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## BIG BARBECUE PLANS PERFECTED FOR FOURTH

### WOOD HAS BEEN OBTAINED AND MANY BEEVES WILL BE BUTCHERED

We will have the barbecue is the final verdict for the Fourth. The wood has been procured through the energetic work of W. C. Long and J. M. Waller. Alex Anderson is assisting J. C. Hooper in completing the plans for the barbecue and everything is in order for the greatest celebration in the history of Plainview.

A wire has been received from the commander of Call Field, Wichita Falls that two rescuing planes will be here that day and for a day or two afterwards.

The Tucumcari Band has been secured and arrangements made for the Community dance.

A permanent arch is to be erected bearing on both sides "Welcome Home." The arch will be over the street lamp at the northeast corner of the square. It will rest on posts two feet square and will be studded with red, white and blue lights at night. Red, white and blue will be the prevailing colors mingled with the flags of the Fourth.

Dr. C. D. Wofford, chairman of the committee on sports states that he has secured several ball games and attractions of similar nature.

The programme and line of march will be published in Tuesday issue.

## DRASTIC PROHIBITION LAW FRAMED IN HOUSE

### Attempt to Combine War-Time and Permanent Dry Bills Meet Setback

Washington, June 25.—A straight, clear-cut bill for enforcement of war-time prohibition will be reported out tomorrow by the house judiciary committee.

Decision to separate the war-time from the constitutional prohibition enforcement measures—said to be the most drastic liquor bill ever presented to congress—was reached after an all day session, which was much like marching up the hill and then down again. A proposal that two distinct bills be drafted was rejected yesterday, but it was brought up again today by Representative Walsh (rep.) of Massachusetts, and was pending when a motion to adjourn abruptly ended the discussion.

There was no indication as to how the committee would have voted, but several of the leading prohibition members agreed tonight that in view of the manifest differences between the two issues and the possibility that the sale of beer and light wines might be permitted until January, by presidential proclamation, the wisest thing to do was to report out the war-time bill the first thing tomorrow and the constitutional bill later in the day. In this way there is every assurance, they said, that the war-time bill would be passed probably by both houses before the end of the month, at which time the "dry" act becomes effective.

## Crops AI in Hale County

R. E. Cochrane and W. C. Long, secretary of the Board of City Development, were out Tuesday east of town taking pictures of the fine wheat crops and getting data on the expected yield.

The average yield on the crops inspected will be thirty bushels to the acre. On the farm of Fred Weyl it will go from thirty to sixty bushels.

In the office of the Board of City Development are to be seen fine specimens of this year's crops. Seventy five stalks of oats from one seed, raised by Ernest Heinke is one of the samples.

Sims, of the Curlew community in Floyd county, in company with his father, was here the first of the week visiting his sisters, Mrs. Chas. Flack and Miss Anna Sims. He served eleven months overseas, and was under fire in the Argonne sector for 21 days. He was discharged and returned home several days ago.

R. H. Burris, E. J. Burris and son, Walter, of Cambridge, Ohio, came in yesterday to visit their relatives, C. R. Veigel and family.

## Cope Will Not Run

W. R. Cope of Childress has decided not to be a candidate for state senator from this district.

## FIGHT AGAINST TREATY IN SENATE BEGUN

### Final Stand of Senators Opposing Ratification of League of Nations Is Made

Washington, June 26.—Turning aside from the more immediate issues of the League of Nations fight, senate opponents of the league began a determined effort today toward agreement on a plan for their final fight against ratification of the league covenant in its present form.

Although no definite agreement was reached a day of consequences served to add impetus to the suggestion of Elihu Root for a ratification resolution making stipulated reservations to protect further American policies. What these reservations shall be, however, is a question on which there is a wide difference of opinion.

## CATTLE RUSTLERS FIRE ON PATROLS

Nogales, Ariz., June 26.—A party of about six Mexicans fired upon a cavalry patrol about four miles west of here late today. The Americans returned the fire. No Americans were injured.

The cavalrymen were without orders to cross the border line and sought cover when fired upon. About a dozen rounds were fired at the Mexicans, who were concealed in brush. Whether the Mexicans were identified with any revolutionary band could not be determined.

The firing is related indirectly to efforts taken here today to stop an alleged era of cattle stealing by Mexicans. On his way home from a conference with American military men, Mexican civil officers and others here today regarded steps to stop thefts of cattle, Harry Saxon, a rancher, saw two mounted Mexicans driving two head of cattle through a cut in the fence of his ranch which virtually coincides with the international boundary line.

Saxon fired on these men and they fled. He reported the affair to the cavalry patrol stationed here two days ago as part of the effort to eliminate cattle stealing and the cavalry men were riding toward the scene of the firing when fire was opened upon them.

Feeling here is quite high over the affair, on the part of both Mexicans and Americans.

## WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE RATIFIED BY LOWER HOUSE

### Senate Also Said to Have Clear Majority for Measure—Antis make Fight

Austin, Texas, June 26.—The lower house by a vote of ninety-six to twenty on Tuesday ratified the national woman's suffrage amendment. The senate will possibly ratify today and anyway tomorrow.

There was a strong fight in the house against the measure, on the ground that it is another blow at the state's rights, also efforts was made to refer the matter to a vote of the people of the state, also a vote of the democrats of the state, but none of these dilatory measures got much support, in fact they were made mostly by men for political purposes. Everybody understood from the start that the amendment would be ratified by a big majority. There were many women in the house galleries to see the amendment ratified.

The senate committee has had its hearings and has voted unanimously that the resolution be adopted. It was in the senate that the antis expected most, and where they have concentrated their fight, but Senator Westbrook and others tell me they have more than enough senators pledged to pull it through.

Yesterday morning Gov. Brough of Arkansas delivered an address to the joint session of the legislature and in the afternoon Judge Ramsey of the federal reserve bank of Dallas made a speech on the proposed cotton corporation proposition.

Then, the appropriation bills were taken up and are now being considered. J. M. A.

## Library Board to Meet

The Board of Directors of the Public Library will meet Wednesday afternoon, July 2, at 4 o'clock at the Library room. A full attendance is requested.

Mrs. Bernard Finch of Dallas is expected this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harlan.



GET THE NEW ONES WHILE THEY ARE NEW

You will want a New Tie for the BIG FOURTH

We have them for The Professional Man, The Business Man and The Society man.

It will be a real delight to make your selection here, especially since they are so reasonably priced.

75c gets a beauty, but the \$2.00 ones are IRRESISTABLE.

Some special numbers for the boys 50c.

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WHERE PEOPLE WHO DRESS BEST TRADE

Sergeant Geo. Bonner of Olton, who has been with the 90th Division in France arrived Wednesday.

Capt. and Mrs. Austin Anderson and little son left Wednesday to visit her parents at Brownfield.



A COMPREHENSIVE SHOWING of Spring and Summer Models in Suits, Dresses and Wraps At Greatly Reduced Prices

Beautiful new models in all the newest materials is now being shown in our Ready-to-Wear Department, at tremendously low prices, you will find your Spring and Summer apparel needs have been anticipated and generously provided for in our splendidly selected stock.

"Study Our Window Displays"

CARTER-HOUSTON'S  
Goods That Speak for Themselves

## LEGISLATURE CONVENED IN SPECIAL SESSION MONDAY

### Editor's Impression of the Body Ratification of Suffrage Amendment Fight Interesting

Austin, Texas, June 24.—It was very interesting to witness the opening of the special session of the legislature yesterday morning. It was the first time I had ever seen the legislature in session. I saw the house of representatives called to order, and later went to the senate chamber where that body had already convened.

In the house the speaker is Hon. Ewin Thomson of El Paso, a very genial and popular young man whom many legislators are urging to offer for governor next year. The role was called and a quorum was found to be present; then the chaplain uttered a short prayer—for both, the legislators and the people. The house was then declared ready for business, committees being appointed to notify the governor and also the senate of the fact. The resolutions relative to mileage and per diem of members, appointment of officers and clerks of the house, etc., were passed, and the first real work was the introduction of a joint resolution to ratify the suffrage amendment. A message was received from the government, and after its reading three big appropriations bills have been prepared by the house appropriations committee, which spent nearly two weeks before the session here working on the bills, were introduced.

In the beginning this morning, Capt. Tilson attempted to have the number of house stenographers reduced from twenty-five to ten, but was overwhelmingly voted down. This morning the legislature adopted resolutions providing for almost an army of special employes, most of the salaries being \$5 a day.

It is really pathetic to see the great number of men, women, boys and girls who have come here wanting positions in the legislature. There are several hundred, and few more than fifty places to be filled. These applicants worked with the legislature for endorsements, and then took their pleas to Speaker Tomason and Lieut.-Gov. Johnson. Of course, as I was assured of my place by the Speaker before I came here, I did not have to make any fight, nor would I have done so in order to get the place. I have a committee secretaryship or clerkship, with practically nothing to do, it seems, which will soon tire on me, for unless I am kept busy I will soon get the fidgets and want to desert the big granite building for the print shop in Plainview. J. M. A.

The proposition for the state to buy the Goodnight ranch and herd of buffaloes and cattaloes will not be taken up at this session of the legislature; in fact, it is doubtful if it will be considered for years to come.

Since the regular session in the spring Col. Goodnight has leased the oil privileges on the ranch and a well is now being drilled. He refuses to include the lease and possible royalties in the sale of the ranch, and the state will refuse to consider making the purchase with any reservations. Representative Lee Satterwhite of Panhandle, author of the bill, has given up hope of putting the proposition through.

I spent the week before the legislature convened here in Austin, resting up and getting acquainted with legislators and officials about the state house. There are really no outstanding intellectual or political giant in the legislature or about the state house these days. They are mostly just ordinary men, who seemingly are very conscientious in their work, and who are not pulling off any sensational stunts for political purposes.

The house is very democratic—the members pull off their coats, and lounge on their desks. The senate is more dignified; the members and all employes must at all times wear their coats, and appear dignified. There are thirty-one senators and 141 members of the lower house. Lieut.-Gov. W. A. Johnson of Memphis presides over the senate.

The great fight over ratification of the suffrage amendment is to take place in the house this (Tuesday) morning, for yesterday afternoon the house voted to take it up at 11 o'clock. This is the most exciting question before the body, and the report was circulated last week that a large crowd headed by Former Congressman Bob

## CAPTAIN E. B. HOCKER KILLED AT COBLENZ

### AIRPLANE ACCIDENT CLAIMS LIFE OF FORMER PLAINVIEW MAN

A wire has just been received that Captain E. B. Hocker, well known in Plainview, having formerly run the elevator at Aiken switch, near this place, was killed yesterday in an airplane accident at Coblenz, Germany.

Captain Hocker was one of the civil engineers that helped bring the railroad into Plainview. He has a host of friends in this city that deplore his untimely end.

## PLAN TO COLONIZE TEXANS IN MEXICO

### Syndicate is Proposed to Finance Colony of Those Opposed to Prohibition

San Antonio, June 25.—The colonization of a tract of 500,000 acres of land in Coahuila, Mexico, opposite the American boundary between El Paso and Del Rio and the settlement in that territory of thousands of American farmers, principally from Texas, who object to the prohibition laws of this country, is planned by a syndicate with headquarters in San Antonio.

Representatives of the capitalists have just visited the section and on July 12 will accompany the first group of prospective settlers to their proposed new home. The party will go in automobiles, spending the first night at Del Rio and crossing into Mexico at that point on the following day. Arrangements for passports have been completed and the Del Rio chamber of commerce will entertain the party and facilitate their entrance into the Southern Republic.

