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COURT HOUSE BOND ELECTION DECEMBER 27

PERSONAL ITEMS

S. E. Morris returned Sunday from a business trip to Wichita Falls.

M. D. and S. Montgomery, of Happy, were business visitors here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Green had visitors from Lorenzo last week.

Cloyd Johnson was visiting in Plainview last week.

The town defeated the school team at basketball last week.

Look! Listen! Every day is Bargain day at Smith & Smith Cash Grocery.

Contractor Jones is widening and claying the road south of town on the R. Q. Highway.

A. V. McCarty has started digging a basement preparatory to building a residence in the Warren addition.

L. C. Jones has staked out a site for a house and well in the Warren addition.

The telephone company is preparing to put in the switchboard in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoskins.

The home of Tom Bryson, which is being built in the Warren addition, is nearing completion.

County Clerk C. C. Mardis has been confined to his room for several days with a severe cold.

J. E. McInish and G. A. Castor, of Plainview, were in Muleshoe Wednesday.

M. D. Wilson left Muleshoe last week to take charge of the section at Roundup.

F. O. Roberts and Curley Turner, of Roswell, stopped in Muleshoe on November 8 on their way to Waco.

Domestic Art girls are very busy with preparations for the Christmas season.

County Judge R. J. Klump and Treasurer Howard Carlyle attended the Shriners' Ceremonial at Amarillo on Thursday.

Mrs. O. C. West, of Tolar, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Huffstetler, in the West Camp community.

Mrs. S. E. Morris has returned from an extended visit with friends and relatives in the eastern part of the state.

Several of the high school boys and girls are exceedingly fond of peanuts and as a result had a season ticket to remain indoors last week.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts and Walter, Jr., came in Friday from Okmulgee, Oklahoma, to visit Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Smith.

S. S. Forrest and W. R. Wilson, of Slaton, were in town Thursday. They purchased approximately 2,000 acres of land around Muleshoe this week.

C. R. Day and Mr. Frost, of Sweetwater, who purchased land in the Muleshoe district some months ago, were in town Thursday.

Hiram Bearden reports that he has a bunch of stray lambs at his farm north of Muleshoe and is anxious to get in touch with the owner.

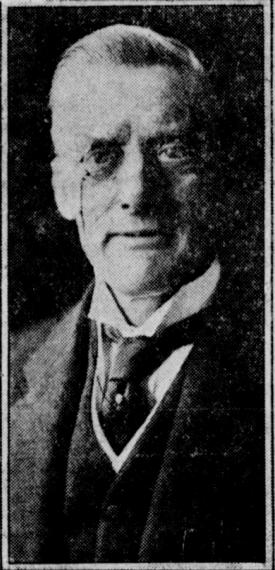
Among the newcomers from Anna, Texas, are Mr. and Mrs. McAnally, Mr. J. Shaw and family, Glen Brown, Perry Trout, Aubrey Mills and Joe Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. McManus, of Gannon, arrived in Muleshoe last week and will make their home here. Mr. McManus has taken the place of Mr. Nevans as section foreman.

Mr. Van Buskirk has received a letter from the president of the college at Clovis, New Mexico, saying that Miss Dovie Morris, Muleshoe girl, is doing good work as a junior in college.

Mr. Sam Welsh and family have recently moved into the county north of Muleshoe from Anna, Texas. Mr. Welsh bought several hundred acres of land here and expects to make this their home.

Mr. Oscar Williams and family came in from Baldwin, Miss., a few days ago. They are moving onto a farm about 15 miles north of Muleshoe and expect to make this their home. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are the parents of Mrs. B. H. Hall, who has been a resident of our community about one year.



Chamberlain To Be British Foreign Secretary.

London—Austin Chamberlain who is very likely to be named British Foreign Secretary in the new cabinet being formed by Stanley Baldwin. The choice of Chamberlain in place of Lord Curzon will prove a very popular one for he is generally liked.

HOLD COTTON FOR 30 CENTS.

AUSTIN, Texas.—"Hold your cotton until you get 30 cents," was the word sent to farmers recently by George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture.

All conditions, both of production and selling indicate 30 cents is the fair and proper price for this year's crop, he said. Anything less will mean a loss to producers, he explained, as it has cost 26 cents a pound to produce the crop.

"The recent government estimate of the total crop for this year is 12,816,000 bales," said Mr. Terrell. "Then granting that this estimate is correct, though it is probably 300,000 bales too high, it is still not a large crop and is only about the amount of cotton that will be consumed during the next 12 months."

WASHINGTON MOURNS HIM.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Harris managers of the Senators, realizes the loss to the team of Johnson, following the deal for the part ownership of the Oakland club. Harris said: "I can't smile much over losing a pitcher that won twenty-three games for us last year."

DEATH RIDES ON BLIZZARD.

BOSTON, Nov. 19.—The temperature dropping to zero with a high wind has brought death to two men, delayed ships and trains along the coast from Maine to Cape Cod. There was one death in Boston from exposure.

Mr. Chas. O. Caldwell went to Amarillo Saturday to meet his son who came in from Kansas.

NEW ROAD BEING RAPIDLY FINISHED

Contractor Jones has a full crew of laborers on State Highway No. 7, and is pushing the work as fast as possible and if weather conditions are favorable the work will be completed by January 1st. This is one of the most important projects of the Commissioners' Court during the year and they are to be congratulated in their effort to give Bailey County one of the best road systems in this section of the State.

New machinery has recently been purchased at a cost of about \$8,000, to be used in the south part of the county. This consists of a large tractor and grader and will be used in Precincts Nos. 3 and 4. The tractor and grader used in these two precincts are small and not sufficient to meet the demands of this part of the county. During the year 1925 Commissioners Elmore and Stegall will be kept busy building roads and opening up new roads in the new settlements, which are being organized in the southern part of the county.

WINTER GRIPS EASTERN STATES.

Many Vessels Are In Distress While Seaboard Cities Are Swept by Ice Blasts, a Driving Gale Accompanying Worst Cold of Season.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Leaving in its wake death and disaster, the great gale which for forty-eight hours held the Atlantic seaboard in an ice grip, appeared today to have swept out to sea.

Ten known dead, many missing, huge property losses to shipping and wholesale damage ashore was the toll in this section.

Today while life-saving agencies were mobilizing to search the seas for missing craft and missing men, the wind abated. Weather forecasters predicted milder temperatures, with possible rain or snow in adjacent districts. It was 20 degrees above zero in New York City before noon.

Tragic Tales Drifting In.

Tragic tales of the storm have begun to drift in to the news channels. A barge skipper died of exposure at the end of a rope which was hauling him from the water to safety aboard a U. S. revenue cutter.

A wealthy man dozed in his motor car in a garage and died there. A poor man froze to death in an Elizabeth tenement while his son was out looking for work.

Scores of fishermen and rum runners caught in the gale abandoned sinking small craft and were rescued by coast cutters or police tugs. A few arrests for liquor smuggling were recorded after such rescues.

Speed boats from the Brooklyn navy yard, police boats and revenue cutters are scouring the waters beyond Sandy Hook for the Frolic, a sloop which, with seven men aboard, put out for a Sunday outing and has not been heard from since.

Spain's first woman mayor has taken office at Cuayatre Tonedeta, in the district of Concentaina. She is Marie Perez, and her election is considered significant because Spain has no law giving suffrage to women.

