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FLOWER SHOW WILL BE VERY ATTRACTIVE

THREE GROUPS OF PRIZES TO BE GIVEN BY CLUBS FOR BEST FLOWERS

Next week, on Wednesday the 28th, will occur the flower show, in which the women of the community are taking much interest.

One show is for dahlias only, that held under the auspices of the City Federation of Women's clubs. Dahlias offered must have been grown by the member of some federated club, for that club. There are two prizes, first \$5.00, second \$2.50.

Another show is that managed by the County Federation of Clubs, which is open for any collection of flowers. The prizes are the same as for the dahlias show, and those eligible to compete are members of federated clubs of the county, who have grown the flowers.

A third group is open to women who are not club members, and any collection of flowers may be entered. A first prize of \$5.00 is offered by the New Era club, and a second of \$2.50 by the circles of the Methodist church.

WOMAN CRAP SHOOTERS CLEAN UP IN GAME

Three Prominent Citizens of Sweetwater Then Have to Pay Fines for Gambling

(From Sweetwater Reporter)

Some of our local dice rollers proved an easy mark in a crap game in a prominent hotel in Sweetwater Friday and it didn't take long for the bone rollers to dispose of their surplus cash, in fact it was done so quick and so gently that when the three men were awakened from their spell of hypnotism, they were about \$150 poorer, their good looking female companion had vanished, and they stood gazing at the sheriff of Nolan county and were forced to contribute so much and "trimmings" for allowing themselves to be so easy. It happened like this, according to reports:

Thursday night a man and woman arrived in the city from some other location not over a thousand miles distant, registered at a big brick hotel hereabouts, and pretty soon had formed the acquaintance of three prominent citizens, and after several hours conversation and getting "better acquainted", the deal was closed whereby the pretty blonde woman was to entertain the three men upstairs in room No. — with the game of "craps." The date was made in whispering conversation, the woman was attractive and gifted with brilliant ideas. In fact, she was so fascinating that the men easily "fell" for the trap she had prepared. She soon disappeared from the lobby and repaired to the room arranged. The three men disappeared, one by one, after lighting a fine 15¢ cigar, and soon they were in company with the woman and the game was on. In about thirty minutes the woman had "cleaned" the whole bunch. They sat in silence, wondering how it was done. When the pretty young woman found out that her companions were "broke" she hastily beat it, and joined by her husband (said-to-be), they hired a service car and lit out for Abilene. In the meantime Sheriff Bardwell was tipped off that a game was in progress, repaired to the room and there found our three Sweetwater friends talking over the quick disappearance of their hard earned coin. They told the story, pleaded guilty to gambling, but denied being "suckers", and told the officer that the woman had gone hence. The sheriff discovered the direction she went, telephoned the deputy sheriff at Trent to watch for the people passing and pick them up. It was easy for the Trent officer. He got in action and soon had the parties in custody. They were brought back to the city, the woman pleaded guilty to gaming and was released, and declared that Sweetwater was about the "easiest" town she had ever visited. The fact developed that the dice were "loaded", but the men never detected it until too late. Perhaps they will be able to tell the next time they get into a game where a female vamp is the instigator. So note it be.

Mrs. Haun Is Dangerously Sick

Mrs. J. N. Haun is very dangerously sick at the sanitarium, following an operation for appendicitis Tuesday night. The worst is feared. Her sister, Mrs. Seth Campbell of Kermit, Winkler county, will arrive tomorrow morning.

Mrs. W. M. Turner Dies

Mrs. W. M. Turner died at the sanitarium tonight. She was operated on last Friday for appendicitis. She was the wife of the local manager for the Texas Co. and leaves several children.

CONFERENCE POINTS SUGGESTED BY U. S. A.

Tentative Agenda Is Sent By Hughes To Foreign Offices For Approval

Washington, Sept. 21.—The tentative agenda which the United States has transmitted to the principal powers which will participate in the conference on limitation of armament and Pacific and Far Eastern questions suggests on broad lines subjects for consideration. Foreign offices to which it has been sent have informed that it is essentially suggestive of additions. An outline of the agenda follows:

1. Limitation of naval armament. Basis of limitation, Extent of limitation. Fulfillment of conditions.
 2. Rules for control of new agencies of warfare.
 3. Limitation of land armament. Pacific and Far Eastern questions: A. Questions relating to China. Principles to be applied.
 1. Application to subjects.
 - A. Territorial integrity.
 - B. Administrative integrity.
 - C. Open door.
 4. Equality of administrative and industrial opportunity.
 - D. Concessions: Monopolies and other economic privileges.
 - E. Development of railways.
 - F. Preferential railroad rates.
 - P. Status of existing commitments.
- Questions relating to Siberia. Similar questions relating to China.
2. Mandated islands.

BANK DEPOSITS SHOW INCREASE SINCE JUNE 30

Loans are Reduced \$20,000—Large Cash and Exchange On Hand In Banks

The deposits in Plainview banks, as per call of Sept. 9, were nearly two and a half million dollars, an increase over the deposits in the call of June 30. Loans and discounts were reduced about \$20,000. The statements show as follows:

| Deposits | |
|---------------------|----------------|
| First National | \$1,577,060.48 |
| Third National | 599,705.80 |
| Guaranty State | 271,788.59 |
| Total | \$2,448,554.87 |
| Total Resources | |
| First National | \$1,854,522.53 |
| Third National | 947,603.62 |
| Guaranty State | 326,766.36 |
| Total | \$3,128,892.51 |
| Loans and Discounts | |
| First National | \$1,527,328.69 |
| Third National | 748,555.69 |
| Guaranty State | 213,247.80 |
| Total | \$2,489,132.18 |
| Cash and Exchange | |
| First National | \$237,830.84 |
| Third National | 66,290.50 |
| Guaranty State | 35,348.61 |
| Total | \$329,469.95 |

Deputy Game Warden Coming

E. D. Garmon of Panhandle, Texas, has recently been appointed special game deputy for Northwestern Texas by W. W. Boyd, game, fish and oyster commissioner of Texas. Mr. Garmon advises the News that he expects to visit Plainview very soon in the interest of his work. He states that large number of game law violations have been reported from the Panhandle and Plains, particularly the killing of the nearly extinct antelope and prairie chickens. A consistent effort will there be made to save the vanishing life of the northwestern plains and foothills.

Rural School Bonds Approved

A telegram has been received by County Judge Griffin from the attorney general's department, stating the bonds recently voted in the following Hale county rural districts have been approved—Snyder, Hooper, Iowa Avenue, Clements and Reed. The bonds will be printed and sold and the contracts for the new buildings and improvements let.

Will Be Buried at Arlington

The remains of Sgt. John F. McDaniel will be buried in the national cemetery at Arlington, Va. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDaniel of this city, received a telegram last week saying the body would arrive at Houston, N. J., Sept. 16, from France, where he was killed in 1918.

Central School Opens

Central school, which was delayed for a week on account of repairs being made on the building, opened Monday with an enrollment of 475 pupils.

| Today's Markets | |
|-----------------|-------|
| Wheat, per doz. | 20c |
| Chickens, lb. | 12c |
| Doves, per doz. | 1.50 |
| Butter, lb. | 31.10 |

DUROC-JERSEYS AND POLAND-CHINAS DAIRY GOWS AND FARM PRODUCTS

Show Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Will Be Interesting and Large Attendance Expected

The pens for the hogs, the stalls for the dairy cattle and the tent for the agricultural exhibits are being erected on the Harp & Wilkins lots on North Broadway, to be in readiness for the Fall Live Stock Exposition and Agricultural Fair to be held in Plainview next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The show will be held at the Plainview Undertaking Co. building on the west side of the square. The hog pens are being placed under the trees and will thus be shaded.

The number of fine hogs to be shown will exceed those of last year's fair considerably, and a number of the best registered herds in Northwest Texas will be exhibited. The Duroc-Jersey Futurity show for this district to be held under the auspices of the national record association, will be the premier Duroc show in the Southwest this fall. The showing of Poland-Chinas will also be large. There will be a number of other breeds also shown.

The dairy cattle exhibits will command much interest, as there are

some fine animals in this section. The dairy industry will in time become a very important one on the Plains.

The agricultural display will be interesting, and farmers are urged to bring in their products and enter them Monday and Tuesday morning. Attractive premiums are offered.

During the fair there will be a number of amusement attractions, and a large attendance from all parts of the Plains is anticipated.

Wednesday about fifty Kiwanians will come from Amarillo in autos and be given a banquet by the local club. Their base ball teams will play a game in the afternoon.

Several hundred Lubbock county people will attend the Exposition, as the county agent has written to the secretary that he has lined up 150 cars to come to Plainview Wednesday to see the hog and cattle exhibits.

The dairy and agricultural exhibits will be housed in a large show tent 50x120 feet, which will be pitched on the east side of Broadway near the Pentacostal church. It is the property of Brunk's Comedians, and has been stored here for some time.

BLEDSCOE OIL WELL IS NEARLY 600 FEET DEEP

SIX STRATAS OF WATER ENCOUNTERED, RISING ALMOST TO TOP

The Bledsoe oil test well being sunk by W. E. Bledsoe and son four miles and a half west of Abernathy, in Hale county, is now between 500 and 600 feet deep, and is progressing. The drill is now in blue limestone.

The well would have been a thousand feet deep, but the drilling has been delayed by the striking of six stratas of water, which shows that the earth in Hale county is almost a continuous formation of water-bearing sands. The water has risen to within twenty-five feet of the surface of the ground and as the well is fifty or sixty feet above the valley nearby it is safe to say that were a well drilled in the valley as deep as 500 feet flowing water would be struck.

Mr. Bledsoe insists that he will find oil or gas in paying quantities at a depth of not exceeding 1,700 feet.

Leases are selling very rapidly around the well, the price being \$10 an acre. A number of Plainview men visited the well this week and bought leases.

Kiwanis Club

The Kiwanis Club at its luncheon today was presided over by A. A. Terry. E. L. Dye drew the attendance prize, which was offered by David Neal.

C. A. Pierce made a talk on town building, and urged co-operation of the people in every enterprise for the upbuilding of the community.

Z. T. Huff had "Service" as his subject for an address.

J. E. Watson talked on "Short Cuts in Business," and told of how office and any kind of business work can be systematized and thus save time and money in its operation, and also permit the having of every detail available to the manager.

Sewell Buys McClain Grocery

L. D. Sewell has purchased the McClain Bros. grocery, and will continue the business in the Campbell building. He has been connected with Plainview groceries for a dozen or more years. The McClains have not made announcement of their future plans.

Plains Is One of Four

The Chamber of Commerce of the United States has just published a map showing business conditions over the entire country. It is noted that there are only four "white" spots on the map where business conditions are good. These are about St. Louis, southwestern Colorado, Los Angeles and San Diego, Calif., and West Texas, the Panhandle and Plains, extending over into southeastern New Mexico.

Committee to Select Site Aldermen J. M. Waller Avers have been appointed to select a site for a new building.