Arrangements for the trip were made as the result of the visit to Mexico several weeks ago of Julian Stopper, grand vice president of the Sons of Hermann in Texas; Judge John Marbach of New Braunfels; F. Coreth of New Braunfels; Charles Ahrens, a newspaper man of New Braunfels, and Ed Wolf and Emil Locke of San Antonio. The proposed deal will involve an expenditure of more than \$5,000,000 for property in Mexico.

Mr. Locke said that the project has been under consideration for more than a year and that it is practically realized. A town to be called Braunfels is to be settled as part of the colonization plan.

## Lawrence Gray at Home Again

Lawrence Gray, son of John Gray of this city arrived this morning after a visit of a month at his old home in Paris, Texas. He received his discharge several weeks ago.

He saw real service with the 90th Division. He was wounded at Argonne Forest on the third of November, but like all those who received the baptism of fire across the seas, he does not like to talk of his experiences.

His uniform bears the stripes of honor, but a wound received in battle is the highest testimonial.

## Marriage Licenses

The following licenses have been issued during the last two weeks.

R. W. O'Keefe and Mrs. Cora E. Pritchett.

J. S. Lockhart and Miss Eva Buttolph.

Raymond A. Piller of St. Louis and Miss Josephine Keck.

W. H. Vaughn of Springfield, Mo., and Miss Pattie Dalton.

G. C. Phillips of Ranger and Miss Evelyn Claitor of Petersburg.

## Castro Will Build Good Roads

Castro county has just received considerable modern road-making machinery, and will begin the improvements of the roads of that county.

Henry of Waco, Former Governor Jim Ferguson and others would come here and pull off a big protest meeting today at the capitol, but the only one who seems to have shown up is Mr. Henry and he has not made any outward moves, through it is likely he is working under cover. It is a foregone conclusion that suffrage will carry by a great majority in the house, and by a few votes in the senate, and it is in the senate that the antis are making their fight, with a hope of pulling over a few votes.

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Spring poetry is a harmless thing until the poet begins to spring it.

What we all need more is to have the joy of living sunk way deep into our hearts.

Heredity is some thing a father believes in until his son starts to act like a fool.

The Plains watermelons and cantelopes will begin to ripen in about a month. No man is ever a pessimist or a bolshevik when he is full of these two delicacies of the gods.

Everybody on the Plains is expected to attend the big Fourth of July celebration in Plainview. Come and give the soldier and sailor boys a rousing welcome.

We are just wondering should the airplanes get to flying among the stars if there wouldn't be danger of the propeller churning a lot of butter while passing through the Milky Way.

Very often you hear a man say, "Woman's place is in the home" who is able to prove it by telling you that he is not engaged in active duty at present and that his wife runs the best boarding house in town.

A Bolshevik in New York is complaining because the tombstones over the graves of the rich are larger than those over the graves of the poor. Verily, man is made to worry. If he can't worry over one thing, he will worry over another.

It is estimated that fully nine-tenths of what was ay is on an average foolishness of unnecessary, and only one-tenth is worth while. In other words, most of us are afflicted with "dirrhoea of the mouth and constipation of the brain."

The Houston Post declares that a man is not worth a continental until he has acquired a home, a wife and from five to fourteen children. In these days of h. c. l the man with a flock of little craws to keep filled hasn't any time left from working to get into devilmint.

The lowly cocklebur, which has always been such nuisance to farmers and everybody else, is now coming to be valuable. An oil is being made of it, available for use in paints and varnishes, and it is also said to be adaptable for food.

The Tulia Herald is rejoicing over the bumper crops in Swisher county. That is a goodly county, and this year's crop will bring prosperity to the people. The Plains is coming into its own this year, and if the people will husband their money in the right way there should never again be hard times in this section.

Over in Missouri recently lightning struck three men who were loafing at the corner of the public square. One of them knocked senseless and the other two badly dazed. We sincerely hope that the Lord won't get so peeved with the Plainview bunch on the corner of the square that He will begin bumping them about with lightning. However, it seems that some such severe means is going to be used to ever bust up the bunch.

The state will get in additional revenue a sum of about \$300,000, according to State Treasurer Baker, in computing the benefits to be derived from the operation of the new state depository law now in effect. Under the old law there were eighteen depositories which were able to handle \$900,000 of state funds, while under the new law the number of depositories may be 200, which can handle a total of \$9,000,000.

The editor of the Lockney Beacon is trying to outdo the editor of the Canadian Record as a nature fakir. He says he favors a law to make all the roosters lay eggs. No matter how many laws may be made, and how severe they are, they will not force a rooster to lay an egg—it sim-

ply "can't be did." Besides, it isn't a rooster's business to lay eggs. If the Beacon man will give less time to trying to make a rooster lay eggs and more time to cutting the weeds in his wife's garden it will be better for all concerned.

One reason why congress did not hear the noise and uproar of the protest meeting of bums and other non-descripts held one day last week on the capital steps to protest against national prohibition, was because the congressmen had their ears glued to the ground hearing what the good people and able-bodied voters in their respective districts at home say about the matter. A congressman these days usually knows the sentiment of his constituents.

The crown prince of Rumania has attempted to commit suicide because he was forced by his parents to obtain a divorce from the girl he married a year ago, because she was neither titled or wealthy. Were he an American they would have "chucked" their rights to the throne, moved into another state and "lived happy ever after." What is the throne of a rickety country like Rumania as compared with living with the girl you love?

Union laborites rarely pass up any occasion to pull off a fool stunt. Down at San Antonio at the patriotic session of the state press association the union musicians made a protest against the use of a military band which furnished music for the occasion. Major General Cabell paid no attention to the protest and had the military band play. We sometime think that when union laborites get to the pearly gates they will refuse to enter unless Saint Peter shows a "fair" card indicating that heaven is "fair."

The American Federation of Labor declares its ultimate aim is for a six-hour day for all workmen. Why not join the Bolsheviks in their campaign to abolish work of all kinds? This continually harping about the hardships of labor and work, and the desire to cut down to only an hour or two a day makes us tired. Work is one of the blessings of mankind. Work is the greatest boon of life. The shirker, the idler and the loafer has no place in the economy of modern civilization. Only the real worker is happy. Only the worker is the builder of the world.

The anti-suffragists have sent out a circular mentioning Hale, Crosby, Deason and several other Plains counties as being "counties with almost all foreign vote that gave majorities for suffrage." Never was there more error in any statement. There are very few foreign voters on the Plains—possibly not a score in Hale county. The anti's are certainly hard-up for campaign material when they resort to the publication of such absolute falsehoods. There is possibly not a section of the state that exceeds the Plains in per centage of true Americans.

Senator McCumber of North Dakota is a republican and a leading member of the senate committee on foreign relations. He is strong for the League of Nations. He declares that while the covenant is not perfect and there are some objectionable portions from particular view points, it is devoid of any ability to dangerously entangle or curtail American interests. He declares it does not discriminate against us, nor is unfair in its treatment of this country nor imposes on us any obligation or burden that is not equally borne by every other nation. He predicts in case this country refuses to enter the league the greatest war the world has ever seen.

Joe Bailey "is in bad" worse than ever. The things that people have charged him with, and proven him guilty of are nothing to be compared with what's happened to him the past week. Of course he was "down and out" before this last humiliation came upon him. But why should a man even of such sins as Bailey be treated in the manner he was last week. There is a limit to all things. No matter how degraded a man may come; no matter how low he may get—there is some species of punishment that is too severe, that is brutal and inhuman—that is undeserved—and this has been visited upon the head of Joseph Weldon Bailey. Last week Jim Ferguson came out in an article favoring Bailey for president!

Before this is published the legislature of Texas will doubtless have finally ratified the woman's suffrage amendment. This is but justice to the women. They bore the soldiers and sailors who fought the war to victory, they nurtured and guided their footcstepes when young, they did all kinds of war work while the war was on. They are clean, intellectual and patriotic, and there is absolutely no good reason why they should not vote side by side with the men in elections. There are many things we do

understand and many we do not, and one of the latter is how any good citizen can oppose extension of the ballot to his wife, mother, and sister.

The Lockney Beacon suggests that because the editor of the News is at Austin during the legislative session, he has a political bee buzzing in his bonnet, and may be a candidate for the legislature next year. There is no danger, for the editor of the News is not contemplating anything of the kind. He has never held an office of any sort, and hardly considers his present position a real office. He is in Austin, as stated a couple of weeks ago, simply to see the political game in operation, to meet and know the political leaders of the state, to study in a way the work of the different state departments, and to take an outing and a change of work for several weeks. Simply this and nothing more.

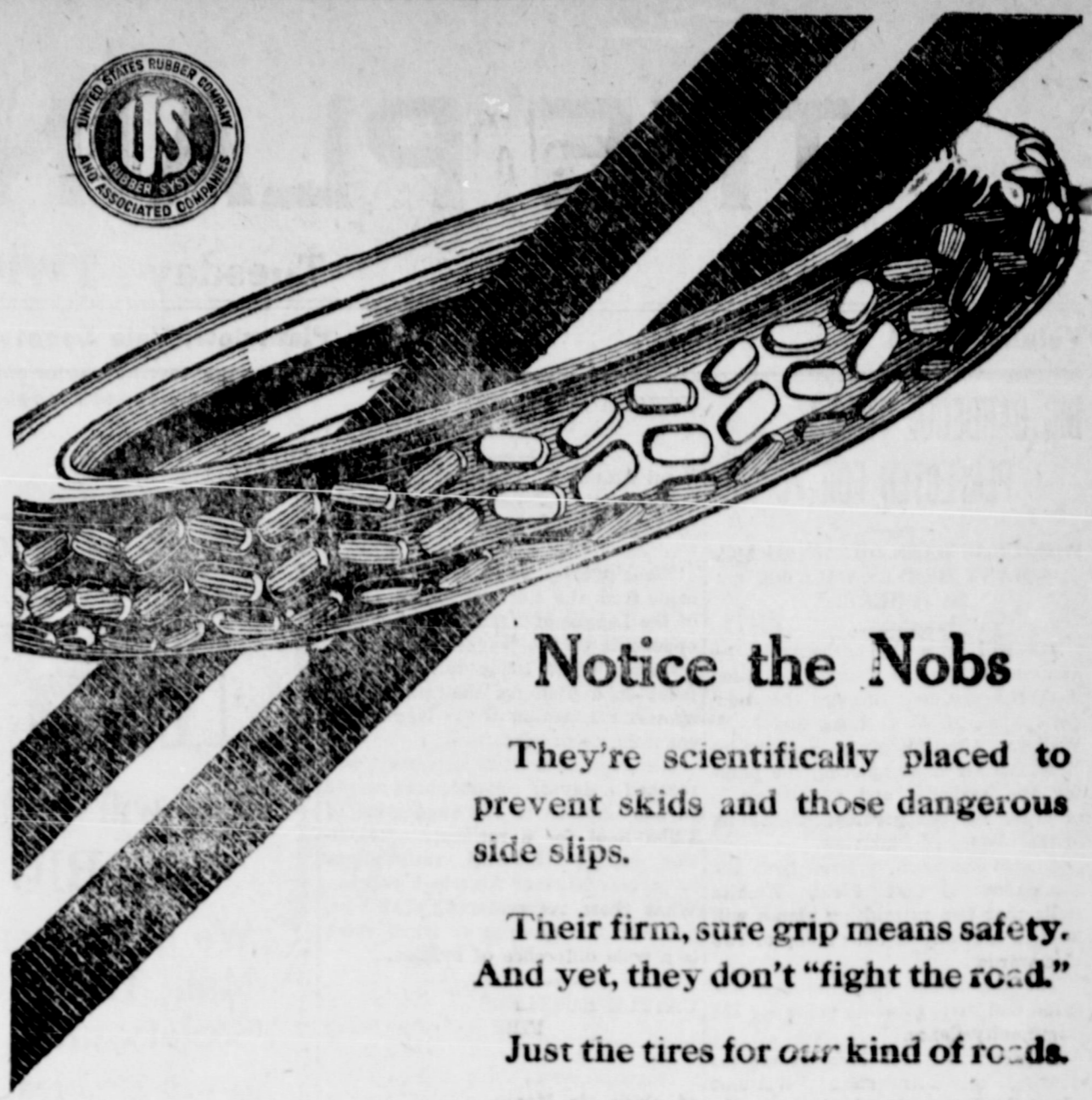
State Press of the Dallas News, in commenting on an editorial taken from this paper anent the Plainview fine-haired rabbits, declares that squirrels, frogs and chinkapins combined are more nutritious than domesticated rabbit meat. That shows the raising of State Press; it shows he was reared in Northeast Texas where the acme of all "good eats" is possum and the things he mentions, imagine such things are good to eat. We submitted scientific figures showing domesticated rabbit meat to head the list of all meats as to nutrition. All State Press submits is his own taste for meats. But science is mighty and will prevail, and Plainview fine-haired rabbits will increase in fame as they are more widely known.

