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## Big Camp Meeting Here Expected to Set Record; 8 Services Daily

The big camp meeting which now is in progress in the tabernacle erected for the purpose just north of the Methodist church is expected to set a record in the way of religious revivals here. Eight services are being held daily including a sun-rise prayer-meeting, special bible lesson at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 o'clock by Rev. A. D. Jameson, service for little folks at 4 p. m., conducted by Rev. C. G. Spindler, men's women's and young people's prayer meetings held at various places at sundown and the regular night services at 8 p. m.

Rev. A. D. Jameson, who is doing the preaching has won the respect of his hearers by his fearless presentation and evident sincerity. He does not depend upon sensational methods or emotionalism, but presents irrefutable facts and argument. His appeal this week has been mostly to church members and backsliders. He denounces sin in all its forms in an uncertain language but has no scathing criticism for sinners. He deplores the tide of modernism and appeals for the old time religion. Rev. Jameson is not a professional evangelist being pastor of the Methodist church at Blackwell. He served two years with the Salvation Army and is thoroughly conversant with all angles of life. He has written a very successful novel based on life in the west.

Rev. C. G. Spindler, who has charge of the music and young peoples work in one of the best in his profession. He is a soloist of note and has great success in getting the best efforts from his large chorus.

There are a number of preachers who are assisting in the meetings from time to time and people from practically every town in the Panhandle have been in attendance at various times.

## SOUTHWEST CORNER NEWS

Crops are flourishing in this part of the county owing to the recent rains.

The programs given by the Lakeside Literary Society Friday evening was quite interesting and was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lovorn and daughter, Eunice of Amarillo are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Francis.

Miss Nellie Bryant who has been visiting in this community returned to her home near Branson, Colorado.

Mrs. Cline Redin and Ruby Redin who are attending school at Canyon spent the week end at home. Miss Ethel Simpson of Silvertown accompanied them.

Buster Jasper is now visiting at his home in Friona.

Paul Joiner, little son, Harmon and Jack Northcutt of Plainview visited at the home of C. F. Joiner Sunday.

Quite a number of the Lakeside and Rock Creek people attended church at Silvertown Saturday evening and Sunday.

Misses Octonia and Virgil Daugherty were in Lockney shopping Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Marvin Washington and children of Flomott visited in the home of P. D. Jasper, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

## Stolen Tires Recovered

Four, practically new balloon tires and rims were stolen from Sam Turner's Ford Sedan Monday night while he was at the camp meeting. They were recovered and returned to him Tuesday by the sheriff's department. The thieves sold the tires to a man in Tulia who upon threat of being arrested revealed the name of the boys who was in turn arrested and it is understood turned states evidence against his collaborators in the crime. He is now out on bond with a charge of selling stolen property in Swisher County filed against him. The other boys have not been arrested but their names are known it is understood.

## CHEVROLET HAS ADDED MANY NEW QUALITY FEATURES

Following close on the announcement of an appreciable drop in prices on certain models of the new Chevrolet cars comes the information that many new quality features are being added. Dick Cowart the local dealer takes particular delight in explaining that the newest cars are equipped with a large Klaxon motor driven horn, new head light tie bar, new Walnut steering wheel with finger grips, new long er gear shift lever, new spark and throttle control, new and improved sheet metal fittings and new gunmetal grey Duco finish and upholstery to match in open models. Mr. Cowart says the greatest difficulty attached to handling Chevrolet cars is in getting enough cars to supply the demand.

## South Side Grocery makes Improvements inside

Recently the management of the South Side Grocery decided to help the town out by adding to the beauty of their own establishment. Many things had to be done to satisfy themselves that the work was well done. A lot of shelves were built and things arranged more nicely in many respects.

## ARTHUR DAWSON

Arthur Dawson, 42, died Aug. 7 at 9:30 a. m. in a sanitarium at Little Rock, following an operation a few days before. He is survived by his wife and four children, two brothers and two sisters: N. T. Dawson of Lonoke, Ark., J. F. Dawson, of Nelta, Tex. Mrs. G. M. Elmore and Mrs. Ben Jackson, of Lakecreek, Texas.

Mr. Dawson and his family moved to Briscoe County from Hopkins County about three years ago and lived on a farm four miles west of town. Mrs. Dawson attended the funeral at Delta where enternment was made.

Mr. Dawson was well known and highly respected in Hopkins County and had gained many friends here who mourn his untimely death.

Mr. Dawson was living on a farm about four miles west of here when he decided to go for an operation. He had a very nice crop and when death overtook him the crop was ready for a working out so several of the neighbors supplemented by the help of many from Silvertown decided to gladly extend help to those of the family by cleaning out the crop before Mrs. Dawson returned.

Five men with cultivators and ten hoe hands worked Monday and Tuesday going over 50 acres of cotton and about 60 acres of feed crop.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Cregg of Tucumcari, N.M., were visiting friends and relatives in Silvertown the past few days.

Mrs. Emmett Calter of Tulia, visited relatives here Tuesday.

Bernard Stodghill has returned to Munday after a few days visit here with relatives.

Arthur Reagan and family, of Munday, returned home Thursday after visiting with the C. F. Shaw family.

Gene Simpson has moved his welding shop to the Burson building on the south side of the square.

Earl Simpson is back on the job at his mill, after being closed down several weeks. He closed for the harvest, originally, but during the shut-down took the time to have an operation and to make several additions to his milling equipment.

