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COUNCIL MAKES CHANGE IN ALDERMANIC TERM

ORDINANCE REQUIRING LICENSE FOR DRAYS, AUTOS AND MOTORCYCLES PASSED.

MUST REGISTER AUTO NUMBER

Good Reports Are Heard From City Tax Collector and Superintendent of Waterworks.

An ordinance which was proposed last night by the members of the City Council will make necessary the election of all aldermen at the coming city election, April 4. The ordinance will declare an emergency and will probably be passed at the next meeting of the council. It will provide that the aldermen elected shall draw to see which shall serve one and which two years. It will make such provision that at no time will an entirely new council be possible. It will necessitate an annual election of aldermen, but it is thought that the light expense of such an election will be overcome by the advantages the new plan offers.

Must Register Auto Numbers.

All owners of automobiles will be required to register their automobile numbers each year at the City Hall with the City Secretary. A fee of \$1 will be charged for registration. An ordinance is now being drawn to make this legal.

The council adopted an ordinance last night which provides a license for transfers, hacks, drays, autos and other vehicles for hire. There is a fee required of all owners. Automobiles used for hire shall pay a fee of \$10.00 per annum, drays \$10.00, one-horse job and delivery wagons \$5.00, motorcycles \$5.00. A fine for violation of the ordinance may be imposed, not to exceed \$100.

Order Walks and Crossings.

A map of the city showing street crossings and sidewalks already constructed was presented to the council by the Young Men's Business League through F. F. Hardin, chairman of a committee from the League. The council passed an order requiring all street crossings, alley crossings and sidewalks necessary to complete thirty continuous blocks of sidewalk in the heart of the city. This is a step in the direction of securing free mail delivery for Plainview. Walks were ordered also on the east and south sides of Block 4 in the Slaton Addition.

R. J. Frye, who has been on a committee to negotiate for the W. G. Phillips' lots for the market place for the city, was instructed to close negotiations for lots in block 17, Original Town of Plainview. This will give a market place 140 by 225 feet.

Dr. E. F. McClendon reported that the restaurants and hotels were in a sanitary condition.

City Marshal and Tax Collector John Vaughn reported the collection of 1915 taxes, delinquent taxes, fines and occupation taxes to the amount of \$283.73 for the month closing February 29. City Secretary and Superintendent of Waterworks B. L. Spencer reported collections during the same period of \$797.80 sewer and water rents.

An ordinance is being drawn by City Attorney L. R. Pearson relative to trespassing on railroad right-of-ways in the corporate limits.

TAX ASSESSOR BUSY.

Tax Assessor J. N. Jordan and his deputy, Jas. Williamson, are making the assessments for Hale County. Their work must be completed by May 1.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

County Clerk B. H. Towery has issued marriage licenses to D. J. Thompson and Miss Bessie Simms, of Floyd County, and R. S. Kratzer and Miss Hazel M. Plamm.

ALFALFA CATTLE COMPANY SHIPS TWO LOADS OF SHEEP.

Saturday two loads of finished sheep were shipped to Fort Worth by the Alfalfa Cattle Company.

DR. O. E. NICHOLS TO CHICAGO.

Dr. O. E. Nichols is in Chicago taking some special post-graduate work. He will probably be gone until April 1.

Construction Begins on New Phone Circuit to Hale Center

As a further improvement of their service through Plainview, the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company are installing a new No. 10 iron metallic circuit between Plainview and Hale Center. C. W. Broyles, general construction foreman, and R. W. Flowers, foreman, arrived in Plainview today and work has begun on the Plainview end of the line. This circuit will be placed on the poles now in use. Five linemen and ten groundmen are in the crew.

GASOLINE USED IN CLEANING CLOTHES CAUSES SMALL FIRE.

Gasoline which was being used by Mrs. T. J. Pippin in cleaning clothing this morning caught fire, filling the room she was working in with flames. The paper on the walls of the room and Mrs. Pippin's clothing were ignited. However, the fire was extinguished before serious damage was done. Mrs. Pippin received slight burns.

COUNTY INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET DATES ARE CHANGED

Thirty-Three Dollars in Cash and Merchandise Offered to Winners.

Thirty-three dollars in cash and merchandise will be offered to the girls and boys who participate in the meeting of the County Interscholastic League, in Plainview, April 7th and 8th. At a meeting of the committee Saturday afternoon, at the Court House, it was decided to change the dates of the meet, which had been announced for March 24 and 25. This was done in order to give more time for preparation.

During the week a list of prizes has been made up, and business and professional men of the town have subscribed. It is probable that other prizes will be offered.

All schools which desire to enter the contest should send in the names of contestants and events which they desire to enter to Professor J. W. McCord, director general of Hale County. Friday evening, April 7, the Junior Reading and Declamation Contests will be held. The morning of April 8 will be set apart for spelling and essay-writing contests. The afternoon will be given to athletic contests.

An educational address by some prominent educator of the State will probably be part of the program.

Prizes for the different events are:

- 1—Junior Declamation—
 - (a) Boys—Third National Bank, cash \$2.50.
 - (b) Girls—J. H. Slaton, cash \$2.50.
- 2—Senior Declamation—
 - (a) Boys—Carter-Houston, article to be selected by pupil, value \$2.50.
 - (b) Girls—Judge W. B. Lewis, cash \$1.00; Long-Harp Drug Co., Buster Brown Kodak, \$2.00.
- 3—Spelling—Judge Lancaster, \$2.00.
- 4—Essay—R. A. Long Drug Co., article to be selected by pupil, value \$2.50.
- 5—Debate—Citizens National Bank, cash \$2.50.

Junior Athletics.

- 1—50-yard dash—Chas. Clements, \$1.00.
- 2—220-yard dash—Austin Anderson, \$1.00.
- 3—Shot—Temple of Economy, baseball, value \$1.25.
- 3—Vault—Richards Bros. & Collier, sport shirt, value \$1.50.
- 5—Broad Jump, Running—J. W. Wayland, cash 50c; Mae I. Theatre, cash \$1.00.
- 6—High Jump, Running—Chas. Reinken, one best cap.

High-School Athletics.

- 1—100-yard dash—Dye Drug Company, ball glove, value \$2.50.
- 2—440-yard dash—W. M. Jeffus, cash \$1.00.
- 3—Broad Jump, Running—L. S. Kinder, cash \$1.00.
- 4—High Jump, Running—L. R. Pearson, tennis shoes.
- 5—Discus—J. W. Willis Drug Co., baseball bat.
- 6—Vault—B. H. Towery, cash \$1.00.

RISSEY SAYS HE STANDS FOR A PROGRESSIVE CITY

Candidate for Mayor Just Returned From Kansas City Tells Herald What He Stands For.

W. E. Rissey has just returned from Kansas City, Mo., where he has been on business. In an interview this morning, Mr. Rissey states: "The day before I left on my recent trip, I was prevailed upon by a number of citizens of Plainview to enter the race for mayor so strongly that I was induced to become a candidate. I had hoped to place my claims before the people through the press and by meeting the citizens immediately after I had consented to enter. However, business has demanded my attention and delayed this statement.

"On what platform are you making your race?" was asked him.

"I believe in law enforcement, and, if elected, will do all in my power to maintain the high moral tone of the city of Plainview. I realize that Plainview is now in a critical period of her history in a material way and that we are going to be face to face with conditions affecting the future of our town, which must be met and handled by us with judgment and mature deliberation in order that the interest of Plainview may be best served.

"I want to say that I am out and out for a progressive administration. I believe, however, that progressiveness should be tempered with conservatism, just as is necessary in any private business."

"Do you own property in Plainview?" The Herald representative asked.

"I own my home, and have formerly owned lots in the business district," he stated. "I own two farms within the independent school district, and a ranch in Lamb County. I have been interested in the Plainview country financially for the past seven years, and have lived in Plainview for four years."

In the conversation he was asked if he had had experience in city government. His reply was:

"For four years prior to my removal to Plainview I was an alderman in my home city. I believe I understand some of the needs of the city of Plainview. I have nothing to withhold concerning my policies, but shall express myself clearly and frankly as I know how when occasion demands. I do not say it boastfully, but I have had sixteen years' successful business experience in the general mercantile business, and believe I have a good knowledge of business practices and requirements. I believe that the same business watchfulness, conservatism and progress necessary in personal business should be exercised in municipal business. As alderman, I have studied municipal problems, and believe my former experience would be worth much to me in the performance of my duties, if the people see fit to place me in office."

DENTISTS TO SPEAK FRIDAY TO MEMBERS OF LAMAR CLUB.

Friday afternoon, March 10, the following program will be rendered before the Lamar Mothers' Club:

- Subject—"The Influence of the Home Upon the Child."
Music—Victoria.
Readings—Madeline Abraham and Mildred Patterson.
"Parental Delinquency"—Mrs. E. C. Hunter.
"Family Barometers"—Miss Urshel Sanderson.
"Care of the Teeth"—Mrs. K. L. Atmar and C. D. Wofford.
Music—Victoria.

FIVE PARTIES ASK ABOUT FEED MILL FOR PLAINVIEW.

Colonel R. P. Smyth, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has letters from five parties who want to install a feed mill in Plainview. One letter, received this morning, was from a party in Mississippi.

OFF TO NEW YORK CITY.

Saturday Judge H. C. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Knight and Mrs. Robert M. Malone left for New York City, where they will spend several days.

BIRTHS.

- Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Graves, March 3, a boy.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart, March 5, a girl.