French statesmen are still contending that the cost of the war should be proportioned among the countries that fought the central powers. This is a scheme looking to have the United States help pay the cost of the entire allied war from the start. The French certainly have not lost their nerve. The facts are, the Germans had the allies almost whipped, and would have finished the job in a few weeks had Uncle Sam not gotten into the war to "save the world for democracy." By all just rights France, England and the other allies should refund to America every dollar she spent on the war. Of course, America does not want nor would accept any such refund. The European countries are a lot of sordid and selfish grasping, a might sorry aggregation, no matter at what angle one views them.

Government estimates say 1,300,000 foreigners will leave this country and return to their native lands, taking four billion dollars in American money with them. The government is taking steps to stem the outgoing tide. The News hopes the government will make a dismal failure of its efforts to keep these foreigners in this country. The News hopes several million foreigners will leave this country never to return. Especially does it wish that all the classes of foreigners who are leaving, most of whom are of the Balkans, Russia, Poland, Italy and neighboring countries, will return to their native countries. We can get along better without them. They are not Americans, don't understand our theory of government and don't want to. They are the classes that are bringing most of the foreign isms to this country. They are the classes who are preaching revolution and anarchy. They are the classes that are trying to foreignize America. They are the trouble throwers. They are the bomb throwers. They are the I. W. Ws. and the Bolsheviki. Let'm go, and speed'em on their way.

Forty-five of the forty-eight states of the union ratified the national prohibition amendment, after it had been proposed by more than a two-thirds majority of congress. Yet, Samuel Gompers and the liquor gang declare that they don't propose to abide by it, as it is an "infringement of the liberties of the people," and means that the minority will rule the majority. Every constitutional safeguard and rule was obeyed in the ratifying the amendment, even though only three states failed to ratify. How are the people ever to amend the constitution if it is not done according to the rules laid down by the constitution, which were tracked exactly in regard to the adoption of the prohibition amendment? The trouble with Gompers and his crowd is not a desire for "personal liberty," but rather a desire for "personal license." There is no class of men whom prohibition of liquor helps as much as the laboring class. Every laboring man, above other, should favor prohibition. We feel that most American laboring men are in favor of it, and that most of those who are opposed to its enforcement are foreign-born or the direct sons of foreign-born men.

The American Federation of Labor has finally voted to take the negroes into membership.



## Notice the Nobs

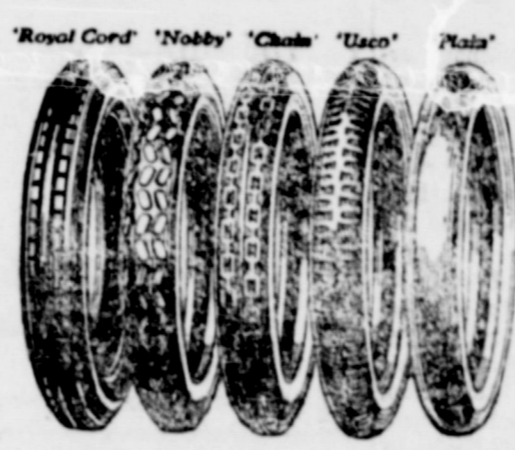
They're scientifically placed to prevent skids and those dangerous side slips.

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**Carter Motor Co. (T. B. Carter), Plainview.**  
**Quick Service Station, Hale Center; Bass Bros., Kress**

**Looting of Cars Disclosed**  
 Sentences running from 6 to 18 months in the penitentiary, with additional fines of as high as \$500, were imposed by Judge Wilson at Amarillo on 16 men charged with being implicated in a gigantic conspiracy to rob interstate shipment.

All of the defendants were railroad men, most of whom live in Dallas and Potter county.

It is said that thousands of dollars of merchandise has been lost by cross country shippers through the systematic stealing during the last few years.

In practically every case the shipments robbed were routed from New York, Chicago and St. Louis to Pacific coast points and the cars were broken open in transit over railroads around Amarillo and Dalhart.

All kinds of goods were taken, according to the testimony brought out at the hearings. Typewriters, high-power rifles, dry goods of all descriptions and house furnishings were a part of the loot.

Federal officials say that the operations of thieves were so systematized that they would take orders for certain articles and later deliver them.

In one instance it is said that a merchant with stores in Texas and Oklahoma who acted as a "fence" ordered a big lot of gingham and that he was furnished with \$6000 worth of goods for \$150.

In the trial of the cases the government had witnesses on hand from as far north as Winnipeg and as far West as San Francisco.

Bob Downey, who recently suspended publication of the *Abernathy Breeze*, is moving the plant to Barnhart, where he will publish "The Southwest Range." Barnhart is down near San Angelo.

County of Hale, Texas, June Term A. D. 1919.  
 In the Justice Court of Precinct No. One, Hale County, Texas, June Term A. D. 1919.

Now comes Cora Stevens, a feme sole, who resides in Hale County, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, and complaining of R. L. Jones, a transient person, and for cause of action plaintiff would show to the court that on or about the first day of May A. D. 1919 defendant came to Plainview, Hale County, Texas, selling stock for the Beaver Valley Oil and Refining Company, and solicited this plaintiff to buy some of said stock, that finally this plaintiff bought through this defendant \$500 of said stock, and in buying said stock plaintiff had an agreement with defendant that if she would buy said stock through the defendant, he, the defendant, would pay this plaintiff fifty dollars of his commissions; that later on about the tenth of May defendant hired this plaintiff to take him to Lockney in her car, that said trip to Lockney was reasonably worth the sum of Seven Dollars and Fifty cents, and that plaintiff assisted defendant in selling other stock in said company, whereby defendant is due plaintiff Seven Dollars and Fifty cents; that later this plaintiff loaned the defendant the sum of Seventy-five Dollars, that the defendant is justly due plaintiff the amounts set forth above; that by reason of said agreements and the loaning of said money to defendant the defendant became bound and promised to pay this plaintiff the sum of One Hundred and forty dollars that said account is past due and unpaid, that defendant though often requested has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof to plaintiff's damage in the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that the defendant appear and answer this petition, and that she have judgment for the debt, One Hundred and Forty Dollars, interest and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief both in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to, etc.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Plainview, Texas, this, the 20th day of June, A. D. 1919.

E. A. YOUNG,  
 Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 Hale County, Texas.

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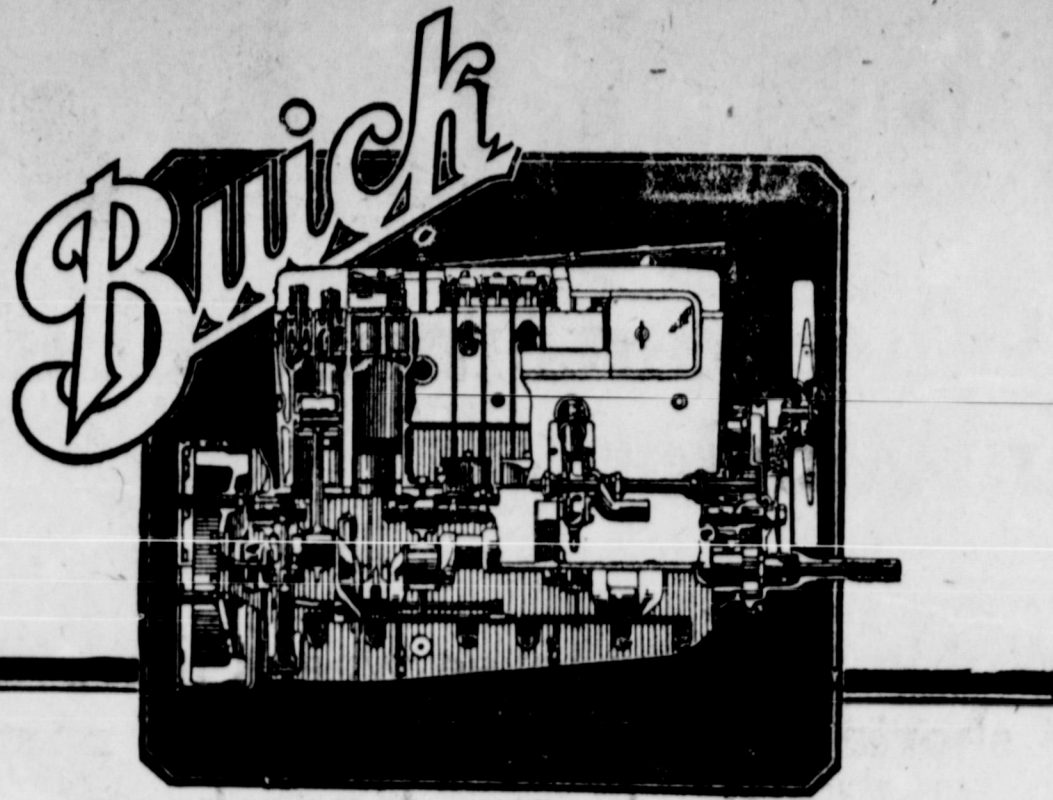
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San Antonio—The Alamo City is a Catholic town. There are many Catholics in the city as all the Protestants combined. There are fourteen churches and schools, some of them huge affairs. On the main plaza is the cathedral, which dates back into the misty past when the Spanish held Texas, and the priests came to christianize and educate the Indians. The Alamo was a Catholic church. Most of the Catholics are of course Mexicans, but there are thousands of them who are not Mexicans.

Out in the south part of San Antonio, scattered over several miles, are four or five old Spanish missions, built by the Catholics—some of them date back before the year 1700. They are but relics of the civilization of the long ago, for they are but standing walls and turrets of rock, with ivy, moss and cacti growing up the walls and over them. Only the corner of one is occupied—that by a little community of Mexicans as a church. Most of these old missions are surrounded by thick walls of rock, the enclosures covering several acres. These walls were for protection against Indians.

The Catholics have several hospitals and other charity institutions in the city. They were on the ground first, and secured the very best locations for their purposes.

