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DE TO HAVE FAIR THIS FALL

Chamber of Commerce Holds Reg-
Monthly Meeting, Com-
mittees Appointed.

Chamber of Commerce holds its reg-
monthly meeting Tuesday, June 24th, had
attended and enthusiastic

decided to have a fair this
the purpose of selecting
bit of farm products to be
the Dallas fair. Mr. Ed-
en, Mr. Frank Finch, Mr.
al and Mr. L. M. Thomp-
appointed a committee
the date for the local meet-
work out details.

roads Chairman, Henry
announced the following
ee on roads: Ed Thomp-
ank Finch, Jack Owens
n Sarpe; Mr. Mitchell
erman. A special commit-
assist Commissioner Mc-
with reference to the Mem-
win road was appointed
eg of W. W. Clower, Frank
Edgar Even, W. P. Dial,
Mitchell, and L. M. Thomp-

committee to work out the
and management of the
w Cemetery consists of
McIntosh, Sam Harrison
B. Morgan.

secretary was authorized to
such publications as would
value to the Chamber of
ree work, such publica-
be kept at the Chamber
merce office for the benefit
public.

preparation of statistics
reference to local interests
secretary was requested
ir publication from time to
the local papers were ask-

Chamber of Commerce
s growing in a most satis-
y way and it is felt that
rk can be of a most prac-
d far reaching benefit to
man in the county. It is
that everyone who has any
ion or need for informa-
out the material progress
county, come to the office
o or to be helped. There
n a most general response
he citizens of Memphis to
ork and the organization
y perhaps the largest num-
contributing members that
ork has been secured in the
Members from the country
ar-by towns are coming in

The office has prepared
unique certificate of mem-
to be given to every mem-
l has received very favor-
omments on this feature
outside sources. The one
eeded now for a helpful
of the organization is that
citizens shall catch step on
m along every line, and
matter up to every one
C. If the office can see
ny way, let it be know-

BREEK OIL CO.

LL LOCATE THEIR
ENTRAL OFFICE HERE

Preparatory to Drill Near
ley Will Open Central
Office in Memphis

C. D. Akers and A. C.
of the Buck Creek Oil Com-
ere here yesterday making
ments to open a central
r conducting their devel-
leasing business.

Akers said that the com-
uld continue to maintain
Clarendon and Hedley
the main office would be
here because nearer the
of oil business activity in
on.

ted that the machinery
the way here from Tulsa,
a, and would be placed
few days.

nd Mrs. J. E. Montgomery
daughter Mary Lucy
ie Murrell White left
for Roswell, New Mexi-
relatives.

COTTON CERTIFICATES SHOULD BE MADE COMMERCIAL PAPER

N. A. Shaw Claims Farmers Not
Fully Protected Under
Corporation Plan

Enactment of an amendment to
the Federal statute, creating the
Federal reserve banking system,
by which warehouse certificates
would be recognized as commercial
paper by Federal Reserve Banks,
was advocated in an interview by
N. A. Shaw of Texarkana, who
was in Dallas yesterday. While
favoring the Cotton Export Cor-
poration in so far as it made a
foreign market, Mr. Shaw claimed
that it was not complete in
affording the farmers of the South
the protection needed by them in
handling their cotton.

"As I take it," he said, "the
Cotton Export Corporation will
find a foreign market for cotton.
I can not see, though, how it will
be helpful to the growers of cot-
ton save by reflection or indirectly.
It is known that this country was
in a continual panicky monetary
situation, stumbling along in the
dark, for fifty years, until a little
Federal statute of four lines, cre-
ating the Federal Reserve Bank,
made money panics impossible.

This was so for the reason that
the law provided that if the Feder-
al Reserve Banks hadn't money
enough to carry commercial paper
the Government would be called
upon to assist by appropriating
any money out of the Treasury,
not otherwise dedicated, to carry
the paper through the Federal Re-
serve Banks for the member banks.
In this way was created an elastic
currency meeting the needs of the
times.

"Just as simple a law as the
Federal reserve law, making cot-
ton warehouse certificates com-
mercial paper by Federal enact-
ment would relieve the South of
cotton panics.

"Holding cotton is not wisdom
when conditions are normal, nor
should the Government be called
upon to finance the cotton crop of
the South under normal condi-
tions. But it would be proper in
times of violent fluctuation,
brought on for instance by man-
ipulation of the market by 'bears,'
or by concerted agreement of
mills, when without reason cotton
prices are run down to a ruinous
level. In such times as in 1914
or in October of last year, when
there was a slump of \$50 a bale
in the cotton market, known as
the Baruchian slump, the Govern-
ment, through its Federal Reserve
Banks, could step in and perform
a valuable service. I refer to the
use of money, not otherwise ap-
propriated, in taking cotton ware-
house certificates as commercial
paper and carrying them through
the panic just the same as is done
by Federal Reserve Banks in the
case of other commercial paper
during a money panic.

"The foreign export corpora-
tion seeks to create a great for-
eign export bank. This is proper
as far as it goes. But it does not
tend to create more money, the
sine qua non of the whole propo-
sition being that the volume of
money in the South is not suffi-
cient to carry on the normal busi-
ness of the South and at the
same time make possible the pur-
chase of 14,000,000 or 16,000,000
bales of cotton during the three
months of fall.

