of Confederation, congress on September 6, 1780, passed a resolution recommending the survey and disposal by the several states of their waste and unappropriated lands to aid in paying the public debt incurred by the War of the Revolution. In the beginning these lands were regarded as an asset for the payment of this debt. The earliest efforts were to sell the land in large blocks and, prior to the organization of our present government, congress made three such sales. On June 15, 1783, congress under the Articles of Confederation passed a resolution forbidding settlement on the public domain. The act of March 3, 1807, prohibited such settlement under penalty of forfeiting any right or claim a settler may have, and the President was authorized to use civil and military force to remove such persons from the lands. Certain exceptions were made in favor of those who had settled there before the passage of the act, and later, for those who had settled before February 1, 1816, a privilege of temporary occupancy was given. From time to time acts were passed providing for the pre-emption rights within certain areas and subject to varying conditions.

Preserve Memories of Japanese Quake Dead

A method of preserving the names of 104,670 victims of the great earthquake of September 1, 1923, was perfected by Hidejiro Nagata, former mayor of Tokyo.

These names were sealed tightly in a special container and buried beneath a tower on the sacred Mount Koya, where generations of descendants may reverse the memory of those who perished in the catastrophe.

Special paper was used to bear the names, 100 to the sheet. Rolled into scrolls, each sheet was metal bound at the center and ends and wound with black and white silk mourning ribbons. All the scrolls were placed in a special crystal jar a yard and a half in diameter and a foot high, made airtight to prevent decay. These were placed in a lead casing surrounded with a packing of carborundum as protection against deterioration.

Mount Koya, known to all true followers of Buddhism, is located in central Japan. Women, though they may climb it, are not allowed to go to the very top, this custom having been in force since time immemorial and still is being maintained on a few other sacred mountains.

And All but One Laughed

Speaking of the law reminds me of a story about a lawyer who was cross-examining a witness:

"You say the fence was about 14 feet high, and you were standing on the ground—not mounted on a ladder or anything."

"I do," responded the witness.

"In that case," said counsel, "perhaps you will be good enough to explain to the court how it was that you, a man of five feet four, could see what happened on the other side of a fence 14 feet high?"

"Certainly," chirped the witness, suavely. "There was a knot hole in the fence."—Kansas City Star.

Minimum Motion

A traveler from southern California tells me of a Mexican gambling game—familiar, perhaps, to many of you who may be interested in such matters—in which each player places on the table a lump of sugar, and the lump of sugar on which a fly first alights indicates the winner of the stakes, whatever they may be. A charmingly restful game, I should say, for the most part. And yet the exercise incidental to putting in and withdrawing the money is somewhat fatiguing.—D. H. Talmadge in the Portland Oregonian.

Venerable Newspapers

Germany leads the world in the number of daily newspapers published continuously since the Seventeenth century. There are nine of these still in existence. The oldest is the *Märdeburgische Zeitung*, founded in 1620, and hence more than 300 years old. The oldest daily in the United States is the *Hartford Courant*, which observed its 164th birthday. Germany also leads in the number of daily newspapers. It has 3,257 to the 2,272 in the United States. The population of Germany is just half that of the United States.

Daylight Saving Time

Summer time, says a correspondent in the *Edinburgh Dispatch*, is not an institution of yesterday nor of man. For verification of this refer to the Bible—Isaiah, chapter 38, verse 8. The verse is as follows: "Behold, I will bring again the shadow of the degrees, which is gone down in the sun dial of Ahas, ten degrees backward. So the sun returned ten degrees, by which degrees it was gone down."

Diplomatic Composer

Dom Luiz, king of Portugal, fancied himself a singer; and when Rossini was his guest he asked if he might sing for the great composer.

Rossini agreed, of course, but he found the royal voice very poor. When asked by a courtier for his opinion of the king's singing, Rossini deftly replied: "Never have I heard a king sing better."—Scrap Book.

The Commissioners Court in session here this week gave orders for wrecking of the old concrete reservoir and watering trough on the northeast corner of the court park, and a big caterpillar tractor was hitched to them and dragged them away. Well, no one comes to town with teams now to amount to anything.

Meadow Briefs

By Aesculapias

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Jan. 25.—Unable to turn over on his cot for seven years, with every joint in his body ankylosed from arthritis, Oscar Banister, 39, who has served 18 months and 10 days of a two-year sentence imposed in Crandall, Kaufman County, for possession of two gallons of whiskey was perhaps the most interesting exhibit of unfortunate humanity on view for Gov. Moody and about 165 legislators, prison board members, newspaper men and others who were confined behind the walls of the main penitentiary here today, for several hours.

Banister can speak and he can open and shut his eyes. He was arrested while he lay on his bed at his home, as a bootlegger. He was brought into the penitentiary hospital on a stretcher and dumped onto a cot. He has suffered bed sores and must count upon his fellow prisoners or attendants to fill every need for him that requires physical movement. His limbs, fingers and toes are now no more than horribly distorted bones tightly wrapped in thin skin. In his mind it is clear there are 11 months and 20 days more of prison for him. Yet he speaks cheerfully, philosophically, even hopefully. Representative Harry Graves of Georgetown, one of the most extreme dries in the House, is a leader in the movement to send this man back home, where he can get necessary attention.

The above clipping taken from the *San Antonio Express* of January 25, being the occasion of a visit to the Prison at Huntsville of a legislative committee, recalls "That self-righteousness is responsible for the most subtle forms of lawlessness; that law and order, when preserved at the expense of just dealing, often defeats the very purposes for which courts were established."

Why should a jury send such an individual to the penitentiary. It is my observation that from four to six of the juries trying these cases drink bootleg and make and drink beer and home brew in their homes. Where is the sacredness of violating the Eighteenth Amendment, as compared with other forms of lawlessness. Its violation is put on a par with burglary, hijacking, theft and other bad form of transgression. Yet it simply a crime because it is against the law. If there were no drinkers there would be no illicit distilling nor bootlegging, and I heartily agree that the purchaser should be amenable to its violation along with the seller.

The penalties are all out of proportion to the offense. They should be reduced to fines that are heavy enough to hurt and the law would be correspondingly easier enforced.

Laws of all kinds should be enforced, but the punishment inflicted should be commensurate with the offense. Personally I could not sit on such a jury; it violates every idea I have been taught that was just and equitable. There isn't in the jurisprudence of any state or the nation another statute so inhuman.

In the County adjoining this on the north there is a man now in jail for the crime of making and using in his own home, the usual brew. He was foolish enough to give it to some neighbors who were visiting at his home. They drank it, enjoyed it and later had him arrested. He is poor, just a tenant farmer, has a family of eight, is friendless. The mother and children will suffer, are suffering now for nothing that can be any stretch of the imagination be called a crime per se. It must be enforced however. The Elmer Gantry's of the country demand it, and the politicians and office seekers of the nation drink it and vote dry. There are confined in the Penitentiary at Huntsville and the farms, 5,141 prisoners. Of this number 564 are there for violation of the Liquor Laws—more than ten percent. How many have preceded them in the past ten years? The thought is staggering. The jails of the country are likewise overrun with those awaiting trial. God of Our Fathers, what will the harvest be.

The men who drank it before the Amendment still drink it here. The boys and some girls, children of the 'big dry's' drink it and their daddy's know it, still they go bounding after violators other than their own. Such Hypocrisy.

Last night I listened to Bro. Henderson of Shreveport fame, in his radiobroadcast on chain stores. This is of course not new to radio listeners. This would be Nemesis of the present trend of capital to absorb all the business of the country, was in his happiest mood—in his glory—as he read letters and telegrams galore and in thundering tones commended one and wiped the map of another. His talk and method reminded me of my boyhood and the old style pulpiter, who either took his text from "Where the worm dieth not and the fire is not quenched" or he invariably reached that point somewhere in his tirade against sin. I seldom hear such sermons now and presume every one is convinced or they have ceased to be alarmed.

Brother Henderson certainly did not go through the scourge of populism or he would understand that the American people have periodically gone Oetipus hunting every ten to twenty years. It was once the trusts, Standard Oil, railroads, the money



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Please make your Reservations early
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HUNTER DRUG STORE

MORE LIBERAL FEATURES OF SERVICE ACT ASKED
Washington, Feb. 11.—Overtures were made this week by Congressman Marvin Jones, of Texas, to secure a more liberal interpretation of the service connection features of the veterans Act now in force. This information was obtained from reliable sources which stated that the Texan was working in conjunction with other members who have been vitally interested in veteran legislation.

The reason for the move is given that at the present time many World War Veterans are unable to secure hospitalization and compensation because of the time limits of the existing laws with regard to service connection. The result has been, it was pointed out, that many tubercular, mental, heart and constitutional diseased veterans are not getting treatment or compensation.

When questioned as to his activities along these lines Congressman Jones stated that he had on file numerous cases of veterans who because of the existing law are unable to obtain proper care or compensation. He added that in many instances these veterans, because of their disability, are unable to earn their own livelihood and need assistance from the government.

The Texas New Mexico railroad have decided to put their depot on the east side of the town of Lovington, N. M.

Nervous Woman Nearly Drives Husband Away
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W. V. Chapman of Bronco and family, were over Saturday shopping with our merchants. W. V. intends to get into the power farming game.

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Announcements

We are authorized to announce all the following candidates for the office indicated for nomination in the Democratic primaries to be held on July 26, 1930.

For District Judge 106th Dist. Gordon B. McGuire.

For District Attorney, 106th Dist. T. L. Price.

For County Judge: Geo. W. Neill, W. E. Henson, Jay Barret

For County and District Clerk Rex Headstream

For Sheriff and Tax-Collector J. M. Telford

For Tax Assessor T. C. Hogue, Sam L. Pyeatt, John W. Cadenhead, E. H. (Elmer) Green

For County Treasurer Mrs. J. L. Randal, Roy Ragsdill, Mrs. Lula L. Smith, J. T. Pippin

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1 L. L. Brock

For Commissioner Pre. No. 2 J. R. Whitley, W. A. Hinson, S. T. Miller, J. L. (Jim) Langford

For Commissioner Pre. No. 3 J. W. Lasiter, Will C. Brown, R. I. Cook

For Commissioner Pre. No. 4 G. M. (Mack) Thomason

For Weigher Pre. No. 4 P. R. Cates, F. W. Little

For Public Weigher Precinct 2 T. E. Verner, Fred L. Hinson

Plant plenty of feed this year;

raise poultry, pork and cows and give them good attention. Cut the cotton crop but plant the best seed you can get. Then tell wall street to go straight to the deep blue sea.

An effort is being made to get the city to employ some one to truck off all cans, ashes, etc. at a minimum price, as private parties charge more than the job is worth. But if one man had the whole thing, a price could be arranged that would be satisfactory to both parties, perhaps.

Another effort is being made to induce the federal government to waste a lot of good money trying to make the Trinity navigable. There are streams in the southeastern states that flow twice the amount of water the Trinity flows that never have had a dollar spent on them, and perhaps never will. It would be a waste of the people's money.

People from all over the south are urging their Senators and Congressmen to vote for a heavy duty on imported coconut oils from the Philippine Islands that come in competition with our own cottonseed oils. This is rather hard to do as long as these islands are possessions of the United States. A better thing to do would be to give the islands to their own people.

When a candidate starts out by denouncing everything and everybody, and especially his opponent, we are inclined to think he will never get very far running for an office. Where there is no virtue in no one save ourselves, our son John and his wife, there might be some loophole in ourselves. None of us possess all virtue, nor yet all the bad. Such fellows tire people before the race starts.