\$9.05 PAID FOR HALE COUNTY PORKERS AT WICHITA MONDAY

Special Stock Train Leaves Plainview With Thirteen Cars of South Plains Livestock.

Two loads of Hale County hogs on the Wichita, Kans., market yesterday brought \$9.05. One car belonged to H. W. Knupp and the other to W. A. Watson. This stock left Plainview Saturday morning over the Santa Fe on their special weekly stock train. There were thirteen cars on the train when it left Plainview. This represented shipments from points between Slaton and Plainview and the six cars picked up in the Plainview yard. Beside the two cars of Messrs. Watson and Knupp, there was a car from the Alfalfa Cattle Company, of Alken, Watt Griffith of Lockney, N. A. Armstrong of Floydada, and also a car of cattle from Mr. Griffith at Lockney.

WILL TEST METERS.

C. D. Hardesty, of St. Louis, arrived in Plainview Saturday. His work calls him into various fields in which the Texas Utilities Company operate. For the next few days he will test meters on the company's lines, having begun yesterday at Lubbock, where he and W. B. Tinsley, new-business manager, will spend a week. Later meters in Lockney and Plainview will be inspected.

BACK FROM CHILDRESS.

Rev. O. L. Hailey, president of Wayland Baptist College, returned yesterday morning from Childress, where he preached Sunday in the interest of the educational campaign to raise money for the schools under the auspices of the Baptist denomination in Texas. He reports a very successful trip.

HOUSE'S TRIP TO EUROPE WAS TO INFORM AMBASSADORS

On Return to U. S., Texan Says Reports of Europe's Unfavorable Attitude Is Exaggerated.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Col. E. M. House, who sailed for Europe December 28 on a confidential mission for President Wilson, arrived here today on the steamship Rotterdam, from Falmouth. As soon as he landed from a special coast guard cutter, which met the Rotterdam at quarantine, Colonel House announced he would leave at once for Washington to meet the President.

He declined to comment on his mission or what he had seen or done while abroad, reiterating the statement he had made prior to leaving here, in December, that his mission was to convey to some of the American Ambassadors information having to do with international questions that could not be supplied them by cable or letter.

Asked if he had noticed any marked change in the attitude of Europe toward the United States since his previous trip, Colonel House said:

"Should Make Allowances."
"Reports of an unfavorable attitude toward the United States by the people of Europe are exaggerated. At least, I heard no criticism in any of the countries visited. I will say also that we should remember that the people of the belligerent Nations are living with their nerves on edge, and we should make allowances accordingly."

He added that everywhere he went he was treated with every courtesy and consideration.

To a question as to whether he intended making Washington his home during the remainder of the Wilson administration, Colonel House replied:

"While I am often in Washington, I have no intention of making it my residence, either temporarily or permanently. My home is and will continue to be in Texas, for my interests, my boyhood friends and lifetime associations are there."

He stated that press dispatches had covered every phase of his movements while abroad.

Seldom Seen on Ship.

On the voyage across Colonel House worked diligently in his cabin, sifting down for the guidance of President Wilson the mass of information he had obtained on his visit to the capitals of Europe. He was seldom seen except

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Citizens to Vote on School Bond Issue Next Saturday

Saturday, March 11, the people are to decide at the polls whether bonds shall be issued to the amount of \$50,000 for the purpose of building and equipping a new high school building for the Plainview Independent School District. The law states that all persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county, and who are resident property tax payers in said district, shall be entitled to vote.

WAYLAND OPENS BASEBALL SEASON THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

First of Three-Game Series With High School to Be Played on College Diamond.

Wayland College and the High School will play baseball Thursday afternoon on the College grounds. This is the first of a series of three games. The dates for other games have not been set.

WINDOWS ARE TO BE IN GALA ATTIRE DURING DISPLAY WEEK

Additional Firms Express Desire to Enter Herald's Advertised-Goods Contest.

Plainview business windows are to appear in gala attire during The Herald's Display Week, March 20 to 25. Already the manufacturers of nationally advertised goods are beginning to send to their local dealers window-display plans and special decorations for the occasion, and the window dressers are making their plans to show their best efforts in decoration.

The event promises to be a style show on an enlarged basis. Every window will be an exhibit of the latest fashions, types, designs, food, jewelry, articles of every kind and every description which the merchant guarantees to you because the manufacturer has made certain advertised guarantees which he authorizes the local man to stand by.

Some merchants are planning to convert their entire store rooms into exhibit places for nationally advertised goods during the big week, making certain displays and carrying out decorative ideas worth a visit to inspect.

A few dealers seem to think that the restricted size of their windows and their limited facilities for display will detract in the contest. Only the arrangement, contents and effectiveness of display will be considered in the judging, and not the fact that a window is poorly lighted, has poor glass or other defect as a window, although background and decoration will be considered.

Every general newspaper advertiser will be impressed by this demonstration of dealer enthusiasm in behalf of his and other products that belong to the "newspaper-advertised family."

Every non-user of newspaper space should see in the demonstration a significant development of modern merchandising.

Every newspaper advertiser recognizes the value of a well dressed window as a part of his general advertising plans to put his goods before the people.

The newspaper advertisement is the message that goes every day to every buyer of every product, everywhere. It wins the interest of the prospective customer, and then it turns that interest into an actual sale by pointing out the counter where the product desired is to be found. That is direct demand—the straight line drawn between producer and consumer through the retailer's store.

And that is why the retailer—himself a newspaper reader—prefers to sell and to push newspaper-advertised products.

Friday The Herald listed twenty-two firms who have signified their desire to participate in The Herald's co-operative move and to compete for the \$25 cash prize offered. Others who have been added to the list are Wilbert Peterson, Temple of Economy, J. W. Willis Drug Co., Waller Tailoring Co., E. G. Bennett Grocery Co., People's Supply Store, H. L. A. Frank's Necessity Store and The Elk Barber Shop. Others will be announced later.

Rev. B. H. Oxford and family were here yesterday from Hale Center.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FAVORS DEMONSTRATOR

WM. GANZER, OF EXTENSION DEPARTMENT, WILL MAKE COMMISSIONERS' COURT PROPOSITION.

SHORT COURSE HERE IN APRIL

Will Co-operate With Federated Commercial Clubs of West Texas to Get A. & M.

A review of the work of the Chamber of Commerce was made last night at the meeting of that body. The newly elected president, Charles Reinken, presided.

Mr. Reinken has appointed to serve on the Executive Committee of the organization E. H. Perry, Judge J. E. Lancaster, D. H. Collier, A. G. Hinn and Dr. C. D. Wofford. This committee, with the officers of the chamber, and appointive committeemen, W. K. Simmons, E. E. Roos, M. D. Henderson, E. H. Humphreys and J. J. Ellerd, comprise the Industrial Committee.

A resolution was adopted last night, at the suggestion of the president, approving the Federal Tariff Board, which it is stated is not partisan in its policy and is designed purely to remove the tariff question from politics. Some opposition was made to the resolution, but it carried with no dissenting votes.

The secretary, Col. R. P. Smyth, referred to the body a communication from the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Sweetwater announcing a meeting of the commercial clubs of West Texas at Sweetwater April 5. The object of this meeting is to devise ways and means of interesting the administration in the building and equipping an Agricultural and Mechanical College in West Texas. It is set forth in the Sweetwater body that the present A. & M. College is inaccessible to students of this section, and that many of the boys who would otherwise attend Texas schools go to schools in other states because soil and climatic conditions there are more nearly what they are in West Texas. This move has the endorsement of the commercial clubs at Plainview, Amarillo, Canadian, Lubbock, Fort Stockton, Midland, San Angelo, Sweetwater, Childress, Quanah, Memphis, Pecos and El Paso.

Will Recommend County Agent.

It was also called to the attention of the body that Wm. Ganzer, of the Extension Department of Texas A. & M. College, would return to Plainview during the week and that he would go before the Commissioners' Court Monday morning and officially make them a proposition from the department. The Chamber of Commerce heartily endorses the move to secure a demonstration agent for Hale County, and under instruction from the body President Chas. Reinken is to appoint a committee to co-operate with Mr. Ganzer.

The proposition which Mr. Ganzer will make is to provide a farm demonstrator for Hale and Floyd counties jointly. Judge Thompson, of Floyd County, has called a general meeting of the farmers and other interested parties to be with the court when Mr. Ganzer appears there, Tuesday.

Through the Chamber of Commerce, a three-day short course in agriculture is to be offered the people of Hale County in April. Already petitions have been circulated sufficient to secure the course for one day at Hale Center, one at Petersburg and one at Plainview. Dates will be announced later.

CARLOAD OF MATERIAL FOR STREET LIGHTS HAS ARRIVED.

A carload of material for the new street-lighting system, which the Texas Utilities Company has contracted to install, has been received and unloaded. R. A. Drum, manager of the company at Plainview, states that construction will begin soon.

REGULAR Y. M. B. L. MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT.

Thursday evening the Young Men's Business League will meet in the County Court room at eight o'clock.

ELLERD AT WICHITA FALLS.

R. M. Ellerd, candidate for Congress from this district, is in Wichita Falls in the interest of his candidacy. He reports a successful trip. He expects to return to Plainview Friday.

