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School Opens at New Moore with Twenty-one Pupils

School opened at New Moore Monday with an enrollment of twenty-one pupils and the kiddies are now hard at work in the new building provided by the generosity of the Newman Land & Development Co.

The new school will be known as District No. 28 and is under the direct supervision of County Superintendent J. W. Elliott, the same as all other public schools in the county. The new trustees, G. O. Newman, Louis C. Newman and M. C. Hamilton, took the oath of office last Saturday in Tahoka and gave bond as custodians of the books. The teachers' salary will be paid through the county

superintendent, the same as other teachers, but until bonds are voted and a pro-rate set aside for the maintenance of the school, the salary will be paid by the Newman Land & Development Co. At the close of this term, trustees will be elected and the county will take care of the school's expenses.

Miss Jewel Greenfield, the teacher, states that all grades up to the eight, except the fifth, were represented on opening day.

New families are arriving daily and it is expected that it will tax the capacity of the building to take care of the attendance by the close of the month.

Bank Makes Heavy Gain in Business Over September

The straw that shows which way the winds of prosperity are blowing is shown in the statement of the First State Bank published in this issue of the Index. This bank has a capitalization of only \$10,000, but at the date of the call the deposits amounted to \$397,020.07, or an increase of \$333,379.45 since the September call. The statement shows loans and discounts to be \$24,884.10, and there is due from other banks and cash on hand the sum \$335,963.77.

Owing to the crowded condition of the bank's present quarters, it has been a difficult problem to take care of this great volume of business, but the new building is nearing completion and it will only be a short time until it will be ready for occupancy.

Program Woman's Missionary Society

The Women's Missionary Society will hold its first regular meeting of the year at the Methodist Church, Saturday, January 12, at 3 o'clock. Every Methodist woman is cordially invited to attend. Membership in the Missionary Society helps to make better women, better citizens, and better Christians.

The following is the program: Hymn: Fling Out The Banner. Business: Installation of Officers. Announcement of Committees. Minutes.

Devotional: Hymn: Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling. Bible Lesson: The Task Christ Sets Himself and Us. (Isa. 42, 17; Isa. 9, 6-7; Micah 6, 8.) Mrs. Litt Moore.

"A Message from the Superintendent of Supplies—The Superannuate Campaign." Mrs. L. M. Williams.

"Signs of the New Day in Brazil." Mrs. J. L. Schooler.

"Cablegrams From Brazil." Marie Gooch

Pledge Service: "My Pledge." Roll Call: My Missionary Resolution for 1924.

Installing New Switch Board

W. P. McGuire of Lamesa, has been here this week installing a new switch board at the local telephone exchange. The new board will have 150 drops, this being an increase from the 60 that formerly supplied the town. Mr. McGuire is of the opinion that another unit will have to be installed at an early date to take care of the increasing business. Things do move in this thriving little city.

J. L. Schooler this week traded his farm property in Gaines county to Walter Garndt for his quarter-section situated four and a half miles northwest of town, and it is now a settled fact that Lynn county will not lose Mr. Schooler as a citizen. Mr. Garndt will probably move to his property soon.

Construction of New Ginning Plant to Be Started at Early Date

O'Donnell is to have another gin.

J. W. McDonald, an independent gin operator, arrived here the first of the week and after driving over the surrounding country and seeing the great amount of new land being put in cultivation, decided that another gin would be needed to take care of this year's crop. He at once purchased a block of land and made the announcement that work on the erection of a modern ginning plant would be started as soon as the material could be gotten on the ground. The plant

will consist of two units of five-eighth saws each and every convenience will be provided for the farmer.

In locating here, Mr. McDonald authorized the statement that he would assist in the upbuilding of the town and community, and is of the opinion that O'Donnell should continue to hold its present reputation as being the cotton town of the Plains and to do so it must have greater facilities for handling the crop with dispatch.

Keep your eye on O'Donnell.

S. P. Keny of Knox City, was over this week bringing in a few prospective purchasers of land and to look after his large farm-

ing interests here. He has appointed J. R. Sanders as his farm supervisor, who will have active charge of all the work this year.

New Moore Welcomes You

WHILE you are out driving, why not take a look at the wonderful development going on in our community? Meet and talk with the scores of citizens that are just moving to this county, and say Hello! to them; ask them who they are and where they are from, and tell them you welcome them to our county.

They will appreciate it. They are real busy building homes, plowing and drilling wells, getting ready for the 1924 crop.

You will find a very high class citizenship and worthy of your friendship.

May we look for you? And while out there, don't forget to call at our headquarters.

Newman Land & Development Co.
O'Donnell, Texas

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH 1924?

We now stand on the threshold of a New Year---a year of Opportunity a year of Destiny. What are we going to do with it?

This is a question that each of us must answer for himself. We can waste it by haphazard spending and thriftless ways; Or, we can turn over a new leaf, travel the recognized road of Success, and make 1924 bring us nearer to the goal of our ambitions.

You Want 1924 to be Your Best Year---
Let Us Help You.

FIRST STATE BANK
O'DONNELL, TEXAS.

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WE RESOLVE

====To====

BETTER OUR SERVICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS

IF IN ANY WAY IT MAY BE POSSIBLE

JONES DRY GOODS

A STRONG LINK IN A BIG CHAIN

FRITZ DRUG STORE

The new

REXALL STORE

Toilet Articles - Rubber Goods
Soaps, Face Powder, Brushes Combs

Standard

Package Medicines

Or any of the hundreds of articles sold in every Rexall Store, you will find them here, and then some.

Try the Rexall Store first

Fritz Drug Store

Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

RUNNING TIDES

WHERE the oceans, seas and rivers are, where happiness dwells, where progress wends its way among the nations, the tides are running day and night in perfect harmony with the mysterious force which is prompting, swaying, driving and compelling every animate creature to action.

Slowly we learn that these unforeseen tides which seem so irresistible, so destructive to our fondest dreams and aspirations, can be made subservient to our wishes, and how by a stroke or two we may swim strongly with their currents and reach our goal.

To some of us the very thought of the constant motion of these tides suggests that they are opposing us, seeking to sweep us under, when in reality they are intended to develop our prowess to keep our heads above the waters and carry us safely on to our destination in spite of ourselves.

We balk at doing this or that because of opposition. We lack the courage to breast the flood. In a moment of despair we feel that it is preferable to destroy our ambitions and forget them than to make the fight.

It is pleasanter to sit by the fire and

picture castles in the air than it is to erect them on a substantial foundation. And frequently, while we are thus idly dreaming, the tides pick us up and whirl us off to some destitute island. If in our temporary isolation we regain our senses and see ourselves as we really are, we summon our spiritual and physical strength and strike out boldly for the main land.

Whatever our sensations may have been in the grip of such emotions, if we have within us the right qualities, we are likely later in our careers to become more earnest, capable and patient.

The old egotism, narrow selfishness and churlish temper, which were pulling us down beneath the waters, have scurried away.

We have become more charitable, more neighborly, more inclined to pull with the tides than to oppose them when opposition is of no avail. We heed cheerfully the advice of our superiors instead of rejecting it with ugly words of protestation or rising up in rebellion against well-meant authority.

And this is as it should be. The secret of success is to know when to buffet the tides and when to float complacently with them.

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'Tis Something to Have Lived

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THIS something to have lived a minute,

However long the after-years,
An instant with an aeon in it,
Too glad for smiles, too sad for tears.

For in that instant heaven nears,
For in that moment God has found us—

Earth nevermore but earth appears,
Whatever shadows gather 'round us.

'Tis something to have lived a little.

One little hour, however small;
However brief, however brittle,
However soon our castles fall.

Oh, it is something to recall—
To sound the depths, to walk Parnassus.

In one short hour to live it all,
Though love may fall us, fortune pass us.

'Tis something to have lived completely.

If only for a moment's span,
Have lived a moment madly, weedy,
Have lived the floodtide while we can.

Whatever skies we ever scan,
Whatever books we ever coned us,
It is the hour God whispers man

That there is something yet beyond us.

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SAY "BAYER" when you buy—Genuine

Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for

- Colds Headache Neuralgia Lumbago
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Genuine—Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

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New Standards.
Ad in Exchange—For rent: Six-room modern cottage. No pets, piano or children. Only respectable people wanted.

INDIGESTION, GASES, UPSET, ACID STOMACH

"Pape's Diapiesin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages of Pape's Diapiesin—Adv.

To Make Building Brick.
Paris will make building brick by chemically treating its rubbish until it forms a pulp, which will be mixed with chalk obtained near the city.

Cuticura Comforts Baby's Skin
When red, rough and itching, by hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. Also make use now and then of that exquisitely scented dusting powder, Cuticura Talcum, one of the indispensable Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Advertisement.

Isle of Ceylon Crowded.
The area of the island of Ceylon is about the same as that of West Virginia and on it live more people than there are in Texas.

The bass drum covers a multitude of mistakes made by the rest of the band.

GIRLS! A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

35-Cent "Danderine" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."



Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.—Advertisement.

One's old overcoat lasts years because the wearer gets used to its looks by degrees.

