

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd

FOR REASONS OF OUR OWN

AROUND THE CORNER

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A WARNING.

To some of God's people who are opposed to the Apostolic movement, we will ask this question: Was it Christ's persecutors that were of this class, the fanatics, the heretics, the deluded and the demented, what we call "cranks" in our day, or was it Christ and His followers?

When we see who Christ's persecutors were, we see what they took Christ and His followers to be. And this is the way with ministers of the Gospel and people who are opposing the Pentecostal work as it is coming to His little ones. Now, even now, they are receiving the Baptism of the Holy Ghost, and the Holy Ghost is using them to talk in other tongues, as the Spirit gives utterance. (Ye can not receive the Baptism of the Holy Ghost without Him using your tongue to talk in other tongues. It is the only way it can come to us.) And He testifies of Jesus and they bear witness, and this is the work that is going on with our baptized people all the while, and it is of God and from God, and no person can overthrow it, turn it down or stamp it out. We warn all, if we do this we might be stamped out ourselves, for we know that God's Word teaches that if we sin against the Holy Ghost it shall not be forgiven, and we all had best be careful to know that we are not going against the Holy Ghost's work. When we asked God to guide and direct us aright on the light we believed we had received, upon our questioning this came to us: It is not wise to oppose anything my followers believe, if ye do not know whether it is Bible or Gospel truth or not.

We have read in the Word of God to have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them. And the saints and the sinners that go against the Apostolic workers as they teach it are in the unfruitful works of darkness, on our subject, and ever since we received the sweet, precious experience of the Baptism of the Holy Ghost the Lord has been using us to rather reprove the people. With our whole heart, we ask our readers that they will see it is the Lord using us; see Him, not us; for this superior wisdom and knowledge we do not claim as our own; it belongeth unto the Lord; he shall have all the glory.

The people who have not tarried at Jerusalem to be endowed with power from on high, they are in doubt and fear—their minds are restless and confused—but those that have done so are at rest; they know on this they have received a satisfying portion from the Lord of Glory—bless His holy name!—and they know this is the way God is leading his Israel in this age of the world. It seems to us to be the route to the millennium. Let it come as it may.

We believe from the depths of our soul that if all the Christians in Plainview would tarry before the Lord until they receive this glorious experience we would have one of the most wonderful revivals that we have ever heard tell of in our town, and if Christians see that they should work together, pull together, shoulder to shoulder, hand in hand, to let God use them to help save the lost in this, it may be the evening of our age, and if they see it is the will of our Savior to have more unity and Christian fellowship, and more love to God and to one another—receive the Baptism of the Holy Ghost and ye will have it—if all will stay humbly at the foot of the cross, stay near the precious, bleeding side of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

There are people that are blind on our question, and they are leading the blind. May the Lord of Glory forgive them, every one! The day will come sometime, when they are somewhere, they can look backward and see that the worst mistake they can make in this, our own day, or any other, is to try to stamp out God's dealings with his people and deathless, immortal souls that are thirsting and perishing for the bread and water of life, that are out of the ark of safety, out of Christ, exposed to eternal ruin and dark despair, and Christ their only refuge to gain a home in heaven—the home of the good, the true and the beautiful.

We see that there are those who are opposed to the Apostolic way as it is

coming to God's people in our own day. They are what we see. They are what they take the Pentecostal workers to be.

Your mother in Israel,
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From September 1 to December 24, three hundred and ninety-eight cars of live stock were shipped out of Barnhart, a new station on the Orient.

TEXAS MULES.

There is grave apprehension in some quarters that the tendency to discourage horse racing in many of the States is going to have a depressing effect upon the mule production in the United States.

A farmer in Waxahachie recently wrote a letter to The New York Herald complaining of the threatened effect upon the business of mule breeding. "Where," he asks, "are we to get mules of the best grade if there are no mares sired by thoroughbred stallions?"

The question is one of great importance to Texas, since the high-grade mule is the most potent factor in dealing with the work necessary to be done on the farms and ranches in this State, and it is one which all who are interested in the development of the State should carefully study. Every one knows that a "scrub" mare is not expected to bring a high-grade mule, and as a "scrub" mule is practically worthless it is clear that the only way to get good mules is to have good mares, and the good mares can not be had without good sires. To have good sires there must be an interest taken in breeding fine horses, and with the elimination of racing there will follow a lack of interest in breeding good horses.