We attended part of a matins service in the Cathedral. The altar and inside decorations are beautiful. A priest and two boys were conducting the service, amid the lights about the white and gilt altar, and Catholics came for the holy communion, and after it was over went away, pausing at the door to dip their fingers in the "holy water" and make the sign of the cross.

On the streets quite often are seen Catholic nuns, but we saw very few priests.

The Catholics pay much attention to the social activities of their young people, and there are rest rooms and community houses or parish houses and other such means of entertainment.

All the Protestant churches are well represented in the city, with good church buildings and large congregations, with able pastors. While San Antonio has long had a reputation of

being very immoral, there are thousands of Christians in the city and the cause of the Master is doubtless growing all the time.

Sadye Earle and I took supper at a real Mexican restaurant last night. While it is on a side street, inside the restaurant there is very luxuriant Mexican furnishings, and one is at once transported into Old Mexico. The walls are hung with fine paintings of Mexican scenes, Mexican blankets and there are many interesting curios. It is a very popular place, for it was crowded with well dressed people. The waiters are Mexicans; every thing is very clean. The menu of our supper as follows: Tamales, Chili con carne, enchiladas, frijoles, tortillas de maiz, sopas de arroz, cafe (coffee), te (ice tea). Sadye Earle is a Spanish student and ordered the supper—which cost all told 45c, which is much cheaper than I had expected.

San Antonio is giving much thought to public parks, the principle one being Brackenridge, park (given by Geo. W. Breckenridge), San Pedro park, and Koeler park. The first named covers possible a section of land, in the wild woods and traversed by a river. A fine paved roadway winds through it, and there are many places fixed for amusements and pastimes. The sunken Japanese garden is a beauty spot, and at night under the thousands of lights is a dreamland. There is a Japanese tea garden, where tea is served by the cutest little Japanese maidens—giving the place a sure enough flavor of Nippon, the "Land of the Morning Sun." In Koeler park is the Zoological gardens, where there are buffaloes, elks, deers, lions, bears, and many other kinds of animals. I did not get out to San Pedro park this time. I was in it on another visit here. It is a very pretty and well improved place.

This is surely a Mexican city. Possibly half the citizenship is Mexicans. They range from the poor class to the very wealthy. Most of the common labor of the city is done by Mexicans. Certain parts of the city look just like sections of cities in Mexico. The buildings are squalid, have few windows, and no awnings. The stores bid for Mexican trade, and nearly every place has a sign in front reading "Se habla Espanol," denoting that Spanish is spoken there.

San Antonio is being modernized. Many of the old Mexican buildings are being torn down and modern buildings, including a number of skyscrapers are being erected. I can see much improvement since I was here a dozen years ago. The city claims to be the largest in the state—and a population of 150,000. It is the commercial center and distributing point for South and Southwest Texas.

An interesting place is the famous "Buck Horn Saloon"—now a cold drink place. It contains hundreds of mounted heads and horns of animals, gathered from all parts of the world. The owner has, it is said, been offered more than \$200,000 for the collection, but has refused the offer. The collection was begun by a saloon keeper in Comanche in 1881, and later he moved it to San Antonio.

Prohibition is being enforced in San Antonio, a few years ago no person would have thought such could be possible within a generation. Hundreds of saloons were closed by the zone law thirteen months ago, and the state, county and federal governments combined forces to see that it was obeyed. The military police work with the civil officers. The person who violates the law gets little mercy. I did not see a person under the influence of liquor while in the city.

Austin—We are now in Austin, having come up while a heavy rain was falling, and which was almost a flood here. Sadye Earle is the guest of Miss Alma Ray Johnson, daughter of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, at their apartments in the capital. This afternoon they were guests of Mrs. Hobby at the governor's mansion, and shown through the building.

In the next letter I will tell of visits to some of the state institutions. J. M. A.

The government is buying hundreds of acres of land near San Antonio, an enlarging its military establishment. Ft. Sam Houston is already the largest permanent military post in the country. It is also a very important one, as troops, can within a few hours be sent to the Rio Grande border, or to the ports on the gulf, and within a day or more to El Paso and beyond.

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### WHITFIELD

June 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newman of Liberty visited at the Sammann home Sunday.

The young folks had a surprise party at the home of Bro. Reed Saturday night. Ice cream and cake was served to the crowd at the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Williams and Earl Raper and wife were Lockney visitors Sunday. Mr. Raper's brother, Norval, had just returned from overseas Saturday, and there was great rejoicing at the Raper home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bass were over Sunday visitors at the Real home.

The dance at Dock Burleson's last Tuesday night was well attended.

W. A. Bates marketed 28 hogs last Friday.

The big bird, commonly called the stork, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Moore, and left a boy; and also visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and left a boy; and a girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pierson.

Mrs. Raper happened to an accident Sunday on their way to Lockney. Her brother was driving the car and ran over a culvert in the road throwing Mrs. Raper up and striking her head on something in the car, causing her to become unconscious for some time. S. O. Nations arrived home Sunday from overseas. He has been discharged.

Most everybody is building new granaries to hold their bountiful grain crops.

### HALE CENTER

June 23.—Cards have been received announcing the birth of a son, William Hall, on June 15th to Mr. and Mrs. Barnett O'Bryan of Tulia.

Several of our soldier boys have returned home during the past week. Lyman Johnson, Carl Laneey, Barber Eubank and Frank Pacht.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox were called to Amarillo Sunday on the account of illness of the latter's sister.

Miss Bernice Hardy Duggan gave her reading "The Great Divide," to a very appreciative audience Monday night.

The tune of the binder sickle is now heard on every hand, as the golden wheat is being harvested.

Frazier Bridges is now employed at the Hale Center elevator.

Mrs. H. E. McCabe is conducting a summer school for the young pupils. She has twenty now enrolled.

Rev. J. H. Bone has returned from Wichita Falls, feeling much improved in health.

Misses Amy Monroe, Mabel Seivers and Viola Smith were in Plainview Tuesday.

Miss Estelle King returned from Corpus Christi Wednesday morning. J. L. Monroe and W. O. Ball were transacting business in Plainview on Wednesday.

S. M. Goodlett is up from Putnam for a few days with his family.

Robt. Claxton and S. O. Parker came in from the ranch for a few days the first of the week.

Miss Vivian Kisor is spending the week with her brother, Ben and family on the farm.

Wm. Ferguson is another one of our soldier boys who has returned.

Marion Griffin came home from McKinney Tuesday afternoon.

D. A. Snelling, superintendent of our schools the past two years, is now in Austin, taking special work in the University. He will be at the head of the school in Higgins next year.

Tuesday night the Masonic lodge had public installation of officers, at the school auditorium. R. W. Leonard was the installing officer, and the following officers were installed: D. C. Shepard, W. M.; W. C. Wilhite, S. W.; A. M. Griffin, J. R.; F. F. Mounts, Treasurer; N. M. Akeson, Secretary; F. Edwards, S. D.; G. L. Akeson, J. D. F. Bridges, S. S.; R. W. Sanders, J. S.; Guy Bailey, Tyler. Rev. C. E. Painter gave a very interesting talk, after which all present were served with ice cream, cake and punch and the evening closed at the end of a very pleasant social hour.

Harry Austin made a business trip to Amarillo the first of the week.

An eminent physician of New York in a lecture before a national medical society, last week demonstrated what he and others claim to be an infallible remedy for influenza and pneumonia. He used it upon 246 influenza-pneumonia patients last winter, and there was not a fatality or after complications. The health officers everywhere are fearing a return of influenza next fall and winter, and medical experts are using every means possible to find some remedy that will prevent and cure it. We feel sure science will conquer this disease.

Candidates for State Senator Austin, Texas, June 25.—W. D. Cope of Childress, of the state adjutant general's department here, and W. H. Bledsoe of Lubbock, a member of the lower house, have announced as candidates for state senator to succeed W. S. Bell, who was killed at Crowell Saturday. It is likely that others up in the district may also announce, tho no advises to this effect have been received in Austin so far.

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For Sale—4 room house, two lots, west part of Plainview, \$1,300. \$200 cash and the balance \$108 every six months, or can pay \$18 every month.

Messers. Cope and Bledsoe are both quite able men, and will make an interesting campaign, during the short time between now and the election, which the governor has called for Monday, July 14.

### No Senatorial Redistricting

Austin, Texas.—I am reliably informed that there is likely no chance of redistricting the state senatorially at this term of the legislature. It is very probable the governor will not submit the matter to the legislature. It is argued that the state will be redistricted at the regular session in 1921, following the federal census next year, and that it is hardly probable to get a redistricting bill through now, when the districts must be changed in two years.

The great trouble is that in order to give West and Northwest Texas fair representation in the senate, most of the East and South Texas districts must be enlarged, for while the Plainview district in 1910 had 245,000 population, the Texarkana district had only 82,000, and several other East Texas districts had few more people than the Texarkana district.

The senatorial districts, as now constituted, were formed in 1891, when Lynn county had only seven population, and Dawson thirteen, and other Plains counties but few people. In 1901 the senatorial districts were not changed, and since then East Texas has refused to allow any change which would cut down her vote in the senate. J. M. A.

### WHITFIELD

June 22.—Last Saturday night a social event took place at the home of Mrs. I. C. Nations, when she entertained the Sunday school. The three big spacious rooms were decorated for the occasion with flags, as it was "Flag Day," and also crepe red, white and blue. Ice cream and cake were served.

Archie Real came in Tuesday from Kansas City and other points.

Mr. Lindemann sold four bales of cotton at Lockney Saturday.

A big rain fell here Saturday evening and Sunday.

Earl Raper and wife were Lockney visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace entertained their daughter and son-in-law from the oil fields last week.

Mr. Real was kicked by a mule Saturday.

Wm. Woods and wife of Silverton were in our midst last week.

Jeff Williams and wife of Hale Center were in our midst Friday, and left their children with their grandparents while they went on their way to Silverton to survey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Edelman were Plainview callers Sunday.

The Grumblers Did you ever stop to wonder At the strange things people do, Of how little real endeavor Will make them sweat and stew; How they'll chew the rag and grumble And get addled in the head,

And when all their work is finished, They'll grunt, "I'm nearly dead—"

And when you've viewed their labor, You'll wonder why the fuss, They've really accomplished nothing, And created quite a muss, Lots of worry and excitement That more real work night entail, But the accomplishment is as useful As tying knots in a gnat's tail.

Quiet endeavor is what makes it; Save your breath for breathing hard. You can do some real, hard labor If you do not kick too hard, And your friends will like you better, And will help you "turn the wheel" If you'll "buck in" and get busy Without a murmur or a squeal



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### SOCIETY

#### Hundreds of Friends Witness Marriage Ceremony.

Wednesday night in the presence of several hundred friends and relatives the marriage of Miss Pattie Dalton to W. H. Vaughn, of Springfield, Mo., took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. L. W. Dalton, 215 South Broadway.

"The groves were God's first temples." Fitting, indeed then was the scene of the marriage service which was solemnized on the lawn and under the beautiful trees that surround the Dalton home.

The guests were welcomed by Misses Lucille Kinder and Irene Lamb. The walk leading from the gate to the steps was carpeted with white and portioned off by white ribbons, which were tied with sprays of sweet peas, thus forming an aisle for the bridal party.

The singing of "Love's Old Sweet Dream" by Mrs. Mildred Doland an-

nounced the approach of the marriage hour. Mrs. Carroll McGlasson of Kress then sang "O Promise Me." Both selections were accompanied by Miss Georgia Brashear on the piano and Prof. Rupert Crabb on the violin.

