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LUBBOCK'S CRYING NEED IS A BIGGER HOTEL

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ANTHRAX SCOURGE SPREADING

Panhandle-Southplains Fair Opens Here Wednesday

GREATEST SHOW IN FAIR HISTORY BEING PLANNED

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN EVERY DEPARTMENT OF ANNUAL CLASSIC

The Panhandle-South Plains Fair will open its eleventh annual exposition here next Wednesday morning with the greatest aggregation of exhibits, amusements, shows, attractions, concessions, and general program ever staged in West Texas.

The fair itself, by which we mean the exhibits departments will be the best ever seen in Lubbock. Up to last night fifteen counties had signed up for exhibits with the prospect that two more counties would be here. As there are only fourteen county booths workmen will be put to work Monday morning constructing additional booth space.

Mrs. O. V. Vernon, wife of the Amarillo secretary, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and immediately started a crew to war putting the Pettor County booth in shape.

A number of the community started work on their booths yesterday and prospects are that ever community booth will be occupied.

Fine Livestock Coming

Workmen will also start work Monday morning building additional livestock sheds for the live stock department, as already more live stock has been entered than there is space for.

Three fine herds of Registered Hereford cattle have been entered as follows: C. M. Largent and Son of Merker with 22 head; R. V. Gilbert and Son of Stamford, with 21 head and Jno. M. Gist, of Odessa with 15 head. This will give the fair this year the finest showing of beef cattle ever made here and in addition there will be a number of entries of fine cattle from this and adjoining counties.

In the dairy department, the Famous Mistletoe Jerseys will be the biggest show herd present, with J. M. Ridgeway, nationally recognized expert on dairy cattle in charge and in addition many other fine Jerseys will be shown.

All other exhibits, poultry, hog, horses, sheep, etc., will be the biggest and best shown locally, and not to be overlooked will be the women's departments, all of which have been greatly enlarged this year.

Every department in the woman's building has been given more space this year and according to the superintendents of these various departments there will be more entries in every department than ever before.

Fair Opens Wednesday

The fair will open Wednesday morning with a mammoth parade participated in by the schools and Lubbock and Slaton bands. Wednesday having been designated as Lubbock county day.

An effort will be made Monday to get every store in Lubbock to close for just a few hours Wednesday afternoon, and from the response already made by the merchants this will be successful.

While other cities, such as Abilene, are holding their fairs, Lubbock is holding its.

Wrong Impression.

In reporting the Klan speech that was made here Thursday night by Rev. J. A. Rogers, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, the Avalanche headlines above the article read: "The Presbyterian Pastor delivered the Klan speech." Members of Rev. Jack M. Lewis' congregation of the Presbyterian church, fearing this headline might have misled readers to believe that the First Presbyterian Minister delivered the address, urged this correction.

EX-SHERIFF IS CONVICTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

TEXARKANA, Ark., Sept. 27.—A. J. Gurley, former sheriff of Texarkana, was in the state penitentiary tonight under five year sentence upon conviction for embezzlement of \$83,000 county funds during his term in office. Gurley's term ended in 1921. Bondsman made up \$30,000 of the alleged defalcation. Reports that his bondsman here had signed a petition for a pardon were denied.

BUTTE IS NAMED BY DEM LEAGUE

GOOD GOVT DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE APPROVES GOP NOMINEE FOR GOV.

DALLAS, Sept. 27.—Geo. C. Butte, republican nominee for governor was selected as the gubernatorial favorite against Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, democratic nominee, by the Good Government Democratic League, organized here today.

Nearly 50 persons from various parts of the state were enrolled in the League's membership, including Thomas B. Love, former democratic national committeeman from Texas, who resigned following the nomination of Mrs. Ferguson to the runoff.

John Marshall of Sherman was named president of the league, whose chief object is to urge voters to "scratch" the name of Mrs. Ferguson from the general election ballot in favor of Butte while supporting the balance of the ticket straight "Fergusonism" was declared to be the point upon which the League would base its fight in favor of the republican nominee.

Marshall was empowered to name thirty one delegates from the state senatorial districts to comprise the organization's executive committee.

BLAIR IS ELECTED COMMISSIONER NUMBER ONE

R. W. Blair was elected Street Commissioner No. One Saturday afternoon at the polls.

Two-hundred and ninety-two votes were cast in the election. L. C. Montgomery having received 73 votes and Roche Newton 21, while Mr. Blair received a total of 217 votes.

Mr. Blair was the only name printed on the ballot.

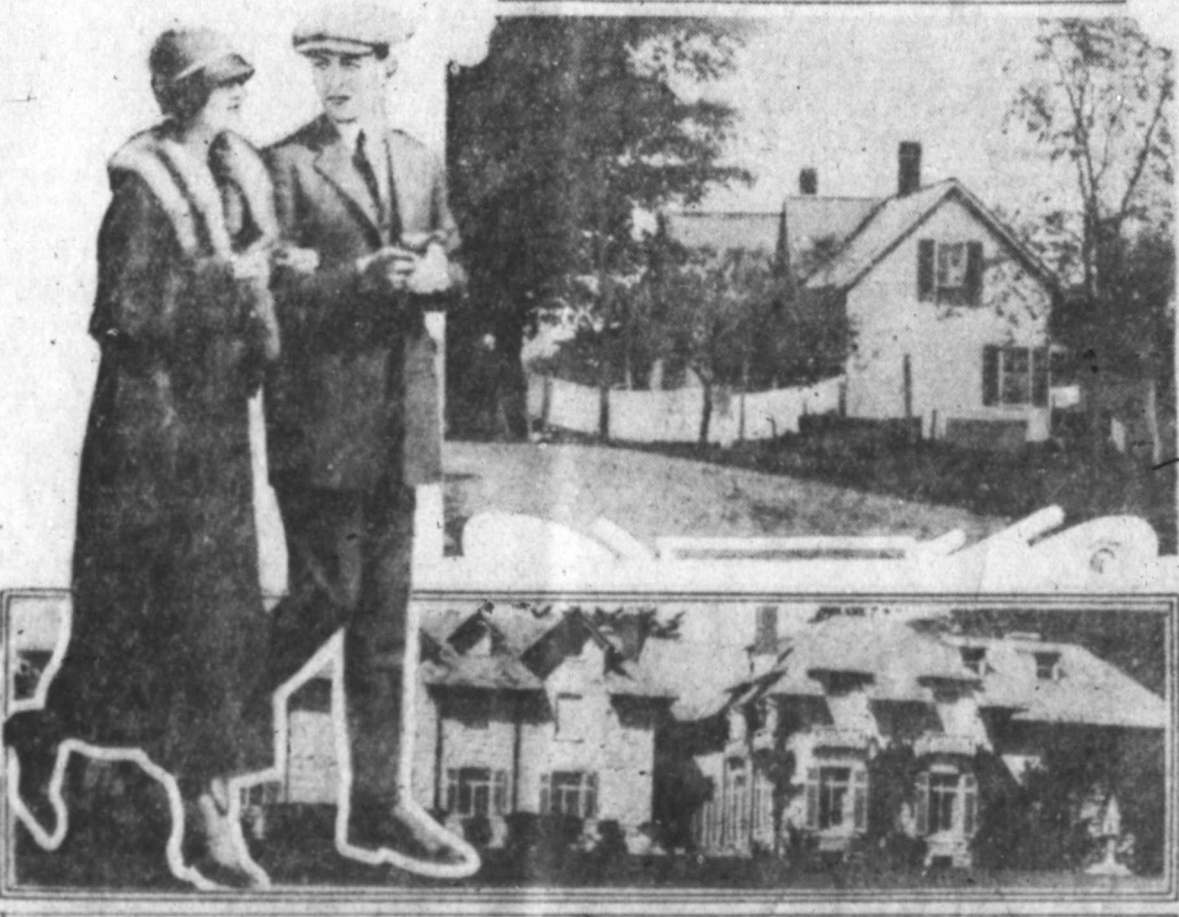
The people of Lubbock are fortunate to secure the services of Mr. Blair in this important office. He is thoroughly familiar with the town building and is especially so in looking up the needs of the city in connection with such progressive steps as street improvement.

Mr. Blair is one of the leading business men of Lubbock and has extensive land and city property holdings in the vicinity. He will prove efficient in taking care of the duties incumbent upon him as holder of this office.

RED CROSS DIRECTOR SUICIDES OVER FUND SHORTAGE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 27.—Books of the Kansas City chapter of the American Red Cross were under scrutiny tonight following the suicide of Dell D. Dutton, secretary-director today.

WON'T LEAVE MODEST HOME TO RETURN TO CASTLE



MR. & MRS. C. L. MILES. (Above) MILES HOMESTEAD, (Below) WINTHROP HOME.

Although she has received parental forgiveness and an invitation to return to the LeRoy, Mass. palace of her immensely wealthy father, Groville L. Winthrop, Mrs. Cora L. Miles, who eloped with her father's chauffeur, prefers to remain in the little frame home of her mother-in-law at Jericho, Va. The family washing was hanging on the line when the photograph was snapped. Mrs. Miles was Emily Winthrop. At the time she eloped, her sister, Kate, eloped with the town electrician.

2 WOMEN SHOT AT GAINESVILLE

ONE CHASED FROM HOME BY HUSBAND IN ATTACK WITH SCISSORS

GAINESVILLE, Sept. 27.—J. H. Glidewell 53, was held for investigation here tonight in connection with the shooting of his wife and Mrs. Matilda Dressbach neighbor, last night.

Mrs. Glidewell was shot in the back with a revolver as she ran from her home after her husband had attacked her with a pair of scissors. Pursuing his wife to the home of Mrs. Dressbach, officers said Glidewell fired through the window with a shotgun, slightly wounding Mrs. Dressbach.

The shooting occurred shortly after Glidewell had been released from jail where he had been held pending mental examination and was pronounced sane.

MCDONALD BITTERLY RAPS ATTACK ON LABOR GOVT

DERBY, ENGLAND, Sept. 27.—In a fighting speech, Ramsay MacDonald declared this afternoon that he will stifle the Labor government's fate upon ratification of the two treaties signed with Russia last month.

"If commons refuses to ratify the treaties, commons had better be prepared to capture us," the prime minister said. "I do not think the country wants to beent, but if forced to we will appeal to the people."

MacDonald defied the conservatives and liberals who have been active in attacking the government and announced flatly that he would resign and demand a general election if the treaties which have been the principal bone of contention failed to pass commons. Political observers feel that the Labor government is practically at the end of its rope. MacDonald and his colleagues have faced practically insurmountable difficulties with a majority in the house against them and a series of domestic and international complications.

RAINFALL IN WEST LIGHT THIS YEAR RECORDS SHOW

STAMFORD, Sept. 27.—Up to and including September 15th Central West Texas has received a total of 16.38 inches of rain for the year 1924, making the year to date, one of the driest in west Texas since 1917.

The annual rainfall for 1918 was 19.85 inches; 1919, 28.67, for 1920 35.47 inches; for 1921, 25.60; for 1922, 24.78 inches; for 1923 32.77 inches. The annual average normal rainfall is 24.36 inches, based on records taken since the year 1886.

The rainfall for 1924, to date, however has been very well distributed, which accounts for the crops in West Texas being better than for two years past. Notwithstanding that the rainfall in 1922 and 1923 was much larger. Of course if the remainder of the year 1924 gives to west Texas its average rainfall for that period it would amount for about five inches more rain, giving the region a little better than 21 inches of rain for the year, or one of the smallest rainfalls on record.

This is especially interesting as it proves that it is not so much the amount of rain that falls as it is the distribution of the same. The heaviest rainfall in any single year in west Texas since 1886 is accounted for by the year 1914 when 41.60 inches fell. The next largest rainfall was during the year 1895 when the fall was 35.90. The smallest rainfall for any year since 1886, was in 1917 the year of the great drought, when the fall was only 19.56. The net smallest was during the year 1909 when the fall was 14.97 inches.

A very careful analysis of the monthly and annual precipitation in west Texas, over a period of 38 years, shows that there is practically no change in the rainfall. It is not raining any more today in west Texas than it was 25 years ago. Nor is the rainfall any better distributed. As a rule August is the month of heaviest rainfall though it is interesting to note that during the past four years the precipitation in west Texas in August has been very small and much below the average.

The failure to meet the average during the past four years has caused west Texas to fall to get bumper cotton crops, not withstanding that the crops have been large indeed.

RICE MAN NAMED PRESIDENT C. I. A.

ACCEPTANCE IS HELD UP PENDING ACTION RICE BOARD OF REGENTS

DENTON, Tex., Sept. 27.—Dr. Lindsey Blayne, professor of Germanic languages at Rice Institute, Houston, Texas, was elected president of the College of Industrial Arts of Denton, after an all day session of the board of regents of the college here today.

Blayne will succeed Dr. P. M. Bralley, who died recently. Dr. Blayne served as colonel with the American expeditionary forces in the world war and comes to Denton with high recommendations.

Undecided On Acceptance.

HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 27.—Dr. Lindsey Blayne of Rice Institute declared Saturday night he had not decided whether to accept the presidency of C. I. A. at Denton, offered him Saturday by the board of regents.

"It will be necessary for me to confer with the heads of Rice Institute before I can make a decision," Dr. Blayne said. "I am deeply appreciative of the honor conferred upon me, but I do not yet know whether it will be possible for me to accept the position."

MARSHALL MAN TAKEN IN RAID ON COIN MAKERS

MARSHALL, TEXAS, Sept. 27.—Officers here tonight were holding Bynum Russell alleged counterfeit for federal authorities following his arrest here early today in a raid in which several spurious "phony" coins have been found in circulation here in the last few weeks. State Rangers made the arrest.

