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Silverton Gets Longest Train In Its History

Thirteen Cars of Building Material and Merchandise Arrived in Silverton Tuesday Night for Projects Under Construction.

The train of the Ft. Worth & Denver, South Plains railroad which came into Silverton Tuesday night was the longest unit in the history of arrivals into the station here since the inauguration of train service last November.

The incoming freight shipments required thirteen cars. While it is a frequent occurrence for small towns on main railroad lines to have trains a mile long to arrive and depart, only a few cars are shunted to the switch yards, but Silverton is the terminus of the line and all loaded cars arriving are for local consignees.

Seven of the freight carriers contained brick and tile for the new buildings under construction here, and the remaining six brought merchandise of miscellaneous nature.

Work on the high school building has been held up through the delay in freight arrivals.

Curbs and Gutters Are Being Put Down

Seventy-five feet of concrete curbing and gutter are being set in front of the three lots on the south end of the block fronting the west side of the plaza, under direction of J. H. Harris, contractor. Owners of the properties having the improvements made are Cowart & Son, T. M. Nichols, and Mrs. Agnes Cozby.

In addition to the curbs and gutters concrete sidewalks will be extended out, and a fill-in made of earth to give easy approach to parking cars. City authorities have been approached on finishing out the gutter to the viaduct under Commerce street. The gap is estimated to be about ten feet, and the cost to the city would be fifty dollars.

At a meeting of the city council Wednesday night it was agreed to complete the storm sewer as petitioned. The ditching crew began excavation for the city Thursday morning.

Baptist Ladies Prepare Luncheon for Tuesday

The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society will serve luncheon here on the second day of court, Tuesday, April 30, in the Nunn building on the west side of the square. Service will be rendered from 11:30 in the morning on through the afternoon. A charge of fifty cents a plate will be made. Everyone, especially the visitors to Silverton are urged to take their lunch with the missionary ladies.

Pumps Creek Dry and Quells Fire

QUITAQUE, April 22.—The local fire department connected the hose with a creek and saved 3,000 bundles of feed from the flames for Walter Trout, who lives a mile and one-half from the city limits, when fire broke out in his feed stack.

The creek was pumped dry in the successful effort of extinguishing the fire. Turkey dispatched its fire department here on the rumor that the city was burning and that the local water supply had failed.

Poultry Owners Are Warned Against Thieves

FLOYDADA, April 22.—Sheriff P. G. Stegall has issued a warning to all poultry owners of his county and adjoining counties that chicken thieves are getting numerous and suggesting precautions on the part of the owner and poultry dealers.

Theft of poultry is now a felony, and a few arrests and convictions at the beginning will go a long way toward curbing these organized bands of thieves, think the officers.

C. C. Moore, Aged Minister, Passed Away

Funeral services for C. C. Moore, who died Thursday, April 18, at his home here, were held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon, Rev. Marvin Brotherton, pastor, conducting the obsequies. Interment was made in the local cemetery, with the body in charge of the Silverton Undertaking Company.

Mr. Moore was 76 years old, and was a retired minister of the Methodist church. He was born in Arkansas and had lived in Briscoe county for a number of years. Surviving him is his widow only, as the couple had no children.

Mr. Moore's death resulted from blood-poisoning. A splinter was thrust into his hand while at work which soon brought on tetanus poisoning, resulting in death shortly afterwards.

Six Inches Of Lot Front In Transfer

West Side Square Business Property Has Per Inch Valuation.

Business frontage on the west side of the square is retelling by the inch. Court house records reveal the filing of deed from Mrs. Agnes Cozby to Jas. M. Boyer for six inches of land off the north part of lot 11, block 36, extending the entire length of the lot. The price was \$12.50 per front inch, or at the rate of \$150 a foot frontage.

This is by far the highest price of record for lot valuations in this district. A twenty-foot building site, one lot to the south, changed hands a few weeks back for a consideration of \$106 a foot.

Contract for this additional six inches of land was made some time back by Mr. Boyer when he erected the barber shop building, and the brick structure includes the six inches from the Cozby lot.

Quitaque Youth Wins District Declamation

QUITAQUE, April 22.—Twelve first place winners from the school here took part in the respective events at the district interscholastic league meet held in Canyon Friday and Saturday. J. W. Lyon won first place in the Senior boys' declamation contest, showing superiority over the higher rated schools of the district such as Amarillo and Pampa.

County Agents Voted for Gray County

McLEAN, April 23.—An appropriation of \$3200 has been voted by the commissioners court of Gray county to resume the services of a county farm agent and a home demonstration agent, which were dispensed with in 1925. These supplementary salaries will place the county on the waiting list, and agents will probably be sent here the first of next year by the government extension department.

Dr. Bundy Leaves for X-Ray Study

Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Bundy left Wednesday for Kansas City and Chicago, where the doctor will take some Post-Graduate work in Reading X-Ray pictures and internal medicine. Dr. Bundy expects to install an X-Ray machine in his office when he returns. Dr. Jordan will be in Dr. Bundy's office while he is away and will answer calls day or night. Dr. Bundy will be away about three or four weeks.

teaching of redemption by vicarious, substitutionary and Israel, personified as the prophet of revelation, the Suffering Servant of the prophet discerns, far-actual Sufferer and Redeemer. This fact makes the passages studying for the Christian the most significant in the testament.

Appeal of the Suffering Servant.

connection with the great out-gospel truth of redemption suffering—the cross, the of the Lamb—there is an im- of the other gospel truth, he world is won to a partici- in the salvation effected by evrant thru reflection on his alleled sufferings and patient inor. "His cross is his throne; death he has ruled the ages," s suffering has been in order to accomplish a divine plan of re- . . . He offers a trespass- ing for the sins of the people, der to purchase their redemption sby. . . His death is such a titution and compensation for . . . When this has been accomplish- the condition of humiliation has to an end, and the exaltation the Servant begins. . . This e-rephesy of the Servant who dies veal the filing of deed from Mrs. Agnes Cozby to Jas. M. Boyer for six fulfillment in the death of inches of land off the north part of us Christ and in his resurrection exaltation to his heavenly (C. A. Briggs).

As Men Saw Him. Ver. 1-3.

While the church has never failed to see its Jesus in the Suffering Servant, it has been official objects to curbs and gutters.

Maintenance of Highway Through City in Jeopardy, Says Highway Engineer

Official objection was raised Tuesday by a representative of the highway department over the fact that no permit had been secured by the city from the State for the laying of curbs and gutters along Main street.

The designated highway through Silverton runs the full length of Main street, and comes under the maintenance contract of the highway commission. Consequently the commission has supervision over curbs and viaducts that affect the flow of water over the highway. The visiting engineer held out the threat that the failure to secure a permit and the installation of water sewers not according to specifications approved by the commission might cancel the state's maintenance contract.

The highway engineer stated that improper curbs and gutters would divert flood waters into and across the highway causing erosive damage. He suggested that the openings of the individual gutters that are in be screened against trash and that manholes be put in at frequent intervals to prevent the choking up of the gutters. It was noted that one of these gutters is now completely clogged, which permits no water to flow through the original viaduct but acts as a dam. The State will not permit these hazards to exist, according to the engineer.

Texas farmers obtaining use of registered dairy bulls through community bull associations or circles more than doubled last year over the preceding one, with 2691 men becoming members in 1928. The development of such associations has been very rapid since 1925.

Johnnie Floyd Wood, individually and as executor for the estate of Will Wood, made the transfer to Mr. Allen at a price of \$30 an acre. This is an improved place, and the purchase price of \$12,000 was practically a cash consideration.

