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## BUILDING ACTIVITIES IN LUBBOCK

### RADFORD'S BIG WHOLESALE HOUSE GOING UP RAPIDLY—WORK BEGINS ON BANK AND ROBINSON BUILDINGS

### ALL SUBSTANTIAL BUILDINGS OF MODERN DESIGN

Will All Be Ready for Occupancy by the Early Part of the Coming Year. Tenants are Anxious to Get Moved Into Them. Others Will Probably Be Ready to Begin Before These are Finished.

Building activity is rife in Lubbock at this time. A big lot of workmen are at work on the various buildings and there will be a great change in the appearance of things in old Lubbock within the next few weeks. The big wholesale house of J. M. Radford Grocery company is going up rapidly and it looks like it will be ready for occupancy in the early hours of the New Year. Material is being assembled for the construction of the new Lubbock State Bank building, and work has already been commenced on the demolition of the old one. This building is supposed to be completed by February of the New Year. The old buildings on the Robinson lots on the South side of the square are being torn down and the ground cleared for the new brick building which was mentioned as being contracted for last week. These are all substantial buildings, modern

designed and will add greatly to the appearance of the city, and also to the convenience to those who occupy them. We hear through Madam Rumor that there will be other buildings commenced soon, or at least by the time these are completed. We have not been able to get direct authority on this however, and we do not vouch for the statement, but it is the general opinion that a number of good bricks will be commenced within the next few months. Lubbock's splendid building attract the attention of the prospector. He is astonished and comments most favorably on their substantial appearance and the modernness of their construction. More than half a dozen men from as many different sections of the country have expressed their surprise at the splendid buildings in the city, as well as the many other evidences of permanent improvements in Lubbock.

### A BIG CATTLE SALE

Hundred and Four Calves Bring Nice Sum of Seven Thousand and Five-Hundred Dollars

We overlooked in our last week's issue to make mention of an exceptionally nice cattle deal consummated on about the 14th of this month. George M. Boies, the Lubbock Hereford breeder, sold to J. E. White, manager of the L. F. D. ranch in Lamb county, 104 registered Hereford calves for the neat little sum of \$7,500. These calves were shipped from here to Roswell, N. M., and there they will be wintered on Mr. White's big alfalfa farm, and will later be used in the famous L. F. D. herd.

Lubbock people are selling and shipping out this season some of the best bred and finest stock that is to be bought in any man's country. Our stockmen, as a whole, realize that the very best is what they want and are raising it, and parties desiring fine stock that is bred up to the very best come to Lubbock to buy it. Let them come for we have plenty more, not only in the way of cattle, but horses, mules and hogs as well.

Who is the greatest woman in all history? One hundred and fifty school teachers recently answered the question, and with enthusiasm and unanimity the judges awarded the prize to the one who made this reply: "The wife of a farmer of moderate means who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society and has time for intellectual improvement."

Attorney Bledsoe made a business trip to Tahoka the latter part of last week.

J. L. Higginbotham was in from the ranch the early part of the week.

### Thanksgiving Day

November the 21st, 1912—We the undersigned merchants of Lubbock, hereby agree that we will close our stores and places of business all day Thursday, November the 22nd, the same being a day of general thanksgiving as proclaimed by the President of the United States of America:

- Long Bros.
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- Lubbock Mercantile Co.
- Spikes & Son.
- Martin & Wolcott.
- W. E. Robinson.
- J. H. Moore.
- C. E. Hunt.
- Wheelock Dress Shop.
- J. E. Stephens, Dg. Co.
- Jno. P. Lewis & Co.
- Simeon O'Neal, Agent.
- D. C. Worsham.
- R. A. Rankin & Sons.
- L. B. Wright.
- W. A. Brown & Co.
- Western Windmill Co.

30 Thanksgiving Pardons  
Austin, Tex., Nov. 16.—Thirty pardons, most of them conditional, will be issued next week by the Governor for Thanksgiving day. The governor makes it a custom to issue a limited number of pardons on this holiday.

The stock of gent's furnishing goods of Simeon O'Neal, was moved last week into the building recently occupied by the Palace Barber shop and the big "War Sale" has been in full blast this week, and the people of Lubbock and vicinity have had an opportunity to get goods at a great bargain.

Mrs. Eva Outhouse was a pleasant caller at our office Wednesday and authorized us to send the Avalanche to her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Custis, formerly of Lubbock, now of Sinton, Texas.

Mrs. Frank E. Wheelock, who has been quiet dangerously in the past week, is greatly improved at this writing.

### THE FAIRY SHOEMAKER

An Operetta Given by School Children For Benefit of The School.

Miss Harriet Brown, the music teacher in the Lubbock High School, is preparing an entertainment to be given in the Opera House, Friday evening, Nov. 29th. It is given for the benefit of the school and about sixty of the school boys and girls will participate in it. Following is an outline of the play:

A party of Shepherd Boys are asleep in the forest. The Fairies find them and tell them to wake. As the boys waken the fairies vanish. The boys grumble about their hard work and are just about to begin their daily toil, when a Pedlar interrupts them. Displaying his various wares, he entices the boys to buy the "Secret of Wealth." He then vainly tries to sell them the "Secret of the Magic Hammer." They hustle him away with rude jeers. Breaking the seal of the secret, they read a description of the "Fairy Cobbler's Dwelling." He lives in a tree trunk deep within the forest and there he has a wondrous store of gold. The boys decide to seek him and appropriate his wealth. They discover the "Cobbler" at work, surrounded by fairy customers, who vanish. The boys seize the Shoemaker and steal the gold. Rejoicing over their good fortune, and dazzled by the gold, the boys forget their captive, who seizes his "Magic Hammer," compels them to stand rigid. The fairies enter and remove the gold to a safer place, and the Shoemaker causes the boys to sleep, telling them the adventure will only remain in their minds as a dream.

### PRINCIPAL CHARACTERS

- Fairy Shoemaker: Fannie B. Carter.
- Pedlar: Ouida Carter.
- First Fairy: Lina Wester.
- Second Fairy: Estelle Needham.
- Third Fairy: Zell Richards.
- Fourth Fairy: Bernice Wolfarth.
- Fifth Fairy: Maedell Wester.
- Head Shepherd: Stuart Cafe.
- First Shepherd: Harold Hughes.
- Second Shepherd: Harold Miller.
- Third Shepherd: Eugene Bowling.
- Fourth Shepherd: Toy Gilliland.
- Fairy Girls: Willetts Waters.
- Aline King, Verba Wilson, Alit Johnson, Margaret Robbins, Rosabel Elliott, Elizabeth Chapin, Glenys Haney, Katherine Cole, Et Freda Spikes, Yancy Lee, Alice Lee, Grace Farris, Eka Rankin, Ruth Zott, Fern Wheelock, Opal Ellis, Bernice Dickinson, Edith Wheelock, Edna Gilliland, Ruby Clark, Virgie Johnson, Thelma Fitzgerald, Eva Purser, Vera Bentley, Mildred Prang, Mildred King, Lucile Taylor, Corrye Perdue, Lorena Wellburn, Sylvia Wilson, Lela Fay Simmons, Pansy Posey, Evelyn Posey, Ruth Elliott, Gladys Dean, Grace Herd, Mary Dickinson, Pearl Webb, Ora Brown, Lura Brown, Dorothy Russell, Edith Carter, Ruby Ramp, Wilma Farris.

Shepherd Boys—Eldon Acuff, Ernest Lindsey, Cecil Honey, Marvin Overton, Arthur Baker, Guy Pierce, Bryan Dillard, C. W. Ratliff, Paul Clark, Oscar Meredith, Carlisle Tubbs, Weldon Woodriddle, Lawrence Bacon, Carl Hensley, Ewell Hunt, Forest Scott, George Brown, Elliott Taylor, Aubry Taylor, Rankin Dow, Bod Carter, Bennie Greenhill, Clarence Farris, Odwin Cate, David Seitz, Verd Way, Leon Prang, Harold Hughes, Byron Parker, Eugene Balling, Maurice Hall, Raymond Woodriddle, Bennie Lane, William White, Lester Miller.

The buildings on the south side of the square, on the Robinson lots are being torn down this week, clearing the ground for the new brick building to be erected on that site.

### CROSBYTON SEEMS WINNER

Court of Civil Appeals Affirms Judgement of the Lower Courts

Crosbyton scored another vital point in the contest for the county seat of Crosby county yesterday, when an opinion, signed by Chief Justice Huff, was handed down in the Court of Civil Appeals, affirming judgment of the lower court.

The law allows a specified time in which motion for rehearing may be filed. Should this period elapse before the necessary action is taken, the final chapter in this interesting litigation will doubtless have been written. The case which was appealed to the Court of Civil Appeals was reversed and rendered during the last term. Questions were then certified to the Supreme Court of Texas, which handed down an opinion reversing and remanding the case.

Peculiar features, centering about the exact central point of the county, made the contest an unusual one, and presented technical points for consideration of higher courts.

The citizens of Crosby county, by a heavy vote decided that the seat of the county should be removed to Crosbyton from Emma, and the contest, which has been keenly waged, grew out of that result. Sunday Amarillo Daily News.

### The "Ringling" Sale

This is the caption for a page ad in this issue of the Avalanche which you will find on the 3rd page. It is the ad of Wheelock Dress Shop, one of our most popular Millinery and Ladies furnishing establishments. The sale is one of the ordinary and is attracting considerable attention on the part of the public. A large church bell is placed at the front door of this popular store and when business opens up in the morning the big bell peals out the glad tidings to the public. Read the ad for further information about prices.

### Doing Good Business

Our merchants are a busy set this week. All of them seem to have all the business they can attend to and wagons well filled with supplies and the necessities of life are noticed leaving in every direction. They came from a great distance, some of them, but they know when they get to Lubbock they will find what they want and at correct prices. Lubbock is recognized as a good place to trade by people over several counties, hence they come to Lubbock.

Attorney Pearce, formerly a citizen of Lubbock, but now a leading lawyer of Plainview, was in the city this week looking after legal matters in District Court.

Judge J. L. Stacy, of Keetsville, Mo., father of Mesdames J. W. Bacon and W. R. Adams, is visiting his daughters this week.

T. L. Ball, of Plainview, was in the city the first of the week looking after the interest of the eating public.

L. W. Daiton, a prominent attorney of Plainview, was here this week looking after matters in district court.

A. J. Bryson, of Brownfield, spent a day or so of this week in our city looking after business matters.

Messrs. Underwood and Norris, both nephews of J. L. Norris, of this city, are visiting here this latter this week.

J. Burleson of Venice, spent Tuesday in the city.

## DIAMOND RING AND ORGAN CONTEST

### VOTING SEEMS TO BE LIGHT THIS WEEK—MISS ABNEY MAKES HANDSOME GAIN

### LINDSEY SCHOOL HOUSE ENTERS CONTEST THIS WEEK

Miss Lula Kate Wiley and Miss Effie Norris are New Candidates Placed in the Race for the Diamond Ring and Other Prizes. Many Votes Being Collected and Reserved.

There has been no sensational changes in the Diamond Ring and Organ Contest during the week. In fact the vote has been very light compared with previous weeks. Miss Wilson maintains her lead, though her gains this week were very small. Miss Hurst, though no voting was done for her during the week still holds second place. Miss Debardeleben third, and Miss Abney rolled up the biggest week's vote and took fourth

place with a gain of 4,893 votes since last Thursday. Miss Mildred More requests that her name be dropped from the list, which accounts for it not appearing in the line up in this issue. Miss Lula Kate Wiley is entered with 641 votes to her credit, while Miss Effie Norris is entered with 500 votes.

Until this week the Carlisle Sunday School has been having everything coming their way, but the Lindsey school proposes to divide honors with them, and although the Carlisle school has

### The Sneed Case

The jury for the Sneed case was procured late Saturday evening and the second trial of J. Beal Sneed for the killing of Al G. Boyce, Sr., was begun Monday morning. A number of witnesses have been examined and the case is progressing as rapidly as possible. Every bit of the evidence is being watched closely by both sides and it will be one of the hardest fought legal battles ever known in Texas. It is one of the most noted criminal cases ever on the docket of a Texas court and great interest is manifested in the proceedings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall, of Petersburg, were here shopping Thursday and Mr. Hall was a pleasant caller at our office. Mr. Hall states that conditions are very favorable in his community. A big lot of feed stuff is being gathered and quite a lot of cotton remains in the field at this time. Two threshers have been running regularly the past few weeks threshing maize and kafir corn and quite a quantity will be shipped out latter on.