MOTHER TO ATTEND SCHOOL WITH DAUGHTER

DALLAS, Sept. 27.—Mother and daughter will study together at the State University this year. Mrs. James Bennett of this city will take special courses in English and Shakespearean drama while her eldest daughter carries on the regular freshman course.

DECOMPOSED BODY IS FOUND NEAR HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Sept. 27.—Efforts were being made Saturday night by Harris county officers to learn the identity of a man whose badly decomposed body was found near an abandoned warehouse on the Lynchburg-Crosby road, six miles from Crosby. There were two bullet holes in the body, one in the head and one in the chest.

YATES SOUGHT IN TENNESSEE

TALK OF VIOLENCE HEARD IF ABDUCTOR RETURNED TO FORMER HOME

ALLUWE, Okla., Sept. 27.—Authorities this afternoon turned their search for E. V. Joseph E. Yates, 10, preacher's son, who eloped with Georgia Fields, 14-year old member of his congregation, to Tennessee where it is believed the fugitive couple will attempt to be married.

Hundreds of photographs of the couple were being made today and will be sent to all county officials in Tennessee in an effort to capture Yates and his "love child" before they are married. Talk of violence to Yates if he is returned here was current on the streets of Alluwe and if he is apprehended and brought to trial on charges of abduction, a fight yesterday by A. W. Fields, Georgia's father, trial will probably be held in another county. It was indicated.

The father bases his theory that the pair are in Tennessee on a letter received from Yates stating that he had obtained from Tennessee a license to marry Georgia and that they had already been secretly married by Yates' brother.

"I don't know whether he told me the truth or not," Fields said. "I know however, that a 14-year old girl cannot be legally married in Oklahoma. I believe that they are trying to drive thru to Tennessee and make their marriage, if there has been one, legal."

Former Wife Not Surprised.

AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—The elopement is what I expected," Mrs. Joseph E. Yates, pretty divorced wife of the Rev. Joseph E. Yates Methodist minister of Alluwe, Okla. sought on a charge of abduction of a 14 year old parishioner said today.

Mrs. Yates came here from Fort Worth several days ago and is employed as a waitress in a hotel. "I came to Austin to live down my experience of the last few months," she declared. She charged her former husband with cruelty and denied charges of intimate relations with other men made by her former husband when she sought a divorce. She named no respondent in her plea for separation.

5 ALIENS KILLED BY HIJACKERS ON CANADA BORDER

OTTAWA, Sept. 27.—Five aliens being smuggled into the United States across the Canadian border were murdered by "hijackers" and their bodies thrown into the Detroit and St. Lawrence rivers in the course of a series of raids on smuggling parties this fall.

Others may have perished similarly but five deaths in question were made the subject of an official inquiry by federal immigration headquarters today.

The "hijackers" in considerable numbers, prayed upon the smugglers and robbed the aliens. If the latter resisted they were knocked on the head and dropped into the river, according to information in possession of the Canadian government.

The scene of the smuggling operations and "hijacking" was on the border along the St. Clair, St. Lawrence and the Detroit rivers.

FEDERAL AID IS CALLED TO COPE WITH SITUATION

STRICT QUARANTINE IS THROWN AROUND THE INFECTED AREA

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 27.—Houston, and parts of Brazoria and Fort Bend counties were only beginning to awaken tonight to the gravity of the situation thrust upon them by an outbreak of the hoof and mouth disease near here.

Still another outbreak of the epidemic, the third, was reported in Harris county late Saturday afternoon. The most recent report of the dread disease comes from 30 miles across the city of Houston to the west of the first infected area.

An additional herd of 700 cattle located in the 8,000 acre south of Houston, was found to be infected with the hoof and mouth disease, late Saturday.

New Outbreak Being Probed.

Federal and state officials immediately began an investigation of the new outbreak. Local and state and national, were ordered to marshal their forces for a meeting at 10 a. m. Sunday morning in the Harris county court house.

Houston citizens, cattlemen from various points in southeastern Texas, officials of Harris and adjoining counties, representatives of the veterinary department, the federal horticultural board and the United States department of agriculture have been asked to meet with Governor Pat Neff to work out the most feasible plan of operation.

The meeting will consider the financing of the war on the disease, the payment for condemned cattle, and various other emergency expenditures.

Pursuant to orders from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, Harris and Galveston counties and the affected sections of Brazoria and Fort Bend counties east of the Brazos river were under strict quarantine.

Four arrests for breaking quarantine regulations have already been made. Four men all cowboys were attempting to move their horses from the guarded area to escape the quarantine. They were formally charged with the offense.

Rangers Called to Service.

Seventy-five men were enforcing the quarantine restrictions this afternoon and a force of forty more were added before dusk tonight. In addition Texas rangers under orders of Governor Pat Neff of Texas are expected to arrive at the center of the infected area Sunday to augment the county border patrol.

Governor Neff will take charge upon his arrival Sunday. He is headed by Marion Innes, government expert on the hoof and mouth disease, who directed government activities during the California outbreak forty government inspectors, fourteen of whom saw service in the California epidemic.

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WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Sunday and Monday fair, warmer Monday.

THE PASSING DAY

By WILL H. MAYES, Department of Journalism, University of Texas

The Texas schools are all reporting largely increased attendance, which is an indication that there is a growing interest in education and also that the people of the state as a whole are reasonably prosperous. Although crops are short in many parts of the state, prices are fairly good and most of the people are out of debt. Debt always is an obstacle in the way of education. As people prosper they spend their earnings liberally in the education of their children. It follows that those who have children to educate should avoid debt as far as possible, for it stands in the way of their proper training.

Poverty, though, will not keep the determined and ambitious young people from securing an education, although it does greatly increase the difficulties. The records of most Texas schools show that a larger per cent of the boys and girls are working to pay their way through college. Many others are borrowing funds with the expectation of repaying when they get out of school and make the money. It is stated also that self-sustaining students are the most diligent. This is probably because they have a proper appreciation of their hard-earned money. Still, it is a pity that earnest students should have to do the double work of earning and acquiring an education, even though the severe discipline may make them all the better students.

The interest being shown in community and county fairs in Texas just now is remarkable. From the newspaper reports it appears that all of the more largely attended and that the exhibits of live stock and products are well worth seeing. The people are brought together in these small fairs and there they exchange experiences and talk over problems in a way that cannot be done at the large fairs. Most of them have interests in common and they secure valuable help in discussing them with each other. If only the people of a community or county can be made to understand that their problems are all closely related and that personal and mutual interests can best be promoted by close co-operation there would be no "more-back" communities left in Texas. Most persons are selfish and exhibit their selfishness when they are among strangers. One of the best places to see human nature at its worst is in the wash room of a Pullman car. Mr. Average Man will take his suit case and clothes and spread them over the greater part of the room in such a way that others who wish to use the room have to wait the leisurely preparation of his toilet. It matters not how many others may be waiting, he will deliberately shove and monopolize as much space as possible in a room he knows to be crowded. He is a Pullman car hog and a nuisance. He would not behave as he does except among strangers to whom he thinks it unnecessary to be courteous.

Persons of culture and refinement are cultured and refined wherever they may be and are courteous to everyone. It is impossible to have one nature among friends and another among strangers. Some people assume one air when with friends and an entirely different one among strangers. It is because their friends know them and the strangers do not. Many are nice to those upon whom they wish to create a good impression, but apparently indifferent to those who are closest to them. There are those who are habitually cross and churlish at home, but "sweet as pie" away from home. Often these imagine they are fooling others as to their real temperaments, and for a time they may create favorable impressions, but the real disposition sooner or later manifests itself, everywhere.

There have been more automobile tourists in Texas the past summer than ever before. Most of them have been Texans who have been getting acquainted with their state, but many from other states have been seeing Texas very intimately. The automobile may be somewhat a luxury, but it is playing a great part in the education of the people, who are learning much from their summer tours in their own cars and at comparatively small cost.

FIVE YEARS SILENCE WILL NEVER BE BROKEN

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 26.—Saint Charles Carson is dead, his oath never to speak another word, which he made five years ago is unbroken. Carson was sentenced to the prison for the killing of an Oakland policeman and as he stood on the threshold of the prison took his oath which was never broken, even after he was committed to the insane ward at the Stockton state hospital. Carson was reading a newspaper when he was seen to stand up suddenly, open his mouth as if to speak, and then drop dead from heart failure.

MANY TO HEAR BOWEN SPEAK OF EUROPE

Friends of Rev. W. A. Bowen, including members of other congregations as well as of his own, predict that the First Baptist Church will be taxed to capacity by the crowd that will attend his meeting at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at which time he will relate some of the incidents and his observations made during his recent trip to Europe. Rev. Bowen is a student and an orator of exceptional ability and those wishing to gather first hand information concerning existing conditions in Europe as well as in the Holy Lands would do well to hear this address. Rev. Bowen has been especially interested in church conditions throughout the old country and he made a special study of this feature of European civilization and will give an account of what he thinks of the churches in that part of the world. Everybody is invited to hear him speak at the First Baptist Church, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Free tickets for the automobile drawing at the Fair. Pay your account at Martin & Wolcott's Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and get a chance at nice car. Our books closed for the month Saturday night. Start your new account with us Monday. MARTIN & WOLCOTT (Adv.)

ROTARY MINSTREL WITNESSED BY GOOD CROWD

Nearly two hundred people witnessed the second performance of the Rotary Minstrel at the High School auditorium Saturday evening. When practically the same program that was rendered Friday evening was presented. "Suppressed Desires" the farce comedy that was the concluding number on the program was thoroughly enjoyed by all, as were the many other splendid numbers composing the program. The same artists that appeared on Friday's program carried out their respective parts, last night, and all who witnessed the program declared it to be one of the best home talent productions ever witnessed in Lubbock. More than three hundred dollars has been added to the Rotary Club Student's loan fund as a result of the admission receipts for the two evenings.

DILLARD SECURES COPYRIGHT ON PLAINS STORY

J. J. Dillard, pioneer editor and citizen of Lubbock, who has been contributing articles to the Avalanche under the head of "Early Days on the Plains" has secured a copyright from the Government, protecting his articles from being

promiscuously printed without his consent. This is a feature that the Sunday Morning Avalanche and the Lubbock Weekly Avalanche has secured the exclusive use, and no other publication has a right to use this except by authority from the author.

These articles have been running some time in these publications and we have considered them good, and evidently others have too, from the way they have been copied, and for this reason we have asked the author for exclusive privileges in the publication of these reminiscences, which he has granted.

MANY URGED TO ATTEND S. S. THIS A. M.

One thousand will attend services at the First Methodist Church today if wishes of the pastor and officers and teachers of the Sunday School are fulfilled. Today has been designated Sunday School Day in Lubbock by the First Methodist and the First Presbyterian Churches, and every effort has been made by the pastors and Sunday School officers of those churches to have every man, woman and child in the city attend one of the services each day. Services at the two churches will be held separately as usual, the First Presbyterian meeting at the Lindsey Theatre due to the fact that the church is not ready for occupancy

as it is now under construction. Interesting programs have been worked out for each of these Sunday Schools, announcements of which are published in the church column of this issue. Regardless of whether you belong to the Methodist, Presbyterian, or any church at all, you are urged by the officers of these Sunday Schools to attend Sunday School.

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READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

HAYNES TAKES OVER SEAGRAVES NEWSPAPER

We are in receipt of a letter from R. B. Haynes, stating that after today he will be in full charge of the Seagraves newspaper, having recently purchased the paper, and added much new material to it. He will change the name of the publication to the Seagraves Signal, and will issue same weekly.

Mr. Haynes is an experienced newspaper man. He was a faithful employee of the Avalanche Publishing Company years before entering business for himself, and for a number of years was editor and publisher of the Lynn County News. Bob will give the people of Seagraves a good paper, and they are to be congratulated on having secured his co-operation in the building of that town.

IT'S YOUR FAIR—BE THERE!

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

A Big Bank—Made Big by Helping Others

Our Motto—"SERVICE"

LONE STAR STAGE—LUBBOCK TO SPUR

Every Day in the Year			
Lv. Lubbock	6:00 Morn.	Lv. Spur	2:00 Eve.
" Idalou	\$1.00 7:00 "	" Crosbyton	\$3.50 4:30 "
" Lorenzo	\$1.50 7:30 "	" Ralls	\$4.00 5:00 "
" Ralls	\$2.00 8:00 "	" Lorenzo	\$4.50 5:30 "
" Crosbyton	\$2.50 8:30 "	" Idalou	\$5.00 6:00 "
Ar. Spur	\$6.00 11:00 "	Ar. Lubbock	\$6.00 7:00 "

Leave Lubbock on arrival of through train 5:33 morning from Sweetwater to Clovis. See the Manager and arrange for short stop for business only. Persons or articles entrusted to our care will be taken care of. Courtesy to all. Nash. Cars. Experienced drivers. Drivers.

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We are selling LAND 15 miles S. W. of Littlefield, for \$25.00 per acre, \$5.00 per acre cash, balance on 5 years time at 6 per cent.

And You Can't Beat It!

If you intend to buy land on the Plains it will be to your interest to see this land.

Go to Littlefield and get directions to Pep, we have an office there on land, always someone there to show you our land or if you are just in Lubbock go to our office north of court house square, known as Texas Land Exchange and inquire of our representative there and he will show you this land or any other on the Plains you might be interested in.

