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COST OF DISTRICT COURT HOUSE WILL TOTAL \$175,000

Warrants Will Be Issued to Meet Extra Cost. Visible Strides Being Made in Construction.

The Hall County Commissioners Court has, after an investigation this week, announced that the cost of the new Hall County district court house will total \$175,000, which is \$25,000 in excess of the bonds voted. It is understood that county warrants will be issued to care for the extra expense.

Work on the court house and the new high school building is now making more visible progress than at any time since the construction of the buildings was begun several months ago. Both of these structures rapidly assuming the appearance of magnificent edifices.

The stone work was begun on the last story of the court house Tuesday. This last story will contain a large amount of stone, which will add much to the attractiveness of the building.

The concrete floor of the basement has been practically completed. The plasterers have finished in the basement and are well advanced with their work on the first story. This work, as the other work that has been done on the building, shows the result of skilled labor.

There is a diversity of opinion as to the time when the building will be completed, some thinking that it will be finished by December 1, while the plasterers say that it will probably be the first of next year.

The brick, concrete and stone work has been finished on the framework of the high school building, the steel wire frames are being fitted in, the structure is rapidly taking the outward appearance of a finished building.

The accommodations offered by this building are strikingly superior to any the Memphis schools have ever had. Among the more noticeable are the home economics rooms on the ground floor on the south side of the building, and the gymnasium in the basement of the west wing. The first floor of this wing furnishes a good balcony about the gymnasium, while the auditorium occupies the second floor, with an unusually large balcony on the third.

It is thought that this building will be completed by October 15, or November 1.

TRADES DISPLAY TONIGHT AND TOMORROW NIGHT

A Trades Display and Merchants' carnival is being staged at the high school auditorium tonight and Friday night. The affair is under the auspices of the 1913 Study Club, the proceeds from which will be used in improving the library park. The cast is all home talent under the direction of Prof. Graves, a talented and experienced man in this business. The nature of the program is very interesting, featuring live and real models, in snappy display advertising schemes. There will also be some concert numbers.

REVIEW OF BASEBALL GAMES PLAYED DURING PAST WEEK

The Presbyterians defeated the Christians in the fastest game played in the Sunday School League this season, last Friday, resulting in a score of 2 to 1. Both pitchers showed some good stuff, while fast fielding was portrayed throughout the game.

The Memphis city team defeated the Estelline team in a close game of 7 to 6 at Estelline last Saturday. Both teams played good ball throughout the game, being almost equally matched.

Estelline played the home club a return game here Monday, being defeated again 4 to 2. An enthusiastic crowd of spectators report a snappy game.

The Baptist club lost, by a small margin, to the Christian club in a loosely played game Tuesday, the score of which was 9 to 10.

The Wellington Club suffered an overwhelming defeat at the hands of a local team here yesterday afternoon. The game started in fine shape, but appeared to be a "comedy of errors" when the Memphis team scored some twelve times in the fourth inning.

Although this is the first mad dog reported here, there have been a number of people bitten over the State and it is a safe precaution to watch all dogs at this season of the year.

Gives Little Cripples an Outing on His Yacht



Leon Schinasi, wealthy tobacco man, bidding bon voyage to the little cripples of New York as they are starting on a ride up the Hudson for a day's outing on his private yacht.

Carnival Attractions Will Be Brought To Fair

Plenty Amusement For Children; Racing, Trick Riding, Band Concerts Feature Program.

The Fair Association has recently signed contracts with the directors of the Emory United Shows, who will furnish the carnival attractions for the Hall County District Fair, which will be held here September 19 to 22 inclusive. This carnival brings good recommendations from the mayors of the various towns where it has stopped, and the Fair Directors feel sure that they have now provided for the amusement and entertainment of the children, and many of the grown-ups, throughout every moment of the entire four days.

The Emory Shows include ten riding devices and shows that promise plenty of entertainment of the carnival type. Every child will have an opportunity to ride the large merry-go-round, ferris wheel, circuit airplanes and other riding devices.

The Griffith Trio of trick riders, who proved so popular during the rodeo last Fall, will appear on the program each afternoon, if it is possible to secure their services.