"To create a warehouse bank
to carry warehouse certificates at
the same discount members of the
Federal Reserve Bank carry other
paper would relieve the situation
in times of distress. All manner
of foreign banks may be formed,
but until it is evolved some bank-
ing scheme that will assist the small
farmer raising from three to five
bales of cotton there will not be
reached a situation to relieve the
South from its helpless predicam-
ent. Problems of the South in
regard to cotton would be more
nearly solved if warehouse certifi-
cates were made commercial paper,
when indorsed by warehouse
managers, to be accepted from
(Continued on page four)

WARLICK-DODSON RELIGIOUS DEBATE

Prominent Ministers of Christian
and Methodist Denominations
To Debate at Turkey

Through Rev. B. W. Dodson, of
Harrison, Arkansas, comes the an-
nouncement that a religious dis-
cussion, between Elder Joe War-
lick, of the Church of Christ and
Elder B. W. Dodson, of the Meth-
odist church will be held at Tur-
key in July. The discussion will
begin at 10:00 a. m. July 17 and
continue six days.

Rev. Dodson was for a number
of years pastor of the Methodist
church here, and until recently was
presiding elder in the Hamlin
district. He is well known in this
section of the State as a
learned man and as a strong de-
bater.

Elder Warlick is even more
widely known as a debater; hav-
ing been prominent as a militant
defender of the faith as construed
by the organization he represents,
for a quarter of a century.

Both representatives in the dis-
cussion have many adherents,
and not a few personal admirers,
in this immediate section and
there is no doubt but that the de-
bate will attract much interest
and draw large audiences.

CONTRACT CLOSED FOR NEW WELL AT CAREY

The Panhandle Producers Oil
Company has closed a contract
for a new well near the Weddington
well east of Carey in Childress
county.

Two oil sands were found, it is
said, in the Weddington well but
the hole is in such shape hat prop-
er development is doubtful.

The new derrick will be erected
within a few hundred feet of the
old well.

Mrs. N. Connally and daughter,
Miss Edith, left Monday for San
Francisco, California, to be gone
several weeks.

Ed Clifton Dead

Ed Clifton, a well-known citi-
zen of Estelline and Hall county,
died Sunday at the Baptist Sanit-
arium at Dallas.

The body was buried at the Es-
telline cemetery Monday.

Mr. Clifton had operated gins
at Newlin Estelline and Carey
and had a wide acquaintance
throughout this section. He was
a Mason and the funeral was con-
ducted under the auspices of that
order, many members from here
and other nearby towns attending
the funeral.

FEDERATION RECITAL AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The City Federation will pre-
sent in recital Miss Ruth Roberts
reader, and Miss Ethelyn Morgan
soloist, with Miss Arnold accom-
panist, at the Presbyterian Church
Thursday evening July 3, at 8:45.
Admission 35c and 50c.

TEXAS HOUSE VOTES TO RATIFY SUFFRAGE

Vote Is 96 to 20 After Federal
Amendment Is Condemned
In Three Hours' Debate

Austin, Texas, June 24.—The
House this afternoon voted to rat-
ify the Federal woman's suffrage
amendment, 96 to 20, after three
hours of discussion. The fight
against ratification was made
mainly on the ground of the pre-
servation of the principle of
State's rights. Two efforts to
substitute for the original resolu-
tions which would refer the mat-
ter to a vote of the people before
the Legislature acted failed when
they were both tabled on motion
of Barry Miller of Dallas. The
resolution was engrossed by a
vote of 96 to 21 and there was no
change on final passage except
that D. P. Walker of Newton
County, who voted against en-
grossment, was present and not
voting on final passage.

Lieut. Linton Estes came in
Sunday afternoon from Fort Bliss
Lieut. Estes is recruiting for the
regular army to be stationed on
the border. He was accompanied
by Sergeants Smith, Ulmer, Allen
and Potter.

ELECTION CALLED IN 29TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Austin, Texas, June 23.—Gov-
ernor Hobby issued a proclama-
tion today calling a special elec-
tion in the Twenty-Ninth Senator-
ial District for July 14 to fill the
vacancy caused by the death of
Senator W. S. Bell, who was shot
and killed at Crowell, Foard Coun-
ty, Saturday night. Under the
election laws, where a vacancy
occurs in either branch of the
Legislature during a session or
within ten days prior to the con-
vening of a session notice of only
twenty days of a special election
to fill the vacancy is necessary.

There are forty-nine counties in
the Twenty-Ninth District.

Bledsoe for State Senate

Austin, Texas, July 24.—So far
as is known here W. H. Bledsoe,
member of the House, will be
without opposition in his cam-
paign for Senator from the Twen-
ty-Ninth District, to fill the va-
cancy caused by the death of
Senator W. S. Bell. W. D. Cpoce,
former member of the House, now
Assistant General, said today he
had decided to withdraw. Several
others who had announced or
were expected to announce are
also out of the race.

RIGHT TO OWN LIQUOR UPHELD BY COMMITTEE

Washington, June 24.—A man's
right to store liquor in his home
for the long dry period after July
1 stood up today against an attack
on that provision of the prohibi-
tion enforcement bill before the
House Judiciary Committee.

