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HELD AN INTERESTING SESSION LAST SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS TRANSACTED

A LIST OF THIRTY PRIZES AGREED UPON

Constitution And By-Laws Adopted. List of Articles For Which Prizes Will Be Offered—Next Meeting Will Be Held On May 17th

The Lubbock Civic League met according to former announcements, in the court house. County court being in session the County Judge's office was captured and converted into a Civic League Hall for a few hours.

- Water melon best \$2.50
- Pumpkin, best 1.00
- Cantelope, best 1.00
- Onion, best 1-2 gal 1.00
- Beet, best 1.00
- Tomatoes, best 1-2 gal 1.00
- Beans, best gal 1.00
- Sweet potatoes 1.00
- Zenia, cut flowers, best 1.00
- Osomas, best 1.00
- Chrysanthemum, best 1.00
- Carnation, best 1.00
- Corn, best 1-2 bu \$2.50
- Maize, best 1-2 bu. in head 2.50
- Kaffir, best 1-2 bu. in head 2.50
- Best cake 1.00
- Best pumpkin pie 1.00

Art. I. This organization shall be known as the Lubbock Civic League.

- Rhode Island Red, best 1.00
- Black Minorca, best 1.00
- White Leghorn, best 1.00
- Plymouth Rock, best 1.00
- Dress made by 14 or under 2.50
- Best embroidery 1.00
- Button holes, 12 yr. or under 1.50
- Hemstitching, 12 yr. or under 1.00

Art. VII. Regular meetings of the League shall be held on the first and third Saturdays of each month.

Our population has been steadily increasing every since this census was taken and all figures have increased except the negro population which has decreased to not exceeding one or two.

Art. VIII. The annual dues shall be one dollar (\$1.00) payable at the meeting on which the member shall sign the constitution.

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Art. IX. The constitution or by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any regular meeting.

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1. The hour of meeting shall be 3:30 p. m.

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2. Reading of minutes.

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3. Report of committee.

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4. Unfinished business.

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5. New business.

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A bulletin showing the population and character of Lubbock County has just been issued by the general Census Department, Washington. The data included in the report was gathered from the Thirteenth Census of the year 1910. The more important data pertaining to the population of this county are as follows:

Total population 6,204,847. Rural 3,896,542. White 3,204,847. Negro 690,949. Males of voting age 1,988,197. Females of voting age 1,638,650.

There are 1,141 children in Lubbock county between the ages of 6 and 20 years and 67 per cent of them attend school. The State's average attendance is 58 per cent.

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Mr. L. I. Rouse informed the Avalanche man that he had received a letter from his son-in-law, Mr. G. W. Rutherford, who resides in Mt. Vernon, to the effect that his little son, two years of age, was very dangerously ill with catarrh of the stomach.

Ex-County Judge Holmes, of Yoakum county, accompanied by his family, who have been visiting in Bell county for some time, came in on the Wednesday forenoon train, and left for their home in Plains this morning.

Geo. W. Reed, of Sanger, Texas, who owns some land in this section of the state, spent a few days here this week looking after his interests, and visiting at the home of H. T. Twitty.

Jules D. Roberts, salesman for a prominent wholesale establishment of Dallas was here looking after the interests of his firm, Monday.

Mr. Owen, of Oklahoma, was here prospecting this week, and seemed well pleased with the city and country surrounding it.

NECES COUNTY NOTES

Movements Continue Live-wo Young People Wed-Young Man Injured.

Continuing the herds that have county the past few weeks the following: W. R. Slaton has delivered to Posey & Lindsey of 4,400 cows.

Price has delivered to Lindsey, 800 3 and 4 steers and to McPhaul Bacon 900 twos. Craft has just delivered 4 to Kansas parties, B. Wozencraft has just delivered to Ivey and Benson, etc.

Hart, while recently in New Mexico, purchased hundred steers, but when again before bringing to his ranch in this county, W. Dalmont delivered to Bros. & Elwood, this week 1000 head of two-year-old steers.

J. D. Cunningham has just received 600 steer yearlings which he recently purchased of Fat McHugh.

S. W. Brooks happened to a painful accident this morning while shoeing a horse. The horse kicked and a nail, which Mr. Brooks was using cut an ugly gash in his wrist. A large vein in the wrist was cut and a considerable amount of blood was lost before the flow was stopped.

Mr. R. W. Pittman and Miss Ione Miller were married Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Ledger, Rev. Ledger officiating. Only a few friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony.

Mrs. J. C. Hart and daughter Miss Helen, returned last week from Lubbock where they had been visiting for several weeks.

I. O. O. F. First Degree Work. We understand the local lodge of Odd Fellows will put on the First Degree work at their hall in this city on the 19th of this month, and all members and visiting members are urged to attend.

During the evening there will be light refreshments served and a genuine good time is anticipated. You'll miss a treat if you do not avail yourselves of the opportunity of attending the lodge on this date.

Mrs. D. Robinson left Wednesday for Lamesa where she goes in her official capacity as District Deputy of the Eastern Star. She will visit Big Springs lodge while away on this trip, and probably other points of interest. She returned just a few days since from a tour of the towns north, visiting in Floydada, Plainview, Tulia and Amarillo and reports a nice trip.

J. M. Harry, of Dallas, representing the O. K. Harry Steel Works of that city, and an old friend of our fellow townsman, Colby Thomas, was here the early part of the week soliciting business of our dealers in his line of wares.

Dr. Johnson, of Fort Worth, who owns some property in Yoakum county, near the line of New Mexico, came in Wednesday on the forenoon train, and will make a trip out to his holdings this week.

Miss Pearl Clark has accepted a position as saleslady for the Shelby Dry Goods Company, who are located in the Citizens National Bank building, formerly occupied by Simeon Q. Neal.

C. D. Lester, cashier of the First National Bank, made a business trip to Canyon the first of the week.

Allen Burleson, a prosperous farmer of Crosby county, was transacting business here Wednesday between trains.

"Big John" Royalty made a business trip to San Angelo this week, leaving on the afternoon train Wednesday.

Bomar Moore returned Wednesday from a trip to points north of here.

A. C. Buchanan, a well to do farmer of the Canyon community, was in the city yesterday.

FIRST MONDAY A GOOD ONE

MANY PEOPLE VISIT OUR TOWN AND PARTICIPATE IN THE DAYS PROGRAM

BABY SHOW WAS BIG-ATTRACTION IN FORENOON

Twenty Fine, Healthy Looking Natives of the South Plains Were Entered in the Contest For Three Prizes. Addressed the Crowd. Inauguration of

Notwithstanding the fact that Tahoka on the South and Brownfield to the Southwest threatens to put on a monthly show on later dates, many people came from the very threshold of these towns to participate in Lubbock First Monday Trades Day.

The usual big crowd was present, and many of them came from a greater distance than heretofore. The news of our monthly tradesday events has spread to the counties surrounding us and on and on down the line till we attract people here from the Texas and Pacific Ry., on the South to the Denver on the North and the Orient on the East and the Pecos and Eastern N. M. Ry. on the West—they come to Lubbock.

The Lubbock Cow Boy Band started the ball to rolling at 10:30 when they struck up a lively tune, and immediately following came the baby show, which proved to be one of the most interesting numbers on the program. Twenty entries were made for the three prizes offered and we know that the judges had the task of their lives to determine just which three were entitled to the prizes. It was indeed a pretty sight to see these sprightly little fellows, of both sex, fat plump and healthy, lined up for a decision—they were South Plains beauties in every sense of the word, and either one was entitled to a prize—but there were not enough prizes to go round.

Prizes were awarded to the following babies: Thos. Atkins son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Atkins, age 16 months, first prize; E. B. Green, Jr., 8 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Green, second prize; Sam Hart Davis five months old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Davis, third prize.

Following this, dinner was served at the usual place by the ladies of Lubbock for the benefit of the Lubbock Cow Boy Band. The proceeds to be used toward buying the band uniforms, and the neat sum of \$112 was deposited in the bank to their credit. It was one of the best dinners that has been served and was patronized most liberally. A table was prepared especially for the band boys, and a number of magnificent cakes decorated the table that the band boys were permitted to sell to the highest bidder and they brought a neat sum of money. During the dinner hour a quartette sang a song entitled "Our Cow Boy Band" sung to the tune of Dixie, which we take pleasure in reproducing in another place in this paper.

Miss Jewell Reed of Lubbock, visited several days last week with Mrs. J. L. Powell.

Rev. Turnage, pastor of the Baptist church here, has tendered his resignation and it has been accepted, so that leaves the church at this place without a pastor.

W. L. Elwood of DeKalb, Ill., has been looking after his extensive interests in this part of the country the past week.

John Waugh and Mr. Shumate of Eskridge, Kan., are here receiving and shipping out about 5000 head of steers bought from the Spades.

Roy Bailey of Petersburg, spent last Friday in our city.

Those on the sick list this week with mumps, are, Mrs. W. A. Shelton, and daughter, Evelyn and Kate Arnett.

The Abernathy School will close next Friday with a picnic at the Powell mill and a program at the church at night. Mr. Younger and Mrs. Legg have taught a very successful term and Abernathy could do no better than to employ these teachers for another year.

A READER. Will Re-Open Air Dome. Manager McElroy informs us this week that he expects to reopen the air dome sometime the latter part of next week. He will use this for his motion picture performances.

Judge James R. Robinson went to Tahoka this afternoon to look after legal business.

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Mrs. A. N. Rhodes left Friday for Amarillo on a visit.

L. M. Minor left Friday for Happy.

Manse Wood was here the latter part of last week from Sweetwater.

Miss Vena Hinds, who visited relatives here the latter part of last week, left Saturday for her home at Abernathy.

Mrs. D. Robinson returned Friday from a business trip to Plainview, Canyon and other points.

W. D. Shaw was here Tuesday from Amarillo.

C. D. Swift made a business trip to Slaton the latter part of last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gus Robertson were up from the ranch Monday meeting their many friends in Lubbock.

W. D. Crump of Ripley, was in the city Monday mixing with the many people who attended First Monday Trades Day.

Dee Harris, one of the most prominent cattle raisers of the O'Donnell country, was here Tuesday looking after cattle deals.

