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## Definite News On Gas Line Assured Soon

### Vice-President Hinchey Informed Mayor Nichols That Board Would Make Definite State- ment From May 13 Meeting.

Silverton will know definitely a few days following May 13 just how it stands in the line for receiving natural gas service, states Mayor T. M. Nichols who was in wire communication Monday with vice-president Hinchey of the West Texas Gas Company of Amarillo.

Hinchey told the mayor that the right-of-way for the line south of Silverton into the city had been secured and the board of directors of the company would meet May 13 at Topeka and would take some action on the plans the Amarillo office had made toward serving Briscoe county.

Considerable survey and other preliminary expense has been incurred by the gas company in this section, an extension of time has been granted both by Silverton and Quitaque from last November to July 1, and there is a possibility that present plans will be approved by the general board and work started at once on laying the line to the city limits to reach here within the required time.

If built, the gas line will first reach here and then be extended to Quitaque, and probably to Turkey, but the latter city has failed to grant any extension of time and the company has no permit for that city.

Some ten days ago a crew of surveyors and engineers worked out the territory between here and Quitaque evidently selecting the most feasible route down the caprock for the gas main.

## Big Selling Event at Toggery Saturday

The Toggery is in full swing with its golden opportunity sale of seasonable merchandise in ladies' ready-to-wear and gent's furnishings.

"We have been having big crowds of buyers," stated Guy Whitacre, the manager, "and have just received a heavy shipment of new goods to supplement our stock, and we have some of the choicest bargains ever offered in Silverton. Some of these we are featuring in the half-page advertisement in the News this week for the Saturday shoppers. Read the list over and make your selections."

## Dimmitt School Census Advances 41 Per Cent

### Wonderful Growth in Community Indicated by Large Increase of School Children.

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 30.—The scholastic census for Dimmitt independent school district shows an increase of 41 per cent over last year's report, as shown by figures compiled by Supt. C. A. Cryer and filed with the ex-officio county superintendent.

Not many districts in the Panhandle are able to show such a big growth, and this increase in scholastic population is only correlative with a proportionate in all census enumeration.

## Builders Must Get Permit From City

Beginning this week contractors and builders must secure a permit from the city secretary before buildings are erected or repairs are made, according to Mayor T. M. Nichols.

There has been an ordinance to this effect in the past but it has not been enforced. Hereafter a permit must be secured, setting out the kind of structure, size, material used, number of rooms, stories, location, cost and contractor handling the job if any.

Anson—Anson will soon have an airfield.

## Row Crops Are Being Planted—Some Cotton

Reports from correspondents over the county state that wheat has suffered considerably the past week during the high dry winds. Some are crediting the depreciation to lack of moisture, but others more scientifically inclined claim the crisping damage has been caused by the abnormal amount of static electricity in the air brought on probably by the friction of sand particles and air currents.

Also, all planters have been busy seeding the row crops, and some few have begun cotton planting.

The cold, damp wind from the north all day Wednesday and Wednesday night should bring some relief to the grain crop and aid in strengthening its vitality.

## Fire Measures Are Passed By Council

### Ordinance Effective When Published; J. D. King Appointed Fire Marshal.

The city council has passed the required fire ordinance, appointed a fire marshal, and arranged to post an arson reward to comply with the suggestions made by the inspector of the State fire insurance commission who visited Silverton a few weeks ago.

The fire ordinance is elaborate and comprehensive, similar to those in effect in other towns, and will become effective immediately upon completion of publication as required by law.

J. D. King, county surveyor and head of an abstract company, was the appointee for fire marshal.

The city will receive a new fire key rate, somewhat reduced, as result of these measures.

## Tri-State Fair Signs Up Rodeo for July 3, 4, 5

### Miller and King to Bring Famous Rodeo Performers to Amarillo; \$7,500 Offered in Prizes to Con- testants.

AMARILLO, Texas, May 2.—Announcement of a contract with Miller and King for a great Tri-State Fair association rodeo in Amarillo July 3, 4 and 5 was made by Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the Tri-State Fair, this week. In addition to announcing the contract with this famous Holly, Colorado firm of rodeo managers and performers, Mr. Hawk announced that \$7,500 in prizes would be offered to riders, ropers and other rodeo contestants in the three-day event.

Miller and King will bring some of the most famous bucking horses and Brahma steers in the world to Amarillo in addition to an array of busters seldom even seen in this section.

The rodeo contests will be open to the world, and anyone wishing to compete should write Clyde Miller, Holly, Colorado.

## Hudson-Essex To Expand And Build Corner Site Station

### S. W. Corner Square Will Have Drive-In Station; Agency Will Expand Into Regular Service Firm.

Preparations began today for building a concrete paved drive-in oil and gas depot and the expansion of the Hudson-Essex agency into a real service station on the present site, corner of Main and Commerce streets.

The building in which the Hudson and Essex cars are now housed will be moved back twenty-five feet to make room for the gas pumps and concrete drive-way, auto accessories will be added, and a first class Hudson-Essex service station will be put in operation here, according to B. M. Willingham, one of the agency associates.

This lot on the southwest corner of the square is owned by John Burson, who is having the outlined improvements made.

## Sleet-Snow Near Wed.

PAMPA, May 2.—Snow and sleet cooled portions of the Texas Panhandle yesterday.

Borger reported a light fall of snow for half an hour followed by intermittent rains in an unseasonably low temperature.

Drenching rains fell near here in the Panhandle plains Wednesday morning and a steady downfall in the afternoon was expected to benefit the wheat crop.

At Amarillo gusts of sleet and rain accompanied a cold north wind, the temperature dropping to 42 degrees at 9 a. m. yesterday. Lower temperature was registered last night.

## New Health Officer Appointed by City

Dr. O. T. Bundy has been appointed city health officer, as announced this week by Mayor T. M. Nichols. Dr. Bundy has accepted the position, though at present taking post-graduate work in X-ray interpretation in schools of the north. The new health officer will be absent a few weeks, and will enter upon these new duties when he returns to Silverton.

## Linkmen in Picnic at Tule Canyon

The annual picnic of Odd Fellows of this district was held Sunday at Tule canyon with a large crowd of lodgemen present. Representatives from Lockney, Floydada, and Quitaque came through Silverton, where they were joined by local Odd Fellows, on their way to the picnic grounds northwest of here. Tule and other points to the west sent members to the annual outdoor affair.

## Panhandle Region Receives Most of Highway Contracts

### Carson, Childress, Hale, and Potter Counties Are Awarded Close to Two Million in Road Contracts.

For the first time Panhandle counties are beginning to get back some of the money they have been paying in taxation since the early days. These counties are now setting a record in highway building, and the state is meeting at least one-third of the expense.

Of the \$4,000,000 in contract let last week by the highway commission, one-third of it went into four counties of this section, Hale, Cottle, Childress, and Carson.

The panhandle-plains section led the United States last year in railroad building, and this year it will lead Texas in highway construction. It is now being predicted that the Panhandle will soon be setting the pace for Texas in almost every form of development.

## Roberts Grain Case Center Of Interest

### J. B. Russell Named Jury Foreman; Civil Cases This Week; Criminal Docket Will Be Called Monday.

District court was convened here Monday by Judge Kenneth Bain, who immediately empaneled and charged the grand jury. No specific instructions were issued by the judge, only a general injunction to inquire into the violations of all statutes alike, remarking that the jury was composed of experienced men, tried and true, who were probably better versed than he in the duties of the inquiring body.

J. B. Russell of Quitaque was named foreman of the grand jury. The civil docket was called twice the earlier part of the week in setting appearances; The criminal docket will be called Monday and cases set.

The main burden of the court this week has been the suit of A. F. Roberts against Roberts Grain Company, in which the Roberts Grain company is resisting payment in full of contract price in the erection of the elevator here, claiming inferior building and equipment to contractual specifications. A jury was called for, and rather lengthy evidence offered. The defense had rested Thursday morning, and plaintiff was presenting rebuttal testimony. The jury will probably have the case during the afternoon.

## Services Announced for Presbyterian

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. P. B. Henderlite, may be expected at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. The morning service is to be at 11 o'clock and the evening service at 8 o'clock.

## Roberts Grain and Seed Being Rebuilt

Construction has begun on the new elevator of the Roberts Grain & Seed company on their trackage property south of the depot where fire destroyed the storage and loading building Jan 16 of this year. A loss of \$10,000 was sustained at that time, and it was announced that replacement would begin at once.

The elevator will be ready for the new harvest this summer, according to R. F. Pruitt, local manager. As soon as the extended municipal water system is put into operation, the danger from fire to the elevators and gins in this vicinity will be lessened, as a fire plug will be set on a six-inch line nearby.

## Nineteen Per Cent School Increase

### Sixty-Nine More Scholastics Counted in School District Census.

Scholastic census for the Silverton independent school district, just compiled by C. R. E. Weaver, superintendent, show an increase over last year of sixty-nine, a step-up of nineteen per cent.

