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LOCATING BOARD EXPLAINS RULES

Outline of What Locating Board is Going to Expect Laid Down in a Letter to The Various Towns.

ACCESSIBILITY VERY IMPORTANT

General Rules as Laid Down Conform Very Closely to What Sweetwater Has to Offer to The College.

In a letter addressed to all the applicants for the Texas Technological College, the locating board makes some important explanations of the law, as it sees it, and refuses to be drawn into any discussion of what constitutes the requirements of a desirable site.

The board has been asked, among numerous other questions, whether an oblong tract or one that is square would be more acceptable, and what per cent should be tillable, and other inquiries as to physical conditions. It has uniformly refused to commit itself on any of these matters, but will wait and see the desirability of the tracts offered. Whether the 2,000 acres required by the law shall be in open tract or broken into several areas is also a question asked, but unanswered. No specific blanks or forms will be prescribed by the board for offers, each town being left to submit facts and data in any style desired, "to a full and comprehensive presentation of the natural resources and inducements which it may have to offer."

An outline of what the board expects, under its view of the law, is set out in the letter as follows:

What Board Expects.
 "Climatic conditions will, of course, include full information relating to the prevailing climate, such as rainfall, expressed in averages for each month during the last three or five years, if records are available; thermometer readings (extremes and averages); snowfall, length of growing season; duration of winter period; sunshine; cloudy period and such other information as may be had as to the climate of your locality."

"At least four important considerations must enter into satisfactory water supply, namely, quantity, permanency and cost of making it available. Whether the source of supply is a running stream a surface lake, a deep or shallow well, are considerations which must, in the last analysis, enter very largely into the final determination of this question."

"The determination of accessibility would necessarily take into consideration all transportation facilities available to the applicant city, town or community and should, with some degree of propriety, take into account the geographical location with respect to the sections of the state proposed to be served by the college; density of population immediately surrounding and its ratio to the entire area within the statutory limits of the district."

Rendering Greatest Service.
 "The phrase 'and such other matters as appropriately enter into the desirability of a location of an institution of this kind,' might cover a wide range, and we believe that any advantages which your community offers toward the proper development of the institution, either physically, intellectually socially or morally, and which would contribute in any way toward carrying out the purpose for which the college is founded should be another brief."

"The law specifically provides that this board shall not be influenced directly or indirectly by offers and promises of bonuses, or gifts, and it will, of course, be our purpose to adhere strictly to this provision. The law also directs that the primary consideration which shall outweigh all others in the minds of the members of the locating board shall be to locate the college where it can in the future render the greatest service to the State and the section of the United States for which it is specifically maintained. The locating board will undertake, as directed, to make this the paramount consideration. It will, therefore, be eminently proper to submit any data or information tending to establish this fact with reference to your offering."

"You will note that the law provides that the lands bought for the location of the administration building may be erected with inconvenient distance of the residence section of the town or

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WRECK DELAYS.

Freight Wreck On T. & P. Ties Up That System Most of Sunday.

A string of twenty freight cars went into the ditch just outside of Fort Worth and paralyzed traffic on the Texas & Pacific most of Sunday.

No. 15, Westbound, due to arrive here at 5:45 a. m., was over twelve hours late, coming in at 6 p. m. with No. 23 right on its heels. One result was that much of West Texas went without the big Sunday papers, unless living in a town where one was published.

No. 15 was a little late Monday morning, but other trains are back on schedule.

GET MORE MONEY

California Poultry Men Average 34 Cents Dozen; Texas Average 20 Cents—Co-Operative Sales Did It.

From Farm Bureau News.

Co-operative marketing of eggs has proven so successful for farmers in California that there are many of them who are doing nothing but run commercial egg farms. J. H. Barber, general manager of the Pacific Egg Producers, pointed out in an address to poultry men and women at the Farm Bureau headquarters in Dallas on March 7. Mr. Barber made the same statement on March 8 at Sweetwater where he went in company with Secretary M. E. Hays of the Farm Bureau for a meeting with poultry raisers.

Mr. Barber said that the success of the egg associations on the Pacific coast is due to several things, among them being that the eggs must be fresh, eggs must be infertile, eggs must be graded as to color, size, weight and cleanliness, eggs must be carefully packed, must be shipped in large quantities and must be stored during the spring months so as to be distributed evenly over the year, and must be merchandized by experts.

Mr. Barber said that the average price to the association is 34 to 35 cents per dozen net. The charge made by the association to the member is one cent per dozen. This price is much better than the average price received by farmers in Texas for their eggs. Why is it that California eggs bring the farmers 33 to 34 cents per dozen when Texas farmers get less than 20 cents per dozen for their eggs? The California egg producers are organized into a co-operative marketing association. The Texas egg producers are unorganized and have to take what they are offered. The Texas Farm Bureau Federation will assist the County Farm Bureau and their egg producers to organize if they demand it.

FIRE SUNDAY.
 The Fire Department answered an alarm at the Redden residence in the West part of town Sunday afternoon. The fire caught from a defective flue, but was put out with trifling damages.

BUILD HOSPITAL
 Baptists Spending \$200,000 on Sanitarium Now Being Constructed at Town of Abilene.

Special to The Reporter.
ABILENE, Mar. 19.—Baptists of West Texas are spending \$200,000 for the construction of a large sanitarium here which should be completed in the late fall and be in full commission before the end of the current year.

The sanitarium is being incorporated now. Application for a charter has been made. There are twenty-four trustees named by the trustees of Slimmons college, another large Baptist institution here. Officers of the sanitarium board are: George S. Anderson, chairman; George L. Paxton, vice-chairman; T. N. Carswell, secretary-treasurer.