MRS. ADAIR DIES IN LONDON, ENGLAND

Plains Pioneer, Was Owner of Famous J. A. Ranch, Located Near Clarendon

Clarendon, Sept. 22.—The death of Mrs. Cornelia Adair, owner of the famous J. A. Ranch, which occurred this morning in London, England, was announced in a cablegram received here today. Mrs. Adair was 84 years and five months old. Mrs. Adair and her husband were among the earliest settlers in this section, and their ranch property near here, known as the J. A. Ranch, is one of the large ranches of the county. The owner spent a portion of her time on the ranch, and knew personally practically all of her employes.

The old stone house which was the home of Mrs. Adair on the ranch is furnished with the conveniences almost of a town home, and there Mrs. Adair was delighted to visit every year, but during late years her health and age would not permit extended visits. It is here that many distinguished persons of England and other countries, as well as this country, have visited and been honored guests.

James W. Wadsworth, United States senator from New York, was a nephew of Mrs. Adair, and for many years was manager of the ranch interests, living on the ranch and in Clarendon during the time. At the present time T. D. Hobart of Pampa, is general manager, and J. W. Kent of Clarendon is ranch manager of the J. A. properties. Mrs. Adair was the donor of the Adair hospital and the Y. M. C. A. building in Clarendon, and the hospital is kept up by a fund set aside for the purpose by Mrs. Adair.

GATHERING FARM PRODUCTS FOR FAIR EXHIBIT

Hope to Win First County Prize at the Dallas Fair This Year

The products which will form the county exhibit at the Dallas fair are being gathered, and arranged to be shipped to Dallas the latter part of next week, where they will be attractively displayed as it is hoped to win the first county exhibit premium this year.

John Boswell and Sam Sealings have been out the past several days gathering up fine products of the farm, garden and orchard, and have found some very fine specimens. Mr. Sealings has given considerable time to this work the past several days, and David Neal has also gone out in his truck and helped gather the products.

The committee is needing some shalu or Egyptian wheat and some red Indian corn. If anyone has either of these products they will confer a favor by bringing them to the Chamber of Commerce offices.

Agricultural Experts Here Tuesday

Tuesday afternoon the trio of experts on hogs, dairy cattle and poultry were here and spoke to a good-sized audience in the district court room.

Col. C. C. French of the Fort Worth Stock Yards Co. talked on hogs and baby beef, urging the boys to grow these animals.

J. W. Ridgeway of the Nissley Creamery Co. of Fort Worth told of how to successfully handle dairy cows.

Miss Myrtle Murray of the Texas Agricultural & Mechanical college instructed the hearers on the importance of poultry growing and how to get best results. She said she was surprised at the great volume of poultry being shipped out of Hale county each year.

Wants Lockney Drug Store

A. M. McMillan and W. H. Dickinson of this city have bought the stock and goodwill of the Lockney Drug Co. from J. M. Sellers, and will continue the business there with Mr. Dickinson in charge. He is a registered druggist and has had many years of experience in the business. Mr. McMillan will continue to manage the drug business he owns here.

Want Plainview in Ball League

Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce John Boswell, has a letter urging that Plainview become a member of the West Texas League of base ball teams next year, as the present league is being enlarged to include ten clubs.

Carter Lindsay Buys Garage

Carter Lindsay has bought from W. F. White the brick garage now occupied by Carter-White Motor Co. sales agents for the Dodge cars. Mr. Lindsay may occupy the building later with the Lindsay Oil Co. business, but at present Carter-White will continue to occupy the place.

3000 FOWLS EXPECTED AT POULTRY SHOW

FOURTH ANNUAL SHOW WILL BE HELD HERE IN DECEMBER

The fourth annual West Texas State Poultry show to be held in Plainview December 15-20 under the auspices of the South Plains Poultry Association, promises to be much larger than that of last year, says E. B. Miller, secretary. Last year there were 2000 fowls on exhibition, and the show ranked second in the Southwest and third west of the Mississippi river. This year there will be 3,000 birds, it is estimated, and more interest than in any previous show. Mr. Miller says twice as many letters have thus far been received from poultry breeders who will exhibit at the show than to the same date last year.

All the big breeders and national poultry clubs will have exhibits here and a number will hold their state shows in Plainview at the time. The American Bantam association will hold its Southern annual show here. The State Buff Orpington, and the Southwest district meet of the Partridge Wyandotte association will bring many chickens of that breed to the show.

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase by the association of a large lot of modern wire cooping, for use at each year's show.

Again this year there will be a strong team of judges—E. C. Branch of Lee's Summit, Mo., and Walter Burton of Arlington, Texas, who judged last year's show. Mr. Burton writes that from the conversations and communications he has had with breeders this show will undoubtedly be the largest held in the Southwest and he expects fully 3,000 fowls on exhibition.

L. M. Blakemore has received a telegram from the war department saying that his son, Ray Blakemore, who was killed over seas in 1918, while fighting in the American army, would be buried yesterday in the national cemetery at Arlington, Va., at 2:30 o'clock, with full military honors.

Ray Blakemore Post American Legion of this city was named in honor of the deceased, as he was the first Plainview boy to fall in France.

It was impossible for any member of the Blakemore family from here to attend the funeral.

A 1-Cent Fare for Legion

The Trunk Lines' Association has agreed to give a 1-cent a mile railroad fare to Kansas City from every part of the country to those who attend the American Legion national convention in Kansas City, October 31 to November 2. The rate will apply to veterans and their families, whether they travel by Pullman or day coach.

It is expected one hundred thousand persons will attend the convention. The universal reduced rate concession was obtained from the railroads only after a determined fight by Kansas City business men and legion officials.

\$500,000 Available for Cattlemen

The Amarillo News declares that \$500,000 of the fifty million dollar cattle loan available recently for the relief of the cattlemen of the United States, has been placed for use by the stockmen of Northwest Texas, and is to be distributed according to existing necessity. This money should relieve the stress placed upon the stockmen of this part of the state.

Wheat Treating Demonstration

Lockney, Sept. 21.—A wheat treating demonstration was held here last week and attended by several hundred farmers. The treatment is to prevent smut. R. R. Reppert of A. & M. college conducted the demonstration. Farmers pledged themselves to treat all wheat when planted this fall.

Will Attend Legion Convention

Meade F. Griffin, head of Ray Blakemore Post, will leave tomorrow morning for El Paso, to attend the state convention of the American Legion.

John Gist's Sister Dies

John Gist of Odessa passed through this morning en route home from Turkey, Hall county, where he attended the burial of his sister, Mrs. D. W. Officer.

Grocery Will Close at Six

The local grocery stores have signed an agreement to close at 6 p. m. each day, except Saturday, beginning next Monday.

Several Planners of Campbell to Amarillo

Plains Buried in Los Angeles Plans to get Jim W. Pinkin, who has not yet returned from his trip to Los Angeles, Monday.

Shipping Three Cars Steers to Kansas

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Don't fail to attend the livestock exposition, agricultural fair and flower show in Plainview Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Fifteen hundred persons were killed in an explosion in a dye factory in Oppau, Germany, Tuesday. Most of the deaths were from poisonous gas which escaped into the town.

If you elope in a Ford it is pretty hard to keep it a secret. An Indiana couple tried it and the girl's father was awakened and caught them before they got to the corner.

The Amarillo News this morning has a long editorial headed "Give Us More Water." Come to Plainview, Joe, and we will connect you up with one of our big 3000-gallons-a-minute irrigation wells.

Congress will lay aside further consideration of the republican tariff bill for two months. The longer the bill is laid aside the better off it will be for the common people of this land and country, especially the farmers.

Gen. Pershing is in France, and everywhere is being given spontaneous ovations by the people. The French should love Pershing and the American soldiers and people, for they saved France from destruction by the Germans.

Courting two widows is a dangerous thing. At least it caused the suicide of a wealthy Mena, Ark., man this week. He asked a Texas widow to come to Mena and marry him but before she got there he married a widow of his home town. Rather than face the situation he shot himself through the head.

Editor Waggoner of the Miami Chief having been overwhelmingly defeated by Editor Loomis of the Canadian Record in the checker tournament at the Panhandle Press meeting last spring, is said to have taken to pitching horse-shoes and will next spring issue a challenge to contest with any and all editors of Northwest Texas.

The spirit of "Red Feather" dominates an Eastern housewife. Red Feather tells her she mustn't wash dishes, floors, shirts and socks, because it is a husband's job to keep the house clean. This appears in a divorce case now being tried in the New York courts. Two persons may make a success of matrimony, but with three and one of them a spirit, it is easy to see what might happen.

Editor Joe L. Pope of the Amarillo News is some slinger of the king's English. Witness the following, which appeared in an editorial in Tuesday's News: "Lingering as the hiss of a serpent, the withering breath of a searing flame, the awful, condemnatory question of acknowledgement of responsibility, shrieked from a self-confessed, a self-condemned murderer, startles and causes humanity to take itself more seriously."

An Illinois prize baby, 28 months old, speaks 1,038 different words. He's Richard Thompson, of Galesburg. Few highbrows have a vocabulary of more than 5,000 words. Most of us have 2,000—and use only 500 in conversation. Even Shakespeare knew only 15,500 different words. The English language adds 5,000 new words a year. It already has nearly 500,000. You only have to learn 498,000 to catch up.

Times are better today than they were in 1914 and those who are disturbed over the 5,735,000 unemployed of today overlook that there were 7,000,000 out of work in 1914, a larger percentage of them men and actual breadwinners, according to Secretary of Labor Davis, who said that present unemployment figures included large number of persons upon whose earnings no one was actually dependent, and that probably not more than one-third of the unemployed are the principal breadwinners of a family. Secretary Davis appears very optimistic although he says the country has a serious problem that must be solved.

While we are still optimistic and believe the world is growing better, there are at times set-backs and the hosts of darkness occasionally get in an inning. Evidence of this was brought to our mind very forcibly by the republicans again carrying New Mexico in Tuesday's election. When H. O. Rasmus was elected U. S. senator. But it was by only about six thousand plurality, and surely by next year's election the people of that state will have turned away from the republicans. The donkey continues joined are in favor of the republicans.

John Barleycorn is again holding the attention of congress. The bill to prohibit the sale of beer for medicinal purposes is bringing a lot of acrimonious debate. The people of the United States through forty-five out of forty-eight states legislatures adopted the national prohibition amendment. The people outlawed whiskey, beer and all other intoxicants. There can be but one kind of prohibition and that is the bone-dry kind. So, why should not congress pass laws that will make the land a Sahara desert so far as liquor is concerned? Of course, in time intoxicating liquor will be only a memory in the United States, so the sooner congress passes laws making it so, the better it will be for everybody.

MONEY WASTED ON ROADS

The more the editor of the News reads and thinks about the matter, the more convinced he is that solely "local self-government" should be in the building of public roads—that is, the local precincts and counties should build and maintain their roads without a dollar from the federal or state governments.

It is generally conceded in Washington, and most everywhere else, that a lot of the federal aid money for highways is being wasted or stolen by those who have its spending under supervision. Road organizations in various states have received about \$100,000,000 from the federal government the past several years, and senators charge there are very few miles of actual road to show for this stupendous sum. The highway associations are now asking for \$400,000,000 and a bill for \$75,000,000 is now in conference between the two houses of congress.