CITATION—BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lamb County—Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale, for Four Consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, you summon John N. Hansen, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the District Court of the 68th Judicial District of Texas, to be held in and for the County of Dallas at the Court House thereof, in the City of Dallas, on the first Monday in May, 1916, then and there to answer to the petition of C. C. Slaughter Co., a private corporation, filed in said Court on the 6th day of January, 1916, against the said John N. Hansen for suit, said suit being Numbered 21771-C, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit:

On or about February 1, 1909, the defendant purchased from C. C. Slaughter the Southeast Quarter of Sec. 5, Blk. "T-2," Lamb County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land; as part consideration therefor, the defendant executed and delivered to said Slaughter his certain promissory notes, numbered 3 and 4, and being for \$173.33 and \$920 and due on February 1, 1912, and February 1, 1916, respectively, each payable to order of said Slaughter, with interest thereon from date at 6 per cent per annum, payable annually, both principal and interest payable at Dallas, Texas; and vendors lien was retained to secure the payment of the said notes. Said notes also providing that all past due interest to bear 6 per cent per annum from the annual maturity thereof and providing that in case of default in payment of any of the installments of interest, when due, should, at the election of the holder of the said notes, mature all of them, and providing for attorney's fees if collected by suit. That note No. 3, for \$173.33, is long past due and unpaid and defendant wholly fails and refuses to pay the said note or any part thereof, though often requested, and an interest installment due on each of these notes February 1, 1912, and payments therefor, have not been paid, and the plaintiff has exercised its option and declared the notes due and payable. Thereafter, on April 9, 1914, said Slaughter transferred the said notes to the plaintiff, who is the legal owner and holder of same.

Plaintiff prays citation; judgment foreclosing the vendors lien as it existed on February 1, 1909, on said land, in the alternative, that title to the said land be vested in the plaintiff, for all damages, costs and general relief. HEREBY FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS: MATT L. COBB, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 10th day of February, 1916. (SEAL) MATT L. COBB, Clerk District Court, Dallas County. By S. M. SPEAKE, Deputy.

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On or about October 6, 1908, said Allen purchased from C. C. Slaughter the Southwest Quarter of Section 1, Blk. "O-2," containing 160 acres, Hale County, Texas, which said land was by the said Slaughter conveyed to W. H. Allen on October 6, 1908, by deed of that date; as part consideration therefor, the said Allen executed and delivered to the said Slaughter his certain promissory note for \$920 payable on or before October 6, 1915, to said Slaughter, with interest thereon from date until paid at 6 per cent per annum, payable annually as it accrued, principal and interest payable at Dallas, Texas, for value received; to secure the said note, a vendors lien was retained on the said property; that all past due interest to bear 6 per cent interest from the annual maturity date thereof and that in case of failure to pay any installment of interest when due, should at the option of the holder of the said note mature the entire note; and that the vendors lien would become subject to foreclosure, also providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees, if collected by suit. The interest installment due October 6, 1913, has not been paid nor has any installment since said date been paid, and plaintiff has declared the entire note due and payable; on or about the 9th of April, 1914, the said Slaughter transferred the said note, together with the lien therein contained, to the plaintiff herein, and plaintiff is the legal owner and holder of same. On January 9, 1909, said Allen conveyed the said property to said Bryngelson, the last mentioned party assuming the said note; that the said Leonard is claiming some right, interest or title to the said property and the said Bryngelson, although he assumed the said indebtedness, has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof; that the said W. H. Allen wholly fails and refuses to pay the said note or any part thereof or past due interest, although requested.

Plaintiff prays citation; judgment foreclosing the vendors lien as it existed on October 6, 1908, or in the alternative that title to said land be vested in the plaintiff, for damages, costs and general relief. HEREBY FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court this

writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS: MATT L. COBB, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 10th day of February, 1916. (SEAL) MATT L. COBB, Clerk District Court, Dallas County. By S. M. SPEAKE, Deputy.

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On or about December 21, 1908, defendant, Edmonds, purchased from C. C. Slaughter the Southwest Quarter of Sec. 5, Blk. "O-2," Hale County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land, said property conveyed by said Slaughter to said Edmonds by deed dated December 21, 1908, and as part consideration therefor, the said Edmonds executed and delivered to said Slaughter his 4 certain promissory notes of even date with said deed; 3 for \$173.33 and payable in 1, 2 and 3 years after date; the 4th note being for \$920.00 and due on or before December 21, 1915, interest payable annually as it accrues; a vendors lien was retained to secure the payment of the said notes and each of them; all past due interest providing for 6 per cent per annum from the annual maturity thereof and providing that in case of default in payment of installments of interest when due, shall at the election of the holder of said notes mature all of said notes, and providing for attorney's fees if collected by suit; an interest installment due on each of said notes on December 21, 1909, was not paid, and plaintiff has declared all the said notes due and payable; thereafter, on April 9, 1914, said Slaughter transferred said notes to the plaintiff, together with all liens therein contained.

Plaintiff prays citation; judgment foreclosing said vendors lien as it existed on December 21, 1903, on said land, in the alternative that the superior title to said land be vested in the plaintiff, for damages, costs and general relief.

HEREBY FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS: MATT L. COBB, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 10th day of February, 1916. (SEAL) MATT L. COBB, Clerk District Court, Dallas County. By S. M. SPEAKE, Deputy.

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at the Court House thereof, in the City of Dallas, on the first Monday in May, 1916, then and there to answer to the petition of C. C. Slaughter Co., a private corporation, filed in said Court on the 6th day of January, 1916, against the said W. C. Winters and C. F. Johnston for suit, said suit being Numbered 21762-C, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit:

On or about December 4, 1908, said Winters purchased from C. C. Slaughter the Northwest Quarter of Sec. 21, Blk. "O-5," Lamb County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land; the deed of conveyance being of date December 4, 1908; as part consideration therefor, the said Winters executed and delivered to said Slaughter his 4 certain promissory notes numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4; the first 3 of said notes being for \$173.33 each of even date with said deed and payable 1, 2 and 3 years after date; note number 4 being for \$920 due on or before December 4, 1915, each bearing 6 per cent interest per annum, payable annually as it accrued, both principal and interest payable at Dallas, Texas; a vendors lien being expressly retained to secure the payment of the said notes; also providing that all past due interest was to bear 6 per cent interest per annum after the annual maturity thereof; also providing that failure to pay any installment of interest when due, should at the election of the holder mature all of the said notes, and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees if collected by suit; the interest due on December 4, 1911, and on each succeeding interest installment thereafter has not been paid, and plaintiff has declared all the said notes due and payable; notes 1, 2 and 3 being past due and unpaid; thereafter, on or about April 9, 1914, said Slaughter transferred the said notes to the plaintiff, together with all liens therein contained; the said Johnston, by deed April 27, 1914, purchased the said property from said Winters and assumed the payment of the said notes; that the said defendants, though often requested, have failed and refused to pay the said notes or any part of the same.

Plaintiff prays citation; judgment foreclosing the vendors lien as it existed on December 4, 1908, on said land; in the alternative, that title to said land be vested in the plaintiff, for all damages, costs and general relief. HEREBY FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS: MATT L. COBB, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 10th day of February, 1916. (SEAL) MATT L. COBB, Clerk District Court, Dallas County. By S. M. SPEAKE, Deputy.

CITATION—BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lamb County—Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale, for Four Consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, you summon W. P. Soash and G. H. Gutru, non-residents of the State of Texas, to be and appear before the District Court of the 68th Judicial District of Texas, to be held in and

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Santa Fe Special Excursion Fares During March We will have a number of special rates to various points in Texas during March, this in addition to our all-year and ninety-day round-trip rates. The following are a few destinations we have listed at this date: Galveston, account Scottish Rite Reunion, March 20-25. Austin, account Retail Monument Dealers, Texas Woman's Press Association School of Journalism, March 20-25. New Orleans, La., account Mardi Gras, March 2-7. Fort Worth, Merchants' Meeting, February and March. Fort Worth, account Fat Stock and Horse Show, March 13-18. Fort Worth, account First Annual Convention Baptist Students, Missionary Society, March 22-26. Houston, account Cattle Raisers' Association Convention, March 21-23. Mineral Wells, account I. O. O. F., March 20-24. For further information, phone 224. J. LUCAS.

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On or about March 1, 1909, said Soash purchased of C. C. Slaughter the Northwest Quarter of Sec. 2, Blk. "T-2," Lamb County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land, and said deed being dated March 1, 1909, and said Soash executed and delivered to said Slaughter, as part consideration, his certain note in the sum of \$920 due on or before March 1, 1916, with 6 per cent interest per annum, payable annually as it accrued, principal and interest payable in Dallas, Texas; on or about the said date above, said Soash purchased of said Slaughter the Southwest Quarter of Sec. 2, Blk. "T-2," Lamb County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land, and as part consideration therefor executed his certain note for \$920 due on or before March 1, 1916, with 6 per cent interest per annum, payable annually as it accrued; a vendors lien was retained to secure the payment of the said notes, in each of said transactions; and providing for 6 per cent interest per annum on all past due interest from annual maturity thereof, and also providing that failure to pay the installments of interest when due should at the election of the holder of the said notes mature the entire notes and be subject to foreclosure proceedings, and providing for attorney's fees if collected by suit. The interest installment on each of the said notes March 1, 1913, and each succeeding interest installment thereafter have not been paid, and plaintiff has exer-

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cised its option and declared the said notes due and payable. Thereafter, on or about April 9, 1914, said Slaughter transferred the said notes, together with all liens therein contained, to the plaintiff herein, who is the legal owner and holder of the said notes and liens; that the said Gutru, subsequently, purchased the said property and assumed the payment of the said notes; that the defendants have wholly failed and refused to pay the said notes or any part thereof. Plaintiff prays citation; judgment foreclosing the vendors lien as it existed on March 1, 1909, or in the alter-

native that title to said land be vested in plaintiff, for damages, costs and general and special relief. HEREBY FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS: MATT L. COBB, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 10th day of February, 1916. (SEAL) MATT L. COBB, Clerk District Court, Dallas County. By S. M. SPEAKE, Deputy.