The Fair Catalogues and Premium Lists are being distributed this week, which also includes a complete program for the four days. The forenoon of each day will be given to the inspection of the exhibits. In the afternoons the program will include band concerts, automobile racing, horse and mule racing, trick riding, and other events, with prizes ranging from \$15 to \$100.

With the distribution of the catalogues, an urgent request is being made for contestants to arrange their exhibits as early as possible. Entrance blanks are furnished with the catalogues and the latter contain all the information necessary for the arrangement and display of the exhibits. Regardless of the continued drought, some good agricultural exhibits will be arranged, and the livestock will be the best ever shown in Memphis.

Farm Bureau Notice.

There will be a called meeting of the Farm Bureau at the City Hall in Memphis, Saturday, August 25. A directors' report will be made and other important matters will be discussed. All members are urged to be present.

DOG WITH RABIES IS KILLED LATE TUESDAY

Many people were frightened and no little excitement caused when it was reported Tuesday afternoon that there was a mad dog in Northwest Memphis. A number of men took up the hunt, but the dog was not killed until almost dark Tuesday evening.

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FARM BUREAU GETS BIG LOAN ON TEXAS COTTON

Farm Bureau Gets Loan in New York To Assist in Marketing Crops. Is Record Loan.

New York, August 15.—A New York banking syndicate, headed by the Seaboard National Bank, and Goldman, Sachs & Co., Wednesday completed arrangements for a large loan to the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association for the purpose of assisting in the orderly marketing of the cotton crop in that State. The initial credit is understood to be for \$10,000,000, with a series of others as they are needed. Under the terms of the agreement the association undertakes to market a certain amount of its product each month, and it was assured the bankers that 90 per cent of the crop will be sold when the final paper matures June 15 next.

While the details of the loan were not made public, it is understood that the interest rate will be slightly higher than the association paid on a \$12,000,000 loan last year because of the higher discount rate in effect now. Last year's loan was arranged through Southwestern banks, with several New York banks participating. The interest on that loan averaged 5 1-3 per cent. This year's loan is the largest cotton credit ever organized under local financial leadership.

Negotiations for the loan has been in progress for several weeks between Col. Sloan Simpson of Dallas, Texas, treasurer and trustee of the association and the local bankers. Col. Simpson returned home several days ago and the final details were concluded by wire.

The loan is to be secured by warehouse receipts on cotton stored in the Houston Compress Company in Houston, Texas, the largest independent warehouse in the State and connected in no way with the association. The cotton so stored is to be graded according to specifications mutually agreed upon between the association and local bankers, the latter being assured of a conservative margin as security for the loan.

The Texas company is the largest of its kind, having a membership of 27,000 cotton planters in all sections of the State. Last year the association handled 77,000 bales of cotton, and this year it expects to make between 175,000 and 225,000,000 bales.

DRILLING WILL BE RESUMED ON BUCK CREEK TEST WELL

Clarendon, August 16.—Oil activities were resumed in Donley county when J. M. Hines, oil operator of Oklahoma City, took over the old Buck Creek test, east of Hedley. Operation on this hole was shut down about nine months ago, but actual drilling will be resumed within the next week under the new contractor. Considerable interest has been taken in this test and one of the larger companies bought two sections of land near Buck Creek in fee.

SCHOOL TERMS CUT SHORT SAYS SUPT. MARRS

State Apportionment of \$12 Per Capita Will Run Some Schools Only Four Months.

Austin, August 11.—The life of Texas free schools is again in jeopardy, and the public schools of the State will be able to operate for only about four months during the coming year on the \$12 per capita apportionment made Saturday morning by the Board of Education, Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs said Saturday afternoon. Superintendent Marrs said that the situation looks unusually bad, due to the fact that the schools can not expect further financial assistance from the State for the year unless emergency appropriations are made by the Legislature. The Board of Education met Friday, but at that time did not come to a definite conclusion on the matter of apportionment.

Indications were that the apportionment would be only \$12, which turned out to be the case at the meeting Saturday. This apportionment includes the \$2,000,000 supplemental appropriation made by the last Legislature in the final called session, but does not include the \$1,500,000 appropriated for the coming fiscal year for rural aid.

A total of \$1,500,000 was set aside by the board to meet the textbook contracts let last Fall, which is in accordance with the former decision of the board that the book contracts are legal. This leaves approximately \$2,000,000.