## Briscoe County Puts All Railroad Eggs in One Basket; Silvertown Lags In Raising Stock for T. P. & G.

Summing it all up, Briscoe County is putting all her "railroad eggs" in one basket. Just as Silvertown is holding out for the Santa Fe and failing to really do anything toward securing stock subscriptions for the T. P. & G., and getting the Denver right-of-way, Quitaque is firm for the Denver and for the Denver only. Although there are citizens in each community who are in favor of giving every encouragement possible to every and all railroads the fact remains that such is not being done.

Mr. Clarity, of the Ft. Worth and Denver has sent word that he or his representative would be in Silvertown soon to close up the contract which is now in the hands of the committee here, by the 20th of the month. It is understood that practically nothing has been done toward fulfilling the requirements of the contract.

After numerous visits of T. P. & G. officials, mass meetings and committee meetings and a seemingly revived interest in the Powell project, the thing has simmered down and nothing is being done.

Ireland Hampton, of the T. P. & G. Finance Corporation, in conference with a local banker this week, intimated that if Briscoe County did not do something

pretty soon, his company was negotiating with other people and would make plans to miss Silvertown and Quitaque, provided the railroad is built.

Many are of the opinion that all three railroads will be given a permit and it will be a matter of a huge game of "back out" by the railroads. It is understood that the Santa Fe and the Denver are already assembling materials and will rush work on their extensions the minute permits are granted. Some say that if the permit is granted it will not be too late then to subscribe to it. Others say that if the T. P. & G. gets the permit without Briscoe County's \$3,000,000, they will build the road without asking for it.

Everybody admits that the railroad business is a big game about which nobody around here seems to know much about. And all agree that the suspense of waiting to see what disposition is made of the muddle is terrible.

A Ford Coupe belonging to Neal Crawford, of Tulia was almost a total wreck after a collision with a truck loaded with coal, on the Tulia highway Thursday night. Three others were in the car besides Crawford at the time of the accident but all escaped with minor injuries.

## Pioneer People

By Clyde Thomas

### MRS. J. C. WAGLEY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wagley came to Briscoe County from Calahan County, Texas in the year 1891.

Their original destination when they left Calahan county was Matador, but when they reached that place everything was dry and desolate and they were dissatisfied with the country. They decided to come on to the plains and as soon as they reached the plains they were pleased with the country and with the opportunities which were presented by this new country.

They arrived in what is now Briscoe County a short time before the county was organized, arriving here on Christmas day in 1891 the county being organized in March of the succeeding year.

Directly after they arrived here Mr. Wagley purchased 1/2 section of land located five miles west of where Silvertown is now located, paying fifty dollars for the half section. This is the land where the old Wagley home place is now located.

Mrs. Wagley states that from the first they were satisfied with the Plains country, although at times it seemed that it was going to be so dry that they couldn't make anything. However, they always noticed that the dry weather here did not make the crops so short as did the dry weather in the counties farther south. And furthermore in spite of the weather they always raised something here, while in many other places the dry weather ruined all crops.

Mrs. Wagley relates a very interesting story of the first crop that Mr. Wagley raised and marketed after they arrived in the county. The large lake on the Wagley place west of town was full of water in the early spring of that year and as the water receded Mr. Wagley plowed up the land and planted it in sorghum and watermelons. Both the sorghum and the watermelons made a very good crop, and by the sale of the watermelons, which sold readily at 50c each, they were enabled to live from the money made in this way and also payed off some mortgages, which had been given to get a start in Briscoe county. This was the first crop Mr.

Wagley made in Briscoe county, and during all the years in which he was in the farming business here, he rarely, if ever, raised a crop that was more beneficial to him than was the crop of melons.

Another interesting story narrated by Mr. Wagley is that of a large crop of cabbage which she raised one year. She states that she grew one head of cabbage which was the largest to be found in the county, weighing 18 pounds. Mrs. Wagley states that this head of cabbage never took a prize because it was not entered in a fair or anything of that sort, but that she presented it to J. M. Hughes, who was Editor of the Briscoe County Newspaper, and he sent it to Dallas, where it was on exhibition for some time. The same year that Mrs. Wagley raised this cabbage she also raised turnips which she sold for 10c each. People were glad to get them for that price, because there were no others raised in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagley were the parents of two daughters, Mrs. J. B. McGraw, who now lives at Moran, Texas and Mrs. H. G. Arnold, who resides at Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Mr. Wagley died five years ago at Mineral Wells, where he had gone for his health, after an illness of some time. Since Mr. Wagley's death Mrs. Wagley has only made her home here temporarily, having lived elsewhere the majority of the time. However, she is still an enthusiast for Briscoe county and says that there is no better place in the world to live than in Briscoe county. She likes the county because of the plentiful crops that are grown here and also because it is one of the most healthful places that can be found. During the past year Mrs. Wagley visited in New York for some time but says that Briscoe county is her choice for a place to live. She says that during all the time that her family lived continuously in Briscoe county, they never had an illness for which a doctor had to be employed. This is a record which means a great deal to the admirer of Briscoe county, and shows that we have one of the most healthful places in Texas to live.

## THE STYLE SHOP OPENED HERE BY MRS. J. S. FISHER

"Stylish Apparel for Women" is the slogan of the new women's store which was formally opened Wednesday in the building formerly occupied by the Bert Northcutt Grocery, between the post office and the bank. Mrs. J. S. Fisher, wife of the local realtor, is proprietor of the store and her ability as a merchandiser is demonstrated by the attractive manner in which she has redecorated the old building and displayed her stock of ladies' ready-to-wear and millinery.

