

SOUTH PLAINS TO GET A NEW RAILWAY LINE FROM BIG SPRING

BROWNFIELD GUARANTEES SUB-STATION CO-OP OFFICE

Committee of Farmers Find that Brownfield is Willing to Do Its Share to Supply a Government Grader. Now Up to the Farmers to Supply the Cotton—Black.

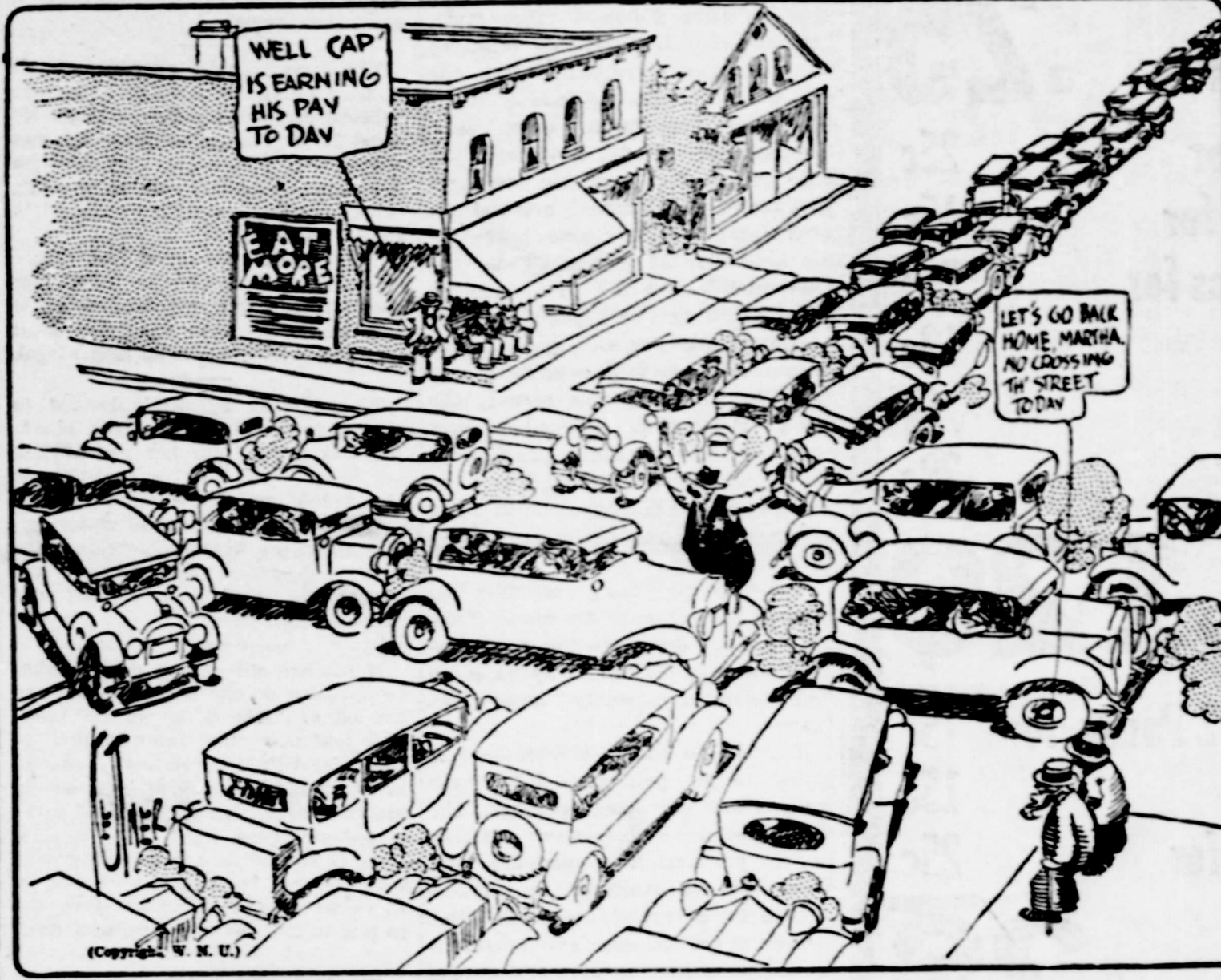
Seeing that it was not practicable to get a full branch office of the cotton co-operative association here this year, the farmers, led by W. H. Black, who was made chairman, made an effort last week following a meeting of business men and farmers here last week to see if a grader station could not be secured here for the benefit of farmers who wish to sell cotton through the Federal Farm Board. It costs \$3,000 to secure a grader approved by the government for six months, and other benefits that go with it, and in one day, this amount was underwritten by the business and professional men of this city.

Some of the benefits include a bonded and licensed grader, which is claimed will increase the value of cotton produced in the Brownfield territory \$2 per bale, and with 30,000 bales would mean \$60,000 additional money to be turned loose here. In order to liquidate what the business men put up here for the government grader, farmers in turn get cheaper insurance, cheaper interest on money borrowed, cheaper storage, and in turn give 40c for each bale handled, and \$2.00 for each new member secured, and 25c for each bale graded for non-members.

According to a statement by Mr. Black to the writer, the proposition is now up to the farmers. The business men have done their part nobly, and the farmers must now say whether or not they want their cotton handled by the co-operatives, which is backed by \$500,000,000 put up by the federal government in order to help cotton farmers. If they don't want it, says he, I aim to drop it as I simply will not see the merchants of Brownfield go in the hole for this amount on account of the indifference of the farmers of this section. The following progressive firms donated more than \$3000 to secure a government grader.

First National Bank, H. W. Nelson, Cobb Dept. Store, A. J. Stricklin, Brownfield State Bank, R. L. Bowers, Craig & McClish, Tudor Sales Co., W. E. Legg, W. E. Hinson Gin, M. System, Dr. G. W. Graves, Carter Chevrolet Co., Independent Gin Co., Farmers Co-operative Society No. 1, Brownfield Hardware Co., B. L. Thompson, G. S. Webber, Hudgens and Knight, Rex Headstream, H. R. Winston, J. M. Telford, W. W. Price, Rialto Theatre, Michie Drug Store, W. H. Collins, Bell-Anderson, Harrison & McSpadden Gin, R. B. Davis, Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. and West Texas Gin Co.

Labor Day



How the Folks Voted in Terry Last Saturday

While the second primary passed off nicely last Saturday, and registered one of the largest if not the largest vote cast in the county, there were no disputes, arguments, or cross words that we heard of. Every man and woman seemed to be willing to grant the other fellow the privilege to vote as they saw best, and each went about the task as best suited them. While the election had been rather warm in this county, there had been no belligerent vituperations used to tell what they thought of the other people. We had two speakers here from another county who got rather personal, but Terry county people steered clear of such, and are still friends.

For Governor:	
Ferguson	941
Sterling	717
For Lieutenant Governor:	
Strong	670
Witt	827
For Attorney General:	
Allred	1218
Bobbitt	302
For State Treasurer:	
Davis	571
Lockhart	958
For Agricultural Commissioner:	
King	845
McDonald	552
For Railroad Commissioner:	
Hatcher	524
Neff	983
For Tax-Assessor:	
Hogue	922
Pyeatt	806
For County Treasurer:	
Mrs. Randal	984
Mrs. Smith	760
Commissioner Precinct No. 2:	
Hinson	342
Miller	312
Commissioner Precinct No. 3:	
Lasiter	155
Cook	148

They Still Believe There's Oil in Terry

Drilling was stopped some three weeks ago on the oil well out at Rich Lakes, some 10 miles northeast of this city. We understand that the contract depth was reached, and the hole was plugged, the machinery, tools etc., were then torn down and moved we know not where. The Penn Company which was drilling gave nobody not connected with them any information on what was found, if anything, nor whether or not they believed there was anything further on down or not, or whether it was their intention of drilling any more or not. But there are ways of reading between the lines and there is no way to stop one from that.

Any one who has studied the question an instant knows that the big oil companies do not desire to bring in any more wells. It is a well known fact that there are all the producing fields right now that the world supply demands and more, for every big oil field has been pinched in, especially in Texas and New Mexico. It is therefore only a question of knowing in advance where the new fields are with the big oil companies when the time comes to open them up, and that will not happen till the present fields begin to fail, and that may be several years from now.

Our Banks to Observe Labor Day Monday

In keeping with the spirit of the nation and in commemoration of the day set apart for rendering a tribute to the laboring masses of mankind, the local banks will observe Labor Day September 1st, 1930, next Monday as a legal holiday.

Meadow to Be Served With Gas Next Year

The West Texas Gas Co., has secured a franchise to serve the city of Meadow with natural gas. The franchise now is being printed in the Herald if you care to read it. The franchise calls for service to begin just before the first day of June 1931, which is almost a year off, and will not be available this winter, but it is worth waiting a long time for.

Co. Agent Calls Club Members In Last Meet

There will be a meeting of all the officers of each 4-H club in Terry County in my office at 2:30 Saturday evening. The County Fair and other very important matters will be taken up and it is highly important that all Club officers be present.

Frank Drury Shoots Himself with Rifle

The young son of Frank Drury in the Forrester community, accidentally shot himself while playing with a 22 cal. target rifle, Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins were over from Lamesa this week visiting with his brother, W. H. and family. Mr. Collins believes that we are almost sure for the Texas Pacific Northern railway from Big Spring to Amarillo.

H. C. Newberry, while treating a sick horse, Monday morning, was thrown violently to the ground breaking his shoulder. He was brought to town when an X-Ray picture was made and surgical help given.

Some people perhaps don't know that the Texas & Pacific railway is one of West Texas' biggest producers of oil, and the fact that they seek a rail line to this section we believe is partly to be on the ground when a well some day "accidentally" comes in. We also know they are big producers of coal, and their new line points ever northwest toward the big coal fields of New Mexico.

T. & P. TO BUILD A LINE THROUGH BROWNFIELD

Such a Line Would Open to Settlement New Virgin Lands That Have Never Been Touched by the Plow. Will Take Two Years to Build Says T-P Officials.

The writer knew an old man in our boyhood days back in old Tennessee, who always said the least unexpected things. It was once related that he told a friend that he had been down on the creek that morning, and while walking along the bank not thinking about a snake, "choog went a frog in the water." That was what the people of Brownfield thought Monday afternoon when they were assembled in the Commissioners Court room with a few T. & P. officials, and some of the leading citizens of Big Spring and Lamesa, and were told that they were here to build a good north and south line of railroad through Brownfield from Big Spring to Amarillo. You could have knocked most of us over with a feather. To put it as one of the men from Big Spring expressed it, "we always look for Santa Claus around December 25th, but never in the middle of August."

Now folks, this is no promotion scheme. We have had promoters here for the past year or two who seemed to want to build us a line from Snyder to Roswell, but they always wanted a tolerably big bonus, as well as the right of way, etc. But these T. & P. officials only want the right of way through Terry county, depot sites and switch yards. We know that the Texas & Pacific officials mean business, for they are not in the habit of joking over such matters. We know too, that they have the money to build with, for while the T. & P. was virtually broke 12 years ago, the finding of gobs of oil all along their tracks from El Paso to Fort Worth has made it one of the richest roads in the nation. They have the money to build it with.

Indeed, the officials who were here Monday let it be known that it had been the dream of their officials for years to construct a line through this section, but the time was not ripe until now. The secret had been kept from the press and people until the iron was ready, and now they are striking the iron while it is hot. They are now busy lining up the cities and towns on the route to go with them to Washington and put it up to the Interstate Commerce Commission that the proposed road is needed and demanded, and that the tonnage in the near future, if not at present will support such a road.

How the Proposed Line Run

Starting at Big Spring as the southern terminal, the proposed Texas & Pacific Northern, will strike a northwesterly direction to Lamesa, thence northwesterly still toward Brownfield. At a point somewhere near the Terry-Dawson county line, a proposed branch will point in a northeasterly direction to Lubbock, possible crossing the Terry-Lynn county line somewhere near where the Brownfield-Tahoka highway turns south, thence into Lubbock county about where the Slide community is, and into Lubbock. The main line will come into Brownfield, thence north to Levelland, Littlefield and Demmitt, where a branch will leave the main line for Hereford and Vega, while the main track will go on to Amarillo, using a few miles of the Rock Island track into that city.

Enthusiastic Meeting Here And Loveland

While the people of Brownfield received the good news with keen interest, they did not enter into the matter without questioning the officials and other sponsors about the matter. Indeed it had to be made plain that we were not expected to put up for the right of way branching off and going to Lubbock. After a few other questions were asked, R. M. Kendrick arose and said the proposition looked mighty good to him, and a committee was appointed consisting of Fred Smith and W. A. Bell were sent with the officials of the T. & P. and representatives from Big Spring and Lamesa to Loveland for the meeting there at 8 o'clock Monday night. Others went to Littlefield meeting Tuesday morning from here to help get the line lined up in the matter. Messrs. Bell and Smith report an enthusiastic meeting at Loveland, with a guarantee of a right of way across Terry county, and all the help that we give toward getting the I. C. to grant the road. Referring back to the meeting here,

the President of the Chamber of commerce, B. W. Hurst, was authorized to appoint a committee of seven to work with the officials of the Texas & Pacific, which were announced Tuesday morning to be composed of the following: R. M. Kendrick, Claude Hudgens, A. J. Stricklin, A. M. Brownfield, Fred Smith, Joe J. McGowan and Henry Chisholm, Andrew Copeland and A. W. Enderse.

Personal of the Party Here.

Judge G. O. Bateman, of Dallas, General Attorney of the T. & P. and vice-president of the Texas & New Mexico, Railway; C. C. Poston, of Big Spring, assistant Traffic Manager; R. L. Price and R. T. Painer, bankers of Big Spring; G. A. Woodman, Attorney; R. L. Cook, Real Estate; E. A. Kelley, Manager Southern Ice & Utilities Co.; C. T. Watson, Sec. Chamber of Commerce, all of Big Spring. M. C. Lindsey, capitalist and W. M. A. Wilson, Sec. Chamber of Commerce both of Lamesa.

What This Railroad Will Mean To The South Plains

No one short of a prophet can see the future possibilities and the benefits to be derived from this north-south line through the very heart of the best section of the great south Plains and Panhandle section, but we can at least see a few of the immediate benefits to both the railroad and the people it will serve. Opening up as it does a lot of virgin land which are at present far from the railroads, it will bring tens of thousands of other settlers to some of the most fertile lands in the world, and the combination of the two will create additional tonnage for the railroad to take to the sea-board tidewater, as well as the larger cities of this and other states. It will put Brownfield in line for wholesale houses, cotton mills and things like that we are not able to get now. True some small towns may spring up between the present established cities, but they will benefit rather than hurt us. Fort Worth, Dallas and El Paso are rejoicing that they are to be more closely connected with them by rail.

Rails and Bed to be Standard in Construction

Officials informed us that the road bed of the new railway would be well built with all grades cut to standard; that heavy steel and creosote ties would be used, and the bed finished with rock blast, and that good rolling stock would be used on the runs. The total mileage, including branches will be in the neighborhood of 333 miles, and will cost some \$13,000,000 to finish, and that money turned loose here in the next two years will be of inestimable help to this section. A charter has already been granted by the State Railroad Commission, and if permit to build is obtained from the Interstate Commerce Commission in November, officials of the road figure it can be finished in two years. The road to Lovington was finished in 17 months. Headquarters will be established in Big Spring.

August Term District Court Grinding Away

District court opened here Monday morning about 10 o'clock, when court was called to order by Judge Gordon B. McGuire of Lamesa. He empaneled the grand jury, which was the only jury called for this week, and after they were given the oath, they were set to work ferreting out any crime that might be set before them with the aid of District Attorney, T. L. Price. This is an excellent body of citizens whom the Herald believes will waste little of the people's time and money chasing after little misdemeanors that has little evidence to sustain, and would be almost impossible to bring conviction in open court. But they are men who will not hesitate to indict the real criminal.

