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ANNUAL DECORATION DAY IS NOT FORGOTTEN

U. D. C. Ladies Beautify Graves Of Confederate Soldiers And Hold Exercises On Sunday

For several years it has been the custom of the local chapter of the U. D. C. to look after the graves of all the Confederate Soldiers buried at Hereford and to see that they were visited on Decoration Day.

Last Thursday the ladies of the U. D. C., accompanied by many volunteers, went to the Cemetery and cleaned off the graves. On Sunday afternoon a beautiful program was rendered on the court-house lawn, where good music, splendid talks and drills by the children created a profound impression on the good-sized audience.

The following program was rendered:

America's Prayer

Confederate Flag Drill by Girls

Tribute to Soldiers of '61 from Soldiers of 1918—Leonard Foster, Response—Col. Woodburn.

Violin Solo—Jack Mounds

Tribute to Our Boys who Sleep in France—G. A. F. Parker.

Quartet—"Cover them Over"

Drill by Small Children

Statement of the U. D. C. Work

Cemetery.

Following this everybody went to the Cemetery, where the graves were decorated and further appropriate ceremonies observed.

Mr. Parker's Tribute:

There is a tear for all who die, a mourner o'er the humblest grave; at nations swell the funeral cry, and triumph weeps above the brave.

Or them in nature's purest sigh, or oceans heaving bosom sent, vain their bones unburied lie, earth becomes their monument.

These words of Lord Byron seem to express both our sentiments, and those of all right thinking men throughout the world, toward our departed heroes who lie in France.

While we are a peace loving nation, every generation since our government was created has passed through at least one war, and today we have with us the veterans of three wars.

Each and all have met the issues of their day as brave men; have served our flag in glory, have

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TORK IS STRICTLY ON THE JOB

A partial list of births in this city for the past few weeks given below. This is not a complete list, but the remainder will be furnished in next week's issue.

May 4—To Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Shepherd, a girl;

May 5—To Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Estlin, a girl;

May 6—To Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ineson, a boy;

May 7—To Mr. and Mrs. Harryultz, a boy;

May 14—To Mr. and Mrs. Charlowell, a boy;

May 15—To Mr. and Mrs. Al-Higgins, a boy;

May 27—To Mr. and Mrs. A. G. a boy;

June 1—To Mr. and Mrs. V. rew, a girl;

June 2—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry a girl;

June 3—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hig-

a girl;

June 3—To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. a boy;

Rev. Asbell Gets Shock And A Nice Raise

RESOLUTIONS UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY THE OFFICIAL BOARD OF THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF HEREFORD.

WHEREAS, Brother John M. Asbell has just finished his first year's work as pastor of The First Christian Church of Hereford, Texas, and

WHEREAS, Brother Asbell has through his untiring efforts, genial spirit and Christian character done a great work during the past year, the accomplishments of the year exceeding any year in the history of the Church, every department of the Church having received the benefit of his steadfast efforts and efficient counsel, and since brother Asbell has endeared himself to the entire Church, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that we express to brother Asbell, and his good wife, our appreciation and this assurance of our esteem and love, and be it further

RESOLVED, that beginning May 1st, 1919 the pastors salary be increased to \$1800.00 per year; that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and a copy mailed our pastor.

F. H. Oberthier,

Chairman Protom.

A. L. Biggs,

Secretary.

W. E. Dameron.

Road Machinery For Castro Court Looks Like Work

If the amount of fine road machinery received here this week consigned to the Commissioners Court of Castro County is any indication of the amount of road work contemplated by our thriving neighbor on the south, then the residents of Castro are certainly in for years of enjoyment of genuine good roads.

A big shipment, including a giant road grader with a ten foot blade, is being forwarded to Dimmitt, besides other material. Included in the shipment was one smaller grader for Deaf Smith county.

Miss Minnie Dea Coffin And Her Mother Go Home

Miss Minnie Dea Coffin and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Coffin, who has been visiting here for the past three weeks, left Monday for their home in Blum, Texas. Miss Coffin will spend a few days at home then she will go to Chicago where she expects to take a special course in music after which she will return to Hereford.

H. D. Reed And Wife Take Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Reed left Monday for an extended visit with relatives and friends. While away they expect to visit in Memphis, Tenn., Birmingham, Ala., and Atlanta, Geo. They will return via New Orleans and Galveston.

THREE BUSINESS CHANGES THIS PAST WEEK

Allen Powelson Trades For Business He Just Sold

Allen Powelson who, only a matter of sixty days ago, sold The Top Shop to L. W. Hough, has bought out Mr. Hough's interests in the business and is again in active charge of the shop. Mr. Hough will continue his agency for the Dodge Motor Car, and his connection with the Dunlap Hardware Company.

Rev. Baker Resigns; Goes To Waxahachie

At last Sunday's services at the Presbyterian church Rev. W. M. Baker told his congregation that he had received a call as Assistant Pastor of the Presbyterian church of Waxahachie, Texas, and had decided to accept it. He presented his resignation, which was regrettably accepted by the members of the church.

Resolutions will be drawn by the Session and printed in The Brand next week. A committee has been appointed, and will make report to the congregation as soon as they arrive at a decision.

The resignation of Rev. Baker will also deprive the local Red Cross Chapter of its President. Probably this matter will be brought up at next Tuesday's meeting of the Executive Committee.

OFFICIAL RECEPTION FOR 36TH?

Are we to have an official reception for the boys of the Thirty Sixth Division, when they return home, sometime within the next three or four weeks?

Other towns are meeting their boys with demonstrations of pride and affection, and why shouldn't we? True, those faithful Canteen ladies will be right there as usual, but shouldn't the rest of us join in making the welcome one to be long remembered?

Of course, if the boys return in ones and twos, this will be almost impossible, but should the entire contingent from this community come home in a body, we certainly ought to put the big pot in the little one.

Executive Board Red Cross Will Meet On Tuesday

Secretary A. O. Thompson of the local Chapter, Red Cross, announces a meeting of the Executive Committee for next Tuesday night at the County Court room, beginning at 8:00 o'clock. Many matters of vital importance to the Chapter are to be discussed.

Murphy And Turnbow Purchase Stockmen's Cafe

Albert Murphy, proprietor of the American Hotel, has closed the Cafe connected with this hostelry, and with J. O. Turnbow as partner, purchased the Stockman's Cafe from Williams & Christian. Messrs. Murphy and Turnbow announce that the rooms of both the American Hotel and the Stockman's Cafe will be maintained, and that the Cafe will be altered and modernized in every particular.

1562 Hungry Soldiers Fed During May

Are our Canteen Ladies on the job? Just look at these official figures of their work for the month of May:

1565 men served during the month. Of these 547 were on the regular trains, and 922 on troop trains;

400 Magazines distributed to troops;

326 sandwiches devoured;

76 gallons of iced drinks absorbed;

460 slices of Loaf Cake disappeared;

200 Doughnuts eaten;

17 gallons of coffee boiled;

51 pounds of candy chewed;

200 Illustrated Postcards written here and sent home!

KELIEHOR RECEIVES AN HONOR

As suitable reward for an individual act of patriotism on the part of W. D. Keliehor, during the recent argument with His Highness, William Hohenzollern, the New Department at Washington has sent Mr. Keliehor a beautifully engraved and officially signed scroll of thanks. Mr. Keliehor has framed the scroll, signed by Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and will keep it as a memento of the Great War.

The act for which the scroll was awarded was the voluntary donation of a pair of binoculars for use by the Navy at the time when the demand exceeded the supply.

Incidentally, the binoculars have been returned, after being used for months, somewhat the worse for wear but in fair condition.

Mr. And Mrs. H. L. Rice Back From Very Sad Mission

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rice returned home Monday from Dover, Ohio, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Rice's brother—Chas. C. Rice.

Harry Rice Transfers Shop and Self To Garage

The Hereford Garage & Machine Works announce that they have purchased the entire business of the Quick Service Tire Shop, conducted by Harry L. Rice, and have this week transferred the entire plant to their building.

Mr. Rice, who has established an enviable record in his particular line, and built up a lucrative trade, will have charge of the vulcanizing department of the Hereford Garage. Bob Bailey, Mr. Rice's assistant, will continue in that capacity in the new location.

Three New Brick Buildings To Be Erected

Where three old frame shacks stood before the recent fire, there are soon to be erected three brick store buildings of modern and fire proof construction, adding greatly to the appearance of the street, and convenience of the occupants of the new structures.

R. L. Elliston is to erect a two story brick adjoining the Betts-Clark Drug Store, the upper floor of which will consist of up-to-date offices. The building will be thirty six feet front. Adjoining it on the south will be two more single storied bricks, thirty nine feet front and divided into two business houses. The depth of the buildings is eighty feet.

Plans for these buildings, drawn and prepared by Architect B. A. Nicks, are now in the hands of the Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co., and work is expected to begin in the near future.

Red Cross Films To Be Shown At Star Theatre Soon

Beginning in the near future, one-reel films descriptive of the work of the American Red Cross will be shown at frequent intervals at The Star Theatre.

Arrangements have been made with Manager Fullwood for these interesting pictures to be shown the public as part of his regular program. Mr. Fullwood has generally agreed to show the films free of charge.

The films will be handled locally by the Publicity Committee of the local Red Cross, and the advance notices indicate a very fine and entertaining series of visual lectures on the war work of "The Greatest Mother In The World."

Ohio Banker Is Impressed With Hereford Future

J. A. Runyan, of Lebanon, Ohio, President of the Citizens National Bank of that city, and W. E. Elzsrath, ex-sheriff of Warren county, Ohio, left Hereford Saturday, after spending several days with us.

These gentlemen are interested in local investments, and expressed themselves as being much impressed with the prospects and future of the Hereford country.

Two Panhandle Editors Make Us Flying Visits

Two Panhandle newspaper men were Hereford visitors the past week. On Friday Homer Steen, Publisher of the Floydada Hesperian, spent the day in our midst, and on Monday L. G. Waggoner, brother of the proprietor of the Miami Chief, was here on business.