His words are in a sense a rejoinder to his disbelievers. "Yes, he was indeed a man who knew what pain and sorrow are, this Suffering Servant; but he bore it all for our sakes"—"he was wounded because we had sinned, 'twas our misdeeds that crushed him, 'twas our welfare that he was chastised, the blows that fell to him have brought us healing" (ver. 5, Moffatt). Sinful men are lost sheep—Jesus' own figure of speech—who need not only a Shepherd gently to lead them home, but One whose shoulders are broad enough and willing to take over the burden of their guilt.

The Silence of Jesus.

"As a sheep that before his shearers is dumb, so he opened not his mouth." Innumerable times has the words: as Philip did to the enuch (Acts 9:35). It is a prophecy that the Christian always recalls when he thinks of his Redeemer in the hands of his murderers. (Cp. Matt. 26: 63; 27: 12-14; Mark 14:61; 15:5; Luke 21:9; John 19:9).

Failure and Success

"Who are the three mightiest of this world? Caesar, Alexander, and Napoleon. They all sought universal empire. Here lies Caesar, at the foot of Pompey's pillar, and none so poor to do him reverence; write on his gravestone, Failure. Here lies Alexander under his table, dead as the result of a drunken revel; write upon his gravestone, Failure. Here lies Napoleon under the dome of the Invalides, with his battle flags around him; write upon his tombstone, Failure.

"But yesterday their names were mighty on the earth; Today, 'tis what?"

But this one name above all. One who also sought for universal em-

Silverton Ice Company Plans Improvements

Ten Ton Ice Unit, Treating System, and Cold Storage Rooms Will Be Added.

Plans are under way by the Silverton Ice Company to increase the present capacity of the plant five times and give it a more central location, according to W. A. Tucker, mechanical superintendent, who has moved here recently from Walters, Okla.

The plans include the securing of a new site, erection of a fire-proof structure, and the installation of a new ten-ton ice unit. The present unit of two tons would be used as an auxiliary. A truck will probably be operated in delivering ice to outside points.

Other improvements are the putting in of a water treating system and adding two cold storage rooms. The cold storage would be available to customers who have perishable products to be preserved, such as meats, eggs, and milk products. With refrigeration facilities available such as planned, products in cold storage should reach a high figure, stated Mr. Tucker.

Will Wood Farm Sold for \$12,000

A real estate transaction of much importance was closed this week in which Irvin F. Allen of Wilbarger county became the owner of the 400-acre farm, commonly known as the Will Wood farm, eight miles north-east of Silverton.

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A. C. Shafer Is Victim of Serious Accident

A. C. Shafer, who is a resident of Silverton and who operates a truck line between here and Amarillo, was seriously injured Monday morning on the highway to Tulia when run down by a passing car. Both of his legs were broken and other injuries sustained. He was taken to a hospital in Tulia, and at last report it was thought the amputation of one of his limbs would be necessary.

Mr. Shafer had stopped his Chevrolet truck to repair a tire and when he stepped out from the rear of the truck he was struck by a motor car occupied by an aged couple, it is alleged. The accident occurred shortly before noon. The driver of the car took the injured man immediately to Tulia for medical and surgical attention.

Ten Divorce Cases On Court Docket File

Judge Kenneth Bain Will Open New Court Here Next Monday for Spring Session.

The spring term of district court, judicial district No. 110, for Briscoe county will be convened here next Monday, April 29. Judge Kenneth Bain will be on the bench, Jack Folley is the state's attorney, and H. B. Sams the court reporter.

This will be the first term that the new court has sat in Briscoe county. Judge Bain is a Silverton man, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain. Civil cases will probably occupy the time of the court during the first week. The old court practically cleared the docket at its last session, only two civil cases being carried over caused by failure to get process service. Three criminal cases were also postponed.

In the following docket of civil cases as shown from the county clerk's files, ten are divorce petitions:

A. F. Roberts vs Roberts Grain Co.; A. F. Roberts vs W. T. Graham et al.; Wirt Boyles vs Daniel Boyles; Thurman Hollis vs Mrs. Hollis; Charlyne Bissett vs Ted Bissett; A. F. Roberts Const. Co. vs Miller's Mutual Fire Ins. Co., garnishment; Willson & Son Lbr. Co. vs J. N. Owen et al.; Mary Ellen Wright vs Tom Wright; B. L. Kimbell vs John Tiffin; John Burson vs J. R. Purdy; Mollie Bell Ragland vs J. F. Ragland; Ruth King vs T. J. King; W. W. Melton vs Frona Melton; C. J. Whit vs Luey White; T. A. Moore vs Ola Mae Moore; W. B. Smith vs D. M. Morgan et al.; John Burson vs W. R. Payne; R. W. Crowder vs Mrs. V. L. Dunham; S. J. Harlan vs W. P. Hawkins; R. L. Roberts vs A. L. Roberts; Willie Mary Davis vs Nora Dale Lewis; Employees Liability Corp. vs George Miller; Myrtle Fort et al vs John Burson; Emparte Sam Wood, removal of disabilities.

Buster Keaton Seen Here in Camera Man

Buster Keaton, as a newswire cameraman, blunders right into the midst of a Chinatown tong war. And when he has his tripod shot from under him, but keeps on grinding—you'll howl while you cheer. You may see him in the "Camera Man" at the Palace theatre here Sunday and Monday.

It is just one of a thousand riotous moments in Keaton's latest and greatest gift to his palpitating public. That funny man never was more mirth-provoking—and that doesn't omit "The Navigator" and his other comedy sensations.

Road Committee Is Appointed At Palo Duro Meet

Judge O. R. Tipps Heads Highway Body to Map Out Scenic Routes; Armstrong County to Make Survey.

WAYSIDE, April 22.—The construction of improved automobile roads leading into and across Palo Duro Canyon at strategic points was the foremost project to be attained, in the opinion of the mass meeting of citizens of adjacent counties here last Friday, and to realize the aim a road committee was appointed.

The road committee is made up of members of commissioners courts of Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Swisher, and Briscoe counties. County Judge O. R. Tipps of Silverton was elected chairman of the committee, and the other members are A. P. Martin, Tulia; W. H. Hamblen, Wayside; W. H. Youngblood, Clarendon; and A. N. Burgen, Canyon.

The proposed roads that would make the canyon more accessible are the routes leading into the canyon from Silverton, Clarendon, and Tulia, and a highway from Wayside across the canyon to Claude.

The commissioners court of Armstrong county was requested to make a survey of the Wayside-Claude road, which that body will probably do within the near future.

The road committee appointed at the mass meeting will consult with engineers and report at a later date on practical routes for the scenic highway. This concerted effort is being put forth by interested counties to make Palo Duro canyon a state park and a national monument.

Col. Harvey H. Haines of Amarillo, in the main address of the meeting, said:

"Before we can build a park, we must first sell the idea to the people in the counties adjacent to the canyon. A national park in Palo Duro canyon would be the best investment from any standpoint that the Panhandle could make.

"Tourists from the east and north, on sightseeing trips, would welcome such a park, which would give them an all-weather route to four places of interest: Palo Duro park, Carlsbad caverns, Grand canyon, and the petrified forests in Arizona."

O. R. Tipps, T. L. Strange, W. W. McClister, Bland Burson, W. Coffey, Jr., and L. E. Graham, of Silverton; and Claude Holley, H. G. Gardener, and Jack Seale, of Quitaque, represented Briscoe county at the Wayside meeting.