CASH GROCERY CO'S. SPECIALS Potatoes: Fancy Idaho Potatoes, 10 pounds for 25c; 100 pounds for \$2.50; 14 pounds pink beans \$1.00; 14 pounds Mexican beans \$1.00; 12 pounds navy beans \$1.00; 12 pounds lima beans \$1.00; 8 pounds choice apricots \$1.00; 10 pounds fancy peaches \$1.00; 17 pounds bulk Quaker oats \$1.00; 20 pounds flake hominy \$1.00; 20 pound box crackers \$1.60; 13 bars Crystal White soap 50c; Fancy lemons, per dozen 20c; Fancy large grapefruit, each 10c; Bulk pickles, per gallon 50c; K. C. or Calumet baking powder 20c. Canned Goods: 3 cans corn 25c; 3 cans tomatoes 25c; 3 cans hominy 25c; 3 cans pink salmon 28c; 3 cans oysters 25c; 3 cans soup—assorted 25c; 2 cans peaches 25c; 6 cans milk 25c; 2 cans cut beans, extra quality 25c; Large size pumpkin, per can 10c; Large size kraut, per can 10c; No. 1 size pineapple, sliced or grated 10c; No. 2 size pineapple, sliced or grated 17c; No. 3 size pineapple, sliced or grated 23c; No. 10 size, full gallon, sliced or grated 65c. Coffee: You know the quality of our fancy Peaberry, per pound 25c; Special—10 pounds fancy Peaberry packed in heavy galvanized pail suitable for all purposes, each \$2.50; Same coffee as above packed in 5 pound towel bag, each \$1.25. Red Star Flour: Call for a sample sack. Every sack guaranteed. Per 48 pound sack \$1.85. Fancy box apples just arrived to sell at \$1.90. CASH GROCERY CO. Pure Food Products O. E. BRASHEAR, Mgr. Phone 101

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The Herald's Review of the Movies

Wednesday is Band Boys' Benefit at The Mae I. "The Lost House," in which Lillian Gish is featured, and a one-reel Casino comedy are the offering. The band boys will give concerts in the lobby before each show.

The Ruby's program Friday is "The Nature Man." For genuine novelty and thrills, this picture is highly recommended by the critics. You see a man enter the primeval wilds of the California mountains, unarmed, without

for which has been supplied by Ouida Bergere. Earnest, intelligent work at the hands of the cast is demanded in this picture, which the critics approve. In addition, The Ruby has two comedies, which Manager Ross Rogers says are unusually funny.

The Mae I shows Thursday "Alice, of Hudson Bay," a two-reel American, a story of the Northwest in which Winifred Greenwood and Ed Coxen are featured. Also "Zulu's Lost Lotharios" and "Something in Her Eye," two good one-reel comedies.

CHAPLIN DEAL INVOLVED \$1,530,000, IT IS STATED.

The Mae I. Theatre has received a wire definitely announcing that Charlie Chaplin and his company had signed with the Mutual Corporation and that the consideration was \$1,530,000. This is without doubt one of the biggest deals the moving-picture business has known. Chaplin will be shown soon on the Mutual program.

HIGH SCHOOL AGRICULTURE THEME OF NEW BULLETIN.

Is for Free Distribution as Long as Department's Supply Lasts.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 7.—Many teachers of agriculture in high schools have felt that a wider use should be made of the home farm, both to give the pupil practical work with

plants or animals, and to correlate more closely the activities of the class with the actual work of home and farm. While many believe that there should be home projects in agriculture as a feature of every high-school course in agriculture, the need of work of this sort at home is particularly important where the high school is not fortunate enough to possess a school farm.

To assist teachers in developing home projects in agriculture, the States Relations Service of the Department of Agriculture has recently issued Professional Paper No. 346, "Home Projects in Secondary Courses in Agriculture." This bulletin discusses in detail the development of the home project idea and its use in various States where it has proved successful. This is followed by a discussion of the essentials of a home project in which are included directions for keeping records, blanks and forms, and typical outlines for projects on potatoes, pigs, alfalfa, orchards, poultry and the farm home. These home projects are classified as production, demonstration, improvement, and management projects, the last dealing with the business side of the farm. High school teachers of agriculture can obtain this bulletin free on application to the Editor and Chief, Division of Publications, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., as long as the Department's supply for free distribution lasts.

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MAE I. THEATRE PROGRAM

Wednesday, March 8, Band Boys Benefit

"THE LOST HOUSE"

4-reel Mutual Masterpicture featuring LILLIAN GISH.

"Does It Pay To Advertise"

1-reel Casino comedy, featuring Thomas Waters.

Thursday, March 9

"Alice, Of The Hudson Bay"

2-reel American. A story of the Northwest, featuring Winifred Greenwood and Ed Coxen.

"Zulu's Lost Lotharios"

1-reel Falstaff comedy, featuring Claude Cooper.

"Something in Her Eye"

1-reel Novelty comedy, featuring Babe Hardy.

Friday, March 10

"HIS WIFE"

A Mutual Masterpicture in five sensational acts, featuring GERALDINE O'BRIEN.

"Love and Bitters"

1-reel Novelty comedy, featuring Edith Thornton.

Saturday, March 11

"Crossed Wires"

2-reel Thanhouser drama, featuring Florence LaBadie.

"The Hired Girl"

1-reel Majestic drama.

"Beautiful Love"

1-reel Komic comedy.

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MAEI. THEATRE



SCENE FROM "THE LOST HOUSE" FOUR PART MUTUAL MASTERPICTURE

Produced by Majestic.
Mae I. Wednesday, Benefit Band Boys.

The fourth installment of "The Red Circle" and a three-reel comedy, "Father's Child," is the offering of The Olympic for Thursday. This link of "The Red Circle" is an interesting chapter in the history of June Travis, the young woman who inherits the red circle and what it brings with it. In the last episode Mary, June's nurse, in an effort to throw the detective off June's trail, is left with her black coat caught in the door of a garage. In the opening of this one she cleverly lets herself out of the cloak, which is captured later by June, who tears the manufacturer's label off it. The cloak is then taken by the detective to the police department, where June, attired as a man, rescues it.

Mary Pickford, probably one of the most winsome actresses in the business, is to be seen at The Olympic



MARY PICKFORD, In "The Foundling," at The Olympic Friday.

Friday in "The Foundling." This five-part picture has been released since January 3. As the title indicates, it is a wail story; and there are other children, an asylum full of them; and dogs, too. Pathos and humor are worked into the theme of the picture, and Mary Pickford acts in her characteristic spontaneous manner. This picture is said to be one of the most popular releases of Mary Pickford.

tools or provisions of any kind, and in a succession of interesting scenes he conquers the forces of nature, clothes and feeds himself, makes a fire, and emerges conquerer of brute force by his superior intelligence. A wrestle with a bear, fights between wild animals, etc., make the picture realistic enough.

A two-reel Thanhouser drama, "Crossed Wires," featuring Florence LaBadie; a one-reel Majestic drama, "The Hired Girl," and a one-reel Komic comedy, "Beautiful Love," compose The Mae I's program for Saturday.

"On the Private Wire," an Essanay production, in which Joseph Byron Totten impersonates a newspaper reporter, who gets the better of a pair of English crooks, is The Olympic's leader for Saturday. In addition to this two-reel drama, there is the Pathe news feature, a one-reel drama and a comedy.

To close the week The Ruby offers "The Dynamite Train," episode No. 55 of "The Hazards of Helen," Kalem, Railroad Series. The saving of a man by Helen while riding on the pilot of a locomotive is the greatest thriller in this installment. E. W. Matlack's scenario is a vigorous one, the critics say, and Helen Gibson and her support bring out all the points.

"The Brink," which was advertised by The Mae I. for yesterday, did not arrive. The Dallas office of the Mutual Corporation stated that the picture was out and had not been returned. Instead of the Masterpicture, The Mae I. showed a regular program.

On Friday The Mae I. offers another Masterpicture De Luxe in five parts, Geraldine O'Brien, the Broadway star who scored a success in the Astor Theatre last season, is playing the lead. "His Wife" is an adaptation of "My Poor Wife," by Charlotte Braeme. It is produced by Thanhouser.

On this day The Ruby is to show "Sinners and Saints," a three-reel, closely woven photodrama the material

The Face on the Silver Dollar

Probably the average person is too busy trying to catch silver dollars ever to bother his head as to who was the original of the face on the coin. There was not only a model for the design, which model was a beautiful American girl, but there is an interesting bit of history and a fine illustration of the queer pranks fate may play connected with the face on the dollar.

A few years previous to the Civil War a daughter of Dr. Arthur R. Willis, a wealthy southern slave owner, became engaged to marry Henry Williams, of Philadelphia. Before the wedding took place, however, the bride's father suffered such financial reverses as to be left penniless. Miss Willis, however, was married to Williams, and the young couple moved to Philadelphia, where in the course of years the husband made a fortune.

Eight children were heirs, but later the fortune, through mismanagement, was lost by the father, and, during the Civil War, when the ninth child arrived in the Williams family, there was scarcely enough to eat. The saying that "It never rains but it pours" was probably old then; at any rate, it seems to have been true, for when this youngest child, a daughter, named Anna Willis Williams, was still an infant her father died.

The mother struggled for years in

poverty to bring up and educate her children, and when these were grown to manhood and womanhood the United States Treasury Department secured the services of George Morgan, a designer and engraver. It was Mr. Morgan's duty to design the new silver dollar that was about to be issued, and Mr. Morgan was attached to the mint in Philadelphia.

