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## Prize Winners Announced In High School Community Fair

Silvertown's community fair was held last Friday and Saturday under the auspices of the school. While not quite as big as the Amarillo fair, it was a decided success financially. The quality and number of exhibits was not quite as good as had been expected on account of the inclemency of the weather. W. M. Gourley's absence during the time of preparation of the fair was against it also as he was the one who had first suggested it and his department looked after the exhibits.

Those in charge were loud in their praise of the Silvertown business men who contributed the prizes which had much to do with the success of the affair. Following is a list of the prize winners and the prizes they received. This list may not be entirely accurate and is not complete but is as nearly so as could be obtained.

Best ten ears corn, First—Bob Turner—All Gold Coffee \$1.75 by Fort and Company.  
Second—Eural Vaughn—  
Best Yellow Dent Corn—1 can Cold Patch—Cottage Station.  
Best Popcorn, First—Bob Turner \$1.00 by G. A. Nix.  
Best Cotton, First—Eural Vaughn—Farmers Gin gin a bale.  
Best Peck of Wheat, First—Edd Thomas—50c by Ragland and Cleaning 1 suit of clothes.  
Best ten heads of maize, First—T. J. Crass—\$1. by Graves.  
Second—Bob Turner.  
Third—Leroy Skeen.  
Best ten heads of kafir, First—Bob Turner—\$1. by Graves.  
Second—Chick Northcutt.  
Best peck Sweet Potatoes, First—Richard Poe—\$1. by T. L. Anderson.  
Best Garden Display, First—True Burson—1 can cold patch.  
Second—Edwin Crass.

**Poultry**  
Best Rhode Island Red, First—Mrs. Cox—\$5. in trade at Silvertown Lumber Company.  
Best pen Barded Rocks, First—Bob Turner—Body Polish given by Super Service Station.  
White Leghorn, First—True Burson—1 sack Gold Medal Flour, by Puckett Gro. Co.  
Best dozen eggs, First—Mrs. J.D. Grewe—1 yr Subscription to Briscoe County News.

**Home Economics Dept.**  
Best Angle Food Cake, First—Mrs. T. L. Anderson.  
Second—Mrs. J.J. Breaker.  
Best Apple Pie—Mrs. C. D. Wright—10lbs. sugar by R.M. King Gro. Company.  
Best Lemon Pie, First—Mrs. Alma Cloyd—Material for dress by Silvertown Dry Goods Co.  
Second—Viba Merrill.

Best display Preserves, First—Mrs. M. K. Summers—10lbs. sugar—South Side Grocery.  
Second—Mrs. Patton.  
Best Display of Jellies, First—Mrs. G.C. Patton—Angle Food Cake—Newman Cafe.  
Display canned Fruit, First—Devil Food Cake—City Cafe to J. N. Pitts.  
Second—Mrs. M.K. Summers.  
Third—Home Ec. Dept.

Best Kitchen Apron, First—Mrs. D. M. Morgan.  
Second—Arlene Miller.  
Best Set Table Linen, First—Mrs.

## CARPENTER FALLS FROM ROOF; IS PAINFULLY HURT

J.W. Brannon, one of the crew of carpenters from Munday, that has been building a house for T. J. Hodges on his place three miles north of town, was painfully injured Saturday afternoon when he fell from the roof of the building. He landed on a part of a broken fruit jar and pieces of glass went several inches into his flesh. Dr. T. A. Moore gave him treatment, but the cuts proved so serious that he returned to his home at Munday Tuesday.

W. A. Boone returned Wednesday from Breckenridge where he had gone to take his daughter, Mrs. Pearl Seese who had been at home recuperating from an operation. Mrs. Seese has returned to her work with the Woman's Institute with her headquarters at Dallas.

J. R. Davis and family of Quitaque visited in Silvertown Friday and Saturday.

J. M. Rister and Claude Woods of Munday were here Saturday. Mr. Rister has rented the Shorty Davis place for 1926.

Miss Ruth La Velle, of New York City is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. M. Boyer. Miss La Velle is a dancer with a big time vaudeville act.

Max Crawford—\$2. Dr. Breaker  
Second—Mrs. G.C. Patton.  
Third—Mrs. C.D. Wright.

Best Article of Embroidery, First Mrs. Max Crawford—Silk Humming Bird Hose—H.M. Bowers  
Second—Mrs. J.J. Breaker.  
Third—Mrs. G. C. Patton.

Best Article of Tatting, First—Eunice Cox—6 cup Perculator J.A. Bain Hardware Co.  
Second Eunice Cox  
Third—Grace Pharr.

**Better Baby Dept.**  
Under one year of age, First Mrs. D. Pharr—Baby Cup—Mrs. Fisher.  
Under 2 years of age, First—Mrs. W.D. Graves—Cap or Hat by Douglas & Whiteside.

Under 3 years of age, First—Mrs. Luther Fowler—Fresh Rose Hair Tonic—Jas Boyer.

**School Exhibit**  
Best Class Exhibit, First—4th Grade—1 yr. Sub. to Briscoe County News.  
Best Individual Work, First—\$3.50 Edison Fountain Pen—City Drug.

**Art Work.**  
Best Display Painted China Ware First—Mrs. Jno Burson—Silk Hose by Crouthers Cash Store  
Second Mrs. Frank Bain.  
Third—Mildred Cloyd.

Best Display of Painted Pictures First—Mrs. Frank Bain—1 year subscription Briscoe Co. News.  
Second—Mrs. C.D. Wright

## YOUTH SERIOUSLY HURT AT QUITAQUE IN CAR ACCIDENT

The 10 year old son of Sam Allen was seriously injured Sunday noon at Quitaque when run over by a car being driven by Everett Boyles. The Allens are visiting Mr. Allen's father, grandpa Allen.