NEW LAW FIRM IS ORGANIZED

J. D. Thomas, attorney from Fort Worth, Texas, has located in Muleshoe and has formed a partnership with Levi Pressly, county attorney. Mr. Thomas has been engaged in the practice of law for the past two years in Fort Worth, having been associated there with some of the leading firms of that city. Prior to his engaging in the practice of law he was a student in the law department of the University of Texas. Prior to that Mr. Thomas was engaged in educational work, having taught school in the public schools of the state. His acquaintance with Mr. Pressly dates back to the time when he and Mr. Pressly were boyhood friends and associates, at which time they attended a country school together. Mr. Pressly's law practice has increased to a considerable extent since he made his advent into the town of Muleshoe some fifteen months ago, which evidences the fact that the town of Muleshoe and the surrounding country is making rapid strides in the march of progress.

Mr. Pressly, having intimate knowledge of the ability of Mr. Thomas as a lawyer and of his other attainments in which is included his moral integrity, feels that in having the association of Mr. Thomas as his law partner, he has not only enhanced the efficiency of his ability to handle in the future all legal matters that might come under his supervision, but that the community at large will be benefited in adding to its citizenship that of Mr. Thomas, and he hopes that the community will soon learn to know him and count him as one of its chief assets. The firm name will be known as Pressly & Thomas.

JAIL WAS NO SURPRISE TO HER!

New York Woman Takes Lunch and Sewing to Court.

NEW YORK.—Miss Anna Baettger, 23, established three precedents in the traffic court here.

She was the first woman truck driver ever arraigned there.

She was the first woman to be sent to jail for a traffic violation in default of a fine.

She came to court carrying her lunch and a sewing bag in anticipation of a jail sentence.

Arraigned on a charge of driving without a license, a motor truck on which she conducted a near beer and soda water business, she was given the lowest fine—\$5—with the alternative of two days in prison.

Miss Baettger informed the court "business is bad" and she could not pay the fine.

"But, anyhow, your honor," she added, "I came prepared to go to jail. I have my lunch here and also some sewing."

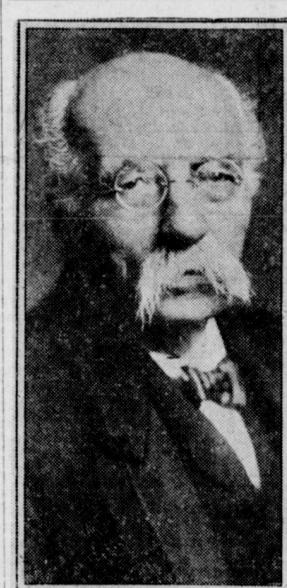
One of the issues of Uncle Sam's 20 cent air mail stamps got into circulation with an error, the airplane pictured flying up side down. Only 100 slipped by the inspectors, and while their real value is absolutely nothing collectors are paying as high as \$700 for them.

BONDS CONTRACTED AT PREMIUM. APPEAL TO PEOPLE TO SET ASIDE ANY FEELING THAT MAY STAND IN WAY OF ELECTION.

A petition signed by eighty of the property tax-paying voters, was presented to the Commissioners' Court Monday, calling for an election on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of building a court house in Bailey County. The petition calls for an issue of \$60,000. The election was ordered by the court for Saturday, December 27th. The bonds were also contracted at a premium and all the expenses in connection with the election and making up the transcript to the Attorney General

Reports from all parts of the county are that the bond issue will carry by a large majority as the people of the county see the necessity of a court house to keep up the rapid march of progress Bailey county is making at this time.

The question of taxation will be submitted to the voters of the county before the election by representatives from all over the county. The Journal is backing this as well as all other moves that are incident to the development of the county. This is not a selfish move and is not for the benefit of any particular section of the county. The court house belongs to every citizen in the county and every personal grudge or petty jealousy that might exist in one community against some other community should be forgotten and every voter get his shoulder to the wheel and pull together for the benefit of the county and its public buildings, regardless of their location.



President of International Peace Society.

Berlin—La Fontaine, Belgian Senator, who was elected President of the International Peace Society at Berne, Switzerland, at the 23rd annual World Peace Congress held recently.

TO USE STRIPE FOR AIR MAIL

U. S. Approves Red, White and Blue Design on Envelopes.

WASHINGTON.—A three-quarter-inch red, white and blue stripe, horizontally across the middle of the face of an envelope was approved today by the post office department as a distinctive sign for exclusive use of air mail. In approving the design the department announced such envelopes for mail not intended to be carried by airplane would not be permitted. The government will not furnish these envelopes but users of the air mail may have their envelopes printed with the stripe. Use of the design is expected, to facilitate the prompt handling of air mail.

HOBO TRIBE STEADILY GAINING.

CHICAGO.—Although a survey just completed shows an increase of 8 per cent in employment in five of the largest Middle Western States, Chicago's array of professional beggars is increasing.

Investigators say the hoboes are increasing, but the railroads are cutting down on the number traveling on the "roads." The Southern Pacific railway estimates that depredations by hoboes costs the system \$20,000,000 annually and other roads suffer in proportion. Notwithstanding activity by railroad and yard detectives, the number of 500,000 in 1907 to 1,700,000 to 2,000,000 now.

School students are unanimous for the Park.

YOUTH LOST LEG UNDER TRAIN WHEELS

THROWN BENEATH MOVING FREIGHT TRAIN AT TEXICO LAST SATURDAY. TRIED TO CATCH RIDE TO CLOVIS.

Clovis, New Mexico, November 21.—Amputation of his right leg just below the knee was necessary last Saturday after Levi K. Melton, 19, had been thrown beneath the wheels of a fast moving freight train on which the youth attempted to get a ride from Texico to this city. Twice, Melton said, he caught at the moving train but missed the hand hold. The third time he caught but the momentum of the train jerked him loose and he fell beneath the car wheels which passed over his right foot, crushing it and the ankle until amputation was necessary just below the knee. The accident occurred at 1:50 Saturday afternoon. He was rushed to the Baptist Hospital here by automobile. Melton is the son of G. C. Melton, a farmer living eight miles northeast of Texico. Melton said he was coming to Clovis on business matters and had been unable to get an automobile ride. The west bound freight attracted his attention and the accident followed. At the hospital today Melton was said to be resting nicely.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise birthday party was given for Miss Vera Jennings, at the home of Mrs. E. R. Hart, on Monday evening, November 10, when the following guests were present: Ruth Hardin, Lee Green, Della Doris Green, Addie Belle Fort, Dollie Lawrence, Irene Carles, Agnes Abney, Opal Johnson, Beth Mardis, Erick Moeller, Jimmie Cox, Bill Hart, Foy Hagler, Scott Robbins, Finis Jennings, Cecil Jennings, Dean Hinkson and Everett Hinkson. After enjoying music, the guests played games in the front yard. Refreshments of cake and cocoa were served. Several games followed the refreshment course, after which the guests departed homeward, wishing Miss Jennings many other happy birthdays.

LEE HIGHWAY MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY

A meeting of the Lee Highway Association in Bailey county was held at the court house Wednesday. Dr. Johnson, the president of the association, met a number of the citizens at the court house for the purpose of giving them information pertaining to the highway and to ask for the continued co-operation of the citizenship of this community, which has been previously enlisted. Dr. Johnson, a man of very pleasing personality and of ready address, in a very entertaining way told of how the Lee Highway was the greatest highway of the nation; how it began its journey in the capitol of the nation and continued on down through the states, wending its way through the scenery of the Alleghenies, and then on by the only diamond mine on the northern hemisphere, and then on through the greatest peach orchards of the world in the state of Arkansas, and then through the state of Texas, and while passing through Texas it was kind enough to pass through our own Bailey county and the town of Muleshoe, thus placing us on one of the greatest arteries of the nation. This great highway extends from

EDMONDS-ANDERSON.