Texas has a state highway commission and it takes half of all the auto license money paid in the various counties. The overhead expenses of this state commission runs about a half-million dollars a year—not a cent of which goes toward the actual building of roads.

The News maintain that it would be better for the roads of the state, if the federal and state governments did not spend a cent on road improvement, but let the local districts have entire charge of the matter, except possibly it would be well to have a state highway engineer, who could give road-building advice to county road superintendents, commissioners' courts and city councils.

Every cent of the auto tax should be kept in the counties where paid, and expended upon the local roads. The local authorities can be counted upon to get the most road for the least money.

Under present federal and state aid road laws unless a county or district vote a lot of bonds it cannot get any aid though its people are taxed to provide this fund. This is unfair and unjust, and this fact coupled with the waste and graft practiced in the handling of federal and state aid should cause the system to be abolished entirely.

Another American who believes that "it is disarmament or bust" is George W. Norris, governor of Philadelphia's Federal Reserve Bank. The American family which was taxed \$33 before the war, is now taxed \$224.80, according to the banker's figures. A writer in the financial world declares it is disarmament or confiscation. Before the war the combined debt for 12 of the principal nations was under 26 billion dollars. Now the debt of Great Britain is more than 37 billions, of the United States 24 billions, of France 48 billions and of Germany an amount so great that the German mark is worth about a cent. Yet the crippled and probably bankrupt world goes on with armament.

The people of the Plains should visit Plainview's stock show and fair next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. It will be worth while.

The grandson of the Duke of Buckingham, now master of Kinloss, a great English estate, and soon to inherit the title of baron, has just given his fellow-aristocrats a terrible shock by marrying the daughter of the village blacksmith. The only concession he would make to his protesting mother and family was to postpone the wedding several months "to think it over." This shows how great is the social upheaval in England as the result of the war. Another is the recommendation just made to abolish the House of Lords.

The allies certainly did Germany a good turn when they forced her to dispose of her navy and reduce her standing army to a very small one. By eliminating the great expense necessary to have kept up a large armament, the Germans are able to pay the huge war indemnity off at a less tax burden than are the people of the United States and the other allies are burdened with to maintain their armies and navies. W. J. Bryan in a speech yesterday declared that if the disarmament council soon to meet in Washington fails to bring relief the world will soon be enslaved through militarism.

The irony of fate seems to be well represented in the case of the minister in Colorado who was arrested for trying to pass a counterfeit \$5 bill by getting the collection plate.

Noah was the greatest admiral of history.

Dr. J. E. Nunn, owner of the Amarillo News, is seventy years of age today, and the editor of the News wishes to extend its congratulations and best wishes, hoping that he may live many years longer. Dr. Nunn is a friend of religion, education and everything that is for the betterment of mankind and the upbuilding of Northwest Texas. He is a liberal supporter of Wayland Baptist college in Plainview, and has made several substantial contributions to its library and other activities.

THE ELUSIVE KU KLUX KLAN

The New York World and Dallas News recently published a series of articles revealing the inside working of the Ku Klux Klan. The information, according to the World, is fully authentic, being received by it from former members of the organization, who, finding they had been inveigled into a movement that was contrary to the laws of the country, and hostile to American institutions, promptly withdrew. The statements show, that not only have a great number of individuals, both men and women, been unlawfully punished by clandestine proceedings of the Ku Klux Klan, but that the organization is, in fact, a gigantic graft, through which its founders and chief manipulators are reaping an immense harvest of wealth. The Republic knows nothing of the truth of the charge of graft. But it is common knowledge, that the laws have been flagrantly overrun and crimes committed worse than many of which the victims were accused. This has been done in the name of the Ku Klux Klan, and if some of the participants were not authorized by the order to commit these acts, then the result is no better, because it is shown that the methods pursued by the Klan afford opportunity for all sorts of crimes to be committed in its name.

Moreover, the charge made by The World, that the purpose of the Klan really is political and sectarian, is substantiated by the clause in the constitution providing that Catholics and Jews will not be admitted to membership. In this respect, also, it is un-American, and therefore dangerous to the country. The World is authority for the statement, that the Federal Government is preparing to make a full investigation of the Klan's activities. If it shall be shown that it is of the character charged and quite generally believed, then it deserves to be broken up, and its promoters severely punished.—Texas Republic, San Antonio.

President R. E. Vinson of the State University is still grouching because the legislature cut the salaries of the teachers in that institution, and takes a very gloomy view of the University's future. When the salaries were raised a couple of years ago it was with the understanding that when the boom in everything was over the salaries were to be reduced; but the legislature did not put them back anywhere near what they were before the raise. Hence, considering the drop in the price of farm products, labor, etc., it seems that the teachers should not complain because they have been given a small dose of what most everybody else has had to take in large doses. Vinson has alienated a good many friends by his talks and course in regard to the decreases.

President John L. Lewis of the union miners in his annual address in Indianapolis Tuesday flayed radicalism within the ranks of organized labor, and called upon the convention to rebuke Howatt of Kansas, Farrington of Illinois and Hardin of Washington for their radical acts as district leaders. Lewis' denunciation is timely. Labor should root radicalism and anarchy of every species from its ranks, for through conservative ways can labor accomplish most for itself. Lewis has a big job on his hands, for organized labor is thoroughly tinctured with Bolshevism, anarchy, and contempt for law, order and the rights of the public.

The Lynn County Herald has just celebrated its seventeenth birthday. Editor Haynes is giving the people of his community a good local newspaper and they are giving him a good support.

County fairs are being held this week at Tulia, Clarendon, Shamrock, Childress and other towns in Northwest Texas, and good exhibits are being made of live stock and agricultural products. County fairs help to center the attention of the people on the resources of the Plains counties and the fertility of the soil, and are worth much more than the trouble and expense necessary to hold them.

We can only have the highest happiness by having kind thoughts, and as much feeling for the rest of the world as for ourselves.

In Japan lovers rub noses instead of kissing, but in spite of that, as somebody said, who wants to live in Japan?

Palo Pinto Bank Robbed
Mineral Wells, Sept. 21.—A lone masked bandit entered the banking house of Cunningham Brothers at Palo Pinto, twelve miles west of here, at 12:30 o'clock today, and, after locking up the cashier, Louis Bryant, in the vault, made his escape with \$2500 worth of cash.

Knoohuizen & Boyd

With the companies we now have we are equipped to handle any line of insurance you may want.

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Plainview, Texas

Notice to Mothers

A Montazori Kindergarten and First Grade will be opened in the Presbyterian church Monday, Sept. 28.

It will be conducted by Miss Matta Belle Jack of Amarillo, who has had three and a half years training in C. I. A., Denton, and special training in Canyon Normal; and Miss Helen Lee Bishop of Canyon, who has had three years special training in Canyon Normal. Both have had experience in Kindergarten work.

Tuition Reasonable. Mothers will please Phone 77, or bring their children Monday morning at 9 o'clock.



50 good cigarettes for 10c from one sack of

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

one to see the bandit enter the bank. It is believed that he made his escape in a Ford car. County and city officers are scouring the country for him and a total of \$1,000 in rewards have been offered for his capture.

A 2,000 acre deal in Deaf Smith county land was completed on Wednesday of this week, when J. Frank Potts purchased a ranch about twenty three miles northwest of Hereford known as the old Cramberg ranch, in

the Rutter township. The former owner, John Cramberg, now lives at Las Vegas, N. M.—Hereford Brand.

A deal in Castro county land totaling \$11,600 cash was recored last week when J. F. McMillan of Crowell purchased a section belonging to L. R. Ward.

Canyon and Lubbock are soon to have new postmasters. Civil service examinations will be held Oct. 14.

Why Pay for a Home and Not Own It?

Rent paying amounts to a lot of money each year and money spent for rent doesn't buy a dollar's worth of ownership.

Aside from the real joy and satisfaction that attends building and owning your home, there is the added profit of being your own landlord—paying to yourself.

Home building doesn't require a lot of money to begin with. Nearly every one borrows to build. A home is the best security for a loan.

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

WELL DRILLING WANTED—J. C. Cook, Plainview, box 833, phone 489.

WANTED—Family nursing in Plainview.—Mrs. Carrington, Phone 505.

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

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms across street from Methodist church.—Mrs. Beck.

FOR RENT—One furnished room with bath, convenient to Central School.—Phone 313. 34-tf-c

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, close n. \$4 per week, 205 Cedar street, phone 659. 37-tf-c

LOST—Package with letters tied in it, on streets of Plainview.—Return to W. R. Hall's office and get reward.

COFFEE—We carry the very highest grade coffee in the baked berry, and grind it in our electric grinder, thus retaining all the best flavor, and save you the cost of the can. If you use our coffee once you will continue to do so.—Warren & Reynolds, grocers.

We can be depended upon to pay the highest market prices for poultry, eggs and hides.—Panhandle Produce Co., west of Nobles Bros.

We are paying highest market prices for eggs. Get our prices on groceries. Everybody's Grocery, between City hall and Guaranty State Bank.

SPANISH LESSONS—I will give Spanish lessons this fall and winter. Mrs. Geo. Saigling, phone 368. 3t

MISS REBECCA ANSLEY, SPIRELLA CORSETIERE, Plainview, Texas, Phone 304. 79-tf-c

FOR SALE—My Watkins agency, a good business, in good shape.—Clyde Wise, Plainview. 33-8t-p

FOR BEST PRICES on groceries, see Franklin, west of the city hall. New, fresh stock. Farmers can drive up on two sides and get waited on at once.

FOR TRADE—120 acres of what is called Dalmatian Plainview property or raw land.—see Plainview Produce Co.

FOR SALE—One 22x40 Case tractor, two 5-gang Sanders plows, one 10-foot tandem disc, one 10-foot 16 hole Superior drill, all for less than G. E. Ritchey, Hale Center, Texas. 33-6t

FOR SALE—Seven passenger Chandler automobile, in fine shape, 5 good casings, will give terms.—R. C. Ware. 38-2t

FOR TRADE—203 1-2 acre farm, 85 acres cultivation, 2 1-2 miles of Bertram, in Burnet county, Texas, would trade for good small store in a good Plains town, give full description and price in first letter. Write owner, H. O. Klose, Bertram, Texas. 37-2t

HAVE YOUR PIANO TUNED by a home man. I am a permanent resident of Plainview, thoroughly competent, thirty-one years experience, all work guaranteed. Leave orders at Boyles Music Store or Frank's Necessity Store.—C. M. Bryant, Tuner for Wayland College. 34-9t

TO RENT—Five unfinished rooms, modern, light and telephones, place for cow and chickens, 2 acres of land, close in.—Phone 170, A. G. H.

FOR SALE—Registered and Grade Hereford cows and heifers, in lots of ten or more on twelve months' time on approved note. G. G. Douthit or T. A. Douthit, 22 miles northwest of Plainview.

SHEEP FOR SALE—Shropshire bucks and ewes, full blood.—R. L. Hooper, Runningwater, Texas.

