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LUBBOCK GETS A VERY FINE RAIN

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRINGS A GOOD SEASON TO PORTIONS OF THE SOUTH PLAINS

COMES IN TIME TO SAVE MANY CROPS ON PLAINS

Though the Precipitation was not General it Covered Territory Where the Rain was Most Needed. Indications Good for More.

The much needed rain came Tuesday afternoon, and it was a real good one. For several days previous there to the indications had been good for a good rain and developed into a fine precipitation Tuesday afternoon and it seemed to have covered the territory that has been suffering for moisture some time. For several miles all around a fine rain fell and it came in time to be of great benefit to the growing crops which were beginning to need moisture to keep them up. The range conditions too, will be improved, which was becoming quite serious with a number of ranchmen, so much so that a number of herds were being moved to better range and more would have been taken

COLONEL WYNNE DIES

Was Superintendent of Confederate Home And Well Known Over State

Austin, Tex., July 15.—Col. R. M. Wynne, superintendent of the Confederate Home, died this afternoon at 5:10 o'clock, after an illness extending over several weeks. No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

While this death did not come as a surprise, it was none the less saddening. Col. Wynne, for years has been one of the more prominent Confederate veterans in the state. He has been active in the workings of the old soldiers' organizations, and his death will prove a great loss to the state and the South.

For years Col. Wynne has been well identified with the politics of the state, being at one time candidate for governor and has held a number of offices of honor and trust. Only recently he was appointed as superintendent of the Confederate Home, and in that capacity, until his health failed, he proved a great success.

Few men were more deeply loved by their fellowmen than was Col. Wynne. He was a man full of sympathy with the people about him, and he was a fraternal worker of no slight degree of weight. Col. Wynne was a gentleman of the old school, and none knew him in those other days who will not recall his winsome smile, hearty handshake and inspirational handshake.

The fact that the war of the '60s left its mark in the form of physical lamings that lasted through life, did not imbitter Col. Wynne, for on the contrary, he felt the need for the greater brightness and cheerfulness, and never lost an opportunity to give cheer where possible.

Amarillo vs Lubbock

Amarillo Base Ball team came down Friday and played three games of ball on the local diamond against the local team. The first game resulted in a score of 8 to 6; the second 8 to 5; third 4 to 2, all in favor of Amarillo.

Don't fail to read the Bargain Sale ad of Mrs. Louise Friedrich in this issue of the Avalanche. You have a great opportunity to save money by attending this sale.

A. M. Ramp, of Houston, arrived in Lubbock last Saturday and will take the place here, of W. T. Cox as local manager of the Alfalfa Lumber Company's yard.

away soon had the rain not come when it did.

A regrettable feature of the matter is that the rain was not general and some parts of the country is still in great need of a good wetting.

Reports come from Crosbyton of good rains. Post City got a good rain Wednesday afternoon. Tahoka is still very dry. Lamesa has had no rain for a number of weeks and is badly in need of it. Brownfield, Gomez, Plains, probably Seminole and Shafter-Lake received a rain.

It will mean much in dollars and cents to the territory covered and the present indications are favorable to a fine rain over the entire South Plains country.

The people are generally speaking much encouraged.

McCOMBS PARTY CHAIRMAN

Democratic Executive Committee Selects Wilson's Choice To Be Head

Chicago, Ill., July 15.—William F. McCombs, of New York, Governor Wilson's choice was today elected chairman of the Democratic national committee and empowered to appoint a committee of not less than nine to take active charge of the campaign.

McCombs is authorized to select a national treasurer, and such other officers as he may see fit, and said that he thought the principal headquarters would be at New York.

Joseph Davis of Madison, Wisconsin, was elected secretary, succeeding Urey Woodson of Kentucky. John L. Martin of St. Louis was re-elected sergeant-at-arms.

Retiring chairman Mack, brought up the subject of raising campaign funds and urged the members to adopt the policy of popular subscriptions to be procured by appeals through the newspapers.

On invitation, Committeeman Taggart, the Indiana committeeman, decided to leave late tonight to meet Governor Marshall, the Democratic nominee for vice president.

Shooting at Snyder

Snyder, Tex., July 15.—Will Thompson, aged twenty-four, of San Angelo was shot twice following a difficulty with W. B. Ash, former deputy sheriff here today. Ash surrendered but refused to make a statement. The men have known each other for years.

Mrs. Millie Shiller, of Buckholts, Milam county, arrived Tuesday afternoon and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Butler, of this city.

Mrs. H. N. Stone left Tuesday afternoon for Lamesa. She will go from there to Seminole in Gaines county for a few weeks visit with her parents.

Miss Maggie Bishop of Canyon City, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Holland returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Maggie Louis Barton, whose home is in Amarillo, and who has been visiting the family of George Constable left Tuesday afternoon for Amarillo.

Miss Inez Goggans, who has been visiting Mrs. Jack Tubbs several days returned to her home at Cone, Tuesday afternoon.

DENVER HAS CLOUDBURST

A Cloudburst on Head of Cherry Creek Cause 4 Million in Damage—Many Daring Rescues

Denver, Colo., July 15.—Fifteen thousand men are at work today and tonight repairing as much as possible the two million dollars damage resulting from the flood which came down Cherry Creek, following a cloudburst which late Sunday evening during which time about six inches of rain fell in the center of Denver's business district.

Two lives are known to be lost tonight and many are reported missing.

A small boy was carried down to death in the rushing stream of Cherry Creek when the bank caved in while he was watching the flood.

An aged woman was drowned while asleep in her home.

Both bodies were recovered today.

Castlewood dam, southwest of Denver, is weakening and should it break, the damage to Denver would be great.

People living in the vicinity of the creek have been forewarned and many have moved their household effects out and will remain away from home tonight.

The flood is the worst ever known here.

The banks of Cherry Creek are still being searched for possible victims.

Following the cloudburst a wall of water twenty-five feet high came down Cherry Creek through Denver last night and for a while it was feared that the entire city would be inundated.

Many streets were flooded and filled with debris which came over the banks of the creek, but the debris has been cleared away and the Denver fire department with others have been hard at work all day pumping water from the flooded basements of the wholesale houses and stores near the banks of the creek.

There are many stories of thrilling rescues last night.

Near the headwaters of the creek, trees were uprooted and washed into Denver, finally being swept into business streets or lodged against some of the bridges, several of which were condemned today.

The rain was heavy in towns in the vicinity but no great damage was reported tonight from the outlying districts.

Mayor Arnold tonight estimated the total flood damage at four million dollars. Denver is furnishing lodging for five hundred homeless people tonight. Society women are assisting in the refugee work.

Tax Rate to be Fixed Monday

The State Automatic Tax Board, composed of the Governor and Comptroller, and Treasurer, will meet Monday at Austin, for the purpose of fixing the tax rate.

It is very probable, however, this important duty will have to be delayed because of the fact that the total assessed valuations will not have been received from the various County Assessors.

It is the general belief that the rate will be considerably higher this year than previous years and property holders are awaiting the announcement of the rate with considerable interest.

You are partly responsible for the high price of articles in your home town. You and your neighbor and your neighbor's neighbor send all the money you spend for clothing and every other article that you can get a 98 cent price on and leave the home man to sell to you the articles that you cannot get any cheaper abroad, and on which there is no profit to the home man. If every body would trade at home, pay the home man the cash like you do the mail order man, he too could make you 98 cent prices or even better. His increased business would require larger purchases and give him better prices. Buy your goods at home. And Mr. Merchant, Mr. Professional Man, buy your stationery from the Avalanche.

W. F. Schenck addressed a goodly number of the voters of Lubbock last Saturday in the interest of Mr. Ramsey's campaign for Governor of Texas. His remarks were well received by his hearers.

WHEAT GROUND PREPARATION

Santa Fe Agricultural Demonstrator Writes About the Treatment of Wheat Stubble Ground

As soon as the oats or wheat has been taken off the field, it is desirable to double-disk the ground at once. It will pay well to disk immediately behind the binder or header. If after the binder the bundles would be thrown off on disced ground. The sooner this work is done after harvest, the better. Every day's delay means that more moisture is lost.

In case the discing has been done in time, the ground can be plowed at any time later. Some will say "Why not begin plowing at once, instead of wasting time discing?" This would be alright if we could hold the moisture long enough; but usually one or two weeks' hot, dry weather after harvest will dry out the ground too much for plowing. The disc will cover the ground quickly and will insure holding the moisture until we have time to complete the plowing.

There is no question but that wheat ground should be plowed early. For this reason summer tilled land nearly always out-yields land that is plowed just before seeding time. Wheat requires a firm seed bed. On account of this, early preparation should be deeper than later work. Deep plowing just before seeding time is not desirable as the ground will not have time to become well settled.

Early deep preparation is very favorable to wheat production, especially where the ground has been thoroughly packed with machinery, or has had enough moisture to settle it properly.

The wheat roots penetrate this packed soil very rapidly and are not damaged by gradual setting, later, or from an undue loss of moisture on account of too loose soil.

Land disc but not plowed, cost \$1.95 per acre for preparation and produced 41.4 bushels per acre, the crop when sold returned \$1.47 per acre over the cost of preparation of ground.

After the seed bed has been prepared, whether before seeding time or after, the surface should not be allowed to crust. The common peg-tooth harrow or weeder should break this crust as often as it forms, until the wheat gets too large to work. Do not let the ground get too dry before harrowing as it is likely to work up fine and make it liable to blow.

H. M. BAINBR.

Hit With His Own Club

Jake Wolters gave Morris Sheppard \$250 for the Athens debate, and now Jake has several reasons for hiring some strong big-footed individual to administer to him a series of swift kicks. In the first place, Jake was easy picking for Morris in the debate, the Houston man's argument having the appearance of a balloon shot full of holes after the smoke had cleared away. Secondly, the crowd was ten to one against Jake; then when Morris took the \$250 check and gave it to a widow of a man killed in a saloon brawl, and to orphans who were victims of the saloon, Jake realized he had handed out a club with which Sheppard gave him a terrible drubbing. And Jake says he has been uncooled. Well, we guess yes!—Wise County Messenger.

Dr. Overton is Campaigning.

During the past week Dr. John W. Overton, Sweetwater's candidate for the state senate, has done some energetic campaigning. The first of the week he made Baird and Cisco, and yesterday went up the Santa Fe to Lamesa. He is very much pleased with the conditions as he finds them everywhere he goes, and thinks it will be a walkover for him.—Sweetwater Reporter.

A citizen of Sweetwater has rose to a point of order and states his objections to the Postal Department spelling Sweetwater as two words. The Sweetwater postmaster has a letter stamp on which the name is spelled with a capital S and W to which the citizen objects.

P. D. Losey left Sunday for Marshall, Texas.

RAILROAD BUILDING IS RENEWED

MOVEMENTS ON VARIOUS ROADS INDICATE THAT THERE WILL BE SOMETHING DOING SOON

SANTA FE, ACME, QUANAH & PACIFIC, ALTUS-LUBBOCK

All are Active and Will Give Out Information That Means Much to Lubbock in a Short While. Lubbock the Objective Point.

The people abroad are watching with great interest the movements of three or four important lines of railroads that effect Lubbock. They are eager to catch even the least bit of information regarding movements relative to each of them. We hear a great deal about all of them. We are not permitted to write much about them, not by request of those directly interested with them, but for the reason that it is not always best for the town and interests involved to give out such information.

However, as a pacification to a great number of our readers we will say in this connection that things really look good for Lubbock so far as railroading is concerned. We have it upon good authority that the right-of-way for the Santa Fe from Lubbock to Texico has about all been arranged for and possibly by next week will be permitted to announce the date when grading will begin.