SCOUTS ARE INSPIRED

Rev. Seaman Injects New "Pep" Into Local Troop

RICKETTS TO LEAD

Efficient Scout Master Takes Up Unfinished Work

Whatever might have been lacking in numbers was made up in enthusiasm at the "men's meeting" at the court house Tuesday evening, when Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, of Amarillo, talked to the Boy Scouts and their friends upon the subject "The Scout Motto 'Be Prepared.'" The enthusiasm so manifest in the eager faces of the "younger men" who make up the personnel of the Boy Scouts, spread rapidly through the entire audience as this bunch of clear-eyed, square-shouldered, intelligent boys, ranging from the lowest age limit of twelve, up to the dignity of sixteen years, filed into the auditorium led by Scoutmaster, Claude Ricketts and his assistant Lee Biggs; and from the opening sentence of Mr. Seaman's address to its close, his audience was with him in spirit and sympathy and with the boys whose cause he pleaded so forcibly and eloquently and to whom he seemed, not a stranger, but just a helpful, older brother.

As an introduction the boys gave, with all the vim of keen appreciation, the scout yell! "Be prepared, be prepared, shout it, shout it, shout it, shout it, shout it, shout it, Tenderfoot, second class, first class scout."

From the scout oath, "I promise to do my duty to God and to my country and to obey the scout law," Mr. Seaman passed to the scout law, itself, and discussed each of its twelve articles separately, showing the value of these principles in contributing to an ideal manhood. So convincing was his argument that a prominent member of the Commercial Club remarked at the close of the meeting that such a training would surely make "whopping" American citizens.

Mr. Seaman gave many interesting facts of scout history, telling of the origin of the movement in

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LIBRARY HOLDS BIG RECEPTION

A most delightful social affair, that carried with it an educational and intellectual interest, was the reception given on last Tuesday afternoon by the ladies of the Library Board to the public of Hereford. The hours were from three to six, and so enjoyable was the occasion most of the guests availed themselves of the full time limit. The new library quarters, which are very attractive, were made doubly so for the afternoon, and in connection with the west entrance and former Red Cross sewing room was converted into a spacious reception suite. Artistic arrangement of curtains shut off the rear and with the use of rugs potted plants, and many cut flowers a charming interior was presented. The ladies of the board and their friends acted as hostesses and cordially received the visitors.

The program arranged and prepared by the Music Club was very

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THE valuable man in any business, is the man who will co-operate with other men. The foreman who opposes the introduction of a new man into an institution, and fights every innovation which he himself does not suggest, is doomed to a gradual and creeping defeat. Men succeed only as they utilize the services and ideas of other men. Co-operate! Elbert Hubbard

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A Complete
Line of
**John Deere
Binders**

The kind that make you smile when you use them

We also have plenty of that **BARBED WIRE** that keeps your cattle in the pasture—galvanized and iron.

As well as a carload of **TWINE** to tie up this bountiful wheat crop.

Mr. Alfalfa Man, we are fixed for you, too, with plenty of **HAY TIES**, mowing machinery, and rakes.

Garrison Brothers

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The provident man is the wise man. Local hardware dealers have been warning the people for months that binders and other harvesting machinery were liable to be scarce and hard to get this fall. Apparently small attention was paid to the warning. The Brand is now informed that this class of farm machinery is practically sold out by the wholesalers, and late orders are in danger of being filled in 1920.

It was no fault of the Weather Man that we failed to get that frost Tuesday morning. He predicted it, but a merciful wind and heavy clouds arrived in the nick of time and saved our gardens, fruit and flowers. There's always a silver lining, even with this winter temperature in June.

There are said to be more blistered palms, for this time of the year, than in the history of Hereford. The unusually wet weather

has made the grass and weeds literally spring out of the ground, and everybody and his wife are fighting against time and other odds to get even once more.

THE BEST PAYS BEST

Farmers and stockmen are finding that it pays to grow only the best bloods of all kinds of live stock and to get the proof you need only to go to those who grow the best. Some of the best herds of Hereford cattle are to be found around Hereford, Texas, and the following is taken from the Hereford Brand of last week. Read it and then do a little thinking for yourself:

"Does it pay to raise Registered Hereford cattle? Rat Jowell was asked this question this week, and replied with the following:

"At a recent sale in Missouri Harris & Son sold the first 50 head out of their registered herd for a \$5250 average. Registered

Model, a show bull, bringing \$35,000, and 30 heifers an average of \$3075.

At the time Mr. Jowell was managing the herd down on the creek he purchased Beau Chief, when two weeks old, for \$450. Beau Chief's mother was 16 years old at the time. As a junior yearling he brought \$3,000 and at one time a \$10,000 offer for him was refused.

Domino 2nd, out of the same cow, when she was 17 years of age, sold for \$400 before his birth. Recently T. C. Ivy purchased him for \$6,000. He was three years old on June 9, and weighed 2030 pounds.—Panhandle Herald.

At a recent meeting of the State Medical Association held at Waco May 14th, the paper of Dr. C. W. Goddard, State Health Officer was enthusiastically received, and it was suggested, and unanimously approved, that in the interests of public health, this paper be given to the press for publication.

The Hereford Brand will run for several successive weeks extracts from Dr. Goddard's message on health conditions, which gives a very excellent idea of the work that the State Health Department is attempting in the promotion of better health conditions in Texas. Women will be interested particularly in the three new Bureaus recently created—Child Welfare, Communicable Disease and Public Health Education in Sanitation and Preventive Medicine.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found outline of the work accomplished by the Health Department since January 1919. Next week a resume of the new work contemplated will be given. We heartily commend these articles to the attention of the public interested in measures of public welfare, which, when summed, all rest upon the basis of good health.

Ben Smith of the Lockney Beacon has it in for people who are too stingy to subscribe for the local newspaper, but borrow it from their neighbors. He says they are "human insects, and their souls are so small they would not make a respectable cartarret on a chigger's eyes." The Slatonite says it is going to get a list of people in Slaton who borrow their neighbors' Slatonite and publish same. Verily, this life is one dogged worry after another.—Plainview News.

BUILD NOW

"Homes, Schools, Churches, and Roads. Make America a Better Place in Which to Live."

We went into the war to aid in making the world a better place in which to live. Behind the victory of arms, if the United States is to appropriate her share of the fruits of victory, must be the determination to do those things which make for prosperity and for happier and more contented people.

Homes, the very foundation of the social structure; schools, the mold in which our citizenship is cast; roads, the arteries of commerce; churches, springs of spiritual inspiration! These we need in increasing numbers throughout the land if America is to be made a better place in which to live.

War interrupted our construction work in these lines. The country needs almost a million homes right NOW. It needs hundreds of schools. There are not enough good roads or churches.

To resume work in these lines immediately means convincing evidence of your faith in the country's future; it means stimulation for all lines of business; and of profound importance right at this time, it means a demand for labor—employment for the returning soldier—**BUILD NOW**.—U. S. Dept. of Labor, W. B. Wilson, Secretary.

THICK PLANTINGS PROTECT LOCUST TREES FROM BORERS

Plantations of the locust tree can be successfully protected from the borer and grown profitably on a commercial scale if the trees are planted in thick stands or mixed with other trees, so as to produce a densely shaded condition during the first 10 to 15 years. Investigations of the United States Department of Agriculture showed that more trees were destroyed by borers in tracts which had been pruned occasionally or closely grazed or in which fire had killed out the underbrush, thus destroying the natural shade produced by weeds and shrubbery.

The denser the underbrush about the trunks of the trees the less is the damage done by borers. Trees growing from 2 to 3 feet apart were seldom injured, while

near-by isolated trees were riddled by borers.

Composed by Joe Allen, of 2nd Division 6th Marines in memory of Joe Owen, who was a College chum of his and who was killed in France.

Jody boy, Jody boy,
You said "we'll meet again
But Jody boy—
You did not say just when.

Jody boy, Jody boy
Since then two years have been,
But Jody boy, Jody boy
We have not meet again.

Two years have passed Jody boy
And still we have not met,
How many years will come boy—
And find us waiting yet?

For Jody boy, Jody boy,
You sleep 'neath a battle cross
And the I know just where boy,
You seem to me so lost.

Why was I left to wait, boy?
You were more man than I.
Why should I live to dream, boy
While there in France you lie?

But Jody boy, Jody boy—
You said we'd meet again
And because you went to war, boy
You cannot tell me when.

—J. W. A.

Brushing Teeth Wins Credit Mark.

Healthy childhood usually assures healthy manhood and womanhood. In many localities home demonstration agents from the United States Department of Agriculture and the State agricultural colleges are assisting the school authorities in surveying health of the school children. The results are improved standards of health among children. In Adams, Coos, Hillsborough Counties, N. H. popular lectures on hygiene and proper food habits have been given this spring by the home demonstration agent. Each child is weighed and measured by the home demonstrator agent and a volunteer helper. The record is placed on a card and credit is given for such good habits as "sleeping with window open," "drinking of milk," and "brushing of teeth." When a child is found much underweight or with bad food and living habits, a visit is made to the home. In most instances parents welcome the advice of some one skilled in dietetics.

Coal

Coal is going to be scarce this winter. Better lay in your supply NOW!

Cow Feed
—Meal and Bran

McQueen Grain & Coal Co.
Telephone One

**Unlimited Amount
of Money**

to LOAN on improved farms and ranches
LOW INTEREST, LONG TIME

Ralph Barnett
1st National Bank Building

"You'll Like Hereford—Oceans of Water."

**OLD AGE STARTS
WITH YOUR KIDNEYS**

Science says that old age begins with weakened kidneys and digestive organs. This being true, it is easy to believe that by keeping the kidneys and digestive organs cleansed and in proper working order old age can be deferred and life prolonged far beyond that enjoyed by the average person.

For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil has been relieving the weaknesses and disability due to advancing years. It is a standard old-time home remedy and needs no introduction. GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil is included in ointment, tasteless capsules containing about 5 drops each. Take them as you would a pill, with a small swallow of water. The oil stimulates the kidney action and enables the organs to throw off the poisons which cause premature old age. New life and strength increase as you continue the treatment. When completely restored continue taking a capsule or two each day. GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil Capsules will keep you in health and vigor and prevent a return of the disease. Do not wait until old age or disease have settled down for good. Go to your druggist and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Hearlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three times. But remember to ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand in sealed packages.

**It's the Little
Things**

—THAT COUNT

There are many little advantages this bank offers its depositors which are absolutely unknown to those who do not have an account here. We invite you to familiarize yourself with our accommodations and thus enjoy our advantages.