'S funny thing, but many of those who decried short skirts and bobbed hair now think the dear creatures look anything but pretty when they don the new style skirts and quit visiting the barber. It all goes to show that it is all in what we are accustomed to, which should make us more careful in our criticism of ladies' styles, always remembering that they will do as they please in the matter.—McLean News.

Mr. Wurzbach was the final winner over McClosky for the seat in Congress from the 14th district. Politics are funny things in south Texas. Republican leaders will often combine with democrats down there to oust one of their own tribe, providing he does not exactly work to suit the leaders, and Wurzbach never did suit Boss Gregor worth a continental.

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2 1/2 can Peaches in heavy syrup 26c

NO. 2 TOMATOES 10c

No. 2 KRAUT JUICE 12c

No. 3 can PRUNES (Prepared) 29c

3 lb. White Swan COFFEE 169

11 1/2 oz. OLIVES 27c

23 oz. OLIVES 49c

Bread and Butter PICKLES 22

1 1/2 lb COCOA (Economy) 21c

BULK CAKES lb. 29c

M-A-R-K-E-T

PORK or BEEF ROAST, lb. 20c

PORK SAUSAGE 22c

SLICED BACON 32c

We believe Wurzbach a better man than the fellow he finally licked, because none of the south Texas bosses have ever been able to use him.

The action of the State Executive Committee in banning all bolters as candidates on the Democratic ticket, according to the opinion of some may mean the defeat of the party in the general election this fall, but it will not be the first or perhaps the last time that will occur, but at least it will not be defeated by its own, working with an opposition party. If the bolters want a party that they think they could make that is better than the old party of our fathers, let them form it. No one cares. The Republicans have the same privilege, but let's don't let them destroy our own party. With no parties and no loyalty to them, this nation would be no better off than Russia.

One night recently when work was stacked up on us, a guy blew into our office and like our very life depended upon it announced that he had something that would interest us. We told him we doubted seriously that he had anything that would be of interest at that time, whereupon he knew better as he was going to give us two suits for the price of one, and begin to open up his 'store' that he carries with him and no doubt pays a whole of a lot of our state, county, city and school taxes on. We informed him we were busy, whereup he left but was back next morning early. We made our language plainer. Lots of our people tell printer peddlers the same thing, too. One was here from Lubbock this week and we told him that we had about decided to get us a little leather bag and try soliciting in Lubbock some.

Challis Chats

We forgot to collect any news so will try to tell what we know and if any news is omitted you can say well, they did not know it.

Several from this community attended church in Brownfield Sunday and said they enjoyed the services very much.

Those who are taking part in the P. T. A. play met Monday night and the parts were assigned.

The Prairie View school came to play ball Friday afternoon and as the boys were not organized we feared we could not play them. The scores of the boys game was 4-5 in favor of Prairie View. We have a basket ball ordered for play on the school ground. We also hope to play a few games with our neighbor schools.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Broughton, Mr. and Mrs. Castiberry and Miss Rodgers had as their guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Rodgers and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rodgers and son from Lubbock Miss Flo Broughton of Brownfield spent Saturday night and Sunday with them.

Miss Moon spent Friday night with Miss Rodgers and they attended the show at Needmore, which they enjoyed very much. The building and equipment is nice and they admired it hoping that Challis will have

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something similar soon. Mrs. Burson of Brownfield visited with her daughter, Mrs. Money Price Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Money Price and Tobe Houze left Tuesday on a business trip to McCamey and Texon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hardy and family were Brownfield visitors Sunday.

MARRIED

Miss Lois Brown, beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown, and W. L. Hyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hyman of the Challis community stole a march on their friends on the 6th by driving to Lovington, N. M., where they were married. Mr. Hyman is a successful young farmer, and Mrs. Hyman was until married, forelady of the finishing dept. of the Brownfield Laundry. Of course Terry will be the home of this fine young couple.

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FOR SALE: Delco electric lighting system in first class shape. Will sell very cheap. B. D. O'Neal, Seagraves, Texas. 27c

BEAUTY HINT: Weak eyes cause squinting and frowning. Squinting and frowning cause unsightly wrinkles to form around the eyes. Have your eyes examined this year? Eyes examined without charge and glasses fitted in frame to suit your face to overcome and correct these troubles. R. F. STEVENS, Refractionist and Specialist, Office in Commerce Hotel Building, Southwest Corner Square, Brownfield. 1-p.

GOOD piano organ for sale or trade for chickens or heifer yearling. M. G. Stanford, 3 miles west Tokio; post office Plains, Texas. 27p.

DON'T STRAIN your eyes by trying to read without glasses. That is false pride and likely to have a most disastrous result. We examine eyes free and have lenses made to correct them. R. F. STEVENS, Refractionist and Specialist, Commerce Hotel Bldg., Southwest Corner Sq., Brownfield. 1p.

WANTED: Seed to grade. Will go anywhere any time; 10c per bushel on 400 bushels or less. Write or see J. W. Nelson, Meadow, Texas. 29p.

WANTED to trade mares and horses for tractor and breaking plow. Good horses and mares on fall time. W. V. Chapman, Bronco, Texas.

S. T. Murphy came in last week and renewed for his Herald. S. T. stays with the old home paper.

FOR SALE—1 good milk cow 5 years old; 1 black Jersey heifer, 2 years; Graham ranch, 8 miles north-west Tokio, D. T. George, owner. 1tp.

FOR RENT good well improved farm with 350 acres in cultivation, good six room house, good water, pasture, etc., located 6 miles west and 16 miles south from Lamesa or 5 miles south from Patricia. See G. W. Teague on the farm or write W. H. Hollow, Ada, Oklahoma for particulars. 28tp.

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The Master, W. M. Ben Hurst, Sec.

Reports of His Death were Exaggerated



Spring, 1860—Four brothers living in quiet and harmony on the plantation they had jointly inherited.

Spring, 1861—In the streets the rolling drum and shrilling fife, and the measured tramp of a thousand feet. The two younger of the brothers marching abreast to the war, never to return.

Spring, 1865—The two elder brothers in the office of a lawyer, signing the deed that would make over their ancestral acres to a stranger. Where were the others? Under the earth—one at Chancellorsville, one at Cold Harbor. Or, so it was reported.

But, as a matter of fact, at least one of the younger brothers was alive. And so recently as three years ago his widow began a legal action to recover his share of the estate. Her action was successful and cost the present owners many thousand dollars, which title insurance would have saved them.

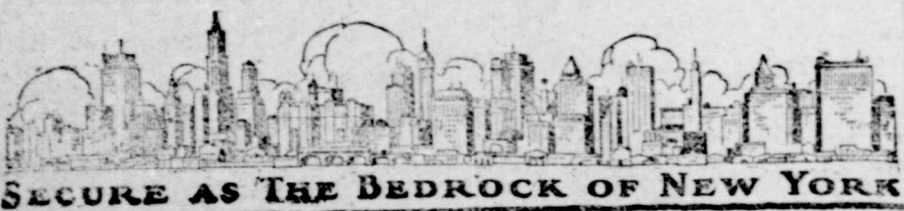
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Will Hold Terracing Demonstration Sat.

There will be a demonstration in laying off and building terraces held on Mrs. M. V. Brownfield's place which is located at the intersection of the Lubbock and Tahoka highways, just across from the Snappy Filling Station, on Saturday, February 15th.

Mr. M. R. Bentley, Agricultural Engineer of Texas Extension Service, and Mr. A. K. Short, of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, will supervise the demonstration. Representatives of terracing machinery will

be here with their equipment and a complete demonstration will be had on this day beginning at ten in the morning and lasting until the job is finished.

While you may not be interested in terracing your farm this year, you may want to next year, so come out and see how it is done.

R. D. Davis, County Agent.

Editor E. I. Hill of the Tahoka News, was through Saturday on his way to Scragraves on business, and stopped in for a short chat. We don't always agree with editor Hill politically, but he is nevertheless one of our very best friends, and we like him very much.

EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE MEETS IN BROWNFIELD

Beginning Monday evening at seven-thirty and continuing each evening through Friday there will be held a number of training courses in Epworth League work for the District in which Brownfield is located. Besides courses in Administration and departmental work there will be a Bible course on the Gospel of Luke. The public is cordially invited to attend these lectures. The following courses are offered:

Hi-League Superintendent's Work—Prof. Hayhurst, Brownfield.
 Junior League Work—Miss Katharine Oxford, Ropes.

Bible—The Gospel of Luke—Dept. 2

Dept. 1—Mr. Russel Pennington, Meadow.
 Dept. 2—Miss Cadie Labovick.
 Dept. 3—Miss Eliza Jameson, Ropes.
 Dept. 4—Miss Jordan, Scragraves.
 Demonstrations in charge of Mrs. Russel Dennison, Meadow.
 The Institute is to be held in the Methodist church. The pastor is very desirous of having all the friends of the church present to welcome these young people and some older people as they come to help us in this most important branch of church work.

What is going a stir in our local church.

We had a word from Dr. W. W. Dodson this week and he is calling for weekly visits of the Herald to come on down to him at Boyd. On the reverse side the card it showed a picture of the nice church building of his congregation, and he informs us that they have excellent attendance at all services and special meetings of the board of stewards.

A. May of route 2 has been added to our ever growing list. A. P. Bowman, of Lou, is one of our valued new readers.

MR. LEGGE'S STATEMENT

There is no doubt that the Southern Farmers are right when they say that the statement issued by Chairman Legge of the Federal Farm Board recently caused the cotton market to make a dip. There is not much doubt, more over, that a man thoroughly experienced in the vagaries of the market, would not have issued the statement in the form used by Mr. Legge. And there is not even a pretense by anybody that Mr. Legge himself is a cotton expert. But, as it happens, little damage has been done to farm relief per se. The dirt farmers have turned loose most of their cotton. They have already pocketed their cash or signed

up their notes at the bank for the difference between their income and their expenses.

Farm relief is a question largely of acreage reduction. It may be that Chairman Legge miscalculated in to the very last incentive to acreage reduction. He left the impression that the board and its subsidiaries would never go into the market to stabilize the price. Doubtless that is a wrong impression and not what he intended to say. But if materially smaller acreage for 1930 comes of it, cotton farm relief will succeed in spite of politics and high water. It will be automatic. But without acreage reduction there'll be slow music to dance to.—Farm News.

NEW MERCHANDISE ARRIVING DAILY

Our buyers are in market this week, buying the newest creations and latest styles in Ready-to-wear, Millinery, Piece Goods and Notions. This merchandise is arriving daily and our stocks are complete in every department. The pretty sheer materials and the bright high colors are the very essence of spring.

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Announcements

JAY BARRET ANNOUNCES FOR OFFICE OF JUDGE

To the voters of Terry County: I take this method of announcing myself as candidate for the office of County Judge of Terry County.

I believe with the length of time I have lived here and with the experience I have had as Commissioner and County and District Clerk, I know some of the needs of the County and something about what the County is able to have.

I have always been for the up-building of the country and assure you, if elected, I will try to show you my appreciation.

Friends, I certainly want your votes.

Very truly yours,
JAY BARRET.

FRIENDS OF R. I. COOK PUT HIM OUT FOR COM.

The many friends of R. I. Cook, who lives in Precinct No. 3 of this County, have persuaded R. I. to make the race for Commissioner of said Precinct, and desire to announce his candidacy for this office.

Mr. Cook has resided in the County for several years; is a good citizen, well qualified to hold the office of Commissioner and in this it is a case of the office seeking the man instead of the man seeking the office.