Press reports from various sources reveal the fact that the Quanah, Acme and Pacific people have a corps of men in the field

locating a route for an extension of that road from Paducah, and while we have no contract with this road to come here, and we are not prepared to state the amount of road to be built right away, still it is the general opinion that Lubbock will be one of the prominent points on the route.

The Altus-Lubbock and Roswell road is still in the eyes of the people and recent reports through the press are to the effect that final contracts may be signed with the builders of the road most any day and actual construction work begin.

The Crosbyton-South Plains Railway Company will also cut some figure in the development of this part of the plains by the extension of their lines east either to Spur or Benjamin, or possibly both places, which will greatly increase the usefulness of this road to Lubbock and this trade territory by giving a new outlet to points east.

We expect great activity on all these lines to be going within the summer of 1912.

Lubbock in the objective point. Watch her grow!

CASH POURS IN ON WILSON

Candidate Believes There Will Be No Need of Taking Contributions From Interested Parties

Seagirt, N. J., July 13.—Plenty of cash will be available to run the Democratic campaign, and there will be no need of taking contributions from "interested parties" or corporations according to Woodrow Wilson.

The Democratic candidate said he was greatly pleased on opening his mail today to find many letters containing one dollar bills from working men and women, who wished him every success and who contributed "their mite" for the cause. To date the governor has received about \$2,000. The largest contribution was \$500 while there have been some of \$100, others of \$50 and numerous tens, fives, twos and ones.

Dr. Horace Gilbert, wife and daughter of San Antonio, visited at the home of H. T. Kimbro this week. Mrs. Gilbert is a niece of Mr. Kimbro and they were en route to Clouderoft, N. M. They were well pleased with Lubbock and the South Plains country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith, of Crosbyton, passed through Lubbock Wednesday enroute to Fort Worth, where they will visit for several weeks.

Ben Oliver, the Collier's man, was here Monday and Tuesday in the interest of that publication.

T. C. Greenhill transacted business in Crosbyton Wednesday.

Miss M. E. Taylor of Coleman, is visiting in the city this week.

R. B. Jones was here from Brownfield the first of this week.

Robert Turner, of Clarendon, was here the first of the week.

O. D. Holloway, of Lamesa, spent a few days here this week.

A. W. Blankenship of Meadow was here the first of the week.

M. V. Brownfield was here Sunday.

Jim Dorward, a prominent ranchman of Gail was here Monday.

MEXICAN LINE TO EXTEND

M. N. W. Road Might Be Built into El Paso or Quanah.

El Paso, Tex., July 12.—The Mexican Northwestern Railway line may be extended east from El Paso to Quanah or to some other point in the Panhandle, where a direct eastern connection can be made with the railroads of the Panhandle. Dr. B. H. Bryant, chief engineer of the Pearson Company and of the Mexican Northwestern Railroad, left El Paso yesterday to make an inspection of the country between El Paso and Artesia, N. M. Before leaving Mr. Bryant was in consultation with County Surveyor J. W. Eubank regarding the location of the surveyed line which was made by A. Courchesne out of El Paso for the Panhandle.

Miss W. H. Lasswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Montgomery, who has been visiting here several weeks, left last week for Texico, N. M., where she will visit at the home of G. C. Lasswell.

C. E. Lockhart, of Tahoka, who is a candidate for District Attorney of the 72nd Judicial District, was here Monday and Tuesday.

Marriage licenses were issued on the 16th, to Mr. Homer V. Middaugh to Miss Hallie P. Neal, both of Slaton.

Jack Hall and wife of Amarillo were here Wednesday. Mr. Hall is interested in the cattle business.

Little Miss Gladys Babcock, of Fort Worth, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jno. F. Robinson, of this city.

H. B. Geer, of Fort Worth, is visiting his sister, Mrs. John F. Robinson, of this city.

Geo. M. and R. L. Slaughter, of the S ranch, were here the first of the week.

J. K. Milwee returned Tuesday afternoon from a business trip north.

W. A. Todd, bookkeeper for the Wayland College, was here Monday.

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1912

For the taxes of 1911 only, in Lubbock County, reported under the provisions of Section 10, Chapter 103, Laws of 1897 THE STATE OF TEXAS, I, W. H. Flynn, tax collector of said county, do hereby certify that the within lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said county for the year 1911, are delinquent for the taxes of 1911, only, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, 1912.
 J. A. WILSON, County Clerk, Lubbock County, Texas.
 CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT.
 IN COMMISSIONERS COURT.

We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Lubbock County, for the year 1911, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1911, only, and find the same correct and that W. H. Flynn, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon, as follows, to-wit:

State Ad Valorem Tax	\$ 283.01
State School Tax	350.95
State Poll Tax	16.50
Total State Taxes	\$ 650.46
County Ad Valorem	\$ 420.18
County Special Tax	387.55
County Poll Tax	2.75
District School Tax	927.46
Total County Taxes	\$1707.94

Given in open court this 29th day of April, 1912.
 JOHN R. MCGEE, County Judge.
 L. M. KNIGHT,
 GEO. M. BOLES,
 L. O. BURFORD,
 BOB PENNEY, } County Commissioners.

Attest: J. A. WILSON, County Clerk.

NAME OF OWNER	Acres	Certs.	Surv. No.	LAND		TOWN OR CITY LOTS				TOTAL TAXES
				ORIGINAL GRANTEE	No. Acres Assessed	City or Town	Lot	Blk	Division	
Able, Jno.	838	715	66	W. G. Nairn	648	Lubbock	8	126		\$55.64
Agnew Bros.						Lubbock	2	136		
Blake, A. C.						Lubbock	12-14	90		
Blake, A. C.						Lubbock	16-18	90		
Blake, A. C.						Lubbock	2 to 11	14		20.49
Blake, A. C.						Lubbock	6	71		17.08
Bledsoe, W. H.	381	944	79	E. L. & R. R. Ry.	3-4	Overton	3, 4, 5	116		12.90
Buchanan, W. R.						Lubbock	7	105		
Burns, J. C.	925	390	20	J. C. Burns	5-20	Lubbock	16-17	70		100.77
Burns, J. C.						Lubbock	17, 18, 19	38		1.45
Burford, L. O.						Lubbock	15	18		1.19
Clem, J. M.						Lubbock	16, 17	31		6.46
Cowart, E. J.						Lubbock	5, 6	33		
Dean, J. C.						Overton	8, 9, 10	33		8.09
Dean, J. C.						Lubbock	3, 4	5		28
Dillard, W. W.	1216	396	6	J. D. Wood, SE 1-4	160					
Dillard, W. W.	331	944	79	E. L. & R. R. Ry.	1-2					26.15
Earhart, T. O.	1040	452	22	T. O. Earhart	640					32.74
Ervin, Mrs. Lou						Lubbock	1, 2	31		
Eubanks, H. H.						R. & M.	13 to 16	49		
Green E. B.						Lubbock	6 to 10	22		8.07
Green E. B.						Lubbock	11	106		
Harper, M. F.						Lubbock	3, 4, 5	122		
Harper, M. F.						Lubbock	3	138		17.84
Harper, M. F.						McCrum'n		7		29.61
Heim, R. W.						Merrill	6, 7, 8	43		6.46
Iopliff, Joe						Monroe	11, 12	27		2.13
Low, L. W.						Lubbock	3, 5	109		93.36
Lubk Light & Ice Co.						Lubbock	13	128		
Mallard, C. W.						Lubbock	19-20	24		
Mallard, C. W.						Lubbock	13-15	128		21.65
Mallard, C. W.						Lubbock	18, 19, 20	150		4.82
Mallard, V. A. P.						Lubbock	7, 8, 9	219		9.93
Mallard, V. A. P.						Lubbock	11-12	155		5.16
Martin, J. B.	968	1290	31	E. L. & R. R. Ry. sec 1-4	30					
May, Scott						McCrum'n		1		
McCrumb, L. F.						R. & M.	Part	58		8.55
Overton, M. C.	1150			B. F. Montgomery	36					
Overton, M. C.	32	2-249	27	G. S. & S. F. Ry.	640					
Overton, M. C.	37	2-230	27	G. S. & S. F. Ry.	640					
Overton, M. C.	851	1038	42	W. T. Petty sw 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	772	26	16	J. B. Earhart sw 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	1203	26	16	J. B. Earhart ne 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	1204	26	16	J. B. Earhart sw 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	1205	26	16	J. B. Earhart ne 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	33	2-250	29	G. S. & S. F. Ry.	640					
Overton, M. C.	1262	1038	42	W. T. Petty ne 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	1263	1038	42	W. T. Petty sw 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	1264	1038	42	W. T. Petty se 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	64	21	1	L. & S. V. Ry. E 1-2	320					
Overton, M. C.	376	1144	23	E. L. & R. R. Ry. sw 1-4	160					
Overton, M. C.	5	292	15	B. & B.	140					
Overton, M. C.						Lubbock	6 to 12	A. J. White		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	5	28		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	1, 2, 3, 4	160		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	21 to 24	68		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	1 to 4	47		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	21, 22	22		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	1-4, 21-24	32		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	3, 4	86		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	7 to 18	87		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	3 to 10	71		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	13, 14	134		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	17-18	20		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	18, 19, 20	53		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	13, 14, 15	83		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	1, 2, 3	107		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	10	39		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	1, 2, 3	4		
Overton, M. C.						Overton	13 to 16	69		
Overton, M. C.						Dillard	1 to 8	9		
Overton, M. C.						Dillard	1	11		
Overton, M. C.						Richmond	1	9		311.41
Payne, W. R.	1	1160	13	A. B. & M.	40					14.19
Penney, R. E.	895	537	4	F. E. Wheelock	100					
Penney, R. E.						Lubbock	10	34		
Penney, J. S.	591	0-516	2	W. M. Lay	1-2					32.19
Penney, J. S.						Dupree	5-4 to 5-8	1		16.89
Penney, E. B.						Dillard	8	137		6.46
Pickett & Penney	8	392	15	B. & B. S. E. 1-4	180					
Pickett & Penney						Lubbock	6 to 10	54		
Pickett & Penney						Lubbock	1 to 5	175		
Pickett & Penney						Lubbock	7, 9	94		
Pickett & Penney						Lubbock	15 to 17	89		
Pickett & Penney						Lubbock	9	73		
Pickett & Penney						P&P	4 to 10	1		
Pickett & Penney						P&P	1 to 16	2		
Pickett & Penney						P&P	1 to 20	3		34.55
Pickett Penney Co.						Lubbock	12	50		
Pickett Penney Co.						Lubbock	7, 8, 10	206		
Pickett Penney Co.						Lubbock	16	222		
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	3-8	16-22	43	2.67
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	15	16	23	
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	3, 4, 5	56		
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	20, 21	54		
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	23, 24	74		
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	1, 2	75		
Pickett Penney Co.						Overton	13 to 18	86		13.39
Reed, A. L.	457	307	8	A. Allen	10					15.64
Reeves, M. A.	1	1160	13	A. B. & M.	40					10.96
Roberts, J. O.						Overton	1 to 5	44		10.74
Robinson, Jas. R.	845	693	30	W. A. Nickles	640					9.85
Robinson, Jno. F.	130	971	17	E. L. & R. R. Ry. e 1-2	320					
Robinson, Jno. F.	376	1041	8	T. R. Jack w 1-2	320					
Robinson, Jno. F.	1144	220	112	J. H. Stander w 1-2	240					157.28
Robinson, Bros.	895	337	4	F. E. Wheelock	40					
Robinson Bros.						Overton	9 to 11	2	Robnsn	
Robinson Bros.						Overton	13 to 18	19	Robnsn	
Robinson Bros.						Overton	20 to 27	3	Robnsn	
Robinson Bros.						Overton	7	4		
Robinson Bros.						Overton	3, 4, 5	6		
Robinson Bros.						Overton	21	6		12.11
Sanders, Mrs. Van	456	363	6	A. Allen	20					
Sanders, Mrs. Van						Lubbock	1 to 5	105		
Sanders, Mrs. Van						Lubbock	2, 3	26		37.98
Spencer, E. T.						Lubbock	15, 16	17		98
Spencer, H. A.						Overton	6 to 12	35		
Spencer, H. A.						C. Roberts	20 to 24	1	A. J. White	10.26
Spencer, H. A. & E. T.						Lubbock	13 to 17	226		
Spencer, H. A. & E. T.						Overton	6, 7	17		
Spencer, H. A. & E. T.						Overton	5, 6, 15, 16	18		
Spencer, H. A. & E. T.						Overton	21 to 24	3		12.90
Summers, Theo	340	929	73	E. L. & R. Ry. sw 1-4	160					
Summers, Theo						R. & M.		29		
Summers, Theo						R. & M.		62		
Summers, Theo						Overton	11, 12	37		
Summers, Theo						Overton	1	3		19.75
Summers, Theo						McCrum'n	1, 2, 3	2		
Tabbs, Thad.						Lubbock	1, 2, 5, 10, 12	11		

NAME OF OWNER	Acres	Certs.	Surv. No.	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	No. Acres Assessed	City or Town	Lot
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Frying Chickens, Butter and Eggs

We need them in our business. Bring the butter and eggs in while they are fresh. Our customers don't like them after they get stale. Let the chickens get fat.