Mrs. Fisher has had about 14 years experience in the ready-to-wear business as buyer and head sales lady for large mercantile concerns. She is familiar with the principal markets of the United States from personal visits and is thoroughly competent to pick garments and wearing apparel of style. Mrs. Fisher says that she has never featured cheap merchandise but moderately priced goods of quality. Crowds of interested women thronged her store Wednesday viewing the new fall dresses, frocks and hats. They were delighted at the variety of styles and materials shown. Visitors were served delicious punch by several uniformed young ladies.

## NEW ORCHESTRA FORMED TO PLAY FOR CAMP MEETING

An eight piece orchestra has been organized in Silvertown and is playing regularly for the Methodist Camp Meeting now in progress.

The members of the orchestra are: Mrs. W. M. Gourley, piano; Clay Fowler, Eloise Morgan and Eva Lena Skeen, violins; Luther Fowler and Brice Stone, clarinets; Chester Skeen, cornet and Paul Odor, trombone.

Although they have only played together a few times, many complimentary remarks have been heard about their music and talents. It is thought that the organization will be permanent and that their music will be available for various occasions during the winter.

## POPULAR TEACHERS IN QUITAQUE SCHOOL MARRIED RECENTLY

Prof. O. K. Tipps, who came to Quitaque four years ago as superintendent of the school and Miss Ruth Owen, of Chickasha, Okla., who has been a teacher in the school for two years were married at Chickasha Thursday Aug. 13 at the home of the bride.

Prof. Tipps has endeared himself in the hearts of the pupils and patrons of the Quitaque community and has brought the school up to a high standard of excellence. He takes an active and effective part in the community life and is the efficient secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Tipps is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Owen and is well and favorably known in Quitaque. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

## BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Union met at the church Monday afternoon, having their program taken from "Royal Service". Six members were present.

Wednesday afternoon they met in a call meeting at the home of Mrs. Shelby Haynes for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The following officers were elected: Mrs. F. ust, President; Mrs. Morgan, Vice-President; Mrs. Haynes, Secretary; Mrs. Buckhannon Bible Study Teacher; Mrs. Miller, Personal Service Reporter; Mrs. Homer Simpson, C. A. leader; Mrs. Jim Bomar, Sunbeam leader; Mrs. J. Patton, Missionary Literature Chairman; Mrs. Higgins, White Cross Reporter;

## U. S. LABOR DIV. AIDS FARMERS TO GET PICKERS

Texas is first in the aggregate value of her farm crops. First in volume, value and significance in its relation to labor, is the immense cotton crop of the state. For many years a large cotton producing state, during the past three years the area devoted to cotton has extended into virgin territory and the production has been increased to a marked degree.

Due to the vast area of Texas her climate and consequently her crops vary from those of semi-tropical to those of the temperate zone. Due to the extent of this great state and its climatic and agricultural adaptability, some crop is being planted and harvested at almost every season of the year. Especially is this true because of the development of southern Texas. Here thousands of acres have been grubbed. The irrigated valley of the Rio Grand is devoted to fruits and vegetables. From this district north to Corpus Christi and San Antonio new cotton fields have been opened up. But Texas agriculture development has not been confined to the southern part of the state. Western and Northwestern Texas in the past three or four years has been transformed from an almost exclusive cattle territory into great farming districts where cotton is produced extensively. There is not a month of the year that there is not urgent demand for seasonal farm labor in Texas, and in a very large section of the state.

Until the United States Government Employment Service of the Department of Labor extended its Farm Labor Division to the cotton farmers of Texas, few if any knew how great the task of securing cotton pickers each year. With the increased acreage devoted to cotton, this task has been yearly growing greater. Beginning with the opening of cotton in south Texas where demand for pickers starts early in July, the development of the crop and the number of laborers advances northward until the last fields in the extreme northwestern part of the state are ready for pickers sometime in November.

As the opening of the cotton advances there is a steady increase in the number of pickers that are required. Within two weeks after the fields are ripe in Southern Texas more than 60,000 outside cotton pickers are in the fields and by the time Central Texas is ready fully 200,000 have been directed to the fields. Within one month after Central Texas starts picking its cotton crop, the lower section of West Texas begins to call for help and here not less than 30,000 pickers are needed. There are two more sections of what is termed West Texas, and these two northwestern districts are about 3 weeks apart in the dates of their opening. They require in the neighborhood of 45,000 pickers. If it were not for what is commonly termed the "turn over", that is, the moving up of pickers from one section to another, the Texas cotton crop during normal years would require 500,000 cotton pickers other than those living on the farms. To those not familiar with cotton, cotton picking and the millions of acres devoted to the growing of the crop in the state of Texas, these figures are difficult to grasp. At any rate it gives some idea of the task involved in recruiting and directing cotton pickers in Texas.

Before the U. S. Farm Labor Bureau began assisting the farmers, the farmers themselves and the private employment agencies did all the recruiting and directing of cotton pickers. The cost Mrs. Garrison, Press Reporter. The society will meet next Monday at the church in the Bible study, beginning with the 12 chapter of Romans and finishing the book — Press Reporter.

Bob Garrison of Tucumcari, N. M. was a business visitor in Silvertown this week.

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## OUR CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN

What happened to our clean-up campaign?

The citizenship was called to a mass meeting nearly two months ago to discuss measures for cleaning up the town. It was clearly brought out at the meeting that the majority of the people wanted the city officials to take quick and definite action in passing and enforcing ordinances that would be for a cleaner and healthier community.

The council immediately passed ordinances to cope with the situation and officially appointed a city health officer. The city health officer has condemned numerous buildings, practices, pig pens, chicken houses, etc., what has been done about it? Whose fault is it that the city ordinances can not be enforced? Why is it that we haven't a city scavenger? The citizens are not interested in excuses or "passing the buck". What they want is action.