Only \$449,000 will be required out of the new year's school funds for buying books in case the old textbook contracts are upheld and the new ones ruled out, Superintendent Marrs said. At present the textbook funds set aside can not be used for other school purposes.

Another possible source of revenue for schools has turned out to be a false hope, as the Attorney General's department will rule that the State motor vehicle license tax is not an occupation tax, and hence one-fourth of it should not go to the school fund. This question was placed before the Attorney General a short time ago for a ruling. The schools of the State would have received approximately \$2,500,000 annually in case the ruling was that the license fee constitutes an occupational tax. The ruling on this question will be issued early next week, it was said. It is probable that test suits will be brought to test the question, as attorneys are urging Superintendent of Education Marrs to take this step.

MEMPHIS WOMAN RECEIVES PAINFUL BURNS MONDAY

Mrs. R. S. Greene, while handling a pan of hot grease Monday, was painfully burned when she accidentally overturned the grease on her hand. A local physician was summoned to dress the badly burned and blistered hand and the burns are healing nicely now.

LUBBOCK PLANS CELEBRATION FOR AUGUST 28TH

Governor Neff, Board of Directors, and Locating Board Will Be Guests of Honor.

Lubbock, August 11.—The same spirit of West Texas which in unrestrained enthusiasm celebrated the victories in behalf of the people of West Texas in other high events of the region, will be invoked again on August 28, when Lubbock flings wide its welcome to the world. The people of Lubbock are preparing a celebration which they hope will surpass all similar jollifications in Texas. Arrangements are being made on a liberal scale, and the hope is expressed by leading citizens of Lubbock that men, women and children from every part of West Texas will attend. Some hope for as large an attendance as filled San Angelo during the days of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

The Lubbock celebration is not to take on the nature of a local affair. Lubbock already has had its spell of mirth-making and glorification. Citizens of Lubbock tell you that they now feel that enough of the glorification has been done—now they want to receive the citizens of their sister cities, thank them for their good will and the evidences of their good sportsmanship, and let them know that Lubbock is making an earnest effort to live up to the responsibilities of taking care of the educational pride of West Texas.

Governor Neff, whose telegram of congratulation to Lubbock pledged his continued personal and official support to the Texas Technological College, probably will be the distinguished guest of the day. An effort is now being made to have a meeting of the board of directors of the Texas Tech held at Lubbock during the celebration, and if possible to have the board formally, and for the first time, announce the choice of the president of the institution. It is expected that the new president will be there in person, and the occasion will mark the acquaintanceship between the people of West Texas, the president of the Texas Technological College and the men and women who will direct the affairs of the college. Another group of distinguished guests, if plans of the citizens of Lubbock materialize, will be the members of the locating board of the Texas Tech.

TURKEY-SPUR HIGHWAY IS DESIGNATED HIGHWAY NO. 4

The Turkey-Spur Highway is now known as Highway No. 4, running North and South, with its southern terminus at Del Rio. This is considered to be the most important highway running north and south in West Texas.

It is stated that Dickens county is contemplating a hard-surfaced road to the Motley county line, and the people of Motley county are boosting things along for a hard-surfaced road through their road.

The Chamber of Commerce of Turkey is taking the matter up with the Motley county officials and will make a desperate effort to have a hard-surfaced road from Turkey to Matador. This will be one of the most important links of highways even connected in West Texas.

Judge and Mrs. A. S. Moss left Saturday morning for Galveston for a ten days visit.

LAKEVIEW MAN INJURED BY FRIGHTENED HORSE

W. J. McMurry, of Lakeview, received painful injuries Friday afternoon in an attempt to catch a frightened horse.

The horse had been turned loose early in the afternoon to find his way home while Mr. McMurry rode on in a car. When the horse failed to appear he went back in search of him and found that he had missed the route, being inside a wire fence. While trying to catch the horse some other stock near by became frightened and at the same time frightened Mr. McMurry's horse. The excited animal reared and pawed Mr. McMurry on the head and face before he could evade the lunge. He received bruises on the head and face, but his injuries are not considered as being serious.

Racing Will Be Feature Event of Childress Fair.

Ninth Annual Childress State Fair Will Open September 12, And Continue Four Days.