As the first notes of Mendelssohn's wedding march were played by Miss Georgia Brashear, little Virginia Sansom and Dorothy Rushing marched in scattering flowers for the footsteps of the bride.

Little Margaret Ann Randolph, the ring bearer was followed by Mrs. Z. E. Jenkins of Memphis, Tenn., sister of the bride and matron of honor. Miss Lacy Dalton was maid in waiting.

The groom entered with his best man, C. Phillips of Nashville, Tenn., and met his bride under a wedding bell of June roses. She entered on the arm of her brother, Park Dalton. The bell was suspended from an arch of greenery and pink roses studded with vari-colored lights.

Rev. R. F. Jennings, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated with the ring service, the music of the piano and violin mingling with the spoken words.

The bride wore white satin entrain with pearl and maline trimmings,

with veil and orange blossoms. She carried an arm cluster of white carnations and roses. Her going away gown was blue tricotine with hat to correspond.

The wedding was one of the most beautiful that ever took place in the city and was the consummation of a romance begun when Mr. Vaughn was in Plainview several years ago.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. L. W. Dalton, is a beautiful and popular girl. Her father, who died several years ago was one of the most prominent lawyers in this part of the state.

Many handsome presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn left yesterday for their future home in Springfield, Mo.

#### Miss Josephine Keck Becomes the Bride of Raymond Piller

Wednesday at high noon, the marriage of Miss Josephine Keck to Mr. Raymond Piller of St. Louis, took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keck, 708 Denver street.

Sweet peas, roses and graceful sprays of honeysuckle converted the living room into a fragrant and beautiful background for the bridal ceremony.

The guests were met at the door by little Stanley Meyers and welcomed by Mrs. E. E. Roos, Miss Marie Gidney and Mrs. R. E. Meyers, who were in waiting at the door of the living room.

Mrs. Mildred Doland heralded the approach of the nuptial hour by singing "All Mine Alone," accompanied by Rupert Crabb on the violin.

Promptly at the noon hour the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Albert G. Hinn announced the entrance of the bridal party.

Little Virginia Keys and Cleo Kerley, a niece of the bride, entered with bands of white satin ribbon forming an aisle through whose portals came little Virginia Hinn and Virginia Sansom, carrying baskets of flowers, which they cast in the pathway of the bride.

Then came little Helen Anderson bearing the ring on a pillow of white satin. The bride entered on the arm of the groom. During the ceremony they stood beneath a flower wreath arch while Dr. E. E. Robinson in beautiful and solemn words pronounced them man and wife. The one ring ceremony was used and when the golden circlet was placed on the finger of the bride, many of those who looked on breathed a silent prayer,

for the happiness of the bride and the man she had chosen for life.

The marriage was beautiful in its simplicity and informality and characteristic of the bride, who is one of the most popular and best-loved girls who ever lived in Plainview. "Everybody loves Jo Keck," is a common saying throughout the city.

After the ceremony the guests were invited into the dining room, where Misses Marie Gidney, Lucile Kinder and Celestine Harp served punch, and little Rebecca Meyers offered heart shaped cakes. Shasta daisies and nasturtiums were the chosen flowers for the dining room.

The bride wore for her wedding a flesh colored Georgette crepe with a picture hat embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and wore the gift of the groom, a handsome platinum wrist watch, set with diamonds. Her traveling dress was a handsome tailored satin in mid-night blue.

Mr. Piller arrived Sunday night from St. Louis. During his short stay in Plainview, he convinced everyone whom he met, by his upright bearing and cordial manner that he is worthy of the bride he has chosen. He is one of the younger substantial business men of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Piller left on the two-forty train for Chicago. From there they will visit Mr. Piller's parents near Madison, Wis. After July 1st they will be at home 4914 Forest Park Boulevard, St. Louis.

The out of town guests attending the wedding were Messrs. and Mesdames M. E. Merrill of Lubbock, N. E. McCune and T. A. Gray of Tulsa, B. M. Johnson and Nick Alley of Hale Center, Mrs. J. R. Kerley of Fargo, N. D., Mrs. Roy Sansom of Kansas City, Mrs. J. Walter Day of Chicago and Mrs. Scott Cochran of El Paso.

The presents received by Mr. and Mrs. Piller were numerous and handsome and showed the love and esteem of their friends.

#### Pre-Nuptial Dinner

Miss Georgia Brashear was hostess Tuesday evening at a six o'clock dinner, complimenting Miss Pattie Dalton, whose marriage took place Wednesday night.

Sweet peas were used in decorating. Five courses were served the bride and the members of the bridal party.

#### Society Notes

Mrs. B. H. Towery of Plainview, returned home this morning after

having been the guest of Doctor Daisy Pennock, for the past few days. She met her daughter, Ruth, here, who was returning from her year's work at the Northwestern University of Chicago.—Amarillo News.

#### Luncheon At Ware Hotel

A post nuptial luncheon Thursday at the Hotel Ware, was given by Miss Lacy Dalton, honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vaughn whose marriage had taken place the previous evening. The table was decorated with sweet peas. Five courses were served Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Z. E. Jenkins of Memphis, Tenn., Misses Irene Lamb, Georgia Brashears, Lucile Kinder, Lacy Dalton, Messrs. C. Phillips of Nashville, Tenn., Morey McGlasson, Harold Hughes, A. E. Boyd and Park Dalton.

#### First Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. 11 a. m. Sunday school day. Great program by children.

8:15 p. m. Young people society will hold night service. They have a fine program. Come and enjoy the music.

#### New Books for Library

The following books have just been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

"Why Joan", by Eleanor Mercein Kelley.

"The Black Opal," by Maxwell Gray.

"His Friend, Miss McFarland", by Kate Langley Boshner.

"The Little Colonel's Holiday," by Annie Fellows Johnson.

"The Way of Men," by Thos. Dixon, Jr.

"The Iron Woman", by Margaret Deland.

"My Inheritance", and "A Lesser Light", by Emily Embrey, have been donated to the library by Jack Hawley and Clem Leslie.

#### Watson's Business College Notes

The graduates for this week are Misses Pearl Wright, Bettie Cheyney and Erma Oxford. Miss Oxford has been offered a position with a local firm, Miss Wright goes to Amarillo, and Miss Cheyney will accept a position at Crosbyton.

The following students have recently enrolled: Jones Goode, William J. B. Gouddy, David Knight, Edgar McLendon and Mrs. J. R. Daniel.

Miss Opal Thomas has accepted a position with the Amarillo Gas Co., and writes that she is delighted with

her work.

Miss Clyde Thomas writes that she is visiting in Decatur, and that she goes to Dallas from that place where she has accepted a position.

A. D. Shaw, an enterprising merchant of Crosbyton, was up this week looking for a bookkeeper and was fortunate in securing the services of Miss Nancy Sanderson.

Tom Fletcher was a pleasant visitor at the school this week. Tom has just returned from overseas.

Douglas Qualls who has been working in Fort Worth that past month, paid us a pleasant visit this week. He will enter school next week.

Miss Erma Oxford has returned to school after several days illness.

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**CARD OF THANKS**—We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends for the sympathy extended to us in our recent hour of bereavement, and also for the many beautiful flowers contributed.—Mr. J. W. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Alexander, Mr. R. S. Alexander.

Mr. Business Man

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#### PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips left Thursday night for Ranger.

J. H. Watts of Kress came down Wednesday to meet his son, Rev. H. B. Watts of Lockney, who was on his way to the Columbus Centenary.

Capt. Dick Slaughter of New York, Mrs. J. F. Veale of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Slaughter of Lubbock were here this week inspecting their holdings in this part of Texas.

T. Stockton, L. M. Blakemore and R. C. Joiner have returned from the Elephant Butte country where they have been on a fishing trip. They report catching fish in abundance.

J. Walter Day of Chicago came in today to visit his family, who are spending the summer with Mrs. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Price.

Miss W. Stagle and two children will leave tomorrow for Bedford, Ia. His mother-in-law, Mrs. J. L. Firth of Hale Center will go with him to assist in caring for the children.

J. A. Callahan of Floydada was in Plainview this week on business.

Mrs. W. H. Hilton of Floydada was in Plainview today to meet Misses Thelma and Bettie Williams of Vaughn, N. M.

John Boon of Memphis, Texas, was here today.

Fowler and Geo. N. McDaniels of Georgetown came in yesterday to help harvest the wheat crop on their father's farm nine miles west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Peace went to Amarillo today to visit their daughter, Mrs. Ross D. Rogers.

W. F. White of Okmulgee, Okla., with his family and O. E. Fellers of Oklahoma City, came in today by automobile on a prospecting trip.

Miss Ina Jordan returned Sunday from Quanah and left again this week for Boulder, Colo., where she will attend school this summer.

Misses Thelma Murphy and Mary Kiser went to Hale Center Wednesday morning to visit Miss Fannie Mae Barnes.

W. M. Hale of Wichita Falls was here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. L. B. Wright of Eastland is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Millwee.

Mrs. W. B. Atkins of Lubbock is expected Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. M. F. Braashear and join her little daughter, who is visiting the Braashear family.

L. G. Wilson and J. M. Sears left Wednesday for Wichita Falls.

Miss Johnnie Reeves left Wednesday to visit friends at Amarillo and Claude.

Mrs. Otis Shropshire left Wednesday afternoon for Fort Sill Okla., where Capt. Shropshire has been stationed more than a year.

Lieut. Nelson Perdue has received his discharge and is at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Merrill of Lubbock were here this week to attend the Piller-Keck wedding.

Otis Trulove of Amarillo was here yesterday.

Miss Jessie Anthony of Hereford arrived this week to visit her brother, W. B. Anthony and family.

Miss Minnie Reeves left Wednesday for Clarendon, Knox City and Wichita Falls.

Everett Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bryan has received his discharge from overseas service and is at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and children of DeLeon arrived Wednesday to spend the summer in Plainview.

G. F. Pool and his daughter, Miss Emma Pool who has been here on business returned to Barstonsite Wednesday.

Rev. E. E. Robinson left Wednesday for the great Methodist Centenary at Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. L. W. Jones returned to Lubbock Wednesday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Speer.

Miss Josephine Settoon of Springfield, La., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Settoon. She is a sister of Mr. Settoon.

Rev. A. B. Weiss of Brenham arrived yesterday to take charge of the Lutheran pastoral work in this section.

Joe Snyder, who has been in France with the 36th division, came home yesterday.

Mrs. Frank A. Taylor and children left today for their home in Angleton, Texas, after a visit of three weeks to her mother, Mrs. L. B. Humphreys.

L. P. Davis of Howe, Texas, is here looking after harvesting the grain on his place near town. He says he has the best grain crop he ever saw, and it is so thick that he can hardly get his binder through it, and that it is far better than anything Grayson county can boast of. He also stated he liked Plainview fine, and was here yesterday trying to get harvest hands to harvest his crop.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McClelland will return today from a trip to Wichita Falls.

Thos. Abraham, formerly of Plainview, but now of Dallas, came in on Thursday to visit and attend to business interests.

W. T. Boyd and family of Ranger were in Plainview this week making a tour of inspection of the South Plains country.

E. Boyd and R. H. Knoohinzen made a business trip to Silverton this week.

Mrs. John M. Palmer of Fort Worth, who is visiting Mrs. Nick Alley at Hale Center, spent Wednesday in Plainview. Mrs. Palmer was before her marriage, Miss Francis Jordan, a former Plainview girl.

Mrs. B. H. Towery returned Wednesday from Amarillo.

Mrs. Barney Curry of Hope, N. M., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. Baker, but left yesterday afternoon for her home.