Believing him thoroughly qualified in every respect, and having gained

his consent to put him in the race we make this announcement and respectfully ask that the voters of this Precinct give R. I. due consideration.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF BROWNFIELD

On the first Tuesday in April 1930 which is the 1st day of April you will have the opportunity of electing a City Marshall and Tax Assessor, and I take this means of informing the voters that I am in the race for that office.

If elected I will fill the office to the very best of my ability and will enforce the laws without favor or affection, malice or hatred.

I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

Yours very truly,
A. M. McBurnett.

GEO. E. TIERNAN FOR CITY MARSHALL

I herewith announce to the voters of Brownfield, my candidacy for the office of City Marshall, at the coming April election.

When I first assumed this position, by appointment, it included the assessor, and collector of taxes, light and water fees. When the business grew so large it became necessary to divide them, the Council employed a City Clerk to keep the records and collect the taxes, light and water bills. This left me with the position of Marshall and Assessor; later to this was added the work of Fire Marshall, pound keeper, and keeper

of disposal plant. These duties entail more work and attention than many might think. I have become versed with the details of the various matters, and with my experience and knowledge of them I can serve you, as well or better than anyone, and will appreciate your electing me to the office.

Respectfully,
GEO. E. TIERNAN.

BURNETT ASKS CITY VOTERS FOR MARSHALL OFFICE

To The Voters of the City of Brownfield:

After consulting my own conscience, I have decided to make the race for the new office recently made elective by the City Council, for City Marshall. In making this decision, I am cognizant of the responsibility that the position carries.

I am acquainted with the work that the City Marshall is required to do, having had considerable experience in the assessment of Taxes and making up tax rolls. I have had former experience in this county as Deputy Sheriff, under our present Sheriff. I am asking for this position because of the remuneration that it carries.

If elected I here promise you as citizens and voters of our city, that I will give you my whole hearted service. Thanking you in advance for a consideration at your hands.

I shall see each of you personally before the election in April.

Respectfully,
J. R. (Jim) BURNETT.

Life's Happiness Found in "Doing Unto Others"

An old man who had met life serenely and tranquilly for more than eighty years was asked the secret of his cheerfulness. He answered in four words: "Thinking of other folks."

"You can't travel very far in this world," he explained, "without finding that your path is all tangled up with other folks' paths. Some people think that if they can only travel their paths without getting hurt themselves, they're going to be happy."

"But there's more to it than that. When you've learned to dodge a collision, not because you're afraid of getting hurt yourself, but because you're afraid of hurting the other fellow, you're getting near to happiness. But when you arrive at a point where it's a genuine pleasure never to cause grief to another living soul you're still closer. In other words, when you get so far that it's a joy to you just to make others happy, you're about there yourself."—Great Thoughts (London).

World's Great Debt to Peruvian Guano Bird

One of the most valuable birds in the world is probably the Peruvian guano bird. It exists in countless millions in the uninhabited islands on the coast of Peru and it is stated that some hundred millions pounds worth of a fertilizer, 30 times as strong as barnyard manure, have been obtained from one station alone. The deposits there are some two feet thick, and extend over great areas.

Why the birds should be more numerous there than in other parts of the world is not easy to say. It has been explained that a current flows along the west coast of South America keeping that section cool and hence suited to the habitat of myriads of small fish. By a fortunate coincidence the birds congregate here, and the bare islands in the vicinity form centers where the invaluable fertilizer is deposited in vast level tracts, from whence it may be dug out and transported.

Silver "Cartwheels"

The original coinage of the silver dollar was authorized in 1792. By the act of January 18, 1837, the weight and fineness of the coins were changed. The act of February 12, 1876, provided for the discontinuance of the coinage of silver dollars. The acts of February 28, 1876, July 14, 1890, and March 3, 1891, authorized the recoinage of silver dollars. The silver purchased under the act of 1891 was consumed in 1904. There was no further authorization to purchase silver for dollars until the passage of the Pittman act of April 23, 1918. From that time on silver dollars have been issued each year.

Demand and Supply

Two friends had met and were discussing business on the way home.

"I heard that you'd kind of amalgamated with old Marples at your game."

"Well, you're half right," agreed his friend. "We are in partnership all right, but we don't sell the same kind of thing."

This puzzled the other man. "Explain what you mean," he suggested.

"Well, you see, Marples goes about selling a stove polish that leaves a stain on your fingers, and two days later I call with the only soap that'll get it off."—London Answers.

Peculiar Beauty Culture

Startling color effects are achieved by the women in parts of the Solomon Islands. They bleach their kinky hair white with a paste made from coral lime. An arch of lime is applied over each eyebrow. Straight lines of lime cross each cheek and meet at the chin.

Big ears are considered beautiful on the island of Borneo in the Dutch East Indies. The women insert heavy rings in the lobes of their ears until they gradually yield to the weight and assume the desired character of long loops. These often hang below the shoulder, and the beauties adorn them with heavy rings.—National Geographic society.

Live Wire Dangers

A human being, dead or alive, is a conductor of electricity. If a person is in contact with an electrical circuit, those rescuing him should break his contact with the circuit by means of some insulated tool, such as a long, dry stick or long, dry rope. Where the voltage of the live wire is not greater than 6,000 volts a coat might be used for a rope by throwing it around the wire and pulling the wire with the loop thus made. It should be recognized, however, that this will probably bring the rescuer in closer proximity to the live wire than would be considered safe if the emergency did not exist.

Pretty Idea for Clock

To suggest the gathering of sweets in which he specializes, a French confectioner has devised a clock that suggests bees passing from flower to flower. The dial is of parchment, the hands are in the form of large bees and the hour markings are different flowers. At each hour both bees alight on a bloom.

Compromises in Life

Living always represents a conflict between the individual's desires and the restrictions which society and the perversity of inanimate objects place upon those desires. Actual living represents a compromise a truce in this warfare between the individual and the world.—The Parents' Magazine.

Snake-Charming an Art

The Quilts or snake charmers are among the most interesting people in India. They learn their art from childhood and constitute a caste apart. A Quilt is an important man around the Indian hotels which want to keep their gardens free of snakes.

GROCERY BARGAINS

FOR SATURDAY

We have purchased the Grocery Guild from T. M. Flippin & Son and will appreciate the business of our old customers as well as new ones. For Saturday, we are offering the following rock bottom specials with everything else in the store priced right.

WHITE SWAN COFFEE 3 lb	1.55
For	
K. O. BULK COFFEE 6 lb.	\$1.00
SANTOS PEABERRY COFFEE 4 lb.	\$1.00
WHITE SWAN CORN FLAKES	11c
25 lb SUGAR 25 lb to Customer	1.52
TOMATOES No. 2 can	10c
SOUR PICKLES quart Concho	24c
CANDY 7 five cent bars for	25c

BAILEY CASH STORE

WEST MAIN

BROWNFIELD

HIT-AND-RUN COWARDICE

Sometimes the hit-and-run driver is callous to the feelings of his fellow-man. But mostly he is a downright coward. He is afraid to face the consequences of his own carelessness.

This sort of slinking weakling is much too prevalent in our automobile age. An individual of this type needs the moral support of another fear—the fear of the law. Drivers of law-abiding cars can help to see that when he offends he is brought to justice by promptly taking the name where it is known and the car number where identification otherwise is not possible.

In this connection it is well to consider that every car ought to have somewhere near or on the windshield an emergency pad and pencil. You ought not to have to fumble in your belongings for the means of making these notes. A little ingenuity will provide a place, and before you have driven many hundred miles you will have cause to be glad of your forethought. The chances are that more hit-and-run drivers will be brought to book if motorists generally traveled so prepared.—Dallas Farm News.

HONOR IN A "DUN"

Among a great many people there has been a prejudice against a bill or statement of account, and a certain resentment against having what they term a "dun" sent to them. That is an entirely wrong way to look at it. A bill is an indication that somebody has faith in your honesty, and the receipt of a statement of your account is due and that your creditor needs the money due him so that he may be able to pay those who have credited him. There is honor in the receipt of the bill or statement. It is the cold proof that your credit was good with someone and that he believes you will keep faith with him and keep your pledge made when the goods were bought, or the services rendered. Credit is the most important thing that any man or woman can possibly have. Without credit the wheels of commerce would almost stop. It would be impossible to transact the volume of business now being done. There are various ways of getting money, but good credit come only with years of industry honesty and the prompt payment of bills when due. When you pay a bill, you are doing yourself a good turn as well as your creditor. You are proving to him that he made no mistake in his estimate of you, and further establishing your credit.

Some men never receive a bill, because their credit is worthless, nobody gives them credit. This is an unhappy position to get into and sometimes a very embarrassing one. There are times when every man and woman really need credit. It follows, therefore, that a man should cherish and protect it to the best of his ability. When you receive a bill, pay it promptly, if possible, tell your creditor frankly and truthfully why you cannot and when you can. You may need credit again and it may be a blessing to you if you have.

A bill or statement is an honorable thing and should be so guarded.—Monitor-Index.

—IT PAYS TO OWN YOUR HOME—



There's Pride and Economy in Owning Your Own Home.

Make an investment of your rent dollars! Enjoy the home that you've always wanted. We offer a special financing plan that makes home ownership simple to accomplish.

—COME IN AND TALK IT OVER TODAY—

SHAMBURGER

Brownfield Club is Given Lions Charter

Approximately sixty persons, charter members and guests, were included in a banquet program held in the city when the charter of the recently organized Lions club was formally presented. The banquet was held at the Hancock cafe, regular meeting place of the local club.

Officially opening the affair, the Brownfield band appeared in several numbers, following which Geo. Neill took charge as toastmaster.

The first address of the evening was by J. E. Shelton who brought "greetings from the chamber of commerce." He was followed by Morgan Copeland with "greetings from the Rotary club."

Formal presentation of the charter was made by T. S. Christopher, president of the Lamesa Lions club, sponsor for the local organization. Acceptance was made in a short talk by W. W. Price, vice-president of the Brownfield club.

The principal address of the evening, with the subject "Lionism" featured Elbert Smith, editor of the Lamesa Reporter. Mr. Smith spoke at length on the meaning of Lionism, its history and the principals for which the organization stands.

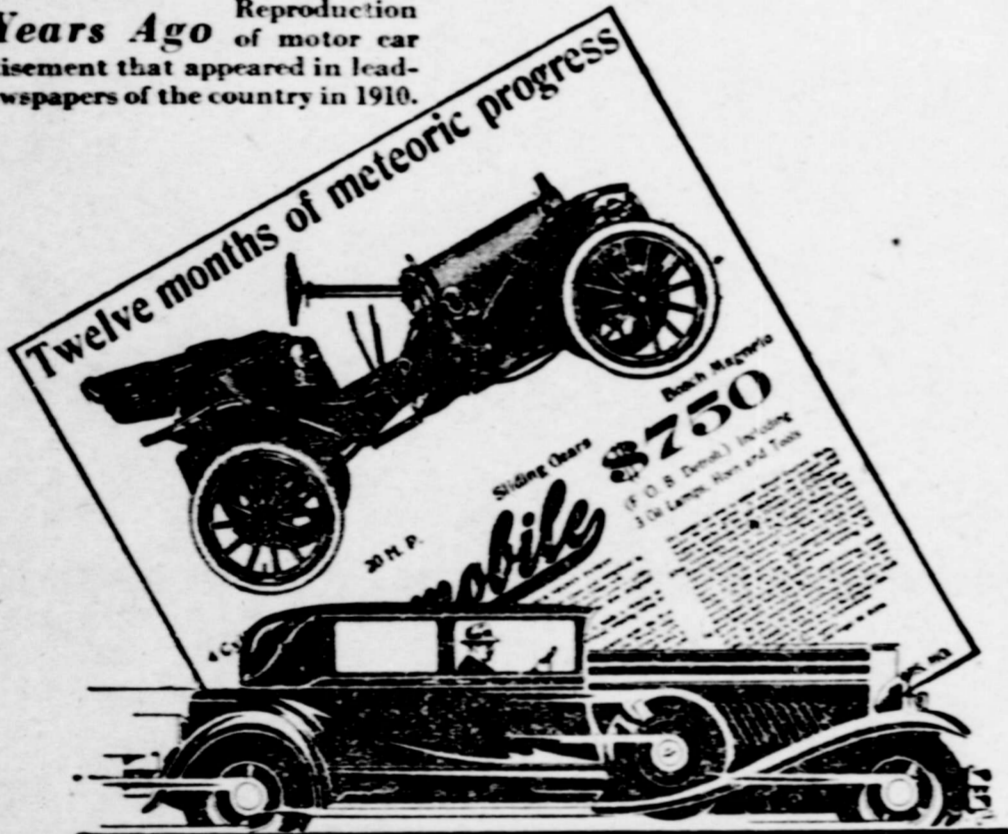
Concluding the program Bennett brothers entertained with several musical and dance numbers, featuring the banjo, ukelele and guitar, interspersed with tap and clog dancing.