Martin & Wolcott

RALEIGH MARTIN, Manager

THE POINT

We want to emphasize the newness of our stock. DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS that are right up to now in style, good quality and attractively priced are to be found here. We propose to sell you goods at a very small profit. We bought only reasonable goods and you will find dependable articles in this store. Visit our store and be convinced.

THE IDEAL

GEO. L. DESHAZO, MANAGER
MERRILL-ROBERTS BLDG. N. W. CORNER SQUARE

The horse attached to the delivery wagon of J. H. Moore ran away Saturday and tore up the wagon very badly. Neither the horse nor the driver sustained injuries.

Mrs. J. P. Posey of Lubbock is here on a visit to relatives and friends.—Floydada Hesperian.

Who Said Lubbock Wasn't Going to Make The Best Town on The Plains?

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE—Kodak films at Miss Brown's Studio. 50 tf

FOR SALE—Poland China pigs. S. D. Stewart, 7 miles South. 52-tf

FOR SALE—Three small mules, city broke. These mules are fast drivers, just the thing for carriage driving. See Martin & Wolcott. 50 tf

FOR TRADE—One quarter section of land also one good automobile for Lubbock property. MALVIN HARPER, Lubbock, Texas. 49 tf

TO TRADE—For Lubbock county land a two-story brick building, located in a good town on T. & P. Ry. Price \$12,000; incumbrance \$1,000.00. See Jno. F. Robinson, Lubbock, Texas. 49 tf

FOR TRADE—Two-story brick building, renting for \$145 per month, in good town on T. & P. Ry. Price \$14,000; incumbrance \$4,000. Will trade for Lubbock county land. See Jno. F. Robinson, Lubbock, Texas. 49-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—At once an E. M. F. 30 automobile 1911 model in excellent condition having only been used twelve months. For further information address Gamble & Gamble, Slaton, Texas. 51 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone 349. Mrs. Dolph Robinson. 2 tf

WANTED—To lease thirty sections of good pasture land for term of years, close to railroad. 3 Stp HARRY ROBBINS.

LOST—Between Jno. P. Lewis' residence and South Side Christian Church, round gold bar pin, three inches long. Engraved, Family relic. Finder return to R. G. Way's store and receive liberal reward. 2.1t

Public Speaking
Lubbock, Tex., July 15th, 1912.
TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK AND LUBBOCK COUNTY:

I will speak at the court house in Lubbock on the 25th, of July, at 8:30 p. m. in the interest of my candidacy for the office of District Attorney, and my opponent Mr. J. E. Vickers, is especially invited to be present, as he has heretofore challenged me to speak in Lubbock.

Yours very truly,
G. E. LOCKHART,
Candidate for District Attorney.

Prof. W. A. Mancil, who taught in the Summer Normal in Lubbock this summer, returned from Lamesa Saturday where he spent a few days after the close of school here two weeks ago. Mrs. Mancil is so well pleased with Lubbock that they have decided to spend the rest of the summer here. Prof. Mancil will teach the Lamesa school again this fall and winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. King, of Sligo, Yoakum county, came in Monday afternoon and left on the 2:05 train for Sherman at which place they will visit for several weeks.

Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

Honoring Miss Bishop of Canyon, Mrs. J. G. Holland delightfully entertained a few of the young people, at her home Monday evening. Progressive forty-two was played, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following: Misses Mildred Moore, Evelyn Word, Harriet Brown, Jessie Blades, Bishop of Canyon, and Neal, of Dublin. Messrs. C. D. Lester, Clements, Jim Kimball, Tom Clayton, C. H. Jarrott, Mr. and Mrs. Lotspeich.

Mesdames Robbins and Ballinger were hostess for the Wednesday Needle Club at the home of the latter, July 10th. A delightful afternoon was spent. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, sea, wafers, in cream and cake were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Word, Cox, Copeland, and Cosby, and Misses White, Phillips and Cox.

The Local Eastern Star is making arrangements to entertain the School of Instruction next week, the 23rd and 24th. The Grand Matron will meet with them and they anticipate a very enjoyable time. All members of the Eastern Star are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Jno. M. Hettler of a few miles northeast of Lubbock accompanied by his wife and children left Tuesday for Marion, Ind., to visit a few weeks. This is their first visit to their old home since moving to Lubbock county some five years ago.



YOU WILL AGREE

that it is not in good form to go round town wearing a suit that's all out of shape.

OUR CLEANING AND PRESSING RENOVES GARMENTS

making them appear like new. Cost is but a trifle compared to value given in return.

SUITS RENOVATED HERE ALWAYS LOOK WELL

LUBBOCK STEAM LAUNDRY
PHONE 305

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Church Notes

SUNBEAM PROGRAM
Song—
Scripture Reading—Matt. 13: 24-30, by Mary Hughes.
Questions on Lesson—Nuel Bryan.

Reading—Lester Miller.
Reading—Alleen King.
Song—Mildred, Wilma, Carrie and Sylva.
Recitation—Lina Wester.
Ten Commandments, by All.
Lord's Prayer.

The meeting at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church is progressing nicely. The able discourses of Rev. Dunn are very instructive and people are delighted to hear them. Notwithstanding the interference of rains the congregations and interest remain good.

Mr. Luna of the Clyde Hotel, spent Monday in Amarillo.

Claxton McCrummen returned Saturday from Lone Star. He was married to Miss Lillie Mae Sylvester of that place last week and they have come to Lubbock to make their home.

Barney Johnston of Crosbyton, was in the city Monday and paid our office a pleasant call.

BIG CARNIVAL GONE!!

POCKET BOOK EMPTY!!!!

Supply your empty Hay Racks and Mangers with FEED from

DAVIDSON'S FEED STORE
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JNO. P. LEWIS & CO.

We call your attention to the following Money Saving Specials now offered.

20 PER CENT OFF
On all Ladies' Muslin Underwear.
On all Ladies' and Children's Dresses.
On all Boys' and Men's Suits.
On all Men's Dress Straw Hats.
One Lot of 12 1-2c A.F.C. Gingham now only 10c.

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Special Prices Are For Cash

YOURS FOR BETTER BARGAINS

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Rider Haggard's
Mystery Masterpiece
That Great Human Interest Feature Will Be Thrown on The Curtain in Picture Form At The

LYRIC AIRDOME

Next MONDAY Night,
2 Reels 2000 Feet July 22nd.
Also three other very Attractive and Interesting Reels of Pictures. Remember the date

PRICE IS ALWAYS
10 CENTS

Mrs. Mary Locklear, mother of Major Locklear, of the Imperial Barbershop, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dawnner of Electra, the past two weeks, returned to Lubbock last Friday afternoon.

Miss Carrie Russell, who has been visiting here the past week, returned to her home at Sweetwater Monday.

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Headquarters for FEED HOUSE AND COAL BIN SUPPLIES. We keep a good stock on hand. If its in town we have it.

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GRAIN AND COAL DEALERS

Rabbit Massacre
Brownwood, July 11. Twenty-three thousand jack rabbits have been slaughtered in Brown county and paid for by the commissioners' court within the past four months. In March the county commissioners decided to eradicate the rabbit pest in this county and offered a 5-cent bounty on every scalp. The farmer boys responded so rapidly to the offer that all available funds have been exhausted for paying for scalps and the court

has been forced to recall its offer for the present. The commissioners are planning to raise additional funds with which to push the campaign further.

See L. O. Burford for monuments all work guaranteed. 52tf

R. B. Shaw and wife spent several days in Lubbock the latter part of last week and the first of this week.

J. R. King and family are visiting in Luling, Texas this week.

Railroad Indications Good

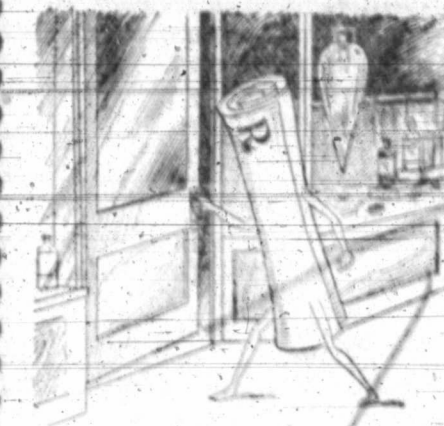
The ripples on the surface seem to indicate that something will be doing soon in the railroad circles. A party, Jim Cook we understand was his name, came over from Plainview Monday and reported that he had seen a letter from a railroad contractor in which he had contracted the construction work on the Altus, Lubbock and Roswell railroad between Lubbock and Memphis, and that it would begin at Lubbock in the near future and pushed this way.

The editor was in Plainview Tuesday, and while there was informed that a party of railroad officials spent several days there last week, and while there bought several sections of land about half way between Silverton and that place. We were unable to learn what land it was or with whom the deal was made. We don't vouch for the accuracy of the foregoing statements, but give them to our readers just as we took them off the wire and they are at liberty to give them such credence as the circumstances will warrant. Briscoe County Mirror.

Mrs. May, mother of A. E. May, and Mrs. Royalty, his sister, came in last Friday and stayed over until Monday visiting his family. Mrs. May lives at Brownfield and Mrs. Royalty at Lubbock. Briscoe County Mirror.

Elder Liff Sanders preached at the Acuff school house Sunday at 11:00 a. m., and at the Canyon school house at 3:30 p. m.

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we use the most careful precision in every detail of weight, measurement and composition. You can rest assured that a prescription filled here is exactly as the Dr. ordered.

OUR MODERN DRUG STORE

makes a specialty of prescriptions, but we also carry a large stock of all the usual needfuls. Call and fill your wants here at our fair prices.

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WEST SIDE SQUARE

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WINDMILLING IS MY BUSINESS

I am prepared to do all kind of windmill work. I can build your tower, put up your windmill, tank, etc., or will do any kind of repair work of this nature. I guarantee every job and my prices are reasonable. Let me figure with you before you have your windmill work done.

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DIKE REMEDIES

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IT DOES THE WORK,

What more could you ask?

Dike's Quinine and Sage Compound nourishes the hair—promoting hair growth and hair health. It invigorates the scalp—freeing it from dandruff.