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Care PEP LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

YOU WILL WANT NEW CLOTHES FOR THE MANY EVENTS OF FAIR WEEK

Guests will be here or you expect to meet old friends—you will want to look your best. Nothing like reflection the prosperity of this great Plains country by looking prosperous yourself. Tomorrow and Tuesday will be a fine opportunity to complete your clothes plans for the Fall season. Nothing is to be gained by waiting longer for all lines are now complete and selections are at their best. Never have we had so many attractive garments for such moderate prices. Coats suits and dresses—all are now being shown in such a varied assortment of the new and correct styles that it is truly a pleasure selecting them.

A NEW COAT OR A DRESSY DRESS ARE POSSIBLY ON YOUR PROGRAM FOR PURCHASE LATER—BUY THEM NOW!

IMPORTED GOWNS

This season we have a surprise for you. We are showing a number of imported French Gowns, pretty beaded affairs that have the decided Parisian air. These garments are in the delicate shades of evening as well as some of the darker tones for dinner wear. Every garment is an exclusive style and one that you will envy. The prices these beautiful dresses bear will surprise you for they are especially reasonable for such garments—some as low as \$44.85

FINE NEW COATS

Coats this season are even prettier than ever. In the new Suede Finish materials they at once catch and hold your attention. The colors are rich browns and blacks, with here and there new Chignon and Henna shades. Most of them have a touch of fur at collar or cuff and cuff. These coats are all shown with new closer fitting sleeves and in a varied assortment of styles. For those in need of coats this season there is so much to commend these garments that we would have you see them. Prices are as low as \$19.85

STREET DRESSES

Pretty silk and cloth dresses in new fall styles and colorings feature this showing. The materials are new. Many of the silk ones being in Binoline and Faille while the cloth styles run mainly to the popular Charmene materials. Colors are well assorted with many new shades among them. These are not only most attractive looking but are also most serviceable, dresses that you will enjoy wearing. There are liberal assortments at all price levels, some as low as \$16.45 with others as fine as \$89.85

COSTUME SUITS

Costume suits are the new creation of this season—really a coat and dress designed that either can be worn separately or when worn together entire harmony is produced. These garments have been produced in the popular new coating materials with dresses of silk or cloth, trimmed with touches of the coat material. The effect is most desirable. The prices range to as high as \$139.85

NEW WOOLEN MATERIALS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED IN SUCH QUANTITIES THAT IT IS NOW POSSIBLE TO SUPPLY YOUR EVERY REQUIREMENT.

FLANNEL

Pretty Flaid Flannels in colors that reflect the new fall shadings, in 54 inch widths, qualities that are excellent, at prices from \$2.35 to \$4.50

Pretty striped flannels for the very popular sport dress of the new season, in tans and browns, also a 54 inch material priced yard \$6.00

Plain Flannels in solid colors for the midday suit or sport dress, bright shadings, a 40 inch width and a very fine quality, \$2.00 to \$2.75

WOOL CREPE

Plain Charmene in colors that are most wanted tans, blues, black and brown, a material much used for dressy garments, 54 inches wide, now for a yard \$5.00

CHARMENE

Wool Crepes are shown in a wide range of pretty colors both in solid and striped and checked weaves. These materials have a varied number of uses in the planning of fall garments, per yard \$1.65 up to \$3.00

Hemphill-Price Co.

ATTEND THE FAIR

MANY ATTENDED SLATON'S TWO DAY FAIR

Special to the Avalanche.
SLATON, Sept. 27.—Following the two days fair here, announcement was made of the exhibit winners in the various departments late Saturday afternoon.

The attendance at the fair was much better than the officials had anticipated, but due to the splendid manner in which everyone interested in the fair cooperated with the management, everyone was taken care of and entertained and the big attendance was appreciated by those who have worked incessantly for the past several weeks to make the fair representative of Slaton's bigness.

Many Lubbock people were in attendance, showing the hearty spirit of cooperation existing between the people of the two Lubbock county cities.

The Lubbock County Chapter of the American Red Cross assisted in making the better Babies Contest an interesting and valuable feature of the fair.

The people of Slaton gave so liberally of their time and the businessmen supported the fair so liberally in a financial way, as to minimize the problems confronting the fair managers, and all indications point to the Slaton Fair Association growing to be one of the big institutions of its kind on the plains.

Prize Winners in Cullinary Dept.

- Six light rolls—Mrs. Dick Odum 1st.
- Marble cake—Mrs. J. H. Drover, 1st.
- Canned plums—Mrs. B. O. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. Heark Kitten 2nd and 3rd.
- Canned pears—Mrs. W. F. Porsch, 1st; Mrs. W. H. Proctor, 2nd.
- Canned peaches—Mrs. Ed Milligan, 1st; Mrs. F. H. Lanham, 2nd; Mrs. F. Graves, 3rd.
- Canned grapes—Mrs. Theo. Schumann, 1st.
- Canned cherries—Mrs. R. G. Shankle, 1st; Mrs. J. J. Kitten, 2nd; Mrs. Henry Kitten 3rd.
- Canned tomatoes—Mrs. W. F. Porsch, 1st.
- Canned string beans—Mrs. B. O. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. J. W. Jackson 2nd.
- Canned oaks—Mrs. Ed Milligan 2nd; Mrs. T. O. Kirley 3rd.
- Sour mixture—Mrs. T. O. Kirley 1st.
- Canned peas—Mrs. T. O. Kirley, 1st.
- Green spinach—Mrs. T. O. Kirley

- 1st. Canned sweet potatoes—Mrs. J. W. Johnson 1st.
- Canned chicken—Mrs. T. O. Kirley, 1st.
- Sour cucumber pickles—Mrs. B. O. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. W. H. Proctor 2nd; Mrs. T. J. Pinkston, 3rd.
- Sweet pear pickle—Mrs. F. Graves, 1st.
- Sweet peach pickle—Mrs. T. O. Owen, 1st; Mrs. W. A. Tucker 2nd; Mrs. J. H. Bagley, 3rd.
- Mixed pickle—Mrs. T. O. Kirley, 1st.
- Tomato pickle—Mrs. T. O. Kirley 1st.
- Preserves peaches—Mrs. T. D. Johnson, 1st; Mrs. W. F. Porsch 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Pinkston, 3rd.
- Preserve pears—Mrs. T. O. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. F. Graves, 2nd; Mrs. O. N. Williams, 3rd.
- Preserve strawberries—Mrs. T. O. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. Theo. Schumann, 2nd; Mrs. F. Graves, 3rd.
- Blackberry jam—Mrs. F. Graves, 1st.
- Plum jelly—Mrs. T. O. Kirley 1st; Mrs. B. O. Bailey 2nd; Mrs. C. L. Austin 3rd.
- Grape jelly—Josie Sledge, 1st.
- Strawberry jelly—Mrs. F. Graves, 2nd.
- Watermelon preserves—Mrs. T. B. Johnson, 1st; Mrs. W. F. Porsch 2nd; Mrs. F. Graves, 3rd.
- Strawberry jam—Mrs. F. Graves, 3rd.
- Tomato preserves—Mrs. W. E. McAlister, 1st; Mrs. F. Graves, 2nd; Mrs. J. T. Pinkston 3rd.
- Soap—Mrs. J. J. Kitten 1st; Mrs. W. E. McAlister 2nd; Josie Sledge 3rd.

Prize Winners in the Agricultural and Fruit Department.
J. W. Nesbitt, Supt.

- Cotton stalk—T. A. Johnson 1st and 3rd; W. N. Williams 2nd.
- Yellow maize—C. E. Weatherford 1st; W. A. Looney, 2nd.
- White maize—C. E. Weatherford, 1st; Mr. Kemp, 2nd.
- Kaffir—Mr. Guetersloh 1st red; Karney Heark 1st brown; C. Kitten 1st white; C. E. Weatherford 2nd, white.
- Red top cane—C. E. Kelly, 1st; T. A. Johnson, 2nd.
- Mortgage lifter cane—Ben Whit

- ten Komp, 1st, and 2nd.
- Seed ribbon cane—Louie Wilke 1st.
- Hegira—W. A. Leckey, 1st; R. C. Rauger, 2nd.
- Sudan bundle—C. Kitten, 1st; C. E. Kelly, 2nd.
- Threshed sudan—J. W. Nesbitt, 1st.
- Corn in the ear—A. L. Johnson 1st, white; G. W. Todd, 1st, red.
- Corn in bundle—C. E. Weatherford, 1st, red.
- Pen corn—G. W. Todd, 1st.
- Cotton bales open—Louie Wilkey, 1st, on ten bales; J. R. Raymond 2nd.
- Sweet potatoes—R. L. Hayter, 1st; Joe Kitten 2nd.
- Cabbage—R. L. Hayter, 2nd.
- Pumpkins—C. Johnson, 1st; T. A. Johnson, 2nd.
- Carrots—E. B. Hoelker, 1st.
- Squash—Mrs. Jack Stokes, 1st.
- Peppers—W. P. Splawn, 1st.
- Mrs. Jack Stokes, 2nd.
- Rhubarb—Henry Kitten, 1st.
- Radishes—Guy Brown, 2nd.
- Apples—M. T. Klattenhoff, 1st.
- Joe Kitten 1st, on six varieties; Henry Kitten 2nd on general display.
- Peaches—Jess Garland 1st; M. T. Klattenhoff 2nd.
- Plums—B. G. Dickerson, 1st and 2nd.
- Strawberries—L. A. Howard, 1st.
- Gherkins—W. N. Schilling 1st.
- Peanuts—Herman Schilling 1st.
- Gherkins—W. N. Williams, 1st.
- Peanuts—Herman Schilling 1st.
- E. B. Hoelcher, 2nd.
- General entry of farm products, fruits and canned vegetables—E. F. Payton, 1st; E. H. Hoelcher, 2nd.
- General display of kaffir, maize and ear corn—W. F. Bennett, 3rd.
- Field seed, wheat—T. L. Morris 1st.
- Alfalfa—Joe Kitten, 1st.
- Threshed maize—J. W. Nesbitt, 1st.
- Threshed sudan—J. W. Nesbitt, 1st.
- Feterita—Hugh Pivanski, 1st.
- Millet bundle—Louis Wilkey, 1st.

Livestock Division.
Bob Whitehead, Supt.
Mules—Geo. Herd, 1st; Clarence

- and 2nd, male, 1st hen.
- Turkeys, Mrs. Lucy Clifton, 1st.
- Brown Tom.
- Sweepstakes.**
- Best Pen Solid Colored Birds, White Wyandottes, L. W. Wilkie.
- Best Pen Partridge Colored Birds, Buff Orpington, L. W. Wilkie.
- Best Solid Colored cock, White Leghorn, B. C. Morgan.
- Best Partridge Colored cock, S. C. E. I. Red, Charlie Splawn.
- Best Solid Colored Cockerell, White Wyandotte, L. W. Wilkie.
- Best Partridge Colored Cockerell, Buff Orpington, L. W. Wilkie.
- Best Solid Colored Pullet, R. C. R. L. White, F. Haban.
- Best Partridge Colored Pullet, C. C. R. I. Red, P. H. C. Wagoner.
- Pigeons.**
- Blue Homers, 1st Pair, Willie George and Ray Darwin.
- Black Cornueux, 1st Pair, Demp Cannon, 1st Pair, Red Cornueux.
- Rabbits.**
- New Zealand Reds, 1st young Buck, Otha Arnold; 2nd young Buck, W. E. Blair, 1st old Buck, Otis Sipes.
- White Angoria, 1st old Doe, Otis Sipes.
- Girls' Fancy Work Department.**
- Corine Shockey, 1st.
- Mrs. C. B. Jones, bed spread, and bolster, 1st.
- Elmo Martin, age eight years, center-piece, 1st; three-piece Mildred Johnson, Dresser scarf, 1st, five-piece buffet set, 1st; cap towels, 1st, center-piece, 2nd; laun-

dry bag 1st, center piece 1st, pillow top 2nd, center piece 2nd, 13 piece lunch set, 1st, quilt top 1st.

Mildred Johnson, Dresser scarf, bed spread, 2nd.

Ruth Honn, scarf, 2nd.

Carolyn Alley, baby quilt, 1st.

W. Lovet, cup towel, 3rd.

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TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

The churches of Lubbock are waking up. They are becoming more and more active, and from the amount of work that is being done there will be greatly increased attendance in the churches this fall and winter than there ever has been in the history of the city.

Today special effort is being put forth in the Methodist and the First Presbyterian churches in their Sunday school work. The entire day will be given over to the Sunday school at the Methodist church and a drive is being made for a thousand in attendance at the Sunday school hour today, and from all indications the attendance will be run over that number. Anyway, it will if half of the Methodists in Lubbock will attend with their family. The Presbyterian people are making a drive for a big attendance today and the officials and the leaders are very optimistic that they will reach their goal and then some.

If you have not been in the habit of attending Sunday school stir out today and hear the programs rendered by the children of the city. It is going to be their day, and they can always put over a fine program when they are given an opportunity and you will enjoy every number.

R. W. BLAIR

The result of the election yesterday to replace City Commissioner Love, who resigned some weeks ago, showed that W. R. Blair was elected by a very large majority. Mr. Blair is a very competent man for the position as we view it, and we are sure that his election to that place will prove a very strong support to the present commission. Mr. Blair has had much experience in the work of city administration, showed that R. W. Blair was elected by a very critical period, and at a time when there are many and vexing problems confronting the commissioners, we are confident that his addition to the force will mean a great help to them, and his experience will prove beneficial to the city government.

Mr. Blair is a successful business man, and has the interest of the city at heart to such extent that he will give the office to which he has been elected and which office sought him and not the office, his most sincere and earnest thought.