Mr. Lee Underwood, of the Amarillo Bank & Trust Co., was an attendant at the Norris-Fry wedding, being a cousin of the bride.

Alex Norris, of Lockney, nephew of our townman, J. L. Norris, came down and visited over Sunday with his uncle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Merriweather, of Lockney, were in the city to attend the wedding of their friends, Mr. Fry and Miss Norris.

The Palace Cafe moved this week from the Robinson building on the south side of the square to the building across the street from the Nicolett.

D. F. Diltz, of Strawn, was here a day or so this week.

a handsome lead of over 18,000 votes, still the Lindsey supporters promise them a run for the organ.

The vote stands at noon Thursday as follows:

Miss Willie Wilson	12,036
Miss Minnie Hurst	9,559
Miss Babe DeBardeleben	7,496
Miss Carrie Abney	6,023
Miss Bernice Cox	4,559
Miss Lula Kate Wiley	641
Miss Grace Hawkins	501
Miss Effie Norris	500

### ORGANIZATIONS

Carlisle Sunday School	18,949
Lindsey School House	500

Many votes are being collected and held in reserve, and there will likely be a startling changing up of the standing of some of the contestants before the next count is made. A special prize will be given away on the 6th of December to the young lady who makes the greatest gain between November 6th and December 6th. The prize to be given away on that date will be a gold necklace.

### Commissioners Court

Commissioners Court reconvened Saturday, Nov. 16th, and the bonds of all the county officials were approved, and the following business was transacted: Jno. R. McGee, L. M. Knight, Geo. M. Boles and Bob Penney were each allowed \$9.00 for services in that court.

County Clerk was ordered to draw a warrant in favor of the Lubbock Sanitarium for \$20 per week for the care of T. Martin, who is confined in that institution.

E. R. Haynes, County Judge, was allowed \$6.00, for services as President of Lubbock County Trustees. This is to be paid out of the school fund.

Rev. S. D. Cox, wife and two children, of Lorenzo, spent Tuesday night at the home of Rev. Lane. They were en route to Plains where Rev. Cox will have charge of the Methodist church at that place the coming year.

W. A. Jamison was among the many prospectors in Lubbock the past week. Mr. Jamison lives in Tyler, but from the way he talked to a representative of the Avalanche, he will soon become a citizen of Lubbock.

Another large railroad crew reached Paducah Monday and are working on the Quanah, Acme & Pacific out of that city. This crew consists of a large force of men, teams and a complete outfit of tools.

The Cleburne Peanut and Produce Company purchased nine cars of peanuts from Dickens County growers last week. The price paid was 84 cents per bushel and over \$6,000 changed hands through this transaction.

Mrs. C. C. Boyd returned this week from an extensive visit to her daughter. Her many friends are pleased to have her home again.



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- "A Masterpiece" - Washington Post.
- "An Epoch Making Play" - Chicago Inter-Ocean.
- "True to Life" - Chicago Life.
- "The Thing to See" - Harper's Weekly.
- "It is a Play of the World for the World to See" - Harper's Weekly.
- "The Best Example of Dramatic Work Now Extant" - New York Evening Post.

PRICES 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Curtain at 8:30 Sharp.

#### FROZEN SILAGE A PERIL

Farmers Were Warned Last Winter Against Use of Tainted Forage

Farmers of Wisconsin were warned last winter against the use of frozen silage, by J. L. Torney, of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. The unusually cold weather froze the silage in almost every silo, and in some cases considerable trouble followed when this feed was given to the stock. Sheep usually fed victims to frozen silage more readily than cattle. One man lost over half a dozen sheep in one night.

"No bad results occur when the silage is fed after being thawed," says Mr. Torney. It must be remembered, however, that, after thawing, the silage will mold readily, and must be fed almost immediately. During cold weather it is wise to keep the edges of the silage in the silo somewhat lower than the center. A good way to thaw out the frozen material is to cover it with silage not frozen. Some cover the silage in the silo with a blanket. Another way to thaw it is to fill the silage cart and let it stand in a warm place over night. Some people hang a lighted lantern in the silo to keep the frost out."

The belongings of Thomas M. Collins, who was killed here some three weeks ago, was sold at public auction Saturday afternoon and brought a total of \$465.50. They consisted of a team of mules, one work horse, a fine race mare, and grading outfit consisting of plows, wagon, etc.

G. W. Short, a prominent business man of Tahoka, was in city the first of the week attending District Court.

J. E. Stokes, proprietor of the Stokes hotel, of Tahoka, was here the first of the week attending District Court.

A. G. Hume spent Friday and Saturday in our city looking after business matters.

Thomas Abraham, a prominent citizen of Plainview, was in our city Saturday.

J. H. King was in from his ranch in Cochran county Saturday.

J. C. Burns returned Saturday from a business trip to Abilene.

#### SLATON'S NEW PREACHER

Slatonite Welcomes Rev. Callaway But Regrets the Loss of Brother Overton.

The Methodist annual conference at Abilene closed Sunday after one of the most successful sessions in the history of that body. The Rev. J. P. Callaway, last year at Abilene, was sent to the Slaton church. Slaton is placed in the Big Springs district, and joined with Tahoka in one charge. The Rev. G. E. Overton was placed in charge of the mission work of Lubbock county, to preach at the school houses of the communities which have members enough to form a church class. While the Slaton church extends a very hearty welcome to the new pastor, it is not without regrets that Brother Overton is no longer pastor. His work in starting the new church in the new town, (always a very trying situation,) has been faithful, conscientious and efficient, and he has made a large number of close friends here who appreciate the service he has given to the church. But he owns a very nice and comfortable home in Lubbock which he would dislike to leave, and conference evidently considered Slaton about large enough for a resident pastor. W. H. Terry is presiding elder.

Read the ads of "The Servant in the House" in other columns of this issue. The highly recommended play will be presented at the Lyric Theatre, on the evening of the 26th. The local management has the assurance of it being one of the best of the season.

Mrs. Ollie Wilkison returned Friday from Anson, at which place she has been making an extended visit.

S. H. Anderson, a prominent citizen of Rotan, spent the first of the week in our city.

J. J. Nettles was in from Slide Monday.

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#### Cupid Busy in Midland

Midland, Nov. 14.—James D. Armond, a prominent attorney of Midland, was married this week to Miss Norma Patterson, of Maryville, Tenn. They will make their home in Midland. Other marriages solemnized here this week were as follows: Miss Helen Francis and Charles Goldsmith, Miss Una Jelks and Newwine Ellis, Miss Gladys Jelks and Frank Youngblood.

Mrs. Mattie Brown, who was operated on at the sanitarium here some few days ago, was able to leave Saturday for her home at Petersburg.

B. F. Reeves was a business visitor in the city Saturday from San Antonio.

O. C. Collins visited in the city Saturday and Sunday.

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E. E. Roos was here from Plainview Saturday.

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Miss Mildred Moore returned Saturday from Waco and Austin, at which places she spent her vacation. She reports a most enjoyable time, but was delighted to get back to Lubbock.

J. E. Perry, who visited home folks and looked after business matters in Midland last week, returned Saturday and reported a nice trip.

Mrs. Nelson, who visited her daughter, Miss Sue, at Petersburg, last week, came in Friday.

L. W. McPhaul was in from his Terry county ranch the latter part of last week.

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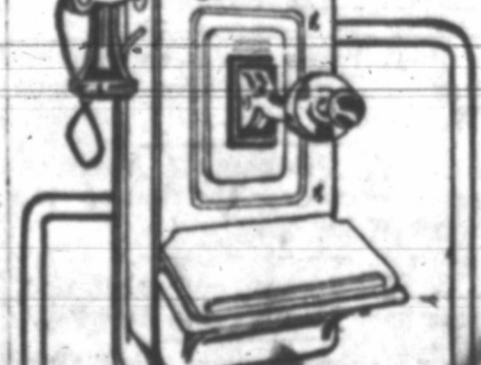
The Red Cross Drug and Jewelry Store sells Dodson's Liver Tonic at fifty cents per large bottle, and guarantees it to be harmless to both children and grown-ups. Remember the guarantee and try a bottle, next time your liver gets lazy.

Will Cozort, formerly a citizen of Lubbock, but for the past year of Roswell, N. M., spent a few days the latter part of last week in our city. Will expressed himself as being wonderfully and agreeably surprised at the rapid and substantial growth of Lubbock.

Allie Hunt and Dr. O. F. Peebler, who had been in the mountains of New Mexico for the past two weeks hunting big game, came in Friday and reported a nice outing and plenty of game.

Miss Bernice Cox, who has been living at the Carletos hotel for the past two months, left Friday for her home at San-Benito.

T. O. Earhart left Saturday for California and will be gone several days.



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I have many warm friends in your town and county. Wishing you continued success in your journalistic career, I am  
Yours truly,

Rev. B. F. Dixon writes us from Brownfield to send his Avalanche to that office from this date, having moved from Plains to Brownfield by order of the Association, and will make Brownfield his headquarters this winter.

J. L. Tuckness was here Friday and Saturday from his home near Ranger Lake, N. M. Mr. Tuckness came in after several wagon loads of freight for that place.

Wm. Ripperton, of Brownfield, was registered at the Lubbock hotel Saturday. He had just returned from an extended visit in Oklahoma.

Dan Connelly, of Amarillo, spent a few days the latter part of last week in our city.

D. C. Sullivan was in from the ranch Monday and Tuesday.

## Buggies And Harness

I have a full and complete line of MOLINE BUGGIES, HACKS AND SURREYS. If in need of any of them call and inspect my line. I also handle a complete line of HARNESS. Will be glad to see you.

**Jno. W. Cone**  
GREENHILL OLD STAND NORTH SIDE SQUARE  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

### There's a Reason

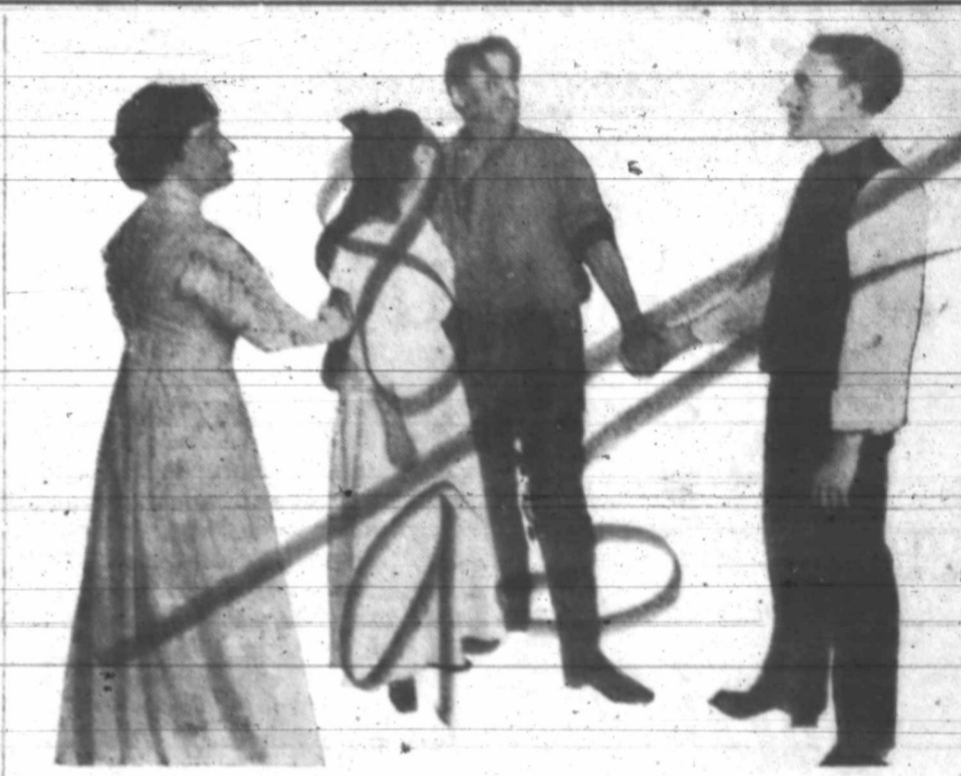
Dr. B. M. Johnson and family have arrived from Lubbock. They car of household goods came in Friday, and were moved to their residence in the north-east part of town. Mr. Johnson moved from here to Lubbock over a year ago but found there was no place like Hereford.—Hereford Recorder.