FOR SALE BY
THE LUBBOCK DRUG COMPANY
West Side Square First National Bank Building

Jno. A. Glenn and family left Saturday for West Station Texas, where they will make their home for a while. Mr. Glenn will buy cotton there this season. We are indeed sorry to have this good family leave our town and we hope it will not be long before they will return. Mr. Glenn retains all his interests in Lubbock and his faith is not shaken in the west, but he must go where more cotton is raised as that is one of his leading lines—cotton buying. The Avalanche will keep him posted as to the operations in the Lubbock country.

Kodak films for sale at Miss Brown's Studio. 50tf

J. C. Beall, of the Meadow community, was in town the latter part of last week trading with our merchants. Mr. Beall seemed well please with his crop prospects.

Miss Ruby Rankin, who has been here several months attending school and the Summer Normal, left Friday for her home in Dozier, Texas.

Wm. Haddock left Friday afternoon for Coleman.

CALOMEL GIVES ONLY TEMPORARY RELIEF

So Powerful it Shocks Liver and Leaves it Weaker Than Before—Dodson's Liver-Tone a Perfect Substitute.

Nearly everybody who has ever tried calomel for constipation or a sluggish liver has found that it gives only temporary relief. For calomel is such a powerful purgative that it shocks and weakens the liver and makes it less able afterward to do its duty than in the first place.

This is one of the reasons why The Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Store would rather sell Dodson's Liver-Tone to you than calomel. We know that Dodson's Liver-Tone is a pure vegetable liver tonic that will cure constipation quickly and gently without any danger of bad after-effects. We guarantee it to do this with a guarantee that is simple and fair. If you buy a bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone for yourself or your children, and do not find it a perfect substitute for calomel, then come back to the store and get your money. If you don't get value for your money out of this tonic, it's your right to expect your money back, and we will gladly give it to you.

City Building Notes

BY J. A. ARNOLD

Take advantage of your advantages.

A park system is essential to any community.

Some towns are small in size but large in sentiment.

Civic pride is as commendable as personal pride.

The race is always to the swift when it comes to city building.

You can generally do as well in your home town as anywhere else—if you try.

The dawn of a great tomorrow is approaching Texas—work together and reap the benefits of co-operation.

The tide of foreign capital as well as immigration is fast coming to Texas—is your city getting

her share?

Don't let the roar of the factory furnace become deadened through lack of support.

A town without a commercial organization is like a human derelict—no visible means of support.

We all have dreams of a city that will meet every requirement and our home town can be made the very place we seek with a unit of effort.

Money spent in advertising will return to you with a usury rate of interest attached.

A city's destiny usually lies in the hands of a few men. If they are the right kind we need have no fear of the ultimate outcome.

Phone Cash Meat Market for barbecue and bread. 52tf

To The Public

When I was elected County Treasurer nearly two years ago, I made an effort to secure an office in the court house. Uncle Tank Martin has occupied the office for nearly ten years.

There is not a vacant office on the ground floor of the court house. I have the office centrally located really more convenient to the public than the court house, and CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND AT MY PLACE OF BUSINESS ready to serve the public. I have never had a complaint from any one about keeping the office at my place of business.

Very Respectfully,
R. H. WILSON.

Mr. Smith, manager of the Littlefield Cattle Company's ranch in Hoekley county, was here Friday purchasing supplies for the ranch.



CUPID ON ICE

is like "Love's Young Dream Blasted" but even Cupid himself would warm up to the virtues of Purity of the ice we supply. Our

ARTIFICIAL ICE

contains none of the impurities found in much of the ice sold. Impure ice containing deadly germs is attracting the censure of physicians everywhere, therefore we do not hesitate to say that we sell pure ice at no higher prices than usual.

LUBBOCK LIGHT & ICE CO.

J. M. Sanderson, of Plains, Yoakum county, becomes a reader of the Avalanche beginning with this issue. Mr. Sanderson is a candidate for County and District Clerk of Yoakum county, against L. F. Boyd, the present incumbent.

FOR SALE SECTION NO. 37 BLOCK 20

Town of Slide on south line 1 1/2 Miles from railroad. All fenced. Good house, sheds, plank lots, windmill, large tank, abundance fine water, small grove shade trees, no lakes, every part tillable. \$14.00 per acre, \$1,000.00 cash, balance January 1st, 1913.

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Tin Work Second Hand Goods Blacksmithing

We can supply your wants in either or all of these lines and every job carries a guarantee or your money back. You can probably buy cheaper here than anywhere in town. Have you tried it? If not come and see us and price our work and our stock.

THE ACME TIN SHOP

SHOP EAST SIDE SQUARE

M. R. USLEAMAN, PROPRIETOR

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SUMMER TOURIST TICKETS

To points in the United States and Canada. Intersect June 1st. For further particulars apply to
A. G. COX, AGENT LUBBOCK, TEXAS

Texas Industrial Notes

Furnished by the Texas Secretaries Association

Austin—The state of Texas has ceded to the United States Government, lands in Ellis, Kaufman and Orange counties which will eventually be utilized for navigation purposes. The Ellis and Kaufman tracts are for Trinity River lock and dam sites. The land ceded in Orange county, lies adjacent to the Sabine River where the Federal Government will widen and deepen the Sabine-Neches Canal.

Wichita Falls—At a mass meeting held in this city recently, it was decided to organize a Young Men's Publicity League. The new commercial organization will start at once to secure adequate publicity service and arrange to purchase space in several of the largest advertising mediums of the country.

Loving—It is reported that coal has been struck in the Sallie-Alice shaft which is located on a tract of land near this city. The coal was struck at a depth of 100 feet and is said to be of fine quality.

Sherman—The Worth Refining Company has been organized, in this city with a capital stock of \$1,500,000. It is the intention of the company to ultimately establish and maintain an extensive trade in cotton oil and other by-products of cotton seed.

Fort Worth—From the most conservative estimate, there was approximately \$16,110,000 of foreign capital invested within the state during the month of June. The majority of this amount was invested in municipal and electric railway securities.

Sherman—Representatives of

the Lone Star Gas Company of Wichita Falls are in this city and announce that all survey work has been completed on the pipe line to Sherman and that gas will be running as soon as the line is finished.

Fort Stockton—The Fort Stockton Irrigation Company has started work on its project in Pecos county. The reservoir to be constructed will impound sufficient water to irrigate 25,000 acres of land.

Pecos—The state experimental station near here has completed arrangements for an exhibit of farm products at College Station during the session of the Texas Farmer's Congress, July 30th, 31st, and August 1st.

Clarendon—The second annual Donley County Fair will be held October 3rd, 4th and 5th. The association has announced that the necessary stock of \$5,000 has been sold.

McKinney—According to reports the best yield of oats this season was on the land of J. E. Rhea near this city which was 1,064 bushels from ten acres. The wheat on this land averaged 80 bushels per acre.

Dallas—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway has purchased a seven-story building in this city which will be used as the general offices of the line in Texas. The consideration was \$400,000.

Mrs. W. N. Claxton, of Hale Center, who has been spending a few days here the guest of her sister Mrs. B. O. McWhorter, left for her home Monday afternoon.

What a Postal Card Will Bring

If you want to know about the the University of Texas, send a postal card to the Secretary at Austin and receive free:

1. Bulletin 196, which contains the stories of how twenty-five young people worked their way through the University, despite great difficulties.

2. Bulletin 212—a book of pictures of University life and much interesting reading matter about the institution.

3. Bulletin 218—the annual catalogue containing 520 pages. From the catalogue a prospective student may find all necessary information regarding entrance conditions, course of study, etc., etc. In addition to the college courses and the courses in law, engineering and medicine and pharmacy, the new courses in domestic science, in architecture, and in business training are fully set forth.

Put these three Bulletins into the hands of boys and girls and they may awaken a desire for a college education. The University of Texas is the peoples' school, created for them, maintained by them. Every patriotic Texan should be familiar with its work. Write today and ask for Bulletins 196, 212 and 218. 21t

Geo. A. Harmon (adv't)

We are in receipt of the announcement of Geo. Harmon, representative from Dallas county for congressman at large.

Mr. Harmon is a kinsman of Judson Harmon, the Ohio Governor, and enthusiastic progressive democrat; believes in a revenue tariff, a tax on raw material, an increase of tax on luxuries, and punishment of trust law violation by penitentiary sentences.

He is an enthusiastic agriculturist, having spent 21 years on the farm.

Mr. Harmon is good congressional timber, and if elected is broadminded and big enough to represent all Texas in our National Congress.

The Amarillo base ball boys returned home Monday, after playing a series of three games with the locals.

Rev. G. F. Fair, of Plainview, father of Mrs. C. B. Kilgore, of this city is visiting the latter.

REFRIGERATORS - REFRIGERATORS

High grade of Sanitary Refrigerators at the most reasonable prices ever quoted you before in Lubbock. Come in and see them.

Also Fruit Jars, Fruit Jar Rubbers and Caps, Ice Cream Freezers and Water Coolers.

STAR WINDMILLS

Piping, Casing and Water Supplies on hand at all times at

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Dresses, Skirts, Kimonos, Neckwear, Hosiery, Purses, Gloves, All Kinds of Ladies' Furnishings, Going at Bargains.

MRS. LOUISE FRIEDRICH FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

Roscoe Wilson is having plans prepared by Henry Mount for a brick residence, which will be modern in every respect. The brick to be buff, with trimmings of Cedar Park stone, with brick and concrete balustrades. Interior finish to be of hardwood and native pine, hot air heat,

electric annunciators and lights. With basement for furnace and fuel room, with room in attic. First floor to have two bed rooms, bath and dining room, kitchen, large reception hall, with large living room. Everything to be in keeping with a greater Lubbock.

Good Wheat Field
The ten acres of wheat which Mr. R. F. Alley has had under irrigation this year at his place west of town was thrashed last week, yielding 28 bushels per acre.

The tract, in fact, was not irrigated. It was flooded only once, and then at a time when the wheat was almost made. It is the general opinion of those who saw the field that had it had water two weeks earlier the yield would have been doubled. —Hale Center Livewire.

Rev. Edwin Weary, archdeacon of the Episcopal church in the Panhandle, received word that his brother had died at his home in Montreal, Canada. This brother, John Herbert Weary, was three years the junior of the Amarillo minister. The dead man was the only brother of the Rev. Mr. Weary. —Amarillo Daily News.

Rev. B. D. Doak of Plainview, representing the Seth Ward College at that place, was here Sunday and Monday in the interest of that school. He preached at the Methodist church at the evening hour.

Mr. Williams, of New Mexico, who has been here looking after business matters, left the first of the week for Crosbyton where he will spend a few days.

Mrs. R. R. Shipp, who has been stopping in Lubbock for some time, left Monday for Shamrock to visit relatives a few weeks.

Miss Mae Murfee, who has been visiting friends in Tulia several weeks, returned Monday.

Mrs. D. Robinson left Monday for Kress, where she will organize a lodge of the Eastern Star.

The Merkel Telegram issued its last number on the 12th of this month. The publishers giving as their reasons for so doing that they had found that Merkel was not large enough to support two newspapers as it should, and as the publishers of the Mail, their competitors, agreed to pay them reasonable bonus for their subscription list and good will they decided to turn same over to them and move to greener fields. It is a great mistake for newspaper men to crowd in. When the one already there is doing the work it is well enough to let well enough alone.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dalton left for Mineral Wells Saturday, and will spend several weeks there for the benefit of Mrs. Dalton's health.

Mr. Jos. Weidel, engineer of this division of the Santa Fe was in Hurley this week and he insures us that the railroad grading will begin just as soon as the railroad gets the right-of-way on a few more tracts of land between here and Texico. From

Hurley to Lubbock being already decided to the railroad. —Hurley correspondent to the Demmitt Plainsman.