## CHILD IS KILLED IN GIN AT KRESS

From Plainview Herald. . . . The two-year-old baby of R. F. Shelton of Kress was instantly killed this afternoon when it stepped on the main belt of the gin at Kress. It was thrown across the room and the entire top of its head, torn off.

A bale of cotton was ginned in the plant last week. Mr. Shelton who is one of the owners of the property, was running the gin and adjusting the machinery when the accident happened.

## SCHOOL PLAY IS PRODUCED BY MRS. C.D. WRIGHT

The Junior play given Saturday night as the closing feature of the Community Fair was well received by the large audience in attendance. Preceding the play a number of specialties were given including a make-believe broadcasting program. Edward Minyard did the announcing from station A B C and the listeners heard a familiar bed story, and imitation of Gali Curci and a negro dialogue.

Misses Anna Burson, Loreta Pyeatt and Lillian Dickerson presented a pretty little dancing act featuring the "Charleston Step." Misses Ruby Bomar and Laura Ella Coffee sang one of the present day popular hits. The Silvertown Radio Orchestra gave several numbers during the program.

The play was entitled "Just fun", written and produced by Mrs. C. D. Wright, and was a laugh from start to finish. It was presented in a playmanship like manner. A modern fapper, a negro comedian and a Bolsheviki were the principle characters and the plot was made for laughing purposes only. Many compliments were heard for the author and players.

A short program was given Saturday afternoon advertising the play. Those that took part in the entertainment were:

Maxine Frieze, Arabel Crouthers, Geane Jackson, Buck Jones, Jim Stevenson, Bill Thompson, Ruby Bomar, Laura Ella Coffee, Edward Minyard, Anna Burson, Lora Pyeatt, Lillian Dickerson, Ernest Dickerson, Tomas Earl Daniels, John D. Warren and Ira Nix.

## BRISCOE COUNTY MAKES HIGH SCORE AT AMARILLO FAIR

Considered from the standpoint of scores, the first nine counties at the Tri-State Fair were very close together, Hartley County taking first place with 945 points and Briscoe County ninth with 827 points out of a possible 1000. The lowest score made was 358 points.

Following is the scoring by points of Floyd and Briscoe Counties:

	Floyd	Briscoe
Attractiveness	84	85
Grain and Sorghums	150	170
Wheat and Cotton	100	176
Oats and Barley	63	65
Alfalfa, Sw. Clover etc	70	60
Peanuts and cowpeas	35	45
Fruits	60	50
Forage crops	45	40
Vegetables	60	56
Other crops	85	75
Total for each county	842	828

Mrs. W. F. Hardin, of Munday who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Stodghill, returned home Sunday.

## SILVERTON PLAYS FIRST GAME FOOTBALL FOR THIS SEASON

Friday October second the Silvertown boys played their first football game of the season. The game was played in the home field. The line up of the Silvertown team was as follows:

Jim Stevenson—Center.  
Arthur Thomas—Right Guard  
Greene Buchanan—Right Tackle  
Johnny McClendon—Right End  
Edwin Crass—Left Guard.  
Prince Brown—Left Tackle  
Robert Hill—Left End.  
True Burson—Full Back.  
Price Stone—Quarter Back  
Ted Woods—Right H. Back.  
Willie Hardcastle—Left H. Back.

At the end of the first half the score was 6-7 in favor of Lockney.

The second half O'Neil Watson was substituted in the place of Edwin Crass for Left Guard, the only change of players during the entire game.

The last half of the game a Lockney man caught a forward pass and ran for a touch down, this left the score 6 to 13 in favor of Lockney. The Silvertown boys will play Tulia, at Tulia, Friday October 9th.

## COTTON BRINGS GOOD PRICE; GINS DO GOOD WORK

It is reported that many cotton raising farmers started the picking of their cotton the first of the week, at least one day this week the gins had a run of about fifteen bales and had the weather remained fair it is said much more would have rolled in the next day. Some farmers are getting out several bales a day when the weather permits.

Cotton buyers regret that so many of the farmers are only snapping their cotton this early, for they say that when they half to start shipping a low grade of cotton at the beginning of the season it leaves the impression at the other end of the line that that will be our best cotton, and the big cotton mills, as a rule, are not wanting this grade. It is hoped that the weather fairs up and some good picked cotton shows up.

The Silvertown Gins have been doing excellent work considering the kind of "stuff" they have had to deal with. It is said that many bales of snaps will come from the farms where the hail hit and the farmer is justified in snapping it as the bolls were so badly damaged by the hail that the cotton would be a low grade even if hand picked.

Cotton has sold at a high price on the streets here and it is said that the buyers will continue to pay all the market will justify, in fact authentic news has reached here that a party offered his cotton for sale to the buyers here but was not satisfied, so hauled it to another town and had to take a loss of a few dollars on the cotton at that market, saying nothing of the haul.

The price has weakened considerably this week, however, not because of any local conditions, but the spot market in New York has taken a great tumble.

Messrs Patton and Carter freighted the first two loads of cotton for the season to Tulia Wednesday, and it was learned by them there that that was the first to be shipped from there; they also learned that the Gin at Tulia had ginned one bale.

### First Game Law

The Bible furnishes the first game law. For the protection of doves, pigeons, sparrows, quail, lark, and such birds used by the Israelites as food, Deuteronomy 22:6 says: "If a bird's nest chance to be before thee in any tree, or on the ground. . . thou shalt not take the dam with the young. . . but shall let the dam go and take the young."

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## Briscoe County to Have Exhibit at Dallas Fair for First Time

### EX-SERVICE MEN WILL ORGANIZE LEGION HERE

A meeting of ex-service men was held last night (Thursday) at the Court House and it was definitely decided to go into the organization of a local post of the American Legion.