The frame of the big hospital has been erected and gives some indication as to the magnitude of the institution. The building proper will be five stories. The contract price on the big building proper is \$166,000. Plumbing, heating, electricity and equipment features will bring the cost of the building to at least \$200,000.

RISING TEMPERATURE.
 The weather forecast for West Texas says that rising temperature is in order for tonight with fair and warmer predicted for Tuesday.

Peeress Star of "If Winter Comes"



Viscountess Dunsford, who prefers to be known by her stage name, Peggy Rush, has arrived in this country to appear before American audiences in the stage version of Hutchinson's famous novel "If Winter Comes."

BLIZZARD GRIPS CHAIRMAN HULL ENTIRE COUNTRY RAPS PRESIDENT

Sub-Zero Temperatures Reported Throughout Entire Midwest—Train Service Curtailed Many Places.

FOUR ARE DEAD IN COLORADO

Coldest Weather of Year Greets West Texas Sunday Morning When Thermometer Goes to 12.

By The United Press.
CHICAGO, Mar. 19.—The entire country from the Rocky Mountains to the Alleghenies is in the grip of a blizzard today.

Four persons were killed in Colorado as a result of the severe storm.

The damage to the Kansas potato crop and the Oklahoma peach crop will be heavy, experts said today.

Wire communications have been paralyzed in many sections with telephone and telegraph companies reporting many miles of wire down.

Passenger train service on all northern railroads has been curtailed and freight embargoes are in effect in several sections.

Below zero temperatures are reported throughout the entire West.

The coldest weather of the year struck West Texas without warning Sunday and reaped a harvest of frozen water pipes and radiators. The norther hit Sweetwater about 1 o'clock Sunday morning and before daylight the hungry wind had sent the thermometer shivering to 12 above, the lowest it has reached this winter. All day long that wind swept down and most everybody found it a very good day in which to stay at home and get acquainted with the family. Only a very few of the faithful braved the elements for church services.

Fears for the safety of range lambs and calves, just beginning to arrive, and for the fruit crop are expressed. The storm and cold was general over much of the Middle West with reports from Colorado, Chicago, Nebraska, as well as many points in Texas.

In southern Wyoming, train service was badly crippled, with all freight being held at Cheyenne until the storm abated.

A complete tieup of train service was reported from Norfolk, Nebraska with a fifty mile an hour gale threatening destruction of all communication.

DENISON AFLAME.

By The United Press.
DENISON, Mar. 19.—Damage of approximately \$35,000 was caused by flames in Denison last night which drove many families into the street in their night clothing in the cold weather. A rooming house and two dwellings burned.

BRATTON DISCHARGED.

District Court Takes Up One of Liquor Cases Monday Afternoon.

The jury in the case of L. M. Bratton, tried on a charge of forgery, brought in an instructed verdict of "not guilty" in the first case tried in District Court. At the conclusion of this case, one of the witnesses was scored by Judge W. P. Leslie on his testimony as presented.

The jury in the case of Elmer Lowe, charged with a violation of the liquor laws, was being drawn Monday afternoon.

ELLIS IS DISMISSED

Detective Charged With Kidnapping To Frustrate Courtship Culberson's Daughter Released.

By The United Press.
NEWARK, N. J., Mar. 19.—A charge of kidnapping against John S. Ellis, private detective, was dismissed in Court of Common Pleas here today.

Ellis was charged with the kidnapping of Alexander A. Robertson, former British soldier.

The alleged kidnapping was said to have been part of the effort to stop Robertson's courtship of Miss Mary Culberson, daughter of the former United States Senator from Texas, Charles A. Culberson.

Robertson claimed he was kidnapped on April 27th, and forced to go to Boston, where an attempt was made to put him on a steamer, bound for South America.

The attempt was frustrated, Robertson said, by the action of the British Embassy.

AEROPLANE LOST.

French Use Arms to Get Airplane, Which Fell Behind Turkish Lines.

By The United Press.
LONDON, Mar. 19.—French cavalry were forced to use their arms in an attempt to recover an aeroplane which had been forced landing behind the Turkish lines in the hills of Northern Syria.

The Turks retained the machine power, it is reported.

MOTHER DIES.

Judge R. C. Crane has gone to Eufaula, Oklahoma, where he was called by the death of his mother, Mrs. Kate J. Crane. Mrs. Crane was nearly 94 years of age and was the widow of Dr. W. G. Caney Crane, who for over 20 years was the president of Baylor University while that institution was located at Independence, Texas and prominent in Baptist denominational affairs in the South.

SIGNS BILLS.

Governor Neff Approves Nine General Bills And 28 Local Bills.

By The United Press.
AUSTIN, Mar. 19.—Governor Neff had approved nine general bills and 28 local measures passed at the regular session of the legislature today.

Bills to the number of 149 have yet to be acted upon.

No vetoes have been announced as yet.

THE COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK COTTON.
 Op'ng High Low Close Close Today Yes'ty

May	31.74	31.48	31.10	31.11	31.25
July	30.50	30.55	30.31	30.32	30.42
Oct.	26.95	27.05	26.84	26.86	26.85

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.
 Op'ng High Low Close Close Today Yes'ty

May	30.82	30.87	30.61	30.61	30.71
July	30.50	30.55	30.25	30.27	30.35
Oct.	26.75	26.78	26.40	26.45	26.47

SPOT MARKETS.