Charlie Burrus made a business trip to Yoakum county the first of this week.

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If not we want a chance to show you just how quick we can sell it for you, provided you give the right price and terms. Give us your lists. : : :

We have buyers that will buy.

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THIS STORE HAS THE REPUTATION

For Fairness and Honesty which Characterizes all Properly Conducted Business Enterprises.

Not Only do we Have a Reputation of this Kind

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Our July Clearance Sale Goes On

Many go and come our way these bargain days. Only a few more days in which to buy Summer Goods, but their usefulness remain for many days. If you have a want give us a look. Much merchandise must be sold. Already some Fall merchandise arriving.

Several of our \$3.95 Special Skirts worth up to \$8.00 remain for you.	See our Special 5c Laces and Embroideries worth up to 10c.	Our sale on Men's Suits has been all we expected, yet we have many unsold. 33 1/3 per cent discount represents some cut. You get a	\$20.00 Suit for 13.35	boys' suit in fancy stripes and mixtures worth up to \$6.50, this sale 3.00
White Wash Skirts \$1.00 to \$2.50 worth from \$2.00 to \$5.00.	100 pieces of new fall Gingham now on display.		\$15.00 Suit for 10.00	Boys' blue serge Suits, \$6.50 and \$7.50 this sale 5.00
Every yard of Batiste, figured and bordered, worth up to 25c per yard, this sale 10c	Special \$1.00 Corset this sale 79c	\$25.00 Suit for 16.65	\$12.50 Suit for 8.35	A Special in Men's Gauge Lisle Hose, all colors, worth 15c, this sale 3 pair for 25c

LUBBOCK MERCANTILE CO.

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

Neighboring County News

From Our Exchanges

GAINES COUNTY

Lon F. Hart, who has been sick for several days is reported to be better.

Will Hollaway and **Jim Pool**, of Midland, passed through Sembo Monday enroute to the T4 ranch where they will look after their cattle.

J. W. Puckett, of Amarillo is here this week to receive 900 head of steers which he recently purchased from **J. J. and Andy Williams**.

J. C. and Lon F. Hart sold 60 head of steer yearlings last week to **B. M. West** of Terry county. **J. J. Williams** also sold 200 head of steer yearlings.

Robt. Malone and wife returned Saturday from Floyd and Hale counties where they have been visiting for about two weeks. They were accompanied home by **J. L. Randolph** and family who will visit here for about ten days.

having had a six weeks term of court in Lubbock county and two weeks in Crosby. Consequently he has had no time to devote to his campaign. He left for Lubbock Saturday morning. Monday of this week he opened court in Garza county.

Last Sunday morning at the home of the bride in Lamesa, **Rev. W. B. Davis** spoke the solemn words which united in the holy bonds of wedlock, **Miss Bulah Mullins** and **Mr. Earl Stone**. The bride, the daughter of our worthy townsman **J. W. C. Mullins**, is a charming young lady in whom beauty of person and grace of mind are most happily blended. The groom, whose home is in Coahoma, during his short stay here with the Western Telephone Co's. construction force, gained the respect and esteem of all who met him.

LYNN COUNTY

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. **Hall Robinson** at 6:04 o'clock a. m., Thursday, July 11th, a fine seven pound boy; **Jack Alley Robinson**.

The **P. & N. T. Railway** was granted a franchise by the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, in regular monthly session Monday, to lay a switch from the depot to **S. N. McDaniel's** grain store one block north.

The **White Steamer** automobile of **York Skinner's** was sold at the hands of **A. J. DeBord**, deputy sheriff, Tuesday afternoon at the court house door for the sum of \$131. Bidding was

very slow and it took lots of talking on the deputy's part.

Thursday morning, July 11th, at 2:00 o'clock a. m., the Angel of death entered the home of **Preston Majors**, claiming for his own the lovely wife, **Mrs. Bertha**. She was sick less than 24 hours with acute indigestion and her death came as a shock to every one.

Luke Riley, of lower Draw, was in town Tuesday. He tells us he has 140 acres of the finest feed crop he has had for years. **Mr. Riley** began moving his cotton gin to **O'Donnel** Tuesday of last week. He has purchased lots down by the railroad and will move his family close to the city.

CROSBY COUNTY

A number of our citizens attended the carnival at Lubbock Tuesday night.

We are requested to announce that the Baptist meeting will begin at **Emma** Saturday night.

R. R. Travis tells us that he has finished threshing his wheat and oats, and the yield was 874 bushels.

The **C. S. P. Railroad Company** has been running a special train to Lubbock on account of the carnival.

R. R. and R. L. Travis, W. E. McLaughlin and **John R. Ralls** went to Lamesa to attend the two-day picnic.

Mr. Stephens left for Lubbock Wednesday for the purpose of renting a house to which place he intends to move.

The **Crosbyton-South Plains Railroad Co.**, ran a special over to Lubbock Tuesday evening to

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accommodate those wanting to attend the Fireman's Carnival at that place. **Mr. Spencer**, the Assistant General Manager is always found doing something to please the traveling public and never lets a chance pass to run a special when the public demands it.

Saturday evening July 6th at the front gate of **Rev. J. H. Richards**, **Mr. Raymond Albright** and **Mrs. R. A. Carraway** were united in wedlock, **Rev. Richards** officiating. **Mrs. Carraway** has lived in Crosbyton for a long while and has many friends. **Mr. Albright** came from Oklahoma to this place last winter and has proved himself a worthy and deserving young man.

interesting services throughout the meeting. The next one will begin Thursday before the 5th Sunday in September, at Plains.

The **Harper** family moved to the **Spencer** residence last week so that **J. T. May** and family could re-occupy their house.

J. W. Gordon, the U. boss, was here Thursday and Friday. Just at present there is a special attraction in Brownfield for **J. W. Miss Iva Green** went home with **Miss Kennedy** to Lubbock, and will spend two or three days up there. She will return via **Tahoka** to visit her cousin.

On last Sunday morning, **Reed Wolfarth** was painfully hurt by a horse running over him and throwing his ankle out of place of breaking it; we failed to learn particulars. They carried him to Brownfield for medical attention.

Miss Ella Kennedy, who has been teaching music here for several months, left for her home in Lubbock yesterday. We regret very much to lose **Miss Kennedy** even temporarily, as she was a general favorite among the young set.

his way to Mineral Wells where his son had just died.

Hon. H. C. Ferguson, from Lubbock, spent several days here this week in the interest of his candidacy for District Judge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Clayton, Jr. have leased a residence in the western part of Post City and will make their home here. We are glad to welcome **Mr. and Mrs. Clayton** to our town.

Mr. Wright was assisting in the blasting on the cap rock last Wednesday when he was painfully injured from flying fragments of rock. Though not seriously injured he will be laid up for some time.

Yeggman blew open the safe in the postoffice at Bronte Thursday night and escaped with \$400 worth of stamps and \$50 in currency.

Mrs. Orville Moody, of Sweetwater, is visiting at the home of her parents, **Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Robinson**, of this city.

E. U. Pike, formerly of this place, now of Kansas City, is visiting relatives and friends in Lubbock this week.

C. A. Clem went to Amarillo Friday where he looked after business matters.

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Problems That Must Be Solved

On the 27th of July in our state primaries, we must nominate an elect—a governor of Texas.

In the selection of this governor, a serious problem must be solved, the solution of which will materially affect the interests of the four millions of Texas people.

It is a situation we have to deal with, that to properly handle it, we must lose sight of men and concentrate our energies on measures.

We should resolve to seek the truth, and when we have found it, to be guided by it and cast our votes accordingly.

I believe practically all our people desire to vote for the man who will best represent the interest of our great state. However, it sometimes requires quite a struggle to cast a vote against a man who we think perhaps is entitled to a second term purely from precedent, but we should not hesitate to do so when we militate against the best interests of four millions of people by so doing.

Is it wise to vindicate one man at the peril of four millions of people who are entitled to our protection? Do not believe our people our sovereign voters are willing to make this unnecessary sacrifice.

We are to judge between Governor Colquitt's record and the measures he stands for and the measures Judge Ramsey proposes. Let us then go into an unbiased investigation of these measures.

Let us for the time being lose sight of the men and decide as to how we shall vote solely by the merits of the records and measures proposed.

Governor Colquitt is asking for re-election more on the record made than on measures for future consideration, but let us carefully examine his official record and his position on public questions and compare them with Judge Ramsey's measures and position on public questions and thus determine how to act intelligently when we go to the polls next Saturday week.

Governor Colquitt has held public office in our state since 1895 except for a period of four years, and during that time has drawn as salary from the public treasury more than thirty-nine thousand dollars, and this does not include the per diem paid him during his four years service as State Senator, which would

add at least another two thousand dollars. He has made two and is now making his third campaign for the governorship of Texas, while drawing a salary of more than ten dollars per day from the State. He cannot therefore claim his re-election on the ground that the state owes it to him by reason of expenses incurred in previous campaigns.

He has ever been against better educational facilities since he was editor of the Times-Star at Terrell, Texas; down to the present moment.

As Tax Commissioner in 1899, with Jos. D. Sayers as chairman and R. W. Finley and Joe Lee Jameson as associates, he made a minority report urging the taxation of every church, lodge, cemetery and orphan homes of any church or lodge, but the majority report submitted by all the other members was adopted.

Immediately after his election as governor he removed the entire Board of Regents of the State University except one, and also removed Prof. Harris from the Southwestern Normal School at San Marcos.

In his message to the 32nd Legislature he advocated the abolition of the State School Tax and recommended a County Tax only. He vetoed the act increasing the scholastic age to 7 to 20 years of age. His record shows him opposed to Labor Legislation that would protect alike the laborer and the employer.

In his speech at Lubbock he made his strongest appeal on his penitentiary record and exhibited a "bat" which he claimed was abolished by him.

We will go into a minute examination of this matter which will disclose the fact that he is entitled to no more consideration on this record than any other law-abiding citizen.

At the beginning of the 1909 session of the Legislature—just two years before Colquitt began his term, a penitentiary investigating committee was appointed, on the recommendation of the then Governor, Campbell. The chairman of this committee was Clarence E. Gilmore. This committee made a thorough examination into every phase of the penitentiary question, and made an exhaustive report, the result of which was the enactment of present law, which was passed in 1910, the year prior to Colquitt's term.

This law, while not perfect, will compare favorably with any state

prison laws in the nation. Some of the wholesome requirements in this law was that religious services should be held in every camp at least twice a month; provisions at every camp for schools of instruction in the elementary branches of the English language and industrial education, suitable clothing, wholesome food and forbidding gambling of any kind. This law required the classification of all prisoners into three classes. The first class to consist of young men, first offenders, who are not hardened criminals. The second class to consist of the more vicious and the third class to consist of confirmed criminals. These are to be kept on separate farms and at separate prisons. The stripes were to be removed from all except those of the third class.

The "bat" used up to this time was a huge leather strap, but this was abolished and no whipping was allowed except the third class, and then the strap was to be only 2-1/2 inches wide and 24 inches long. Whipping had to be permitted by two members of the prison commission, and reported by the officer administering same.

In order that Governor Colquitt should not be handicapped this law did not become effective until Jan. 20, 1911, so that he might make his appointments of commissioners.

Notwithstanding this law was on our statutes he said nothing about the "bat" until some 13 months after his inauguration, and on the same day that Judge Ramsey's speech denouncing it was published.

Granting that he did what he claims, he did no more than any law-abiding citizen should have done, for the law passed before he was elected governor directed him to have these very things done.