Blake Paid Penalty for Slaying Connor

TULIA, April 21.—Robert Blake, convicted of murdering Fred Connor in this county in 1925, was electrocuted at Huntsville early Friday morning April 19.

At the time of the slaying, Blake was living in Amarillo, and Connor was a salesman for the Chevrolet company at this place. Blake was then a youth of only 19 years when he is alleged to have shot and killed Connor while riding with him from Slaton to near Tulia. Connor's body was found on the roadside, his car was missing, and contents of his pockets, excepting his cash, were found in a nearby lake. Later the car was found in Slaton, and after a long search Blake was apprehended and indicted.

In the trial Blake was given the death penalty here. He was granted three reprieves by the governor because of his youth and the fact that conviction was secured solely on circumstantial evidence. Blake was an addict or narcotics, it is alleged.

Survey Planned for Dimmitt Water System

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—The City Council has employed the firm of Montgomery and Word of Wichita Falls, engineers, to make a survey of the townsite looking toward installing city water. Plans and specifications will not be ready at this time, however.

Herbert Davis State Secretary F. F. of T.

Herbert Davis, high school student, was elected secretary of the Future Farmers of Texas organization, which was formed at A. & M. College the first of the week during the State meet of vocational agriculture classes.

Herbert has attained this state official capacity through his outstanding performance in poultry judging. J. D. Strickland had been selected to re-

present the Panhandle in making nominations for officers of the new organization, and his selection of Herbert was approved by the mass body. Members of the Future Farmers of Texas are recruited from the vocational agriculture classes maintained throughout the high schools of the state.

Herbert Davis justly deserves the

honor which has come to him. Texas Tech gave him a four-year scholarship two weeks ago for making the highest possible score of the entire contests in poultry judging. And three years ago he was the recipient of a scholarship from W. T. S. T. College for being high point man in plant production judging.

The F. F. of T. is destined to be

the most far-reaching organizations that has ever been started for Texas boys", stated Mr. Gourley. "Its importance can only be realized," he continued, "as better agricultural methods, better stock and poultry raising, greater profits and better living conditions on the farm gradually come to be the heritage of those who choose rural life for their vocations."

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The Constitutional Amendments

The News is now publishing the two joint resolutions of the legislature submitting amendments to the State constitution. The election will be held July 16. One proposed amendment is to affect the judiciary and the other to raise the governor's salary from \$4,000 to \$10,000 annually.

The legislature has asked that the constitution prescribe that the supreme court shall have nine members, five constituting a quorum, and that it be for continuous session. Appellate cases have swamped the higher court, and when the congestion becomes greatest, the court heretofore in the summer has been going on enforced vacations of several months. The present constitution does not permit of enough judges to handle the cases expeditiously and does not permit continuous session. This should be remedied, and the people will likely endorse the amendment at the polls.

The second amendment proposed, dealing with the governor's salary is, no doubt, considered worthy of being made into the cardinal law, but the popularity and unpopularity of the present governor will probably enter into the decision, and a close vote is looked for. For the average man \$4,000 a year is a handsome salary, but no chief executive in the past, however economical he has been ever succeeded in making the salary cover all the various expenses that arise. If a \$10,000 salary will put better men in the governor's chair all Texas will gladly grant it, but it is a mooted question, under the present system of elections, if more money will remedy or make worse the ills that a democracy foists upon itself in exercising the privilege of naming its leaders through direct popular vote.

NEIGHBOR PRESS FOLKS SAY

Tulia Herald—Occasionally one may have good and sufficient cause for making a purchase out of town, but as a general thing sending money to other cities is a foolish practice.

Clarendon News—Clarendon people are practically unanimous in their interest and favor of the proposed scenic highways, state parks and federal bird refuge project down in the Palo Duro Canyon. Very few of our people realize the tremendous possibilities bound up in the project.

Pampa Daily News—What, then, is the proper procedure for arising? Dr. Williams advises one to 'start the day leisurely and have some poise about what we do.' That sounds much easier than the ideas of the average physical culture 'expert.'

Borger Daily Herald—The modern American educational system, according to Dr. Charles M. Andrews, professor of American history at Yale University, does an excellent job of giving first rate training to second rate men, but has little to offer the first rate man who wants to develop all of his powers.

South Plains Farmer—The rose is a world flower. It is found in every country and the word for 'rose' is strikingly similar in spelling and pronunciation in every language. The mere mention of flowers brings the rose to mind with the majority of people. It is surely well named 'Queen of Flowers.'

Spearman Reporter—One big advantage in keeping a supply of high-powered late model hockey on hand, is that it has no 'trade-in' value whatever.

McLean, April 24.—Citizens of McLean will vote May 29 on issuing \$50,000 in bonds to enlarge the capacity of and extend the water system.

Floydada, April 22.—Construction will start soon on a brick and tile church, with basement, at the interview. The building will cost \$10,000.

UNDER THE COURT HOUSE DOME

Deed Records

Frank Martin of Yuma, Ariz., to Rob Swafford, Lot 11, Block 3, Jago addition of Quitaque; consideration \$150.

Mrs. Agnes Cozby to Jas. M. Boyer, six inches off lot 11, block 36, Silverton; consideration \$75.

Nunn-Warren Publishing Company to J. L. Nunn, David M. Warren, and Ralph L. Buell, lot 25, block 36, Silverton, consideration \$2500.

B. T. Hawkins to Mrs. Ruth Dravis, Lot 11 block 1, Grundy addition, city of Quitaque; consideration \$100.

C. E. Anderson to Wood Hardcase, Lot 9, Block 5, Silverton; consideration \$125.

W. T. Davenport to H. H. Taylor, lots 12 and 13, block 12, Quitaque and part of Sec. 28, block 3, T. 4, survey, 20 feet by 64.5 feet; consideration \$750.

Johnnie Floyd Wood to Irving Allen, S. 1-2 Sec. 160 and West 1/4 of N. 1-2 Sec. 160, G. & M. Cert. 4-612, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. survey, 400 acres, consideration \$12,000.

Sterley Using Church and Borrowed Sea to Conduct School

STERLEY, April 22.—The parsonage school is being maintained here in the Baptist church, with borrowed sea under a subscription plan, according to the one teacher, W. N. Bobbitt. Thirty-nine pupils are enrolled. Several have been refused admission. The school money for Floyd county was apportioned before the town was any population, and it has been necessary to operate a pay school in order to provide for the children.

Lockney Soon to Be High School Contract

LOCKNEY, April 24.—Bids are being called for by the school board for the construction of a high school building here. A bond issue of \$85,000 was voted for this purpose in March. Advertised specifications call for provisions for cafeteria, auditorium, and gymnasium. Among the new courses to be added at the beginning of the new school term is vocational agriculture.

Year Round Profits Made in Poultry

P. H. Dyer Has Monthly Profit \$130; Chas. Heck Clears \$75 Each Month.

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—(By R. B. Galloway, Poultry Extension Service, Panhandle Lumber Co.)

Chas. Dickerson gave interesting talks on the Presbyterian they attended at Memphis. Those present were Messrs. Haines, Daniel, Bob and Chas. Dickerson, Alexander, Lemons, Bain, Northcutt, Simmons, Minyard, C. D. Wright and Bundy.

Lewis Takes Phillips Distribution; Wise Has Conoco Products

A deal was closed Tuesday in which Glenn Wise of Quitaque takes over the Silverton distributing station of the Continental Oil Company from the former dealer, John F. Lewis.