Mr. Henry Edmonds, foreman of the Muleshoe Ranch, and Miss Irene Anderson, county treasurer-elect, were granted marriage license by Deputy County Clerk Miss Lipscomb Thursday and were married Thursday, Rev. G. R. Fort performing ceremony. Both the bride and groom have hosts of friends in Bailey county and surrounding country who wish for them a long and happy married life. They are at home at the Muleshoe Ranch.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Mary Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Snyder, of Hurley, was taken to Plainview Wednesday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is in the Plainview Sanitarium. Mrs. Snyder returned from Plainview Thursday and reports that she is doing nicely.

NEW BABY GIRL.

There arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Duke Thursday evening a young lady of regulation weight and as pretty as a pink. Mr. Duke is agent for the Santa Fe here.

The Womens Missionary Society of the Methodist church, met with Mrs. Shad Green, November 19. Plans for the bazaar to be held December 13th at the Valley Motor Co. garage were discussed, together with other efforts to raise money for the new Methodist parsonage which is to be built soon.

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THE NEW COURT HOUSE.

BAILEY COUNTY'S IMPERATIVE need at this time is the erection of a new court house. Bailey county was organized six years ago, at which time there were only seventy-five voters in the county, which is sufficient explanation of why we have a court house as it stands today. During these past six years there has been an influx of people into our county until there are now approximately two thousand people, and if we pause for just a moment, are readily advised of why this situation exists. What county in all this great state can boast of her rich, broad acres more than can our own Bailey County? Where once roamed the long-horn steer and later the white-faced Hereford is now the cultivation of a rich, virgin soil that yields and responds to the farmer with treasured crops. If the people of this county could but realize the vast opportunities that are theirs they would lose no time in their efforts to make the future secure. No one but the radical skeptic or the insane can close his eyes to the future possibilities of this county, when we are aware of the fact that we have for our own the richest of all soils, underneath which lies an inexhaustible supply of water.

Within a very few short months we must know that the stream of people will continue to flow into our county and our lands will be sold to hundreds of people which will give rise to necessity of making these transfers and writing them in our Deed Records to be preserved for posterity, and yet we have the appalling situation that the only archives that we have to possess and preserve these records is our little wooden, four-room court house that

we have at present. The court house is the Temple of Justice; it is the capitol of the county; in it are housed the executive, legislative and judicial officials of the county; it is the central seat where the administration of governmental affairs originates and radiates to all parts of the county. The court house is the prized possession of the people. It belongs to all and no single community of the county—however large it may be—can lay claim to its possession to the exclusion of any other community. The court house is the place where the humblest citizen can come and insist and demand the enforcements of his civil rights. Without the administration of justice, civilization can no longer endure, nor can society continue to exist.

Some wise man has said, "He who builds, let him build for the future." How strikingly true does this expression signify our situation as it exists today with reference to the erection of a new court house. Let every public-spirited citizen rise to the majesty of the occasion and join with his fellow citizen in a unified and concerted endeavor to build for Bailey County a court house to which he can in after years point with pride as a monument to the progressive spirit back in the year 1924 which gave it birth and existence. It matters not to the loyal citizen where the court house is located, but he is sensitive to the crying need that this county must have a court house ample and sufficient to administer the functions of her county government. The Journal has no hesitancy in boldly expressing itself as a zealous advocate of urging upon each and every citizen of this county to vote for the bond issue on the 27th day of December, when the people themselves will decide whether or not our county will be served by the court house that we now have or the court house of the future that the bond issue would give us.

The British bricklayer thinks that if he lays only half the number of bricks he formerly did, the bosses will have to hire his out-of-work friend to lay the other half. He thinks he is increasing the number of jobs and decreasing the rate of unemployment. What he really is doing is increasing unemployment by making bricklaying so costly that few can afford to build houses. Instead of making a job for his friend, he more than likely loses his own job through "slackness in the building trade." To withhold service is not the way to create or increase opportunity, but it is a pretty sure way to destroy it. England cries for workingmen's homes, but the false notion that less work makes more work holds up building. Natural law is more work done, more to do all round.—Henry Ford.

A Topeka Democrat relates that Mr. Coolidge once on a time visited Egypt. While wandering around the ancient wonders he paused in front of the Sphinx. The Sphinx said, "Hello," but Mr. Coolidge didn't say anything.

The coming session of the State Legislature would render a great service if, instead of passing 546 bills, it would repeal such a number of our useless and unfair laws.

"She is the sort of girl," remarked a friend to the Great Bend Tribune, "who writes to the newspapers and signs her letters 'Blue Eyes'."—Kansas City Star.

The glow of health in a lot of fair cheeks sometimes denotes that she is healthier on one side than on the other.—Detroit News.

SHUTTING OUT PURCHASERS.

During the last six months American exports to Canada fell off \$60,000,000. America had the goods to sell and Canada needed the goods, but the American tariff schedules made it impossible for Canada to exchange her products for those of the United States. While the balance of trade is still in favor of the United States, it is rapidly diminishing, and a very short time will be sufficient to wipe it out completely.

Capacity production is worth little to America without capacity consumption. Prosperity will not become the handmaid of American industry unless the products of our farms and factories find instant purchasers. That truth is fundamental. We may increase our output, speed up production fill our granaries and warehouses to the point of surfeit and yet remain bankrupt unless we are able to sell our surplus in the markets of the world.

Admitting that protective tariff rates stimulate production, increase wages and maintain approved standards of living, how long can production and wages and living standards be maintained if grain rots in the elevators for lack of a market and goods molder in warehouses for lack of purchasers? Capacity consumption is the vital concomitant of capacity production. Without both, business stagnates and prosperity dies.

That exports must be paid for with either gold or goods must not be forgotten. Much of the world's gold supply is already in the hands of America, and purchasing nations are forced to pay with their own products for goods purchased in the United States. If their products are kept off the American market by high tariff walls, they are simply unable to buy in the American markets and are forced to go elsewhere for their purchases.

Such has been the experience of Canada, who has ever been a good American customer and who, with sensible treatment, would become one of our best customers. But Canada cannot continue buying in a country whose laws prevent her paying her debts with the only means at her command. American laws are simply compelling Canadians to cancel American orders and place them overseas. And the experience of Canada, is the experience of scores of other nations.

A world-wide agricultural shortage has inflated agricultural values and enabled American farmers to realize handsomely on their agricultural abundance. But in manufacturing centers the dry rot produced by tariff isolation is beginning to appear disquietingly. On the Saturday following the mighty victory won by "business" and the business candidate for president, 5,000 laborers in the Amoskeag cotton mills at Manchester, N. H., were put on a four-day week schedule and 14,000 other textile workers in New England had their wages cut 10 per cent. In the meantime millions of people sorely need the products of the New England mills and would gladly buy them if their own wares were not practically excluded from the United States.

The Coolidge administration would never consent to a material tariff reduction, no more than it will summon LaFollette to the head of the Coolidge cabinet. But under the authority granted him to change tariff schedules at will the president might be able to formulate trade agreements with foreign nations that would open world markets for American goods. Such a program would be wise and beneficial for it would help obtain sufficient purchasers, without whom America can hardly prosper.—Oklahoman.

There have been no strikes and no coal shortages this year, and do you observe how greatly the price of coal has been reduced?—Columbia Record.

Eating off the tree of knowledge constrained Eve to put on clothes, but it is different with her daughters.—Columbia Record.