Racing does not necessarily imply that there must be betting, and since betting seems to be the feature at which anti-racing laws are chiefly aimed, there should be some way of avoiding the danger without, if not with, the betting feature. The shape-

ly head, which indicates the high-bred and easily trained animal, comes only from stock which has been carefully bred up, and since the intelligent and docile mule is as important on the farm as the intelligent and docile mare or horse on the road or on the track, it follows that if this care in breeding is discontinued the quality of the mule must deteriorate.—Exchange.

PACKING PLANT NOW RUNNING.

Amarillo Rejoices That Concern Is under Way—Prospects Bright.

Marking a new era in the industrial development of Amarillo and the great Panhandle country, the wheels of the Panhandle Packing Company will be set in motion for the initial run at noon today (Thursday), the plant to be operated continuously, under contract, for a period of one year.

Operation will be under the management of O. W. Butts and N. S. McGee, and the first day's run will consume thirty head of cattle and seventy-five hogs.

Gratification is general on account of the actual operation of this plant, whose success, which is deemed assured from the outset, promises great things for this city and section.—Amarillo News.

The citizens of Wharton and Fort Bend Counties have under consideration the building of a paved highway toward Galveston, to connect with a fine paved road from the city of Galveston to the Galveston County line.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS.

Its Plans for This Year Are Receiving Endorsement of Farmers.

The Texas Industrial Congress is introducing a new feature into its work this year which is being received with enthusiasm, particularly by the farmers of West Texas. Last year the Congress confined its prize offer to crops grown without irrigation, but it is now offering, in Class E, \$1,000, divided into twelve prizes, for the best yields of merchantable kaffir corn or milo maize grown upon two acres of irrigated land. The first prize in this class is \$300, second \$200, and for the ten next best results \$50 each. This is a free-for-all contest, being open to men, women, boys and girls.

Almost simultaneously with the public announcement of the offer, applications to enter the contest in this class came from Brewster County, in the extreme southwestern part of the State, and from Hale County, in the Great Plains section of West Texas.

Inquiries as to the prizes offered in the different classes are coming in in increasing numbers daily, and full information and entry blanks will be sent to any one upon application to the Dallas headquarters of the Congress.

That the work of the Texas Industrial Congress in encouraging scientific agriculture is widely recognized as being practical is evidenced by the following paragraph, appearing originally in the Springfield (Mass.) Republican, and reproduced by the Boston Transcript:

"Mention was recently made of the Montana farmer, who won a \$1,000

silver cup for prize wheat at the New York Land Show last November, and now wants to sell it, because it is 'too big for a sugar bowl and too small for a churn.' He has a big family and a three-room house, and his desire is quite reasonable. In Texas the Industrial Congress is sensibly distributing \$10,000 in gold for agricultural prizes. After all, farming is not golf or yachting."

Ninety-seven cash prizes, aggregating \$10,000, are offered by the Congress this year, in five different classes, for corn, cotton, kaffir corn or milo maize, either irrigated or unirrigated, and for model farms.

The Congress will send full information concerning the contest, together with entry blanks, to any one wishing to compete for the prizes. Its headquarters are at Dallas.

PLANT EMMER.

H. M. Balmer Recommends It as Another Good Crop for the Plains.

Nearly all of the so-called speltz of this country is nothing more than emmer. There is a very close resemblance between the true speltz and emmer, and often one is mistaken for the other. In feeding value, there is very little difference between the two crops. Emmer is the best-yielding crop, and can therefore be recommended as superior.

While emmer has been raised on the Plains during the last five or six years, it is not as well known as it should be. It is a crop that is well adapted to the Plains' conditions.

Emmer may be considered as a drought-resistant crop. It will stand considerably more dry weather than oats, and, in this respect, is about as sure of making a crop as milo maize, especially if given a good chance.

Emmer is a small grain crop. It comprises both fall and spring varieties, both of which are about equally sure of making a crop. Farmers' Bulletin No. 466 of the United States Department of Agriculture, in discussing emmer, says: "Emmer will produce a fair crop under almost any condition of soil and climate, but thrives best in a dry prairie region, with hot summers, where it gives most excellent yields."

In various feeding experiments, emmer and speltz have been found nearly equal to barley and oats for sheep, cattle and horses. They are excellent horse feeds, and will take the place of oats. J. W. Eller, of Pampa, Texas, says that he considers speltz a very good crop for his section. He has produced an average of 40 bushels per acre for several years. He says: "I think speltz is a stronger and better horse feed than oats, if properly fed." The yield varies from 20 to 40 bushels per acre. The standard weight varies from 40 to 42 pounds per bushel.