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You
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—that inferior lighting is a large part of the trouble with weak eyes?

We are aides to the Eye Physicians.—Get a Mazda lamp, and dodge unsightly spectacles.

"Do it Electrically"

**Hereford Light &
Power Co.**

Phone 388

★ THEATRE ★

W. S. FULLWOOD, Manager

Program for week beginning June 9, 1919

Monday and Tuesday 9th and 10th.
Chas Ray in
"SHERIFF'S SON"
also MUTT and JEFF and Christie Comedies.

Wednesday and Thursday June 11th and 12th.
John Barrymore in
"TEST OF HONOR"
11th Episode. "MAN OF MIGHT"

Friday and Saturday June 13th and 14th
William Fox presents ANNETTE KELLERMAN in
"THE QUEEN OF THE SEA"
Added attraction.
6th Episode Terror of the Range and Fatty Arbuckle.

Matinee every Friday and Saturday. Picture starts 3:00, doors open 2:30.

REGISTERED AT HOTELS

Amarillo, Texas—R. J. Parson, W. H. Miller, J. Ray, E. F. Bittenberry, A. W. Law, J. R. Patterson, J. S. Troxell, C. E. Renfro, Doc Balton

Austin, Texas—Carl Carlson.

Dallas, Texas—S. C. Mitchell, C. B. Fox, R. E. Conaway, J. B. Bare.

Lubbock, Texas—A. S. Dysart.

Plainview, Texas—C. McCeland.

Cleburne, Texas—H. H. Jones.

Wichita Falls, Texas—E. T. Barles

Denver, Colo.—A. E. Doman, wife and daughter.

Chicago, Ill.—F. H. McGee.

Herren, Ill.—H. Dale and family.

Kansas City, Mo.—R. E. Watson

R. M. Gaines.

St. Joseph, Mo.—R. E. Wheeler, H. M. Tolle.

St. Louis, Mo.—Joseph D. Lood.

Roswell, New Mexico—G. W. Lucas.

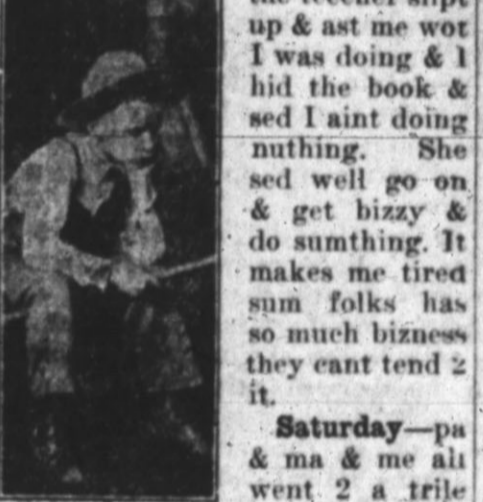
Lawrence, Kansas—Roscoe Stubbs.

BANDING TREES PROTECTS FROM DAMAGE BY MOTHS

Banding the trunks and larger limbs of apple trees with strips of cloth, says the United States Department of Agriculture, has been practiced extensively for the control of the codling moth. This method consists of fastening a band of cloth around the trunk, from which the loose bark has been removed. Usually a band made from burlap, folded to three thicknesses 4 to 8 inches wide, is used. The codling moth larva, crawl beneath the band to form their cocoons and should be destroyed by hand at intervals of 10 days throughout the season.

Slat's Diary.

Friday—I had my Gograffy up in front of me & was reading of Eddy Rikkenbokker bringing the Huns down & the teacher slept up & ast me wot I was doing & I hid the book & sed I aint doing nothing. She sed well go on & get bizzy & do sumthing. It makes me tired sum folks has so much bizness they cant tend 2 it.



Saturday—pa & ma & me all went 2 a trife today & ma was a witness & wen the judge ast her did she understand the nachur of a Oath she looked at pa & with a Smile on her mouth she sed I'll say I do. Pa didn't smile enny.

Sunday—pa & the preecher is gitting pritty frindly now. Today pa give him a fountain pen for a Present and the preecher sed much abliged mebbe I can rite better Sermons now and pa sed I hope you can & ma kicked pa on the front of his Shin & he sed Ouch & the preecher looked funny & I had 2 laff out Loud. Wen we got home pa balled me out for laffing & ma jawed him for his Ignorants & he was mad at her for kicking him. I ducked.

Monday—Jake's ma was offui sick today & Jake got 2 stay out of skool. They cudent get a Doctor & she got allrite agen.

Tuesday—Jake & me has decided not 2 run off for skool will be out before long. Pa was reeding a novel of fxiion tonite & wen he got thpw with it ma ast him did it end up happy & he replied no they got married. I went to bed & diddent see the finish.

Wednesday—Teacher had a picnic this evening after skool was let out. We had ice cream & Pickels & sanwitches & pigs Feet & cake & lemonaid. Sum kids ack like they cudent get enuff & et so much they was sick. I feel kinda bum 2.

Thursday—I herd a man ast pa wot is a good cure for the Lakker habit & pa sed 2 him the best cure he knowed of is 2 marry a woman like ma is. The man replied & sed he guessed he wood wait & let the Aunty Sloon Leeg do it.

YOUNG FARMER KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Ole Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Moore, who live southwest of town, met with sudden death Tuesday afternoon when he was struck by lightning while plowing in the field near his home. The bolt of lightning came out of just a small cloud and death was instantaneous. His mother was the first to the scene of the accident, as after hearing the loud clap of thunder she looked out and saw the team. Mr. Moore was driving, excited and away from him.

Let Others take the Risk

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Pres. G. W. Merrill, a man of high intelligence and executive ability, stands high with the bankers of Oklahoma, with whom he has been closely associated for 10 years. W. H. Locher, Vice Pres., is a well known capitalist and banker of Duluth. A. W. Richards, Vice Pres., is a prominent Coal Mining capitalist of Terre Haute. W. S. Probst, Sec'y. and Treas., is a well known Tulsa banker.

R. A. Pasternach General Sales Manager is a man who does things. P. S. Blair, Engineer formerly of Tulsa, has been connected with the largest oil companies, and has built some of the largest refineries.

J. T. Thompson, Construction Supt., has built some of the largest refineries. They are all practical men, and we are proud of them. They assure us a real up-to-date Oil Refinery. Cost of Refinery about \$250,000.00.

| REFINED PRODUCTS, DAILY: | |
|--|-------------|
| Gasoline 25 per cent 52,500 gallons at 20 cts. | \$10,500.00 |
| Kerosene 35 per cent, 73,500 gallons at 9c | 6,615.00 |
| Fuel Oil 40 per cent, 2000 pounds at \$2.00 | 4,000.00 |
| Estimated revenue per day | \$21,115.00 |

| ESTIMATED EXPENSE PER DAY: | |
|---|----------------|
| 5000 lbs. Crude oil at \$2.50 delivered | \$12,500.00 |
| Skilled and common labor | 125.00 |
| Taxes and Insurance | 50.00 |
| Fuel | 50.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 50.00 |
| Repairs and Depreciation | 50.00 |
| Total Expense per day | \$12,825.00 |
| Estimated net profit per day | 8,290.00 |
| Estimated net profit per year | \$2,984,400.00 |

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Dimmitt, Texas

ter returned from Hot Springs, last Sunday. They are satisfied that there is great curative qualities in the water at that place but any one having a weak heart or lungs can't stand the strong baths and high altitude.

Mrs. Beshears and children left last Friday to spend the summer visiting among relatives and friends in Texas and Oklahoma.

CASTRO COUNTY

It is quite cool for June.

J. W. Vaden, who had been in the states a few weeks, arrived home last Sunday.

Jay Hastings returned from Ft. Worth this week and has accepted a position in the City Drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Hastings entertained the young people Monday night in honor of Miss Griffith. Delicious refreshments were served and all had an enjoyable time.

Walter High returned from Ranger last Monday.

Mr. Ben Beach was shaking hands with old friends in town this week.

Mrs. C. H. Clifton and daughter

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Ole Moore was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Moore and was a model young man. He was only a little past eighteen years of age, having been born at Howard, Kansas, March 14, 1901. On August 30, 1918, he was married to Miss Bessie Houston, who survives him. Mr. Moore united with the Christian Church at Clovis in May 1913, and has since been a consistent worker in the affairs of the church. The funeral service was conducted Thursday afternoon at the family home by Pastor Jett of the Christian Church after which interment took place at the Clovis Cemetery.

The bereaved partents and the young wife have the sympathy of all as the untimely death of son and husband has been a severe shock to them.—Clovis News.

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Better look over that farm machinery and order PARTS and REPAIR NOW.

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These companies carried Insurance and paid losses in full in every BIG fire that has occurred in this country since 1793. Hundreds of Fire Insurance Companies were put out of business in the fires of Chicago, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and San Francisco, but these big American and English companies paid in full and are today protecting your property through this Agency.

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THE CURE

Bring the affected to some real doctor of this disease, who has made a life study of the work needed. Our work is moderate priced and absolutely guaranteed.

TELEPHONE 23

Hereford Garage & Machine Works

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

MISS CECIL GILLILAND, Phone 30

Thursday evening May 29th a jolly bunch of young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Owen for a surprise visit to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Johnson.

At exactly eight-thirty o'clock the merry crowd left, all very excited and anxious to reach their destination and begin the fun that was waiting for them. It was indeed a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson as the young folks began to walk uninvited into the house and seemed to make them selves entirely at home. No time was lost and many merry games were begun at once, in the midst of it all a basket, draped in blue, was brought in and placed upon the table. It was then announced that time for the spread had come and Mrs. Johnson was very politely asked to remove the contents of the basket; but to her surprise the basket did not contain "Eats"

as would naturally be expected, but many beautiful pieces of linen, silver ware and numerous articles that were useful in the kitchen. After the basket had been enjoyed to the "Very Bottom" another surprise was waiting for the host and hostess. On the pretense of wanting a drink some of guests led the hostess into the kitchen, and there awaited a large freezer of ice cream. When all had enjoyed their part of the cream it was whispered among the guests that it was time that uninvited guests were leaving. All voted the evening one of a good time from beginning to end.