Mr. Lewis will handle the products of the Phillips Petroleum Company, and further announcement as to retail stations for the Phillips' gasoline and oil will be made later.

Mr. Wise, the new Conoco dealer, is moving to Silverton this week. He was formerly in charge of the Quitaque Coal & Grain Company, and is a valued addition to local business circles.

Trustees First Baptist Make Parsonage Sale

The deal was closed and final papers passed in the sale of the old parsonage site of the First Baptist Church to W. C. Jackson for a consideration of \$1,045.00 last Monday.

Manley Wood, Ray C. Bomar, J. N. Norton, A. P. Dickenson, E. H. Perry, and C. L. Cowart, trustees for the Baptist church, executed the deed and made the transfer to the purchaser. The proceeds of the sale are to be applied on the new parsonage, it is understood.

Mrs. Heck contemplates increasing their flock for this winter production.

Clarendon Graduates to Hear Col. Haines

CLARENDON, April 22.—Col. Harvey Haines, secretary of Panhandle-Plains, Inc., has accepted the invitation of the Seniors to deliver their graduating address. The class and college are very proud to have secured Mr. Haines for this occasion.

Donley County Votes for Co. Agent Return

CLARENDON, April 22.—Commissioners count has voted funds to employ a county farm agent again, having discontinued the support of this extension service about seven years ago. The county has a home demonstration agent for the women. The farm agent cannot be supplied now, the application will be put on the table.

Floydada Firemen Are State Affiliated Now

FLOYDADA, April 22.—The local fire department has affiliated with the state association of volunteer firemen. John Buchanan, fire chief, has been elected president of the newly organized district. Delegates from the organization here will attend the state convention at Galveston in June.

Fine Athletic Field for Clarendon Schools

CLARENDON, April 22.—Clarendon College is already boasting of the most finished athletic field in the entire state. The present field is being leveled and sodded in with Bermuda, and the gridiron is to be encircled with a quarter mile cinder track. The

policy of athletics for all is to be broadened.

Wisom—A new highway has been recently opened to Slaton.

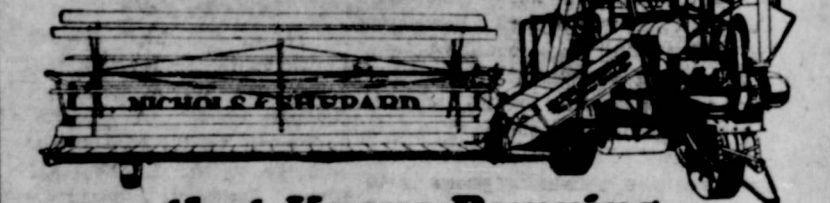
Hamlin—Work on the Hamlin, Northwestern Railroad is progressing rapidly.

Dr. O. T. Bundy Dr. D. T. Jordan Physician and Surgeon Hours at Dr. Bundy's Office 10 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. For calls at any other hour—Phone 25 AT SOUTH PLAINS

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International Sunday School Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

FOR APRIL 28, 1929
GENERAL TOPIC—The Suffering Servant of Jehovah.

SCRIPTURE LESSON—Isaiah 53:1-12.

1. Who hath believed our message? and to whom hath the arm of Jehovah been revealed?

2. For he grew up before him as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground; he hath no form nor comeliness; and when we see him, there is no beauty that we should desire him.

3. He was despised, and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; and as one whom men hide their face he was despised; and we esteemed him not.

4. Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

5. But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

6. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and Jehovah hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

7. He was oppressed, yet when he was afflicted he opened not his mouth; as a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and as a sheep that be-

fore its shearers is dumb, so he opened not his mouth.

8. By oppression and judgment he was taken away; and as for his generation, who among them considered that he was cut off out of the land of the living for the transgression of my people to whom the stroke was due?

9. And they made his grave with the wicked, and with a rich man in his death; altho he had done no violence, neither was any deceit in his mouth.

10. Yet it pleased Jehovah to bruise him; he hath put him to grief; when thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin, he shall see his seed, he shall prolong his days, and the pleasure of Jehovah shall prosper in his hand.

11. He shall see of the travail of his soul, and shall be satisfied; by the knowledge of himself shall my righteous servant justify many; and he shall bear their iniquities.

12. Therefore will I divide him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out his soul unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

TIME:—The conservative view is that this chapter was written by Isaiah near the close of his life, about B. C. 685. The radical view is that it was written from 150 to 200 years later.

PLACE:—On the first supposition, Jerusalem; on the second, Babylonia, amid the exiles.

GOLDEN TEXT:—With his stripes we are healed.—Isa. 53:5.

INTRODUCTION

The fifty-third chapter of Isaiah, the selection for our lesson today, is the crowning chapter of the wonderful prophecy of this great prophet of Israel. Probably more sermons have been preached from this chapter and more treatises written than from any other chapter in the Bible, with the exception of the third chapter of John. Isaiah is called the evangelical prophet and his book is sometimes called "the gospel according to Isaiah," because of the numerous and vivid prophecies of the Messiah. This chapter is written in the past tense, as if the writer were an historian recording the story of a man who had already lived and died, instead of being a voice of divine inspiration foretelling the life and character of a man that was to live seven hundred years after the words were penned.

One of the greatest proofs of the inspiration of the Old Testament prophets is the large number of definite promises which were accurately fulfilled hundreds of years after they were written, and one of the greatest proofs of the truth that

Jesus of Nazareth is the Messiah is the fact of the completeness and accuracy with which he fulfilled so many and so varied prophecies written in regard to him by different prophets hundreds of years before he was born.

Redemption Thru Suffering.
The disciplinary, sanctifying power of suffering is declared on many other pages of those older scriptures, and is one of the tenets of other, ethnic religions, but here the larger teaching of redemption by means of vicarious, substitutionary suffering is unmistakably set forth.

Beyond Israel, personified as the teacher and prophet of revelation, and Israel disciplined by hard experiences, the Suffering Servant of Jehovah, the prophet discerns, far-off, the actual Sufferer and Redeemer. This fact makes the passages we are studying for the Christian one of the most significant in the Old Testament.

The Appeal of the Suffering Servant.

In connection with the great outstanding gospel truth of redemption thru suffering—the cross, the blood of the Lamb—there is an implication of the other gospel truth, that the world is won to a participation in the salvation effected by the Servant thru reflection on his unparalleled sufferings and patient demeanor. "His cross is his throne; by his death he has ruled the ages."

This suffering has been in order to accomplish a divine plan of redemption. . . . He offers a trespass-offering for the sins of the people, in order to purchase their redemption thereby. . . . His death is such a substitution and compensation for sin. When this has been accomplished, the condition of humiliation has come to an end, and the exaltation of the Servant begins. . . . This prophecy of the Servant who dies and arises from the grave finds its only fulfillment in the death of Jesus Christ and in his resurrection and exaltation to his heavenly throne." (C. A. Briggs).

As Men Saw Him.

Ver. 1-3.
"While the church has never failed to see its Jesus in the Suffering Servant of these verses, it has been loath to apply to him the literalness of the description. Jesus of Nazareth must rather have possessed a most desirable beauty, infinite grace of face and form. The suggestion that his countenance was so repulsive—leprosy is hinted at (Cp. Job 19:19)—as to make men dread to look upon it (ver. 3) is hateful to his disciples. There are three interpretations that relieve us from such a reading of the words: (1) The language is entirely figurative, indicating in a general way our Lord's accepted humbleness. (2) The tortured, bruised, blood-stained Jesus of the cross alone is represented. (3) Or, this is the way he appeared to those who rejected and hated him. In the prophecy the prophet is speaking for those who disbelieved his message: tell-

ing why they did. Only to his lovers is Christ "altogether lovely." When did those who deny him ever find him such? The third interpretation seems to us the most natural and satisfactory."