Winter emmer should be sowed about the same way and at about the same time as winter wheat. The ground should be plowed early and deep (July or early August plowing is preferred). The seed should be sowed some time in October, with a press drill, at the rate of from 30 to 40 pounds per acre. Black Winter and Imperial Winter emmer are good winter varieties.

Spring emmer does best, if sowed on early, deep fall plowing. Ground that has been well prepared for oats is in good condition for emmer. Sowing should be done immediately after oat-sowing time, the last of February or the first of March, depending upon the moisture and weather conditions. From 30 to 40 pounds of seed is enough per acre.

This is a crop that is well worth considering, at least on a small scale. Every farmer on the Plains should include this crop in a diversified farming system. H. M. BAINER, Agricultural Demonstrator, Santa Fe System, Amarillo, Texas.

An election will be held in San Benito on February 3rd to vote on issuing bonds of \$452,000 for a drainage system.

The Texarkana National Bank is considering plans for a seven-story building, to be erected at a cost of between \$150,000 and \$200,000.

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PURPOSES OF THE COMMISSION

Inspector Riley Tells About the Workings Live Stock Quarantine.

The following article should be of interest to those who have stock, and we submit it for the information of those of our subscribers who are interested in the live stock industry in this section of the country, or any other part of the country where it is applicable. We regret that we have not the space to reproduce the entire bulletin issued by the Commission. Mr. Riley says:

"I, being with the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas as Inspector, and in the discharge of my duty, have very little trouble; in fact, the only trouble I find is, the people have only a slight knowledge of the workings and powers of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and the laws governing same.

"For the benefit of the people in my territory, I will attempt to give some information as will aid them in eradicating the disease known as 'scabies,' or itch, and complying with the law governing such cases. I find the people are very willing and anxious to comply with the law and do their duty, if they know their duty; and, as stated above, the people do not know the law and its requirements governing the handling of 'scabies' cattle. Consequently this article.

"I will be as brief as possible, giving you the law, and not mine or anyone else's opinion. One man's opinion is worth about as much as the opinion of any other. But the law should be known and regarded. The law creating the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas was enacted by the 17th Legislature, in 1893. The duties of the Commission (see Sales Civ. Stat. p. 1751, Art. 5043 C) reads as follows: 'It shall be the duty of Commissioner (provided for in article 5043 G) to protect the domestic animals of the State from all contagious or infectious diseases of a malignant character, whether said disease exists in Texas, or elsewhere, and for this purpose they are hereby authorized and empowered to establish, maintain and enforce such quarantine lines and sanitary rules and regulations as they may deem necessary. It shall be also the duty of said Commissioners to co-operate with Live Stock Quarantine Commissioners and officers of other states and territories, and with the United States Secretary of Agriculture, in establishing such interstate quarantine lines, rules and regulations as shall best protect the live stock industry of the State against Texas, or splenic, fever. It shall be the duty of said Commissioners upon receipt by them of reliable information of the existence among the domestic animals of the State of any malignant disease, to go at once to the place where any such disease is alleged to exist and make a careful examination of the animals believed to be affected with any such disease, and ascertain, if possible, what, if any, disease exists among the live stock having been reported to be affected, and whether the same is contagious or infectious; and if said disease is found to be of a malignant, contagious or infectious character, they shall direct and enforce such quarantine lines and sani-

tary regulations as are necessary to prevent the spread of such disease, and no domestic animal capable of communicating the same shall be permitted to enter or leave the district, premises or grounds so quarantined, except by the authority of the Commissioner. The said Commissioner shall also, from time to time, give and enforce such directions and prescribe such rules and regulations as to separating, feeding and caring for such diseased and exposed animals as they shall deem necessary to prevent the animals so affected with such disease from coming in contact with other animals not so affected, and the said Commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to enter and carry out the provisions of this act. (Art. 5043D of same act provides for the Governor's proclamation.)

"Article 50439 reads as follows: **Knowledge or Suspicion of Infection to Be Reported.**

"It shall be the duty of any owner or the person in charge of any domestic animal or animals who discovers, suspects or has reason to believe that any of his domestic animals, or domestic animals in his charge, are affected with any contagious or infectious disease, to immediately report such fact, belief or suspicion to the Commissioner and to the Sheriff and the Clerk of the county in which the said domestic animals are found. For the penalty imposed for the violation of this law, I will cite you to White's Annotated Penal Code of Texas, pages 549 and 550, Articles 824-A, 824-B, 824-C and 824-D.

