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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

KAFFIR SILAGE PROFITABLE

Comparative Figures Show Kaffir Ensilage to Be Better Than Corn.

In this day and time and in the South Plains territory silos and anything pertaining to them is a popular subject and is a subject that the people are interested in and are anxious to get all the information possible about.

The following bulletin with regard to the comparative value of kaffir and corn silage, issued by H. M. Cottrell, agricultural commissioner of the Rock Island lines:

Kaffir silage made 28 per cent more profits than corn silage in feeding beef cattle at the Kansas Agricultural College. Sweet sorghum silage made 8 per cent more profit than corn silage. This feeding test made with Hereford shows how eastern Colorado, western Kansas, western Oklahoma, the Panhandle and all western Texas may become great centers for fattening beef cattle.

Corn silage has usually produced better gains than either

kaffir or sorghum silage. The reason was found in this test. The kaffir and sorghum used to make silage for this feeding test were cut when the seeds were practically matured, but while the stalks were green and filled with sap.

Cotton seed meal was fed with each kind of silage. The daily gains made from feeding kaffir and sorghum silage were slightly larger than those made from feeding corn silage. The chief increase in profit came from the lower cost of both kaffir and sorghum silage on account of the higher yield per acre of these crops. The yields obtained per acre on upland were: corn 7.1 tons, kaffir 6 tons and sorghum 8.2 tons. The yields per acre on bottom land were: corn 15 tons, kaffir 17 tons, sorghum 23 tons.

In a two-year test at the Kansas Agricultural College of silage for dairy cows, it was found that silage from corn, kaffir and sorghum were practically equal pound for pound for milk production. Cows gave daily per head one-sixth of a pound more milk on corn silage than on kaffir silage and gained slightly more in weight on kaffir silage. Corn silage produced an average daily yield of milk of one-half pound per cow more than sorghum silage. These differences are so small that they show the feeds to be practically equal. The choice crop to plant depends upon the probable yield per acre.

Prof. O. E. Reed, who made the dairy test says, "that the time of cutting kaffir and sorghum for silage is all important in making good silage from these crops. These crops should be practically mature with the stalk still filled with sap. If put up too green the silage will be sour. Kaffir and sorghum should be put in the silo before frost is possible but it is advisable to let the crop stand until after frost rather than to put it into the silo green. After a heavy frost the crop must be cut and put in the silo immediately. If it dries too much, add sufficient water to pack well."

Every farm in the southwest should have one or more silos. H. B. Johnson, Chickasha, Oklahoma, fattens 3000 or more steers yearly. Last year he fattened 1250 head with silage and the others without it. His silage fed cattle brought him \$10 per head profit above those fed without silage. He says that every

farmer, even though he has only 80 acres, should have a silo, and that if he were a small farmer and lacked credit, he would pledge everything he had to buy a silo rather than to go without it.

When a farmer has money he can build a concrete silo or buy a metal or a wood one. If his means are limited he can dig a pit silo and plaster it with cement. If he cannot afford the cement he can dig a pit silo and fill it without plastering. A pit silo without the walls plastered will probably fall in after it has been emptied the first time but the profits from one filling will make it pay.

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LUBBOCK ON THE ROUTE

Great Auto Highway a 1000 Miles Long from Colorado to Gulf Will Come Through Lubbock

San Angelo, June 25.—The West Texas route of the Denver-to-the-Gulf auto highway was selected here this evening. Beginning at Denver, it goes to Palmer Lake, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Walsenburg, Trinidad, Colo.; thence over the Colorado scenic highway to Raton, Des Moines and Clayton, N. M.; then to Dumas, Dalhart, Amarillo, Canyon City, Tulsa, Plainview, Lubbock, Tahoka, Lamesa, Big Springs, Sterling City, Water Valley, Carlsbad, San Angelo, Eden, Menard, Junction, Kerrville, Boerne, San Antonio, Floresville, Karnes City, Beeville, Sinton, Corpus Christi and the gulf.

MUCH WRANGLING

The route was selected by a committee composed of one delegate from each county. The committee's report was adopted after several hours of wrangling. It appeared that practically every county seat anywhere near the route wanted to have the highway pass through it. Representatives of places missed stated that they would have laterals constructed to connect up with the great auto highway.

In this connection notice were served that a convention would be held at Sweetwater July 25, to make plans for a highway from there to Stamford and Wichita Falls, to connect with the main highway.

The extension of the El Paso-Fort Stockton auto highway to San Angelo and then on to Fort Worth and Dallas, was discussed but this was considered another matter and left unsettled.

OVER 1,000 MILES LONG

The main highway is said to measure at least 1,200 miles. It is shortly to be logged.

It is proposed to also make the highway have a branch at San Antonio (to go to Galveston, Seguin, Gonzales, Edna, Bay City, Matagorda and Freeport, but the convention believed that this could be handled later as at the present time it would be too unwieldy.

So many matters came before the convention that discussions concerning them consumed much time.

METCALFE MAKES SPEECH

Those who gathered here today were called together at the

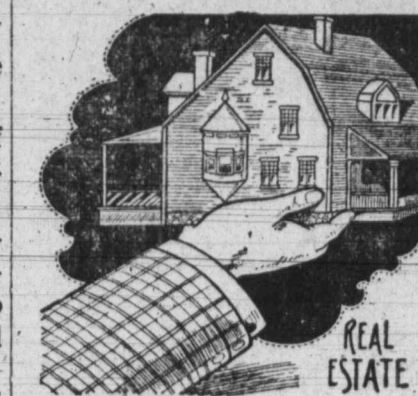
Princess theater this morning at 9:30. President H. E. Jackson of the San Angelo Motor club, opened the meeting. He introduced C. B. Metcalfe, who made the address of welcome. This was replied to by E. C. Sperry of Raton, N. M. Then came short addresses by Homer D. Wade of Stamford, secretary of the Texas good roads organization; D. E. Colp of San Antonio, of the Highway league department of the Chamber of Commerce; Seth Holmes of Amarillo B. O. Brown of Plainview, and others.

At 11:30 the meeting adjourned and accompanied by the San Angelo Military band, a short parade was given in the business section. Then all went to the Concho Vista ranch where an old-time barbecue was served to the visitors under the direction of the members of the San Angelo Motor club.

The afternoon meeting began at 2:30 at the Princess theater. Reports were read from every county judge and board of commissioners from Denver to Corpus Christi. All pledge to do their utmost to keep the auto highway roads in their respective counties in excellent condition should the highway be established. Many short talks were made on the benefits to be derived from such a highway.

R. H. Banoski, of Brownfield passed through the city Friday enroute to Dallas and other points.

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



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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

Elder Liff Sanders left Saturday afternoon for Anson, where he will conduct a protracted meeting. The congregation at that place had arranged for Mr. Foy E. Wallace, who has just moved to this place from Austin to conduct the meeting, but Mrs. Wallace's health would not permit his absence at this time so Mr. Sanders went in his stead, and Mr. Wallace will fill the pulpit at this place during the absence of the pastor.

T. P. Gibson spent Sunday in Plainview, attending the Nazarene meeting now in progress there. He reports a nice time. A good rain fell there Sunday night, but not so heavy as at this place.

C. L. Griffin and wife and J. E. Vickers and wife visited at the Abernathy ranch in Hockley county Saturday and Sunday. They started home Sunday evening and encountered a terrific rain enroute and had to pull through water hub deep to their auto about fifteen miles, arriving in Lubbock about 10:00 o'clock, thoroughly soaked.

Mrs. G. A. Autry, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Warren, the past few weeks, left Saturday for Ralls, where she will visit at the home of her brother for awhile, after which she expects to return to her home in Snyder.

Small Farms Preferred

The average farm in Lubbock county contains 1,333 acres and in each farm the average number of acres of improved land is 132.5. The Farmers Union is strongly advocating the reduction of the size of the farms of this state and its president, Hon. Peter Radford, has previously, through the press, called attention to the number of large farms in Lubbock county. Federal census records show that we have 196 farms that contain more than 100 acres. Mr. Radford claims that if cheap money were available more tenant farmers would become home owners and the owners of these large tracts could be induced to place their property on the market in small tracts.

We now have 208 farms in this county, and 63 of them are operated by tenants.

J. W. Ellison was here Saturday and reports everything in good shape out in his neighborhood.

A. W. Blankenship was here Monday from his farm in Hockley county.

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COUNTY COURT.
Regular terms February, April, August and November. First Monday in each month the Criminal Docket is taken up. E. R. Haynes, County Judge. R. A. Sowder, County Attorney.

JUSTICE COURT.
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COMMISSIONER'S COURT.
Regular terms February, May, October and December. Special meetings every second Monday.

COUNTY OFFICERS.
County Judge—E. R. Haynes.
County Attorney—R. A. Sowder.
Sheriff and Tax Collector—W. H. Flynn.

Deputy Sheriff—W. M. Ross.
County and District Clerk—J. A. Wilson.
Deputy Clerk—Luther McCrummen.
Tax Assessor—H. K. Porter.
County Treasurer—R. H. Wilson.
County Surveyor—H. G. Guinn.
Commissioner Precinct 1—R. A. Barclay.
Commissioner Precinct 2—C. A. Joplin.
Commissioner Precinct 3—L. O. Burford.
Commissioner Precinct 4—J. M. Wright.
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1—J. D. Caldwell.
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2—C. V. Young Slaton.

CITY OFFICIALS.
Mayor—Frank E. Wheelock.
Secretary-Treasurer—W. M. Shaw.
City Marshal—C. L. Frye.
Aldermen—B. O. McWhorter, N. R. Porter, Raleigh Martin, W. K. Dickinson, W. A. Bacon.

J. A. Medlock, was here from the Carlisle school house community Monday and says it sure did rain. The wind blew the school house loose from its foundation and damaged it to some extent, but no serious damage will result from the accident.

Mrs. Lotspeich who has been visiting at this place the past few weeks returned to her home in Crosbyton, Monday afternoon.

Dr. B. F. Peck, of Amarillo, passed through town this week on his way to Ralls.

Oratory Being Replaced by Printed Word

By JOSEPH LEVIN, Boston, Mass.

