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## REBELS SCOUT REPORT OF PLAN TO KILL VILLA

Mexico City Circulates Rumor of Attempt Assassination of Constitutionalists Leader By Women

## HUERTA ALARMED BY REVOLT

Carranza Agrees To Parley With Envoys From Dictator; Niagara Protocol Submitted To Capitals

By United Press.  
EL PASO, Texas, July 9.—Juarez Constitutionalists declare that rumor circulated in Mexico City of an attempt by some women to assassinate Villa is a fake. No stock is taken in the rumor of an effort to rob the rebels of their idol.

Further information is anxiously awaited concerning the assault on Guadalajara by General Obregon. It is probable that the town has already surrendered, if the rebels were not repulsed.

Yesterday's advices said that Obregon had practically annihilated 5,000 Federals and taken many cannon, together with munitions, after 36 hours of desperate fighting. Indications then were that the Federals were demoralized.

Villa Confident of Peace.  
Villa expressed confidence that differences between Carranza and himself will soon be smoothed over. Three brigades of Villa's troops were sent to cooler northern mountain climate to recover from typhoid dysentery.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—Carranza's acceptance of parley with Huerta's envoys has been indiscreetly reported to Mediator Dagama. Revolt among the Federal troops has greatly alarmed Huerta. It is reported that Huerta has been promised safe asylum to American lines at Vera Cruz.

Niagara protocol will be submitted to Mexico City and the Senate to-day. It is rumored that important developments ward the establishment of peace may be expected at once.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH BAPTIST REVIVAL WORK.

Rev. Mr. Bowers Will Return to Little Rock To-morrow; Services to Continue.

The Baptists have had very bad weather for their revival, but in spite of the mud the building formerly owned by the Calvary church was almost filled last night.

Dr. Bowers preached on the question "What Shall I Do to Be Saved?" and the answer "Believe on Jesus and Thou Shalt Be Saved."

Dr. Bowers urged upon the people who had accepted Christ as their Savior that they should join the church. "It seems strange to me," said he, "that so many people will not obey the first commandment that is given them after they have been converted."

Miss Elsie Ellerd accepted the plea of Dr. Bowers and was received for baptism.

Because of the rain, there was no service Tuesday night.

The service to-night will be held under the tabernacle, if it does not rain any more.

Dr. Bowers states that he will be obliged to leave to-morrow, so that he can be back in Little Rock for Sunday.

Brother Lou Roll will remain for a few days. The meeting will perhaps continue this week.

## AUTOMOBILE PARTY TO PORTALES.

A. J. Trout and A. J. Smith passed through Plainview Tuesday. They were driving a Ford. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Swanstone, of Boonville, Mo., were in the car. The party was en route from Knox City to Portales, New Mexico.

## FT. WORTH MAN TO LOCKNEY.

Rev. W. F. Ledlow, of Fort Worth, passed through Tuesday en route to Lockney. Mr. Ledlow may accept a call of the Christian Church at Lockney. He was formerly connected with Polytechnic College.

## FORT WORTH HOG MARKET LEADS ENTIRE COUNTRY

Prices At Texas Center Set Record For Months On Shipment of Plainview Porkers

Two loads of hogs from the Plains on Thursday's last market again demonstrated Fort Worth's superiority as a livestock market, bringing \$8.75 per hundred, which was 15 cents above the Chicago top for the day and 32½ cents above the best that Kansas City was able to offer. It was also the highest price paid for hogs on the local market for many months.

One consignment of the \$8.75 porkers came from T. W. Morrison, of Plainview, an old-time shipper to the Fort Worth market. There were 64 head, averaging 291 pounds, and the shipment brought \$1,615.25. This shipment was sold through the Daggett-Keen Commission Company. The other top-price shipment, handled by the Cassidy-Southwestern Commission Co., came from Clay Dunlap, of Cedric. It consisted of 91 head, and averaged 293 pounds.

In spite of the prevailing high prices, the demand for hogs on the Fort Worth market is not nearly filled. Not only the local packers, but Dallas, San Antonio and Houston slaughterers are represented here by hog buyers.—Star-Telegram.

Col. C. C. French, of the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company, says kaffir and maize fed hogs can be produced in the Plainview country more cheaply than in the corn belt of Central Texas, and they are better porkers, too. Plainview topped the hog market 42 times last year.

## Benevolent League Plans Tag Day To Add To Funds

Three cases of destitution were reported yesterday to the executive committee of the Benevolent League. A tag day is being arranged to supplement contributions by the women's societies for this work. It is hoped that by means of tag day considerable money may be secured.

The women's auxiliaries of the Episcopal, Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian Churches contribute \$66 a year to the work.

Mrs. Otis Trulove is chairman of a committee to look after Mrs. Beard, whom the League is keeping at the Guyton-Nichols Sanitarium. Mrs. Beard can eat very little. She enjoys bananas, lemons and oranges. The League asks that persons who will contribute these articles will please phone Mrs. Trulove. This request is made so that a great deal of fruit will not be sent out at any one time, and perhaps none at another time.

The League would also be glad to have bed linen for Mrs. Beard.

## C. W. B. M. GIVES EVENING TO STUDY OF INDIANS.

The C. W. B. M. met in regular monthly session Monday afternoon, with Mrs. C. I. Biles, 814 Slaton St. Mrs. H. C. Randolph presided.

Two excellent papers were read by Mesdames David Tudor and E. T. Coleman. Their subjects, respectively, were "Does It Pay to Educate the Indian?" and "Our Indian Work in Canada."

During the business session, Mrs. H. C. Randolph was re-elected president of the C. W. B. M. The following ladies were elected to assist her: Mrs. Biles, first vice president; Mrs. Joseph Fowler, second vice president; Mrs. J. L. Vaughn, treasurer; Mrs. Nell Dorsey, secretary.

It was decided to raise the dues from fifteen to twenty cents per month and to give \$1.00 per month to the Benevolent League.

Mrs. Biles hospitably served cake and cream during the afternoon.

## LUBBOCK PLACING LIGHTS FOR CITY "BIG WHITE WAY."

LUBBOCK, Texas, July 9.—Lubbock is placing ornamental poles for street lights. There will be a large globe on top of the pole and an ornamental hanger with three globes. Lubbock proposes to enlarge her "white way" just as rapidly as work can be done.

## COLONEL ROOSEVELT RECUPERATING



Colonel Roosevelt is spending much of his time recuperating from the rigors of his South American trip by keeping in the woods and on the water at Oyster Bay. He takes long tramps with Mrs. Roosevelt and boat rides with Archie, his son.

## NEW MEXICO MAN ASHAMED OF WEEDS IN PLAINVIEW

H. Blueher Says Growth On His Property Will Be Removed At Once

It looked good this morning to see four men cutting weeds. They worked part of yesterday, too.

Visitors are beginning to comment on the fact that a town apparently so progressive as Plainview will permit itself to become hidden in weed jungles.

"Plainview still looks good to me," said Hermann Blueher yesterday. Mr. Blueher just came in from Albuquerque. "I am ashamed that my town don't cut the weeds. You can say that weeds on my lots will be cut at once."

Mr. Blueher is a heavy property owner in Plainview, and when he is cleaning up he has a right to urge others to do the same. Our New Mexico townsman is also sanguine in his faith regarding the Plainview country. He has spent about 30 years irrigating in the Albuquerque district, and has made a small fortune.

"Get your land perfectly level, plough deep and don't try more than you can take care of thoroughly," is Mr. Blueher's motto.

Plainview might have a "Weed Day." Some communities are using a day each fortnight for cutting weeds.

## CASTRO COUNTY COUPLE MARRY AT CHOC MORGAN'S.

At an early hour this morning Eck Bomer and Miss Clara Wood, both of Castro County, were married by Justice of the Peace Frye.

The marriage took place at the home of Chock Morgan, on South Pacific Street.

## BIRTHS.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Harrison, a girl, July 6.  
To Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hogue, July 7, a girl.

## FEW ACCIDENTS MAR SAFE AND SANE FOURTH OF JULY

Plainview Policeman Praises Plainview Boys And Girls; Fourteen Deaths Over Country

The Fourth of July this year seems to have been reasonably safe and sane. Reports from over the country show 14 deaths, 290 injured and fire losses amounting to \$129,000. Six years ago the results of Fourth of July were 41 deaths, 2,361 injured, fire losses \$725,515.

There were no mishaps in Plainview. The nearest accident seems to have been when two youths improvised a "patriotic" cannon and happened to discharge the gun while it pointed toward a residence. Three big window lights were shattered.

Night Policeman Haynes says: "The Fourth of July passed safe and sane for Plainview. No one was injured by fire works and there were no drunks, which is a mark of credit to the young men of the town and vicinity."

"It was never my desire to haul any one before the court, if it could be avoided and maintain the dignity of the law, and be it said for the boys of Plainview they seldom have to be corrected at all, and never the second time for the same offense."

"I have been in a great many cities, and I never saw a better behaved bunch of boys and girls, young men and women anywhere than right here. I think environments are such that they could not be very bad if they wanted to. There is no friction among different denominations in church work, either. They all pull together for the general good. The people of Plainview are hospitable and certainly look after the stranger 'within her gates.'"

Bradford Cox is making better than 25 bushels of wheat on land which he summer fallowed, east of town. Mr. Cox never has failed to make good yields on summer-fallowed land.

## ODDITY GIRLS MEET WITH MISS PEACE.

In response to invitations issued by Miss Eula Mae Peace, the Oddity girls met at the Peace home, 506 Archer Street, at eight o'clock last night and went en masse to The Ruby.