The people of Lubbock, realizing that we have one of the biggest programs on that has ever been put over in a city of this size, should give the city their undivided support, and while they make mistakes, we probably are some times too quick to criticize, when closer co-operation might work better. We are confident now that the difficulties that they have encountered in the matter of the paving will soon be overcome, and we will go forward with that work at a rapid pace. Lubbock cannot afford to tie up a big job very long, for the town is growing rapidly, and the needs for improving every minute of the time is very great.

Lubbock has a great deal of work to do within the next twelve months. The demands that will be made upon us are great, and we cannot afford to fall down on any of them.

The work on the Tech College is going steadily on, and it will only be a short time now till the first building which is the main administration building will be completed. The contract calls for the first of July, and the opening date of the school is scheduled for September next—just a short year from now, and many things must be done before we are ready for that school to open. Suppose it was announced tomorrow that five hundred students would be unloaded in the city within the next four weeks. What would we do? We would be in no condition to take care of them. Well, folks that is just what will happen to us about the first week in next September, and we will have to do a great amount of building before we are ready for them.

We think we are growing now, but if we fill the program and supply the demands of Lubbock at the time the Tech College is open for students we are going to have to show some speed, and what we are doing now will look like child's play compared with the activities that will have to begin in the next few weeks if we do all that is to be done.

Lubbock City will have to extend her light plant. She will have to increase her lines, and put in a big street lighting system—one that will give protection, for it is one of the greatest protections to people of anything that can be done. A well-lighted town is almost sure to be a safe town for boys and girls. Sin breeds in darkness and thrives there, and it is said that a well-lighted town is better protected than a policeman on every block. So with hundreds of students in the city, we must make the city safe for them, and street lights will solve the problem, and then we must have more walks and more paving. We must have more water and a lot of sewer extension, and we must have a transportation system that will adequately take care of the needs of the people who will want to pass to and from the city.

Rooming houses, apartment houses and several hundred more dwelling houses must be provided. Homes must be built for people who want to and will own them, and houses must be built for those who want to rent them.

It is just a huge program that we must put over, and the City Commission cannot do it without

the co-operation of the people of the city. Therefore, as a conclusion of the whole thing, let's all pull together. Let's co-operate. Put co-operation in the lead. Cast aside the axes and the isms, and let's go forward.

MAN'S MIND AND WOMAN'S

Some years ago some psychologists and philosophers (all of whom were men) got together and settled definitely to their own satisfaction that the mind of woman was inferior to that of man. They argued that man's place in the political and business world was governed by the fact that he was fitted to govern and that women had no place in the sociological atmosphere beyond the home, the sewing circle and the church festival. This was most gratifying to the males, they chirked up a bit and looked important, except when their wives were present, and they considered themselves as the Lords of Creation. But there are other scientists of various kinds, and a committee recently sat upon the human mind of all varieties and, after examining the meninges of the brain, the cellular process of the medulla oblongata and a lot of other sections too difficult to mention, the result, as announced, is that there isn't any difference between the mind of the male and the female, that one is equally capable with the other and that all alleged differences relate, not to the mind itself, but to material, physiological and heredity considerations, which are besides the question in hand. What there is in this world that the women do not get is due either to the fact that it is utterly unattainable or that they don't go after it. It needs no demonstration that the mind of woman is equal to that of man. Women, since the dawn of creation, have been shrewd. They have always "put up a bluff" that they weren't being treated right, so as to get a little more than was coming to them. They have usually gotten it if they went after it properly. They will get the earth when they want it, but there are still enough of them with sense to understand that when they give up their privileges of sex they lose that which makes life most worth living to them.

We are not saying that it is right or wrong, but we have noticed that since the women have been taking such a dish in politics, and neglecting their home duties, stamping the country for certain people for office that the men do not have the reverence for them that they once had. The old chivalry of the South has to a certain extent died out, and we are of the opinion that the women of the country are to blame for it. We have heard men say that if the women are going to step out in men's places that they can rustle for themselves. They can stand in the street car aisles. They can change their own automobile tires and do their own pumping up of tires, etc.

Personally it has made no difference with us. We are always willing to give a lady a seat in the street car and we are prone to help them if they have car trouble on the road, but we are sure that the attitude that the women are assuming is responsible to a great extent for the changed disposition of the men toward them. We do not say that the participation of the women in politics makes them any more unlady like, but the tendency seems to be in that direction.

One thing sure we have been disappointed in the effect that their voting on the political questions have had in the State of Texas. We were promised that as soon as the women got a vote that the politics of the state would get a thorough cleansing, but if we are any judge of the conditions of the state, we are in a worse predicament now than we ever were, and we are of the opinion that the women are to blame for that condition today.

We are sure this statement will be resented by some people, but we doubt if successfully contradicted.

BUILDING THE SOUTH PLAINS FAIR

Building the fair is no little job, but Lubbock people and the people of the South Plains have made wonderful headway in building the South Plains Fair, which will be seen when the biggest fair in the west swings open the gates next Wednesday for the eleventh annual event. The fair had a very small beginning, but through the constant efforts of the people of Lubbock and the South Plains counties, the fair has continued to grow, and at this time is the biggest fair in the west. It was considered one of the leading events of the western part of the state last year, and it probably will be doubled in size this year. It is taking on more of a permanent appearance this year than ever before. The buildings are being fixed up better. The booths for the individuals and firms are being better arranged. And the exhibition halls are already looking pretty even before the trimmings are put on. Arrangements are being made in every department for a bigger fair, and there is every indication that the management will in no way be disappointed.

Only three more days from today until the great South Plains fair will open, and it is expected that it will be attended by the greatest number of people that has ever been assembled in this section on a like occasion.

Letters from people in other states are to the effect that they are coming to the fair. It will no doubt be a great inspiration to the people to see the fine agricultural exhibits, and the poultry and livestock, and it will no doubt be a great boon to the South Plains. People are looking this way. They are not looking through curiosity or a desire to criticize, or belittle the country, as they did in years gone by, but they are in real earnest. They want to come to this country, and they want to become home owners, and the showing of the crops will be the crowning argument that this is the place for them, and hundreds of families will be induced to come to the south plains through this effort. From what we have heard of the various county fairs all of which will participate in the South Plains exposition the agricultural exhibits are going to be very splendid, and competition in the contest for county prizes will be keen.

"People need more art," says a headline. "Less on female faces, or a better type," we'd say.

Every year is leap year for the pedestrian.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP RAILROADS KILLS INDIVIDUAL INITIATIVE

Candidates advocating public ownership of basic lines of industry are seeking high public office in state and national affairs.

It is difficult to understand why in a country such as this we should have intelligent persons seeking to destroy the freedom, initiative and ambition of the private American citizen, and doing it ostensibly in the name of the people, in the interest of the commonwealth and for the betterment of living conditions.

We need only to look over the world to realize that America, under private development and initiative with a government which encourages the individual to his best efforts, has outstripped every other nation where official control of industry and the people has held them down almost to a condition of servitude.

Why should we adopt policies which take away individual rights and liberty?

Why should we want government ownership, state ownership or municipal ownership after we have seen its operation in other countries, in our own country during the war in connection with our railroads and shipping, in Canada, in our great cities and in numerous undertakings where public funds have been squandered through the inefficiency of well-meaning but incompetent public officials?

Private initiative and individual ambition, not public ownership and governmental restriction, have made our country the richest nation in the world today, with only six per cent of the world's population.

This American six per cent consumes one-half of the world's lumber, and ten times as much plumbing as all Europe.

We produce half the world's cotton but consume more than one-fourth of it; we ship ten per cent consume 40 per cent of the world's coal.

In 1923 we produced more than two-thirds of the world's steel and used most of it ourselves. We use two-thirds of all the aluminum. When California raised 4,000 carloads of citrus fruit we talked over production. Last year we used 95,000 car loads.

In all forms 17,000,000 homes now use electricity for light power and heat. In 1923 we made and sold 2,002,000 vacuum cleaners, electric fans and washing machines.

Our little six per cent owns 63 per cent of all the telephones in the world, and uses them 164 times a year per capita, to 16 calls a year per person for the Britons.

Conveniences furnished the home owner by manufactured gas and rapid street railway and interurban transportation exceed all other nations.

The 6 per cent Americans owned

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
Subject to General Election in November.

For State Senator: W. H. BLEDSOE, Lubbock.

For Representative: J. K. WESTER, Lubbock.

For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District: CLARK M. MULLICAN, (Re-election)

For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District: PARKE N. DALTON, (Crosbyton)

For Clerk, 72nd Judicial District: LOUIE F. MOORE, (Re-election)

For County Judge: CHARLES NORDYKE.

For County Attorney: OWEN W. McWHORTER (Re-election)

For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS (Re-election)

For Sheriff: H. L. JOHNSTON, (Re-election)

For County Superintendent of Schools: P. F. BROWN.

For Tax Assessor: R. C. BURNS (Re-election)

For Tax Collector: I. F. HOLLAND.

For County Treasurer: MRS. HATTIE STOKER.

For County Commissioner, Prec. 1: MARVIN T. WARLICK.

For County Commissioner, Prec. 2: H. D. TALLEY, Sinton (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3: B. N. WHEELER, (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 4: L. C. DENTON, (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: COL. W. E. JOHNSON, (Re-election)

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1: W. E. (Walker) GRICE

For Public Weigher, Precinct 5: C. E. MERRILL, (Shallowater)

For Constable, Precinct 1: J. L. McCULLOCH.

88 per cent of the automobiles in the world Jan. 1, 1924, and now own more. To supply gasoline we produce 2,000,000 barrels of oil a day and import 82,000,000 barrels a year more.

The American fraction of all the people uses more raw materials and puts them through more complex and various processes than all the remaining 94 per cent, savage and civilized put together, according to Chicago Liberty of August 30.

PORK EATING GIVEN RESPONSIBILITY FOR CANCER

LONDON, (By Mail to the United Press)—S. M. Mitra, a prominent Hindu member of the Royal Asiatic Society, has directed the eyes of the British medical world to pork eating as "more responsible for cancer in the alimentary system than any other single cause."

Mr. Mitra, who represented Hindu medicine at the International Congress of Medicine held in London in 1913, has issued a statement embodying his conclusions on cancer "after over 30 years' careful investigation."

Cites Observances
"The Chinese are fond of pork," he states, "and cancer in the alimentary system is more prevalent in China than in any other country."

Jews in England suffer less from intestinal cancer than Christian who eat pork. In Arabia, Persia and Afghanistan, Moslems, whose religion, like that of the Jews, prohibits pork, very rarely suffer from intestinal cancer. In India, Hindu Parasees and Moslems, who do not indulge in pig's flesh in any form suffer much less from intestinal cancer than pariahs and aborigine who eat pork.

Mitra urges that British cancer research be extended beyond the British empire, and that the foreign office co-operate in obtaining reports from consuls in the countries he cites. The research committee would not only find his statements correct, he says, but "they would also have ample evidence that pork-eaters suffer more from don-denn-ulcer, gall bladder disease, and appendicitis than those who do not indulge in pig's flesh in any form."

The statement has aroused considerable interest in medical circles and among the many lay Britishers who have long since deserted the "roast beef of old England" as a steady diet.

And as for George Bernard Shaw and his fellow vegetarians—they are chuckling.

Papyrus, the plant reed that more than two thousand years ago supplied the world with its principal writing materials, is again being used in the manufacture of paper. Mills are being built in Africa and the pith of the papyrus will be treated in somewhat the same manner as the modern wood pulp.

Just Folks by Edgar A. Guest

THE DREAM MAN

Lullabye, rockabye, here come the Dream man!
Bringing sweet dreams from the village of sleep,
"Fresh dreams and bright ones, and lovely all-night ones!"
Hear his voice calling: "The price are cheap!"
"Come look them over, dreams sweet as the clover!"
reams I am sure every babe will enjoy!
Come while they last now, I'm selling them fast now!
Dreams for a girl and dreams for a boy!"
Lullabye, rockabye, hear his bell ringing,
Softly and sweetly, as evening comes down;
Just hear him calling as night time is falling:
"Come, all you babies, the Dream man's in town!"

"Dreams, old and new ones, and lovely and true ones!
Dreams of enchantment and dreams of delight!
Dreams that will gladden you dreams that won't sadden you!
Wonderful dreams! Oh, who wants one tonight?"
Lullabye, rockabye! Hush now, my darling,
Listen! He's crying his wonderful wares!
"Dreams! They are dandy ones, cookie and candy ones!"
Dreams about the woolly dogs, dreams about bears!
Dreams that are surely made, dreams you can have if your eyes are shut tight!
Dreams you can smile through and sleep all the while through!
Dreams for the babies! Who wants one tonight?"

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FIVE HOME RUNS FEATURE VICTORY OF PANTHERS IN FIRST OF HOME SERIES; SEARS HITS TWO OVER FENCE

Special to the Avalanche. FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 27.—The Fort Worth Panthers, Texas League entry in the Dixie championship series with Memphis, pulled an 11 to 3 victory out of a slam-bang contest here today, featured by five home runs.

Paul Wachtel, Panther hurler, pitched steady, while Slim McGrew, Memphis, was knocked out of the box in the second inning when Calvo poled a home run and scored Wachtel ahead of him. Edgington and Sears lined out homers in the third and fourth innings and Sears repeated in the sixth. Eddie Palmer, second sacker for the locals knocked out the last Panther homer in the sixth. Memphis scored three runs in the sixth.

Both teams will play here tomorrow and Monday then return to Memphis if another game is necessary.

While his teammates were piling up a heavy barrage of hits, "Big Boy" Kraft, home run king of the minor league leagues, was forced to content himself with five strikeouts which came in a row. One time, after swinging wildly at one which split the plate, Kraft changed sticks, but could not change his luck. He was greeted warmly by fans, however, after each attempt as if he had sent one buzzing out over the fence. His record during the series now stands at two hits out of seventeen trials. Sears was easily the sensation of the day's performance with three hits out of five two of which were home runs. One of these was driven far over the centerfield fence, and according to "close observers" was the longest hit ever made in Panther park.