The meeting was called by E.E. Merrell and those in attendance expressed themselves as enthusiastic for the organization. Application for charter will be made just as soon as the necessary blanks are received.

Those present at the meeting were: E.E. Merrell, C. M. Jasper, F.M. Higgins, J.C. Pharr, W. B. Hill, Charlie Crowe, Jim Whiteley, Jim P. Baker, A.B. Childress, J. A. Davis, Raymond Posten, H. G. Cox and Paul I. Odor.

Another meeting will be called when the application blanks arrive.

### C. of C. THANKS MEN WHO WORKED ON CO. EXHIBIT

The Chamber of Commerce, at a called meeting Monday night, passed enthusiastically a resolution thanking those who worked so untiringly in helping to put over the county exhibit at the Tri-State Fair and made it possible to take a creditable exhibit to the Dallas Fair. It was officially voted to send the exhibit to Dallas and the finance committee was instructed to raise the additional necessary money. W. M. Gourley and C. J. Witherspoon devoted more time and energy than anybody else to collecting and arranging the exhibit at Amarillo, and Chester Skeen and Mr. Todd gave them valuable assistance in running errands and decorating the booth. June Simpson and Claude Turner hauled the exhibit to Amarillo. A.E. Frieze, H.R. Brown and H. M. Bowers served on the finance committee and raised the money to pay the expenses of the exhibit by soliciting the local business firms.

A. E. Bilbrey of Altus, and David Bilbrey of Olustee, Okla., uncles of Mrs. J.S. Fisher, have been visiting here. Also Miss Clara Bilbrey, of Cooksville, Tenn who will visit Mrs. Fisher for a week. T.P. Peek, father of Mrs. Fisher returned to Oklahoma with the Messrs Bilbrey's.

Miss Jo Haynes, after a two weeks visit with home folks, has returned to her work. Mrs. Mary Daniels has also been visiting her mother, Mrs. Haynes.

J.E. Roden of Quitaque was a business visitor in Silvertown Saturday.

## New World's Champion Cowboy



Bob Crosby, the new world's champion cowboy, with the cup that he won at the recent Pendleton (Ore.) roundup. He won the cup from Paddy Ryan. The trophy was awarded by the Roosevelt hotel, New York, in memory of the love that Theodore Roosevelt had for cowboy sports.

## The World Series Is Now on the Air



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AMARILLO TRI-STATE EXPOSITION

Despite the claims of the smaller towns as having the "biggest fair in the West", Amarillo staged an exposition recently that assumed the proportions of a state fair. It was a "tri-state" fair in name and reality as there were many exhibits and people from the adjoining states of Oklahoma and New Mexico. In quality and quantity of agricultural, livestock and machinery exhibits there are very few state fairs that equal the displays found at the Amarillo Fair. The entertainment features included everything one could expect from the world's biggest circus, on the opening day, down to the "Mexican dancing beans" which danced every day.

Amarillo should not be discouraged because the fair was not a success financially. An attendance of more than 60,000 proves that the Panhandle is supporting the fair. With more experience and friendlier weather the exposition will be self supporting. It seems to us that a "business" that has 60,000 customers per year and does a \$40,000 business needs and will support at least one man who is highly specialized in his line, for his whole time. A \$40,000 business is out of the "side line" class. An exposition such as the one at Amarillo should have an expert at the head of it.

On visiting Amarillo, one notes the rapid building program that is now in progress and sees the metropolitan airs that she is taking on. Amarillo is fast becoming the real city of the Panhandle.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

Grapefruit

Grapefruit is so named because on the tree it clusters like a bunch of grapes. A native of the East India Islands it was brought to Florida in 1890. For years the crop proved unsaleable because taste for the fruit had to be cultivated. Likeness for it gradually grew until today it is one of the most extensively grown fruits.

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The State of Texas, County of Briscoe, On this the 17th day of September, A. D. 1925, the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, being in regular session, there came on to be considered a petition of T. E. Boyles, and 53 other persons praying that an election be ordered to be held at Quitaque, Texas, to determine whether or not a 2-3 majority of the property tax paying voters residing within the hereinafter described territory and voting at said election desire the creation of a road district for the purpose of constructing, maintaining, operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turn pikes or in aid thereof. Said proposed road district to be voted on is to be composed of the following described territory, to-wit: Beginning at point in the S. line of Briscoe County, Texas, where said County line crosses the W. line of Section 102, Blk. G. M.; thence N. about 5 1/2 miles to the N.W. corner of section 119, Cert. No. 3-401; thence N. 5 miles to the N.W. corner of section 136, Cert. No. 4-601; thence E. 2 miles to the S.W. corner of section 59, Cert. 152; thence N. 1 mile to the N.W. corner of said section No. 591; thence E. about 2 miles to the S.E. corner of the Q. E. Brown preemption; thence N. to the N.E. corner of said Q. E. Brown preemption; thence E. 1/2 to the S. E. corner of the J.W. Boehmes preemption; thence N. to the N. W. corner of section 63, Blk. E-2 Cert. 154, thence E. with section lines to the S.E. corner of section 38, school file 2724; thence

N. about 1/4 mile to the S.W. corner of section 30 of the Leon Blum Blk. W. thence E. about 1/2 mile to the county line of Briscoe County; thence S. with the E. county line to point where said county line crosses the N. section line of section 67 Cert. No. 2-876; thence W. to the E. line of section 60, Cert. 2-802; Thence N. 59, Cert. No. 2-802; Thence W. 1/2 mile to the S. W. corner of said section No. 59; thence S. to the S.E. corner of section No. 53, Cert. No. 2-889; thence W. 1 mile to the S.W. corner of said section thence N. about 1/4 mile to the S. E. corner of section No. 44, Cert. No. 2-884; thence W. 2 miles to the S.W. corner of section 41, Cert. No. 2-883; thence S. to the S.E. corner of section No. 31, Blk. No. 3 T. & P. Ry, thence W. 1/2 mile; thence S. passing through the middle of sections No. 32, 33 and 34, to the S. line of Briscoe County; thence W. with the S. line of Briscoe county Texas, to a place of beginning. It appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax paying voters of said territory and that said petition is in all respects duly and legally prepared and presented to this court in accordance with the acts of the 39 legislature of the State of Texas, as shown in chapter 133 of said acts, same being Senate bill No. 314. It is therefore considered ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that an election be held at Quitaque, Texas, within said described territory on Oct. 19th, 1925, which is not less than 3 days from date of this order to determine whether or not a 2-3 majority of the property tax paying voters within the above described territory and voting at said election desire the creation of a road district for the purpose of constructing, maintaining, operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turn-pikes or in aid thereof.