A dirty town, full of rubbish and unsanitary conditions is non-progressive materially, morally and educationally. Moral nor material advancement can be attained against such odds as filthy streets and alleys, dirty and unkept business houses, such as are to be found in Silverton. If we are not going to adopt the sanitary methods of civilized communities we should revert back to the methods used by savages. When their villages became so filthy that their health was endangered they picked out a new location and moved to it. There are several nice, clean sections around here that would make a good location for a town. If we are going to have ordinances let's have them enforced or do away with them.

## THE NEW PARKING ORDINANCE

The city council of Silverton is to be complimented on the passage of the new parking ordinance which went into effect recently. With the clearing of the center of the streets, motoring in Silverton has been made 100% safer and the appearance of the town has been helped as well. This is one of the little things that has been done or may be done to make life in Silverton more desirable.

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J. T. Igo and family J. R. Hill, of Hobert, Okla., are visiting with the later's brother, R. M. Hill. They say this county looks good to them, also that the cotton crop around Hobert was looking good when they left there.

Chester Skeen and C. W. Byers went to Littlefield Tuesday on business.

D. L. Morgan has gone to Lamesa for a few weeks, accompanying his aunt, Mrs. J. B. Flenmiken, who had been visiting here.

Cleaning, pressing and alterations our specialty—City Tailor

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Merrell and little daughter were visitors in Silverton this week. Merrell has taken a lease on the Doug Northcutt building and expects to open a hardware, harness and implement store just as soon as the building is completed.

John Blackwell, of the Folley community, was in town Monday with a load of home-grown water melons.

Mrs. Ida Harwell, of Farwell, and Mrs. Zeph Fogerson, of Silton are visiting with their parents Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hancock.

Expert service is assured when you go to City Tailor Shop.

Douglas and Whiteside are making several improvements in the interior arrangement of their store.

Orbin Turner expects to leave Saturday for Shamrock where he will have charge of the singing in an evangelistic meeting there. Orbin has recently announced his intention of following that sort of work as a life calling.

The Berson Motor Company has erected a huge sign on the top of their building here.

Mrs. L. C. Douglas, of Canyon, is visiting in the home of her son R. E. Douglas.

A snappy line of Ladies and Girls hats at Silverton D.G.Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul I. Odor went to Amarillo last Thursday for their little daughter, Julia Ann, who had been visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks, for a week. Mrs. Burks returned to Silverton with them and visited until Thursday. While in Amarillo, Mr. Odor made negotiations for the new piano for the Methodist church.

## Hall's Catarrh Medicine

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Read the advertisements

## G. V. C's

The G. V. C's met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Ruby Bomar's. The former part of the afternoon was spent in social entertainment and the latter part planning a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Miss Kathleen Smith's Thursday evening, Aug. 20. After the business was rendered refreshments of ice tea and sandwiches were served to the members present. The club will meet at the home of Miss Anna Lee Perry's next Tuesday.

M. P. Fields, representative of the Advance-Rumley Thresher Co., was here this week on business for his company.

Earl Lane has bought an interest in Fort & Co., hardware and groceries, and will be actively engaged in the business. Roscoe Fort and Lane are now sole owners of the business. Mr. Lane is a very popular young business man, coming here from Coleman County about four years ago. He has had considerable experience in the grocery and mercantile business.

Bland Burson went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Troy and Grady Burson went to Amarillo Wednesday.

Everybody is wondering why Tony and True didn't go Thursday.

Dick Cowart is enlarging the old warehouse back of the Cowart store and will handle the Chevrolet cars here.

## WHY DO YOU RENT?

Why do you continue to rent a house and pay a large part of your earnings each month for the house when you could just as easily buy the lumber and build a house of your own.

Just stop a moment and figure up what your rent will amount to in a year. And besides when you have payed rent a year you have nothing left for it.

We can arrange to help you build a home and pay for it almost like paying rent and at the end of a year you will have a home of your own instead of having payed out rent for a year and having nothing to show for it.

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Josephine Daniels, Geraldine Biffle and Jimmie and Joe Haynes are visiting a few days with Mrs. Mary Daniels in Plainview. John Haynes took the little folks over.

H. R. Brown made a business trip to Floydada last week.

Buy your furniture at Silverton D. G. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Myers left Monday for a visit to Abilene, Royse, Wills Point and several other places. They expect to be gone about two weeks. Cecil and Walton stayed at home to take care of things while their parents are away.

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## A Draped Dressing Table

If you have a room you can not afford to furnish just now, or just an extra room—or even your guest room. You can do it yourself very inexpensively and with little work, but which will prove to be a very interesting task.

A classic spirit is evidenced in the revival of daintily draped dressing tables. They are a modish adaptation from other years and lovely for bedrooms where simple and inexpensive materials are desirable. Charming effects in color harmony result when window shades, draperies, slipcovers and dressing tables match. Cretonne glazed chintz, dimity and Swiss embroidery as well as humble gingham and unbleached muslin can be effectively used. Taffetas and the more developed fabrics are lovely too when developed with lace, chiffon and ribbon flowers, but are more suitable for the guest room in the town house.

An ordinary small kitchen table may be used for the frame of any one of the dressing tables and if a new one is to be purchased, an unpainted one is best. An old dressing table can also be refreshed, of course, by following the same general directions.

A mirror simple in line is inexpensive if it is cut to order at the glazier's and frames a picture shop. An unpainted molding may be used and decorated at home to harmonize with the dressing table and bench.