In Our Stead.

v. 4.
"Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted." Here it is again the prophet himself who is speaking. His words are in a sense a rejoinder to his disbelievers. "Yes, he was indeed a man who knew what pain and sorrow are, this Suffering Servant; but he bore it all for our sakes"—"he was wounded because we had sinned, 'twas our misdeeds that crushed him, 'twas for our welfare that he was chastised, the blows that fell to him have brought us healing" (ver. 5, Moffatt). Sinful men are lost sheep—Jesus' own figure of speech—who need not only a Shepherd gently to lead them home, but One whose shoulders are broad enough and willing to take over the burden of their guilt."

The Silence of Jesus.
"As a sheep that before his shearers is dumb, so he opened not his mouth." Innumerable times has the words: as Philip did to the eunuch (Acts 9:35). It is a prophecy that the Christian always recalls when he thinks of his Redeemer in the hands of his murderers. (Cp. Matt. 26: 63; 27: 12-14; Mark 14:61; 15:5; Luke 21:9; John 19:9).

Failure and Success.
"Who are the three mightiest of this world? Caesar, Alexander, and Napoleon. They all sought universal empire. Here lies Caesar, at the foot of Pompey's pillar, and none so poor to do him reverence; write on his gravestone, Failure. Here lies Alexander under his table, dead as the result of a drunken revel; write upon his gravestone, Failure. Here lies Napoleon under the dome of the Invalides, with his battle flags around him; write upon his tombstone, Failure.

"But yesterday their names were mighty on the earth; Today, 'tis what?"
But this one name above all. One who also sought for universal empire, and he won it. Write above the superscription of the cross this word, Success."—David James Burrell.

Jesus on the Cross.

v. 5.
"He was wounded for our transgressions." "There is but one cross in the world, it is the Cross of the Christ, the Cross whereon God's redeeming Love dies as against the

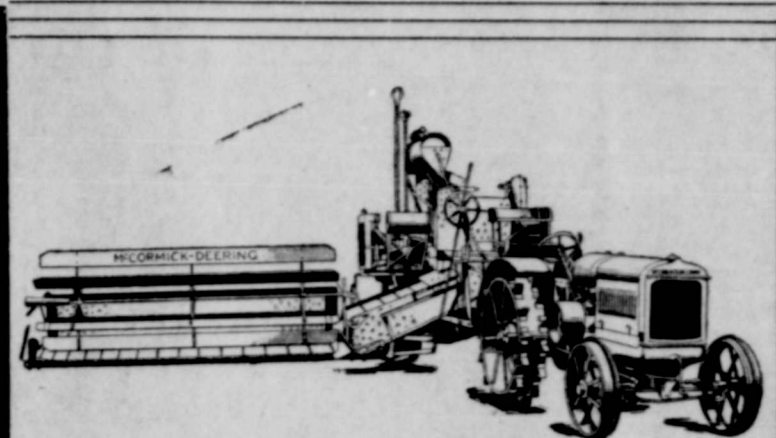
sin of the world."—Rev. Edward W. Lewis.

A Personal Consecration.
"Was it for crimes that I had done, He groaned upon the tree?"
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proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor; providing for its submission to the voters of the State of Texas as required by the Constitution, and making appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of Ten Thousand Dollars and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture; provided that this amendment shall not become effective until the third Tuesday in January, 1931."

Sec. 2 The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on July 16, 1929, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor." And those voters opposing said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor."

Sec. 3 The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

Approved March 19, 1929.
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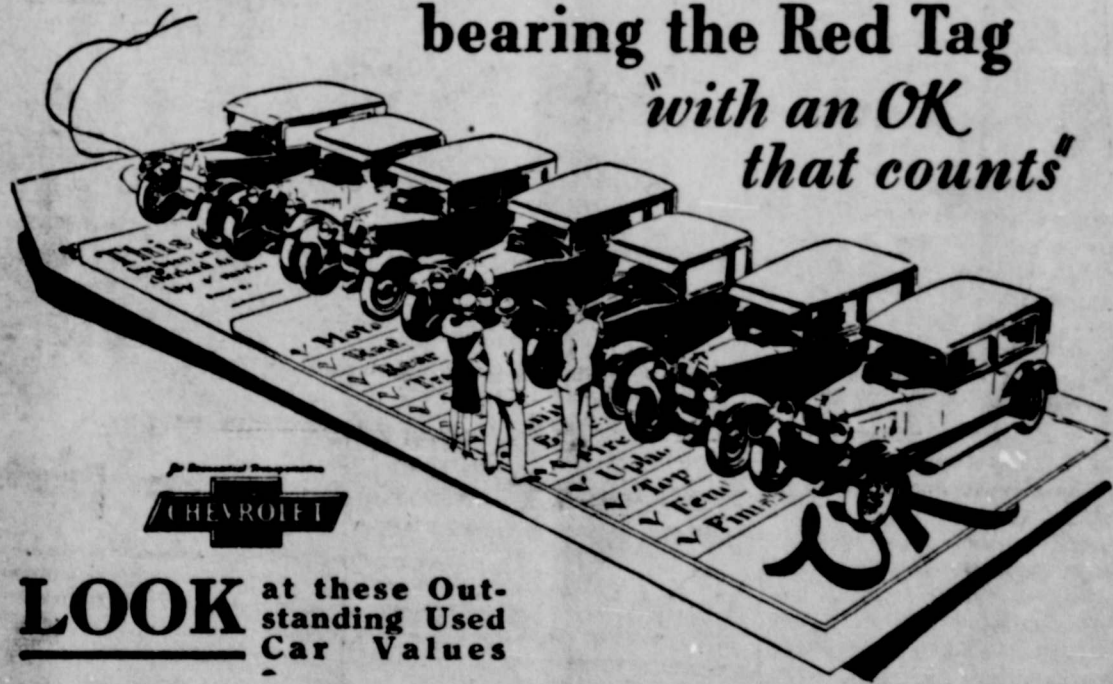
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Sections 2 and 3 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article 5. Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; in other matters, until otherwise provided by Law, the jurisdiction of the Court shall be exercised under such regulations and orders as the Court by a majority vote may prescribe. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this State and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a judge of a court, or such lawyer and judge together at least seven years. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at a general election, shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice if the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and, upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate."

"Article V. Section 3. The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction under such restrictions, and regulations as the Legislature may prescribe. Unless otherwise provided by law, the appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several Courts of Civil Appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a Statute of the State is held void, and shall extend to such other questions as may be within the Court's Appellate Jurisdiction under the Statutes of the State in force when this amendment takes effect. The Supreme Court and the Justices thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus, as may be prescribed by Law, and under such regulations as may be prescribed by Law, the said Court and the Justices thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari and such other writs, as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified, except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall have power, upon affidavit or otherwise as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capitol for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the Court. The Supreme Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such

*** NEWS BRIEFS FROM TOWNS NEARBY ***

Clarendon, April 21.—Joe Dunwoodie received a sentence of 99 years in the penitentiary at the hands of a jury here last week, convicting him of the slaying of the nightwatchman at Hedley last December. Others implicated in the crime are seeking a change of venue, and will not be tried this term of court.