Notices of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published within the County of Briscoe, it appearing to the court that there is no newspaper now being operated or published within said and above defined district. Said notices to be published for four weeks prior to be posted in at least three public places within the territory to be

affected, such posting to be for three successive weeks prior to such election. Such election shall be held in the town of Quitaque, Texas, and P. O. Woods is hereby appointed presiding Judge of said election, and Floyd Tiffin and D. E. Monk are appointed clerks of said election. The manner of holding such an election except as above, and hereinafter otherwise directed shall be governed by the general laws of this State, and returns of said election will be made as provided by laws for the making of returns of elections to determine whether or not County bonds shall be issued and only qualified voters who are property tax payers of said above defined district shall be allowed to vote and those desiring the creation of the proposed new district shall have written or printed on their ballots "For the proposed New Road District", and those opposing shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against the Proposed New District." A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Briscoe County, Texas, and attested by the County Clerk of said county shall serve as the proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in Briscoe County there being none published within the above described territory and said County Judge is further directed to cause said notice to be published for four successive weeks preceding said election and is to cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said above described territory said notice to be posted for three weeks prior to said election.

C. D. Wright, Co. Judge, Briscoe County, Texas. (Seal) Attest: T. L. Anderson Co. Clerk, Briscoe Co. Texas.

The State of Texas County of Briscoe,

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Silverton Independent School District will on the 19th day of October A. D. 1925, receive bids from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker, in Briscoe County, Texas, that desires to become the depositor of said Independent School District.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker, in said county, desiring to bid, shall deliver to R.M. Hill, President of said School Board, on or before said 19th day of October 1925, a sealed proposal, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker, offers to pay on the funds of said Independent School District for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one hundred dollars as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid should be accepted, he will enter into the bond as provided by law; and upon the failure of the bidder that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of said certified check shall go to said Independent School District as liquidated damages.

Done by the order of the Board of Trustees of the Silverton Independent School District, at Silverton Texas this the 5th day October A.D. 1925.

R.M. Hill President of the Board of Trustees of the Silverton Independent School District.

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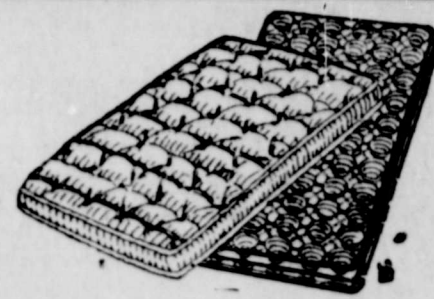
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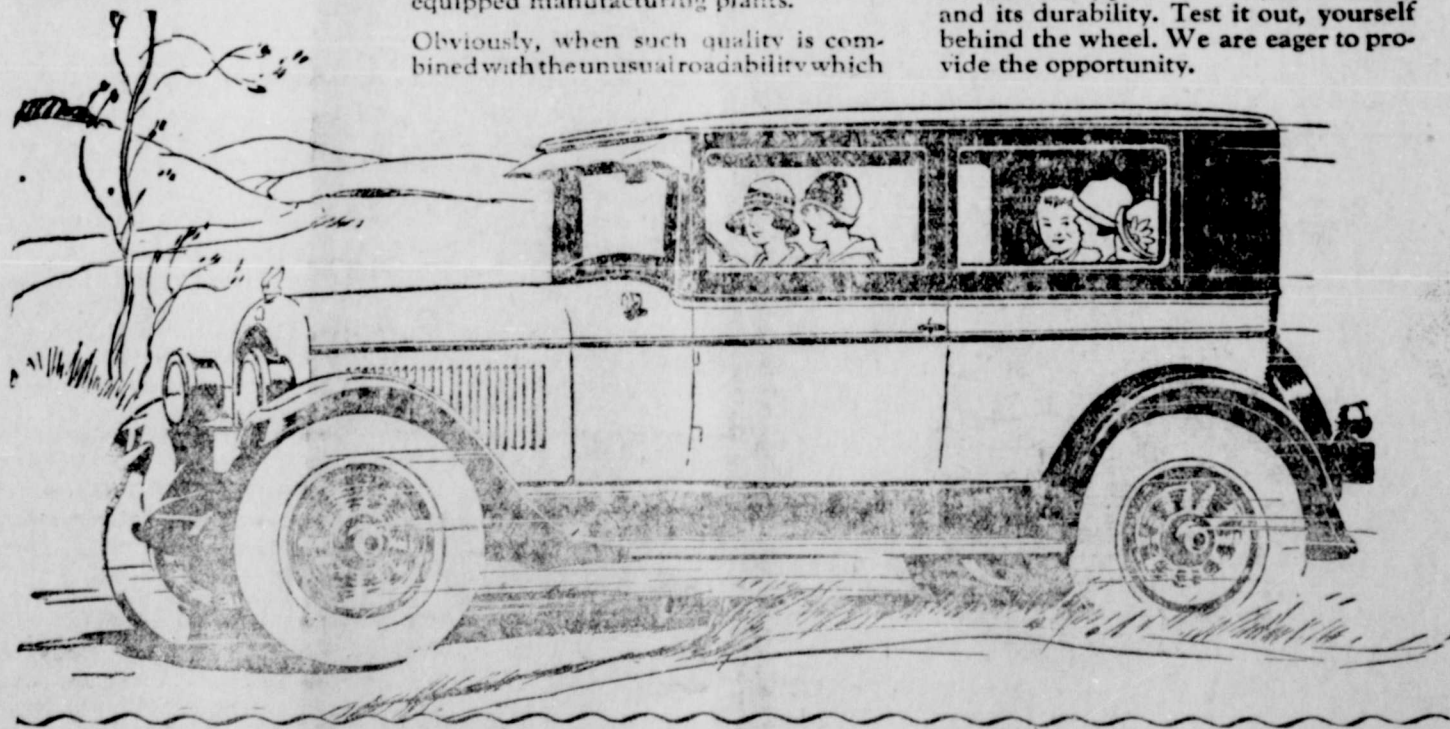
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## SELECTING YOUR COOKING UTENSILS