### How to Cover

The bench may be adapted from an ordinary chair by sawing off the back and painting. All the tables illustrated have glass tops. Have the hardware dealer use a piece of salvaged plate glass, cutting it exactly the size of the table top. Measure with a ruler and give the exact size when ordering the glass. If too small or too large the effect will be unsightly. The salvaged glass is very much cheaper than the regular stock and is entirely satisfactory for the tops of furniture even though a few scratches appear, as these do not show when used over cloth or a painted surface.

The ruffle skirt of the dressing table may be tacked to the edge

of the table or sewed in a seam to the top piece. Various ways may be employed in covering the edge and tacks. Bias folds of the plain material, upholstery braid, double ruffles and ruching make neat finishes, or a broad band scalloped is very smart. Where ruffles are used a foundation is necessary. For foundation allow one and one-half times the measurement of three sides of the table for fullness and also allow for a two-inch hem at lower edge. Cut the ruffles on and one half times the measurement of the foundation ruffle. When a sheer material is used, plain saten of pastel tint can be tacked to the table top. If the cover is to be laundered, sew the material in a seam to the top piece.

The single ruffled skirt on a dressing table is graceful and appropriate for any type of room, but a more formal effect can be gained by pleating the material either in sides pleats, in box pleats. For side pleats allow twice the length of your table measurements and for box pleats two and a half times. The skirts made of two or more ruffles give to the dressing table a more informal appearance and are a very dainty addition to the summer bedroom.

If a table with shelves cannot be found, any carpenter can attach some to the table legs. Sometimes a set of shelves is attached to the wall itself and the table placed over them. In either case the table and shelves should be painted alike.

To get the shelves two doors may be made as follows:

Here two strips of wood the proper length are hinged to the table frame at either side and the ruffled material attached to them. Painted knobs are then screwed in place and the two doors while not noticeable when closed, will be found very convenient if the dressing table is to be used as a practical cupboard.

The bench cushions should match the dressing tables, and silene-cloth material is excellent to use as a base. Apply the motifs before making up the bench covers, whether pasted or sewn.

### A shade to match

Use an old shade for a guide whose roller that has been fitted to the window so as to obtain ac-

curate measurements. Remove all tacks and patent fasteners and cut Holland cloth, chintz or cretonne by the old shade, allowing a hem deep enough to hold the stick. When a scalloped edge is used make a casing wide enough for the stick and stitch with long stitches to the wrong side of the shade placing the casing about two inches above the scalloped edge. To finish the sides of the shade turn down a flat seam with out turning in and stitch on the sewing machine. Spread the shade on the floor with the old one so that it matches exactly and tack the shade along the same line on the roller as previously used. The very smallest tacks are necessary for attachment to the roller. While decorating the shade, applying the motifs or designs for hand painting, be very careful not to crack the glazed surface of the Holland cloth or glazed chint. Apply applique motifs with liquid glue or rubber cement. If scalloped, finish with braid or upholstery fringe and arrange a pull cord to arreyelet in the center of the stick.

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### MOVIE GOSSIP

Priscilla Dean is home again and settled down in a fashionable apartment-hotel in the Wilshire district. She is starting work shortly in "People vs Nancy Preston," her first picture in some months, following a lengthy personal appearance tour throughout the country. Her company will be located at the Hollywood Studios.

It has just come to light that Mary Pickford was a beneficiary under the will of the late Eleanor Duse. The bequest consisted of a quaint little portable dressing table, which the tragedienne took with her always on her tours. Mary declares, quite properly enough, that it will always be one of her most cherished possessions.

Jane and Katherine Lee, former juvenile screen stars, have returned to Hollywood after a national vaudeville tour and plans to re-enter a home in Hollywood. Numerous social events are being planned in their honor by their many film friends. Jane and Katherine are quite grown-up ladies, now.

There was much excitement at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios recently when Eleanor Boardman was knocked unconscious by a bad fall received while playing in Elinor Glyn's picture. She was rushed to the hospital and first aid administered. All the actors on the set hurried to the hospital with her and the doctor and Miss Glyn succeeded in bringing her back to consciousness. She is none the worse for the accident now, and was back at work in a day or two.

Read "The Homesteader."

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### The State of Texas, County of Briscoe

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estates of John D. Rhea, Sr. Deceased, or Mrs. Mary J. Rhea, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed and qualified as Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Mary J. Rhea, deceased, late of Briscoe County, Texas, at the regular March term of the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estates, or persons having claims against said Estates will please see us in person or address J. F. J. Rhea, Lockney, Texas, or P. V. Rhea, McLean, Texas, or address either of us at Silverton, Texas, care T. L. Anderson, County Clerk.  
J. F. J. Rhea.  
P.V. Rhea. 16-4

First Class cleaning and pressing—City Tailor Shop.

## Letter from Mrs. McClendon

Hinsdale, Mont. Aug 9-25.

Briscoe County News; Silverton. I will try and write some of the many interesting things I saw on my trip. The little city of Raton is certainly a wonderful place, in beauty and engineering. It is hard to surpass the road over the mountain was a wonderful piece of skillful work, all the dangerous places and the beautiful scenery are brought out very forcibly.

After one crosses the pass mining is the main industry. Trinidad is an old mining town and cattle town, and has many substantial and beautiful buildings, most all bearing marks of age. We passed many little mining towns until we come to Walsenburg, Colo., which is another old town. I saw a large brick public school building that was built in 1884 in Walsenburg.

Pueblo, Colo., the next city was wonderful in its beautiful homes and parks and other civic improvements. Denver is really wonderful as there are so many manufacturing plants, mine railroads, 34 parks and so many nice homes. Colorado has the best homes and school buildings of any state I have been in. Denver has a population of 256,491.