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is powerful, but safe. One dose will expel Worms or Tapeworm; no castor oil needed. Adv.

We must not say that every mistake is a foolish one.

Children Cry for "Castoria"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups. Contains no narcotics. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it. The kind you have always bought bears signature of

Wm. H. Fletcher

Mother's Cook Book

COOKIES FOR THE FAMILY

THE cookie jar at this season of the year, to be at all popular, must be always full. Here are a few to help replenish it:

Imperial Cookies.

Take one-half cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar, two eggs, one tablespoonful of milk, two and one-half cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Mix the butter and sugar, add the beaten eggs, milk and the dry ingredients sifted together. Roll very thin and bake in a hot oven.

This foundation may be used for filled cookies if desired, doubling the amount. For the filling, take one-half cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of raisins, two tablespoonfuls of flour, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and the grated rind of the lemon, one-fourth cupful of boiling water and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Rub the butter and flour together, add the boiling water and cook, then add the raisins, lemon juice and rind and cook until smooth. Cool before using. Roll out, cut, then place a spoonful of the mixture in the center, cover with another cookie and bake as usual. Dates, currants, figs or a combination of two or more may be used for this filling.

Hermits.

Take one-third of a cupful of butter, two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, one egg, two tablespoonfuls of milk, one and three-fourths cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-third of a cupful of raisins cut into small pieces, one-half teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-fourth teaspoonful of

cloves, the same of mace, and nutmeg. Cream the butter; add the sugar, raisins, egg well beaten, and the milk. Mix the dry ingredients and add to the first mixture. Roll the cookies a little thicker than for plain ones. Bake in a slower oven.

Nellie Maxwell
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Has Anyone Laughed At You Because—

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You Never Break a Date?
"You are really awfully common-place," "You are socially unengaged," "You seem to have little work to do." All these things have been fired at you, teasingly because you keep your dates! You are right to keep your dates! Why should you break this contract any more than any other kind of unwritten contract? To be sure, you often get "left," but you know you are right—and that's a help. Anyhow you don't have to keep "scarce" to keep rare.

Your get-away here is:
You've done your best to make both ends meet and if they do not—it's up to the other feller.
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SCHOOL DAYS



HURRY UP, ED! RUN! YOU'LL BE LATE! THAT'S THE LAST BELL!

MINERYA OR DIANA?

The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says that with all his faults, Napoleon was the strongest president France ever had.

Old Mineral Records.
The earliest records of mineralogy are lists of minerals with descriptions that were compiled by Theophrastus four centuries before Christ.

The art of tinning iron appears to have originated in the Sixteenth century, and tinplate was first manufactured in Great Britain in 1670.

Two pleasant ways to relieve a cough

Take your choice and suit your taste. S-B—or Menthol flavor. A sure relief for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Put one in your mouth at bedtime. Always keep a box on hand.

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Famous since 1847

Piles Can Be Cured
(Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding)

Many sufferers have been made very happy over the results obtained from the use of PAZO OINTMENT—60c at any Drug Store.
(Follow the Directions Carefully.)

CONSTIPATION

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They cleanse your system of all waste matter and Regulate Your Bowels. Mild—as easy to take as sugar. Genuine bear signature—Bartford Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

THIS WOMAN RELIEVED FROM SUFFERING

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. A Remarkable Story

Dover, Del.—"I wish every woman would take your wonderful medicine as it has done so much good to me. I had cramps and faint spells and very bad pains. One day I was over to my neighbor's house and she told me I ought to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. So I went to the store on my way home and got a bottle, and took the first dose before supper. I have been taking it ever since, and you can hardly believe how different I feel. I had just wanted to lie in bed all the time, and when I started to brush up I would give out in about ten minutes. So you know how badly I felt. I used to go to bed at eight and get up at seven, still tired. Now I can work all day and stay up until eleven, and feel all right all the time. My housework is all I do in summer, but in winter I work in a factory. I have told a good many of my friends, and I have had three come to me and tell me they wouldn't do without the Vegetable Compound."

—Mrs. SAMUEL MURPHY, 219 Cecil St., Dover, Delaware.



Invitation Accepted.

Father (calling downstairs)—Say, Helen, is that young man going to stay all night?

Daughter (after a slight pause)—He says he will, pa, if there's plenty of room. Where'll I put him?—Boston Transcript.

MOTHER! GIVE SICK CHILD "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Harmless Laxative for a Bilious, Constipated Baby or Child.

Constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic Babies and Children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely. It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels acting without griping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits! Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.—Advertisement.



Foolish Thought.

Mrs. Junebride—Somehow I can't help suspecting that you're leading a double life.

Her Husband—Nonsense! Only a single man can afford a double life.

DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Aspirin Marked With "Bayer Cross" Has Been Proved Safe by Millions.

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years.

Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

Lays it on Thicker.

"Agnes is looking as young as ever."
"Yes, but she says it costs her more every year."

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.

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The reason



Get a 25¢ Box

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Allays irritation, soothes and heals throat and lung inflammation. The constant irritation of a cough keeps the delicate mucous membrane of the throat and lungs in a congested condition, which BOSCHEE'S SYRUP gently and quickly heals. For this reason it has been a favorite household remedy for colds, coughs, bronchitis and especially for lung troubles in millions of homes all over the world for the last fifty-seven years, enabling the patient to obtain a good night's rest, free from coughing with easy expectoration in the morning. You can buy BOSCHEE'S SYRUP wherever medicines are sold.

BOK PLAN SEES LEAGUE ENTRY

\$100,000 PEACE PROPOSAL URGES U. S. TAKE PART IN COURT OF WORLD JUSTICE.

22,165 PROPOSALS RECEIVED

Unique Roll in League of Nations With Reservations Suggested By Author.

New York.—Plan No. 1,469, submitted among thousands of competitors, wins the American peace award of \$100,000 offered by Edward W. Bok for the best practical plan by which the United States may cooperate with other nations, looking toward prevention of war. Mr. Bok and his jury of award has announced.

In presenting the text of the winning plan, Mr. Bok said:

"With deep satisfaction I present for the consideration and vote of the American people the plan selected by the jury as entitled to the American peace award under the conditions.

"The award brought forth 22,165 plans. Since many of them were the composite work of organizations, universities, etc., a single plan often represented the views of hundreds of thousands of individuals. There were also received several hundred thousands of letters which, while they did not submit plans, suggested in almost each instance a solution of the peace problem.

The peace plan in brief follows:

That the United States adhere to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the reasons and under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States Government should extend its present co-operation with the league and propose participation in the work of its assembly and council under the following conditions and reservations:

The United States accepts the League of Nations as an instrument of mutual counsel, but it will assume no obligation to interfere with political questions of policy or internal administration of any foreign state.

In uniting its efforts with those of other states for the preservation of peace and the promotion of the common welfare, the United States insists upon the safeguarding of the Monroe Doctrine and does not abandon its traditional attitude concerning American independence of the Old World and does not consent to submit its long established policy concerning questions regarded by it as purely American to the recommendation or decision of other powers.

The only kind of compulsion which nations can freely engage to apply to each other in the name of peace is that which arises from conference, from moral judgment, from full publicity and from the power of public opinion.

The United States will assume no obligations under Article 10 in its present form, or under Article 16 in its present form in the covenant, or in its amended form as now proposed, unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

The United States proposes that Articles 10 and 16 be either dropped altogether or so amended and changed as to eliminate any suggestion of a general agreement to use coercion for obtaining conformity to the pledges of the covenant.

The United States will accept no responsibilities under the treaty of Versailles unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

The United States Government proposes that Article I of the covenant be construed and applied, or, if necessary, redrafted, so that admission to the league shall be assured to any self-governing state that wishes to join and that receives the favorable vote of two-thirds of the assembly.

As a condition of its participation in the work and counsels of the league, the United States asks that the assembly and council consent—or obtain authority—to begin collaboration for the revision and development of international law, employing for this purpose the aid of a commission of jurists. This commission would be directed to formulate anew existing rules of the law of nations, to reconcile divergent opinions, to consider points hitherto inadequately provided for, but vital to the maintenance of international justice, and in general to define the social rights and duties of states. The recommendations of the commission would be presented from time to time, in proper form for consideration, to the assembly as to a recommending if not a law-making body.

Condensed Austin News

All deputy supervisors of the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission held a two-day conference with Chief Supervisor R. B. Wathall. Work of the deputies for the new year were discussed.

Burglars entered the home of Arthur Nichols, blind, and stole \$5. clothing and jewelry of Nichols and \$50 belonging to W. O. Rains, also blind, a roomer at the Nichols home, police were informed.

A movement is now on foot to get O. D. Baker of Gause to run for state comptroller. North Texas friends of the state representative are urging him to make the race. It was announced by J. E. King, an attorney. Representative Baker has not made an announcement as yet.

The organization of a State association for the prevention of fires, with active locals in all cities having Chambers of Commerce, with the slogan of "Fire Prevention Fifty-Two Weeks Every Year," is the New Year program of Judge John M. Scott, Texas Commissioner of Insurance.