From Excella—

The choice of cooking utensils is next important in home life to the choice of a husband! Nothing is deserving of more thoughtful purchase or of greater care than is the daily pot or pan!

The way to choose pots and pans is to take into consideration the kind of range you use, the sort of cooking you do, the kind of service you use, the help you have (or its absence), the size of your family, and the proportions of your purse. Yet, nine pots out of ten are chosen because they are near at hand and look all right.

**What Every Utensil Should Be**  
Before proceeding to special utensils, it might be wise to consider what we must demand in any cooking utensil. Each cooking utensil should be:

1. Smooth inside and out, with no bubbles to crack the surface and collect germs.
2. Seamless (for seams hold germs) and easy to clean.
3. Economical with fuel.
4. Of a proper size to cover the stove opening or plate.
5. Made of material that leads the heat to the food in order that it may be cooked efficiently.
6. Provided with handles that do not get hot, and that are warranted not to break.
7. Large enough, but not too large, for your use.
8. Light to carry around.
9. Thin enough to conduct heat and thick enough to wear.
10. Attractive in appearance.
11. Durable.
12. Fitted with a cover, if one is desired.

Cooking utensils are made of copper, aluminum, tin, iron, porcelain and glass (ordinary), and their respective powers of the conductivity of heat are in that same order.

For general use copper is too expensive and it requires too much burnishing and valeting. Yet there are some new utensils made of nickel over copper that are marvelous, although they are expensive. Copper transfers the

heat evenly throughout all its girth.

Durability, of course, is the acid test of a good utensil. Yet the lifetime of any pot or pan is always affected by the usage and care it receives. Glassware used by a careful woman will outlast fine aluminum banged about by a careless one.

Aluminum is excellent for cooking utensils, because it neither rusts nor melts. Iron attracts oxygen with such avidity that there is danger of rust. Tinware melts away, gets scratched, and also may rust. Aluminum does not get scratched, it is easily cleaned, is light in weight, and will not bend if of the proper thickness. It does not pay a housewife to buy cheap utensils.

Aluminum requires less fuel because it cooks food three times as quickly as will iron, and twice as quickly as tin of the same thickness. Yet it is as strong and as durable as iron. It is fine for large frypans, double boilers, for the big pots and pans require heavy materials. Food rarely burns in aluminum. It is used in fireless cookers because it retains heat so well.

Good tea and coffee may be made in Aluminum-ware, although enamel or other than metallic ware may be preferred for coffee or tea-pots.

### Buy the Best-Treat it Well

Good enamel is an excellent material for cooking, but unless you buy the best you are likely to have chippings and crackings. The best grades are made with layers of enamel baked over steel. Because of its elasticity or its "give," enamel withstands great heat and great shocks. It cooks rapidly and consistently; it is not "faddy," but sure.

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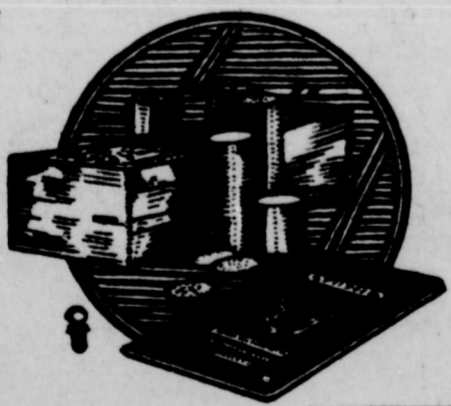
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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER X.—Harris arranges to sell his farm and, with Allan, sets out to join Riley, not knowing he is journeying to the place where his wife and Beulah and incidentally, Jim Travas, are dwelling. Gardiner, a shrewd scoundrel, has induced Riley to become party to a conspiracy to rob Harris by means of a bunko scheme, a fictitious coal mine. From the West Harris gets word that his farm has been sold, but only for \$20,000, he having put the price at \$40,000. With the money, in currency, he and Allan set out to make the investment in the "coal mine," which Gardiner has told them to his feet, jerking the farmer into a half-sitting posture as he did so, and Harris, with a great gasp for air, relinquished his sudden and unexpected advantage. But Gardiner's head was again in command; he rushed through the door, half falling over the obstruction as he went, and in an instant was lost in the gloom of the night.

For some minutes Harris lay on the floor, recovering his breath. As the oxygen welled back into his lungs he began to realize that, save for his choking, he was unhurt. With returning strength his thought reverted to Allan, and, calling the boy's name, he sprang to his feet. The first thing was to get a light. He found matches in his pocket, struck one, and peered eagerly into the gloom as its flickering flame beat back the darkness. A blanket, rolled and stained, lay in the doorway, and within was a figure that might once have been a man. Harris' heart almost stopped at the sight: "Allan," he gasped, "my boy, Allan!" He tiptoed across the crumbling floor toward it, holding the match before him. A man's boot and part of a trouser leg protruded from the mass. He held the match downward, leaning over them. They were not Allan's.