Cheyenne was having its annual celebration and everything was in confusion, there was a very large crowd and the traffic cop was having lots of trouble getting every one placed. The state of Wyoming has many large streams, beautiful wheatfields, alfalfa, sugar beets, sheep and cat-

### PAUL ODOR HERE GREETING HIS FRIENDS

From Amarillo Globe—  
Paul Odor, editor of the Briscoe County News, published at Silverton, is here visiting and shaking hands with his friends. Mr. Odor has many friends and they are mighty glad to see him again.

Mr. Odor is a great booster for the Silverton country and says he expects to see it become a second Amarillo.

Piano for sale: Worth more than we ask. Terms, Silverton D. Goods Co.

tle ranches. Saw several small oil fields, Teapot Dome holdings and Miles City the last city we passed through was a lively plains town which had an old Fort near by and several manufacturing plants.

Resp.  
Mrs. Mary McClendon.

### MUNDAY PIONEERS GO TO NEW HOME

From Munday Times:—

John S. Fisher and wife left on Thursday with their household effects for Silverton, Texas, where they will make their future home. Mr. Fisher has been there for several months, but Mrs. Fisher has remained here until now and they have continued to call Munday their home.

The departure of these excellent people from our community is deeply regretted, for they have always taken an active part in all movements for the betterment of the community, and both Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will be greatly missed.

Mr. Fisher is one of the pioneer citizens of the Munday country, having come here in 1886 with his parents. At that time there was no Munday. The Fisher family first settled in the Rouden community, and at that time there were no neighbors for miles around and in the immediate vicinity of where the town of Mun-

day now stands there were only a few scattering settlers.

Mr. Fisher is indeed one of the pioneer business men of this city, having been connected with the drug business in Munday since 1901 until he sold his business about a year ago. Since 1905 he had been engaged in the drug business here for himself, and was indeed a pioneer in this business in Munday.

Mrs. Fisher has resided here since 1906, having come here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Peek, from Tennessee, shortly after the coming of the railroad to Munday they came here. She has always taken an active part in civic undertakings and has given freely of her time and means for all worthy undertakings, and her place will be difficult to fill.

While we deeply regret to chronicle the departure of these excellent citizens, we are pleased to commend them to the good people of Silverton, for they deserve the very best in the land, and we wish for them a full measure of prosperity and contentment in their new home.

Mr. J. A. Fisher, who has made his home with his son here for many years, will spend some time with his daughter, Mrs. N. S. Kilgore, at Benjamin, and will likely spend some of his time with Mr. and Mrs. Fisher at Silverton.



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# Quitaque News of Interest

Messrs A. L. Van Meter and A. L. Patterson made a flying trip to Silverton last Friday.

Miss Laura Elizabeth Cantrell of Whiteright is visiting her sister Mrs. W. E. Wall.

Mr. Cantrell and son have returned to Whiteright after visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wall.

Miss Cloyd and Laura Ella Coffee of Silverton visited Quitaque one day this week.

L. B. Patterson has returned from Rails, where he visited a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ewing of Estellene spent one day this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Ewing, while here they went kodacking.

Mrs. Wakefield is on the sick list.

Rev. Wise of La., has been conducting a revival for the last two weeks. There has been 50 additions. We are sorry that he has left Quitaque. May God's richest blessings rest on him where ever he goes in his work.

Dr. Price and wife attended the medical meeting at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tunnell took their son, Jack, to Memphis for treatment.

Mr. Mills, our insurance man, assisted in the singing at Baptist meeting.

Mrs. Ernest Tunnell and son, have returned from Memphis.

A. L. Patterson, wife and daughter are back from Ft. Worth and Dallas where they went to buy Fall goods.

Mr. W. E. Well's father, mother and sister visited him lately.

Mr. Charles Googor of Decater, an old friend of the O. E. Hutcherson's paid them a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig from Ariz., are here visiting for a few days.

Miss Lizzie Gregg has an assistant of 15 years experience, Miss Emily Russell of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham have returned from Amarillo where

they had Marceles and Margrets tonsils removed.

R. W. Hendricks representative of the Magnolia Oil Co. and D. E. Pitts, of Matador, were business visitors here Tuesday.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new theatre building.

Dr. E. C. Price has bought 3 residence lots from G. Tunnell and expects to start the erection of a modern home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pitt and sons and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wall and daughter, Billie, of Gunter, visited W. E. Wall and wife recently.

## GASOLINE NEWS

Crops in this section of the country are looking fine.

Quite a large crowd attended singing in the new church Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Bedwell and Mrs. Chandler visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. King Sunday.

W. E. Marrison and family, Henry Myers and wife, left Friday for Colorado and other places.

H. J. Bedwell and his small son San Lewis, Jr. have been visiting in Ark. for the past two weeks, will return in a few days, his mother will accompany them home.

L. L. Rogers and family, J. T. Rogers and family all left last week for Ark., to visit friends and relatives.

W. H. Parker and family have returned from East Texas where they have been visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. Emma Richardson and children of Sulphur, Okla., are visiting with her sister, Mrs. B. L. Chandler.

J. B. and W. V. Chandler have purchased new Ford Trucks recently.

Mrs. Ida Mott and daughter Irma have returned from Meadow, Texas, where she has been on a visit to her Brother's.

Henry Bedwell has purchased a lot in Gasoline and will erect a building on same, for a restaurant.

Porter Glascock of East Tex., has bought a lot in Gasoline and will put in a Drug Store.

W. J. Carter and family are visiting in Okla.

W. M. Tracy and family, Misses Erma and Ina Bradshaw are visiting in Northern Ark. They say they are having a wonderful time

## EWING SELLS "KEEN KUTTER" KNIVES and KEEPS 'EM KEEN

J. W. Ewing, popular hardware, implement and furniture man of Quitaque, not only sells pocket knives but he "services" them.