A cross-word puzzle is one of those things in the home that lead from one word to another.—Philadelphia North American.

The principal reason why there are so many fools in office is that there are so many out of office.—Columbia Record.

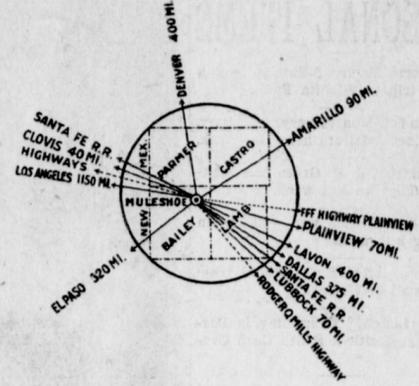
"Single women enjoy fiction more than married women." Perhaps the married ones hear too much of it.—Passaic News.

"Winter is coming," says an observant writer. It may be so, of course, but they said the same thing of the summer.—Punch.

Well Located Real Estate Is Safe Investment

Any real estate in and around Muleshoe is well located and must profit by the continued growth and prosperity which is characteristic of this town.

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One thing wrong with our homes is too many couples think a pair beats a full house.—Columbia Record.

John D. Jr., pays more income tax than the old man. That shows the advantage of a religious training.—The Portland Oregonian.

NOTICE.

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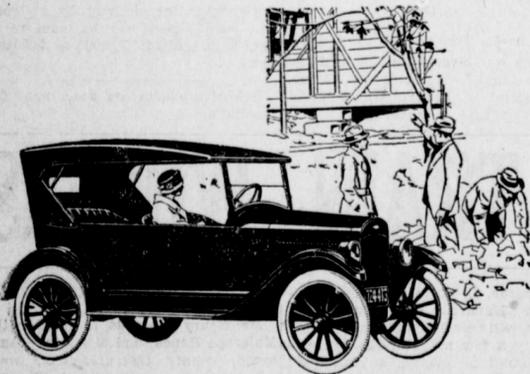
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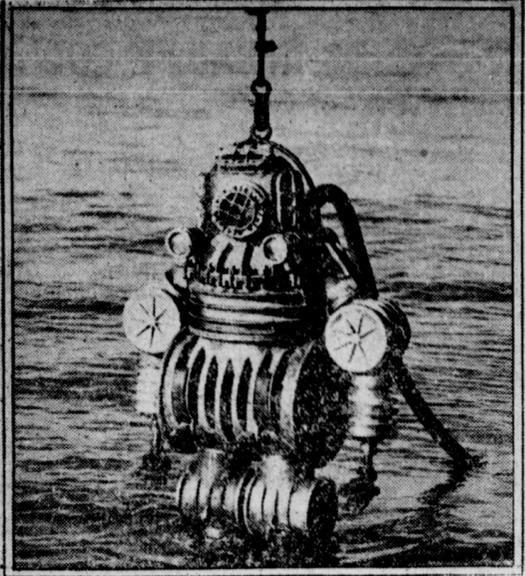
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FRESHMEN AVENGE A SHAVING.

Louisiana Students Cut Hair of High School Teachers.

BATON ROUGE, La.—Louisiana state university freshmen, whose heads were shaved by upper classmen, invaded the Baton Rouge high school and cut the hair of three teachers and several girl students.

The teachers who lost their locks were Miss Ruth Gladney, Cora Droz and Violet Keller.

The hair of the teachers and the girl students was not trimmed in such a manner as to make it ridiculous, but the scores of boys who fell into the hands of the invaders were given trims that necessitated visit to barber shops. All of their hair had to be clipped.

The freshmen invaded the school in the study hour and the boys and girls were dragged into the halls and school yard, many of the feminine victims in tears.

Instructed.

She was anxious to find out where her husband was, so she rang up a club to which he belonged.

"Is my husband there?" she asked the hall porter.

"No, madam."

"But I haven't even told you my name," said the astonished woman.

"That's all right, madam," said the discreet porter. "nobody's husband is ever here."—London Tit-Bits.

FOSTER'S WEATHER FORECAST

For The Journal.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The week following date of this bulletin is expected to bring very severe weather to most parts of Canada and the United States. Moisture will still be coming from the northern Pacific ocean and most precipitation from this storm wave will fall between latitudes 40 and 50 and west of longitude 90, on western and northwestern slopes of mountains and high ridges. This big storm wave holds some promise of moisture for that great dry area that includes Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, and is the most promising period that region has had for some time past; the thousands of miles that the moisture is having to travel before reaching this area, from the principal point of evaporation, would suggest that, for some time to come, sections five and nine and west half of six will have slight chance to receive sufficient moisture. Chance is the correct word for this situation in the section outlined above as well as that area east of the Appalachian Mountains that has been so dry, have only the chance of receiving moisture that has traveled from the far northwestern point without having been precipitated by one of the many high points enroute. Considerable relief is expected in south-central United States during the last week of December, as one of the minor evaporation areas moves up close enough that the severe storm wave of that week should be able to draw some moisture and mark it for Texas and the South. With the great North American drought only five months away, the present large areas of rainfall shortage are not encouraging to 1925 production.

December promises two very severe storm periods during the weeks centering on 9th and 23rd. Both these storm periods are expected to be accompanied by excessive precipitation north of latitude 40 and west of longitude 90 and will be followed by severe winter weather over the greater part of the continent. First half of December will average about normal temperatures and last half much below normal. Minor disturbances will cross continent during weeks centering on December 3, 16 and 27, but the force of December weather is expected to be concentrated into the storms of the 9th and 23rd.

Einstein-Eddington & Co. now have our earth and all heavenly bodies sick with a waste of life and according to their ideas, which could hardly be called theories, as even the authors concede that no proof or substantiating evidence can be obtained to further their claims, sometime in the far distant future all space will be empty; all matter will have wasted away. Eddington has another Alice in Wonderland idea to the effect that one teaspoonful of the composition of a certain star in the Sirius group would weigh 391 pounds. If England is as dry as the U. S. is supposed to be, I wonder how they get that way? The newspapers endeavor to fill their many pages with items that will interest the greatest number of readers and the space given these two writers is evidence of the demand for their product. But think of the good that would have resulted had the thoughts of these men turned to constructive instead of destructive ideas and occupied the same space. Our Universe was started and builded, is operating and building according to laws that are constructive. It will take a greater force than Einstein or an Eddington to overcome that well founded and long supported basic law "The indestructibility of matter."

Novelty.

He—"I have an idea."
She—"Be good to it. It's in strange company."—Burr.

W. F. MOORE'S PUBLIC SALE

Three Miles North, Three-Quarters West of Muleshoe, Texas.
COMMENCING AT 10:00 O'CLOCK.

Wednesday, December 3rd

Lunch at Noon by Woman's Missionary Society.

Horses and Mules.

- 1—Span black mare mules, 7 years old.
- 1—Span 6-year-old mules, weight 1,000 pounds.
- 1—3-year-old mule, 16 hands.
- 1—Span smooth mules, weight 1100 lbs.
- 1—Span 9-year-old mares, weight 1,100 pounds.
- 1—Smooth mouth black mare, weight 1,200 pounds.
- 1—4-year-old mare, weight 1,000 lbs.
- 1—Bay, 9-year-old mare, weight 900 pounds.
- 1—Smooth mouth brown mare, weight 1,000 pounds.
- 1—Sorrel mule, weight 1,000 pounds.
- 1—Fine Jack.
- 1—Black Percheron stallion, weight 1,600 pounds.

Cows.

- 4—Milk cows.
- 2—Good heifers.

Implements.