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WE SAVE YOU the cost of the can, also by grinding the coffee fresh you get the best flavor. We are the coffee grocers.—Warren & Reynolds, grocers.

NICE HOME FOR SALE—Reasonable, close in, two corner lots, east front. Lots of shade trees and shrubbery. See this, corner East 7th and Date. 31-tf

A BARGAIN—Five-room house, modern, three blocks of square, west part of town; must be sold quick, a part cash, balance payable by month.—Address S. T. C. care News.

ROCK BOARDING HOUSE—I have taken charge of the Rock Boarding house, and want the continued patronage of the people. Having been in the hotel business for many years, I am prepared to give the very best service—clean rooms and surroundings, the best table the market affords and courteous treatment.—M. Browning, Rock House, Southeast square.

TAKES OVER INSURANCE AGENCIES—I have the insurance agencies formerly handled by Price & Sloneker, together with some other good strong companies. Will do a general insurance and real estate business. A share of your business will be appreciated. Room 8, over Third National Bank.—J. B. McBride.

FOR SALE—5 room California bungalow, 2 porches, one lot, lights, bath, toilet in house, hot and cold water, shade trees, east front, garage, barn, chicken house, garden. Price \$4,250. Phone 97.

We have seventy-five head of horses and mules to sell on twelve months' time.—J. W. Boyle & Son.

Nice bed room for rent. Close in, phone 147. 37-2t

FOR SALE—Large Federal truck. Very thing for hauling wheat or heavy freight, at a bargain.—Apply at News office.

FOR SALE—Several good young mares and some farm implements.—See W. S. Meharg.

DON'T BUY CANNED COFFEE, buy extra high grade from us, have us grind it fresh, so it will retain all the fragrant flavor.—Warren & Reynolds, grocers.

FOR TRADE—for land in Hale county or residence in Plainview, forty acres, or half-interest in eighty acres of land in Missouri, containing rich bank of iron ore, within 1-2 miles of second largest smelter in the world. J. Address News, Plainview.

ENGRAVED PRINTING—The News has a line of samples of engraved visiting cards, wedding invitations, announcements, etc., and can furnish such work promptly.

TO TRADE—Two lots on main street, Clovis, N. M., best in city, for one residence lot close in in Plainview. Must be east front.—Inquire of A. H. Morrison, at Busy Bee Cafe. 36-2t

WANTED—Inactive stocks. Give par value and number of shares you own.—Consolidated Trust Syndicate, 12 Harrison-Everton Bldg., Box 1676, Wichita Falls, Texas. 38-4t

STOP THAT ITCHING Use the reliable Blue Star Eczema Remedy for all skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, Poison Oak, Prickly Heat, and old sores on children. Sold on a guarantee by McMillan Drug Co.

FOR BLOOD SUCKING INSECTS such as headlice, blue bugs, stick tight fleas, simply feed "Martin's Insect-Track" to your chickens. Your money McMillan's Drug Store.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Some big bone Poland-China sows ready to wean. Subject to registry. Also 184 head of good young sheep. Would sell on 12 months' time.—O. F. Wilson, Olton, Texas. 35-tf

FOUND—Pair of spectacles. Owner call at News office.

MONEY to loan on farms and ranches. Loans closed promptly.

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PEARS—Phone Hulen at Zeigler & Glenn Grocery for pears.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches—Stephens & Shelton, Ellerd Iron building.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, block and half west of Ware hotel. 37-2t

FOR SALE—9 acres of unimproved land, close to Seth Ward school, part cash, balance good terms.—Chas. Stagle, Bedford, Iowa. 35-8t

WANTED—20 more milk customers, will deliver twice daily, 7 a. m. and 6 p. m.—Farmdale Dairy, phone 390. 37-9t-c

STRAYED—Two dark bay mules, (horse and mare), mare has bridle and halter on. Notify H. F. Burton, Runningwater. 37-2t

TRY CHIROPRACTIC The failure of one thing to bring satisfying results constitutes a real reason for the trial of another.

DR. J. A. ZIMMER Chiropractor Lady In Attendance 406 East Sixth St., One block east of McAdams Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—Who wants to buy ninety head of high bred stock hogs? In fine shape to go on feed. Come and see them or write W. W. Gibson, Box 365, Sweetwater, Tex. 34-F-4t

MUST PUBLISH ALL LEGAL NOTICES IN THE FUTURE.

All notices heretofore required to be posted, must now be printed in some newspaper in the same county and for the same length of time as it was formerly necessary to post such notices. The posting of such notices is no longer required, and is only that of a formality. They have no legal value or significance. Act of 1917, Section 4, Article 60 relates to same. Note particularly that posted notice is not legal notice, and no bond or other election is valid unless made as published as required by law.

HALE COUNTY HAPPENINGS

PETERSBURG

Sept. 21.—The recent rains have made everything and everybody look better. Land is being put in shape for wheat sowing. A few have begun gathering maize.

Preston Johnson of Banderio, near San Antonio, spent a few days last week with his sister, Miss Jessie Johnson, in the L. C. Claitor home, Miss Johnson teaches in the high school here.

Miss Ruth Ripley of Abernathy has been added to the faculty of our school. She has the fifth and sixth grades.

Misses Lois and Grace Clark entertained the faculty and young folks with a forty-two party Friday night. Quite a nice crowd was present. Cake and punch were served before dispersing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, Sr., have returned from a visit in Roswell, N. M.

Mrs. M. J. Gregory entertained the Community Club in her pretty country home Friday afternoon.

Brover Hannah left this week for New Orleans, where he will resume his work in the medical college there.

Miss Lena Stagner has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at Plomot.

Ray Roberson has taken charge of the cafe here, and hopes to accommodate the public satisfactorily.

Misses Mattye Gregory and Fleta Fullengin attended the party Friday night from Estacado.

Iva and Wesley Allen leave this week for the State University.

PROVIDENCE

Sept. 19.—We had another fine rain Saturday and Sunday. It will make a fine season for wheat sowing. There will be a large acreage of wheat sown in the next two or three weeks, as most every one has their land already prepared.

Miss Gertrude Baity entertained a number of her friends with a moonlight party Friday night. Every one had a good time.

H. L. Sammann is well again after a few days of illness.

Albert Herring moved in from McGregor Friday. Mr. Herring has rented C. L. Barrett's place and will farm it the next year.

Miss Erma Boedeker spent Monday night with Miss Beulah Williams of Prairieview.

LIBERTY

Sept. 21.—School is progressing nicely over seventy are enrolled. Prof. Swafford and Miss Jeanette Steen are the teachers.

Leonard Roberson left Sunday for a stroke of pneumonia at Houston, limbs last July. We hope for a speedy recovery.

New Trotter and family moved in with Jude McLaugh last week.

Johnnie Hudgins and family were called last week to the bedside of her mother at Clovis, N. M.

Lida Trotter and wife of Bellview spent Tuesday night with C. P. Seipp and wife.

Miss Mae Parks spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Plainview.

Dee Alexander and wife and Tom Pait spent Sunday with homefolk.

J. B. Leach and family, Grandma Parks and F. M. Parks spent Sunday with Hinton Carr and family at Abernathy.

Dick Blevins of Helen Temple farm suffered a broken collar bone, Sunday while riding a wild horse.

Miss Nancy Kritzer, the Red Cross nurse visited our school Monday and examined the pupils. Found two perfect ones, Hobert Brown and Dorothy

Workman.

C. P. Seipp has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Tom Wilson left Tuesday night for Canyon City, in response to a message stating that her brother, Jim Pipkin, had died and was being shipped to that place for burial. Mr. Pipkin was well known in our community as he was manager of the T. L. & D. for several months.

IS HE GUILTY?

A striking example of a man's too strong desire to aid his fellowman leading to his undoing is offered in the case of the Blair, Nebraska, banker whose institution failed for \$700,000 when its president couldn't refuse loans to farmers and business men of his county when he knew they would not be able to repay him in time for the bank to meet its obligations.

He wanted to help his neighbors. His former friend needed money to make a new crop. Friend Clairidge couldn't refuse him the loan.

His fellow townsman in business wanted a loan.

The big-hearted banker couldn't stand to see him lose his business through lack of finances.

He let him have the needed money. And so things went on for months.

Those in need of help went to banker Clairidge and regardless of class of security they were given the help asked.

The banker knew that many of them would never be able to repay him.

But they needed the assistance. Nothing else mattered to him.

Finally the bank failed, Clairidge left the country.

He was located by detectives six months later.

He returned home this week a hero. Farmers and business men whom he had helped threw their arms around his neck and wept as he returned to their midst—a prisoner.

Sentiment was with him in his town and county.

I view the circumstances surrounding the unfortunate incident it would appear that a jury which would convict the big-hearted banker will be mighty hard to find.

Is he guilty, morally?—Amarillo Tribune.

We should say he is!

Clairidge may be a very good man, though a weak one, but he certainly is a very poor banker.

Before lending out the money to these needing aid, he should have remembered that he was using money not belonging to him; practically robbing Peter to pay Paul.

That kind of charity is entirely too cheap, and reminds one of Robin Hood, the noted English outlaw, who was reputed to stealing from the rich to give to the poor.

The man has the right to give away his money; people who trust him, and est, and a safe man to entrust their money to, is a dangerous man in a responsible position.

Instead of being as good a man as Clairidge's friends make him out to be, it would probably be more just to take the opinion of the helpless widows and orphans whom he robbed, that his friends might speculate with their money.

Sentimental claptrap about a man in high places gone wrong, should be discounted at all times!—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

The "White House"

The "White House" is so called because it was built of white free stone.

The White House was modeled after the palace of the duke of Leinster.

The site for the White House was selected by President Washington and Major Peter Charles L'Enfant when they laid out Washington, in 1791.

The architect of the White House was James Hoban of Dublin, and the plans were chosen by competition July 15, 1792.

The corner stone of the White House was laid on Oct. 13, 1792.

The first occupants of the White House were President and Mrs. John Adams in 1800.

The White House was burned by the British in 1814 and Mr. Hoban superintended the restoration.

The principal apartments in the White House are officially designated as the Red room, Blue room, Green room, State Dining room, family dining room and Ushers' lobby. There is a amily floor, a main stairway, and a private staircase and elevators. The dimensions of the White House in 1840 were: 170 feet length or frontage, 86 feet depth or width.

Solemn Protest Against War

Washington, Sept. 20.—A solemn ceremony to voice the nation's gratitude to the soldier dead and its hope of deliverance from the burden of heavy armaments will be observed from coast to coast on Armistice Day under the leadership of President Harding and officials of his administration.

In honor of the occasion, the first meeting of the armament conference called for this day is to be confined to the briefest of formalities, leaving the delegates of all the participating free to join with the president in the solemn ceremony at Arlington National Cemetery. (Continued on page 12, the red sheet of the News.)

Plans for the twofold observance have not yet been completed, but are expected to be completed by the end of the month.



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land; Precinct No. 8, Miss Kate Bullock, Precinct No. 9, and Precinct No. 4, Frank Farmer of Campbell.