Sidney Stewart, 18, and Harvey Holt, 17, are dead and Robert Lawson, 16, is not expected to recover as a result of injuries sustained when the car in which they were riding turned over on a road at the edge of Austin. The boys are all of St. Elmo, Travis County.

H. H. Sevier, assistant to Chairman Cordell Hull of the Democratic National Committee, has gone to Fort Worth and Dallas to promote interest and solicit funds for the national committee and party organization. Upon his return he will go to Washington to attend the meeting of the National Committee on Jan. 15.

At the close of business on the last day of the year the deficit in the State Treasury was \$4,658,518 and \$100,000 will be added to it this week, making the total \$4,750,000. This is the largest total the present deficiency has reached. Calls, however, are expected immediately and the amount will be reduced.

Dallas County will collect approximately \$880,000 from motor vehicle registrations for 1924, estimating that there will be 60,000 vehicles registered for the coming year. This figure was arrived at by multiplying 60,000 registrations by the average registration fee, which is \$14.70, according to the registrations made under the new motor fee law so far.

Five patients from Caro, Nacogdoches County, have arrived at the State Pasteur Institute for preventive treatment against hydrophobia, having been bitten by a dog with the rabies. Dr. J. T. Wilhite, director of the institute, advises that there are thirty-five patients taking the treatment, all having been bitten by dogs.

Receipt of over \$1,500,000 by the State Treasury, representing taxes collected by counties has been reported at the Treasury Department. It is expected the general revenue deficiency, now exceeding \$3,000,000, will be wiped out and the fund restored to a cash basis during the latter part of February through tax collections.

The chapel at the State prison at Huntsville, erected at a cost of \$5,000 under appropriation made by the last Legislature has been completed and soon will be dedicated, according to Prison Commissioner Walker Sayles, who has been in Austin. Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas has been invited to deliver an address at the dedicatory exercises.

Mrs. Caroline C. Watts, 77 years old, is dead here as a result of injuries sustained when she was struck by a street car. It was the second fatal street car accident to occur in Austin within ten days. The other victim was Milt Burdett, 65 years old. In both instances injuries were sustained while the aged victims were attempting to cross the street, and did not see the approaching car.

All equipment has been received at the State prison at Huntsville for the electric chair and it has been practically installed and ready for the first electrocution. Announcement to this effect was made in Austin by Walker Sayles, a member of the Prison Commission, who, with M. E. Bogle, auditor of the prison system, was here for a conference with Gov. Neff.

for Economical Transportation



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More than a million Chevrolets are now in use. Twelve huge plants are now building them at the rate of twenty-five hundred per working day. Nearly one-half million Chevrolets were bought in 1923—far exceeding in number the sales of any other quality car.

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Let any one of our seven thousand dealers show you our seven types of cars and explain how easy it is to get one and enjoy its use.

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SUPERIOR Roadster	\$490
SUPERIOR Touring	495
SUPERIOR Utility Coupe	640
SUPERIOR Sedan	795
SUPERIOR Commercial Chassis	385
SUPERIOR Light Delivery	495
Utility Express Truck Chassis	550

Chevrolet Motor Company

Division of General Motors Corporation
Detroit, Michigan

Unsinkable Lifeboat

Accidental Invention

One of the most extraordinary cases of what may be called an accidental invention is that of the lifeboat. A man named Wouldhave was out walking one day when he was asked by an old woman to help her lift a can of water which she had filled by means of a broken wooden bowl.

The bowl was floating on the surface of the water, and as he talked to the woman, Wouldhave turned it over with his finger. It immediately right-

ed itself. Amused by its antics he repeated the performance; then it struck him that he had made a wonderful discovery. The result of his chance meeting was the self-righting lifeboat, which was designed by him on the lines of the broken bowl.

What he had discovered was that anything made of floating material and shaped like one-half of a basin could float only with its convex surface downward. A boat made on these lines cannot remain upside down for more than an instant when it is turned over by a heavy sea.

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AFTER the sleepless night, and you wonder about the cause, has it ever occurred to you that it may be caffeine, the drug in coffee, that keeps you awake?

Suppose you try Postum as your mealtime beverage, for at least ten days—

Put it to the test!

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THE INDEX

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O'Donnell, Texas

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
In first zone.....\$1.50
Beyond first zone..... 2.00

Advertising rates on application

Entered as second-class matter September 28, 1923, at the post office at O'Donnell, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

New Member of Real Estate Firm

W. L. Gardenhire is now an associate of the A. C. Fairley Real Estate Co. He has had considerable experience in the handling of real estate and will prove a valuable addition to the sales force of this hustling firm of realtors.

JOHN GILBERT

— Coming —

WEDNESDAY

In a new Fox Production

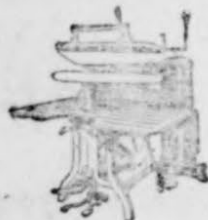
A California Romance

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Miles & Campbell

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We wish to announce
We have just installed a new
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and are better prepared than
ever to do your work with
neatness and dispatch

Suits made to order
Satisfaction Guaranteed

We make a specialty of
Cleaning and Pressing
Ladies' fine Suits

We call for and deliver
your work

Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Brown spent Christmas with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Means, at Belton. Mr. Brown returned home Monday but Mrs. Brown will not return for a couple of weeks.

When in need of anything in Farm Implements, Hardware and Groceries, see
Hal Singleton Lumber Co.

Albert Berns arrived this week with an emigrant car of farming implements, livestock and household goods and immediately moved out to his place recently purchased eight miles south-east of town.

STATE THEATRE

Showing only the best in high class Motion Pictures.

We Strive to Please

We want your tailoring business.
Miles & Campbell.

FOR SALE—Pair of mares weighing about 2400, smooth mouth, one 2 3-4 inch. Bain wagon and harness in good condition. Will sell for cash or good notes. This stuff can be seen one mile east, one-half mile north and one-half mile east of Joe Bailey school house, on the farm of W. E. Brewer.

Should Help Rural Schools

A box supper was given at the Reynolds school Saturday night to raise funds to purchase more seats and other badly needed equipment.

When the paraphernalia for this new school building was installed it was sufficient to accommodate the children of the neighborhood, but there has been such a great influx of newcomers that the equipment is inadequate and as there are no public funds available at this time to supply the deficiency the people of that neighborhood are determined to raise the needed money by giving entertainments. The business men of O'Donnell should lend a helping hand by attending the box suppers and encourage these progressive people in building up their school

SHIRLEY MASON

Monday at
STATE THEATER
Playing in one of her best FOX
Productions

Youth Must Have Love

Tom Cole and family of Trent, arrived first of the week with an emigrant car and moved out to the land recently purchased from the Newman Land & Development Company, west of town. Mr. Cole will immediately start improving his place.

Roy Spain and Will Hardecastle are two Williamson county boys who arrived this week to cast their lot with other newcomers. They will improve and farm the 160 acres owned by W. D. Davidson, recently purchased through Frost & Bailey.

For hardy Plains grown trees, see Ben Moore.

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"Opportunity knocks
but once at your door—
knockers knock forever"

You will find them
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In fact, you will find anything carried in a first class Drug Store.

Make our Store your
PRESCRIPTION STORE
Accuracy and Pure Drugs make the proper combination
and that is what we offer

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At your service for
BREAKING LAND

I am equipped with two Tractors and two 5 Disc Plows and will make contracts to break land in any size tracts. See me for terms

All work guaranteed to be satisfactory

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A Complete Stock of NEW STUFF.
We Save You Time and Money.

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Let the

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Save you the trouble and expense of baking that cake for your Sunday dinner or your party. We are exclusive agents in O'Donnell for

HOSSESS CAKES

These cakes are the products of the United Bakeries. Are pure, wholesome and inexpensive. We have them in all flavors and suitable for all occasions.

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Good Meals—Nice Rooms.

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First-Class Workmanship.