Clarendon, April 23.—H. T. Burton has been reelected superintendent of the schools here for another year. Dean of the junior college will have to be filled, as L. B. Cooper will leave for postgraduate work at some University.

Floydada, April 23.—A special election has been called for today to elect an alderman to fill out the city council. P. M. Felton, elected at the regular poll, failed to qualify, and Mayor W. C. Hanna advertised the special election.

Clarendon, April 23.—A five-county meet of home demonstration clubs will be held here in June to display the work of the clubs in Donley, Hall, Collingsworth, Potter and Armstrong counties, according to plans of Miss Harvey Thompson, local demonstration agent.

Clarendon, April 22.—The Marine manner as is now or may hereafter, be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the Minutes of said Court who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

SEC. 2. Said proposed Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on Tuesday, July 16, 1929, at which election each voter opposing said proposed amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed on said ballot: "For the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that Court", and each voter favoring said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot in the same manner the following words printed on said ballot: "Against the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that Court." If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

SEC. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and said election held as provided by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

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Sterley, April 23.—The first issue of the Sterley Saturday Post appeared here last week, with A. M. Adams of Amarillo editor and publisher. For the present the paper will be printed on the Turkey newspaper plant.

Sterley, April 24.—The organization of a bank is under way with local and outside capital interested. When sufficient capital has been subscribed an application will be made for a charter.

Tulia, April 23.—The Kiwanis club is giving much attention to needed road buildings. It is sponsoring the designation of a state highway from Tulia to Vigo Park, to link up with a proposed crossing of Palo Duro canyon into Claude.

Tulia, April 22.—Misses Marjorie Wimberly, Grace Stevenson and Jack Cantrell composed the dramatic team that won first honors at the regional meet held at Abilene, opposed to strong teams over a wide district. The team will be in the State meet at Austin in May. Miss Wimberly was given a scholarship in Simmons University for her distinction as star player. "Mansions" was the production staged.

Wayside, April 23.—The community was host to three hundred people here Friday when the Palo Duro canyon park meeting was held. Dinner was served on the ground, and a sightseeing trip was given the visitors to scenic places along the canyon.

Quitaque, April 23.—H. J. Bailey was reelected president of the school

board here when the new board was organized. Acceptances are being received from teachers for the coming school term.

Quitaque, April 24.—The new hotel, Los Lingos, will be ready for formal opening the latter part of May, according to O. E. Hutchison, owner.

Lockney, April 23.—Mayor Childers and Marshal Davis have issued notice of strict enforcement of the city's traffic laws. Non-observance of the parking regulations and stop signals and reckless driving are the chief faults complained of.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

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Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. A. Neill, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of the Briscoe County News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

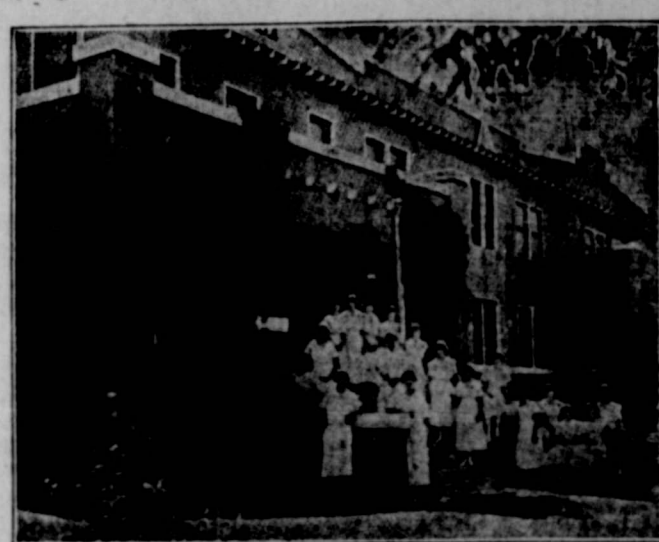
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Dr. Jordan will be in my office from 10:00 o'clock a. m. until 2:00 o'clock p. m. and will answer calls any time day or night. —O. T. BUNDY, M. D.

Spearman Was Winner in Hansford Seat Vote

SPEARMAN, April 23.—Everyone seems pleased with the election of Spearman as the new county seat for Hansford county as result of the election for removal from Hansford here last Saturday.

The votes were Spearman, 876; Gruver, 390; and Hansford, only 11. This was the fourth election held since 1922 to relocate the county capital. Good feeling is prevailing throughout the county, and no contest will likely be filed.

Joe Moon Acquitted on Swindling Charge

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—Joe Moon, who had been charged with swindling, was acquitted by a jury in district court here Tuesday.

The case was called for trial Monday and the jury was selected by middle of the afternoon. After hearing of the evidence and arguments by attorneys, the court charged the jury which retired for the balloting. This case had attracted wide interest in this section.

Local Theatre Installing New Sound Equipment

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lawson left Sunday afternoon for Dallas where they will get the sound equipment for the theatre here. They plan to return today. Mr. Lawson will install the equipment for his big picture "The Trail of '98".

Work Started on Electric High Line

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—A construction crew of forty men began work on the electric high line which the Texas Utilities Company is building from Hereford to Dimmitt and from here to Hart.

Rapid progress is being made in digging the holes for the poles, and the electric service from the line should be available for the city June 1, and for Hart June 10, according to statement of officials.

Wheeler—The Baptist Church building is now under construction at Wheeler.

County Briefs

NORTH SILVERTON ROUTE NEWS AND PERSONALS

Mrs. Bill Morris motored to Plainview Saturday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Johnson were pleasantly surprised with relatives visiting them from Amarillo Saturday night and Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jacobs and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kennedy and family.

Messrs Polk Osburn and Guy Matthews of Morton, N. Mex. were guests in the J. M. Clayton home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris have relatives visiting them for a few days here. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caro of Pontiau, Oklahoma.

Rev. Morris returned from a ten days' visit with friends and relatives at Turkey and Quitaque last Wednesday.

Arthur Gregg and Bill Morris are putting the dashing finishes to the Baptist parsonage this week at Silvertown.

Mrs. J. M. Clayton was a caller on Mrs. J. N. Pitts last Wednesday afternoon.

W. L. Jewett and Master Bobby Douglas of Silvertown were feed hauling from the Jewett farm on this route Monday.

The families of Arthur Gregg, Jack Caro, Bill Morris were afternoon callers in the Mark Morris home Sunday.

FRANCIS FLASHES

Quite a few of the kiddies of this community are recovering from a light attack of the measles. We are glad to report that none have been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn and family attended church at Whitfield Sunday night.

Rollie Hughes motored to Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pharr of Ozona, Texas, visited in the Johnnie Young home Saturday night. They left for Plainview Sunday, where Mrs. Pharr will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Montague.

Bryan Strange made a business trip to Turkey last Saturday.

Mrs. Alvin Redin is the owner of a new Maytag washer.

Mrs. Ione Brown visited relatives in the Cedar Hill community Sunday.

Maxine Allred spent Sunday night with Evelyn Dunn.

Singing was well attended here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn motored

to Plainview Monday to visit Mr. McMinn's sister who is in the sanitarium there.

The speaking, which was to be at Rock Creek Wednesday night on consolidation of the schools has been postponed until a later date.

Lee Hannah was in this community Tuesday afternoon.

The young folks of this community were entertained with a play party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jackson last Saturday night.