Candidates Express Thanks to the Voters

TO THE VOTERS OF YOAKUM COUNTY

I take this method of thanking my friends for their support of my candidacy for County Treasurer, I want you to know that above all, I appreciate you helping me do what I think best and I will try not to disappoint you.

Respectfully,
MRS. BETTIE CRISWELL,
THANKS

I take this means of thanking the voters of Terry County, who supported me in the past election.

I wish to say in behalf of those who did not see fit to vote for me, I remain their friend. In the capacity of Tax-Assessor I will endeavor to render you the best of service.

Yours Respec.,
T. C. HOGUE.

TO THE TERRY COUNTY VOTERS

Friends, I want to thank you for your loyal support last Saturday. I am proud of the nomination and am going to do my very best.

Sincerely yours,
MRS. J. L. RANDAL

THANKS YOAKUM VOTERS

I take this means of thanking the voters of Yoakum county for again nominating me for the office of Sheriff and Tax-Collector of Yoakum county. I will try hard to make you an even better officer than I did the past two terms.

Respectfully,
WALTER MOREMAN

TO THE VOTERS PRECINCT NO. 3

I certainly thank the voters of Precinct No. 3, for nominating me last Saturday in the Primary.

I will promise you that I will try and make you the very best Commissioner that I know how.

Yours very truly,
J. W. LASITER.

THANK FRIENDS

Friends: I take this means of expressing my thanks to my many friends of Terry county for your vote in the election last Saturday. Friends, as you all know, I lost in the election, but I'm thanking you just the same and especially those who spoke a good word in my favor. I want to say further that I have enjoyed the work as Tax-Assessor of your County very much, and it has been a great help to me. I have tried to please everyone and I believe the

Records are in very good shape. Don't take my word or any one else, examine them yourself and you will see that I am right. I also want to thank you for letting me have the office two terms, and again I thank those that stood by me in the run off.

Your Friend,
SAM L. PYEATT.

DEAR FRIENDS OF TERRY CO.

I wish to thank each and everyone of you who supported me in the recent election or tried to help me in any way in my campaign. Especially do I appreciate the interest some of you showed by seeing other voters for me, as it was impossible for me to see every body.

Yours very truly,
Mrs. Lula L. Smith

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 2

I take this method of thanking each of you for your vote and influence in last Saturday election. Although defeated I feel sure we are willing to submit to the wish of the majority of people.

I am your friend,
S. T. MILLER.

Suspected Car Thieves Beat It, But Caught

The county and city officials were on the lookout here Saturday night for some car thieves who were reported to have lifted one at Lovington, N. M., and finally saw one approaching that fit the description, but when the officers approached, the car sped away followed by the officers in hot pursuit. The strangers abandoned their car near the light plant, chased down some alleys, got in a corn field and gave the officers the dodge. This was perhaps four o'clock Sunday morning.

When daylight came, the officers began a county wide search, and Sheriff Telford finally heard of them down about Wellman, and soon had them in custody. They were armed and had some saws in their shoes. Of course they deny being connected with the abandoned car, but their tracks near the light plant, and their shoes tally too well—in fact, perfectly. They were lodged in jail here to await New Mexico officers.

Thieves are beginning to give Brownfield a wide berth, and it will certainly pay them to do so.

Carl Froenheim, a handsome burglar of Dresden, has received a hundred proposals of marriage since his arrest.

Called to arrest a woman shop-lifter in Berlin, Detective Karl Pfalzen found she was his fiancée.

'M' SYSTEM

SPECIAL PRICES SATURDAY

Sugar 10 Pound Cloth Bag **.52**

PORK & BEANS Van Camp Specials Medium 3 cans for **24c**

SOAP P & G 7 Bars For **.25**

SALMON No. 1 Tall Can Pink, 2 Cans for **25c**

VIENNA SAUSAGE Armours Veribest 2 cans for **15c**

CORN, Marcellus No. 2 Can, 2 cans for **23c**

TOMATOES No. 2 Can 2 Cans for **19c**

MATCHES, Winner 2 Boxes **5c**

OATS, Mothers China Per Package **29c**

FLOUR Gold Crown 48 lb. Sack **.129**

SODA Arm and Hammer 1 Pound Package, 2 Packg. for **15c**

PEACHES, Auto No. 2 1/2 Can **15c**

PEAS, Glen Valley No. 2 Can, 2 cans for **25c**

Spuds 10 LB. **.28**

MEAL Everlite Pearl 20 Pound **59c**

COFFEE Blossom Peaberry 3 POUND BUCKET **.83**

MARKET SPECIALS

BEEF ROAST	19c
VEAL LOAF	17c
STEW MEAT	14c
PORK SHOULDER STEAK	20c

SPELLING

Years ago one of the tests of a "good speller" was his or her ability to spell such words as "Constantinople" and "Christiana" correctly. But the young people of today have some altogether new problems in spelling. There isn't any Constantinople any more. The name of the old Turkish city has been changed to Istanbul. Likewise Norway has thrown Christiania into the discard and calls its great port Oslo.

To simplify the use of foreign place-names and make their spelling easier to those familiar only with their own tongue, the English centuries ago coolly changed the names of many places on the continent. They altered Roma to Rome, Napoli to Naples, Firenze to Florence, Livorno to Leghorn, Wien to Vienna, and Gravenhage to The Hague. We in America have followed that style, but now that international relations are closer than ever before and the nations of Europe are feeling their individual importance more than ever, an international movement has been set on foot for the uniform spelling of place names everywhere.

The standard, of course, is that of the local official usage. Thus the town in Silesia which the Germans called Lemberg now appears in Polish as Lwow, and you can guess at the pronunciation as well as anybody else can. The Finnish people recent the use of Helsingfors, a Swedish corruption of their own name of Helsinki. On old maps you will find a town in Europe called Philippopolis, but Poles anglicized it if you write it any way except Plovdiv.

The patriotic young republic of Estonia has changed the name of its capital from Reval to the more ancient name of Tallinn. Smyrna is no longer spelled correctly except as Izmir.

The United States Government is trying to get people used to these modern and corrected spellings. The U. S. Board on Geographic Names has in preparation a complete list which will be available in a few months for everybody interested. But so long as the old maps and geographies are in existence, there will always be a high percentage of children growing up to be familiar with the Anglicized spellings that are not only out of date but incorrect, and, moreover, offensive to the nationals of the countries which they misrepresent.—Littlefield Leader.

AGE SECRET UNKNOWN

Often interviewed on his birthday and asked the secret of his long life, Major Charles Manly Stedman of North Carolina, now 89 and the oldest member of Congress, has had little light to throw on the subject. Once he said: "The whole secret of my long life is the providence of God." This answer was concise enough, but it would perhaps be of little benefit to anyone else. Pressed for further details, he went on to tell something of his personal habits saying:

"I smoke more cigars than the ordinary man, and have smoked a great deal most of my life. I eat anything I like that is set on the table before me. I do much walking at home, but in Washington I take no particular form of exercise."

Surely this is not a difficult regimen, but it might not work out with others as it has with the venerable Major, who first went to Congress when he was 70 and is now in his 20th year of service at Washington.

While persons of extreme age often believe that certain habits of life, or lack of certain habits, are responsible for their longevity there appears to be no old age secret. Some folks just happen to live a long time, usually without making any special effort to do so.

DEEPLY IMPRESSED

Tit-Bits: A little fellow, who had told a falsehood and been found out, was being talked to seriously by his teacher, who directed her efforts to making the youngster feel ashamed of what he had done.

Judging by the interested look on his face, she thought she was making the desired impression, when the youth exclaimed, eagerly, "I say, teacher, it's your lower jaw that moves, isn't it?"

Welfare Worker (at insane asylum)—And how did you get here, my poor man?

Inmate—It was because of a difference of opinion, lady. I said the world was crazy and the world said I was crazy, and the majority won.

"Mother," asked little Jack, is it correct to say that you "water a horse, when he is thirsty?"

"Yes dear," replied his mother. "Well, then," said Jack, picking up a saucer, "I'm going to milk the cat."—Vancouver Province.

"Are you positive the defendant was drunk?"

"Well, he put a penny in the courtesy mail box, looked up at the Post Office clock and yelled, 'My goodness! I've lost fifteen pounds!'"—Powell River Register.

Dr. Webber is in Fort Worth this week on business for the Palace Drug Store.

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

Happy Little Octopus
Torturing Witnesses
Water Fine, in Spots
The Family of Five

Not so long ago the government became much excited because Standard Oil was supposed to be worth "almost a billion dollars" and chopped the big octopus up into several small pieces. Each went its separate way, a little octopus on its own account.

Now Mr. Teagle, head of Standard Oil of New Jersey, one of several brothers and sisters, says his company made in 1929 \$120,912,794.

That amounts to 5 per cent on \$2,400,000,000 and Mr. Teagle says that if the oil industry had been wiser in its methods he would have made a great deal more.

The Yugoslavian King Alexander is accused of allowing police to torture political prisoners. One brought to court in a wheel chair says he was beaten, tied with ropes, whipped with canes, at intervals, all night long. Other prisoners were treated in similar fashion.

Civilization, backward in some places, in others makes progress. Not long ago men accused were tortured everywhere, to make them tell what they knew. Torture is no longer legal.

When Queen Elizabeth decided to cut off the head of her lover, Essex, she was praised for her restraint in not having him put to the torture. His abject submission, and fear of things he might have said under torture about the woman whom he indiscreetly described as an ugly old hunchback, may have caused the unusual gentleness.

If you are still in the stock market or hovering on the edge, like a small boy asking, "How is the water?" know that just now "the water is fine," in spots. Old Father, the money dragon, in addition to his pile of gold, has in his interior a gigantic mass of undigested securities.

He is still alive, but certain groups indicate that he is having trouble in spots where the securities were fed to him in millions of shares at a time.

Doctor Tucker of the United States Naval hospital at Norfolk discovers in fruits and vegetables "five good germs," called "the family of five." They give health and strength, supplying vitamins, life elements essential to existence.

They are missing in green fruits, and die when fruit decays, making it poisonous. They are not injured by heat, and exist in canned fruits and vegetables. A vitally important discovery.

The League of Nations appoints a special commission of two Swedes and one Dutchman to study the historic problem of the wailing wall in Jerusalem, cause of so much bitterness between Jews and Arabs.

The Arabs have one of their most important places of worship immediately adjoining the wailing wall, where Jews from all over the world gather to lament the fall of Jerusalem. Arabs have been in possession of Jerusalem for centuries, ever since they beat the Crusaders. And, according to their Koran, it is their holy city also.

There is no universal national feeling in India. Mohammedans hate Hindus and vice versa. There are tens of millions of both. The native-born Indians in the British army fight for Britain against their brothers "loyally."

Three hundred million Asiatics in India are kept in hand by only 200,000 Britishers on the spot, fewer than one-tenth of 1 per cent.

Mr. Macaulay, head of the Canadian Sun Life Assurance company, expects our stocks to regain soon 60 per cent of the losses made in the big 1929 break. He thinks that 1931 probably, 1932 surely, will see "the 1929 peak once more."

The great gambling house at Monte Carlo is sad. Last year's profits amounted to only 575 per cent, lowest in years.

That compares well with the interest rate on a government bond, or dividends on legitimate industrial stocks. But it isn't much for the gambling house.

That 575 per cent interests those that are foolish enough to gamble on horse racing, in gambling houses or otherwise. So-called "honest games" are arranged to yield "the house" a certain profit of about 40 per cent on every dollar bet. You can imagine what dishonest games make.

Many remember, when the Panama canal was suggested, how the gigantic sum staggered imagination.

We lent forty times that sum to Europe to help the processes of killing, and staggered nobody but little people that sold Liberty bonds far below par.

Now the War department studies the plans for a bridge over the Hudson river at Fifty-seventh street in New York.

It would cost \$190,000,000, but that agitates no one.

We have passed into the billion dollar era. Mere millions attract little attention.

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The Brownies have lost both games this week one here Sunday with Anton, and the other Tuesday at Anton, that has put Brownfield kinder out of the running for any possible prize.

Mr. Chas. Lester and Miss Mabel Hansen, were visiting in this city, Monday.

AUGUST BARGAINS



WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE SHIPMENT OF ROYALMARK LADIES DRESSES, FROM NEW YORK CITY, ACCORDING TO OUR JUDGMENT ONE OF THE BEST BARGAIN EVER SHIPPED TO BROWNFIELD. COME AND SEE THEM, EXAMINE THEM AND SEE FOR YOUR SELF, IF IT IS NOT TRUE.

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WELDON RIDGEWAY

CONDITIONS IN ITALY DECLARED UNBEARABLE

Geneva, Switzerland.—Several groups of Italian anti-Fascists, fleeing Italy without passports, and with little money, have crossed the Alps into Switzerland at much risk recently, declares a dispatch in the New York Times.

Sometimes ago a large group was crossing Theodule pass, more than 10,000 feet high, near the Matterhorn, when a woman with two young children fell on the glacier, breaking a leg, and was abandoned by her companions. The accident was witnessed by a keeper of an Alpine hut who signalled to Zermatt, from where guides set out and carried down the woman and children.

The fugitive declares that life under Premier Mussolini's rule and restrictions has become unbearable in Italy and that they prefer exile. Despite Italian dispatches to the contrary, it is evident that there is a growing unrest among the people of Italy under the iron rule of II Duce.

J. L. Hyman, prominent farmer of the Challis community, had business companions. The accident was witnessed in the city, Monday.

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In order that people of average means might enjoy the added charm and youthful smoothness that SHARI FACE POWDER lends to the face, a new size of the beautiful silken-package is being offered. The standard quality of the SHARI POWDER has not been changed in any way. You will receive the very same satisfaction thousands of women have had using the large \$2.50 box.

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BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

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Here it is—the finest tire in the world at its price—the handsomest and most durable. Only a company with the vast resources of the world's largest producer of rubber could build such a superlatively good tire. And only our large volume of business permits us to sell it for so little money.

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U. S. ROYAL

THE BIG SWING IS TO U. S. TIRES

MILLER & GORE

Brownfield, Texas

Mrs. Stricklin and daughter, Salie T. were Coahoma visitors from Friday to Sunday with Mrs. Stricklin's father and sister, Mr. J. F. Holden and Mrs. J. A. Roberts and family.

Will Black was over this week working on securing a government cotton grader for Terry county. He says if the farmers will now respond as did the business men here, the thing will go over big.

A Pentecostal meeting is under way this week near the railroad, across the street from Bandy and Dunn Produce. You are invited to attend.



FIRST NATIONAL BANK
of Brownfield, Texas

With resources devoted to the development of the best farming section of the State.

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K. M. KENDRICK, President
W. E. McDUFFIE, Cashier
JAKE HALL, Ass't Cashier

AUTO REPAIRING DONE ON—

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The Nazarine meeting has been going on since Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Erwin and family and Mr. Virgil Travis are visiting relatives and friends in Smith county.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Polk and family left Thursday for Bell county where they will visit among relatives. Mr. Frank Drury and sons went to New Mexico Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fulton are visiting relatives in Dimmett over the week-end.

Brother and Sister Wade and Busby and Miss Elma Baldwin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomason Sunday.

Miss Vurtal Montgomery of Hunter visited Miss Addie Mae Mathis Sunday.

The ladies quilting club which has been meeting every Tuesday, have quilted three dozen quilts this summer.

Miss Frances Montgomery spent Saturday night with Mrs. G. M. Thomason and Sunday night with Miss Naomi Drury.