"Article 824-B reads as follows: 'Any person who owns or is in possession of live stock which is reported to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease who shall refuse to allow the State Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner to examine such stock, or shall hinder or obstruct the said Commissioner in any examination of or in any attempt to examine such stock, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.'

"Article 824-D reads as follows: 'Except as otherwise provided in this act (of 1863, p. 70), any person who shall violate, disregard or evade any of the provisions of this act, or who shall violate, disregard or evade, or attempt to violate, disregard or evade, any of these rules, regulations, orders or directions of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioners establishing any governing quarantine, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than one hundred dollars and not more than five thousand dollars.' That is, the law and the penalty are all very plain to any man who will heed, and I deem comment unnecessary.

"For the benefit of many, I here-with append the ruling of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of March 16, 1911, and the Governor's proclamation putting it into effect, and call your special attention to Rule 22, which covers the handling of 'scabies' cattle:

Proclamation by the Governor.
"WHEREAS, The Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas, on March 16, 1911, at the regular meeting in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, adopted the following rules and regulations governing the move-

ment of live stock within the State of Texas, beginning April 1, 1911:

"Rule 22. And WHEREAS, The Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas has ascertained that cattle located in some portions of the State of Texas are infected with a contagious and infectious disease known as 'scabies,' 'mange,' or 'itch,' and that such cattle and pastures in which 'scabies' has existed at any time since the first day of January, 1911, are now hereby declared infected, and that the cattle therefrom, if brought in contact with other cattle not so affected, will communicate such contagious and infectious disease, it is therefore ordered by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas that no cattle affected with 'scabies,' 'mange,' or 'itch,' or which are in pastures in which 'scabies' has existed at any time since January 1, 1911, shall be shipped, driven, transported, or moved, from out of said pastures, or any of them, until they have been cured of said disease; provided, however, that cattle in pastures found to be infected where satisfactory dipping is practiced, and upon inspection by an Inspector of this Commission are found free of such infection, may be moved by receiving permit from such inspector that said cattle may be shipped for immediate slaughter under the regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture, and such regulations are now adopted as a part of these regulations as to interstate shipments.

"Rule 26. It is further ordered that a violation of any of the above rules and regulations shall be an offense and punishable as provided by the laws of the State of Texas, and we ask your excellency to issue your proclamation promulgating the same.

"Now, therefore, I, O. B. Colquitt, Governor of the State of Texas, in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 7, Title 102, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, do hereby declare that the quarantine lines, rules and regulations, as set forth in the above orders, and all supplemental orders of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas, shall be in full force and effect from and after this date, and shall remain in effect until otherwise ordered in due form of law.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the State of Texas to be affixed, at Austin, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1911.

O. B. COLQUITT,
(SEAL)
"Governor."

"In conclusion, I will say, I am here at your command (and also at your expense). I am here to assist, not to hinder. I will be very glad, indeed, to have the co-operation of every man in the country, in an effort to stamp out the disease.

"I will state, for the benefit of those who are not familiar with the facts, that early in 1911 the Federal department declared their intention of placing Texas below the quarantine line, and to prevent that order being put into effect the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas had to make promises that the law governing the handling of diseased cattle would be rigidly enforced, and the Commissioner has been very active during 1911. But I want to say, we are not yet immuned from the quarantine order, and if we are placed below the line it will be at a cost of from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per head on every cow now above the line in Texas. You can figure the result for yourself, knowing your subdivided numbers. Can you afford the loss?

"I am assigned to the following counties: Crosby, Garza, Lubbock, Lynn, Hockley, Terry, Yoakum, Cochran, Hale, Floyd, Lamb and Bailey. I find that my territory is more or less infected all over, and, it being large, can't be covered quickly, and, as I have orders (taking effect January 1, 1912) to make a ranch to ranch inspection just as quickly as it can be done, I will be glad to have your co-operation in this work, as it is for your protection. If every man in my territory will write me a card, giving me the number of cattle, or animals of all kinds, also size of range, giving block number and section numbers, and stating, after examining his cattle thoroughly, if he believes they are affected, it would be of much assistance in the work. Give your post office, and, if you want me to inspect your herd, state when you would like for me to come. I will gladly send to all who do this a bulletin treating on 'scabies' in cattle, and how to cure same.