Miss Clarence Lewis is in Dallas this week buying new spring merchandise for the firm of Clyde Lewis & Sons Co.

"WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG, MAGGIE"

- Folks boiled coffee and settled it with an egg.
- Ladies rode on side saddles.
- Little Johnnie wore brass-toed boots and daddy wore brogans.
- Leeches operated more frequently than the surgeon's knife.
- When the preacher said the truth the people said amen.
- Left over noon victuals were finished at supper time.
- Neighbors asked about your family and meant it.
- Merry go rounds were called flying jennies.
- Folks used toothpicks and were still polite.
- A tin cup of red liquor sold for five cents.
- Ladies dresses reached from neck to heel.
- Hogs were slopped on buttermilk.
- It took 20 minutes to shine shoes with Mason's blacking.
- People served pot liquor instead of canned soup.
- The only crooks on record were lightning rod agents.
- Quinine was taken in coffee, molasses or tissue paper.
- Vermillion was used as a hearth paint instead of face paint.
- Babies were rocked in cradles without adding their brains.
- Doctors worked their patients instead of patients working them.
- Men played mumble peg instead of poker.
- The neighbors all got fresh meat at hog-killing time.
- Cotton seed was considered good fertilizer.
- Man made the same wife do a lifetime.
- And parents knew where their children were every night.

20 Years Ago
Reproduction
of motor car
advertisement that appeared in lead-
ing newspapers of the country in 1910.



Is the gasoline you use as advanced as the car you drive?

No matter what price you pay for a car today, you get a car that climaxes all past achievements of the maker—a car built to new high standards of beauty and performance. But remember this. Unless the gasoline you use is as advanced as the car you drive, your car can give only a fraction of the performance the maker built into it. Gasoline, too, can be "out-of-date."

One gasoline—Phillips 66—has

kept pace with the striking progress in motor car manufacture. It is perfectly geared to the requirements of the modern high-speed, high-compression motor.

Its volatility is scientifically controlled to fit season and climate. Results? Quick starting, regardless of weather! Flashy pick-up. Able-bodied power. Long mileage. Year round sweet performance. Fill up with Phillips 66, or Phillips 66 Ethyl.



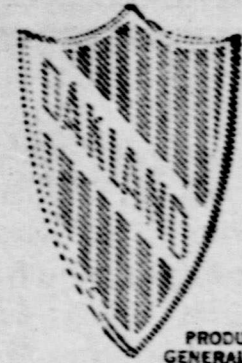
Phillips 66



THE GASOLINE OF CONTROLLED VOLATILITY

WHEN THE THERMOMETER GOES DOWN THE VOLATILITY GOES UP
Gasoline must vaporize before it can be fired in the cylinders of your motor. Volatility refers to the ability of gasoline to vaporize. With volatility controlled, Phillips 66 vaporizes as quickly in cold as in warm weather.

Roy Harris, Agent



HAVE YOU SEEN THESE TWO GREAT NEW CARS?

THE NEW OAKLAND AND 8

GENERAL MOTORS' Lowest-priced Eight—

\$1045 AND UP Three years of actual designing and testing preceded the announcement of the New Oakland Eight. In addition it incorporates General Motors' sixteen years' experience in building fine eight-cylinder automobiles. This mature background accounts for its sound basic design.

Superior Performance

The New Oakland has an 85-horsepower engine. This is the highest power ever employed in a car of Oakland's size and weight, racing cars excepted. Oakland develops one horsepower to 37 pounds of car weight. That's why few cars are as fast. That's why few, if any, can pass it on the hills. That's why it accelerates so rapidly. In fact, that is

the reason for its superior performance.

Eight-Cylinder Performance

With its high speed and fast acceleration, the new Oakland combines the smoothness resulting from the overlapping power impulses inherent in eight-cylinder design. This smoothness is intensified by such features as its complete down-draft fuel distribution, its patented laminated spring and rubber engine mountings and a new type of cylinder head which assures uniform combustion.

Only a close inspection and a demonstration will enable you to understand fully the many advantages provided by the New Oakland Eight.

The New Oakland Eight, \$1045 and up, f. o. b. Pontiac, Michigan, plus delivery charges. Lowboy Hydraulic Shock Absorbers included in list prices. Bumpers, rear fender guards and spring covers extra. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS



NEW SERIES PONTIAC BIG 6

A FAMOUS NAME— A Finer Car—

\$745 AND UP Once again Pontiac has improved upon a car already noted for its excellent qualities. To the hundreds of thousands who own Pontiacs, and to everyone interested in low-priced automobiles, this announcement is important. For it introduces the New Series Pontiac Big Six—a new and finer car with a famous name.

New Beauty, Smoothness, Safety

Smart new bodies by Fisher make the New Series Big Six a more beautiful Pontiac. Pontiac's smoothness is increased by a new type of rubber supports for its 60-horsepower engine.

Improved non-squeak four-wheel brakes and a new sloping non-glare windshield add to the car's safety.

Time-Tried Performance

When these and other improvements were being made, all of Pontiac's basic big car excellence was retained.

Come in. Let us show you the many advantages of this finer car with a famous name—the New Series Pontiac Big Six.

The New Series Pontiac Big Six, \$745 and up, f. o. b. Pontiac, Michigan, plus delivery charges. Shock absorbers standard equipment. Bumpers and spring covers at slight extra cost. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Consider the delivered price as well as the list (f. o. b.) price when comparing automobile values. . . . Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only authorized charges for freight and delivery and the charge for any additional accessories or financing desired.

Chisholm-Gross Motor Co.

Brownfield

Texas

High Lights in the Grammar School Life

The Seventh Grade have elected a staff to edit a paper for Grammar School. We have named this paper, "High Lights in Grammar School Life." Marion Chisholm is chief editor. She has several assistant editors as follows:
 Jokes—Horton Howell.
 Local News—Mary Dee Price.
 Athletics—Woodrow Chambliss.
 Stories—George Bruce Hancock.
 Editorials—Gertie Goodpasture.
 Of course they have pupils in each room down to the Second Grade working under them. We hope this

paper proves a success.
 Pauline Williamson has withdrawn from the Seventh Grade to enter school in Melrose, New Mexico.
 —GS—
 Esther Ruth and Ruby Nell Smith have withdrawn from school and have moved up close to Plainview.
 —GS—
 New books have arrived at Grade School for our new library.
 —GS—
 Twenty-six new records have been received by Grade School to be studied for the music memory contest.
 —GS—
 Ora Ruth Hobbs from the Harmony community, has moved here to start in the Seventh Grade.
 —GS—
 Pauline Neyland of Tahoka and O.

B. Taylor of Needmore have moved here to enter the seventh grade.
 —GS—
 Billy Stepp has started to the school. He is in the High Sixth.
 —GS—
SPORTING NEWS
 The boys met Wednesday and decided to organize a sixth and seventh grade basketball team. Lynn Perkins was elected captain of the sixth grade which includes both the high and low. Woodrow Chambliss was elected as seventh grade captain. These two teams will have several contests in the future.
 The girls from the seventh, sixth and fifth grades met Wednesday and elected Gertie Goodpasture as Captain. Mrs. Rentfro is directing the team.
 The girls were intending to play Gomez Thursday but on the account of weather conditions they were compelled to postpone the game.
 The girls will enter the County Meet in March, and they have a very good chance to win the county championship.
 —GS—
TREATMENT OF TEXTBOOKS
 In treating our textbooks we should be very particular with them. They are more important to this school than the school boys and girls have realized. After you are through with a book, how does it look? Does it look the same as it did when you received it, or is it torn, pencil marked and ink spilled on several sheets. That should not happen to any book.
 —GS—
 Mother—"Are these eggs fresh?"
 Ione Simmons—"The hen don't even know I've got 'em yet."
 —GS—
 Miss Dumas (buying her a fur coat)—"Can I wear it in the rain without hurting it?"
 B. F.—"Madam, did you ever see a squirrel carry an umbrella?"
 —GS—
 Miss Dumas—"Mail these letters for me."
 Wilton—"Do you want me to wait and put the stamps on at the postoffice or put them on myself?"
 Miss Dumas—"No, put them on the

letter.
 —GS—
 Geneva Perry (buying meat)—"I want a nice piece of meat without bone, fat or gristle."
 Butcher—"What you want is an egg."
 —GS—
GEESE AND GANDERS
 The following is an essay on Geese written by a seventh grade pupil. That boy is Wilton Smith.
 Geese is a low, heavy set bird which is mostly meat and feathers. His head sits on one end and he sits on the other. Geese can't sing much on account of the dampness of the moisture. He ain't got no space between his toes and he's got a balloon in his stummick to keep him from sinking. Some geese when they get big has curls on their tails and is called ganders. Ganders don't half to sit and hatch but just eat and loaf and go swimming. If I was a goose I'd rather be a gander.
 —GS—
SWAPPING OFF THE MULES
 Panhandle farmers we are told, are beginning to swap off their mules for tractors. The mules are coming back to East Texas, and the tractors will pull the farm tools of the Panhandle.
 It doesn't look like a live-at-home program for the Panhandle. But there is method in it. Don't think that, just because these Panhandle farmers are going into tractor farming on a big scale, no feed will be raised up that way. For the northwestern part of this State is one of the greatest regions for feed-stuffs in the country.
 The Panhandle tractor farm idea is to raise wheat, to be sure, but to raise feed, too. Some of it will be fed on the farm to dairy stock, to sheep, chickens, turkeys, hogs and the like. But a good part of it will be shipped out to farmers who themselves do not live at home. Indeed, it is barely possible that some of our farmers down this way in North and East Texas will be shipping in tractor-or-raised feed to supply tractor-displaced mules which have found their way from the Panhandle to more

LOVE'S MESSAGES



Valentine, like butterflies,
 Fly north, fly west,
 Seeking each a true heart
 That love has blessed;
 Seeking each a fond heart,
 But fond or true,
 None can beat as my heart
 Still beats for you.

Valentines, like sailing birds,
 Fly south, fly east,
 Seeking each a love land
 Where love may feast;
 Seeking each its own kind
 The whole world through;
 Never finding more love
 Than I give you.

Valentines, like fairy folk,
 Fly high, fly low,
 Seeking choicest gift of earth
 That man may know;
 Seeking love you gave me
 When life was young,
 Love that lives forever,
 That I gave you.
 —Ohio Farmer.