The reverse side of the coin gave Mr. Morgan little worry, and was soon completed. But in his efforts to find a model for the face of the dollar Mr. Morgan was unsuccessful until he chanced to make the acquaintance of the artist, Thomas Eskin, who knew a young lady, he said, who was a veritable living Venus, and suggested to Mr. Morgan that possibly she might be satisfactory for the model. Miss Anna Willis Williams, the daughter of the father who had made a fortune and lost it, and the granddaughter of the bankrupt slave owner, the child who from the day of her birth had known nothing but poverty, was the young lady suggested by the artist, and it is her face that appears on the silver dollar. Thus it may be said, that it required three generations of financial disaster and poverty to develop the model for the dollar of the land.—Washington Post.

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A one reel drama with Blanche Sweet.

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"You Know The Place"

THURSDAY

"THE RED CIRCLE"

The fourth episode, with Ruth Roland and Frank Maye

Also a three reel comedy with Harry Meyers and Rosemary Theby.

SATURDAY

"On The Private Wire"

A two part detective story with Earl Fox.

"Pathe News"

Current events and fashions.

"Shattered Nerves"

A one reel drama with Ben Wilson and Dorothy Phillips.

Also a good comedy.

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CREATES CIVIC PRIDE.

Civic beauty has a dollars-and-cents value. That's too small to elaborate upon. Civic beauty has an economic value. Civic beauty gives pleasure. A beautiful town will have a citizenship which is glad to call that town home. It is encouraging when busy cities like Dallas set aside a day for civic improvement. Just such a day was yesterday in the metropolis of North Texas. The citizens of Dallas, in response to the call of their Mayor, planted roses yesterday.

Friday and Saturday were clean-up days in Plainview by official proclamation of our Mayor. The days were observed by many of the citizens, but not as generally as they should have been. The man who piled his trash in a neat heap for the garbage man Friday evening might seek in Lubbock for it when he wants to point it out to the garbage man; for the wind has had a southeast course since. But even with the sandhills piling in clouds over the country, Plainview is better for having had it clean-up days. We can have another when May comes.

RECORDING OUR TRADITIONS IN SONG AND STORY.

There is probably nothing so appealing to men as the traditions of the race—folk lore. There are songs which hold sway for a limited time and are forgotten. There are legends which are as enchanting to children as fairy tales and as appealing in sentiment to the grown-ups as anything that is known to man. The legends and songs of the American Indians are such that they are difficult to preserve. Mouth to ear narration is the way they have been kept. With the passing of the race these might have been forgotten, except for the phonograph. The Smithsonian Institute is making phonographic records of the war and love songs of the different American Indian tribes. In this way a legendary in song and tale will be kept intact.

The Texas Folk Lore Society is doing a service to the State in the preservation of the legends and folk songs of the people of our own State in years gone by. Who would be willing for "Shoot the Buffalo" to vanish from record, when we contemplate the history of the time in which it was so popular? In the recent volume of Texas folk lore, edited by Dr. Stith Thompson, of Austin, there is much that is interesting in itself and more interesting when viewed contemporaneously with the early history of Texas, the State richest in historic romance and unique in traditional song and story.

Success is the child of industry.—Disraeli.

WHAT IS A FARM DEMONSTRATOR WORTH?

Again the proposition of a farm demonstrator for Hale County is to be presented to the Commissioners' Court. Wm. Ganzer, of the Extension Department of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, will be here Monday and will probably present the plan to the court. He will also see the Commissioners of Floyd County.

In this connection, a statement of J. H. Miller, Director of Extension in Arkansas, is interesting. He says:

"Few states in the South and no states in the North can equal Arkansas in the number of county agricultural agents now at work, as this State has 55 of these men employed in 50 of our 75 counties. It is impossible to estimate in dollars and cents what these men are worth to the agriculture of Arkansas. One farmer said recently that the agent in his county had been worth in one year to his county not less than a quarter million dollars. The duties of a faithful county agricultural agent are numerous, and he never can guess on Monday morning the variety of his problems for the week.

"The principal duty of a county agricultural agent, according to Mr. C. W. Watson, who is in charge of the farm demonstration department of the University and Federal Extension Service, is to prove by actual demonstration on from 40 to 60 farms in a county the best methods of producing favorable crops, the best methods of caring for livestock, and to help every farmer grow his own living and his own feed crops. These demonstrations usually include trials with all the usual farm crops, and hundreds of personal problems are brought to the agent for advice and suggestions.

"In some counties, according to Mr. Watson, one thing may be stressed more than another. For example, orcharding, dairying, pastures, beef cattle, or better cottonseed, one or two of these being emphasized in one county, while others may be urged in another county. In some counties the agents will devote much time to the building of vats for dipping cattle; in others to the introduction of pure-bred sires of beef or dairy cattle and hogs; in another county to the growing of corn or to the growing of certain market crops. In other words, almost every agent will have certain definite problems to emphasize in his county. Mr. Watson, the district agents, and the Director of the Extension Service believes that this plan will lead to more definite results. Special efforts will be made this year to have the farmers of one part of a county see the good work of other parts of the same county, and thus have all the people of a county talking about the same things. In most counties the campaigns will center around the two ideas of soil fertility and more livestock."

TEXAS' MODEST DAILIES.

"The blushing beauties of a modest maid!" Our Texas daily papers—how modest! Five of them are now claiming to have inaugurated the "Buy It Made in Texas" move. Four of them claim with confidence the honor of the recent move to "Buy a Bale." Three of them are the greatest morning daily in Texas, and one proudly boasts of being Texas' greatest daily. Thus The Abilene Daily Reporter chides the sisters of the city for their seeming lack of modesty, pointing out that Texas has only one greatest newspaper, and that she is to modest to boast. Of course she's a modest "Gal"—Dal. She never lays claim to anything more pretentious than testing out public sentiment; and as a general rule she voices it—so far as Texas is concerned.—Plainview Herald.

It is really amusing to see half a dozen newspapers claiming to be Texas' greatest dailies. The truth of the matter is that no newspaper is greater than its principles, and the newspaper which ignores the common, ordinary case in its politics is incapable of being the greatest newspaper of Bling's Crossing, even. The nearer the newspaper comes to filling the popular de-

mands the greater the newspaper.—Abilene Reporter.

HARP ENDORSES BUYERS' AND SELLERS' MEETING.

A. E. Harp, of Plainview, was a visitor in Amarillo during the initial convention of the Buyers' and Sellers' Association, and when asked relative to the success of the meeting said: "Amarillo has really qualified in the class of entertainers. She has done herself proud, and I have never attended a meeting of similar nature where all was as harmonious and pleasant.

"This city has demonstrated a fact that has heretofore been somewhat in doubt, and that is that a large number of cattlemen may be brought together, entertained and interested in the absence of a dues-paying membership organization. This has been a great meeting, and I am sure will be resultful in good to all concerned."—Amarillo News.

FOR SALE—Second-hand Ford Roadster; \$100 cash. L. P. BARKER. 3t.

Mrs. W. S. Fife and mother left yesterday morning for Kingstown, Ind. Mrs. Fife will remain for a two weeks' visit with her mother.

FIRE BURNS GRASS ON FIVE SECTIONS AT SPRING LAKE.

Reeves Family Moves Back to South-Plains Farm After Absence of Four Years.

SPRING LAKE, Texas, March 6.—George Barnetson is clerking for G. T. Abbott.

P. D. Vore was in Plainview the first of the week.

Fire from a thresher set fire to grass in J. F. Gibbnet's pasture Wednesday. The wind was very high, but the fire was put out after burning over four or five sections.

The Reeves family, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and daughter, Flossie, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves, have returned to Spring Lake, after an absence of four years. They will occupy the Barnetson property for this year, as their own place is leased for the present year. We welcome them back.

Mrs. Harris and Miss Etta Vore were calling on Mrs. Ruth Nash Tuesday.

W. S. Hall drove his Buick to Plainview Thursday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otus Brown and little son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gust spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Linville Saturday.

There was a fine turn-out to the choir practice Wednesday night, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ott.

Misses Gladys Axtell, Hazel White and Fern Axtell spent the week end with Mrs. Harris.

H. M. Packard was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Rev. Abney, of Plainview, filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

The home of Mrs. W. S. Hall was a very lively place Wednesday afternoon, when the ladies gathered there to spend the afternoon. Every lady carried her workbag, containing fancy work in process of construction. After a very pleasant and profitable afternoon, Mrs. Hall served refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. E. Cleavenger.

The Christian Endeavor Society, led by the social committee, gave their president, Mrs. Harris, a very successful surprise Friday, it being the first anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harris' wedding. Notwithstanding the fact that the young people had been planning for the event for several weeks, it was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Harris. The entire society joined in buying a Bible and some very fine China, which were wrapped together and covered with cotton in the shape of a bale of cotton. Vayne Bentley, in his happy way, presented the bale of cotton to Mrs. Harris. Great was the surprise of this worthy couple when they opened the bale and found how kindly the young people had remembered them. Mr. and Mrs. Harris are deserving of any good thing which comes to them. Refreshments were prepared and served by Mrs. Packard, Mrs. Axtell and Miss Mamie Axtell. All departed to their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Harris many more anniversaries.

LOS ANGELES MAN TAKES OLTON TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

Quarterly Conference for Olton to Be Held Saturday, March Eleventh.