"Two years, with the people co-operating, will completely eradicate all disease here and place us beyond suspicion. I am at your command.

"E. M. RILEY,
"Inspector for Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas."
"Headquarters: Lubbock, Texas."

Twenty Boys' Corn Clubs have been organized in Bexar County, by W. G. Hand, special representative of the United States Department of Agriculture for Bexar County.

Wherry Brothers, of Palestine, have purchased a tract of land near there, and will begin the construction of a planing mill at an early date.

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The Store That Secures Its Trade Strictly on Its Merits

That we are in a position to save buyers money on groceries is a fact that is fast becoming known among Plainview people. We have convincing evidence of this, judging from the many new customers that are being added to our list monthly. But the money saving is not the only advantage you have in trading with us. We have a larger and more varied stock to select from, our delivery service is of the very best, and with our vast experience in the grocery business, we know just where to buy the best goods.

On account of the increasing trade, we are going to put on another delivery wagon. This will enable us to give you more prompt service and put us in a position to handle the new trade that is sure to come to us during the coming year.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Artistic Picture Framing done at E. R. WILLIAMS'.

H. C. Randolph was an Amarillo visitor this week.

H. A. Wofford made a business trip to Amarillo this week.

T. W. and J. N. Morrison are attending court in Canadian this week.

See E. R. WILLIAMS for Artistic Picture Framing.

Marshall Phelps, candidate for sheriff, came in Saturday from Abernathy.

FOR SALE—A good house, suitable for a barn. Cheap. POLK BRYAN.

C. H. White made a business trip to Amarillo this week.

W. C. Mathes, C. S. Williams and L. W. Dalton are in Canadian this week, attending District Court.

J. K. Milwee, of Slide, came in Tuesday, to spend a few days with his family.

Mrs. J. J. Sulter and daughter, Miss Nora, of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Hamilton the first of the week.

LOST—On the Olton road, a few miles west of Plainview, a Lap Robe. Finder please deliver to FIRST NATIONAL BANK and receive reward.

If you want a quick meal, OTTO keeps all kinds of imported and domestic Cheese; also all kinds of Meats.

Judge S. P. Huff, of Vernon, returned home Thursday, after spending a few days with Judge L. S. Kinder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham left yesterday for Mineral Wells, where they will spend two or three months on account of Mr. Graham's health.

J. R. Honea, of Tahoka, has closed out his interests in that town and, with his family, moved to Plainview, on account of the educational advantages offered by this city.

Mrs. J. P. Smith came in Saturday from Austin, where she had been nursing her mother for the past two months. She reports her mother is much better.

FOR SALE—120 feet of Battleship Linoleum, suitable for any public building. Also some good Lumber, practically new. See DAVIS & BRASK.

Quite a number of the ladies of the Rebekah lodge gathered at the home of W. W. Jones, on North Pacific Street, and were given a delightful entertainment, Wednesday evening. About twenty-five were present. Refreshments were served, and a general good time was enjoyed by all.

Geo. F. Fairris left Thursday for Lubbock.

For an EXPERIENCED NURSE, call MRS. ORR. Phone 340.

C. A. Malone came in Tuesday, from Wichita Falls.

J. N. Donohoo and R. C. Ware returned Thursday from Mineral Wells.

C. S. Hefner came in Tuesday from Clarendon.

W. C. Fyffe returned Saturday from a business trip to Oklahoma.

H. Holland left Tuesday for Texico, N. M., on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Clark Smith.

Mrs. Sam Ansley left Tuesday for Mineral Wells, to visit her sister for a few weeks.

Mrs. I. W. Phillips, of Brownwood, came in Monday on a visit to her son, W. G. Phillips.

T. E. Richards left Wednesday for New York, Chicago and St. Louis markets, and expects to buy heavy for this season's trade.

The price of lard is low. Now is the time to lay in a summer supply. Ten-pound pails only \$1.35, at OTTO'S MEAT MARKET.

W. J. Mitchell has just completed a four-room cottage for Marvin Sanson, on his place ten miles west of town.

Mrs. M. A. McRae, who had been visiting her son, W. T. McRae, for the past three weeks, left Saturday for Alamogordo, N. M., to visit a son at that place.

Mr. D. V. Heck, of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived in Plainview yesterday, to look over his realty interests in this county, of which he has a large body, all fine land.