True, there is not another place under the sun just like Hereford. Dr. Johnson is not moving away from Lubbock altogether because there is "nothing doing" here, but he had property in Hereford, that he could not sell at any price (because there was nothing doing) so that he could buy a home in Lubbock—hence he goes back to the old homestead to get the use of his property. The Avalanche regrets to lose Dr. Johnson and good wife and now since "times are prosperous" in the vicinity of Hereford we hope he will also prosper and finally come to Lubbock—again.

C. W. Alexander, formerly of this city, but now of Marfa, was here the latter part of last week shaking hands with many old friends and looking after business matters.

Jim Williams was in the city between trains Friday. He was on his way to his home at Crosbyton.

Miss Ora Lawrence was in the city Sunday from the V ranch.



Lubbock, Tuesday, Nov. 26.  
**THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE**

### Hotel Changes Hands

Friday at noon of last week, Mr. C. E. Howard, of Plainview, took charge of the Carletos hotel and will conduct same in the future. Mr. Howard comes to us well recommended, having conducted a hotel in Plainview for some time and is widely known among the traveling men and we are sure he will make a decided success of the Carletos, however, the name of the hotel will be changed to the "Hotel Howard." Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ralph, the former proprietors,

left on Friday's train for Mineral Wells and Fort Worth. The Avalanche join the people of Lubbock in extending to Mr. and Mrs. Howard and family, a hearty welcome to our city, the "Pride of the Plains".

H. H. Timmons, of near Meadow, accompanied by his son, were pleasant callers at our office Friday. Mr. Timmons is one of the most successful farmers in the South Plains country and marketed the best watermelons in Lubbock that were brought to town.

### If Your Watch, Clock or Jewelry

needs repairing, I can do the work correctly. I guarantee every job and my prices are reasonable.

**Prompt Attention Is Given To Mail Orders.**

Send your watches to me by registered mail and I will examine them and tell you what it will cost to put them in running order. Or will act upon your instructions.

**W. S. NORTON, JEWELER**  
WITH RED CROSS DRUG AND JEWELRY STORE

# LUBBOCK GRAIN AND COAL CO.

EAST BROADWAY PHONE 194

A big Stock of Grain, Hay, Feed Stuff of All Kinds, Also Wholesale Flour and Meal. A Good Supply of Coal Always on Hand.

Town Orders Delivered Promptly to Any Part of Town.



**The Baking Powder Question Solved**

—solved once for all by Calumet  
For daily use in millions of kitchens has proved that Calumet is highest, not only in quality but in leavening power as well—unfailing in results—pure to the extreme—and wonderfully economical in use. Ask your grocer. And try Calumet next bake day.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-size baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

While John Penney and Judge Joe Stokes, of Tahoka, were speeding their car across the prairie near Idalou Tuesday morning, they ran into a ditch some few feet long and several feet deep and three or four feet wide. The only damage done to the car was that the engine was torn loose from its resting place and a few cans of gasoline, oil and cushions thrown out. John and Joe put the engine back where it ought to have stayed and tied it there with barbed wire, and came into town with colors flying.

**Turkey turkeys!**  
I have some nice fat turkeys for sale, 10 cents per pound. Cheaper than beef.  
20 tf M. C. McCURRUMEN.

Joe Peterson, a prosperous farmer, who lives in the edge of Lynn county, was in the city yesterday, marketing cotton and buying the needed supplies from our merchants.

Ben Edenburg was here from Gaines county yesterday and stayed over until this morning.

**Church Notes**

[We will be glad to make any announcements of Church Service, Programs, etc., in this column free of charge, where no revenue is received from the services.—Editor.]

**SUNBEAM PROGRAM**  
Sunday, Nov. 24th, 2:30 p. m.  
Subject—My Tenth.  
Hymn.  
Prayer.  
Roll Call.  
Bible Reading.  
Recitation—Vigie Johnson.  
Recitation—Clarence Seitz.  
Hymn.  
Recitation—Katherine Atkins.  
Adjournment.

**AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching both morning and evening. Covenant services at the morning hour. Supper at 2:30 p. m. Choir practice 3:30 p. m. Preaching 7:15 p. m.  
Subject: "Jesus the Great Specialist."  
L. T. GRUMBLES, Pastor.

**SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Regular services at the South Side Christian Church next Lord's Day. Thomas N. Plunkett, pastor; J. D. Quick, Bible School Supt. Services as follows: Bible School 10:00 a. m.; Sermon 11:00 a. m.; Communion 12:00 a. m.; Evening Sermon 7:00 p. m.; Prayer and Praise Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

A cordial invitation and a hearty welcome to all. All members are urged to be present. Mrs. Plunkett will sing a solo at each service this Lord's Day. You are invited. Come.

**BAPTIST LADIES AID SOCIAL**  
The Baptist Ladies Aid was entertained by Mesdames Hudson, Mitchell and J. H. Long at the pretty Broadway home of Mrs. Long last Monday evening, a large number being present. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening reported by all present. These meetings are profitable in many ways besides the social feature.

**THANKSGIVING SERVICE**  
There will be a union Thanksgiving service held in the Cumberland Presbyterian church in this city Thursday, November 28th, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. All the local churches are requested to attend and participate in the service. Rev. L. T. Grumbles, pastor of the Baptist Church of Lubbock, will have charge of the program for this occasion. The Cumberland church choir will have charge of the music, and desire the co-operation of all the church choirs in the city. Rev. Thomas N. Plunkett, of the South Side Christian Church, will preach the Thanksgiving sermon. A cordial invitation is extended to one and all to attend this union service.

**BAPTIST LADIES AID SOCIETY**  
Subject—Missionary Training.  
Hymn.  
Prayer.  
Bible Study—Mark 3:13-19; I. Timothy 4:13-16; II. Timothy 12:15—Mrs. Trent.  
Reading—Mrs. Grumbles.  
Introduction, by Leader.  
Physical Qualifications—Mrs. Wright.  
Mental Qualifications—Mrs. Hudson.  
Other Qualifications—Mrs. Long.  
Spiritual Qualifications—Mrs. Bryan.  
Missionary Training—Mrs. Arnett.  
Training School, Louisville, Ky.—Mrs. Mitchell.  
Reading—Mrs. Miller.  
Hymn.  
Closing Prayer.

See Spikes & Son before you sell your grain.  
A. J. Cantrell was in our city from Stephenville yesterday. He claimed that he had fallen very much in love with Lubbock and the Lubbock country and that he might possibly purchase some property here before returning home.

**Stock Notes**

Plainview, Tex., Nov. 11.—A large number of cattle are being shipped into the Plainview country to be fed this winter, since the feed crop of Hale county is so abundant.

Plainview, Tex., Nov. 11.—More than forty car loads of fat hogs have been shipped out of Plainview this season. It is said that Hale county ships more hogs to the Fort Worth market than any other county in Texas.

**YOKUM COUNTY NEWS.**  
J. S. Webber moved 210 steer calves which he bought in the Broneo neighborhood, to his home pasture this week. They are as fine calves as have ever been gathered in this part of the country.

J. M. Yates and sons have recently bought more than 400 steer calves. They bought about 350 from Messrs. Arthur Cotton and King Bros., and the balance about Gomes.

B. O. Brown was here from Plainview Tuesday.

**Neighboring County News**

**GARZA COUNTY**

**C. C. SLAUGHTER WINS LAND SUIT**  
A case of much interest to a number of counties in Western Texas and to many holders of land in that section of the state has just been decided by Judge Buck of the Forty Eighth district court. The suit was that of Yoakum county vs. C. C. Slaughter. The verdict was in favor of Slaughter.

The suit was brought by Yoakum county for four leagues of land, or about 17,600 acres. The land is part of that surveyed for unorganized counties by the act of the Legislature of March 26, 1881, Yoakum county at that time being an unorganized county. The suit also asked for removal of cloud from title and for the cancellation of patents to the land purporting to have been issued when an act of 1883 to Shackleford county for public school purposes, under which county Slaughter holds his title to the land.

Yoakum county claimed title under the act of 1881, while Slaughter claims it under the act of 1883.

**HERD SHROPSHIRE**

John Herd left Sunday for Colorado City, at which place he was married to Miss Eloise Shropshire on Tuesday.

Mr. Herd is one of Post City's most intelligent and popular young men, having been connected with the First National Bank in the capacity of assistant cashier for some time.

Miss Shropshire is one of Colorado City's most popular and accomplished young ladies, and her friends are numbered by those who know her.

Mr. and Mrs. Herd went from Colorado City to New Orleans and other points on a wedding tour, and will be at home in Post City after December 1st.

**NEW BRICKS**

E. W. Clark has let the contract for three new brick business buildings to be built on Main street just east of J. W. Thames' Tailor Shop.

W. P. Crenshaw, of Snyder, has the contract for the construction of these buildings and will start the work at an early date.

**DRINGS AT THE POSTEX COTTON MILL.**

Work on the Post Power Plant is progressing rapidly. The

buildings will be completed within the next two weeks and work on the steam plant will be begun immediately. One of the 300 horse-power boilers has already been received. A large amount of machinery for the Postex Cotton Mills has been received in the last few days, and experts from the various plants that supplied the machinery are erecting same.

The Double U Company recently shipped three loads of hogs to the Fort Worth markets.

**DAWSON COUNTY**

J. E. McCarty, one of Dawson county's best citizens, last week left with his family for the Coast country, where they will make their future home.

O. E. Witte was in yesterday for the two-fold purpose of qualifying as Commissioner from precinct No. 2 and at the same time handing in his resignation as school trustee in his district.

**A Great Ranch To Be Cut Up**

Major Geo. W. Littlefield, banker and cattleman, of Austin, Texas, owner of the famous Yellow House ranch in Lamb and Hockley counties, across which the Santa Fe is rapidly constructing the last link in its Pacific ocean to Gulf line, known as the Texico-Coleman cut-off, makes the following offer to actual farmers:

To the first thirty-five men, heads of families, who will buy fifty acres or more of the Littlefield Lands deeds will be executed with these remarkable provisions:

No cash payment; no interest for first year, in lieu of first cash payment purchaser is required to move on land and make improvements thereon to the amount of \$500, by the 1st of May, 1913; purchaser required to farm at least 40 acres during 1913. After having used land for one year purchaser may in cash one-fourth purchase price; balance payable in one to ten years at six per cent interest payable annually. Price of land, \$16 to \$20 per acre. No grubbing; land ready to plow.

To the purchaser erecting shos and preserving the feed raised Major Littlefield will sell on credit all the white face cattle the land buyer has feed to fatten. These cattle are out of the famous L F D herd. You have a chance to get this magnificent land at the cheap "ahead of the railroad" price, and the unusual opportunity of engaging in the stock farming business without investing a dollar in cattle. Can you beat it? It isn't the money the owner of these lands desires so much as it is to settle the same with a class of industrious, progressive, prosperous farmers. There isn't a body of finer land in the United States. In the great shallow water belt. No country has more water or better water. Irrigation by pumpage is being planned, and you will have the advantage of increase in values from that source. In the center of this tract is the town of Littlefield, now in the making. Arrangements will be made whereby no home on the track will be more than two miles from a school house. Be one of the first thirty, write us quick, and be sure to inclose this advertisement.

**ARTHUR P. DUGGAN,**

Sales Manager Littlefield Lands, 20 4t Lubbock, Texas.

Jack Lynn, of Greenville, spent yesterday in Lubbock. Mr. Lynn has some land out several miles west of us and had been out to see about same. He declared that he was well pleased with his property and expected to add to it in the near future.

Buy a Cream Separator and make your living at home. Martin & Wolcott sells the best Separator on earth, the "Sharples." We have different styles and prices to offer you. Come and see them. 20 1t

I. L. Hunt, of Canyon, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Joe Kerble was up from Sour the first of the week.

**Classified Ads.**

**FOR SALE—One 5x7 Camera,** especially good for copying and enlarging. Inquire at the Brown Studio. 20 2t

**FOR SALE—TRADE—One bay horse,** 7 or 8 years old, 17 hands high, weight 1,000 pounds. Albert S. Johnson. 20 1t

**FOR SALE—Two story house** containing bedrooms, nearly new. Rather than move than to sell lots, will give good terms. W. A. Spencer, Agent. 12 tf

**WANTED—Good hand sacks,** must be in good condition. Lubbock Grain and Coal Co. 19 tf

**Schrank May Be Adjudged Insane**

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 19.—That John Schrank, who shot Roosevelt is insane will be the unanimous report of the five alienists appointed by Judge Backus, to examine the prisoner's mental condition, was the statement of court officials. Their report will probably not be presented to the court until Thursday.