Is the orator's occupation gone, and is the spell-binder's day drawing to a close? Has the newspaper put them out of business? Samuel J. Elder, himself a speaker of more than common attainments, notes the fact, which he seems to deplore, that oratory as a means of spreading thought and knowledge, is being superseded by the printed word.

True, there are no great successors of Daniel Webster, Wendell Phillips or Henry Ward Beecher, and the old lyceum is no more. But nearly every city has its public forum or forums, where every week topics of current interest are discussed by thoughtful men and women. And in Boston, at least, there is a superabundance of lecturers.

In general, the public seems to be getting out of the habit of listening to lectures, orations and speeches and swallowing them whole, without question. This is the age of questions. Every thoughtful man or woman has more than anybody can answer. Newspapers, magazines and books have made this generation far more sophisticated, if not wiser or more profound, than its predecessor. That sophistication is fatal to the spell-binder's art. In order to be successful, the orator must appeal to the emotions of his hearers, and the more the public reads, the harder it is to play on its feelings.

But who doesn't enjoy genuine oratory? Who doesn't like to have his feelings roused and his heart set afire by the burning words of an eloquent speaker? Feeling is the best known substitute for thinking, which at best is difficult. So, if Webster or Phillips or Beecher could speak to us on the questions of 1913 we would all flock to hear him.

Perhaps the most marked trait of human nature in modern times, and that which distinguishes it most from human nature in ancient times, is pity.

It was the main contents of the Christian religion for over a thousand years.

Almost all medieval religion can be summed up in that one word, pity. The good works most emphasized consisted in giving alms to the poor. The walls of the old churches are covered with languishing saints. The sufferings of the martyrs were wrought into works of art in every conceivable exertion. We are the heirs of centuries of this kind of training. Sensitiveness to pain has become our chief mortal force.

The history of civilization is the story of a long conflict with pain. We house the sick in hospitals and provide asylums for the unfortunate. Mankind's most boasted medical achievement is the discovery of anesthetics.

We have societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Our modern theology has abolished the fires of the next world.

We have even produced a sect that denies that there is any suffering in this world; like the Albany legislator who, disgusted with the crime of bigamy, determined to put a stop to it and introduced a bill: "Be it resolved, That the crime of bigamy be hereby abolished." Happy thought!

But I would like to put one little interrogation point: Is pain after all a bad thing? And is pity wholly a good thing?

Is Pity Wholly a Good Thing?

By FRANK CRANE, Chicago

MR. FARMER



That it is About Time You Were Getting That Cultivator to Cultivate Your Crop?

Better not to wait too long and let the weeds get the start on you. Good cultivation is one of the principal essentials to a good harvest.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1913

THE AUTO IN THE FIELD

It is quite a common sight in Texas to see farmers drive to the harvest field in automobiles. It takes a solemn sum of money to buy an automobile and it takes good roads as well as gasoline to run them.

A joy ride in the Texas harvest field is one of the most exhilarating experiences that is available on this continent and one that would charm a tourist and convince a homeseeker. A speedway lined with wheat fields that yield 50 bushels to the acre and oats twice that quantity is a landscape that one seldom tours through in a lifetime. In mapping out automobile routes the Texas harvest fields should be given prominent position.

This part of the auto proposition is alright, and it is alright for a fellow to own an automobile, who is able to do so, but when we see a fellow who owes grocery and dry goods bills for three years back, and his subscription to the Avalanche has been in the delinquent column for five years, holding the steering wheel of an auto that he says is his'n, it makes us feel like saying something that would not be appropriate in Sunday School. They are liars when they say they have anything, for if they would pay their just debts they would not have any where to lay

their heads. Lubbock has some of this kind and most people know who they are.

Waco has signed a contract to pay \$1800 for 24 band concerts during the summer. This is authorized by the city commissioners. And some people grumble at paying the Lubbock band a dollar a month.

Singing Convention

The Lubbock county singing convention met in regular order last Sunday at the Center school house, 16 miles northeast of Lubbock.

Owing to the unfavorable weather Sunday morning the crowd was not as large as we expected. Badger Lake was well represented, and several from Abernathy, Strip, Bledsoe, Acuff, Canyon and Petersburg, altogether making a pretty good singing class.

Singing began about 11 o'clock and lasted about one hour, when Mrs. Aubrey Jones made a few remarks and stated that there would be dinner for everyone present. And the good people of that community certainly did the occasion justice in the way of dinner. Everything in the way of good eats was spread for the visitors, and was appreciated and enjoyed by all present.

At about 1:30 o'clock the house was called to order by the presi-

dent, and an address of welcome was given us by Bro. Carnahan, who, in a few well chosen words assured the congregation that they were all more than welcome.

After which general singing was the order of the occasion for about an hour, and then quartettes, duets, etc., were listened to from the different classes and seemed to be enjoyed by all present.

Singing closed at about 5:00 o'clock with the singing of the good old song "Wear a Crown."

It was not determined where the next meeting of the convention would be, the 5th Sunday in August will be the date, the place to be named later.

J. G. HUFSTEDLER,
President.

Geo. H. Faulk of Calvert, Texas, has purchased the cattle ranch, tools, etc. of the Gibson ranch, and has leased the land subject to sale, and will likely move to this county to reside in the future. Mr. Faulk came out here several weeks ago and was so well pleased with the country that he decided to invest in ranch property. Mr. Faulk will make a valuable addition to our population should he decide to move his family here, which in all probability he will.

Business Change

B. F. Montgomery last week closed a deal with his partner, Mr. Wolcott, whereby Montgomery becomes sole owner of the marble works at this place. Mr. Wolcott will remain with the new firm however, as chief workman, and will be pleased to meet his old friends at his place of business as heretofore. The new firm has an ad in this issue of the Avalanche look for it.

Ben Oliver, of Amarillo, the Collier representative in this territory, was circulating among his customers and friends Tuesday. He informed the Avalanche that he would take city work entirely after Oct. 1st and will move to San Antonio.

USES FOR THE PAPER BAG

Careful Housekeeper Can Find Many Ways of Storing These Useful Articles.

There are very few housekeepers who do not find uses for ordinary paper bags that are continually accumulating. A most excellent way to keep these bags so that they will always be not only easy of access, but in good condition and in assorted sizes, is to have a pine board, three inches wide by one inch thick, neatly planed. Screw two brass rings in the top by which the board may be hung to the wall or pantry door, and drive three nails with the heads filed off on the boards.

Another good idea is to reserve a small drawer in the kitchen or pantry for them. Before being placed in the drawer they should be carefully smoothed and folded.

An enamel cloth bag tacked upon the pantry door is also a convenient receptacle for these bags. An ingenious housewife has fashioned a bag, convenient for holding paper bags and also for odds and ends of string. The bag is made by cutting two pieces of linen duck of the length required. One piece is four inches narrower than the other. The narrower strip is stitched across its width to the wider strip to form three pockets. The two strips are placed flatly together and stitched and bound all around with braid. The middle pocket is made wide enough to hold large and small paper bags; the end pockets are intended for string.

HEARTLESS FRAUD



"That rich old man that Mand married was a regular cheat."

"Why, wasn't he as rich as he said he was?"

"Yes; but he wasn't as old as he said he was."

TWIST ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

"The gentlemen are requested to come in smoking." "Now," writes an American from a German winter resort, "what would you do if you received an invitation to a card party at the home of a nice family, where you had been introduced? Light your cigar or pipe when you reach the house or wait until the maid opened the door? Either would be wrong, for the 'smoking' refers to the coat you are expected to wear. What we call a 'dinner coat' is known here as a 'smoking.' This sounds as queer to Americans as 'Bobhaus.' That is what they call the clubhouse of the bobsleigh club of which the young duke of Coburg-Lotha is the patron, which has just been erected at Oberhof. Queer use these Germans make of our language."

PUZZLED.

"Why do you wish to marry my daughter?"

"Well, sir, that's the very question I have asked myself about four hundred times. And I haven't found an answer yet."

NOT THE SAME.

"I understand a popular music hall actress says she always wanted to be a surgeon."

"Well, isn't she a regular cut-up?"

PROPER TINT.

"How very blue this sea view is in your painting."

"Well, wasn't it the sort of view to be painted in ultramarine?"

HIS EXTREMES.

"Jake has had his ups and downs."

"How so?"

"First, he got down to hard pan, and then up to a Panhard."

GOOD SUBSTITUTE.

"You can't get any wet goods in this town, sir."

"All right; then bring me something extra dry."

Rural Route No. 1

The first rural mail route for Lubbock county has been established and service was commenced Tuesday, July 1st. Geo. L. DeShazo has been recommended by the postmaster at this place as carrier and entered upon his new duties on the first. The route will be a great convenience to those affected by

it and will serve sixty or seventy-five families, giving them mail through this service three times each week Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The entire distances covered will be 32 miles and passes through the Canyon Acuff and Idalou communities. The schedule will be to leave Lubbock at 8:00 o'clock a. m. and return at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

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It will pay you to look them over. Prices, \$15, \$20, \$25.