	Today	Close	Yes'ty
New York	31.20	31.30	31.30
New Orleans	31.00	31.00	31.00
Dallas	30.50	30.65	30.65
Houston	31.25	31.35	31.35
Galveston	31.15	31.25	31.25
Sweetwater	30.10	30.25	30.25

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat:—	Today	Close	Yes'ty
May	1.21	1.22	1.22
July	1.16	1.17	1.17
Corn:—			
May	.74	.75	.75
July	.77	.77	.77
Oats:—			
May	.45	.45	.45
July	.45	.45	.45

PRIZES OFFERED ON IMPROVEMENT

Clean-Up Committee Emphasizes That Prizes Are Not Offered for Best Looking Yards in Town.

IMPROVEMENT WILL WIN MONEY

Three Prizes Offered in Each of Four City Zones for Yard Showing Most Improvement—Must Register.

The prizes offered in the clean-up campaign are not to those yards that are the prettiest, with the most flowers, lawns, etc., but for the yard that shows the greatest improvement between March 21, the entrance date and May 1.

This gives an opportunity for the person with the rattlest looking yard to win first prize by just a little effort along clean-up lines and planting. Other years prizes have been offered for the best looking yards, but the arrangement is different this year and is entered for the benefit of those who have not heretofore been contenders.

Persons who wish to enter this contest are urged to register with Paul Sorenson, or with the ladies in charge of the different zones.

The city has been divided into four zones as follows:

Zone 1—South of the T. & P. tracks and west of Lamar street, Mrs. Mc Glaus, chairman of ladies committee.

Zone 2—All of Sweetwater south of the T. & P. tracks east of Lamar street with Mrs. A. W. Canfil in charge.

Zone 3—Is the northwest section, lying north of the T. & P. and east of Oak street, with Mrs. Corbett in charge.

Zone 4—Is the northeast part of town, east of Oak street and north of the T. & P., with Mrs. Bondles in charge.

In each of the four zones there will be given four prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5, for those yards showing the most improvement between March 22 and May first.

In addition to the three prizes in each zone, there will be a general prize of \$25 to that home anywhere in the city which shows the most improvement in the same period of time, from March 22 to May 1, including yard work and painting.

The first inspection will be made March 22 or as soon thereafter as the committee can get to it and the last inspection May 2.

It will be remembered that the city must look the best it has ever looked prior to the visit of the locating committee coming here for the Texas Tech inspection and this clean-up is being undertaken on that account.

HUNT FOR SLAYER

Member of New York And Philadelphia Underworld Wanted In Connection Death Dorothy King

NEW YORK, Mar. 19.—A member of the New York and Philadelphia underworld, who preyed upon women, who drugged and robbed them of their jewels, is being hunted by police and detectives who are searching for the slayer of Dorothy King, "White Light Butterfly."

Acting District Attorney Pecora declared that the same man is wanted in connection with other and similar crimes, including the theft of \$50,000 in gems.

ROBY MAN SELLS COTTON.

Fisher County Farmer Lets 43 Bales Go For 30 1/2 Cents.

Special to The Reporter.
ROBY, Mar. 19.—Sam Beene, prosperous farmer, living a few miles west of Roby, sold 43 bales of cotton last week for 30 1/2.

The 43 bales weighed 23,970 pounds and netted Mr. Beene the handsome sum of \$7,208. At the time this cotton was sold, it was 10 cents better than anywhere in the state. It was purchased by S. J. Etter, of the Planters' Gin Company here, quite a profit to Mr. Beene by holding this time. He lost heavily in 1921 on some of the staple he held over.

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EVERY DAY IN EVERY WAY, BETTER BETTER, BETTER

GOD IS LOVE.

Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.—1 John 4:12.

IS HOPELESS, NOW.

The one railroad towns that are after the Texas Tech College might just as well back up and quit right now. And if it was left up to the Texas Commercial News, the Tech would never come to West Texas at all. The ideas of this most worthy and esteemed publication, esteemed especially in West Texas, read as follows:

"We notice that 'technological' is a very heavy term to us Texans. Most of us had never heard it before the Legislature created such a college. But the imagination will be stretched again, when that school is located in a small town with one depot, one railroad, a few farms, several ranches, and where 'Bill Huggins' does the whole police duty! There are not but five available communities for it—either Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, San Antonio, or Houston! A School of Technology should be as near industrial manufacturing as possible. The modern college life must draw from practical life, and the closer that prac-

tical life is to the college, the greater the student's advantages."

The town or city in West Texas that is fortunate enough to get the Texas Tech College will furnish all the industrial manufacturing plants that is necessary—and then some—for the benefit of the student body to exercise their desires in.

Come on now, Texas Commercial News editor, put your hammer up and help develop this Western country now—for you will have to later on anyway—and to just think that West Texas will contain a larger population five years after the erection of the big college is an inducement for you to get things lined up to move your paper to West Texas where most of the money will be in just a few measly little years.

You'll remember that where all those "big towns" are now, was once a barren, desolated section that contained nothing but wolves, rabbits, and snakes and other beasts of Texas, and where you couldn't pay a man to live for love nor money. West Texas was in the same fix several years ago, but the rapid progress of late has attracted the attention, not only of Texas, but all the states in the union as well.

AT THE PALACE.

Wallace Reid's latest Paramount picture, "The Ghost Breaker," which will be shown at the Palace Theater today and tomorrow, is said to be one of the most thrilling screen offerings in which that popular star has been seen in many months. Lila Lee and Walter Hiers are featured with the star.

"The Ghost Breaker" is a melodrama with modern trimmings. There is a wonderful old Spanish castle in Aragon, which is peopled with ghosts, a lovely Spanish girl (Lila Lee) who is much annoyed by the ghostly visitors; a young and red-blooded hero, played by Mr. Reid who pumps into a feud in a visit to Kentucky, just because he happens to be a remote branch of the Jarvis family; a funny colored servant, Rusty Snow, which will introduce Walter Hiers as a black face artist; feud scenes; a thrilling fight in an elevator of a New York hotel; a chase after a liner; scenes in midocean aboard the liner; and fine pastoral effects.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES.