Nothing Sedate About Valentines of Today

Sedate stanzas whispering guardedly of love characterized the early American valentines, as shown in a collection made by the Chicago Historical society. Changing times produced more direct expression until in 1930, the collection reveals, the valentine verse makers leave no doubt of the sender's amorous sentiments. The earliest valentine shown is dated 1800, but all before 1850 were hand-made affairs, generally a red heart with a pretty but proper inscription. Miss Esther Howland began making valentines commercially in 1851, the society points out, and it is from that time on that the lacy, heart-embossed creations date. Many of Miss Howland's valentines were simply inscribed: "To one I love."

Comic valentines appear to have enjoyed a perpetual vogue throughout the years, the society showing many which it describes as "ridiculous, witty and severe."
 One of the valentines of the World War period has a picture by John T. McCutcheon, cartoonist, with verse by George Ade. The picture shows a mother who has apparently censured her daughter's mail to a soldier abroad. Beneath is printed:
 Mr. Soldier Man:
 I cannot send what my daughter wrote.
 It might set fire to the darned old boat.

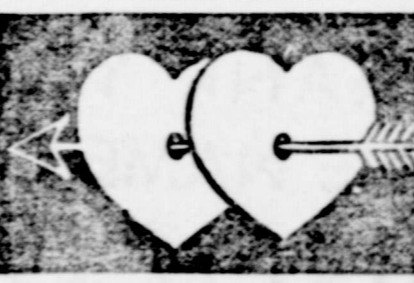


Valentine Presents

Not so very long ago, in some parts of England valentines were something more than we understand them today. Not only were messages and verse decorated by hearts and darts, sent by post, but on the eve of St. Valentine day it was the custom to leave on the doorkill of friends presents of all kinds. Such bulky articles as a desk and an armchair were known to have been left there. The donor would then knock and disappear to watch from some vantage point until the door was opened and the valentine present taken in.

Sentimental Messages

Sentiment expressed on early valentines prove that the gentleman then meant the words he inscribed or that breach of promise suits weren't as customary as they are today. The wise young man of 1890 is satisfied with "To my sweetheart" inscribed on a large, red heart filled with chocolates, but a message inscribed in 1895 read as follows: "To my friend: The charm that best can sweeten life is found to be a faithful wife; the wife I seek—good, kind, and true—love whispers I shall find in you."



eastly fields of labor.
 In any case, don't commiserate with those Panhandle farmers. They don't need commiseration. They seem to know their business and to be making a living at it. In a time when most farmers are in distress financially that is something to make a note of.—Dallas News.
 Gibbs Phillips of route 2 is a new reader of the Herald.



Economy In Buying

Quantity buying is not always economical buying. We are just as anxious to sell big grocery orders as anyone, but we do not recommend quantity purchasing unless we believe you save by doing so. Trust us to save you money on groceries in every possible way we can.

Full line of choice meats and produce

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Save Wear on Your Engine by using—

Conoco Germ-Processed Paraffin Base Motor Oils.

Nothing in the operation of your car is more important to its life and usefulness than the proper lubrication. You can't stop friction entirely, but it can be cut to minimum by using Conoco-Germ processed Paraffin Base Motor Oil. GIVE IT A TRIAL.

FITZGERALD FILLING STATION

WINTER

Have Your Tires Repaired—

Don't throw that good tire away because it has a hole in it. With our new Electric Steam Vulcanizer we can fix it as good as new.



Willard Batteries

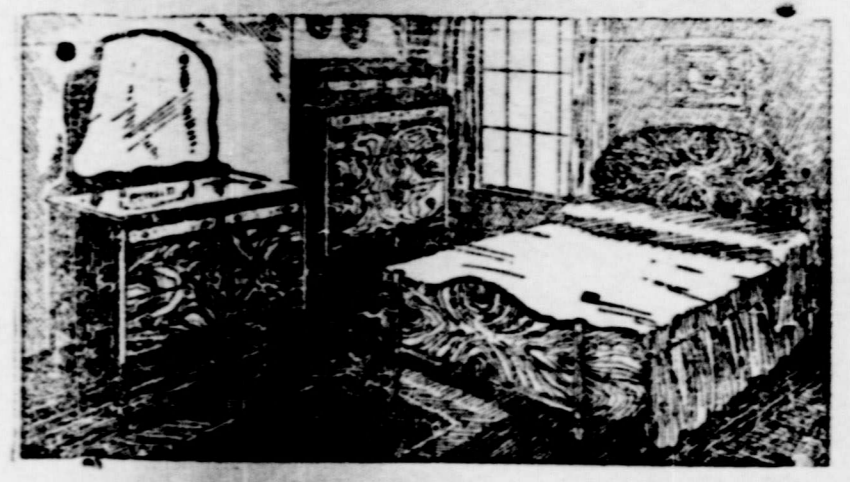
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And while your car is here for tire examination it would be a good plan to make a good job better by having your battery overhauled an dmade thoroughly ship-shape.

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Magnolia Filling Station—Phone 209—United States Tires



Polish your floors and furniture by using the Johnson Waxing and Polishing Machine. This machine, a time saver, makes house cleaning easier. You can secure the machine from Cicero Smith. RENTS BY THE DAY. We have a full line of wax and polish.

CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANY



OUR TOWING

and repair service always get quick response. Day or night depend on our service.

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CONSIDER YOUR CLOTHES AN ASSET—

Ever notice how the well dressed man stands out in any group? Clothes may not make the man, but they most assuredly make his appearance, and appearance do count. Your clothes need not be new. You'll realize this when you see the miracles that our cleaning and pressing service performs.

Brownfield Tailor Shop

First Door East First Nat'l Bank - - Lee Haywood, Owner

Rialto Theatre

SATURDAY FEB. 15



ROMANCE OF RIO GRANDE
with **WARNER BAXTER**, **MARY DUNCAN**, **ANTONIO MORENO**
From the novel "Conquistador" by Katharine Talford. Screenplay by ALFRED SANTELL.
A border beauty who loved not wisely... who could not resist the passionate appeal of a new-comer from the north.

Fox Movietone News
"Ticklish Business" All Talking Comedy

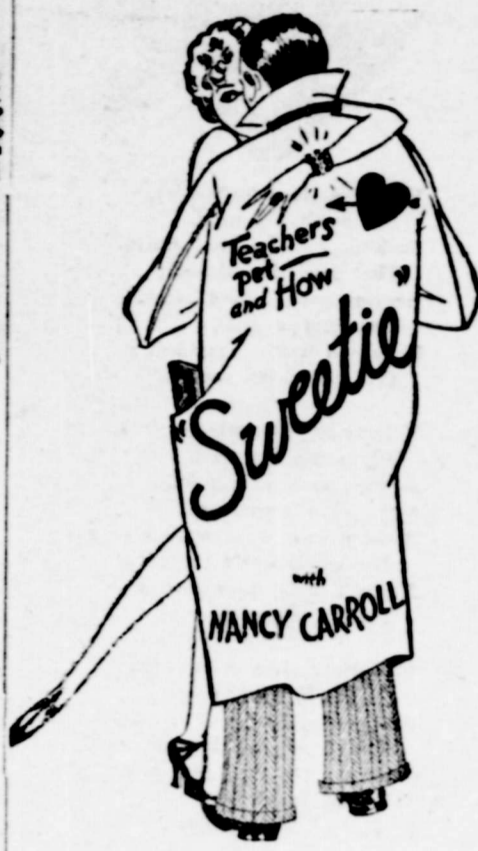
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Merry-Mischiefous-Marvelous
MARION DAVIES
in her first TALKING picture
MARIANNE

Fox Movietone News
"HEAD GUY" All-Talking Comedy
C-O-M-I-N-G
Friday and Saturday Feb. 28-Mar. 1
"THE LONE STAR RANGER"

WED.-THURS. FEBRUARY 19-20



Sweetie
with **NANCY CARROLL**
LOUISE FAZENDA in "SO THIS IS PARIS GREEN"

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY



Up from the south at the break of morn,
Over the snow by the south wind borne,
Steals like the dawn or a sweet perfume
Promises of summer with bird and bloom.
This is the month when the banks of snow
Gurgles in streams to the rivers below.
This is the month of the mating moon,
Brooding new life that shall wake in June.

Down on the shores of the southern stream
Wild birds are chanting the deathless theme.
Voices of black bird, of wren, and dove
Warble the song of nest and love,
Born by the breath of the southern breeze,
Soon they will brood in the northern trees.
Catch in your bosom the spirit of Spring;
Come, join the chorus of lovers who sing.
Maids in despair now in sadness repine,
Waiting the call of St. Valentine.

Come, lonely heart, put your sorrows away—
This is the month of St. Valentine's day,
Why should you pine in your gloom apart—
No one to love you and call you sweetheart?
Catch in your bosom the spirit of Spring;
Come, join the chorus of lovers who sing.
Maids in despair now in sadness repine,
Waiting the call of St. Valentine.

Valentine Customs and Superstitions of Old

There were certain superstitions during early times which now seem entirely to have passed away. For instance, if a young girl, on the eve of St. Valentine day, went alone and waited until midnight on the porch of a church, then started for home, scattering hempseed on the way, it was believed she would see her own true love in a winding sheet raking the hampseed behind her. Why he was supposed to be seen in a winding sheet has not been explained.

Another superstition was most interesting. If a young girl put five bay leaves and pinned one on each of the four corners of her pillow, the remaining one to be placed in the center, and if that night her sweetheart appeared in her dreams they would be married before the end of the year.

It is written of one young lady of those times that she confessed, in order to make the charm more potent, to having boiled an egg perfectly hard, removed the yolk, filled the vacant place with salt and, upon going to bed, eaten the entire egg, salt, shell and all, without drinking or speaking to any one after she had finished the eating of it.

But the really, truly way to find out the name of your own true love was to write the name of all your admirers upon bits of paper, roll them up in clay, put them in a vessel of water and the first one to rise to the surface was surely the one.

The practice of sending comic valentines is a much later one. These caricatures which poked fun at people's personal appearance, their clothes and even the work in which they were engaged had their greatest popularity perhaps 40 or 50 years ago. Fortunately, they now seem to have lost their vogue. There is no doubt that many friendships were severed and enemies made because of these frequently offensive missives being sent with malice aforethought.

Meanwhile, the pretty valentines—all hearts, paper lace and cupid—seem to grow finer each year. Beautiful hand-painted cards and painted and beautifully decorated boxes for confections are sold in great numbers.

Not the least interesting of the present-day valentines are the various and numerous assortments of packages filled with all the paraphernalia ready to be assembled into lovely valentines which children love to prepare for their teachers, friends and family. As it has now become more a day for children than for grown-ups, these packages afford much pleasure to the sender and to the recipient.

COMING EVENT



Mrs. Ira Lovelace in Training for Shooting Match.

Mrs. Ira Lovelace of Tokio was pretty badly burned Monday when her clothing took fire, but we understand that she is resting better at this writing. We are sorry that we were unable to learn more of the particulars.

Dr. A. F. Schofield left this week for Dallas where he will take a short post graduate course in dentistry.

N-O-T-I-C-E

I started a daily delivery car for the following stores, Saturday, Feb. 1st: The Grocery Guild, M System, Helpy-Selfy, Hokus Pokus and Bowers Bros. Begin delivery for South zone 8:00 to 11:00; North zone 8:30 to 11:30; afternoon 1:30 South zone; 2:30 North; 4:30 on South and 6:30 on North. Charging 10c up to 100 lbs. Snappy delivery and will appreciate your patronage
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You who prefer a little more in the way expert work will fully appreciate the fine of modern equipment, cleanliness and appointments of this shop.