First Inning. Memphis: Barber walks after 2 strikes; Gleason hits into double; Calvo flies out to Edgington. No runs, one hit, no errors. Fort Worth: Calvo fouled out to Prothro; Phelan walks; Sears strikes out, swinging at third strike after three balls; Phelan steals second; Kraft struck out swinging wildly at third strike after two balls. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning. Memphis: Smith lined out to Tavener, who made a pretty catch; Anderson grounds out to Kraft; Kraft, LaMotte flies out to Edgington. No runs, no hits, no errors. Fort Worth: Palmer popped out to Anderson on line behind first; Edgington walks on three straight balls, a strike and another ball; Tavener walks after two strikes; Bischoff hits into crowd in centerfield for two bases, scoring Edgington, Tavener taking third; Wachtel hits to rightfield, Barber and Carlyle running together, scoring Tavener and Bischoff; Calvo hits home run into right field, scoring Wachtel ahead of him; McGrew taken out in favor of Kelly; Phelan singles to center on first ball pitched; Sears singles to right; Phelan taking third; Phelan scores when Carlyle throws wide to third, ball going into crowd; Sears taking third; Kraft strikes out; Palmer flies out to Barber. Six runs, five hits, two errors.

Third Inning. Memphis: Kelly flies out to Calvo; Barber singles to left; Gleason grounds to Palmer, who forces Barber at second, Tavener receiving catch; Prothro grounds between Wachtel and Kraft, Wachtel snaring it in the air, beating Prothro to first; No runs, one hit no errors. Fort Worth: Edgington hits high over centerfield fence for home run on second ball pitched; Tavener flies out to Barber in deep center; Bischoff walks; Wachtel singles past LaMotte; Bischoff held at second; Calvo hits first ball for line drive to LaMotte, who doubled Bischoff at

Fourth Inning. Memphis: Carlyle grounds out to Phelan to Kraft on slow bouncer; Yarran out on strikes after three balls; Smith swings wide at second strike, but slipping from hands; he walks; Anderson grounded to Palmer who whipped to Tavener, forcing Smith at second; no runs, no hits, no errors. Fort Worth: Phelan lined out to Smith against ropes in left field; Sears drove one over right field fence for home run; Kraft swaps bats after eye called out on strikes, swinging at third, after two called; Palmer grounds out Kelly to Anderson. One run, one hit, no errors.

Fifth Inning. Memphis: LaMotte grounds to Tavener, who fumbles, safe at first; Kelly strikes out; Barber grounds to Tavener, who whips to second, forcing LaMotte; Gleason swings for strikeout after two called. No runs, no hits, one error. Fort Worth: Edgington grounds out to Gleason; Anderson; Tavener singles through box on first ball pitched; Bischoff struck out; Tavener stealing second by sliding under Gleason; Wachtel strikes out, swinging at third after two called; No runs, one hit, no errors.

Sixth Inning. Memphis: Prothro walks, after two strikes; Carlyle singles to right; Prothro taking third; Yarran doubles to crowd in left field crowd, scoring Prothro. Carlyle taking third; Smith grounds out Palmer to Kraft; no advance; Anderson grounds out Palmer to Phelan, who throws wide to the plate, and Carlyle scores; LaMotte flies out to Edgington for a sacrifice, scoring Yarran; Kelly grounds out Wachtel to Kraft; Three runs, two hits one error. Fort Worth: Calvo beats out low grounder to second; Phelan fouls attempted bunt, second strike called, then grounds to LaMotte who whips to Gleason, forcing Calvo; Sears up, three balls and one strike, Phelan steals second; Sears drives one high over deepest part of center field for home run; longest hit ever made in park; Kraft strikes out for fourth straight time today; Palmer drives one over left-centerfield fence for home run; Edgington walks on four straight balls; Tavener walks after one strike called; Bischoff out on strikes, swinging at third after two called; Three runs, three hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning. Memphis: Barber fouled out to Phelan; Gleason walks on four straight balls; Prothro hits into fast double; Yarran to Palmer to Kraft. No runs, no hits, no errors. Fort Worth: Wachtel grounds out LaMotte to Anderson; Calvo grounds out Kelly to Anderson; Phelan grounds to LaMotte who fumbles but recovers, throwing Phelan out at first; No runs, no hits, no errors.

Eighth Inning. Memphis: Carlyle flies out to Sears; Yarran beats out grounder to deep short for single; Smith grounds to Tavener, who forced Yarran out at second; Palmer receiving the throw; Anderson hits

SERVICE GAMES TO BE IN FULL FORCE TODAY

Full play by play details of the game today between Fort Worth and Memphis for the championship of Dixie will be given at the Lubbock Cotton Exchange in the Keraher Building, C. T. Hardin, manager of the firm said last night. Out of a total of four games played, the series now stands Memphis 2, Fort Worth 1, the first game being a tie. It is probable that Joe Pate, the mighty "southpaw" of the Panthers, who gave the Chicks such a run in the opening exhibition, which was a tie, will be allotted mound duty today, and fate may bring him around to meet the same man whom he met before. This was War-mouth, the Chick ace. The game is scheduled to be called on the dot at 3 o'clock.

Texas Leaguer over short, Smith taking second; LaMotte hits high fly to Tavener, who made pretty catch. No runs, two hits, no errors. Fort Worth: Sears lined out to Barber in center; Kraft swings at third strike after two called for fifth successive strike out; crowd gives him glad hand same as if he had hit home run. Palmer fouled out to Prothro who made a nice catch. No runs no hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning. Memphis: Barber, pinch hitting for Kelly, grounds out Wachtel to Kraft; Barber grounds out Tavener to Kraft; Gleason fouled out to Bischoff. No runs, no hits, no errors.

SENATORS WIN FOR NEAR CINCH OF BUNTING

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The Washington Senators hit hard when they were needed today and overcame a two run lead, the Red Sox ran up in the first two innings finally winning 4 to 2. The victory, along with the defeat of the Yanks by Philadelphia, almost clinched the American league championship for the Senators. Should Washington lose the two games remaining while the Yanks win both of theirs, the race would end in a tie.

Wash. 200 032 030—7 13 1
Boston 100 010 000—5 8 3
Morridge, Marberry, Russell, and Ruel; Zinke, Quinn, O'Neil and Pincus.

Athletics Beat Yanks. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—The Yanks hopes of winning the American league pennant received a severe jolt today when the Athletics defeated them 4 to 2. More than 28,000 fans cheered Eddie Rommel, knuckle ball ace to victory. He let the visitors down with seven hits.

New York 000 010 002—3 7 0
Phila. 300 003 105—4 8 2
Buss, and Schanz; Rommel and Bruggy.

Rally Wins For Tigers. CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—A rally by Detroit in the last inning here today afternoon netted five runs and the White Sox were trounced 10 to 5.

Detroit 100 123 105 10 12 2
Chicago 000 020 402—8 11 2
Whitehill Holloway and Woodall; Thurston, Blankenship, Wells and Schalk.

Indians Rump On Browns. CLEVELAND, Sept. 27.—The St. Louis Browns were easy for Dutch Levson late of the Terre Haute club of the Three Eye league and the Indians handed the Sinner crew a 12 to 1 beating here today. Today's victory broke the jinx after the club had lost nine straight games.

St. Louis 000 000 100—1 7 4
Cleveland 021 006 033 12 13 0
Grant, Wingard and Rego; Lovson and L. Scovel.

BOBBY JONES IS WINNER NATIONAL AMATEUR GOLF

By United Press. MERION CRICK CLUB, PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—Eight years ago on the grassy slopes and twists of the Merion course, a fat little boy of 14 from the south sneaked in with the Giants of the golf world and pulled the Davis sensation of the time.

Today on the same course the same fat little boy grown into chubby Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, became the big giant of amateur golf when he won the national championship from one of the finest fields that ever went out for the title.

The smiling Bobby beat Geo. Von Elm, the Los Angeles youth, nine and eight in the final round for the title. Jones had the advantage all day and he maintained it with steady golf.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus 2-1; Milwaukee 4-3 (second game called and fifth account rain).
Louisville 2-3; St. Paul 1-5.
Indianapolis 1; Minneapolis 3.
Toledo-Kansas City, wet grounds

GIANTS CINCH FLAG BY VICTORY OVER PHILLIES

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Bentley held the Philadelphia well in hand today, and the Giants cinched the pennant winning 5 to 1. The visitors got only four hits.

NEW YORK 100 000 000—1 4 1
New York 001 111 018—5 11 1
King, Carlson, and Wilson, Henline; Bentley, and Snyder.

Braves Beat Dodgers. NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Brooklyn was unable to squeeze out a victory over the lowly Braves today that would have kept them in the running for the National league pennant. Boston got only 4 hits off Cooney and Beaton won 3 to 2.

Boston 020 010 000—3 10 6
Brooklyn 000 010 010—2 4 4
Cooney and O'Neil; Doak, Ehrhart, Rutherford and Taylor.

Reds Win 10 To 1. CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—Although presenting a patched-up team, the Reds today slaughtered three Cardinal recruits for sixteen third strike after two called for fifth successive strike out; crowd gives him glad hand same as if he had hit home run. Palmer fouled out to Prothro who made a nice catch. No runs no hits, no errors.

Pirates Win Third Straight. PITTSBURGH, Sept. 27.—Carey's single with Schmidt on base in the tenth inning gave the Pirates their third consecutive win over Chicago today, 3 to 2, and also gave them a mathematical chance to finish the season in second place.

Chicago 010 000 100 0—2 3 0
Pittsburgh 010 001 006 1—3 9 1
Aldridge and Hartnett; Adams and Schmidt.

Great Lakes freight boats lost one-seventh of their carrying capacity because they cannot load so deeply as formerly. Something has lowered the lake levels.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

At Amarillo: West Texas Normal (State) 21; Northwestern Oklahoma Teachers College 0.
At Abilene: Baylor University 7; Simmons 6. Texas University 27; Southwestern 0.
At Dallas—S. M. U. 7; Northwestern Normal 3.
At Hanover—Dartmouth 40; Norwich 0.
At Denver—Colorado Mines, 7; Regis 0.
At Bourbon, Ill., Norte Dame 21; St. Viators 0.
At Brunswick—Bowdoin 6; St. Stephens 0.
At Birmingham—Auburn 7; Birmingham Southern 0.
At Nashville, Tenn.—Vanderbilt 13; Henderson Brown 0.
At Beloit—Beloit 28; Northwestern 6.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse 0; Rochester 4.
Reading 12; Newark 7.
Reading 2; Newark 3.
Second game seven innings by agreement.
Toronto 3; Buffalo 4.
First game:
Jersey City 6; Baltimore 2.

AGGIES ARE TO BE MUCH STRONGER THIS SEASON

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 27.—"The Aggies will be much stronger this year than they were last year," said Coach E. J. Stewart upon his return from College Station, where he saw A. and M. defeat John Tarleton Saturday.
"The Aggies have a better line than last year; especially one side of it. The backfield is 50 per cent stronger and they have a splendid quarterback this season," says Coach Stewart.
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P W L Pct.
Washington 152 91 81 .539
New York 152 89 63 .586
Detroit 153 85 67 .562
St. Louis 152 74 78 .487
Philadelphia 155 74 81 .478
Cleveland 152 67 85 .441
Boston 152 65 86 .434
Chicago 152 65 87 .428


Saturday's Results
Washington 7, Boston 5.
Philadelphia 5, New York 3.
Detroit 10, Chicago 8.
Cleveland 10, St. Louis 1.

Sunday's Games
Detroit at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Only two scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
P W L Pct.
New York 152 93 59 .612
Brooklyn 152 91 62 .595
Pittsburgh 151 89 62 .589
Cincinnati 151 82 69 .544
Chicago 153 82 71 .540
St. Louis 151 64 87 .434
Philadelphia 150 54 96 .360
Boston 152 53 99 .349

Saturday's Results
Boston 2, Brooklyn 3.
New York 3, Philadelphia 1.
Cincinnati 10, St. Louis 1.
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 2.

Sunday's Games
Boston at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at New York.
Only two scheduled.



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Scene from THE CODE OF THE WILDERNESS

STIRRING PICTURE OF RANCH LIFE The Code of the Wilderness Offers Strong Appeal.

A stirring picture of life on a ranch in the great West, "The Code of the Wilderness" from the novel by Charles Alden Seltzer will be seen at the Lindsey Theatre in this city Monday and Tuesday.

Ruth York, an orphan living in New York, inherits a ranch in New Mexico. Accompanied by her aunt, Martha, and Jephson, her uncle, and Wilcox Masten, her lover, she takes possession.

Masten tells Ruth that Rex started the fight and shot the man down in cold blood. Ruth, shocked by the occurrence, withdraws her friendship from the range boss.

ANTHRAX SCOURGE IS SPREADING RAPIDLY

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are expected to arrive in Houston Monday. All adjoining states are expected to quarantine against Texas products at once.

What action foreign countries will take in directing a quarantine against the ports of Houston, Galveston, and Texas City is still problematical.

Expense Not To Be Spared. Declaring an emergency in the recent outbreak, the Harris county commissioners court Saturday voted full power in county Judge Chester Bryan and county Auditor H. L. Washburn to issue any order or make any expenditures necessary in stamping out the disease.

Drastic orders were given members of the Houston police department in co-operating to stamp out the plague. All animals in the city will be immediately impounded; watering troughs have been cut off and abated officers patrolling the districts adjacent to the restricted zone must have their mounts disinfected.