The commission held what is expected to be their last session with Schrank today. If Schrank is adjudged insane it will be impossible to prosecute him for attempting to kill Col. Roosevelt, and the only alternative is confinement in the insane asylum.

**Box Supper**

There will be a box supper at the Carlisle School House Thanksgiving night for the benefit of the Sunday School. Come and bring a box.

Editor Brown, of the Hale County Herald, was a pleasant caller at our office the early part of the week. He was well pleased with the appearance of our city. He has not been with the Herald many months but is making a decided improvement in the paper, and the Avalanche wishes him continued success.

G. S. Allen, of Granite, Okla., who will soon move to Amarillo, and a land owner of Lubbock county, was a very pleasant caller at our office yesterday afternoon. Mr. Allen may remain in our city several days looking after his interests here.

O. R. McAfee of Canyon City, was registered at the Howard Tuesday.

B. B. White was here from his home in Amarillo, Tuesday and Wednesday.

E. M. Pittman of Amarillo, spent a few days the first of the week in our city.

A. J. Bryant, of Estacado, was here Monday and Tuesday.

O. E. Adams was here from Brownfield Tuesday.



**GOOD BUILDING PAPER**

makes a great difference in a house. The cheap, flimsy kind neither keeps out the cold nor the heat. What you need is the thick substantial kind. It

**WILL KEEP OUT THE COLD**

in winter and keep out the heat in summer. It is not true economy to skimp on your building paper. At the same time there is no use of paying more than you have to for the right kind. Come and see about the matter. We can probably meet your desires in both directions.



**Stop**

Before you buy roofing, it will be money in your pocket if you will carefully investigate the cost and service you will get from

**Certain-teed Rubber Roofing**

Easy to lay—guaranteed 15 years—costs less. Give it a trial—get our prices now.

**A. G. McADAMS LUMBER CO.**

A. K. Jackson, of Abilene, was here this week on a prospecting tour of this part of the state and stated to a representative of the Avalanche, that this was the best part of the plains country he had seen and thought that before leaving here that he would own a small slice of it.

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

J. D. Jenkins, a prominent stockman of Aspermont, spent a few days of this week in our city.

Miss Amy McLarry returned Tuesday from a weeks visit to friends in Canyon City.

**Notice - Notice**

The Cream of Anything is Always the BEST. Therefore THE CREAM OF PLAINS FLOUR IS THE BEST BY TEST

Sold By **SPIKES & SON** PHONE 243

**THANKSGIVING DINNER**  
Your table will be complete if you furnish it from our store. The best is not too good for you. Let us sell you a nice turkey.  
**MARTIN & WOLCOTT**

# A RINGING SALE

OF SEASONABLE GOODS AT

## Wheelock's Dress Shop

### STOP! LOOK! LISTEN! THIS MEANS YOU

TICKETS GIVEN WITH ALL SALES  
AT OUR RINGING SALE

On the Voting Contest  
for a Diamond Ring,  
Watch, Organ, and  
other Valuable Articles.

We have a fine line of Ladies' Coats, Suits, Skirts, Millinery,  
and Ladies' Furnishings generally, that we are going to  
turn at once and give the purchasers the profits. Hand-  
some Garments Predominate This Stock.

**10 DAYS--Beginning Promptly at 9  
O'clock Wednesday Morning, Nov. 20  
and Continuing Until Saturday  
Evening, Nov. 30.**

**50 NEW ONE PIECE DRESSES 50**  
50 One Piece Dresses just in,  
Chameuse, Crepe Meteor,  
Messaline, Whipcords and  
Serges, in Navies, Blacks,  
Greys, Browns, Reds and  
Black and White, all go in our  
Ringing Sale, prices ranging  
from a nice One Piece Hand  
Embroidered Serge Dress at  
\$4.20 to a \$25.00 Satin Cha-  
meuse for \$18.99.

We give a small list below that you may have an idea of the Tremendous Values that await your coming—we can give you an idea only, on paper. You must attend this Ringing Sale in order to realize the great bargains we are turning out.

Dress Skirts	Ladies' Coat Suits	Misses Long Coats	Ladies' Long Coats
We have an elegant line of Skirts that all go in this Ringing Sale. This line includes Tans, Browns, Navy and Black in the serges. New Whip Cords and Chiffon Panamas of the very latest patterns, in fact the finest line in West Texas.	All \$27.50 and \$30 Ladies' Coat Suits, Ringing Sale price <b>\$21.50</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$16. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$11.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$35. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$23.75</b>
Skirts positively worth \$12. Ringing Sale price <b>\$8.40</b>	All \$25 Ladies' Coat Suits, Ringing Sale price <b>\$17.49</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$15. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$10.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$25. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$19.75</b>
Skirts positively worth \$10. Ringing Sale price <b>\$7.00</b>	All \$22.50 Ladies' Coat Suits, Ringing Sale price <b>\$15.49</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$14. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$9.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$22.50. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$16.75</b>
Skirts positively worth \$9. Ringing Sale price <b>\$6.30</b>	All \$20 Ladies' Coat Suits, Ringing Sale price <b>\$13.99</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$12. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$7.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$20. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$14.75</b>
Skirts positively worth \$8. Ringing Sale price <b>\$5.60</b>	We have a few nice Satin Lined Coat Suits positively worth from \$18 to \$25. Ringing Sale price on these suits <b>\$9.99</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$11. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$7.49</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$18. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$12.99</b>
Skirts positively worth \$7. Ringing Sale price <b>\$4.90</b>	<b>Head Scarfs and Veils</b> A nice assortment, all very much lower than can be bought elsewhere during this Ringing Sale.	Misses Coats, positively worth \$10. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$6.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$16. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$10.99</b>
Elegant Black Voile Skirts at just one-half of regular price. To move these skirts quickly we will sell them at just 50 cents on the \$1.00.	<b>Petticoats of all Kinds</b> Silk, Muslin, Gingham, Heather-bloom and Satin, at astonishingly low prices during this Ringing Sale.	Misses Coats, positively worth \$9.50. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$6.49</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$14. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$9.99</b>
<b>Fleeced Kimonos</b> Good, full, \$2.00 quality. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>Beautiful White Flannelette Gowns</b> Soft and warm and cuddley. These gowns we thought cheap at \$2.00. Now they are going during this Ringing Sale at <b>\$1.49</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$8. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$5.99</b>	Ladies' Coats, positively worth \$14. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$9.99</b>
<b>Silk Kimonos, All Prices</b> \$6.50 Garment for <b>\$4.00</b> \$16.00 Garment during this Ringing Sale <b>\$12.00</b>	<b>Flannelette Gowns</b> Full and long, regular \$1.25 value. Ringing Sale price <b>99c</b>	Misses Coats, positively worth \$7.50. Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$5.59</b>	And a few odd sizes in Ladies' Long Coats, great values at Our Ringing Sale price <b>\$5.75</b>
<b>Cotton Crepe Kimonos</b> All colors—\$1.75 value. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.29</b>	<b>Muslin Gowns</b> Splendid \$1.00 value. Ringing Sale price <b>79c</b>	<b>R. &amp; G. Corsets—Best on the market</b> Regular \$1.25 value. Ringing Sale price <b>99c</b> \$1.75 value. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.29</b> \$2.00 values. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.49</b> \$2.50 values. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.89</b> \$3.00 values. Ringing Sale price <b>\$2.19</b> \$3.50 big value. Ringing Sale price <b>\$2.59</b>	<b>Waists</b> Silk and Cotton Waists all go during this Ringing Sale at very low prices.
<b>Ladies' Gloves</b> Kid, Silk, Knit and also Kid Gauntlets, all at a big reduction during this Ringing Sale.		<b>Ladies' Fleece Ribbed Vests and Pants</b> , good 40c values, positively sold during this ringing sale at <b>29c</b>	<b>Hair Goods</b> One-third off on all Switches and Hair Goods during this Ringing Sale.
		<b>Ladies' Fleece Combination Suits</b> , full 75c values, sold during this ringing sale for <b>59c</b>	We have also a large assortment of Barretts, Fancy Combs, Fancy Ornaments for the Hair, Jewelry, Toilet Articles, Dress Pins, Safety Pins, Hair Brushes and Combs, Purses, Handkerchiefs, Ruching—Yoh will find these all priced at great money saving values to you. We are reserving nothing at this time.
		<b>Ladies' Fine Soft Fleece Combination Suits</b> , long sleeves, high neck, regular \$1.50 garment. Ringing Sale price <b>\$1.19</b>	Amazingly low prices prevail throughout the store for ten full buying days. Our prices ring true for the great values offered. Our Hosiery line is full and complete, and during this Ringing Sale we will sell you Hosiery so cheap you can't afford to darn the old ones (by hand).

We need your Money—you need our Goods and you will not be able to buy Goods of this Quality and Style at these prices again this year.

REMEMBER THE DATES—OUR RINGING SALE COMMENCES WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 20TH, AT 9 O'CLOCK SHARP AND CLOSES SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH

**MILLINERY**  
We have yet a fine assortment of Trimmed Hats, all new and late styles—"Right Up To Now." Every Trimmed Hat in the house goes at just Half Price during this Ringing Sale.

**WHEELOCK'S DRESS SHOP**  
THE LADIES STORE  
LUBBOCK

**RIBBONS**  
A large assortment of Ribbons of all kinds and widths. All Ribbons will be sold at Ringing Sale prices at just half price—50c on the \$1.00.

HIGHEST GRADE TOOLS FOR  
CARPENTERS OR BUILDERS.  
**HARDWARE**



THAT IS  
RIGHT IN  
QUALITY  
& PRICE

A good workman uses good tools. Good tools cost no more than poor tools. With the best tools neither workman nor tools lose their temper. The tools we sell are sharp and remain sharp. While our tools are even tempered, our prices are right. No sharp practice used by us, only to plane down the price.

**The Western Windmill Co.**  
PHONE 127

**WALL PAPER**  
Artistic and up to date  
Cheaper than Ever. Pic-  
tures artistically framed.  
A. J. Towle North Side Square  
Phone 269.

Miss Ruth Atterbury, formerly of this city but now of Spur, passed through our city Tuesday en route home from a visit to Amarillo.

O. W. Fry came over from Lockney Tuesday and spent a day or so in our city.

Mrs. F. S. Franklin and daughter, sister and niece of Mrs. K. Carter, of Amarillo, spent last week here the guests of the Carter home and returned home the first of this week.

W. E. Bouy came down from Amarillo Tuesday and spent the day here looking after business matters.

Mark McMahon of Bonham, was looking after business matters here the first of the week.

A. J. Bryson of Brownfield, spent Tuesday in our city.

**SOMETHING DOING IN ARK**

When the Rittles Come to Town  
There is Something Doing  
in Merchandising

The Roscoe Times says—"Our friend, F. B. Stone, takes the Perryville, (Ark.) News, which is printed in Mr. Stone's old home county. From the last issue of this paper we take the following article. We have been boasting the superiority of West Texas in most everything but here is one time we pass the plum over to the mountain family of Arkansas.

Will H. Rittle, a mountain farmer living near Lead Hill, came to town yesterday with his wife and 20 children, to trade. He is the head of one of those families whose individual members are out-fitted from head to foot but once in a year, and that is the beginning of the winter. He, Mrs. Rittle and all the little Rittles were fitted out by local merchants. The family arrived in town yesterday and camped over night near the small creek that flows through Lead Hill. They were making their purchases before 6 o'clock in the morning, the goods they bought almost filled their wagon bed. Twenty two pairs of shoes made the most interesting display in their winter supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. Rittle were married 21 years ago. Their 20 children include two sets of twins. The oldest child is 20 years old and the youngest twins are but four months old. There are 11 boys and 9 girls. All the young Rittles are strong and healthy, and Mrs. Rittle, who is 41 years of age, looks to be but little older than her elder daughter."—Perry County News.

**FOR DAINTY TOILET ARTICLES**

You should see our Rexall line. It is superior to any on the market.

**IN PURE DRUGS**

Our store is not excelled. Our stock is kept complete and we pride ourselves in having exactly what you want.