After enjoying the pictures, they adjourned to the B. & K., where "Our Mutual Girl" sundaes were served.

## JOINT BALL-FERGUSON DISCUSSION SATURDAY

Walker Hall of Amarillo And J. F. Cunningham of Abilene To Meet In Plainview

Judge Walker Hall, of Amarillo, and J. F. Cunningham, of Abilene, will discuss Ball vs. Ferguson Saturday. As R. A. Long, president of the local Ball Club, puts it, they will decide whether "to Ball or not to Ball."

Judge Hall is known all over North and Northwest Texas for his humor and the keenness of his mind. Mr. Cunningham is as well known in his section of the country. It is thought that Colonel Ball will come to Plainview before the primaries. A Dallas News report had him scheduled for our town about July 15. Notification has not been received by his local committee.

"Ladies are specially invited to the speaking Saturday," R. A. Long said to-day. "We have not yet announced the place. If damp weather continues it will perhaps be in the Opera House. The hour is 2:30 o'clock."

Judge Hall was to speak on the streets yesterday. Rain prevented. He is scheduled to speak at Petersburg to-day.

## Failure To Drag Streets After Rain Leaves Holes

Automobile owners are hoping that the streets won't be permitted to dry again without dragging. They were not dragged after the rains last week, and chug holes alternate with miniature mountains along West Third Street and North Pacific.

"Dragging our streets is the next best thing to paving," said a prominent citizen yesterday. It doesn't take very long to do it, and the drag certainly makes traveling more pleasant. It helps the use of streets, too."

Surely the streets won't be permitted to dry this time without dragging.

## 1.67 INCHES OF RAIN DURING 9 DAYS IN JULY.

Floydada and Petersburg Report 4-Inch Downpours; 2 Inches at Hale Center.

Rainfall during the first nine days of July is recorded at 1.67 inches. Twenty-two hundredths of an inch fell yesterday and day before. There was half an inch Friday and a total of 95 hundredths of an inch during the first three days.

Reports from Tulia to R. F. Bayless, local agent of the Santa Fe, are that 5 inches of water fell there Tuesday night, and 4 inches at Floydada. The Southwestern Telephone Company reports a 4-inch rain at Petersburg yesterday and 2 inches at Hale Center Tuesday. It did not rain at Hale Center yesterday.

Only 1.27 inches fell during June. No more was wanted.

## FAULKNER SAYS WHEAT WILL MAKE 30 BUSHELS.

L. M. Faulkner is threshing wheat grown 5 miles west of town. He says this will yield close to 30 bushels an acre. This ground was prepared for alfalfa last summer, but Mr. Faulkner was in California, his man left, and the seed was not sown. Mr. Faulkner ploughed the land twice and sowed wheat last fall. He grazed it lightly until March 15, when he put 4 head of stock to the acre and left them there until April 9. The land was not irrigated.

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## 1,455 REGISTERED LETTERS HALF YEAR

Post Master Sanford's Report Reminds That Plainview Is Ready For Free Delivery

## WAITING FOR SIDEWALKS

Workmen Are Busy Laying Concrete; Asking Non-Residents To Help; One Man Blocks Building

Post Office receipts for the quarter closing July 1 were \$3,268.71. During the first quarter receipts were \$8,816.96. The second quarter is always the lightest of the year, Postmaster Sanford says.

Mr. Sanford's office has registered 1,455 letters this year, and 17 parcels. There have been 930 insured parcels with a value not exceeding \$25 each and 33 having a value of more than \$25 and not to exceed \$50. A parcel post package may not be insured for more than \$50. Two hundred and fifty-seven C. O. D. parcels have been sent.

The amount remitted for C. O. D. packages since January 1 is \$1,490.55. Total value of insured parcels is \$8,180.28. Fifteen free "official" packages are shown.

"This recalls forcibly that Plainview is ready for free delivery as soon as sidewalks are put in," Mr. Sanford said to a Herald reporter. "We hope that such convenience may be afforded by another year. Contractors seem to be very busy putting in walks. Of course, city delivery will be a considerable 'boost' for Plainview, as well as affording a considerable convenience to our citizens."

O. M. Unger is writing to non-resident property owners, urging that they put in their walks, where residents are putting them in on adjoining property. "Your purpose is the same as ours," Mr. Unger says: "to increase property values in your neighborhood. Sidewalks have a material influence in this respect."

It isn't always non-residents who are "laying down" on this proposition, however. On South Pacific Street, Mr. Unger says, one man is blocking the movement. Other property owners are willing to begin work. A special permit was granted by the Council to reduce the width of the walk to 4 feet, and still one man refuses.

In this case the individual seems to be amply able to build a walk. It has been the history of town improvement in Plainview, as in other towns, that frequently those who hang back are most able to go ahead and would profit materially by their investment.

Plainview ought to have from all delivery. Whether or not we get that, the people should have the convenience of a sidewalk. It is a good investment, too. Surely no one man can block the movement. If he finally refuses to do his part, the Council—pshaw, surely no man will!

Plainview will have another rural route as soon as three-fourth of the farmers along the way sign up for mail boxes. Mr. Unger was out Monday afternoon and secured 17 signatures. He will see other farmers as soon as the roads dry.

## BERNICE DE VORE TRAPS 29 PINTS FLIES; WINS 50c.

417,000 Pests This Week Show Decrease of Half from High Water Mark.

Half as many flies were trapped as a week ago. Mrs. L. Lee Dye reports 139 pints turned in Tuesday—only 417,000—a little more than 2 bushels. Not so few, is it? But it is encouraging that the number decreases. You would not believe that Plainview could produce 4 bushels of flies in one week—or two bushels, for that matter—would you?

Just remember flies mean filth. And they do not travel more than 300 yards. If you have flies, somebody around you is tolerating filth.

Bernice De Vore won the 50c offered by the B. & K. to the child bringing in most flies. She trapped 29 pints.

Are you swatting the fly and the dirt that breeds flies at your home?

# ON AGAIN! ON AGAIN!

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE IS "ON AGAIN"  
**\$50,000.00 Worth of Dry Goods Slashed in Price**

Positively every article in this store will be reduced in price during this sale. Some lines at half price--many articles at and below cost. Our Fall Shipments are beginning to arrive and we must make room. We'd rather you would get the goods while they are new and seasonal at prices to please you than to carry them over to age our stock.

Early Selection Will Insure Just What You Want

The Big Sale Is Now On--It will Last Until August First

## Profit by Past Experiences with Plainview Merc. Co. Sales

### RANCHMAN LIKES PLAINVIEW.

Says Spirit of Co-operation Will Win; Tells of Activities and Progress of His Country.

Hickman Price, of Plainview, one of the largest ranch owners in Northwest Texas, was in Waco yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Price, who has many friends in this section of the State, commented upon the marvelous strides which have been made in Waco during the last two years.

"The spirit of co-operation which runs throughout the rank and file of the citizenship of Waco has certainly proven itself remarkable," said Mr. Price, "for the tremendous growth which has been recorded here in the last twenty-four months has not been equalled during the same time by any other city of Waco's size."

"The activity shown on every side in Waco equals that found in cities of 100,000 and 150,000 population. With the magnificent pull-together, push-together, shoulder-to-shoulder spirit so prevalent here now, it is bound to make Waco a city of titanic importance, not only in Texas, but through-

out the entire Southwest."

Mr. Price is a great believer that things can be accomplished on a large scale when there is united co-operation, for he comes from a part of the country where projects are conducted on a large scale with success. He and his brother are the largest land owners in Swisher County and have extensive interests in Floyd and Briscoe Counties. He is one of several men who are devoting their energy to the development of what is known as the great Shallow Water Belt of Northwest Texas, which is rapidly developing into one of the richest and most fertile farming sections in the Southwest.

Ten thousand acres of alfalfa are growing in this district, where last year there was nothing but waving prairie grass. Thousands of acres have this season been planted under irrigation in several of the sure crops upon land which, until very recently, was used as a part of a big cattle range.

More than 100 large irrigation wells, irrigating from 150 to 400 acres each, have been developed in the last fourteen months.

Developed irrigated farms are sell-

ing rapidly, according to Mr. Price, who says that approximately \$500,000 of these farms have been sold within the last sixty days. He adds that about 15,000 acres will be placed "under water" by this time next year.--Waco Morning News, July 4, 1914.

How dear to our heart is the steady subscriber,

Who pays in advance at the birth of each year;

Who lays down the money and does it quite gladly,

And casts 'round the office a halo of cheer.

He never says, "Stop it; I cannot afford it!"

I'm getting more papers now than I can read;

But always says, "Send it; our people all like it;

In fact, we all think it a help and a need."

How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum--

How it makes our pulse throb, how it makes our heart dance!

We outwardly thank him, we inwardly bless him--

The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

### SETH WARD ELECTS

MRS. L. C. BENNINGTON

New Art Teacher Has Studied With Greatest Teachers of America; Wide Experience

FACULTY IS COMPLETE

Teachers Are Spending Summer In Widely Different Places; Dormitory Work Begins Next Week

With the election of Mrs. L. C. Bennington to teach art in Seth Ward College, the Methodist school completes its faculty. Mrs. Bennington has enjoyed superior instruction and wide experience. Friends are congratulating the institution upon securing a teacher so well known.

Mrs. Bennington is a graduate of Kid-Key Conservatory. She taught art at Polytechnic College; then studied in Chicago. She was a pupil of Wm. M. Chase, in New York; later did special work under E. Hunt, of San Francisco, Calif. Mr. Hunt is a world-renowned painter of Japanese and Chinese scenes.