Jim and Holland Phillips, of the Olton country, were in Plainview Wednesday, when they received a shipment of cotton seed cake for their stock. They report their cattle doing well.

District Judge L. S. Kinder came in last Saturday from Canadian, where he had been holding court for Judge Greavers, who has been holding court in this city on account of Judge Kinder being disqualified on some cases in this court.

City poll tax receipts number 390, out of 413 assessed, which is a better showing than many towns and cities are making. The city marshal, who is also tax collector for city and school, reports that these taxes have come in pretty promptly.

The special song service at the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday night was a treat to music lovers. The biography of the writer of each hymn was given by the pastor, Rev. S. Park, which was interesting. Special services will be given each Sunday night for several weeks.

Good Home-made Lard, like mother used to make, at OTTO'S MARKET.

Carl Massie, of Petersburg, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business.

FURNISHED ROOM for rent; close in. Call at 211 North Adams.

City Council will meet next Monday night, the 5th inst.

1,800-acre tract in south Hale. Will cut. Easy terms. A. B. ROSSER.

Dr. J. B. Hall left last Friday for Comanche, for an indefinite stay on account of his health.

Dr. L. N. Pennock came in last Friday from Kirksville, Mo., where he has been taking treatment.

Judge Geo. L. Mayfield spent part of this week in Floydada, on legal business.

We are still doing business in the same old way. Phone us your orders. WRIGHT & DUNAWAY.

All kinds of Fruits, Nuts and Candies for sale at WRIGHT & DUNAWAY'S. Phones 35 and 355.

C. S. Hefner, the photographer, visited his home folks, in Clarendon, last week.

FOR RENT—An improved 320-acre farm, three miles east of Kress. For particulars see OTUS REEVES REALTY COMPANY.

Walter Burch came in Monday, from South Texas, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burch, for a few days, and then will go to Roswell, N. M.

W. S. Wasson left Tuesday for Waco, Sea Drift and other points, on a prospecting and visiting trip for three or four weeks.

Mr. Gournet, of Kansas, is here this week, looking after his realty interests in Hale County. He owns a section four miles southwest of Plainview.

LOST—In Plainview, this week, a purse containing two \$5 bills and about \$6 in coin. Finder please leave with Wright & Dunaway. B. F. MOSELEY. 5-pd.

Col. R. P. Smyth came in Monday from Rifle, Colo., where he had been visiting his brother, who has been very sick. He expects his brother to come to Plainview as soon as he is able to travel.

Tom Shafer and Ellis Carter returned Sunday night from a trip, via Lubbock, the L. F. D. and Slaughter ranches, to Portales, N. M. They report fine weather and a fine time all around.

The Finance Committee, composed of J. J. Bromley, B. L. Spencer and J. F. Sander, appointed by the Mayor to audit the books of the various city officials, will perform their labors next week.

Rev. Hairfield, in charge of the Calvary Baptist Church, will occupy the Jones cottage, on Prairie Street, as soon as his household goods arrive from Oklahoma, and which he is looking for daily.

W. W. Jones last week sold two tracts of land in this county, to parties from Illinois and Indiana. One tract is near Hale Center, belonging to C. F. Teel, and contains 320 acres; the other tract, 80 acres, is near Runningwater, and was owned by a Mr. Bailey.

If you haven't tried an order of Blanke's Coffee, you don't know what real coffee excellence is. When you once try Blanke's you will use no other. We are agents in Plainview for Blanke's Coffee. WRIGHT & DUNAWAY. Phones 35 and 355.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Holt left last Saturday for Kerens, where they will make their future home. Lon has been one of the managers of DeLay's barber shop for the past three or four years, and has made many friends, who hate to have them leave this city.

When you want anything good to eat, you could not select a better place to buy it than at WRIGHT & DUNAWAY'S. Our goods are of the freshest and best quality and our stock is complete in every detail, and you will experience no trouble in finding just what you want at our store. Phones 35 and 355.

C. H. White went to Amarillo Monday, on important business.

Mrs. T. P. Whitis came in Sunday from a visit to her parents, at Austin.

Y. W. Holmes transacted business in Hale Center last Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Bryan left Wednesday for Snyder, on a visit to her sister.

W. E. Meredith spent a couple of days in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stroud left Saturday for Amarillo and Wichita Falls, on a visit to relatives.

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Miss Edith Edwards gave a reading at a recital in Hale Center last Friday night.