WATCH HIM GROW



Here is a "baby" who will make you no trouble—one who takes extra-
ordinary food. Take half habits of Thrift and half Savings. Put in Thrift
Stamps and FEED REGULARLY. Then just watch W. S. S. grow. You'll
See him a wonderful joy.
Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

NEW STATE NEWS AFFECTING MOTOR VEHICLES IN FORCE

Employment of Special Officer In
Each County Authorized
By New Law

Austin, Texas, June 21.—Sev-
eral State laws affecting motor
vehicles went into effect during
the last week.

Section 1 of Senate bill No. 229,
which became effective June 16,
1919, reads as follows:

"Section 1. To insure the ade-
quate enforcement of the traffic
laws of this State, and especially
the laws regulating the use of
motor vehicles and motorcycles
on the public highways, continued
in acts of the Thirty-Fifth Legis-
lature, creating the Highways
Commission, and also the acts
regulating the use of the public
highways by motor vehicles and
all other laws amendatory thereof
or supplementary thereto, now or
hereafter enacted, the right is
hereby conferred on the Commis-
sioners' Court of each county to
employ one or more special De-
puty Sheriffs for that purpose, who
shall be whenever practicable,
motorcycle riders, and shall be
assigned to work under the direc-
tion of the Sheriff of the county."

Senate bill No. 206, which be-
came a law June 16 1919, prohib-
its the use of a "glaring" auto-
mobile headlight, which is defined
to be one so bright as to "seriously
interfere with the vision of or
temporarily blind the sight of a
driver of a vehicle approaching
from the opposite direction."

Full Stop Required.
Senate bill No. 206 also con-
tains a provision requiring motor
vehicles to come to a full stop
before attempting to pass rail
road trains, interurban cars or
street cars, stopped for the pur-
pose of receiving or discharging
passengers.

Theft of Automobiles.
House bill No. 417 went into
effect June 16. This bill is de-
signed to prevent the theft of
automobiles, by making it impos-
sible for a thief to dispose of a
stolen car without being detected.

It prohibits the transfer of a
secondhand automobile that has
not been registered. It requires
that a license receipt correctly
describing the car to be sold, be
indorsed and delivered to the
purchaser at the time the car is
transferred. It also requires the
delivery to the purchaser of a
bill of sale in duplicate.

The full text of the bill is as
follows:

House Bill No. 417.
Be it enacted by the Legisla-
ture of the State of Texas:

Section 1. From and after the
taking effect of this act it shall
be unlawful for any persons in
this State to have or retain in his
or their possession, or sell or offer
to sell any motor vehicle from
which the engine number has been
removed, or obliterated. Every
such owner of a motor vehicle
from which the engine number
has been removed, erased, or de-
stroyed in any manner, before
using the same upon the public
highways of this State, or selling
or offering for sale any such
motor vehicle, shall make applica-
tion to the Highway Commission
for an engine number, and the
number assigned by the Highway
Commission shall be stamped with
a steel die on the engine of such
motor vehicle.

Sec. 2. The State Highway Com-
mission shall cause to be kept in
the State Highway Department a
separate register in which shall
be recorded the engine numbers
assigned to owners of motor ve-
hicles, from which the original
engine number has been removed,
erased or destroyed in any man-
ner, and before assigning any
such number the commission shall
require the filing of an application
for same, attested by oath of the
applicant, that he is the owner of
such motor vehicle, and such
record shall disclose the name and
address of the owner; the trade
name and model of the motor ve-
hicle; the year manufactured and
(Continued on last page)

SENATOR W. S. BELL KILLED AT CROWELL

Young Bell and Mrs. Jim Gafford
Wounded. Three Arrests
Are Made

The following account of the
killing of State Senator W. S.
Bell is quoted from the Childress
Index:

"A year ago a son of Senator
Bell married a daughter of Jim
Gafford. The young people were
only 17-years old. After living
together for about 6-months the
young wife died rather suddenly.
The Gaffords thought she had
been poisoned although the fact
was never established.

"The death of the young wife
created a feeling between the
families, perhaps more so on the
part of the Gaffords. Saturday
night Senator Bell and family
were at the airdrome picture show.
His brother Jim was with him.
Mrs. Bell and a lady from Quanah
were seated in their automobile
at the edge of the sidewalk. When
Senator Bell and his brother and
two sons came from the picture
show Mrs. Gafford attempted to
shoot young Bell. The pistol mis-
fired and Senator Bell struck the
woman over the head with a pistol
perhaps with the thought of only
preventing her from killing his
son. About this time other shots
rang out. Gafford has a young
son. When the shooting ended
Senator Bell was in a dying con-
dition. Buck shot had torn his
teeth out and the top of his head
was ripped open with shot. He
lingered four hours before death
claimed him.

"Young Bell was shot through
the leg the bullet breaking the
bone. It is thought that Senator
Bell accidentally shot his son, Jim
Gafford was downed by a bullet
through the groin. His condition
is serious.

"The Gaffords are prominent
people and have resided in Foard
county for many years. They
own a large farm and the farm
home is in a mile of the business
section of Crowell."

Subsequent reports say that
Mr. and Mrs. Gafford and their
son, 20 years of age, have been
placed under arrest.

PROFESSIONAL PHOTO- GRAPHERS FROM TRI- STATE ASSOCIATION

Mr. W. D. Orr returned last
week from Dallas where he attend-
ed a meeting of the Professional
Photographers Association.

Mr. Orr reported that a new or-
ganization including the profes-
sional photographers of Texas,
Oklahoma and Louisiana was form-
ed at the Dallas meeting.