Mr. Ewing has in his store the largest whetrock in the county. It is about 14 inches long and is placed conveniently near the front of the store and available for use by anyone. Mr. Ewing is himself an expert at sharpening knives and can put a "keen" edge on a knife quicker than most anyone you ever saw, and quicker than ever if it is a "Keen Kutter" he says.

Aside from pocket knives, he handles the same brand of shears, kitchen knives, safety razors, etc.

Mr. Ewing has just recently separated the furniture from the hardware stock and placed it in a different room in his store.

The City Tailor Shop has recently installed a new boiler and drying room enabling them to turn out work more rapidly in any kind of weather.

H. C. Gardner, of Hagerman, has been secured as assistant cashier by the First National Bank of Quitaque. Mr. Gardner has had about 10 years experience in the banking business and is considered a valuable addition to the personal of the bank. He has purchased a home from P. C. Hamilton and has already moved his family here.

## U. S LABOR DIV. AIDS COTTON FARMERS

was tremendous. Neither the farmers nor the private agencies had proper information as to where help might be found, nor any system of recruiting such labor and directing it in an orderly manner and in right numbers to the proper places at the times when needed. As a result there was much useless and expensive travel; there was no equitable distribution, one section was continually robbing another; there was constant "jumping" of prices attended by a vast amount of time lost by workers and loss of crops to producers.

Today with a central office at Fort Worth, a permanent branch office at San Antonio and temporary field offices at important points throughout the state, cooperating with the county agents all chamber of commerce's, all police departments, all sheriff's and their deputies, by use of the telephones and the telegraph and the assistance of the newspapers, the farm labor Division is in daily touch with each section of the state, knows where help may be obtained, where it is most needed and how and when it can be secured. Under this organization and plan of cooperation, with each succeeding year less time is lost by the workers and more money saved to the farmers for the cotton is picked in less time and with less loss.

Seasonal farm labor is the most difficult class to handle and the hardest to supply. It is difficult to handle it because it is almost invariably emergency labor. It is hard to supply because the call may come for several thousand laborers to be furnished on short notice for short time employment periods. In no other field of activity does the element of chance play so important a role as in the production of farm products. Particularly is this true as applying to cotton. No two seasons are alike. Each season presents its own problems based on the conditions of that particular season. Therefore no definite rules of procedure can be laid down in advance and adhered to strictly.

The Farm Labor Division is by no means infallible, but with the assistance of all cooperating agencies it is able to render val-

uable service to the cotton producers of Texas. The success of this service is based largely upon accurate information as to acreages, dates of cotton opening the progress of the picking at it advances from south to the north, wages paid, the labor needs of each section, the transportation facilities and cost, the most direct route between points, the source of supply from which labor can be recruited, and living conditions to be provided laborers. This information must be accurate and its dissemination fair and impartial.

## More Thorough Organization Needed

If the farmers of each distinct cotton-opening section would hold a meeting a few days before there was actual need for pickers, would designate some banker or representative of the chamber of commerce or one of the farmers to act as correspondent and as agent during the cotton picking season in each locality, who would keep the central office of the U. S. Farm Labor Division in Fort Worth informed all of the time as to the actual conditions, fewer pickers would be needed for Texas as a whole, and the pickers could be moved from one section to another in an orderly manner, saving both the farmers and workers vast sums of money. Judged by past experience there is in each community a banker or chamber of commerce that will gladly act as agent and correspondent.

To render the maximum of as-

sistance the Labor division needs the following information:

How many pounds of cotton the average picker can gather per day.

How many single hands will be cared for.

The price per 100 pounds for the first picking and for the second picking.

Whether all nationalities will be acceptable.

Whether transportation will be advanced on delivery.

The housing conditions that will be provided families.

The price per 100 pounds with and without board.

It is important to know at the central office when the first picking will be over, for when that time arrives in most communities there can be quite a large release of pickers to move to the next nearest station.

It is important for each community to make certain that the vagrancy law is not abused, for many pickers go to the fields because of the publicity this Department maintains, and if arrested while on their way they become discouraged and often return home.

During the cotton picking season temporary offices will be maintained in the centers where the greatest assistance may be rendered, with men on the road all of the time gathering first hand information that may be of assistance in the work of directing help to the fields.

## One Directing Office Desirable

Cotton predominates over a vast area of the State of Texas. The proper care of the crop requires many thousands of seasonal laborers. Failure or loss of the cotton crop seriously affects the producers, merchants, bankers

and all of the people of the State. Upon the cotton crop and the many millions of dollars it represents depend not only the well-being of Texas but those directly engaged in its production but also the prosperity of the entire country.

There will be an unusually large demand for cotton pickers in Texas this year. The State is so large and its needs so great that its labor requirements can be met only through perfect cooperation and through a central directing headquarters. There can be no discrimination or partiality if the best results are to be attained and the labor needs of all sections of the state are to be met. To render the maximum of assistance to farmers, laborers and business interest is the desire of the Farm Labor Division of the U. S. Employment Service.

All farmers and all agents of farmers are urged to write, wire or telephone needs and all information to the Fort Worth or San Antonio offices or to one of the temporary field offices throughout the state for accurate and reliable information of employment needs and for direction to the fields where pickers are needed.

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HE'S SITTING ON A TACK



WELL, TELL HIM TO GET RIGHT UP



I DID, BUT HE'S TOO LAZY



**BETTER FARMING DEPARTMENT**

Conducted by the Vocational Agricultural Department of the Silvertown High School under the direction of Prof. W. M. Gourley.