A. W. Quinn, of Milam county, who owns land in Lynn county, was here this week after having been to Lynn county to look after his land interests. He is well pleased with the general outlook of the country, and conditions in general. He left on the forenoon train for points north.

Rev. W. H. Stephens, of Floydada, was here Tuesday en route to Bowling Green, Ky., where he will attend as a delegate the General Assembly of the Cumberland Church. While in the city he was the guest of Rev. J. L. Elliott, and called at this office for a few moments chat before leaving for his trip to old Kentucky.

At The Lyric.

The Abbott's, who bill at the Lyric Thursday, Friday and night's, was a roaring success from every point of view. In which Abbott moved the handcuff's, exchanged his coat and wrists were tied to a many other tricks, he dice guessing all the time would not overlook pulled off by Mrs. Abbott day night, when she to the pillory of tort can say that the Abbott's the very best in their of we have seen. We went to compliment Mr. McArthur his picture show and especially on the one which on Monday night. The reels, President Wilson'suration and the Dayton which are only sixty days were given to our people ordinary manager would been lucky to have gotten films inside of six months

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Dr. E. H. Inmon and wife of Tahoka, were here a few days the latter part of last week visiting at the home of Dr. Inmon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Inmon. Dr. Inmon and family moved to Dallas this week, where he has a position as special surgeon in one of the leading hospitals of the city.

Prof. Showalter, who has been teaching the Center school the past term, was in the city Tuesday making his final report and cashing his vouchers, after having closed a very successful term. Center had an eight-month term the past school year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams, of Cross Plains, Texas, parents of C. L. Adams of the Guarantee Abstract Company, arrived Tuesday and will visit their son and family a few weeks.

J. L. Luckey, a prominent attorney of Wellington, Texas, passed through the city Monday from Yoakum county, where he had been looking after his land interest.

R. D. McHaney, of Georgetown, was a Lubbock visitor Friday and Saturday.

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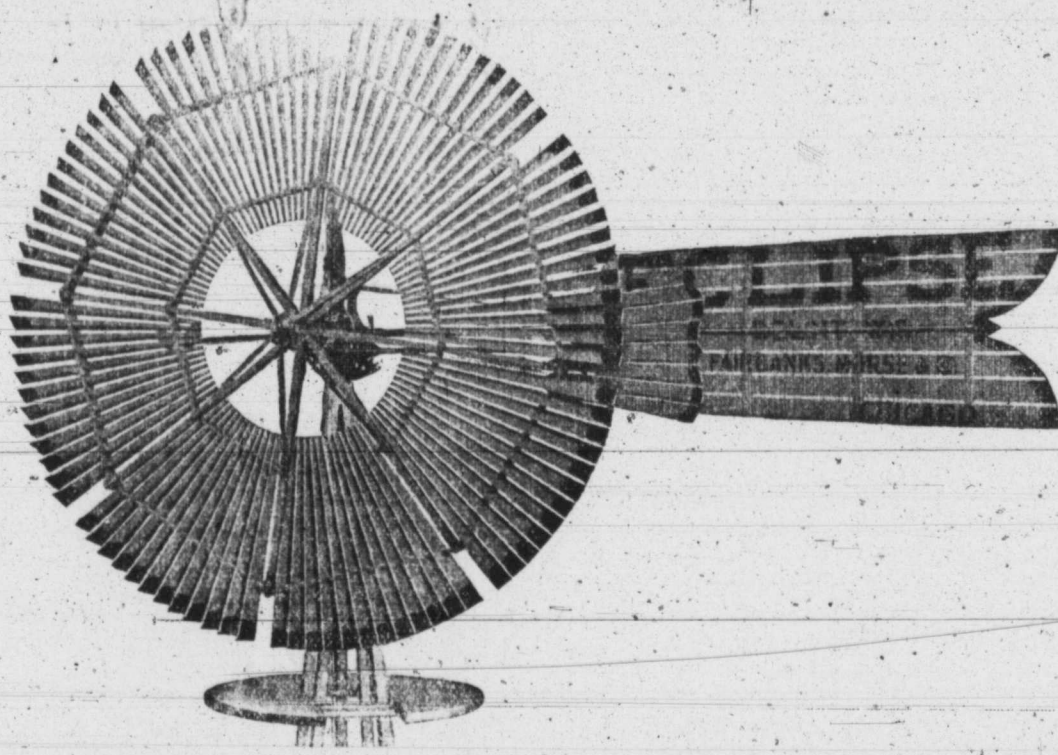
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MILK AND MUNICIPALITIES

The regulation of the milk supply is a matter that is of vital interest to all of us. To the babies the difference between good milk and bad milk is the difference between life and death. To a great many of us milk and cream mean either nourishment or disease according as it is pure or impure. Typhoid epidemics have been frequently traced to an impure milk supply and tuberculosis cows spread a dreaded plague to those who consume the milk.

The law has given the weight of its authority to the regulation of milk by municipal ordinances and state legislative enactments. These laws have for their purpose not only the safeguarding of the milk supply against the disease but also the separation of all relations between the product of the cow and the far-famed milkman's pump. Watered milk has frequently drawn down the lightnings of the law as well as furnished inspiration for the professional jokesmith. It was the subject of the following diatribe, of which a St. Louis judge recently relieved himself in the case of the city against a purveyor of the diluted milk.

"Milk," said the wearer of the ermine, "an object of profound and vigilant concern to modern lawmaker, has been always part and parcel of the daily life, the adages and folklore of mankind. For example: We are told not to cry over spilt milk—that is not to fret over real loss that can't be helped. The Russian has an adage, that which is taken in with the milk only goes out with the soul—that is, early impressions last till death. The Swede has one denoting hospitality, viz., 'When there is milk in the can for one, there is milk in the can for two. In the phrase, 'the milk of human kindness,' is expressed the very heart and office of that gentle but noble virtue. The bard of bards does not hesitate to connect milk and philosophy, deeming that neither loses dignity by the juxtaposition, he speaks of 'Adversity's sweet milk philosophy.' All such amiable metaphors, saws, similes, associated ideas and folklore eschew the belittling idea of water in milk. Contra the milk held in mind is good milk. I recall but one instance to the contrary (seemingly the inadvantage of a daring and erratic genius), viz:

'Oh Mirth and Innocence! Oh, milk and water!
Ye happy mixtures of more happy days.'

Indeed, the universal, primal and spontaneous mental conception we have of milk, in the first instance, is that it is unwatered. Take one case for example: Milk and honey are emblems of pastoral good luck, peace and plenty—a large and goodly land. Witness the phrase, 'A land flowing with milk and honey.' (Ex. iii:8; Jer xxxii:22.) But what a derisive picture would arise to harass the imagination by use of the phrase, 'A land flowing with watered milk and honey?' We think the ordinance proceeds on the notion that however much the cow waters her own milk in her own humble and honest way

(letting nature take her course), the milkman has no right to deviously duplicate nature's gift of water by a furtive gift of his own from the barnyard pump. It proceeds on the underlying theory that it is a fraud, a trick and a veritable cheat—contrary to the common law and hence of that phase of it known colloquially as the 'square deal'—to sell water, when milk, not water, is the commodity dealt in. If one is not to get a stone who asks for bread, no more (under the spirit of the ordinance) is he to get water who asks for milk."

The regulation of a matter of such general and vital concern as milk is properly within the province of the state legislature. It is for the legislative power representing the people as a whole to prescribe the measures that are to safeguard the supply. But the legislature may, and very frequently does, delegate this power to its creature, the municipality; and so we find the individual communities supported by the courts in their enactment and enforcement of drastic ordinances regulating the production and distribution of milk.

As these measures entail additional labor and expense on the part of those engaged in the milk business many of the laws have been opposed in the courts, but quite generally they have been sustained. It is now clearly understood that municipalities having the usual powers may license milk dealers and prevent all unlicensed persons from selling milk within the municipality. A reasonable license fee may be enacted and the health officers may be given the authority to issue or withhold license; and, unless it is shown that they acted from improper motives, their action in refusing to issue or in revoking a license, under the authority of the municipality, will be supported by the courts.

The legislative bodies may also prescribe laws against adulterations. In the absence of a legal enactment an adulterant must be unwholesome before action can be taken against the parties responsible. But modern laws forbid all adulterants, whether harmless or not. Under these regulations water is an adulterant. So any preservative, or other unnatural substances, are adulterants. If the law forbids the adulteration any person who adulterates is guilty and may be punished under the law. Usually the statutes and ordinances also prohibit the sale of adulterated milk and under the usual form of the law it is not necessary to prove that the dealer knew that the milk was adulterated. It becomes his duty to see that the milk which he sells is pure and up to the standard set by the law, and if he don't he is legally liable. Both the man who owns the business and the servant who drives the wagon are, in general, liable under the law.

But the laws have gone even further than requiring license and prohibiting adulteration. They have regulated the conditions under which the milk is produced and transported and prescribed standards of richness. Regulations forbidding the sale

within the town of milk from cows fed on slops, or brewer's malt, or kept in unsanitary premises have been upheld. The defendants in the cases were not allowed to show that the milk was, nevertheless, perfectly wholesome; the fact that the law prohibits the sale of such milk is final. It is a matter properly within the regulation of the lawmaking power. The municipality may also require that all cows be subjected to tuberculin and other tests, and that no milk be sold within the town limits except from the tested cows.

Even though the dealer be licensed and his milk comes from properly fed and cared for cows, and there be no adulteration of any kind, the milk may yet be barred because it is not up to the required standard of richness. A requirement of three per cent of fat in milk and of twenty per cent of fat in cream has been held reasonable. Where the laws provide, the health officers may seize without compensation sufficient quantities of milk to make tests. The analysis of competent authorities, un-

less shown to be erroneous, is taken by the courts as the final test as to whether the milk in question was up to the required standard. Ordinances permitting the seizure and destruction of all milk found to be impure or below the required standards are supported by the courts and generally enforced.

Of course the municipality may make valid regulations governing the measures of quantity in use by the dealers. The citizens through their legislative representatives—be they aldermen or members of the village board—may provide these regu-

lations as well as those protecting them against impure or weak milk. All but officially-tested measures may be barred and ordinances not infrequently require that milk shall be sold only in bottles or jars permanently marked with their capacity.