Mrs. Bennington also did special work in landscape painting in the Rocky Mountains. She is a cousin of Flake Garner, our fellow townsman.

Other teachers of Seth Ward are:

Rev. C. L. McDonald, M. A., President; Bible, Philosophy and Education.

Graduate North Texas Normal School; Ph. B. Polytechnic; Student University of Texas; M. A. Southwestern University; Superintendent Colorado City Schools; Stamford College, 1910-12.

J. E. Willis, M. A., Dean; Mathematics and Science.

Professor Mathematics Hiwassee College, 1897-1903; President Chappell

Hill Female College, 1904-1909; Alexander Collegiate Institute, 1909-1910; Polytechnic, 1910-1913.

Frank P. Wilson, A. B., Latin and History.

A. B. Polytechnic, 1910; Assistant in Athletics Polytechnic College, 1909-1910; Latin and Science Weatherford College, 1910-1911; Superintendent Schools Texhoma, 1911-1912; Stratford, Texas, 1913-1914.

Miss Bessie Shook, English.

Honor graduate of North Texas Normal School; student University of Texas, 1912; teacher of English in Hamilton High School; Amarillo High School; Seth Ward College, 1912-14; student Columbia University summer 1913; student University of Texas summer of 1914.

Warren E. Gibbs, German and Intermediate.

Northwest State Normal School; teacher Seth Ward College, 1913-1914; student University of Texas.

Miss Lena Williams, B. O., Expression, Physical Culture and Public Speaking.

Graduate of Emerson System of Expression; post graduate student of Waco Conservatory of Expression; post graduate work in Columbia College of Expression of Chicago in 1912; teacher of expression and physical culture Plainview High School, 1909-1911; Wayland College, 1910-12; Seth Ward College, 1912.

Miss Gladys Marsalis, Piano, Pipe Organ and Violin.

Randolph Macon Woman's College; graduate of Cincinnati Conservatory of Music; Directress of Music Grayson College; music and violin Mansfield Female College; Seth Ward College, 1913.

Mrs. Cora Pritchett, Voice.

Student of Professor Yoeman, Scotland; of Carl Hackett, Chicago; of Gertrude Grauseup Perkins, Chicago University; teacher of voice in Morrisville College, Missouri; five years

teacher of voice in University of Oklahoma; Seth Ward College, 1913.

Miss Hattie Workman, Piano and Pipe Organ.

Student of Wilbur McDonald, Polytechnic College; teacher at Seth Ward College, 1913.

Mrs. Cora Pritchett and her quartette have given a number of popular concerts over Northwest Texas this summer. Her work is universally praised. Seth Ward is fortunate in being able to offer its friends a teacher of voice with the ability, training, experience and personality of Mrs. Pritchett.

Miss Bessie Shook and Warren Gibbs are taking special work at the University of Texas this summer. Miss Marsalis is in Louisiana. Misses Workman and Williams are in Plainview. Frank Wilson is in the mountains of New Mexico. Professor Willis and President McDonald are devoting their time working over Northwest Texas in the interest of the college.

It is expected that ground will be broken for the new dormitory next week.

FOR SALE--Good 7-year-old Jersey cow. See J. L. SMITH, E. Sixth and Sterling Sts. --Adv. 14.

FOR SALE--Modern home, close in. Newly painted and papered; cement sidewalk, electric lights, water connection; young orchard and vineyard. Lot is 75x140, east front. See owner, W. D. JORDAN, Phone 459 --Adv. 6 times-pd.

STRAYED -- From Pioneer Park Farm, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Plainview, two yearling horse colts--1 sorrel with white face; the other bay--and one white pony with roached mane and brand "boot" on left hip. Phone any information to ROBERT STEWART, or owner, W. T. BOWEN. Ad. 14.

FOR SALE--\$250 up, five second-hand automobiles. Four of these have just been overhauled; guaranteed to be in god condition. Two Buicks, one Overland, one Franklin and one Studebaker.--PLAINVIEW MACHINE AUTO SHOP. --Adv. D-5t.

## For Sale or Trade

Hotel of 32 rooms doing a profitable business.

Meat Market; clearing \$200.00 per month.

Horse and Mule Market; best in the country.

One-Half interest in Blacksmith shop doing a good business.

Grain, Coal and Feed business, including ground, buildings, etc.

Also Farm, Ranch and City properties---improved and unimproved. Land ranging from \$25.00 to \$75.00 per acre.

## JOE HESS

Donohoo Building Phone 546 Plainview, Texas

## Cake Baking Contest

We invite you to enter the contest by calling at our store and giving us your name. We will furnish the flour and all ingredients you need for baking just such cake as you choose, free.

The cakes will be cut and served at our store July 15th at 3 o'clock p. m. Judges will be selected then. The first prize will be 100 pounds, second prize 50 pounds, and third 25 pounds Royal No. 10 flour. After the prizes have been awarded the cakes will be served to anyone who visits our store.

For details call us and we will be glad to explain. We Know the Unexcelled Quality of Royal No. 10 for Cakes

## Warren & Scudder

Phones 145 and 146

(Advertisement.)

**TEMPLE UNION MEN MISQUOTED**

And Slandered by Home and State, Waco Morning News, Houston Post and Other Ball Organs.

(Continued from Tuesday's Issue.)

**FERGUSON IS FRIENDLY TO ORGANIZED LABOR.**

Temple, Texas, June 25, 1914. To Whom It May Concern:—

This is to certify that I had a personal talk with Jas. E. Ferguson on the subject of organized labor. I am thoroughly convinced that he is strictly in sympathy and in favor of organized labor.

I will also state that I have been doing J. H. Davis' brick work for the past three years. During that time I have built several fine buildings for him. During all of which time our relations have been very pleasant, and am glad to state that I have never

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found him in one instance against organized labor. I further know that union carpenters have worked for Mr. Davis during the time that I have BEEN DOING HIS BRICK WORK.

CHAS. L. STOUGH, Brick Contractor; also Member of Bricklayers' Union No. 34 of Texas.

**STATEMENT OF PLUMBING CONTRACTORS.**

To Whom It May Concern:—

The undersigned had the contract for all the plumbing, steam fitting, and metal work in the Temple State Bank Building, built by Jas. E. Ferguson, which work was done under the supervision of J. H. Davis. At the time said building was erected there was no local union of the plumbers, steam fitters and metal workers in Temple, but ALL OF THE PLUMBERS, STEAM FITTERS AND METAL WORKERS WHO WORKED UPON SAID BUILDING WERE UNION MEN and each one of them carried their cards in their respective unions.

We have always been friendly to and employed union labor in the execution of our work where it is possible. We have known Jas. E. Ferguson for a number of years, and know of our own knowledge that he has employed union labor and given them the preference, AND THAT HE IS VERY FRIENDLY TO UNION LABOR. His residence was built by union labor, and in the building of other buildings in Temple, we also know that he employed union men.

We have done all of Mr. Davis' work for a number of years, and we have never found him antagonistic to organized labor.

BRUNER & PATTERSON, By J. H. PATTERSON.

**UTTERLY UNTRUE AND FALSE. Coleman Repudiates Statement Credited to Him.**

To the Laboring Men of the State of Texas:—

It has been called to my attention that an article published in the Home and State and in several other papers in the State of Texas, that I have been reported as saying "The only time I ever knew of Jim Ferguson having any dealings with labor was when he built the Temple State Bank Building. He turned the union boys down, and none of us who belonged to the union could get work on that building." I denounce the above statement as being utterly false, untrue and without the semblance of truth in it.

It is true that I am a member of the Carpenters' Union, and have been for the past eighteen months. At the time the Temple State Bank Building was built the Carpenters' Union in the City of Temple was practically disorganized, and had just about enough members to hold their charter. At that time the Carpenters' Union in Temple were working open shop. I KNOW OF MY OWN PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE THAT UNION MEN DID WORK ON THE TEMPLE STATE BANK BUILDING, ABOVE MENTIONED. It is a brick building, and the principal part of the work on the building was brick-work, and all

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of the bricklayers were union men; worked union hours; the union was recognized, and they were paid union wages.

I further denounce effort being made to mislead the laboring people in this State with reference to the attitude of Jas. E. Ferguson toward labor unions and the laboring people. He has employed a great many men in his business affairs. He has been a considerable of a builder; has employed a great many workmen, and he has never been unfair to the laboring men. I think it safe to say that the laboring men will not be deceived, but that the great majority of them will support Mr. Ferguson, as they should.

The undersigned also worked upon a building in Temple, Texas, for Mr. Ferguson, on North Fourth Street, and knows of his own knowledge that Mr. Ferguson employed union laborers upon said job.

Respectfully submitted, WM. J. COLEMAN.

**A FAKE INTERVIEW EXPLODED.**

Temple, Texas, June 24th, 1914. To the Houston Post, Home and State, and other papers in Texas:—

The following statement was published in your papers and sent broadcast throughout the State, to-wit: "A. J. Hewett, Local Secretary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, said: 'Of course, being a union man and knowing Jim Ferguson's attitude toward union labor, I cannot support him. I do not believe a man who is opposed to union labor would be a safe man to tie to for Governor.'"

I desire to DENOUNCE THE ABOVE STATEMENT AS BEING WHOLLY FALSE, MALICIOUS, AND WITHOUT SEMBLANCE OF TRUTH, AND WHOLLY WITHOUT FOUNDATION. I did not make such a statement, and have been willfully misrepresented in this matter. I have known Jas. E. Ferguson for a number of years, and I know him to be a friend to organized labor.