Mr. Orr, who has long served
as an officer of the Texas organi-
zation was elected vice-president
of the new association.

DESERTS HIS COMPANY GOES OVER THE TOP WITHOUT A GUN

Memphis Boy Charges Huns Em-
pty Handed. Fought
Eleven Days

A story illustrating the fighting
enthusiasm and heroic spirit of
the young Americans who won the
war is told by comrades of Bryan
Reynolds a Memphis youth who
was among the first volunteers
from Memphis.

Reynolds left here with the
Clarendon company but was after-
wards transferred to a machine gun
company in the 36th. Learning
that his company would not be
with the division when the first
attack was made he deserted and
went with his old company when
it went over the top on October 8.
He had no arms but secured a
knife when he left the trench.
He soon found a gun and other
arms and remained with the at-
tacking force throughout the elev-
en days they were fighting, re-
turning to the machine gun com-
pany after the engagement.

Local and Personal News

Short News Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General and Special Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

Albert Read went to Amarillo Monday.

Frank Decker was at Clarendon Sunday.

A.C. Hendricks was at Wellington Monday.

Miss Ethel Forest of Quail was here Sunday.

Coleman White was at Wichita Falls Monday.

J. A. Johnston of Estelline was here Tuesday.

Ewell Grundy of Estelline was here Tuesday.

Howard Wrenn was here from Childress Sunday.

G. W. Bagwell came in from Palistine Monday.

Rube Prater was here from Wheeler Saturday.

Joe Billy Randle was here today from Estelline.

Dr. F. B. Erwin returned from Shamrock yesterday.

Joe Parker Glenn of Wellington is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Whitacre of Newlin were here Tuesday.

Mrs. Aline Griddle was at Clarendon Sunday and Monday.

Roy Munn of Goodnight is here visiting his sister, Miss Lelia.

Miss Mary Jones left Wednesday for here home at Goodlett.

R. L. Slaton and Courtney Denny were at Amarillo Monday evening.

Raymond Ballew and Howard Randall were in Clarendon Sunday.

Brent Gillenwater is here from Tulsa Oklahoma, visiting relatives.

Mdms V. V. Clark and H. W. Mitchell of Estelline were here Tuesday.

T. A. Singer was in Paducah this week attending to business matters.

Miss Addie Sue Cummings is visiting relatives in Wichita Falls this week.

Miss Doris Tomlinson returned this week from Martha Washington College.

Hill Cummings and wife were here from Wichita Falls Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene and children left Monday for Colorado Springs, Colo.

For Rent—Five-room cottage on corner of 10th and Brice streets. Phone 387.

J. Y. Hendricks and C. R. Singer returned from Cold Springs, Oklahoma, Monday.

See Bryant Washburn in "The Way of a Man With a Maid" at the Princess Saturday.

Mrs. Snow and daughter, Miss Lillie left Wednesday for Dublin for a visit with relatives.

For Sale—Good seven-room house, in north-west part of town. See or phone L. D. Pierce.

Misses Bess and Lillian Norwood and Marie Cole came in from Hedley Monday to visit friends.

Floyd Snow came in this week from Fort Riley where he received his discharge from the army.

Clifton Grundy, who has received his discharge from the army was here from Estelline today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stegall of Childress spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Montgomery.

Dr. John Cross came in Saturday from Chicago to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross.

"Ide" shirts fit like they were made for you—prices \$2.00 to \$8. Ross Tailoring Co., South Side

James Brice returned to Burk-burnett Monday after a short visit with his mother Mrs. Beulah Brice

O. T. Ball and family and W. D. DeBerry and family left Tuesday on a fishing trip near Quanah

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Stroud and daughter, Miss Beulah, returned from Altus, Oklahoma, Wednesday.

George and Lindsey Taylor, Cleo Andis and Slim Parsons of Clarendon were here Friday evening.

Tuesday at the Princess, "Her Man" featuring Elaine Hammerstein also a Big V comedy, "Boobs and Bumps."

Friday at the Princess "Cheating Cheaters" with Clara Kimball Young, also "The Man of Might" Episode No. 7.

Leon Montgomery and family were here Sunday from Henry Franks' ranch and spent the day with relatives.

Lost—June 11, between Memphis and Lakeview, a ladies' hat in paper sack. Finder please return to this office. 1-1-*

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Alexander came in Sunday from Camp Bowie, where Mr. Alexander was discharged from the army.

Henry Powell, who recently returned from overseas and received his discharge from Camp Bowie, came home Tuesday morning.

Tom Wilson came in Tuesday morning from Camp Bowie, having been discharged from that place. He was with the 90th Division.

Mr. James Burriss and Miss Edna Miner, of the Lodge community were married at the court house by Judge McIntish this morning.

Today at the Princess "The Vanity Pool" with Mary MacLaren, also a comedy, "A Sammy in Siberia" with Harold Lloyd and Bebe Daniels.

Several cars of material for the Hollifield test-well south of town have been unloaded this week and it is understood that work there will begin immediately.

The name of Jim Martindale was inadvertently omitted from the list of soldiers of the 36th who had returned home last week. A number of others whose names we did not get have come in this week.

J. H. Brumley was here from Newlin Saturday. He said that the wheat in that neighborhood had all been harvested and that a local man had bought a threshing machine which would take care of the crop. He thought the yield would be good but perhaps not so heavy as many thought.