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When you trade with Us

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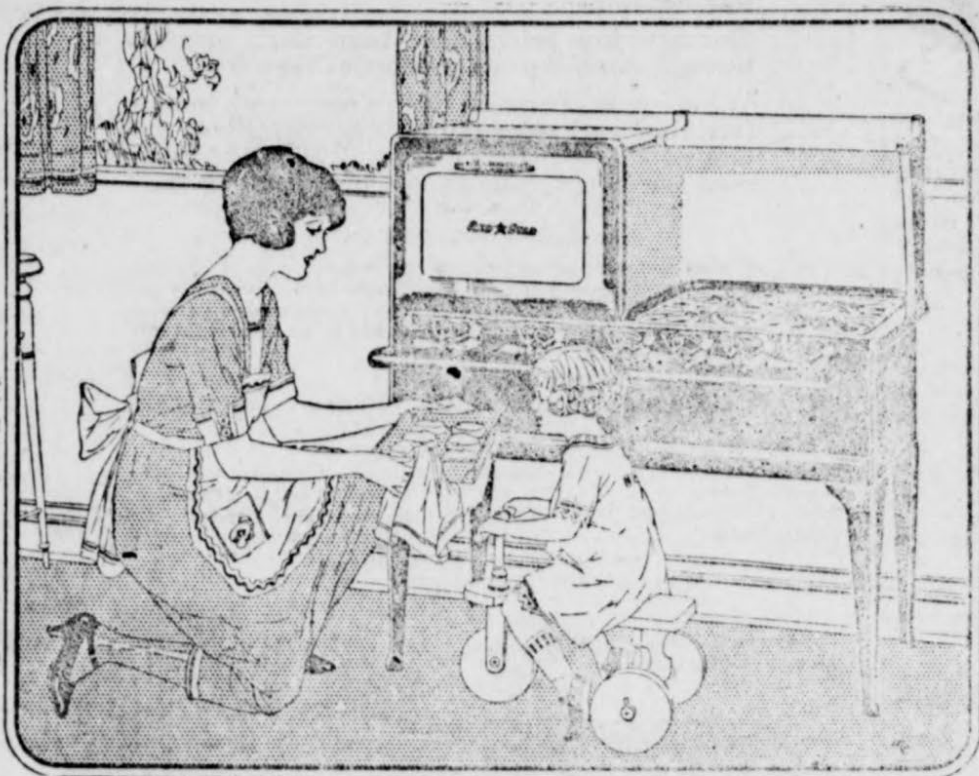
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With Oak Chest, to our Customers

O'Donnell Merc. Co.

THE FAMOUS Red Star Oil Stoves

They Cook Better at Less Cost.
No Wicks; No Substitute Wicks.



Cooks
as
Fast
as
Gas

SEE THE RED STAR: See it in operation.
Inspect its cooking ability. There is a type
for every home and a price for every purse.

SINGLETON'S STORE

PHONE 12

O'DONNELL, TEXAS

Notice! Notice!

We have just purchased a car of
Mebane Cotton Seed
for planting which we will sell at \$2
a bushel at our gin

These seed are pure and grown from the best stock in the
State by reliable planters. First come, first served.

HARDBERGER BROS.

O'Donnell Filling Station

**FREE
SERVICE**

Gas, Oil, Accessories,
Tires and Tubes

O'Donnell Tin Shop

EVERYTHING IN

Sheet Metal, Tanks, Gutter and Metal Flues.

We Repair and Build or Recore all kinds of Radiators.

Call and see our new Tin Shop.

JOHN HURT, Proprietor.

LOCALS

W. H. Baker of Winters, is here
visiting his son, J. E. Baker.

Jackson Bros. of Amarillo,
specializing in erecting towers
for windmills, are new arrivals.

J. L. Painter came in this week
from Roscoe and is now engaged
in improving a quarter out of
section 14, near Now Moore.

J. A. Dardon of Brownfield,
has accepted the position of
cashier at the Santa Fe depot.

Cleaning, Pressing, Altering
and Dyeing, Phone 52.—O. I.
Luellan West Side.

For hardy Plains grown trees,
see Ben Moore.

A. W. Early and family arrived
this week from Throckmorton
and are now on their farm in the
neighborhood of New Moore.

HOGS FOR SALE—I have
a number of hogs suitable for
porkers and brood sows for sale.
Pigs cheap. See me at once.
—Hal Singleton, Jr., at Single-
ton's Store.

C. Bohanan and Dick Cook are
here from Knox City with a view
of joining the colony from that
place.

Miles & Campbell make a spe-
cialty of cleaning and pressing
fine ladies' wear.

R. E. May arrived from Knox
City Thursday with his family
and farming implements and is
now at work improving his land
near New Moore.

Messrs. Kiker and Lovins, of
Rotan, were here this week look-
ing for business location.

We want your tailoring busi-
ness. Miles & Campbell.

W. S. Hartford & Son have, the
contractors who built the New
Moore school building, are now
engaged in erecting a garage and
filling station on the main street
in that new town.

A. G. Crutcher of Knox City,
got lonesome this week and came
over to visit with his old neigh-
bors. Since every one of those
fellows are boosters for O'Don-
nell, it is safe to say that Mr.
Crutcher will invest here.

Dr. Collins is a late arrival
from Oklahoma. He is looking
the town over with a view of in-
vesting in property and practic-
ing his profession.

Mr and Mrs. Jeff Shook, Mrs.
J. T. Shook and Mr. and Mrs.
Clarence Williams were visitors
in Lubbock Tuesday.

We have some good horses and
mules, to sell. Terms, payment
down and balance payable next
fall. —J. W. Boyle & Son, O'Don-
nell, Texas.

For the accommodation of their
friends, the farmers, Hardberger
brothers have received a large
shipment of Mebane cottonseed
for planting. The Hardbergers
are always on the lookout for a
chance to further the interests of
the people of the county.

If in need of tailor work bring
it to O. I. Luellan, West Side.

O. E. Stevenson, Jr., of Taho-
ka, was a visitor Monday. Mr.
Stevenson is operating a store in
his home town and it is probable
that he will install a branch
house in O'Donnell. He believes
that the town has a great future
and a man can make no mistake
investing here. Mr. Stevenson
and the Index man helped to
build a town down in Irion coun-
ty, but it wouldn't stay built—
had nothing to build it on but
scenery and there was so much
of that there was no market
for the stuff—and both came to
the South Plains where cities will
be built and grow greater day by
day in every way.

NOTICE

Make your plans to see
JACK HOXIE

Next Thursday in one of his new
Universal Pictures that just been
released—

**Don Quickshot of the
Rio Grande**

If you like real Western Pictures
you will sure be there

M. J. Hill and A. R. Hillier are
here from Hamlin to look the
county over. They say it is like
old days in Hamlin to see so many
people here from that town.

FOR
Magnolia Products

SEE
J. E. BAKER
AT
O'DONNELL FUEL & COAL CO.

Phone 46
I Will Appreciate Your Business

MILLINERY OPENING

I have opened a stock of

**Millinery and Ladies
Ready-to-Wear Gar-
ments**

Everything in the latest modes
and fashions

in J. B. Curtis & Store

Also a select line of

**Notions and Variety
Goods**

I invite you to come in and look
over my stock

Mrs. J. B. Haney

M. E. Sunday School

The Methodist Young People's
class has started in with a vim
to accomplish great good during
the coming year. At a recent
meeting the following officers
were elected:

President.....Miss Millwee
Vice President.....Ben Moore
Secretary.....Raymon Ballew

During 1924-25 the Sunday
schools will study the entire bib-
ble. This is the first time that
the Sunday schools of the world
have been led straight through
the book from beginning to end.

It is desired that every mem-
ber be present each Sunday and
visitors will receive cordial wel-
come.

Braylock and son, operators of
a large garage in Knox City, are
here seeking a location for a gar-
age filling station. Should they
decide to locate, they will build a
large building for storage of cars
and put in a repair shop

Walk or Freeze

R. V. Prosser came chugging
in from Roscoe last Friday on
the upper deck of his Fordson
on the way to his new farm near
the Newran-Moore headquar-
ters. Night was drawing near
when he left town, and on the
way out, he lost the road or the
road lost him, he does not know
which, and after driving the
machine over the prairie for
awhile he left it and essayed to
make his way to some habitation
on foot. He finally located what
he thought was a camp and cau-
tiously approached but could re-
ceive no response to his calls.
Further investigation revealed the
fact that he had been traveling in
a circle and had arrived back at
his Fordson. It was either walk
or freeze, so he started out again
and at daylight reached the head-
quarters far from being frozen.
In fact, he was so "het" up over
his night's exercise that he was
carrying most of his raiment on
his arm and when invited in to
sit by the warm stove, he refused
and called for ice water and a
fan.

Miss Fay Gooch, who is teach-
ing in the Junior High school at
Lubbock, accompanied by Miss
Nancy Sanderson, also a teacher
in the same school, spent the
holidays with Miss Gooch's pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gooch.

M. Collier, representing the
South Plains Monument Com-
pany, of Plainview, was a busi-
ness visitor here Tuesday. Mr.
Collier expressed the belief that
O'Donnell was going to be the
best town on the South Plains in
a few years, and no one could
make a mistake investing in
property. That is just what the
Index has claimed all along.

Condensed Austin News

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, woman's suffrage leader, has been in Austin. She made two addresses and was entertained by Austin club women.

Mrs. Tiff Johnson, 75 years old, an old resident and extensive farm owner in Travis County, died of heart failure while attending a motion picture show in this city.

The Dallas Gas Company has filed an amendment to its charter, changing the capitol stock paragraph to read: "The amount of its capitol stock is \$1,000,000, divided into 10,000 shares of \$100 each."

W. W. Boyd, Fish and Game Commissioner, returned with a party of hunters from the Kerrville district with one deer and a few turkeys. It was too warm for deer hunting it was asserted.

Rangers report the capture of 400 smuggled goats, three horses and the arrest of a man near Dryden, where they had been surreptitiously crossed from Mexico. Capt. Jerry Gray and company made the capture.

Injunction to prevent the conversion of the buildings of the old State Blind Institute into an asylum for the senile insane has been brought against the State Board of Control by citizens residing near the buildings.