**PRESERVING EGGS FOR WINTER USE**

Perhaps the best guarantee that a housewife will have for eggs during the winter months is to preserve some of the summer eggs when the prices are low and the product on is greatest. It very frequently happens that people do not have enough eggs on hand to supply their own table during the winter. Eggs are too high usually at this time to buy what you actually need. The writer for the past three years has preserved enough eggs to last for a big part of the winter, and has sold the fresh eggs at that time for a very good price. I believe this is a good practice for any farmer to follow. The process of preserving is not difficult nor is it expensive. It will cost some 3 to 5 cents per dozen and when eggs are selling for 20 cts per dozen now, and the same eggs worth 50 or 60 cts. per dozen 90 days from now, it is a profitable thing to do.

sun. Heat 20 to 24 quarts of water to the boiling point and allow to cool. When cooled measure out 18 quarts of water, 9 qts. to each jar and add to each 1 quart of sodium silicate. Stir thoroughly. Place in cellar or dugout and keep well covered. Add eggs to containers until within two inches of the top of water. Each jar will hold 15 dozen average sized eggs. After filling seal jars with cheese cloth and paraffin wax, to prevent evaporation.

**Kind of Eggs suited for preserving**

Infertile eggs, clean, fresh, uniform size. Do not use fertile eggs for the results will not be satisfactory. Care should be taken in placing eggs in container not to crack any. A large cook spoon or dipper is desirable in filling jars. The eggs will keep for 6 to 10 months when prepared this way.

Suppose you want to preserve 30 dozen eggs—you will need two five gallon jars and 2 quarts of sodium silicate. Scald these jars and allow them to dry in the

Miss Kate Bullard is visiting friends here this week. Miss Bullard formerly taught here and at Rock Creek but is now teaching in New Mexico.

Miner Crawford and Jim Whitely went to Turkey Tuesday on business.

**ANTELOPE ANTICS**

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. D. Rhea, Jr. and children and Chas Bullock of Lockney spent several days in the W.N. Bullock home this week.

Mrs. Dessie Wilson and children of Murray, Texas, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. J. Rhea and daughters, Misses Alice and Enla of Lockney are visiting friends and relatives on the Flat. Mr. and Mrs. Rhea went to Wellington and brought a truck load of peaches which they sold very rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heckman, who have been visiting on the plains came in Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ashel Cross accompanied them home and spent the night.

Sanford, David and Iry Graves of Sudan spent the week with home folks. Their brother, Sam returned with them and will stay on the plains for some time.

Evette Waldrop whose arm was broken in a runaway some three weeks ago and who has been with his sister, Mrs. Albert Bruce of Clarendon, since, came home Thursday and we are glad to state that his arm is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Riley of Seagraves visited the lady's sister, Mrs. L.L. Waldrop this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Stevens entertained with a party for young folks Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cotton and children of Grandbury, Texas, who have been visiting Mr. Edens and Mr. Conn left for their home Monday. Mr. Edens and daughters, Carolyn, Margret and Henrietta and sons, Harry Bill and Steve accompanied them and will spend some time visiting friends and relatives there.

Messrs W. N. Bullock and Clarence Bullock were Clarendon goers Monday.

Mrs. R. Graves and daughter, Miss Adelle were shopping in Clarendon Monday.

Mr. Dan Dean, our city's successful merchant made his usual Monday trip for weekly supplies today.

Mrs. Alice Durham and children of Webster are visiting their son and brother, Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Graves, W. N. Bullock and son, Iry were Pampa visitors Saturday.

Rev. Evans of Leslie is conducting a revival meeting which began Saturday night.

Mrs. Martin and Whaley of Panhandle made a short visit with their sister, Mrs. Wm Heckman Sunday.

was necessary to train a special service promotion representative and an assistant in each Chevrolet zone territory, whose primary duty was to go into every Chevrolet dealer's service station and remain there long enough to put into effect the methods suggested by the Chevrolet Motor Co.

The schedule of work to be done by the service promotion representative covers the arrangement of the shop, so that the work benches and tool equipment will be properly placed for efficient service and maximum service space for the handling of the largest number of cars possible without congestion; the installation of special tools, which will enable the service station to render fast and efficient repair work at the lowest cost; arranging the stockroom and setting up the proper supply of service parts; establishing a flat rate system of repairs, so that the car owner will know exactly how much any particular repair job is going to cost him.

Another very important duty of Chevrolet service promotion representative is to train the service men in the dealer's organization not only in the proper use of the special tool equipment and in the handling of the repair work, but also in the manner in which they should contract with the car owners.

Record is kept of the activities of the Chevrolet service promotion representatives, so that when these men once start working on a dealers service station, they are not given release on this work until their record indicates that everything has been taken care of and the job has been completed 100%.

It is the expectation, from what has already been accomplished, to place every Chevrolet service station in a position to give quick service to its customers; quote reasonable prices before starting the work; and to insure satisfactory repair work to the car owner.

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A great deal has been said about rendering proper service on automobiles to owners. As a result of the many articles that have been written on this subject, there has been constant improvement in automobile service. However, "Actions speak louder than words," and the Chevrolet Motor Company, in its attempt to get rapid action towards the betterment of service, decided not only to lay down policies, but to spend

money in assisting dealers by practical work on how they could actually render better service to their customers.

In order to do this, a year ago last August the Chevrolet Motor Company planned a campaign with its dealer organization and service stations to arrange their shops, equipment and personnel along lines that would actually give the type of service that every automobile owner desires. To accomplish this with our large dealer organization, consisting of approximately 6500 dealers, it

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