Now we desire that you get your pencil and paper and figure a little on the financial condition of the penitentiary under Governor Colquitt's administration. All the figures used here are taken from the official report of the auditor of the penitentiaries, and the correctness of same can not be questioned. When Colquitt was inaugurated the penitentiary board had \$21,387.32 to its credit, and on June 1st 1912 it had a deficit to the enormous sum of \$1,207,743.58. In other words Colquitt ran the penitentiary in debt to this enormous

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At a meeting of the Lubbock County Ramsey Club last Friday afternoon it was agreed that an active speaking campaign be engaged in from now until the night before the democratic primary July 27th.

Local speakers will visit the several school houses in the county and also a number of speakers of state wide reputation will fill engagements here and other parts of the county.

There is no question in the minds of the Ramsey supporters that he will carry the county by a handsome majority, but they are not satisfied with a mere majority, but want to make it overwhelming for Mr. Ramsey.

W. H. Bledsoe returned last Friday from Cleburne, where he went to be with his brother who is in very poor health. He informs us that he took the sick man to the Amarillo Sanitarium for treatment, left him there and came home for a day or so and will go to the bedside of his brother again soon if needed. He is hopeful that the change of climate may be beneficial to him and his many friends here hope for the afflicted man a speedy recovery.

J. A. Canon was in from Slide Saturday.

Rev. J. P. Word preached at Post Sunday.

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Misses Lena and Grace Co who have been attending the South Plains Summer Normal this place, left Friday for the home in Pecos.

Jas. B. Posey was up from the ranch in the Southeast portion of the county Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Peovy of Gainaville is visiting at the home of M. and Mrs. E. P. Earhart.

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ings in all parts of Dallas. Cars
in all parts of the country
being shunted on the Dallas
sidings for the purpose of being
ready for the big shipments of
Elberta peaches which are now
out ready to be moved.
The cars used for the trans-
portation of the Elbertas are of
special type and are not used
for hauling refrigerated meats
like unless they have been
thoroughly cleaned and all
contents removed. It is declared,
due to the large peach crop
from East Texas, the switch tracks
in many small towns are inad-
equate and the larger cities are
being used for the purpose of
collecting the needed cars within
a reasonable reach. - Dallas News.

Notice
The Light Plant will be run-
ning day's of each week from now
till further notice. Users of
Electric Irons please take
care. Lubbock Light and Ice
Company. 46 if

Miss Vallie and Mary Dickin-
son left last Thursday evening
for a few days visit in Sweet-
water.

Miss Minnie Stoneham, of Col-
lege, is visiting at the home of
her cousin, Mrs. Scott Wolfarth.

FOR ROADS' EXTENSION
Estacado and Gulf to Complete
Line to Roby—Taking in
Town of Snyder

Fort Worth, Tex., July 6. - M.
J. Healy, President of the Esta-
cado and Gulf Railway, is in the
city arranging for the transpor-
tation of ties and rails, which
he says has been bought for a
further extension of the road
and for the completion of a
part of the road not yet finished.
The railroad is graded and
built from McCauley on the
Orient to the Clear Fork of the
Brazos and that stream is
bridged. From the river to
Roby the grade is finished to
Roby and some of the newly
bought rails are to finish that
gap, giving a Roby connection
with the Orient. From Roby the
work is progressing westward
to Snyder, forty-eight miles,
with Gail, in Borden county
twenty miles more, as the pre-
sent destination. When Snyder
is reached a connection with
Fort Worth will be made via
the Roscoe Texas and Pacific to
Sweetwater and from there by
the Texas and Pacific to Fort
Worth. While, said President
Healy, the work is actually in
progress, no definite date is set
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Tomorrow the Brownfield W.
O. W's. will celebrate with a pic-
nic, and many of our people are
going to enjoy it with them.

Esther Harris, who has been
attending the Normal here the
past few weeks, returned home
Friday afternoon.

CONTRACT FOR NEW RAILROAD
Texas, Gulf & Northern to Build
from Tucumcari, N. M.,
to San Antonio

Midland, Tex., July 10. - A
contract was signed today be-
tween the Midland Commercial
Club and the Texas Gulf and
Northern Railway Company for
the construction of a standard
gauge railroad from Tucumcari,
N. M., to San Antonio, crossing
the Texas and Pacific railroad at
Midland. The above named
company was chartered several
months ago and a survey made
of the proposed route. The per-
manent survey will begin July
15 and the construction work
will immediately follow. The
work both north and south will
begin at Midland, and the main
shops will be located at Midland.

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193, Revised Statutes, 52-4t.
J. B. MOBLEY.

Will Enter Contest
The Slaton Lodge I. O. O. F.
has degree work every meeting
night (Friday night each week)
and quite an interest is being
taken in the exemplification of
the dramatic work. Jim W.
Turner and R. J. Murray are
playing jockey to the goat. The
Lodge is also putting in special
preparation on the first degree
with the intention of conferring
at the South Plains Odd Fellows
Association which holds its 1912
meeting at Lubbock on August
1st and 2nd. - Slatonite.

J. M. Smith, of Stephens,
Arkansas, one of Lubbock coun-
ty's non-resident land owners
and for six years a subscriber to
the Avalanche, was here the
latter part of last week.

J. P. Cole, of Lamesa, who has
been attending the Summer Nor-
mal, left Friday for his home.
He has been the guest of W. H.
Long and family while in the city.

Davis Shaw was here from
near Abernathy, Thursday.

May Ship Rabbits
Plainview, Tex., July 11. - L.
T. Maynugh of Bunnyrun farm,
states that he intends to go into
the rabbit shipping business on
an extensive scale, rabbits being
a nuisance on account of rapidly
increasing numbers, since the
coyotes, their natural enemies,
have been killed out. Mr. May-
nugh says he has put bells on
two tame rabbits and trained
them to lead other rabbits into a
net-wire corral, where they
are easily captured.

He will ship them east in
cages, about a dozen to the
cage.

Miss Nell Arnett, of Colorado,
Texas, arrived Friday afternoon,
and will visit at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Geo. C. Wolfarth in
Lubbock, and also her brother,
Sam Arnett, of the Spade ranch,
near Meadow.

Miss Willie Cowan, who has
been spending a few weeks visit-
ing friends in Lubbock returned
to her home in Colorado City last
Friday.

D. N. Arnett Sr., of Colorado,
Texas, was here a few days last
week.

J. W. Elliott was here Friday
from his ranch near Slide.

Mrs. Joe Penney visited rela-
tives in Tahoka the first of this
week.

Mrs. Griffin spent a few days
in Lamesa this week.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1913

BOQUETS

Truly, youngsters develop rapidly in West Texas, or at least this is true regarding news-papers. On July 4th, the Lubbock Avalanche celebrated its 12th anniversary, and for a 12-year-old it is, from a journalistic standpoint, a wonder indeed. In relating its growth, the editor, James L. Dow, tells of its birth as a 4-column folio and its growth within just a little more than a decade to a 6-column quarto, while at the present time it rarely appears with less than 16 pages. The Reporter congratulates the Avalanche over its rapid growth, and also congratulates the people of that hustling city upon the possession of such a splendid paper. Here's hoping the Avalanche will experience the same measure of prosperity, not for the next twelve years, but for all time to come.—Sweet-water Reporter.

Last week the Lubbock Avalanche rounded out its 12th year of publication. When the Avalanche was first launched in Lubbock, it was only a four-column, four-page paper, now it has made its way up to a six-column, from fourteen to sixteen pages each week and has distinguished itself among the best country weekly's in the state under its present management. So here's hoping the Avalanche many more successful anniversaries.—Ralls Banner.

The Lubbock Avalanche is 12 years old. The people of Lubbock support their paper the best of any town on the Plains. Every doctor, lawyer and professional man in the city carries a card in the paper. Practically every real estate man advertises. Every store of any size has from a half to a full page ad every week. The smaller stores have from an eighth to a quarter page. Every business man in

town has some kind of an ad in the Avalanche. Every business man knows that the Avalanche goes out as an index to the kind of a town Lubbock is, and as a result every fellow sees to it that the Avalanche is the best newspaper in West Texas. Editor Dow is a live wire and gives the people a fine newsy paper with twelve to twenty pages every week. Long live the Avalanche.—Randall County News.

The Avalanche man sometimes feels as though his efforts to furnish Lubbock an up-to-date newspaper are not appreciated; we feel like giving up sometimes and turning our pencil over to some one else, when all at once a ray of light, loaded with good cheer and encouragement breaks in upon us and we take a new hold on our work. Our determination is increased and every drop of our Scotch blood is warmed to the extent that we want to clasp hands with the builders of the great South Plains town—Lubbock and never cease to push her upward to the heights that she is destined to reach.

The above editorial mentions from brother editors of the South Plains, in neighboring cities, whom we regard as competent to judge the worth of a paper like the Avalanche, encourages us to press onward; it makes us feel like we are doing good and so long as we are representing a good cause and doing so in a way that reflects credit to our town and ourselves, we renew our energies and sharpen our pencil for another year's work for the up-building of Lubbock and the development of the South Plains country—Come to Lubbock!

The Avalanche expects to have something to say soon about some new bricks to be erected in Lubbock, within the next 90 days. Something is going to be doing. Come to Lubbock.

JAKE WRITES US A LETTER

The other day one of the editorial writers of Home and State received a letter from Jake Walters, headquarters, Houston, marked, personal, and on opening it found an epistle begging us to vote for him for United States Senator, and among other reasons for his urgent request, he said my motto is, "Do more and talk less." For this very reason we cannot support you, Mr. Walters. You have done entirely too much, for the right sort of people to vote for you. Let us particularize:

1. You are a corporation attorney and the most of your professional life has been spent in the service of special interests. The Pullman Car Company has had you on its pay roll for years and you have been their faithful servant. We do not blame you for accepting their fees and in return giving them your best endeavor; but such has been your fidelity to this corporation and your work for them before the legislatures of Texas that you are not fitted to serve the people. A man can not serve two masters.

2. For years you have been a professional lobbyist and every legislature for years has had you banging round it like a vulture round a carcass. You have been a familiar figure in the committee rooms and round the hotels button-holing members and putting yourself on the most familiar terms with them, and you have done this not for the improvement of your health, but in the interest of your corporate masters.

3. You were the lobbyist of the brewers and liquor dealers at Austin when submission was first pending before that body and you used your secret influence to defeat the will of the majority of the Democrats of Texas and to spurn the platform demands of the people. Large sums of money during that time, according to the published letters of Sam Levey, a wholesale liquor dealer of Fort Worth, were put into your hands to be used to accomplish the defeat of submission, and during that time you were found playing poker with members of the legislature, and you had a specific object in such diversions.

4. You were the hired chairman of the Anti-Prohibition campaign committee during the late prohibition campaign, and vast sums of money were placed in your hands for the defeat of prohibition, and you spent it lavishly, and when the legislature requested you to give the amount of this money, the source of it, and the uses you put it to, you flatly refused to do it, and your attorney, Jonathan Lane, told

the legislature that you "would rot in jail and hang from the gallows before you would do it!"

5. Finally, you are not competent to fill so high a place as that of United States Senator. You have not the mental training for such duties. You have some general education but it is the sort that fits you for selecting jurors in criminal cases, for lobbying before the legislature, and for scheming and conspiring to accomplish underground ends. When it comes to lofty intellect, the refinement of culture, varied attainments in history and literature, clean motives and transparency of character, you are very much lacking. As a trickster in law, a conspirator in politics, a consummate master in the handling of slush funds, and a marvelous ability to extract money for campaign purposes from brewers and whiskey interests you are a marvelous adept. But in matters of clean politics, of open-heartedness in your dealings with the public, and in your interest in moral, civic and political weal of the people, to say nothing of a high order of statesmanship, you are the monumental failure on all parts of the ground. No, Mr. Walters, we can not think of voting for you!—Home and State.