Mrs. Lizzie Morris visited Miss Zaree Crone Sunday afternoon.

Miss Frances Montgomery visited Miss Bertha Baldwin Sunday.

Mr. Wilton Thomason, Wendell Stevens, Francis Mathis and Austin Ragsdill spent Sunday together and went kodaking in the afternoon.

All the ladies of this community are busy canning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Richmond and family visited the Carlsbad Caverns the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Johnston, Mrs. Duncan, Mr. Bell Johnston and Mr. Ted Brown visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baldwin Tuesday evening.

South Plains Poultry Association Perfected

Slaton, Texas, Aug.—Permanent organization of the Texas Panhandle-Plains Poultry association, embracing 54 counties of west and north-west Texas, was effected at a meeting of poultrymen, county agents and chamber of commerce leaders from many points of the area assembled here at a luncheon on Thursday (Aug. 21) as guests of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce. Initial steps toward the formation of such a body were taken at a meeting here on July 17.

Adoption of a constitution and by-laws and election of the first year's officers were among the important items of business transacted at Thursday's meeting here. Taylor White, of Tahoka, was elected president; J. O. Roberts, Rotan, vice-president; and L. A. Wilson, of Slaton, secretary-treasurer.

Thirty directors were elected, as follows: R. E. Shaver, Tahoka; D. F. Eaton, Ray Mowery, Lubbock; J. E. Shelton, John S. Powell, Brownfield; W. T. Magee, J. R. Martin, Levelland; E. E. Young, Ralls; Joe E. McDuff, Crosbyton; George Samson, Knox Parr, Post; W. W. Evans, D. H. Davis; T. L. Kimmel, J. W. Hale, Littlefield; E. L. Tanner, J. M. Hahn, Spur; P. C. Bennett, Robert Ricks, Amarillo; Monroe Jones, Loop; C. B. Martin, Tulia; C. W. Morton, B. F. Russell, Snyder; Ray P. Coneway, Hereford; Frank White, Jr., Clarendon; H. C. White, Wellington; R. B. Davis, Plainview; Olin S. Miller, W. T. Hopper, Floydada; and J. E. Bowman, Plainview.

Dates for holding the first annual show were set for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 10, 11 and 12, 1930. Slaton has been chosen as the permanent home of the show, the holding of which is the main purpose of the new association, it being the belief that such a regional poultry show will prove of much benefit in developing the poultry industry throughout the area.

There will not be separate classes in breed and production types of poultry in the show, but there will be a breeders' flock class, each flock to consist of eight or ten birds, these flocks will not be a licensed American Poultry Association judge. The judge for pens, singles and trios will be a licensed A. P. A. judge, show officials decided. All standard varieties will be eligible for premiums.

The association's executive committee has been named, as follows: Taylor White, J. O. Roberts, Rotan; L. A. Wilson, Slaton; George Samson, Post; E. E. Young, Ralls; C. W. Morton, Snyder; and Ray Mowery and D. F. Eaton, Lubbock. The manager of the show will be L. A. Wilson, of Slaton, who will appoint the show superintendents.

Special committees to prepare the show catalog and premium list, to secure judges, to arrange for educational features during the annual show and to give the event all possible publicity have been appointed by President White, of Tahoka.

The association went on record as favoring the inauguration of an annual egg-laying contest to be held by Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Membership in the Texas Panhandle-Plains Poultry association is open to all persons within the territory who are interested in development of the poultry industry. There are no membership dues. Exhibitors will be

Brownfield Day at The Tri-State Fair

Amarillo, Aug.—Thursday, September 25th has been set aside by the directors of the Tri-State Fair Association as Brownfield Day, and all residents of that county are extended a special invitation by Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the association, to attend the fair on that, their own day, or any other day.

Under plans now being completed by the association this year's fair will far surpass that of any previous year. Mr. Hawk said yesterday, in outlining the progress made by the fair officials during the months they have been engaged in booking attractions for the midway and in arranging contests that will include every type of exhibit that might be entered.

Cash prizes, aggregating \$18,000 will be paid to exhibitors at this year's fair. Of this amount \$5,000 will go to beef cattle exhibitors; \$3,000 to dairy cattle exhibitors; \$3,000 to swine exhibitors; \$3,000 will be paid in agricultural premiums and \$500 to exhibitors of pet stock.

A zoo crammed to overflowing with animals of every type will be one of the attractions.

A new automobile building costing more than \$25,000 is being erected for this year's fair and will be completed September 1.

The largest exhibition of farm implements ever shown at a fair in any part of the United States has been arranged for and will be on display. Each night before the grandstand Ernie Young's Revue in "Spanish Nights" will be given.

Each afternoon Leonard Stroud and his troupe of trick and fancy riders will entertain the crowds, while other riders will vie for prizes aggregating \$6,000 to be given to the winners in the rodeo contests which will be staged daily.

"The attraction outlined above are only a few of those arranged by the association to make this year's event the biggest and best ever," Mr. Hawk concluded.

A FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion McGinty on August 12, 1930. Those present were: Mr. Algie McGinty, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McGinty of Plains; Mr. Oscar and Fred McGinty of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hamby, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sams, Mr. and Mrs. Marrson Sams and three children all of Benjamin, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sams of Pottersburg, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jock Propps and sons, Arthur and Herbert, of Gilliland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hatton, of Treescott, Texas; Mrs. J. W. Garner and son, Jack, Mrs. Dolly Rankin and son, Johnnie, of Rankin Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Morrison and son, Merrell, of Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gibson, Miss Hazel Gibson, Mr. Kenneth and June Gibson of Grove, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hunter and sons, W. M. Junior and Clifford B. of Spur, Texas. The visitors were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Young of Lubbock, Texas; Mrs. Kattie Bell Kittrell and son, of Lubbock, Texas; Mrs. Nadine Robinson and daughter of Plainview, Texas; Mr. Carl Sams of Lovington, New Mexico; Mrs. Mary Hinton of Lubbock, Texas; Mrs. Don Berry and daughter, Miss Polly of Lovington, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Donaldson, and son Billie, Mr. John Hubbard of Tahoka; Mrs. Will Arnette of Plains; and Bro. Cattrell of Plainview, New Mexico. Everyone enjoyed every minute they were together, and enjoyed lots of music, there were a big ball game Tuesday evening. We also enjoyed a good barbecue. There were 36 present for supper Monday evening, August 11th. The same for breakfast. There were 59 present for dinner Tuesday August 12th, most of them remained over until Wednesday at noon, except Oscar and Fred McGinty of Tahoka, they returned home Saturday. It was voted to have the reunion to meet with Mrs. Marion McGinty sister, next year.

R. M. Goodpasture returned last week from Ada, Okla., where he went the later part of July to attend the bedside of his father who passed away August 3, which was on R. M.'s birthday. His mother is still living.

Methodist to Have A Training School

The Methodist of this section are to have a Standard Training School in Lubbock beginning Sunday Sept. 7, and closing Friday night September 12. Delegates are expected to attend from the outlying district in large numbers to take advantage of the Specialization courses being offered. The school is to be under the direction of Rev. J. W. Watson of Lubbock, who is the Conference Supt. of Sunday School work, and Mr. O. H. Cline, Director of Religious Education of Asbury Methodist Church of Lubbock, who will also serve as Education Director of the Training school. Courses offered cover a wider range of Special subjects than any previous school conducted at Lubbock. The courses and

teachers are as follows: Principles of Teaching; Dr. Paul W. Horn; Growth in Religion, (Pupil Study) Dr. A. W. Evans; Administration of The Sunday School (Specialization Course) Rev. W. E. Garrison, Old Testament; Miss Mary DeBardolaba, Methodist Church and Its Work; Rev. C. A. Bickley, The Junior Child (Specialization Course) Mrs. E. W. Wilson, Muskogee, Oklahoma, Primary Administration (Specialization Course) Mrs. John E. Eldridge, Miami, Texas. All classes will meet at the First Methodist Church in Lubbock beginning Sunday afternoon September 7, and each night through Friday in the week following. See the local pastor for further information.

TOM L. BAXTER TO ESTABLISH PAPER IN LAMESA

Lamesa, Aug.—Tom L. Baxter, business visitor to Meadow Tuesday,

founder of the Breckenridge American and owner and editor of the Eagle Press Guide for some time, is in Lamesa this month making arrangements for the establishment of a weekly newspaper here. Mr. Baxter is well known all over Texas in the newspaper field, having been connected with a large number of weekly and daily publications in the Lone Star State.

B. Tidwell, formerly of this place, but now residing in Amarillo, is here with a crew of geologists, who will work Terry county for the California Co., this winter. Mr. Tidwell says he may move his family down here for school in order that he may be able to be at home over the week-ends through the winter.

County Agent Roy Davis was a

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Sugar 25 lb. **1.39**

Pork & Beans Med. Can 9c PEACH PRESERVES, 10 oz. 26c
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PRESERVES, 16 oz. Glass 21c Syrup Blackburn Special, Gal. 79c
GRAPE JUICE PINT 23c TURNIP Greens No. 2 1/2 can 21c

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CAN A CHRISTIAN GO TO THE MOVIES?

NO!

The Reverend W. E. Woodham Denham, vicar of Chorley Wood, Herts, speaking at Christ Church: "NO Christian should go to the cinema. No truly converted person can sit and watch some of the films that are shown today. Anyone who does so is not a Christian, even if he has been going to church for forty or fifty years."

"Above all, I appeal to the parents not to allow their children to go to the cinema. It is their duty to see that children do not come under the destroying influence of the cinema."

YES!

The Rev. E. E. Haring, Chaplain, Los Angeles Hospital.

"THE benefits of motion picture showing have always been a source of satisfaction to me. Many a discouraged man or woman has taken a new hold on life after seeing a picture which occasioned a good laugh or gave a suggestion of courage or patience. My thirteen years

Relief From Curse Of Constipation

A Battle Creek physician says, "Constipation is responsible for more misery than any other cause."

But immediate relief has been found. A tablet called Rexall Orderlies has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the lazy, dry, evacuating bowel called the colon. The water lessens the dry food waste and causes a gentle, thorough, natural movement without forming a habit or ever increasing the dose.

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experience in this great hospital (Los Angeles General) where more than 2,000 patients pass through its wards every 30 days has convinced me that music, flowers, and motion pictures, as well as medicine and religion, all have their place in the healing of the ills of life—mental, physical, and moral."

HOGUE GIVES SOME OF HIS EXPERIENCES

Cleve Hogue won in the primary election last Saturday for Tax Assessor, and while talking with Cleve next day after the election he stated that while making his campaign he lost 114 nights sleep, and was 3 months and 14 days canvassing, walked 10,500 miles, told 2,000,000 lies, shook hands with 5,000 persons, gave away two pairs suspenders, three calico dresses, five dolls and thirteen baby rattlers, attended 12 revivals, joined six churches, was baptised three times, sprayed once and sprinkled twice, donated three shoats, two cows and a calf to a county barbecue, made love to eight grass widows, got dog bitten 39 times, spent \$162.50 and won the election by 116 votes, and still thinks it was worth all of the effort put forth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Price are now visiting relatives and old friends back where they were raised at Pontotoc, Miss. This was but 25 or 30 miles below the place where the editor first saw the light of day.

We received another account of the A. & M. trip this week for publication, but as we had one last week that we believe fully covered the trip, we are giving the space to something else this week.

Mrs. Darby, of Lubbock, was here Wednesday visiting her friend, Mrs. Stricklin.

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Another thing, we would remind our good friends, the dailies, that as long as Jim Ferguson can poll 400,000 votes in Texas, he is far from a dead end.

If we all get the prosperity Mr. Sterling has promised and mix it up with the Hoover prosperity, we can save the trouble of having but one variety with each meal. We are reduced to jasses and corn bread with Hoover. Now we can forego the jasses.

Well, boys, we made that extra 90 odd thousand Sterling votes cost him and his friends a cool million, and that is worth something. We made an excellent showing having as we did all the dailies, 90 percent of the weeklies and all the money against us. Hurray for the untried!

And now comes Industrial Dallas again to bother us with an announcement that they are going to spend a lot of money with some big magazines advertising Dallas. Well, we should worry. Maybe they will carry the free propaganda they sent us, also? We don't aim to use it. We call that gall with a crust on it.

It can be truthfully said that Terry county has never asked for Federal aid, but there are counties not so far away that asked for it in 1887, again in 1917, and will have to again this coming year. Have we been merely lucky, or is our soil and climate better? Figure it yourself. The government gauges show we have no more rainfall than they.

The Herald is sorry that it misquoted Sterling on bolting the ticket last week to late for correction. We guess we did, for in one paper he was quoted as saying he would not support Mr. Ferguson if she was the nominee, then right at the last minute, we saw a statement correcting that. The Herald likes to give all due justice.

The late campaign will go down in history as one of hate and vilification, and the dailies were the worst offenders. While most weeklies were for Sterling, they boosted his candidacy in a genteel manner. We can however say that the South Plains dailies, the Avalanche-Journal were more impartial in news matter than other dailies we received.

A curious coincident is happening at Lorenzo. Two men by the name of Davis are holding revivals in that little city, each representing different churches. Small towns and cities should so arrange that but one revival should be in progress at the time, otherwise it shows either carelessness in making dates, or a spirit of bullheadedness on the part of at least some of the churches.

In driving out late afternoons looking at the fine Terry county crops, we find more peas and beans than has ever been seen in this section. Some farmers have every third row of their corn planted in peas and beans. This will give the farmers an immense lot of foods to can up, as well as good food in their dry state for the long winter months. Then too, all such things can readily be sold for a reasonable price. Allso,

Caught in the Gust!
Sometimes a little gust of wind comes along and almost blows you off your feet.
A strong wind can do much worse. It can damage or destroy your home.
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they leave the ground in fine shape to produce another crop. Nothing beats peas or beans as a fertilizer.

As a parting shot at us Fergusonites, Dr. Knott, cartoonist of the old and reliable "conservative of the money crowd" paper, the Dallas News, drew a picture of a bundle of paper with a head that resembled Ross Sterling, and four men were seen in the distance approaching in a hot run, designated as north, east, south and west. We wonder if they were bond buyers?

Men seem to be ready these days to kill on little provocation. In Amarillo recently a man killed his sister-in-law because he said she was interfering with his family matters. He will of course be punished for his folly, and even if he doesn't he'll never have any peace of mind. We knew a man when just a boy that killed his twin brother and never had a good night's sleep thereafter as long as he lived. What he ought to have done was to give his sister-in-law a good spanking and called it a days work.

Dan Moody's Friday, Mr. Bobbitt was snowed under by a country boy in last Saturday's election about the worst of any of the races, despite the fact that Bobbitt was supported by all the dailies, most of the weeklies and all bar associations. Which just goes to show that probably Dan cut little ice in electing Sterling, if the truth was known. If Bobbitt had stayed out of the governor's race and tended to his own knitting, he'd probably showed up better at the finish. But he was an appointee of Dan and of course was supposed to be partisan.

Ross Sterling is the democratic nominee and the Herald will support him whole heartedly this fall, but we believe either, Small, Miller or Young could have defeated the Ferguson more than Sterling did. Speaking of Small, his goose is cooked as a future gubernatorial candidate. If he had stayed with what he said after the first primary, or had immediately announced for Sterling, it would have been alright, but he is like the Irishman's flea, hard to put your finger on him. Sterling men will support him, perhaps, but Ferguson men in the runoff will not.