At Annual C. of C. Banquet at Abilene.—Mr. Thompson brought the greatest applause of the evening when he announced to the more than 200 business men of that city, that in his opinion Merkel citizens were willing to withdraw their claims and efforts to secure the new Technological school to be established in the west, and lend their assistance to our splendid county seat, Abilene, in her efforts to secure this great school. We would like to publish further details of this great get together meeting of the Abilene people were it not that our paper is already late in coming out.—Merkel Mail.

Poultry Industry Gains in Popularity.—An idea of the importance and magnitude of the poultry industry in Coleman County is gained by a glance at the daily sales of eggs and chickens in Coleman. Take last Saturday as an example. One grocery firm in Coleman received 270 dozen eggs during the day. There are ten grocery firms in town that buy and sell eggs. Assuming that the other nine groceries received as many eggs, that would make 2,700 dozen eggs marketed in Coleman Saturday, at say 20 cents, or a total of \$540; and there are three of more poultry and produce houses in Coleman which handled as many eggs.—Coleman Democrat Voice.

Beggars Must Get Beggars Permit.—An ordinance of the city of Floydada should be kept in mind by Floydada people in making their donations to strangers who come into town with selling, soliciting or begging propositions. This ordinance requires the solicitor to call on the mayor, explain his proposition and get a permit, for which the person solicited may properly call. An instance where this ordinance protected the people occurred a few weeks ago when the mayor upon investigation of a solicitor for a "rescue home," was finally offered a commission to give the permit.—Floydada Hospierian.

Red Cross Nurse's Physical Survey.—The Parent-Teachers Association of the Baird public school is cooperating with the American Red Cross, one of the nurses of which will be stationed here to take charge of the practical details of the field work, is about to make a physical survey of all the chil-

dren in the school, with the purpose of classifying the mental and physical abnormalities and the giving of expert advice to parents for the correction of these defects in their children that they may be brought back to normalcy.—aBird Star.

Organize Poultry Association.—Organization of a poultry association is preceeding rapidly here with many new members signed up. One purpose of the association is to furnish young chicks to members. One day old chicks in quantities of fifty and one hundred are delivered to the association members at the exact cost at the hatchery of the number bought. There is a charge of one dollar for membership. The prices of these chicks is \$13 for 50, \$25 for 100. A note for \$15 for each fifty or \$27 for each hundred is given, payable Oct. 1st, 1923. These chicks are from the hatchery at Bryan which is under the supervision of Prof. Kazmeier of the A. & M. and are pedigreed stock. You have the choice of whatever breed you desire. The orders will be filled in turn and the officers of the association expect to be able to fill the wants not later than April 10th, as chickens hatched later do not make winter layers.—Slatonite.

COTTON ADVANCING

Speculation May Have Had Something to Do in Boosting Staple Above 30 Cent Mark.

What had been predicted of cotton—that it would pass the 30 cent mark—happened during the past week. How much speculation had to do with this is a question, but the smallness of the available supply is not a matter of doubt. One thing that looms up as a factor is the extent to which mills have covered their needs for the season. Those who know this are, naturally, not inclined to give up their knowledge, but there continues to be some buying even at the advancing prices. Meanwhile, in the growing districts, preparations are going on for the new crop, the planting of which is likely to be earlier than usual if the weather permits. An increased acreage appears to be assured. The mills profess to have no stocks on hand and to be working wholly on orders actually received. Unfinished cottons in some instances have been reported in consonance with higher raw material costs. Certain constructions, however, remain at the same figure as when cotton was selling for 2 or 3 cents less per pound. The general tendency, however, is toward higher

prices for gray goods, especially for those which are in any active demand. Prints especially popular, are being snapped up, and so are ginghams. The action of the Amoskeag Company in giving October dating for the latter has been especially pleasing to the jobbers, particularly as no advance over Spring prices was made. Other manufacturers, however, without offering this inducement seem to have no difficulty in disposing of their supplies. In knit wear, including hosiery, there was no material change during the past week.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.



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Scientists long ago discovered and combined in Nadinola Cream those elements which bleach the skin, remove tan, freckles, pimples and blackheads, and produce that smooth, satin-like texture so much admired. By its own virtues Nadinola Cream removes impurities and leaves the skin clear, healthy and beautiful. Guarantee and directions in each package. Two sizes, 50c. and \$1.00, at your toilet counter.

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SUBJECTS:—

- Chemistry
- Materia Medica
- Bacteriology
- Physiology
- Posology
- Toxicology
- Practical Pharmacy
- Theoretical Pharmacy

These must be passed by examination with a grade of at least 75 per cent.

The listed subjects are what the druggist must prove himself proficient in, by examination, before becoming a Registered Pharmacist. Therefore, it is important that you patronize the Registered Druggist. It is important from the standpoint of safety. The proficient man compounds your prescriptions accurately and asks a legitimate price for his work. There are many well known instances where the registered druggist has saved the lives of people through his knowledge of the ingredients prescribed. He foresaw and knew what the result would be and sought authentic information.

When seeking a remedy for some slight ailment, don't rely on the words of an itinerant medicine salesman. Go to the Drug Store that is backed by a knowledge of what is being dispensed.