The new roll shows 434 children and youths within the school age, compared to 365 in 1928. Crowded conditions already exist here in the school rooms, and the building of the new high school comes none too soon as indications point to a much larger enrollment when the September term opens. The natural development of the county following the railroad's arrival is bringing more people without danger of overgrowth.

## Elva Wright Is Honor Student of Senior Class

### High School Has Tentative List of Sixteen Graduates; Com- mencement Address Set for May 22.

Miss Elva Wright is high honor student in the senior class, winning out over Rhea Alexander by two points. Elmer Gilkeyson made the best average grade among the boys. There are ten girls and six boys in the tentative list of graduates for this year, according to C. E. Weaver, superintendent.

Speakers for commencement exercises have not definitely been decided upon. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached May 19, and the commencement address will be given the following Wednesday, May 22.

Final check has not been made on the senior class roll, but the following is a tentative list, subject to revision later.

Faye Brown, Mildred Cloyd, Rhea Alexander, Bertha Thomas, Elva Wright, Kate Thompson, Marie Thomas, Gladys Smithee, Evelyn Turner, Ida Smith, Elmer Gilkeyson, H. C. Claunch Jr., Arlan Donnell, Vernon Garrison, Claget Anderson, and Obie Sheets.

## Two Calves Sold for \$208.00 to Local Cow Buyer

### Cecil Vaughn Marketed His Fed- Out 11 Months Old Beeves for 13 Cents; Tells How They Were Rationed.

Cecil Vaughn sold his two high grade Hereford fed-out calves last Saturday to S. T. Wynn, local cattle buyer, for thirteen cents a pound. The calves were eleven months old and weighed 750 and 850 pounds each, grossing the young owner \$208.00.

These two beeves cost Cecil \$50 a piece as original purchase price, and not counting the value of the feed, which was home-grown, and his labor a profit of \$108 was realized.

Tells How It Was Done  
Vaughn is a member of W. M. Gourley's vocational agriculture class in the high school, and he tells the story of how his calves were fed out scientifically:

"I bought my calves in August from my father, giving him \$50 a piece, and started feeding them Nov. 1. For the first ten days I fed them higher bundles and leaving them with their mothers at night."

"Then I began adding ground milo maize heads to the ration. I did not give a full ration at once because it would have thrown them off their feed. I waited another ten days before adding cottonseed meal."

"Arriving then at a balanced ration I fed it until Jan. 1, then changed my ground milo heads to threshed ground milo. I continued the new ration for two months when I put in ground shell corn, because I wanted to put a hard finish fat on the calves. I also gave them plenty of sulphur salt in order to get minerals into their food."

"In this way the calves were topped off, and I sold them at the age of 11 months last Saturday, April 27, for thirteen cents a pound on foot."

## Brick and Tile City Pump House

Work is in progress on the brick and tile pump house for the city at the site of the new 140,000 gallon well.

It was found that the most economical structure for this purpose would be one of brick and tile, though the first cost would be larger than of frame. Its permanence and added protection to the pumping machinery justify the \$500 housing.

## Largest Real Estate Deal in Dimmitt

### Panhandle Lumber Company Sold Three Brick Buildings to Wylie Steward of Estelline

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 30.—Perhaps the largest real estate transfer ever made on the Dimmitt townsite was that consummated last week by B. B. Burns when he sold the three brick buildings belonging to Panhandle Lumber Company to Wylie Steward of Estelline. These buildings are now occupied by "M" System, C. E. Stone Company and Carter-Houston Dry Goods Company.

## Evening Train Now Leaves at 6:45 P. M.

The schedule of the Ft. Worth & Denver, South Plains railroad which leaves Silverton in the evening to connect with east bound train at Sterling Junction has been moved up twenty-five minutes earlier, according to N. M. Baird, station master.

The new time is 6:45 p. m., and was formerly 7:10 p. m. Failure to note this change in schedule has caused some inconvenience on the part of the public, both as passengers and in not posting mail earlier at the post-office.

Tulia—Rockwell Bros. & Company have just erected a new umber shed.

## Card Trails Wanted Man Like Bloodhound

How a lowly postal card, printed in red ink at the News' plant, took the trail of an alleged lawbreaker and followed it like a bloodhound is the story from our own sheriff's office and not from a fiction shelf of Sherlock Holmes.

Roy Dillard, alias Roy Ritchie, wanted on charge of forging three checks and passing them to merchants of Quitaque last January, has been remanded to jail here in custody of Sheriff N. R. Honea, awaiting action of the grand jury which is now in session.

Dillard has been identified by E. G. Rice, dry goods merchant of Quitaque as the man who bought some goods from him in January, paying him with a check presumably drawn by a far-

mer in Dillard's favor and marked "balance due on pulling bolls". The difference of several dollars in the check and goods was paid by the merchant to Dillard, according to M. Rice, who alleges that the check was subsequently found to be a forged instrument. By that time, however, Dillard had disappeared.

Dillard and his family, consisting of a wife and three children, spent some time the first of the year pulling bolls for farmers in the Quitaque section. His means of conveyance was a Chevrolet truck. It is charged that he forged three checks and made small purchases to realize some cash, then suddenly left the county before the nature of the checks was found out.

Arrested in Eastland and brought here by Sheriff Honea, his bond was

placed at \$1,000 each on three counts, which he failed to make, and is now confined in the jail here. The High Sheriff has been acting as wailer this week, serving his prisoner with hot cakes and coffee every morning.

When the wheels of the law enforcement service started turning, the defendant was jailed within forty-eight hours. One day last week the defrauded Quitaque merchants made up a reward of \$50 for arrest and delivery of Dillard to the Sheriff of Briscoe county, and the story now reads like fiction.

When the reward notice reached the office of the sheriff in Eastland and was read, the officer recalled that a similar man had just been tried and convicted of burglary and given a five-year suspended sentence. Also, looking

out through the window he saw a Chevrolet truck containing a woman and three children answering the description. Within a few minutes Dillard was located in an office building talking to an attorney, Judge Grisham, Dillard was arrested, and Sheriff Honea notified who went at once to Eastland and returned the prisoner to this county.

Action was so prompt that officers here could scarcely believe that information leading to the arrest had come from the reward notices. But it was revealed that when the card addressed to the Eastland county sheriff left Silverton, it hardly stopped before resting on the attorney's desk in front of the man wanted, accompanied by the words, "Dillard, you are wanted in Briscoe county."



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Calendar for May 1929 showing days of the week and dates.

Texas lawmakers are finding it hard to enact laws that will remain laws when put into operation.

The statute relating to the collecting of fees by justices of the peace was finally declared void.

To take care of the justice of the peace, who is necessary in the administration of laws in local and minor affairs, the last legislature passed a new fee bill.

And now comes the county attorney of Wichita Falls who rules that the present lunacy law is unconstitutional.

The two statutes appear to be quite similar, and most of us wonder why such provisions are put into laws by our representatives.

The people need to draft sound thinkers instead of electing politicians, and this applies to all leaders in and out of government.

Chevrolet Has Sold Half Million Sixes

DETROIT, May 2.—Evidence of the wide-spread popularity of the new six cylinder Chevrolet was revealed here today in an announcement by R. H. Grant, vice-president of the Chevrolet Motor Company in charge of sales.

A significant feature of this achievement, it was noted, is the fact that Chevrolet in four months time built a greater number of six cylinder cars than any other automobile manufacturer has ever produced in an entire year.

Advertisement for Dr. O. T. Bundy and Dr. D. T. Jordan, Physicians and Surgeons, located at South Plains.

Know Texas

- In the early days of Texas cattle were so cheap they were killed for the hides alone. In 1928 there were about 3,419,157 citrus trees of all kinds in the lower Rio Grande Valley. Texas has about 600 miles of street railways. More than 537,000 Texas homes are served by electricity. About 450,000 electric irons are used in Texas homes.

Four Cent Gas Tax and Lower Car Fees

AUSTIN, April 30.—Gov. Dan Moody's administration leaders will ask a four-cent state gasoline sales tax, and will offer a one-third reduction in the license fees of passenger cars, it was revealed early in the new session.

\$9.75 Top Paid for Grass Cows

FT. WORTH, April 30.—A car of South Texas grass cows sold on the Fort Worth market Thursday at \$9.75 and the load averaged 840 pounds.

Hypphen-C Ranch Is Sold for \$110,000

SNYDER, April 30.—D. T. Whately has just completed purchase of Hypphen C Ranch of 19 sections in Borden county for \$110,000 cash consideration.

Knight Templars of Borger Organized

BORGER, May 1.—Knight Templars of Borger met at the Black hotel last week for a banquet and organization meeting.

Piggly Wiggly Has Quitaque Franchise

Miller Brothers Change Hokus-Pokus Store to Piggly Wiggly Grocery. Formal Opening On April 27.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Changing the Hokus-Pokus Grocery, formerly operated by them, to a Piggly Wiggly, Miller Brothers held the formal opening of their new store last Saturday, April 27.

Granting of the Piggly Wiggly franchise in the local field marks the second of the big grocery chains to give permits to local concerns.