- 3—Farm wagons.
 - 1—One-row P. & O. lister.
 - 1—Two-row Emerson lister.
 - 1—Two-row John Deere cultivator.
 - 1—P. & O. two-row cultivator.
 - 1—Two-section harrow.
 - 1—McCormick row binder.
 - 5—Sets harness.
 - 10—Collars.
 - 1—Small blacksmith's forge.
- Other things too numerous to mention.

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ECONOMY PRICES.

ELEVEN NEW SHIPS HAVE BEEN SCRAPPED BY U. S.

WASHINGTON.—The United States has scrapped 11 new capital ships aggregating nearly half a million tons, it was learned recently from figures compiled by naval experts showing the status of the principal naval powers at present under the working of the limitation of armament treaties.

The tables show no new ships scrapped by Great Britain and two by Japan. They are especially interesting, owing to the agitation created by the efforts to have the navy restrained by court order from sinking the Washington under the present plans.

According to the figures, the United States is credited with 525,850 tons in capital ships retained under the treaty, Great Britain 558,950 tons, including two super Hood types, expected to be completed early in 1926, and Japan with 301,320 tons.

Besides new ships, the United States has scrapped 17 old ships totaling 268,770 tons, Great Britain 24 old ones aggregating 500,000 tons, and Japan 10, comprising 163,312 tons.

The United States has in commission today 18 capital ships, including 17 active and one in reserve; Great Britain 17 active and four in reserve,

and Japan nine active and one in reserve.

ANOTHER MINT!

Chicago.—An old silver mine has been found on William Wrigley's famous Catalina island off the California coast, and already ten car loads of ore realizing \$6,500 to each car load have been shipped to San Francisco, Wrigley said recently.

There will be no gold rush across the country as in 1849, however, as Wrigley owns all of the island, including mineral rights.

Wrigley said he is going to develop it, not for the profits but to develop the natural resources. The mine has probably been lost for over sixty years he added.

TEXAS BANKS ARE IN GOOD CONDITION

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 18.—The 942 state banks in Texas have deposits of over \$302,000,000, an increase of \$50,000,000 over last June, according to the statement of J. L. Chapman, bank commissioner, issued today. The general condition of banks is very satisfactory the statement said

TWO CROPS FROM APPLE TREE.

Agricultural Experts Investigate Springfield, Mo., Freak.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—M. N. Cook, an official at the post office here, has an apple tree growing in his back yard and has harvested two crops of apples this year. The apples are of the Yellow Transparent variety and the first crop was gathered in July. Two weeks later the tree appeared in full bloom and now the second crop is ready. Professors of agriculture at the two colleges here are investigating this freak.

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LISTS OF LANDS AND LOTS DELINQUENT ON MARCH 31, 1923, FOR THE TAXES OF 1923, IN BAILEY COUNTY.

REPORTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER FIFTEEN, REVISED STATUTES OF 1911

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bailey

I, H. A. Douglass, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed on the following five pages and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1923, are delinquent for the taxes of 1923, and that there was no personal property for "seizure and sale" as required by Article 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herein reported delinquent. H. A. DOUGLASS, Tax Collector.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bailey.

In the Commissioners Court:

WE CERTIFY that we have examined the following five pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Bailey County, for the year 1923, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1923, and find the same correct, and that H. A. Douglass, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon, as follows, to-wit:

Given in open court this the 14th day of July, A. D. 1924.

County Commissioners of Said County.

R. J. KLUMP, County Judge.
Wm. S. F. MATTHIESEN, Pre. No. 1,
D. C. STOVALL, Precinct No. 2,
C. E. DOTSON, Precinct No. 3
W. C. C. ELMORE, Precinct No. 4.

(SEAL) ATTEST: C. C. MARDIS, County Clerk.

State Revenue Tax	-----	\$1,468.96
State School Tax	-----	1,468.97
State Pension Tax	-----	210.28
State Poll Tax	-----	4.50
Total State Taxes	-----	\$3,152.71
County Ad Valorem Tax	-----	1,049.11
County Special Tax	-----	1,049.15
County Poll Tax	-----	.25
County Road Tax	-----	619.05
County School Tax	-----	3,366.02
Total County Taxes	-----	\$6,083.58

REPORT OF LANDS AND TOWN LOTS ASSESSED ON THE TAX ROLLS OF BAILEY CO., TEX., FOR YEAR 1923.
WHICH ARE DELINQUENT FOR TAXES FOR 1923, RETURNED BY H. A. DOUGLASS, TAX COLLECTOR.