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FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms; close in; no children. Phone 418. 40t4dc
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MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Two modern cottages; easy terms. Burton-Lingo Co. 39tfc
SEED POTATOES—Dooley yams \$1.25 per bushel. W. H. Whitely, Clyde, Texas. 21-1 mo p
MARTIN AUCTION COMPANY
 Wants your second hand goods, sales every Saturday. Phone 130 31tfc
BABY CHICKS—Feed Paria Chick Chow to your baby chicks. Double development guaranteed first six weeks. See us or buy through your grocery store. S. Edwards Grain Co. 33 tdfc
FOR SALE—Majestic range, practically new; will sell at a bargain. Phone 296 29t4pd
WANTED—By April 1st, small furnished house or furnished apartment, party permanently located in Sweetwater. Please reply by letter, care Box A Reporter Office. State what conveniences and monthly rental charged. 36t6dc
LOST—Wrist Watch, octagon shape, flower engraved case, link chain. Finder leave at Sweetwater Laundry and get reward. 37 6tdp.

WHITE LEGHORN EGGS \$5.

Tom Barron Strain of English White Leghorns, bred to lay. My usual price \$10 per hundred, but in order to get them introduced and to boost the Poultry Association, I am making them at \$5 per hundred, f. o. b. San Angelo to Farm Bureau Members or Members of the Poultry Association.
 OTTO ATKINSON,
 Wall Route, San Angelo, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY—The Andrews Furniture Company will pay cash for your second hand furniture and stoves. Phone 596, East side of Square. 39t6dc

FOR SALE—Choice residence lot, close in. Described as Lots 17 and 18, Block No. 80, Orient addition. Look this up on your city map, then communicate with OWNER, Box 287, Cleburne, Texas. 38-t4dc

WANTED—School principals and other educated persons to demonstrate a high class educational publication to school boards and individuals. This work is approved by the State Department of Education. Address P. O. Box 915, San Antonio, Texas. 39t3dc

WANTED—Widow with two children wants position as housekeeper or work of any kind where children can be taken care of. Box 181, Lorraine, Texas. 39-t2dp.

WANTED TO BUY—If you want to sell or exchange your old and discarded furniture and stoves, see the Andrews Furniture Company. We will pay cash or exchange new goods for them. Andrews Furniture Company, East Side of Square. 39t6dc

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs and baby chicks. Eggs from my Blue Ribbon winning flock at Sweetwater and Abilene, \$3 per setting of 15 postpaid. Will replace setting free if hatch unsatisfactory. Baby chicks at 30c each. Next delivery April 7. Guaranteed safe delivery. M. A. Verhalen, Knox City, Texas. 39-t3d2wc

EARN \$20 weekly, spare time at home addressing mailing music circulars. Send 10c for music, information, American Music Co., 1658 Broadway, New York City. 39t8dp

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announce their candidacies for City Office, subject to the action of the charter of the City of Sweetwater at the City Election, April 3, 1923:

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE:—
 W. R. (Buck) JOHNSON, (re-election)
 BRACK MITCHELL.
FOR CITY SECRETARY:—
 W. H. BARTLETT (re-election)
 W. H. STAMPS.
FOR CITY WATER COMMISSIONER.
 Place No. 1.
 L. E. MUSGROVE (re-election)
FOR MAYOR
 JOE H. BOOTHE
 R. A. RAGLAND.
For Street Commissioner:—
 W. L. SUPULVER.
 JOHN MEYERS.
 W. T. TRAMMELL.

EXPLAINS RULES.

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place where the college is located. This board would not be justified in construing the word "convenient" in mathematical units, as local conditions would undoubtedly make the distance it might represent a relative term, depending upon the established means of transportation and other related conditions. It is plainly evident, however, that it was the intention of the Legislature to have this college located near enough to a city or town to permit the students in daily attendance to reside in the residence section without inconvenience.

Fee Simple Title Needed.

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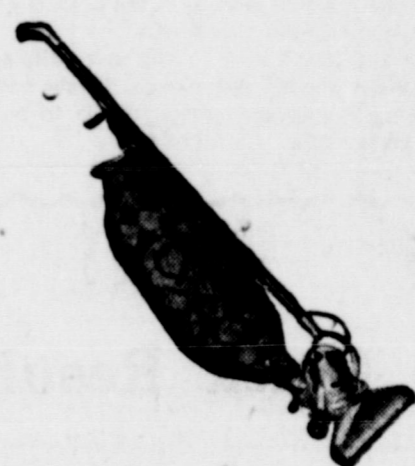


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GOD IS LOVE.

Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.—1 John 4:12.

IS HOPELESS, NOW.

The one railroad towns that are after the Texas Tech College might just as well back up and quit right now. And if it was left up to the Texas Commercial News, the Tech would never come to West Texas at all. The ideas of this most worthy and esteemed publication, esteemed especially in West Texas, read as follows:

"We notice that 'technological' is a very heavy term to us Texans. Most of us had never heard it before the Legislature created such a college. But the imagination will be stretched again, when that school is located in a small town with one depot, one railroad, a few farms, several ranches, and where 'Bill Huggins' does the whole police duty! There are not but five available communities for it—either Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, San Antonio, or Houston! A School of Technology should be as near industrial manufacturing as possible. The modern college life must draw from practical life, and the closer that prac-

tical life is to the college, the greater the student's advantages."

The town or city in West Texas that is fortunate enough to get the Texas Tech College will furnish all the industrial manufacturing plants that is necessary—and then some—for the benefit of the student body to exercise their desires in.

Come on now, Texas Commercial News editor, put your hammer up and help develop this Western country now—for you will have to later on anyway—and to just think that West Texas will contain a larger population five years after the erection of the big college is an inducement for you to get things lined up to move your paper to West Texas where most of the money will be in just a few measly little years.

You'll remember that where all those "big towns" are now, was once a barren, desolated section that contained nothing but wolves, rabbits, and snakes and other beasts of Texas, and where you couldn't pay a man to live for love nor money. West Texas was in the same fix several years ago, but the rapid progress of late has attracted the attention, not only of Texas, but all the states in the union as well.