Union Useful Sayings

The meeting closed Wednesday with the baptizing at Mr. Wilson's tank. Eight were baptized in Christ.
W. F. Christy and family spent Thursday and Friday at Floydada.
Mr. Foy Lewis, Cleedia Marlin, Perry Bryant and Ernest Shepherd left Saturday morning for Port Lavaca where they will secure a job in the cotton patch.
Union people have been attending the Baptist revival at Brownfield.
Miss Ozella Bass spent a few days in the home of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bass of Seagraves last week.
Mr. John Everett and family returned to their home at Pleasant Valley Thursday.
Miss Evelyn Patterson spent Saturday night with Miss Naomi Inman.
Mrs. T. B. Inman and small children are visiting in New Mexico this week.
Misses Inez Averitt, Lois Reggins, Edna Ruth Johnson, Zora Weak, Mrs. Beulah Atkins and Mr. Wayland Parker spent Sunday in the home of Mr. Ben Johnson.
Mr. R. L. Patterson and family, Mr. Melvin Patterson and family and Mr. Clifton Patterson and family have returned home after a two weeks visit in Red River county.
Miss Bonnie Dell Graves of Brownfield, spent Saturday and Sunday, with Miss June Newberry of this community.
Miss Connie Roe spent Sunday with Miss Ozella and Leta Mae Bass.
Mr. J. L. and B. W. May are working at Lubbock this week.

TOKIO TALKINGS

Quite a few from Tokio attended the Yoakum County Singing convention at Turner school house Sunday. All had a nice time and reported excellent singing. Only about half of the dinner was eaten. That is at least extra ordinary.
Bro. Lanier and Bro. Isabel are holding a revival at the hall this week.
Rev. Ira J. Phelps closed a meeting here Sunday.
The farmers are busy poisoning the worms this week.
Henry and Billie Rowe are on the sick list this week.
Tokio school will start Monday, September 1st.
Miss Margaret Denton will take Miss Bessie Day's place this year. The other teachers are the same as last year.
Miss Bessie Day will be Principal of the Harris School this year.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lovelace are the proud parents of a new daughter. All are doing well.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Slogan Green, Miss Edith Green and Miss Magdalene Purcell reported an enjoyable visit in Ark. this summer.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryson and Mr. and Mrs. Della Green have returned from an extended visit in south Texas.

Total Primary Vote Expected to Be 850,000

Dallas, Aug. 25.—Interest in Saturday's run-off Democratic primary had simmered down tonight to the questions of the total vote cast and the majorities of the several victorious candidates, particularly Ross S. Sterling of Houston, nominee for governor.

Sterling, wealthy publisher and chairman of Governor Dan Moody's highway commission, defeated Mrs. Miram A. "Ma" Ferguson, former governor, and wife of former Governor James E. Ferguson, Moody's arch enemy.

Record Exceeded
The vote already had exceeded the previous record of 834,442 and there was a probability it would pass 850,000. Sterling's majority may reach 100,000.

R. B. Creager of Brownsville, Republican national committeeman whose party selected its nominees in the first primary in July, today made his first comment on the result of Saturday's election. He said the Republicans would wage a vigorous campaign this fall and the results might be surprising.

"The Democrat party is so split its members cannot lie down in the same bed," Creager stated. The state has never elected a Republican governor since the reconstruction period but Creager and Dr. George C. Butte, G. O. P. gubernatorial nominee, had predicted a Republican victory in the event Mrs. Ferguson had been nominated.

Ferguson Silent
"Farmer Jim" Ferguson remained silent and Democrats wondered whether the election had forever blasted his political chances and what were his plans for the future. They also looked ahead to the state convention September 9.

James V. Allred, 31-year-old Wichita Falls attorney, was named attorney general, defeating the incumbent, Robert Lee Bobbitt. Pat M. Neff, chairman of the railroad commission and former governor, was renominated and Edgar E. Witt of Waco, state senate veteran, was named lieutenant governor.

Guinn-Williams of Decatur was renominated to congress over B. D. Sartin of Wichita Falls, former Hoover-Democrat leader.
Governor: Sterling, 468,341; Ferguson, 376,975. Lieutenant governor: Witt, 415,647; Strong, 352,289. Attorney general: Allred, 457,891; Bobbitt, 331,116.

The tabulation accounted for 845,316 votes. Returns were from all counties but 95 of them had a few votes unreported.

J. E. McDonald of Waxahachie had a lead of more than 125,000 over his fellow member of the legislature, A. H. King of Throckmorton, in the contest for commissioner of Agriculture. The vote was McDonald, 430,893; King, 300,220.
Charles Lockhart, formerly of Snyder, had 405,073 votes in the state treasurer race to 348,271 for John E. Davis of Mesquite.

THREE TEXAS CITIES AMONG FIRST 38 IN U. S. IN 1930 CENSUS

Of the American cities shown in the 1930 census to be in the "quartermillion-or-more" class, Texas has three. In the 1920 census there were only thirty and Texas furnished nearly one-half of the eight newcomers in the list.

Population figures of the first 38 American cities are as follows:

New York City	6,958,792
Chicago	3,373,753
Philadelphia	1,961,458
Detroit	1,564,397
Los Angeles	1,231,730
Cleveland	901,402
St. Louis	822,032
Baltimore	801,741
Boston	783,451
Pittsburg	669,631
San Francisco	625,974
Buffalo	572,913
Milwaukee	568,962
Washington	485,716
Minneapolis	464,674
New Orleans	455,792
Cincinnati	449,331
Newark	444,170
Kansas City, Mo.	392,640
Indianapolis	364,073
Seattle	363,134
Atlanta	347,991
Rochester	325,019
Jersey City	316,914
Louisville	307,808
Portland Ore.	299,122
Toledo	290,787
Houston	289,428
Columbus, Ohio	289,056
Denver	287,644
Oakland	284,213
St. Paul	270,883
Dallas	260,397
Birmingham	257,657
Akron	256,353
San Antonio	254,562
Memphis	252,049
Providence	251,029

Weldon Ridgeway will reopen the Brownfield Skating rink here Saturday night. Weldon is a fine young man, and we are sure he will conduct the business in the right kind of way, and that the people who care for this sport will always be treated courteously. Remember Saturday night, August 30th.

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Copper Medals To Two Best Girl Canners in Terry

Special awards by Senator Arthur Capper, of silver and bronze medals to the two 4-H club girls who enter Terry County's best jars of home canned fruits, vegetables and meats in the National Canning Contest at Shenandoah, Iowa, is announced in a message to the Herald from Shenandoah, Iowa, where the contest is being held under the auspices of the Household Science Institute.

Senator Capper, long a friend of the 4-H clubs and a member of the National Committee on Boy's and Girls' Club Work, in making the awards said that he hoped these awards would serve to encourage home canning work among farm girls and that they would prove of value to 4-H club leaders and extension workers in furthering this work.

The Capper medals are in addition to the list of 470 prizes totaling \$4,250 in cash, loving cups and ribbons which will be distributed to the winners of the contest. The grand sweepstakes award of the contest carries with it a cash prize of six hundred dollars.

The contest is open to every woman and girl. There are no restrictions as to the nature of the food sent. Contestants may enter the fruit, vegetable or meat division, any two of these divisions, or all three. Entries should be sent immediately upon canning. These will be kept on exhibition at Shenandoah till the closing of the contest on October 1.

The list of contest judges includes five of America's outstanding home economics experts and nutrition authorities, headed by Dr. Louise Stanley, Chief of the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture. That the judging may be thoroughly impartial and the display of jars absolutely uniform, contestants are required to send their entries in standard glass jars of the quart size. A sample Ball mason jar and carton, together with prize entry labels and full information for entering may be had without cost by writing the National Canning Contest, Shenandoah, Iowa.

Any preferred method of canning may be used although it has been found that the hot pack method together with the use of a pressure cooker for the sterilizing is best,

WE ARE STILL RURAL

According to the United States Census, the majority of the people of the United States live in "urban" rather than "rural" communities. The Census of 1920 showed 51.4 percent of urban population as against 48.6 percent rural. The Census of the 1930 will undoubtedly show a much larger proportion living in communities of a size which the Federal government calls urban.

The catch in this is in the definition of "urban" and "rural." The Government's position is the arbitrary one that any community with more than 2,500 inhabitants is "urban" and anything less than that in size is "rural." We agree that the line has to be drawn somewhere, but we submit that this is drawing it too far down the line.

Certainly there are thousands of communities of more than 2,500 population whose interests are still rural, whose inhabitants have not got the big city point of view on any of the important matters of manners, morals and outlook on life generally. We can name cities of 50,000 and more whose interests are still almost entirely agricultural, or in lines which depend directly upon agriculture; and a city like that, no matter what its size, is definitely rural.

Rural communities are growing in size; that is clear from the incomplete Census reports already published. Towns which had 2,500 population ten years ago are now for the most part nearer 5,000. But that does not make them any the less rural.

We are almost inclined to agree with the New York Times, which suggests that only cities of 100,000 or more should be classed as urban. If that classification were adopted, about 36,500,000 of the people of the United States would be in the urban group, and the remaining 70 percent would still be rural folk. That would be drawing the line somewhat closer to the top than probably is justified but there is something in what the Times says about Los Angeles, with more than a million and a quarter population; it is astonishing.

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LOST the back bumper on 1929 model Buick. Return to Tom May for reward.

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LOST. 7 jewel Elgin watch in gold filled case in court yard last week. Finder return to S. T. Miller for reward. 1tc.

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Hemstitching 5c per yard. Bring to my home or leave at Walt's Service Station. Mrs. Walter Gracy, 45tc.

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WANTED—Clean cotton rags, no strings and sock or overalls wanted. Bring to Herald Office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE, Deering Row Binder.—See Travis Bynum at At Yououree and Bynum Tailor Shop.

I SHALL BE GLAD to do your Hemstitching for 5 cents a yard.—Mrs. A. J. Weldon, 218 North 4th street.

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I HAVE one of the best farms in Terry county to rent to a man with a good Farmall. See Jack Benton at Phillips Pet. Co. Service Station. tfc.

DR LESTER TREADAWAY of Lamesa, will be here next Wednesday, September 3rd, to remove tonsils an adenoids at Dr. T. L. Treadaway's office. This may be the last trip up before school opens, therefore those in need of this work had best meet him there. 1tc.

FOR SALE or rent, my place on north second street. Also lot No. 2 in block 26, Both at a bargain. See or write Mrs. Annie R. Haley, 1612 8th st., Lubbock, Texas. 1tp.

ly metropolitan in some respects but "on most of the issues on which the American people vote, small town."

There is a difference between "small town" and "rural." Mere size of the community in which one lives does not necessarily affect one's point of view. It has been said that there are more "small-town-minded" people in New York than in any strictly agricultural community, and that is probably true. Certain it is that the dominant point of view of the people of America is opposed to the point of view which we think of in connection with the big cities. Probably the Times is right in saying that the "effective" urban population of one nation is not more than a quarter of the total.—Exchange.

The Brownfield Cubs started the training season Monday. Their coach, Marlin Hayhurst returned from his vacation Sunday, and immediately started the boys working out.

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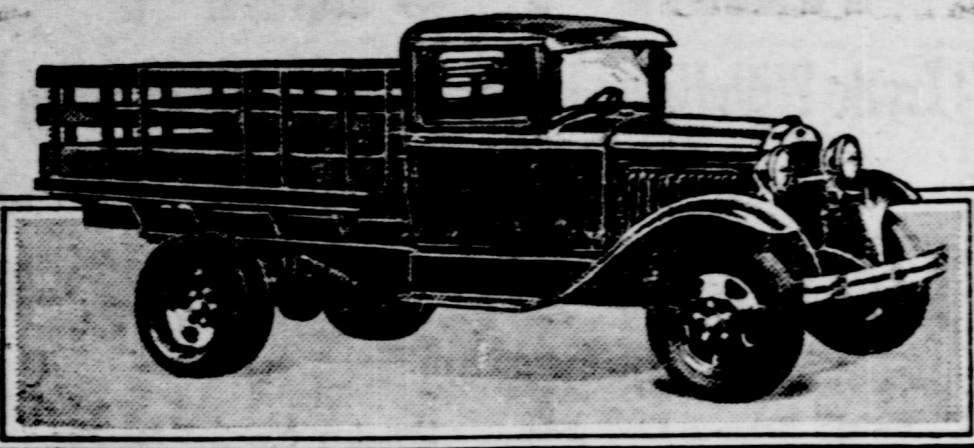
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No. 903, A. F. & A. M.
Brownfield Lodge
Meets 2nd Monday night, each month at Masonic Hall.
Dick McDuffie, W.
M. Dock Powell, Sec.

New Ford Truck With Closed Cab



NEW Ford Model AA trucks and Model A light delivery cars were announced this week by the Ford Motor Company and are on display in the show rooms of Ford dealers.

Changes in the trucks are principally in the front end, which has been completely redesigned, and in the cab. The radiator is higher with more cooling surface, fenders are wide and flowing, and a black cowl strip adds a note of distinction.

The new Model AA trucks with the four-speed transmission introduced several months ago may be had with enclosed or open cab. The enclosed cab, shown above, is all steel, it is low in appearance yet with ample head room. The open cab is of black rubber

top material and is easily removed. Both cabs are equipped with windshields of Triplex shatterproof glass and vacuum type windshield wipers.

Model AA trucks may be had with a platform body, which can be equipped with stakes or a panel body. The chassis has many improvements, including the four-speed transmission, larger front brakes, stronger springs, power take-off opening and optional dual rear wheels.

The Model A line of new commercial cars comprises a light delivery truck with pick-up body, a deluxe delivery truck, a small panel truck and a station wagon. These cars have the smaller wheels and larger tires of the new Ford passenger cars.

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LEE TANKERSLEY

CHEVROLET INCREASES LIGHT DELIVERY TRUCK

An increase of twenty per cent in production of light delivery trucks during the first half of this year over the same period in 1929 was announced today by Sidney Corbett, manager of the commercial car division of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

Figures for the comparable periods were 27,236 units as against 22,613 to July 1 last year. This production increase Mr. Corbett attributed to the need for light delivery trucks in federal, state, municipal and public utility construction projects now under way, and to the growing use of the light truck in rural sections. Farmers, especially, are finding the light delivery an economical and necessary addition to farm equipment, he said, and the wide variety of body types available enables the user to choose the exact body for the work to be done.

While commercial car production is necessarily a minor part of the total output of the Chevrolet Motor Company, Mr. Corbett pointed out that it is accounting for a constantly increasing production of each year's output. The company first began building commercial cars in 1916, he stated, and since that date 1,169,000 units had been built, up to the middle of this year, or in the ratio of better than one commercial car to

each six passenger cars.

A VICTIM OF HARD LUCK

We have just read again a real and absolutely true hard luck story. It concerned a young man who was handicapped to begin with by being awkward, homely and almost uncouth. He was ambitious, however, and ran for the Illinois legislature but was badly beaten.

Then he was into business with a worthless partner; failed and spent 17 years in paying off his debts. In the meantime he was engaged to a beautiful young woman, who died.

Nothing daunted, he ran for Congress and was defeated. An effort to obtain a government appointment ended in failure. Aiming still higher he ran for the United States Senate, but again his ill luck persisted and he lost. He also failed in his attempt to obtain the nomination for Vice-President of the United States. At one time in his life he contemplated suicide, but soon recovered his iron nerve and pressed on.

By this time the reader who knows his history may have guessed the name of this apparently hopeless victim of Fate, who finally won success, and whose name is enshrined in the hearts of his countrymen.

It was Abraham Lincoln.

THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD

VISABLE SUPPLY OF WORLD COTTON HIGH

Austin, Texas, Aug.—On August 1, the indicated supply of cotton in the United States was 18,892,000 bales, against 17,865,000 bales on August 1, 1929, and a seven-year average of 16,862,000 bales, according to Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas, in a report for the Texas Business Review, issued monthly by the Bureau.