The ninth annual exposition of the Childress State Fair will open Wednesday, September 12, and continue until Saturday, September 15. The fair promises much this year from an amusement standpoint. The speed program is especially strong, again with the thrilling cry echo from the grandstand and paddocks, "they're off." Running races will occur on the first three days of the fair while the last day, September 15, will be devoted to automobile races.

Childress has long been a strong point with the followers of the "bang tails," enjoying the reputation of being the only fair in the State of Texas that has never given up horse racing for a single year. But horse racing is coming back, as evidenced by the reinstallation of seven days of running races during the State Fair of Texas this year, the first year during the last seven to hold such an event. This event at Dallas will again, as in the olden days, bring the cream of running horses from the East to Texas. Childress has the assurance of getting all of the best horses as the running season opens here. Many horses are already in upon the Childress fair track, with additional carloads arriving intermittently through each week. Large purses have been offered, and fans of the "Sport of Kings" are promised the best daily program of running races ever offered in the Panhandle of Texas.

Childress has again secured something of a class never before attempted in this section of the country. Racing motors will roar upon the last day of the fair, when a real contest by the best of racing cars and drivers in the Southwest will compete, under the rule and with the sanction of the contest board of the American Automobile Association. Official sanction assures followers of auto racing that a real contest and not a frame-up exhibition will be held.

TURKEY PEOPLE WORKING FOR PROPOSED RAILROAD

Col. C. H. Powell, of Chicago, was in Turkey last week making a tour along the proposed Texas Panhandle & Gulf Railroad. He was driven to Truscott, the point where the T. P. & G. will cross the Orient, by John Sharp. The people along the route were very much enthused over the project and stated that they were ready and willing to do everything in their power to put the road over the top. Truscott is only a small town on the Orient, but situated in one of the best agricultural sections of that part of the country.

A spirit of confidence prevails from one end of the line to the other and Col. Powell stated that it was a pleasure to do business with such people, as they are in earnest.

The Chamber of Commerce at Turkey is taking a very active part in landing the railroad for Turkey.

FRENCH FARMERS TAUGHT NEW METHODS BY "MOVIES"

Peasants Are Changing Their Ways With Regard to Their Land Holdings.

Movies in farming centers to teach the French peasants new methods of cultivation have made the people of the cities realize with something of a shock that the peasant is changing his ways.

The policy of keeping land holdings small has made the French a nation of proprietors, so far as such a condition can exist.

The farmer of today looks upon his land as the instrument of fortune building. He will sell it at a profit, for he can buy more.

Fifty years ago the French farmer kept as a secret the return from his crops and the kind and quantity of fertilizer he used.

The modern farmer, although still perhaps in the minority, joins co-operative buying and selling organizations, discusses the best methods of cultivation with his neighbors, and is proud to tell what good bargains he has made.

This, however, is the rosy view of country progress. There still remains the old type of suspicious peasant, guarding jealously his bit of land and the secrets of his savings, hidden in the house or buried under the floor.

The French have learned to subscribe to bond issues, as a matter of patriotism, but the police records of big hauls by thieves in apparently poor homes show that many Frenchmen still have no use for banks.

American sailors of the United States Edsall, a destroyer of Vice-Admiral Long's European squadron, took over children from Smyrna, destined for a refugee camp, established there in an institution prepared for them in Constantinople.

Being a part of Section 166, in Block 85, in said County, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point 618.6 feet North of the Southwest corner of the Northwest on fourth of said Section 166,

Citation By Publication. The State of Texas, To the sheriff or any constable of Hall County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Homer Townsend, whose residence is out of the State of Texas, to appear at the next regular

term of the District Court of Hall County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in the County of Hall, town of Memphis, on the 2nd Monday in September, 1923, the same being the 10th day of September, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court on the 2nd day of April, A. D., 1923, in a suit numbered 1223 on the docket thereof, wherein Mrs. R. E. Sharp, J. A. Sharp, Homer Townsend, Doll Townsend, Helle Townsend, and J. D. Richardson are defendants; the cause of the action being briefly stated as follows:

That on or about the 26th day of February, 1917, H. Newlin conveyed to J. D. Richardson the following described land and premises situated in Hall County, Texas, to wit:

That in the early part of 1919, and more than four years before this suit was filed said H. W. Townsend died, intestate; that no administration was taken out on his estate, and there was no necessity for one; that defendant R. E. Sharp was the

land. That as a part of consideration for said conveyance J. D. Richardson, made, executed and delivered a series of notes, being 7 in number, for \$100.00 each, due December 28, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, and 1924 respectively, and bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and containing the usual provision for ten per cent attorneys fees if placed in hands of attorney for collection, and the usual maturing clause; that a vendor's lien was retained in said conveyance and notes to secure the payment of same together with interest and attorneys fees thereon.