The Comptroller's monthly statement of the financial condition of the State, as required by the new law, has been issued for October and showed that the true deficit in the general fund on Nov. 1 was \$4,075,775.

Attorneys and others in Austin are to ask the Governor to appoint Judge James W. McClendon as Chief Justice of the Third Court of Civil Appeals to succeed the late Judge W. M. Key. The movement is now under way and strong petitions will be submitted to the Governor.

It cost the State of Texas an average of 47 cents per day to care for the 2,077 inmates of the Southwestern insane asylum at San Antonio for the fiscal year ending August 31. The entire amount expended at this institution was \$171,961, the report of Dr. J. G. Springer, just submitted to the board of control, shows.

The blue sky division of the Department of State has issued its bulletin. It covers the quarter ending Nov. 15, and during that time twenty-one permits were issued to sell stock and seven refused. The bulletin gives the information in detail and includes the rulings of the department and of the Attorney General construing the law.

Walter A. Keeling, Attorney General, has gone to the Panhandle to make an inspection of the lands of the Capitol Syndicate, out of which the State is to receive 59,000 acres, recovered in a suit for excess in the grant of 3,000,000 acres given for the magnificent granite Capitol at Austin.

According to the annual report of George B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, the Rio Grande Valley is rivaling California in citrus fruit production and the Texas grapefruit is the best in this country. There are 15,000 acres growing 1,500,000 citrus trees. Canker is being fought vigorously by the experts.

Reversing its former opinion, the Attorney General's Department held that the language of the new law imposing a tax on vending machines is not broad enough to include prepay gas and electric meters and telephones. This decision was reached after study of briefs which had been filed by gas, electric and telephone companies operating in Texas.

Oil gathered by pipe line companies in Texas during October total 15,386,642 barrels. According to the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission this breaks all records in Texas. The largest amount of oil was gathered from fields in Navarro County, amounting to 7,534,897 barrels. Limestone County was second with 2,053,275 barrels. Wichita, third, with 1,651,041 barrels.

Judge R. L. Batts, after an absence of a number of years, has returned to Austin to make his home and has acquired valuable residence property in this city. He comes from Pittsburgh, Pa., where he has been general counsel for the Gulf Company oil interests. Judge Batts will continue to represent the Gulf interests, but in a more restricted field.

GIRLS! A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

35-Cent "Danderine" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."



Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.—Advertisement.

Difficult to Please.

He had walked himself tired, looking for a house. At last he found an agent who had one at \$52 a year—to let.

He looked it over, but was disappointed. So he returned to the agent. "No good; it's too damp. Toadstools in the kitchen and mildew on the dining-room walls."

"Well," said the indignant agent. "What of it? What do you expect for a pound a week? Orchids?"

DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Aspirin Marked With "Bayer Cross" Has Been Proved Safe by Millions.

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years.

Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

Her Finish.

"Your daughter recites very well," the pastor's wife remarked to Mrs. Muddleby at the church social.

"Yes," said Mrs. Muddleby. "I'm going to give her a course in electrocution," she smiled and added, "To sorter finish her off, you know."—Boston Transcript.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS—10¢ A BOX

Cures Billousness, Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion. Drug stores. Adv

Thought She Was Shopping.

Mrs. Bargins—What is the next train to Winterville?

Ticket Clerk—Two-forty, madam. Mrs. B. (absently)—Make it two-thirty-eight and I'll take it.

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Quality Cars at Quantity Prices

Chevrolet now leads all high-grade cars in number sold.

Our new low prices have been made possible through doubling our productive capacity.

We are now operating twelve mammoth manufacturing and assembly plants throughout the United States in which thousands of skilled workmen are turning out 2500 Chevrolets per day.

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"The Shine for Mine"

Genuine happiness is able to stand a lot of hard knocks. Some run-down reputations couldn't be lifted with dynamite.

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The Remedy You Need the Year Round in Your Home

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Tablets or Liquid

NEW VIM FOR WEAK, THIN, PALE WOMEN

To enjoy your work and have your share of the pleasures of life get rid of that run down feeling and enrich your thin blood. Begin right now to take Gude's Pepto-Mangan. It will help wonderfully. At your drug stores, in both liquid and tablets.

To see for yourself the health-building use of Gude's Pepto-Mangan, write today for our generous Trial Package of Tablets. Send money—just name and address to J. Breitenbach Co., 53 Warren St., N. Y.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan
Tonic and Blood Enricher

Interested in Both Sides.

While the court awaited the arrival of the parties to the suit, the judge turned to one of the lawyers and asked: "For which of the parties are you concerned, Mr. Moriarty?"

"Well, your honor, I represent the plaintiff, but I am concerned for the defendant," replied Moriarty.

"DANDELION BUTTER COLOR"

A harmless vegetable butter color used by millions for 50 years. Drug stores and general stores sell bottles of "Dandelion" for 35 cents.—Adv.

Judge of Color Values.

"Why was Jim given the bounce?" "Because he's color blind."

"How's that?" "Well, you see the new boss is very red in the face, and still Jim told him that he was too green to teach him anything."

A Standard for 90 Years.

As a laxative and blood purifier there is nothing better than Brandreth Pills. In use throughout the world.—Adv.

First Protestant Bible.

The only known copy of the first Protestant Bible printed in Latin was given to the public library of Cambridge, Mass., recently by an anonymous friend.

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Better Than Pills For Liver Ills

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KEEP EYES WELL!

Dr. Thompson's Eye Water will soothe them. At drug stores or Hal Evers, Troy, N. Y. Booklet.

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In constipation, say intestinal specialists, lies the primary cause of more than three-quarters of all illness including the gravest diseases of life.

Laxatives

Aggravate Constipation

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.



Medical science, through knowledge of the intestinal tract gained by X-ray observation, has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation.

Physicians Favor Lubrication

The lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Not a Medicine

Nujol is not a laxative and cannot gripe. Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world.

Don't give disease a start. Adopt this habit of internal cleanliness. Nujol is not a medicine. Like pure water, it is harmless. Take Nujol as regularly as you brush your teeth or wash your face. For sale by all druggists.



Cleanliness Demands More Than Baking

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We Repair and Build or Recore all kinds of Radiators.
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Rock Island and Avery IMPLEMENT YEAR

Where crops are grown, the Rock Island and Avery farming tools are favorites

Single and Double-Disc Plows
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Come in and let us talk over farming implements with you and
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Is Your Car Balking?

Bring it to us or Call and we
will come and put it in First-
Class shape.

We have expert mechanics for
your service.

Russell's Garage

Fisk Tubes, Tires, Tools and Accessories.

LOCALS

The town boys played a game of basket ball with the high school boys last Friday, the later out playing the former in fine shape.

For fruit, shade or ornamental trees, see Ben Moore, representative of the Plainview Nursery.

Frank Gettle of Kansas, arrived with a car of fine mules Wednesday which he will offer to the public tomorrow at auction.

Ladies, if your coat suits or dresses need cleaning, pressing or altering, take them to Miles & Campbell.

Strayed—Two dark bay mare mules from O'Donnell on Thursday night. Will pay reward for return of mules or information leading to their recovery. Please notify Newman Land Company, O'Donnell.

Mr. Prosser is another convert from the Roscoe country who has arrived to begin farming operations on his newly acquired land, having purchased from the Newman Land & Development Co.

Rubber Stamps, pads and ink for sale by the Index.

Joe T. Moore and family arrived from Grayson county this week and are now on their future home near New Moore. Mr. Moore will put one-half section of land in cultivation this year. Mr. Moore is a brother, to W. McCarty of Dallas.

We make pleated work a specialty. Phone 52, O. I. Luellan, The Tailor

D. W. Herring came in from Knox City this week to join the colony from that town. He has purchased lots and will erect a residence at once. Mr. Herring will operate a truck line out of O'Donnell.

Miles & Campbell make a specialty of cleaning and pressing fine ladies' wear.

Ney Hunt of Abilene, was a business visitor Thursday. Mr. Hunt has traveled over the entire state this past fall and is free to admit that this section presents a more prosperous aspect than any part of the state.

We clean every day.—O. I. Luellan, Phone 52, West Side

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Located on West Side
Satisfactory Service Guaranteed
Call and see us

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Absolute Guarantee
COOKS
E & D
ECONOMICAL DURABLE
HOUSE PAINT
The most Economical and Durable Paint to use.
Every Gallon Guaranteed
SORRELLS LUMBER CO.

Mrs. G. A. Haney has opened a millinery and ready-to-wear store in the J. B. Curtis & Son's store. Mrs. Haney says she will have a complete stock of notions and variety goods also.

Well Dressed men and women have their clothes pressed at our place.—O. I. Luellan, The Tailor

W. J. Hrbok of Roscoe, came in Thursday with a tractor and will commence farming operations of the land recently purchased from the Newman Land and Development Company.

CEDAR POSTS—For good cedar posts, cheap, see Lightfoot & Fairley, at Fairley Real Estate Co's office.

Ladies' work a specialty.—O. I. Luellan, The Tailor, Phone 52.