When Visiting the Fair

in Plainview, do not forget to see the Rawak, Belnord and Lady Frances Hats, and feel at home at

The Band Box

Special Prices During the Fair.

WANTED—Two single young men of neat appearance, and the work habit to travel in crew with manager as salesman for well established Chicago house. Experience not necessary. Expenses advanced.—Address J. D. Bateman, gen. Del. Plainview, Texas.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS for rent or lease.—Mrs. J. L. Vaughn, phone 85 or 344.

FOR RENT—Several nice rooms.—L. L. Nichols, 1310 West Seventh.



Large Reception at the J. P. Crawford Home

On the hospitable porch of the J. P. Crawford home nearly two hundred ladies were received from 4 to 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, ushered by Miss Sadye Earle Adams to a punch bowl surrounded by hanging baskets and other flowers. The guests were served punch by Misses Electra Anderson, Nell Rountree and Wynona Guest. Entering the wide doors of the home they were met by Mrs. Tom Carter and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, and the hostesses Mrs. J. P. Crawford, Mrs. H. C. Randolph, Mrs. W. J. Lloyd and Mrs. J. A. Ferguson. Miss Mary Ferguson of Lufkin, Miss Nancy Kritzer, Mrs. D. Hefflefinger, Mrs. J. O. Wyckoff, Mrs. E. H. Humphries, Mrs. J. O. Rountree, Mrs. L. A. Knight, Mrs. H. M. Burch, Mrs. P. B. Randolph, Mrs. D. F. Samson and Mrs. Elmer Sansom assisted in reception rooms where dark red flowers in silver vases added richness to the scene. Instrumental and vocal music was enjoyed throughout the hours.

In the dining room the guests were served a salad course by Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. Mont Carter, Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Wallace Settoon and Mrs. E. O. Nichols, Mrs. J. L. Guest, Mrs. R. C. Ayers, Mrs. L. T. Mayhugh bade the guests goodbye and little Miss Joan Lloyd, Jane Powell and Margaret Ann received their cards.

Home Economics Club
The Home Economic club will meet Tuesday, Sept. 27, with Mrs. Frank Armstrong in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. M. Peace, on Fresno street. The lesson is "Thrift in Clothing". Leader, Mrs. R. A. Underwood.

B. B. Club Met With Mrs. H. B. Adams
The B. B. club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Adams at 3 o'clock. A good attendance was reported. After business matters were disposed of, they engaged in social conversation and fancy work.

Following the social hour the hostess served cake and pie.

The club will meet Thursday, Oct. 6th, with its president, Mrs. C. M. Abbott.

Woodmen Circle Has Picnic

The members of the Woodmen Circle gathered at the old Seth ward College ground Wednesday evening and had a picnic. After various games were indulged in, ice cream and cake were served. A most delightful hour was spent.

Announcement

Mrs. Robt. Alley will entertain the Tuesday Bridge club the 1st Tuesday in October at 8:30 in the apartments of Mrs. Chas. Saigling.

Misses Ferguson and Kritzer Are Honorees at Party

This afternoon Mrs. J. A. Ferguson entertained with a bridge party, honoring her daughter, Miss Mary Ferguson of Lufkin, and Miss Nancy Kritzer. In the games Miss Davis made high score and was presented with a D'jer toilet set.

The guests were Mesdames Chas. Saigling, C. B. Harder, Dennis Hefflefinger, Robert Ayers, C. D. Powell, C. A. Pierce, George Droke, A. C. McClelland, Elmer Sansom, Peyton Randolph, W. J. Lloyd, Jim Anderson, Paul Barker, John Crawford, Casey Hughes, Ben Smith, Morey McGlasson, Theo Shepard, Hugh Burch, Wallace Settoon, J. L. Guest, E. O. Nichols, C. H. Curl, Geo. Bennett, Geo. Wyckoff, Misses Sadye Earle Adams, Electra Anderson, Louise Lamb and Elaine Davis of Galveston.

The refreshments were sandwiches white fruit salad, iced tea, cheese, apples and olives.

Celebrates Seventy-Ninth Birthday

Mrs. W. R. Blockson gave a "thimble party" Saturday afternoon to celebrate the seventy-ninth anniversary of her mother, Mrs. F. A. Pickard. There was music and readings by the honoree's grand daughters, Naomi and Marguerite Blockson, followed by a word contest, in which Mrs. Auld made the greatest number from the word "thimble" and was presented with a silver thimble.

The hostess assisted by her daughters served sandwiches, pickles, ice tea, ice cream and cake. The guests including Mesdames O. T. Haley, J. H. and Chas. Slaton, S. C. Auld, E. R. Hanks, W. L. Brush, Frank Pearson, E. W. Dyer, A. G. Cox, M. L. McKee, John Freeman Neal, H. E. and S. A. Bullock, L. T. Mayhugh, T. O. McCallon, P. W. Jackson, E. Thatcher, T. H. Beebe, W. W. Thompson, B. F. Johnson, A. M. Smith, J. A. Johnson, E. F. McClendon.

Miss Lucile Meadows Gives Party

Miss Lucile Meadows and girls with a very enjoyable party at the Meadow home Friday evening. She had as her guests Misses Leota Guest, Marie Luna, Thelma Randolph, Evelyn Russell, Leborah Reeves, Aleta Case, Maurine Avent, Mozelle Marlin and Annie Halcombe, Messrs Robert Riley Peace, Chas. Pierce, Dick Blake more, Ted Flack, Pete McDaniels, Clem Leslie, Edwin Brazelton, Denham Leach, Hudson Kizer. Delicious refreshments were served.

Delphian Club

The Delphian club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Martin. Mrs. R. E. Hill will be the leader and the topic will be "Outline of Legendary and Real History to the Birth of Christ."

Porterfield-Edwards Announcement

On Thursday afternoon, September 8, Mrs. J. M. Wilson entertained a number of ladies in her lovely home on Kentucky avenue. The reception hall, music room and dining room were beautifully decorated.

The following program was rendered:
Piano Solo—Mrs. John W. Smith.
Musical reading—Mrs. A. N. Gamble.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Chawning.

As the program was finished little Miss Vallie Porterfield the baby sister of the bride-to-be entered dressed as a cat. She was followed by little Misses Mary Ann Kimble and Jessie May Wood, who carried a cretonne bag out of which sprang a cat that had a card tied round its neck with pink ribben. Miss Paulene Bishop cried, "The cat's out of the bag," and read the following announcement from the card:

"In October wedding bells will ring.
That's the message this Kitty brings."
Miss Lola Porterfield;
Mr. W. Earl Edwards.
Mrs. John Smith then struck up the melodious strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March to the accompaniment of which Miss Lola Porterfield entered attended by Misses Ida Lou Ellis, of Lubbock, and Thelma Teeple.

The bride-to-be wore a charming gown of pink tulle and carried a gorgeous bouquet of roses. Congratulations were then offered, and the guests repaired to the dining room where tables were given as delicious punch was being served. Miss Paulene Bishop toasted the bride and the response was given in a delightful manner. Mrs. J. L. Vaughn toasted the groom. Mrs. E. H. Liston, the hostess, then gave a most interesting address.

South Plains Grain Company

Invites its many friends to attend to attend the Fall Livestock Exposition and Agricultural Fair to be held in Plainview next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and while here to visit its offices.

The South Plains Grain Co. covers this section with modern grain elevators at Plainview, Lockney, Floydada, Hale Center, Aiken and Ferguson Switch, and is in the market at all times for grain and feedstuff. Get its prices before you sell.

J. H. Hohlaus, Mgr.

hostess, to which Mrs. Wilson responded in an appropriate manner. Misses Evelyn Kizzair and Grace Porterfield presided over the punch bowl.

The guests wished Miss Porterfield much happiness as they took leave of their popular hostess.—Floydada Hesperian.

W. Earl Edwards is a former Plainview boy and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards of near Abernathy.

Dinner-Dance for Younger Crowd

Miss Wynona Guest was hostess Monday evening with a dinner and there was dancing between the four courses. Pink and white roses were used in the decorations. The guests were Misses Eleanor McGown, Mary Wayland, Lula Malone Gladys McBride, Faye Marlin, Messrs Billy Bromley, Harold Bawden, Hugh Tull, Chauncey Gidney, J. W.

Hutchinson, Bob Meador of Floydada.

Attending Board Meeting
Mrs. Carl Goodman of Abernathy is here today to attend a meeting of the official board of the County Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Circle 4, Methodist Church
Circle 4, Methodist women, will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. T. Mayhugh.

The Panhandle Produce Co.

Is doing its part in helping to build up the Plainview country, in providing the best markets for the poultry and eggs raised in this section. It will be delighted to greet the people who visit the

Fall Livestock Exposition

in Plainview next week, and give them the glad hand. It is not very far from the exposition grounds to our place of business, just west on the passenger line. Do not so call around and see us.

It Pays To Economize

By having us repair your worn castings and tubes, for we can make them at little cost to give many miles of additional service. We are experts in the business and have the most modern equipment. Bring them in for us to examine.

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The Third National Bank

Wants you to attend the Livestock Exposition in Plainview next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and see the fine hogs and dairy cattle, the agricultural products and the pretty flowers at the show. It believes in the Plains country, and knows that by raising fine hogs and dairy cattle in larger numbers, in growing poultry, and in diversifying the crops the farmers will make more money, and thus prosperity will become a permanent so-journer in this section.

While in Plainview at the Exposition, or at any other time; we invite you to make our bank your headquarters, get acquainted with our officers, and if we can be of assistance to you at any time let us know.

The Third National Bank

L. A. KNIGHT, President. W. A. DONALDSON, V. Pres. H. R. FRITZ, Cashier

Handkerchief Shower for Mrs. H. C. Randolph

As a token of the love and esteem in which Mrs. H. C. Randolph is held by the C. W. B. M., and her Sunday school class of the First Christian church, the members of the society and class honored her with a handkerchief "shower" at the home of Mrs. W. B. Armstrong and Mrs. Morris Murphy this morning. Mrs. Randolph has been an active member of the C. W. B. M. for a number of years and also teach-

er of the young ladies class in the Sunday school. She is leaving for Austin, where Judge Randolph has been appointed to membership on the supreme court commission of appeals. There was a musical program, after which Mrs. J. E. Long read a verse about departing friends. Little Miss Mayhugh then presented the bonnet with a basket containing many dainty handkerchiefs. A salad course was served by the hostesses.

Quite a party of Plainview people spent the weekend at Draw Lake near Pest City, and got caught in a big rain. The party was composed of Messrs. J. H. Hohlaus, O. T. Halley, Chas. Grisham and families, Misses Erma Feltnagle, Rutha Woolverton, Maggie Abney and May Grisham, Jack Voght of Amarillo.

Burke Mathes has opened law offices in the First National Bank building, with H. E. Skags.

CHURCHES

Nazarene Church

There were 90 in Sunday school last Sunday in spite of the inclement weather, and quite a few more came for the preaching services. There was good interest throughout the day, one soul praying through at the evening service.

Our Thursday night prayer meeting are being well attended.