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L. B. WRIGHT

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The Emerson Buggies

We have told you about them often, and we want to show you some of the leading features over other makes of buggies. These buggies are equipped with the Ebeo Flint Steel Axle that carries with it the greatest guarantee that any firm could ever offer, and that

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NEW LIVESTOCK SANITARY LAW
An Act of Last Legislature Providing for the Protection of Live-stock Against Diseases

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas.
Section 1. It shall be the duty of the commission provided for in Article 7312 to protect the domestic animals of the State from all contagious, infectious diseases of a communicable character, whether said diseases exist in Texas or elsewhere; and for this purpose it is hereby authorized and empowered to establish, maintain and enforce such quarantine lines and sanitary rules and regulations as it may deem necessary. It shall also be the duty of said commission to co-operate with the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and officers of other States and with the United States Secretary of Agriculture in establishing such interstate quarantine lines, rules and regulations as shall best protect the live stock industry of this State against Texas splenic fever and other contagious, infectious and communicable diseases of live stock. It shall also be the duty of said Live Stock State Sanitary Commission to quarantine any district, county or part of county within this State when it shall determine the fact that cattle or other live stock in such district, county, or part of

county are affected with any contagious, infectious or Communicable disease, or with the agency of transmission of such diseases, and to give written or printed notice of the establishment of such quarantine to the proper officers of railroads and express companies doing business in or through such quarantine district, county or part of county within this State, and to publish notice of the establishment of such quarantine in such newspapers in the quarantine district, county or part of county as the Live Stock Sanitary Commission may select, or give notice in such other ways as it deems necessary. And no railroad or express company shall receive for transportation or transport from any quarantine district, county or part of county in this State into any other district, county or part of county within this State, any cattle or live stock except as hereinafter provided. Nor shall any person, company, or corporation deliver for transportation to any railroad or express company any cattle or other live stock or from a quarantined area except as hereinafter provided. Nor shall any person, company or corporation drive on foot or cause to be driven on foot or transport in private conveyance or cause to be transported in private conveyance, from a quarantined district, county or part of county into any other district, county or part of county of this State any cattle or other



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live stock, except as hereinafter provided. It shall be the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, and it is hereby authorized and directed, to make and promulgate rules and regulations which shall permit and govern the inspection, disinfection, certification, treatment, handling and method and manner of delivery and shipment of cattle and other live stock from a quarantined district, county or part of county in this State, and the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas shall give notice of such rules and regulations by proclamation issued by the Governor, and the said Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas is hereby especially empowered with the authority to employ a State veterinarian, and Assistant State Veterinarians in time of emergency, and inspectors or other persons as it may deem necessary to the performance of the duties imposed upon said Commission. The Live Stock Sanitary Commission, the State Veterinarian, Assistant State Veterinarians and inspectors acting under authority or direction of the Commission are hereby empowered and it is made their duty to enter upon premises of any person, or persons, company or corporation, within the State, for the purpose of inspecting, quarantining or disinfecting premises or live stock thereon. Whenever any person shall move any animal which is by law or by the rules and regulations of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission prohibited from being so moved, across any quarantined line, out of any quarantined district, or of quarantined premises in violation of the law or of the rules and regulations of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or without its consent, the said Commission, the chairman thereof, or any inspector acting under his direction, shall be authorized and empowered to seize such animal or animals and call to their aid the sheriff of the county in which they may be found or through which they may have moved, in violation of law or the rules and regulations of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and it will be the duty of said sheriff to return such animal or animals to the place, county or quarantined area from which so moved.
Sec. 2. That cattle or other live stock may be moved from a quarantined district, county or part of county, or from quarantined premises into any other district, county, part of county or premises, under and in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, as proclaimed by the Governor, but it shall be unlawful to move or allow to move any cattle or other live stock from any quarantined district, county, part of county or premises, in manner, method or conditions other than those prescribed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and proclaimed by the Governor.
Sec. 3. It is further provided that the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall have the power, and it is hereby made its duty to as far as possible to eradicate Texas or splenic fever, the scabies, anthrax, tuberculosis, hog cholera, glanders and other infectious, contagious or communicable diseases by live stock, and for this purpose it is empowered to establish special quarantined districts, where such diseases or the infection of diseases are known to exist, and notice of the establishment of such special quarantined districts shall be given as provided for in Article 7314. The Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall have power to quarantine premises or pastures located in such special quarantined districts, and the domestic live stock thereon situated in such quarantined districts, or elsewhere, when, to their knowledge, such pastures

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or premises or the live stock located thereon are infected with or have been exposed to a contagious, infectious or communicable disease or the infection thereof, and no live stock shall be moved to or from such special quarantined district, pastures or premises, in a manner, method or other condition other than those prescribed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission. It will be the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to prescribe methods for dipping or otherwise treating or disinfecting such premises and the live stock thereon, as in their opinion are necessary for the eradication of the disease or the infection of the disease for which they are quarantined, and when any person, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for such live stock shall fail or refuse to dip or otherwise treat such live stock or disinfect premises at such time and in such manner as directed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, then the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall have power to call upon the sheriff of the county in which such live stock are found, and it will be the duty of said sheriff, together with the inspector, to dip or otherwise treat such live stock in a manner and at such time as the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall direct; and the said sheriff shall keep said cattle in his custody subject to such quarantine instruction as he shall receive from such officers. No officer who shall seize such live stock for dipping or treatment shall be liable to the owner thereof for damages for such taking, or by reason of such dipping or treatment; provided, the dipping or treatment has been done in accordance with the methods approved by the said Live Stock Sanitary Commission.
Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of any person in any county who is the owner or caretaker of any live stock located in a special quarantined area established under the authority of Section 3 of this Act, known by the live stock inspector to be infected with ticks (Margaropus Anulatus) or scabies infection are exposed to infection or agent of transmission of any other infectious, contagious or communicable disease to treat such live stock and at such times and in such manner as shall be directed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission.
Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the commissioners' court to co-operate with and assist the Live Stock Sanitary Commission in protecting the live stock of their respective counties from all contagious, infectious or communicable diseases, whether such exists within or outside of the county, and in other ways protecting the live stock interest of their counties. It shall be the duty of said commissioners' court to co-operate with the Live Stock Commissioner and the officers working under the authority or direction of said Commission in the suppression and eradication of contagious, infectious or communicable diseases. Provided, when it becomes necessary to disinfect any premises under order of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, the county judge shall have such disinfecting done at the expense of the county, and in no case shall the owner, or lessee or tenant of the premises be held answerable to any of the provisions of this Act by reason of the fact that the county fails to disinfect the premises as here-

in provided.
Sec. 6. Any person, company or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Act, or any of the rules or regulations prescribed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and no conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than one thousand dollars.
Sec. 7. Any person, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for any domestic animals affected with or known to have been exposed to any contagious or infectious disease or the agency of transmission thereof, who shall fail or refuse to dip or otherwise treat such live stock at such time and in such manner as directed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars.
Sec. 8. It shall be the duty of the commissioners' court of any county lying and being situated south or east of the Federal quarantine line to order an election in said county when petitioned to do so by seventy-five resident land owners of the county for the purpose of determining whether the county shall take up the work of tick eradication in said county. Said election to be ordered not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days after the filing of said petition. At said election the ballots shall have printed upon them, "For Tick Eradication in _____ County," and "Against Tick Eradication in _____ County." The officers of said election shall hold said election and make returns thereof, as provided by law, in case of other elections as nearly as may be. Said returns shall be made returnable to the county judge of the county. The commissioners' court shall meet and canvass said returns as soon as practicable after such election, and if they shall find that a majority of all the votes were in favor of tick eradication under the direction of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, they shall so certify and cause publication of same to be made in a newspaper published in said county. The county judge shall so notify the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and upon receipt of such notice from the county judge of the county so holding such election, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall cause to be issued a supplement proclamation signed by the Governor proclaiming a quarantine around said county, and the citizens of said county, in co-operation with, and under the direction of, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, shall begin the work of tick eradication within thirty days of the issuance of said supplemental proclamation. Should the commissioners' court find that a majority of the votes cast were against tick eradication, then the county judge shall so notify the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and on and after such notice by the county judge of the county holding such election the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall be denied the right to take up the work of tick eradication in said county, and the provisions of this Act with reference to tick eradication and the establishment

of special quarantines in reference thereto shall not be in effect in said county.
Sec. 9. Article 7322, Title 124, Chapter 8, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, is hereby expressly repealed.
There being no law in force defining the rights and powers of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, an emergency exists requiring that the rule requiring bills to be read on three several days is hereby abrogated, and this law shall be in effect from and after its passage.
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Society Items

BY MRS. D. ROBINSON

One of the most enjoyable social events of the summer was given by Mrs. S. A. Richmond, assisted by Mrs. Clarence Reed, on last Monday afternoon. The occasion was in honor of the Baptist Ladies Aid and a number of their friends. The ladies were received at the door by the hostess after which they were served to delicious punch by Miss Wilson and Mrs. Tubbs. After devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Grumbles the guests responded to roll call by describing some Bible character, withholding the name. The guessing was lively. Mrs. Haynes winning the honors. Mrs. Hopkins, Miss Wilson and Mrs. Tubbs then favored the company with some beautiful vocal selections and little Misses Alice and Virgie Johnson gave some spicy recitations. The remainder of the time was spent in happy conversation and passed all too quickly. Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, olives, sandwiches and ice tea were served to the following guests: Mesdames Craig, Bryan, Hopkins, Haynes, Grumbles, Hutson, Vaughn, Albert Reed, Miller, Adams, Long, King, Lindsey, Barclay, Biggers, Mitchell, Walton, Simmons, Betterton, Shoop, Johnson, Jordan, Reed, Anderson, Tubbs.

In honor of her guest Miss Fires, of Childress, Mrs. Livingstone Payne entertained with "42" at the Howard Hotel, July 2nd. Many handsomely gowned ladies enjoyed this delightful occasion. In the cut for high score Mrs. Downing won and was presented with silver sugar tongs, Miss Fires receiving the guest's prize, a handsome embroidered towel. Mrs. James O'Neal received nine punches out of the 14 games played. Delicious refreshments of sherbet and cake were served by the management. The ladies who attended this charming affair were: Mesdames Robbins, Davidson, Slaton, Moody, Penney, Powell, Peebler, McWhorter, D. Robinson, Posey, Taylor, Downing, Ellis, Cosby, Smith, Palmer, Ballinger, J. O'Neal, S. O'Neal, Quick, Benson, Maddox, Woods and Misses Ellis, Brown, Waterbury and Fires.

The Bridge Club met with Mrs. E. C. Priest Tuesday afternoon. A number of members and a few guests enjoyed this interesting game through the afternoon. Mrs. Slaton winning high score. Sandwiches and iced tea were served to Mesdames Summers, Merrill, Penney, Moody, Slaton, D. Robinson, Boerner, Wilson, Davidson, Robbins, Powell, Peebler, Sowder and Misses Brown and Waterbury.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Eppie Edsall was hostess for a number of her little friends at the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Sowder one afternoon last week. The little folks indulged in a number of the childish

games, such as drop the handkerchief, blind man's bluff and others. It makes glad the heart to hear the childish laughter, and see the dear little fellows enjoy their youth. Mrs. Sowder did many things and spared no pains to make glad the hearts of the little folks. She had a nice cake with money in it and had them to cut for the money, this was served with ice cream to Blanche and Robert Bean, Ruth and Oscar Slaton, Edith Carter, Alta Wood, Edith Wheelock, Virginia Earhart, Evelyn Posey, Hazel Alley, of Tahoka, E. P. Earhart, Jr., Rosehill and Luetta Elliott, and Opal Penney. Mrs. Sowder was assisted in serving by Miss Bessie Arnn.