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METHODIST CHURCH

Despite the weather Sunday we had a good attendance at Sunday School and welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scudder and Mrs. Wallace Neyland into our fellowship. We have sent for the church letters of Mr. Neyland and their two children. When you miss the church services you miss meeting these new people as they come into the church. You are invited to the League Institute each evening next week. Have you joined a Missionary society yet. The dinner was a great success last week.
Geo. E. Turrentine.

Scudday Scrapings

We Scudday folks are feeling fine this week. We are all ready for the County Tournament that will be held Friday the 14.

Mrs. Bowerman's room entertained us with a program Friday night that was very good. Everybody enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowerman and granddaughter from Tucumcari, N. M., were visiting in the home of their son, Mr. A. P. Bowerman from Friday until Monday morning.

We had church services here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. There was a nice crowd present.

Mr. Spike and Joe Hill are very busy hauling corn. When they get

through we are going over for a feast of good old corn bread, buttermilk and turnip greens.

The Scudday farmers are as busy as bees, breaking up their land and getting ready for planting.

John Hill and Leroy Norris were on the sick list yesterday and could not be at school, but are able to be back today.

—Reported from 8th grade.

COTTON ILLS AND REMEDY PROPOSED

AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—An analysis of the cotton ills of Texas was made and the remedy proposed here today by Carl Williams, cotton member of the federal farm board in an address before a joint session of the legislature. A constantly mounting production

in the face of an ever-increasing export market, not only in Texas, but throughout the south, was assigned as the primary reason for the poverty stricken condition of the cotton raising industry.

However, the speaker named the introduction of short staple cotton into southern fields as that which has done more than all else to bring ruin on the cotton planter.

"The cotton acreage must go down, and the quality raised must come up," said Williams. "Unless this is done, no governmental agency for fixing prices can aid the farmer as he should be aided."

R. C. Burleson believes in letting the world know about old Terry. He sent out two Heralds to friends for six months each, last week.



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Valentine Parties Enjoyed By Club Members

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Valentine Motif Used In Details of Function Given For Friday Forty-Two Club

Saint Valentine, patron saint of lovers and an early christian martyr, probably did not realize his name would be used for lovers down the ages for the sending of love missives, nor did he dream that his name would suggest fanciful festivities for both young and old.

The day named for the Saint gives much scope for entertaining and for decorating. Hearts of red pierced with golden arrows, red and white blossoms, candies and ices of heart shaped beauty, forming effective accents for the entertainments suggestive of the day, and many hostesses have been using the ideas of valentine during the past week for the entertainment of club members and friends.

Club Honored With Bridge Party

A very pretty party was that of Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Joe J. McGowan was hostess to the I-Deal Bridge Club at her home. The spacious rooms were very lovely with blooming flowers, sweet peas and baskets of artificial flowers. High score was made by Mrs. Leo Holmes and she received a lovely quilted boudoir pillow. Mrs. A. W. Enderse made second high, it being a dainty box of Coty's dusting powders. The tables were made unusually attractive by bright covers and candy mints. Delicious refreshments of creamed turkey, perfection salad on lettuce leaves, crackers, olives, baked apples and hot tea were served. The guest list for this delightful affair included Mesdames W. H. Collins, W. R. McDuffie, B. D. DuBois, Leo Holmes, A. W. Enderse, J. D. Miller, J. B. King, A. R. Brownfield, Flem McSpadden, R. W. Carter, J. E. Michie and A. A. Sawyer.

Celebrates Eighth Birthday

Master James Moore entertained a number of his friends and playmates Thursday afternoon with a party in honor of his eighth birthday. Games were played throughout the afternoon and candy, cake and lemonade were served to M. J. Akers, Charlie Enderse, Gene Green, Charles and Bernice Marie Baldwin, Ethelda May, Twilla Graham, Junior and Robert D. Craig, Arthur and Marjorie Moore, Bub and Skeyx Smith, Warren Gene McLean, Jimmie Jackson, Opal Tarpoley, Emma Gene Coleman, Dick Michie and host.

Miss Edna Beard and Mr. Sam Tankersley Wed.

Miss Beard and Mr. Tankersley surprised their friends by announcing their marriage which took place Sunday, February 2, at Lovington, N. M. Miss Beard is well known here, having taught school near Brownfield for several years. Mr. Tankersley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tankersley and is employed at the Brownfield Hardware and Furniture Co. They will continue to make their home in Brownfield. Their many friends wish for them a happy and successful future.

Mrs. Rufus Rush and son of Lubbock, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. S. Powell. She returned to Lubbock Monday noon but her son remained with his grand parents.

With Cupid, champion archer, given a prominent display in decorations, Mesdame S. H. Holgate was hostess at a lovely forty two party Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock for members of the "Friday 42 Club."

Miniature arrows and hearts accentuated the valentine motif and score pads and tallies were also in the chosen color of red. The afternoon was spent in playing "42." Mrs. P. B. Brothers winning high and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin low for members, and Mrs. Jno Scuddy Jr. high for guests; all received lovely sprays of artificial flowers. At refreshment time strawberry whip and coffee were served to Mesdames W. H. McSpadden, H. O. Longbrake, G. S. Webber, Walter Gracey, P. B. Brothers, C. R. Baldwin, A. M. McBurnett, C. F. Hamilton, R. M. Kendrick, W. B. Downing, H. R. Winston, Earl Williams, Robert Holgate, W. W. Ditto, Jno. Scuddy Jr., Jewel Joyce, R. B. Knox, Misses Faye Martin and Mary Perkins.

Baptist W. M. U.

Circle 1 of the Baptist Society met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Banks. Mrs. W. H. Collins led the devotional taken from Luke 10:1 to 7 verses. Mrs. Bandy led the lesson for the afternoon and the subject was "Royal Service." Cake, peaches and cream were served to Mesdames R. L. Bandy, A. W. Alexander, T. G. Gargill, J. L. Cruce, W. H. Collins, O. E. Adams, J. T. Auburg, J. C. Bond, Banks and Mrs. Faucher. This circle will meet with the other circles in a general meeting at the church next Monday.

Circle 3 met in the home of Mrs. R. L. Pounds. Mrs. A. M. McBurnett gave the devotional coming under the subject of "Judge Not, Lest Ye Be Judged." Mrs. May led the first lesson in the mission book of "Pioneer Women." Mrs. Pounds served sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate to Mesdames E. W. and A. L. Wirtz, Geo. Neill, Jno. Scuddy, W. W. Price, J. L. McLeod, A. M. McBurnett, E. V. May, and hostess. The next meeting will be at the church and the following week at the home of Mrs. Redford.

Circle 2 met with Mrs. L. A. Greenfield in Bible study. After prayer the 4th and 5th chapters of 1st John were studied led by Mrs. Green. In a business session it was decided to take a mission study course using the book "Pioneer Women." Lovely refreshments of fruit salad, olives, crackers and hot tea were served to Mesdames J. C. Green, W. W. Price, Hulme, Howell, Flache and the hostess. The next meeting will be at the church.

The Young Matrons Circle met in the home of Mrs. R. W. Carter. Mrs. H. N. Nelson had charge of the Mission lesson concerning the work of Baptist Missions in Nigeria. Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, coconut maroons and hot tea were served to the following members: Mesdames Mary Green, H. N. Nelson, Roy Davis, Clyde Bond, Clyde Briley, Ike Bailey, N. G. Stewart, Otis Draper, Jack Holt, H. N. Pyeatt, A. S. Mangum, J. A. Benton, DuBois, Sexton, E. V. May and J. T. Henry. Visitors were Mesdames Brown and Lovelace. On 4th Monday the Society will meet with Mrs. DuBois.

The troubadour Girls Glee Club and the piano students of Mrs. W. H. Dallas, local music instructor, gave a invitational recital on last Friday night at eight o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

Miss Velma McClish, president of the Troubadour Club gave a short talk prior to the program. She explained the meaning of the club's name, Troubadour, its work and aims. Miss Florence Holt, secretary, read the program for the evening. The church was lovely, having many ferns, flowers and greens, and the background was a charming drape made of red and white intermingled. There were eight numbers given by the club including Rebecca May, Martha and Velma McClish, Nettie Thompson, Dora Dean Neill, Juanita Murphy, Doris Bandy, Wynona Burnett, Florence Holt, Marian Hill, Bonita Neal, Lucille Oliver and Maurita Bell. Piano solos were given by Rebecca May, Martha McClish, Juanita Murphy, Golda Malcolm, Frances Carpenter, Mary Dee Price, Velma McClish, Mary Jo Neill, Alline Ellington, Dora Dean Neill, Nettie Thompson and Frankie Rickles.

Following the program Frances Carpenter, Dora Dean Neill, Velma McClish and Doris Bandy served confections.

Mrs. Dallas pupils wish to express the appreciation of the attention and quietude of the audience and the program was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

The Jubilee Auxiliary met at the church February 6 at 3:00 in regular meeting session. The mission lesson led by Mrs. J. C. Hunter included the 2nd and 3rd chapters of World Wide Missions. The subjects were "The Christianization of Japan and the Conversion of Korea." Mesdames J. C. Hunter, H. B. Thompson, Dave Finney, A. W. Enderse, Leo Allen, V. A. Bynum, Boone Hunter, Cecil Smith, W. A. Bynum, C. R. Baldwin, J. B. Knight, Leo Holmes and Roy Herod were present. The next meeting on Feb. 13 will be at the church. The Society was dismissed in prayer by Mrs. Boone Hunter.

Bible Class Meets

Mrs. L. F. Hudgens led the Bible Class of the Church of Christ in a continued study of "Wilderness Wanderings." Mesdames Jack Jackson, W. I. Lovelace, Roy Collier, Claude Hudgens, E. E. Blackwell, Will Cook, Alvin Mitchell, Leo Travis, Vida Bromley, W. W. Ditto, L. F. Hudgens, W. G. Harris, Jack Stricklin, W. D. Williamson, Clint Rambo and T. H. Crews were present.

Mrs. C. F. Hamilton will entertain the Friday 42 next Friday at the home of Mrs. C. R. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. and H. B. Thompson, Nettie and Maurice, May Holgate and Barney Holgate made a trip to Hobbs N. M. Sunday.

The Adult Society of the M. E. church had no meeting Monday on the account of serving dinner at the Tudor Garage on that day. They reported to serve about 135 plates.

The Jubilee Auxiliary will meet in a social hour with Mrs. Alton Webb and Mrs. Roy Herod on Feb. 20th in the home of the latter.

The ladies of the Christian Aid Society did not meet this week on the account of the illness of Grandma Brown. The society will meet at the home of Mrs. Brown next week if she is well and will honor her with a birthday dinner, the occasion being her 76th birthday.

B. Y. P. U. Has Indian Social

The Junior B. Y. P. U. met in the Intermediate class room of the Baptist church Friday night for a social. Each member was asked to dress as an Indian and if one had peeped in on this lively bunch, they would have seen many original costumes. Games such as Relay Race, Suitcase Race and My Ship Goes Sailing were played for an hour or so. Mrs. May gave several interesting readings and piano solos were also enjoyed. Sandwiches, hot chocolate and cakes were served to twenty-eight boys and girls. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Warren and J. H. McLeod were guests for the evening. Mrs. Sexton had charge of these children and was assisted by Mesdames Flache and Auburg. This group is soon to begin a study on Missions and each seems interested in the work.

Honored With Birthday Party

Little Jacqueline Thompson, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Thompson, was honoree at a party given by her mother in honor of her 5th birthday. A lovely cake holding five candles was the delight of the small guests. Many lovely little gifts were given to Miss Jacqueline. Cake and ice cream was served to Almie Faye and Mary Ballard, Jackie Holt, Jimmie Green, Bernice Marie Baldwin, Emogene Coleman, Queenelle Garrison, Skeyx and Bub Smith and hostess.