If you are a consumer of milk recognize your rights. You can compel the enforcement of the regulations you now have and, if they are insufficient, you may do much to secure the passage of acts that will be adequate. (Copyright, 1913, by Walter K. Towers.)

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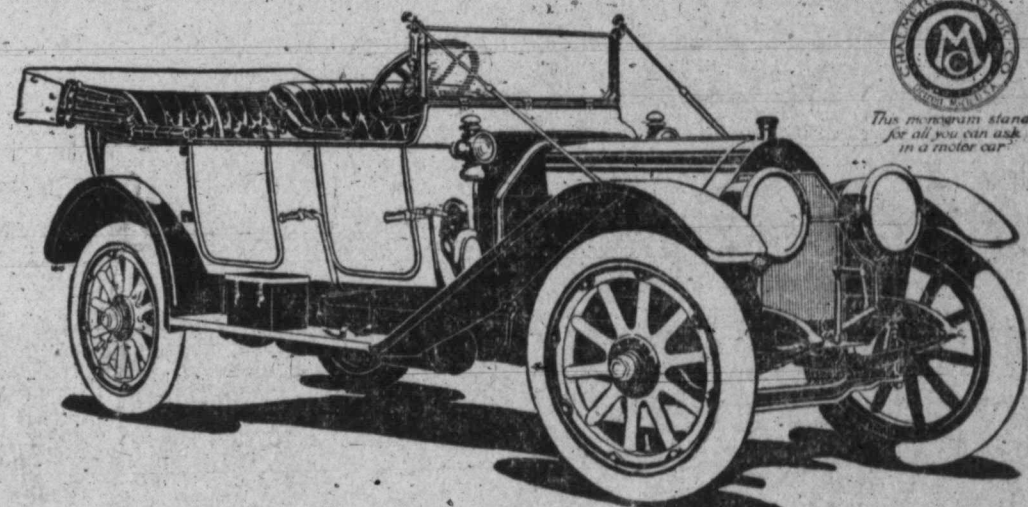
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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY, 8, 1913

CROSBY COUNTY NEWS

Commissioners Court in Session
County Court Proceedings and
Other Items of Interest

Halls Banner:

Commissioners court was in regular session Monday for the purpose of settling with the tax collector. During the session the returns of the recent bond election were canvassed, and the majority in favor of the bonds was found to be 71. The question of a site for the court house was also discussed, but no definite conclusion was reached. It is likely that the court house and jail will be built together, as it was the opinion of the court that with the money available a more satisfactory building could be erected in this way. Members of the court will visit different towns on the Plains next week for the purpose of getting ideas which will help them in building in our county the very best and most modern structure which

can be built for the money which has been voted for that purpose.

County court met in regular session Monday, and the following business was transacted: Early Grain Co. vs. John R. Ralls, verdict in favor of defendant. This was a suit in which the Early Grain Co. sued Mr. Ralls for alleged breach of contract in a shipment of grain. Plaintiff was represented by J. E. Vickers, of Lubbock, and defendant by Lloyd A. Wicks, of Ralls. A. G. McAdams Lumber Co. vs. Henry Assiter, suit on note for \$222, judgment for plaintiff. We understand that the criminal docket was continued until the next term of court. Probate day is set for Friday, May 2.

We note that Uncle Charley Reagan, one of the worthy pioneer citizens of the Plains, is this week hauling out lumber for the purpose of making extensive additions to his residence. Much improvement is now going on around Ralls. Farmers are adding to their residences and pro-

viding comforts and conveniences which are making farm life more attractive and pleasant all the time.

C. E. Scott tells us that he is paying special attention to raising turkeys, and says that he and his good wife took sixty from the incubator Sunday, set 150 eggs, and expect to have 200 hatch out next week. He is devoting his attention to the bronze variety, which are conceded to be the best breed. There is more money in turkeys, everything considered, than there is in cattle or hogs, and as turkeys do better on the Plains than anywhere else in Texas, we believe our farmers are neglecting one of their important sources of profit by failing to raise turkeys for the market.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria and builds up the system. A true tonic and sure Appetizer. For adults and children. 50c.

J. R. Smith and daughter, Miss Luran, who have been in Amarillo and Roswell, N. M., for the past month, came in Saturday and left Sunday for their home in Terry county.

Mrs. Lum Arnold, who lives ten miles east of the city, was here Saturday trading with our merchants.

S. F. Sullenberger, of Crosbyton, was a Lubbock visitor Thursday night.

THE LAST PILGRIMAGE

Reunion at Chattanooga Will Have
a Sentimental Interest
All Its Own

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 2.—Perhaps the last pilgrimage they will make as a body to the famous battle ground of Lookout Mountain, Chickamauga and Mission Ridge, will be the 1913 Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, May 27-29. The railroads of the Southeastern Passenger Association have made a thirty day rate of a cent a mile. The War Department has loaned the requisite number of tents and cots in order that Chattanooga may suitably care for the 15,000 veterans who are expected to attend, and who will be lodged and fed free of all cost.

The United Sons of Veterans will hold their reunion at the same place, May 27-29. They will bring with them the usual bevy of beautiful Southern women, as sponsors, maids of honor and chaperones, all of whom will be lavishly entertained by the citizens of Chattanooga.

Enthusiasm and interest never ran so high in the South over the annual reunion of the battle scarred veterans whose spectacular parade at Chattanooga is expected to be viewed by over one hundred thousand visitors in that city of like population.

J. M. Bassett, of Crosbyton, spent Thursday night in Lubbock on business.

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Mrs. Annie Webb and little daughter, who have visited relatives in Crosbyton the past month visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monte Bowron the first of the week and will leave in a day or so for their home in Snyder.

Mrs. Jno. Young, of Crosbyton, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

W. C. Herring, of Amarillo, was here Friday.

F. E. Abney was up from Gail Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Henderson, who visited the past few weeks in Justiceburg, returned Saturday.

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11,000 Demonstration Farms in 215 Counties In Texas Industrial Congress Contest

From 1,746 students of better farming in 161 counties of the State in 1911, the Texas Industrial Congress has steadily increased this number to 10,869 in 215 counties in 1913.

Unique among associations for agricultural development, the Congress, by offering \$10,000 in gold annually for the best yields of specific crops, cost of production considered, has in a little more than two years awakened among the farmers of Texas enthusiastic interest in scientific cultural methods, improved seed selection, better preparation of the soil and the conservation of its fertility through crop rotation and diversification.

While this remarkable growth has been the result primarily of the stimulus caused by the prize offer, this inducement to use brains as well as brawn in crop production, is recognized by thinking men as but an incident for the purpose of accomplishing the real object of the Congress, which is to lower the cost of production

whilst at the same time increasing the average yield, hence its slogan, "Smaller farms, bigger farmers." The enrollment of nearly 11,000 contestants in this year's competition means that many demonstration farms in many neighborhoods, intensively cultivated by 10,000 farmers who are seeking the best information they can get both from the Congress and from other sources, and are striving for the highest farming efficiency, thus educating not only themselves but presenting an excellent demonstration of better cultural methods to their neighbors as well.



Every dot on the above map represents a demonstration farm cultivated in corn, cotton, cowpeas, kafir or milo, in accordance with the advice and suggestions of the Congress. This information is furnished by bulletins at frequent intervals and also by personal letters. The stars indicate those counties in which prizes were won in the contests of 1911 and 1912.

Among the 215 counties represented, Bexar County, which in 1911 had but seven contestants and in 1912 but nine, leads the State with 595 entries. Ellis County is second, having 281 contestants; Hunt County, with 239, is third and Kaufman, Cooke, Navarro, Tarrant, Dallas, Rockwall, Hill and Rusk Counties rank next in the order named.

The counties represented in this year's contest and the number of entries in each are as follows:

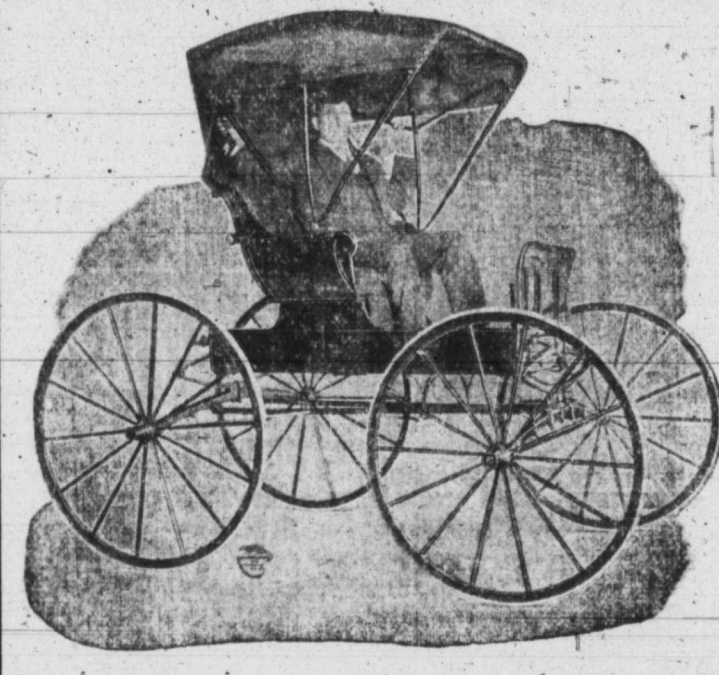
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The price of Dodson's Liver Tonic is 50 cts. per bottle. Be sure you get Dodson's Liver Tonic and not some medicine put up in imitation that is not backed up by a guarantee and that may contain harmful drugs.

W. L. Shelby was here from Roswell, N. M., Friday.

J. L. Lackey, of Wellington, was a Lubbock visitor Friday.

Rural Route Mail Boxes. I can furnish them and at reasonable prices. See me before buying. The kind I sell are approved by the Government. City Plumbing and Sheet Metal Works. 44 if

Miss Caryl Potts, teacher of the Estacado school, was a Lubbock visitor for a few hours Friday. Miss Potts reported that her school was out and that she would leave for her home in the eastern part of the state in a very short time.

Mrs. Bryson Hale and the Misses Hale, of Plainview, who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. McWhorter the latter part of last week, left Friday for Cleburne where they will visit.

I will close my school in music July 19th and will resume work first Monday in October. 44 2t (MISS) MARGARETT HUFF.