O. B. Fore of Lockney visited in this community Sunday.

Sale of Capital Lands Being Pushed

CHANNING, April 22.—The Capital Syndicate Lands company, which originally received 3,000,000 acres of Panhandle land from the State of Texas in exchange for the building of the magnificent capitol structure at Austin, is carrying on an intensive selling campaign of small tracts to actual farmers. The main office has been moved from Amarillo to Dalhart, a more central location for its acreage which lies mostly in Dallam, Hartley, Deaf Smith and Parmer counties.

Over \$2,000,000 worth of land has been sold since 1927, according to S. H. Roberts, the general land commissioner. Only 450,000 acres of land are now left from the original three millions. The marketing of this land at reasonable prices accounts much for the rapid development of the sections affected.

Carson County Officials Arraigned by Auditor

PANHANDLE, April 23.—The county attorney, county clerk, tax collector, assessor, and sheriff of Carson county were charged with making improper use of county money through erring methods of bookkeeping and misinterpretations of law, in the auditing report which was filed here last week with the commissioners court.

The county funds were found to be on deficit of about \$72,000, it is alleged, and the auditor reported that the deficit was accounted for through the officials' illegal collection of salaries and fees, illegal payment of salaries to employes, payment of bounty money on false claims, and other unauthorized expenditures of public funds. The haphazard methods of bookkeeping were scored heavily by the auditor.

Cattle Growing Fat On Good Ranges

AUSTIN Texas, April 24.—Rains and warm weather have improved the cattle ranges in Texas during the last month and the outlook for the live stock industry is very much brighter than it was six weeks ago, according to Bervard Nichols, editor of the Texas Business Review, issued

monthly by the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas. "Animals are putting on flesh rapidly and it now appears that the spring movement of grass fat cattle will start earlier than was thought possible a month ago," Mr. Nichols said. "Winter losses were very small this year, despite the fact that ranges were unusually poor and considerable feeding was necessary. If prices hold at present levels, this should be a satisfactory year for the industry."

Rupture Shield Expert Coming to Lubbock and Amarillo

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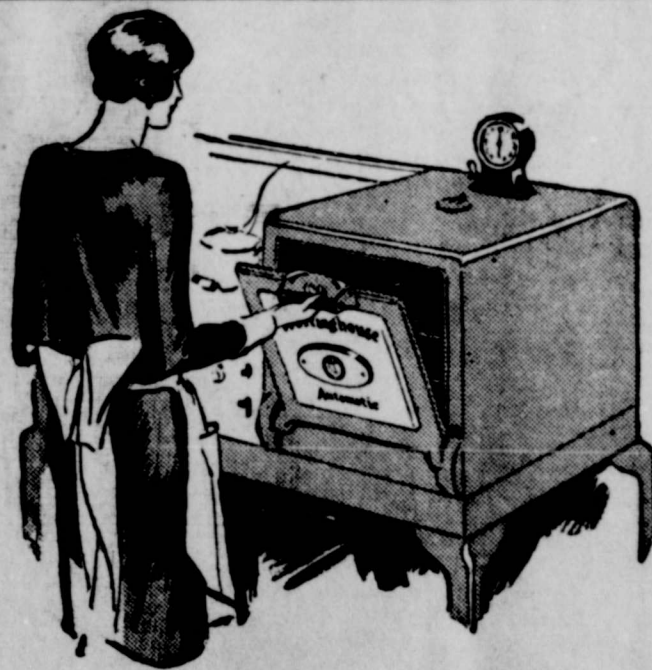
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"The Sawdust Paradise"

Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Held Annual Meet

Edwin "Goose" Ramey of Dimmitt, Student of Wild Geese, Scored Biggest Hit with History of Goose Hunting.

CANYON, TEXAS, April 21.—The Panhandle-Plains Historical Society in its ninth annual session Friday, April 12th, voted to publish Volume 2 of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review in 1929.

All officers of the organization were re-elected.

J. D. Hamlin of Farewell was toastmaster. Invocation pronounced by Rev. W. C. Knuze of Canyon. Address of Welcome was delivered by Prof. L. F. Sheffy.

Horace Russell of Amarillo gave the history of the Panhandle from the time of Coronado's trip through here 388 years ago to the present. Two violin solos were rendered by Herschel Coffee of W. T. S. T. C. The address of the evening was delivered by Judge L. Gough, Harold Bugbee, whose cowboy paintings were on exhibit during the society meeting, made a few remarks about his efforts to depict on canvas some of the picturesque characters and scenes of this country.

Edwin "Goose" Ramey of Dimmitt, a Panhandle old settler who has as his hobby the study and breeding of wild geese, scored the biggest hit of the evening in his address on "The Beasts of the Fields and the Fowls of the Air". For 15 minutes or longer he was constantly interrupted by the cheers or laughter of the audience. His address was a classic. He gave in detail the history of goose hunting in this section, declaring the first geese migrated to the Panhandle in 1910 and that pit hunting for geese began 12 miles southeast of Dimmitt on January 1, 1916. His address was a fitting climax to a program of merriment and interest which could have become tiresome during its four-hour duration.

An excellent banquet was served at Cousins Hall by college students.

West Texas Chamber Commerce Head Visits

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 23.—Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was a brief visitor in Quitaque the latter part of last week. While here Mr. Wade held a short conference with as many local business men as could be gathered on short notice, and outlined to the gathering the aims of the West Texas organization. He also announced that the annual convention of the organization to be held in El Paso, had been postponed until the fall in the hope that President Herbert Hoover would be able to attend.

Steam pressure cookers were bought in Texas last year by 2033 home demonstration club women. Canning in tin is fast displacing the older, more laborious and less efficient home canning methods.

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Cotton Seed Oil Mill Considering Quitaque Location

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 23.—A possibility that one of the largest corporations engaged in the cotton seed oil industry in Texas may locate in Quitaque is expressed by chamber of commerce officials who have been in communication with the firm during the past ten days. Following the first exchange of letter, the firm expressed more than a passing interest in the possibilities of this territory, and asked for additional information.

Data concerning the cotton production in this community is now being gathered and will be forwarded to the concern as quickly as possible. With the additional cotton acreage planned for this year, it is thought that enough seed will be available to make the operation of a mill profitable.

New Routing for Highway No. 18

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 23.—A probable re-routing of the course at present designated for Highway No. 18, a state and federal project, is seen by local road enthusiasts as a result if the Palo Duro park proposal goes thru. As at present designated, the route of Highway No. 18 is most impractical, traversing as it does the sand hills between Flomot and the state highway at Turkey.

O. C. Arthur of Quitaque left early Thursday morning for Lubbock, where he will confer with the district highway engineer in an effort to conclude a recommendation that the present routing of the highway be changed to bring it into connection with the state highway at a point midway between Turkey and Quitaque. Such action is also endorsed by the people of the Flomot community.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Snapka Entertained London Bridge Club.

Mrs. E. G. Snapka entertained the London Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Bain Jr.

High score went to Mrs. Ralph L. Buell and consolation to Mrs. Dick Cowart.

The members present were Mesdames Dean Allard, Elmer Allard, W. L. Bain, Dick Cowart, Frank Crawley, Max Crawford, Tom Bomar, James Meeker, Hubert Simmons, True Burson, Raymond Patton, McAnaw, Marion Williams.

The guests were Mesdames Jo Ed Burleson, John Bain, Jr., Ralph L. Buell, O. T. Bundy, Guy Whitacre, C. D. Wright and Miss Maud Dean Burson.

Baptist W. M. S. Plan Social Session Monday.