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution 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.

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 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 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.

Approved February 19, 1929. (A Correct Copy) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

CORRECTION

An incorrect signature was carried on the Hail Insurance advertisement which appeared in the issue of the News April 18 for J. E. Daniel and J. H. Graves.

The News inserted the signature of the Silverton National Farm Loan Association, through an oversight. J. E. Daniel, the secretary, had organized a new firm to write the insurance business.

The News promptly acknowledges a error in this matter and wishes to state that the advertised insurance business is being handled by J. E. Daniel, individual, in associate with J. H. Graves.

Have You Seen the John Deere Combine

Are you one of the dozens of grain-growers who have visited our store to see the John Deere Combine? If you are not, we would like to have you stop in the next time you're in town.

The Grain-Saving Combine That's Easiest to Operate

Here are some of the features you'll like about the John Deere:

- 1.—Easy to Operate: Controls are grouped on the operator's platform in such a manner that one man has complete and instant control of his machine.
2.—Saves the Grain: Cutting, elevating, separating and cleaning units are constructed with a great margin of safety for saving grain.
3.—Sturdy Built: John Deere quality in materials and workmanship assure long life and good work.
4.—Roller and Ball Bearings: Light draft and long life result from the use of high-grade bearings at all friction points.
5.—Easy to Oil: High-pressure grease gun oiling a swift and easy job.
6.—Powerful Motor: The motor that operates the John Deere has a surplus of power for the pinches.
7.—Easily-Emptied Grain Tank: Less than a minute is required to empty the 65-bushel grain tank on the John Deere No. 2. This feature means more hours for cutting.

Stop in and see the John Deere—we know you'll like it and want it for harvest.

CARLOAD OF JOHN DEERE TRACTORS JUST ARRIVED —LET US SHOW YOU ONE!

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# Lyons and Hines to State Meet From Quitaque

### J. J. HINES GETS SECOND IN SHOT PUT; RUBY DRAPER THIRD IN JUNIOR DECLAMATION. MILE RELAY TEAM WINS THIRD.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Two places in the literary events and two in the track events were the results attained by Quitaque High School competitors in the district interscholastic meet held at Canyon on Friday and Saturday of last week. J. W. Lyons featured the Quitaque entries by winning first place in the senior boys' declamation event, winning himself a trip to Austin for the state meet to be held next month, where he is conceded an excellent chance to win new laurels.

Ruby Draper, who won third place in the junior girls' declamation, was the other Quitaque entry to score in the literary events.

Losing first place by a scant two inches, E. J. Hines, with a put of 40 feet, 6 inches, landed an easy second in the shot put event, and will also make the trip to Austin.

Third place in the mile relay fell to the local team, composed of E. J. Hines, Coe Hines, Carson Leatnerwood and Lester Hamilton.

Competing against the larger schools of the Panhandle, including Amarillo, Canyon, Borger and Pampa, the showing of the local entrants was most encouraging.

Pampa ran off with the track meet by a top-heavy score, defeating the defending champions, the Golden Sandies from Amarillo.

## Boy Scouts Unload Brick for New Church

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Members of the Quitaque Boy Scout Troop on Wednesday took complete charge of the unloading of a carload of brick to be used in the construction of the new Baptist Church of Quitaque, making no charge for their services.

Several projects are being planned by the troop which will be made public within a short time, according to W. A. Palmer, scoutmaster.

Spearman—Spearman will be supplied with natural gas from fields near Stinnett through a six-inch line to be completed by August.

Borger—A building is under construction on West Sixth Street for occupancy by a confectionary and soda fountain.

## Rupture Shield Expert Coming to Lubbock and Amarillo

In Lubbock on Monday & Tuesday, May 6 & 7, at the Lubbock Hotel—Hours, 10 to 3, and in Amarillo on Wednesday & Thursday, May 8 & 9, at Amarillo Hotel from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Evenings by telephone appointment only—Two Days Only—No charge for Consultation.

Mr. C. F. Redlich, the successful expert says:

The "perfect Retention Shields" hold the rupture perfectly, no matter what position the body assumes or how heavy a weight you lift. They give instant relief, contract the opening in a remarkably short time and strengthen the weak tissues (the real cause of rupture) so that they frequently recover their previous natural outside support. Stomach trouble, backache and constipation often caused by Rupture promptly disappear.

Truly remarkable and prompt results have been obtained not only with recent and not fully developed ruptures but also with old, long neglected ones.

Genius, recently perfected devices are now holding ruptures firmly which heretofore never had been retained.

No elastic belts nor filthy legstraps are used.

I guarantee the durability of my absolutely sweat and moisture proof, sanitary appliances.

75 per cent of ruptured children recover completely through expert mechanical treatment according to statistics.

"Do not waste your money on widely advertised mail order contraptions. You cannot fit yourself.

C. F. REDLICH, Rupture Appliance Expert, Home office, 535 Boston Bldg., Minneapolis, Minnesota. (Adv.)

## Ewing Furniture Now Located in Its Own Building

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Removal of the stock and fixtures of the J. W. Ewing Furniture Co. to the new building erected by Mr. Ewing on the north side of Main street, was accomplished the first of the week, and the establishment is now doing business in its new location. No formal opening will be held in the new building, Mr. Ewing states, as the interior of the new structure is not quite finished. However, a cordial invitation is issued to all friends and customers to visit the establishment in its new location.

The new brick building occupied by the company was built by Mr. Ewing for his own use. The building formerly occupied has been rented to out-of-town parties who will open a variety store in the near future.

## Swine Specialist, Hog Ration Expert, Takes New Work

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, April 30.—E. R. Eudaly, swine specialist of the Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, for the past three years, has announced his resignation, effective July 1, to accept position with the Central Farm Products Company, Inc., of Waco.

As swine specialist for the Extension Service, Mr. Eudaly has become widely known, especially for his work in developing ton litters. Protein supplement method of feeding hogs, which he worked out and popularized, that makes the balancing of hog rations an easy matter for the average farmer, is now in common use in nearly every section of the state.

## More Antelope Are On North Plains

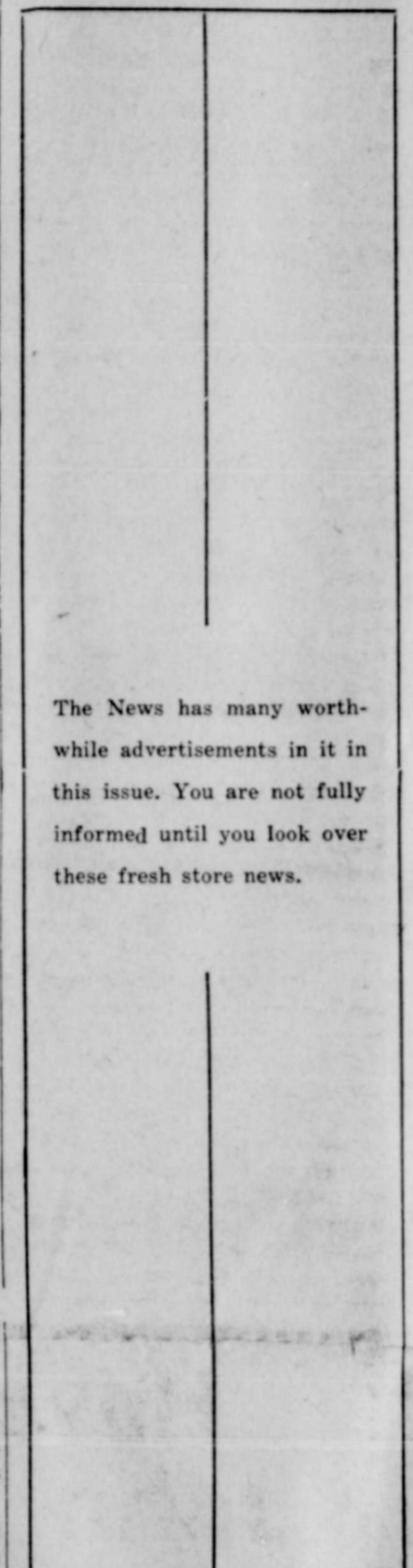
AMARILLO, May 1.—Antelope are increasing in the Panhandle, according to state game wardens, ranchmen and sportsmen. It was said this was due to protection given the animals by state game laws and by ranchmen themselves.

Ted Houghton, foreman of the Shelton Estate ranches, along the Canadian river, reported that there were at least 200 head of antelopes on his ranches.

Within the past three years a herd has increased on one of the Bivins ranches from three to 15, it was reported.

## Quitaque Ice Plant Sold to Vernon Man

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, MAY 1.—Sale of the ice plant operated in Quitaque by the West Texas Utilities Co. to Eunice Wilson of Vernon was consummated the first of last week, according to Jack Seale, manager of the utilities company here. Mr. Wilson, who operates in Vernon under the name of the Coca-Cola Bottling and Ice Co., also bought the ice plant at Turkey.