He favored the passage of the full-crew bill, which was desired and urged by organized labor before the last Legislature. He has built several buildings in Temple, and wherever it is possible to employ union labor, he has done so, and has always recognized labor unions.

I want to denounce the unfair effort that is being made to discredit Mr. Ferguson with the laboring people of Texas by printing broadcast faked interviews and false statements. I can not endorse such methods.

A. J. HEWETT.

**STATEMENT BY ELECTRICIANS.**

Temple, Texas, June 25th, 1914. To Whom It May Concern:—

We carry cards in the Electrical Workers' Union, and did at the times hereinafter mentioned. We worked upon the Temple State Bank Building in Temple, Texas, owned by Jas. E. Ferguson, and know that all of the electrical wiring and electrical work was done by Union men.

We also know of our own knowledge that Union carpenters were employed on said work, and particularly recall that one J. L. Carnes, a union carpenter, was employed on said work. We also know that the bricklayers, plasterers and plumbers who worked upon said job were union men.

We denounce the malicious effort that is being made to discredit Mr. Ferguson with the laboring people of Texas. WE KNOW THAT HE HAS BEEN VERY FRIENDLY TOWARDS LABOR UNIONS, AND WE CAN NOT ENDORSE THE PUBLISHING OF FAKE INTERVIEWS AND FALSE STATEMENTS, and we are sure that the laboring people of this State will not be misled in this matter.

A. C. HOMUTH, ROY CARTER, A. T. OVERSTREET.

**STATEMENT BY ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR.**

I had the contract for the electric wiring of the Temple State Bank Building, and supervised the work myself, AND WORKED NONE BUT UNION MEN ON THE JOB.

I know personally that Mr. J. H. Davis, the contractor on the above named building, is not unfriendly to union labor.

I believe that Mr. Ferguson is a just and honest man, and will give the laboring people a square deal in every matter that comes under his jurisdiction.

H. S. NEWLAND.

**STATEMENT BY PLASTER CONTRACTOR.**

Temple, Texas, June 25, 1914. To Whom It May Concern:—

I, E. Blackenstein, had the contract for all concrete work and all plastering on the Temple State Bank Building, in Temple. ALL THE PLASTERERS THAT WORKED ON THE BUILDING WERE UNION MEN. I further know that THERE WERE NO DISCRIMINATIONS AGAINST ORGANIZED LABOR on the Temple State Bank Building.

I know that Mr. Ferguson is the

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laboring man's friend, and especially friendly to organized labor.

I further state that I have been doing J. H. Davis' cement work and plastering for the past 20 years, and have never found him antagonistic to organized labor.

E. BLACKENSTEIN, Cement and Plaster Contractor.

**GIBSON MAKES RETRACTION.**

Temple, Texas, June 27, 1914. State of Texas, County of Bell:

Before me this day appeared M. A. Gibson; known to me, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says—That on the fifth day of June, 1914, I made a statement before R. L. Culbertson, Notary Public at Temple, Texas, relative to Mr. Jas. E. Ferguson's attitude toward union labor.

I have thoroughly investigated the charges that have been made against Mr. Ferguson in this connection, AND I FIND THAT MY FORMER STATEMENT WAS INCORRECT AND I NOW STATE THAT I AM RELIABLY ADVISED AND INFORMED BY A NUMBER OF UNION CARPENTERS IN TEMPLE THAT MR. FERGUSON USED UNION LABOR IN THE BUILDING OF HIS RESIDENCE IN TEMPLE.

I have also investigated and find that in the construction of the bank building that the carpenters were running what is known as "open shop," and that Mr. Davis was hired to superintend the construction of this building and EMPLOYED BOTH UNION AND NON-UNION MEN.

This is an unprejudiced statement made by myself voluntarily owing to the fact of my thorough investigation of Mr. Ferguson's attitude toward organized laboring men of Temple, Texas, and finding him not to be unfair and I do not want to do him an injustice.

(Signed) M. A. GIBSON.

Sworn to before H. H. SWINK, Notary Public. (COPY)

**ALL UNIONS ENDORSE FERGUSON.**

Temple, Texas, June 20, 1914. Hon. Jim Ferguson, Care Tremont Hotel, Galveston, Texas.

I take pleasure in wiring you the following:

"We, the undersigned officers and members of the several organized Labor Unions of Temple, having noticed the malicious attack that is being made on Mr. Jim Ferguson, candidate for Governor, charging that he is unfriendly to organized labor, take this method of going on record as witness and testifying that Mr. Ferguson has always been in sympathy with our organization, and we commend him to our friends throughout the State as being in every way worthy of their confidence and support, and we know if he is elected Governor we will receive a square deal in the securing of legislation beneficial to the working men and women of Texas.

J. A. McCalmont, President Central Trades Council.

J. B. Griffith, Secretary Central Trades Council.

Robt. Newman, President Painters' Union.

J. S. Bland, President Barbers' Union.

J. A. McCalmont, Secretary Barbers' Union.

W. F. Sanders, President Tailors' Union.

Harry Shanklin, Secretary Tailors' Union.

W. D. Queed, President Stage Hands' Union.

W. M. McDonough, Stage Hands' Union.

F. Whessenand, President Plumbers' Union.

W. W. White, Secretary Painters' Union.

W. L. Howell, Secretary Typographical Union.

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J. W. Snyder, President Bartenders' Union.

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J. A. McCALMONT.

President Central Trades Council, Temple, Texas.

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#### THE CRAZE FOR SENSATIONALISM

Tom Ball's campaign manager advises that the "saloon ring" has raised a slush fund of \$1,000,000 to defeat the "State-wide" candidate. Ferguson's supporters accuse the Houston man of being a representative of "special interests" of "straddling" issues; of "selling out."

The Herald does not believe either.

It is unfortunate that the high standard set by both Mr. Ball and Mr. Ferguson for conducting this campaign should have been lowered. The man who would not "ride to power over the fallen form of a brother" makes charges of so serious a nature that they amount to dishonesty—lack of principle.

No man can be politically corrupt and personally honest. Neither can a man be clean in business affairs and "sell out" politically.

Experience is the only lamp by which we may guide our feet. If our own experience does not cover the case, then we use that of another.

We do not believe that a man who has held high industrial position is a conspirator if he consents to accept public office. A record of two decades places Tom Ball too solidly before the people for them to believe that he is a gargon. Neither do we believe that the Temple man is a tool of the whiskey ring.

Mr. Ball is committed to the principles of democracy—a majority rule. He favors State-wide prohibition. Mr. Ferguson says he will veto any whiskey legislation.

Is it the craze for sensationalism which has fathered the appeals made to popular prejudice?

#### ROCKEFELLER'S BIRTHDAY.

John D. Rockefeller was 75 years old yesterday. It wasn't a happy birthday, even though the oil king is reputed to be worth a billion dollars.

Mr. Rockefeller is virtually a prisoner on his magnificent estate at Tarrytown, and did not venture out because of the I. W. W. agitators. He was warned not to go to Cleveland to spend his anniversary, as has been his custom, because of the likelihood of arrest for alleged tax dodging.

The old millionaire manifested no interest in the occasion. "One day is much like another now," he said to an employee.

John D. Rockefeller has rendered large service to the world. His constructive genius has been primarily responsible for the development of the oil industry and for the low price on kerosene.

The oil king elected to take his pay for this in dollars. When he might have established himself in the hearts of people, he left a trail marked by the ruin of any man who dared deal in oil.

The attitude of his son when he said to a Congressional committee "Conditions in Colorado mines are no concern of ours" reflects the selfishness which has marked John D. Rockefeller's career. Now he sits alone—surrounded by his gold. No man seeks him but to chide. He calls no man friend.

That man has achieved largest success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much, who has gained the respect of intelligent men, the trust of pure women and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem, or a rescued soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty or failed to express it; who has looked for the best in others and given them the best he had; whose life was an inspiration, his memory a benediction.

Don't fix your aims in terms of gold!

### The Best Editorial of the Day

#### MERE OPINIONS.

Opinions crowd the street corners; they race up and down sidewalks; they loiter about in the clubrooms; they rock and doze in the porches—opinions on all subjects, political, religious, social, moral, municipal, national, and on every subject two or more opinions, and each opinion regarding itself sound and wholesome. Years pass by, and oblivion wipes these opinions with a sponge, and no man knows what side he was on then, nor does he care to know.

Opinions are the creatures of standpoints, prejudices, self-interests, environments, and so are as varied as these incidents are. If two good men, who are influenced by these incidents, would get away from them all and consult their consciences, their common sense and their regard for the right and true, these opinions would skip away to the hills like wild goats, leaving the men in sweet accord. Time levels all opinions and finally leaves the mind serene and happy.—Ohio State Journal.

### LIBERTY

Special to The Herald.

LIBERTY, Texas, July 8.—Threshing has just begun in these parts this week, but will be delayed for a few days on account of the heavy rain which fell Tuesday night.

Will Miller, of Abernathy, spent a few days with J. J. Boston and family. Beas Thomas spent Saturday night with Bain McCarroll.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Simmons and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham and family visited at the Anderson home Monday afternoon.

Messrs. Earl and Norvell Raper are helping Steve Williams in harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Klein dined at the Groff home Sunday.

Miss Geneva Seipp returned Monday to Canyon, after a few days' visit with her parents.

Miss Gertrude Overall spent Sunday afternoon at the Seipp home.

Misses Ruth and Louise Duckwall attended the slumber party at Mrs. James Stewart's, of Plainview, Saturday night.

The singing at J. Gibson's Sunday night was well attended.

Allen Duckwall was a pleasant caller at the Raper home Tuesday.