All services at the usual hour next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. We expect to have Rev. A. L. Whitcomb, an evangelist of national reputation, who is now holding a meeting at Westside school house to be with us and bring the message. Dr. Whitcomb is a great preacher, and we trust we shall have a crowded house to hear him.

The pastor will have charge of the evening service, D. V., using as his subject, "The Lost Ideal, or Missing the Mark." This message will be of special interest to the unsaved. The young people's society will meet promptly at 6:45 p. m. and preaching at night at 7:45 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended one and all to come and worship with us. J. P. and ROSA L. INGLE, Pastors.

Church of Christ Will Have New Pastor

Last Sunday 88 were in attendance at Sunday school.

O. M. Reynolds of Madill, Okla., preached at 11 a. m. to a large audience on the subject of "Courage." He is a splendid preacher and a fine singer. He will move here Oct. 1st to take up the work with the church. The church will use him part of the time, evangelizing in the county.

This work will not interfere with the work that has been arranged for Bro. Busby during the winter months.

John Streghton, a traveling salesman, preached a very able discourse on the subject of "The Great Commission" at 8 p. m.

A Member.

Pluggers Class of Methodist Church

At the regular meeting of the class Sunday morning the fellows present heard the lesson presented in a practical and forceful way by the teacher, R. A. Underwood, and by which, if heeded, will prove a valuable asset to their lives.

We were pleased to have a number of visitors with us and enjoyed short talks from each of them.

We urge all young men of the town who do not belong to a Sunday school to come and be with us.

Reporter.

the services at the church Sunday, to be rendered by visiting musicians together with members of the local choir.

Mrs. Mariam Shaw will sing a solo, also she with Mr. Arthur Duggan and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Curl will render a quartet, and with Mrs. Duggan at the piano. The visitors are from Littlefield. At the evening service special music will be furnished by members of the choir. The services are 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. The pastor will preach at both services. You are most cordially invited.

H. E. BULLOCK, Pastor.

Will Organize Baptist Church

Rev. L. W. Williams, missionary for the Staked Plains Baptist association, will organize a church at Shallow-water west of Lubbock, Sunday.

Personal Mention

Miss Sarah Ross, the nurse, left today for Houston with a patient who was taken there to enter a hospital.

Claude Hurlbut of Lubbock had business here yesterday.

Will Tilson has been in the sanitarium the past ten days, having undergone a surgical operation for ruptured appendix. He expects to return to his home Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Haun of the Happy Union community underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis at the sanitarium Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ebeling of Marble Falls came last week to visit relatives.

Ed O. Winslow of Glen Rose is here to look after the planting of wheat on his farm near town.

Miss Belt-Venell will leave tomorrow morning for Aspermont, where she will teach in the public school.

Myrtle McCartney of Waxahachie will arrive tomorrow morning to visit Mrs. C. L. Kyle.

Mrs. Byron Brown of Amarillo is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson.

Weather Bulletin

Cotton frosts are threatened for the week centering on October 26, but indications are that real cotton killing frosts will not appear till the weeks centering on Nov. 17 and Dec. 1. Very high temperatures much like those of last September, are expected for the week centering in September. Less rain is expected for the first half of September. The beginning of a great change in direction of evaporation and that will break the great drought of 1931. Dry weather conditions in caused by a low pressure, but real drought



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Announcement is made by T. B. Gallaher, general freight and passenger agent of the Santa Fe lines at Amarillo, that effective Tuesday, the Santa Fe's rates on livestock, other than horses, mules and burros, published in Santa Fe individual tariff, have been reduced 20 per cent, where they were higher than 50 cents per 100 pounds as a minimum where rates heretofore were 50 cents or higher.

Mr. Gallaher announces that the livestock rates in southwestern lines tariffs, applying between New Mexico Texas and Oklahoma, from Texas to the markets, and from Texas and New Mexico to Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and northwestern pastures, where they now are higher than 50 cents per 100 pounds, will be reduced 20 per cent, subject to 50 cents as the minimum rate where now 50 cents or higher, effective September 25, 1921. None of the reductions affect the rates on horses, mules or burros.

Where the rates are published in dollars and cents per car, same reductions will be made, but rates will not be reduced below the following figures per 36-foot car: Cattle and calves, \$110; hogs, in single-deck cars, \$85; hogs in double-deck cars, \$115; sheep and goats, in single-deck cars, \$60; sheep or goats, in double-deck cars, \$110.

The reduced rates are published to expire with December 31, 1921, after which date, unless the tariffs are amended to provide otherwise, the rates that were in effect on September 19, 1921, will be reinstated.

Indicts 325 in Mine War

Logan, W. Va.—Three hundred and twenty-five names were included in a blanket indictment, charging murder, returned by a Logan county special grand jury Saturday. The indictments followed an investigation of recent disturbances on the Logan-Boone county border. Among the names are those of C. K. Keeney and Fred Mooney, president and secretary respectively, of district No. 17, United Mine Workers of America, and H. W. Blizard, also a United Mine Workers' official.

THREE BOYS BURNED TO DEATH NEAR HEREFORD

Tractor Exploded and the Victims Were Covered With Burning Oil and Gas

Hereford, Sept. 21.—What is generally conceded to have been one of the most tragic happenings in the Hereford community occurred late Tuesday afternoon when Arol Combs, 20 and Albert Combs, 10, sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Combs and W. D. Wallace, 11, were burned to death on the Combs farm, twenty-three miles northwest of Hereford late yesterday.

The Combs youth and W. D. Wallace were returning from school and stopped in the field where Arol Combs was plowing with a tractor. Soon after the two school boys climbed on the machine for a ride, the tractor began back-firing through the carburetor, and from there into the oil tanks, and almost instantly blew up and the boys were covered with oil and enveloped with flames. Arol Combs and young Wallace had presence of mind enough to immediately tear clothing from them, while the younger Combs lad was run down by his brother, who tore his clothing from him.

After this Arol walked about a mile from where the tractor was to his home and it is said that flesh and blood dropped from him easily marked his trail.

Albert Combs, who died at 11 o'clock Tuesday night, was the first to succumb to the burns and 4 o'clock Wednesday morning Arol passed away. W. D. Wallace dying a few hours later.

Funeral services for the two Combs boys will be held at Hereford Thursday afternoon and services for young Wallace at Canyon Thursday afternoon.

Lubbock Man In Rotary Wedding

Waco, Sept. 20.—Proceedings of the executives' conference of the eighteenth Rotary district here were interrupted long enough this afternoon to permit the marriage of Secretary Curtis A. Keen of the Lubbock Rotary club and Miss Kathleen M. Barnes, who arrived here today from Berkeley Cal. The wedding took place in the Hotel Raleigh ballroom with the Rev. C. T. Caldwell of Waco, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and a Rotarian, officiating, assisted by the Rev. C. H. H. Branch of Texarkana, also a Rotarian. A real wedding party was staged, and the bride was given away by Lutch Stark of Orange, former governor of Texas. Among the gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Keen was a silver service presented by the Rotary executives of the eighteenth district.

Hale County In Section 1

With the opening of many high schools in Texas, interest has picked up in athletic circles in the football championship race which has been scheduled by the University Inter-scholastic League, provided the high school authorities co-operate to this end. It looks new, according to Roy B. Henderson, of Austin, who has charge of the athletic contests in the league, that a genuine championship will be secured. He says that more than 125 leading high schools in Texas have accepted the league plan, and are now arranging schedules in accordance therewith.

Hale county is in section 1, with the following counties which will take part in the district contests: Armstrong, Bailey, Baylor, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donlev, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Floyd, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Harde-man, Hartley, Hemphill, Hockley, Hutchinson, King, Knox, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lynn, Lubbock, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Scurry, Sherman, Swisher, Terry, Wheeler, Sherman, Yoakum.

A 1-Cent Fare for Legion

The Trunk Lines' Association has agreed to give a 1-cent a mile railroad fare to Kansas City from every part of the country to those who attend the American Legion national convention in Kansas City, October 31 to November 2. The rate will apply to veterans and their families, whether they travel by Pullman or day coach. It is expected one hundred thousand persons will attend the convention. The universal reduced rate concession was obtained from the railroads only after a determined fight by Kansas City business men and legion officials.

Prohibition Profits Grape Growers

San Francisco.—The grape growing industry of California is prosperous, largely because of prohibition, declared Edward Sheehan, president of the California Grape Growers' Exchange in an address here before the California Development Association. He declared the profits of the growers have doubled with prohibition and said three years ago the average price for grapes was \$10 to \$20 a ton. Now it is \$75 and \$100 a ton. Mr. Sheehan estimated the California grape crop this year to be valued at \$100 million dollars.

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ADVICE ON HOW TO SELECT GOOD LAYING HENS

By F. L. Kazmeier, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, A. & M. College, College Station, Texas.

Every farmer and poultry raiser should make it a point to closely cull his flock in the fall of the year. It is often possible to discard a third of the number or, more, thus reducing feed bills without noticeably affecting egg yields. The following proven facts should enable anyone to detect the best layers:

1. Hens that molt late and quickly, are the best layers. By this is meant hens molting during the latter part of September, October and November are better layers than those molting earlier. It is poor judgment to keep those molting late although this is done on many farms. Experiments have repeatedly proven that 200 egg hens do not begin to molt until November.
2. Individual hens with pale colored shanks better layers than those with bright yellow shanks. This indication is true only when applied in the fall of the year, and among breeds with yellow shanks.
3. The above principle applies also to the color of ear lobes in breeds with yellow, creamy or white lobes. The many varieties of Leghorns can be divided by this indication. The Rocks, Wyandottes and other American, Asiatic and English breeds have red ear lobes, hence this indication for these breeds is valueless. Experience has shown that Leghorns varieties with white ear lobes in the fall are better layers than those with yellow or creamy colored ear lobes.
4. A constitutionally strong bird, one that passes through the molt quickly and easily, is a better layer than one that develops all kinds of ailments during this period.
5. Hens that show the least broodiness are better layers than those that are broody a large part of the time.
6. A bird with closely worn toenails is considered a better layer than one with long nails.
7. A hen that goes into the molt with worn and ragged plumage is a better layer than the bird with no such marks that bespeak hard work during the preceding year.
8. A bird first off the roost in the morning and the last to return to it at night is considered a better layer than the one that spends the major portion of her time on the roost, or stands around with a "humped-up" appearance in a corner of the pen or basks all day in the sun.
9. A singing and working individual is always a better layer than the quiet and lazy kind.
10. Hens that go to roost with full crops are good layers, hence the saying, "A heavy eater is a good layer."
11. A fowl must carry a little fat in order to be in a laying condition. A poor or lean hen can never be a laying hen.
12. Father large combs and wattle for the breed is considered another characteristic of a good layer.
13. Pullets that commence laying early are considered better layers than those that mature late, hence the statement: "Keep the early laying pullets."

Clubbed His Wife to Polls

New York—John Seibel of Corona, Long Island, tried to impress on his wife, Catherine, the necessity of voting at the primaries by hitting her on the head with a stool, according to her testimony in the Flushing court, where Seibel was charged with disorderly conduct. He said: "She should vote. She should be a real citizen, just like me." "It is a great privilege to vote," said Magistrate Doyle, "but being strong-minded she probably would not have voted the way you wanted her to."