T. N. Baker of Lodge was in town Tuesday. He said that most of the small graff in that neighborhood had been cut and that harvesting would probably be completed this week. He said that the yield would be much less than anticipated a few weeks ago, the crop having deteriorated because of too much rain.

Cheap money to loan on Farms and Ranches. Vendor's lien notes bought and extended. If you are interested it will pay you to see us. GBUNDY BROS.

I have opened a shoe shop opposite Slaton, Miller Hdwe Store. Have a first class workman and will do your repair work at moderate prices. E. CHRISTENSON.

Buy an "Ide" shirt—the kind that fit and wear well—prices \$1.50 to \$8.00. Ross Tailoring Co., North side square.

It's so handy—drop in and let us press your suit while you wait. Phone 38. Ross Tailoring Co.

Loans, any size, larger the better. Long time low interest. T. B. NORWOOD

If you want to borrow money, see or write, T. B. Norwood.

Cemetery Cleaned-Up Tuesday

A large crowd responded to the call for work at Fairview cemetery Tuesday and a satisfactory amount of work was done.

Secretary Morgan requests that those owning lots who did not have the weeds cut Tuesday have this work done without delay as it is desired to have the work completed at once.

W. H. Hamilton Dies Suddenly

Word was received here this morning of the sudden death of W. H. Hamilton at Estelline yesterday evening.

Mr. Hamilton died from hemorrhage of the brain. He was up and well as usual Monday.

Terse But True

The soldier hero of a small town had arrived home with his military honors upon him, and the reporter of the local paper was told to get a full story for the first page of the edition.

"Better get several columns," said the editor. So the reporter armed with a pencil, called upon the hero and asked for the history of his experience.

"Well," said the soldier, "first we stood and shivered in the wet. Then we went over the top. There was a hell of a noise, and I heard the nurse say, 'Drink this please.'"

Those Guilty Consciences

The reverend gentleman had for a long while been worrying how to meet the parish expenses. As he sat musing in front of the parsonage lamp in the early hours of the morning a bright scheme flashed through his mind.

The next Sunday morning after mounting the pulpit he gave out the following notice:

"Dear brethren, it grieves me much to tell you of the horrible thing that has occurred in this parish. Some one has stolen a fowl from the yard of one of our esteemed parishioners.

"To prove that I am not the receiver of ill-gotten goods, will the thief refrain from putting anything into the plate?"

The subsequent collection more than covered all the expenses.

There is enough salt in the oceans to cover United States to a depth of 8,500 feet.

Driven by an aerial propeller, a French automobile has made a speed of more than fifty miles an hour over the Sahara Desert sands.

New Jersey assembly has passed a bill compelling applicants for marriage license to submit to medical examination.

Germany's national assembly rejected a bill proposing the introduction of daylight saving, though a saving of 250,000 tons of coal was officially estimated.

THE MOTHERLY SALVATIONIST

Under the above caption the Literary Digest gives another magnificent article on the work of the Salvation Army in France. The opening paragraph of this article is as follows:

"The American soldiers in France take off their hats to the Salvation Army. And the salute includes the 'doughnuts and pie' that the Army provides in exchange for francs or for thanks, just as the 'emigre' soldier happens to be provided. A correspondent of the New York Times declares that 'when the memoirs of this war come to be written the doughnuts and apple pies of the Salvation Army are going to take their place in history.' It is explained that while the Salvation Army has no funds of millions back of it, it has the good sense of some motherly women and kindly men who discovered the homely way to the hearts of the doughbore."

So-called Chinese rice paper is made from the pith of a Formosan

Two and two make five—when it's W. S. S. drawing interest.

Palm Beach Suits \$8.00 to \$11.00 Ross Tailoring Company.

Doing business with us is like making love to a widow you can't over-do it! Barber's Sheet-Metal Works.

If you can't possibly buy a Liberty Bond, buy War Savings Stamps.

Fresh-hot-Peanuts and Popcorn! Jones in front of the Majestic Theatre.

Waste neither time nor money but make use of both; buy W.S.S.

Money to Loan!

On farms and ranches. Cheap rate. See A. C. HOFFMAN, at Court House. 31

Registered Bulls.

Improve your cattle by heading your herd with one, or more, of our Registered Hereford Bulls. Big boned, husky, dark coats; the kind that please. Prices are right. See these bulls before you buy. Quigley, Neely & Leary, Memphis, Texas.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Dr. T. L. LEWIS
Dentist
Over Fickas Drug Store No 2
Memphis, Texas.
Phone 226

WIGGINS & WIGGINS
Doctors of Chiropractic
Office Phone 469 R. S. Phone 4C2
Memphis, Texas

Dr. F. B. ERWIN
Graduate Veterinarian
Interstate Inspector
Office at Frnk's Wagon Yard
Phone 367 Residence Phone 296

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Surgery of the eye, ear, nose
throat. Fitting of Glasses
OFFICE over Fickas

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Truck Transfer and
Service Cars
Phone 24

INVEST YOUR INTEREST
IN WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
KEEP YOUR DOLLAR WORKING!
Subscribe for the Dem

Meat Market

Phone 160

Fresh and Canned Meats Lard, Condiments, etc.