"Thank God," he murmured, swelling with a great hope, "thank God for that."

He struck another match and found the lantern. When he had lighted it he surveyed the little building, and saw Allan's gun lying at the end farthest from the door. Not until that moment did he think of the money. Allan had been uppermost in his mind, and when he thought of Allan money was no consideration. But now a great wave of understanding rushed upon him. Yes, the bag was gone. They had been attacked by robbers. Knowledge of their expedition had in some way got to evil ears, and while he slept Allan had been set upon. The boy had emptied his gun—the huddled mass in the doorway told that tale plainly enough—but other robbers had seized the cash and Allan had pursued them empty-handed. They had fired at him as he rushed from the building—that was the flash he saw a few seconds after the first loud report. He was not quite clear as to his own share in the fight, but he saw the general plan of it plainly enough. He began to wonder what had happened to Gardiner and Riley. Had they been shot down as they wound through the woods? This was evidently the work of a gang prepared to stop at nothing. Harris never for a moment suspected his old neighbor of treachery. He was himself a hard, grasping, money-seeking man, but he had a code of honor none the less, and within its limitations none was more honorable than he. To have done what Riley had done would have been quite impossible for John Harris, and because it was impossible for him its possibility for Riley never suggested itself.

Harris had not yet fully realized the loss of his money. It was overshadowed by the more tragic events of which one evidence lay before him. His anxiety for Allan loomed larger in his mind, although he had little doubt the boy would take proper care of himself, and, even if unarmed, would come back with the money and perhaps with a prisoner. The fact that Allan had not taken his gun was reassuring; if there had been any great danger he would not have left it behind. But he must get out now and aid in the search.

As he reached this decision his eye caught a gleam of something shining on the floor. He walked to it and found a revolver, fully loaded except for one chamber, which had been discharged. "This is evidence," said he—"important evidence." Harris had all the Old Ontario contempt for this kind of weapon, and knew comparatively little about it, but he concluded from its appearance that it was almost new. As he examined it his eye fell on the initials, "J. T.," cut in the grip.

"J. T.," he said to himself, "J. T. Those initials seem familiar. I'll just leave this thing where I found it, until the police see it."

Replacing the weapon on the floor, he stole out the cabin, avoiding the silent obstruction in the doorway. Outside he stood for a moment undecided. The circle of light from his lantern might beacon Allan back to the shanty, but it would also prove a signal to the robbers, if they were still in the vi-

city. The roar of water came up from the valleys, but above or through that roar suddenly he fancied he heard a sound from the bushes near at hand. He held his breath and listened intently. Yes, there it was again—a human sound, beyond question, half groan, half gurgle. He turned in the direction from which it came and stole quietly forward. Half-a-dozen yards from the building the light revealed, first a shadow, and then a figure lying on the ground. With some trepidation Harris approached. The man's arms had been extended when he fell, and his coat was thrown over his head. Harris stooped and drew it down over the shoulders exposing the face. It was Allan.

The first shock of the revelation almost stopped the heart of the old farmer, and he sat back as one dazed, unable to accept the testimony of his own eyes. Then came a panic of uncertainty, and he fell upon the boy, groping wildly for his heart, and at last pressing upon it in an agony of fear. \* \* \* Yes, the beat was there, faint and uneven, but unmistakable. With a sudden surge of returning hope he brought his ear down to the open mouth, fringed with light red foam, and could hear the air laboring in the ravaged lungs. Then came that human sound, half gurgle, half groan; but to Harris, in the reaction from his first paralyzing fear, it was as very music from heaven. His boy still lived, and still should live.

Tenderly he turned the body to a more comfortable position, laying his folded coat beneath the head for a pillow. He loosened the shirt about the neck, and far down the heaving chest saw the sudden red that marked his wound. Rain fell in scattered drops, and he brought another blanket from the cabin, caring little now for the silent form in the doorway in the sudden shadow of his greater tragedy. He spread the blanket over the wounded boy, and sat down by his side, caressing his temples with his big fingers, and wondering what to do next.

As he sat the helplessness of his position grew upon him. He was deep in the foot hills, many miles, as far as he knew, from the home of any settler. In daylight he could, no doubt, find his way back to town, but daylight might be too late. He did not know whether Allan was dying on his hands at that moment. Certainly to attempt to move him in the buggy would be dangerous in the extreme.

And as he sat he thought of the missing money, the fruit of his life's labor, snatched from him in a moment in the darkness. The loss did not hurt him as deeply as he might have thought; he was numbed by the greater blow that hung over him. If Allan would only live! \* \* \* The boy had been his constant companion since babyhood. All his hopes, all his ambitions, which had found their expression in his years of feverish toil, had been wrapped about Allan. He had no one else. \* \* \* His better self revolted at that thought. "You have a wife and daughter," it said, "ready to share your life as soon as you are ready to share theirs." He forced his mind from that phase of his position, but it reverted to it again and again. He could not wander in memory up the path of his boy's life without meeting his boy's mother. And all the pain and unhappiness of the later years—how it cut like an evil bank of fog across the once-bright course of their career! But he had suffered for their sakes, holding fast to his own course because he knew it to be best. \* \* \* Best? And it had brought him to this? \* \* \* The question would not down. Rather than relax an iota from his own purpose he had broken up his family; he had crushed them under the wheels of his inflexible will, and now that same will had driven his son to destruction and himself to ruin.