The News has many worthwhile advertisements in it in this issue. You are not fully informed until you look over these fresh store news.

## A. E. Boyd Heads Quitaque Schools

### Five of High School and Five of Grade School Teachers Will Come Back Next Fall. Boyd Visits Here.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, MAY 1.—Ten teachers at present acting on the faculties of the Quitaque public schools have signed contracts for the school year 1919-1930 and will teach in the local schools during the coming school year, according to Joe Head, secretary of the school board.

The list given below includes all teachers whose signed contracts have been received to date:

HIGH SCHOOL:—G. C. Gross, Misses Carolyn Laney, Opal Cross, Vita Buck and Eloise Morgan.

GRADE SCHOOLS:—Misses Ila Fae Selby, Nellie Joe Baucom, Ruby McKinney, Mary Kate Blackwell and Zella Cross.

A. E. Boyd of Whitesboro, who will serve as superintendent of the schools next year, was a visitor in Quitaque the latter part of last week, getting acquainted with the local situation. In company with G. S. Dowell, retiring superintendent, Mr. Boyd visited with the business men of the city, and later spent several hours going over the school work.

## New Station Being Built by Hawkins for Cherry

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Construction on a new filling station for the Federal Service Station, operated by Guy Cherry, was started the first of the week by B. T. Hawkins at the same location occupied by the Federal. The new station will be most attractive in appearance, brick being used in its construction. A feature of the building will be a drive-in for motorists desiring tire service.

About one month will be necessary to complete the building and install equipment, Mr. Cherry states.

Between 1920 and 1925, 75,000 new farms were brought into cultivation in the United States. Thirty thousand of them were in Texas.

## Sixteen Million Bales Cotton Indicated 1929

AUSTIN, Texas, April 30.—Approximately 16,000,000 bales of cotton will be harvested in the United States this year, according to Bernard Nichols, who is in charge of index numbers in the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas. This compares with last year's crop of 14,373,000 bales. The average that will probably be harvested has been calculated at 45,375,000 acres, or only a slight increase over that of last year.

## Telephone Construction Costs \$775 a Minute

During the past year it is estimated that it costs approximately \$755 a minute to keep up with the demand for new telephone construction throughout the United States. This means that the entire industry expended more than \$400,000,000 in supplying new telephone service to meet the public's additional demands.

## Legislature Fails to Ask How Much

AUSTIN, May 1.—Although the bill of \$4,927 submitted by Ernst and Ernst for an audit of the general land office in connection with the investigation of that department is considered excessive, there is nothing that can be done about it, Representative Fred Minor of Denton, said today. He said he had believed the bill would not be in excess of \$1,000.

Commissioner J. T. Robison of the general land office said he had no intention of resigning in reply to Representative A. P. C. Petsch of Fredericksburg, who stated that if he were Robison he would vacate the office.

## Lubbock Lad Finds Pistol, May Die

LUBBOCK, April 30.—While playing on the bed, Richard Diebel, 3 years old, found a pistol under his father's pillow. It discharged accidentally, the bullet entering the child's stomach. His condition was reported serious.

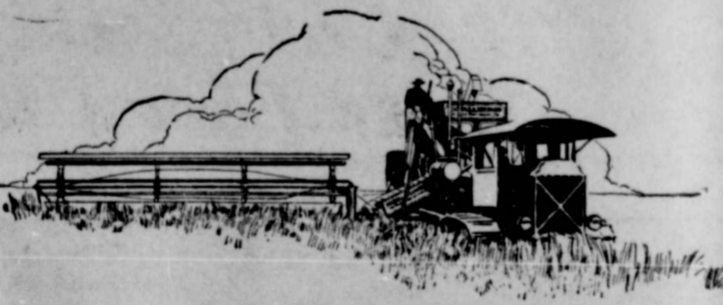
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# LOCALS

E. C. Stroup, district manager of the State Telephone Company, was here Tuesday on an inspection trip. Mr. Stroup stated that his company had been concentrating on improvement of the toll lines out of Silverton and was getting them in serviceable condition before starting on plans laid out for the city's system.

Hubert Simmons and Mr. Gillette were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and Mrs. Hubert Simmons spent Tuesday in Quitaque visiting in the home of Mrs. J. A. Simmons.

The camp-fire girls enjoyed the first "swim" of the season at the Burson tank Tuesday.

Mrs. Carroll Gunter of Dimmitt motored to Silverton last Thursday

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**UNDER THE COURT HOUSE DOME**  
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Marriage License  
 F. B. Buford to Mrs. Mary E. Daniel.

Deed Records  
 J. M. Wagstaff of Abilene to City of Quitaque, water system; consideration \$8,000.

M. F. Mitchener to Joe Lee Ferguson, East 1-2 Sec. 79, Block M-10, full consideration not specified.

A. F. Van Meter to South Plains Lumber Co., lots 22 and 23, block 1, Quitaque, consideration \$1,000.

J. B. Porter to O. K. Wing, trustee for Phillips Petroleum Corp., Lots 1, 2, 3, block 75, Silverton, consideration \$1537.50.

R. M. Carter to A. M. McMillan, Lot 2, Block 19, Silverton, consideration \$100.

Nunn-Warren Publishing Co. to J. L. Nunn et al, newspaper properties.

## Texas Utilities Is Planning Cook School

The Texas Utilities Company will stage a cooking school here about the tenth of May, in charge of a lady expert, according to Joe Blocker, local manager.

The cooking school will consist of a demonstration of the ease and comfort of using the Flavor Zone electric range. The stove can be so-adjusted that at the proper time it will turn itself on and brown the roast to perfection. The lady of the house desires to talk some longer on the telephone or prolong her visit with neighbors or remain an hour or two shopping, the range will turn itself off at the proper time, allowing the cooking to continue at a low temperature without burning.

The range won't set the table or wash the dishes, but it takes the heat

to attend the bridge and shower given Mrs. True Burson. Mrs. Gunter is the sister of Mr. Burson.

Mrs. Ples Skeen, who was called to the bedside of her mother and brother-in-law in Delta County, Texas a few weeks ago, returned home Thursday leaving the sick relatives much improved. Mrs. Skeen was accompanied by her son, Leroy. Roy Brown also made the trip as far as Ft. Worth, where he visited his relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Buell have moved to Quitaque where Mr. Buell is manager and editor of the Quitaque Post.

The three children of Rev. and Mrs. P. B. Henderlite, who have been ill, are doing nicely and will soon have regained their health.

## New Masonic Hall Dedicated At Dimmitt

Masons and Families Met in Entertainment in Dedicating Lodge Room.

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 30.—Last Friday night, April 26th, marked the dedication of the new Masonic Hall in Dimmitt. At that time the Masons celebrated with an entertainment including their wives and families. A piano had been secured by the entertainment committee and has become the property of the lodge. This with the new furniture which has just been installed makes the Dimmitt Hall one of the most attractive excepting the fine temples, in West Texas.

The program consisted of several interesting talks by members of the lodge to which a response was given by Mrs. E. B. Wright representing the Eastern Star. Special numbers consisted of music by Mesdames Boswell, Hunter and Reynolds, Miss Millicent Hastings and W. G. Baxter and readings by Decima and Robert Ramey. The members of the Masonic Lodge rejoice that a chapter of the order of Eastern Star has been organized and this will open the way for many such occasions of entertainment in the future. Refreshments served were: sandwiches, punch, brick ice cream, and cake.

## Had Not Purchased 1929 License, Fined

S. C. Aldridge was fined here April 15 for operation of a motor vehicle on the highway without having purchased a 1929 license. Upon his plea of guilty, the minimum fine of \$1.00 and costs was assessed.

The Texas syrup crop, from sugar cane and sorghum, is valued at \$4,000,000 a year.

out of the kitchen and a lot of unpleasant tasks from the housewife so that she will not mind doing them.

## Former Local Teacher Has Winning Class

DIMMITT, TEXAS, April 30.—R. J. Newton, formerly teacher of vocational agriculture here and who is now at Sudan, entered his judging team in the Dairy Contest at A. & M. winning first place and a free trip to Chicago. In case they win there, he and the boys get a free trip to Europe.

Levelland—Two modern business buildings will be erected east of the square.

## Pot Plants FOR Mothers' Day

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# GRADUATION Will Soon Be Here!