The animals we kill are slaughtered in an absolutely itary slaughter-house and nothing but fat, healthyimals are used. We buy and sell stock of all kinds.

ARNOLD & GARDNER

SUMMER IS HERE

What about that fan. We have just received a full line of

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HEATING, COOKING DEVICES, ETC**

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DADDY'S FAIRY TALE
BY MARY GRAY
WIDE-AWAKE
"Is that?" asked M...
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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By MARY GANNON BOWEN

WIDE-AWAKE FISH.

"I," said Mrs. Pike to Mrs. Salmon, "can never greet each other morning as some creatures can."

"What is that?" asked Mrs. Salmon. "Are there people who say to each other in the mornings: 'Well, and how did you sleep last night?' and there are creatures and animals who wake up and look at each other and who say: 'Breakfast time, my dear. I do believe I've slept well.'"

"I agree," said Mrs. Pike, "but it seems to me," said Mrs. Pike, "that it is a very foolish waste of time to think of the hours one misses, or things might be going on which would miss. We might find some whereas if we were asleep we wouldn't find it."

"You say it's impossible to eat and sleep at the same time. I wouldn't try it, for I've no desire to express my sentiments," said Mrs. Salmon.

"I can't know just what are sent to you," said Mrs. Pike, "but I am sure you must be all right."

"Sentiments," said Mrs. Salmon, "are thoughts, and when I say that I express my sentiments I say that I give my very ideas and thoughts to you, saying them as I am thinking them."

"I see," said Mrs. Pike. "Well, then, let us talk about our own and the foolishness of others."

"I do so," said Mrs. Salmon, "and I can imagine no subject more interesting to talk about. If we talked of horses as some people might do, it would be very foolish, for what care horses?"

"Nothing at all," said Mrs. Pike. "It's just it," agreed Mrs. Salmon, "and I should be glad to take you up. Mother must have forgotten that you were coming. Is this your suitcase, Miss—er—er?"

"Miss G—, Roberta G—; but you are mistaken. Surely Mr. M— must have written to say that I was coming. I am the landscape gardener whom Mrs. A— asked Mr. M— to send down here?"

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Richard's manner was still the same, although he was necessarily brought into close companionship with her, for Mrs. A— preferred that her son should manage all details of the estate.

When Roberta had been at Bellemeere for almost a month word was brought to the house by one of the workmen that Miss G— had been thrown from her horse near the outskirt of the estate almost a mile away. Mrs. A— was very much alarmed and sent her son back with the workmen at once.

Richard took the little car and hastened to reach the spot where the accident occurred. As he neared the scene he reproached himself for the unnecessary coolness with which he had treated Roberta.

The white face, half turned to the ground, rebuked him far more than his conscience for his past actions. Richard drove slowly to avoid giving her unnecessary pain, but before they had gone far a rut in the road jolted the car quite heavily and Roberta opened her eyes, wincing at the pain. She could not remember at first what had happened, and tried to raise herself to an erect position, but her right arm fell back limply when she tried to extend it.

"My arm," she said weakly, "I must have broken it. The horse—fell—"

"Yes, I know," answered Richard; "but you mustn't try to talk now. I'm so sorry you were hurt, and it is more than half my fault, too."

"You mustn't say that," she said, "because it's not true."

"But it is true, and so is the rest of it. Do you suppose you could ever forgive me, Bobby, dear?"

"I think I could try," she replied, and a faint color came into her face at the last words.

"Because, you see, I know now that I was wrong; but more than that, because I want you always for my own, little Bobby."

The landscape gardener smiled, but it was a very tender little smile, and Richard appreciated it as he realized the courage it took to smile when she was almost on the verge of crying with

NICKIE SAYS

LET'S GET THIS HERE OFFEN ME BEFORE I ME AN, BY HEK, I BET NEXT GUY WOT WANTS GRALE POTATOES, ER THIN ELSE ON HIS CRIPION IS GOIN' TO BEANED WITH THE ALLET, TAKE IT FROM ME!



"BOBBY"

By VALERIE M. JENKINS.
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Richard A— drove his car swiftly along the road to Way Fells' pretty country station.

"One minute to make it in! I hope he's a patient sort of fellow."

He was the prospective landscape gardener, whom Walter M—, an old friend, was sending down at Richard's request, and who was to begin work immediately on the A—'s country estate. Walter M—, an agricultural expert, was a man to be relied upon, and the A— had left the matter of selection wholly to him. The result of their request had been a telegram, announcing that "Bobby G—," personal friend and expert, would arrive at Way Fells on the afternoon express from the city.

The train was just pulling out of the station when Richard stopped the automobile at the curbing. There were only a few arrivals, as Way Fells consists mostly of large country estates which are reached more easily by motor than by train. A peddler with his pack, an elderly gentleman, who was met by an enthusiastic party, a girl in brown, who carried a suitcase, and a fussy little woman with two fussy little children were the only passengers to get off at Way Fells.

Deciding that the fellow must have lost his train, Richard was turning away again toward his car, when a sweet but hesitating voice caught his attention. It was the girl in brown talking to the freight agent.

"Could you tell me," she was saying, "whether I could hire any sort of conveyance here to take me to Mr. Richard A—'s estate—Bellemeere? I think it is called?"

"Ah, some friend of mother's, probably," thought Richard. "Funny, though, she didn't write, asking someone to meet her. I never saw her before, that's certain."