WEEK'S PROGRAM State Theatre

For Week Beginning
Monday, January 14

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MONDAY
SHIRLEY MASON

In one of her best plays
"Youth Must Have Love"

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WEDNESDAY

JOHN GILBERT
In
"California Romance"

A Real Picture

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THURSDAY

JACK HOXIE
In
Don Quickshot of the Rio Grande

A Western that will please

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FRIDAY

GEORGE LARKIN
In another Good Western
Boomerang Justice

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SATURDAY

TOM MIX
and his horse,
TONY

In
JUST TONY

This picture has no equal.
Come and see for yourself

Don't miss a number
of this program

O. E. S. No. 725.

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Mrs. M. C. Hamilton, W. M.
Mrs. Fjota Allen, Sec.

Dr. L. D. STEPHEN

Dentist
TAHOKA, TEXAS

Office over First National Bank.

S. G. Stewart, who has been employed in the First State Bank during the rush of the cotton season, returned to his home at Croshon, Monday. Mr. Stewart made many friends here, who regret to see him leave.

A. B. Fortner was in from his farm about five miles southeast of town, near the Reynolds school Tuesday and stated that a

J. D. Freeman and E. K. Kelly came up from Lameca Wednesday to do some surveying for the Newman Land & Development

C. Bayless and C. C. Morgan of Santo, are new arrivals here with a view of purchasing land or engaging business in O'Donnell. C. stands for citizen, and as soon as these gentlemen get their hearings, they will be referred to in the future as Citizen Bayless and Citizen Morgan.

E. J. Tredway is constructing a five-room bungalow on the north side and when completed will add materially to the appearance of that part of town. Burk & Burk have the contract for the carpenter work.

R. E. Day arrived from Knox City Thursday with his family and farming implements and is now at work improving his land near New Moore.

We have some good horses and mules, to sell. Terms, payment down and balance payable next fall.—J. W. Boyle & Son, O'Donnell, Texas.

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Use PISO's—this prescription quickly relieves children and adults. A pleasant syrup. No opiates. 35¢ and 60¢ sizes sold everywhere.

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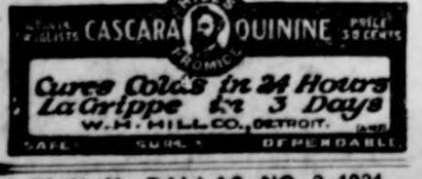
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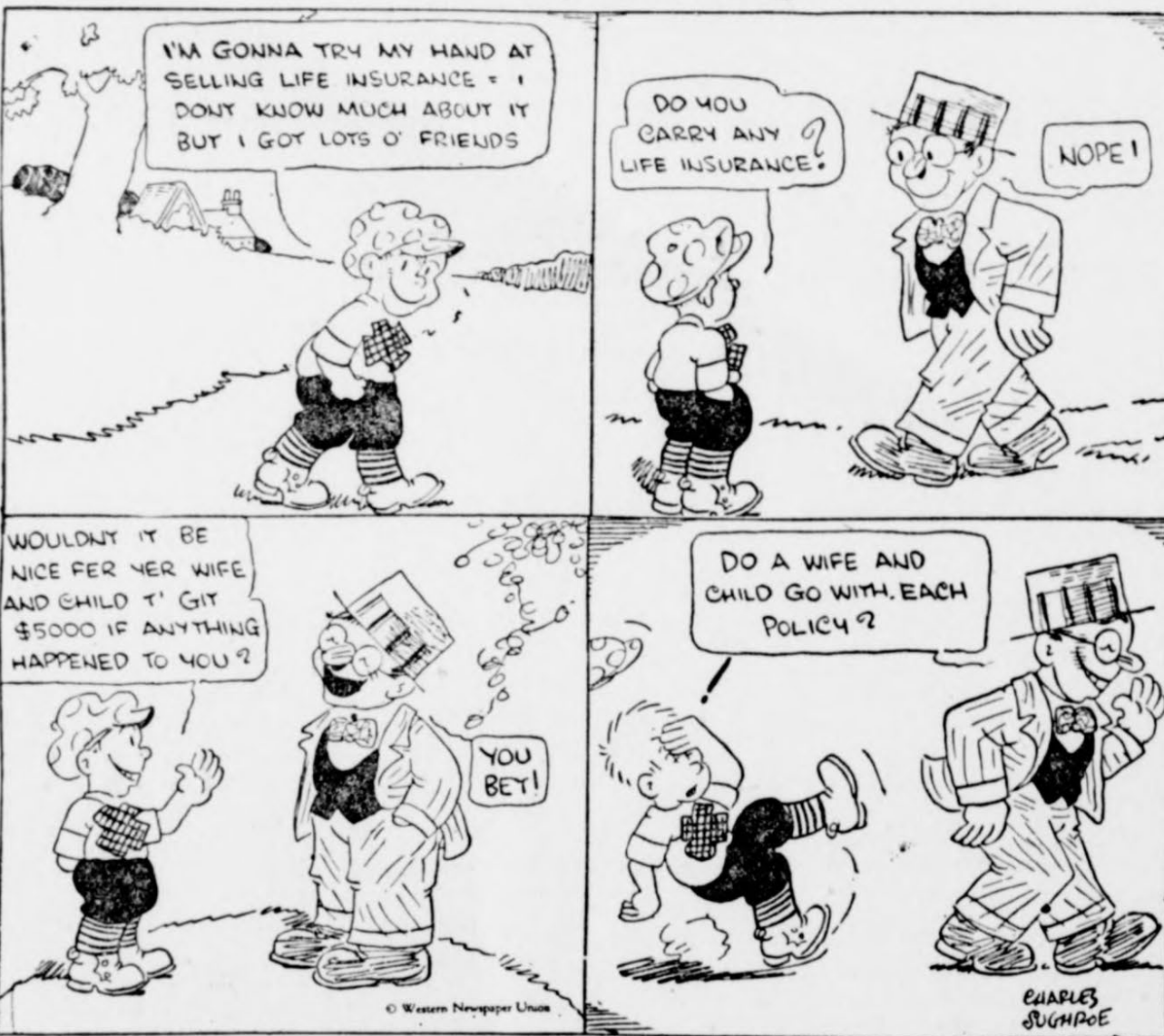
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OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men



The Dope Went Wrong



Spruce Gum

Spruce gum is collected by cutting the natural lumps of gum from the tree, usually by means of a small hatchet. It can be gathered at any time of the year, but the fall and winter are usually preferred, more because of the climatic conditions than because of the availability of the gum at this time of the year. Ordinarily the gum is assorted into two classes, one of which is clear and entirely free from bark. The small amount of the material which cannot be entirely separated from bark is sometimes sold as a low grade and is separated from the bark and dirt by melting and straining.

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CONSOLING.
Miss Plump: I wish I could reduce about 20 pounds.
Miss Thynne: Never mind. Styles in figures change so often yours will be in vogue some time if you live long enough.

AS TO SUCCESS.
Success brings out a man's friends.
Yes, but if you want to know your real friends count the few who support you when you don't seem to have a chance to win.

Don't Judge Pictures by the Frames Around Them

Most people are so heartless and possess so little of the quality of human kindness that all they see in anyone is what is on the outside. Naturally those who are handicapped in presenting a pleasing appearance by pimples, blotches, "breaking out," eczema, etc. on their skin are not going to get any attention. That is the reason you find such folks so backward and shrinking from the "cold shoulder" they have come to expect.

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Cures Billousness, Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion. Drug stores. Adv.

Would Make It Clearer—Perhaps.
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A harmless vegetable butter color used by millions for 50 years. Drug stores and general stores sell bottles of "Dandelion" for 35 cents.—Adv.

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Not all who know their heads know their hearts.

The Red Lock

A Tale of the Flatwoods

By DAVID ANDERSON

Author of
"The Blue Moon"

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CHAPTER X—Continued.

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In the glowing embers another face began to form, slowly—a face handsome in spite of its forbidding beard, formidable spectacles and drawn, peering eyes. Every act of the eccentric preacher-schoolmaster, since the day the Milford stage dropped him in front of the post office, passed before his mind—every act, as far as known, had been scrupulously circum-

Dreaming there by the dead embers of the fire, the woodsman found himself analyzing the preacher, in his careful way, from shiny boots to high hat. The ill-health excuse he had never believed, or rather, had set it down to an imaginary ailment—the man looked absolutely fit to enter a cross-country relay. He eliminated the elaborate frock coat, stiff neck stock, high hat and spectacles—divested of all oddities and accessories, there remained a tall and very capable man.

Then, there was the ivory-handled six-gun that happened to thud against the bottom of the skiff, and a pair of very deft hands feeling over the stacks of clothes—a circumstance that had to tally escaped the other members of the seining party. Besides, there was the perfect agreement of the heel-prints on the dusty deck of the concealed houseboat—another circumstance that he alone knew.

If he was a college professor and a minister what was he doing in the Flatwoods? If he was not, still, what was he doing in the Flatwoods?

As he pondered, suddenly the dark face that had flared up from the floor of the woods and glowered at him over the log, slid into his mind. So close it came upon the heels of his attempted analysis of the preacher that the two thoughts fused into one. The connection was startling. It brought him up out of his chair and left him staring through the open cabin door into the night.