**OUR PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT**

is well cared for. None but experienced pharmacists who know exactly how to compound Drugs.

To The School Children:

Get Your Pens And Ink Here.

**Red Cross Drug & Jewelry Store**



**Each and Every One a Speed Shell**

The speed that breaks your targets nearer the trap—that's why Remington-UMC Steel Lined Shells have won 13 out of the 15 handicaps held in the last three years.

The speed that gets that mile-minute "duck" with a shorter lead—that's why it takes over 50,000 dealers to handle the demand for Remington-UMC Steel Lined Shells.

The Shooting fraternity are speed wise. They know loose smokeless powder won't drive shot. They know that the drive depends on the compression.

The powder charge in Remington-UMC shells is gripped in steel. This lining is designed to give the exact compression necessary to send the lead to the mark quickest. It insures speed—the same speed in every shell.

The steel lining is moisture proof—no dampness can get through. Jar proof—no powder can get out. Waste proof—no energy is lost.

Shoot Remington-UMC Arrow and Nitro Club Steel Lined Expert factory loaded shells for Speed plus Pattern in any make of shotgun.

Remington Arms-Union Metallic Cartridge Co.  
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**Sunday Night Blaze**

Fire was discovered in the home of J. E. Northcutt, on Slaton Street, Sunday night about 9 o'clock. Nobody was at home, and before the fire company was called to the scene practically everything was licked up by the flames.

Mr. Northcutt's insurance had expired only a short time previous to the fire. Besides household furniture some money and a valuable diamond ring burned.—Hale County Herald.

Wm. E. Taylor presented the Avalanche editor with a mess of extra fine turnips this week, for which he has our thanks. They were "dandies" and we can testify to their quality as well.

Dr. Carter of Crosbyton, was in Lubbock Tuesday.

**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.

**W. S. CLARK Phone No. 1**

Mrs. Nettie Dean, of Las Animas, Colorado, a niece of Mrs. K. Carter, who has been visiting here the past month, returned home the first of this week.

"Pig" Royalty who is holding a position in Crosbyton, spent Sunday with home folks here.

Mrs. S. C. Dean of Weatherford, mother of Mrs. K. Carter is visiting her daughter this week. She will probably remain here a few weeks.

Wilmer McDonald of Crosbyton, spent a day or so of the week in Lubbock.

**I Can Save You Money**

If you will let me figure your bill for

**Dry Goods and Groceries**

I will make you attractive figures on any article in my store.  
Don't fail to visit me when in town.

**The Cash Bargain Store**  
D. C. WORSHAM, PROPRIETOR

Crosbyton Review  
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## Neighboring County News

From Our Exchanges

### CROSBY COUNTY

**Crosbyton Review.**  
The people of the Cone community will at an early date begin the erection of their fine new school building, as the bonds have been voted and are now in Austin awaiting the approval of the Attorney General, and as soon as they have been approved we understand the money is ready to begin work and the county will purchase the bonds.

Betty, the 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, was accidentally thrown from her buggy while enroute to school Tuesday morning and received a considerable injury. It is however, hoped that she will soon fully recover.

Eight cars of cattle were shipped from Crosbyton the last of the week. They belonged to J. M. Bassett and the SR people.

L. B. Culwell made a trip to Lubbock last Friday taking Mr. Claude Burrus, who was called to the bedside of his wife.

Dr. J. W. Carter made a trip to Lubbock Saturday, returning in the evening.

### Rails Danner

G. B. Prestridge made a flying trip to Lubbock Monday.

C. H. Heim who has been employed at the gin, had his foot painfully mashed last Friday and has been unable to work since but is able to be out again.

O. F. Crowley had the misfortune to get one of his arms broken in the thrasher Saturday.

E. P. Crump was here from his farm near Cone Wednesday and paid us a dollar on subscription for which we return thanks.

The little son of W. R. Richards and wife was on the sick list the first of the week.

The little child of Tom Travis stuck a nail in its foot the first of the week.

The little son of Ed Williams got one of his arms broken by falling from a little wagon this week.

The little child of O. F. Crowley drank a quantity of kerosene oil Saturday. Dr. Presley was summoned immediately and gave him relief and at this writing he is alright.

W. F. Exum, of the Farmer community, was in town this week figuring on building a fine residence in town. Peters and Kilpatrick will draw the plans for same.

### LYNN COUNTY

**Lynn County News.**

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. McElrath left for their new home in Georgia on the Monday morning train. Bro. McElrath was pastor of the Tahoka and Lamesa Methodist churches for the past conference year.

The Tahoka Baptist church welcomed Rev. J. A. Vison, of Post City, the last of last week to take charge of the pastorate here. Rev. Vison preached here Wednesday night and accepted the call and will move here immediately. He will have charge of the Tahoka, Plainview and Three Lakes churches. He will preach here the first and third Sundays in each month.

Tom Ivey, of Yoakum, stopped for dinner in Tahoka Tuesday on his way home from Crosby county where he had been to deliver about 1300 head of calves. Lonnie Bigham was with him and spent an hour or two with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bigham, of this place.

Rev. J. P. Callaway, who was the Methodist pastor at Abernathy, Texas, last year, has been assigned to fill the Methodist pulpits at Tahoka and Slaton for the coming year. Bro. Callaway is an old resident of the Plains, well acquainted with conditions and needs here, and we hardly see how the conference could have made a better choice than they have. Tahoka and Slaton may well be thankful that they will have this talented preacher and his estimable family with them this year.

### YOAKUM COUNTY

**Yoakum County News.**

A meeting of the holders of high priced school land in Yoakum county was held at the Court House last Saturday afternoon. R. M. Kendrick was elected delegate to the Midland convention, which met yesterday, and also to go to Austin when the Legislature convenes. John B. King was elected alternate.

Judge W. Holmes started Thursday on an overland trip to Belton, Texas, driving his two big mules. Mrs. Holmes and daughter, Miss Mary are at Belton, and the Judge stated be-

fore leaving that he may be absent a month or six weeks, or that he might possibly remain there until school closes in the spring, but that he wants it distinctly understood that he is still a resident of Yoakum county.

It is learned here that Uncle Turk Beal and family and Bert Jackson and family have left Sparks, Nevada, and have located at Deming, New Mexico.

Rev. B. F. Dixon and family left Thursday for Brownfield, where they will reside for the coming year. He will preach in Plains regular the second Sunday in each month.

Mr. J. M. Sanderson came in last Saturday afternoon from Plainview and is spending a few days with friends here. He says he will move his family back to Plains after the school is out at Plainview next spring.

Mr. L. M. Davis and Miss Ethel Sanders, of New Mexico, near Tatum, were married in Plains last Monday. Judge Holmes officiating. On Wednesday, Mr. Harry Ragland, of Hale county, and Miss Lillie Morman, of this county near Midway, were married in Plains. Judge Gainer performing the ceremony. This was the first marriage ceremony performed by Judge Gainer as County Judge.

### GAINES COUNTY

**Seminole Sentinel.**

**THE RAILROAD SITUATION**  
The Sentinel is glad to be able to inform its readers that the railroad situation, which a few days ago assumed a not altogether encouraging form, is now very promising.

Just what the obstacles were that threatened the project we are not in position to state, but we learn from reliable, authentic sources that absolutely every difficulty that could hinder the progress of the proposition has been removed and that active work will begin probably the early part of next week.

In order to hold the bonus contracts with Midland, Andrews and Seminole while the above mentioned difficulties were being settled, a small crew has been at work at Midland since Wednesday of last week. We understand that the company has been reorganized and the 45 miles of grade which was made from Texico to Virginia City a few months ago by the company composed of Texico-Farwell parties has become the property of the new company.

The confidence of the Seminole people in the proposition has been considerably revived in the past few days, and we trust that in the next few days we will see actual construction being rapidly pushed on this project that will mean so much to the vast territory to be traversed.

Our people are all familiar with the fact that the public road question concerning the public road between Lamesa and Seminole has been quite a mixed up affair for some time. Commissioners Court recently appointed a jury of view to view out and establish a third class road from Seminole to the Dawson county line. This work was done.

Messrs. Ulyas and Paul Dalmont and W. H. Brenfand have shown a public spirit of fairness by agreeing to give the county a road 100 hundred feet wide through their ranches, provided an amount of money equal to the damages which would have been collected by them, to be spent in working the road.

The Commissioners Court which convened here the first of the week paid bounty on about 5000 jack rabbits scalps, and the end is not yet. We understand the court will continue to pay 4 cents for scalps and as the winter is on us the slaughter of these pests will likely be heavy from now on.

### TERRY COUNTY

**Herald.**

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brownfield returned this week, the former from attending Federal Court at Abilene, and the latter from a visit to Lubbock. Dee had a stroke of facial paralysis about a week ago and he cannot use one side of his face. We believe, however, that he will be ok in a few weeks.

The bond of W. D. Winn, as commissioner of precinct No. 3, was approved Tuesday morning and he was sworn in and went to work, as Mr. Broughton did not want to return.

Miss Bessie Norton, of Lubbock, daughter of W. S. Norton,

of Lubbock, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Miss Johnnie May Harper. She was on her way to New Mexico to take charge of her school.

Malvin Harper, of Lubbock, son of J. W. Harper, of this place, spent a few days this week with home folks.

Mrs. W. W. Royalty, of Lubbock, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. May.

Commissioners met Monday in one of the busiest sessions of the entire term. Besides the regular order of business they had to canvass the general election returns of the county and approve the bonds of the incoming officials.

### GOMEZ ITEMS

**Correspondent to Brownfield Herald**

Mr. Arthur Moore came in Saturday from Lubbock with some fine horse stock which he had purchased and had shipped there.

The newly elected county officers, who live in Gomez, went to Brownfield on last Monday and filed their bonds and assumed the duties of their offices.

Well the very last vacant house in Gomez is rented and a family from Tahoka will move into it this week. We learn they have a large family and are coming for the benefit of the school.

**Hotel Ware to Change Hands**

Mr. Jack Tesman, of Amarillo, has secured C. E. Howard's and Dick Wiese's lease on the Hotel Ware and will take charge of the hotel Dec. 5. It will be changed to the American plan, and Mr. Wiese will be employed to manage the cinary department. The lobby will be moved downstairs and will occupy the section now occupied by Vickery Hancock Gro. Co.

Mr. Howard and family do not as yet know where they will go.

Mr. Howard is the gentleman who has taken charge of the Cagelos hotel in our city. When leaving Plainview, it was quiet natural that Mr. Howard would cast about and pick another larger and better place to enter into business again, and of course, he came to Lubbock, and we extend to him and his family a most hearty welcome.

Mrs. Hall, sister of L. B. Wright, who has been confined to her bed with typhoid fever, suffered a relapse the first of the week and has been in a very critical condition, so much so that the attending physicians have requested that no callers be admitted for the present.

Col. A. Symes was a pleasant caller at our office Tuesday and authorized us to send him a copy of the South Plains' Big Weekly - The Lubbock Avalanche, to his address at Waco, Texas. Col. Symes has some valuable farm lands in Lubbock county and he wants to keep up with what is going on in this section.

# L. B. WRIGHT

## Emerson Buggies

come equipped with twin reach gear; absolutely original, unbreakable, on account of our rear axle center connection. The finest gear of its kind built. Also the new "Ideal" Attachment makes it a real pleasure, particularly in bad weather. Note the clean, neat appearance—no joints on the outside—none to rattle. Top can be lowered easily, quickly. Inside joints are "Emerson Ideas," covered and protected against infringement by our patents.

Comfort and cleanliness for the ladies, and best of all absolute safety—easy for them to get in and out—not necessary to drop the top unless desired. Works better, quicker, easier and makes a nicer appearance. Works as well with curtains on as without. Come in and see these new revolutionizing features of Emerson Buggies.



## My Harness Department

Is in charge of E. J. Cowart, an experienced Harness and Saddle man, and I assure you all your wants will be carefully looked to.

I carry several styles of Saddles, ranging in prices \$65.00 down to \$35.00. Navajo Blankets, McChesney hand made Spurs and Bridle Bits guaranteed for life to Never Break, Tarps, Bed Sheets, Saddle Rope and all kindred articles.