Miss Josie Lee of Ralls, who spent last month in California, passed through our city Friday on her way home.

J. T. Bullock returned Friday from Eagle Pass where he had been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Ater left Friday for Roscoe where they will visit.

Miss Easter, of Lorenz, passed through Lubbock Friday enroute to Albany where she will visit.

Elmer Hurd left Friday for Fisher county and other points to be gone indefinitely.

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PLAINS GETS PROPOSITION

Railroad Builders are Out Again—Two Young People Wed at Plains.

A special from Midland dated April 27th, says: "The Empire Construction Co., of Omaha, Neb., has made a proposition to the Midland Commercial Club to build a railroad from Tucumcari, N. M., to the Gulf via the town of Midland for a bonus to be raised by the citizens of Midland. The Commercial Club favored the proposition, and will canvass the citizens this week. It is quite probable that a contract will be signed Monday."

This is probably a revival of the Gulf, Texas & Northern proposition which made a survey, through Yoakum county, last fall, and whose bonus man, Mr. Ryan, made our town a visit.

Mr. Wayne Carlisle and Miss Nell Carpenter were married last Monday night, at the home of the bride's parents in Plains, Rev. S. B. Cox officiating. This was an event that the public had been expecting for some time but when it took place very few were apprised of it.

Mr. Carlisle is one of Yoakum county's prominent ranchmen and business men and is highly respected by all who know him. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, and is a young lady of fine culture and is very popular with all who know her. These young people start on their marriage journey under the most favorable auspices and have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends.

Will Belcher has leased his pasture east of Plains for a year to a Mr. Lang, of King county, who will put 1500 cattle in it the first of June. We understand that Mr. Lang expects to move here.

Piedmont Piedmont Genuine Piedmont Smithing Coal at Downing & Hill's. 43-2t

Mrs. Fred Maxey was here from Crosbyton Monday.

THERE'S MONEY IN POULTRY

The Federal Census Report Shows That Poultry is a Paying Industry in Lubbock County.

The poultry industry of Lubbock County is assuming large proportions and the hen is contributing her share towards lifting the mortgages and swelling the bank accounts of the farmers of this county. The Federal Census Reports, which contain data gathered in the spring of 1910, show a total of 8501 fowls, valued at \$3,634 on the farms of this county. The annual poultry production for 1909 was 14,109 head of fowls and 34,043 dozen eggs which had a combined value of \$12,194, according to the report.

Poultry raising in Lubbock County, when properly conducted can be made a most profitable

investment. The conditions are ideal for breeding and raising chickens, ducks, turkeys and other species of domestic fowls, and our climate makes expensive poultry houses unnecessary.

There are 13,670,000 head of fowls on the farms of Texas and the annual poultry and egg production which is largely consumed at home is valued at \$23,000,000, which probably twenty-five per cent of our products find its way to northern and eastern markets.

Long Brothers' business has increased to such an extent that they have found it necessary to have two phones placed in their store in order to properly expedite orders.

S. Culberson, of Crosbyton, spent a few days the latter part of last week here looking after business matters.

The Close Price Store

This store is not called the Close Price Store merely to fill space, but we live up to the name and give big BARGAINS IN GROCERIES every day of the week and you to thoroughly realize just what you can save by trading here. We urge that you give us your next order and compare prices—you'll be surprised. We have a nice assortment of Groceries and Racket Goods.

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The Underground Silo

H. M. Bainer, Santa Fe Agricultural Demonstrator

The underground silo is distinctively a Western type. The Western farmer and live stock man finds it possessed of many interesting and worthy features. It is exceptionally well adapted to those districts having limited rainfall, and in such localities may with impunity, take the place of the silo usually constructed on top of the ground.

No longer an experiment; the underground silo has a value that has been fully demonstrated during the past few years in Kansas, Colorado, Texas and New Mexico. The writer personally knows of several underground silos in constant use during the past several years with perfect satisfaction to the owners. At present I know of at least twelve in the Plains Country of Texas and Eastern New Mexico. This silo, properly constructed has proven to keep the silage as well as the average over-ground silo.

It is not the purpose of this article to speak of the comparative values of under-ground and over-ground silos. Neither do I wish to speak of the relative merits of the silos, except to say that the under-ground construc-

tion will be found to justify all reasonable claims made for it.

That the under-ground silo is the plant for the farmer and stock man of limited means, there cannot be the least question. It can be constructed very cheaply, conservatively estimated, I believe, at \$1.00 per ton capacity. It may be said with truth and a spirit of fairness, that it does not blow down or dry apart, and can be constructed by the farmer himself. Expensive machinery is not needed in filling the under-ground silo.

The \$1.00 per ton capacity includes the digging of the hole, cement and finishing or plastering. With this type of silo even the renter cannot afford to be without it.

CONSTRUCTION: This underground silo is especially well suited to dry sections, but is not such a success in wet ground, or where the water is near the surface. The walls should be even and perpendicular, the depth about twice the diameter, and the size of the hole in proportion to the herd to be fed.

A hole that is sixteen feet in diameter and thirty-two feet deep will hold 100 tons of silage which is sufficient to feed from 25 to 30 cows for six months.

The earth wall of the successful under-ground silo should be covered with cement. If the earth wall stands well, without danger of caving, a 1-2 to 3-4 inch covering of rich cement plaster on the dirt, will be found sufficient. If there is danger of the wall caving or not standing well, the cement should be from 2 to 3 inches thick. In the construction of this latter or thicker cement covering, a wooden or metal form is required to hold the plaster in place until it sets. This form need not be over three feet high, which require that the wall be constructed in sections of three feet each. Under this method the bottom section is made first, and then the form is moved up three feet, and so on, until the top shall be reached.

In order to save necessity for scaffolding for the thin or plastered wall, the cement should be applied at the time of digging the silo, beginning at the top and going downward as the excavation progresses. Finally, wash or paint with pure cement and water.

Pure Dwarf re-cleaned maize and kaffir. -Lubbock Grain & Coal Co. 44-11

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cole, of Dickens, Texas, came over in their Humpmobile last week and spent several days visiting Mrs. Cole's sisters, Mesdames J. E. Penney and Jim Robinson. They returned home Monday accompanied by Mesdames Robinson and Penney, who will spend several weeks visiting in that place.

J. C. Duff, of the firm of Taylor and Duff, second hand dealers, left Wednesday afternoon for Bangs, where his family is now residing, and will bring them here to make their home. He expects to be absent two weeks or more.

E. B. Burchett, of Plainview, was here Monday and lead the band in their musical program for Trades Day, in the absence of the director, Monte Brown, who was called to the bedside of his mother last Saturday.

Carl Brown, the heavy weight tuba player, of Plainview, came down and played with the Lubbock Cowboy Band Monday. He is a good player and greatly increased the strength of the band for the occasion.

Mrs. W. N. Claxton, of Hale Center, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. O. McWhorter the early part of the week, returning home Wednesday.

Earnest Witt, of Crosbyton, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business with our merchants.

Hal Medlin was here Friday from Ft. Worth.

Mrs. W. J. Walker, of Abernathy, who is a sister of T. F. Lokey of this city, accompanied by her children spent Tuesday and till noon Wednesday with the Lokey family here, returning on the 11:55 train Wednesday morning.

Am still in position to handle both your patented and school land loans. J. F. Perry. 42 11

Mr. Weaver of Plains, was in the city this week, visiting his brother, A. V. Weaver, and transacting business with our people.

Attorney J. W. Burton, of Crosbyton, was here Tuesday between trains, interviewing our business and professional men.

Special Master Commissioner's Sale

The United States District Court, Northern District of Texas, Amarillo Division.

Whereas, on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1913, in cause No. 92 in equity, wherein Caroline K. Craig is plaintiff, and J. J. Dillard, et al, are defendants, the said Caroline K. Craig, recovered a judgment against the said J. J. Dillard, for the sum of Thirty Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-four and 40/100 (\$30454.40) dollars, with eight per cent interest per annum from said date, and costs of suit, and a foreclosure of the vendor's lien on the hereinafter described property as against J. J. Dillard, A. M. Clayton, Elizabeth Robertson, E. P. Rump, E. B. Penney, W. B. Powell, Scott-Wolfarth, R. Q. Pierce, R. E. Penney, J. T. Bullock, C. C. Lane, R. I. Tubbs, Cora L. Tubbs, R. C. Burns, J. P. Merritt, W. L. Handley, Albert Taylor, E. B. Green, W. H. Lewis, J. L. Dow, J. D. Lester, A. W. Adams, J. Harvey Moore, C. W. Holt, C. C. Boyd, W. S. Posey, O. L. Slaton, J. C. Roberts, M. C. Overton, W. L. Marshall, Morrow-Thomas Hardware Company, a corporation, The First National Bank of Canyon, Texas, a corporation, Chas. L. Elliott, R. Brown and John G. Taylor, and;

Whereas, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1913, an order of sale issued out of said court, directing me, the said special Master Commissioner, to sell the hereinafter described property at public outcry at the court house, in the county of Lubbock, Texas, after having first advertised same, for sale once each week for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper published and circulating in Lubbock county, Texas. Said premises to be sold to the highest bidder for cash, on the 1st day of Tuesday in any month after advertising as aforesaid and said sale to be made between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.; provided the Plaintiff in this cause shall have the right to bid on said property and credit her bid on the judgment for any amount up to and including the amount of the judgment, interest and costs, but in such event said plaintiff shall pay in cash an amount equal to at least five per cent of such bid, to cover the costs of this proceeding and of the expenses of sale hereunder.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said decree and the order of sale issued out of said honorable district court of the United States for the northern district of Texas, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1913, by the clerk thereof in the said cause, A. D. 1913, it being the 3rd day of said month, before the court house door of said Lubbock county, in the city of Lubbock, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

Survey No. 1, block E. 2, on the waters of North Fork a tributary of Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, about two miles west from the mouth of Yellow House Creek, by virtue of land scrip No. 61, issued to Brooks & Burleson, by the Commissioner of the General Land Office January 19th, 1875, and the interest of the said Brooks transferred to Jas. Burleson on January 26th, 1875, and by the said Burleson transferred to Caroline K. Craig on February 26th, 1876, same being situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and being described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a stake, the N. E. corner of survey No. 2, block G, S. W. corner of survey No. 19, block A, for the N. E. corner of this survey;

Thence, south, 1900.8 varas to a stake, N. W. corner of survey 9, block B, for the southeast corner of this survey;

Thence, west, 1900.8 varas to a stake and mound for southwest corner of this survey;

Thence, north 1900.8 varas to a stake, the northwest corner of this survey;

Thence, east 1900.8 varas to the place of beginning; 640 acres, being the same land granted to Caroline K. Craig by the State of Texas on November 18th, 1878;

Except the following tracts:

(a) The northwest one-fourth (1-4) of the southeast one-fourth (1-4) (40 acres) of said survey 1, now belonging to J. C. Roberts.