Mesdames Quick and Johnson entertained the "24-42" club and a number of guests at the beautiful home of Mrs. Johnson on West Broadway, last Thursday afternoon. The house was tastefully decorated with ferns and cut flowers, sweet peas being the prevailing flower. Mrs. Duren, of Amarillo, won high score. The refreshments were individual cakes enclosed with sweet peas in pink and lavender, the center heaped with ice cream. Those present were: Mesdames Duren, Palmer, Schenck, Wright, Perdue, E. Robinson, Montgomery, Sowder, Downing, Quick, Slaton, Wilson, Kimbro, Ballinger, Posey, Robbins, Smith, Benson, Merrill, Penney, Powell, Jim O'Neal, Maddox, Ellis, Misses Elizabeth Robertson, Jewell Reed, McChesney.

Honoring her guest, Mrs. Duren, of Amarillo, Mrs. W. S. Palmer entertained at "42" Saturday afternoon. This was one of the rarest treats of the year. Mrs. Palmer's charming hospitality and culinary skill, making it indeed a pleasant occasion. A series of 14 games were played, Miss Huff winning high score. Delicious fruit-punch was served during the game at the close of which refreshments consisting of crackers, perfection salad and lemon sherbet was served. The guests who enjoyed this delightful affair were the guest of honor, Mrs. Duren, and Mesdames Benson, Payne, Slaton, Davidson, Robbins, Johnson, Priest, Kimbro, Jim Robinson, Summers, D. Robinson, Jim O'Neal, Moody, Temple Ellis, Weaver, Spehcer, Quick, Carter, Ballinger, Stone, Henry, Spikes, Hutchinson, Merrill, Misses Huff, Fires, Ellis, McChesney, Robertson. Mrs. Palmer was assisted in serving by Misses Opal Ellis and Ouida Carter.

A delightful party was that given by Mesdames Rankin, Downing and Chase at the home of Mrs. Downing Friday afternoon. The house was decorated in the national colors, the score cards were tiny flags, being marked by fire crackers pinned on the flags. Mrs. T. O. Henry won high score. On entering the guests were served fruit punch by Miss Catherine May. After a pleasant afternoon the guests were served to fruit salad with whipped cream and cake,

potato chips and ice tea. Those present were Mesdames Palmer, Duren, Ballinger, Greenhill, Posey, Payne, Hopkins, Slaton, Smith, Ellis, Robbins, Sowder, Perdue, Wright, Powell, Hunt, Ed Robinson, Montgomery, John Penney, Royalty, Barnes, Johnson, Hutchinson, Peebler, Schenck, Henry, Davidson, Sim O'Neal, Quick, Jim O'Neal, Stone, Irving, Thomas, Misses Jewel Reed, Katherine Robertson, Willie Wilson, McChesney, Waterbury, Mabel McLarry, Glenna Burns, Alice Williams and Pearl Clark.

FORTY-TWO PARTY

Misses Jewell Reed and Annie Taylor entertained with a "42" party at the home of Miss Reed, on Monday evening from 8:30 to 12:00 o'clock.

The guests were welcomed and ushered into rooms, which were beautifully decorated with ferns and cut flowers. Eight games of "42" were enthusiastically played. Miss Wheelock and Mr. Malone winning high score, not losing a game. They were presented with "American Beauty" roses, ice chocolates were served during the game. Then came the refreshments which consisted of oyster salad temptingly arranged on shells, decorated with curled lettuce, olives, sandwiches and ice tea.

Miss Huff favored the guests with a few choice musical selections on the piano. Those who enjoyed the pleasures of the evening were: Misses Huff, Brown, Wilkerson, Waterbury, Von Rosenberg, Barclay, Rucker, Burns, Wheelock, Wilson, Abney, McLarry, Norris and Mrs. B. Jordan, of Tulsa, and Messrs. Klett, Kimmel, Wilson, Mount, Porter, Doyle, Hedrick, Davis, Wilson, Allan, Duff, Benson, Malone and Powell.

Each expressing having had a delightful evening and bidding their charming hostesses good night the merry crowd departed in autos and cabs.

The Lubbock County Agricultural Experiment Association met at the experiment station June 23rd, completed its organization by the election of a 2nd vice president, treasurer and three members of the executive committee, and selected M. F. Lloyd and F. M. Pohle as its delegates to the Farmers' Congress at College Station, July 28-30. The next meeting will be at Canyon school house 3:00 p. m. July 21st.

Total rainfall for month of June amounts to 5.88 inches. There were 15 days with .01 inch or more precipitation, while 12 days were cloudy, 8 partly cloudy and 10 clear. This is an unusual percentage of cloudiness. The rain of June 26 and 30 amounted to 3.24 inches and was an exceptionally good one. Pasturage and crops are in excellent condition.

Victor L. Cory has been designated as statistical correspondent of the United States Department of Agriculture for Lubbock county. Several farmers in various portions of the county will act as a

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.]

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
There will be preaching services in the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock and the regular quarterly communion, but there will be no preaching at the evening hour on account of the revival services at the tabernacle.

JUNIOR LEAGUE
July 6th 1913, at 4 o'clock.
Would like every Junior to be with us as there is business of importance to bring before the league.
Scrip. Lesson Psalm 133—Fannie B. Carter.
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Song "Selected."
"What shall we do with Jennie."—Fern Wheelock.
The Baby Roll.—Ouida Carter.
Hopeless and Hope.—Flo Benson.
What the Missionary Convict did for Juniors.—Mrs. Ratliff.
Remarks.

Notice to the Public
I have just taken charge of the Tremont hotel and wish to announce to the public that I shall give the trade the very best service possible. I have had many years experience in the hotel business and solicit the patronage of traveling people.
52-1t J. W. Hinton

Martin's Bakery shipped out a lot of light bread to Littlefield and Plains this week, to feed the hungry throngs that will assemble at these places on the glorious fourth of July.

WONDERFUL BARGAINS

On July 7th—First Monday, we will offer Big Bargains in Waists and Skirts.

WHEELOCK'S DRESS SHOP

Geo. W. Briggs, who is the new secretary of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce arrived in our city Wednesday noon, and is now busy getting things in shape about the office, which for the present will be in the First National Bank Building.

D. B. Bozeman and wife, uncle and aunt of Mrs. L. B. Wright, are here from Rosebud and are visiting at the Wright home.

W. R. Talbot, of Plainview, was registered at the Tremont Hotel Monday.

Howard Fires, who was brought here and placed in the Lubbock Sanitarium, and immediately underwent a surgical operation, about three weeks ago was permitted to return to his home in Dawson county last Saturday.

Mollie Bailey's Show has been touring this part of the state the past week, pulling off a stunt at Lubbock, Crosbyton, Tahoka and Lamesa.

Frank Higgins was over from Crosbyton Monday visiting friends.

FIRST MONDAY SPECIALS

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13.50 values now	9.49	20c grade now	17 ¹ / ₂ c
12.50 values now	8.49	15c grade now	12 ¹ / ₂ c
11.50 values now	7.98	10 yards 12-1-2c Ginghams now	1.00
10.50 values now	7.49	12 yards 10c Gingham now	1.00
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Neighboring County News

From Our Exchanges

GAINES COUNTY

Seminole Sentinel:
When J. J. and Andy Williams dehorned 1,000 head of steer yearlings on May 20th, many cowmen predicted a jolly time for them doctoring worms this summer. In conversation with J. J. Williams this week he stated that out of the entire 1,000 head they had only about 20 cases of worms, and that the cattle were doing nicely. In dehorning these cattle special fluid was used, and this fluid has made it possible for the cowman to dehorn their cattle at all times of the year.

T. C. Heard arrived here Tuesday with 975 head of steer yearlings which Ellis & Bell recently purchased near Falfuras, Texas. These steers will be pastured on the S. H. Birdwell and W. W. Harbour ranches.

TERRY COUNTY

Terry County Herald:
Mr. Lee Cowan made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday. He says he has plenty of corn tassels in his roasting ear patch. It is the early sweet corn variety.

Miss Kathrine May left Wednesday for Lubbock where she will visit relatives.

Mr. Christopher sold his little bunch of cattle the other day to George Carter, of Lubbock, for fifty dollars around.

Mrs. Ben Glazier went to Lubbock on the mail hack Monday, to have her eye treated, probably for the last time.

We learn that W. B. Snodgrass has purchased the Bridges' section, west of Gomez, and has sold his son, Will, the improvements and part of the land. They are moving out this week.

Jim Lewis was in Monday, and said he believed Terry was wetter than he ever saw it at this time of the year.

YOAKUM COUNTY

Yoakum County News:
Frank Watkins and bride came in Wednesday from Lubbock and will remain here a few days and then go to Roswell where they will make their home. This couple was married in Lubbock on Monday night, June 11th, the bride being Miss Callie Holt, of

that town. Frank's Plains friends are extending him congratulations on the step he has taken, and of his narrow escape from becoming a confirmed bachelor.

Mr. Elmer Ware, of Tokio, Terry county, and Miss May Hill, of Glenn Park, Yoakum county, were married in Plains Thursday, Rev. S. B. Cox officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ware, of Tokio, and is an industrious and enterprising young man. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hill, of Glen Park, and is an attractive and popular young lady.

L. N. Clawater received a new Ford car Monday, which was bought through the Bradley agency of Lubbock.

H. A. Tandy bought 500 young steers last week in Gaines county.

J. S. Webber, of Sligo, was in Plains today and informed the News that Pat McHugh left last Tuesday for Lubbock with three wagons to bring back goods for a new store at Sligo.

Obituary

Earl Fredric, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Craig was born in Lubbock, Texas, July 31, 1910, departed this life June 21, 1913, aged two years 10 months and 20 days.