M. D. Leach is progressing fine with his irrigation well. He began testing it Wednesday afternoon.

#### HERALD AUTOMOBILE COUNT OUT SATURDAY.

Standing of contestants in The Herald Automobile Race will be announced Saturday. Count is made Friday night. No one of the contestants is far enough ahead yet but that a beginner can catch up with a few days of hard, systematic work.

The Herald three times a week at \$1.50 is the biggest news giver yet offered in the country field of Texas. It gives all local and community news, and with United Press service protects you on all telegraph news. Whenever any momentous event occurs, The Herald is ready to issue an extra just as quickly as city papers can do it.

The whole thing costs only \$1.50 a year. Everybody wants The Herald. Contestants are turning in subscriptions every day. Many more will come in when harvest time is over.

Whether or not you win the automobile is up to you!

Mrs. D. H. Taylor and daughter left to-day on their return to their home, in Winters. They have been visiting W. J. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Muir returned to-day to Harrison, Ark. They have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Strange.

#### THE EFFECTS OF BOOZE.

In the shortest poem contest, Lee Shippey, of the Higginsville, Mo., Jeffersonian, enters this:

The Effects of Booze.

Jags,  
Rags,  
Vags.

#### THANK GOD FOR WORRE.

Thank God every morning that you have something to do, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work, and forced to do your best, will breed in you temperance and self control, diligence and strength of will, cheerfulness and content, and a hundred virtues the idle will never know.—Charles Kingsley.

#### A CHEERFUL EXISTENCE.

From the Washington Star.

"Isn't life rather cheerless with your wife away from home so much of the time delivering lectures on votes for women?"

"I should say not," replied Mr. Meekton. "Life isn't cheerless enough. I have to be on hand at every one of Henrietta's speeches to lead the cheering."

Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite passed through yesterday en route from Roaring Springs to Tullia. She will visit Mrs. A. B. Braly.

Mrs. L. C. Penry went to Canyon yesterday. She will visit Mrs. E. V. Henson for several days.

Mrs. Will Swoop left yesterday for Artesia, N. M. She will visit her father, S. E. Ray.

Mrs. A. F. Stroud and son went to Amarillo yesterday. They will live in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. West and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Donaldson have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Woffard, of Mineral Wells, went to Tullia yesterday. They have been visiting Dr. C. D. Wofford and will visit Mrs. Alfred Sternburg, in Tullia.

## LAND BARGAINS

Are sought after by careful buyers and we happen to have a real bargain that will be sold quick at a price under its real value. Any thought of delay will not get this SECTION of land as it must go AT ONCE. LOCATION: 8 miles North East of Plainview, joined on one side by a section with two big IRRIGATION WELLS on it, on another side by a good GERMAN FARMER, a perfect tract laying fine for irrigation. Confidential price quoted to interested buyers. Wire or write for full particulars.



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In justice to yourself you should buy early and get best selections.

FINALLY LET US URGE YOU—if the men cannot come get their measurements and select from our men's departments the best quality clothing, shoes, and furnishings at sale prices.

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### METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY TRANSACTS BUSINESS.

The Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, met in business session Monday, with our president, Mrs. Richards, presiding. It was a pleasure to have her with us again. Her place was ably filled by the vice presidents during her absence, and the society appreciates their faithfulness.

The reports from each department and officers were given and enjoyed by the society.

The third vice president had received the new books for our reading course, and ten volumes were given out.

It was decided that the Methodist ladies would give a dinner on July 25th. This includes the circles and all the Methodists who will help. Committees will be appointed Monday. Don't fail to help; we need you.

Here what our own missionary, Miss Shelton, from Huchow, China, says: "Both the Memphis and Boys' Annex are crowded, and more applications come. Good work is being done in kindergarten, primary and middle school." Twenty-one church members are reported. Practically every child in school large enough to understand is a believer. Only one pupil in the highest class is not a church member, and all the second class except five. Let us pray that all these may soon decide for Christ.

Yours faithfully,  
PRESS REPORTER.

Jim Pipkin took a car-load of candidates to Ellen Tuesday night. The political situation is beginning to bolla now. "The woods is full of 'em."

### TEXAS METAL MINE PRODUCTION IN 1913.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9.—(Special.)—The metal output of Texas mines during 1913, according to Charles W. Henderson, of the United States Geological Survey, was \$340 for gold, 427,555 ounces of silver, 225,227 pounds of lead, 34,665 pounds of copper and 652,607 pounds of zinc (figured as spelter recovered); with a total value of \$310,412, as compared with \$269,274 in 1912.

The greater part of the silver output came from the Shafter district, Presidio County, from the Presidio silver mine and mill. The Presidio mill, operated since 1885 as a 70-ton pan-amalgamation mill, was changed during 1913 to a 100-140-ton all-slitting, continuous agitation and filtration plant. The copper came chiefly from several properties in the Van Horn district, Culberson County. In this district, the old Hazel mine was reopened and a considerable tonnage of highly siliceous sandstone, carrying sulphides of silver and copper, was separated by the Sutton, Steele & Steele dry concentrator and static electric separator. The lead and zinc yield came chiefly from the Sierra Blanca district.

Miss Emma Baker passed through yesterday en route from Floydada to Memphis, Texas. She will visit her sister, Mrs. L. D. Hooks.

J. E. Skaggs and family returned yesterday from a several weeks' visit to friends in Gainesville.

FOUND—A mud chain for automobile. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. "W." Ad.

### No. 29. OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK,

At Hale Center, State of Texas, at the Close of Business on the 30th Day of June, 1914, published in The Plainview Herald, a Newspaper Printed and Published at Plainview, State of Texas, on the 9th day of July, 1914.

#### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	.....	\$34,333.98
Loans, real estate	.....	1,888.72
Overdrafts	.....	925.04
Furniture and Fixtures	.....	1,420.00
Due from Approved Reserve	.....	
Agents, net	.....	\$3,052.83
Cash Items	.....	\$ 343.68
Currency	.....	345.00
Specie	.....	545.90
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	.....	834.11
Other Resources as follows:		
Assessment in Guaranty Fund	.....	65.77
<b>Total</b>	.....	<b>\$43,555.93</b>

#### LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	.....	\$10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	.....	1,543.55
Individual Deposits, subject to check	.....	15,233.12
Time certificates of Deposit	.....	11,778.36
Bills Payable and Rediscouunts	.....	5,000.00
<b>Total</b>	.....	<b>\$43,555.93</b>

#### STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hale.

We, Robert F. Alley, ag president, and Claud Gentry, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ROBERT F. ALLEY, President;  
CLAUD GENTRY, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:  
ROBERT F. ALLEY,  
N. M. AKESON,  
R. W. LEMOND,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1914.  
R. E. TERRY,  
(SEAL) Notary Public,  
Hale County, Texas.

Dr. J. V. Guyton went to Hurley Tuesday on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Armstrong and daughter, Miss Ima Mildred, arrived yesterday from Italy, Texas. They will visit Mr. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Armstrong.

Mrs. J. F. Browning and daughter went to Hale Center today. They have been visiting Mrs. H. W. Potts, and will visit Mr. Sagsersy in Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Howard, of Eastcado, are here with their daughter, Miss Minnie Howard, who was successfully operated on yesterday at the sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. Howard are the parents of J. P. Howard, deputy county clerk.

### THE FARMER WHO BELIEVED IN ALL WORK AND NO PLAY.

From Wallace's Farmer.

Everybody was working on the old farm—father riding the cultivator up and down, up and down the north field; big brother plowing in the west field; small brother hoeing in the garden, and mother and sister ironing and baking in the kitchen. Horses and men alike came up hot and sweaty at noon; dinner was stewing on the stove. "Put on the table cloth quick, daughter; if your father sees the table isn't laid he'll think dinner is late, and he can't bear to lose a minute from the field," mother called to sister.

"Will you take me to the church social at the corners to-night Ben?" sister asked at dinner.

"The horses are too tired to go out," father said, forbiddingly.

"I had a letter from Myra this morning, father," mother ventured. "She wants to visit us next week."

"You can't tell your own sister you don't want her in harvest time, but if anyone else wants to come, you just tell them farmers are too busy to have company in summer."

"Nell Jones has invited me to spend a couple of weeks with her at chauntiqua. Mother says she is willing if you are." Sister looked anxiously at

father, who shoved his chair back from the table in disgust.

"It's go—go—go—all the time, and the busier we are the more you all seem possessed to go. No one can pay rent, let alone making anything, with his family always on the gad. We are all going to stay right here and work till the work is done."

Father and the boys plodded stolidly back to the fields; mother and sister wearily gathered up the dishes and returned to the unfinished ironing.

Because he didn't see the paralyzing effect of constant work without recreation, the farmer was crippling himself and family, killing their pleasure in work, destroying the self-respect which comes from the ability to hold one's own with his fellows, giving them mental indigestion from a 1-form diet. Sooner or later he and they must pay the bill. There is healing for him who knows he is crippled and seeks relief; but "Let him that thinketh he stand take heed lest he fall."

Mrs. C. V. Young and son returned yesterday to their home, in Slaton. They have been visiting Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Mise.

O. P. Kiker returned yesterday from Tulla.

Miss Mary Hinn left yesterday for Denver, Colo. She will visit relatives for several weeks.

### LIFTED BURDENS.

The camel, at the close of day Kneels down upon the sandy plain To have his burden lifted off And rest again.

My soul! thou, too, shouldst to thy knees,

When daylight draweth to a close, To have thy Master lift the load, And grant repose.

The camel kneels at morning dawn To have his guide replace the load, Then rises up anew, to take The desert road.