Was there a connection? Might it be possible that Ken, crime-stained and low-fallen, had sneaked back to the Flatwoods, and the preacher, being a college friend, was trying to befriend him—possibly save him? But no; there was the letter—it was absolutely genuine.

The woodsman straightened and stretched to rouse himself from the wild spell of the thought, to drag himself back from the drift of it; felt the revolver at his hip; crossed the floor and stepped out into the yard.

The night was unruined; the woods breathed softly in the pale starlight. Back in the hills a red fox was barking; over in the bottoms a plover whistled his melancholy call; the lonesome wail of a timber wolf drifted down out of Eagle hollow.

But for the true woodsman the night has messages that other ears do not hear. As he stood in the yard sifting the sounds that rode the air, he suddenly bent forward and stood keenly listening. The frogs in Eagle run, just below the bridge in front of Uncle Nick's, had abruptly stopped croaking, only to begin again after a moment, while the frogs farther down fell silent—somebody was walking along the bank of the little stream. Somebody—frogs do not stop croaking at the tread of cattle or other like animals.

It was near midnight. Why should anybody be prowling in so secluded a spot at such an hour? The alert and experienced woodsman could even gauge the speed of the prowler by the successive silences that fell as he moved down the stream. He was going slowly—possibly creeping.

From the bridge at Uncle Nick's a foot-path led down the east bank of Eagle run and divided a short distance below, one fork leading around the base of Black rock to the Warhope homestead, the other on down the stream, through a small pasture lot and into the park-like orchard and grounds of Simon Collin. It was along this fork of the path that the night prowler was apparently stealing.

The woodsman hurriedly closed the cabin door, ran across the corner of the fallow yard, and the next moment, creeping cautiously along the fork of the path that led around under the shadows at the base of Black

caution of Jack Warhope was at fault. There was always a chance that the woodcraft of the

man he followed was as fine as his own. He paid him the compliment of keeping back from the stream, out of earshot of the frogs, and silently took up the trail.

It is a law of the woods—fundamental and primary, whether stalking animals or men—that the woodsman must never move while the creature he stalks is still. Jack, hardly twenty steps away, stood quiet as the breath of the night and waited.

With a final searching look in every direction, the man by the fence climbed cautiously over and stole down the creek bank into the little park. Jack crept up to the fence, crawled over and followed.

At Whispering spring the night prowler crouched down by the rustic seat, put his hands to his mouth and very cleverly imitated the quavering call of the screech owl. Jack seized the favorable moment, crept up as near as he deemed prudent and hid in the dense shadow of a clump of shrubbery.

The night was so placid that during the intervals between the imitative calls the low murmur of Whispering spring fell distinct and clear upon the silence. A few steps away the red-roofed cottage bulked large in the gloom.

The man had already twice given his call and was about to give it a third time, when the parlor door at the front of the house rather noisily opened, and a man came down off the porch and across the yard. As he walked over the brink of the slight declivity where the yard dipped to the creek, he passed in outline for a brief moment against the southern sky.

It was the preacher. His glasses were off, the stoop gone from his shoulders and his step showed not a sign of mincing. He was partly dressed, partly in his night clothes—precisely as one who had awakened naturally from sleep and gone into the yard for some trifling purpose or other. There was a light spot at his hip which the watcher under the clump of shrubbery surmised to be the ivory handle of the six-gun that had thudded against the bottom of the skiff.

He went straight to the spring, took down the dipper and dipped himself a drink, making a deal of noise in the act—even an unnecessary amount of it, as it seemed to the critical ears under the shrubbery. The drink over, he hung up the dipper, with another clatter; sauntered past the man crouched by the rustic seat; snatched something that was reached out to him; hid it in the bosom of his shirt; whispered a very hurried word or two; strolled back up the yard; crossed the porch; re-entered the parlor door and locked it behind him.

The man crouching by the seat half-rose and slipped back the way he had come, the frogs, as before, falling silent as he came even with them and resuming their croak again after he had passed. Jack tried hard to make him out as he stole by, less than a dozen steps away, but he was so stooped and so shrouded in gloom that the effort was in vain.

The woodsman lay a long time listening, and reviewing the astonishing pantomime. Not a sound did he hear. He glanced up at the red-roofed cottage. From porch step to gable it lay as peaceful as its background of placid sky. It was hard to think that at that moment it might be standing at the danger-center of some intangible web of evil that was being woven about it.

He knew the lay of the house as well as he knew his own small cabin—along the south and fronting the road the seldom used parlor, with the spare bedroom opening off from it on the east; back of these the sitting-room, and the old banker's bedroom adjoining it, with the small room containing his safe opening off it on the west and extending some distance beyond the main wall; back of these rooms the dining-room and back of it the kitchen.

Front entrance to both parlor and sitting-room was from the wide porch, which filled up almost the entire jog between the parlor and the small room that served as office. Mrs. Curry and Texie both slept upstairs, the latter over the old banker's bedroom, the former over the office. There were no rooms above the parlor and spare bedroom, these, with the porch, being a later addition to the original building.

With every possible caution Jack slowly crawled up the yard, around back of the house, and under the partly open window of the parlor bedroom; lay listening for a guarded moment; then rose, noiseless as the night, and peeped within.

On a chair just under the window hung the somber frock coat; on the bed a man breathed even and deep, apparently sleeping as tranquilly as a tired athlete.

CHAPTER XI
Knives of the Night.

A man strolling carelessly through the woods would be surprised to know how many eyes are on him, how many creatures scrooch in the covers and wait for him to pass. He might even imagine from the silence that he is

alone. The true woodsman knows that; he is never alone, that his slightest move is watched by a thousand eyes.

In such quiet lay the forest next morning when Jack Warhope, threading the dew-bathed glades, inadvertently stepped on a brush that flipped up and rattled some dead leaves lodged in a thick cluster of sprouts growing about an old white oak stump.

A pheasant that happened to be hiding under the brush instantly flushed. It seemed as if the flurry of his wings fanned the whole woods alive. A fox squirrel bounced up out of the leaves and skurried away; a chipmunk dived into his den; a pair of blue jays set up their strident screech; a crow left the dead limb of an oak and went floundering along over the tree-tops squawking the news that the most dangerous animal in the world—a man—was loose in the woods.

With the heavy shotgun he carried—a present from the banker—Jack covered the pheasant as it glanced away until it blended with the dull gray of the trees and faded from sight. He dropped the butt of the gun to the leaves and stood listening to the beat of the swift wings, growing fainter, finally ending abruptly, and he knew the bird had settled again to the brush.

"Well, ol' drummer," he chuckled, speaking half aloud—a habit the woods teach men—and throwing the shotgun lightly across his arm, "y'u didn't need t' rush off without s' much as sayin' good morning. I could 'a' stopped y'u if I'd be'n a-mind to. I had y'u right on the end of my trigger finger."

Through Jack Warhope was considered a man of clumsy tongue, he could talk well enough to himself, or to the creatures of the woods. He even had a curiously sane and sensible philosophy—a sort of romantic idealism—that outcropped at such times.

The woods—the true, the constant, the steadfast woods—the first instinct of unspoiled men with a heart-ache—the vastness, the all sufficiency, the immense Shekinah of the solitudes. With the gun lying across his arm he stepped cautiously to where the pheasant had flushed and peered about under the brush and bushes.

As his straining gaze searched with extreme minuteness every leaf, or glimpse of weed or bark or grass blade, gradually a grayish-brown spot, just where the bush of a fallen limb lay along the side of a crumbling log, began to take shape. He shifted his position for a better view—the gray-brown spot was gone.

He located it again, and as he looked, slowly there grew out of the blending colors of the copse the figure of a hen pheasant on the nest, so perfectly harmonizing with the leaves and brush among which she hovered that only the very keenest eye could have spied her out at all. A moment he gazed, and slipped away as noiselessly as he had come.

"Let 'er alone," he muttered when at a safe distance. "Let 'er think I couldn't find 'er. She'll think if I couldn't the fox can't, and he's her greatest dread right now."

The trees were hardly leaved out enough yet to conceal a man walking carelessly through them, or fully keep back the sun from peeping down through the thick tangle of twigs and coaxing forth flower and grass blade from the quickening mold. The silver sheath of the hickory buds had already burst and sprung wide apart, the delicate green of the crinkled, newborn leaves appearing in sharp contrast to the purple sheen lining the rent scales. The oaks had begun to thrust forth the tender tips of their new foliage, investing the waking forest with a tint of faint grayish red, as if to the infant leaves some trace of the birth blush still clung.

Upon the floor of the woods spring had already spread a carpet of infinite color and design, new and bright and still unsoiled—here a fancy spangled pattern of spring beauties; there a pattern of solid green where the may-apples opened their umbrellas to the light, in readiness to shield the fragile flowers of white wax that were soon to hover beneath their sheltering folds; and, draped over all, a shimmering silver haze, the gracious benediction of the skies.