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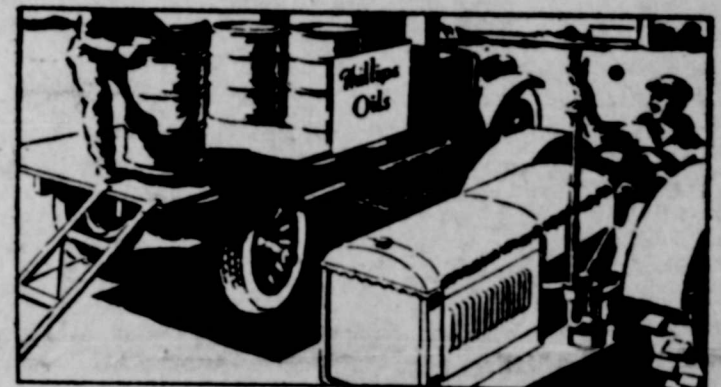
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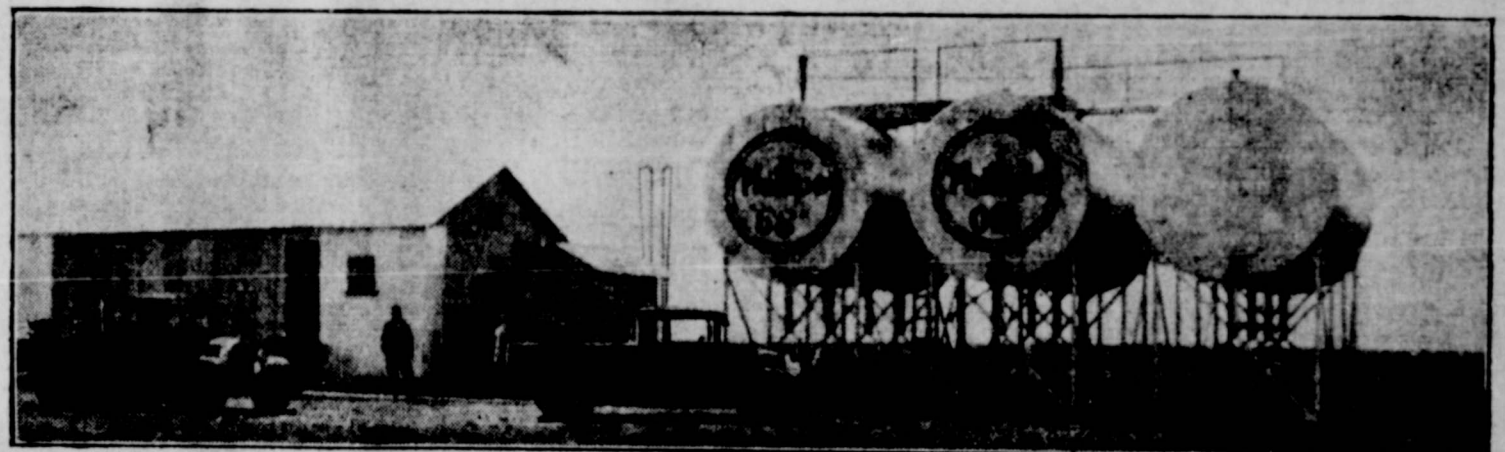
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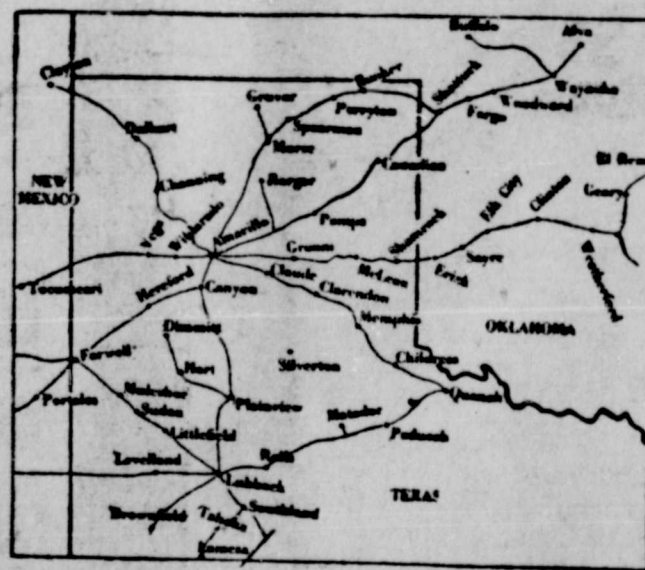
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Silverton, Texas

MAY, 1929						
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## THE CALENDAR

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# County Briefs

## NORTH SILVERTON ROUTE NEWS AND PERSONALS

(Mrs. J. M. Clayton, Reporter)  
A good rain would be very much appreciated here. The wheat crops are suffering for the lack of rain at this period.

Planting of row crop seeds is the order of the day with the farmers now. Some few are planting cotton seeds.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Johnson and family were dinner and afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olives last Sunday.

W. E. Redin of the Francis community was a pleasant caller at the J. M. Clayton home Tuesday.

The families of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caro motored to St. Plains last Sunday afternoon.

Messrs W. S. Rose and P. D. Osborne of Littlefield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton Sunday.

Mr. Hooper has his brother visiting him for a few days from Lorenza, Texas.

The reporter for this route is very anxious to get in touch with all personals. We would like very much to make a lengthy item each and every week of all concerned. No one is never overlooked intentionally. Otherwise we will appreciate any news handed in, either to this writer or the editor. No boost is meant for the reporter, but for the county and neighborhood.

Some one said, "wonder what's become of Haylake Happenings, Holt News Bits, Rock Creek Crickets." Why not come often folks? You see you are missed and somebody appreciates you and yours.

### FRANCIS FLASHES

Quite a number of this community attended church at Rock Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. U. D. Brown visited Mrs. Alvin Redin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Garrett, of Breckenridge are visiting relatives in this community.

J. S. Young made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

A good rain would be highly appreciated in this part. Some of the wheat seems to be suffering greatly for moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Dunn of Scott, Okla., are visiting relatives in this community.

The following were callers in the Johnnie Young home last Saturday afternoon: Mesdames W. E. Redin, Ione Brown, J. Y. Bradford and A. F. Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rowell were callers in the Bryan Strange home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Joiner of Plainview visited relatives in this part Sunday.

Mrs. W. N. Dunn is the owner of a new Maytag washer.

Rev. Jessie A. Cook and Clint Dunn visited the tunnel Tuesday.

There will be singing at this place Sunday afternoon. Everyone come.

## Mrs. Grewe's Father Died at Houston

Mrs. C. A. Grewe is in receipt of a message that her father A. R. Dietrich of Houston died there April 20. Mr. Dietrich had been ill for about two years. His remains were taken to Alvin, Texas, where he now rests, his old home-town where he had lived the most of his life.

Happy—The Elevator owned by Toles Grain Company has been remodelled.

Canadian—A \$4,000 bridge is to be built over Elk creek near this place.

## Practice Game Won by Silverton Club

The Silverton baseball club, now in a formative state, had a work out Sunday in a practice game with Whitfield of Hale county. The local boys slugged out a victory with a 15 to 8 score, having plenty of margin to spare. A large crowd of about 200 fans enjoyed the game.

Manager D. M. Morgan gave fourteen men a workout in this game, and will shortly have assembled a first class playing team. Although loose at times, the boys showed some streaks Sunday of jamb-up playing, some fast time stuff, particularly infield handling and pegging.

Morgan in receipt of a telegram from Oscar Fonken of Happy stating that he would be available for special games. Fonken is a pitcher of high reputation, having held the mound for Silverton three years ago with a string of wins to his credit. Other noted players will probably be added from time to time.

**Silverton Line-Up**  
Dean Allard, ss; Clevenger and Lee Thomas, 2b; Big Ledbetter and Biggs, lf; Bean; Taylor, c; R. Upton and Jimmy Stevenson, cf; J. Hollingsworth and D. L. Morgan, 1b; Ledbetter and Robert Hill, rf; Ledbetter and Raymond Grimland, p.

First named took the field first half, alternating with players named for same position when game was half completed.

## Big Fruit Crop for County Formed

There is an unusually heavy fruit crop in the making for Briscoe county, states B. F. Smith, who lives north of town and has a nice orchard of peaches, apples, and plums.

Mr. Smith said he thought the fruit was now safe from freezes or frost and only hail would prevent a heavy yield. Some of his trees are so heavily loaded that he plans on removing the culls now to relieve the trees.

Mr. Smith is the pioneer dairyman of the county, having started here several years back with a small dairy herd. Instead of feeding his surplus feed crop to stock cattle he used it on his milk cows, and soon had his farm paid for. He intends to cut his herd down to a size which he can more easily handle and properly care for.

Farwell—Farwell has recently held its annual dairy show.

## Classified Advertising

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FOR SALE—Flowers, annuals and perennials, most all kinds, prices from ten cents dozen to 35 cents each. —Mrs. Willie Sue McGaughey. 23.

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FOR RENT—Suite of Bedroom furniture, chiffonier, dresser, bedstead —Apply at News Office;

### MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED, Black-Brown mule, about 14 1-2 hands high, blind in left eye, right ear split, has harness marks Reward for information of location. —W. R. Triplett, Plainview, Texas, Phone 9005 F 3. 5-9p.

HOG BUYERS in Silverton every day—Ship Mondays and Tuesdays.—Willingham & Winn 5-16p.

BLACK MAMMOTH Jack for service now located at Askey place, one-half mile east of Silverton, also standing a stud, three-quarter Mor

## Ball Game With Ralls Club Sunday

The Ralls baseball club will meet Silverton here Sunday in what is expected to be a lively game. Ralls has a classy team, defeating Lockney last Sunday 7 to 4. Manager Morgan states that he may have in the lineup a left-handed pitcher who will surprise the visitors.