Miss Estelle Jackson, trimmer at the Rich-lier store, left yesterday for a two weeks trip to Denver, Colo.

E. C. Loggins, traveling agent for the Dallas News, was here yesterday.

J. B. Nance has as his guests, his brother, N. N. Nance and family, and a nephew, Robert Nance of Paris, Texas.

A. A. Hatchell returned this week from Galveston, where he attended the state meeting of the Undertakers and Embalmers association.

Private R. O. Stark of Lockney, just discharged from the 81st division, came in yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. Williams and Miss Allene Freeman of Crosbyton were the guests this week of Mrs. L. L. Hudgins.

Mrs. Ray Ivey went to Amarillo yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Winn went to Lubbock yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Vaughn.

Gene Webb, who has been with the aviation service in France, returned home yesterday.

Ross Harp went to Eastland yesterday.

A. B. Martin left yesterday for Abilene.

M. J. Beard left yesterday for Wichita Falls.

J. D. Price, a former Plainview citizen, was here yesterday on his way to St. Louis, for a fall and winter stock.

Mrs. Will Thompson of Amarillo came down yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gouley.

Mrs. R. A. McWhorter and little grandson went to Hale Center yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Silas Maggard.

F. B. Gouley and wife of Amarillo were here this week.

Ray McWhorter left yesterday for Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Merrill of Lubbock, who came up to attend the marriage of Miss Josephine Keck, returned to Lubbock Thursday morning.

#### BURMESE GIRLS' EAR PLUGS

Ceremony of Boring Lobes Performed by Professionals After Consulting Fortune Teller.

All the girls here wear ear plugs. They cannot enter society without them. As a maiden approaches the age of coming out, which is usually at twelve or thirteen, her ears are bored, and the ceremony is as important to her as the first long dress is to her American sister.

The ceremony is formal, and it must be done when the stars are propitious. The family consults the fortune teller for this occasion, and a big feast is prepared. All the relatives and friends attend in their best clothes to witness the piercing. This is done by a professional earborer, who uses needles of pure gold for the rich and silver ones for the poor.

When the exact moment has arrived the girl is laid down upon a mat in the back of the room and her relatives hold her there while the earborer thrusts the golden needle through the lobe and twists it around into a ring. This he leaves in the ear. The other ear is treated likewise.

While this is going on the hands play, and after it there is a feast. It takes the ear some time to heal. When it is quite well the process of enlarging the hole begins. The needle is pulled back and forth until the sore heals.

It is then taken out and a little cylinder of finely rolled gold is pressed in. This is gradually opened from week to week, stretching the hole larger and larger—Burmah Correspondence of the Cleveland Leader.

#### BIGGER PRIZE THAN TIGER

Natives Who Set Trap for Jungle Monarch Satisfied With Bagging Smugglers of Opium.

A singular tiger tale comes from a village in Java, where the tigers had been committing havoc for some time. One day two contraband opium smugglers, while passing through the forest saw two tigers following them. They were armed only with knives, and so they ran as fast as they could, but the tigers, as may be supposed, rapidly gained on them.

When almost overtaken they spied a tiger trap, a sort of box-like affair, and both gladly rushed in, carrying their burdens with them. The trap shut down very closely, but that pleased them mightily, as they could hear the tigers scratching and snarling on the outside. The night passed in this way, and at dawn the tigers scampered off and the smugglers essayed to do likewise, but all their efforts were unavailing. They were in a trap, sure enough.

In a few hours the setters came to have a look at the trap, and rejoiced to see it closed, thinking a tiger had been caught. Their joy was redoubled, however, when the prize proved to be the unlucky smugglers with a valuable load of opium, and the unlucky fellows were marched off to jail in triumph.

#### Meals and Marriage.

The length of time that a woman has been married can be told approximately by the manner in which she eats her refreshments at an afternoon party. If she excuses herself, just before the refreshments are served, and flounces out in a righteous, you-neglect-your-husband-shamefully look at the other guests, she is a bride of not more than two months.

When a woman sits nervously on the very edge of her chair and eats absent-mindedly with her eyes on the clock, she has been married at least six months, but has not yet become accustomed to suffer because her husband is kept waiting for his evening meal.

After women have been married from one to thirty years they settle down to a thorough enjoyment of what the hostess' best efforts have produced in the eating line, which no vision of cross, impatient and starving husbands can dim.—Atchison Globe.

#### Academic Dress.

In academic dress the bachelor's gown has long, pointed sleeves, the master's has long, closed sleeves with a slit through which the forearm protrudes, and the doctor's velvet bars on long, open sleeves and velvet facings down the front. The caps are mortarboards with black silk tassels. Doctors may wear gold tassels. The hoods indicate the degrees by their size and their velvet trimmings, and show the institution granting the degree by the college colors in their exposed linings. The velvet trimmings are two inches wide on bachelors' hoods, 3 1/4 inches wide on masters' hoods and 4 1/2 inches wide on doctors' hoods. The doctors' hoods are also widened by panels edged with cording of the college colors.

#### Manners Can Be Acquired.

An English critic says that the athletic girl has no manners and has other faults. But after the brilliant showing of a little Baltimore girl lately in rescuing several children single-handed from a burning house, a rescue made possible by her practice at athletic exercises, the lack of polish more or less can be easily forgotten. Manners can always be acquired, but it demands very quick action and ability to save lives. The mistake of such critics is to lay the blame on athletics when that blame is due to entirely different causes. The old idea that gentleness went with weakness and womanliness with timidity is now exploded.—Baltimore American.

## Store Talk

See, but we are expecting to have a good time here in Plainview on the Fourth of July, and we are expecting to see the faces of every man, woman and child in Hale, Lamb and surrounding counties on that day. You can be assured that all the soldier boys will be here and we want to show them the time of their lives. Yes, we are going to have the barbecue, all the plans are now complete, and there is no calling it off. Come to Plainview July Fourth and enjoy yourself.

We continue to save our customers more money on their groceries and seeds, and you will find the freshest, cleanest and best line to select from at either the Plainview Produce Co., phone 366 or the Gibb's Cash Grocery, phone 337.

And Mr. Wheat Farmer, we are expecting to figure on your bill of chuck for the crew that is harvesting your grain, for we will both lose money if you fail to call around and see us. We have the goods you want at the best prices obtainable, therefore you had better look us up before you buy. Plainview Produce Co., phone 366 or Gibb's Cash Grocery, phone 337.

You can drive right up to the front door and load up your supplies without having any cars blocking your way at Gibb's Cash Grocery, and Cliff will be delighted to serve you. We are still talking "Make Your Hens Pay," and you can do this by taking home a sack of Purina Chicken Chowder, and feeding it to them. A hen sings when she is happy and cackles when she lays an egg, and if you feed them Purina Chicken Chowder, you will have a happy barnyard flock.

Come in and see us regular and bring your produce to us. We delight in buying your produce and selling you good wholesome groceries. It is our business to please you by giving the best goods, best service and best prices, and you can obtain all these by trading with—

**Plainview Produce Co.**  
Phone 366

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#### ANCHOR

June 24.—This community has received about four inches of rain since June 6th, and the weeds are telling on us. The farmers are very busy fighting them.

Rev. G. H. Bryant failed to fill his appointment the 3rd Sunday evening, on account of the rains, but will be here regular every 3rd Sunday evening, if not providentially hindered.

Franklin Simonton has the header running in his wheat field this week. Glad to report Mrs. M. H. Barrington able to be up and around again.

Several of the neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Leckliter and planted near thirty-five acres of crops for her, which was appreciated and her blessings rests upon them.

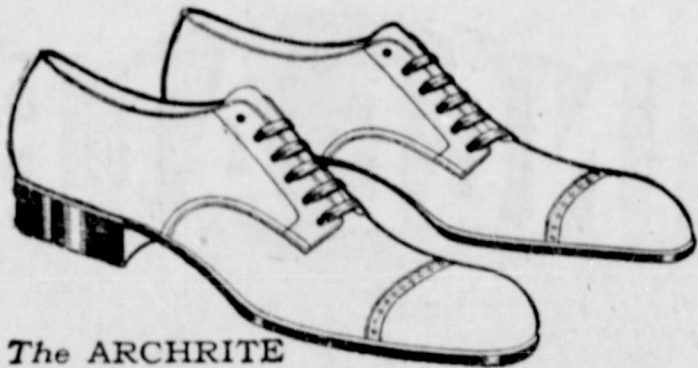
Mother Austin of Hale Center spent the past week with her son, Walter Austin, and family of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ball had a flying trip to Amarillo on business.

Sickness and the rains have played havoc with our Sunday school of late, but nevertheless, it isn't dead. There was quite a crowd out Sunday evening.

There was quite a crowd gathered at the home of Mrs. Leckliter Sunday and enjoyed ice cream, cake and lemonade, and a sumptuous dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fort and baby of near Shallowater, Vollie Fort, wife and two children, with his brother, Jim, of Center Plains, Ernest Parris, wife and baby, Mr. Kunz of Norfolk, Helena Etherege, Eula May White, Virgie Shackelford, Ross White, W. R. Fesal, wife and three children, Mike Benson, Marcus Barrington.

Walter Bellah, wife and two children of Hale Center spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. George Boliver and family.



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**THE STORY OF THE  
BATTLE OF THE ALAMO**

How 186 Texans Sacrificed Their Lives  
in March, 1836, in Behalf of  
Liberty

San Antonio.—With bared head Saturday morning I again stood in the historic rooms of the Alamo and heard the thrilling story of the battle between 186 Texans and several thousand Mexicans which resulted in the killing of all the Texans. This time I heard it from the lips of Miss Adina de Zavalla, the historian of the Texas Historical and Land-Marks Society, who is one of the trustees of the property and the daughter of the historic pioneer family of de Zavalla.

She pointed out the places where the deaths of Bowie, Crockett and the other notables are said to have occurred, and pointed to the places where the Mexicans made breaches in the walls of the old mission adjoining the Alamo. We were taken into the room in the Alamo where huddled wives and children of many of the Texans, but none of these women were molested or in any way insulted by the Mexicans. It was from these women that the history of the battle of the Alamo was gotten, coupled with stories of the Mexicans.

The battle of the Alamo begun Feb. 22, 1836, and lasted until March 6. It was begun at the old mission

building adjoining the Alamo, which was a church. The mission buildings were erected before 1800 by Catholics, as an industrial school to educate and christianize the Indians. The courts to the institution covered several blocks. The walls were high and four feet thick, in order to protect the christianized Indians from the depredations of the wild Indians. They taught the Indians to weave cloth, to cultivate crops and do all the things that it was considered best for them to know how to do. Inside this great rock stockade was the great mission building, which was two stories high, with great porticos, and the walls of which were four feet of rock.

The Texans retreated into the mission building when surrounded by the Mexicans in such large forces. Bowie was sick in one of the rooms of the mission, and never was in the Alamo during the fight, so Miss de Zavalla says, though when the Mexicans entered he arose from his sickbed and fought them, killing several. Other historians say that Bowie was sick in the Alamo proper and had the men to move his cot across the deadline when the commander asked for every one to come across a line marked on the ground who were willing to stay and die. Crockett, so Miss de Zavalla told us died in front of the Alamo, after he had killed many Mexicans as they had him at bay against the Alamo walls.