OLTON, Texas, March 6.—On Monday night, February 28, the young folks of Olton community came in a body to the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dotson for a surprise party for their daughter Maude, the occasion being her 17th

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birthday. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graef on February 28.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Silcott and little son, D. T. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McQuillen were in Plainview Tuesday.

On coming from Plainview last Wednesday, L. E. Ensign had the misfortune to break an axle on his car.

Mrs. D. T. Rose arrived Thursday from Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Rose will take charge of the telephone exchange at this place. E. S. Silcott, the present manager, will move his family to the Silcott farm, west of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ogden, J. H. Cowart, W. A. Hazlewood and H. K. Baughn and son were among the Plainview visitors last Saturday.

A unanimous vote was cast last Monday for the issuing of bonds for the \$15,000 school house.

The program rendered by the school last Friday was excellent, and was much appreciated by the visitors.

Miss Edith Kiser, who is attending Wayland College, at Plainview, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kiser, of north of Olton.

The young folks were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Baughn last Saturday night.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Branson on March 2. Dr. Owens, of Plainview, was in attendance.

The quarterly conference of the M. E. Church will be held at Olton Saturday, March 11—preaching Saturday morning and night; business meeting at 2 p. m. There will also be preaching Sunday morning and night by the presiding elder. Everyone is invited to be present.

R. T. Branson and sitser, Miss Bes-

sie, motored to Claude, New Mexico, last Friday, their sitasers, Mrs. George Keenan and Mrs. Wm. Hauhn, returning with them.

Arthur Sawyer was in Olton Friday and Saturday visiting friends.

J. A. Hooper, E. N. Burrus and Wm. Graef loaded out a car of corn in Plainview last week.

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COUNTY COURT IN SESSION.

County Court convened Monday morning, with Judge W. B. Lewis presiding. A number of criminal cases have been demanding the attention of the court. In the case of A. C. Barker, charged with assault, the jury acquitted the defendant. In a previous trial a hung jury resulted.

Sol Dan, of Fort Smith, Ark. is in Plainview on business.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society meets with Mrs. T. B. Haynie next Monday afternoon.

Tomorrow afternoon the Halcyon Club will meet with Mrs. James R. DeLay.

Lenten services will be held at the St. Mark's Episcopal Church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

MRS. J. C. ANDERSON HOSTESS FOR ST. MARK'S AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal Church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Anderson. They had their regular Bible study lesson. The name of one new member, Mrs. C. F. Meyers, was added to the roll. The next meeting will be with Miss May Kinder.

HONORING DAUGHTER WHO LEAVES TO ATTEND SCHOOL.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reaves entertained Saturday evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Johnnie Reaves, and Mrs. Reaves' sister, Miss Pearl Parr. Miss Reaves left Sunday morning for Amarillo to enter St. Mary's Academy, where she will be all summer.

Those present were Misses Lois Vinson, Elsie Brock, Vera Crawford, Rebecca Longmire, Jeffie Crawford, Louise McClure, Eulanda McInson, Hope Bebee, Noema Harris, Mildred Thompson and Reta Latin, Mrs. Hoyadayle, and Messrs. Alfa Rosser, Paul Frye, Lee Rushing, Bill Riley, Bryan McDonald, Finch Zollcoffer, Robert Ferguson, Clyde McClure, Scott Vinson, Orlo Bebee and Paul Latin. Various games were enjoyed. Elaborate refreshments were served by the hostess.

C. W. B. M. WITH MRS. J. M. ADAMS.

Monday afternoon the C. W. B. M. met with Mrs. J. M. Adams. Mrs. Joseph Fowler read an interesting paper on the enlistment of boys and girls for foreign mission work. "A King's Home of Cedar" was the subject of the paper given by Mrs. T. Hammond. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. S. Keys.

THE PRISCILLA CLUB.

The Priscilla Embroidery Club met in regular session March 2, with Mrs. W. C. Hunt. A pleasant and enjoyable afternoon was spent by the members and Mrs. Fred Goddard, guest. The hostess served a dainty two-course luncheon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charlie King, March 15.

Mrs. M. S. Hudson, of Hale Center, was in Plainview yesterday.

ANNUAL ALAMO BANQUET HELD LAST NIGHT AT WARE.

Students of Seth Ward College Literary Society in Good Fellowship Meet.

Last night, at the Ware Hotel, the members of the Alamo Literary Society of Seth Ward College met in their annual banquet. The colors of the society, purple and white, were artistically carried out in the decorations of the table.

The address of welcome was delivered by the president of the society, Henry Jordan. "Absent" was sung by a quartette composed of members of the society. T. N. M. Perdue toasted the Philosophians, the brother society. To this toast Stokie Bishop responded. Misses Florence Keys and Ersula Dunaway rendered a duet. Then followed a piano solo by Miss Nannie Mae Dunaway. Miss Pearl Burkhead toasted the Erolathians, and Miss Cloe Page responded. Bryan McDonald gave a toast to the Fideilians and Miss Alta Long to the Alamos. To the faculty a toast was proposed by Houston Bolin. President Johnson responded. The toast to the members absent by Roy Formway and a violin solo by Miss Beatrice Story concluded the program.

C. C. Kiker was a considerate and pleasant toastmaster. The details of the banquet were arranged by Messrs. Upton and Whitworth.

The employees of the hotel served the six-course dinner in such a manner as to make the evening entirely pleasant.

The menu follows:

- Alamo Punch Selected Fruit Cocktail
- Tomato Bouillon
- Queen Olives Salted Waters
- Scalloped Oysters
- Bread and Butter Sandwiches
- Grand Salad
- Turkey Cranberry Jelly
- Stuffed Potatoes
- Asparagus Tips in Cases
- Pocketbook Rolls
- Lettuce and Tomatoes in Celery
- Mayonnaise
- Grape Juice Ice Cream
- Assorted Cakes
- After Dinner Mints
- French Drip Coffee

FLAMM-KRATZER.

Sunday afternoon, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. W. Richards, Rev. T. B. Haynie performed the marriage ceremony for R. S. Kratzer and Miss Hazel Flamm. Only a few intimate friends and relatives were present. Miss Flamm is a daughter of J. E. Flamm, and has many friends in Plainview. Mr. Kratzer is a member of the firm of Kratzer & Bohannon, and is one of Plainview's progressive young business men.

BROWNING CLUB MEETS WITH MISS MAY KINDER, LEADER.

The Browning Club met Saturday afternoon with Miss May Kinder, who led the study. Of the shorter poems of Browning discussed during the afternoon were "Evelyn Hope," "Christina," "Love in a Life," "Life in a Love," "Statue and the Bust," "Love Among the Ruins." The hostess had devised a game similar to the formerly popular "Authors," in which questions on Browning were asked. Miss Nelle Sanson was the most fortunate in answering, and received a volume of Browning as a prize. Questions on the poems were distributed by the hostess and answered and discussed by members. Miss Lena Williams read "Evelyn Hope."

MRS. CHARLES SAIGLING WINS THE HIGH SCORE AT BRIDGE.

The Bridge Club met with Mrs. P. J. Woodridge this afternoon. The guests were Mesdames Chas. Saigling, Geo. H. Brooks, Robert Tudor, Geo. E. Saigling and Chas. McCormack. Mrs. Chas. Saigling won high score for the guests and Mrs. Hugh Burch for the club.

As favors, pink sweet peas were used. The house was artistically decorated with pink sweet peas. A delicious ice course was served by the hostess. The colors pink and white were carried out.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Hugh Burch.

Mayor J. L. Dorsett is in Crosbyton today on business.

Amos Pipkin, of Abernathy, was here today on business.

E. N. Egge was in Silverton today on business.

Miss Cora Rountree has accepted a position with Henderson & Perry.

C. G. Goodman, cashier of the Abernathy State Bank, was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Malone and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Malone, of Lockney, were here Monday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Malone.

R. O. Green, of Wichita, Kans., was in Plainview Saturday on business.

Lee Lambert, of Hereford, was here on business Saturday.

W. J. Reynolds, of Olney, Texas, was here Saturday.

A. C. Gustofson, of Happy, was a business visitor in Plainview Saturday. Lawrence Pyle, of Dallas, spent Sunday here.

Guymon and G. B. McCarty, of Abilene, are visitors in Plainview.

T. J. Coggin, of El Paso, was here yesterday on business.

J. W. Gillon, of Lubbock, was here yesterday on business.

J. B. Carter, of Amarillo, had business here yesterday.

Hugh H. Wilson, of Enid, Okla., was here yesterday on business.

Mrs. A. B. Echols, Misses Ollie and Beulah Echols and Bob Echols, of Matarador, were here yesterday.

Mrs. W. G. Hall, of Whiteflat, was here yesterday.

T. J. Rutledge, of Paducah, was here yesterday on business.

R. D. Kennedy, of Amarillo, had business here yesterday.

W. E. Risser has returned from a business trip to Kansas City.

J. A. Younger, of Claude, arrived yesterday morning to enter Wayland Baptist College.

J. C. Rawlings has returned from Kansas City, where he has been on business.

W. A. Shofner left this morning for Port Lavaca.

Professor L. G. Hazzard, of Seth Ward College, preached at Kress Sunday.

A. F. Quisenberry, of Hale Center, spent the week-end with his children.

Otis Trulove is here this week from Amarillo. He has business in the County Court.

C. K. Shelton is in Lubbock on business.

A. B. Martin left yesterday for Tulia and Amarillo on business.

Barnett O'Bryan, editor of the Hale Center Record, was here yesterday.