So shouldst thou kneel at morning dawn,

That God may give thee daily care, Assured that He no load too great Will make thee bear.

—Annie Vaughan.

Miss Kitten Ervin returned to-day to Lubbock. She has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bayless.

Dr. Daisy Pennock and children left yesterday for Bosworth, Mo. They will visit Mrs. Pennock's father, John Forsythe, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brady returned yesterday to Amarillo. They have been down attending to some business and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Bone.

## Specials for Saturday and Monday

Dinner Ware, guaranteed not to craze or crackle, at the price of ordinary ware.

This Ware is Verona (Gold Band), Latona (Thistle Design), and Pennovia (Plain White) China.

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Plates, breakfast	50c	75c	Tureenes	75c 85c
Plates, pie	40c	50c	Platters	25c and 40c 35c and 50c
Plates, soup	65c	85c	Gravy Bowls	10c 15c
Cups and Saucers	65c	85c	Fruit Dishes, 1-2 doz.	40c 50c
Cream and Sugars	35c	50c	Oat Meal Dishes, 1-2 dozen	50c 65c
3-4 gal. Water Pitchers	50c	65c	Baking Dishes	15c and 20c 25c and 35c
1-2 gal. Water Pitchers	35c	50c		

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JULY 10

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**THE MASTER MIND**

**A UNION COLONEL'S TRIBUTE TO STONEWALL JACKSON.**

Col. John M. Schoonmaker, of the Union army, who commanded a brigade in the Civil War, delivered the commencement address this spring at the Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington, Va., and in the course of his address told of a tribute he and his command paid to the memory of Stonewall Jackson. The incident is related below.

I received command from General Butler to advance with my brigade of cavalry and occupy Lexington. It was June 14 that I arrived in the hills overlooking the town from the north, and there was checked by some resistance. General McCausland, in command of Confederates, was in front of me. A battery came up, sent by General Hunter, to support me. The officer said he had orders to shell the town. I protested against his shelling an empty town.

He fired a few rounds and stopped. The Confederates had burned the bridge over the river at Lexington. After the firing ceased I divided my command and with part crossed the river just below the bridge; the other I sent several miles up to cross the river and approach the town from the other side. I then posted sentinels on the roads coming into the town.

An officer came to me with the information that a Confederate flag was flying in the cemetery. I made inquiry and learned that it was flying over the grave of Stonewall Jackson. I ordered a guard placed there. I had placed guards at the institute and the college.

The day I reached Lexington three old men called at my headquarters and asked to see the commander. They expressed surprise at my youthful appearance. They asked permission to remove the flag at General Jackson's grave. They explained that it had been left there by an oversight and no disrespect was intended. I asked them to let it fly until sunset and I would take it down. I said to them

No. 9081.  
Report of the Condition of  
**THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK,**  
At Plainview, in the State of Texas,  
at the Close of Business,  
June 30th, 1914.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and Discounts	\$176,313.26
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc. (other than Stocks)	15,956.71
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures	9,377.25
Other Real Estate owned	11,694.75
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	4,442.49
Due from approved Reserve Agents	9,560.08
Checks and other Cash Items	9,060.67
Notes of other National Banks	1,480.00
Fractional Paper Currency, nickels, and Cents	303.38
<b>Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:</b>	
Specie	\$4,875.50
Legal-tender notes	4,000.00
8,875.50	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	5,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$352,064.09</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	19,847.79
National Bank Notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to approved Reserve Agents	2,786.16
Individual deposits subject to check	66,705.15
Time certificates of deposit payable within 30 days	5,114.53
Time certificates of deposit payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	25,362.66
Cashier's checks outstanding	247.80
Notes and Bills rediscounted	12,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$352,064.09</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Hale, ss:  
I, E. B. HUGHES, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
E. B. HUGHES, Cashier.

**CORRECT—Attest:**  
J. N. DONOHOO,  
R. C. WARE,  
J. H. BUNTIN,  
Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of July, 1914.  
J. C. ANDERSON, Jr.,  
(SEAL) Notary Public.

we regarded Jackson as the highest type of Christian soldier. At the appointed time I rode to the cemetery there with my staff and accompanied by a file of twelve soldiers and bugler. Alighting, we walked to the grave. It was a simple little mound. We carried two flags, one of the Twelfth Pennsylvania we planted in the ground on one side of the mound, and that of the Fifth Massachusetts was planted on the other side. The chief bugler stood on my right. I lowered the flag to the ground, where it rested between the two regimental flags. The file of soldiers fired three volleys over the grave, the bugler sounded taps. I lifted the flag and handed it to the three venerable citizens, who received it with emotion. The emotion was not confined to them.

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Will rent furnished house of 4 rooms or will sell furniture cheap. Phone 209. —Adv. 1T.

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DR. R. H. VAN ESDORF



Dr. Van Esdorf, who is now in Tampa helping to make it healthful, is one of the great malaria experts of the American public health service. He went to Mexico from the command of the naval hospital at Mobile.

**BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZE LOCAL B. Y. P. U.**

Sunday evening at seven o'clock seventeen young people met Brother Lou Roll at the Baptist tabernacle. The purpose was to organize a B. Y. P. U.

Chas. Cole was elected president; Horace Conner, vice president; Miss Vada Busselle, secretary and treasurer, and Miss Lacy Dalton, corresponding secretary.

The time of meeting was set at four-thirty o'clock Sunday afternoons.

The following joined the Union: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, Miss Ruth Harder, Mary Wayland, Eunice Wallace, Maggie Green, Thelma Reeves, Lois Hatcher, Ruth Dillingham and Effie Murphy, Mrs. Redington, Clarence Street, the officers, with the exception of the president, and Brother Roll.

**PLAN NEW CHURCH.**

Special to The Herald.  
GOLDTHWAITE, Texas, July 9.—Members of the Progressive Christian Church have approved plans for the erecting of a new church at an early date. Brick or cement will be the material used in construction.

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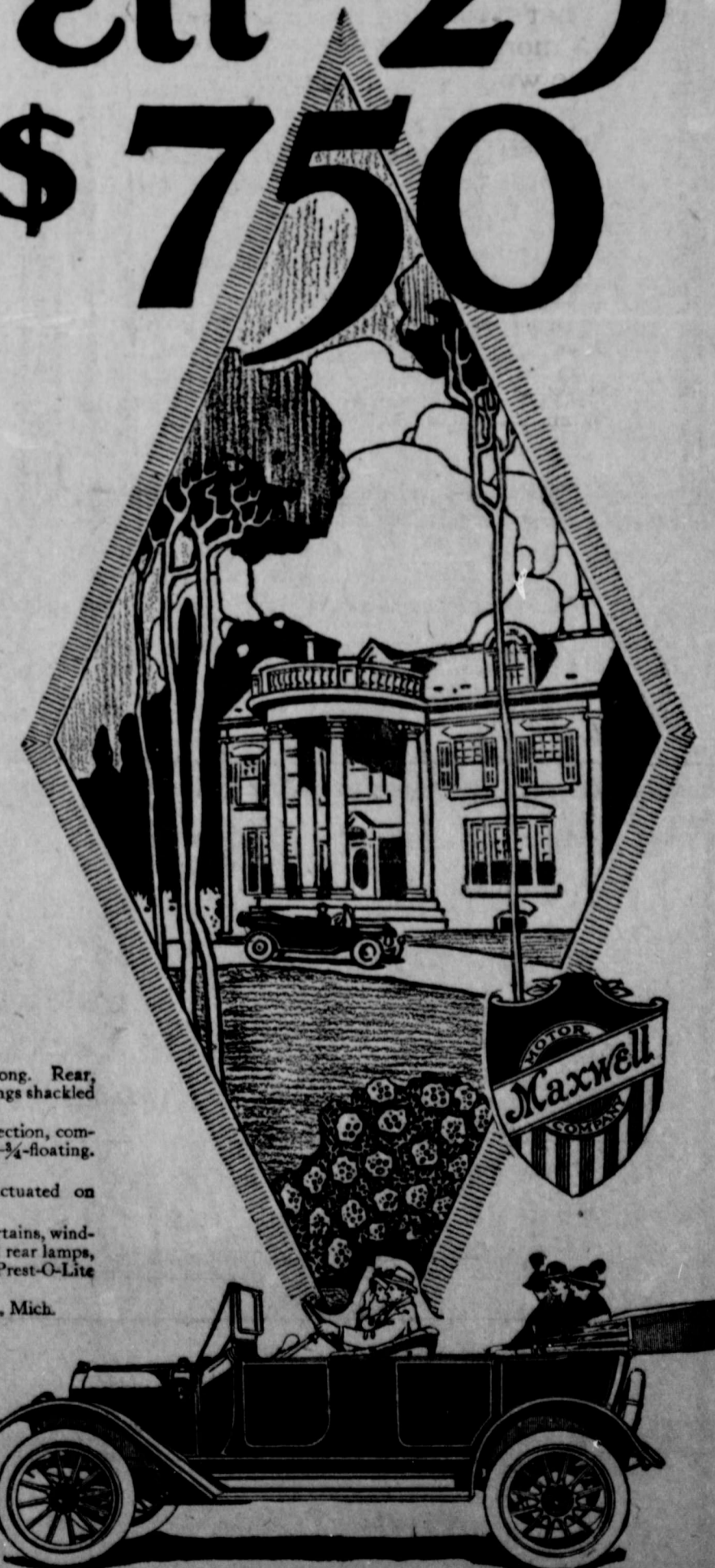
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It is the superb concrete result of vast experience, deepest engineering and metallurgical knowledge, intense manufacturing skill and great financial resources.