"I had not thought of that," said Seibel. "I'll try and find out next time how she is going to vote." On Seibel's promise to be milder in his political arguments sentence was suspended.

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Wheat Treating Demonstration Lockney, Sept. 21.—A wheat treating demonstration was held here last week and attended by several hundred farmers. The treatment is to prevent rust. R. R. Reppert of A. & M. college conducted the demonstration. Farmers pledged themselves to treat all wheat when planted this fall.

Corbin Lock, age 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lock, has taken relapse in his illness, and is in a serious condition. He has been sick for five

Tired

"I was weak and run-down," relates Mrs. Eula Burnett, of Dalton, Ga. "I was thin and just felt tired, all the time. I didn't rest well. I wasn't ever hungry. I knew, by this, I needed a tonic, and as there is none better than—

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How the Cannon Roared During the Glorious Offensive of the Forest of Argonne.

It was night in France and the great Argonne offensive was on. The section chiefs grew hoarse shouting their commands, the gunner corporals manipulated their sights with speed and accuracy and the gun crews eagerly put forth superhuman effort in serving their pieces which were being loaded and fired as quickly as possible. The terrific detonations shook the forest which actually seemed like a live, throbbing, burning monster, who vomited fire and flame, and roared inhumanly with its terrible voice. Every man in the four gun crews was soon rendered temporarily deaf. Lit up by the ghastly flashes from the fire of their own guns, they looked like veritable devils, their faces gleaming with fiendish joy as they leaped into the pit to shift the gun trail or spring to the wheels, at which they tugged and pulled with might and main. It was exceedingly tiresome work for the earnest lads. The rate of fire was so rapid that it was necessary for them to pause occasionally in order to permit the intensely heated pieces to cool.

It presented a thrilling scene to see, in the dim light of the early dawn a stalwart lad, bareheaded, eyes heavy and red from the burning powder gas, his square jaws grimly set and shirt open at the throat, his arms bare to the elbows and black with grease, standing out there, swabbing out the steaming gun with the slender rammer. A lanyard broke from too constant use on one of the guns. Not hesitating a moment to repair it, the "No. 1" man simply used his fingers to draw back the "striker." A lad fell limp and exhausted into the gun pit, but was quickly pulled out of danger, where he lay quite still and undisturbed by the terrible barrage. Another man quickly took his comrade's place.

So the terrible fight continued. The great iron orchestra played its terrible symphony madly until ten o'clock in the morning, when the tired musicians began one by one, to lay aside their weary instruments, for the score they had been playing had sent the Fritzies scampering over the hills and far away.

Where Foch is Second.

Madame la Marechale Foch is commander in chief in her own home. She is said to be a French lady of quiet and calm determination where the order and regularity of her household are concerned. She dislikes being late for luncheon, and she dislikes the marshal being late for luncheon. Fortunately, the marshal dislikes it himself. On one occasion, when after the signing of the armistice Foch was engaged in prolonged conversation with allied representatives and the hour for luncheon had gone by, a message came into the conference room to say that Madame la Marechale could wait no longer for lunch. It may have been impatience on the part of Madame la Marechale, or perhaps Foch expected that message, according to a possible little prearranged stratagem between monsieur and madame. Needless to say that, in times of great pressure, madame makes no demur when the rules of her household are just simply ignored.

Was Great Jap Soldier.

Gen. Baron Fukushima, although one of Japan's most notable military men, received but scant notice in the American press on the occasion of his death in Tokyo. He began life as a drummer boy, and in 1892-93 distinguished himself by a trip he made on horseback from Berlin to Vladivostok, through Russia, Siberia, Mongolia and Manchuria, a distance of 9,000 miles. From 1887 up to the time he started on this famous trip he had been military attaché in Berlin. General Fukushima was in command of the Japanese contingent in the war with China until the fall of Tientsin, and was general staff officer during the Boxer troubles. He was staff officer at headquarters of the Manchurian army in the Russo-Japanese war in 1904-05. At different times he represented his country in China, India, Egypt, Turkey, Persia, Caucasus, Arabia, Turkestan, Burma, Siam and Annam.

Hanging Between the Two.

Last summer the Hulman brothers, at Terre Haute, gave the Rose Polytechnic the grounds for the new school. The year before that they gave the land for Calvary cemetery. One of their townsmen recently met Herman, the younger brother, on his way to his farm, which is between the two pieces of ground above mentioned. "Well, Herman, he remarked smilingly, 'I see you've solved that often disputed question of whether we should consider our cemeteries or seminaries of the more importance.'"

Mr. Hulman looked at him, and then his eyes twinkled. "Not exactly solved it," he drawled. "You know where my farm is. Well, you see, I'm still just hanging between the two."—Indianaapolis News.

Submarine in Warfare.

In spite of the fact that the British have some steam-driven 2,700-ton submarines, capable of a surface speed of from 20 to 25 knots, the submarine, as a weapon of war, is too slow and too blind when it is submerged to be considered a serious weapon of naval warfare. When it can see, electrically, to a distance of 100 to 200 fathoms, while it is submerged so deeply as to be invisible to the eye, and when it can steam 30 knots submerged, it will dominate the naval situation.—Scientific American.

The Scrap Book

POOR, BUT EXPENSIVELY CLAD

Siberian Native in Winter Wears a Costume That is Worth Many Hundreds of Dollars.

Although "poverty poor," the average native of Siberia wears during the winter a dress that would be worth many hundreds of dollars in the United States, consisting as it does of valuable furs, and representing many animals, the choicest fur only being woven into the garments. A recent writer describes the dress as follows: "The dress of the Kamchadals in winter and summer is made for the most part of skins. Their winter costume consists of sealskin boots called torbassa, worn over heavy reindeer stockings, and coming to the knee; fur pants with the fur inside; a fox-skin hood with a long fringe of wolverine hair, ornamented with the animal's ears; and a heavy kookhanka, or double fur overshirt, covering the body to the knees. This is made of the very thickest and softest reindeer skin of various colors, ornamented around the bottom with silk embroidery, trimmed at the sleeves and neck with glossy beaver, and furnished with a square flap under the chin, to be held up over the nose, and a hood behind the neck, to be drawn over the head in bad weather. In such a costume as this the Kamchadals defy for weeks at a time the severest cold, and sleep out on the snow safely and comfortably in temperatures of 20, 30 and even 40 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit."

WORTH THE SUM EXPENDED

Records Show That Columbus' Memorable Voyage Cost Promoters and Participants Very Little.

The cost of the discovery of America by Columbus was but a little over \$7,000, the old story to the effect that Queen Isabella parted with many of her finest jewels to the contrary. Two of the three ships that made that wondrous voyage, the Pinta and the Nina, were captained by two brothers, Martin and Vicente Pinzon, and they paid all the expenses attached to these ships, as well as furnishing the crafts themselves. The account books of the Pinzons show that Columbus in his capacity of commander received 1,500 pesetas a year, or about \$300. The sailors received the magnificent sum of \$2.50 a month, or about 8 cents a day.

The cannons for all three ships cost 14,000 pesetas, or about what it would cost to fire one of our modern big guns, while the whole outfit and the wages of the sailors came to only 36,000 pesetas. The accounts cover the time between August, 1492, to March, 1493. The queen's share is believed to have been less than \$2,000, and even at the valuation placed on jewels at that period, it would not have taken many or large ones to raise this sum.

Another "Oldest Man."

Red Cross physicians at Constantinople after looking up every available record, are said to be convinced that Zora, born at Bitlis, Armenia, early in 1775, is the oldest man in the world. He went to Constantinople when a youth, married at eighteen, lost his wife, married again and was the father of 15 children. His only surviving son is ninety-six years old. For a century, the sturdy Kurd made a comfortable living as a humal, or street bearer. He is now employed as a capouji (janitor) at the artillery arsenal at Top-Hane. His health has failed somewhat, and he complains bitterly against the doctors who have had much trouble forcing him to live on milk and milk foods.



NOTHING TO IT
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Birthplaces of Presidents.

With three exceptions, every President of the United States has been cradled on a farm or in a small town. The exceptions were Andrew Jackson, who was born at Raleigh, N. C.; Theodore Roosevelt, who first saw the light in New York city, and William H. Taft, whose birthplace was Cincinnati.

Languages Spoken in Hawaii.

Hawaiian, English, Japanese, Portuguese, Filipino, Korean, Porto Rican and two or more Chinese dialects are spoken in the Hawaiian Islands. English is taught in all the public schools, but it is thought that Japanese is spoken by the majority of the people.

A Change.

"Do you think there is a chance that the co-hairer will be brought to trial?"
"I don't know. I'm sure it's a long shot, but I'd like to see it."—Chicago Tribune.

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GIRL, 4, FALLS 50 FEET, LIVES

Slips Through Fourth Floor Fire Escape—Bumps Her Head and Knee.

Brooklyn.—Little Ruth Sader, four, escaped death in a remarkable manner when she fell from the fire escape on the fourth floor of her home to a concrete sidewalk and suffered only a bump on her head and contusions of the knee.

She was carried to the Norwegian hospital, where she regained consciousness within a half hour; but a little later she complained of pains in the abdomen and became delirious. It is not believed, though, that the internal injuries are serious.

Ruth was visiting her playmate, Elizabeth Baerfeldt, three, in the next apartment. The fire escape crosses the front windows of both apartments.

Ruth went to Elizabeth's home by her customary route, the front fire escape. The Teddy Bear was big and cumbersome, and Ruth tripped and fell through an opening. She struck the fire escape between the fourth and third floors, and bounded out into space.

AMERICAN HELPS FRENCH ART

Two New Bursaries for Artists and Writers Are Announced by Mme. George Blumenthal.

Paris.—Two new bursaries for French artists have been announced by Mme. George Blumenthal, the American founder of the American foundation for French art and thought.

Each of these like the ten funds already being distributed is for 12,000 francs yearly. They represent the income from invested funds given by Mrs. Blumenthal and other Americans.

One of the new funds to encourage painting is in the name of Henry Frick. The other, devoted to science, is to be called the "Joffre" bursary. It is endowed by an American who asked that his name be withheld.

When Mme. Blumenthal made formal announcement of the extension of the foundation's work to Marshal Joffre, he began an expression of "gratitude." Mme. Blumenthal, who is of Alsatian ancestry, replied: "Monsieur le Marechal, do not speak of gratitude. We love each other, that is all."

Gives Birth to Three Husky Heifers and Bull.

Helmond, Ia.—Four lucky calves—three heifers and a bull—all doing nicely and able to take and obtaining nourishment from the original source, is the contribution toward reduction in the price of meat, butter and milk offered the world rapidly by a cow owned by Ralph Christie, farmer here.