The man stopped before a crab-apple tree, the buds of which were opened just enough to make one curious to see more of the beautiful mystery folded teasingly away within the protecting scales. Already some bees, pioneers of their tribe, fussed about the aromatic clusters of peeping color, gathering statistics on the season's honey crop.

A breeze stirred the trees, as if the woods were taking a deeper breath. Jack lifted his shoulders and filled his lungs with the nectar-laden air. Warm by the exuberance of life that rustled and quivered and thrilled around him there gushed up within him the jubilate of a man wooed by the genial day into almost primal closeness to nature.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

(By 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

"The expectation of a new world after the war was one of the illusions which had to be dispelled. Human nature and inhuman nature both remain unchanged and they are our masters."

SOME SIMPLER CAKES

During cold weather when such cakes may be made and kept, the following will be enjoyed:



Pork Cake.—Simmer together for two to three hours one cupful of molasses, two cupfuls of chopped dried apple, one teaspoonful of cinnamon and one-half teaspoonful each of cloves and nutmeg.

To one cupful of salt pork, entirely fat, chopped very fine, add one cupful of boiling water. Add to the molasses mixture with one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of raisins, three well-beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of soda, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar and just flour enough to make of the desired consistency. Bake in a moderate oven.

Lightning Cake.—Break the whites of two eggs in a half-pint measuring cup, add softened butter to make half cupful, then fill the cup with milk and water. Add to a bowl with flavoring and beat with a Dover egg beater for seven minutes, after adding one and one-half cupfuls of flour, one cupful of sugar, and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder sifted three times. Bake in a sheet or layer tins.

Quick Cake.—Put one-third of a cupful of softened butter into a bowl, add one and one-third cupfuls of brown sugar, two eggs, one-half cupful of milk, one and three-fourths cupfuls of flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful each of nutmeg and cinnamon; beat all together with a wooden spoon for three minutes, add one-half pound of dates stoned and cut into bits. Bake thirty-five minutes in a baking sheet. Ice with plain frosting and serve cut into squares.

Orange Cake.—Cream one-fourth of a cupful of butter, add one cupful of sugar gradually, two eggs well beaten and one-half cupful of milk. Add one and two-thirds cupfuls of flour sifted with two and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Flavor with orange and bake in a sheet. Cut in halves and put together with orange filling and cover with orange frosting.

"The day begins to droop—
Its course is done:
But nothing tells the place
Of the setting sun."

RICH CAKES

At this time of the year a nice, rich, tasty cake is better enjoyed than at any other season. The following are a few from which to choose:

Dark Fruit Cake.—Cream one-half cupful of butter, add three-fourths of a cupful of brown sugar, three-fourths cupful of raisins, seeded and cut into pieces; three-fourths of a cupful of currants, one-half cupful of citron thinly sliced and cut into strips; one-half cupful of molasses, two beaten eggs, one-half cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour, one-half teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful each of allspice, mace and lemon extract and one-fourth teaspoonful of clove. Bake in deep pans one and one-quarter hours.

Golden Spice Cakes.—Cream one-half cupful of butter, add one-half cupful of brown sugar gradually, add one beaten egg and the yolks of four eggs well beaten, one-half cupful of molasses, one-half cupful of milk, two and one-fourth cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful each of soda and cloves, one-fourth teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a little grated lemon rind and a dash of cayenne. Bake in a moderate oven and cover with—

White Mountain Cream.—Boil together one cupful sugar and one-third cupful of boiling water, without stirring, until threads are formed when a fork is dipped into the sirup. Pour the boiling sirup over the well-beaten white of an egg, beat until thick, flavor with a tablespoonful of lemon juice.

Butter Cookies.—Cream one pound of butter, add one cupful of sugar, two beaten eggs, rind and juice of half a lemon, six cupfuls of flour, one cupful of chopped almonds and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Mix as usual, chill the dough for several hours or overnight. Roll, cut and brush with white of egg, sprinkle with sugar and chopped almonds on each cookie.

Nellie Maxwell

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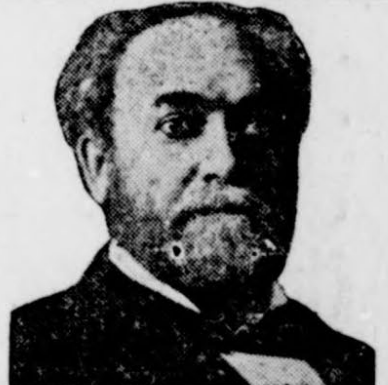
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A physician who reaches out to benefit humanity leaves a record behind him that is worth while. Such a man was Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y. He was an eminent physician, a leading and honored citizen, known for his honesty and executive ability. His study along medical lines, and his knowledge of the remedial qualities of herbs and plants led to the discovery of his wonderful herbal remedy, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the woman's tonic which has had the greatest number of supporters for the past fifty years. It is just the herbal tonic required if a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nervousness or dizzy spells, headache or backache. Favorite Prescription can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid at most drug stores.

Send 10c for trial sample to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

Man Falls From Top of Building

While working on the walls of the First State Bank building Monday, Charles Morgan, lost his balance and fell a distance of fifteen feet to the street and rendered unconscious, and for a few moments it was thought that he had been killed. After receiving first aid he was removed to the O'Donnell hotel where a thorough examination showed no broken bones, although his body was considerably bruised. He is rapidly recovering and will soon be up again.

Mr. Morgan had only been on the job a few hours, coming here from Talia.

"Boomerang Justice"

A big western production will be screened at the State Theatre Friday, Jan. 18th, featuring GEORGE LARKIN and an all star cast. It's a real western. Don't miss it.

Ex-Sheriff Locates in City of O'Donnell

J. Y. Everette, ex-sheriff of Borden county, is now a citizen of O'Donnell and will be ready to vote a Democratic ticket with the rest of the boys next election. He arrived last week, cast his eagle eye over the possibilities of town, and knowing a good thing when he sees it, bought the home of D. W. Thompson. Mr. Everette is well known to all old-timers in this section.

School Suspended

At a meeting of the school board first of the week, it was decided to suspend school until Monday week on account of a case of measles that had broken out on one of the pupils. As a number of the pupils had been exposed to this case before its nature had been determined by the doctors, it was thought by the board that a spread of the disease could be checked by this action.

New Community Center Will Be Known as New Moore

Howdy, New Moore.

Unless prevented by persuasion or an injunction, the Index in the future will refer to the old Singleton ranch headquarters, later known as the Newman-Moore reserve headquarters, as New Moore. This name is not only euphonious but it will carry unto posterity the names of the men—G. O. Newman, Louis C. Newman and W. McCarty Moore—who are responsible for the great transformation that is now in the borning of this historic old land mark of the South Plains county.

At the conception of the plans for the building of a community center at the headquarters, it was intended to have a contest open to the people of the community, whereby all names suggested would be considered and the one the judges decided upon as being the most appropriate, would be the future name of the town. But the transition from grazing lands of this big ranch to that of farms has taken place so rapidly that a name is really demanded and there is no time for a contest.

Howdy, New Moore.

W. N. Estes came in from Hamilton first of the week to start work on the farm purchased from J. B. Elmore last September. Mr. Estes will soon move his family out.

No. 1234

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

First State Bank

At O'Donnell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1923, published in the O'Donnell Index a newspaper printed and published at O'Donnell, State of Texas, on the 11th day of Jan., 1924.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$24,584.10
Real estate (banking house)	2,227.88
Other Real Estate	3,086.34
Furniture and Fixtures	3,419.00
Due from other Banks, and Bankers, and cash on hand	335,063.77
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	599.82
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,113.52
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	40,743.02
Total	\$411,986.45

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Undivided profits, net	1,610.38
Individual Deposits, subject to check	397,020.07
Time Certificates of Deposit	3,356.00
Total	\$411,986.45

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Lynn)

We, W. J. Adams, as President, and Ben T. Brown, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. J. ADAMS, President,
BEN T. BROWN, Cashier.
Subscribe and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan. A. D. 1924

A. W. GIBBS,
Notary Public,
Lynn County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
JNO. S. FRITZ,
F. M. TOWNZEN,
H. C. FROST,
Directors.

Tom Mix and Tony

Playing in a picture that will please every one that can get in the State Theatre Saturday, Jan. 19th. This is a story of Tom Mix' Horse.

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Is the name of the picture. We will begin showing this picture at 6.30 p. m., and will continue till every one that wants to see it. This picture has been run as a special production but there wont be any increase in the price of it here. If you are looking for the best we are showing them.

HOGS FOR SALE.—I have a number of hogs suitable for porkers and brood sows for sale. Pigs cheap. See me at once. —Hal Singleton, Jr., at Singleton's Store.

Knox Cityians Business Visitors

E. R. Gibson and Audrey Denton motored over from Knox City Tuesday. They were attracted by that same business magnet that is drawing so many Knox Cityians to this town and it is probable that both these gentlemen will become citizens of the South Plains country before many moons. Mr. Gibson is the editor of the Knox City Journal and owner of the Index, and Mr. Audrey is manager of the Farmer Grocery Co. at Knox City.

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