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OF OUR REDUCED PRICES

ON LADIES' ONE PIECE DRESSES

We have about two dozen of these dresses ranging in prices from \$20.00 to \$30.00 which we offer to close at a discount of 33 1/3 per cent. This lot consists of a number of beautiful evening dresses in the newest creations in Silks, Messalines and Chiffon with dainty lace trimmings. Also a number of Broadcloth Dresses in the new Fall shades. We will also discount any Ladies' Suit \$5.00 where the regular price is over \$20.00

See our assortment of hand embroidered pieces imported from Japan. Center Pieces, Dresser Scarfs, Doilies, Etc., all pure linen. Priced \$2.00 per piece, Doilies 10c each.

\$30.00 Dresses now		SUITS		SILK WAISTS	
\$27.50 Dresses now	20.00	\$30.00 Suits now	25.00	\$2.75 AND \$4.00	
\$25.00 Dresses now	18.35	\$27.50 Suits now	22.50	NET WAISTS	
\$22.50 Dresses now	16.65	\$25.00 Suits now	20.00	\$4.00 AND \$5.00	
\$20.00 Dresses now	15.00	\$22.50 Suits now	17.50		
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A most complete line of Ladies' and Children's Cloaks which we are selling much lower than the usual price for such merchandise.

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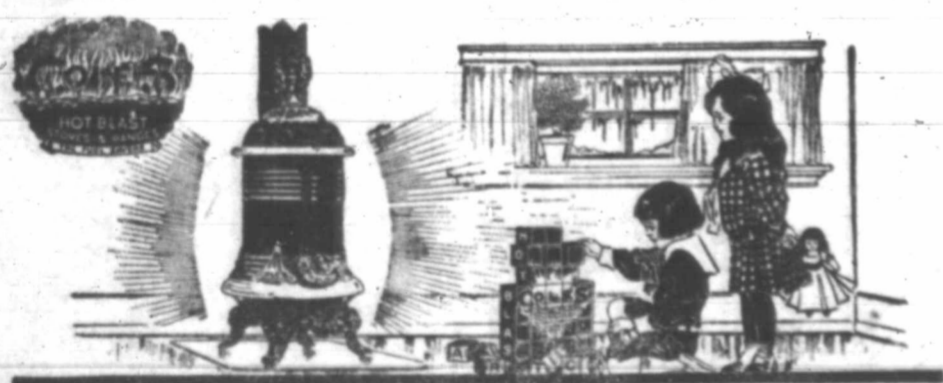
# THANKS-GIVING TURKEYS

We have a nice lot of turkeys which we purchased for the Thanksgiving trade, and they are now ready for delivery.

SHALL WE SEND YOU ONE?

The price is very reasonable. Remember we have all the necessary trimmings too. Ask us about it.

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### Warm Floors and Healthy Children Make Happy Homes

There is no better way for you to avoid worry and expense than by insuring your children's health.

Warm floors in the home, which is the children's play house in winter, are assured when using Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater.

The steel base and body construction allows the heat to be radiated to the floor keeping it warm during the coldest weather.

### Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

The Cleanest—Easiest to Care For

Burns Soft Coal, Lignite, Hard Coal, Crushed Coke, Wood and Cobs.

Users of coal must remember that the ordinary heater is a big chore to operate. Its smoke and ashes entail dusting, curtain washing and carpet sweeping. Think then of the ease of operation and the cleanliness of Cole's Hot Blast.

Cole's Hot Blast has a guaranteed smoke-proof feed door—open the feed door and the current of air draws the smoke directly across the top of stove to the stove pipe—away from the opening. Contrast this simple, cleanly feed with the side door in an ordinary heater. The side door used on other stoves permits escape of dirty smoke, unpleasant gas and accumulated soot drops from it. If you overfill a side door stove, coal falls to the floor. And note this, you cannot make a side door heater air-tight—an everlasting advantage in favor of Cole's Hot Blast which is air-tight and guaranteed to remain so always.

No fires to build—the fire is never out in this remarkable heater from fall until taken down in the spring.

Better select one today—surely it is the heater you need—

**L. B. WRIGHT**  
WEST SIDE SQUARE

**Mrs. H. C. Hester Dead**  
It is with sadness that we chronicle the death of Mrs. H. C. Hester, which occurred Monday at 4:15 p. m. Funeral services were held at the South Side Christian church Tuesday at 2:00 o'clock p. m., and interment in the Lubbock Cemetery immediately following. A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to its last resting place.

When death came, Mrs. Hester was 71 years and five days old. She leaves three sons in Lubbock county, W. H., W. C. and Ed Vaughn.

The Avalanche offers condolence to the bereaved ones and point out to them the only real comforter, our Heavenly Father, who heals all wounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lemond's of Hale Center, visited relatives in our city this week. Robert informed us that he was here with a view of making arrangements to become a permanent citizen of Lubbock, that he thought Lubbock was and would continue to be the best town in this part of the state. The Avalanche would gladly welcome this excellent family to our city.

E. Durvin, of Abernathy, was in the city Saturday trading with the Lubbock merchants.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION** to apply to the Legislature of Texas, which convenes in January, 1913, for the passage of an act or acts authorizing the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase or lease the properties now owned and hereafter acquired by the Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley Railway Company, The Texas and Gulf Railway Company, The Gulf and Interstate Railway Company of Texas, and the Beaumont, Wharf and Terminal Company, and authorizing the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to lease that portion of the railroad of The Peecos and Northern Texas Railway Company extending from Coleman, Texas, to Sweetwater, Texas, or to authorize the Peecos and Northern Texas Railway Company to contract with the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company for the operation by the officers of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company of said railroad between Coleman and Sweetwater.

The undersigned will apply to the Legislature of Texas, which convenes in January, 1913, for the passage of an act or acts authorizing the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase or lease the properties now owned and hereafter acquired by the Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley Railway Company, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by the Texas and Gulf Railway Company, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by the Gulf and Interstate Railway Company of Texas, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned and hereafter acquired by the Beaumont, Wharf and Terminal Company, and to purchase or lease the branches and extensions of such railroads, and each of them, that may be thereafter constructed, also authorizing the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company to lease the railroad of The Peecos and Northern Texas Railway Company extending from Coleman to Sweetwater, Texas, or in the alternative to authorize the Peecos and Northern Texas Railway Company to contract with the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company for the operation by the officers of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company of said railroad, for account of The Peecos and Northern Texas Railway Company.

**GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY.**  
By E. P. RIPLEY, President.  
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By J. H. KEENE, President.  
**THE GULF AND INTERSTATE RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS.**  
By L. T. FEATHERSTONE, President.  
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By E. P. RIPLEY, President.  
**THE PEECOS AND NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY.**  
By E. P. RIPLEY, President.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all his business dealings, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm.  
W. H. RAY, President, National Bank of Commerce, Toledo, Ohio.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### EPTING GIVEN BAIL

Opposing Attorneys Agree on Bail and Prisoner is Set Free on \$20,000 Bond

Amarillo, Nov. 16.—Beech Epting, who has been confined in the Potter county jail since Friday Sept. 20, on a charge of murder because of his alleged connection with the killing of Al G. Boyce, Jr., was granted bail this afternoon in the sum of \$20,000 and left on an early evening train for his home on the Sneed ranch in Cottle county, fifteen miles south of Paducah. Epting had applied for a writ of habeas corpus a few days ago, and his case was set for a hearing before Judge Browning of the district court next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. However the attorneys for the state and those for the defense reached an agreement today without hearing testimony that the prisoner should be granted bail and that the amount of his bond should be fixed at \$20,000. This agreement was placed before Judge Browning, who approved of the same and issuing an order admitting Epting to bail. It was ordered that he be discharged as soon as his bond was approved by Sheriff King, of Memphis, Hall county, where the case against Epting will be tried.

Epting was remanded to Sheriff J. M. Burwell to be delivered by him at once to the sheriff of Hall county. The bond was filed immediately and in a short time Sheriff Burwell was in communication with the Hall county sheriff over the telephone and was given authority to approve the bond and release the prisoner, which was done in time for Epting to take the evening train for home. At the train Epting was asked by a Record reporter if he had any statement to make.

"Tell them I'm glad to be out, and that I'm going home to see the kids," was his quick reply as he swung onto the train in eagerness to be on his way. He showed plainly the joy that he felt as being permitted to go home to his family.

Epting's trial has been set for Dec. 30, and a long list of witnesses will be summoned. The following names are attached to Epting's bond: J. T. Sneed, Jr., J. B. Sneed, Terry Thompson and A. J. Fires, while the bond does not compare with the strength of the bond of Sneed, the combined wealth of the four men whose names appear on the bond is supposed to be well up in six figures.

The Palace Barber Shop, which was in the Robinson building on the south side of the square, was moved Monday and put in storage. As was stated in our last week's issue, this frame building is to be torn away at an early date and a brick structure erected in its place.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wesson left Monday for their future home at Midlothian. We regret very much to lose these good people and can certainly commend them to the people of their future home.

Frank Cook moved his confectionary stock from the Robinson building on the south side of the square to the building east of Louis A. Robinson's Real Estate office on West Broadway.

M. L. Stewart, manager for Miss Ellen Beach, the famous singer, was a caller at our office Monday. He did not state for sure whether Miss Beach would visit Lubbock or not.

Barney Johnson, one of Crosbyton's most prominent insurance men and a booster for that place, spent a day or so the first of the week in our city, looking after business matters.

Mrs. R. A. Sowder left Monday for Fort Worth to attend the State Federation of Women's Clubs. She was a delegate from this district.

Eugene Henshaw was in the city from Roswell, N. M., Saturday.

M. L. Stewall, of Nacah, spent the first of the week in our city.

R. Collier, of Plainview, was in the city Monday.

# Arcadian Ranges

(MALLEABLE—NON-BREAKABLE)

You will find this Range—BUILT LIKE A LOCOMOTIVE BOILER—And you will find us with all sizes on hand any time.

Come in and let us show you the advantages this Range has over other Ranges similar built.

NICE LINE OF HEATERS AT LOW PRICES

## STAR WIND MILLS

Piping and full line of water supplies

## BAIN WAGONS

# R. A. Rankin & Sons

### KNEW HIM OF OLD

Editor of Clovis News and Our Famous Don One Time Partners.

The Lubbock Avalanche says: "A. P. Duggan promoter of the townsite of Littlefield, was a business visitor to our city Saturday and Sunday leaving for Littlefield Monday afternoon accompanied by the one, and only, Don H. Biggers, who closed a contract with Mr. Duggan as advertising man for this townsite and some 70,000 acres of land adjoining it. We know that Don will make good, as he is one of the best experienced advertisers in this part of the state."

Some dozen years since Don and the senior editor of the Clovis News rallied the migrating hosts of horny-handed sons of toil to come west and invest their surplus earnings in Amarillo, Tex., and Clayton, N. M., town lots. The prophecies of Elijah fairly sink into significance when compared to those expounded by Don & I. But alas! strange as it may appear we told the truth (?) and nothing but the truth to those horny-handed sons of toil, and if you doubt it look at Amarillo today. Prophets, well, I guess we were—and all the credit for settling up the great Panhandle of Texas and

north-eastern New Mexico with many grades of grass (where but one grew before) is entirely due to those versatile, rose-tinted and gilt-edge writers of the one and only boomer-propheet Don H. Biggers.

Here's to you Don—and success to your new town of Littlefield. Please x and send us your prospectus and weather forecasts for the future "Infant wonder" city of the great south-west plains of Texas.—Clovis-News.

W. S. Miller, of Paducah, spent Saturday and Sunday in our city.

J. C. Bowles, of near Ripley, was a pleasant caller at our office Monday and had his subscription on the Avalanche advanced twelve months. Mr. Bowles said that everything in his part of the country was moving along nicely.

J. M. Cook, local manager of the Crosbyton Telephone Co., was in the city a few hours on business for his company Monday.

D. E. Holder was in the city from May, Monday and Tuesday.

## LIVE STOCK SPECIAL

The Santa Fe Live Stock Demonstration Train will be in Lubbock, Thursday, December 12th, 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. It will be in Abernathy, the same day from 12:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m., and in Slater, Wednesday, December 11th, 3:45 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

LIVE STOCK DEMONSTRATION. The train will carry DAIRY COWS, DAIRY EQUIPMENT, MODEL SILO, HOGS, POULTRY and POULTRY EQUIPMENT.

In addition to the demonstration practical talks will be given on dairies, cows, silos, hogs and poultry. Good exhibits. No charges. Every farmer, farmer's wife, banker, merchant and business man should be there. Nothing of interest to school children below the sixth grade.

TRAIN WILL COME RAIN OR SHINE.