AT THE PALACE.

Wallace Reid's latest Paramount picture, "The Ghost Breaker," which will be shown at the Palace Theater today and tomorrow, is said to be one of the most thrilling screen offerings in which that popular star has been seen in many months. Lila Lee and Walter Hiers are featured with the star.

"The Ghost Breaker" is a melodrama with modern trimmings. There is a wonderful old Spanish castle in Aragon, which is peopled with ghosts, a lovely Spanish girl (Lila Lee) who is much annoyed by the ghostly visitants; a young and red-blooded hero, played by Mr. Reid who pumps into a feud in a visit to Kentucky, just because he happens to be a remote branch of the Jarvis family; a funny colored servant, Rusty Snow, which will introduce Walter Hiers a sa black face artist; feud scenes; a thrilling fight in an elevator of a New York hotel; a chase after a liner; scenes in midocean aboard the liner; and fine pastoral effects.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES.

At Annual C. of C. Banquet at Abilene.—Mr. Thompson brought the greatest applause of the evening when he announced to the more than 200 business men of that city, that in his opinion Merkel citizens were willing to withdraw their claims and efforts to secure the new Technological school to be established in the west, and lend their assistance to our splendid county seat, Abilene, in her efforts to secure this great school. We would like to publish further details of this great get together meeting of the Abilene people were it not that our paper is already late in coming out.—Merkel Mail.

Poultry Industry Gains In Popularity.—An idea of the importance and magnitude of the poultry industry in Coleman County is gained by a glance at the daily sales of eggs and chickens in Coleman. Take last Saturday as an example. One grocery firm in Coleman received 270 dozen eggs during the day. There are ten grocery firms in town that buy and sell eggs. Assuming that the other nine groceries received as many eggs, that would make 2,700 dozen eggs marketed in Coleman a Saturday at, say 20 cents, or a total of \$540; and there are three of more poultry and produce houses in Coleman which handled as many eggs.—Coleman Democrat Voice.

Beggars Must Get Beggars Permit.—An ordinance of the city of Floydada should be kept in mind by Floydada people in making their donations to strangers who come into town with selling, soliciting or begging propositions. This ordinance requires the solicitor to call on the mayor, explain his proposition and get a permit, for which the person solicited may properly call. An instance where this ordinance protected the people occurred a few weeks ago when the mayor upon investigation of a solicitor for a "rescue home," was finally offered a commission to give the permit.—Floydada Hesperian.

Red Cross Nurse's Physical Survey.—The Parent-Teachers Association of the Baird public school is cooperating with the American Red Cross, one of the nurses of which will be stationed here to take charge of the practical details of the field work, is about to make a physical survey of all the chil-

dren in the school, with the purpose of classifying the mental and physical abnormalities and the giving of expert advice to parents for the correction of these defects in their children that they may be brought back to normalcy.—aBird Star.

Organize Poultry Association.—Organization of a poultry association is proceeding rapidly here with many new members signed up. One purpose of the association is to furnish young chicks to members. One day old chicks in quantities of fifty and one hundred are delivered to the association members at the exact cost at the hatchery of the number bought. There is a charge of one dollar for membership. The prices of these chicks is \$13 for 50, \$25 for 100. A note for \$15 for each fifty or \$27 for each hundred is given, payable Oct. 1st, 1923. These chicks are from the hatchery at Bryan which is under the supervision of Prof. Kazmeier of the A. & M. and are pedigreed stock. You have the choice of whatever breed you desire. The orders will be filled in turn and the officers of the association expect to be able to fill the wants not later than April 10th, as chickens hatched later do not make winter layers.—Slatonite.

COTTON ADVANCING

Speculation May Have Had Something to Do in Boosting Staple Above 30 Cent Mark.

What had been predicted of cotton—that it would pass the 30 cent mark—happened during the past week. How much speculation had to do with this is a question, but the smallness of the available supply is not a matter of doubt. One thing that looms up as a factor is the extent to which mills have covered their needs for the season. Those who know this are, naturally, not inclined to give up their knowledge, but there continues to be some buying even at the advancing prices. Meanwhile, in the growing districts, preparations are going on for the new crop, the planting of which is likely to be earlier than usual if the weather permits. An increased acreage appears to be assured. The mills profess to have no stocks on hand and to be working wholly on orders actually received. Unfinished cottons in some instances have been priced in consonance with higher raw material costs. Certain constructions, however, remain at the same figure as when cotton was selling for 2 or 3 cents less per pound. The general tendency, however, is toward higher

prices for gray goods, especially for those which are in any active demand. Prints especially percales, are being snapped up, and so are kinghams. The action of the Amoskeag Company in giving October dating for the latter has been especially pleasing to the jobbers, particularly as no advance over Spring prices was made. Other manufacturers, however, without offering this inducement seem to have no difficulty in disposing of their supplies. In knit wear, including hosiery, there was no material change during the past week.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA
If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the musky mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.



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What The Druggist Is To Your Community

- SUBJECTS:—
Chemistry
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Bacteriology
Physiology
Posology
Toxicology
Practical Pharmacy
Theoretical Pharmacy

These must be passed by examination with a grade of at least 75 per cent.

The listed subjects are what the druggist must prove himself proficient in, by examination, before becoming a Registered Pharmacist. Therefore, it is important that you patronize the Registered Druggist. It is important from the standpoint of safety. The proficient man compounds your prescriptions accurately and asks a legitimate price for his work. There are many well known instances where the registered druggist has saved the lives of people through his knowledge of the ingredients prescribed. He foresaw and knew what the result would be and sought authentic information.