On Monday afternoon at four o'clock the Y. P. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Cooper Morgan with a goodly number of girls present.

We had a splendid program furnished by the girls.

After which we had a short

business session. The girls voted to attend the District Conference which meets at Tulsa June 12th. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess while we enjoyed ourselves socially. We will meet with Mrs. Stegall next Monday June 9th.

Methodist Missionary Society.

On May 26th The Methodist Missionary society had such an interesting meeting at the church. The lesson as given in the "Voice" was assigned for this month and the following program was rendered:

Song.

Prayer

Bible Lesson—Life of prayer life of Ministry. Luke 10: 17-24; conducted by Mrs. E. W. Harrison.

Mrs. Hodges gave an excellent paper on "Prayer releases spiritual energies and sends forth Workers."

Mrs. Stegall told in an impressive manner how "Prayer brings Victory in hour of Crisis."

Mrs. John McLean very ably discussed "The Task in Brazil and Cuba."

Mrs. Rutherford gave a statement of "What we have in these countries."

Mrs. Bowers told about what we proposed to do for "Brazil and Cuba."

Mrs. Roloson then presented our "Task in Cuba, what we have and what we propose to do. This number on the program gave us all a better idea of what can be done and should be done.

These lessons are growing more interesting and we want every Methodist woman to come and help in our great missionary work.

For the next Bible lesson an outline will be announced at our June social meeting. Everyone come and bring your bible and your study books.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkinson returned the first of the week from a ten days visit to Houston Galveston and other south Texas points. During the course of the trip Mr. Wilkinson attended the sessions of the Texas Bankers' association at Galveston. He reports that he was surprised at the widespread information about Hereford, and that he found our town to have a reputation as a "good" town wherever he went.

Program for Junior Missionary Society for June 12th at 3:00 p. m.

Song—"Send the Light."

Roll Call—response with Bible verses.

Leader—Elizabeth Stegall.

Bible Lesson—Friends Helping a sick man to Jesus (Mark 2: 3-12) Memory verse "I was sick and ye visited me." (Matt. 25: 36)

Song—"I think when I read that sweet story."

A nurse helping sick children—Gwendolyn Spradley.

The nurse of the babies—Maurine Spradley.

A nurses christmas in France—Mattie Lou Harrison.

Song—"Busy for Jesus."

Story of Clara Barton—Supt. Prayer.

The Hoosier kitchen cabinet is the most convenient as well as the greatest labor saving article in the house. On easy terms. E. E. BLACK CO. 16-4"

LIBRARY RECEPTION
(Continued from page 1.)

interesting and enjoyable in its variety.

Duet—Mrs Dyar and Miss Gregg

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Carl Mountz.

Reading—Miss McClurkin.

Trio—Mrs. Fox, Miss Price and Miss Jane Gregg.

Reading—Miss May Mounts.

Vocal Solo—Miss Elzina Mounts.

Quartette—Misses Price, Owen, Gregg and Mrs. Fox.

Reading—Miss May Mounts.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Carl Mountz.

Duet—Mrs. Dyar and Miss Gregg.

Following this, Mrs. Guthrie in her most pleasing manner, gave a talk on the value and place of a library in the community, and urged the creation of a higher standard of literature and stronger support of our library.

At the close of Mrs. Guthrie's address the Reverend Leamon of Amarillo was asked to give a short talk: he responded most pleasantly and in a humorous way said that the Hereford Library had one advantage over many others—it had gotten in on the "ground floor."

In the attractively arranged "tea room" light refreshments were served during the afternoon by a number of charming young girls.

A substantial silver offering and a number of membership cards testified to the interest and appreciation of the visitors. To the Library Board consisting of Mesdames Roloson, Donald, McQueen, Mounts and Stanley, too much praise can not be accorded, not only for a delightful afternoon but their intering interest at all times. In the face of adverse conditions and the heavy war demands the library has not been allowed to suffer neglect. New books have been purchased and new quarters established much more comfortable and better adapted to the public need. A room is now furnished and set apart where students can take notes without interruption from the books of reference. Our schools and children are growing, and each day there is the need of consulting encyclopedias, histories and books of like character. It is not possible to have the necessary books in many homes, and there is no plac for the children to go but the library. Education today can not be carried on without books. We have too few of these reference books. The Library Board has worked nobly to supply the need, but such books are expensive and the necessary money has not been at their command. No better investment of money can be made, or greater numbers benefitted. The people of Hereford have never failed to respond to any public or private need, where the need was known. Their money can be trusted to these women of the Library Board for wise and careful investment. Mrs. Roloson as well as the others has sacrificed time and comfort to plan for this work. All now that is needed is a generous public awake, and interested in the work. So send in books, money, buy membership cards, and in addition there may be an Andrew Carnegie who will endow it.

"THE MAN OF MIGHT"

Star Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday Nights.

Episode 11—"The Ship of Dread"

A chart flag, divided into six pieces and scattered years before, is the only key to the location of a buried treasure. Dick and Polly Van Brunt hold one piece and "Scarface" holds a second and schemes to get the others and the treasure. He kills Polly's father and puts her flag and hands across the desert for Mexico. Other holders join Dick and they pursue him. They are surprised at night, their flags taken and they are doomed to death.

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Geo. E. Burns
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15-21-pd G. W. BRUMLEY.

FOR SALE—My residence on 25-Mile Avenue. Seven rooms, bath, 2 halls, 2 galleries, 14 acres ground. Part cash, balance on time.
15-21-1f W. M. BAKER.

FOR SALE—Good registered Hereford range and herd bulls.
16-11f GROVER SANDERS

FOR SALE—Fifty-six (56) good cows, Twenty-eight (28) yearling heifers, Two good 2 year old Hereford males, several young calves. Now prospect of 100 per cent calf crop.
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FOR SALE—Make me an offer for lots Nos. 2, 3 and 4, in Block No. 10, Whitehead Add. to Hereford, Texas.
M. F. TAYLOR,
Box 1368 Amarillo, Texas.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rose Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. Per setting \$1.00. Phone 202-F22.
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FOR SALE—Few milk and nurse cows.
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Ford Roadster or speedster in good condition. Will sell or trade for cattle.
8-11f A. F. Luse, phone 54.

FOR SALE—Choice irrigated farm, close in. Would take some good residence property in town, also would consider half section raw land. Apply at box 345.
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FOR SALE—My residence near Mother's Park. 5 rooms, hall, 3 porches, bath with city water and sewer connection. Also good well and windmill, two lots and trees.
19 JAS. A. HUGHES.

FOR SALE—Three three year old registered Hereford males. Priced right. See or phone
19-21-pd J. H. MILLER, Dawn, Texas

FOR SALE—Good Dodge car run less than one year.
19-11-pd (7) Phone 202F-21

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Some good young mules, also a few good mares, all broke. Sell cheap or trade for cattle, hogs or good notes. Phone 54.
19-11f A. F. LUSE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Ford Touring car 1917 Model. Chevrolet 490 Touring car. Clear seven passenger. Overland 83 Touring car, newly painted, seat covers. 1917 Model Buick 4 Touring car, just rebuilt. All the above cars are in first class condition, and bargain.
RALPH BARNETT.

SAND AND GRAVEL
Fone T. B. Slaughter, number 196, or come to his place, one and one fourth miles east of Courthouse. Gravel the best, Sand the best; Rock better.
17-11f

FOR SALE OR TRADE
Large 4-room house, outbuildings, water piped into house. Splendid little vineyard of nearly one acre. Located in Hereford, Texas. Will sell cheap, or trade for property at San Leon.
17-11-pd T. H. PACE,
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You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow.
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FOR SALE—A few registered bulls. Two year olds and long aged yearlings. These are good bulls just right to go on the range and do good. Will make especially good prices on them as I haven't the room to run them over.
16-41-pd C. J. Mapes,
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Fine Improved Farm
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TO TRADE—McCormack row binder in good condition for broad cast binder in good shape.
A. F. LUSE.

FOR RENT

FOR LEASE—4 1-2 sections of grass. Phone 78 or see
18-11-pd LESLIE WARD.

FOR RENT—Good residence with 20 acres ground adjoining city limits.
Phone 202-F22.
GEO. W. SMITH,
Hereford, Texas.

LOST

LOST—A light tan kid glove on street Saturday, May 31. Finder please leave at Brand office.
19-11-pd

STRAYED—fawn colored Jersey heifer, about 12 months old. No brand or mark. Please notify.
16-11f J. P. Allen, phone 191

MISCELLANEOUS

RED CROSS NOTICE
The supply of yarn still on hand when the Red Cross rooms were closed has been placed in the store of Geo. A. Stambaugh. Knitted articles may be returned to the store and yarn for knitting secured. Those who can be urged to help finish the chapter's quota of knitting.
18-11f

TRANSFER WAGON
Handling of all kinds. See or phone me at Hereford Grain Company, telephone 249. I am not employed by this Company, but run an independent transfer line.
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We handle Farms and Ranches, any size. Send us full description location, etc., lowest price and best terms. We will find you a buyer if priced right. Most of our buyers pay cash in full or trade good oil interest as part payment and cash for balance.
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19-41 Cisco, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County on the 2nd day of June 1919, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of W. B. Arnold versus C. I. Poyson No. 1181 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered: I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in July A. D. 1919, at being the 1st day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County in the town of Hereford the following described property, to-wit:
The east four (4) in block number three (3) of Wamble addition of the town of Hereford. Levied on as the property of C. I. Poyson, Allen Poyson and B. C. Laird to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$1434.40 in favor of W. B. Arnold and cost of suit.
Given under my hand, this 2nd day of June 1919.
C. S. PURCELL,
Sheriff.

"WHY DID YOU LEAVE THE FARM, MY LAD?"

"Why did you leave the farm, my lad? Why did you bolt and leave you dad? Why did you beat it off to town? And turn your poor old father down? Thinkers of platform, pulpit and press Are wallowing in deep distress. They seek to know the hidden cause Why farmer boys desert their paw."

"Well, stranger, since you've been so frank, I'll roll aside the hay bank; I left my dad, his farm, his plow, Because my calf became his cow. I left my dad, 'twas wrong of course, Because my colt became his horse. I left my dad to sow and reap, Because my lamb became his sheep. I dropped the hoe and stuck the fork, Because my pig became his pork. The garden truck that I made grow Was his to sell, but mine to hoe."