A. B. Martin, of Tulla, was in the city this week, attending District Court.

Mrs. M. H. Dawes, of Seminole, was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Irwin.

Judge H. C. Randolph left last Friday to attend the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham left Wednesday for Mineral Wells.

B. N. Graham, of Kress, was in the city, shopping, last Saturday.

Tom Jordan was in Hale Center, buying cotton, this week.

H. M. Bainer, agricultural demonstrator of the Santa Fe, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Marshall Phelps left Wednesday for Berwick, Ill., on a visit to her daughter.

J. W. Wright and family came in Tuesday from Kentucky, and will hereafter make their home within the confines of glorious old Hale County.

The J. W. Willis Drug Co. has just installed a new soda fountain and fixtures, to replace the old. This is as fine a fountain and fixtures as can be found in the State, and as near perfectly sanitary as such a plant can be made. All the shelving and vessels are nickel plated and the whole construction is of onyx, marble and metal. The front is of onyx (a variety of agate), the top of Italian marble, with an onyx center-piece of beautiful design and finish, while the wall fixtures are magnificent, and fully in keeping with the fountain proper.

TELEPHONE MESSAGE—Wife—"Bring home a bottle of Dike's Baby Cough Syrup for Willie's cough; and a bottle of Staley's Rose Cream, for my chapped hands." Husband—"Well, where must I get it?" Wife—"At Long's, of course, for he is the only one that sells them." 5

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local remedies, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

IN announcing to our customers the closing of our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

we wish to again thank the people of Hale and surrounding counties for their part in making it such a grand success. We are gratified to find that our efforts are appreciated, and that you have confidence in our advertisements; that you *know* when we say a thing we mean it. Our policy in the past has been, and will continue to be-- "*not to advertise anything, we do not mean to carry out.*"

¶ For the Spring season our Millinery department will be under the same efficient management it has been for past two seasons, and we assure you that we will have everything that is new and stylish in this department, if anything more extensive than in the past.

¶ Our buyers will leave this week for the eastern markets, and we can say that no department will be slighted in the least. Our intention is to have every department complete in every way, and we will work to that end. We can truly say that it will be to your advantage to call and look over our stock for your spring merchandise.

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MY PRIZE STEER, "BUCK," AND THE YEAR'S CORN CROP.

If I should tell you that the Dallas Fair had offered a premium of \$500 for the best steer under twelve months old to be shown in October, and that I had purchased a well-bred, fat calf on January first, that would be just the right age to be shown for this prize; that I intended feeding him a carefully-prepared balanced ration, that is right in quality, as well as in quantity, to produce the very best results in growth and development; that I would give him every care, and that on the first of July I would say to him: "Buck, I have done everything possible for you, and your wonderful development shows the value of the treatment; you weigh over nine hundred pounds, which is very unusual for a steer of your age; you are healthy, rugged and strong. As I have frequently said in your presence, I expect to show you at the Fair in October, and I hope and believe that I will win the prize. It is true that the grass is a little short and water rather scarce; that there are ticks, mosquitoes and flies to contend with, but you are so well-grown, vigorous and strong that I think you ought to be able from now on to take care of yourself, so there is the pasture—go and do the best you possibly can and meet me on show-day at the Fair."

Under these circumstances, you would not expect Buck to win that prize, it matters not how well he had been handled up to the time he was turned out to fight for himself, but he would have just as much chance to win as you have to expect to raise a good corn crop by careless methods. As a rule, you have probably prepared your land fairly well. I hope that you have plowed and harrowed it as often as you possibly could during the fall and winter, so that the soil has been thoroughly pulverized and all plant food made available and that the rains of the winter may sink into the land and be held for use the coming season, and that you have selected and will plant the very best seed that you can purchase, testing it carefully to see that it has a vigorous, strong germination before you put it into the ground. You probably will cultivate it well up to the middle or the last of June, sometimes into July, about the time I turn Buck out, and then you, in all probability, will throw the earth to it and lay it by and leave it to fight the hot winds, the dry, cracked earth, the suckers and the weeds and get ready for the Fair. The fact is, it will be hardly as well developed when you leave it as Buck when I leave him. It will be only about four feet high, and not yet in silk and tassel; in fact, its life work will yet remain to be accomplished. It will have to form the shuck, the cob to grow, perfect and ripen the grain. You will abandon it at its most crucial period and leave it to fight these uneven battles alone. Should you, under these circumstances, expect to win?