As there were only 186 Texans in the defense and the Mexican forces numbered several thousand, it was impossible for the Texans to long defend the mission court walls. The Mexicans divided into three assaulting parties, and invested the walls from three sides. Breaches were made in the walls, through many a greaser was killed. The retreat was then made into the church (the Alamo.) Texas sharpshooters stood on the walls of the Alamo and picked off Mexicans, but this was of course slow work as the rifles and guns in those days were muzzleloaders.

The Mexicans then made breaches in the Alamo walls, and the Texans were driven out of the ante rooms into the main auditorium of the Alamo, where the last stand was made, and where the last Texan of the defending forces sacrificed his life. It was the plan of the Texans at the end to blow up the powder supply in the Alamo, as the powder and bullets supply for the guns was stored in one of the inner rooms of the Alamo. But as two of the men were trying to do this they were shot down by the Mexicans. Had they succeeded in blowing up the magazine all the women and children in the Alamo would doubtless have been killed.

The bodies of the Texans were taken outside, piled into a funeral pyre and burned, as the Mexicans were too lazy to ever dig graves to bury their victims in. At Goliad they also massacred the Texans and then burned their bodies.

It is said of the Alamo, "Thermopolea had her messenger of defeat, but the Alamo had none."

It was the battlecry of the Texans at San Jacinto soon afterward of "Remember the Alamo," "Remember the Goliad," which caused terror in the hearts of Santa Anna and his soldiers.

Miss de Zavalla's version of the battle of the Alamo does not in many ways differ from that of some other authorities, nor does it tally with the placards on the walls. There are two contending forces in the management of the Alamo, which is under the care of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. Miss de Zavalla is the head of one faction and Mrs. Clara Driscoll Severa is the head of the other, and they have pulled off several interesting and very exciting controversies over this matter in times past. Once, when Mr. Colquitt was governor, he attempted to harmonize matters, but instead of bringing peace to the troubled waters, got fanned out by both sides. Verily, both factions are truly daughters of their fighting sires, for neither asks or gives quarter.

At present the Alamo is not what it used to be. Even before the battle it had fallen into a sad state of repair. The roof had fallen in, also the steeples on each corner at the front. All the debris has been cleared away, and certain parts renewed. The old walls are mostly intact, or have been reinforced. The ante-rooms are practically as they were at the time of the battle. The grade of the city has caused the floor of the Alamo to be raised a foot or two to make it on a level with the street. The roof is modern and of wood and roofing. The old mission and industrial school building next to the Alamo is shown only by the heavy walls covered with ivy and other vines, inside is a small and beautiful park. J. M. A.

**SILVERTON**

Prof. V. P. Hardesty brought a nice three-year-old registered Jersey Bull over from Plainview a few days ago to use with his three registered cows, and others who desire may bring their cows to him. An animal of this kind has been needed here for a good while.

The whole-hearted and neighborly spirit of the people of the southwest was manifested when a large number of friends and neighbors gathered at Mr. Posten's place Monday of last week and planted his crop for him. There were 12 or 13 listers in the field and 65 or 70 acres was planted in only a few hours time and he is overflowing with gratitude to these people for their noble deed. The Posten family suffered a great loss recently in the death of the youngest boy, due to a horse falling with him.

Plainview is planning a big day July 4th in honor of returning soldiers of Hale and Lamb counties. Soldiers of other counties will also be welcome to attend the celebration.

P. L. Hancock made a trip to Plainview Wednesday after binder repairs.

While a picnic party was at the lower falls on the Tulia canyon a few days ago, a bunch were in swimming and Sidney Richards took the cramps and was rescued by his uncle, Sol Long, as he was sinking the third time. He was unconscious when gotten out, but by good judgement and vigorous work he was brought to.

Miss Mary Kiser of Plainview is here visiting Miss Erma Mae Hardesty. She came over Wednesday of last week and returned home today.

The first binder to start into the small grain here went into the field last Tuesday morning and began to put up the golden grain. If the weather continues favorable many binders will be running by the last of the week. S. L. Cantwell began last Tues-

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I have purchased the coal business of the E. C. Hunter Coal Co. and will have associated with me in my business Mr. N. A. Price, the new firm name being Bonner & Price Coal and Grain Company.

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day to cut his oats on the place he bought from J. A. Hazlewood. These oats are fine and will turn out as fine oats as there is in the county, and we may well expect to see the farmers horses fat and sleek this year.

The road bond election last Saturday passed off nicely with a good majority in favor of the issue. Many people failed to get to the polls on account of the heavy rains in the afternoon, which accounts for the light vote, but it is gratifying the way the vote went, and it is very probable that everyone will be glad that it did carry, especially when we get some good roads constructed. There were only 146 votes cast in the two precincts, 129 of which were for the bonds and 17 against them.

County Clerk T. L. Anderson has received the new Record book for recording Soldier's discharges, and is now placing these discharges on re-

cord.  
The K. K. Club met with Mrs. Geo. Morris Wednesday, June 11, at 4 p. m. to reorganize. The club having been disbanded for about two years to give their time to War Service and now that the war is all over were eager to renew their social being.  
Mr. Frank C. Cobb and Miss Fern Cleo Crane of the Vigo Park community were married at the home of the bride's parents last Sunday, Rev. Z. B. Pirtle officiating.—Star.

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**BOOTLEGGERS WILL BE SHOT UNTIL SONORA GOES "WET"**  
 Agua Prieta, Mexico, June 17.—Copies of an official proclamation have been posted in this city and signed by General P. Elias Calles, acting governor of the state of Sonora, to the effect that from this date on and until the state is declared legally "wet" in September any person appreciated in the act of making or disposing for sale any alcoholic liquors will be executed by a firing squad without being accorded a trial before either the civil or military authorities.

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corn from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

## LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



**Daylight Saving Law Repealed**  
 Both houses of congress on Wednesday repealed the daylight saving law. The law will become effective the last Sunday in October, and the clocks will not be turned forward next March.

## A FAMILY MEDICINE

In Her Mother's Home, Says This Georgia Lady, Regarding Black-Draught. Relief From Headache, Malaria, Chills, Etc.

Ringgold, Ga.—Mrs. Chas. Gaston, of this place, writes: "I am a user of Theford's Black-Draught; in fact, it was one of our family medicines. Also in my mother's home, when I was a child. When any of us children complained of headache, usually caused by constipation, she gave us a dose of Black-Draught, which would rectify the trouble. Often in the Spring, we would have malaria and chills, or troubles of this kind, we would take Black-Draught pretty regular until the liver acted well, and we would soon be up and around again. We would not be without it. It certainly has saved us lots of doctor bills. Just a dose of Black-Draught when not so well saves a lot of days in bed."

Theford's Black-Draught has been in use for many years in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles, and the popularity which it now enjoys is proof of its merit.

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## COMMITTEE REFUSES TO RAISE BAN FOR LIGHTER ALCOHOLIC

Washington, June 17.—By a vote 10 to 3 the house judiciary committee refused today to adopt a motion of Representative Igoe, Democrat, Missouri, recommended the repealing war time prohibition in so far as its affects light wines and beer. Joining Mr. Igoe in supporting the motion were Representatives Gard, Democrat, Ohio, and Glasson, Republican, Wisconsin.

The committee which is considering a bill by Chairman Volstead for enforcement of national prohibition, approved the section defining intoxicating liquors as that containing one-half of 1 per cent alcohol after amending it so as to name specially as intoxicants alcohol, brandy, whiskey, rum, gin, beer, ale, porter and wine.

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Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your system like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day. It does more damage work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

## Hale County Honors Soldiers July 4th

Last week we read accounts in the Plainview News and Plainview Evening Herald as to the citizens of Hale county making preparations to entertain the returned soldiers in Plainview July 4th. We believe that all honor and credit are due these brave defenders, who so gallantly shouldered arms for their home folk. Other places have extended a warm and cordial welcome home to the boys who have been in service, and we are sure that Hale county citizens will also do their full duty.

It is stated that while the entertainment is designated primarily for the boys of Hale county, yet every other boy who has been in service will be given a most cordial welcome and royally entertained.

The Herald is more than pleased to lend its aid toward the proper advertising of this entertainment. We are also sure that many from Swisher county will attend. The full program will be announced in all due time, and there is sure to be something going every minute of the time.—Tulia Herald.

## LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whiter and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

## Hale Leads All Others

Hale county has the largest number of students in Canyon Normal, there being thirty-six; the second county is Floyd, with twenty-four, and the third Lubbock, with twenty-three.

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Mrs. Chas. Flack, 203 Cottage St., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on with good results. When my back is weak or lame and my kidneys act irregularly, I get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Long's Drug Store. They never fail to relieve me in a short time. Others of my family have also taken Doan's with good results."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Flack had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## 9 HOMICIDE CASES AS RESULT OF STRIKE RIOT

Dallas, June 13.—The total number of murder charges filed in connection with the strike riot Wednesday reached nine this morning when a charge was filed against Robert Fische.

Deputy Sheriff Allen Seale left this morning for Denison to bring back "Shorty" Russell, one of the men charged in the case, and who was reported to have been arrested in Denison last night.

The grand jury is continuing the probe of the riot and of the killing of A. L. Fisher. Examining trials have been set for Saturday.

## A Texas Wonder

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. —Adv.

## Everybody Has "Handle" to Name

Very few men about the state house in Austin are called by the plain democratic courteous application of "handle," for most every body has a "handle" to his name. Its "governor," "senator," "judge," "doctor," "colonel," "mayor," or "captain," one hears on nearly every occasion.

## To Prevent Belching

Make a regular habit of eating slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, and you may have no further trouble. If you should, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper.

## BLANTON REVEALS ATTEMPT ON LIFE

Washington, June 19.—Representative Blanton, Democrat, of Texas, told the house today that a rifle bullet had struck his automobile last Sunday when he and his family were driving on a Pennsylvania country road.

Many anonymous threats had reached him, he added, because his attitude toward labor, citing one from Altoona, Pa., which he said asserted "ten thousand of the brotherhood had me marked for suffering."

"Sam Gompers can't beat me for election," declared the Texas member, adding that the president of the American Federation of Labor had said that he would be put out of congress because of his attitude.

Representative Blanton said he was a staunch friend of "thousands of loyal and patriotic union men," but that labor unions should "purge themselves of anarchy."

## News Want Ads Pay.

Try a News Want Ad.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Disease like pain in the stomach and bowels, colic and diarrhoea require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life.

## Bought Farm in Hale County

M. B. Hawkins of Stephens county has bought through C. M. Russell, the farm formerly owned by Dr. Hawkins near Hale Center. "The country is so cut up by roads and derrick in Eastland and Stephens counties that the farmers have to get out and go somewhere else" said Mr. Hawkins, "and they couldn't come to a better country than this," he added.

## News Want Ads Pay.

**SATISFY!**

—what the deuce does that mean?

It means that NEW thing in a cigarette, that does for your smoke-hunger exactly what a drink of cold water does for your thirst!

To satisfy, a cigarette must do more than please the taste—it must "touch the smoke-spot."

That's what Chesterfields do. They let you know you are smoking—they SATISFY.

And here's why—Chesterfields have body. The finer, silkier leaves of TURKISH have been properly blended with several varieties of the best DOMESTIC tobaccos, famous for their full-bodied flavor.