That on the 11th day of October, 1917, said J. D. Richardson conveyed said land to H. W. Townsend, and said grantee assumed the payment of said notes as a part of the consideration.

That default was made in the payment of note No. 5 when due December 28, 1922, and plaintiff declared all of said notes due, and though often requested defendants have refused to pay same.

surviving wife of said H. W. Townsend, and defendants Edna Townsend, Homer and Doll Townsend, are the children of said H. W. Townsend and R. E. Sharp.

That the first four of said notes have been paid, but default was made in payment of note No. 5 when due December 28, 1921; that in consideration of the extension of said note for one year, said defendant R. E. Sharp, joined by her husband agreed to pay ten per cent interest per annum on all of said notes by a contract in writing dated May 16, 1922, and executed their notes for the past due interest on all of said notes and for the interest up to December 28, 1922.

That default was made in the payment of note No. 5 when due December 28, 1922, and plaintiff declared all of said notes due, and though often requested defendants have refused to pay same.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for his debt and foreclosure of lien on said land, and for special and general relief.

You are further commanded to so summon said defendant, Homer Town-

send, and to serve this citation by making publication of same once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, the first publication to be not less than 28 days before said return day in some newspaper published in said county, but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in any newspaper published in this the 100th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the judicial district nearest to said district.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness S. G. Alexander, Clerk of the District Court of Hall County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the town of Memphis, this the 26th day of July, A. D., 1923.

(SEAL) S. G. ALEXANDER Clerk of the District Court of Hall County, Texas. By George Forgy, Deputy.

GIVES MILLION DOLLARS TO CRIPPLED CHILDREN



"No human service is superior to that of helping those who cannot help themselves." So says William H. Eustis, eighty-four, who began life as a blacksmith when Minneapolis, Minn., was a village, was once mayor of the city, and a few days ago gave away a million dollars to the crippled children of America, because he went through life himself a cripple.

ALASKA MINE OUTPUT GROWS

Copper Production Increases \$2,600,000 in One Year.

Alaska's copper production increased to such an extent in 1922 that the value of the territory's entire mineral output, totaling \$10,506,365, was increased \$2,600,000 over that of the preceding year.

Interior department statistics show that 3,800 men were engaged in productive mining in Alaska last year, and about 1,000 more were prospecting and developing mineral properties. Gold, copper and other minerals produced in the territory since 1880 have reached \$497,985,278 in value. The copper production in 1922 was 36 per cent greater than in 1921.

Leaving Cup for Housekeeper.

A loving cup was presented Miss Bridget Goughy, of Stamford, Conn., upon her forty-fifth anniversary as housekeeper in the same family. She was born in Ireland and came to this country to join her sister. She was employed as a domestic upon her arrival.

Bee When Tick Is Found in Pie.

Saying that she found a carpet tick in a blueberry pie, Millie Rose has filed suit for \$2,250 damages from a lunch company in Portland, Me.

DODGE BROTHERS ANNOUNCE

Important improvements in the appearance and riding comfort of their motor cars



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Our New Hitching Post

By Phebe K. Warner

Not since the first covered wagon came to a stand still on the edge of the great caprock has there been such universal rejoicing in the Panhandle and Plains as when word came over the wires that the fourth great State college of Texas had been located at Lubbock.

Through the entire campaign since the Texas Tech became a possibility by an act of the State Legislature and the pen of the Governor the universal spirit of the people of the Plains has been "The Panhandle and the Plains first. Our town second." Everybody wanted the college. But everybody knew since only one college was to be located only one town could get it. Nor was there an unkind feeling among the people of the Plains for any other town or section of the country. But there was an intense desire on the part of the people of the Plains to have one of the great state schools above the caprock of the State, in that part of Texas which until Wednesday afternoon, August 8, 1923, had only one State institution within its territory and that was the West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon.