J. C. O'Bryan, editor of the Tulia Herald, had business in Plainview yesterday.

R. W. Cross, of Happy Union, was in Plainview yesterday.

W. M. Lawrence has recently moved to Plainview from Abilene. He will enter Wayland Baptist College.

John R. Ralls, of Ralls, was here Saturday en route to New York on business.

W. H. Cargill, of Amarillo, is in Plainview today on business.

D. R. Thomas, of Canon City, Colo., is here on business.

Miss Frances Treadgill, of Oklahoma City, is here on business.

W. A. Christian, of El Paso, is here today on business.

A. R. Spencer, of New Castle, Ind., is here today.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Fisher, of Raleigh, N. C., are here visiting friends and attending to business.

Dr. S. J. Underwood and Joe Lee Ferguson, of Hale Center, were here yesterday.

HALE CENTER PERSONALS.

Attorney Fred C. Pearce, of Plainview, transacted business in Hale Center Monday.

Mrs. B. M. Johnson, vice president of the Hale County Federation of Women's Clubs, was in Abernathy last Monday and assisted in the organization of a Mothers' Club. She reports that splendid interest was manifested and she believes a live Club was organized, that will be of much benefit to Abernathy. Mrs. Johnson is certainly a faithful worker, and the matter of public schools certainly receives her closest attention.

R. W. Lemond was in Plainview this week attending to business matters.

Rev. B. H. Oxford was a visitor in Plainview Thursday.

T. J. Fletcher, a prominent business man of Abernathy, was a visitor in this city Tuesday. Mr. Fletcher was joined here by his family. In company with Rev. J. H. Bone, they were visitors in Plainview that afternoon.

—Hale Center Record.

WILL LEAVE WEDNESDAY FOR NEW HOME, IN ABILENE.

Following the wedding Wednesday morning Guy McCarty, fiancée, Miss Blanche Gist, Lloyd McCarty and Miss Alice Gist will leave for Abilene, where Mr. and Mrs. McCarty will make their home. Miss Alice will enter Simmons College again.

TULIA PERSONALS.

J. E. Swepston was looking after business at Plainview Tuesday. He was accompanied by his family, and also by Mesdames Ira L. Tucker and Hayden Donaldson.

Miss Burr Goode and Ellis Carter, of Plainview, were in Tulia Friday afternoon. They were accompanied home by Miss Lula Goode, who visited with her parents and other friends until Sunday.—Tulia Herald.

BOOKKEEPER, four years' experience, wishes to locate firm needing a combination bookkeeper, stenographer and clerk. Best references. J. A. LEMAY, General Delivery, Plainview, 1t-pd.

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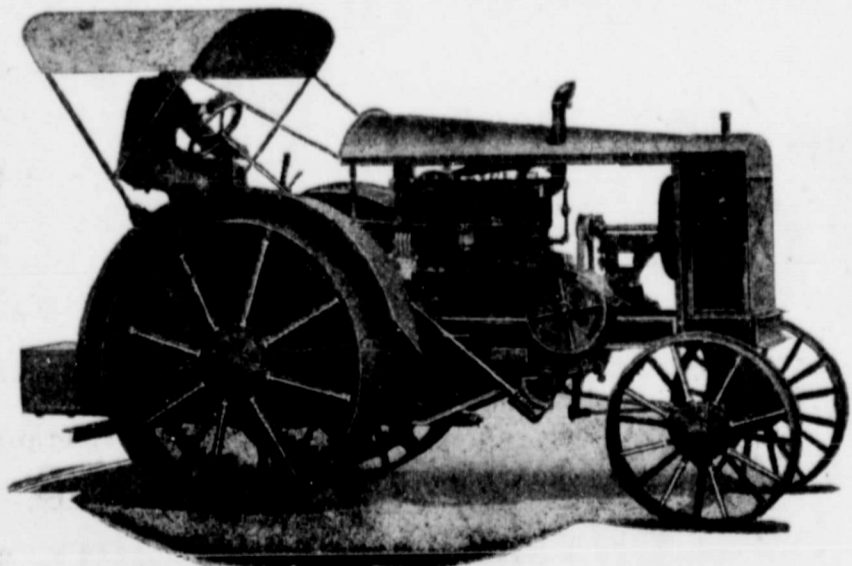
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KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET IN DETAIL.

KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS, March 3.—The cattle supply dropped to 600 head today, but the market lost none of its activity, all the buyers competing for the small run. Six loads of Texas cake-fed cattle sold at \$7.90 and \$8.00, 1,050 pounds average. A cut of these cattle sold Monday at \$7.60, indicating an advance of 30 to 40 cents in the meantime on beef cattle. This particular lot of six cars had an offer of \$7.09 at an intermediate market two days ago, with 4 head out at \$6.25. A few cattle sold at \$9.00 this week, and steers are quotable at \$8.00 to \$8.85, strictly prime steers up to \$9.40.

She stuff has attached all the advance, best heavy cows worth \$7.00 to \$7.50, and heifers up to \$9.00.

A large number of pulp-fed steers sold here Monday and Tuesday at \$8.15 to \$8.50, which, on the basis of the market now, would bring \$8.35 to \$8.90.

Stockers and feeders have advanced in like manner, few cattle selling under \$7.00, and \$8.00 the common price for decent stock steers, breeding stock cows and heifers at \$5.75 to \$7.75, fancy stock heifers above \$8.00. Feeding steers do not show as much stimulation, but sales range largely from \$7.60 to \$8.10.

While it is not expected that any heavy run of cattle will be dislodged as a result of recent gains, it is possible that buyers will attempt to stop the advance next week. The market, however, is due for further advances before May, according to popular opinion here.

Hogs have gained even more than cattle this week, the market 5 to 10 cents higher today on the small supply of 3,000 head, top \$9.00. The top price is 50 cents above top Monday of this week, and it has been exceeded only twice before in the month of March in market history at Kansas City, in 1913, when \$9.20 was paid, and in 1910, when the top was \$10.95. Parties in the trade here who were smart enough last fall to predict \$8.00 hogs by the first of March are now talking ten-dollar hogs within sixty days. The feature here is strong order-buying trade, which forces the hand of the packers, resulting today, for example, in prices 10 cents above other Missouri River markets.

Sheep and lambs sold steady, nothing but some medium-class, heavy-pelted lambs offered, which brought \$10.90, 82 pounds average. The situation is strong, and prime lambs would have brought \$11.10 here today. The supply has been light since Tuesday, a repetition of last week, which resulted in a scramble for the offerings the first days of this week. Best ewes brought \$8.00 this week, yearlings \$9.90, feeding lambs \$10.60.

J. A. RICKART, Market Correspondent.

TEXAS MAN TAKES PLACE ON FEDERAL TRADE BOARD.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 6.—Dr. L. H. Haney, Professor of Economics in the University of Texas, leaves next Saturday for Washington to undertake the duties of economic expert for the Federal Trade Commission. Dr. Haney has secured a leave of absence from the University for six months in order to be able to serve the commission in this capacity.

It will be remembered that this commission was created by Congress for the purpose of going into the whole question of the Government's attitude toward industrial combinations. One question which it has been investigating recently is the advisability of allowing combinations in this country comparable to the German cartels for the purpose of developing foreign trade.

Dr. Haney and family will return to the University next September.

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For District and County Clerk: B. H. TOWERY. (Re-election.) J. P. HOWARD, W. M. JEFFUS, JO. W. WAYLAND, JAS. F. DUNCAN, JR.

For County Judge: CHARLES CLEMENTS, AUSTIN F. ANDERSON, J. E. LANCASTER.

For County Attorney: L. D. GRIFFIN, L. R. PEARSON.

For County Treasurer: JNO. G. HAMILTON. (Re-election.)

For County Tax Assessor: ROY IRICK, R. E. BURCH, W. H. MURPHY.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: J. L. OVERALL, TOM THOMPSON. (Re-election.) T. P. BUSSELL.

For Sheriff: J. C. HOOPER. (Re-election.) J. C. TERRY.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: J. T. (DADDY) PHELPS, W. J. ESPY. (Re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. W. ROBERSON. (Re-election.) R. W. CROSS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: M. C. CORNELIUS, C. E. LOCK.

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Cultivation of the Clovers

Phosphorus and Lime Requisites of Good Alfalfa Soil—Good Alfalfa Country Should Be Good for all Clovers.

Many people from districts where clover is raised in commercial quantities believe that all the clovers will do well in the Plainview country. Phosphorus and lime are the two soil elements most needed, and the character of the South Plains soil leads to the belief that the clovers would be good crops for this section. It will be remembered that only a few weeks ago W. R. Green, speaking before the Chamber of Commerce regarding bean and pea and clover crops, stated that he believed the clovers would do well in the Plainview country. It is probable, too, that through the efforts of Colonel R. P. Smyth, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, that vacant lots in Plainview will be planted in clover.

With the possibilities of the clover crop in the district in view, The Herald has secured an article from the United States Department of Agriculture in getting and keeping a stand of clover.

"The area in red clover today is less than it has been and very much less than it should be," is the statement of the experts of the Department. "In the New England States, for example, the acreage has decreased twenty per cent in the decade between 1899 and 1909. In Ohio, one of the important clover states in 1911, it was little more than half of what it had been in 1897. The area in clover seed in Michigan in 1897 was more than double the area in 1914. During this same period the seed harvest in Illinois fell from 193,509 bushels to 42,409. In short, all the figures available from these and other States point in one direction—to a serious decrease in the area devoted to red clover.