(b) The northeast one-fourth (1-4) of the southeast one-fourth (1-4) (40 acres) of said survey 1, and

(c) The northwest one-fourth (1-4) of the northeast one-fourth (1-4) of the southwest one-fourth (1-4) [ten acres] of said survey 1, now belonging to E. P. Rump.

As to each of said last three mentioned tracts, aggregating ninety acres out of said section, the plaintiff, Caroline K. Craig, has heretofore executed releases to J. J. Dillard, his heirs and assigns and plaintiff is not entitled to foreclosure as to same.

Said property levied on this the 6th day of May, 1913, as the property of J. J. Dillard and the other defendants herein before mentioned, to satisfy a judgment and decree amounting to \$30454.40 in favor of Caroline K. Craig, and costs of suit, and a foreclosure of the vendor's lien, against all of said defendants.

Given under my hand this the 6th day of May, A. D. 1913.

ROLLIE H. SCALES, Special Master Commissioner named in said Decree, and Order of Sale. 44 11

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Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

Mesdames C. M. Ballinger and Roscoe Wilson delightfully entertained the members of the 24-42 club and additional guests Friday afternoon, May 2nd, from three to six o'clock, at the pretty home of Mrs. Wilson. The rooms were beautifully decorated with carnations, other cut flowers and potted plants, vases of the pretty blossoms ornamented the cabinets and tables and clinging vines hung from chandeliers and curtains giving a delicate tracery of green, and on every hand was there evidence of an artistic hand. Nine tables were arranged for the thirty-six guests who thoroughly enjoyed fifteen games of forty-two. Miss Rucker winning high score. Beautiful little emery bags were used as score cards, the scores being kept with embroidery needles. After the games the charming hostesses, who were unremitting in their efforts to make the occasion a pleasant one, served a dainty two course luncheon. This was indeed a pleasant event and time flew by on swift wings. The following ladies were present: Mesdames Benson, Grover Merrill; Jno. Penney, Merrill, Davidson, Robbins, Rush, Woolbridge, Quick, Thomas, Robinson, Slaton, Kimbro, Powell, Posey, Boerner, Cochran, Maddox, Bledsoe, Copeland, Spencer, Vickers, Sowder, Ellis, Summers, Priest, Schenck, Palmer, Harrington, Downing, Cate and Misses Word, McLarry, Dean, Rouse and Rucker.

Mrs. T. O. Henry assisted by Mrs. Stone entertained the 1911 Needle Club, Thursday, the 1st. The usual pleasant time was spent in embroidering and comparing patterns. A delicious course of refreshments was served late in the afternoon and the guests departed with many expressions on a good time had. The club will meet April 15th with Mrs. Spencer and Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Orville Moody was hostess for the Bridge Club at Mrs. D Robinson's on N. Willow St., May 6th. Eleven members and one substitute were present. A good time was had in learning. Mrs. Moody assisted by Mrs. Robinson served sandwiches and ice tea to Mesdames Merrill, Boerner, Slaton, Thomas, Rush, Powell, Priest, Summers, Robbins and Sowder.

Mrs. O. F. Peebler entertained the Bridge Club Tuesday, April 29th. An enjoyable afternoon was spent, after which the hostess served dainty refreshments to her guests.

The Wednesday Needle Club will meet next week with Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Sowder at Mrs. Sowder's home.

Young Buff Orpingtons cockrels for sale. Phone 408. 42 11

Mrs. A. B. Spencer was a passenger on the Tuesday morning train from Crosbyton.

IMPROVE YOUR DRAFT HORSES

JAUQUE a pure bred coal black draft stallion, record No. 42,510 Percheron Society of America. Weight 1950 pounds when in flesh. Will make the season at my barn 3 miles north and 3 1-2 miles east of Lubbock. This horse has proved his worth in Southern Illinois and has few equals as a sire of draft colts with plenty of size, style and action. Terms \$15.00, due when colt stands and sucks. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Pasturage for mares at reasonable rates.

JNO. M. HETTLER

Directory

LODGES
Notice of lodge meetings will be inserted in this column for 50 cents per month, payable semi-annually. Changes to be made upon request of the properly authorized representative of the lodges.

CHURCHES
Church notices of every denomination will be run in this column free as standing announcements, only.

BAPTIST SERVICES
SUNDAY
Bible School 9:45 to 10:30 a. m. E. L. Klett, superintendent; preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. L. T. Grumbles, pastor, Sunbeam Band, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. R. E. Haynes, director, prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.; B. W. M. W. Monday 2:30 p. m.; Mrs. Grumbles, president.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Preaching by the pastor on the first and third Sabbaths in each month, at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sabbath School every Sabbath at 9:45 a. m. J. P. Worm, Pastor. S. C. Wilson, Supt. S. S.

METHODIST CHURCH
Preaching every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and evening at 8:00; Sunday School at 9:45 every Sunday morning. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00; Sunday School Worker's meeting every Friday evening 8:00. Everybody is cordially invited to attend each service. Strangers are urged to come and see—acquainted. Rev. W. M. Lane, Pastor.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Preaching the first and fourth Sunday's of each month at 11:00 o'clock a. m., and 8:00 o'clock p. m.; Sunday School, each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Prayer service each second and fourth Sunday at 11:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend each service.

SOUTH SIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
There will be regular preaching services at the South Side Christian Church in Lubbock on the first and third Sundays in each month, at 11 o'clock a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., and Communion Services at 10:30 a. m., every Lord's Day in each month. The public generally are invited to attend all the services. STEPHEN COLLIER, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible class every Sunday 10 a. m. Communion service at 11 a. m. Preaching 2nd Sunday evening at 8 p. m., and 1st Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:00 o'clock p. m., by Elder Liff Sanders. All are cordially invited.

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It would be COMMON NON-SENSE to talk wood construction of any kind to a Lubbock business man expecting to erect a business block.

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Cost but little, if any more than wood and will last for generations.

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AGENT
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

W. P. Allen, of Midway, N. M., was a Lubbock visitor the latter part of last week.

Piedmont Piedmont Genuine Piedmont Smithing Coal at Downing & Hill's, 43-2t

C. H. Sheller, of Canadian, was a Lubbock business visitor the latter part of last week.

S. B. Harkins, of Dallas, was in Lubbock Friday.

LITTLEFIELD WILL CELEBRATE

Preparations are Being Made to Celebrate July 4th in Regular Old Time Style

Littlefield, Lamb county, Tex., May 12—To celebrate the advent of the railroad into Littlefield and to observe the formal opening of the townsite, a most unique program is being planned for July 4th, which will take place at Littlefield. It is expected that the largest concourse of people ever assembled on the South Plains of Texas for a similar occasion will be present, and not only will it attract state wide interest, but several states in the Union will be represented as well. Governor Colquitt, together with prominent men from all parts of the state, has been extended an invitation to be present upon this occasion and to participate in the "after dinner" speechmaking.

While all the plans have not as yet been decided upon in detail, it may be said that the entertainment will be unique in every respect and that the West Texas Ranch Life will be given full sway, and that the cowboys on the Yellow House Ranch and adjoining ranches will have the pleasure of demonstrating to the visitors the "How" of the genuine round-up of some 2000 head of full blooded range cattle, making use of the branding iron, together with a realistic bronco busting exhibition. Dinner, consisting of barbecued beef with its accompaniment, together with a "hand-out" from the ranch chuck wagons, will be served the visitors who are in attendance upon this extraordinary occasion. Special excursion rates from all parts of the country will be run into Littlefield on the above date mentioned.

G. W. Williamson was here from Abilene Friday.

JNO. A. GLENN KILLED

is Victim of Automobile Accident Near Waco, Last Sunday, Four Others Injured.

Our people were shocked when the news came by wire to relatives of J. A. Glenn, at this place that he had been killed in an auto accident Sunday afternoon. No particulars were given, and little was learned of the true state of affairs till the following account came through the daily press reports:

Waco, Tex., May 4.—John A. Glenn was killed and four others were injured in an automobile accident near Walker's Crossing, six miles north of here, late this afternoon. Two others who were in the car escaped injury. The injured are: Mrs. Glenn, painful cut on head; two small Glenn girls, painfully bruised, and John F. Rowe, serious cuts and bruises.

The car was driven by John F. Rowe, brother-in-law of Mr. Glenn. While ascending a steep hill Mr. Rowe decided to stop and change the gear. He set the brakes, but they failed to hold and the car started downhill backwards. It struck a post and turned turtle, falling in a ravine, and pinning the occupants underneath. Mr. Glenn was crushed to death. It was necessary to prize up the car before those underneath could be removed.

Marshall Glenn, aged 16, jumped before the car struck the post, and escaped injury. Mrs. Rowe, one of those who remained in the car, was not hurt. Messrs. Rowe and Glenn were in the real estate and bond brokerage business here. A son of Mr. Glenn lives at Lubbock, a sister here and a brother at West. Mr. Glenn came here from West a short time ago. He had formerly lived at Mt. Calm and Lubbock. He was about 48 years old.

As stated above, Mr. Glenn was at one time a resident of this city, and was among our most highly respected citizens, and the news of his sudden death was received with genuine regret.

His son, Rice Glenn, who is in business in this city and Jno. P. Lewis, a cousin of Mrs. Glenn, and a former partner in business with Mr. Glenn, are at this time in Waco, and attended the burial of Mr. Glenn.

The Avalanche extends to the bereaved its sympathy in this season of great sorrow.

Barbecue at the Cash Meat Market every day. Special orders should be placed a day in advance. 38 4t

Mr. V. E. Hargett, a prominent stockman of Brownfield, was in the city Saturday enroute to Dallas and other points east. Mr. Hargett stated that he would move to Lubbock in the near future but was not sure yet when he would do so. Lubbock would be glad indeed to have this estimable family make their home here.