The W. M. S. of the Baptist church met at the church with twelve members present. Rev. Davis had charge of the Bible study. An interesting lesson was enjoyed by the society.

The W. M. S. will meet in a social session next Monday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Shelby Haynes. All members are urged to be present and bring some new member.

For the luncheon that is to be served in the Nunn-Hill building on the second day of court, April 30, members are requested to furnish well-filled baskets to supplement other preparations.

Upton-Hardcastle Nuptials Saturday.

Miss Leo Hardcastle and Rannel Upton, two young people of Silverton, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage here Saturday evening in a surprise wedding. Rev. Mar-

vin Brotherton performed the ceremonial rites.

Mrs. Upton is a charming young lady of Silverton, born and reared in this section, with a host of friends who extend the best of wishes.

Mr. Upton is one of the new young business men of the city, and is associated with Jas. M. Boyer in the operation of the Boyer Barber Shop.

Alexander Smith Was Topic for Study Club.

The Scotch element, dream life and general atmosphere in Alexander Smith's essays were discussed at the meeting of the 1925 Study Club April 17. Mrs. Frank P. Bain was director of the study.

The prepared program was: Dream Life in Smith's Essay—Mrs. Guy Whitacre.

The Scotch Element in the Essays Dreamthorp.

Wanona Addition Opened in Dimmitt

Restricted Residence Addition Opened Here by W. G. Baxter; Many Lots Sold

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 24.—W. G. Baxter is opening to the public a beautiful addition situated just north of the townsite of Dimmitt. This is known as the "Wanona Addition", and is restricted. H. E. Rantz and nine other have bought lots. Mr. Rantz will build a brick veneer within the near future upon the three lots which he bought.

Every property owner in "Wanona" will be required to build cement walks of a certain specification and meet other restrictions.

Mr. Baxter will build sidewalks across the frontage of the property which comprises four blocks, will

of Smith—Mrs. R. E. Douglas. Selections—Mrs. Fred Lemons. Discussion—The Atmosphere of

build a beautiful archway and grade all streets which are eighty feet wide. Mr. Baxter has already built one home

Badgett Joins Pioneer Pharmacy Force Here

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 23.—C. R. Badgett, formerly of Bells, Texas, where he had been engaged in the drug business for the past 20 years, has joined the staff of the Pioneer Drug Store, according to H. G. Gardiner, owner. Mr. Badgett is a registered pharmacist, and will have charge of the prescription department at the Pioneer. Mrs. Badgett is in Quitaque with her husband, and they will be joined later in the summer by their daughter, who is attending school at El Reno, Ok.

Happy—The Texas Utilities Company have reduced rates for pumping water for the city of Happy 25 per cent.

Happy—The Farmers Grain & Elevator Company are building a 70,000 bushel elevator at Happy.

MARKET REMOVAL!

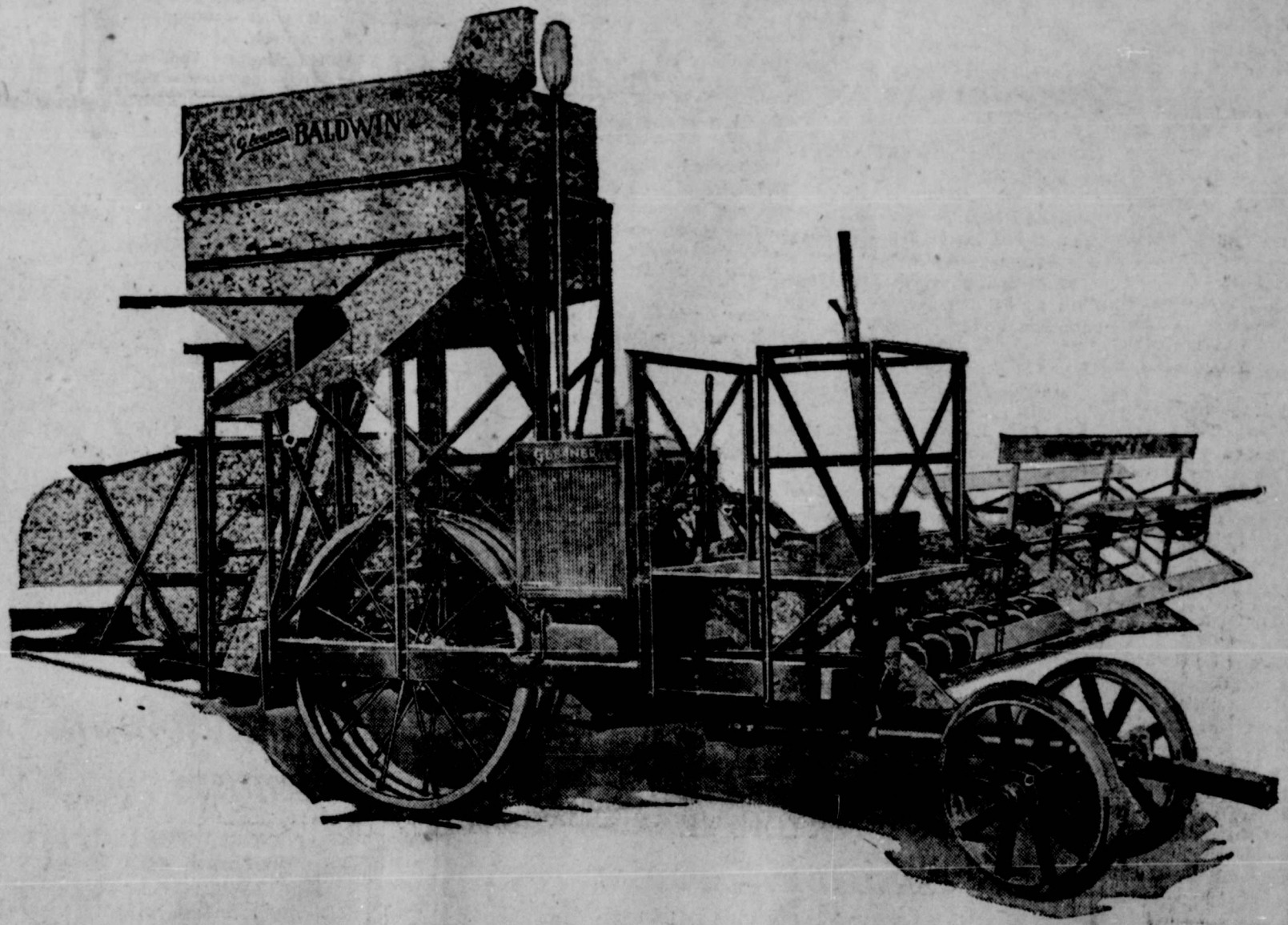
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Other features of major importance are used on the machine, a 34-horse Continental Red Seal Motor developing ample power for any and all harvesting conditions, 26-inch

rasp type cylinder (4-inches wider than that used in last years machines); FULL JEWELED having 66 hyatt, timken and new departure bearings, a 32-inch separator (4-inches wider than last years model) heavier and more rugged frame, 55-bushel grain tank, an improved and efficient straw spreader, steel cut gears and steel roller chains and many other exclusive features and advantages.

Regardless of how large an acreage you farm it is worth your while to consider this machine and its many advantages. We will be glad to show you all the features of the Baldwin. 150 of these Baldwin combines have been sold in the territory between Tulsa and Hereford. Contracts for sixteen have been made at Happy. One Hale county man has placed his order for 16 to handle his 7,000 acres of wheat. Orders are piling up in every wheat town.—PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!!

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