Earl, better known as Buddie was a bright and very attractive and cheerful boy. All who knew him loved him. It was his part in this life to suffer much and the tender hands and the loving hearts who have been administering to his needs shall not have the privilege now, for Jesus has called him from pain and from suffering to a home of joy and song around the throne of God.

Earl is missed by mamma, papa and sister, and others, who have felt him near, yet you have not lost him; no he is not lost to you who are found in Christ as his follower. Earl is not sent away, but just gone-on before. Like a star which when going out of sight does not die but shines in another hemisphere. Earl is living in Heaven and God grant that he may light your

path from earth to Heaven.

We will always give thanks to almighty God for this little life, which has called forth so many ministrations of love, service and sacrifice and bound us to it with cords of tenderest affections.

Let us not forget his sweet lessons of love, innocence and purity. May this little messenger of God have accomplished its mission in our hearts, for surely his mission was to lead us closer to the Savior who died for all.

May God help us and forgive us if in this hour of darkness we for one moment doubted either His wisdom or His love. God is too wise to make mistakes and too good to be unkind. Let us comfort our hearts with the hope that as the dear boy can not return to us we shall go to him.

One less at home, the charming circle broken; a dear face missed day by day from its accustomed place; but charmed and saved by grace. One more in Heaven.

One more in Heaven. Another thought to brighten cloudy days; another theme for thanksgiving and peace; another link on high our soul to raise, to home and Heaven.

One more at home, that home where separation cannot be; that home where none is missed eternally; Lord Jesus, grant us all a place with Thee; at home in Heaven.

The funeral services were held Tuesday 24 in the first M. E. church, Chreston, Nebraska, conducted by Rev. C. V. Powell, assisted by Rev. C. M. Wetzel, of the Presbyterian church: The music was furnished by a mixed quartette from the M. E. church and the body was laid to rest in the Cheston cemetery.

Last Week of Court

This is the last week of the District Court in this county. The District Judge informs us that he has disposed of nearly one hundred cases at this term, and it has been one of the most strenuous terms that he has went through with in this county.

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BIG RAIN SUNDAY

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Last Sunday the South Plains country went solidly wet from the standpoint of rain. About 1 o'clock in the afternoon of Sunday a light rain began to fall, and this continued almost constantly during the afternoon and evening and till about day break Monday morning, soaking the ground thoroughly and filling surface lakes that have not been filled this year, or probably last. It is the opinion of many of the old timers that it is the biggest rain that has fallen in this country for the past five years. The fall is reported as being all the way from four and a half inches to seven—the Avalanche confesses that we do not know, but we can say one thing for sure it was a jim-dandy, stem-winder, cracker-jack good rain, and it covered a large territory.

Information reveals the fact that further south and southeast the fall was heavier, and the further north and west the lighter the fall. Heavy rains are reported from Sweetwater to Plainview and from Crosbyton to the New Mexico line and south as far as Big Springs and Midland, and we do not know how much further.

This rain solved the question of early crops and cotton in this territory, as from a stand point of moisture they will make regardless of further precipitation. The farmers are happy, the cattelman is smiling and the business man wears a grin that is indelible in its nature. There are greater things coming, and old Lubbock will receive her share of them.

Come to Lubbock.
T. C. Ivey returned from a trip north Tuesday. He has gotten about well from his recent mix up with an angry bull, and no serious results are anticipated from the ugly wounds inflicted by the animal's horns.

A. V. Weaver and family left Tuesday for Waco, where they will spend a few weeks visiting with relatives.

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Sam Malone, wife and baby came over from Crosbyton Tuesday and went to Plainview, where they will visit relatives several days. They will then go to Littlefield to attend the barbecue before returning to their home at Seminole.

Harry Boone returned Tuesday from Plainview, where he had been spending a few days, attending the Nazarene's big revival meeting.

Going to Littlefield

There will be quite a large crowd go from this place to Littlefield to celebrate the 4th with the people of the now town on the Santa Fe Cut-off. Many will go in autos, some in buggies but the main delegation will board the special that will leave here at 8:00 o'clock Friday morning. The Santa Fe have been setting out extra coaches for several days and have some eight or ten here that will be put into service to accommodate the crowd that day. The big special of fifteen coaches form the central part of the state will arrive about five o'clock Friday morning and will leave here at 7:00 for Littlefield, after taking breakfast here and procuring new tickets. Their excursion tickets only bringing them this far, as the road between this point and Littlefield is yet in the hands of the construction company.

Dinner For All

The Cumberland Ladies' Aid Society will serve dinner at the opera house on the first Monday July 7th, at 25 cents per meal. Your co-operation and patronage is earnestly solicited. 52 1t

Mrs. Mattie McDonald, who has been visiting relatives in the north part of the county for some weeks, was a passenger on the south bound train Tuesday, returning to her home in Post City.

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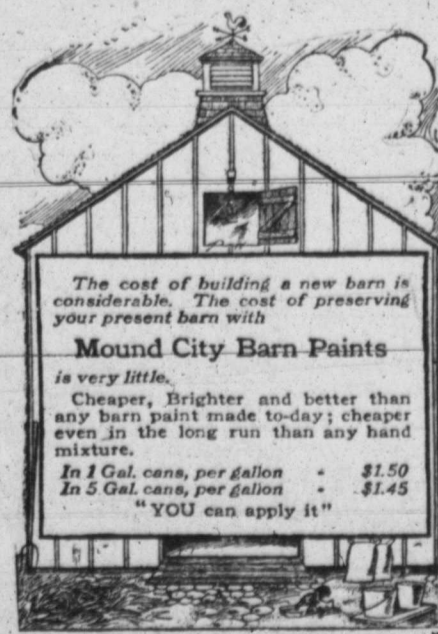
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Claude Burrus was over from Crosbyton Friday, shaking hands with his many friends here, and looking after business matters.

S. Collier, one of Lubbock county's substantial farmers, was in town Saturday and while here paid this office a very pleasant visit. Mr. Collier stated that the recent rains had put Lubbock county in as fine shape as it has been for years. Crops were looking very promising.

H. A. Tandy, of Plains, was over looking after business matters Saturday of last week.

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Ben Smith, one of Crosby county's prominent citizens, was looking after business matters here Saturday.

I have a large number of 4ft. wire fence stays, the kind that needs no staple, and ties to each strand of wire. Am selling below cost. Sample can be sent if desired. Write M. Pierson, Rule, Texas. 51 4t

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Good Clothes Exert Potent Influence
By MAUDE DOLAN, San Francisco.

For the average salaried person the proposition of keeping himself well clothed and equally well fed is a bitter one.

The majority of people have a certain amount of pride. They resent pity intensely and their every faculty is bent toward keeping the other fellow in the dark as to their shortcomings financially. Consequently the skimping is never done in dress. It is possible to eat very sparingly unbeknown to your best friend, but the minute your coat begins to look shabby and your shoes to take on a down-at-the-heel expression it is quite evident to all who look that you are financially embarrassed.

I have been supporting myself more or less for the last eight years, and I found out early in the game that appearances must be kept up. Time after time I have watched the girl with a college diploma in her hand and a college education in her head, but withal poorly dressed, give place to the girl exquisitely neat in person who always looks spick and span. The latter may be sadly behind the other in intellectual attainments, but her appearance is her stock in trade, and she is an ornament to any office.

Personally, I must declare that dress is an important factor. Good clothes exert a potent influence over me. The necessity of wearing anything shabby amounts to actual pain. The knowledge that I am not stylishly dressed tends to clothe me not only in ill-fitting, ugly clothes, but a gloom beside which the clothes look radiant. Call it vanity, false pride, what you will; but I must be well groomed and immaculately clad to keep my self-respect. When it becomes necessary to skimp the skimp is applied to the table and not to the wardrobe.

Right Treatment of Children by Parents
By W. A. PETERS, Baltimore, Md.

It is often said that the measure of parental delinquency should be established when children become delinquent. The point of this was emphasized by Edwin Mulready, secretary of the Massachusetts probation commission, by a story he told the other day to those interested in probation. It was given out of his long experience as a probation official and concerned a wealthy contractor in Boston.

This man had a son and a daughter, both fine children. But their mother died. Their father remarried and the stepmother, not unlike others, showed more affection for her own children than for her foster children. The son, still a minor, got to drinking. He was arrested. His father refused to aid him and he was sent to the workhouse.

Meanwhile, the daughter, lacking the sympathy of a mother, became wayward. Against her, also, the father's heart was closed. She went to work in a department store and was caught stealing articles from the store. Other things equally reprehensible this young girl was guilty of until she became amenable to probation and its reformative influences.

But what of parental responsibility? The boy and the girl might have been saved from ill courses had they known the sustaining sympathy of a parent at the most critical point in their lives.

What of the severe attitude of a father which compels the state to step in and take the place, as best it may, of a parent by practicing probation? Probation is preventive in its nature; but right treatment by parents is the best of all preventives.

Conversation Like Noise of Train in Tunnel
By Rev. Frank Crano, Chicago

"His conversation" is like the noise of a train in a tunnel, one idea deafening you with its echo.

I found this sentence in a recent little book I picked up in an English book stall.

It is a most meaty and pungent phrase. Who has not heard that noise? When Binks comes along you hear the tunnel roar before he begins to talk on the one subject that resounds forever in his head. He overwhelms you with theatrical talk.

Jinks is loaded to the muzzle with single tax arguments; Rinks is whirled away by some new religious fad, and when he leaves you your head is buzzing with shattered fragments of I. Kings, 4:2, and John 7:29; Tinks is quite sane enough until you mention baseball, when the tunnel roar of Sox and Cubs begins; Hinks roars of his garden, his house, his pigs, his whole domestic hobby; Minks begins to reverberate when he gets upon the topic of politics, both he and you are deafened by the overtones of his one idea; and Winks is a quiet little man enough until the matter of prohibition is brought up, when his eye kindles and the train begins to roll.

It is well to be earnest and to have convictions, but, in the language of the street, "there are others."