Yes, and Jake wrote us a letter too, and he has sent us numerous communications for publication, including a bunch of plate matter containing his speech, but to save us from destruction we cannot endorse a man for any office that so rigidly holds out for that which is such a damnation to the country as the whiskey traffic, and although he may not have any influence in the United States Senate, and we believe

that he will be a mere notch on a stick, should he be sent there, still we have men in the race who have a clean record on the prohibition question, hence we expect to support Mr. Sheppard for this high office. We believe he is Jake's superior as a statesman and will be of some worth to us when sent there.

There is a better opportunity for the man with a few hundred dollars to get a home in the west than there has been for a number of years and possibly ever will be again.

Lubbock, after all is possibly a much better place than you give it credit for.

The Avalanche does not printing that makes the people of the town blush when they see it. We turn out only the kind that any man can show to the people that come here and not be ashamed to say that it was printed at Lubbock. Our printers know how to print; they have the material to print with; and when you see a job that is real printed you may know that was done at the Avalanche office.

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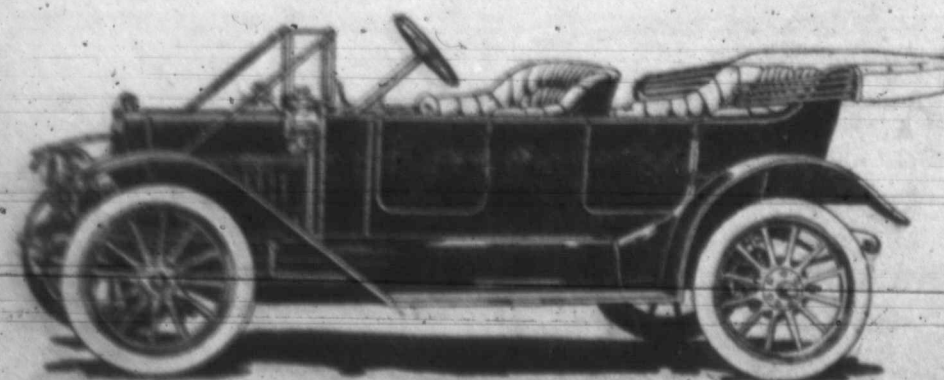
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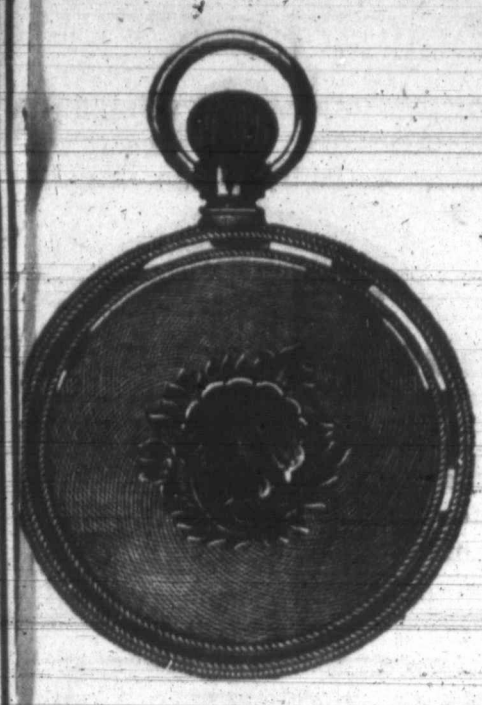
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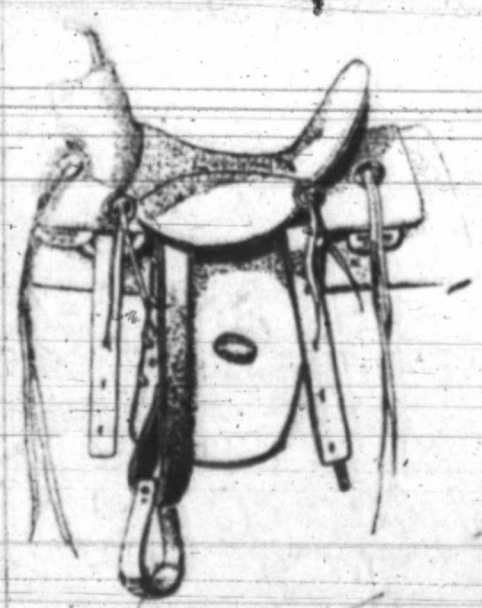
CITY LUMBERING & SHEET METAL WORKS

PHONE - 383
V. E. Hargett, wife and daughter of Terry county, were here Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Hargett returned home Friday, but their daughter will remain in Lubbock having accepted a position as stenographer in the law and abstract office of W. D. Ben-

Homing Pigeons
Agent J. P. Kyle of the Wells Fargo Express Co., turned loose the two pens of Homing Pigeons received by him yesterday afternoon at sunrise this morning and it was a beautiful sight to see them strike out bound for Fort Wayne, Ind., on a thousand mile trip.
In one coop there were twenty-seven birds and in the other seventeen, the latter being racing birds and the others just on a try-out trip back home in the East.
The twenty-seven after being released circled the T. & P. depot and struck abee-line toward the rising sun while the racers didn't fool away any time circling but sailed away rapidly towards the sun as she was peeping above the horizon.
They were sent here by the Old Fort Homing Club of Fort Wayne, Ind., and L. H. Gebfert of the same city.
These people frequently send them here and have been for years. -Avalanche Reporter.

Mrs. A. A. Peoples, accompanied by her two children, Laurie and George, arrived Saturday from Waco, and will spend the summer in Lubbock. They formerly lived here and have many friends in Lubbock and surrounding country who are pleased to have them with us again, even if only for a short while.

W. S. Posey, cashier of the Lubbock State Bank left Sunday afternoon for San Angelo and other points in Southwest Texas. He will spend a few days on Devils river hunting and fishing and will be absent from Lubbock about ten days.



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Motor Car Service

Accommodation service is to be established on the Quanah, Acme & Pacific railroad between Quanah and Paducah, in the very near future, according to Charles H. Sommer, first vice president, who was in Fort Worth yesterday en route from St. Louis, his headquarters, to Quanah.
This service will consist of motor cars that will accommodate eighty-five passengers, and to these will be attached trailers for handling baggage and express.
These cars will stop at every station and all sidings when flagged, for the purpose of picking up passengers or express. By this means the farmers will be able to send their fruit, truck, milk, butter, eggs and whatever product they wish, direct from their farm to the market.
Mr. Sommer reports crop prospects better than ever before and that cotton acreage is twice as much this year as last, and in excellent condition. -Fort Worth Record.

Poultry Show at Plainview
Plainview, July 11. -The South Plains Poultry association met here and decided to hold the next annual show in Plainview, January 2 to 9. Plainview will raise about \$500 to finance the exhibition. The cash premiums offered are larger than those offered by the Dallas fair. The interest in poultry raising has rapidly increased in this section the past three years.

Mrs. S. W. Cowan, of Erath county arrived in Lubbock the latter part of last week, and left for Gomez, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Bell Rambo.

EXCESSIVE HEAT IN NORTH

Many Fatalities And Scores of Prostrations in Northern Cities

Pittsburg, Pa., July 9. - In the stifling heat of the last twenty-four hours three persons perished, victims of an extreme temperature, and more than a score of prostrations were reported to the police stations.
The official temperature was 94, but on the streets all afternoon the thermometer stood at 101.

Chicago, Ill., July 9. - Six more deaths from heat were recorded today in this city. There were fourteen serious prostrations and fifteen persons were bitten by rabid dogs. Many horses fell dead in the streets and the general working public went about in a listless manner, seeking the shady side of the street and avoiding any unnecessary exertion.

Chicago, however, was not alone in its misery. Dispatches tonight tell of three deaths in Boston, six deaths and three suicides in Philadelphia, where thirty-four persons have perished of heat within a week; four dead and two score prostrated in New York, three deaths in Pittsburg, one in Cincinnati and one in Kenosha, Wis. Telegraphic advices from numerous small cities throughout Illinois, Iowa, Indiana and Wisconsin tell of many prostrations, a majority of which will eventually result in death.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 9. - Three prostrations from heat were reported in Milwaukee today, none of the cases being serious. Thermometers registered 95 in the shade.

It sometimes gets hot in Lubbock. It's hot now, but we always have a good breeze which prevents the heat from getting a death grip on man or beast - fact is, we enjoy comparatively cool weather in Lubbock, while the people in Chicago, Philadelphia, New York and other large cities in the north are sweating their colors down and suffocating on account of the excessive heat. Come to Lubbock!

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Zoeller left Saturday for Cleburne, where they will make their future home, where Mr. Zoeller has accepted a position with the laundry at that place as foreman.

Arthur Kelsey was here from near Lorenzo Monday and paid this office a pleasant call. He reports crops very good; needing rain a little, but not suffering greatly for need of moisture.

Rev. J. P. Callaway was here Saturday from Abernathy.

Yale Expedition

Plainview, Tex., July 10. - The expedition from Yale University in search of fossil horses has arrived in the Plains country and is located in Briscoe county, about seven miles from Silverton. The expedition is under the charge of Prof. Richard S. Lull, a paleontologist and author of "The Evolution of the Horse," and many other books. This book shows that the early horse was about the size of a cat, and that the equine family has been developing in stature ever since; hence the enormous bones that are so frequently found in this section must be of some mammoth, and certainly not of the early horse.

Buy a coupon book and save 5 to 15 cents per 100 pounds on your ice.

Last Friday morning, July 5th, at 10:15, at the family residence in Floydada, Mrs. E. P. Henry wife of County Judge Henry, passed away after a protracted illness of twelve months. She had been in a low state of health for several months, and her death was not unexpected. In her death there is left to mourn her demise a husband and three children, Mrs. T. M. Bartley of Tahoka, S. A. Henry of Lockney and Wells Henry of Floydada. To these, and the bereaved husband, the Beacon extends sympathy in this their hour of sorrow. Lockney Beacon.

Oma Lee Travis arrived on the north bound passenger Saturday and spent a few hours between trains with Murrel Adams, of this city, who accompanied her to her home in Emma, and will spend a few days there.

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Mrs. Ed Arion, of Plainview, who visited here several days, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Rhodes, left Friday afternoon for her home.

Mrs. T. T. Easter, who has been visiting Mrs. Clara Abney several days left Saturday for her home in Lamesa.

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Representative W. R. Smith today appointed Henry M. Goode of Roby principal for a West Point cadetship and Howard D. Fulenwider of Abilene and Cecil P. Simpson of Sweetwater alternates.

ENGLAND RESENTS LAWS

Objects To Allowing American Vessels Free Passage Through Canal

Washington, D. C., July 11.—Lines were drawn tonight for a great diplomatic battle between the United States and Great Britain over the question of whether the United States can discriminate in favor of American vessels in its administration of the Panama canal.

The question may go to The Hague tribunal. The American government takes the position that there is nothing in the Hay-Faunceforte Treaty to prevent this concession.

The diplomatic struggle was precipitated today by a note read from Mitchell Innes, of the British Embassy. It is expected to be fought out along the following lines:

Great Britain will take the position that the Hay-Faunceforte provision in favor of the American vessels in the conduct of the canal would operate against the provision of the Panama Bill now pending before the Senate.

Great Britain's position will be supported by a lengthy argument brought to Washington from London. The United States will hold that so long as all foreign ships are accorded the same treatment, the United States may pass her own ships free or rebate the tolls charged them.