"I beg your pardon," he said, approaching the girl. "I am Richard A— and I should be glad to take you up. Mother must have forgotten that you were coming. Is this your suitcase, Miss—er—er?"

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CAN'T ALWAYS SIZE THEM UP

Former Acquaintance One Meets in New York Must Not Be Judged by Their Appearance.

You never can tell who is who when you meet them in the White Light section. The other night a Pittsburgher ran into a former Steel Cityite who was wandering along the big lane. He wasn't so glad to see him, as he feared a "touch," because back home the man never seemed prosperous, neither was he down and out. His appearance hadn't changed since his residence here.

"How long have you been living in New York?" asked the visitor.

"Oh, about three years," replied the former resident.

"Then you know the town pretty well?" was the next query.

The former Pittsburgher admitted that he did, and gave the visitor some advice and warning about the big city. He listened. Then he asked: "What are you doing here, Bill?"

"Working for a bank down town," replied the other man.

The Pittsburgher didn't press his chance friend for details. He thought that Bill had one of those jobs down town where one starves to death amidst the wealth of the nation—die of thirst upon the fountain's brink.

"Won't you take lunch with me?" he asked, and Bill said he would be delighted—some time.

The next day the Pittsburgher went to a bank down town to see about a check of a friend of his which had gone astray. "You will have to see the cashier," he was told, and there was the former Steel City man. He was in an office marked "private" on the door and his name in gold on the side of the desk. He was cashier of one of the biggest banks in the world. —New York Sun.

CAN WIN BATTLES AT HOME

Housewife Finds Joy in Thought That She Is Helping to Defeat the Hated Boches.

"It's a funny thing," said the Man to his wife the other night. "You used to like cooking, as I remember it. Breaking a new maid in was always a time of great trial and tribulation. But every night I come home to dinner you emerge from the kitchen almost as though you hated to leave the masterpieces you have evolved long enough to greet your hard-working husband properly. What's the reason?"

"Well," said the wife of her husband, "it's like this. It's a sort of game. I may not ever see any fighting, but I feel that out there in the kitchen I am helping France, England and, last but not least, our own blessed boys. Every time I make a loaf of rye bread I feel like waving a flag. Every time I make my allowance stretch a little bit I feel as though I had won a battle. And so I have. I've beaten old General Highcostaliving. Every time I squeeze a War Savings stamp out of the food allowance I feel that I personally have fired a shot at the Boches."

"Good girl," and the Man patted his wife gently. "Since I can't go and we have no one to give the best we can do is to play the game over here as though we loved it."

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STATE OF TEXAS
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Herein Fail Not, But have you before said Court this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same, at the July Term, A. D. 1919.

Given Under My Hand Officially, At Memphis, Texas, this 4th day of June A. D. 1919.

A. C. HOFFMAN,
Justice of Peace, Precinct No. One, Hall County, Texas.

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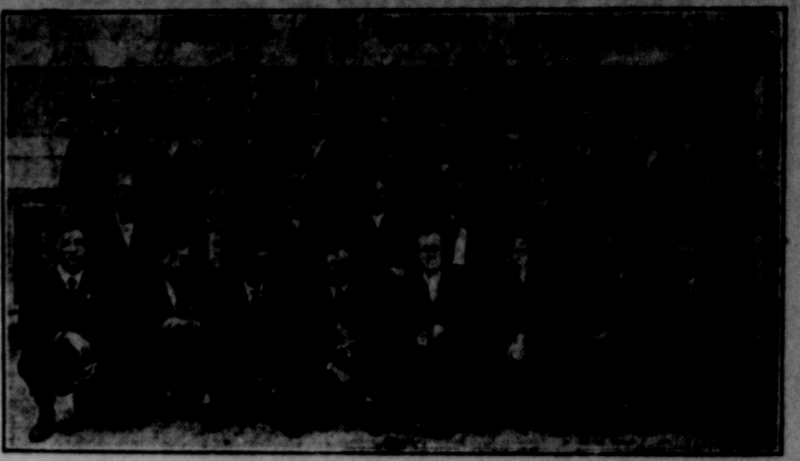
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NEW STATE LAWS AFFECTING MOTOR VEHICLES IN FORCE

the engine number assigned, and shall be authorized to collect registration fee of \$2.00 for such services.

Sec. 3. Any person who shall make an application to the County Tax Collector for the registration of any of any motor vehicle from which the original engine number has been removed, erased, or destroyed in any manner until it bears the new engine number designated by the State Highway Department under the provisions of Sec. 2 of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be subject to fine of not less than \$50, and not more than \$100, and it shall be the duty of any person who has applied to and received from the State Highway Department a new engine number as herein provided, to present the receipt received for the registration of such new engine number from the department to the County Tax Collector when applying for the registration of such motor vehicle under the provisions of the law, and failure to so present such receipt to the County Tax Collector shall subject the owner of said motor vehicle to a fine of not less than \$10, nor more than \$50. Any Tax Collector who shall knowingly accept an application for the registration of a motor vehicle from which the original engine number has been removed, erased, or destroyed in any manner, and which does not have on the number designated by the State Highway Department, shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$10, nor more than \$50.

Sec. 3-A. It shall be unlawful for any person acting for himself or anyone else, to offer for sale or trade any second-hand motor vehicle in this State without then, and there having in his actual physical possession the Tax Collector's receipt for license fee issued the year that said motor vehicle is offered for sale or trade.