"The world's carryover of American cotton on August 1 was about 6,100,000 bales; this added to the estimate of 14,362,000 bales makes a world supply of American cotton for 1930-31 of about 20,500,000 bales," Dr. Cox said. "The carryover, in the United States on August 1 was 2,217,000 bales more than last year. However, the prospective crop of 14,362,000 is 1,181,000 bales less than the 15,643,000 bales as estimated on August 1, 1929.

"Indicated price of New Orleans' spot cotton is about 12.80 cents. On August 1, stocks in and afloat to Europe were 170,000 bales less than on August 1, 1929. Applying the ratio of 24 deflated price points for each change of 100,000 bales in supply to these figures would indicate a price of about 13.30 cents for New Orleans spots.

"Figures released by the Associated Textile Merchants of New York City for July are the lowest on record, but they are encouraging in that sales and shipments are ahead of production. Production was only 166,000,000 yards, but sales were 180,000,000 yards, or 108.6 percent of output. Shipments were 106.5 percent of production, stocks decreased 2.3 percent or to 456,000,000 yards, and unfilled orders increased 1.6 percent to 222,000,000 yards."

Mr. S. C. Boswell and two of his brothers, of Durant, Okla., were here the past week looking after his business interests, as he is a stockholder in the Collins Dry Goods Stores here and at Lamesa. Mr. Boswell was mighty well pleased with the crop and trade outlook of Terry and Dawson counties.

L. T. Beck and family of Texarkana, Ark., are here this week the guest of Mrs. Beck's brother, W. E. Henson and family. Mr. Beck says we have the finest crops he has seen this year, and simply carried away at our big feed crops.

School Days Are Here.

In fairness to your child when he or she brings home a poor report card, have the eyes examined before being too critical of their scholarship.

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500 REMINGTON KLEANBORE 22 SHORT CTGS.	\$1.69

See us about your Binder Twne, Cans, Lids, Cookers and Sealers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Copeland and little son have returned from their vacation in the mountains of New Mexico.

Miss Dollie Miller of Plainview, was a visitor in the Stricklin home, Sunday and Monday.

Captain—"If anything moves shoot!"
Sentry—"Yessir; and if anything shoots—I move."

DON'T BE SELFISH

Teacher—"You remember the story of Daniel in the lions' den, Howard?"
Howard—"Yes, ma'am."

"What lesson do we learn from it?"
"That we shouldn't eat everything we see."

He—"Your lipstick is coming off. She—"No it isn't."
He—"I'm sure it is."
She—"I'm sure it isn't."
He—"Listen here—any time I get this close to a girls lips, her lipstick is coming off.—Punch."

MOST IMPROPER

"My dear," called a woman to her husband in the next room. "What are you opening that can with?"
"With the can opener, of course. What did you think I was opening it with?"

"I thought from your remarks that you were opening it with a prayer."

TIMES HAVE CHANGED

"Times certainly have changed," sighed Si Perkins.

"How so?" asked Slim Stokum.
"Why, at a little family party last night the women talked about the Governor's race while the men got off in a corner and exchanged recipes."

It is the woman who thought to bring the quince preserves to the picnic that gets the most applause.

A majority of the 17 Erath county turkey raisers who carefully selected breeding females last fall on the basis of weight and uniform quality, report hrier and more uniform appearing poult than a year ago. The eggs were early and hatchability good, which the county agent regards as noteworthy in consideration of the fact that he mating season was marked by severe weather and total lack of green feed this year.

Teacher—"An so we find that heat expand things and cold contracts them. Can anyone give me an example of this?"
Bright Student—"Yes, ma'am. The days are longer in summer.—Exchange."

"Ever heard this one?" asked the traveling salesman of the group in the hardware store. "A dog was tied to a rope about 14 feet long. Twenty feet away was a fat, juicy bone. How did the dog get to the bone?"

"Oh, that's old," answered a clerk. "You want one of us to say 'I give up, and then you say 'That's what the dog did.'"
"No, you're wrong, for the dog got the bone."
"Well, how did he get it?"
"The other end of the rope wasn't tied."—Monroe Enquirer.

AN EARLY BIRD

"I reckon," said the farmer, "that I get up earlier than anybody in the neighborhood. I am always up before 3 o'clock in the morning."

The second farmer said he was always up before then and had part of the chores done.

The first farmer thought he was a liar and decided to find out.

A few mornings after he got up at 2 o'clock and went to his neighbor's house.

He rapped on the back door and the woman of the house opened it. "Where is your husband?" asked the farmer, expecting to find his neighbor in bed.

"He was around here early in the morning," answered his wife, "but I don't know where he is now."

A landlord wrote to his tenant: "I regret to inform you that my rent is much overdue. Will you kindly forward me a check?"

Back went the reply: "I see no reason on earth why I should pay your rent. I can't even pay my own."

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Newly Elected Officers Are a Fine Bunch
 The newly elected officers of Terry county are one of the finest bunches of men and women we have ever put in office, and this is saying no harm of the good men and women they defeated. We are indeed proud that the Terry county people have nominated, which is equivalent to election such a good set of incoming officers.
 Mon Telford as sheriff and Rex Headstream as county clerk, were both running for their second term with no opposition. Both have made excellent, accomodating officers, and it would have been folly for any one to have wasted their time trying to run against them for their second term. Indeed we expect their second terms to be more efficient if possible than their first one, as they will know more about the office.
 The incoming new officers are Jay Barrett, county judge, who for years was one of our most successful farmers, and served as county commissioner two terms while farming. Later on he was elected county and district clerk and served the people of Terry county very efficiently, assisted by his excellent wife, who helped him in that office. We now expect an efficient administration from him as our next county judge.
 Our new assessor will be T. C. (Cleve) Hogue. As an official we do not know of any previous experience that he has had, but we know him as a farmer far above the average, as a business man of ability, as a citizen who is above suspicion, and whose word is as good as his bond. He is well liked by all who know him.
 W. W. Price was re-elected without opposition as our county attorney. This is becoming an important office as the population of the town grows, and Mr. Price has rendered a service in that office that has proven satisfactory to his constituency.
 Our incoming County Treasurer, Mrs. J. L. Randal, was among the very earliest citizens of Terry County, and taught the first school ever taught in Brownfield. This is her first experience in holding office, but having made a success as a teacher and as a pharmacist, we see no reason why she will not prove her worth keeping an excellent set of books for Terry County.
 Messrs. Mack Thomason and L. L. Brock were re-elected without opposition as commissioners. Mr. J. W. Lasiter defeated his opponent and has been re-elected for the third term. The new commissioner is Mr. W. A. Hinson, of Meadow, who succeeds Mrs. Tinnie Stewart, who filled out the unexpired term of her husband, but did not offer herself for re-election. This is a fine body of men who have made a success as farmers, and are progressive enough to see and act for the best interest of the tax payers of the county.
 The Herald is well pleased with our incoming officers.

DISTRICT CONVENTION ENDORSES MARVIN JONES
BE IT RESOLVED by the Democrats of the Eighteenth Congressional District in convention assembled: THAT we heartily endorse the record and service of Congressman Marvin Jones, and his stand on public questions.
 THAT we especially commend him for his work in behalf of freight rate readjustments on wheat, cotton and livestock, and his efforts to secure export freight rate reductions on wheat and cotton similar to export reductions now prevailing on industrial commodities. This we regard as a matter of vital importance.
 THAT we commend him for securing the passage of his measures providing for separating the merchantable and non-merchantable cotton in reporting the carry-over; his measure to search for new uses for cotton; and his measure forbidding price forecasts on cotton; and also his efforts in preventing an improper grading of wheat. His work in promoting the material and industrial development of Texas and the South has won wide spread and deserved recognition.
 THAT we further endorse the activities of Congressman Jones in behalf of the livestock interest, his efforts to provide for taking the profits out of war by drafting munition plants and other factories engaged in manufacturing the essentials of war; his consistent support of restricted immigration and his efforts at all times to strengthen this legislation; and his measure to allow the building of new lines of railway within the state without the necessity of securing a permit from the Inter-State Commerce Commission.
 THAT we further endorse his work in securing the passage of the law authorizing the establishment of the government helium plant in the EIGHT
 Panhandle for the extraction of helium, for securing the appropriation for building same and securing the necessary lands for the conservation of that priceless commodity; and we commend him for his efforts in making provision for its continued operation.
 THAT we further endorse Marvin Jones as a man and as an official

KILLING PRICKLEY PEAR WITH POISON
 Albany—Calcium chlorate, one pound to four gallons of water, sprayed on prickley pear after they have been cut and piled has given Joe Pate, Shackelford county farmer, a complete kill the first time over his land. It was formerly necessary to go over the ground a second and third time to completely kill out the pear, the county agent says. By Mr. Pate's method ranchers and farmers can save from 10 to 35 cents per acre. Prickley pear is being killed on thousands of acres in this county.

RUNNING A NEWSPAPER
 The thing that makes it hard for a man to run a newspaper is his friends. When a friend thinks something ought to be kept out of the paper he doesn't hesitate to ask it as a personal favor. An enemy doesn't ask any favors. But a friend thinks the conduct of a newspaper is the personal matter of the editor, when as a matter of fact, he is largely in the position of aman serving a public trust.
 A philosophical old fellow once said to the writer, "a newspaper that doesn't make you mad once in a while isn't worth the subscription price."
 To make people mad isn't the chief province of a newspaper, but if it is going to be one worthy the name, it must print the news without fear or favor. The Register has been threatened with, and indeed has suffered business reprisals, not once but frequently. These things must necessarily be borne in silence. The great reading public which a newspaper serves is not interested in the personal difficulties of the editor or publisher, though we have known instances where a full airing of threats and subsequent reprisals would have made absorbing reading.
 But such things must be regarded as part of the game—to be suffered perhaps because of sins committed in other directions. And then, too, it must be remembered that all things, both human and divine, are subject to criticism. Even the Bible does not escape—Raleigh (N. C.) Register.

FIRST BALE SHORT STAPLE COTTON FINDS NO MARKET
 The first bale of Anderson County cotton for 1930 remains on the bungalow lawn without a buyer. It was to have been sold this morning at 10 o'clock to the highest bidder, but no bidders put in their appearance, according to Secretary Tubbs of the Chamber of Commerce.
 A premium of \$100 has been raised for Mr. Buley, the grower, but this will not be given until a market for the bale of cotton is found, as is customary.
 The farmers of this section were warned early in the year about half-and-half and other short staple cotton by County Agent McConnell and Secretary Tubbs, and were told that there probably would be no market for this kind of cotton this fall. These two men worked diligently in selling the farmers a long staple seed, and succeeded in placing more than a car-load. However, much of the half-and-half variety was planted and it is very doubtful if the growers will be able to sell it at any price, since the buyers do not want it.
 Since no local buyer has made a bid for the first bale, it is very likely it will be sent to Houston where it is hoped it can be sold—Palestine Herald.

who fights continuously for the promotion of the interests of West Texas and the Nation, and who, because of his integrity, industry, ability and experience is ideally fitted to represent this district in Congress.
 We pledge him our unqualified support.

Trown From Horse—Suffers Concussion
 While doing some wild west stuff on the Heath farm 10 miles northwest of Tokio, Sunday afternoon, Frank the 16 year old grandson of Rev. Heath had the misfortune to be thrown from his horse which fell on him causing severe concussion of the brain.
 Young Heath was unconscious for 18 hours but was recovering slowly Monday afternoon.

From this on the Herald will not publish correspondent letters that do not reach us by Tuesday or early Wednesday morning. Mail them Monday to guarantee publication. Late letters throw too much work on the printers at the last minute when we are getting ready for press. Most of the news of rural communities happen over the week end, and they should be mailed Monday morning.

We are requested to announce that the meeting under the auspices of the church of Christ will begin Saturday night at Gomez and run over two Sundays, probably longer. The preaching will be done by Glen Wallace of Abilene, and the song services under the direction of local talent. You are invited.

GIVE THEM A "PEEP BEHIND THE SCREEN"
 At various times The Auxiliary has urged upon publishers the necessity for supplementing their work in producing a newspaper with the kind of promotion work which will make their readers more appreciative of the quantity and quality of reading matter they are getting for the investment represented by the subscription price. In addition to this form of promotion work which has to do with the commodities, news and features, which the editor "sells" to his "customers," there is another form of promotion work which has to do with intangibles and which may be classified roughly as good will promotion.
 A good example of this came to our notice recently in the form of an editorial which G. C. Stearns printed in his Iron River (Mich.) Reporter. It appeared under the title of "Getting the News." It reads as follows: Says Publishers Auxiliary:
 Newspaper are frequently blamed for their inaccuracies, errors and mistakes, and occasionally it is justified, but perhaps it has never occurred to many of the readers what is involved in the writing of a news story and getting it correct.
 To testify ourselves and, of course, to provide ourselves with a ready excuse in the future when we should make a glaring mistake, the editor took the five-inch news article entitled, "No Inquest for Crash Victims," which was on the front page of the Reporter on Tuesday and counted the number of facts that absolutely had to be learned before that story could be written.
 There were just 84. There was 42 lines in the article, which made an average of two facts to each line. To get this information we had to get in touch with five different persons, two which were outside of Iron River.
 The names, initials of the principals, ages, where they are from, what they were doing, when it happened, where it happened, how it happened, who saw it, what they saw, what resulted, where they were taken, how long they remained, what is being done about it, what disposition was made of the bodies, and so on through the entire story, the multiplied numbers of questions were answered so as to have a full and reliable account of the accident that resulted in the death of two persons.
 Let our readers, if they have a copy of Tuesday's Reporter, turn to the article indicated and with a pencil check off for themselves the number of facts necessary to be learned before the article could have been written, and we believe it will be the means of enlisting our readers in a sympathetic consideration of the task that is before the editorial staff, of the Reporter in getting out a reliable newspaper twice a week for its many reader.
 Because we have learned there are many things in a story which we may get wrong, will not diminish our vigil in the future, however, in an effort to keep the pages of the Reporter free from errors and mistakes, but calling the attention of our readers to that fact we hope will lessen the severity of their criticism in the future when perchance they see a mistake or even several mistakes among the hundreds of items, each

of which must be obtained through many and various sources, not all of which are always overly reliable.

EARLY BATH TUBS
 If certain data we have run across lately are authentic, the joke about the Saturday night bath is not so old as we had imagined. It is recorded that the first bath tub in commission in the United States was christened on Christmas Day, 1842.
 Looking up the day of the week in a perpetual calendar, we find that this was Sunday, but it is possible that the first bath was really taken on Christmas eve, thus establishing the Saturday night tradition.
 Upon its introduction the bath tub was looked upon with much suspicion, as it is by small boys until this day in Boston an ordinance was passed prohibiting baths except upon the advice of a physician. About 1844 at the Philadelphia city council came within two votes of passing an ordinance prohibiting baths altogether between November 1 and March 15.
 Bath tubs were heavily taxed in those early days, even as the modern automobile. Shortly after they were introduced into Virginia a state tax of \$36 was imposed on each tub installed.

Still, Americans of those times were more given to bathing than the old Russians. We have read somewhere that Peter the Great bathed only once a year. But there was extenuating circumstances. Russia is a very cold country.
 Mr. E. E. Hamilton, of the Roscoe State Bank, and Alvis Altman of the Altman Bennett Co., of Roscoe, were business visitors in our city Wednesday, and guests of Mr. O. E. O'Neal. While here they looked Terry county over and expressed themselves as being well pleased with old Terry. They also passed many nice compliments on the appearance of our little city.
 One of the laughable after election sights here was a wheelbarrow ride Monday morning Jap Proctor, Fergusonite, was giving James Dallas, Sterlingite. The joy ride began at the pavement on Ninth street and lasted until the other end was reached at First and Main streets, Jap had his tongue out by that time.
 Why, oh why? Did you hear about the little fellow who wanted to know why vitamins were put in spinach and cod-liver oil instead of in cake and candy.

NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS ARE A FINE BUNCH
 The newly elected officers of Terry county are one of the finest bunches of men and women we have ever put in office, and this is saying no harm of the good men and women they defeated. We are indeed proud that the Terry county people have nominated, which is equivalent to election such a good set of incoming officers.
 Mon Telford as sheriff and Rex Headstream as county clerk, were both running for their second term with no opposition. Both have made excellent, accomodating officers, and it would have been folly for any one to have wasted their time trying to run against them for their second term. Indeed we expect their second terms to be more efficient if possible than their first one, as they will know more about the office.
 The incoming new officers are Jay Barrett, county judge, who for years was one of our most successful farmers, and served as county commissioner two terms while farming. Later on he was elected county and district clerk and served the people of Terry county very efficiently, assisted by his excellent wife, who helped him in that office. We now expect an efficient administration from him as our next county judge.
 Our new assessor will be T. C. (Cleve) Hogue. As an official we do not know of any previous experience that he has had, but we know him as a farmer far above the average, as a business man of ability, as a citizen who is above suspicion, and whose word is as good as his bond. He is well liked by all who know him.
 W. W. Price was re-elected without opposition as our county attorney. This is becoming an important office as the population of the town grows, and Mr. Price has rendered a service in that office that has proven satisfactory to his constituency.
 Our incoming County Treasurer, Mrs. J. L. Randal, was among the very earliest citizens of Terry County, and taught the first school ever taught in Brownfield. This is her first experience in holding office, but having made a success as a teacher and as a pharmacist, we see no reason why she will not prove her worth keeping an excellent set of books for Terry County.
 Messrs. Mack Thomason and L. L. Brock were re-elected without opposition as commissioners. Mr. J. W. Lasiter defeated his opponent and has been re-elected for the third term. The new commissioner is Mr. W. A. Hinson, of Meadow, who succeeds Mrs. Tinnie Stewart, who filled out the unexpired term of her husband, but did not offer herself for re-election. This is a fine body of men who have made a success as farmers, and are progressive enough to see and act for the best interest of the tax payers of the county.
 The Herald is well pleased with our incoming officers.

DISTRICT CONVENTION ENDORSES MARVIN JONES
BE IT RESOLVED by the Democrats of the Eighteenth Congressional District in convention assembled: THAT we heartily endorse the record and service of Congressman Marvin Jones, and his stand on public questions.
 THAT we especially commend him for his work in behalf of freight rate readjustments on wheat, cotton and livestock, and his efforts to secure export freight rate reductions on wheat and cotton similar to export reductions now prevailing on industrial commodities. This we regard as a matter of vital importance.
 THAT we commend him for securing the passage of his measures providing for separating the merchantable and non-merchantable cotton in reporting the carry-over; his measure to search for new uses for cotton; and his measure forbidding price forecasts on cotton; and also his efforts in preventing an improper grading of wheat. His work in promoting the material and industrial development of Texas and the South has won wide spread and deserved recognition.
 THAT we further endorse the activities of Congressman Jones in behalf of the livestock interest, his efforts to provide for taking the profits out of war by drafting munition plants and other factories engaged in manufacturing the essentials of war; his consistent support of restricted immigration and his efforts at all times to strengthen this legislation; and his measure to allow the building of new lines of railway within the state without the necessity of securing a permit from the Inter-State Commerce Commission.
 THAT we further endorse his work in securing the passage of the law authorizing the establishment of the government helium plant in the EIGHT
 Panhandle for the extraction of helium, for securing the appropriation for building same and securing the necessary lands for the conservation of that priceless commodity; and we commend him for his efforts in making provision for its continued operation.
 THAT we further endorse Marvin Jones as a man and as an official

KILLING PRICKLEY PEAR WITH POISON
 Albany—Calcium chlorate, one pound to four gallons of water, sprayed on prickley pear after they have been cut and piled has given Joe Pate, Shackelford county farmer, a complete kill the first time over his land. It was formerly necessary to go over the ground a second and third time to completely kill out the pear, the county agent says. By Mr. Pate's method ranchers and farmers can save from 10 to 35 cents per acre. Prickley pear is being killed on thousands of acres in this county.

RUNNING A NEWSPAPER
 The thing that makes it hard for a man to run a newspaper is his friends. When a friend thinks something ought to be kept out of the paper he doesn't hesitate to ask it as a personal favor. An enemy doesn't ask any favors. But a friend thinks the conduct of a newspaper is the personal matter of the editor, when as a matter of fact, he is largely in the position of aman serving a public trust.
 A philosophical old fellow once said to the writer, "a newspaper that doesn't make you mad once in a while isn't worth the subscription price."
 To make people mad isn't the chief province of a newspaper, but if it is going to be one worthy the name, it must print the news without fear or favor. The Register has been threatened with, and indeed has suffered business reprisals, not once but frequently. These things must necessarily be borne in silence. The great reading public which a newspaper serves is not interested in the personal difficulties of the editor or publisher, though we have known instances where a full airing of threats and subsequent reprisals would have made absorbing reading.
 But such things must be regarded as part of the game—to be suffered perhaps because of sins committed in other directions. And then, too, it must be remembered that all things, both human and divine, are subject to criticism. Even the Bible does not escape—Raleigh (N. C.) Register.

FIRST BALE SHORT STAPLE COTTON FINDS NO MARKET
 The first bale of Anderson County cotton for 1930 remains on the bungalow lawn without a buyer. It was to have been sold this morning at 10 o'clock to the highest bidder, but no bidders put in their appearance, according to Secretary Tubbs of the Chamber of Commerce.
 A premium of \$100 has been raised for Mr. Buley, the grower, but this will not be given until a market for the bale of cotton is found, as is customary.
 The farmers of this section were warned early in the year about half-and-half and other short staple cotton by County Agent McConnell and Secretary Tubbs, and were told that there probably would be no market for this kind of cotton this fall. These two men worked diligently in selling the farmers a long staple seed, and succeeded in placing more than a car-load. However, much of the half-and-half variety was planted and it is very doubtful if the growers will be able to sell it at any price, since the buyers do not want it.
 Since no local buyer has made a bid for the first bale, it is very likely it will be sent to Houston where it is hoped it can be sold—Palestine Herald.

who fights continuously for the promotion of the interests of West Texas and the Nation, and who, because of his integrity, industry, ability and experience is ideally fitted to represent this district in Congress.
 We pledge him our unqualified support.



Mr. O. L. Taylor of Amarillo, Tex. Tri-State Fair, which will be held September 22nd to 27th.

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AMARILLO, TEXAS, Aug. will be ready for the fall exposition, erected in the future. Dimensions of this unit will be 150 x 140 feet, so Here is an architect's drawing of September 22 to 27. The new building is of the Spanish type of architecture, finished in yellow stucco and brick. This style has been adopted for all permanent buildings to be constructed that it can be added to at any time. The complete building will be 300 x 150 feet. There will be 2,300 square feet of floor space, accommodating 100 cars.
 Here is an architect's drawing of the first permanent building to be constructed on the Tri-State Fair grounds at Amarillo, the new \$25,000 automobile show room which

SOCIETY and Club

Phone Items to 45—or—No. 1

"BRIDE IS SHOWED"

A delightful kitchen shower was given by the Troubadours girls, honoring Mrs. Roy Ballard at the home of Mrs. W. H. Dallas, Thursday morning August 14th.

On arriving the guest signed their names on cards strung with green ribbon from a rolling pin that had the inscription "your friends on the string to day, wish you every joy along the way and we all agree 't would be a sin not to know the use of the rollin pin."

Station LOVE was tuned in, giving the weather, predicting that there would be a light shower. Roy dedicates, "Sweetheart" to Rebecca. This selection was followed by toast to the bride given by Doris Brandy. "Here's to the bride, may her happiness be as friendship, existing for life, for the sake of the groom."

We offer this plea, that she always may prove a good wife and have the home cozy and cheerful for him when he comes home.

At evening to tra, and refrain from the use of the dreadful rollin pin. When patience and wisdom decrease."

Francis Carpenter gave this toast to the girls left behind.

Let us fill up the glass, to the girls that remain.

Tho' they're talented, pretty and clever.

Here's hoping that some day some gay handsome swain,

Will propose then we'll be his forever.

Be true to the end tho' his money we spend,

And our cooking may cause indigestion.

The dread rollin pin, will redeem him from sin,

And make him our slave without question.

The Troubadours girls sang "Should I," in conclusion, Lenore Brownfield, gave a reading:

The bride then went hunting for presents that were cleverly hid through out the house. These thoughtful gifts were passed around while coffee and sandwiches were served to the following: Mesdames: Ike Bailey, Arthur Sawyer, Frank Ballard, Felix Proctor, S. T. Murphy, Roy Herod, W. H. Collins, A. M. Brownfield, L. M. Wingerd, F. M. Ellington, Cye Tankersley, Clyde Lewis, and W. B. Downing. Misses: Cordia Mae Shepherd, Ada Ward, Welma McClish, Dora Dean Neil, Lenore Brownfield, Kathleen Hardin, Ellen Ellington, Francis Carpenter, Martha McClish, Elwene Sligh, Bonita Neff, Marion Hill, Mary Kathryn Wilson, Bole Carpenter, Doris Brandy, Latain Eicke, Amelle Holt, Lucille Oliver, Nettie Thom-

son, Ruth Henson, Juanita Murphy, Wynona Burnett and Christova Sawyer.

Mrs. Ballard was formally, Miss Rebecca May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom May, Roy Ballard is son of E. D. Ballard. They will make their home here in Brownfield, where they have built a house in the southeast part of town.

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IDEAL CLUB ENTERTAINED AT MRS. BALDWIN

The Ideal club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Baldwin. Mrs. Andersen made the highest score for club members and received a pretty Mexican water jug; Mrs. Bailey made second and received a pair of silk hose; Mrs. Bailey made high for guests and received a novelty dish in rose marie.

Pineapple sherbet and cake were served to the following: Mrs. DuBois, Mrs. McDuffie, Mrs. Andersen, Mrs. Leo Holmes, Mrs. Michie, Mrs. Ike Bailey, Mrs. Wingerd, Mrs. Clyde Briley, Mrs. Dick Brownfield, Mrs. Flem McSpadden, Mrs. Leo Allen, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Ralph Carter and Mrs. Arthur.

Mrs. Andersen and children are at home after a three weeks stay in Ruidosa.

MRS. MCGOWAN HOSTESS TO CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Joe McGowan was hostess to the Contract Bridge club, Friday afternoon at four thirty o'clock at her home on east Cardwell.

The table prizes were bottles of DuBarry perfume and went to Mrs. McDuffie and Mrs. Bowers. The high score prize was a sugar bowl in blue fustoria and was won by Mrs. Andersen.

Tuna fish sandwiches, tomatoes, and green pepper with salad dressing, potato chips, and food rings with whipped cream and fruit salad and grape punch were served.

The guests were Mrs. Andersen, Mrs. DuBois, Mrs. Michie, Mrs. McDuffie, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. King and Mrs. Bowers.

HELEN QUANTIE ENTERTAINED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Chry Quantie entertained Monday afternoon, August 18, from five to seven o'clock in honor of Helen's tenth birthday. Ice-cream and cake were served.

The guests were: John McCloud, Jr., O'Dell McCloud, Clifton Jones, O. L. Tidwell, Bettie Jo Savage,

Billie Joe McGowan, Virginia and Thelda May, Bell Joe and E. V. May, Mattie Joe Gracey, Vera Williamson, Clyde Dallas, Vondee and Elroy Lewis, Aubrey Wayne Brothers, Chas. Mammion, Pauline Neyland, Postelle O'Neal, Carol Fowler, T. J. Brown Jr., Olean and Irene Tannery, Lemon, Ora D. and Kathleen Eiche, Harold Carpenter, Jean Green, Bonnie Dell Grass, Sallie Truman Stricklin, and Sam Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Hunter and little son left Sunday morning for Paris, Texas for a three days visit with her parents.

Mrs. Herbert Lee and children of Big Spring have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dallas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hudgens left Sunday afternoon for San Angelo and Stephenville.

SOCIAL FOR MISSIONARY SOCT.

The Methodist Missionary Society was entertained Monday afternoon, with a social at the home of Mrs. Jim Jackson as joint hostesses.

The members took things to pack a box for the Wesley House at Dallas. Bible contests were also enjoyed after which ice-cream and cake were served. Those present were: Mesdames: Turrentine, Powell, H. O. Longbrake, Cook, Judson Cook, B. L. Thompson, Downing, and M. Daniel.

CHRISTIAN MISSIONARY SOCT.

The Christian Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Simon Holgate for regular lesson. The topic was "Work in the Church" which was led by Mrs. Holgate.

Apricot ice and cake were served to Mesdames: Walter Gracey, Ballard, Jones, Hone, Flippin, George Snodgrass, and Earl Williams of Big Spring.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ballard.

BIBLE CLASS MEETING

The Bible class met Thursday afternoon at the Church of Christ. The lesson which completed the study of the Old Testament was led by Mrs. Murphy. Other members present were: Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Travis, Mrs. Haddock, Mrs. Legg, Mrs. Kyle Graves, Mrs. Nelson, and Mrs. L. F. Hudgens.

Mrs. Earl Williams and little daughter of Big Spring are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Holgate and family.

PIANO STUDENTS NOTICE!

Mrs. W. H. Dallas Piano Studio, will continue to be at the residence, 1001 East Cardwell street. Former students as well as new pupils are invited to call at the opening of schools for lesson periods. Beginners and advance students and teachers courses offered. Glee Clubs will be organized in grade school as well as High School.

Phone 48 for information.—Mrs. W. H. Dallas. 2-3tc.

VIOLIN PUPILS ATTENTION!

Miss Elizabeth Pickett, teacher of violin will open a studio, in the home of Mrs. Walter Gracey, September 1st. All interested please see or call by phone for lesson assignments.

Miss Pickett student of Brenan Conservatory, Gainesville, Georgia, has taught violin several years, and will have charge of the High School Orchestra.

Tuition.—8 lessons—\$8.00. (Payable in advance.) Phone 145—Miss Elizabeth Pickett. 2-3tc.

BIRTHDAY PARTY (To Late For Last Week.)

Thursday afternoon August 7th, Mrs. Stewart Keller entertained the little friends of her daughter Anna May, celebrating her 5th birthday. Many outdoor games were played, after which ice cream cones, cookies and pop was served to the following youngsters: Darlene and Samie Jo Tankersley, Evelyn, Virginia and Nathaniel Alewine, Emma Gene Coleman, Patsy Ruth and Peggy Jean Lewis, Thelma Fern and Myron Glen Harris, Alice and Norma Jo Eubanks, Charlie Mae Harrold, Bernie Marie Baldwin, Donell Holson, La Freida Gail and Barbara Wayne Bennett, Anna Mae Keller, the hostess and a few mothers.

THE INSULT

The traffic officer had raised his hand and the lady motorist stopped with a jerk. Said the officer as he drew out his little book: "As soon as I saw you come around the bend I said to myself, 'Forty-five at least.'" "Officer," remonstrated the lady, indignantly, "you are very much mistaken. It's this hat that makes me look so old."—Judge.

Tommy—"I come up to get a tooth pulled. How much will it cost?" Dentist—"Two dollars by electricity and a dollar by gas."

Tommy—"Couldn't you pull mine by kerosene for 50 cents?"