"It's not the smoke in the atmosphere, Nor the taste for life that brought me here."

Please tell the platform, pulpit, press No fear of toll nor love of dress Is driving off the farmer lads, It's just the methods of their dads."

"FARMING'S FUN WITH A FORD-SON" TRACTOR.

We have a full line of buttons, braids, ribbons and laces, and all kind of notions, and can save you money. Skelton.

Annual Decoration Day Appropriately Observed Sunday

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made history of which we are justly proud, and have brought about "peace with honor."

Each succeeding war grows more bitter, more destructive of life and treasure, and more dangerous to the civilization of the world. We owe to our boys who have happily returned to us, our sympathetic help, our life time gratitude, and our undying love.

For those who have fallen we mourn, but with a mourning mixed with pride.

They died gloriously, and left to us and to future generations an inspiration to higher and better things. They have added new glory to our flag, and have given us a higher place among the nations of the earth.

We ourselves have broader sympathies. We shall have a new interest in the nations who fought besides us against a common foe; and we shall especially love those peoples who honor the graves where our boys lie buried.

But how shall we honor our boys who have come back to us, as well as our heroic dead?

Shall we leave to our children to fight even more destructive wars or now that the world has been made safe for Democracy, shall we make Democracy safe for the world?

Already we see the answer in the emphatic way in which the American people are doing away with the evils that disgrace us, in the way we are calling upon our women to take full share with the men in all public questions, in the way our moral forces, and especially our churches are declaring with John Wesley "The world is my parish" and are preparing in a large way to "go into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

Here in our own little town we are planning to build a hospital as a lasting memorial to our heroes. Through our hospital we shall throughout all time extend a helping hand to those who need it, even as our armies rescued the lives and liberties of millions of people throughout the world.

If this spirit of progress and brotherhood and christian stewardship shall grow and bear fruit in all America, then the boys from every state in this glorious union who sleep side by side in Flanders Field where poppies grow, shall not have died in vain.

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Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next: I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

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The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

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Mr. Auto Owner

Have you examined your tires for worn treads, stone bruises or cuts?

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A few rebuilt casings for sale. Tires examination and advice given free.

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Best Bargain in shallow water section in Deaf Smith county.

Have some dandy resident property for sale at the right price.

4174 acres, all in solid body, fenced; small improvements; all good, level land. Only 12 miles from Hereford. Best buy in this country. Only \$16.50 per acre. A money-maker, and I want to sell it.

J. H. Pitman
Hereford, Texas

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HERE, you wheat men is the opportunity; I have a NEW Minneapolis Separator, only threshed 2200 bushels year before last, and kept under good roof ever since (did not make any wheat last year).

I bought this machine NEW in Amarillo, Texas, from the Southern Minneapolis Farm Power Company, who are now selling the same machine as this one, with necessary equipment for over \$1800.00 (I refer you to them), they also carry in stock in Amarillo, all necessary extras.

This is a 28 "cylinder, 46" rear, Garden City Extension Feeder; Gearless wind-stacker; Weigher with stationary conveyors; bagger; two wagon spouts; 5-ply 8" driving belt, 150 feet (best made), and wire draw cable, all in perfect condition.

I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE OR BY-BIDDING, on next Monday, June 9th, 1919, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Canyon, Texas; I refer you to either Bank in Canyon, as to whether I will do as I say. No one can buy it at private sale between this date and the day of sale.

Two or three of you farmers throw in together and buy this machine, and save your own grain at the proper time; the high price of wheat and the toll charges will certainly justify it.

If time is desired come early and arrange same, for there will be no time for dickering at the sale hour.

John A. Wallace, Canyon, Tex.
Phone No. 21

I Have Sold Out

to the Hereford Garage and moved the equipment to the garage. I will still be in charge of the vulcanizing department and will continue to give the quick service and high grade work which built up the very good business of the Quick Service Tire Shop. I wish to thank my friends for their patronage and hope they will continue with me in the new location which is more conveniently located.

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furs, silks, kid gloves.

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CHURCH NOTES

Baptist Church.

Our congregations were very good last Sunday but could have been better. So next Sunday we would like to see all our people at the services, and we again call attention to our meeting which begins the third Sunday. Don't forget to pray for the success of the meeting; Bro. Routh is a fine speaker, but with out our prayer and help very little will be accom-

plished.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday School 9:45, preaching 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Laymans meeting from 3 to 4. Everybody invited.
J. E. McClurkin, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Bible School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 10:45, by the pastor. In the morning "The Children's League of Nations" will be the theme discussed. The evening service will be at 8:30. The Christian Endeavor will be held in the Virginia Shirley rest room

at 7:00 o'clock.

Welcome to all these services. It is now definitely decided that Dr. Graham Frank of the Central Christian Church, of Dallas, Texas, and S. W. Hutton and wife of Ft. Worth, Texas, will hold a meeting during August. Dr. Frank is the pastor of great experience and S. W. Hutton is our Bible school man of the great Southwest. He and his wife are great musicians.

We want the entire community to join with us as far as it can and enjoy these talented young people we are bringing to Hereford.

Mr. Asbell wants 100 Red Blooded Hereford Boys at church Sunday night to talk over the Boy Scout movement; Boys bring your Mothers and Dads and lets have one sure enough Boy Meeting that Hereford will remember a long time.

J. M. ASBELL, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Junior and Intermediate Endeavors 3:30 p. m. Joint meeting of Junior, Intermediate and Senior Endeavors 7:15 p. m.

There will be no preaching at night. Lets be "every one present and on time" at these services.
W. M. BAKER, Pastor.

Christian Endeavor

Topic: Condition Necessary to World Peace. Micah 4: 1-15. Leader—Mr. W. E. Dameron.

Song. Opening Prayer. Reading of Lesson—Mr. Dameron.

First condition: Righteousness Isa. 9: 6-7—Mrs. C. H. Dyar.

Second condition. Social Justice. Micah 3: 1-12—Mr. Claude Ricketts.

Third condition. Good Will Luke 2: 14—Miss Lillian Bennett. Solo—Miss Jane Gregg.

Fourth condition. Treaty Keeping. Josh. 9: 1-27—Mrs. Harry Johnson.

Fifth condition. Vital Religion Zech. 2: 10-13—Rev. J. M. Asbell.

Sixth condition. The Reign of Christ. Rev. 21: 1-8—Mrs. B. F. Guthrie.

Comments from others. Business. Closing exercise.

Epworth League Program for Sunday June 8th, 7:00 p. m. M. E. Church Annex

Subject: The Christian Athlete and his training.

Leader—Miss Donelda Sites.

Song—126.

Prayer.

Scripture Lesson—1 Cor. 9: 19-27.

Special Music—Miss Grace Sites.

"Christian Athlete" defined—Miss Cosette Hawkins.

"Adversity—The Training School for Christian Athletes"—Mrs. M. E. Stegall.

"Of What Does Training For A Christian Athlete Consist?"—Mr. Richard Jacobs.

Special Music—Miss Annie Anthony.

"Education in a Democracy"—Miss Willie Dickert.

"Will the Church Educate?"—Rev. W. H. Terry.

Business.

Song—92.

Benediction.

Y. P. M. S. Program June 9, 1919

Subject Brazil.

Leader—Gladys Beams.

Hymn—352.

Devotional Study—The Life of Prayer an Ever-deepening Devotion to Jesus Christ. John 15: 4-10.

Prayer.

Hymn—420.

A new appeal to the crusade. The vision by girls 1st Cozette Hawkins, 2nd Jewel Porter, 3rd Lennis Anthony, 4th Mable McQueen.

Discussion by class.

What has North America Christianity to offer Brazil.

What has Brazil to offer America?

What is the most vital need of Brazil?

Reading: Forgotten—Annie F. Parker.

Song.

Christian Endeavor for June 8th, 1919. Joint Meeting of Junior, Intermediate and Senior Endeavors.

Song service beginning at 7:00 o'clock.

Scripture—Romans 12—Vernor Curtis. Reading of Pledges.

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Duet—Mrs. Hollace Galley and Roy Botsford.

Topic—Roy Nunn.

Violin Duet—Mable Barnhart and Doyle Womble.

History of Christian Endeavor—Mary Bradley.

100th Psalm—Junior Endeavor.

Sentence Prayer—Junior, Intermediates and Seniors.

Duet—Paul Baker and Charles Ferguson Jr.

Topic—A Senior Endeavorer.

Reading—Ethel Womble

Collection

C. E. Benediction.

PLANT TREES AND WINDBRAKES!

J. U. Yarbrough of the school of philosophy and psychology of the University of Texas has been

granted a leave of absence for a year. He will do advanced work in psychology at the University of Chicago.

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Where a full egg basket is desired, it is essential to provide the flock with plenty of fresh air and sunshine during the summer as well as an abundance of shade, as hens can not withstand excessive heat. It is necessary to provide plenty of green feed, such as beet, turnip, carrot and onion tops, as well as waste leaves from cabbage and lettuce and also such material as potato peelings, watermelon and cantaloupe rinds and grass clippings. Bread and cake crumbs make desirable filling food for the hens. The suburban housewife whose neighbors do not maintain flocks should request them to save their cake and bread crumbs as well as their table scraps for her hens. In the main, the small flock can be maintained in this manner at slight expense while the fowl will be provided with plenty of essential food.

Meat scraps from the table, with such bugs and worms as the range provides, supply plenty of animal food. It is preferable to run the meat scraps through a meat grinder and then to mix them with three parts of corn meal and one part of wheat bran. This mixture should be fed at mid-day, while the grain supply, consisting of cracked or whole corn or oats—about one-half a pint to ten hens—should be fed in the litter during the morning so that the birds will scratch for it. If table scraps are not available in plenty, grain should also be fed at night. In case the hens show a tendency to get too fat it is advisable to reduce the amount of grain.

Buy Beef Scraps.

In case the meat left-overs from the family table are not sufficient to provide scraps for the hens, it is desirable to purchase and feed beef scraps. Furthermore the hens should be given constant access to grit or small stones which the fowl can readily swallow, and they should also be supplied with crushed oyster or clam shells. Laying hens, during the period of hot weather, require plenty of fresh, clean water which should be kept in a clean fountain or pan placed in the shade.