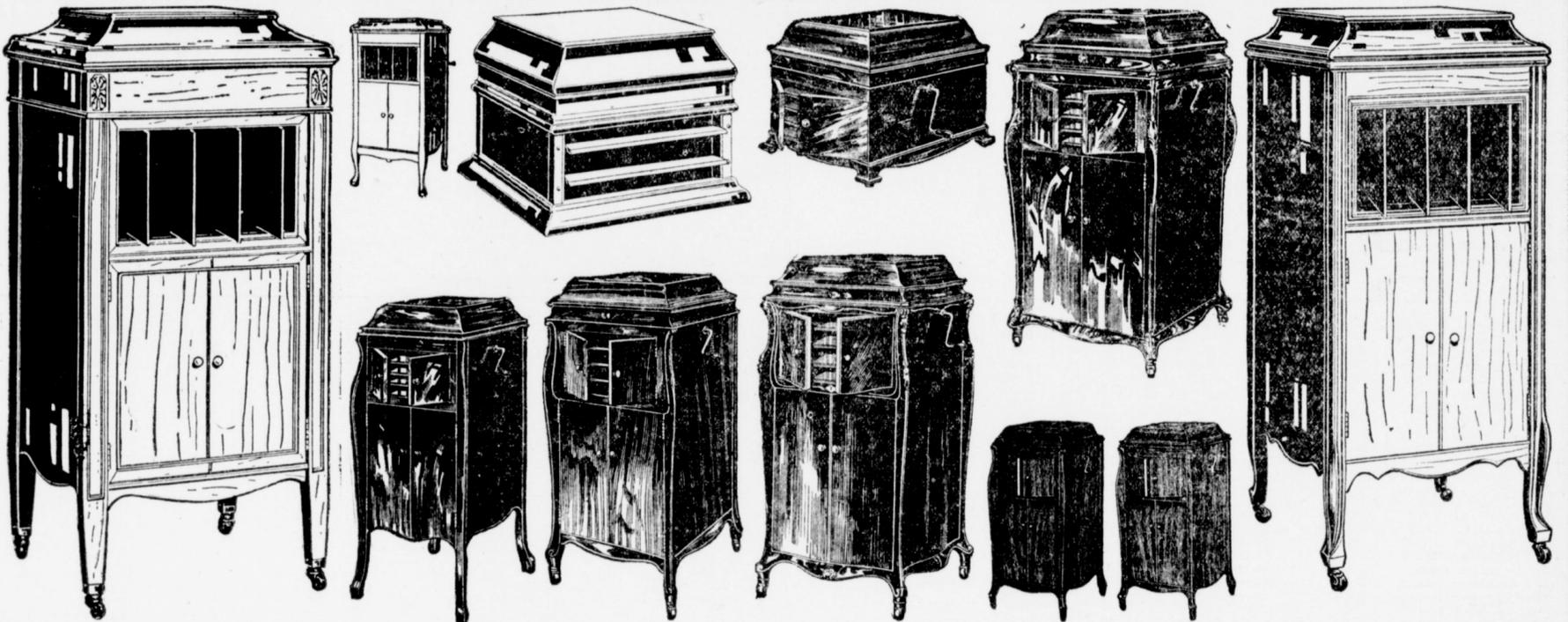
Roll Page Line	NAME OF OWNER Place on Roll	No. Abstract	No. Cert. No.	No. Sr. No.	LAND ORIGINAL GRANTEE		TOWN OR CITY LOTS CITY OR TOWN	STATE TAXES			COUNTY TAXES				RECORD OF REDEMPTION									
					No. Acres Ass'd.	No. Acres Del'qt.		Revenue	School	Pension	Poll	Penalty	Ad Valorem	Special	Poll	No. District	District School	No. District	Road	Penalty	Total Taxes			
B 124	Hi. Bearden	295		601	Abner Taylor	160	160	S. W. 1/4 of	50 Y	5.77	5.77	83			1.23	4.12	4.12			8.25		1.90	31.99	Paid
B 124	Hi. Bearden	279		585	Abner Taylor	42.2	42.2																	
B 124	Hi. Bearden	279		585	Abner Taylor	40.2	40.2																	
B 124	Hi. Bearden	280		586	Abner Taylor	257.3	257.3	South 1/2 of	68 Y	16.55	16.56	2.37			3.55	11.83	11.83			3	47.80		7.10	117.08
B 128	S. C. Beavers	286		592	Abner Taylor	507	507																	
B 128	S. C. Beavers	289		595	Abner Taylor	133	133	All of	51 Z	21.70	21.70	3.10			4.65	15.50	15.50			4	62.00		9.30	153.45
B 133	Joshua Blocker	294		600	Abner Taylor	80	80	N. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4	30 Y	2.97	2.98	.43			64	2.12	2.13			6	4.25		.85	16.37
B 134	Joshua Blocker	291		597	Abner Taylor	153	153	N. E. 1/4 of	20 X	4.30	4.29	.60			92	3.06	3.06			1	12.24		1.84	30.31
B 212	J. C. Burrah	290		596	Abner Taylor	57.9	57.9																	
B 212	J. C. Burrah	285		591	Abner Taylor	53.3	53.3																	
B 212	J. C. Burrah	289		595	Abner Taylor	21.2	21.2																	
B 212	J. C. Burrah	286		592	Abner Taylor	27.6	27.6	South E. 1/4 of	46 Z															
B 212	J. C. Burrah	285		591	Abner Taylor	111.2	111.2																	
B 212	J. C. Burrah	286		592	Abner Taylor	48.8	48.8	N. E. 1/4 of	46 Z	8.96	8.96	1.28			1.92	6.40	6.40			4	25.60		3.84	63.36
B 215	Mrs. Mollie Buzard	281		587	Abner Taylor	320	320	South 1/2 of	45 Y	12.08	12.07	1.73			2.59	8.63	8.62			6	17.25		3.45	66.42
B 245	G. W. Damron	350		201	Roberts County	354	354	Labors 13 and 14		11.21	11.21	1.60			2.40	8.00	8.01			2	16.01	10.89	4.29	73.62
B 311	J. H. Dean	292		598	Abner Taylor	100.1	100.1	Labors 3, 4 and 5		16.20	16.20	2.31			3.47	11.57	11.57			2	23.14	15.74	6.25	106.40
B 311	J. H. Dean	292		598	Abner Taylor	265	265	Labors 23 and W. 1/2	22	6.38	6.34	.91			1.36	4.52	4.53			2	9.05		1.81	34.85
B 311	J. H. Dean	302		627	Abner Taylor	59.9	59.9	N. W. 1/4	11 Z															
B 311	J. H. Dean	303		627	Abner Taylor	160	160	S. W. 1/4	11 Z	11.31	11.31	1.61			2.42	8.07	8.08			1	32.30		4.84	79.94
B 321	W. C. C. Elmore	349		200	Roberts County	177.1	177.1	Labor No. 21		23.10	23.10	3.30			4.95	16.53	16.52			2	33.05	22.47	8.80	151.88
B 335	C. R. Farrell	296		602	Abner Taylor	111.3	111.3	Labors 1, 10, 11																
B 335	C. R. Farrell	298		628	Abner Taylor	49.7	49.7	N. W. 1/4	48	5.65	5.65	.80			1.21	4.00	4.00			3	16.00		2.40	39.71
B 422	H. W. Henckson	171		89	Blum & Blum	320	320	South 1/2 of	89 B	2.45	2.45	.35			53	1.75	1.75			5	7.00	3.38	1.29	19.95
B 511	Mrs. E. Y. Johnson	291		587	Abner Taylor	320	320	North 1/2 of	12 Z	9.17	9.17	1.31	1.50		2.11	6.55	6.55			8	26.20		3.95	66.76
B 512	G. H. Johnson	291		597	Abner Taylor	160	160	N. E. 1/4 of	21 Z	5.02	5.02	.71			1.08	3.58	3.59			1	14.34		2.15	35.49
B 512	G. H. Johnson	291		597	Abner Taylor	150	150	South part of	91 Y	7.82	7.82	1.12			1.68	5.56	5.57			3	22.35		3.35	55.29
B 541	Sam and Ed Lane	296		602	Abner Taylor	80	80	W 1/2 of S. W. 1/4	34 W	4.95	4.95	.72			1.06	3.54	3.54			3	14.16		2.12	35.04
B 611	C. E. & W. W. Locke	296		602	Abner Taylor	80	80	E. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4 of	33 W	4.75	4.75	.67			1.01	3.33	3.33			3	13.59		2.04	33.58
B 616	L. L. Lowery	298		623	Abner Taylor	80	80	West 1/2 of N. W. 1/4	49 W	4.54	4.54	.64			98	3.24	3.25			3	12.97		1.95	32.11
B 73	J. K. Milan	350		201	Roberts County	354	354	Labors 6 and 7		20.46	20.46	2.94			4.39	14.62	14.62			2	29.24	19.88	7.84	134.45
B 732	Alex & Birdie Paul	286		592	Abner Taylor	211.9	211.9	Labors 4 and 5																
B 738	Alex & Birdie Paul	286		595	Abner Taylor	107.1	107.1	South 1/2 of	62 Z	10.42	10.42	1.49			2.25	7.44	7.44			4	29.76		4.46	73.66
B 83	F. G. Rice and Wife	298		623	Abner Taylor	80	80	N. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4	48 W	5.44	5.44	.79			1.17	3.88	3.89			3	15.55		2.33	38.49
B 84	O. N. Robinson	298		623	Abner Taylor	160	160	North part of	81 Y	8.42	8.42	1.20			1.80	6.01	6.02			3	24.03		3.00	59.50
B 86	Will Robinson	286		592	Abner Taylor	320	320	E. 1/2 of	61 Z	9.75	9.75	1.39			2.09	6.97	6.96			4	27.85		4.18	68.94
B 820	D. K. Smith Est.	297		603	Abner Taylor	145.9	145.9	N. E. 1/4 of	34 W															
B 820	D. K. Smith Est.	297		603	Abner Taylor	143.6	143.6	S. E. 1/4 of	34 W	15.39	15.39	2.19				10.79	10.79			3	43.96		6.59	108.40
TOTALS--										264.03	264.04	37.74	1.50	56.74	188.35	188.38	25	614.10	71.36	106.53	1793.02			