Jno. L. Wortham, Secretary of State, was here the latter part of last week.

Raise Fine Stock

The following stock will make the season of 1913 at my place at Ripley, 12 miles Northwest of Lubbock.

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NO. 53,608 FRENCH STUD BOOK		NO. 34,178 AMERICAN STUD BOOK
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Blood bay, black mane and tail, 16 1-2 hands, coming four year old. Sired by Zola Rex No. 2349, Standard and Registered, bred by Col. Henry Exall, of Dallas. Dean's dam was from registered sire and dam. Terms: \$12.50 to insure colt. Money due when colt stands and sucks.

TONY H.

This Jack was bred and raised in Kentucky. He is black with white points about 15 hands high. This is the McFee Jack. Terms \$10.00 to insure colt. Money due when colt stands and sucks.

Any mare bred to the above stock if traded or transferred before foaling time, money is due. All care is taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Mares pastured at 60c per head per month.

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THE CITY PLUMBING AND SHEET METAL WORKS

Charlie Ellis and sister, Miss Ilva, and little niece, Miss Lurlehe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bowron and Miss Viola Ellis Sunday, returning to their home at Snyder Monday.

For Sale Two good houses: one 4 room, and one 5 room. All in good condition. Can give best of terms. 43 tf. H. A. SPENCER, Agent.

H. O. King of Amarillo, was here the first of the week looking after the interests of the Southwestern Telephone Exchange at this place.

Mrs. Rex Lotspeich of Crosbyton, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Attorney Lloyd Wicks, of Ralls, was here Monday.

WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE

Hunt Grocery Company
PHONES 24 AND 75

Jno. P. Lewis left Monday for Waco in response to a telegram stating that his cousin, Jno. Glenn, had been killed in an auto accident.

George Smith of Tahoka, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monte Bowron Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Dodson and baby returned Friday from several months visit to Mrs. son's old home in Miss. Mr. Dodson is now wearing a smile.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggson were up from Sunday.

NOTICE

I have leased the Garage formerly occupied by Cass Bros., near the Baptist church and will do a General Garage Business, Repair Work And Auto Supplies. I will appreciate your patronage and my work is guaranteed. The majority of Auto Owners know that I understand this business thoroughly. Call and see me if your car needs repairs. Service cars day or night anywhere.

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Sweet Potato—Yellow Jersey and Southern Queen.
Cabbage—Leading varieties.
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Send for price list of these and other plants.

ROSWELL SEED COMPANY

ROSWELL, N. M.
Miss Lonnie Sowell, of Post, came in Saturday and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Terry.

Mrs. Nell Dees, of Lorenzo, was shopping in Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. Cliff Elam, of Crosbyton, was shopping in our city Saturday.

years, by running a pencil or pen through the same, and those opposing the adoption of said amendment shall indicate the language for adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years, by running a pencil or pen through the same.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM, Secretary of State. (A true copy) 41 4t

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution authorizing the issuance of bonds for the purpose of the construction of the necessary buildings for the University of Texas and also for buildings of various institutions, and authorizing improvement bonds for the purpose of navigating, irrigating, conserving, and maintaining bridges and the maintenance and operation of levees, locks, canals, and waterways.

Section 5. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, or in the event of war, or to supply deficiencies in current revenues shall ever exceed in aggregate at any one time one hundred thousand dollars. The Legislature, however, shall have the power to authorize the issuance of bonds to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas including the University of Agriculture, Mechanical College and all departments and activities, of a complete university for the first time. The permanent university fund shall be available for the payment of the principal of such bonds and for the creation of a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity and the Legislature shall also have power to authorize the issuance of necessary bonds for the construction of necessary buildings for State institutions. The Legislature shall also have power to authorize the issuance of bonds secured by lien on the real property of the penitentiary system to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of constructing buildings and making permanent improvements.

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city or town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to issue its credit or grant public money or thing of value in aid of or to any individual association or corporation, whether or not a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties or any political subdivision of the State or any defined district or territory, or any defined district or territory, except in case of improvement of streets, levees, locks, canals, and waterways to prevent overflows, in which case the bonded indebtedness may be for an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the lands of the district to be reclaimed; and, except, further, that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limit imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize in such manner as it may authorize from time to time for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and the navigation thereof or irrigation thereon by or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals, and waterways for the purpose of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and macadamized, gravelled, sandy or clayed sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses for storing, handling, measuring, weighing, elevating and loading agricultural products.

(e) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and the navigation thereof or irrigation thereon by or in aid of such purposes.

(f) The construction, maintenance and operation of levees, locks, canals, and waterways for the purpose of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

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day in July, same being the 19th day of said month, and the amendments proposed to section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.

Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote shall have written or printed on their ballots: For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballots: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and election.

JOHN L. WORTHAM, Secretary of State. (A true copy) 41 4t

WILL CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY
Crosbyton Will Have Two Days Celebration in Honor of 5th Anniversary

The Crosbyton Commercial Club at its meeting voted to give a big picnic and barbecue on the 6th and 7th of June, 1913, in honor of the fifth anniversary of the birth of Crosbyton. In June, 1909, the first picnic of this kind was given, celebrating the first anniversary, and at that time at least 2500 people gathered in Crosbyton, which was then only a small village. The town is now ten times as large as it was then and the picnic this year will be on a bigger and broader plan than ever before.

Distinguished speakers from Texas and other states will be on hand to address the people and an especial effort will be made to have Governor Colquitt with us at that time. Fully 3500 people are expected to attend, as the whole South Plains country well knows the ability of Crosbyton to put up an entertainment. Special features are being arranged for such as aeroplanes and balloon ascensions, together with races, bronco busting, etc.

The Board of Directors of the Commercial Club has taken charge of all plans for the picnic and if anyone has any suggestions to make they can see the President or the Secretary. The President has already appointed chairmen of the various committees to take charge of the arrangements, and these chairmen will select their own committees from among the members of the club and other men and women in town who are not members of the club.

The club is of the opinion that the program should be carried off in town this time and not in the canyon. A big tent will be sent for large enough to accommodate the tables on which refreshments will be served and also the platform for the speakers.—Crosbyton Review.

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR MAY 11. JOSEPH MADE RULER OF EGYPT.

LESSON TEXT—Gen. 41:25-40. GOLDEN TEXT—"God giveth grace to the humble." 1 Peter 5:5.

"Hope deferred maketh the heart sick." Surely Joseph has had enough of deferred hope during his thirteen years of humiliation, yet he did not lose faith in God during those days of the seeming failure of God's Word (Ch. 40:8; 41:16) and now there is dawning the day of his exaltation. Two years have elapsed since the events of last week's lesson and again his powers of interpretation are called into use.

I. Pharaoh's Dreams, vv. 25-32. Pharaoh is perplexed and his perplexity recalls to the butler his forgotten promise to his fellow prisoner, 40:14 and 41:9-13. It does not seem to us that the butler was much possessed by honest sorrow, but rather he is impelled by a desire to secure the advantage he felt sure would accrue if he could succeed in securing for Pharaoh the interpretation of his dreams. He ought to have remembered Joseph before this but even his ingratitude is used of God as a means of bringing Joseph to the fore at the most opportune moment.

Did Not Forget God. Joseph is a good example for present day church members to follow in that being exalted among men or being away from home he did not forget to confess God. Furthermore his predictions based upon his intelligent knowledge of God came true to the letter. The whole matter, Pharaoh's dream and Joseph's ability as an interpreter were inspired "established" by God. There is no such thing as chance in the spiritual realm any more than in the realm of physics or chemistry. Back of every effort is an adequate cause. Joseph realized this hence his words that, "the thing is established (prepared) by God; and God will shortly bring it to pass."

II. Pharaoh's Deliverer, vv. 33-46. Joseph told Pharaoh the meaning of his dream which had been repeated and which seemed like two different dreams whereas it was but one in the lesson to be taught. It is not enough, however, to tell a man what is the matter with him, most men know without being told, but it is quite another thing to present a rational cure. Joseph's interpretation commanded Pharaoh's confidence and his suggested policy is one of wisdom and good judgment, viz: (1) a man who shall be the executive supervisor of the plans for meeting the impending catastrophe; (2) a governmental department which shall devote itself solely to this matter, and (3) abundant storage of provisions during the seven years of plenty.

Pharaoh's Wisdom. This man of piety knew how to properly improve his opportunity and Pharaoh saw the secret of Joseph's wisdom (v. 38), "a man in whom the spirit of God is" (2 Tim. 1:7). Pharaoh had the wisdom to set in authority the spirit-filled man, a broad suggestion for voters, business men, and even church members. True discretion is God taught (v. 39) and we now begin to see that Joseph's testimony for God is being honored (Jas. 12:25) and that Joseph was worthy of the honor and power conferred upon him (v. 40, 41, 44; cf. Matt. 23:18). The source of Joseph's wisdom is open to all (Jas. 1:5), and his worthiness came because of his obedience (Jas. 1:19). His training and testing had prepared him to occupy his exalted position with proper humility and zeal. Faithfulness is of great value and always pays well in the long run. Joseph's exaltation to power is a good type of Christ, (a) in the power bestowed upon him, Jno. 3:35; (b) in that the power was unlimited—all the princes were under his feet, Ps. 105:20-22; Eph. 1:20-22; 1 Peter 3:22; (c) by the certainty of Pharaoh's promise, "I am Pharaoh," see Ex. 3:13, 14.

Joseph did not use his great power for his own selfish ends as do so many modern rulers among men. He did not at once send for the members of his family and place them in lucrative positions, but at once set about making provision for the future. It has been suggested that the unsuccessful interpreters of Pharaoh's dream must have ridiculed Joseph but he certainly was sustained by the conviction that God's word was true and that the years of famine were certain to come. This ought to admonish us to improve our present, precious, opportunities (Eph. 5:16). Joseph's open confession was his leaning back upon God.

This story gives us a remarkable revelation of the value of faith as the chief element of strength of a man. It is also a valuable lesson in its revelation of the methods of God in ruling and over-ruling the affairs of men. When we remember Joseph in a pit because of the hatred of his brothers and see him now occupying the supreme place of power in Egypt it seems impossible to reconcile the two events, and yet we see how perfectly natural the order of events are and remember how God is constantly performing these seemingly impossible feats.