Such provisions for the comfort and convenience of the flock are usually responsible for a steady and continuous flow of eggs during the period when eggs can be produced at the minimum expense.

EXTERMINATE THE LICE

An effective remedy for lice on chicks is a small quantity of melted lard rubbed under the wings and on top of the chick's head.

The free use of kerosene or crude oil on the roosts and in the cracks of the house will help to exterminate mites.

Whitewash is effective against all vermin.

It is possible and thoroughly practicable to keep the poultry flock reasonably free from the lice and mites. Such practices should be the aim of every one

LAZY, FAT HENS LAY FEW EGGS; GOOD SUMMER CARE IS NEEDED

Executioner's Ax Should be Ready for Fowl with Sluggish Habits; Air, Sunshine and Shade, with Balanced Feed, Required During Sultry Season.

Hen obesity and hen languor are opposed to profitable poultry production because excessively fat hens, as well as languid, lazy hens, lay few eggs and devote their energies to storing up surplus avoirdupois instead of concentrating on the manufacture of an egg every other day. Hustle yourself, old lady hen, and do not develop ennui to the extent that you be-

sluggish, phlegmatic tendencies, or else you'll have to execute some clever dodging to escape the ax.

Early molting hens may lay well during the spring season, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture, but when the summer is on all its glory they slump and decline in production to the extent that it is extravagant to keep them longer in the flock. Good spring layers often are not good summer layers.

No hen should be sold while she continues to lay. Occasionally a hen that has become broody may again resume laying after a brief



come portly and ambitionless. Remember that all the consumers love a fat hen on the table while all the producers deplore too fat a hen in the flock. Hence, be forewarned and forearmed—doff your

period and continue profitable production throughout the summer. Generally speaking, all hens that begin to molt in June or July should be disposed of as soon as they stop laying, advise United

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Practical Poultry Pointers.

- Keep the hens confined to your own land.
- Don't KEEP a male bird. Hens lay just as well without a male.
- Don't overstock your land.
- Purchase well-matured pullets rather than hens.
- Don't expect great success in hatching and raising chicks unless you have had some experience and have a grass plot separate from the yard for the hens.
- Build a CHEAP house or shelter.
- Make the house dry and free from drafts, but allow for ventilation.
- Fowls stand COLD better than dampness.
- Keep house and yard clean.
- Provide roosts and dropping boards.
- Provide a nest for each four or five hens.
- Grow some green crop in the yard.
- Spade up the yard frequently.
- Feed table scraps and kitchen waste.
- Also feed grain once a day.
- Feed a dry mash.
- Keep HENS free from lice and the house free from mites.
- Kill and eat the hens in the fall when they begin to molt and cease to lay.
- Preserve the surplus eggs produced during the spring and summer for use during the fall and winter when eggs are scarce and high in price.

the brooder with a mixture before using. About once a week puffs of insect powder on the chicks when in the brooder will destroy any lice that may be on them.

CHICKS AND HOT WEATHER

In extremely hot weather special care is necessary to prevent chicks from being overheated by exposure to the sun, confinement where ventilation is bad, or overcrowding. The brooder should be under shelter, with good circulation of air around it, and the number of chicks should not be greater than it will accommodate comfortably under hot-weather conditions.

Skim milk, either sweet or sour, and buttermilk are especially valuable feeds in hot weather, making the diet lighter without reducing its nutritive value. The milk should be fed in a drinking fountain or in a dish covered with wire netting so that the chicks cannot get into it and become soiled with milk. The use of milk does not do away with the use of water, which should be given as usual.

Unless the premises where chicks are kept and all appliance used are known to be absolutely free from lice and mites, and it is certain that chicks have never been exposed to them, it is a wise precaution to paint or spray the

Market white-shelled and brown-shelled eggs in separate packages. Eggs irregular in shape those which are unusually long or thin-shelled, or which have shells otherwise defective, should be kept by the producer for home use, so that breakage in transit maybe reduced as much as possible

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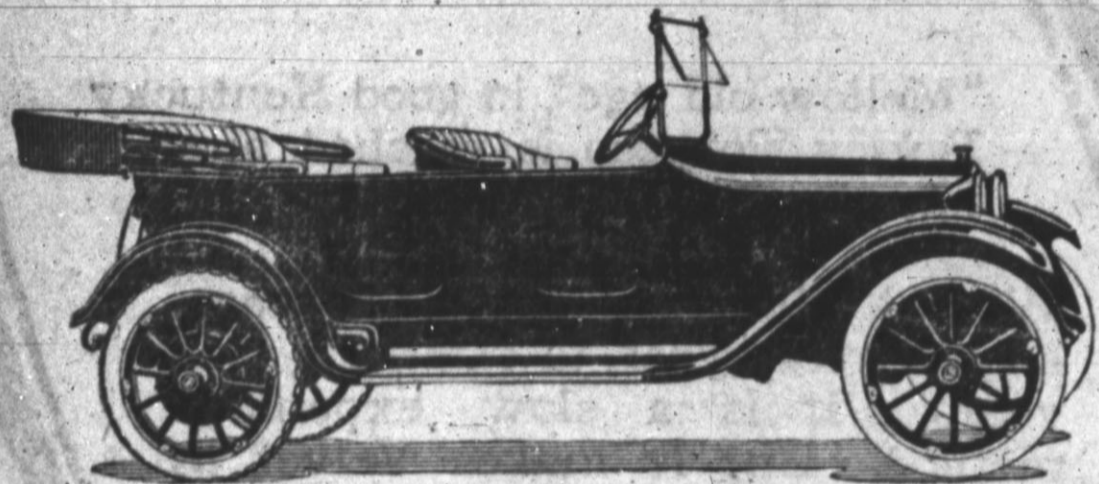
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\$300,000,000 MIGHT BE LOSS THIS YEAR FROM HOG CHOLERA

But Campaign to Control Swine's Worst Enemy Has Reduced Danger of Another 1913; Farmers Must Help if Malady is to be Eradicated.

Never was it so important for farmers to keep their hogs safe from their worst enemy—cholera—as it is this year, say specialists of the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. While the number of hogs lost through disease decreased from 4.5 per cent of the total in 1917 to 3.7 per cent in 1918, the value of the hogs actually increased. A 200-pound hog that was worth \$18 in January, 1917, was worth \$36 in January, 1918. Today a similar hog would sell for \$41. In 1913, the year the work to control hog cholera was begun by the Government, a 200-pounder was worth \$16.60. So it is evident that each succeeding year makes it more worth the farmer's while to take every precaution to prevent loss from disease in his swine herd.

One thing that made it possible for America to supply the Allies with meat was the fact that within the last few years the State and Federal authorities—and those working with them have learned

a good deal about handling hog cholera. If the old bug-bear of the swine industry had been permitted to put in such destructive blows in the last three or four years as it did in 1913 and 1914 there would have been many porkless days.

The fact that the war is over should lead no one to think that the fight against hog cholera can be slackened in the least. The ultimate object of the United States Department of Agriculture is absolute elimination of the disease from American farms. However, complete eradication can hardly be expected until all farmers join in the campaign.

Enormous Losses From Cholera. In the fiscal year ending March 31, 1914, over 6,000,000 hogs of all ages were lost through disease on American farms. These had a value of over \$67,000,000. In the year ending March 31, 1918, only 2,701,825 were lost; but these were worth \$52,535,315. So, though the number of hogs lost has been greatly decreased by the work of the disease-control agencies, the monetary loss is still enormous.

This loss has a direct bearing on the cost of living and at times has threatened the safety of a great industry. There are at present over

75,000,000 hogs in this country—the largest number ever recorded. Assuming that these animals will be marketed at an average weight of 200 pounds at the average market price for the year, this crop will return to the producers about \$3,000,000,000. If hog cholera should rage as it did in 1913, the loss would be near \$300,000,000.

Complete Eradication Probable. Without the efforts of Federal and State agents in the proper application of serum and improved methods of handling outbreaks of hog cholera, this loss would be entirely probable. With the support and cooperation of the local authorities, farmers and others, the complete eradication of hog cholera is within the bounds of probabilities. The saving of this enormous annual loss to the farmer would be reflected in the retail price of pork to the consumer.

LEARN ABOUT HOG CHOLERA BEFORE IT GETS IN YOUR HERD.

The United States Department of Agriculture and the State Agricultural Colleges have done a vast amount of work in learning how to prevent and control hog cholera. From these two sources you can get information on how to prevent this disease, and how to treat it once it gets started in your herd. Both agencies have published bulletins on this disease. You can have them for the asking. Your county agent and your local veterinarian can also advise you. Ask the United States Department of Agriculture for Farmers' Bulletin 834, Prevention and Treatment of Hog Cholera.

HOG CHOLERA DON'T'S
If Cholera Exists in your herd or your neighborhood—

1. Don't visit your neighbor.
2. Don't let your dog run at large.
3. Don't keep pigeons about.
4. Don't let your sick hogs get off the farm.
5. Don't let your neighbors' hogs hang around your pens.
6. Don't let your hogs run to streams nor on highways.
7. Don't buy straw or refuse from a neighbor whose hogs have cholera.
8. Don't allow any carcass to remain unburied.
9. Don't borrow or loan farm implements.

All cockerels not intended to be kept or sold for breeders should be marketed when they reach suitable size. Such birds confined in a home-made fattening battery or coop and fed a fattening ration for a week or ten days will not only increase in weight but bring a better price on the market, because of improved quality.

PROGRAM SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TEXAS EXPERIMENTAL ASSOCIATION.

During Twenty-Second Annual Meeting of the Texas Farmers Congress, College Station, Texas, July 17, 18 and 19, 1919.

OFFICERS.

Louis Wermelskirchen, College Station, President.
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A. S. Ware, College Station, Secretary-Treasurer.

A. B. Conner, College Station, Executive Committeeman to Farmers Congress.

Forenoon Session, July 18, 1919.
Called to order 8:30 a. m.

"Cooperative Fertilizer Experiments with Farmers, Dr. G. S. Fraps, Chief, Division of Chemistry, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, Texas 25 minutes.