B. L. Thompson and Cecil Smith Jr. made a business trip to Ft. Worth last week returning Wednesday.

Mrs. Olive Lane of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Hubert Thompson of this place.

Mr. E. R. Woolridge has just returned from Wellington, Texas, where he spent a few days visiting his children.

Little Grady Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones, has been very ill with scarlet fever, but is showing an improvement. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. W. H. Collins and Miss Lil Jo Wilson of Collins Dry Goods Company left Monday for Dallas to purchase spring stock for the store. They were joined in Sweetwater by W. B. Collins and saleslady of Lamasa. They will return the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downing had as their dinner guests Thursday night, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. E. Turrentine, Edward, Mary Jane and Mariam Turrentine, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herod.

P. T. A. Program For Founders Day

This rally and program has been planned for some time and is to be held on Tuesday evening Feb. 18, at 7:45 at the home of Mrs. M. V. Brownfield. The program will be as follows:

Short business meeting.
Review of P. T. A. Work in Brownfield—Mrs. W. G. Harris.

Purpose of Such Celebration—Mrs. Brit Clark.
A Memorial Tribute—Mrs. W. B. Toone.

Candle Lighting Ceremony—Mrs. S. H. Holgate.
Each old president is urged to be present and will be given the privilege of saying a few words in the behalf of P. T. A.

Tom May and Dock Powell left Wednesday morning for El Paso and Hot Springs, N. M. for a week or so for their health.

Maids and Matrons Club Have Interesting Bird Review.

The Maids and Matrons had a very interesting program Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church. The subject was "Birds," and the school children were special guests. The program was led by Mrs. Will Adams and a very fine talk was given on Texas Birds by Misses Dumas and Hulce. "Florida Birds," Mrs. Dick Brownfield. Reading—Mildred Adams. Bird's Sanctuaries—Mrs. Boone Hunter. "Anderdon Birds," Mrs. W. G. Harris. This program was very instructive and helpful.

Contract Bridge Played At Lovely Affair Given In Allen Home Tuesday.

Featuring the valentine motif in all details of the decorations, was a very pretty party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Leo Allen in her home on East Hill. Red Hearts of all sizes were used as decorations and red lighting added to the brilliance of the rooms. Several hours of friendly competition in Contract Bridge were played and Mrs. Tom May making high received two silhouette pictures. Mrs. C. R. Baldwin received two hand painted candle sticks for second high. Table cuts were novelty ash trays on pedestals and went to Mrs. Leo Holmes, Mrs. P. F. Lawlis, Mrs. J. E. Michie and Mrs. J. E. Shelton. Chicken sandwiches in heart shapes, congealed salad on lettuce leaves, hot tea, strawberry parafait and cake with heart decorations was served to Mesdames Joe McGowan, A. A. Sawyer, C. R. Baldwin, W. R. McDuffie, Lee Scudder, Leo Holmes, A. W. Enderse, Ike Bailey, Roy Wingerd, P. F. Lawlis, J. E. Michie, J. E. Shelton, Tom May, B. D. DuBois, E. L. Bowers and R. W. Carter.

Miss Belle Boles Honor Guest at Dinner and Theatre Party

Miss Belle Boles, sister of Mr. Roy Wingerd, who is visiting here in the Wingerd home from Hopsy, Kansas was guest of honor at a dinner and theatre party Tuesday evening by Mrs. Roy Wingerd. This is the first of a number of affairs which will be given for Miss Boles and her mother, Mrs. Wingerd.



Delicate shades of orange and green were prettily stressed in all floral decorations and table appointments. Orange candles in green holders were placed on the table and cast dainty shadows over the beautifully appointed table. A three course menu of fruit cocktail, pork roast, creamed potatoes, tomato aspic, pineapple slaw, stuffed celery and peanut brittle parafait. The guests then went to the Rialto Theatre and saw Norma Shearer in "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney." Guests included Misses Marie Bell, Addie Hamilton, Lou Ellen Brown, Lillie Mae Bailey, Violette McBurnett and Mrs. Ike Bailey.

Miss Boles plans to be in Brownfield several days.

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Night Bridge Club Feted

Among the most attractive functions of the week end was a bridge party given in honor of the Thursday Night Bridge Club by Mr. and Mrs. Tom May at their home Thursday evening. Bridge was enjoyed until a late hour and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Holmes made high and received a lovely box of linen handkerchiefs and a novelty cream and sugar set. Delicious refreshments of chicken a la king, olives, potato chips, hot tea, apple pie topped with whip cream were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Leo Holmes, A. W. Enderse, J. D. Miller, Joe McGowan, Ike Bailey, Dick Brownfield, Ray Brownfield, Foy Davis, Mrs. J. E. Michie and Mrs. R. L. Bowers.

W. O. W. Has Meetings

Brownfield W. O. W. Circle Grove 462 met Thursday night with a birthday party given by Mrs. Twinkle Burnett and Mrs. Lector Thomson in honor of their birthday. Many pretty and useful gifts were received by each. Various exciting and thrilling games were played throughout the evening. A very enjoyable time was spent by all. At refreshment time hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake was served to the following members: Cornelia Moore, Ruth Moore, Neva Greenfield, Tennie Stewart, Maurita Bell, Lottie Head, Ruth Henderson, Lucille Oliver, Lura Smith and hostesses.

February 6 this Grove met to initiate Mrs. Avis Thomason.

Ruth Moore, guardian, opened the meeting in due form. New and old business was attended to. After an enjoyable meeting, refreshments were served at Alexander's Drug. Present were Cornelia Moore, Ruth Moore, Elva Benton, Lura Brown, Stella Jackson, Helen Mangum, Lottie Head, May Cook, Jimmie Dunn and Mrs. Avis Thomason. The next meeting will be held in the hall on Feb. 21 with a birthday party with Veda Headstream and Ruth Moore as hostesses. Every member is urged to be present.

Klonial Kard Klub Entertained

Miss Faye Martin was a charming hostess Thursday night, Feb. 6, when she entertained the Klonial Kard Klub at the home of Mrs. A. M. McBurnett. In bridge Violette McBurnett won high and was favored with a bottle of Coty's perfume. Lucille Flache was given a lady pin cushion for low. Lovely refreshments of tuna fish sandwiches, fruit salad, olives, hot tea and cake were served. The guest list included Misses Violette McBurnett, Ina Patterson, Marie Bell, Kathryn Stinson, Emma Jane Alexander, Norma Hulme, Velma O'Brien, Lucille Flache and Mesdames McBurnett, Paul Lawlis and Homer Nelson.

The Klonial Kard Klub also spent an enjoyable evening when Miss Addie Hamilton entertained recently in the lovely home of her sister, Mrs. Weldon Ridgeway.

Three tables were placed for bridge and Emma Jane Alexander, making high score received a novelty box of dusting powders. Mary Kathryn Anthony was prettily favored with a dainty georgette handkerchief for consolation. Delicious refreshments of Charlot Rouse, cake and hot chocolate was served. Guests and members included Misses Violette McBurnett, Faye Martin, Kathryn Stinson, Ina Patterson, Lucille Flache, Mary Kathryn Anthony, Lillie Mae Warren, Marie Bell, Emma Jane Alexander and hostess.

Mrs. W. A. Wingerd and daughter, Belle Boles of Hopsy, Kansas are visiting in the home of her son, Roy Wingerd.

Several social functions are being planned in their honor.



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OH YEAH!

"Any part of the city for 50 cents" yelled the taxi driver. "You can't sting me," retorted Silas. "I bought the city hall last year, and they wouldn't give it to me."

Elephants seldom lie down.

R. W. SCALES DIES SUNDAY FROM INJURIES IN CRASH

Funeral services for R. W. Scales, 65-year-old Terry county farmer, was held Tuesday at Hedley, following his death at Lubbock Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from injuries received in a triple wreck last Friday night 10 miles north of Lubbock.

According to a story of witnesses, following the wreck, the truck in which Mr. Scales was riding, driven by W. J. Baldwin, also of Terry county, scraped fenders with another car and the two machines had been halted in the highway. While the two were inspecting damages, another car driven by Joe Stanton, of Lubbock, crashed into the wrecked machines.

Stanton was accompanied by L. H. Taylor, also of that city. Baldwin stated that he did not know whether the third car struck Scales or whether the truck, after the impact, had pushed him into the ditch.

Scales was unconscious when picked up and examination at the West Texas hospital showed that he suffered a broken jaw, concussion of the brain, dislocated shoulder and hip and severe bruises.

Survivors are the widow, three sons, and two daughters.

Hedley, Texas is the former home of the Scales family before moving to Terry county and settling in the Forrester community.

Arthur Scuday of Tokio, was one of the visitors here Saturday.

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Mr. W. B. Lindsey, Principal of Grade School has announced that an exhibit of 150 of the finest reproductions of recognized masterpieces of art has been engaged to be placed on display to local students and the general public February 17 to 21.

A small admission charge will be made, and the fund thus raised will be used to purchase pictures for Brownfield Grade School.

In making the announcement, Mr. Lindsey said, "It has been the privilege of students and the general public to enjoy the masterpieces of music and literature for generations; but an enjoyment of the masterpieces of art has, until very recently, been restricted to those who were wealthy enough to travel throughout the world, visiting the museums in which the original paintings hang.

"Recent improvements in color photography and printing now make it possible to bring the art of the world to even our smaller towns and villages through the medium of faithful reproductions. These reproductions are true to the originals in all respects, with the possible exception of size. Even the most delicate variations in color are maintained. In most instances the brush strokes in the original picture are clearly discernible.

"I feel that we are fortunate indeed to be able to bring to Brownfield a collection of these splendid pictures."

MAIDS AND MATRONS CLUB

Child Welfare Program No. 1 for February 25.

Hostess—Mesdames Lawliss and Hunter

Leader: Mrs. Greenfield.

1. Prenatal care and diet in relation to child welfare—Mrs. Telford.
2. What are the earmarks of a well nourished child—Mrs. Hunter.
3. The laws of growth—Miss Hulse.

4. The health and habits of the pre school child—Mrs. May.
Round table discussion—Leader.
Q. What is basal metabolism? How does it affect the diet? Explain the method of establishing the basal metabolism of each member. Define a calorie. Is good nutrition synonymous with good health?

A. M. Howard was milling among the crowd here Saturday, and handed us the price of the Herald and Farm News.

Swine Ass'n. President Says Hog Outlook O.K.

Quality and markets are the two important things to consider in the hog business if one expects to make money, according to President C. A. Franz, Turkey, Texas, of the Texas Swine Breeders Association, in his opening address of the Panhandle Swine Breeders meeting here Tuesday.

"We have no hard times in the hog business," said Mr. Franz, "we have cycles which we must adapt our operations to meet. We must produce a high quality product at a reasonable cost. We do not need government farm aid, we need home farm aid composed of more sows, cows, and hens. The old sow today is still a mortgage lifter. Pork is the only thing that we can produce a ton from in one hundred and eighty days (from one female offspring). All people can't be breeders of swine, but with the present efficient county agent system in Texas every farmer can be a feeder."

Mr. Franz read a telegram from Tom Fraizer of the Fort Worth Market in which twelve cent hogs were predicted before June 1930.