Sec. 3-B. It shall be unlawful to sell or trade any second-hand motor vehicle in this State without transferring by indorsement of the name of the person to whom said license fee receipt was issued by the Tax Collector and by physical delivery of the Tax Collector's receipt for the year that the said sale or trade is made.

Sec. 3-C. It shall be unlawful for any person for himself or another to buy or trade for any second-hand motor vehicle in this State without demanding and receiving the Tax Collector's receipt for the license fee issued for motor vehicle for the year that said motor vehicle is bought or traded for.

Any person violating the provisions of Sections 3-A, 3-B, or 3-C shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not less than ten dollars (\$10) or more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000) or by confinement in the County Jail for any term less than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment, and all moneys collected for such fines shall be placed in the road or bridge fund of the county in which the violation occurs and the penalty is recovered.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person, whether acting for himself or as an employe or agent, to sell, trade or otherwise transfer any second-hand motor vehicle without delivering to the purchaser a bill of sale in duplicate, the form of which is prescribed in this act, one copy of which shall be retained by the transferee as evidence of the title to ownership and he other copy of which shall be filed by the transferee with the County Tax Collector as an application for transfer of license, together with the unlawful fee of \$1.

The following form of transfer shall be subscribed before a notary public:

Bill of Sale and Application for Transfer.

State of Texas,
County of _____

Know all men by these presents that the ownership of the following described motor vehicle is hereby transferred by the undersigned to _____

for and in consideration of _____ and other valuable consideration.
Seal No. _____ State license No. _____
Name and model and year made _____
Engine No. _____ Horsepower (A. L. A. M. _____)
Transferee's name in full _____
Transferee's correct address in full _____

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared the vendor of the vehicle described above, and being duly sworn deposes and upon oath states that the vehicle described is hereby transferred to the transferee named above.

Vendor,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 191____.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of operating a repair shop or garage of any kind, within this State, where the repairing, rebuilding or re-painting of automobiles is carried on or electrical work in connection with the repair of automobiles is done and performed, and also it shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of the purchase and sale of second-hand or used automobiles within this State, to keep a well-bound book in the office or place of business where said work is carried on, or said business conducted, in which shall be kept, a clear and intelligent manner, a register of each and every repair or change in any automobile of every description so repaired or dealt in, by any of the parties mentioned in this act. Provided, that repairs of a value not exceeding one (\$1) dollar are hereby excepted.

Sec. 6. Said register shall contain a substantially complete and accurate description of each and every car upon which there is performed said repairs, or upon which there is installed any new parts or accessories of any character, and where the said car is bought or sold as a used car, the said register shall particularly show in each of the cases mentioned the make of the automobile, the number of cylinders, motor number, passenger capacity, model, and also the name, apparent age and sex and any special identifying physical characteristic of the party or parties claiming to be the owners of the automobile, his or their usual place of address, and the State register number of such automobile. In

case of the sale of a used or second-hand car by any dealer, or the owner or proprietor of any dealer, or the owner or proprietor of any garage, a like register shall be made as to the name and address and description of said car and the State register thereof. Said registers provided from here in shall be kept in a secure place and be subject to inspection of any peace officer desiring to examine the same or any party or parties interested in tracing or locating stolen automobiles.

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Sec. 8. All records required to be kept by the provisions of this act shall be reserved for a period of one year after the date recorded, and shall be open for the inspection of the public at all reasonable hours.

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COTTON CERTIFICATES SHOULD BE MADE COMMERCIAL PAPER

the farmer by the Federal Reserve Banks.

"If these numerous conventions wish to alleviate conditions among the cotton growers of the South there should be explained the difference between a bank lending the farmer money on his cotton at 8 or 10 per cent and the banks taking such notes from the farmer and getting money from the Federal Reserve Bank at a rate about one-half of the rate paid the bank by the farmer and then extending the farmer's paper at 10 per cent.

"Why is it not justice to let the farmer have money at the Federal

Reserve Banks at a discount rate given member banks as he is furnishing the collateral?

"I hope that I am not placing myself in position of criticizing the banking throughout the country. But it must be remembered that the bankers opposed the Federal Reserve Bank law, the greatest law enacted since the Civil war. They also opposed the guaranty State law, so this makes me bold to express myself.

"As to the Texas Farmers League, I have the honor to be president of that organization, which has been unjustly accused by politicians. It has been charged with being the same as the Non-partisan League of North Dakota and with being against the Democratic party. It is simply an organization of farmers to seek legislation salutary to farmers. There is no gathering of farmers, who are real farmers, who can not pass laws that will conduce to the betterment and uplift of the country."

SHERIFF'S SALE

JUSTICE'S COURT Precinct No. 1.

Brook Mays & Company vs. S. L. Yeary, of Dallas County, Texas BY VIRTUE of order of sale and execution to me directed in the above entitled cause, from the Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1, and for the County of Dallas in the State of Texas, dated the 28th day of May 1919, and numbered 33-218 I have levied upon and will sell for cash, without appraisal, on the 28th day of June 1919, at Lakeview in the County of Hall between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the following described personal property, to wit:

One Werner Piano No. 99,564.
J. A. PRESSLEY, Sheriff
Hall County, Texas.
Dated June 17th, A. D. 1919.

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