When seeking a remedy for some slight ailment, don't rely on the words of an itinerant medicine salesman. Go to the Drug Store that is backed by a knowledge of what is being dispensed.

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 LOST—Wrist Watch, octagon shape, flower engraved case, link chain. Finder leave at Sweetwater Laundry and get reward. 37 6tdp.

WHITE LEGHORN EGGS \$5.

Tom Barron Strain of English White Leghorns, bred to lay. My usual price \$10 per hundred, but in order to get them introduced and to boost the Poultry Association, I am making them at \$5 per hundred, f. o. b. San Angelo to Farm Bureau Members or Members of the Poultry Association.
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 W. R. (Buck) JOHNSON, (re-election)
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J. H. BEALL, JR.,
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WHY THE INCREASE IN CRIME?

Our Method of Dealing With Criminals the Explanation.
 Sir Regal Thomson in the Saturday Evening Post.

We are driven to look for something in the American method of dealing with the criminal for the real cause of the sinister increase of criminality in that country. It is an axiom in criminology that savage punishments inflicted upon a few have little influence upon the mass; that milder punishments inflicted without fail upon all wrongdoers are deterrent. In other words, it does not very much matter what penalty is exacted for an offense, provided that it is awarded remorselessly to every wrongdoer. Any schoolmates will bear this out. You can afford to be lenient, without detriment to the discipline of the school, if the discipline is such that every lawless scholar is brought to book. There is much of the school-boy in all of us.

To put the matter in another way, the statistics of the railway accidents to travelers do not deter us from traveling by the railroad; but if we knew that every journey would cost \$0 per cent of a broken tooth no one would travel.

It is precisely this consideration which aways the minds of potential criminals. The more successful the punishment the less crime there is. That is a point on which there can be no two opinions even among laymen; the police and the lawyers have known it all along.

DO YOU APPRECIATE YOUR NEWSPAPER?

From, Pop, Wichita Falls, Texas.
 Into the home of the millionaire, the salaried man and the wage earner goes the Daily Newspaper, and the warmth of its welcome is equally great in each. It brings the world's happenings and lays them before you each day—news flashed through space from the uttermost parts of the globe.

The instinctive desire for news in-born in each of us makes the daily newspaper essential to ever individual capable of reading. Most of us grasp the paper each day eager for the world's news.

The newspaper fights your civic battles—it boosts everything worth boosting—it seeks in every way to better your community. Your newspaper becomes a part of you. If you don't believe it, try doing without it a week or two. Your newspaper ranks as one of the best assets of your community. You appreciate good newspapers almost as much as you do good schools and churches. Subscribe to the daily papers; keep in touch with the activities of the community, the state, the nation, and the whole world.

PLUMP GIRLS COMING BACK.

"String Bean" Figures Are Going Out in Paris.
 For many years now the woman with the figure of a string bean has had things all her own way. Women's styles have been designed for her alone, artists have painted her alone, bewildered men have tried to get used to the idea of admiring her alone, and her rivals of fleshier mold have been reduced to drinking vinegar.

But now an agitation for the revival of the plump beauty has arisen in Paris. And the surprising discovery has been made that, although the string bean woman was invented in the Paris ateliers of modes, Frenchmen don't admire thin women, but are pining for the reappearance of the charmer who made an armful.

An armful of loveliness is also the not disagreeable ideal of red blooded Americans, according to some of them.

Curves, Horatio, are the leading amatory desideratum of this average man. He wants his Venus well cushioned, like the robust Venuses of the old Flemish painters. Those Venuses looked as if they couldn't run a block without getting out of breath, to be sure, but, according to this authority, the average man doesn't pine for a sweetheart who can do the 100-yard dash in ten seconds.

"No ma'am," he says, "the average man would pick a Venus as like as possible to Lillian Russell or to Fay Templeton when those rival queens of day and night were winning hearts at Weber and Fields."

"Escorting a woman was a more formidable task in the old days than it is now. The darlings were more dignified and not nearly so spry."

"But the plump belle of the last generation, although just as earnestly desirous of embraces as the girl of today, didn't lend herself to embracing nearly so well. Somehow her figure got in the way. And her corset, which was like a coat of mail."

"There was a certain rigidity about her that gave a touch of unconscious pathos to every embrace."

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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Good creek gravel and sand, delivered, phone 304, Dad Morris. 37 10c.

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Leland Stamps has been out of school for the past week on account of illness.

"Steroline" the best mouth wash, delightful, refreshing and purifying, sold at Crosthwaite's, Phone 90 38 7tdp.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady of Arkansas, have purchased the Mark Jordan home and moved Saturday.

Singer Sewing Machine Co. announces the removal to their new place of business, one door north of the Wright Furniture Co.—(Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harrington are the proud parents of a little daughter, who arrived Saturday afternoon.

Hemstitching and picot work done promptly and accurately done. Singer Sewing Machine Co., one door north of Wright Furniture Co.—(Adv.)

Gus Farrar is adding a bathroom also sleeping porch to his home at 104 Beall street.

When? March 24. Where? The Shell Building. Jolliest place in town. Come and be a clown.—(Adv.)

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Miss Lurline Altizer spent Friday here with home folks, returning to Abilene Saturday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Callie Altizer.

If you'd like to come and play. Drive your gloom and care away. And join in glee and mirth so hearty. Just be on hand at the Clown Party.—(Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bigham were in from the ranch Saturday, spending the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. T. O. SoRelle.

Mary Clovis Cox celebrated her 11th birthday Saturday by entertaining 20 little friends, aged from 4 to 6 years. St. Patrick's Day Shamrocks were given as favors. After many games and much merriment, all went into the dining room where cake and punch were served, the scheme being carried out in the decorations. Mary Clovis received many useful and pretty gifts.