"Experiments as to Cross and Close-pollination in Sorghums," (a) "Amounts of National Cross pollination and its Effects," R. E. Karper, Supt. Substation No. 3, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Lubbock; 15 minutes. (b) "Effect of Close-Pollination on Yield," A. B. Cron, Supt. Substation No. 12, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Chillicothe; 15 minutes.

"Conclusions from Experiments in Cross-Breeding Sheep at Substation No. 7, Spur," J. M. Jones, Chief Division of Animal Industry, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College Station; 25 minutes.

"Improving and Increasing the Rice Crop of Texas," H. H. Laude, Agronomist, Rice Investigations, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station; 25 minutes.

"Selection for Oil Content in Cotton Seed," Dr. E. P. Humbert, Chief, Division of Plant Breeding, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station; 25 minutes.

"Correlation of Head Characters and Yield in Grain Sorghums," A. B. Conner, Chief, Division of Agronomy, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College, College Station; 25 minutes.

Afternoon Session, July 18, 1919.
Called to order at 2:00 p. m.

"Experiments in Cultivating to Kill Weeds, versus Formation of a Dust Muleh," A. H. Leidigh, Agronomist in Soil Improvement, Agricultural Experiment Station, A. & M. College, College Station; 25 minutes.

Address: William A. Bowen, Editor and Publisher, The Farmers Fireside and Bulletin, Arlington; 25 minutes.
"Fertilizers for Cotton," Dr. J. O. Morgan, Professor of Agronomy, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station; 25 minutes.

"Pure Seed Production by Farmers."

(a) A. K. Short, Agronomist, Extension Service A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, 15 minutes.

(b) Harmon Benton, Agronomist, Extension Service A. & M. College of Texas, College Station; 15 minutes.

(c) C. O. Moser, County Agent, Dallas County, Farmers' Cooperative Demonstration Work, Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, Dallas; 15 minutes.

Business Meeting.
Adjournment.

EXTRACT FROM "FORDSON PEP"

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This farmer owns 35 horses and picked the very best horses from the bunch to go into the contest. Please note that Mr. Brehmer could not start to work in the morning until the 12 horses had been hitched, etc. During the noon hour too he was compelled to wait an hour and half until the horses could be fed and all the work that handling of horses involves was gone through with. Ordinarily he could have had his lunch, a little rest and been back on the job in 30 minutes.

Contests like this are of inestimable value and we urge all dealers to go into them every opportunity you have.

We also forgot to say that Mr. Brehmer sold the tractor.

U. S. Sheep Good Wool Producers.

An unusually good crop of wool was recently clipped from the experimental sheep on the United States Department of Agriculture's Morgan Horse Farm at Middleburg, Vt. Seventeen yearling registered Southdown rams sheared on an average of 8 3/4 pounds of wool each, and 22 yearling registered ewes of the same breed sheared on an average of 8 1/2 pounds each. This, the department sheep specialists say, is a good performance for this breed. About 200 sheep, 80 of which are pure breeds, are maintained on the Morgan Horse Farm for experimental purposes. G. M. Rommel and F. R. Marshall, of the Department of Agriculture, have gone to Du Bois, Idaho, to witness the shearing of 1,500 breeding ewes kept on the United States Sheep Experiment Station located there.

LODGE DIRECTORY



Hereford Lodge No. 549, A. F. & A. M. meets Saturday night on or before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

W. H. RAY, W. M.; J. S. Jones, Sec.

WOODMAN OF THE WORLD
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PARMER COUNTY

BOVINA

Earl Hawkins has been here on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hawkins.

Mrs. J. E. Patton from Itasca, is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. B. Y. Dickinson.

The town well apply tank has recently undergone some needed repairs.

Dobie Williams who has been in the Western states for the past several months has returned to Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hammett have moved to Missouri.

Home McDonald has recently returned from overseas service. He was in the Signal Corps, and spent several months in France.

O. Flate is here from Virginia, on a visit to F. W. Jersig and family.

A firm from Cleis, is putting up a grain elevator at Bovina to take care of the grain crops that are raised in this vicinity. This will make Bovina a more desirable business center, and will be quite a convenience to the farmers.

Fate Martin has been here from Portales, N. M.

The Bovina people were surprised to learn that Miss Minnie McGee of Bovina and Mark Wells of Friona, were united in marriage at Hereford Saturday of last week. Best wishes!

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hastings have been visiting the former's parents at Clareon.

J. P. McDonald was quite sick last week, but is better now.

Miss Eula McDonald has been relieved of her duty at the Post office by appointing Mrs. Ruffield as acting postmaster.

R. B. Ezell and O. F. Crowley were business pingers to Amarillo Monday.

Grandma She left last week to spend some time in Kansas City, Mo.

Quite a bunch of Bovina people attended the picnic meeting at Pleasant Hill, N. C., last Friday.

The Method revival which was held last winter in Bovina, closed Sunday night. The preaching was done by R. W. H. Terry of Hereford, assisted by Rev. J. J. McNeely, who recently returned from service overseas. Much good was done these services. Several have stated the fact of their intention of giving a new life and others rebuilt up in the faith. It was pleasing to us to have these memorials in our community.

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J. E. Crouch

JAMES CRIE MEETS HORRIBLE DEATH AT HURLEY, N. M., SAT.

The many friends of James G. Crie, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crie, of this city, will be pained to learn of his being severely scalded by falling in a vat of boiling water, at Hurley, New Mexico, last Saturday afternoon, from the effects of which he died late Sunday.

At the time of the accident, Jim, (as he was familiarly known) had supervision over a large number of men in the light plant of a large copper mining outfit near Hurley, and although the exact details of his death are not known at this writing, it is supposed that he accidentally fell into the tank in performing his duties about the plant.—Lynn Co. News.

THE STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

By Dr. C. W. Goodard, State Health Officer
(Paper read before the Texas State Medical Association at Waco, May 14th.)

In attempting to discuss this subject, it necessitates calling your attention to the several divisions or Bureaus connected with the Health Department.

When I assumed the duties of State Health Officer, January 21st of this year, the Health Department was composed of the following: Bureau of Vital Statistics, Bureau of Venereal Diseases, Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, Laboratory Department and Coastal and Border Quarantine. I de-

sire to say here that my appointment to the job of State Health Officer was not so much a political appointment as had been the case heretofore, but was largely due to the influence and good will of many of the leading doctors of the State Medical Association. This fact makes me doubly appreciate the honor which has been conferred upon me, and I take this opportunity to say that the Texas State Medical Association has the right to expect the good will and fullest co-operation of the State Health Department.

My predecessors in office by their arduous labors had built up a good basic organization, or in other words, a good foundation upon which a real Health Department. We at once began to study closely the conditions as they existed and to devise plans to develop this basic organization, and to extend our system to cover every phase of public health.

We began to coordinate the work of the several Bureaus one with the other, making each one assist the other in every way possible and at the same time avoid duplication.

After a careful analysis we found that only a small per cent of the people were being reached, and that the Health Department was so small when compared to the size of the State, and with the number of people to be reached by it that it was somewhat bewildering to even attempt to serve all the people.

The first thing taken into consideration was the facilities for disseminating from the office and to do this at a minimum expense. To accomplish this I found first that it was very necessary to get into communication with the people. With this idea in view, we began accumulating a mailing list to add to the good work already being done by Dr. H. C. Hall, Director of the Bureau of Venereal Diseases. We are now compiling from the birth certificates the name, age, race, occupation and address of the father of each new born baby, beginning this list with the birth certificates of January 1918, and when completed up to the present time we will have a list from this source alone of approximately 160,000 families. This list will be increased by approximately 12,000 per month. When this list is completed to date we will begin sending literature to the mothers of nearly every baby in the State teaching her how to protect the health of her baby and prevent disease in her family. With this literature we will send a questionnaire requesting her to furnish us with the names, ages and conditions of health of each member of her family and also the names and addresses of all expectant mothers who reside near her, explaining to her that the object of this request is to be able to send to these expectant mothers at the expense of the State wholesome literature which will be helpful to them, and at the same time all doctors will be circularized and requested to send us the addresses of all expectant mothers coming to their attention.

We estimate that this procedure will add to our mailing list more than 100,000 families. Under this system we will have accumulated a list of more than 300,000 families, and in less than one year we expect the list to reach one half million families, or more than 2,000,000 people.

Being able to directly communicate with such a large per cent of the people of this State furnishes us a basis for a system by which to conduct the work of each of the several Bureaus in the Health Department.

(Continued next week)

New Record in Tick Work.

If the cattle fever tick had any head for figures it would know that it is losing its fight to continue sucking millions of dollars' worth of blood each year from southern cattle. But it has no head for figures, and can not know that it might as well quit

now, and therefore must be exterminated. The cattle dippings in April of this year totaled 5,339,015—more than in any previous April, and 1,458,880 more than in April of 1918. The cattle were given baths in 30,100 vats—“cannals to prosperity”—compared with 24,379 that were available for use in April a year ago. Every time a cow or steer goes through a dipping vat the ticks on the animal are killed by the arsenical bath. The Federal and State tick fighters look upon the great amount of work done in April as an indication that 1919 will be the greatest year on record in the campaign to eradicate the insect enemy of the southern cattle industry.

Good Records by Southern Clubs.

Three hundred women and girls, enrolled in the canning clubs of Catawba County, N. C., canned 60,000 jars of fruits and vegetables last year. Of this amount 40,000 containers were kept for home use. Much canning and brining was also done by club members of this county.

A 14-year-old girl in a Brunswick County, Va., club cleared over \$100 on her summer's work in canning. She is saving her money to pay her way through school.

A club in Bradentown, Fla., canned 4,000 cans of vegetables in one month. A girl club member in the same county canned and sold during the season 1,800 cans of vegetables. She used her own brand and has a reputation for fine products. She pays her mother \$1.50 and her little sister \$1 a day for the time they spend assisting in the canning. Her profits have been most satisfactory. Another girl in Bradentown made \$150 from her garden plot and canned 700 cans of vegetables.

Last year was the first year of club work for a 12-year-old club girl of Bay Minette, Ala. Her tenth-acre garden was planted with tomatoes only. She sold \$60 worth, and her work totaled less than \$8.

Marie Collins is a club girl in Munt Pleasant, Tex., who has canned many hundreds of quarts of vegetables. She has found the local hotel a good patron. One sample of her snap beans obtained from the steward of another hotel an order for 300 cans of beans.