John Rush was down from Amarillo Saturday.

THE WEALTHIEST BARONS LOOK UP

to the man who owns a modest home and is contented with his lot, for they know that individual prosperity as well as national prosperity depends largely upon the home life of our citizens. A look at the birth places of our most illustrious men shows one that a home, even though humble, has been the means of starting many successful careers. Of course, log cabins are no longer in vogue, but were the labor consumed in hewing logs compared with the labor needed these days to build the same sized house with our perfectly manufactured lumber, the difference in cost would be but little. And then, considering comfort and durability, the comparison becomes ludicrous. By building of wood you are assured the lowest cost and most satisfaction. Why procrastinate? Come in today and let us help you with your plans and tell you, first handed, just what the lumber will cost you.

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Miss Bert Vernon, who has been visiting Miss Brewer, left Saturday for Amarillo.

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A PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Board of Regents of the University of Texas Urge the Adoption of Proposed Amendment.

To the People of Texas:

By a vote of 113 to 2, the House of Representatives passed Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, submitting a Constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to issue bonds, approved by the Governor, for the purpose of purchasing additional ground and erecting necessary buildings for State institutions, including the University of Texas. The Senate passed the same resolution by a vote of 28 to 0. According to a further provision of the amendment, the income from the permanent University endowment shall be available for the payment of interest on the bonds issued for improvement of the University and for the creation of a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity.

The Resolution provides that the foregoing amendment, which also includes authorization to the Legislature to issue bonds, should it prove expedient to do so, for penitentiary improvements; based on the system's real property, and for other public purposes, such as the building of warehouses for agricultural products in the districts desiring them, shall be voted on by the people of the State at a special election on July 19, 1913. All voters at said election who favor the adoption of the amendment shall have printed or written or printed on their ballots the following:

"For amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products."

The adoption by the people of this amendment is of so much moment to the University of Texas, and other State institutions of higher education, that we, the undersigned Regents of the University wish to call the attention of the people of Texas to the following facts:

1. Under the present Constitution of Texas the Legislature cannot vote appropriations for the erection of buildings, or for other permanent improvements, necessary for a university of the first class demanded by our forefathers.

2. The adoption of the amendment submitted in Joint Resolution No. 18 will provide the funds necessary for the proper expansion of the University without any addition whatever to the taxes borne by the people. The income from the University permanent endowment is ample sufficient to pay the interest and provide a sinking fund for the bonds proposed, and the State Treasury will not be put to any expense because of these bonds or any part of them.

3. For the past ten years the increase in the number of students at the University has been so rapid that the small amount of money available for the rec-

tion of buildings and for other permanent improvements has not been sufficient to provide necessary accommodations. The increase in the number of students at Austin alone for the present session has been more than 300, the registration for the session of 1912-1913 being 2121 students. To provide class room for these students there are now on the campus at Austin five comfortable but perishable one-story "box house" buildings. These buildings should be replaced as soon as possible with substantial stone or brick fire-proof structures. An equally urgent need exists for more ground in Austin and for buildings at the Medical Department at Galveston.

4. The present location of the University was selected, under mandate of the State Constitution of 1876, by a vote of the people in 1881. The Constitution provides that the State of Texas shall have a University of the first class. Without a change in the organic law, as proposed by Joint Resolution No. 18, healthy growth and expansion are practically impossible.

For thirty years the University of Texas has grown steadily in the esteem and confidence of the people. The men who have constituted its governing board have been distinguished citizens selected from different sections of the State; its faculty have been well equipped scholars, chosen without political influence, for merit and efficiency; nearly twenty thousand Texas boys and girls have been students in its halls; no breath of scandal has touched it; its growth and prosperity have more than kept pace with the advancement of the great State which gave it being, and whose bounty sustains it year by year. One serious handicap under which it has labored, and is laboring now, can be removed by the people of Texas on July 19, next, without touching the pocket of any citizen.

In view of the great benefits accruing to the University and other State institutions from the adoption of this amendment, we feel justified, for the first time in the history of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas, in issuing this statement to the people. We urge every intelligent, patriotic, and fair-minded citizen to vote in favor

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of the amendment submitted in Joint Resolution No. 18, and thus remove a great bar to the further growth and progress of the University of Texas.

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F. W. COOK, San Antonio.
GEO. W. LITTLEFIELD, Austin.
ALEX SANGER, Dallas.
W. H. STARK, Orange.
JOSEPH D. SAYERS, Austin.
Regents of University of Texas, Austin, Texas, April 12, 1913.

New Dry Goods Store

The Shelby Dry Goods Co., of Roswell, N. M., has opened up a new Dry Goods store in the Citizens National Bank building. Mr. W. L. Shelby, who will be manager at this place, tells us that they will have in one of the most complete stocks of goods in a few days that ever came to this part of the country. They at present have a beautiful line and are adding to it every day. We welcome this enterprising firm to our city and predict that they will do well.

Notice Horses

I have bought the McDonald Hamiltonian Stallion. He will make the season at my place seven miles east of Lubbock. Fee \$15. Phone 179-11-2 short. W. B. Burford. 41 3tp

J. R. King left Sunday for Sweetwater, Fort Worth and other points to be gone a week or so.

To Cure a Cold in One Day take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

N. H. Wright of Dallas, spent Saturday in Lubbock.

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Miss Edna Pilley was here from Wilson the latter part of last week and stopped at the Howard.

J. E. Ely of Reading, Kan., was a Lubbock visitor the latter part of last week.

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J. T. Robb, a prominent stockman of Topeka, Kan., spent several days the latter part of last week here.

Barney Johnson was over from Crosbyton Saturday.

Nice Cattle Deal

Pierce Bros., the latter part of last week, sold to C. B. Henderson, of Kansas, 100 four-year-old steers for \$69 per head. We claim that this is the best price that has ever been gotten for cattle in this section of the state. Pierce Brothers are rustlers and always get the best that is going.

J. A. Shield, of Dallas, was a Lubbock visitor Saturday.

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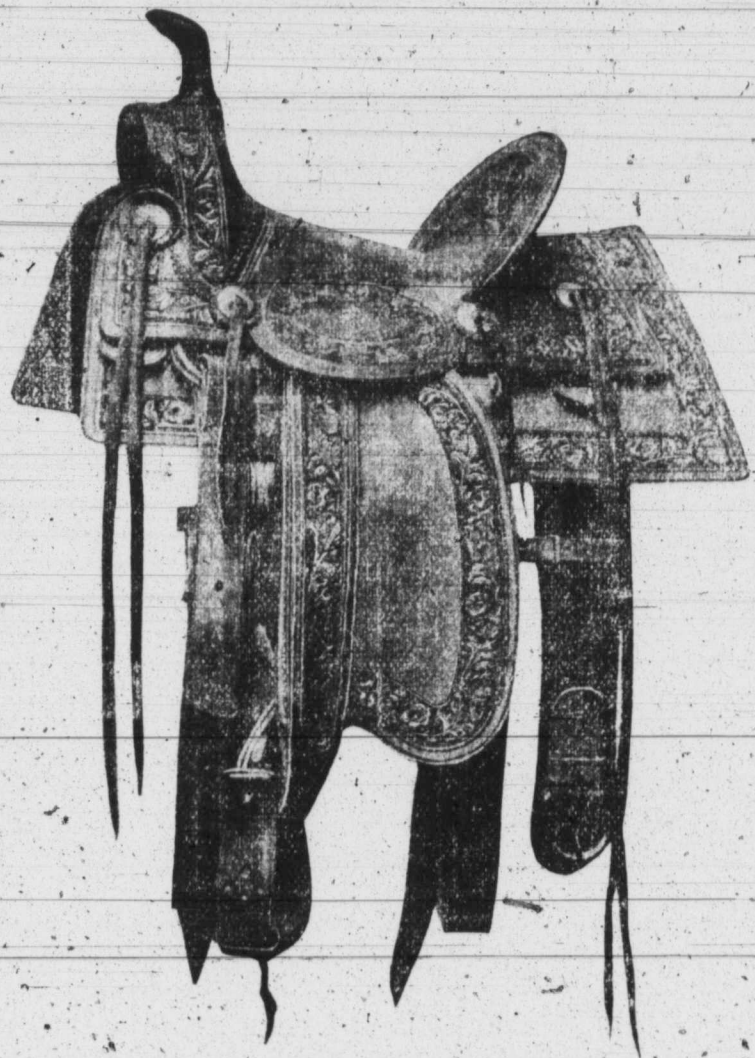
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M. Z. Noble was here from Amarillo Monday.

W. J. Jarrott of Jayton, spent Monday in Lubbock.

A. D. Harlan of Boston, was a guest at the Howard, Monday.

B. N. Mysoe of Clovis, N. M., spent Monday in Lubbock.

J. N. Waugh of Eskridge, Kan., was here the first of the week looking after business matters.

Rev. J. P. Word, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, leaves today for Henderson, Texas, where he will visit a day or so with his daughter, Mrs. Teller, and will go direct from that place to Atlanta, Ga., to be present at the opening session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which begins on the 15th. He will be absent from Lubbock ten or twelve days. Regular Sunday School services at the First Presbyterian Church during the absence of the pastor, but no other services.

A. M. Ramp and family left Sunday for their new home at Dalhart. Mr. Ramp came to Lubbock last summer and took charge of the Alfalfa Lumber Company's business here, and resigned the position effective May 1st, to accept a position with a different company at Dalhart, Texas.

Mr. Ben Taylor, of Elk City, Okla., an old friend and former school mate of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Adams, of this city, was here last week, a guest at the Adams home. He left this week for Canadian, Texas, where he will make his future home.

Mrs. Fain, who for the past month has been living at the Hotel Howard, left Monday for her home at Wichita Falls.

Guy Hufstедler returned Monday from Hood county, where he had been on a business trip.

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LUBBOCK COUNTY SINGERS

Met at Vaughn School House Last Sunday—Enjoyed an All Day Singing.