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Miss Bettie Eldson has her hemstitching machine at 308 Locust street, first house north of the jail. Bring your work, I will treat you right.—(Adv.)—39 5c.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Withers went to Dallas Thursday. News reached here Sunday that Mrs. Withers underwent an operation Saturday and was resting nicely.

"Lax Pirin" will stop that headache and break that cold. Sold at Crosthwaite's, Phone 90. 38 7tdp.

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Miss Dorris Homer entertained her Sunday school class Friday afternoon. There was some very interesting Bible stories and talks, also games and music, then the little hostess, assisted by her mother, served hot chocolate and cake.

Hemstitching and picot work done promptly and accurately. Singer Sewing Machine Co., one door north of Wright Furniture Co.—(Adv.)

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist church will hold a pillow case sale, March 31, also serve sandwiches, cake, pie, coffee and tea. The proceeds will go to furnish the T. E. L. Class room in the new church. The place will be announced later.

CONTRACT IS LET. Abilene to Have New High School Building at Cost of \$175,000.

Special to The Reporter ABILENE, Texas, Mar. 19.—Contracts involving an expenditure of more than \$165,000 for the erection and equipment of a new high school were awarded three contractors by the city commission here. Construction will begin in the next two or three weeks.

The new building will be three stories in height and 195x72 feet. The structure is to be of re-inforced concrete.

CISCO IS "IT."

Special to The Reporter. CISCO, Mar. 19.—Believing that the locating board will locate the Texas "Tech" strictly on the merits of the location and establish the new school in the city offering the best land, building site, etc., and meeting the requirements as to climatic conditions and point of convenience for all the state, the local locating committee will deal strictly in facts in submitting Cisco's claim for the college, and in this claim will likely be supported by Eastland and a number of surrounding towns.

CATCH GERMANS.

Suspected of Being Guilty Assassination of French Sentry.

By The United Press DUSSELDORFF, Mar. 19.—The French today caught a German who is suspected of being the assassin of Private Schmidt, a private in the French Army of Occupation, who was shot in the dark at the Essen railway station Saturday.

If he is convicted by court martial, he will be executed immediately.

Three other Germans were captured near the station shortly after the sentry was killed and are being held. A fourth was shot while running away, and he died of his wounds.

WEST TEXAS NOTES.

Establishes Poultry Farm.—Mr. Raymond Stephenson has leased the Dozier place on the South side of town and will put in a poultry farm raising chickens and turkeys. He will do but little farming, mostly to raise feed for his poultry and his cows.—Paint Rock Herald.

A Real Snake Story.—Like Gartman, L. C. Clevenger, and H. C. Drapper raided a rattlesnake den near Robert Lee recently and captured forty-nine rattlesnakes. The snakes measured from two to four and a half feet in length, the largest having fifteen rattles. The men discovered the snakes in a den under a ledge of rock. Fish hooks were used, tied to the end of poles to pull the snakes out of their den, and after they had all been slaughtered they were strung on a pole and a picture of the snakes made.—Ballinger Ledger.

Comanche Gets School Aid: Comanche County's share of the \$3,000,000 appropriation recently made by the legislature and approved by the Governor for the relief of the public schools of the state, makes available an additional per capita fund of \$3.00 or a total of \$19,251 for this county. Of this amount the rural schools of the county receive \$11,371. The amount of state aid granted the county is \$11,630. Of this amount the rural schools receive \$10,780, making a total of additional funds for the rural schools \$22,153.—Comanche Enterprise.

Spring Bursting Out. Arch Bengo records that wet weather springs are bursting out on the foothills of his ranch and spring branches are

running. "Uncle" Sam DeLong says the old spring on his place that has been dry some time, has come to life and will furnish enough water to irrigate a garden four months.—Christoval Observer.

Brewster Rancher Sells Herds.—The Highland Hereford Cattle Breeders' Association sends out the following interesting bit of news of the success of Vernon McIntyre, Brewster County ranchman: Vernon McIntyre of Alpine, Texas, who has been feeding several hundred head of Hereford cows and calves near Wichita and at Melton, Kan., cleaned up his holdings on the Wichita cattle market February 19. The cow herd was sold last week and the sales the 19th were all good fed yearlings and calves. The former weighed 775 pounds, selling at \$6.85 and the calves averaged around 469 pounds, selling at \$7.50 a hundred weight. Mr. McIntyre has a big ranch in the Highland Hereford country of the Big Bend country. He has been selling a lot of calves each fall in sales held by the Highland Hereford Association. The calves here fed out this winter are the tail-end of his fall crop. The cows were the aged mother cows of his herd. He will replace them with high-grade year old heifers at an early date. "This feeding game is not exactly in my line," says Mr. McIntyre. "I tried this as an experiment and may be back on the market sometime again with another string of stuff. Selling our best calves at auction at various points over the corn belt states has been a very profitable way of disposing of our stock." The Highland Hereford Breeders' Association has won for itself conspicuous success in marketing feeder calves at auction sales in the corn belt. By bringing to Texas good registered Hereford bulls from some of the leading breeding plants of the corn belt, and by thus standardizing the calf crop, the Highland members have been able to market a produce which demands a premium from corn belt feeders.

"13" Unlucky for Bootleggers: Out of the sixteen arrests made the 13th day of June of last year, in a raid

on alleged bootleggers, six convictions have been secured and the remaining cases have been continued until the next term of district court. The case of the state vs. Dewey Case was tried Tuesday and verdict of two years in the penitentiary with suspended sentence given. In the case of Ed Williford, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty Wednesday assessing the punishment at three years in the penitentiary and recommending a suspended sentence and this recommendation was followed by the court.—Brownwood Bulletin.

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