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A Crazy Quilt Constitution
We are not disposed to enter into the merits of the objections to the proposed amendments to our Constitution; but we want to remind Governor Colquitt, the Houston Post and Fort Worth Record, that when we wanted the amendment anent prohibition adopted in 1911, they and their kind raised a loud howl over the constant effort to add to the constitution, that bye and bye it would be a solid piece of patch work until all the lawyers in the state would not be able to tell what it meant, or words to that effect. But now they are proposing to put up the most skillful piece of "patch work," and make it a part of that instrument that has yet been attempted. True, many good people who were with us in the 1911 campaign are also favorable to this crazy quilt series of amendments now proposed, but why not do the sensible thing and have a constitutional convention called and rewrite our old worn-out document? More than a generation has passed since we wrote the present constitution, and Texas is a new commonwealth compared to what it was in those days. We have amended it and amended it, and attempted to amend it until it has neither system nor order. Instead of monkeying with amendments why not get the people's representatives together and write the instrument that we

need and that the emergency of the case demands? Yet, when you attempt this, the Governor, the Post and the Record stand upon their hind feet and frown their faces and yell like wild Indians. They put up every objection possible to such a wise step. Yet, when it comes to dealing with the people's money and their interests, we are called upon to patch up the constitution so as to make it serve the interests of politicians. Let us stop this foolishness and write the constitution that we need. And if we will turn down these amendments, maybe we will emphasize the demand for a new constitution. This one consideration is enough to make us stop and think when we face the ballot box next month.—Home and State.

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For particulars, including literature illustrative of the numerous interesting sights and unusual experiences to be enjoyed, write Frank Reedy, Manager, care Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas. 47 5t

Pope Guinn, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle H. G. Guinn, left Friday afternoon for his home in Rusk, Texas.

W. S. Norton



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Attended the 5th Sunday Meeting Rev. L. T. Grumbles, pastor of the Baptist church at this place went down to Post City last Friday and was present at the Fifth Sunday services. There was no services at the Baptist church here Sunday, other than Sunday school.

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Popular Talks on Law

By Walter K. Towers, A. B., J. D., of the Mich. Bar

ASSAULTS AND BATTERIES

Many are the happenings of everyday life that might, under strict rules of law, be held to be assault and battery, if the persons involved choose to bring the matter to the attention of a court. Enough are taken up by aggrieved parties, who choose to press their claims before the law, to make actions for assault and battery frequent indeed. So, an action for assault and battery is likely to happen within the experience of any of us. The victim of more than one "practical joke" has failed to view the matter as a "joke" and recovered damages against the joker, whom the law held to be guilty of an assault and battery. Not infrequently an agnery assault, though he fails to reach the man upon whom he would vent his wrath, finds that he must pay damages to the person whom he failed to touch, because he has committed a technical assault. So, too, the fist fight of ancient origin brings forth an action for assault and battery—civil or criminal.

A criminal action is one undertaken by the public prosecutor—

though possibly at the instance of the aggrieved party—to punish the offender for his affront to the peace and dignity of the state in creating a disturbance. The action is taken in the name of the state, and if the offender is found guilty the result is punishment—a fine, which the state receives, or imprisonment. The civil action, on the other hand, is a private action taken by the aggrieved party, in which he moves in his own name by his own attorney. If he is successful he recovers damages to recompense him for the injuries he has suffered, and these are paid to him. The same fist fight may be both a crime against the state and a private wrong against the individual. The state may punish the aggressor for his crime against its peace and dignity, and the private citizen also bring a separate and distinct private suit in his own behalf to recover damages. It is the private action by the individual to secure recompense for the injuries he has suffered that is of most immediate concern to the average individual, and it is the circum-

stances that we will discuss here. The grounds of criminal liability are not dissimilar, in most states, though a criminal conviction for assault and battery is more difficult to secure than damages in vindication of a private wrong.

Though generally used together assault and battery are two distinct things. There may be an assault without any battery, though a battery is usually accompanied by an assault. Thus Mortin was walking along the footpath by the side of the road, when Shoppee, who had threatened him in the past, came riding from behind, mounted on his horse. Shoppee rode straight at Mortin in a most threatening manner, and Mortin, by desperate running, just managed to keep ahead until he could turn into the garden gate. Shoppee sat on his horse without inviting Mortin to come out and be "licked." Mortin sued Shoppee for assault and recovered, although he had not been touched. These hostile demonstrations, which threaten immediate bodily harm to another and put him in reasonable fear of his personal safety amount to an assault, in law, although the assailant does not succeed in touching the person attacked.

A frequent instance of assault is where one man starts in the direction of another shaking his fists with every apparent intent of attacking him, but is checked and held by bystanders before he can reach his intended victim. This action amounts to an assault in law and the person against whom the attack was directed may bring civil suit and recover damages against the aggressor. True, these damages will not be large where no substantial injury has been inflicted, but even where no injury or damage of any nature can be shown nominal damages—six cents—will be awarded as vindication, and the assailant will be required to pay the cost of suit.

Pointing a loaded revolver at another, or making hostile demonstrations with any weapon, is an assault. Pointing a revolver may still amount to an assault though the weapon is not loaded, provided that the person threatened is not aware of this fact. The courts of Alabama, Indiana, Oregon and Texas have ruled that pointing an unloaded revolver at another does not amount to an assault; but in Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, New York and Tennessee it has been held to be an assault.

The essential idea of an assault lies in the attempt, real or apparent, to do harm. The attempt need not be real; it is sufficient it is apparent, and appears to be real. The intent to produce an assault is not necessary if the action of the attacker was hostile and produced genuine fear.

The words or circumstances accompanying a threatening gesture may be such as to show to a reasonable person that no harm is eminent. The man who says, "If I were not in my Sunday suit I would lick you," and shakes his fist, is not guilty of an assault. His words deny the implication of an immediate threat. Neither do preparations to commit an assault amount to an assault. To amount to assault there must be some physical effort to carry the attack into effect. In a case where one was held liable for shooting a gun in the direction of others, "as a joke," as he explained it, the judge said: "Those who shoot

at their friends for amusement ought to warn them first that it is mere sport."

Battery is added to assault when the assailant so far accomplishes his purpose as to reach the person of the victim. To touch another in anger, though in the slightest degree, or to use violence against another to rudely force a passage, is, in law, a battery. If one strikes another with hostile attitude, though it be but the weight of his little finger, it is as truly a battery as though he struck him a dozen blows with great force. In the latter case, of course, greater damages would be awarded to the injured party. Battery has been defined as the unpermitted application of force by one to the person of another.

Many are the instances of assault and battery. If one strikes another in anger the case is clear. One who rudely and unnecessarily jostles another is guilty of assault and battery. The party jostled, may, if he desires, sue in civil action for assault and battery, and recover damages. Of course it is not every bit of jostling and pushing that amounts to an assault and battery, but only that which is inexcusable and unnecessary. An overseer of poor who cut the hair of an inmate of the poor farm, contrary to his will, and without authority of law, was held liable as for assault and battery.

The body of the person assaulted need not be touched in order to constitute a battery. It is enough that the clothing be touched. If you knock a man's hat off you have committed a battery. That it was intended as a joke is no defense if the person injured did not willingly submit to the joke and does not choose to treat the matter as a joke. An assault is none the less such because it was committed to have fun during the merry season of Christmas, or at any other time of gaiety and carnival.

An assault and battery may be committed by touching that which supports a person, as well as his body or clothing. If you pull a chair from beneath a man, it is an assault and battery. If you drive a wagon against the "buggy" in which he is riding, hostilely and unnecessarily, that is an assault and battery.

A consideration of the cases in which the person attacked has consented, or where the attack is justified by authority, or as a defense of self, family or property, must be postponed until the next article of this series.

4th Class Postmasters

Fourth class postmasters in Vermont, New Hampshire, Florida and New Mexico, whose salaries exceed \$180 a year and who did not get their offices as a result of civil service examinations, will be required to take such competitive examinations in the near future.

Postmaster General Burleson, probably through the civil service commission, will issue an order shortly requiring incumbents and applicants for appointment to fourth class postmasterhips all over the country to take mental tests of their qualifications.

We have a letter from Mrs. T. T. Price advising us of their removal from Chattanooga, Tenn., to Memphis in the same state and requesting the address on the Avalanche changed accordingly. They still hold pleasant remembrances of the people of Lubbock.

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Ordinary Dog Full of Human Nature

By H. G. GERHKE, Boston, Mass.

Every attentive reader of the newspapers must have noticed the almost daily appearance of the dog in the news. It has been said that three subjects are of perennial interest to newspaper readers—love, women and money. The dog is a close fourth. He touches human life at more points and more nearly than any other animal. So the frequent accounts of his intelligence, his bravery, his devotion in saving people from drowning, from fire and from burglars; his loyalty to his master, his death from grief and even his deliberate suicide, are read with avidity by all who really know dogs.

Not the exceptional dog, like the one recently exhibited at various universities, that has a vocabulary of over 300 words and that does all manner of impromptu stunts at the request of strangers, but just the common, ordinary dog, is full of human nature. He has a sense of humor and a sense of shame. Every dog lover knows that there is no such thing as a bad or vicious dog that has not been made so either by abuse or neglect. Is the case not very much the same with human beings? Eugene Field thought so, and added: "If I had my way I would abolish all the dog laws and dog catchers."

The late William James—greatest of American philosophers—enjoyed the delicate and subtle relations between his little fox terrier and himself. Gladstone's favorite dog died of a broken heart when separated from his master. History is full of instances of canine fidelity.

Dogs are what men make them. They respond quickly to humane influences. They are humanizing agents. Man is slowly coming to recognize the duty he owes those mysterious creatures that live on a plane so close to our own and that are bound to us by so many ties.

Urge Minimum Wage Scale for Women

By T. ELLING, Chicago

A minimum wage law for women would be welcome and would mark a stride for progress. If it can be demonstrated (I do not think it can be) that the lowness of wages paid women and girls is what causes immorality among them it is my opinion that the majority of employers would soon raise wages and favor a minimum wage law.

Girls who go wrong usually get the start downward through the negligence or inability of ignorant or careless parents who are unqualified for the proper training of children.

It is here a minimum wage law for men and women, assisted by a minimum education law, would have a more desirable effect.