It is not easy for a man who has laid out a career and followed it with all the energy of a virile nature, recasting his gods from time to time to conform with the evolution of his ideals, but recasting always in the mold of his own will rather than any vessel of creed or persuasion—it is not easy for such a man to stop at fifty and say, "I was wrong." It requires a break in his process of evolution, a shock sufficiently powerful to pulverize his gods before his face, to drive home the truth that they were not gods at all but mere idols of his own creation. In Harris' later life two idols had grown up to the exclusion of all others; they were the wealth which he had builded with his hands and the boy, Allan, about whom he wrapped all the affection of his nature; and they had crumbled to dust even while he worshipped.

He found a flask thrown from some camper's pack, and filled it with water at the mountain stream that rushed by a few rods below the cabin. He placed the liquid to the boy's lips and fancied that some drops found entrance. He had stanchd the wound as best he could with fragments torn from the lining of his coat, and he sat down again to watch. Until morning he could do nothing more. Then some camper, lumberman, or surveyor might happen along the road. If not, he would have to move Allan at all risks.

It took time for him to realize the utterness with which his plans had collapsed. As the night wore on he was able to weigh his disaster in a more balanced mind, but its magnitude grew in the weighing. From prosperous ambition he had been swept in an hour to penniless ruin. His destruction was almost complete. The old farm, the scene of his labors—his and Mary's—was gone. If Allan should die there remained nothing

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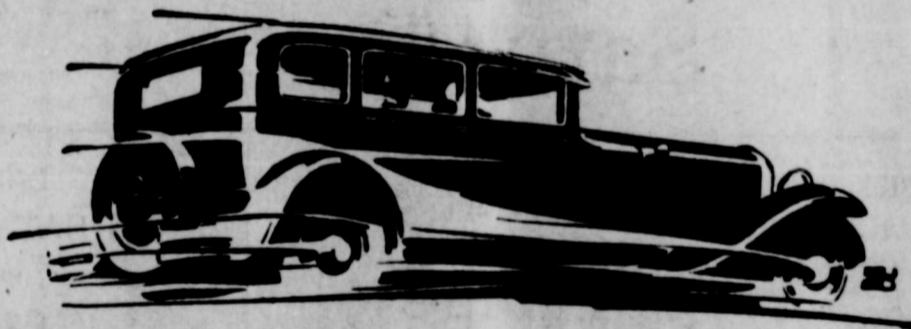
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### E. G. Snapka Buys Castleberry Property

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Quitaque, Texas.

**Quitaque. Items**

Jim Tunnell has bought the meat market and restaurant formerly owned by J.E.Roden.

The Hubert Simmons building is now going up rapidly.

Practically all the materials have arrived for the school building and it is thought that the work can now be rushed to completion without delay.

Jim Wise has sold his filling station to C. G. Huggins.

Mr. Tom Montgomery has just returned from quite an extended trip through Arkansas.

S. W. Singletary has returned from Carlsbad where he has been in the sanitarium for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ewing and daughter, Marjetta, of Estelline visited Mr and Mrs. J.W.Ewing Sunday.

Seney Persons, R. S. Lewis and J. B. Wise who are attending school at Plainview spent the week end with home folks at Quitaque.

Mr and Mrs. E.E. Burgess were business visitors in Amarillo this week.

G. B. Hall of Silverton visited in Quitaque Monday night and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wall have returned from a visit to friends and relatives at Whiteright.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trout have returned from a trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Daniel who formerly lived here, but who have been living at Meadow for the past year, have come back to make Quitaque their home.

Mrs. Y. T. Giles of Flomot was in town Tuesday shopping.

Judge Wright and wife of Silverton were in Quitaque Monday.

Dr. Nichols and wife of Plainview were in Quitaque Tuesday. They were accompanied by Dr. Nichols's father from California.

**J. A. Johnson occupies New Home**

J. A. Johnson and family moved into their new home one day last week. It is a beautiful concrete bungalow with modern conveniences, such as water, electric lights and steam heat. There are eight rooms including breakfast nook. Also large room in the basement for furnace and coal. Spacious verandas and portecochere add much to its beauty and magnificance. Garage, chicken house and light plant house are also built of concrete blocks.

E. G. Barrett has gone to east Texas after cotton pickers.

Mr. Cannady of the Floyd County Lumber Company was in town Monday.

Mrs. Gregory, mother of Miss Mary Gregory who is teaching in the school here, has come here to make this her home for the time being. Owing to the scarcity of houses they could not get one to live in, so Miss Gregory in a business like way, got busy and had one built and she and her mother are now occupying it.

Dr. Rumph has been in Fla. for several days attending to a little business.

Mrs. J. R. Lanham who has been confined to her bed for several days with fever, is reported to be some better.

W. E. Marler of Flomot was in Quitaque Tuesday doing some shopping.

**Epworth League Program**

Sunday, October 11, 1925  
 Subject— Getting strength from God.  
 Leader—Walter Graham.  
 Hymn—111.  
 Prayer—Lords Prayer.  
 Hymn—179.  
 Scripture Readings—Leader.  
 Hymn—222  
 Prayer—Bro Stevens.  
 Announcements.  
 Hymn—141  
 Reading—Miss Shields.  
 Talks from topics:  
 1. Strength from God—Mrs. Wall.  
 2. How to get strength from

**Col. Charles Stanton**



When Vice President Dawes arrived in San Francisco for the California Diamond Jubilee he met his old friend and associate in the service of supplies in France during the war, Col. Charles Stanton. "This," said General Dawes, "is the man who taught me how to swear."

God—Allie Mae Tipps.  
 3. How strength comes from God—Verlin Ballentine.

Prayer—  
 Hymn—184  
 Open meeting  
 Hymn—5  
 Benediction—(Num. 6: 24-26.)

Wanted—Man with car to sell complete line quality Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive Territory. Experience not necessary. Salary \$300.00 per month. Milestone Rubber Company, East Liverpool, Ohio.