**Read These Specifications Carefully**

**Motor**—Four-cylinder, L-head type, cast en bloc. Bore 3 3/8"; stroke 4 3/4". Cylinder head cast separately with valves.  
**Power**—25 h. p.  
**Ignition**—Simms high tension, single system magneto.  
**Clutch**—Cone type in flywheel, motobestee lined.  
**Transmission**—Selective sliding gear type, three speeds forward and one reverse.  
**Control**—Left-side drive, center control, foot accelerator, 16" hand wheel.  
**Wheel Base**—103".  
**Tires**—30" x 3 3/8" front and rear.  
**Tread**—Standard.  
**Springs**—Front, semi-elliptic, 32" long. Rear, semi-elliptic, 40" long. Rear springs shackled to goose-neck at rear.  
**Axles**—Front, drop-forged I-beam section, complete with spring seats. Rear—3/4-floating. No load carried on driving shafts.  
**Brakes**—Internal and external, actuated on 1 3/4" drums on rear wheels.  
**Equipment**—Top, envelope, jiffy curtains, windshield, gas head lights, oil side and rear lamps, horn, speedometer, tire holder, Prest-O-Lite tank and tools.  
**Price**—\$750 f. o. b. factory, Detroit, Mich.



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**MISS ANN TRULOVE CELEBRATES.**

**Children of Neighborhood Enjoy Party for Tenth Birthday.**

Miss Ann Trulove celebrated her tenth birthday Thursday. Children of the neighborhood gathered and played games on their hostess' large lawn, and a number of pretty presents were tendered to young lady as a token of good wishes.

After the little girls were tired of their games, ice cream and cake were served. A fairy of youth painted roses on the cheeks of each member of the party, and elfs of mirth went with them as they returned home that evening.

**PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL WITH MRS. FLAMM.**

A pleasant meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. Phillip Flamm, on West Second Street. The heat of the afternoon was delightfully modified by the cooling sherbet which was served, accompanied by cake.

There was a good attendance of ladies, who contributed a generous free-will offering.

**SANTA FE HAS CUT WEEDS.**

**But Railroad Company Permits Green Water to Stand on Its Grounds.**

The Santa Fe Railroad has cut the weeds around its depot. Visitors have commented many times upon the fact that the railroad would build so attractive a depot and permit weeds to grow half as high as a man all around it. The Santa Fe has a reputation of keeping its grounds attractive at most of its stations.

There yet remains a big hole of scum-covered water just north of the tracks. Visitors to Lake Plainview must pass this in order to get to the Lake. That green water is a breeding place for insects and disease germs, too.

**MISSOURIAN LIKED HERALD BANKERS' SPECIAL NUMBER.**

"The Herald of June 23 is as good an issue as I have ever seen of any paper," writes a gentleman from Missouri. "It has a fine appearance from the advertisers' standpoint, and the way you reported the Bankers' Convention is as good as I have ever seen a similar meeting covered in our larger cities. Plainview is to be congratulated upon The Herald."

**LITTLEFIELD**

**Special to The Herald.**  
LITTLEFIELD, Texas, July 3.—This section of the country had a splendid rain yesterday and last night. The ground is wet several inches in depth, and farmers are all very much encouraged with the splendid outlook for good crops this year.

**Special to The Herald.**  
LITTLEFIELD, Lamb County, Tex., July 4.—About seven hundred head of large steers were unloaded here yesterday. They were shipped from Arizona, and will be fattened on the splendid grass on the Malet Ranch range. This is the second shipment of cattle received here this season by Mr. Devitt, owner of the Mallet Ranch. Never in the history of the country have cattle done better than this year, and recent rains will make grass better than now.

**WILL COMPLETE HALL.**

**Special to The Herald.**  
WAXAHACHIE, Texas, July 9.—Campaign has been inaugurated by the Chamber of Commerce to raise \$25,000 for the purpose of completing Drane Hall, girls' dormitory at Trinity University.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finnie returned Sunday from Fort Worth. They will spend a month or six weeks in Plainview.

**FERGUSON AND BALL ON PROHIBITION.**

By Y. W. MOLMES.

To the Editor of The Herald:  
I presume your columns are open to the public for discussion of public matters, so ask you to publish this:  
In your editorial appearing in the issue of June 30th, you say: "Mr. Ferguson says the State needs constructive legislation at this time. He will veto State-wide prohibition. He thinks local option settles the matter. Tom Ball favors State-wide prohibition and opposes its extension to the Nation. The difference, then, seems to be in favor of the prohibition unit. Ferguson favors the county; Ball favors the Commonwealth."  
I would correct your errors in the above statement. Ferguson has never said anything about vetoing State-wide prohibition; but, instead, after vehement preachments about clubs, particularly the one Ball belongs to, and declaring them to be infinitely more damnable than saloons, in the next breath declares he will veto any legislation to regulate them, or the saloons. That is precisely what the liquor interests want, to be left alone. How can any one say Ferguson is in favor of local option, or the county unit of prohibition, when it is as well known as anything can be that he has fought it in every election in his county. Every saloon keeper claims to be greatly in love with local option laws. Furthermore, Ball does not oppose the extension of prohibition to the Nation. He opposes undertaking to amend the Federal constitution to incorporate prohibition; but would be glad to see it extended to the Nation by states. Would Ferguson be glad to see prohibition extended to the State by counties? His desperate fighting of it in his own county in every campaign does not show that he would.

**PRAIRIE AVE.**

PRAIRIE AVENUE, Texas, July 6.—Chas. Moore returned from Bay-side, Texas, last week to attend to some business matters here.

Mr. Neil has been on the sick list for some time.

R. B. Mercer and family visited near Lockney Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Nations went to Liberty Sunday and took in the preaching services there.

Messrs. Stovall and Jerigan, the piano men, were in this locality last week with pianos.

Mr. Thomas left Tuesday for his home, at Lincoln, Nebr., after a few weeks' visit with his son and daughter.

Charlie Barrett has been employed by Mr. Bonner to play the piano at The Mae I Theater.

Threshing has been going on in this locality, and wheat and oats are of good quality this year.

The Misses Crouch were guests of honor at the Parr dance last Saturday night.

There were about forty in attendance at the reception at the Reeves home last Saturday.

Whitfield has a new mail carrier, he being Mr. McKinley.

Mr. Fred Boedeker has been sick the past week.

Elmer Lemaster seems to be getting weaker at present.

A big rain fell here Thursday last and Friday morning.

Earl Raper returned home from Abernathy Saturday.

W. G. Williams' gave an ice cream supper Saturday night to a few of their friends.

J. W. Wiggins was the guest of W. G. Williams Saturday night.

**AMUSEMENTS**

Lucile Love has arrived. Her career of love, mystery and political intrigue commenced Tuesday for the trigue commenced Tuesday for the pleasure seekers of Plainview.

She starts from Manila in a hydroplane to save the honor of her father and the man she loves. Her hazardous mission will be watched with interest by those who saw Tuesday's pictures. "Lucile Love" is a Universal film. Grace Cunard and Francis Ford play the leading roles in a way worthy of their reputations.

**FRANCHISE IS GRANTED.**

**Special to The Herald.**  
SAN BENITO, Texas, July 9.—The city has granted franchise to S. A. Robertson, as trustee, to furnish San Benito with lights, water and telephone service for the next fifty years. A number of improvements are to be made in the service.

The Praetorians are going to give some person in Plainview a free trip to the Frisco Exposition, with all expenses paid. Better see D. W. McGLASSON and get details concerning this.

**TO THE VOTERS OF HALE COUNTY:**

On March the 9th I mailed out a personal letter of solicitation to every voter of Hale County, soliciting their support in the coming primary, in which I said I would try to see each and every voter personally and ask their support. This I am trying to do, and have seen a number of them, but I see that I will not be able to get out and make a house to house canvass without neglecting the duties of the office, which I don't feel like I would be treating the public right to do. I am trying to see every voter, but should I fail to see you and ask you personally for your support, I hope you will consider that I have the interests of the people at heart and am trying to serve you as I promised when you placed your trust in me, and will not neglect the duties that I owe to the people for self interest.

Further, I wish to say that I expect to spend every moment of my time that is not needed in the care of the duties of the office in trying to see you, and when it is possible for me to be away from the office a day or an hour without neglecting the work, I feel that you will not censure me for trying to promote my interest in the campaign.

Again I want to thank the people of Hale County for what they have done for me in the past, and ask you to continue the trust in me. Should you elect me as your Clerk again, I will promise to devote attention to the duties of the office and give to each and every one the service that is due from a servant, and will try to serve each and every person the best I can with equal favors to all alike.

Hoping to be able to meet you and ask for your help in getting a position that will enable me to support my family and at the same time give you as good service as can be had, and hoping that if I fail to meet you personally you will consider that I have done the best I could in trying to make the race, and hoping when you go to the polls to cast your vote you will assist me, I am  
Yours for service.  
B. H. TOWERY.

—Adv.

No. 553.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT**

of the Financial Condition of the

**FIRST STATE BANK,**

At Abernathy, State of Texas, at the Close of Business on the 30th Day of June, 1914, published in The Hale County Herald, a Newspaper Printed and Published at Plainview, State of Texas, on the 9th Day of June, 1914.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	334,821.61
Loans, real estate	96.50
Overdrafts	2,199.96
Real Estate (banking house)	2,563.20
Furniture and Fixtures	965.01
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	5,926.49
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	37.00
Cash Items	315.92
Currency	896.00
Specie	835.25
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	314.72
Other Resources as follows: Assessment Guaranty Fund	28.36
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$48,084.93</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,213.05
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	3,916.94
Individual Deposits subject to check	18,834.85
Time Certificates of Deposit	6,020.29
Bills Payable and Red- counts	6,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$48,084.93</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hale.