Suggestive songs, cheap dive dance halls, saloons, poolrooms, obscene theaters, disreputable resorts and cafes, these with their evil influences and finished product cause more girls (also boys) to go wrong than low wages ever did.

The advertising given the immoral life through suggestive songs and other agencies has lifted its social stigma and made its entrance less reproachful.

A number of candidates are only awaiting the provocation, which sometimes is low wages.

While the fallen woman question is being discussed we would bring into the same question the male of the species (who, by the way, is much greater in number), and we may arrive at a more possible plan of action.

We shall have outgrown the causes of low wages, fallen people and their attendant evils when we have learned to exercise our intellects on problems concerning our social and economic conditions instead of the pink sheet.



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Picnic at Shallowater a Success
The picnic at Shallowater June 26th was a grand success.

People began to arrive on the ground before 9 o'clock and by 10:30 a nice sized crowd had gathered, visitors came from Lubbock and other nearby towns. The train came from Lubbock about 9:30 and brought the Lubbock Cowboy Band which furnished excellent music for the day.

After the crowd had assembled under the arbor, which had been built especially for the occasion, all were entertained by a few choice selections from the band.

About 11:00 a. m. the people were ushered into the school house, where they listened to the literary program.

First came a hearty welcome to all from Bro. Word followed by response from Judge McGee of Lubbock, then Shallowater's boys and girls displayed their talents, and they do indeed deserve praise. The program tho brief, was well rendered.

While the band boys were playing some appropriate selections, the good ladies of Shallowater were spreading the dinner and after every thing was in readiness and dinner announced, all, with quickened step and smiling faces assembled at the tables and the spread was one of the finest, that it has ever been my pleasure to enjoy.

Barbecued meats, bread pickles, choice cakes, pies, salads and coffee constituted this delicious report.

At 2:30 p. m. the band began to play, the crowd soon re-assembled and were entertained by the singers of Shallowater, Lubbock and other places.

Some time was spent in the sale of lots and several choice business lots were sold.

Bronco riding and tournament racing were the entertaining features for the remainder of the day. Prizes being awarded to the deserving parties. Emmet

Wright winning first prize in the tournament race. The band furnished music during games.

At 5:30 p. m. another spread was made and lunch served to all who desired to partake, but while lunching a whistle was heard in the distance and soon the crowd was scattered. Some hurried away to reach the train which was to carry them back to Lubbock, others returning by private conveyance.

Everybody left Shallowater feeling better by their having come and I feel safe in saying that all present will ever have a good word in behalf of the people of Shallowater for their courteous treatment and royal way of entertaining visitors.

A Visitor.

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 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. E. B. Haynes, director; prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. B. W. M. W. Monday 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Grumbles, president.

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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 3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:00 o'clock p. m. by Elder Luff Sanders. All are cordially invited.

One Great Need for Many Large Cities

By J. R. PRICE, M. D., Chicago

During the last quarter of a century I have been watching with interest, the growth and improvements made in our great city. Most of the improvements have been in sidewalks, streets, buildings, transportation and communication, all of which have been advantageous to commerce, while at the same time in a subordinate way to all the people.

On the other hand, I regret to say that my observation has led me to conclude that this city, as well as many others, has been neglectful of one thing which is of paramount importance to the health and happiness of her entire population, and that is suitable public comfort stations conveniently located and distinctly prominent.

For neglect in this respect is the primary cause of multitudinous ailments, and among them are headaches, indigestion, Bright's disease of the kidneys, rheumatism and so forth. I do not deem it honorable for myself, as a medical man, to remain silent on this most important question.

City authorities should see that public health and comfort stations be installed as rapidly as possible, designated by understandable signs, and they should advertise the locations in our public newspapers.

Not more than one person in a hundred in the city of Chicago knows of our excellent, finely equipped public comfort station situated in the City hall at Washington and LaSalle streets.

When Is Girl Old Enough to Marry?

By Mrs. C. Kayser, San Francisco

When is a girl old enough to marry? When she has sense enough to know that she honestly loves the man she is going to marry; to stay with him in sickness and trials. Above all, she must be able to cook a good meal, see that the house is kept clean, tend to his bodily comforts, be contented and happy, be she eighteen or forty years old. There would be fewer divorces if those directions were honestly followed.

A great number of girls, who marry, learn to cook after they marry. If the husband can't agree with the meals, trouble is sure to follow. Some delicatessen stores with quick order meals attract the young wife's attention. When hubby comes home, she runs to the store and gets the ready meal. It is in her opinion the easiest way to keep house. But when hubby becomes dyspeptic, she will really find out what trouble is.

Some girls have more ambition and sense than others, but a girl in my opinion should not marry till she is twenty years old and the man five years older. Life is not all sunshine, be you married or single. When a girl marries, she should learn to bear her troubles like a Trojan and keep them to herself. She should learn to laugh. A good, hearty laugh is better than medicine.

Laugh and the world laughs with you, cry and you generally cry alone. Just learn to smile. The smile that bubbles from a heart that loves its fellow men, will drive away the clouds of gloom, and coax the sun again.

To the young wife: If hubby is cross, leave him alone; just smile and be patient, he cannot help loving you in return.

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LONG BROS.
PHONES 435 AND 284

Here From New Mexico
I. P. Shelburne, who for several years resided in the Slide neighborhood now of Scott, New Mexico, was here Tuesday loading his wagons with provisions and other supplies. He reports prospects in his section very flattering, fine grass and crops, though a little later in New Mexico than Texas, are looking fine. Mr. Shelburne has 320 acres of fine land out there, and is well pleased with his location. He still likes to trade with our merchants however, and makes a trip to this place every few weeks. He authorized us to send the Avalanche to his new address; says Mrs. Shelburne

told him there was no use trying to get along without the Lubbock paper any longer.

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J. T. Ball representing the J. I. Case & Co., was in the city last Saturday interviewing our people regarding vehicles and implements.

John H. Wheeler, a prominent Crosby county stockman, passed through Lubbock Tuesday morning on his way to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. O'Hair are now making their home in Cleburne, Texas.

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CHICHESTER'S PILLS



Mrs. Geo. R. Bean and two little girls, left Friday afternoon for Snyder at which place they will visit the family of J. W. Hunt, for a few days and will then resume their journey to Gainesville, where they will visit relatives a week or so.

At a meeting of the trustees Saturday Miss Loraine Dees, of Lubbock, was elected to a position in the Ralls public school. Miss Dees is a teacher of large experience, and comes highly recommended.—Ralls Banner.

Address of Welcome to Retail Liquor Dealers' Association

By A White Ribboner

On the occasion of the recent meeting in Cedar Rapids of the Iowa Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, the following words of welcome (?) written by Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, state corresponding secretary, were published in one of the daily papers, and are said by the local press to have been the chief topic of conversation among the liquor men.—Editor.

A welcome to a city should be representative and since the welcome accorded your association by the mayor of Cedar Rapids represents the thought of but a portion of its citizenship, it seems fitting that the entire community should communicate to you its sentiment. Hence, in behalf of those not represented by the mayor, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union extends this greeting.

It is quite usual in greeting a body to enumerate its accomplishments and tell of its worth and standing. Courtesy to the individual somewhat embarrasses us here. Shall we greet you as those who wreck homes, debauch manhood, prostitute womanhood, disgrace and impoverish childhood? Shall we greet you as those who place upon the taxpayer the heaviest burden in caring for the results of your traffic? WHY ARE YOU NOT ADVERTISED? Your position in a community is quite peculiar. We fail to find a city that enumerates among its advantages its saloons. The commercial club of our city advertises our manufacturing plants, our churches, our schools and colleges, but never once have the thirty-two saloons of the city been advertised as a reason for industries to locate here.

Your representatives in this city have lulled the city government to sleep with the idea that their places of business are law-abiding. But the motherhood of the city is aroused by the fact that the boys under age have been sold liquor by saloon keepers here, indeed so much as to induce delirium tremens. Naturally you will understand that your coming so soon after the prosecution of these boys in our courts and the sending of two of them to the inebriate asylum and one of them to the insane asylum will tend to generate great enthusiasm on the part of those interested in home and childhood. In view of this very recent event, you will understand, gentlemen, that the words of welcome of Mayor Roth do not represent the thought of the fatherhood and the motherhood of Cedar Rapids.

PERTINENT QUESTIONS
It is said by some that you help a town. Do you make better fathers, husbands, sons and so raise the standard of citizenship? Do you bring comfort and happiness to mothers, wives and children? Do you add to the efficiency of the laborer or business men and so add to the material prosperity of the place? **WHY DO YOU FAIL TO EXHIBIT YOUR FINISHED PRODUCTS?**

Any business is judged by its results. Some time since Cedar Rapids had a manufacturer's week. Every business in the

city save yours exhibited its wares. Yet your ambition is to be classed as a line of legitimate business. The Packing House and Quaker Oats mills showed their splendid products ready to feed the world. The pump manufacturing and wood finishing concerns exhibited their contributions to comfort and esthetic pleasure. The clothing manufacturers gave evidence of prosperity. Did the saloons of Cedar Rapids use their windows or were those of other places loaned to exhibit their finished products? No, you find these in the penitentiary where eighty-five per cent of the inmates are your graduates. Seventy per cent of the insane are others. Ninety per cent of pauperism is another class. The great burden of private charity is due to the saloon. The taxpayer pays the enormous cost of the Knoxville colossal failure to care for your product. But only the Father of us all knows all the blight of manhood, the shame of womanhood, the wreck of home, the heartbreak of the innocent. Ah NO, gentlemen, you are not welcomed to Cedar Rapids by its homes and social interests.

HOW CAN A CITY WELCOME YOU?
Yours is not a legitimate business, so declared by the United States supreme court. Our stores open at their pleasure, close only on the day of rest. But in self-defense a community limits you as to times and seasons. If your places of business are so demoralizing that they must be closed on election days and holidays, and so dangerous that they are closed in times of fire, riot or other occasions of excitement, how can a city welcome you at any time?

It is passing strange that the political power you wield can stultify the officials of nations, state and city. But it is not long to be so. Not many more times will you be accorded a welcome to any city. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, with men and women of sober, earnest purpose, is steadily working for that day when the God of Heaven shall say to you, "It is enough." You know, with us, that the time is near.