B 821	M. P. Smith	292		206	Ochiltree County	2749	2749			38.49	38.49	5.49			6.25	27.49	27.49			3	109.96	37.39	20.23	313.28	Paid
B 841	John Tucker	292		598	Abner Taylor	160	160	N. W. 1/4	12 X																
B 841	John Tucker	292		598	Abner Taylor	240	240	Part of S. W. 1/4	12 X																
B 841	John Tucker	292		598	Abner Taylor	160	160	S. E. 1/4 of	12 X	23.00	23.00	3.36			4.95	16.45	16.45			50	1	65.81		9.87	162.89
B 843	Virgle Webb & wife	358		186	Swisher County	88	88	West 1/2 of Labor	15	2.92	2.92	.42	3.00		93	2.09	2.08			50	8	8.34	2.84	1.54	27.08
B 96	B. Waller and wife	289		595	Abner Taylor	45	45																		
B 96	B. Waller and wife	290		596	Abner Taylor	91	91																		
B 96	B. Waller and wife	304		629	Abner Taylor	18.8	18.8																		
B 96	B. Waller and wife	305		630	Abner Taylor	5.2	5.2																		
B 96	B. Waller and wife	289		289	Abner Taylor	136	136																		
B 96	B. Waller and wife	305		630	Abner Taylor	25	25	North 1/2 of	43 Z	10.07	10.07	1.46			2.16	7.20	7.20			4	28.80		4.32	71.28	
B 928	L. L. Wallsandt	282		588	Abner Taylor	17.8	17.8																		
B 928	L. L. Wallsandt	283		589	Abner Taylor	201.8	201.8	N. 1/2	18 X	13.37	13.37	1.90			2.86	9									



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Men's Handkerchiefs, nice quality, regular 10c value, 4c.	Men's heavy flannel shirts, extra well made, 98c.	Heavy wool mix socks, extra good value, 29c.	Men's Heavy Union Suits. Sure to please you, \$1.29	Men's Wool mix union suits Extra Heavy, \$1.69
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NEW WINTER GOODS ARRIVING EVERY DAY!

Children's school hose, extra special value, black only, 9c pair.	Ladies' Union suits, Vassar brand, long sleeves, ankle length, 98c.	Children's Union Suits, heavy fleece, also heavy ribbed, 89c.	Children's Tape union suits, winter weight, sizes 8 and 9, 79c.
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BE SURE TO SEE THESE BARGAINS—WE ARE SURE IT WILL PAY YOU!

Boys' Suits, with two pair pants, \$5.69.	Boys' school pants, good grade, 89c.	Men's heavy Moleskin pants extra well made, \$2.19.	Sewing Thread, all numbers, 4c a spool.	Men's Khaki Shirts, 59c
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WE HAVE MANY BARGAINS NOT LISTED IN THIS AD!

Men's solid leather dress shoes, very latest styles, \$3.49 and \$3.95.	Boy's solid leather shoes, each pair have rubber heels, sizes 11 to 2, \$2.25.	Children's solid leather shoes well made, \$1.49 and \$1.69	Ladies' Oxfords, all leather, black and also brown kid, very popular, \$2.95
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London Holdup Men Use Motor Cars and Bicycles to Get Away.

LONDON—Motor car bandits, motor cycle and bicycle bandits are applying the most approved American holdup methods and have instituted a reign of terror throughout London with a series of most daring robberies. The new type of crime is increasing at an alarming rate, with the vehicular highwaymen baffling Scotland Yard and often boldly staging big thefts in broad daylight. The victims generally are cashiers, bank messengers or paymasters, but a special campaign is being directed against women's purses.

DR. BUTTE NOT TO CONTEST MRS. FERGUSON'S ELECTION

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 21.—The election of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, Democrat, as governor of Texas at the November 4 election, will not be contested. This announcement was made here today after a two day conference at state Republican headquarters. "Despite many irregularities in the recent gubernatorial election," said a statement signed by R. R. Craeger, Republican National Committeeman from Texas, and other party leaders, "we agree with Dr. George C. Butte, the Republican nominee, that in the light of our present knowledge of the facts, a contest would be unwise."

SHORT STORIES -and- Interesting Facts

There are still 806,000 war veterans on the unemployment list in England.

The first grain drill was invented 70 years ago by a man named Harcourt, living near Rushville, Indiana.

It has been estimated that it costs the American people \$30,000,000 or at the rate of 80 cents a vote to conduct a national election.

The largest American educational institution in the Near East is the American University of Beirut, Syria.

Tucson, Arizona, is the only walled city in America. The walls, which at one time encircled the entire city, is in ruins at this time.

The United States adopted the eagle as her national emblem in 1783. It is also the ensign of Germany and Russia.

Three times as much snuff was sold last year in New York City as in 1897, which may indicate that snuff-taking will again become popular.

During his lifetime, John Wesley preached 27,000 sermons. Canon Hay Titken, England's greatest revivalist, who hopes to surpass that record, has preached 22,000 sermons.

Letters of George Washington, captured by the British General Clinton and held for generations by his family, are to be auctioned off in London soon.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Bailey County, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in your (Bailey) County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to summon Jessie Coldren, whose residence is unknown, and the heirs of Stevens A. Coldren, deceased, whose names are unknown, to be and appear before the District Court of Bailey County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse of said county, in the town of Muleshoe, on the 5th Monday in December, 1924, being December 29th, 1924, then and there to answer the petition of E. K. Warren and Son, a private Corporation, as plaintiff, filed in said Court on the 14th day of October, 1924, in Cause No. 81, styled E. K. Warren & Son, a Corporation, vs. Benjamin F. Smith, et al, wherein E. K. Warren & Son, a private corporation, is plaintiff, and Benjamin F. Smith and his wife, Dora Smith, Jessie Coldren and the unknown heirs of Stevens A. Coldren, deceased, are defendants, in which suit, a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action is as follows:

Plaintiff sues on a certain promissory note dated April 14th, 1915, for the principal sum of \$3,000.00 executed by defendants Benjamin F. Smith and Dora Smith, payable to Edward K. Warren or his order, on or before April 14, 1922, bearing 6 per cent per annum interest from date thereof, and stipulating for 5 per cent attorney's fees, designated as Class "A" Note No. 1, said note being alleged to be past due and unpaid except that the interest thereon has been paid to April 14, 1921, and said note having been placed in the hands of plaintiff's attorneys for suit and collection.

Plaintiff alleges that said note was executed as a purchase money note, in part payment for certain lands situated in Bailey County, Texas, described as the Northwest quarter (N. W. ¼) of Survey Number Forty Seven (Sur. 47) Edward K. Warren Subdivision, Number One, Block "W" in Castro, Lamb, Bailey and Parmer Counties, Texas, conveyed by said Edward K. Warren to the makers of said note by deed of even date with said note, recorded in the deed records of Bailey County, Texas, which said deed recites the execution of said note as evidencing part of said purchase price; and that to secure payment of said note, the makers thereof at the time of executing said note, executed their certain mortgage and deed of trust in favor of said Edward K. Warren, hypothecating said lands, and authorizing the holder of said notes to pay delinquent taxes on said land and add the amount thereof to said debt as evidenced by said note, and secured by said deed of trust, under which provision plaintiff, as the holder of said note on or about July 28, 1924, paid past due and delinquent taxes on said lands in the sum of \$149.68, for which plaintiff also sues.

Plaintiff alleges its ownership of said note and said vendor's, contract and deed of trust lien, and sues the defendants, Benjamin F. Smith and Dora Smith for the amount of principal thereof, \$3000.00 interest, thereon from April 14, 1921, at 6 per cent, for the amount of taxes paid by plaintiff, to-wit, \$149.68 with interest thereon from July 28, 1924, at 6 per cent per annum. Five per cent additional upon said principal debt and interest as attorney's fees and all costs of suit.