If the great majority of the farmers of this State would change their methods, would thoroughly and carefully plow their lands in the fall and winter at least one inch deeper than they have heretofore been plowing, harrowing carefully after each plowing; plowing around, instead of up and down, the slopes, so as to prevent washing and erosion; draining when necessary; working the corn as nearly level as possible, remembering that when the corn is a foot and a half high, and the rows four feet apart, that myriads of fibrous roots will meet, and be torn and bleed and sap the vitality of the crop if you plow between these rows deeper than two inches; if, after this period, you would constantly cultivate the crop with a very short-tooth harrow or a sweep, that does not go over an inch or an inch and a half deep, keeping a constant soft mulch of about that depth, not simply until laying-by time, but constantly until the grains are positively hard on the cob; allowing no sucker or weed to get a particle of nourishment that should go to the plant. If you will adopt this method of cultivation you will double the corn crop of this State, just as surely as I would win the prize if I did not turn "Buck" out and "lay him by," but should continue his development until October, instead of stopping in July.

HENRY EXALL, President, Texas Industrial Congress.

READY FOR THE WARDEN.

To make sure the youngster was not disobeying the bass fishing law, the game warden took his string of fish out of the water and found only catfish, perch and suckers on the line. A few feet further down the stream he found a large, black bass wiggling on a string weighted down with a stone, and asked the boy what he was doing with the fish.

"Well, you see," answered the boy, "he's been taking my bait all morning, and so I just tied him up there until I got through fishing."—National Monthly.

BLACKEST SHEEP IN THE TRUST FLOCK.

Eph Hardscrabble entered the country store, sparring for an opening near the stove, filled his pipe, made a quasisallet movement as he struck a match aft of his right pants pocket, lighted up, opened a newspaper and remarked:

"I see they are trying to get a law to stop and absolutely prohibit overdrafts at the banks."

"Why, Eph," said Hiram Shortrox, quickly, "ain't that the law now?"

"I reckon not, Hi, for it says here the overdrafts in this state have run to hundreds of thousands, and conditions are very undesirable, not to say alarming."

"Well, I'll be cussed," said Hiram, as he bit off a large section of navy plug and threw it in place to starboard; "if that's so, then that tightwad in the bank at Grafterville has been imposing on me shamefully for years. Several times he has turned down small checks when I specially needed the money, saying my account was drawn full up. I supposed that was the law, and he dassent do otherwise. I believe in enforcing the law, but I don't believe an upstart like him should begin ten years before the law is passed. I'll shore have him jerked up and investigated if there is any such thing as justice left in this country. Looks to me now like old Colonel Blowhart is right—this here money trust is the worst of the bunch—the blackest sheep in the whole flock, but say, Eph, is there anything new in the paper about the initiative, referendum and recall and the government getting back to the plain people?"—The Current Issue.

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R. A. Long Drug Company sells a large bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone for fifty cents, and guarantees it to be a perfect substitute for calomel, and will give you your money back if it disappoints you.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hale County, on the 11th day of January, 1912, by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of Nine Hundred and Sixty-four Dollars and Fifty-nine Cents and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Jno. M. Webb in a certain cause in said Court, No. 789, and styled Jno. M. Webb vs. L. P. Martin et al, placed in my hands for service, I, G. A. LONDON, as Sheriff of Hale County Texas, did on the 11th day of January, 1912, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Hale County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots 10, 11 and 12, in Block No. 88, in Alexander and West Moreland Addition to the Town of Plainview, Hale County, Texas, and also a strip of land 32 feet wide by 140 feet long lying immediately north of said Lot No. 12, and described as beginning at the Northwest Corner of said Lot No. 12, thence North 32 feet, thence East 140 feet, thence South 32 feet to the Northeast Corner of said Lot No. 12, thence west with the North line of said Lot No. 12, 140 feet, to the place of beginning; situated in Hale County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of L. P. Martin et al. And that on the first Tuesday in February, 1912, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Hale County, in the Town of Plainview, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. P. Martin et al.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Hale County Herald, a newspaper published in Hale County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of January, 1912.

G. A. LONDON, Sheriff, Hale County, Texas.

No Excuse Now for Greasy Doughnuts

A lady in Greenville, S. C., recently wrote a friend as follows:

"For years, after preparing doughnuts with the utmost care, I was disappointed to see them come out greasy and unwholesome looking. However, with my first use of Cottolene for frying them, I was delighted, as they were brown, crisp and delicious."

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