IF ICHABOD CRANE HAD A FLASHLIGHT

By JOHN G. LONSDALE
President American Bankers Association

WE ALL remember the story of Ichabod Crane and the headless horseman. There was the dark form by the side of the road—

thundering hoofs on the Sleepy Hollow highway—and Ichabod fleeing in a confused terror before this terrible monster. If Ichabod had only known that his hobgoblin was an inventive rival disguised with a pumpkin head, he would have had a good laugh and gone on with the business of vanquishing his competitor.

What Ichabod really needed was a modern flashlight. Then he would have discovered the trickery at once. Many business men need the flashlight of analysis to uncover the hobgoblins in their business and then they might sit back and laugh at their rivals who hesitate to investigate and learn the truth.

At this time, when business and banking are making strenuous efforts to have a clear vision ahead, it is especially important that the power of research and analysis be employed to their fullest extent. When these twin brothers of good management have been pressed into service in all fields, I am confident we shall see a further lessening of periods of stress. However, I believe business in general has learned the valuable lesson that any prosperity that is not leavened with a little adversity would not seem basically safe or sound.

RESERVE SYSTEM'S DIVIDENDS ANALYZED

Bankers Find Increased Payments to Member Banks Would Be Small Inducement.

Various proposals that member banks in the Federal Reserve System should participate more largely in its net earnings through an increase in the dividend rate above the present fixed 6 per cent "would be a very small financial inducement" to them, it is declared in a recent study of this subject by the Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association. This is shown, the commission says, by a theoretical forecast, on the basis of the past six years, of additional earnings that would be distributed to member banks during the next six years under two plans introduced in bills before the United States Senate.

"The Fletcher bill provides that Federal Reserve Bank earnings, after present 6 per cent dividends to members and completion of a 100 per cent surplus, should all be distributed as extra dividends to the stockholder banks," the report says. "If the earnings of each Federal Reserve bank were distributed among its own members there would be no extra dividends in the Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Chicago and San Francisco districts during the next six years, but the other six Federal Reserve Banks would pay annual dividends at the following rates: Richmond, 6.08 per cent; Atlanta, 4.99 per cent; St. Louis, 3.50 per cent; Minneapolis, 9.21 per cent; Kansas City, 5.48 per cent; Dallas, 4.83 per cent.

"If the earnings were pooled and paid out to all members in all districts each member would receive an average annual extra dividend of .73 per cent. Under this plan no franchise tax as now would be paid by the Federal Reserve Banks to the Federal Government.

Another Plan Analyzed
"The Glass bill would provide that, after present 6 per cent dividends, one-half the remainder should be paid to member banks as an extra dividend with the residue going to surplus and Federal Government franchise tax. The average annual extra dividends would be as follows: Boston District, 2.51 per cent; New York, 4.8 per cent; Philadelphia, 2.95 per cent; Cleveland, 2.09 per cent; Richmond, 3.26 per cent; Atlanta, 4.67 per cent; Chicago, 3.20 per cent; St. Louis, 2.02 per cent; Minneapolis, 4.75 per cent; Kansas City, 2.74 per cent; Dallas, 3.31 per cent; San Francisco, 1.87 per cent.

"If these extra funds were pooled the result would be an extra average annual dividend of 1.73 per cent for each member. Under this plan the system would still pay as now an annual franchise tax, amounting to \$1,941,995 on the average."

By way of concrete instance, the report says, a member bank having capital and surplus of \$200,000, therefore holding Federal Reserve Bank stock amounting to \$5,000 on which it is receiving \$300 under the present 6 per cent dividend arrangement, would with the addition of each 1 per cent to the dividend rate receive an additional income of \$50 a year.

"If each member bank will figure out for itself the dollar-and-cents gain it would enjoy we are confident it will be agreed that the gains are small as against the economic disadvantages which can be pointed out," it concludes.

GOT TO MAKE A PROFIT

Householder—Put all that stuff back on the sideboard, at once, d'you hear?

Burglar—Guc'nor, not all of it—half of it belongs next door.

Tom Glover and family are here this week from Colorado City visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Glover and other relatives.

THREE BIG JOBS ARE UNDERWAY AT FAIR

Spending a total of more than \$400,000 on new buildings and repairs at the State Fair of Texas, the exposition has more than 500 men at work on the grounds now getting things shipshape for the 44th annual State Fair of Texas, which opens on October 11. It has been announced here by T. E. Jackson, president of the Fair.

The biggest construction job under way now at the exposition is the huge 50,000 seat stadium which is expected to be completed sometime during September. This job is costing the State Fair of Texas a total of \$300,000 and 400 men have been at work rushing the job to completion.

The next job is the Livestock and Dairy Products Building, which is now under construction at a cost of \$60,000. The building, which will also be completed in time for the coming State Fair, will house exhibits of Dairy and Livestock supply, feed, equipment and manufacturing companies.

A special building, 500 feet in circumference, 130 feet across and 65 feet high, is now under way to house the famous cyclorama of the "Battle of Gettysburg," the famous picture which will be one of the attractions at the State Fair. The building is costing \$30,000 to erect.

In addition to the new buildings, old structures on the ground are being repainted, reroofed and touched up at an estimated cost of some \$10,000.

WHERE THE SHOE PINCHES

Retail prices to consumers are quick to respond to any advance in the price to producers, but are very slow to follow a decline. According to the report just issued by the Federal Government, food prices in Dallas were 48.2 per cent higher on May 15 than on the same date in 1913, and have only been reduced 3.7 per cent in 1930 as compared with 1929.

The price paid the producer for his commodities, in some instances, are about on the 1913 level. The reduction since 1929 has been very sharp, but consumers continue to pay almost as much as a year ago. The best grain fed steers were quoted at 8 to 8.5 cents per pound on the Fort Worth market, on July 14. The producer had to pay the cost of transportation. According to the Government report of May 15, sirloin steak cost Dallas consumers 47.5 cents per pound; round steak 56.2 cents; rib roast 37 cents; and chuck roast 30.7 cents. This is a reduction, or increase, for the year, comparing with the same month in 1929 as follows: sirloin steak, .3 of one cent per pound; round steak, on increase of .9 of one cent; rib roast, a decrease of 1.3 cents; and chuck roast, a decrease of .7 of one cent per pound.

Going down the list of foodstuffs retailed in Dallas, and the same holds true in other cities, we find that the decrease in the cost of foods as compared with 1929, are not in proportion to the decrease in the price paid to producers, although the cost of processing is taken into consideration. Farmers are receiving 60 cents per bushel for wheat and consumers are paying 9 and 10 cents for pound loaves. There has been some reduction in the retail price since this report was published.

There is a great surplus of foods in storage. Were prices reduced, there is reason to believe that the surplus would be consumed and in the end the entire country would be benefited.—Farm and Ranch.

WEST TEXAS FOOTBALL COACHES TO ORGANIZE

Lubbock, Texas August—A West Texas Officials and Coaches Association will likely be formed here Saturday September 6, when football coaches and those who will officiate during the coming season will gather from all over West Texas at the gymnasium of the Texas Technological College, to discuss new rules and other matters.

The meeting will open at 10:00 o'clock in the morning. Coach P. W. Cawthon, of the College, recognized as one of the best officials in the Southwest, will attend a conference on new rules at Houston, September 1, at which time leading officials and coaches from all over the Southwest will be present.

The information brought out at this meeting will be given to those who attend the meeting in Lubbock, September 6.

The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce is cooperating with the Texas Technological College in holding the conference, by helping advertise the meeting and by a free luncheon to all those who will come.

An insurance company wrote a \$1,000 life policy in the name of one Samuel Johnson. Premiums were paid promptly for a few years, but suddenly stopped. After sending a few delinquent notices, the company received this reply.

"Dear sirs: Please excuse me, but we can't pay no more premiums on Sam. He died last summer.—Yours truly, Mrs. S. Johnson.

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UNCLE SAM'S CAMELS

Probably few persons know that once the United States Army employed camels as a means of transportation in the southwest.

With a view to overcoming the difficulties of traversing the great American desert before there were any transcontinental railroads or highways, 75 camels were brought from Egypt and Asia Minor in 1856 by the War Department, while Jefferson Davis was secretary of War.

The camels performed satisfactorily but the Army "muleskinners" did not like the beasts besides they frightened the Army horses and mules into stampede on slight provocation. Before the experiment had progressed very far the Civil War broke out and the project was abandoned, some of the animals being sold to circuses while others were turned loose. Some of those, grown wild, were seen in Arizona as late as 1909, and some believe that a herd still exists in the uninhabited wastes of that region.

Finding of their bones may give rise to erroneous conclusions on the part of paleontologists of future ages.

WOES OF A PREACHER

Perceiving the difficulty of pleasing all members of his flock, and reflecting upon criticisms which he had long endured, the Rev. Basil Matthews, vicar of Holy Trinity Church, London, voiced his lamentations recently in a rather humorous vein, in part as follows:

"Be he (the minister) grave in his demeanor, seeking to uphold the dignity of his cloth, he is said to be standoffish and uppish; yea, the ungodly call him 'Holy Joe.'"

"So then he trieth to be gay, but this, too, displeases some,

"With young men and maidens if from them he hold aloof, they mislike him much. So that when they should turn to him as a friend, with

them he cutteth no ice.

"If he exhorteth all men to abstain from strong drink, he is said to be a killjoy, and inhuman. But if he entereth a tavern and putteth his foot upon the rail of brass, there be those who say 'Behold a winebibber.' So when he bloweth forth he committeth iniquity, and when he bloweth it not he is likewise a sinner.

"Let the servant therefore walk in the steps of his Master and care nought for the opinion of men."

STATE FAIR FAME GOES OVER SEAS

Fame of the State Fair of Texas has spread to the far lands of the earth and each year requests for catalogues and literature on "the world's largest State Fair" are received by Roy Rupard, secretary of the exposition.

A request for premium lists and literature has just been received from Jac Kleiboer, of Twelloo, Holland.

Another request was received some time ago from Budapest, and one was received from Germany.

Numerous requests are received by Secretary Rupard each year from Mexico, and many entries in various departments of the State Fair of Texas are made from Mexico each year.

This is the second year the request has been received from the Twelloo enthusiast.

TECH TO AWARD DEGREES TO 46

Commencement exercises for the summer graduates of Texas Technological college will be held on August 23, Dr. Paul W. Horn, president, announced yesterday. The exercises will mark the closing of the annual summer session.

Approximately forty-six degrees will be awarded candidates in the ceremonies. Dr. Horn stated. Several of there will be for the completion of work on the Master of Arts degree.

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LUBBOCK ERECTING GREATEST REGIONAL FAIR YET

Lubbock, Texas, Aug.—More and more Plains people are expected this year for the annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, Sept. 29 to October 4, inclusive, B. C. "Daddy" Dickinson, president declares.

Many new features are to be added to the fair that has attracted 120,000 fair visitors each year for the past two seasons.

Football games each day, fireworks each night, live stock, poultry, agricultural and other exhibits and other features will be available, all for one gate fee.

FORMER EDITOR ON REPORTER AT LAMESA

Former editor of the O'Donnell Index, O. D. Carter, is now connected with the Reporter at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter moved to Lamesa Saturday, and Mr. Carter took up his duties with that paper on Monday morning.

The good wishes of the Index and the force are joined with those of the Carter's many friends in wishing them much success in their new location.—O'Donnell Index.

STATE FIXES TAX RATE AT 69c ON \$100

Texas property owners will pay a tax of 69 cents per \$100 valuation on their holdings during the fiscal year starting September, 1930, the state automatic tax board decided today. The tax is one cent higher than the rate for the 1929 fiscal year, says an Austin dispatch in the Abilene Reporter-News.

Based on property valuations in excess of four billions of dollars, the tax will yield \$10,883,512.95 in revenue.

The tax for educational purposes was raised to the constitutional limit of 35 cents, four cents higher.

HOLY MOSES!

John Philip Sousa loves to tell one about two members of his famous band, or rather, about their wives. One a bride of a year, was pushing a perambulator in which were babies, triplets. The other one had been married for only a few weeks.

"What beautiful babies!" exclaimed the newly married one.

"Yes," reply the proud mother, "and let me tell you the funniest incident. At our wedding, Mr. Sousa and some of the band serenaded us and they played "Three Little Maids" from the Mikado." Isn't that funny?"

At this the other bride turned pale. "Good heavens! she gasped, "we were serenaded, too, and they played the "Sextette" from "Lucia."

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Half of the cars of wheat shipped out of Blanket, Brown County, in 1929 contained smut and cost farmers from two cents to 10 cents per bushel. Copper carbonate treatment was given 600 bushels of seed wheat there last fall by the county agent and this season the crop is coming in clean and of uniform quality.

Terracing is spreading to the Mexican border with a report coming from the county agent of Webb county that J. B. Chilton made a crop of dry land spinach on terraced land on his ranch last season and that he now has a good crop of cane maturing. Many believe that terracing and contouring will lend greater stability to dry land farming throughout extreme South Texas.

Mille Grania Klorisch of Vienna, disappointed by her reception in a new play, has given up the stage and entered a nunnery.

George Webster, 78, won the annual club race in Hempstead, Eng., swimming in water filled with ice.

ORDINANCE NO. 8.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEADOW, TEXAS.

An ordinance granting a franchise and certain privileges to the West Texas Gas Company (a corporation) with its principal office in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, and establishing rules and regulations for the use of natural gas for light, heat and power, and establishing a maximum limit for price to be charged for such gas.

WHEREAS, the West Texas Gas Company (a corporation) has applied to the Mayor and City Council of the City of Meadow, Texas, to grant said West Texas Gas Company the right to lay and maintain and operate a gas plant for the distribution of natural gas and light, heat and power within the City of Meadow, Texas, under the following terms and conditions and reservations, such rights and franchises to be as follows, to wit:

SECTION 1. That the right to furnish, distribute and sell natural gas for light, heat and power, and for all such other purposes for which gas may be used within the City of Meadow, Texas, for a period of thirty years from the date of the passage and approval of this ordinance is hereby granted to the West Texas Gas Company (a corporation), its successors and assigns, hereinafter called the grantee, subject, however, to the provisions hereinafter incorporated in this ordinance and for such additional period of extensions of the time as may at the expiration of the said term of years, and upon conditions then to be satisfactory to the officials of the City of Meadow, and to this grantee, and provided that this ordinance and franchise is to be in effect and run from and after the day and date of its passage and approval.

SECTION 2. That the said grantee is to have the right to lay mains, pipes and equipment, and to construct such buildings and install such machinery or equipment and to sell or lease such equipment to the citizens of Meadow, Texas, as may be necessary or advisable in their judgment for the proper performance of the service to be rendered to the City of Meadow, and to its inhabitants and citizens to the best interests of the gas consumers and to have, at all times, access to the streets and alleys of said City for the purpose of laying such mains, pipes and equipment as may be needed from time to time during the term of this franchise, or any extension thereof, provided, that at no time shall the grantee obstruct such streets or alleys so as to interfere with the public use thereof for a period longer than forty-eight (48) hours, and that immediately such mains, pipes or equipment is laid and tested same shall be covered and such streets or alleys shall be replaced in the same or as good condition as before such work was done.

All excavations to be properly guarded by barriers by day and by red lights at night, and the said grantee shall hold the said City of Meadow harmless from any and all damages to persons or property resulting from their negligence in the manner of constructing such distribution plant or system and guarding the same while under construction, by a good and sufficient bond executed by the grantee and some reputable surety company permitted to do business in the State of Texas, in the penal sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00). It is not intended that this bond shall be kept in force permanently, but during the "initial construction period" and this period ends when gas is used inside the city limits.

The work done in connection with the construction, maintenance and operation of said plant and transmission, transportation and distribution system, and the location of regulating stations, vent pipes thereof, gate valves, gauges, stock boxes, manholes, low, intermediate, and high pressure mains, pipes, feeders, service pipes and conduits, and service pipe extensions and all appurtenances in the streets, highways, alleys and other public places in the City shall be subject to, and governed by the regulations, rules and ordinances now in force in the City of Meadow or that may be hereafter lawfully adopted by said city.