We, S. R. Merrill, as president, and C. G. Goodman, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
S. R. MERRILL, President;  
C. G. GOODMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1914.

E. M. LEGG,  
J. P. and Ex-Officio Notary Public,  
Hale County, Texas.

Mrs. J. F. Browning, of Baird, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Potts.  
R. F. Stewart was called to his old home, at Lorena, to attend his mother's bedside.

**ST. MARK'S WOMAN'S AUXILIARY IS BUSY.**

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal Church met in regular session at four o'clock Monday afternoon, at the Guild Hall.

In the absence of the president, the vice president, Mrs. R. B. Hulien, presided.

Mrs. F. N. Catto resigned as treasurer and Mrs. R. S. Charles was elected to fill the office.

Since the last meeting of the auxiliary, they have, by concentrated and untiring effort, carpeted the aisle and chancel of the Guild Hall and purchased a handsome solid-silver communion set.

**IMPROVE LIGHT PLANT.**

**Special to The Herald.**  
YORKTOWN, Texas, July 9.—Extensive improvements to the light and ice plants are being made by the Southern Utility, which recently became interested in property at this place.

**ERECTING GIN.**

**Special to The Herald.**  
CHANDLER, Texas, July 9.—A completely-equipped gin is being builded here by Dabney White. It will be finished and ready to run within two weeks.

**PAINTING and PAPER HANGING**

**ALL WORK GUARANTEED**

**PHONE 459**  
**W. D. Jordan**

**Dr. Norman Mayhugh OSTEOPATH**

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Phones: Residence 171; Office 538

**Announcements**

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic primary:

For Representative.

CAPT. T. J. TILSON.  
Y. W. HOLMES.  
A. G. ELLIOTT.

For District Judge.

R. C. JOINER.  
REUBEN M. ELLERD.

For District Attorney—

CHARLES H. VEALE.  
GEO. L. MAYFIELD

For District and County Clerk

S. S. SLONEKER.  
B. H. TOWERY.  
W. H. BOX.  
J. W. PIPKIN.  
W. N. McDONALE.

For Sheriff

J. C. HOOPER.

For County Judge.

W. B. LEWIS.  
J. M. BULL.

For County Treasurer.

MRS. LALLA DAVIS.  
JOHN G. HAMILTON.

For Tax Assessor.

J. N. JORDAN.

For County Attorney

CHARLES CLEMENTS.

For County Surveyor.

T. P. WHITIS.  
O. HOLLAND.  
D. L. ALEXANDER.  
OTIS SHROPSHIRE.  
W. METHLEY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1.

TOM THOMPSON.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—

W. J. ESPY.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2—

M. S. HUDSON.

**NOTICE.**

It is cheaper because it saves you money—The St. Mary's Engine. See or 'phone DAN WHITE. —Adv. tf.

**WHEAT AND OAT SACKS AT ALLEN & BONNER'S**

The Sign  of Service

**WE WANT YOU**

To open an account with us, whether you have a large or small amount to deposit. We want to show you what the Sign of Service really stands for.

WE PAY INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS

**Third National Bank OF PLAINVIEW**  
Capital and Surplus \$120,000.00  
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The price of Gulf Refining Co's best supreme Lubricating Oil has been reduced to 50c per gallon in quantities of five gallons or more, and 60c in smaller quantities.

That good Gulf gasoline 11c per gallon.


Remember our prices are first to go down, and are the last to raise. If you deal with us you always get the right goods at the lowest prices.

See our stock of tires and tubes, and get our prices before you buy; we can save you money.

We weld your broken castings for all kinds of machinery.

Give us your business--we appreciate it.

**Egge-Corlett Auto Co.**



They buy it for what it does. That's why the Ford is servant of more than 530,000. It holds the world's record for all 'round dependability. And it's the lightest--strongest--the most economical car on the market. And don't forget the service.

Five hundred dollars is the price of the FORD runabout; the touring car is five fifty; the town car seven fifty—f. o. b. Detroit, complete with equipment, \$45 to Plainview. Get catalog and particulars from Barker & Winn, Plainview, Texas.

**BUY your Lumber, Shingles, Doors, Windows, Mouldings, Builder's Hardware Direct from Mill, Saving 25 per cent, Payment After Examination Your Town.**

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Send Us Bill of Just What You Need for House or Barn and We Will Make You Delivered Price on Same.

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At  
**SPECIAL PRICES**

**Saturday  
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Monday**

12 1-2c Lawns and Suitings may be had for 7, 1-2c  
25c and 35c Fine Tissues, Voiles, Crepes, Ratine  
Stripes, etc., for 15c  
Welt Ratines, Silk Novelties worth 50c for 30c  
Imported Fine Plain Colored Ratine, 42 inches  
wide, \$1.25 value for 65c

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Clean Sweep at the close of an un-  
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New Fall Styles in Gingham Now Ready  
Price 10c Per Yard

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### "BEST WELL YET" BROUGHT IN ON DR. PEARSON'S FARM.

Texas Land and Development Co. Will  
Replace No. 5 Pump With Larger  
One; Second Cutting Alfalfa.

The Texas Land and Development  
Company has brought in a new well  
on Dr. Pearson's irrigated farm, 8  
miles southeast of town. "This is  
probably the best well we have  
drilled," R. S. Charles, manager, said  
to a Herald reporter. "We have not  
been able to take wier measure, but it  
is producing all the pipe will carry,  
and we will put in a larger pump."  
A number 5 pump was installed.  
This will be replaced by a number 6.  
A 60-horsepower engine will be used.  
Dr. Pearson is making his farm a very  
fine place. This is the second well  
drilled on it, and brings the total number  
sunk by the Development Company  
on their properties around Plainview  
to 49.

Mr. Charles says their second cutting  
of alfalfa will be ready next week.  
They will visit relatives in Franklin.  
The company did not bring in a  
large party to-day. "Men throughout  
the Middle West and North are too  
busy in the harvest fields to ask them  
to leave now," Mr. Charles said.

### T. A. JOHNSON, OF PARIS, TO BUILD 2 BRICK STORES.

A. L. Keys, of Paris, Texas, has con-  
tracted to build two brick store houses  
on the north side of the public square.  
These are to be on lots owned by  
T. A. Johnson. Wooden buildings  
recently been removed. This leaves  
only one wood store house on the  
north side.

Mr. Johnson is represented in Plain-  
view by J. B. Nance.

Mrs. G. L. Webster left to-day on  
her return to her home, in Oklahoma  
City. She has been visiting Mr. and  
Mrs. R. F. Bayless.

### WANT ALLEY CLEANED.

Citizens Complain That Conditions  
Are Unsanitary.

Complaint has been made that the  
alley extending from Pacific Street to  
Covington just north of the public  
square is dirty. The odor from the  
place is disagreeable to a person pass-  
ing along the east side of North Pacific  
Street.

Of course, recent rains have made  
slop out of trash which had accumu-  
lated in the alley. It isn't clean.

The gutter along North Pacific  
Street and elsewhere has been per-  
mitted to become offensive once or  
twice. There has been a big pool of  
water on the north side of the Court  
House, covered with green scum--that  
means it has stood for many days.

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We'd like to hold this sale  
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Hurry--and "do it now".

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### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends  
for the kindness shown us during the  
sickness and death of our beloved hus-  
band and father.

MRS. RIERSON  
AND CHILDREN.

### FARMER TO AMARILLO.

J. B. Farmer, the Wells-Fargo Ex-  
press agent here, went to Amarillo  
yesterday. Mr. Farmer will take the  
agency at Amarillo while the regular  
agent is away on his vacation.

T. Y. Flynd will take Mr. Farmer's  
place as agent here.

Mrs. Hugh Speed and children re-  
turned to-day from San Antonio, where  
they have been visiting Rev. Mr.  
Speakman.

### NOTICE.

The State Masonic School of In-  
struction will meet in Plainview July  
15-22. If any person has rooms to  
rent during that time, please notify  
R. C. BETHEL, Phone 452. —Adv. 1f.

APPLES, PLUMS AND GRAPES  
FOR SALE at the Dalmont Test Or-  
chard. Yellow Cluster apples will be  
ripe from the middle of July to August  
1st. Go to see what the Yellow Cluster  
will do on the Plains even under  
unfavorable conditions. We have a  
good stock of this and other Nursery  
Stock. PLAINVIEW NURSERY. Adv.  
3 times-pd.

## An Ounce of Action Is Worth a Pound of Procrastination

"Watchful waiting" will re-  
sult in certain regret--you've  
got to ACT quick.

We'd like to hold this sale  
forever--it's making so many  
people happy. But the "up-  
and-doing" folks won't let us--  
they're reducing our stocks at  
lightning speed--the best things  
are on their way already.  
Hurry--and "do it now".

## Our Great Summer Sale Is in Full Swing

We wish to call your attention  
to the very special prices on men's  
and young men's clothing:

\$18.00 for all \$22.50, \$25.00  
and \$30.00 Suits

\$12.00 for all \$15.00, \$17.50  
and \$20.00 Suits

A special lot of suits, worth up  
to \$25 and including  
our regular \$12.50 line now **\$8.75**

## Carter-Houston's

We Seek to Satisfy  
Every Customer  
With Quality  
and Price  
—AT—

**Wood's Variety Store**

Every Day a Place of Opportunity



New Lines Are Being Added  
At Special Prices