Guards at the restricted area have been ordered to shoot all stray animals. Poison was distributed about the area this afternoon to keep dogs and cats from spreading the disease.

In preventing the spread of the disease to humans housewives were asked to boil all milk before using and a warning of a possible milk shortage was also issued.

No Soil Product Be Moved. Not a single product of the soil can be moved from the counties under quarantine except by boat through the three ports which may eventually be closed.

Thus far travelers leaving the city by train have not been fumigated. Fumigating stations and dipping vats, however, are being erected on the main highways of the border counties for the disinfection of motorists and their cars.

A secret investigation by state and federal authorities was carried on. The disease apparently spread from the herd of Dr. Jacobs to the ranch of Tom C. Dunn, Jr., separated only by a railroad track.

Two Herds To Be Killed. A total of between eleven and twelve hundred cattle, comprising the two herds, have been condemned and will be slaughtered probably Sunday.

A huge steam shovel worked Saturday opening a long trench on the ranch of Dr. Jacobs in which the condemned cattle will be slaughtered.

The disease is believed to have been brought into the country through Galveston with the importation of the 125 bulls from Brazil. The bulls were imported into Texas over the protests of the state officials, it is said.

The loss to Dr. Jacobs reached approximately \$75,000, according to reports. No estimate of the loss to Dunn has been made.

Austin Negro Killed. AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—Oscar White, 35, was under arrest here tonight following a shooting affray on a downtown street during the afternoon in which John Sneed, negro, 40, was instantly killed.

The cause of the incident was not known, according to police.

Neff To Direct Fight. AUSTIN, Sept. 27.—Governor

Pat Neff, accompanied by several state rangers, left here for Houston tonight to personally direct the fight against the foot and mouth disease which has developed in that section.

Neff said that all state agencies would co-operate with the federal department checking the spread of the disease.

Prize Herd Be Killed. HOUSTON, Sept. 27.—There is a heart rending story behind the outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in Harris county.

The Rev. William States Jacobs, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Houston, was one of the breeders and fanciers of Brahma cattle in this section.

At a heavy expense he imported them to his ranch—these hump backed sacred cows of India—pretty sleek animals, heavy meat producers and immune to the Texas tick fever.

Today or tomorrow he will stand on the edge of a long excavation and watch his net herd slaughtered, be covered with quicklime and buried in one trench.

"I loved those cows down to the youngest calf," he said.

"It's what we presbyterians call vicarious atonement; my cattle must die to save others, even as Christ died," he said sadly.

"I can get a crumb of comfort out of that."

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The business and professional women's club of Lubbock is making plans for presentation of Mr. and Mrs. Polly Tick, a musical comedy, on October 24th.

While it is many days before the play will be presented and this announcement made by premature, there is to be much done in the way of preparation and work will be started within the near future.

Proceeds from admission charges will go to the Lubbock Public Library fund.

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WOMAN CONFESSES GIVING HUSBAND ARSENIC FOR "LOVE" OF BOARDER IN HOME WHOM SHE MARRIED SOON AFTER

By United Press
 MARION, Ill., Sept. 27.—Robert Tate begged and pleaded with me until I thought it was the right thing to do. I gave my husband arsenic. Robert gave me and he never again sobbed, Ruby Harrington, county 30, confessed to Williamson county authorities today she murdered Joseph Harrington, the coal miner husband with whom she lived at Johnson City, near here, for 16 years for the love of another coal miner, a boarder at the Harrington home. "I did love Tate, but I didn't any more."

"He begged me to marry him and I did. I married Robert Tate in Benton Sept. 23, just 20 days after my husband died and we went to West Frankfort to live. As soon as we got there, we were arrested." State's Attorney Dolas Duty after questioning the woman for twenty consecutive hours in the historic Williamson county courthouse, guarded by a detachment of national guardsmen, turned his attention to the woman's prisoner, new husband, Robert Tate, who worked in the same coal mine with Harrington. After a day of stubborn denial, Tate this afternoon weakened a bit. He told Sheriff George Galligan he had told two of his brothers in law, Harry Everly and John Downey, to watch his actions on the day of the crime; that he had told them "some one was going to poison some one, and he didn't want to be blamed. The sheriff immediately ordered the arrest of Everly and Downey on suspicion of having a guilty knowledge of the case."

The woman's confession, the second within ten hours, said she had been intimate with Tate since last April or May. He had been boarding at the Harrington home for three years.

"Robert Tate suggested we poison my husband, August 1," she said.

"He said he was going to have me in spite of death and that he would poison him himself if I didn't have the nerve."

"On August 25, he told me to put some peas or corn or something in my husband's lunch bucket the next day and he would do it in the wash house. I did that and the next evening he came home sick and I knew what was the matter. He had to lie down and the following Wednesday Robert came to my back gate, whistled to me and said: "Well, I doped him and I think it will get him tonight alright, but you be sure."

"He handed me a box of arsenic and said: 'go ahead, give it to him.'"

"On the following Sunday, Aug. 31, in the evening, there was no more home, but we were arrested and I—"

him some buttermilk and I put one and one-half teaspoons of this arsenic in the buttermilk and gave it to him. He drank only a small quantity. I could not tell any difference in his condition but on the following Wednesday he died."

The prisoner is a moderately pretty woman with practically no education. She has two sons, aged 9 and 12 years.

"On September 23, I and Tate went to Benton, obtained a marriage license, and were wed. Yesterday afternoon she returned to Johnson City to find out from her mother if the miners union benefit for Harrington had been paid. She went to the cemetery where her former husband was buried just as two physicians under orders of Coroner William McGowan began an autopsy on the body. State's Attorney Duty had ordered the body exhumed. The evidence will not be completed until a report on a chemical analysis of the viscera is made."

SEAGRAVES IN HEART OF BIG MELON PATCH

SEAGRAVES, Sept. 27.—Gaines county can certainly cap the prize in producing the largest watermelon in the South Plains. A 91 pound melon raised on the farm of O. H. Hearne, local merchant, is now on exhibition at his store and will be shown with other exhibits during Gaines county's 4th annual fair Monday and Tuesday of next week. Mr. Hearne reported that as many as six cars of melons had been shipped within the past few weeks.

SOUTH PLAINS FAIR OPENS HERE WEDNESDAY

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 leze, Amarillo, Wichita Falls and Dallas close all of one day for the fair, this will not be asked of the local merchants, but they will be asked to close for a few hours in the afternoon.

Attractions First Day
 The attractions of the first day will be many and varied, one of the features being the Gates Flying Circus, a realistic sham battle, perhaps a football game, the giving away of an automobile at three o'clock in the afternoon, an automobile leaping a twenty foot gap and at night the first production of "King Cotton" a pageant of the Negro people.

In addition there will be many other attractions, all good, including the carnival shows, rides, etc., making good the advertisement of the association that there will be fun by the ton, something to please every one every minute of the day. Manager Davis announced yesterday that cushions had been arranged for, and that these would be available at a small rental for the convenience of those wanting to see the pageant for whom there is not room in the grand stand.

This will be a great convenience to the patrons of the fair and especially those who want to see the pageant, which will be the feature attraction of the fair.

Judging Begins Thursday
 The judging of the various departments will begin Thursday morning and the fair will be on in full swing. The attractions for every day in

the fair will be plentiful, Gates Flying Circus entertaining again on Thursday and Friday and giving a wonderful night program Friday night of stunt flying with the aeroplanes illuminated with fire works.

On Thursday and Saturday nights, Gordon's fireworks will be the big feature with the most gorgeous, dazzling display of fire works ever staged in this section. A football game on Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons will be features as will the automobile jumping the gap.

Short Course Attractive
 Another feature of this year's fair that is being emphasized especially to the farmers is the short course with some of the greatest agricultural and live stock specialists on the program for talks on practical methods to reap the greatest advantages from the soil of the Plains.

Tuesday's Avalanche will carry a complete program for each day of the fair in detail and should be studied with care by every reader. Everything is in readiness right now, but finishing touches will be put on here and there by Wednesday morning, and when the gates open the public is going to find the most complete arrangements they have ever had at the Panhandle. South Plains Fair with everything arranged for their convenience and protection.

The grounds have been fenced with a seven and a half foot non-eliminable fence with electric lights every one hundred feet all the way around the grounds. Parking space for cars where every possible police protection will be given has been arranged and where cars will be parked systemat-

ically. This means that the cars will be protected, that owners may get their cars out when ever wanted and that patrons of the fair grounds will be protected from cars being driven over the grounds promiscuously.

Turnstiles, both to enter and leave the grounds, have been installed and every other arrangement of the most up to date fair plans made to handle the crowds in the most efficient manner.

Industrial Exhibits
 Local firms and institutions have been busy several days getting their booths in the Industrial Building ready for occupancy and this building will present the best appearance possible.

The new machinery and automobile building has been completed and every space sold to local firms who will have wonderful exhibits in these lines.

Ticket Sale
 While no check up was possible on ticket sales yesterday, reports to the fair officials were that the season ticket sales were going fine, and with two days more to go in the contest for the sales forces of the various stores, it is believed that this contest will mean much in increasing attendance at the fair.

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 Another milestone in the program of Lubbock's community affairs has been reached. South Plains counties will bring to Lubbock this week their prize products, clearly showing their tremendous strides of development of both agricultural and stock raising. It will be a week of gala events, both instructive and enjoyable.
 Lubbock is proud of its honor in entertaining its thousands of visitors this week. Every business, both large and small, feel sincerely that it has a part in the activities.
 Yager's, one of the outstanding stores of the South Plains, shares in this commendable community spirit.
 Extensive preparations have been made to serve visitors and local patrons as well during Fair Week. We are staging Fall Fashion Week simultaneously with Fair Week, and are certain that you will enjoy seeing the new Fashions for every member of the family. Come in during your visit to the Fair, whether to purchase or just to look.
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GIANTS CINCH NATIONAL PENNANT, WINNING AS ROBINS LOSE; SENATORS ALMOST CERTAIN FOR WORLD SERIES

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Tickets bearing the name of the New York Giants were turned out tonight by overtime printers in New York. The Giants clinched the National League pennant this afternoon, and gave their manager, John J. McGraw, the honor of being the first manager to win the pennant.

The Giants were also being high-winded through the press in Washington for the first two games of the series. The Senators did not do as well as the Giants in clinching the pennant today, but they reached the place where the worst they can do is to tie.

The Giants attained the mathematical certainty by winning from the Philadelphia team while the Boston Braves were beating the Brooklyn Robins and kicking them definitely and finally out of the pennant race. The Senators came from behind and beat the Boston Red Sox, while the Yankees were being tumbled by the reviving Philadelphia Athletics.

Washington played a game in

the pennant race and, if they passed their lead to two full games, if Washington loses two games and the Yankees win two, the rivals finish in a tie and they will have to fight it out for the pennant in a series of three games, that probably would not interest the world series.

If Washington wins one more game or if the Yankees lose another game this season will end with the Brooklyn Robins passing out of the pennant race because they have only one game to play and the Giants are two and half games ahead of them.

New York considers that Washington and the Giants are sure to meet in the series.

Walter Johnson is considered to be the sure opening pitcher for Washington and Hugh McCullum probably will start for the Giants. The series will open next Saturday in Washington and the second game will be played there on the following Sunday. The two teams would then come back to New York for three games.

BATTLESHIP STILL THE BULWARK OF NATIONAL DEFENSE WITH AIRPLANES NECESSARY ADJUNCT, NAVY MEN SAY

Editor's Note—This is the first of a series of articles dealing with the coming investment into the comparative merits of the battleship, airplane and submarine in national defense. The view of those who defend the battleship is contained in this article.

By THOMAS L. STOKES
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WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The battleship is still the bulwark of the

nation's air defense, the airplane is as yet adjunct by an increasingly necessary adjunct. Any scheme of national defense must recognize this.

and must provide for co-operation between the two branches of the service, each needed by the other.

This in brief, is the view of most naval officers toward the controversy which has broken out afresh, culminating in an investigation of the relative merits of battleships and airplanes which begins next week. It is also the opinion of officials of the naval air service who still stand by the battleship.

Any plan of national defense that would shelve the battleship and place sole dependence upon aviation which almost the position taken by some "extremists" of the school, is criticized by Rear Admiral W. A. Moffett, who is in close touch with developments in aviation as head of the bureau of aeronautics of the navy.

Naval officials argue as follows:

1. The operation of aircraft at sea is absolutely dependent on surface ships for effectiveness.
2. If aircraft alone were depended upon, the country might defend itself against attack directed at the coasts but it would be entirely on the defensive and such a plan of defense would result merely in losing commerce, island possessions and possibly eventually lead to economical starvation.
3. An air fleet retains its mastery only so long as it is able to stay in the air—if it cannot fall back on surface ships it will merely fall in the sea, as one officer puts it. In answer to advocates of the airplane, that bombs dropped from the air can put battleship out of commission, naval officers point out:
4. Since battleships have their own anti-aircraft contingents, they can be defended against hostile attacks by their own air fleets.
5. Antiaircraft guns have been built since high in the air and the chance of a hit on this reduced. Naval officers also point out that if they were an adjunct and were it not for the fact that they are more efficient than ever before. Admiral

Moffett, explained his views as to the function of each.

"It is clear," he said "that the fleet, lacking the means to gain air supremacy operates under a fatal handicap. It is just as clear that air supremacy in a naval engagement can never be anything more than a means to an end. It can only be preliminary to the conclusive action fought out by surface ships."

"The navy in the air and the navy on the sea is the strongest possible assurance of national security, and to retire one in favor of the other is only comparable to the effectiveness of a gun without powder; a soldier without eyesight, or a baseball pitcher without a catcher."