"The cause of this decline in clover growing is to be found in the increasing difficulty experienced in getting a stand, and in the less satisfactory growth of the crop when a stand is secured. There is no way of estimating the loss suffered annually by farmers because they fail to get a catch of clover. They lose not only the money spent for seed, but also the anticipated benefit to the land from the growth of the clover as well as the hay crop for the year following the sowing. In Iowa, Professor Hughes calculated from more than a thousand reports that the farmers of that State suffered a total loss of one and three-quarters millions of dollars in the years 1910 and 1913, because of failure of the clover seeding. In this case the failures were due to unprecedented droughts, a type of risk which is unavoidable. It is the part of wisdom to decrease such risk as much as possible, and the only way to do that is to make the conditions as nearly perfect for the clover as they can be made. A strong plant may successfully survive many adverse weather conditions, where a weak one will succumb.

"While there are cases of clover failure that can not at present be explained, it can be said that the important principles of plant growth are directly applicable to the clover plant.

"To get a catch the soil, temperature and moisture conditions must be right, and to keep a stand the plants must be maintained in good health. The degree of damage which untoward weather conditions will do depends largely on how healthy and vigorous the clover plant is. The conditions most favorable to the growth of the clover plant must, therefore, be studied and regulated so far as economy and circumstances will permit. Clover delights in a relatively cool, moist climate and in a fertile loamy soil, containing plenty of vegetable matter, lime and phosphorus. Of course these ideal conditions can not be fully realized in practice. One of the chief uses of clover is to improve the soil by putting into it vegetable matter, and farmers have a right to expect clover to grow at least reasonably well on soils whose fertility they wish to maintain or increase.

"It is, however, a mistake to suppose that clover will grow on any soil, however much run down. There are certain things that clover DEMANDS, and the most important are a good supply of lime and phosphates. There are, it is true, conditions under which clover THRIVES ON ACID SOILS. These conditions are not yet fully understood, but they appear to be related to cool summers and plenty of moisture, which can not be expected in most of the clover belt.

"It is not always easy to tell when a soil has enough lime. There are several methods for testing the "lime requirement" of soils; but for practical purposes this may be roughly determined by the kind of plants growing on the land. If trouble has been experienced with red clover, but if a fair growth of timothy and of alsike clover can be gotten, the land probably needs some lime, say 1,000 pounds of ground limestone per acre; if timothy and alsike clover are crowded out by redtop or if such weeds as sorrel are abundant, the land needs plenty of lime, at least a ton of ground limestone to the acre, and probably more. While the

functions of lime both in the soil and in the plant are not thoroughly understood, we can confidently say that the clover plant is healthier when there is plenty of lime than when the soil is sour, and, being healthier, the young plants will withstand a dry spell better, and the old plants will come through the winter better than plants growing on sour soil. To sow red clover seed on so-called acid soils is usually to waste time and money.

"The addition of phosphates has also been found to be very beneficial, but here again there is no way to tell how much is needed without trying. If clover has not done well on a farm, the need of lime or phosphorus, or perhaps both, is indicated, and the farmer would do well to buy a bag or two of ground bone or of superphosphate and a ton of fine ground limestone and apply separately or in combination to a part of the field. The growth of the clover during the following season will tell the story of the needs of his soil. The bone meal and phosphates may be applied at the rate of 200 or 300 pounds per acre. Of course if there is time and opportunity it will be well worth while to try different rates of application, so as to find what rate will give best returns at smallest expense. On sandy soils potash may also be needed. For the healthy growth of the clover plant, then, lime, phosphorus and potash must be present; the presence of nitrogen is of minor importance, though, of course, the young plants will do better if nitrates are available. If clover has not been on the land for many years, it will be wise to scatter dirt from a clover field or to inoculate the seed with the nitrogen germ. When this is present the clover plant can draw on the nitrogen of the air.

The mechanical condition of the soil must be good; a soil that becomes hard, excluding the air from the roots, will not grow good clover. Lime will help loosen up such a soil, but decaying vegetable matter, or humus, is the greatest need of such land. This can be furnished in stable manure or by turning under other crops that are not as sensitive as is clover. A soil without humus will dry more readily than one with plenty of vegetable matter, and in a dry season this fact may be all important to the young plants. Most of our partly run-down soils have lost much of the organic matter they had originally. The growing of wheat and corn uses up the soil humus at a rapid rate, and so the time comes when a severe drought destroys the plants on a soil that does not hold the moisture to the extent that it formerly did. Then the plants die and the farmer blames the dry weather. While it is true that a severe dry spell may kill all vegetation, even when the soil is in good condition, it is just as true that clover plants can endure drier times and hotter weather on soil that has lime and humus, and that consequently produces stronger plants and holds what moisture there is, better than on a soil worn out by over cropping.

"Good seed should, of course, be used; even though seed is high in price this year, poor seed is relatively higher than good seed, and should never be used. Clover seed is small, and only those seeds can be expected to make plants that are dropped within a half inch or an inch below the surface. This is for the average loam or clay loam soil; in sandy soil a little deeper planting will do no harm. Seeds dropped on the surface will sprout, if there is moisture, but the small plant is subjected to all the chances of hot days and cold nights and to the drying winds that so often come in spring, and they may be killed before they get their roots down far enough for safety.

"Clover is usually seeded on winter grain or with spring grain. In either event it is much better to put the seed in with a drill than to sow broadcast. If sown with a drill only about one-half as much seed is needed as when sown broadcast, and with seed worth around twenty cents per pound this may become a very important item. Less seed is needed, because the chances of loss by leaving the seed on the surface or by having it drop into the cracks of a honeycombed field so deeply as to be lost, are avoided. If broadcasted the seed should be covered by running a light furrow over the field. This will not hurt the wheat and it is better to delay seeding the clover until the land can be harrowed than to sow on frozen or wet ground and let the seedlings take the chances of the weather. It often happens that seed sown early germinates and then the young plants are killed by a late freeze. All this may be avoided by seeding a little later and harrowing the seed into the soil.

"In many places, especially in the southern portion of the clover belt, clover is seeded in August, either in the corn or alone on a field from which small grain has been removed. This practice also has been successful as far north as Michigan and Connecticut, but is somewhat risky in those States.

It is probable, however, that if rains follow the grain harvest it will pay to disk the fields at once and seed down to clover. Where this can be done by the first week in August there is every chance that the plants will grow strong enough to pass the winter safely.

"The important facts that have been brought out by experience are, that seed should be covered as uniformly as possible and that the best depth in average soils is between one-half inch and one inch; that drilling saves seed and gives better results than broadcast; that seed sown very early and left lying on the surface is liable to be killed by the frost; and that early fall seeding can be successfully practiced in many places.

"Clover is commonly seeded with small grain, which is called the nurse crop. This nurse crop serves two functions, it keeps the weeds down and it produces a money crop while the clover is making its first year's growth. Whether it is wise to use a nurse crop depends on so many things that it can not be discussed within the limits of a brief article; it has been abundantly shown, however, that if weeds are kept down by clipping, the clover will make a better growth when sown alone than when with a nurse crop. In dry seasons the nurse crop is pretty certain to cause the death of the clover by taking all the moisture and leaving the young plants exposed to the heat of a July or August sun when in a weakened condition by reason of the lack of moisture. If a nurse crop is used care should be taken not to seed it too thickly, since the thicker the grain crop the more certain it is to smother the clover or to take all the moisture and leave the soil dry at harvest time. Of the small grains, rye shades the ground least and oats the most, and these crops represent both extremes of desirableness so far as red clover is concerned.

"The consideration of the nurse crop brings us from getting a catch to maintaining a stand. The most frequent causes of the death of young clover are the drought and heat to which the plants are subjected upon the removal of the grain crop. The amount of injury caused will, of course, depend on the season. The summer of 1915 was very favorable to young clover, as there was plenty of rain throughout most of the clover belt, but such seasons are exceptional. Injury will also be worse on soils deficient in humus, since these run together and dry out more than soils having plenty of organic matter. Top dressing the fields with manure during late winter is as good a preventive of this danger as can be suggested. The manure will not only prevent loss of moisture, but will furnish plant food for the young clover, making stronger plants, better able to withstand drought. It is also advisable to leave the grain stubble as long as possible, so as to afford shelter to the young plants.

"If there is a good stand of clover on a field in September and October there is every reason to expect a good stand in spring, barring, of course, most unusual weather conditions. If, however, the soil is deficient in lime the plant, though appearing fair in the fall, may lack the vigor to go through even a reasonably mild winter. Two mistakes are often made, and these should be guarded against. The young clover should not be pastured closely in the fall, nor should it be allowed to seed. Last fall, owing to the favorable summer, young clover was found blossoming and seeding in many fields. This is bad, because it weakens the plants and increases the number of clover-seed insects, the late broods finding these flower heads a fine place in which to lay eggs which hatch into larvae, many of which may live over the next winter.

"Provided there is lime and phosphorus enough in the land, second-year clover should give little trouble unless attacked by root borers or other insects. There are leaf-eating insects that do damage locally and some fungi have been known to kill whole fields or to reduce yields, but the insects working on the roots probably give more trouble than other insects or than diseases. When a field becomes infested with root-eating insects there is nothing to do but plow it up. (See Farmers' Bulletin No. 455.) The fact that insects and diseases of all kinds increase in a clover field is one of the best reasons why such a field should not be kept longer than two years.

"The principles of successful clover growing may be summarized as follows:

"Give the clover a chance to make a healthy plant by adding lime, phosphorus and potash to soils that need them. In some way add vegetable matter to the soil and keep up the supply by turning under clover often enough.

"Give the seed a fair chance by placing it in mellow soil and covering it from one-half to one inch deep.

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