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On this day the new cafe will be open and ready for business. We ask that every man, woman and child in Silvertown come in and inspect the cafe. It will be the most modern in appearance, fixtures and service to be found anywhere and will be a great improvement to the town.

Regular meals and short orders will be served and we will carry a line of candies, chewing gum, ice cream, cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and in fact anything to be found in a first class cafe.

On the opening day we will serve coffee FREE to everyone entering the store whether you make purchases or not.

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F. L. Sorrell, of Megargel, has been a visitor at the J.W. Busby home the past week.

Ernest Tibbetts has returned from a week's visit to the home of his parents in Alvord. He also stopped in Wichita Falls to attend to some business matters.

E. G. Snapka and family visited in Lockney the first of the week going down Sunday afternoon and returning Monday Morning.

R. M. Carter went to Channing on business Saturday afternoon returning Sunday afternoon.

For Fisk tires go to Silvertown Lumber Company.

R. N. Sheid, who was injured in a gin accident last week is reported to be resting very nicely and is well on the road to recovery.

Horace and Clyde Lightsey were Silvertown visitors Monday morning.

Fisk Tires are as good as the best. You can get them at the Silvertown Lumber Co.

Robert Fite, who lives in the Gasoline Community was a business visitor in Silvertown Saturday. While here he paid the News office a very pleasant visit and complimented the paper very highly.

Deolis Nix left last week for Tulia, where he will visit for a few days in the home of his brother-in-law, Claude Todd. From there he will go to Kansas City, Mo. where he plans to spend several months with his brother, Guy Nix.

Quite an improvement has been noticed in the Midway Cafe since Mr. Campbell, of Tulia, has been hired as baker. Mr. Campbell is an expert baker and his products add greatly to the Cafe Menu.

Mr. Akers, Proprietor of the Farmers Gin, has made several trips to Amarillo recently.

Shipment of Fisk automobile tires at Silvertown Lumber Co., see them.

The proprietors of the Peoples Pharmacy have completed construction of a sheet Iron Warehouse back of their store.

Earl Simpson is constructing a small residence on the block near where his Mill is located.

Miss Teresa Bomar has been assisting in the Peoples Pharmacy the past few days.

Time to retire! Get a Fisk at Silvertown Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mr. J.F. Ragland visited relatives in Lockney the first of the week.

For Overland cars see Judge Wright. He has the Overland Agency and will be glad to demonstrate the cars.

R. F. Stevenson has rented the District Attorney's Room in the Courthouse and has established a Real Estate Office. Mr. Stevenson says that he has several tracts of land which can be bought for a bargain.

The new Barber Shop on the South Side of the Square has been completed and is now open and ready for business.

Ralls Miller was kicked by a horse on the leg and received a very painful injury. He is now going about on crutches.

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### Notice

I will begin teaching a class in China Painting Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Mrs. Gourley's room in the Domestic Science building. Those that are interested in taking are requested to see me as soon as possible.—Mrs. Paul Odor.

Pete Blakney, Owner of the Silvertown Gin, made a business trip to Dallas last week end.

Dan Montague has purchased a new Ford Touring car.

**Wanted**—Pasture for a cow. Call at News Office.

**Wanted:** To Buy White Leghorn Pullets, Early Hatched—F. L. Sorrell, Box 22, Silvertown.

**Lost** Silver S.S. Reward Medal Finder Please return to Lavaca Moore.

Miss Cleora Turner has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the Farmers Gin Company.

**For Sale**—Six room residence in best residence section of Lockney of Lockney. Would consider trade for farm property near Silvertown or Lockney. See E.G. Snapka at City Tailor Shop.

**For Sale:** 10-hole Drill; Head or Binder and double Disc Plow all in good shape. Cheap for Cash. See Homer Simpson.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Briscoe County, Greeting:

Whereas, it appears from the records of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, that Nobles Brothers Grocer Company, a private corporation, recovered judgement in said court on the 19th day of October, 1916, against J.T. Fawcett for the sum of \$2,728.75, with interest thereon from said date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, in an action on a promissory note executed before that time, and that said judgement also forecloses a deed of trust lien as against J.T. Fawcett and Therese A. Fawcett, defendants in said suit, on the following described real property lying and situated in Briscoe County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, of Block No. 1 of the Original Town of Quitaque, Texas, and 120 acres of land out of section 18, Certificate No. 2-871, in Block 3 T. & P. Railway Company, said 120 acres being bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the south-east corner of said section No. 18, thence west 712.5 varas, thence north 950 varas, thence east 712.5 varas, thence south 950 varas to the

place of beginning.

And whereas, it appears from the records of said court that said judgement remains wholly unsatisfied, and that no order of sale or execution issued thereon within twelve months after the rendition thereof, and the said Nobles Brothers Grocer Company has applied to our said court for its remedy in this behalf:

Now, therefore, you are hereby commanded that, by making publication of this writ in some newspaper published in Briscoe County, Texas, four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the said J.T. Fawcett and Therese A. Fawcett to be and appear before the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof on the fourth Monday in October, next, being the 26th day of October, 1925, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why said judgement ought not to be revived and why the said Nobles Brothers Grocer Company ought not to have its order of sale and execution against the said J.T. Fawcett and Therese A. Fawcett according to the force, form and effect of the said recovery, and further to do and receive what our said court shall then and there consider of them in this behalf.

Said judgement herein mentioned was granted in cause No. 259 on the docket of said court, entitled R. H. McCaghren vs J.T. Fawcett et al.

Herein fail not, but have you this writ before said court on the

said 26th day of October, A.D. 1925, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness T. L. Anderson, Clerk of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the town of Silvertown, Texas, this 24th day of September, A.D. 1925. (Seal) T. L. Anderson, Clerk of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas.

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