The successful flight around the world by American aviators was primarily the cause for the renewal of the controversy. President Coolidge was so impressed by this feat that he at once took a position in favor of greater attention to aviation and less to navy.

The world flight, according to naval officers demonstrated the dependence of airplanes on surface vessels while at sea. It was pointed out that the fliers never could have crossed the Atlantic but for the cruisers which were guarding their course.

HAMLET PORTRAYED AS A WOMAN IN FRENCH FILM

PARIS (By Mail to United Press).—To be, or not to be—a female Hamlet. That is the question that is disturbing French lovers of Shakespeare and certain moving picture people here. In a cinema production of "Hamlet" now being shown, the "hero" is revealed as a girl.

M. Emile Desvoux, a Paris City

Counselor, has protested vigorously to the Prefect of Police and demands in the glorious name of the late author that the film be censored.

"All admirers of Shakespeare will object to Hamlet being a girl," Desvoux said. "In this atrocious piece of pictorial distortion, Hamlet's sex has been changed. Hamlet becomes a daughter, whom the mother Gertrude, has decided to dress as a man under the pretext of saving the crown. A few scenes later, the good queen does not hesitate to deliver her daughter, before the very corpse of the elder Hamlet, to the uncle and assassin, Claudius.

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FULL LEASED WIRE UNITED NEWS

LUBBOCK MAN IS TO SHARE IN DIVISION OF FIVE AND A HALF BILLION DOLLAR ESTATE INVOLVING NEW YORK PROPERTY

The following story published in the Birmingham, Ala., Age-Herald is of more than passing interest on account of the tremendous amount of money that is involved in the deal, and to Lubbock people because of the fact that a Lubbock man seems to stand closely in line for a division of the tremendous estate.

W. G. Carlisle lays claims to the original owner of this estate, being his great-grandfather, and has a complete chain of his ancestry bringing him up in close line for a division of this property.

Mr. Carlisle has known of this property and the possible proof of its rightful owner for forty years or more, and is confident that he will come in possession of the heritage within a short time now.

The story in the Birmingham paper follows:

Shortly after George Washington was inaugurated as the first President of the United States, Thomas Edwards, noted for his real estate holdings in the city of New York, a rabid Tory, whose services to King George, III, during the war had been rewarded by a baronetcy, died in London.

Death was due to grieving over the loss of the territories for Edwards loved the new country, yet after the establishment of the new republic, he remained an exile in England, living in seclusion while his extensive land holdings in New York City were administered by his sons.

The holdings were extensive. They comprised many hundred acres, yet accurate records of all except one tract have been lost. This one bit of land contained 60 acres and was situated directly east of the Hudson river. Edwards had a grant from the King of England for this land, after obtaining actual possession of the tract by trading with the Indians. The first record available today, however, is in Volume 35 of the New York county books in which the land is clearly defined as to location and extent and assigned for 99 years by William Edwards, the Tory's eldest son.

No Transaction Found Before the leasehold expired, the United States was torn asunder by the contest. The age of William Edwards has never been recorded. And at the end of 99 years, little thought seems to have been given to the actual owners of the land, situated there and now in the center of the city. A careful search of the records fails to disclose any transaction by which actual title to the tract passed from the Edwards heirs, who drifted into the south.

With the passing of years, the 60-acre tract became more and more valuable and the Edwards heirs grew in number.

Today, the number of heirs is

estimated at 2,500, and the value of the property at five and one-half billions of dollars, for upon this land is located Wall street, the richest street in the world, Trinity church, the Woolworth buildings. With the exception of Trinity, practically every inch of the land is covered with a skyscraper.

And the opening gap of what promises to be a sensational legal battle to recover this fabulously rich district for the heirs of Thomas Edwards, will be fired in the courts of New York City within six weeks.

Societies Formed To go back for years, several other attempts to recover this land was made toward the end of the nineteenth century. These efforts took the shape of societies which traced the ancestry of its members, but which made only slight efforts to secure a settlement. Strangely enough, practically all these societies were located in the south, for the heirs of the sons of Thomas Edwards drifted into Virginia, and from there into Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas. Almost a dozen of these societies are still in existence.

Alabama seems to be the favorite state, however, for almost one-quarter of the heirs today are thought to live in the state, although every state in the union and every province in Canada will be represented by claimants for a share of the district.

Birmingham is the center of the latest fight to recover the land, or more exactly to secure a portion of the value of the land. The first step was taken by several heirs living in Birmingham who, organized the Edwards Estate corporation. P. M. Carlisle and Joel E. Webb were chosen chairman of the board of directors and legal advisors respectively, and T. C. McTavish, chairman of the finance committee.

The company is to be incorporated under the laws of Alabama, but already nearly 1,600 heirs from all parts of the country have made application to become original incorporators.

Attorneys Are Retained The legal papers are to be filed October 1, y that time it is expected that the number will be swelled to 1,500 stockholders, every one of whom has proven his or her ancestry back to Thomas Edwards.

Already attorneys have been retained and the first court steps is scheduled to start before the merits of the claims of the corporation are finally established, it is the expectation of Joel Webb, who is to direct the legal battle, that every heir in the United States will be a stockholder.

We want every heir to enter into this fight with us, Webb declared. "However, it is not necessary for our success and we expect to succeed. Any settlement we make will be only for stockholders of the corporation, and we are confident that a settlement will be offered for us."

Just a few days ago it was reported to me that the Woolworth Building, reputed to be worth 20 million dollars, had been sold for thirteen million, because the owner was afraid of the Edwards heirs. Whether this is true or not, it carries with it a conviction that there is more than a possibility that the descendants of Thomas Edwards may receive the inheritance left them shortly before 1800.

RED CROSS WILL MAINTAIN FREE REST ROOM AT FAIR

With their ever readiness to serve the good of Lubbock county in every way possible the Lubbock Chapter of the Red Cross has taken over one of the buildings on the main street of the fair grounds and have made necessary arrangements to maintain an emergency hospital during the entire time of the fair. Nurses have been obtained from the local hospital and will take their turn on duty. In connection with this one room will be used for a rest room for the ladies. Couches, easy chairs and infant beds will be provided and it is the wish of the Red Cross that the women of this and surrounding counties and all visiting ladies will feel welcome to make use of this rest room.

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PUBLIC DEMAND HANGING FOR MURDER PLOT

HIGHT AND WOMAN NOW BLAME EACH OTHER FOR DOUBLE MURDER

By United News. MT. VERNON, Ill., Sept. 27.—Terror stricken over the public demand that they hang for their poison murders, the Rev. Lawrence M. Hight, Methodist minister, and the woman he loved, Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, now blame each other for their crimes.

Thompson, the minister, who until recently was one of the spiritual leaders of the little Community of Ina, Ill., said: "She attracted me. She tempted me. My wife was cold. Mrs. Sweetin lured me and I forgot my God and fell. I did what she wanted me to do."

Hight, confined at Nashville to guard against possible violence has completely broken down. He had lengthy fits of weeping Friday and news that a committee of his fellow ministers had recommended that he be expelled from the ministry took away his last vestige of restraint.

In the Salem jail, Mrs. Sweetin had several collapses. She had become bitter against her pastor lover. "He made me do it; he made me do it. God forgive me," she moaned in what became a litany of grief. "He must have drugged me or hypnotized me. Perhaps I think he put something in the candy he gave me, as he always told me not to let anybody else eat it. It was his, to do

with as he pleased. I had no power to resist him. He told me he loved me. My husband was indifferent and he paid little attention to me. Brother Hight was fascinating and strong. He said he loved me and he put his arms around me and I loved him, too. I would not refuse him anything."

"He is to blame. I had no power to resist his demand when he gave me the poison and told me he would make me the happiest woman in the world if I would do away with Wilford. I thought it the right thing to do. He quoted scripture to me to show me that it was right and I thought anything he said could not be wrong."

Asked whether she still loved the minister, Mrs. Sweetin replied: "I am not sure that I ever loved him, not with a real love. Real love would never lead anybody to do such a terrible thing. I must have been crazy. I have been in a dream most of the time." Twice during the day Mrs. Sweet-

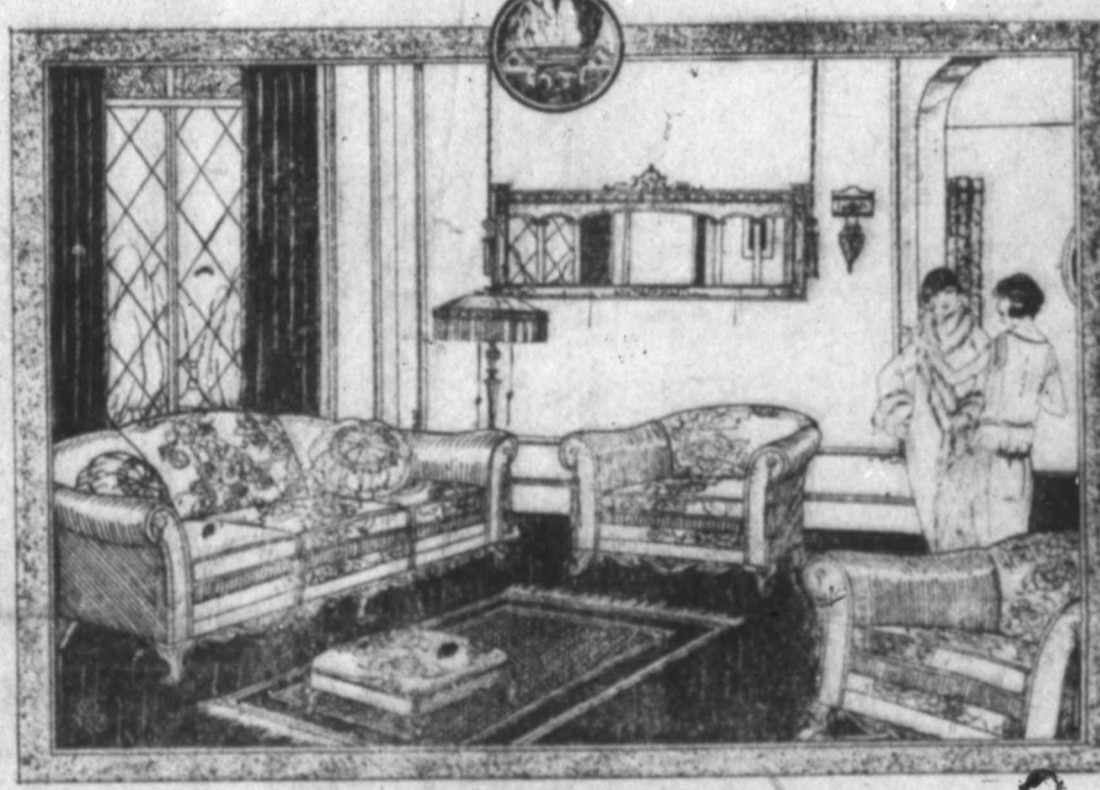
in repudiated the confession she made admitting she had killed her husband at Hight's suggestion. Then she said if she made any such confession, she must have been hypnotized and that she did not recall any of it.

While friends of Hight and Mrs. Sweetin are preparing to see to it that they are provided with adequate counsel, the states attorney is busy preparing what he calls a "hanging case."

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All sessions of the West Texas County and District Clerks Convention here Monday and Tuesday will be in attendance, and all members officials announced Saturday.

Between thirty-five and forty will be in attendance, and all members of the local bar association as well as the local county and district clerks, are planning to offer every possible entertainment for the visitors.

OUTLOOK THROUGHOUT THE SOUTH IN AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY MOST FAVORABLE; FALL PROSPECT BRIGHT

(Special to The Morning Avalanche) BALTIMORE, Sept. 27.—Reports to the Manufacturers Record the past week point to a continuation of the favorable outlook this fall in the South, such of this optimism being based on the prospect of splendid crops at good prices. The reaction to this promising agricultural situation is already noticeable in the stimulation to industry and to business generally.

charter for water-power development on the Ocklawaha River in Florida for the purpose of supplying power to Leesburg and other points in Lake county, Florida; a lighting company has been acquired by this corporation at Millidgeville, Ga., and it is planned to acquire other electric-light properties in the South.

ONE OF EVERY FIVE MARRIAGES GOES THRU DIVORCE

HOUSTON, Sept. 26.—One out of every five marriage barks flounder on the shoals of the divorce courts, according to statistics compiled by the department of commerce here.

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South Plains Progress Notes

TAHOCA FAIR WAS A GOOD ONE SAYS LOCAL MAN

George S. Shepherd, district manager for the American Body Works of Dallas, returned to his home here late Saturday afternoon after having spent the day at Tahoka.

He reported that the Tahoka Fair was one of the best he had ever attended considering the scope of territory served by it, and complimented the businessmen of Lynn county for their liberal support of the fast growing institution.

He reported that many splendid exhibits were shown, in all departments, and that if he is a judge of exhibits the people of Lynn county stand a mighty good chance to get first place at the great South Plains Fair here during the last four days of this week.

PLAINVIEW SHIPS MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT

PLAINVIEW, Sept. 27.—Plainview and the three railroad switches within seven miles of the town has this season shipped 1,300,000 bushels of wheat, so the inspector of the Plainview grain exchange reports. Of this Plainview shipped 995,000 bushels, and Finney, Ferguson and Lida switches shipped 305,000 bushels, each of these points billing out of Plainview.

The price ranged above \$1 a bushel, hence means more than \$1,300,000 in cash was paid out here for wheat. This money, coming at the time it did was a great assistance to the farmers and the community at large. The wheat made much better yields as a rule than it was thought possible at the beginning of the harvest, running from 15 to more than 20 and in some instances to 40 bushels to the acre.