Standard electrical and building codes are meeting with increased favor by states and cities.

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—Also Good Comedy—

SUNDAY & MONDAY—MAY 5 & 6  
TIM McCOY In—

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—Also Good Comedy—

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY—MAY 7 & 8  
ROD LA ROCQUE In—

**"Love Overnight"**  
—With TOM KENNEDY and MARY CARR—  
—Also Good Comedy—

THURSDAY & FRIDAY—MAY 9 & 10  
—CLARA BOW IN—

**"The Fleet's In"**  
—With JAMES HALL—  
—Also Good Comedy—

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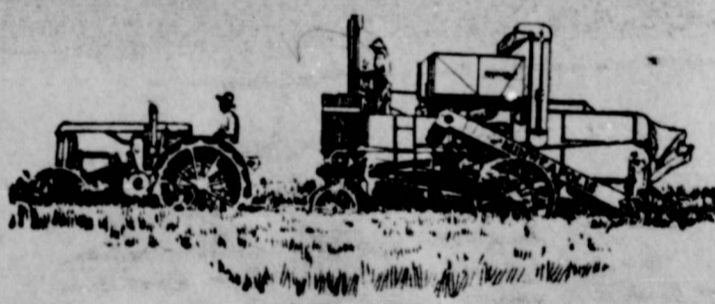
### Specials for Friday & Saturday

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OKRA	NO. 2 CANS— 2 Cans for 25c
ORANGES	2 DOZEN For 25c
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BANANAS	PER POUND 05c
SOAP	PALMOLIVE—4 Bars for 25c
TOBACCO	BULL DURAM, From 9 Until 12 a. m. 05c Each
BRAN	RAISEN-SKINNERS, Each 10c
Old Dutch Cleanser	2 Cans for 15c
CORN	NO. 2 CANS STANDARD, Each 10c

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Silverton, Texas

### Davis & Gibbs, Dealers

Plainview, Texas



### Survey Gas Line East to Quitaque

Right of Way Laid Out From Silvertown to Quitaque by Company Crew. Prospect for Gas by Winter Good.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 28.—Prospects for natural gas for Quitaque by this coming fall took a decided boost last week when a field crew of the West Texas Gas Co. made a survey of the proposed route of the line from Silvertown to Quitaque. No trouble in securing the necessary right of way is expected by the company, and city officials believe that the company will have gas here by this coming fall.

Present indications point to the route from Silvertown down the Caprock being chosen by the company for its lines into this city.

Provisions of the franchise granted the company by the city call for gas to be in the city by July 1, and while it is thought unlikely that the lines will be here by that time, it is considered probable that the connections will be made in time to provide the city with gas service by the fall months.

### Estelline Paving Is Rushed for Summer

ESTELLINE, April 30.—The grading crew for the paving work here is busy this week with teams and frescos getting the streets graded for the concrete.

About five blocks of paving surrounding the public square have been contracted for by the city council. The work will be rushed to completion in order to have the streets ready for the summer tourist travel.

### Car Wreck Kills Man at Plainview

PLAINVIEW, April 30.—R. J. Preston, 26, was instantly killed here last week when his car hit an embankment where the detour on State Highway 28 comes into the main road, four miles east of Plainview.

Preston's neck was broken. He leaves a wife and three children. Interment was made at Levelland.

### Court Upholds Act of Stephens Assessor

AUSTIN, April 30.—Answering certified questions propounded by the 11th court of civil appeals, the supreme court held that Tom C. Hefner, Stephens county tax assessor, was not indebted to the county in any sum, the county having sued to recover under the maximum salary provision contained in an act of the legislature of 1923. The court found Stephens county was exempted from provisions of the law.

### Farmer Lawmakers Form Helpful Club

AUSTIN, May 1.—Organization of a club designed to aid constructive legislation in behalf of the farmer was organized today among farmers in the house of representatives. Eugene Giles of Austin was elected chairman.

### Smith's Hatchery

Lockney, Texas  
"The Home of Smith's Incubated Chicks"

### CHICKS ON SALE

TUESDAY—  
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Price Per Hundred—  
Brown Leghorns — \$10.50  
White Leghorns — \$11.00  
Anconas — \$11.50  
Reds, Buff Orpington, Silver-lace Wyandotts, White Wyandotts, Barred Rocks \$12.50  
Cornish Game — \$14.50

### Smith's Hatchery

Lockney, Texas  
P. O. Box 199

### Odd Fellows Select Pampa 1930 Meet

PLAINVIEW, May 1.—Pampa will be host to the Panhandle association of the I. O. O. F. in 1930. In a business session of the 26th annual session of the body in Plainview last week, Pampa was chosen for the next meeting place. The oil city won the choice after a spirited contest with Memphis, the other city seeking the 1930 convention.

C. E. McPherson of Amarillo was elected president; J. E. Shaffer of Texline, first vice-president; Mrs. W. H. Woodall of Plainview, second vice-president, and F. E. Walker of Amarillo, secretary.

More than 375 ebekahs and Odd Fellows gathered here for the two-day session.

### J. P. 'S. Entitled to Fees Regardless Result

AUSTIN, May 1.—In an opinion handed down by Assistant Attorney General R. D. Cox, Jr., it was held that justices of the peace are entitled to the \$2.50 fee authorized by the regular session of the legislature, regardless of whether the case in question is appealed to the county court. In what further held by Cox that in event of the defendant's failure to pay the fine assessed the justice fee could not be reduced.

### Tariff on Wool and Canned Meats May Be Raised

WASHINGTON, May 1.—An increase of not less than three cents a pound in the tariff on wool and mohair as well as an increase in the duties on substitutes for these two commodities was predicted by Congressman C. B. Hays following a conference today with other members of Congress interested in these items.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the people of Silvertown and surrounding community, I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks for every sympathetic interest, every tender spoken word, and every act of kindness rendered during the illness and death of my dear husband. My heart goes out in tender appreciation to those who gave the beautiful floral offerings.  
—MRS. C. C. MOORE.

### Borger Jews Honor 5,659th Passover Feast in Banquet

BORGER, April 27.—Fifteen Jewish merchants of Borger, and their families, participated in a banquet in celebration of the Passover, held in the Sanitary Cafe Wednesday evening, it was announced by Dan Cohn.

The event commemorated the 5,659th anniversary of the passover, an annual celebration in the lives of people of Jewish descent.

### Memphis Baptists Plan \$35,000 Church Annex

MEMPHIS, April 30.—Should present plans materialize, actual construction will begin by June 1 on the \$35,000 annex to the First Baptist church of this city. The quota of \$15,000 cash has just about been reached, according to the building committee. Only about \$700 remains to be raised, of which amount \$20 has been pledged, and the committee hopes to have the balance in hand this week.

### State Agronomist Advises Rotation

COLLEGE STATION, May 1.—In West Texas, alternating cotton and feed crops is advised by C. A. Miller, Extension Agronomist, who cites demonstrations in Knox county as illustrating the value of this practice. One farmer in that county made 32 bales of cotton from 52 acres after using this rotation a few years while an adjoining farm produced only 25 bales on 82 acres. The county agent there is featuring a half cotton, half feed program.

### Ku Klux Klan to Go Back to Atlanta

ATLANTA, May 1.—The Ku Klux Klan has decided to move back home. On July 1 the headquarters which have been maintained in Washington for the past two years will be re-established at Atlanta. The report of this was confirmed by one of the high ranking officials of the order with the explanation that it was believed more effective work could be carried on from Atlanta.

## Your MODEL T FORD is still a good car

THE Model T Ford led the motor industry for twenty years because of its sturdy worth, reliability and economy. Those same reasons continue to make it a good car.

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Don't sacrifice your Model T, therefore, but take it to the Ford dealer and have him estimate on the cost of putting it in A1 shape. A very small expenditure may be the means of giving you thousands of miles of additional service.

For a labor charge of \$20 to \$25 you can have your motor and transmission completely overhauled. This price includes new bearings, reboing cylinders and any other work necessary. Parts are extra.

Valves can be ground and carbon removed for \$3 to \$4. The cost of tightening all main bearings is only \$5. The labor charge for overhauling the front axle is \$4.50 to \$5—rear axle assembly, \$5.75 to \$7.

New universal joint will be installed for a labor charge of \$3. Brake shoes relined for \$1.50. Rear spring and perches rebushed for \$1.75. The cost of overhauling the starting motor is \$3. A labor charge of approximately \$2.50 covers the overhauling of the generator.

It will pay you, therefore, to see your Ford dealer and have him put your Model T in good running order. By doing so you will protect and maintain the investment you have in your car and get months and years of reliable transportation at a very low cost per mile.

### FORD MOTOR COMPANY

### Quitaque Graduates Form Association

Earl Wise Heads Quitaque High School Alumni Body. Plan Annual Banquet During Commencement Week.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 28.—Graduates of the local high school met last Sunday afternoon and after preliminary discussion banded themselves together in the "Quitaque High School Alumni Association", eleven former students composing the initial membership. Earl Wise was chosen president of the association, with Allie Rumph vice-president and Hazel Self secretary.