The Lubbock County Singing Convention met in Badger Lake community Sunday, May 4th. The meeting was called to order by the President, Prof. Hufstедler. Opening song—"Stand Up for Jesus," led by Badger Lake Choir. The Badger Lake choir sang a number of good songs, consisting of choruses and quartettes. Then L. O. Burford, leader of the Acuff choir, was called on to lead a few songs which were appreciated by all.

Prof. Ray Showalter delivered the address of welcome in which he said lots of good things and assured the crowd that they were more than welcome. L. O. Burford followed with a brief response. The crowd was then turned loose for noon, and oh my! at the good things to eat. The afternoon session was opened with the song, "Just As I Am." W. B. Burford then led a few selections for the Canyon choir. The next number was a quartette by Messrs. W. B. Burford, Mr. Greenhill, Mr. Dennis Warren, and Prof. Hufstедler. Mrs. Overton being present, delivered an interesting address on Sunday School work, which was greatly appreciated. The next number was a quartette by Mr. and Mrs. Agnew, Miss Parkins, and Mr. Whitely.

A business session was then called. A vote of thanks was offered for the hospitality shown by the Badger Lake people.

Lubbock, Acuff and Center were then put in nomination for the next place of meeting and when put to a vote, Center was chosen as the next place of meeting, which will be the 5th Sunday in June. The meeting was then closed with song, "God Be With You," and dismissed by L. O. Burford. Everybody invited to come and bring a baked hen.

Band Boys Appreciate

With hearts bubbling over with gratitude, words of love and beauty have not been coined that will express our sincere thanks to the fairest of the fair ladies of Lubbock, who have been so kind as to throw their bouquets of roses in the way of dinner, cream and song for the band boys. And our only and best wish is that for ever rose given there will cluster around your pathway through life one hundred more in its place. And may each word of encouragement you have given to the boys come back to you fourfold in tender love to drive away some pain or care. Our hats are off in the presence of the garden of roses, from the sweet bud, the full bloom rose, and the flower that is dropping its petals, leaving the most savory fragrance of a life well done. We place you on a pedestal, a living monument of America's uncrowned Queens and worship at the shrine. I have seen the light come over the Eastern plains in all its glory and I thought that was grand; I have seen the stars in all their beauty in the milky way and I thought that was grand. But the grandest thing next to the radiance that flows from the Almighty Throne is the light and life of Lubbock's sweet womanhood, whose kindness has wrapped itself around our heart-strings in loving benediction which makes destinies for men, and leads to the throne of Almighty God from Whom all blessings flow.

BY MOUNT,

For the Band Boys.

R. A. Klien was here from Dallas Friday.

H. T. Magee, of Slaton, spent Friday in Lubbock.

Mrs. J. C. Burns is visiting in Lockney this week.

M. V. Brownfield was here Tuesday looking after business matters.

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L. T. Adams, of Jacksboro, was a Lubbock visitor Friday.

W. M. Yoakum, of Ft. Worth, spent Friday here.

E. E. Warren, of Amarillo, spent Saturday in Lubbock.

J. R. Larfer made a business trip to Amarillo this week.

Lawrence Hazel of Aspermont, was here the first of the week.

W. M. Featherston, was here the first of the week from Jayton.

Editor Williams of King, New Mexico, who wields the pen on the King Progress, was here this week soliciting business for his paper. He reports conditions favorable in that part of the country, and is very hopeful for a prosperous year.

Miss Fleda Burt, of Plainview visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Greenhill the first of the week.

Contractor Sam Godrum was called to Sweetwater Saturday to attend the bedside of his wife who is sick.

WALL PAPER

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J. L. Higginbotham was here from his ranch Monday and loaded out six wagons with windmills, posts, lumber and other materials to make improvements on his ranch. Mr. Higginbotham is one of the most successful ranchmen in this part of the country.

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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.]

METHODIST MISSIONARY NOTES

Next Monday is the regular business session. Let every member be present and each officer have a written report of the work in her department.

The circle that served cake and cream desires to thank all who assisted in any way.

A HANDFUL OF FACTS

The demand for facts concerning the modern missionary enterprise is growing more and more insistent. Men are seeking for facts, not arguments. Well enough. The appeal of facts is irresistible. Herewith

are a few simple, outstanding features of the present missionary situation:

1. In the United States there is one ordained minister for every 546 persons. In the whole non-Christian world there is only one for every 275,000.
2. In non-Christian countries there is but one medical missionary to every 2,500,000. In the United States there are 4,000 physicians to the same number.
3. We spend 300 millions for church work at home. For foreign missions we give annually only 12 millions. Southern Methodists are giving to foreign missions \$831,000 a year, less than fifty cents a member.
4. The church membership at home increased last year by 11.2 per cent. In mission lands, with incomparably greater difficulties, it increased 12 per cent.
5. Last year each ordained

minister in America with all helpers, averaged 2 converts. American missionaries in foreign lands had an average of 41 converts each.

6. Last year an average of 400 souls per day were brought into the church out of heathenism. This is an average of 2,800 added every Sunday.

7. It has been carefully estimated that one missionary, with the native force which he can train, can evangelize 25,000 within a generation. There are 27,000 such districts of 25,000 people each which need a missionary.

Press Reporter.

MOTHERS' DAY PROGRAM

Given at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock under the direction of the Mothers Club.

1. Instrumental Music—"Home Sweet Home."
2. "Nearer My God to Thee."
3. Aims and Purposes National and Texas Congress of Mothers.—Mrs. C. F. Stubbs.
4. Address, "Honor Thy Father and Thy Mother."—Geo. R. Bean.
5. "Our Mother, Our Heroes of Heroes."—W. F. Schenck.
6. Song—"Tell Mother I'll be there."
7. Address, "The Young Man's Obligation to His Mother."—Clarence Symmes.
8. Address, "Upon Purity and Sanctity of Our Homes Depends the Success of Our Nation."—Jas. L. Dow.
9. Quartette—Mesdames Norton and Wheelock and Messrs. Norton and
10. Address—"The Father's Responsibility in the Family to the Children and the Building of the Home."
11. "America."
- Motto: "The Lord Could Not Be Everywhere, so He Made Mother."

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

The Cumberland Presbyterian protracted meeting has been set for the latter part of August just after the Baptist meeting. The Cumberlands think they will have with them at that time Rev. A. M. Buchanan, of Moberly, Mo., a very strong and talented preacher.

Bishop Temple of the Episcopal church will be here and hold services in the First Presbyterian church at the regular hours

morning and evening, Sunday, May 11th. The public is cordially invited to attend each service.

SUNBEAM PROGRAM

Jubilee meeting.
Hymn—"My Country 'Tis of Thee."
Prayer—Bro. Grumbles.
Opening questions and answers.
Hymn.
Lesson.
Reading of 100th Psalm—Viola Mobley.
Repeat in concert the words to the hymn, "Take My Life and Let it Be."
Offering Service.
Roll Call.
Sunbeam Hymn—"Be a Little Sunbeam."

A Children's Covenant: We are glad that we have always known the sweet story of Jesus and His love. We remember the many sad children in far away lands who have never heard of Him. We know that He has told those who love Him to send the good news over all the earth. We want to obey Him and give our prayers, our love and our money to help send the glad tidings to every child in the world.

METHODIST MEETING

Rev. Lane has announced that the annual protracted meeting of the Methodist denomination will begin the 29th of June, which is the last Sunday in the month.

NAZARENE MEETING

The third Sunday in July has been decided upon as the day on which to open the annual protracted meeting of the Nazarene church. The public is cordially invited to attend. Keep in mind the dates.

For Hail Insurance see J. B. Mobley. 44-1f

The Avalanche is in receipt of a letter from Jas. A. O'Neal, who is now at Uvalde, Texas, in which he states that he is feeling fine, since landing at that point, and thinks his health will be greatly improved, which will be good news to the many friends of the family here. He is hungering for a glance at the Avalanche again, and we shall be pleased to furnish him a copy every week till he says enough.

Am still in position to handle both your patented and school land loans. J. F. Perry. 42 1t

C. B. Kilgore, who owns the photograph gallery just north of Martin's Bakery, returned Tuesday from Borden county, where he has been spending the past few months. He says he is back "for good." Its the general report, when a fellow leaves, whether temporarily, or to remain that they come back to Lubbock, and its always for good. Come to Lubbock.

Claude Muns, of Loraine, representing the Field-Heim & Company, manufacturers of embroideries and laces, an old time friend of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Elliott, spent a day here in the interest of his company and was the guest of the Elliott home.

Rice Glenn left Monday for Waco in response to a message stating that his father had been killed in an auto wreck.

Mrs. Jinks Lemond, Hale Center, will read the Avalanche for a year through the courtesy of B. O. McWhorter.

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Lubbock, Whereas, By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the District Court of Potter county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 21st day of February A. D. 1913, in favor of The First National Bank of Canyon and against M. G. Abernathy and Jasper N. Hancy, No. 125, on the docket of said court, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, as did, on the 6th day of May A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tract and parcels of land situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and belonging to M. G. Abernathy, to-wit: Lots Nos. 10 and 12 in Block 134 and Lot No. 4 in Block 104, all in the original town of Lubbock, in Lubbock county, Texas, on the 3rd day of June A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of Lubbock county, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said M. G. Abernathy, in and to said property.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of May A. D. 1913.

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The State of Texas, County of Lubbock, Whereas, By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the District Court of Lubbock county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 11th day of November A. D. 1912, in favor of J. T. Lofton and against W. E. Monk and M. C. Overton, No. 964 on the docket of said court, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I did, on the 8th day of April A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tract and parcels of land situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and belonging to W. E. Monk to-wit: Situated in Lubbock county, Texas, and known as Lots eleven and twelve in Block Fifty-two, in the Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, in Lubbock county, Texas, on the 3rd day of June A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of Lubbock county, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. E. Monk, and all persons holding under him in and to said property.

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E. B. Hedrick, of Galveston, spent a few days the latter part of last week here.

Pure Dwarf cleaned maize and kafir.—Lubbock Grain & Coal Co. 44-1t

J. L. Lackey of Wellington, was a Lubbock visitor for a few days the first of the week.

C. C. Boyd left Wednesday for Whitney, where he is making his home, after attending to business affairs in our city for a few days.

H. Long was here the latter part of last week from Slaton.

Liz Hoyt of St. Joe, was a Lubbock visitor Monday.

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