The cotton crop which promises to run from 20 to 30,000 bales or possibly more for the county is now beginning to come in and will bring a tremendous amount of money into the county. Surely Hale county and the plains are experiencing their most prosperous times this fall and winter.

LAMB COUNTY FAIR WAS A SPLENDID SUCCESS

LITTLEFIELD, Sept. 27.—The Lamb County Fair closed yesterday. It was held at Olton, the county seat, and the two days' fair was attended by large crowds. A Lamb county exhibit will be chosen from all the community exhibits and taken to the Lubbock Fair, and the State Fair at Dallas.

A football game between Littlefield High School and the Lockney High School featured the last day. The game resulted in a score of 14 to 6 in favor of Littlefield.

The Littlefield State Bank has contracted for a modern, two story building to be erected right away. This will be of brick, with office upstairs.

Dr. G. D. Weaver has let a contract for a two story brick building on Phelps Avenue here. He will have modern offices for physicians surgeons on the ground floor, with rooms upstairs.

Contract has also been let for a third two story brick building on the east side of Phelps Avenue; the ground floor to be occupied by a dry goods establishment, and rooms upstairs.

The rooming situation in Littlefield is acute. The accommodations no where are entirely insufficient to take care of the large number of people desiring rooms.

PLAINVIEW SCHOOL CROWDED TO THE LIMIT

PLAINVIEW, Sept. 27.—Every available room in each of the public school buildings in Plainview is now being used for class rooms, and there is such increase of pupils that additional facilities must be provided, said Supt. W. E. Patty to the editor of the News Tuesday.

There are now more than 1,400 pupils enrolled in the schools, and more are coming in each week.

This week another teacher, Mrs. Frank R. Day, was employed for Lamar school, in order to relieve the crowded condition of Central school, a number of pupils in certain territory which were in the low fifth and sixth grades, at Central being transferred to Lamar. This was the last room available in the school, except the one room in Seth Ward school, which is being used for other purposes.

Mr. Patty says it is quite certain that the new proposed high school building will have to be erected at no far off time.

Miss Wright, expression teacher in Wayland college, has been employed, for part time to teach expression in the public schools.

ESTACADO

By English Class, Estacado High School.

Estacado singing class will meet every other Sunday, beginning Sunday, September 21. Everyone who likes to sing is cordially invited.

We are glad to hear that the Farmer Community received first prize at the Crosby County Fair.

Mr. S. W. Page of Estacado has gone to Red River county after cotton pickers.

Our community is honored by a visit of Dr. Scott of Temple, a surgeon of state and national fame. The school regrets that he was unable to visit them.

Mr. A. Ashley and son Olney, have been visiting with friends this week, but have returned to their home at Damon, Texas.

A number of young people met at the home of Mr. Mills Sunday night for a sing-song. Everyone reported a real nice time.

Atvela Noble left Wednesday morning, Sept. 25th for Canyon, where she will attend school.

Mrs. J. J. Jenkins entertained a number of young people at her home last Saturday evening with a weenie roast. It was an occasion of much enjoyment to those who attended.

Estacado school has schapel exercises in a nearby church, and had Rev. Dunn as speaker Tuesday morning, the subject being "Pluck, Perseverance and Patience."

Mrs. S. P. Ellis has been very sick for the last few days, but is slowly recovering.

MORTON ITEMS

The good farmers of this community are gathering up their feed and storing it up for the winter months.

Mr. P. B. Penney is shipping some cattle to market this week.

Misses Opal Penney and Asa Shipman had quite an experience while coming home from the Littlefield last Friday night last. They undertook to make it home in a car by themselves and getting some fifteen or twenty miles from Littlefield their car failed to go. They cleaned spark plugs and timer and most everything else that they thought would start the car but it did not so they had to camp with the howling coyotes the rest of the night.

R. J. Smith has gone to Dallas this week on business.

We are having a Methodist revival at Morton this week.

Mrs. J. L. Winder is on the sick list this week.

A NEW BUSINESS FOR THE CITY OF RALLS

RALLS, Sept. 27.—J. H. Wilson recently arrived from Justin, Texas, and will manage the business of the Alliance Milling company in Ralls. This elevator is known here as the Alexandr Grain Co. The Alliance people have owned the elevator since it was built and will now operate the business in their name.

Mr. Wilson states that they will handle flour, meal, feed and coal, and will purchase maize and other grain sorghums as well as wheat.

They will likely conduct a wholesale business in flour, etc. This is a needed addition to our business forces and the Banner is pleased to welcome the business and Mr. Wilson personally to just about the best town yet born. Some cities are larger than Ralls but few of them are as busy commercially.

269 BALES GINNED UP TO WEDNESDAY AT RALLS

The four gins situated in Ralls report having ginned a total of 269 bales of cotton up to Wednesday night, as follows: Farmers Gin Co. 120; DuBolt Bros., 50; Fuller Gin Co., 27; West Texas Gin Co. 72.

The gins are all in fine shape now and the cotton is coming in regularly. The rain last week interfered materially with picking and caused the low gin receipts.

The prices paid in the streets of Ralls for cotton Tuesday went as high as 22 1-2 cents a pound. Wednesday a break in the market lowered the price considerably.

PETERSBURG NEWS

When days are as chilly as this one has been we realize winter is coming soon and begin to lay in a supply of coal.

Cotton is opening fast now and picking has already begun on some farms. Four or five bales were ginned here last week. Both gins are in fine condition for the year's work.

School has started off wonderfully well this year and with pupils and teachers working together so well we are hoping for a splendid year's work. Much enthusiasm is being shown by the pupils in the Library Contest, and the books are coming in in goodly numbers. The contest closes Thursday and the books will treat a winner.

W. H. Stapleton and wife spent the week-end in Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thorpe and son returned today from Tulsa where they visited Mrs. Thorpe's people, the Will Stoddards.

Mrs. R. A. Jeffries and R. A. Jr., went to Amarillo this morning to attend the fair.

A new daughter made her arrival Sunday the 21st in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Less Shankle.

Ray Gartin and Mr. Veff of Dodesto, Calif., arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robshaw.

Mrs. J. B. Goepp returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Lorenzo.

Mrs. Russell Barbour, of Corsicana, is here now visiting her father.

LEVELLAND

A number of the Lubbock people were Sunday and furnished a program that every one enjoyed.

The Higginbotham-Bartlett Lbr. Co., have begun building on their lumber yard here. When they have completed their building, Levelland can boast of two lumber yards.

A good rain fell here Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harris transacted business in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant of New Mexico spent Saturday and Sunday with C. L. Purcell and family.

Prospectors are still coming and a good many of them are buying. They keep the Real Estate Agents on the road showing their land.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith returned home from a few days' visit with the latters parents in Merbel, Texas.

Mr. Myers of the Coble land bought B. E. Gunn's groceries and fixtures here and moved them out to his community Tuesday.

A large crowd attended the singing Sunday night.

Mr. Goodrich of Lubbock made a business trip here Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. McClell of the Whaley and Jones ranch, was in our town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Woodward of Lubbock were the guests of Mrs. T. F. Suttle Sunday afternoon.

Every one is planning to attend

BARBECUE

The barbecue at White Face Saturday.

The building for the telephon exchange is almost completed.

Mr. Willey of the White Face Farm was in town Wednesday.

Miss Thelma Alexander returned home Sunday. She has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Green of Brownfield for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Norris motored over to Meadow Thursday.

T. C. Swafford and family moved back to Lubbock Monday, he having sold his crop to his father R. Swafford.

Mrs. T. J. Hutchinson of Brownwood came in Thursday for a visit with her husband, T. J. Hutchinson, who is building the gin here.

W. C. Elliott was a Levelland visitor Monday.

Mrs. Mary Beard and children were dinner guests of Mesdames Palmer and White Sunday.

Mr. Mundy and Luther Henderson both prominent business men of Ropesville were here Friday.

W. L. Cagle and family returned from Aenff Saturday where they had spent the week with Mrs. Cagle's brother, Joe Harwood.

Misses Roxie and Vivian Atchison were dinner guests of Miss Johnnie Melton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Atchison and wife visited relatives on the Coble land west of Levelland Sunday.

Bro. Stokes filled his regular second Sunday appointment here Sunday.

W. C. Elliott of Haskell County spent Saturday and Sunday with his nephews W. C. Elliott and family of Claussen.

W. F. Barnett was a business caller in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. L. W. Fowler will soon have a white cotton patch as his cotton is opening very fast.

The second school building for Morton has just been completed.

The rowbinders have been very busy the passed two weeks cutting the good feed crops.

Judge Caldwell is building quiet a nice Bungalow just west of the city near a mile.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock of near Sixteen City Oklahoma has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gallimore the passed week.

Mrs. W. A. Herridge, being ill

COMING TO THE SOUTH PLAINS FAIR

The Echo is in receipt of a season ticket from Manager A. B. Davis to the South Plains Fair at Lubbock which starts on Oct. 1st and lasts four days, filled with not a dull moment of amusements of every kind. Fairs are our long suit and the entire Cowan clan will be there from Bill Cowan, age 18 months to his mother, Maggie (we—we hate n't got the nerve) and when we drive up the management will think school has turned out.—Idalou Echo.

DALLAS BAPTIST BUILD \$350,000 SUNDAY SCHOOL BUILDING

DALLAS, Sept. 27.—Contracts have been let for the construction of a \$350,000 Sunday School building by the First Baptist church.

The new building will be six stories high. Construction will be started in a few days under the contract.

Free tickets for the automobile drawing at the Fair, pay your account at Martin & Wolcott's Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and get a chance at nice car. Our books closed for the month Saturday night. Start your new account with us Monday.

MARTIN & WOLCOTT (Adv.)

COUNTY LINE NEWS

Everybody is busy gathering their feed crops so they can get their cotton picked when it gets ready, as the gin is most ready to go to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robison have a new Ford roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ray and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnes last Sunday.

Miss Gloy Turner spent Saturday with Miss Fay Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvard Barnes motored to Plainview Friday.

Mr. Pitts of Petersburg, was in our community today. He is a salesman of the Elgin Sewing Machine Company.

Mr. Walter Lunday of Hale Center, had business in our community Monday. He reported he was the proud possessor of a new 5 pound baby girl, born September 14. Mrs. Harvard Barnes and children returned home with him to care for her sister and children. Mrs. Lunday and baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walker and children of Lakewood, visited in the home of Mrs. Walker's brother, Mr.

STANDARD SIX DUPLEX PHAETON \$1145

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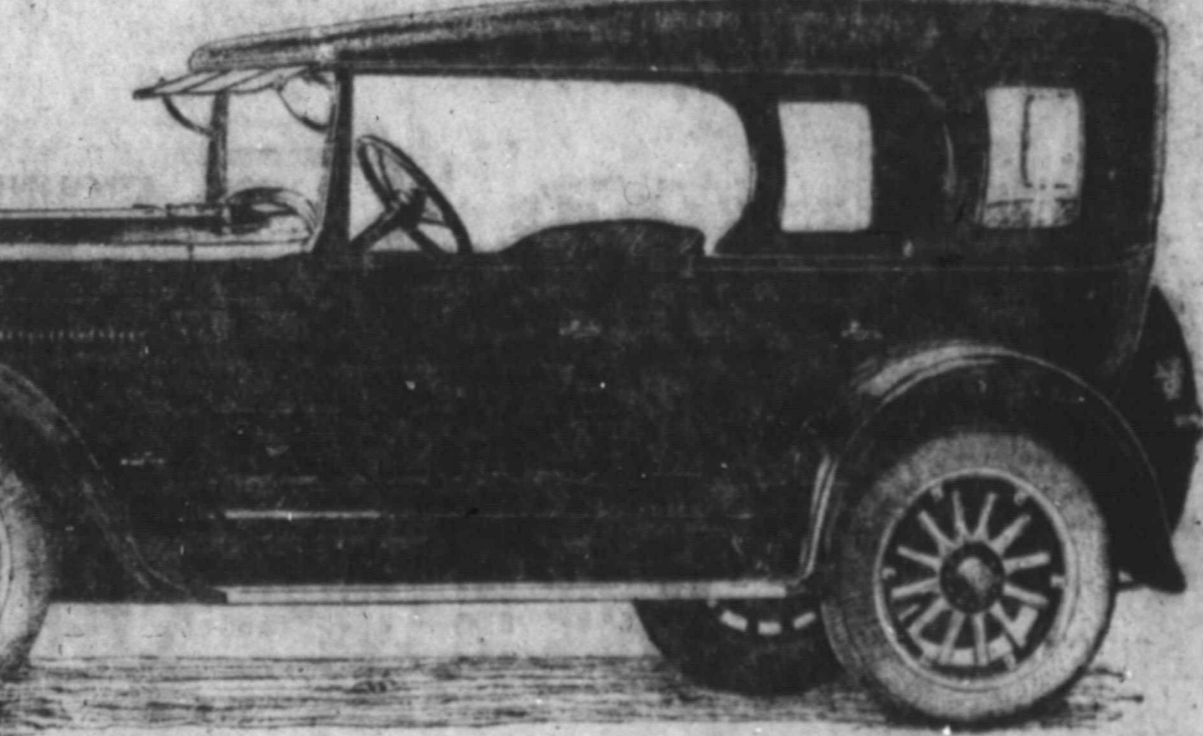
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5-Pass. Coupe 1495	5-Pass. Sedan 2150	7-Pass. Berline 2800
5-Pass. Berline 1650	5-Pass. Berline 2225	4-wheel brakes, 5 disc wheels, \$17 extra
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