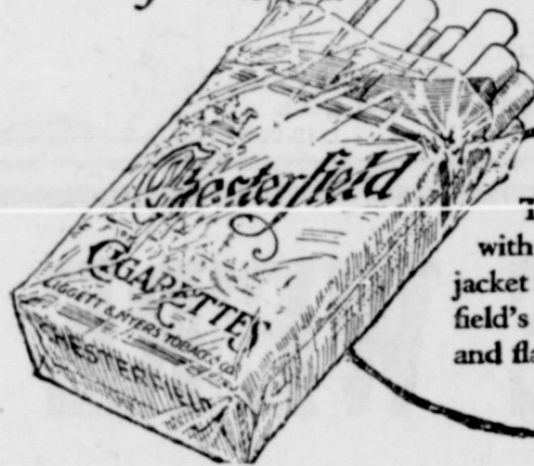
SATISFY is something that no cigarette, except Chesterfields, can give you—regardless of price. Because no cigarette maker can copy the Chesterfield blend.

Say "Chesterfield" to your dealer.

*Lighter yet tobacco.*

# Chesterfield CIGARETTES

—of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos—blended



This is the package with the moisture-proof jacket that keeps Chesterfield's original freshness and flavor intact.

**They SATISFY!**

## Chronic Constipation

Perhaps you have never thought of it, but this disorder is due to a lack of moisture in the residual matter of the food. If you will drink an abundance of water, eat raw fruits and take lots of outdoor exercise, you may be able to eventually overcome it entirely. In the meantime use the most mild and gentle laxatives. Strong and harsh cathartics take too much water out of the system and make a bad matter worse. Chamberlain's Tablets are easy and pleasant to take, and most agreeable in effect. Give them a trial.

## Welcome to Our Soldiers

On sunny days, in lilac time,  
 When earth is green and skies are blue,  
 When church bells ring their sweetest chime,  
 And blood runs high and hearts beat true,  
 Brave soldiers all, we welcome you!  
 Back home again! What Magic words!  
 Dear mother's love and sweetheart true,  
 And little hands, and songs of birds,  
 And apple blossoms peeping thru—  
 Brave soldiers all, we welcome you—  
 O, God of Fate! Those left behind,  
 In Flanders Fields and Argonne Wood,  
 And Chantau-Thierry, too, the blind,  
 The lame (those steeped in richest blood),  
 Lo! let us not forget this day!  
 Let's bare our heads and kneel and pray!

—Henry Polk Lowenstem.

## How About A Sing-Song

In many of the Cities and larger towns the people meet one night each week at a park or other public outdoor place and hold a community singing or "sing-song," in which all the people join.

The News would suggest that it would be well if the people of Plainview would meet at the bandstand on the corner of the square occasionally during the summer and hold such a sing-song. We believe the people would attend and appreciate such an occasion.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation

## Twenty Years Ago

Ladies wore bustles.  
 Operations were rare.  
 Nobody had seen a silo.  
 Nobody "listened in" on a telephone.  
 Nobody cared for the price of gasoline.  
 Folks said pneumatic tires were a joke.

Nobody swatted the fly.  
 Nobody had appendicitis.  
 Nobody sprayed orchards.  
 Nobody wore white shoes.  
 Cream was 5 cents a pint.  
 Cantaloupes were muskmelons.  
 Milk shake was a favorite drink.  
 Advertisers did not tell the truth.  
 You never heard of a "tin Lizzie."  
 Doctors wanted to see your tongue.  
 The hired girl drew \$1.50 a week.  
 The butcher "threw in a chunk of liver."

## The River of Life

Say what you will of whatever part of the human anatomy you please, the river of life is the BLOOD. It is either the swift running stream of health or the germ-laden channel of disease, one or the other.

The new remedy for the blood is

## RICH-TONE, The Famous TONIC

the kind that freshens and quickens the circulation, energizes the good corpuscles that fight the battles of life for the sick.

## RICH-TONE, The Famous TONIC, is unlike any other known remedy. It works differently, it reaches in and through and down till it penetrates to the seat of the disease and springs at the very throat of the cause of it.

It's the only remedy that does this. And doing this it gets results and effects cures that no other can.

Mr. Wimsott says: "I bought two bottles of Rich-Tone for my mother. She thinks it is the finest tonic. She has used many other kinds, but nothing has helped her like Rich-Tone."

This famous tonic is for sale at our drug store at only \$1.00 per bottle.

DYE DRUG CO.

Straw stacks were burned instead of baled.

People thought English sparrows were "birds."

There were no sane Fourth nor electric meters.

Jules Verne was the only convert to the submarine.

Publishing a country newspaper was not a business.

You stuck tubes in your ears to hear a phonograph, and it cost a dime. —Pike County (Ill.) Republican.

## Lame Back Relieved

For a lame back apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day massage the muscles of the back over the seat of pain thoroughly at each application.

News Want Ads Pay.

## WANT COLUMN

Try a want-adv. in the News. Only 15c a word, minimum charge 15c a time.

**WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE** is the best.

We are heavy as ever in the market for poultry, hides, eggs, etc.—Panhandle Produce Co., east of Alfalfa Lumber Co. 45

**MILK** delivered at your door for 15c a quart.—Rees Dairy, Phone 478.

**WANTED**—Hides, poultry and eggs.—Panhandle Produce Co.

We pay cash or trade for country produce.—Cash Grocery Co.

**WANTED**—Green and dry hides. L. D. Rucker Produce Co.

**WANTED**—Pasturage, one to three sections of grass.—Sansom & Son, Plainview. 9-tf.

**FOR SALE**—No. 8 L. C. Smith typewriter, in good shape, a dandy machine.—W. W. Kirk.

**YOUNG CALVES WANTED**—Those having young calves from one day to one month old to dispose of, write—M. E. Franklin, Plainview, Texas, Rt. A. 11-8t-p.

**EMPLOYMENT AGENCY**—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-tf-c.

**FOR SALE**—Modern residence corner 8th and El Paso sts., two lots, well improved.—J. W. Willis, phone 363. 12-3t-p.

**FOR SALE**—1 Dapple Gray Percheron horse, weight about 2000 pounds. Texas Land & Development Co.

**FOR SALE**—House-blocking, and 2 1/2 inch lumber at a low price, just the material you need to frame a granary.—Texas Land & Development Co.

**FOR SALE**—Practically new piano, big bargain, also household goods, call at Wiley Hall's, East Sixth st.

**EMPLOYMENT AGENCY**—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-tf.

**FOR SALE**—30 head Grade Durhams, and White Face, 6 year old cows, raising this year's calves, price \$75. Two and three year old heifers, \$65. Address box 83; Slaton, Texas. 12-2t-c.

**KAPOCK MATTRESSES**—No cotton, no wool, filler imported, light, elastic, durable.—Dodge Furniture Co., phone 95. 12-2t-c.

**CREAM WANTED**—We test and pay for it here.—Rucker Produce Co.

**FOR SALE**—2 Ford and 1 Chevrolet touring cars. 1 Ford with form-a-truck body.—Texas Land & Development Co., Plainview, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Mexican Pinto Beans for seed, 7 1-2c per lb.—Texas Land & Development Co.

**EMPLOYMENT AGENCY**—Any one wanting to hire harvest hands Phone 88. 11-tf-c.

**MISS ETHEL McCURDY, Piano** Teacher, Studio Presbyterian church. Phone 313.

**READ THIS**—Several nice little homes for sale on easy payment plan. Will take some trade. Get one before school starts and save rent.—W. B. Knight.

**HEMSTITCHING** and Pecot edge work promptly and neatly done. Mail orders solicited.—Sweetwater Hemstitching Co., Sweetwater, Texas. 11-8.

**FOR SALE**—Good 8-ft. Tandem Disc also 8-barrel fuel reservoir. Both at a bargain, at Plainview Hardware Co. S. P. Dickson. 11-3t-p.

**FOR SALE**—One black team of horses 6 and 7 years old, weight 2700 pounds. Also other teams for sale.—Roy Irick, Phone 611. 12-tf-c.

**STRAYED**—Red Durham cow, branded on left hip Y with bar under it. Reward. Finder notify Clint Alexander. 8

**FOR SALE**—1917 model Ford car.—W. L. Harrington. 9-tf-c.

**FOR SALE**—New Woodstock typewriter, terms.—S. S. Sloneker, phone 276 or 70.

**FOR SALE**—Flock of sheep, 598 ewes and 490 lambs, or will trade for Hereford cattle.—Texas Land & Development Co.

**FOR SALE**—Alfalfa hay loose or baled.—Texas Land & Development Co.

**FOR SALE**—See Guy Fowler for bargain in a 1 1-2 ton Federal truck. 12-2t-c.

**FOR RENT**—4 room house. Phone 383. 12-2t-p.

**FOR SALE**—A no. 17 De Lava separator, good bargain, call Knight Auto Co. 12-4t-c.

**FOR SALE**—A nice lot of Cornea pigeons, call Knight Auto Co. 12-4t-c.

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**WANTED**—I will give a dollar a day for good help.—Mrs. C. S. Williams. 12-4t-c.

**WANTED**—A good Jersey cow, must be fresh.—Phone 478. 13-tf.

**WANTED**—Position by lady graduate stenographer. Will work for small salary until ability is proven.—Box 113.

**FOR SALE**—A good Minnesota Sewing Machine, in good running order.—Mrs. C. S. Williams. 13-tf-c.

**WANTED**—Single man wants convenient room with private family.—Call News office. 1t-c.

**FOR SALE**—Household furnishings, including two bedroom suites of Circassian Walnut.—See C. L. Gilbert. 13-4t-p.

To the Farmers of Hale and Adjoining Counties:

If you want fire insurance on your grain in storage in barns and granaries, also to include in shocks, stacks and ricks for one day or any length of time desired see me—H. W. Harrel.

News Want Ads Pay.

### THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

So many problems in the world I never knew about before. Since I've read Socialistic books I see I ought to worry more.



# Remember the Fourth

## Remember the Occasion for Which We Celebrate

The Boys are home. they done honor to us and all America, let's show our appreciations.

### The Soldier Boys' Wearables

Cool clothes for the hot days. Palm Beach suits in variety of colors, lights and darks and medium . \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00

### Cool Cloth Washable Crash

Colors in Tan and Gray, mixtures . . . . \$12.50 and \$15.00

### Kuppenheimers, New Tropical Woolen

In the new waist seam models . . . . . \$35.00 to \$45.00

New hats, straw and felt. New shirts, silk and madras. New hosiery, silk and lisle. New ties, silk and washable. New oxfords, black, tan and brown. Every article in our Men's Department at a special 10 per cent discount to the Soldier Boys.

### Specials In Our Ready-to-Wear Section

Every garment for Dress occasion at a special ten per cent discount. Special lot New Georgette blouses, just received at . \$5.95

### All Low Shoes

As sandals, oxfords and pumps, special 10 per cent discount for next few days.

New silk, silk in colors, black, brown and white, one special silk lace hose in white at . . . . . \$1.50 pair

## Plainview Mercantile Co.

Burns & Pierce, Props.

# SURE WE'RE GOING TO HAVE THE BARBECUE

We've Found the Wood and everything is ready to have all the barbecue you and your friend can eat---and we are preparing to give you the time of your lives in

# Plainview July 4th

Henry Lindsley, head of the American Legion will be here to speak; one band from Tucumcari has been signed up and probably one or two others will be secured; the aeroplanes with their stunt flyers have been promised; the decorations committee is going the limit and will have the real show ready for the big night dance and mardi gras; the athletic committee has ball games arranged for morning and afternoon and also a series of other outdoor athletic stunts.

## And Say!---Its All In Honor of the Boys Who Have Been In Service

Particularly those of Hale and Lamb counties. If you have been in the service it will be your great pleasure to be here, and if you have not it will be your duty and will no doubt be your pleasure to be here and help welcome the fighters home.

Get Set---Be Sure to be in Plainview July 4th