Last year the cow gave birth to twin calves.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certain Alias execution, issued by the Justice of the Peace of the Justice court of Hale county, on the 28th day of March A. D. 1921, in a certain cause wherein Bonner & Price plaintiffs, and E. N. Felty & J. R. Felty, defendants, in favor of the said plaintiffs for the sum of Sixty-nine and 65-100 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per centum per annum, from date of judgment together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of a judgment by the said Bonner & Price plaintiffs, in the Justice court of Hale county, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1921, I have levied upon, and will on the 4th day of Oct. A. D. 1921, at Plainview, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of E. N. Felty & J. R. Felty has in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of E. N. Felty and J. H. Felty, to-wit: One J. I. Case threshing machine, size 32, also one extension feeder, size 32.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment of 60 and 65-100 dollars, in favor of Bonner & Price together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to satisfaction thereof.

J. C. TERRY,
Sheriff Hale County, Texas.

CLUBBING RATES

The Plainview News one year and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year \$3.25
The Plainview News one year and Amarillo Daily News one year for \$9.25
The Plainview News one year and Kansas City Weekly Star .. \$2.85

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There Are Other Plainview People Similarly Situated.

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Plainview residents? After you have read the following, quietly answer the question.

S. B. Farris, retired farmer, Plainview says: "My back was sore and lame and ached most all the time. It bothered me mostly when I had to stoop over, as sharp and aching pains would shoot through my back and shoulders. Mornings when I first got up my back was so lame and stiff I could hardly straighten. I felt tired and worn out and had dizzy spells. I also suffered from headaches. My kidneys were weak and the kidney secretions were scanty in passage and bothered me a great deal. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought some from R. A. Long's Drug Store. One box of Doan's cured me of the trouble. I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills highly to all my friends."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Cost of Living Again Rising

Washington, Sept. 17.—Retail food prices increased an average of 4.3 per cent in August as compared with July prices, according to figures made public today by the department of labor. The statistics were compiled from reports of fifty-one cities.

Potatoes increased 27 per cent during the month; eggs 13 per cent; pork chops, cheese and cabbage 13 per cent; butter 10 per cent; lard 8 per cent; sugar 6 per cent; canned tomatoes 5 per cent; ham and oranges 4 per cent; nut margarine 3 per cent; plate beef, fresh milk, oleomargarine and corn meal 2 per cent; and bacon, rolled oats, rice, canned corn, canned peas, prunes 1 per cent. The prices of check wheat, hard wheat, cereals and macaroni, increased one-half of one per cent.

Many of the prices of bananas dropped 5 per cent. Others decreased through

increased including leg of lamb, 3 per cent; canned salmon, flour, onions and raisins 2 per cent; sirloin steak, round steak and rib roast, 1 per cent.

Tea decreased less than one-half of 1 per cent. Prices remained unchanged for evaporated milk, bread, apples, navy beans, baked beans, all coffee.

Food prices increased slightly all month in New Orleans, that John Houston, 3 per cent; Dallas, 2 per cent; Little Rock and Memphis, 1 per cent.

John Ferguson, son of Rev. and Mrs. C. N. N. Ferguson, departed Thursday evening for Dallas, he was present at the opening of the U. He is the editor of the paper for the

Our Competent Laundresses are At Your Service

We want to tell you about our laundry and the work it is doing. We have the most modern machinery, and our employees are experienced and capable, and the work is done under sanitary conditions.

We want you to try our laundry not only on the collars, shirts and such work but also on the family laundry and flat work, and guarantee satisfaction. We can do you better service, and at less cost and worry. We are anxious take the entire laundry burden off your shoulders, for our's is a service that will satisfy you. Have us call for your family bundle, we will do the work and then return it to your home—snowy white, refreshed and ready to put away. Let us try.

Plainview Laundry

Phone 125

Shmrock Man Instantly Killed
Shamrock, Sept. 23.—Carl Brooks was shot and killed here last night. T. E. Sammons, city marshal, surrendered to the sheriff immediately after the shooting.

Brooks is well known in this section of the Panhandle by the name of "Cutey." He was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary by the Federal court at Amarillo some years ago and Sammons is said to have been the chief witness against him and bad feeling has existed between them for some time, it is claimed.

The shooting occurred at about ten o'clock.
Prof. H. P. Webb, superintendent of the Olton school, was in town Saturday. He reported that the school opened with an enrollment of 122, with 28 in the high school.
We have seventy-five head of horses and mules to sell on twelve months' time.—J. W. Boyle & Son.

THE CITY BAKERY

Invites the, people of the Plains to attend the Livestock Exposition and Fair to be held in Plainview next week. There will be attractions that will interest everyone. The City Bakery is for everything that builds up its community, and has the most modern baking plant in this section, in order to give the people the best there is

"Milk Maid" Bread

Is the largest loaf on the Plains sold for a dime. It weighs 17 ounces, and is the best and most for the money. Insist on your grocer or butcher sending you "Milk Maid" bread.

We carry a complete line of fresh pastry, such as macarones, almond and cocoanut cakes, lady fingers, and other fancy cakes and pies.

Special orders can be handled on one day's notice.

The City Bakery

Northside Square

T. J. Van Arsdell, prop.

DIDN'T STAND TEST

Reader's Caustic Criticism of Modern Heroine.

They Lack the "Homey" Qualities of the Characters in the Pages of Dickens, Is One Thing He Has Noticed.

Doctor Pedbury picked up the gayly bound novel that lay on his patient's counterpane.

"Well, Hosea," he inquired, "how's the light literature prescription working? Good story? Mighty pretty girl on the cover, anyhow."

"Ain't read it and ain't a-going to," declared Hosea aggressively. "Girl's pretty enough, but no three hundred pages of her doin's for me. She don't stand the test. They don't any of 'em. Cover or frontispiece; there's only two sorts of 'em, and I don't like either. I ain't pertick'ler whether they're tall or short, skinny or dimply, gypsyish or light complected; but I do want 'em a nice, likable-lookin' sort of humans—and they ain't. You put 'em to the button test, and it dowers 'em."

"The button test? What's that?" asked Doctor Pedbury.

"Oh, I s'pose there's others," admitted Hosea, "but that's the easiest; jest 's'pose a feller wants a button sewed on—wants it right off. Well, he hangs his coat on his arm and goes to one of those girls. 'Gwendolen Gertrude,' says she, 'I want to wear this coat, there's a button off. Can you fix it?' Well—Hosea displayed the Imperial beauty on the book cover—"jest look at her, doc. You know what she says without me tellin' ye. 'Base slave, begone!' or 'Mignon, avant!' or 'Impertinent Kube, go ask your grandmother!' or some little thing of that sort. That's the general idee; that's the way Gwendolen Gertrude looks.

"And there's lots to her—chin up, head back, eyes shut; handsome critters; but go-h! who'd want to ask a favor of 'em?—less by telephone, so's he could drop the receiver quick before he got an answer. Well, that's some folks' idee of a lovely heroine, I s'pose—but it ain't mine.

"The other kind ain't so dangerous lookin', but she ain't much more use. Jest frivolous. Hussy or kitteny, one or 't'her. 'Elsie Marce, here's a button wants sewin'; s'pose you could do it?' 'Elsie Marce, she laughs pretty and shows nice teeth and says pleasant, 'Why, yes, of course'; only she's got engagements up to the middle of next week, and, anyways, the buttons she sews ain't warranted to stay on more'n an hour or so; so maybe, after all, 'twould be as well to ask somebody else. Well, that's 'Elsie Marce; and she ain't my notion of a lovely heroine, either.

"Heroines were different when I was young. Dickens' heroines, now; they was real nice and lovable besides bein' prett' and their pleters looked it. That Little Dot woman with the baby, and that Ruth that made the beef-steak puddin'—they'd ha' stood the button test all right.

"Goin', doctor? Say, reach me that seed catalogue off the table first, won't ye; and, say, if ye would stop to the library as ye pass and ask Bill Hiekins for a copy of Nicholas Nickleby—mine's such bad print ma won't let me read it in bed—and bring it along next visit, I'd appreciate it a lot. Thank you, doctor! I thought you wouldn't mind."—Youth's Companion.

Famous American Clipper Ships.

In the days of the famous clipper ships, the American vessel was second to none, writes Frederick A. Collins in Boys' Life. No other country could build ships at once so staunch and so speedy. Records were established which have never been surpassed by sailing craft and, even with the use of steam, were not bettered for nearly half a century. In 1852 the Sovereign of the Seas sailed 436 miles in a single day. The Lightning crossed the Atlantic in 13 days 20 hours, and the James Blaine of 2,500 tons made the voyage from Boston to Liverpool in 12 days and 6 hours. Although America led the way with the first transatlantic steamship, she allowed the sovereignty of the seas to slip gradually from her. At the beginning of the war most of her tonnage was affoot on the great lakes or engaged in coastwise traffic, and her deep-sea fleet was small.

Jays of Tournament Golf.

Wouldn't it make you mad if you were entered in a golf tournament and you started out shooting the little old pill down the line, better than you ever had and finished the first nine holes in the lowest score you had ever made; slipped a little on the second nine, but still had a chance to make a respectable showing, and then on the eighteen hole in the presence of an admiring throng of friends you proceeded to put the pill into the ditch three times and take eleven strokes where five should have been plenty?

Wouldn't it make you mad? Well, the only consolation we know out of that horrible catastrophe is that we remembered even in our rage that there were ladies within hearing distance. We came up smiling out of the ditch, but we sincerely hope the young woman in the pink gown and the big hat who grinned gleefully at us is no mind reader.—Exchange.

Just So.

"What do they mean by wealth untold?"
"There's no such thing any more. Everybody has to make an income tax statement—beginning with 'Over 100'."

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Why Not Save MONEY?

Just a look will show you how and convince you, too.

You will find few suits the equal of these to be had even at much higher prices.

CURLIE for Men
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MADE 3 Piece Suits

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ALWAYS A BARGAIN

Prohibition Profits Grape Growers!

San Francisco—The grape growing industry of California is prosperous, largely because of prohibition, declared Edward Sheehan, president of the California Grape Growers' Exchange, in an address here before the California Development Association. He declared the profits of the growers have tripled with prohibition and said where three years ago the average price for grapes was \$10 to \$20 a ton it is now around \$75 and \$100 a ton. Mr. Sheehan estimated the California grape crop this year to be valued at 75 million dollars.

much extra trouble, they have no legal value or significance. Act of 1917, Section 4, Article 60 relates to same. Note particularly that posted notice is not legal notice, and no bond or other election is valid unless made as published as required by law.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having secured a small nice office up stairs in the Wofford building, I am prepared to treat all chronic cases that can be treated by preventative medicine. I diagnose cases carefully, then tell you candidly if I can do you good service. I will make calls in the country also. Mrs. Carrington is an experienced nurse, accompanies me in my confinement cases with no extra charge. She will accept family nursing in the city, not out of town. Our terms are very reasonable and we will appreciate your patronage.

Respectfully,
Dr. John P. Carrington and Wife
Residence Phone No. 118,
Calls, Ring Central

MUST PUBLISH ALL LEGAL NOTICES IN THE FUTURE

All notices heretofore required to be posted, must now be printed in some newspaper in the same county and for the same length of time as it was formerly necessary to post such notices. The posting of such notice is not required, and is only that

MIDDIES For School Girls

We have just received a shipment of girls' and misses' middies in the wanted shades of Red, Green and Navy.

All sizes

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