The meeting Sunday was for the purpose of preliminary organization, and another meeting will be held this coming Sunday afternoon, to which all former students here are urged to attend. At Sunday's meeting the committee on constitution and by-laws will report, and other important business will be transacted.

Plans of the organization included the holding of an annual banquet some time during Commencement week, which it is hoped to make an important part of the graduation festivities.

Those present at last Sunday's meeting included Earl Wise, Allie Rumph, Hazel Self, Minnie Mae Robertson, Philip Hamilton, Seney Persens, Ewell Hamilton, Charles Gentry, Vidgil Gregg, Ruth Self, and Gibbs Rucker.

### LODGE NOTICES

Silvertown Lodge No. 754 A. F. & A. M.  
Holds stated meetings on or before the full moon of each month. All visiting Masons are invited to attend.—A. E. FRIEZE, W. M.; —W. M. GOURLEY, Sec'y.

### SILVERTON REBEKAH LODGE NUMBER 39

Meets every Monday night at 7:30. All visitors are cordially invited.

A JOINT RESOLUTION 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.

(A Correct Copy)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

Dalhart — Peoples Funeral Home have formally opened in their newly completed building.

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# Hawkins-Whippet Company Bought Quitaque Firm

**BERT HAWKINS, CHESTER HAWKINS AND ROY TEETERS ASSOCIATED IN NEW COMPANY TO HANDLE WHIPPET AND WILLYS-KNIGHT AUTOS.**

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Thru a deal consummated the first of last week, the entire business of the Ramey-Whippet Co., operated by B. G. Ramey, was transferred to the Hawkins-Whippet Co., composed of Bert Hawkins, Chester Hawkins and Roy Teeters, all of Quitaque. Mr. Ramey, who started the Whippet agency here has made no announcement concerning his future plans, and left the first of the week on a short business and pleasure trip.

All of the new owners of the agency are well known in the business life of Quitaque, Messrs. Bert and Chester Hawkins having been located here for several years. Mr. Teeters was connected with the Ramey-Whippet Co. for a year prior to the sale.

No change in location is contemplated by the company, the new owners state.

In addition to the stock of Whippet Fours and Sixes, which has been carried by the agency, a carload of the new Willys-Knight models is expected by the company within the next thirty days.

The company will do a general garage and storage business, as in the past.

## C. of C. Officials Accept New Road

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, MAY 1.—Following a joint trip of inspection made by the executive committees and road committees of the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce, the new road built under the auspices of the organization to connect up with the Goodnight and Peaks communities was accepted on Monday afternoon of this week. The inspecting officials found the road in good shape and were very enthusiastic over the addition to the local trade territory effected by its completion.

Making the trip of inspection were the Head, president, O. C. Arthur, chairman of the roads committee, G. Tunnell and Claud Holley.

## Quitaque Has Passed Regular Fire Ordinance

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Passage of ordinances providing for the appointment of a city fire marshal and for the payment of an honorarium by the city at a recent meeting of the city council are expected to effect a reduction in the insurance key rate of the city, when they are put into effect immediately after publication.

Under the terms of the arson ordinance, the city will pay a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of arson or attempted arson within city limits. Appointment of a fire marshal, provided in the other ordinance, will result in a keeping of fire hazards by providing for regular inspection of the city.

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### NEWS ODDITIES

#### Sees Without Eyes

Amarillo, April 30.—Hayward Thompson has been demonstrating on the streets here how he can see to drive cars and do other things without the use of his eyes. He has convinced the onlookers that his sight comes through his skin and not through the optic nerve at all. He was injured in the war, and now he possesses what the scientists call the abnormal gift of par-optic vision. He has performed some amazing exhibitions.

#### Just Heard War Was Over

DALLAS, April 30.—R. V. Barber, 100-year old confederate soldier, has applied for the first time for his entitled state pension. He had just learned that ex-confederates could get pensions.

#### Another Fish Story

Tulsa, April 30.—J. T. Perkins of Skiatook violated the law here when, during flood rains, a catfish swam upon the running board of his car and he reached out and took him in without having a license to fish. The county attorney passed the matter to the highway commission who announced he would not prosecute.

#### Expertly Uncoupled

Naco, Sonora, April 30.—A federal bombing plane cut a rebel Mexican transport train in two with a well aimed bomb within sight of this loyal stronghold last Friday.

The front half of the train proceeded rapidly down the tracks leaving several cars stranded.

#### Nearly Killed Saving Chicks

Crosbyton, April 30.—Mrs. M. E. Ryther of Crosbyton, who lives south of here, was seriously injured last week when her chicken house was blown over on her. She was trying to save the chickens from the threatening hail and wind storm.

## Bond Election Is Called at Turkey

TURKEY, May 1.—An \$85,000 school bond election has been ordered by the school board upon receipt of a petition signed by a long list of taxpayers.

Construction of eight additional classrooms, a large auditorium, and a gymnasium is planned, and repairs are to be made on the two ward buildings, including the installation of a steam heating system.

A high school building was erected this year at a cost of \$50,000, but due to the rapid development of this section this building is filled, and extra room and equipment are necessary to care for the expected enrollment next year.

## East County Fire Boys Get Coats

**Appreciation of Work of Department Expressed by Gift of Rubber Coats for Engine Men as Part of Equipment.**

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, MAY 1.—Regulation rubber fire coats for the use of the seven members of the local fire department who ride the fire truck have been purchased and delivered to the department by local business men as an expression of appreciation for the work already done by the department. The equipment was badly needed by the department as shown two weeks ago when several members were badly scorched, due to lack of protection while putting out the feed stack on the Walter Trout farm.

Following the fire the need for the coats was immediately apparent, O. C. Arthur taking the lead in arranging for the purchase of the coats by local firms.

Earl Wise, fire chief, in a statement issued after the coats had been delivered, expressed the appreciation of the department for the equipment and pledged the increased interest of every member in the work of the fire department.

Local firms who purchased one coat each are as follows: First National Bank, Head-Hargrave Co., City Drug Store, G. Tunnell & Son, Quitaque Post, Quitaque Motor Co., and J. W. Ewing.

Texas produces more sheep and goats and more wool and mohair than any state in the union.

## BILL BOOSTER SAYS:



## Running Water in the Poultry Yard

An automatic watering device can be constructed for the poultry yard at little cost, which will greatly lighten the labor of caring for the flock during the summer months. The only equipment necessary is a shallow pan mounted on a wire or slat platform, a pipe line connected to the farm water system, and a float to control the flow of water.

The water pipe can be laid in a plow furrow and covered just enough to protect it from summer heat and early frosts in the fall. Fountains of this kind are generally placed in the shade or protected from the sun by means of a roof or sunshade. Poultrymen who have adopted this system find that the saving of labor pays for the cost many times over.

## Tractors Win Favor of Farm Users

A professor of agricultural engineering at one of the agricultural colleges says that he has noted a marked change in the attitude of farmers toward the use of tractors during the last three or four years. When his college started holding tractor short courses three years ago, he said, the question most commonly asked was, "Shall I buy a tractor?" Last year, the common query was, "What make of tractor shall I buy?" At this year's short course he found the prevailing thought to be, "Which of the tractors are best suited for my operations from the standpoint of size and service?"

Tractor schools and demonstrations drew record crowds in all sections of the county this year, indicating that farm people are taking more and more interest in labor-saving equipment and methods of reducing their cost of production.

## A PROMISING BUD

Your face is a dainty flower, I whispered as I kissed her throat, And yielding to my wild embrace, She placed the flower upon her coat.

## Quitaque Gin Fire Calls Out Department

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 28.—Fire in the trash pile near the Quitaque Gin called out the local fire department on Saturday afternoon of last week. The boys made a quick run to the gin and succeeded in holding the flames to the trash pile, preventing possible serious damage.

In appreciation of their services, F. E. Grundy, manager of the gin, presented the department with a check for \$12.50, which was greatly appreciated by the members.

## Fire Department to Send Delegates to Galveston

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, April 30.—Earl Wise, A. F. Van Meter and W. A. Palmer will represent the Quitaque Fire Department at the state convention of fire departments to be held at Galveston during the first week in June, having been elected at a recent meeting of the department. The state conventions are attended by thousands of firemen from all over the state, and are featured by discussions looking to the increased efficiency of the departments.