## HOT BISCUITS, BUTTER AND HONEY

I have this combination and you will surely agree with me that it is good eating, especially when you make your biscuits from

BELLE OF WICHITA FLOUR.

PURE JERSEY SEPARATED CREAM BUTTER

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Remember this store is the place to get your dainties for Thanksgiving.

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## ANYTHING CAN ROLL DOWN A HILL.

Only something alive can climb up. Most people are inanimate, no animals. It is shown by the fact that most people don't own their own homes. If you intend climbing the hill of life to independence, the only time to start is NOW. It is no harder to buy a farm home than it is to meet your rent every year. We have a number of fine opportunities on hand at the present, on easy terms. Give us a chance to show you what makes these opportunities unusual. It costs you nothing to look into this. CALL OR WRITE.

## KIMBRO & PARKS

### Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

#### WEDDING BELLS

Mr. John E. Raymer and Miss Annie Good were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday, November 20th, Rev. L. T. Grumbles performing the ceremony.

Both of these young people are well known all over the plains.

Miss Good is a charming young lady who numbers her friends by her acquaintances. She has lived in Lubbock a number of years, being at one time connected with the Avalanche, and since that time living with her sister, Mrs. George Arnett.

Mr. Raymer is a well known cattleman, having been in that business here for the last ten years.

The bride and groom will leave today for Terry county, where they will visit the groom's uncle, W. Bell, and from there they will go to Grimes county to visit the bride's sisters, Mesdames Will Arnett, Giddons and Elder. They will make their future home at the headquarters of the "69" ranch in Bailey county.

The bride wore a traveling gown of champagne, touched with brown and accessories to match. The groom was dressed in the conventional black.

The Avalanche joins the best of friends in wishing this young couple a happy and prosperous journey through life together.

#### WITH THE EASTERN STARS

A call meeting of the O. E. S. was held Tuesday evening, November 12th, for the purpose of hanging the picture of Brother

R. W. Lemond on the walls of this beautiful hall.

Brother Lemond was the organizer of this Chapter and through all the years since it was organized has been their Counsellor and friend. Brother Lemond was conducted to the East and given the grand honors. Mrs. Lottie Wolfarth then gave a synopsis of Brother Lemond's life in the Eastern Star order. She said:

"To fully realize the work our Brother R. W. Lemond has done for the Order of the Eastern Star on the plains, you must go back with me a few years when this country was almost a vast desert, and review the work he has done. In those days our Brother traveled on these bleak plains either riding or driving a mule, (I don't really know which is the worse,) but he went, true to his loyalty to our beloved Order and organized Chapters at Plainview, Lubbock, Estacado, Emma, Silverton and a number of other places, not for pay or praise, but for love of the Eastern Star. In the year 1900, he organized Jesse Chapter, No. 76, at Lubbock with twenty members. I want to say a few words about the first Eastern Stars of Jesse Chapter.

"True, we were few in numbers, but Brother Lemond, were we lacking in enthusiasm? Thanks! I can recall a number of cold stormy days in winter when our faithful little band gathered in the hall to practice on work, that we might creditably acquit ourselves when Brother Lemond visited our chapter. His visits were as I can recall them tonight, the brightest pictures on memory's wall. Where are we standing today? We view with pride our magnificent hall. We are proud of our capable leaders; proud that we have a member that

was worthy of being a special deputy last year and who was further honored by being made this year a Grand District Deputy. And it is with pride we speak of our members who are holding certificates of proficiency in both the secret and ritualistic work of the Order. Through all these years our Brother has been tower of strength upon whom we have leaned always as our philosopher and friend—just the kind of friend Charles Kingsley describes in these words: "It is only the great hearted who can be true friends. The mean, the cowardly can never know what true friendship means." Not only is our Brother known and honored in the Chapters on the Plains, but he is among the members, who in 1884 organized the Grand Chapter in the grand old State of Texas, which organization today is known and honored throughout the land. In 19— he was made Associate Grand Patron of the State. The following year he became Grand Worthy Patron, and ever since that time he has been prominently connected with the work of the Grand Chapter. Then through his advice and counsel the Central Plains School of instruction was organized, in Feb., the same being the means of en- thusiasm men more than anything else possibly could. Truly, our brother is building with his own hands a monument that will perpetuate his memory when the dust has claimed the body. Tonight we hang his dear picture upon the wall, and may it ever be an inspiration to us, calling us on to greater and grander achievements. May it too, remind us that "we may make our lives sublime and departing leave behind us foot prints on the sands of time." Bro. Lemond then made a

most beautiful reply and introduced Mrs. D. Robinson as the Grand District Deputy of district No. 2, and with the assistance of the members gave the grand honors.

The Chapter was closed in due form, after which Mrs. Towle and committee served a dainty salad course. A free-will offering was given to be used in buying flowers for Eastern Stars who are ill or any emergency which may arise. The hall and dining room were decorated in a profusion of white chrysanthemums.

#### THE GOOD SAMARITANS

Bro. R. W. Lemond, of Hale Center, conferred the "Good Samaritan" degree on a number of anxious applicants Wednesday evening, Nov. 13th. This is one of the most beautiful and elevating degrees of Masonry, and all who are eligible should avail themselves of the first opportunity to become a Good Samaritan. Bro. Lemond will return sometime soon to confer this degree on all members of Jesse Chapter, who are eligible and desire to take it.

#### FRY-NORRIS

A very pretty morning wedding was solemnized at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of the bride, Miss Vivian Norris, who was united in marriage to Mr. Olin Fry of Lockney, Texas, Elder Liff Sanders pronouncing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norris, who recently moved to Lubbock from Lockney. She is known by quite a few of our people, having visited here a number of times. She is known to be a young lady of high Christian character, and that alone makes her a favorite besides her many other charms. The groom is the son of Mr.

and Mrs. R. F. Fry, of Lockney. He is a prosperous business young man of sterling worth and numbers his friends by the score. Immediately after the wedding the couple, together with the family and a few intimate friends, were served to a pretty five course breakfast.

The bride's dress was of cream crepe de shene with shadow lace trimmings. The groom wore a suitable dress suit.

They left on the afternoon train for their future home in Lockney. The bride wore a beautiful traveling dress of seal brown with hat and shoes to match.

#### NEEDLE CLUB MEETING

Mrs. Geo. Wolfarth and Mrs. Lane were hostess for the Wednesday Needle Club. The usual routine of business was gone through. Mrs. D. Robinson's resignation was heard and Mrs. Scott Cochran was elected to fill the vacancy.

Mrs. Wolfarth and Mrs. Lane assisted by Mrs. Bacon, served a salad course of pimento salad, crackers, gherkins, saratoga chips and coffee. To Mesdames, Carl Roberts, McWhorter, Posey, Kimbro, Jno. Penney, Haynes, Word, Simeon O'Neal, Merrill, Robbins, Davidson, Harrington of Plainview, Bacon and Miss Elizabeth Robertson. The club will meet next time with Mrs. McWhorter and Mrs. Roberts.

#### AFTERNOON EVENT

Mesdames, Spencer and Wilson entertained over forty guests on last Thursday afternoon, Nov. 14th. "42" was the game of diversion. Mrs. Theo. Summers winning high score. After the game an elegant two course luncheon was served, Chicken salad, crackers, saratoga flakes, cheese straws and ginger, ice mallow whip with whipped

cream and cake. The ladies are famous cooks and gracious hostess, so this affair could only be one of the most enjoyed of the year.

#### THE MERRY WIVES

The Merry Wives were entertained on Friday, Nov. 15th, by Mrs. L. D. Rankin and Mrs. Jim Chase, at the residence of Mrs. Chase. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Cate, no business session was held. Several games of Forty-two were played, Mrs. W. S. Posey winning high score. The house was tastefully decorated in chrysanthemums and other cut flowers. After the game a luncheon was served consisting of cream salad, peanut sandwiches, olives, pickles, hot chocolate, salmon loaf and checker board cake.

Those present report a most enjoyable afternoon.

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W. L. Henson was a business visitor in our city from his home at Blanket, Tuesday.

C. E. Williams, a prominent citizen of Blanket, spent a few days the first of the week here.

W. M. Turner, of Ranger Lake, N. M., spent today in Lubbock.

Clyde McLaurin of O'Donnell, spent a few days of this week in our city.

P. D. Lindsey, one of Plainview's prominent citizens, was in the city today.

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**Railroad Construction**

The grading work on the Gulf, Texas & Western between Jacksboro and Saleville is practically completed. The greater part of all track-laying material is on hand and the remainder is en route. Track laying will start about the 15th of November, and the line will be open January 1st.

The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient reports that track laying west of Girvin was resumed on the 13th of September and completed in Fort Stockton, a distance of 32 miles, on Oct. 25th. Grading between Fort Stockton and Alpine is being pushed vigorously and will be completed the entire distance by December 15th, when steel laying will commence. The line is expected to be completed and in operation by March 1st, 1913.

The Quanah, Acme & Pacific's line between Paducah and Lubbock reports that during the month of October, 350 teams were employed moving dirt into the new roadbed, and three concrete gangs have been pushing the work of reinforced concrete culverts. One hundred and fifty thousand cubic yards of dirt was moved during October, and there is sufficient material to lay 15 miles of track. Track laying will begin in a few days. This line, as far as Tounge River, will be in operation by January 1st.

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J. P. Lewis of King, N. M., transacted business in our city the first of the week.

W. E. Humphries of Tahoka, was here Tuesday and Wednesday.

**Our Market Letter**

To the Avalanche:  
Kansas City Stock Yards, Nov. 18, 1912. A run of 56,000 cattle came in last week, not including 7,000 calves, which was 24,000 more than came in during election week, and the same number that arrived corresponding week last year. The six leading markets were short 25,000 head from a year ago last week, a fact that put some ginger into buyers' actions, making the 15 to 25 cents advance scored on all kinds of cattle look logical.

Calves were an exception, closing 25 to 50 cents lower. The shortage in numbers of cattle marketed at the leading points does not fully express the situation, as a great many light weight and low grade southern cattle were counted in at Kansas City and St. Louis.

The winter beef market is starting out strong, and with evidence of considerable reserve power. Packers have not accumulated any beef this fall, and are starting in the winter beef campaign on a hand to mouth basis. Bare shelves in pork cellars add to their discomfort, which is intensified by the prospect of slim winter supplies of hogs, sheep and lambs. The run of 22,000 cattle today is selling steady to strong. Nebraska beef steers sold at \$10.85 today, filling a post that has been vacant since September. Short fed steers bring \$7.00 to \$9.50, quarantine steers today up to \$7.25, grass quarantines including southern ruff-raff \$4.25 to \$6.25. Range cattle are fairly numerous today, medium killing steers at \$6.40 and \$6.65, good Colorado killers Friday at \$7.75, heifers from Durango today at \$6.25, range stock steers \$5.25 to \$6.75, feeders \$5.75 to \$7.00, top veals \$9.75.

Thanksgiving poultry is beginning to move marketwards, and will exert some adverse influence on live stock markets during the next week, though increased appetites of consumers at that season renders the poultry influence largely fictitious.

Hogs sold 5 lower today; top \$7.80, bulk \$7.50 to \$7.75. A big run at Chicago today gave excuse for a ten lower opening, but the market improved all through the session, the top load selling on the final round, typical of the strong feeling in hog circles.

Sheep and lambs are on the verge of a substantial uplift, according to dealers, run 11,000 here today. Choice lambs are worth \$7.00 to \$7.50, feeding lambs lacking in quality, selling around \$6.00.

J. A. RICKART,  
Market Correspondent.

J. R. Hill, one of Brownfield's leading citizens, was in Lubbock today.

J. B. Turner was in the city from his home near Ranger Lake, N. M., today.

G. Martin, of Portales, N. M., is in our city.

Joe Kemble, of Dallas, spent yesterday and today here.

**School Items**

The enrollment in school is 670, 336 boys and 334 girls.

The Literary Society is progressing nicely this session.

Mr. Stewart an ex-teacher made an excellent talk to the High School pupils Monday morning.

The pupils in the Primary Department are preparing a Thanksgiving program.

If you want your children to make their grades keep them at home of nights and see that they prepare their lessons.

Too many children are tardy at school. Parents get your children off to school in time to arrive here at 15 minutes to nine.