Plaintiff also sues Jessie Coldren, as surviving wife of Stevens A. Coldren, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Stevens A. Coldren, as the owners or claimants of some right, title and interest in said lands alleged by plaintiff to be inferior, junior and secondary to plaintiff's liens, right, title and interest therein, and prays for judgment against all of said defendants for a foreclosure of plaintiff's said liens, for order of sale, writ of possession and general relief.
Herein fall not, but have you then and there before said Court, this writ

with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness C. C. Mardis, Clerk of the District Court of Bailey County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at Muleshoe, Texas, this 14th day of October, 1924.

(SEAL) C. C. MARDIS,
Clerk of the District Court of Bailey County, Texas.

ENDORSED:
Issued this the 14th day of October, 1924.
C. C. MARDIS,
County Clerk.

Seaweed has a variety of uses. Green dye is obtained from the weed found on the Welsh coast and a Japanese seaweed provides a fibre which can be spun and woven like cotton. Packing is made from the weed in Sweden.

RAILROADS SET RECORD.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The railroads have so far this year established a new record for transportation of freight cars without a car shortage or congestion, the car service division of the American Railway Association has declared 1,320,211 cars, laden and empty, moved one day last month for a new record.

510 DEAD IN A QUAKE.

BATAVIA, Java, Nov. 19.—The number of persons killed in last Wednesday's earthquake is now officially estimated at 510. A dozen villages were destroyed. The earth is still trembling.

The Rock of Gibraltar, commonly called the "Watchdog of the Mediterranean," is about 1,437 feet high.

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COLUMBUS HAD A TIP

Voyager's Kinsmen Assert Only King and Queen Knew His Secret When Expedition Set Out for New World.

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 20.—Christopher Columbus did not discover America.

So says the Duke of Alba, who, perhaps better than anyone else alive today, ought to know. For the Duke of Alba is the eighteenth direct descendant of Columbus himself.

When the Duke of Alba recently crossed Canada he was accompanied by Chief Buffalo Child Long Lance, a

full blooded Indian chief of the Blood tribe from far away Alberta.

Told Chief the Story.

It was to Chief Buffalo Child Long Lance that the Duke of Alba made his revelation about the false fame he says attaches to the name of his distinguished ancestor. The chief tells about it in the following language:

"One night, following a dinner on board the Duke of Alba's diner, in which he had bombarded me with his usual barrage of questions on Western Canada, I said to him:

"Now, I want to ask you some questions."

"All right, go ahead," he said.

"Well, I want to know something about Columbus. You have all of his personal records, and you must have something about him that no other person has."

"The only fact that I have that is not included in the school histories," he said, "is the fact that Columbus did not discover America. I am including this in my latest historical work."

Strange Malady Struck Ship.

"Columbus," he continued, "was a poor, happy-go-lucky chap, with not the least idea of becoming an explorer until he struck upon that idea by the merest accident. At the age of 40 he was living among the poor in the town of Funchar, when one day, while walking along the beach he saw a wrecked caravel floating in from the sea not far from the shore. He went out to it and found a dying man lying on deck. After procuring food and fresh water from Funchar, Columbus returned to the caravel and made very strenuous efforts to revive the man, but he recovered only sufficient to say that he had been a captain of a

crew of sixteen who had gone out to sea on that caravel many months before. On the return journey some strange malady had struck them and they had all died except himself.

"The man said: 'We were returning with a great secret. But it is of no use to me now; I am dying. So I will tell it to you. We found another land with strange people on it far across this sea. I tell you this because you have been nice to me.'

He Kept His Secret Well.

"Columbus returned to Funchar and said nothing of what he had heard. He went straight to the queen of Castile and the king of Aragon—who later married and caused the unification of Spain—and asked for a commission to raise a body of men for a foreign expedition. Only to the king and the queen did he divulge what the dying captain had told him. And he further asked them for financial assistance. The king of Aragon made him a substantial grant, as did Martin Pinthon, a wealthy Spaniard, after whom Columbus named one of his ships, "La Pinta."

"Following his discovery of America, it is discovered it could be called, Columbus never became wealthy nor titled. He died fourteen years later—in 1506—a man of 55 years and of moderate circumstances. No one ever knew much about him; all he ever said of himself when questioned was: 'I am a wanderer; born in Genoa, Italy.' It is generally believed, however, that he was a Jew.

Wrong Body Sent to Spain?

"Columbus' body, together with that of his son, lay buried nearly four centuries in front of the post office at Havana, Cuba. When Spain's trouble was foreshadowed, they were taken up and removed to Porto Rico. Later on Columbus' body was again taken up and transported to Spain. But it has now been discovered almost beyond doubt that the wrong body was taken up, and that the one in Spain is that of Columbus' son, his own body still being in Porto Rico—on American soil. Sometime, perhaps, this matter may be cleared up."

AND SO THEY CALLED HER ARMISTICE.

DURANT, Okla.—And so they named her "Armistice!" It was Tuesday last; the time in general, and Durant in particular was celebrating that memorable day six years ago when the world war came to an end. A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Valles, living near here. It's possible that the mother had decided upon Marigold—or perhaps Jack—but it was Armistice Day, and everything—and well, they named her "Armistice."

The man who claims to understand women always arouses in them the desire to put one over on him.—Don Marquis in the New York Herald Tribune.

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Muleshoe, Texas.

ELECTION NOTICE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bailey.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 17th day of November, 1924, the Commissioners' Court of Bailey County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the Court House at Muleshoe, Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

R. J. Klump, County Judge.
Wm. S. F. Matthesen, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
D. C. Stovall, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
C. E. Dotson, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
W. C. C. Elmore, Commissioner Precinct No. 4,

being present, and passed the following order:

It was moved by Commissioner D. C. Stovall, and seconded by Commissioner C. E. Dotson, that there be submitted to the qualified voters of said County who are property taxpayers therein, the proposition for the issuance of the bonds of said County in the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) for the purpose of the erection of a Court House in said County, the election to be held on the 27th day of December, 1924; the motion carried by an unanimous vote, all Commissioners voting "Aye," whereupon R. J. Klump, County Judge, presiding, declared said motion duly carried.

Thereupon, the following Election Order was adopted:

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners' Court of Bailey County, Texas, deem it advisable to issue bonds of the said County for the purpose herein-after mentioned:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT of said County that an election be held on the 27th day of December, 1924, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the Commissioners' Court of the County of Bailey, State of Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the said County in the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) bearing interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, and maturing serially or otherwise within forty years from their date, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of the erection of a Court House in said county, as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of Texas, 1911, and amendments thereto, including Chapter 23, of the Acts of the First Called Session of the 37th Legislature of the State of Texas.

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At Muleshoe School House, in Voting Precinct No. One, with E. R. Hart and K. K. Smith as presiding officers.

At Hurley School House, in voting Precinct Number Two, with Wm. Coventry as presiding officer.

At West Camp School House in Voting Precinct Number Three, with D. W. Danielson as presiding officer.

At Circle Back School House in Voting Precinct Number Four, with J. A. Baker and H. G. Harvey as presiding officers.

At "Figure Two" school house in voting Precinct No. Five, with T. G. Gaddy as presiding officer.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of Texas, 1911, and all amendments thereto, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said County shall be allowed to vote.

All voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS."

And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS"

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said County and certified by the County Clerk of said County shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The County is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said County, and which notice shall be published once each week for five weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of the election.

R. J. KLUMP,
County Judge.
Wm. S. F. MATTHESEN,
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
D. C. STOVALL,
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
C. E. DOTSON,
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