SECTION 3. That all mains shall be at least eighteen (18) inches below the surface of the ground, and so laid as not to interfere in any manner with water mains or pipes or sewer line of said City, or pipes or conduits of other utilities already installed; and that the connections with the gas mains and pipes shall be placed and laid to the property of the consumer at the expense of the grantee. That the grantee shall not be required to extend main lines more than one hundred and fifty (150) feet to any one consumer.

SECTION 4. That said grantee shall at all times after said gas distribution system has been established and placed in operation, be prepared to furnish said City and its inhabitants with a good quality of

gas for light, heat and power, and other purposes and said grantee shall furnish such gas for all purposes for which same may be used in sufficient quantities to supply the needs of the said City and its inhabitants.

The said gas shall be furnished to said City and its inhabitants for domestic use at a net price not to exceed one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) for the first 1,000 cubic feet or less, and sixty-seven and one-half (67 1/2) cents per thousand cubic feet for all gas used in excess of first 1,000 cubic feet; provided however, that gas used for heating public buildings, churches, hotels and apartments shall be sold at the following rates:

For the first 1,000 cubic feet or less used per month \$1.50.

For the next 49,000 cubic feet used per month 67 1/2 cents per M.

For the next 100,000 cubic feet used per month 50 cents per M.

For all used in excess of 150,000 cubic feet per month 40 cents per M.

That the maximum rates for industrial gas shall not exceed the rates set out in the following schedule:

For the first 1,000 cubic feet or less used per month \$1.50.

For the next 49,000 cubic feet used per month 45 cents per M.

For the next 150,000 cubic feet used per month 35 cents per M.

For the next 300,000 cubic feet used per month 30 cents per M.

For the next 500,000 cubic feet used per month 25 cents per M.

For the next 10,000,000 cubic feet used per month 22 1/2 cents per M.

For the next 20,000,000 cubic feet used per month 20 cents per M.

For the next 29,000,000 cubic feet used per month 18 cents per M.

For the next 60,000,000 cubic feet used per month 16 1/2 cents per M.

For all above 120,000,000 cubic feet used per month 15 cents per M.

That all above rates are to be charged for gas used through one meter only.

That all bills shall be due and payable monthly and within ten days from date rendered, and in case of default or non-payment within said time, the grantee shall have the right to discontinue service to said consumer, and to make an additional charge for the gas used for any purpose equal to one-ninth (1-9) of the bill rendered. And in case said consumer shall make application to have services reestablished and gas re-connected with his premises, he shall be required to pay all delinquent bills, together with the penalty thereon, and to pay a cut-on charge not to exceed \$1.50 for domestic use and \$2.00 for industrial use. It is further provided that the grantee shall be allowed to make a minimum charge of \$1.50 per month for gas for domestic and heating service and \$25.00 per month for industrial gas service.

All gas furnished or supplied by grantee shall be metered, and for this purpose the grantee shall, at his own cost and expense, provide and install for each consumer a good and accurate meter of standard make. Grantee shall also provide and maintain at its proper cost and expense facilities for testing gas meters, and said grantee shall also provide and maintain, at its proper cost and expense, a standard meter prover of not less than five cubic feet capacity, equipped with suitable thermometers and other necessary accessories, which shall be maintained to the accepted standard of accuracy, all to be to the satisfaction and approved by the City Council.

Such meters shall be and remain the property of the said grantee and the grantee shall have the right to require the customer or consumer to deposit with him a sum equal to the maximum monthly bill to the consumer, provided, however, that no deposit shall be in a less sum than \$10.00 for domestic meter, and \$15.00 for industrial meter.

SECTION 5. The natural gas to be furnished hereunder shall be at all times kept to a standard of eight hundred British thermal heat units or higher per cubic foot at the point of consumption, at a temperature of thirty-two degrees Fahrenheit, or zero Centigrade.

Each consumer of gas shall install and maintain suitable piping within his property lines and suitable appliances and fixtures, except meters, subject to the approval of the City Council or such supervisor, inspector or other representative as may be authorized by said City Council to pass upon the same.

SECTION 6. The City reserves the right to lay and permit to be laid electric conduits, water and other pipe lines or cables, and to do and permit to be done any underground work that may be deemed necessary or proper by the City Council, in across, along or under any street, alley, highway or other public place occupied by the grantee; and when ever, by reason of changes in the grade of any streets, or in the location or manner of constructing any water pipes, electric conduits, sewers or other underground structure, it shall be deemed necessary by the City Council to alter, change, adapt or conform gas mains and service pipes of grantee, such alterations or changes shall be made by the grantee when ordered in writing by the City Council or any supervisor or other representative of the City Council so authorized to act, without any claim for reimbursement for damages against the City; and said grantee shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Meadow from and all claims for injury or damages to persons or property occasioned by or arising out of the construction, maintenance, operation or repair of said grantee's transmission, transportation and distributing system, and by the conduct of the business in the City.

SECTION 7. The right to use the streets, alleys, highway or other public ways or places of the City of Meadow by the grantee, as provided in section two above, shall be and is subject to the following restrictions, limitations and conditions, viz: that in building additional mains or lines of pipe, said grantee shall build and construct the same along and under the alleyways, where alleyways exist, rather than along and under streets, and shall only use the streets for same in so far as may be necessary in connecting from one alley to another; and said mains and pipe line shall be placed below the surface of the street or alley and so

as to protect all paving, wire cables, water pipes, underground wires or sewer laterals, and shall be so constructed and located with reference to water lines and sewer mains as not to interfere therewith, and under the direction and to the satisfaction of the City Council or the City Engineer.

SECTION 8. That the City Council hereby reserves the right to install at the point where said grantee receives his gas for distribution in the City a meter through which all gas for distribution to the City and its inhabitants shall be passed, and adequate self-registering pressure gauge adequate to record the amount of gas distributed to the City and its inhabitants and the pressure at which the same was received by the grantee.

SECTION 9. That after the said gas distribution system shall have been fully constructed, equipped, and in operation as herein provided in the City of Meadow, if the said grantee shall then fail to comply substantially with the conditions of this franchise, the City of Meadow shall have the right by ordinance duly passed therefor to forfeit all the rights and franchises herein granted to the said grantee, its successors and assigns sixty (60) days notice in writing, specifying the conditions claimed to have been violated, and giving full and fair opportunity to be heard thereon before declaring such forfeiture which notice shall fairly and fully set out all conditions claimed and complained of and shall be given by the said City and shall be signed by the City Clerk under the seal of said City, after having been properly authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the said City; provided, however, that the said grantee shall have sixty (60) days after receiving such notice substantially with the terms and conditions of the ordinance; should the violations of this ordinance so complained of not have been rectified and corrected and the terms and conditions of the ordinance fully complied with at the end of said sixty (60) days, then and in that event the City shall have the right to forfeit this franchise on account of the violations specified in said notice. That in case of forfeiture, as herein provided, the City of Meadow reserves the right to purchase the distributing plant of the grantee at its fair appraised value or to allow the grantee to receive same within one year from the date of such forfeiture, provided that before any of said property may be removed, the grantee shall be required to give to the City a good and sufficient bond that the streets and alleys will be placed and left in as good conditions as found.

SECTION 10. That in further consideration of the privileges and franchises granted to the West Texas Gas Company, it shall adopt and use all and any reasonable safeguards to provide for the protection of persons or property against injury or damage growing out of the use of gas and that they shall construct and maintain in good order all mains, pipes, and equipment used in said City for the distributing of gas, and shall always be prepared to furnish said City and its inhabitants a sufficient quantity of gas for all purposes; provided, however, that in case of explosion or accidents of any character or nature beyond the control of grantee, to the main lines or to the distributing system provided herein, or shortage of gas supply in the fields from which grantee secures the gas and the grantee is not able to furnish on account of such unavoidable conditions gas for all purposes, that preference shall be given domestic consumers, schools and hospitals in the gas until such time as the supply may prove adequate for all purposes. Provided further that grantee shall not be liable for any damage resulting from such accidents either to the line of the grantee or to the lines on property of consumers.

SECTION 11. It is provided that the grantee shall in good faith begin the construction of its main lines and distributing systems by April 1, 1931, and shall complete such main lines by May 31, 1931, and shall be prepared to serve gas to consumers on or before May 31, 1931, providing, however, that grantee shall not be liable for time consumed out of such period by strikes, acts of providence, acts of constituted authorities, or acts beyond the control of grantee.

SECTION 12. That the grantee herein shall have the right and privilege of assigning this franchise and all the rights and privileges granted herein, and wherein the word "grantee" appears herein it shall be construed as applying to his successors and assigns.

SECTION 13. Now, therefore, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Meadow, Texas that the foregoing franchise rights and privileges are hereby granted to the West Texas Gas Company, its successors, and assigns, subject to the terms, conditions and liabilities hereinbefore set forth.

SECTION 14. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 23 day of June, A. D. 1930.

Robert Welch, Mayor, City of Meadow.

ATTEST: John W. Cadenhead, City Clerk of Meadow.

STATE OF TEXAS ()

COUNTY OF TERRY ()

CITY OF MEADOW ()

We, the undersigned Mayor and City Clerk of the City of Meadow in Terry County, Texas, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the ordinance and franchise approved and passed granting to the West Texas Gas Company the right and privilege to use the streets and alleys and public grounds of the City of Meadow for the purpose of laying and maintaining gas lines for the distribution of natural gas to the City of Meadow and the inhabitants thereof for a period of thirty (30) years, and that such ordinance was duly read, approved and passed as required by the City Charter of said City; and duly signed by the undersigned Mayor and attested by the undersigned City Clerk this 23 day of June, A. D. 1930.

Robert Welch, Mayor, City of Meadow.

ATTEST: John W. Cadenhead, City Clerk of Meadow.

Scene of Beckman & Gerety's "World's Best Show"



This is a midway scene of Beckman & Gerety's "World's Best Show" which is the main attraction on the midway during the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo, September 22 to 27th. - There are 20 shows and 14 rides and they come from Hutchinson, Kansas, State Fair and go to Dallas State Fair for two weeks.

CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM OR NONE

"Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye."

Wheat is down, cotton is down, and very few farm products are paying production cost. What is the Farm Board going to do about it?

The Federal Farm Board is now the target for the most severe criticism ever aimed at any group of men in the public service. The law which created the Board and defined its duties, and the Board itself, have never had the approval of the support of the middlemen and their dependents, or of the gambler in farm products. The Board never has received encouragement from the majority of those engaged in agriculture. Through indifference, and often by direct assault, farmers have lent encouragement of their enemies of yore. In newspapers, trade journals, and frequently in farm papers, the Farm Board is condemned because it has not created artificial values for surplus products which no one seems to want at any price.

Automobile factories are running half time, stocks are in light demand; department stores report declines in business; many industrial plants have been shut down; salaries have been cut, and business in general seems to have gone to the bow-wows

along with agriculture. Why don't some of these wise critics of the Federal Farm Board do something about it? "Cast out the beam out of thine own eye," gentlemen, and then you may see more clearly how to help agriculture, the need of which is most apparent, considering the condition of your own business.

If you think it possible for the Federal Farm Board to perform miracles, why do you not perform a few yourself and bring back old-time prosperity to the industries of this country, thus relieving a most distressing situation among laboring men and their families? Farmers have provided an abundance of food and fiber, necessities of life, and it is up to industry to make possible the consumption of these commodities if prices are to be paid which will compensate the men who have toiled in the field in their production.

It is being definitely demonstrated that all business and industry is dependent upon agriculture. There may be a hang-over of prosperity after agriculture takes a slump, but it is only of short duration. Therefore, instead of criticizing every effort on the part of farmers to organize their business on a more profitable basis, it behooves industry and all those dependent upon it to make a constructive effort towards improving conditions in rural districts. It would seem there should be enough brains in this country, where money is yet

plentiful, to bring business back to normal. The place to start is at the bottom. Help agriculture and all other industry will prosper—Farm and Ranch.

HOW ENGLAND DOES IT.

Last year London had 21 murders. Seven of the slayers committed suicide immediately after their crimes, six were hanged and four sentenced to prison, leaving but four yet unpunished. In Chicago in a year there were 421 murders and four executions. In New York there were 428 killings and six executions. England has virtually wiped out murder by strict and speedy enforcement of the law.

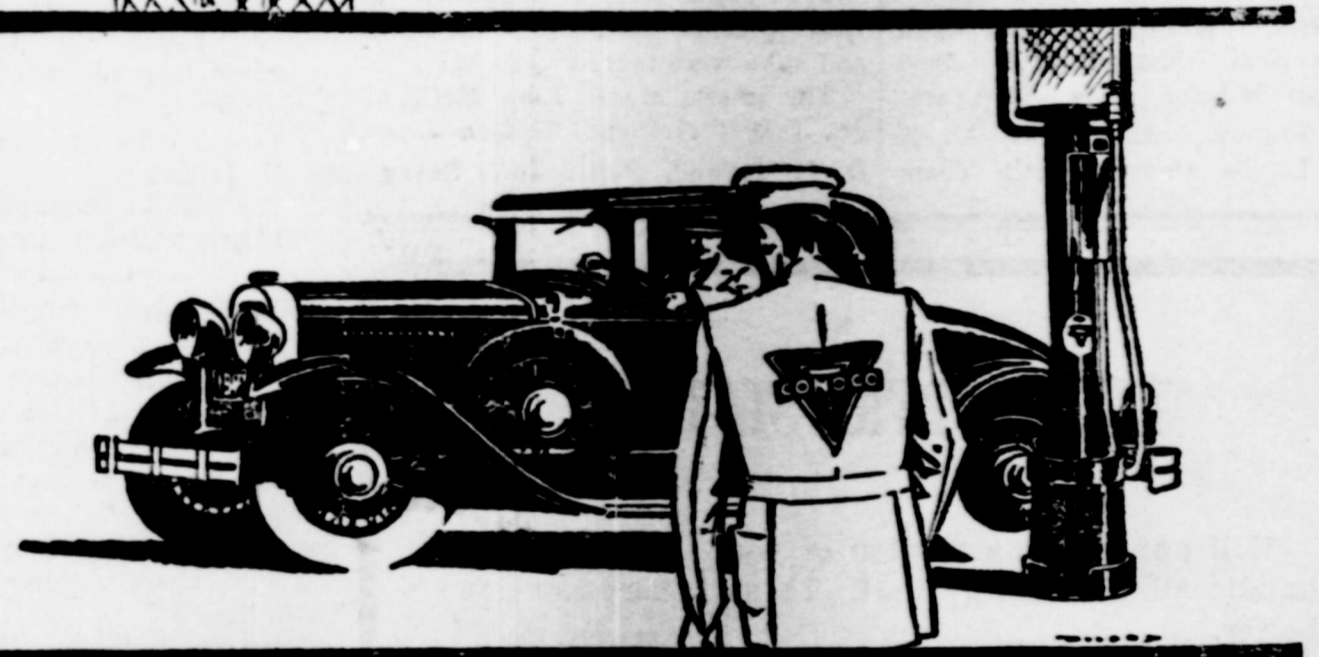
Judge Kavanaugh, well known Chicago jurist, blames public sentiment for the difference between conditions here and in England. He says the most popular judges in America are the most lenient. Probably the largest single reason for the difference is the delay in American court procedure compared to the fast-working English courts.

Human history has pretty well demonstrated that severity of punishment alone does not suffice to prevent crime. But certainly of punishment and rapidity of punishment are efficient deterrents.—Star-Telegram

W. E. Benton of the south side, was in Monday after supplies.



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