The garden and canning clubs organized by the Department of Agriculture and the State colleges enable women and girls to provide plenty of canned fruit and vegetables for the home table and also are a means for making money.

The Golden Rule

Produce and Confectionery

Bring us your poultry, eggs, cream, butterfat, produce. We pay highest market prices.

Candies, fruits, confections of every nature.

E. K. Crouch

Between Fox Mercantile and Tubbs Shoe Shop.

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Are you going to build a House or repair your old one? Are you going to build a Barn or Garage or a wind brake or protection of any kind for your cattle next winter? Now is the time to begin to prepare to meet the unexpected—that does happen.

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We believe you should carry
as much insurance as you think
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Come in and see our new plans showing our combination granary and cake house. We have a complete line of wheat barge material on hand. Is your barge for service?

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Our Policy to get what you want when you want it. We always have it some place.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Cecil Gilliland, Local Editor.

Phone her your visits and visitors. No. 30 during business hours.
All items appreciated.

We can save you money on anything. Skelton.

Roscoe Stubbs was an Amarillo visitor Saturday of last week.

Geo. Blakemore of Amarillo was a Hereford visitor last Sunday.

Nestor Gass made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Planes sold with small cash payments, balance on terms to suit you. Buy while the old stock lasts.
10-4* E. B. BLACK CO.

We have some fresh skinned hams, get one and some Oyster cocktail sauce.
Hereford Produce Co.

"Wanted 100 Red Blooded American Boys Sunday night at The Christian church, "to talk Boy Scout."

Mrs. T. D. Gee, of Estelline, Texas, is visiting friends in Hereford.

John P. Slaton left Monday for a few days business trip to Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. P. Wilson left Monday for a few months visit in Hot Springs, New Mexico.

We handle glass for auto windshields, and headlights, in fact any kind of glass. Skelton.

Try a can of cooked hog brains Hereford Produce Co.

Al Miller returned Wednesday from a business trip to Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. John Estes returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in east Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker went to Amarillo Thursday for a visit with relatives there.

Our line of cooking utensils is complete. Skelton.

BROOD SOWS AND DAIRY COWS! Singer sewing machines at reasonable prices on easy terms.
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We want your chickens, eggs, poultry and cream will pay the highest prices. Come get the cash. Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. G. W. Ross left Monday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, for a several weeks stay.

Mrs. Joe Cinquemani, of Waco, Texas, arrived Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mira Parks.

Mrs. Henry Tandy returned to her home in Amarillo Monday after a visit with her friend Mrs. C. H. Dyar.

A good line of childrens hose at Skelton's.

BASKIN LAND COMPANY Hereford, Texas. Resources \$25,000.00. In Hereford since 1906. Best equipped land office in N. W. Texas. Write us if you want to buy or sell anything in the Panhandle.
32-4*

MAGNOLIA SAFETY OIL A nice, clear, white kerosene. Phone 371.

Miss Laura Kibbe left Wednesday for Canyon, Texas, where she will attend the summer Normal school.

Mrs. W. F. West and son, Jack, left Tuesday for Sedalia, Mo., for a visit with Mrs. West's father T. A. White.

Miss Lillian Bennett has accepted a position with The Gass Dry Goods store and started working Monday.

Mrs. Tubb will present her expression pupils in a recital at the Central School building Friday June 14th.

The play "The Sniggles Family" will be greatly enjoyed. Also the many solos, readings and pantomimes.

The program is being given for benefit of the B. Y. P. U.

"Wanted 100 Red Blooded American Boys Sunday night at The Christian church, "to talk Boy Scout."

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Boykin, of Miles, Texas, left Wednesday after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Palmer.

Miss Anna Lou Estes returned to her home in Clyde, Texas, Thursday after a short visit with relatives here.

OSTEOPATHIC TREATMENT

Half Price \$1.00

For the next 30 days will give treatments at my residence office Residence of English property northeast of County Jail house number 407.

For appointment phone number 117.
19-4-pd Dr. Harman Pirtle.

Just received a shipment of fresh baked marshmallows, get them while they last.
Hereford Produce Co.

Ira Bacon, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Company of New York and New Orleans, spent Wednesday in Hereford.

Mrs. A. A. Davidson, who has been spending the winter with relatives in Memphis, Texas, arrived home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook left Monday to attend the Methodist Conference which is to be held at Floydada, Texas.

C. H. Carl and daughter, Miss Rosa May left Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Carl's father, J. F. Carl, of Montpelier, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Well built home of seven rooms in North Hereford. Out buildings, fruit and shade trees. Part cash, easy terms on balance.
16-4* H. L. RICE.

MAGNOLIA SAFETY OIL A nice, clear, white kerosene. Phone 371.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Noffsher left Tuesday for Melrose, New Mexico, where they expect to make their home in the future.

Mrs. S. M. Hooper of Plainview, mother of D. L. Hooper of the Burns Drug store, arrived in Hereford Thursday afternoon on a visit with her son and his family.

W. E. HICKS

Brand: O Right Shoulder

Dealer in Hereford Cattle Hereford, Texas

Pathephone is a machine with merit. We sell them at special prices and give you terms to suit.
10-4* E. B. BLACK CO.

Chas. Williams went to Amarillo Monday to meet his mother and sister who are just returning from a visit with relatives in Oklahoma City.

Miss Annie Price went to Amarillo Saturday to meet her sister, Miss Bernadine, who has been attending school in Ft. Worth, Texas.

"Wanted 100 Red Blooded American Boys Sunday night at The Christian church, "to talk Boy Scout."

Our stock of window glass is always complete. Skelton.

Mrs. Chas. May and children left Wednesday for their home in Wellington, Texas, after a visit with Mrs. May's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fry.

Miss Ona Hammer left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Southern Arkansas. Her mother, Mrs. J. B. Hammer accompanied her to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rainer left Thursday for Detroit, Mich., where they will make their home. Mr. Rainer returned only a few weeks ago from France.

We have received another shipment of fresh cookies at prices less than you can bake them.
Hereford Produce Co.

We will buy your Vendor's lien notes.
11-4* Baskin Abstract & Title Co.

Mrs. J. W. Williams and children who have been visiting Mrs. William's daughter, Mrs. Grover Sanders, returned to their home in Bovina, Texas, Wednesday.

"We know what we are, but we know not what we may become," except in our particular. We may all become regular wealthy patrons of the Hereford Steam Laundry.

Let me replace your broken windshields. I have handled glass for twelve years. C. A. Skelton

It is not safe to buy eggs unless they have been candled. We will guarantee every egg that we sell because they are all candled just before they leave our store.
Hereford Produce Co.

Grady Hodge, who has just received his discharge returned home Thursday. Mr. Hodge is one of the Deaf Smith county boys who was wounded while in action in France.

Where Do We Go From Here?

Get a Cold Drink
It's a Cool Place, and the Drinks are Good at

The Corner Drug Store

Phone 105 Hereford, Texas

"We Listen to Your Auto Horn Too"

Buy your wall paper at Skelton's. You will certainly save money.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith and daughter, Miss Grace, went to Amarillo Tuesday to meet Mrs. Smith's brother T. J. Coffet, of McLean, Texas. Mr. Smith will go to Wichita Falls for a few weeks.

Miss Hoover, representing Chas. F. Horner of Kansas City, was in Hereford Friday investigating the possibility of furnishing us with a line of high-class plays the coming winter.

Mrs. W. R. Steckman, wife of W. R. Steckman of The Brand, and daughter, Miss Maurine, arrived in Hereford Sunday from Tucumcari, N. M. They will set up housekeeping as soon as their household belongings arrive. Another daughter, Miss Vivian, will remain in Tucumcari for the present.

SCOUTS ARE INSPIRED

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England with General Baden Powell at the close of the Boer war. He told of the organization's being chartered by congress, and of the scouts being authorized by congress to wear a uniform very similar to the one worn by men of the United States army, a privilege forbidden to any person other than a scout. As a testimonial of its national recognition he spoke of its honorary officers, Woodrow Wilson, William H. Taft, Theodore Roosevelt, and Daniel Carter Beard. He stressed the value of its training in patriotism by its teaching a sincere res-

pect for the flag, and of the worth of its principle of reverence toward God and respect for the religious convictions of others.

As an impressive climax the speaker asked "Where are the other boys of Hereford," and drove home the hearts of the men and women present their responsibility for the welfare of the boys of the town.

At the close Mr. Seaman's address, Mr. Skelton, Hereford's well known friend of boys and competent a faithful leader of the scouts, like a few earnest words in behalf of the local work and asked the cooperation of the fathers and others of the boys, and of the citizenship of the town. As a fitting prelude to the program Mr. D. L. Donald, after tending in behalf of the Commercial club, the inst and support of that body, presided the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" as a symbol of the patriotism that is a cardinal principle not only of the scouts but every true American as well.

While it is to be regretted that so few are privileged to attend this meeting those interested in the movement feel that it nevertheless accomplished great good in that it put the organization in its true light before a representative number of Hereford people and that with the new interest which has been awakened that work of the Hereford Boy Scouts will become what it seeks to be—a vital force in the build of character and manhood.

Cold's Cough and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMINE Tablets remove the cause. There is one "Bromo Tablets."
E. W. GROVES are on hand. 20.

Cooperation

Say what you may—but in the end you will see that cooperation is the only means to SUCCESS you will find. This has been our theory for many years. If you will look about you, it will not take you but a very short time to observe this as a fact.

By your splendid cooperation with us in our business we have been able to keep a full and complete stock of good merchandise in all departments of our store, ready for your inspection at all times, and by this well-arranged plan we have been able to supply your every want in a most agreeable way. So you see you get just the goods you want from us at the most reasonable price, consistent with quality.

Bedroom Furniture

We have several extra good values in this line, that will meet your ready approval:
\$95.00 Suite, Special for..... \$ 79.85
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Dining and Livingroom Furniture

We think much of what we have to offer in these departments, for quality sits in every piece. A small profit will satisfy us:
\$200.00 Suite will go, Special..... \$169.75
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Many others to offer

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You spend a third of your life in bed. Had it ever occurred to you that your success in life depends largely upon what kind of bed you sleep upon? Then let us supply you with the right kind of a bed complete:

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