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322 East Main
Alvin A. Mitchell, Minister
Many may wish to come to church and because they do not have a way they are not able to come. We are interested in your being present. Our desire to have you with us is great enough that we will count it an opportunity to call and carry you to church in time for Bible Study. Phone 135 by 9 o'clock Sunday mornings and we will send for you. If you wish to attend any of our services—Sunday morning, evening, Ladies Bible Class and Wed. Night Services—it will please us to serve you. Bible Study—10 A. M.
Preaching—11 and 7:15.
Preaching at Johnson—3:30 P. M.
Young People's Class—6:00.
Ladies Bible Class—Mon. 3:30.
Wed. Evening Service—7:45.
Subject for Sunday morning will be, "Elements of Strength in the Local Church." Sunday evening, "Inspiration of Scriptures." Bible writers say so, but how can we know they were inspired?
We welcome you.

D. J. Stricklin, of Wellman, one of our progressive farmers from old Johnson county, who landed here in the early part of 1929 came in to renew this week.

Popular Firm Closing Their Store Here

The Herald is very sorry to report that the firm of Head-Hargrave are putting on a final sale here preparatory to moving the remainder of the stock to Ralls and Quitaque, where it will be confined with their stores at those places. This makes two dry goods stores to leave us in the past three months, but one other has put in since that time.

In conversation with the local manager of the Head-Hargrave store here, Mr. Guy Hargrave, as well as Mr. Murray Hargrave of Ralls, both stated that they regretted to leave Brownfield very much as they had enjoyed a good business here, especially throughout 1929, and had made many friends while here, but that they felt that the two stores mentioned above, with enlargements they anticipated would be about all they could handle at the present time.

The business relations of the Herald with this firm has always been pleasant and agreeable to us, and we hope to them, and we wish them the best in life, even if they are leaving this city.

Prof. Phillips Likes Terry Agriculturally

While at the Swine School this week, Prof. Frank Phillips of the West Texas State Teachers College stated to a reporter that he was favorably impressed with the agricultural resources of Terry county. Prof. Phillips knew Roy Davis, our county agent when he represented Lubbock High School on a Stock Judging contest at Canyon several years ago. He stated that Mr. Davis was at that time an outstanding agricultural and livestock authority. Prof. Lee Fulton of the Forrester School came into the Herald office to see Mr. Phillips and it developed in that conference that Mr. and Mrs. Fulton were in a class one time at Canyon and that the woman demonstrated her ability to make better agricultural grades than a man.

Wellman Writings

Wellman had the misfortune of having a fire last week. The building owned by Mr. Mobley burned down. There was a couple living in it at the time, and we hear they lost most everything they had. They were visiting when the fire occurred.

Miss Gracie Moon was visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Moon Sunday.

There was a Sunday School social Friday evening at Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kerby's home for the adult class. The class was celebrating the birthday of their teacher, Mrs. Burnett.

Mrs. E. Orcutt entertained the B. Y. P. U. Wednesday evening with a very interesting social.

The P. T. A. will have a business meeting, Friday, Feb. 14, shortly after school is dismissed.

Wellman's basketball team played Loop Thursday. The score was 19 to 6 in favor of the local boys.

The girls also played and the score was 8 to 10 in favor of Loop.

The play ground ball boys played Brownfield Wednesday and the score was 11-2 in favor of Wellman.

Misses Bertie and Annie Woodard went to Abilene last week to visit their sister Miss Hazel Woodard who is a student at A. C. C.

Bro. A. L. Burnett delivered a fine sermon Sunday at the Wellman Church of Christ.

Mrs. Schroeder gave an interesting 42 party Tuesday evening. Among the guest was Mrs. Oattie Nolen of California, who is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nolen, while her husband sails to the South Sea Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Griffith have moved to Forrester.

Mr. Grant Yandell from Roaring Spring, Texas is visiting his sister, Mrs. Nettie Griffith, while Roy Griffith, our sheriff is busy in court this week.

Leon Schroeder of Haskell was the guest of his uncle Bill this past week.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO GIVE PROGRAM AT MEADOW

Sunday afternoon the young people of the Church of Christ will gather at the church about 2:15 and go in a group to Meadow where they will render the following program at the Church of Christ at 3:00 p. m.

Subject—"Christ."
Scripture reading—Joe Bob Burnett.

Prayer.

"Christ As Our Savior"—Richard Chishelm.

"Christ As King"—Weldon Moore.

"Christ As Our High Priest"—Bessie Holly.

"Christ As Judge"—Marie Moore.

Congregational and special songs are to be expected. Everybody invited to go. After program we will meet at Brownfield Church of Christ 7 P. M. to discuss plans for a party Friday night, February 21 and program for next Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy T. Nelson, a daughter on the 7th.

HEAD-HARGRAVE CO.'S Quit Business Sale! Now In Full Sway!

Again The Bargain Call Is Sounded—With Still Lower Prices!

Just one week ago we announced our GREAT QUIT BUSINESS SALE, which brought thousands of eager buyers to our store. Thousands more must come quickly in order to make a clean sweep of the bulk of our stock. We are selling goods without profit, inconsistent you may be inclined to say, but, many's the act of the progressive merchant that seems not compatible with the laws of trade, but is just the same. Every item in the store has been cut to the red, and in many instances below wholesale cost. GET THIS STRAIGHT! We are positively quitting Brownfield. Other interest demands our attention, Hence the cause. There is no sound reason under the sun why you should not buy your entire season's supply.

Extra FRIDAY—
9:00 to 10:00 A. M.
10 yards 27 inch Brown Domestic
49c
—10 yards to customer—

Look
Men's Scout Work Shoe
Pair
1.89

Underwear
Children Taped Union
All sizes—Worth 75c
43c
Close out at

Men
BIG BUCK WORK SHIRTS
A real buy! All sizes, grey and blue
EACH
85c

FINAL CLOSE OUT!
One lot of
LADIES SILK DRESSES
worth up to \$16.50
FINAL PRICE—EACH \$4.95

FINAL CLOSE OUT!
One lot of
LADIES HOUSE DRESSES
all sizes and styles—Each
59c

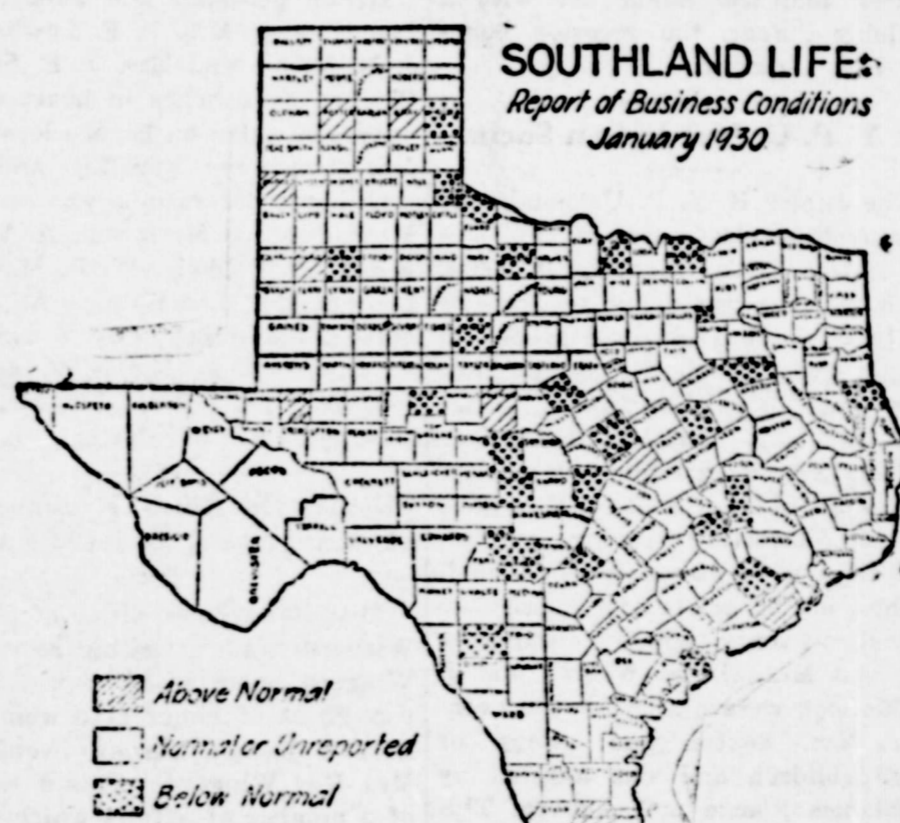
Extra FRIDAY—
2:00 to 3:00 P. M.
50c Brown Sheeting—81 in. wide
2 1/2 yards
79c
—2 1/2 yards to customer—

Look
\$2.00 fine Dress Shirts
for Men
New Patterns—All Sizes
Each
1.39

Rayon Bloomers
Our regular \$1.00 value
The best you can buy for that price
CLOSE-OUT
76c

Free SATURDAY—
A set of silverware, also a 27X54 Axminster Rug at 3:30 P. M.
Special Bargains every morning and evening.

HEAD - HARGRAVE COMPANY



BUSINES HAS A WATCHFUL WAITING ATTITUDE

Southland Life Insurance Company business and crop reports for the month of January indicate strongly a "watchful waiting" attitude over entire State. In the main, business conditions are reported around normal, with some exceptions on the optimistic side and others pessimistic. Answering the question: "Have recent financial developments had any effect on business conditions in your community?" most are inclined to believe that the effects of the stock market crash in Texas are over-estimated.

The brightest spot in the entire re-

HISTORY OF JOE HOPPERGRASS THE MAN WHO SAVED A \$

(By Monroe Jones, Loop, Texas)
This is a brief history of Joe Hoppergrass. Joe believed in economy. He wanted to read the local newspaper but felt like he could not afford to part with his dollar to pay for a year's subscription. He hit upon a plan to save his dollar and still be able to read the paper. That looks like economy.

Joe's neighbor, Bill Jinks, was a paid-up subscriber, so he borrowed Bill's copy each week. One morning Joe went over to Bill's to borrow the paper. While he was gone, the old muley cow broke out of the lot into the field and his wife ran out to correct the cow but the cow had eaten a lot of green cane and was soon dead with the blood.

While Mrs. Hoppergrass was chasing the cow, the baby, left alone, crawled up to a churn full of cream and turned it over, spilling it on the floor, and then crawled through the cream onto a rug worth \$100.00, ruining it.

Then while Mrs. Hoppergrass was the past five or six weeks.

The business map shows no conditions rising as excellent. It does show, however, more counties rated as normal or above normal than has been the case in an previous January report. Almost without exception, farmers are looking toward a better cotton crop and better grain crops than ever before, and the probable absence of insect infestation due to hard frosts over the entire State is considered a help.

washing the baby and scouring the floor, the oldest daughter eloped with the hired man.

Soon Mr. Hoppergrass returned home and, in dismay, saw all the loss he had sustained while "saving a dollar." He fell dead with a broken heart and went straightway up to the pearly gate, where Saint Peter stands guard and knocked for admittance. Good old Saint Peter met him at the gate and after hearing his tale of "economy" and woe, Peter said: "You can't enter this gate. No one but paid up subscribers to the local paper can come in here!" Turning to the Angel Gabriel, Saint Peter said: "Please escort this man downstairs and chain him to the big iron post up near the furnace."

That was the end of Joe Hoppergrass—the man who "saved a dollar!" Better come in and subscribe for the Signal at once before the cow breaks out of the lot.—Seagraves Signal.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to use this means of expressing our thanks to the people of Brownfield for the many kindnesses and especially the missionary society for their beautiful floral offering during the brief illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

May God's richest blessings be yours.
Signed:
Mrs. R. W. Scales
William Scales
Harmon Scales
Malcolm Scales
Gladys Scales
Myrtle Mae Scales.

Italy has 300,000 auto vehicles.