In the name of humanity, in the name of our God, the seven thousand members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Iowa lead in this protest against your welcome to any city of the state.

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War is Murder
The other day we asked a Confederate Veteran the question: "What is War?" Without a moments hesitancy he replied: "War is Murder." We agree with him, war is nothing more nor less than legalized wholesale murder. That is our reason for wanting world peace and that is our reason for rejoicing that so many nations have responded favorably to Secretary Bryan's suggestion for arbitration. World peace may be but the dream of a visionary mind, still it helps to see the right kind of visions sometimes, no matter if you are called weak minded.—Abilene Reporter.

FOUND PELLAGRA REMEDY

P. H. Stephens of Masonic Home Declares he Cured Himself With Oil Mixture

While he is not a scientist, P. H. Stephens of the Masonic home has the spirit of the scientist. Mr. Stephens declares that he has found a remedy for pellagra and willingly gives it to the world. He says he seeks no remuneration and expects none. That he has been a victim of pellagra and has mastered the disease is the belief of Mr. Stephens. "At any rate, he hasn't pellagra now, and physicians had told him that he did have it. Naturally, Mr. Stephens believes that his cure was effected by the treatment he gave himself.

WOULD CURE ANY CASE
Asked how he effected a cure, Mr. Stephens says he used sassafras oil and coal oil. He declared that one part sassafras oil mixed with three parts of Corsicana coal oil, used internally and externally, would cure any case of pellagra.

Mr. Stephens, who says he is an uncle of Lieutenant Governor Mayes, declares that he became afflicted with pellagra several years ago. He says he got the

disease from sprouting corn. He handled the corn daily while feeding it to chickens. The disease, he declared, got a hold on him and rendered his constitution very weak. Physicians were unable to make any headway against the disease.

BECOMES OWN PHYSICIAN
It was at this time that Mr. Stephens decided to become his own physician. He says he learned during the civil war—he is a confederate veteran—that sassafras oil would kill any kind of insects. He says he had seen soldiers during the war treated for itch with sassafras oil. He decided that a combination of the two oils would be beneficial. With the combination of oils,

Mr. Stephens became his own physician. He says he rubbed the oils on the afflicted flesh and took three teaspoons of the combination daily. The disease, according to his version, rapidly disappeared. He had discovered that he had pellagra in 1884. At that time he was teaching at Avalon, in Ellis county.—Fort Worth Record.

Mrs. W. E. Penney visited at the home of her son, P. B. Penney, near Idalou the latter part of last week.

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O. Lykes and family left Monday for Roscoe. He sold his interest in the Tremont Hotel to Mr. G. W. Hinton, who has recently moved to this place from Wichita Falls, Texas, and the Tremont is now under the new management.

Mrs. W. L. Dickinson and daughter, Miss Carrie Marie sister and niece of Mrs. Jno. F. Robinson, of this city arrived Wednesday morning from Cleburne, and will visit here several weeks.

There has been quite a changing around in the postoffice this week. Our new postmaster, S. P. Robbins taking charge of the office on the first of the month. Claude Peek also took his place as extra clerk on that day, relieving Mrs. Graham, who was serving as a substitute, pending appointment by proper authorities, of a regular clerk.

Mrs. Burt Jordan of Tulia, is visiting at the home of R. H. Wilson this week.

THE REVIVAL MEETING

Methodist Began Last Sunday Morning and Will Continue Probably Two Weeks

According to announcement in last issue of the Avalanche the revival services began at the tabernacle last Sunday morning under the management of the Methodist church. Rev. C. B. Meador is doing the preaching, and he is doing some of the best preaching that has ever been listened to in this city. He is a strong man in the pulpit, and the indications are good for one of the most successful meetings that Lubbock has had for some time.

The attendance is increasing at each service, both day and night, and there is also an increasing interest by the people, both church people and those out of the church. Services will continue through this week, two services each day—that is one service in the forenoon at 10:00 o'clock and in the evening at 8:30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all denominations to join in this meeting. The singers of the town are urged to take part in the choir, which is becoming stronger each service. It matter not what your religious views are, you are welcome at this meeting, and the preacher wants you to hear his message.

Let the Cumberland Ladies feed you on chicken pies and other good things at the opera house on the first Monday. 52 Lt

Mr. D. W. Jones, who is well known to our people having been with Walter H. Denison while he was building the Crosbyton-South Plains railroad and the Texico-Lubbock cut-off out of this city, has accepted the position of book-keeper and assistant manager for Ames & Co. and will make Lubbock his home in the future. Mr. Jones has just completed five weeks investigation of the irrigation situation in the Pecos Valley and has reached the conclusion that the plains farmers, considering the amount invested and expenses, have decidedly the best of it.

W. M. Rice contractor of Amarillo, was in the city the early part of this week. He is the gentleman who built the Citizens National Bank building, and has many friends here who were pleased to meet him again.

Frank Beddingfield was here from Crosby county last Tuesday. Mr. Beddingfield reports livestock and farm conditions splendid in all parts of his county and everybody happy.

Bro. Wallace Leaves Austin

The following item appeared in the firm Foundation the church organ of the Church of Christ published at Austin and shows how greatly Mr. Wallace is appreciated by his people. He has just moved with his family to this city and expects to make this his home. The Foundation says: "Our readers will recall that in the last issue of this paper Brother Foy E. Wallace announced that in order to secure better climatic conditions for Sister Wallace, he had decided to leave Austin—not that Austin is unhealthful, but the doctors advised that a high, dry air should be sought. Brother Wallace goes to West Texas. Lubbock will be his postoffice address. The church at Austin does not willingly give up Brother Wallace. He has done some fine work during the eight months of his stay in Austin. He and his estimable family have greatly endeared themselves to the saints at Austin with whom he has labored so harmoniously and successfully. As he stated in the paper, he has frequently said to me that he loves the place, the people and the work and only circumstances of such an extraordinary character could induce him to leave. His work has been that of a true minister of Christ—a proclaimer of the gospel. He has preached to many people and led a good number into the church. He planned to do much more. With the co-operation of the church he expected to conduct a number of mission meetings in different parts of the city. The saints at Austin were hopeful that a large ingathering of souls would be the result of these efforts. This is the New Testament plan. Every church should preach the gospel to those within its reach. No need to go away to hunt up souls when thousands in your own city have never heard the gospel. Our efforts will be temporarily checked, but we hope to secure a suitable man before long to resume the work. The love and prayers of the church at Austin will follow Brother Wallace and his good family where they go."

Commissioner L. O. Burford was here Tuesday, and reports a magnificent rain. He favored the editor by bringing in a bunch of nice peaches right from trees in his orchard, they were the nicest we have seen this season, and had the taste that genuine peaches possess. Mr. Burford stated that he would have quite a good deal of fruit this season.

The Santa Fe Railroad is now receiving new engines for the cut-off. During the last few days a number of big oil-burning locomotives for use between Sweetwater and Galveston have passed through Lubbock on their way south. All that have come through so far, are passenger engines of the heaviest type and are designed to pull heavy trains on fast schedules.

Bacon and Wolfarth Brothers are receiving 1100 head of high grade cattle from J. M. Bassett this week at the ranch in Crosby county. These cattle were bought last November and they are just now receiving and branding them. They will let them stay in Crosby county till fall.

A. V. Weaver is having quite an addition built to his residence in the west part of town. He is having the entire building renovated, remodeled, etc., and will have one of the most comfortable homes in the city when completed.

Mrs. Maude Savage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hart, who has been visiting here the past two weeks, left Monday for her future home in Port Lavaca.

J. F. Butcher who has been making this his home the past few months left Tuesday for Blooming Grove, where he will reside in the future.

Born—last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carter, a girl.

Died of Tuberculosis

F. L. Ballard, who has been under the care of Dr. Clayton in a tent near the sanitarium for the past seven weeks, died early Tuesday morning.

Deceased came to Lubbock seven weeks ago, in a very critical condition, physically and without means financially. He was taken in charge by the county and turned over to Dr. Clayton for medical treatment pending arrangements to be entered into a sanitarium for patients affected by this disease, but death relieved the sufferer before any admittance was announced in the state institutions. The deadly disease had fastened too firmly its grips upon the young man to get much relief.

His remains were laid to rest in the Lubbock cemetery under the supervision of the county authorities.

Buster Clayton was operated on at the Sanitarium last Saturday by Dr. Hutchinson, for tonsil effects.

Mrs. Knox returned the first of the week from Hale Center, where she visited with relatives, a few days.

Dr. J. E. Ellis and family left Tuesday morning for Rockport, Illinois, where they will reside in the future.

Miss Lila Boone, who has been visiting her brother, in Wichita Falls for several weeks returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. J. P. Word preached at Shallowater last Sunday morning and reports a very nice service, a good congregation considering the threatening weather.

N. R. Porter was here Tuesday from Shallowater, and reports everything in good condition out there. Had a nice rain Sunday night.

Little Miss Eula Reed, of Hale Center who has been visiting her uncle, F. V. Neil at the Neil boarding house the past week returned home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. K. Dulin, of Hale Center, who has been visiting in our city, at the home of Mrs. R. A. Wallace for several days, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. C. C. Elam and children came over Wednesday morning from Crosbyton and left over the north bound Santa Fe for Pueblo Colorado, where they will visit a few days.

Miss Margaret Huff left Tuesday morning for Hale Center, where she will spend a short time. She will visit other points before returning to Lubbock to resume her class in music.

J. B. Maxey, of Plainview, was in the city a few minutes Wednesday morning. He had been over to Crosbyton to place a bid for the building of the Crosby county court house, which contract was let Tuesday.

We are requested to announce that the Nazarene church will hold their annual protracted meeting services beginning Saturday night before the third Sunday in July. The pastor will have the assistance of another preacher during the meeting, but just at this time we have not learned who it is.

John Lovelady shipped out two car loads of kaffir fed steers from Crosby county last Saturday that attracted the attention of the crowd at the depot. They are as pretty a bunch of fat stuff as we have ever seen, and will no doubt bring a fancy price on the market.



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