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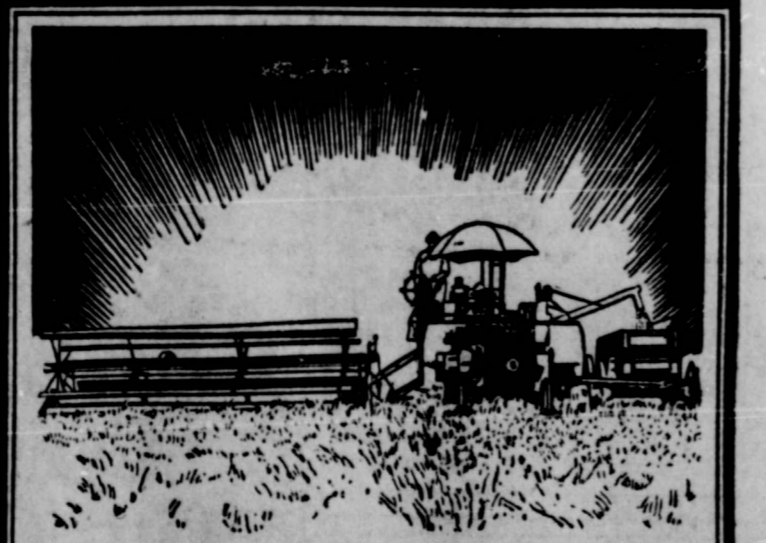
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Three-fuel Hart-Parr tractors will pull a combine with grain wagon at a steady pace—hour after hour—day in and day out. Hart-Pars are built to save time, cut costs and give satisfaction. Three-fuel Hart-Pars have become the favorites for combine use. They develop a tremendous surge of power at low cost. These economical tractors are made in three sizes for small, medium and large farms and are equipped with three forward speeds to speed up hauling and field work. See the improved 1929 line and ask for a three-fuel demonstration.

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FOR INSTANCE, in this city your first payment, with your present car included, may be as low as \$255 and your monthly payments \$51.00  
Your present car will probably cover the entire first payment. The H. M. C. Purchase Plan offers the lowest % available on the balance.

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On our own streets Essex the Challenger, under competent observation, averaged 20 miles per gallon. The average owner in this city can expect 18 to 20 miles and upward. Commercial users operating large fleets of Essex cars say that service and maintenance costs, covering millions of miles of operation, are lowest of any car ever tested.

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Essex offers a completeness of fine car equipment formerly identified only with costly cars, and available, when at all, only as "extras," at extra cost on cars of Essex price.  
Check these items when you buy—they represent easily above \$100 additional value in Essex.

Wide Choice of Colors at No Extra Cost.  
The variety is so great you have almost individual distinction

Standard Equipment Includes: 4 hydraulic shock absorbers—electric gauge for gas and oil—radiator shutters—saddle lamps—windshield wiper—glare proof rear view mirror—electrolock—controls on steering wheel—all bright parts chromium-plated.

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Coupe	725
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Standard Sedan	795
Town Sedan	850
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Coupe	895



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9:00 A. M.  
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10 VALUABLE PRIZES  
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100 Tickets to the first 100 Men and Ladies entering our Store at 9:00 a. m.

10 of these tickets win prizes, Such as: Shirts, Silk Hose, House Shoes, Ladies Hats, Mens' Straw Hats, Etc.

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### Incomparable Prices For Saturday—Look!

REGULAR 20c TOWELS  
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Size 17 x 34

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MENS' All-Wool PANTS  
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**\$2.48**  
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MENS SOCKS  
All Colors—  
**9c**

Canvas GLOVES  
15c Value—  
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Mens OVERALLS  
220 Weight  
\$1.75 Value—  
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\$5.50 & \$6 Values  
**\$3.95**

LADIES RAYON HOSE  
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ONE LOT House DRESSES  
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### SOCIETY

#### Sixty Attend Bridge and Shower for Recent Bride at Wright Home

Mrs. True Burson was the inspiration for an elaborate "shower" and party last Thursday afternoon at the C. D. Wright home, when Mrs. Hubert Simpson, Mrs. U. M. Meador, Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and Mrs. Clyde Wright were the charming hostesses to the London Bridge and Wednesday Bridge clubs, and to a few old-time close friends of the recent bride.

There were seven tables of bridge and four tables of "42" and for a number of guests there was one room where contests and fortune-telling games were enjoyed.

The receiving rooms were decorated with baskets of spring flowers and potted plants. Tallies were cut into baskets of bride's roses and tea-cakes. Yellow and green were the pleasing colors throughout the party.

After several games were played the names of those having big or low were announced and Mrs. True Burson's was among the list.

Unsuspecting, the bride was ushered among the others, into another room to receive her prize, which turned out to be the lovely assortment of gifts stacked in and around a huge flower-like basket of yellow and green. There were dozens of articles of every description and the fair recipient for a moment was almost overcome with happy amazement. One of the most handsome gifts was the chest of community silver from the bride's mother, Mrs. Miner Crawford.

Dainty refreshments were served to about sixty guests, the plate-favors being sprays of "bridal wreath."

#### Mrs. Haynes Gives Alphabet Party.

Monday afternoon at the lovely home of Mrs. Shelby Haynes the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church was delightfully entertained with an alphabet party given by Mrs. Haynes. The members began to arrive at

2:30, each registering her name in full upon entering. Contests and music were enjoyed throughout the afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following members:

Mrs. Mary E. Daniel, Martha Buchanan, Hala Steward, Charlie Bomar, Rosa Moeggo, Minnie Carter, Mattie Perry, Wilma Turner, Maudie Miller, Mattie Astry, Dossie Stodgill, Florence Shaw, Carrie Pharr, Julia Bean, Mollie Lanor, Jennie Fisher, Maggie Stephens, Etta Patton, Dollie Garrison, Ethel Dillard, Ruth Williamson, Lillian Davis, Alice Faust, Zuba King, Zireta Perry, Willie Larkhart and Georgia Allard.

#### Baptist W. M. S. Had Successful Luncheon.

The ladies of the First Baptist church wish to thank the public for its generous patronage given the W. M. S. Tuesday in the luncheon served at the Nunn building. The Society cleared \$71.50 as result of the spread which consisted of so many good things to eat. The meals were served table d'hote both at the noon and evening hours.

#### Mrs. Mary E. Daniel Wedded to F. B. Buford.

Mrs. Mary E. Daniel and F. B. Buford were united in marriage Saturday evening in the presence of a few friends at the Presbyterian parsonage here by Rev. P. B. Henderlite. The bride wore an ensemble of

georgette and satin crepe in a lovely shade of ashes-of-roses, with hat of same color.

Mrs. Buford is the daughter of Mrs. N. W. Haynes, a pioneer family of the county. She is a trained nurse, and has been high in her profession, formerly superintendent of the hospital at Floydada.

The couple will be at home in Silverton to their many friends.

#### Methodists Arrange for May Specials

The Methodist church is planning two special programs for the month of May, as announced last Sunday by R. E. Douglas, Sunday-school superintendent.

On Mother's Day, May 12, a special musical program will be given, and perhaps other appropriate numbers will be arranged. And May 26, known as Trinity Sunday, a children's day program will be staged. A committee of church women has been appointed to select numbers and train the children for the occasion.

#### EXECUTIVE SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Potter.

In the District Court of Potter County, Texas,

Brown Cracker and Candy Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. L. W. McClendon, Defendant.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an execution issued out of the 108th District Court of Potter County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 25th day of February, 1929, in favor of the said Brown Cracker and Candy Company, a corporation, and against the said L. W. McClendon, No. 7042 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the county of Briscoe, State of Texas, and belonging to the said L. W. McClendon, to-wit:

All of the South 100 acres of the West 400 acres of section No. 186, in Block G. M. certificate No. 4-625 fully described in the partition of

said Section 186 in the District Court minutes and proceedings of Briscoe County, Texas, known as the McClendon farm in Briscoe County, Texas; and on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1929, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the court-house door of

said county, I will offer for sale sell at public auction, for cash, all right, titles and interest of the L. W. McClendon in and to said party.

Dated at Silverton, this the 5th day of April, A. D. 1929.  
N. R. HONEA, Sheriff of Briscoe County, Texas.

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#### Thursday—May 9

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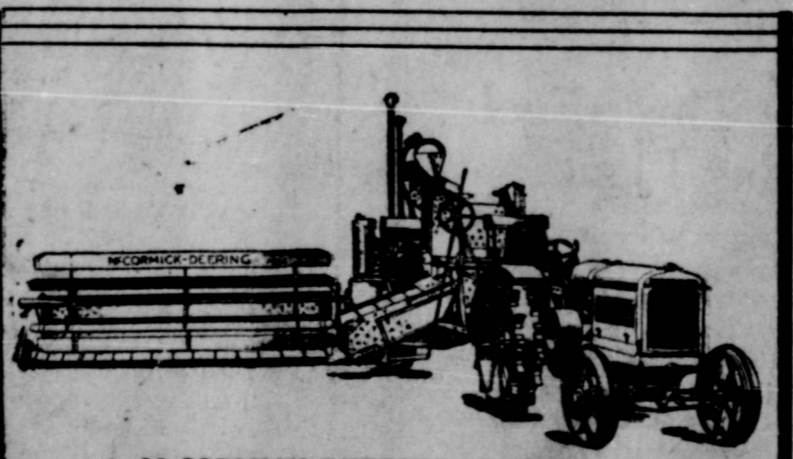
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