Representative Sulzer, chairman of the House committee on foreign affairs, in supporting the bill said:

"I am surprised that the British government now objects to the United States regulating the tolls of her own ships passing

through the Panama Canal.

"We will treat the objection with the dignity it deserves. The British government should not complain if no toll discrimination is made against British ships in favor of those of some other nation. We have the right under the treaty to charge or not charge tolls on our own ships."

Sulzer's position is supported by Taft and Secretary of War Stimson.

The State Department will probably allow Congress to make a reply to the British government when the time comes.

If the bill becomes a law over Great Britain's protest, it is likely that the matter will go to the Hague tribunal as a court of last resort.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Donelson, who reside in Mitchell county, and who were returning from Moore county, stopped over in Lubbock a few minutes Friday and were the guests of the editor and family.

Mr. Henry Darden and family of Abernathy, passed through Lubbock Saturday en route to Brownfield, where they go for a few days for a visit with relatives at that place.

Crosby Crop Reports

Crosbyton, Tex., July 11.—Wheat is going to be the money crop of this section of the country. Notwithstanding the heavy damage done by hail, the wheat is threshing out in good quantities of the highest grade and quality. Wheat purchasers have been active for the last week in this vicinity, endeavoring to obtain concessions on all in this vicinity. Four carloads are being shipped over the Crosbyton South Plains Railroad this week. Other crops are coming along nicely and there will be an abundance of feed stuff of all kinds that will find its way over the railroad to the market centers.

The cotton crop will be a little short this year on account of the hail and a great deal of this acreage is being plowed up and sown in kaffir and maize.

Ice! Ice!! Ice!!!
Buy coupon books and save 5 to 15 cents per 100 pounds on your ice. 46 tf

Texas Big Grasser

National Stock Yards, Ill., July 10.—The largest grasser ever received at this market from Texas reached the St. Louis National Stock Yards Tuesday and received the highest price ever paid at this point for cattle of that class. The steer weighed 1,530 pounds and was sold at 9 cents per pound, or \$137.70. The grasser came in as part of a consignment of ten carloads of cattle from the 400,000-acre ranch of Edward C. Lasater at Falfurrias.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lemond left Friday for Hale Center, where they will spend a short time visiting.

Railroad Visitors

Sam Lazarus president of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific railroad, C. H. Sommer, Vice-president of the same road, and C. B. Dorchester of Sherman, treasurer of

the Q. A. & P., came in Monday and went out over the line to Quanah Observer.

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Notice to Voters
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The primary election is close at hand, and since the office of District Judge is a most important one, I trust that the people will consider well the matter of choosing the man they wish for judge.

I have carried my fight to the people, and have called their attention to the waste of time and money in the conduct of trials by Judge Spencer.

His campaign letter is misleading and deceives the people in that he keeps back so much of the truth. The whole truth being that of the 60 odd cases tried at the Lubbock term of court, he tried only two by jury, and used a jury only four days of the term. He continued all other jury cases both civil and criminal. If the court does not use juries, there is no need for jury expenses.

Another misleading statement in the campaign letter sent out by Judge Spencer, is that, which would indicate that he goes out of his way to charge the grand jury specially on bootlegging violations. The fact being that the law compels him to make these special charges on bootlegging violations. So that he does not go one step further than the law makes him go.

Some very strong evidence that he is not so solicitous about the enforcement of the law is found in the fact that he turned the Mexican loose on his own bond for the sum of \$500 - no security at all. The Mexican had been in jail for more than 12 months without trial and was the main witness in four other cases. If the Mexican's own honor does not bring him back, there will be eight cases go off the docket by reason of this action of the court.

I have contended through the campaign that there has been too much waste of time and too heavy an expense to the counties in the trial of cases. It is the people who bear these expenses. I am fighting for a principle and that principle is that the affairs of this office should be administered in the interests of the people, and not in the interests of individuals.

Judge Spencer has published his appellate court records, but he does not tell the people the character of the cases affirmed nor of those reversed. That has much to do with such a record. A foreclosure suit, wherein the parties are only fighting for time, and in which there is no complicated points of law, is quite different to a suit in which there are intricate questions of law for adjudication.

The people however, are more interested in the actual trial of the cases than in the results of appeals. In appeals the litigants alone bear the expenses, while in the actual trial of the cases a large part of the expenses are borne by the people. And the farmers of the country are entitled to have the business of the courts dispatched with all the speed possible consistent with a due administration of the law, and that they shall not be held needlessly in the trial of cases, from their business.

I have been fighting this campaign in the interests of the farmers and the people in general, and calling attention to the waste of time and money which falls upon them to bear, and the people at the polls on the 27th will, I am sure, record their protest against such waste by naming me as their choice for the judgeship. I am resting my case with them.

JOHN H. MOORE

Girl Dragged 400 Yards.

Roby, Tex., July 14. - With the reins caught around her body the little three-year-old baby girl of Mrs. A. C. Walker of this city, was dragged 400 yards by a runaway horse Saturday and escaped serious injury, though she was bruised about the face and body.

Mrs. Walker and her two little daughters were out driving when the harness broke and the horse became frightened. Mrs. Walker was thrown out of the buggy and severely bruised, though her injuries are not regarded as serious. Shortly afterward the harness broke loose from the buggy and the little girl who was trying to stop the horse, was jerked from the vehicle and dragged on after him until the reins became disentangled from her body. A younger child was left in the buggy unhurt.

Mrs. H. A. Davidson returned Wednesday from a two and a half months visit to relatives in Mississippi and Tennessee.

Democratic Platform-Briefs

Downward revision of the present tariff duties, especially upon necessities of life, and a gradual reduction, so as not to interfere with or destroy legitimate industries.

President Taft arraigned for vetoing tariff bill of the last congress.

Blame for high cost of living put upon the tariff.

Need for enforcement of criminal features of anti-trust law.

Additional legislation to crush private monopoly.

Prohibition of holding companies, interlocking directors and stock watering.

Republican administration condemned for "compromising with Standard Oil company and tobacco trust."

Presidential preference primaries and direct election of national committee.

Party pledged to enactment of law prohibiting campaign contributions by corporations and unreasonable contributions by individuals.

A single presidential term of six years.

Extravagance of republicans denounced and call made for economy.

Efficient supervision and rate regulation of railroads, express companies, telegraph and telephone lines and a valuation of those companies by the interstate commerce commission and also legislation against over-inflated stocks of these corporations.

Revision of the banking laws as will give temporary relief in case of financial distress and denunciation of the Aldrich bill prepared by the monetary commission.

Method of depositing government funds condemned and the party pledged to the enactment of a law for the deposit of such funds by competitive bidding in state or national banks, without discriminating as to locality.

An investigation of agriculture credit in Europe to ascertain whether a system of rural credits may be devised suitable to conditions in the United States.

Party pledged to the enactment of legislation to prevent devastation of the lower Mississippi valley by floods and the control of the Mississippi is declared to be a national rather than a state problem.

Maintenance of a navigable channel recommended.

Employees' compensation law.

Encouragement of Agriculture, and legislation to suppress gambling in agricultural products.

Fostering growth of merchant marine and speedy enactment of laws for safety.

Pure food and public health demands.

Reorganization of the civil service laws.

Law reform legislation.

Russian treaty and citizenship abroad.

Parcels-post and extension of rural delivery.

Generous pension policy favored.

For Smuggling Cattle

El Paso, Tex., July 11. - Lee Prude, a cattleman of the Van Horn district, appeared in the United States Commissioners' Court today and surrendered himself for arrest on the charge of conspiracy to smuggle cattle from Mexico. It is alleged that Prude was implicated in the supposed cattle rustling case with Hal McCarty, when 200 cattle were brought across the river from Mexico illegally. A warrant was issued for Prude but he could not be found at the time McCarty was arrested. Upon learning that there was a warrant for him, Prude came over from Van Horn and surrendered himself. He waived the preliminary hearing and was bound over to the Federal Grand Jury. His bond was fixed at \$2,500, which he was able to give, and he returned to Van Horn on the afternoon train.

Hats \$1.00

From now until the first day of August I will clean and re-block all hats for \$1.00, regular price \$1.50. Bring in your old hats now and have them made new. J. W. Atkins, the hatter, at Lubbock Tailor shop. 211

Dr. McClure, of Dallas, representing the Southern Methodist University was here several days this week and preached a splendid sermon along educational lines at the Methodist church Sunday morning after which he took a subscription for that school and we understand secured something above \$1,000 from Lubbock educational sympathizers.

Rural Items

County News from Various Sources

ACUFF

Acuff, Texas, July 15. - We would appreciate a good rain and prospects are good for same. Stock of all kinds are doing well.

Everybody is up with their farm work and waiting for rain. J. J. Baker has a very sick boy, (2 years old.)

R. G. Russ and R. E. Hoops are helping the County Judge run his court this week.

Arthur Kelsey had business at Lubbock Monday.

E. R. Davis had business at the County Capital Monday.

Walter Burford is over helping his father do some work.

Voy McBride and Mother and sister are visiting at Tahoka this week.

Political speaking at the Acuff school house Monday night, July 22nd. All candidates invited.

Brother Sanders filled his appointment at Acuff Sunday. A number of Lubbock people were out, among the number were, Oscar Phillips and wife, W. S. Clark, Misses Stella Brown and Genell Boyd.

Wilson Murrell and wife of Coleman, were in our community Sunday looking over the country and to see their old time friend, L. O. Buford.

Some of the Acuff folks attended services at Canyon school house Sunday evening, where Bro. Sanders preached.

J. H. McClung is visiting his daughter Mrs. T. C. Greenhill, at Lubbock this week, and attending the protracted meeting.

HAPPY JACK.

ABERNATHY

At the Baptist church on Thursday evening after the picnic was over the people of Abernathy were entertained by a recital in music and expression by Miss Little Glenn and Miss Nora Cowart and to all present it was one of the best features of the day although it was crowded with pleasures.

Misses Glenn and Cowart are both graduates of Seth Ward College and their work is a living evidence of thorough training and noble accomplishment. One fourth of the net profit was given to the Ladies Aid work here and our best wishes go with them while we are hoping for their return soon.

We have been blessed with abundance of good rains. Farmers are wearing that broad smile that will not come off. Watermelons will soon be bringing that delightful savor that is so pleasing to the old and young alike. Grass has once more increased the daily milk supply and with cheerfulness the cow is fattening upon its abundance. Feed crop prospects, have once more illuminated our vision of the future, and without a doubt our barns will be loaded to their capacity.

Abernathy witnessed one of the largest assemblies in its history here yesterday at the Odd Fellows Picnic. Somewhere in the neighborhood of about 500 people congregated themselves together in the merriments, and had an old fashioned good time.

THESE ARE EXCITING TIMES

But if you wish to feel perfectly safe and easy you should have a Bank Account.

That one who has a substantial bank account is a power in the independent element of our country.

You do not need to have large sums of money to open an account with us.

We appreciate accounts of the small depositor as well as the large one.

Let us help you make your account profitable to you as well as to ourselves.

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J. J. REYNOLDS

they were driving took fright at a red motorcycle ridden by two men from Amarillo. The horse ran away, upsetting the buggy and dragged the occupants a matter of 100 yards or more. Mr. Guthrie is more than thankful that the horse kicked loose from the buggy and saved them from more serious injuries, as it was they were only slight.

Mrs. H. C. Hinton, of Floydada, has been here this week, the guest of Mrs. Arnold Brown. Mr. Hinton has resigned his position as agent at Floydada on account of his failing health and will move to Rockport, Texas, to reside in the future.

Dressed Chickens All The Time

Phone us your orders and we will do the rest. They are fat and nicely dressed. Remember that Home-made Lard is better than the other kind.

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