Following are the names of some of the pupils attending the Lubbock High School from a distance: Miss Alma Mitchell, Licking, Mo.; Robt. Watson, Independence; Frank Slaton, Seminole; Miss Inez Goggans, Cone; Miss May Fuller, Trenton; Miss Murrel Dixon, Plains; Charley Burgess, Franchon; Howard and Ina Sires, Pride; Reed and Eastin Wolfarth, Harris; Miss Mary Dixon, Plains; Miss Mamie Klett, Johnson City and Guin Harris, Sligo.

The High School boys will play Abernathy a game of football Saturday.

The teachers have taken on renewed courage since one of their number has been elected President of the United States and another one county judge of Lubbock county. School teachers are coming to the front.

Several people have visited the school lately and teachers and pupils were glad to welcome them and hope they will come again. Would also welcome the trustees occasionally.

The school building and grounds should be attractive so that children would receive the proper inspiration from the surroundings. Could not those interested in the school and children devise some plan by which this may be done?

Why not add to the Lubbock High School an Agricultural Department so that the boys may become scientific farmers? The state will help do this provided the town will do its part.

Little Alice Johnson displayed remarkable musical talent during Chapel exercises Monday morning. She is one of Miss Brown's piano pupils.

Miss Scott's German pupils gave the school a pleasant surprise Tuesday, when they sang the "Watch on the Rhine" in the original German.

At the debate Friday night, the negatives, who had made several excellent points, lost through the failure of one of the debaters to live up to his arguments. The subject was "Resolved—That there is more pleasure in pursuit than possession." When the negatives tried to prove that there is more pleasure in possession of a wife, Mr. Atkinson lost his side of the debate by his persistent failure to possess one.

A number of Lubbock teachers expect to attend the State Teach-

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ers Association at Fort Worth Thanksgiving. They are: Miss Cressett, Miss Rucker, Miss Beard, Mr. Wester and Mr. Brown.

A movement is on foot to organize a Boy Scout League. In order to make the League a success the boys will be carefully selected.

After school hours the children are practicing for the operetta to be given at the opera house the Friday after Thanksgiving.

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Bruce Carmack, a business man of Crosbyton, was here between trains yesterday. He had been in New Mexico on business.

Elder Penney returned Wednesday from Abilene and Fort Worth, where he has been on business.

G. D. Patterson, a prominent citizen of Taylor, spent this week in our city. Mr. Patterson is well pleased with Lubbock and her country.

Joe Jackson, of Memphis, Texas, was among the many out of town visitors to our city Wednesday.

A. J. McKinnen, of Crosbyton, spent yesterday and today here on business.

Judge and Mrs. J. W. Burton were in our city a few hours Wednesday from Crosbyton.

S. F. Fullenberger, of Crosbyton, spent Wednesday in Lubbock.

P. N. Mysoe was here from Wichita Falls yesterday and today.

C. D. Russell of Plainview, was in the city Tuesday.

C. N. Harrison was here from Plainview Tuesday.

L. L. Gainor was over from Ralls, Saturday.

E. M. Bonner was here from Ralls, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Earhart left Monday for Fort Worth.

H. L. Goots of Amarillo, was in the city Saturday.

G. M. Livingston was here from Amarillo Saturday.

E. Dumas of Abernathy, was in the city Saturday.

T. J. Bryant, of Alvard, Ok., was in the city yesterday.

See Spikes & Son before you sell your grain. 11 tf

Mrs. J. W. Bounds is reported on the sick list this week.

Will Ingram was over from Crosbyton yesterday.

R. E. Bob was down from Plainview today.

J. O. Davenport of Amarillo, was here Tuesday.

S. H. Weary of Plains, was a Lubbock visitor Tuesday.

F. D. Eddy was in town from his home at Petersburg, Tuesday.

T. C. Petross was here from Blanket the first of the week.

M. G. Eubanks was here from Brownwood Tuesday.

Angell's Comedians were here the first of the week.

Joe Martin was in our city from Sweetwater, Wednesday.

E. Highland, of San Antonio, spent yesterday in the city.

Joe Spencer, of Crosbyton, was a visitor in our city for an hour or so Wednesday.

O. F. Mitchell was registered at the Howard hotel from Cincinnati, yesterday.

J. P. Hope, a prominent contractor and builder, of Taylor, is in our city this week.

Jim Alexander of Treadway, spent yesterday and today in Lubbock.

W. A. Davis, of St. Joe, Mo., was a business visitor in our city today.

W. J. Draper, of Plainview, spent yesterday and today in Lubbock.

Lee Underwood, of Amarillo, was in the city yesterday attending to business matters.

B. H. Anderson, of Treadway, was in the city a day or so this week.

Ed Underwood, of Claremont, was a business visitor here yesterday and today.

Tom Grummers, of Post, spent a day or so of this week in Lubbock.

Gus Thrope, whose home is near Slide, was in the city this morning.

J. Draper, of Plainview, was registered at the Howard hotel this morning.

B. A. Wall was here from Dallas yesterday.

S. L. Boone was here from Plainview Wednesday.

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**THAT HILL**

Kicks are still being registered in quick succession against the condition of the hill where the road comes out the canyon at the northeast corner of the town section. The hill, as we stated last week, is inside the city limits, and therefore out of the jurisdiction of the county. It is up to the city of Lubbock to do this work and the people who come to town from the northeast part of the county prefer this road to the one further down the canyon and say they can pull more load out of the canyon with the same team on the north road when it is in anything like reasonable repair, than they can over the south road and for that reason they prefer it.

The amount of money required is small and the City Council should take quick action. The Business Men's Association should get in behind the question and see that it is attended to and that immediately. If the city authorities refuse to act then it remains for the business men to do it. It will not take many dollars from any one firm if all will do their part, who will be benefitted. We hope are another issue of the Avalanche appears that we can report the work well underway.

Texas is putting on a Turkey Trot that is astounding the nation. A short time ago we raised comparatively few turkeys but everybody's doing it now and the gobble of this popular fowl can be heard from the Sabine to the Rio Grande. When these birds start for the eastern and northern markets, we put on a turkey trot that fills the people with joy and gladness and incidentally those who participate in the feast must pay the Texas

farmer. On November 28th when the nation with bowed heads and thankful hearts return thanks to Him from whom all blessings flow, two million Texas turkeys will grace the Thanksgiving table and provide a feast for the American people that is fit for the gods.

Gainsville claims to have the champion okra grower. L. C. Hulett, who has on exhibition here a stalk of okra measuring 15 feet in height and bore over 100 pods. That's not much okra for a Lubbock county stalk, to grow, but of course it's doing very well for Gainsville. If you really want to see productive okra stalks come to Lubbock.

My friend Luther Grumbles has quietly slipped in at Lubbock. He is all right. O, ye Lubbock saints! It is up to you now! If you will follow your pastor things will come to pass. No man can pull along an unwilling church. And you are come into a mighty field, dear Brother Grumbles. Both your immediate work and the whole Plains work require a man person. We want to feel you in everything—everything! Get in at once. No one coming to the Plains has to go foot. A hearty welcome to you, and blessings upon you!—Plains Baptist.

Notice  
 All claims against the C. C. Slaughter Cattle Company must be mailed to the sole office for said Company, 614 Slaughter Building, Dallas, Texas, not later than the fiscal year, November, 30th, 1912.

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Dr. Lewis, at one time a resident of Lubbock, spent a few days here this week, shaking hands with many friends.

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**GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION**

Texas Chief Executive Issues Proclamation for Thanksgiving Day November 28th.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 16. Governor Colquitt issued his official proclamation fixing Nov. 28, as Thanksgiving day in Texas. The proclamation follows:

"Our progress and development mentally, morally and materially, during the year 1912 has been great. As we recall the accomplishments of the year and sum up the share each has contributed to the happiness and development of all our people, we find that our labors have not been in vain, but have resulted in the betterment and good of our fellows.

"Here in Texas we have abundant cause to be thankful. The bountiful yield of the soil, and the abundant harvest of field and forest, together with the prosperous condition of our industries and business enterprises, give us great cause to be thankful. The state is politically peaceful, and never before, perhaps, has there been such tranquillity and happiness displayed by the people of Texas.

"Following the custom of our fathers and the natural inclination of our own hearts, let us unite in thanksgiving and praise to our Heavenly Father for the manifold blessings, His long kindness has brought to us. On the day of Thanksgiving hereby designated let the people—

"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

"Serve the Lord with gladness.

"Come before His presence with singing.

"Know ye that the Lord, He is God.

"It is He that has made us, and we are His.

"We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

"Enter unto His gates with thanksgiving.

"And unto His courts with

praise.  
 "Give thanks unto Him and bless His name.  
 "For the Lord is good; His mercy endureth forever.  
 "And his faithfulness to all generations.—(One Hundredth Psalm.)

"As we pray for peace and rest throughout the state in the days that are yet to come, let us also give thanks for the blessings and general prosperity we have enjoyed, and gather around the firesides of our fathers and mothers and friends, in a spirit of love, and make our acknowledgements to the Father of all faithful for His goodness.

"Now therefore in harmony with the proclamation of the President of the United States of America, and in accordance with custom, I, O. B. Colquitt, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby designate and proclaim Thursday, Nov. 28, 1912, as a day of Thanksgiving, singing and prayer, to the God of all nations, for his goodness and loving kindness to the people of our great commonwealth, and due observation of same is requested in all places of public worship.

"In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of Texas to be

affixed hereto, at the city of Austin, this, the 16th day of November, A. D. 1912.

"O. B. COLQUITT, Governor.  
 "By the Governor,  
 "C. C. McDONALD, Secretary of State.

Plainview, Nov. 12.—Eugene Lanham, age 27, who was fatally injured by a horse falling on him while driving cattle near Petersburg; died after several days' suffering.

G. W. Stevens was here from Hermeleigh Sunday and Monday.

Wm. Wilks was in the city from his home at Tatum, Sunday.

C. E. Dorelson, a prominent citizen of Tahoka, was in our city the first of the week.

F. R. Craig, of Wichita Falls, was registered at the Howard, Monday.

R. E. Underwood, of Amarillo, spent Monday in Lubbock on business.

A. M. Ellis, of Lovington, was here Monday and Tuesday looking after business matters.

W. S. Hall, of Portales, N. M., was here Sunday and Monday.

W. J. Wilson, of Strong City, spent Sunday in Lubbock.

W. Carisle, of Plains, spent Sunday and Monday here.

**Pale Faces**

Pale-faced, weak, and shaky women—who suffer every day with womanly weakness—need the help of a gentle tonic, with a building action on the womanly system. If you are weak, you need Cardui, the woman's tonic, because Cardui will get directly on the cause of your trouble. Cardui has a record of more than 50 years of success. It must be good.

**Take CARDUI**

**The Woman's Tonic**

Mrs. Effie Graham, of Willard, Ky., says: "I was so weak I could hardly go. I suffered nearly every month, for 3 years. When I began to take Cardui, my back hurt awfully. I only weighed 99 pounds. Not long after, I weighed 115. Now, I do all my work, and am in good health." Begin taking Cardui, today.

**MANY THANKS**

To the many pleased customers Who Visited Our Sale Saturday, Nov. 16th.

The Sale of the Simeon O'Neal stock will continue till stock and fixtures are sold, or till Saturday night Dec. 7th.

While we are in position to show you large and varied lines of up-to-date merchandise at very attractive prices, yet I would suggest that you visit this sale if possible, for the reason, as you know, there is just at this time, a very strong demand for all lines of staple furnishing goods, shoes, underwear, etc., such as we propose to place at your disposal during this sale. And naturally there will be a large number of buyers from all parts of the country, and the good things always go fast. For that reason, we would like to see our good friends and customers here. You can rest assured that we are offering some genuine bargains.

Hoping to have the pleasure of seeing you in our place of business often during our sale, we are  
 Yours truly,

**SIMEON O'NEAL AGT.**

**LET US PAY YOUR BILLS**

By honoring your checks issued for the amount of your accounts, and you will have a receipt that is recognized as one of the best ever signed—a check marked paid with the endorsement of the creditor on the back of it.

**DEPOSIT YOUR MONEY WITH US**

and it will be safe from fire or burglars, and you might lose it out of your pocket. You can get it as you need it. We want you for a customer.

**CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK**  
 LUBBOCK, TEXAS

**ANYWHERE AND BACK**

Our service cars are at your service Day or Night and we take you anywhere you want to go and back.

**GENERAL GARAGE BUSINESS**

We have first-class workmen in our repair department and if your car doesn't give you satisfactory service bring it to us. We can fix it.

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