With the establishment of the Technological College a magnificent quartet of State colleges will be complete. One of these schools is located in what used to be the extreme southwest corner of the State so far as population counted. Another graces the southeastern part of the State. The third is an honor and joy to the northeastern part of the State. It remained for the northwestern part of the State to have a new hitching post to anchor its faith in the State and around which to build a great loyal citizenship.

And that portion of Texas which was not represented by any State wide school was the Panhandle and Plains. While the new Technological College is to be a State wide institution, it was created especially to meet the demand of all West Texas for better educational facilities. Its location on the North Plains of West Texas gives it a most unique setting. The territory which worked and pulled together for its location might be described as those two sections of West Texas which are divided only by the Texas & Pacific Railroad. In this case one dare not say the boundary line which unites these two great sections is an imaginary line. There was nothing imaginary about it.

The division line between the southern half and the northern half of West Texas was a most vivid reality. And both sections realized the college must go to one or the other place. One of the finest examples of team work ever pulled off in the State of Texas or any other state has been the friendly rival between the South Plains and the North Plains of West Texas. Today there is one victorious at a good safe distance and watched the race, how could you keep from admiring the youthful vigor and the fir spirit displayed in these twin Masters of Texas, who were contending for the same prize? The spirit of this contest has been one of the finest displays ever put up for inspection or criticism in the history of the State. Today there is one victorious and one that are proud of her victory. There is one victorious territory but there is another territory that is rejoicing in the victory of her sister just across the T. P.

The immediate territory represented in the section that won the contest stretches from Gaines and Andrews Counties on the south to Dallam County on the north. And from Gaines County on the west to Garret County on the east. Each stretch of country presents a line of ten counties and approximately 300 miles both north and south, and east and west. The territory included herein covers an area of almost 75 counties with a total of more than 57,000 square miles or 40,000,000 acres of land most of which is tillable. This section of Texas is without a major college of any kind either state or church, the Canyon Normal being the only State institution within its borders. Not even a poor house to speak of or an insane asylum or a penitentiary or a reform school. Now what do you think of that?

On the other hand this same section has been for years paying more into the State treasury for education than it has ever received from the State treasury. Another thing that might be considered. A few years ago when Texas wanted a beautiful new capitol building a million acres of Panhandle land was traded off to a foreign syndicate for a million dollars. In this much school land was sacrificed at a low figure. But with the new college located within this region this same million acres will sooner or later be made into a billion

dollar piece of property for the good of the State. Because with the new hope and new interest that has been inspired in the minds and hearts of the people of the Panhandle and Plains this territory will be turned into new farms and towns and schools and churches. Another interesting fact is this. This section of Texas lying north of the T. P. Railroad without a State wide institution in it is larger than any State in the Union lying east of the Mississippi River. And its possibilities are just as great as many of those States given an equal number of years for development. Think of the little States east of the Mississippi River that not only support a State college but support their entire State government and every other State institution!

But the very best result of locating the new college at Lubbock will be its effect on the children of all this territory. There are thousands of children within these counties that scarcely know they live in a place called Texas. They have been born on the Plains. They have been born in homes founded by people who have come to the Plains from other parts of the world and it takes time for outside folks to learn to love a new country and especially when there is nothing near the of State wide interest. Most of these children do not know where Texas is except what they have learned in their geographies and in their Texas history. It is going to tie these future citizens onto their birthplace and give them something to love and work for and be proud of. They know there is a real Texas now since they have been given something by the State to work for and to live for.

This we believe is one reason the locating board awarded the new college to the Panhandle and the Plains for, although, its exact location is at Lubbock the whole territory feels the effects of the victory. Nor is Lubbock so concealed in all her glory as to think that she won the college alone or that it is all her victory. Had no other town on the North Plains or the Panhandle applied for the college or shown any interest in it, it is quite likely the college would have been located elsewhere. And the best part of all is, no one has lost anything by this West Texas contest. Every town in the contest has just as much and even more today than it had a month ago; only Lubbock has the college. All the rest of us have had some fine advertising; we have had an intensive study of our own part of the State; we have discovered the fact that every one of us live in the best place for the college but it could not be located everywhere. And we are all proud of one another for our co-operating instincts and our fine spirit in both defeat and victory for we have all (but Lubbock) felt some pangs of disappointment. But today the great responsibility rests with Lubbock. Let's stand by her as only citizens of all West Texas know how to do.

Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott, daughter of Julia Ward Howe, author of the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," is once more an American citizen. She was recently naturalized in the superior court, having applied under the act of Congress permitting American-born women who had married foreign subjects to regain citizenship. She married a British subject in Rome, twenty-five years ago.

A camel in the midst of green grass languishes and grows thin, but surrounded by sagebrush and thorny desert vegetation he is thoroughly happy and contented.

The famous old Arrow Rock Tavern, on the Missouri River, in Missouri, has been purchased by the state and turned over to the Daughters of the American Revolution. The old cavern was a place of rest and refreshment for the southwestern trader and plainsman. For some time it has been a depository for articles of historic interest. One of these articles is Daniel Boone's fiddle.

The Galapagos Islands lie under the equator off the coast of Ecuador. The air is frequently chilly, due to the cold antarctic currents which fan the coast of Peru and strike seaward toward the island group. Wild goats, cattle, cats and dogs, as well as hidden treasure, bear evidence of pirates. The soil is rich red loam, nearly stoneless. There are but 3,500 head of cattle at present on Cristobal Island and it can easily support 50,000. It is said that a three-year-old steer brings \$100 (gold) live weight, at Guayaquil on the mainland—when a steamer can be induced to call and take the stock off.

Immature Lambs Are Not Wanted

Serious Danger of Glutting Market With Low-Grade Product.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

"Unless young and immature lambs are kept at home for further development and finishing there is serious danger of glutting the market with a low-grade product which can only result in severe price declines," is the warning sounded to shippers by the Committee of Trade Interests composed of live stock commission men, slaughterers, retailers, railroads, stockyard companies at Jersey City and New York, eastern lamb producers, and the United States Department of Agriculture, appointed last summer to bring about stabilization of the Jersey City lamb market.

The committee states that receipts have been light since the market movement of eastern lambs began in May and that there is a noticeable tendency on the part of shippers to market a large percentage of young and immature lambs because of the rather high prices which such lambs have brought. These prices have influenced country shippers to pick lower down in their flocks than usual, thereby increasing the percentage of light weight, immature lambs in the market receipts, it is said.

Lower Prices Will Result. Recent arrivals at Jersey City include from 25 to 35 per cent of immature lambs, the reports show. Despite a rather strong demand receipts from western markets have been unusually light and prices have shown corresponding strength. But if shippers continue to send immature and otherwise inferior lambs to market during the period when receipts are heavy, sharp price declines will be inevitable, the committee says.

Information received by the Department of Agriculture indicated a heavy prospective movement of lambs from eastern and southern territory to market during the latter part of June and in July. This is the period when price fluctuations are usually most severe, the department says, due more to the quality of the receipts than to the volume, inasmuch as Jersey City and New York usually can absorb all the good lambs offered. Heavy receipts generally include a large percentage of inferior grades comprising "culls," light weight and "bucky" lambs which cannot be moved except at a sacrifice, and this in turn affects the market for the better grades, it is pointed out.

Scarcity of Good Horses Leading to Better Care

R. W. Clark, specialist in live stock at the Colorado Agricultural college, gives some good advice to farmers concerning the care of mares. An extract of his report follows:

The foaling season has arrived and the mares should be carefully handled. The demand for good heavy horses cannot be supplied and all good colts are needed. Heavy straining and extremes of exertion should be avoided. The mare can work every day to nearly foaling time if carefully handled and fed.

The "Golden Rule" put into operation now will work wonders. At foaling time the mare should be kept in a clean, comfortable place, and as much personal attention given as is possible to give.

The colt's navel should be treated immediately with a disinfectant to prevent infection and the mother fed carefully and not put to work again too soon. When put to work, she should be allowed to "take it easy."

Cover Crops in Orchard Not Easy to Get Started

In growing cover crops in an orchard, the grower should be guided in the choice of crops by his local conditions and the age or size of the trees. Where the ground is completely shaded by the trees, it is difficult in many instances to obtain a stand of crops like vetch and clover. It is less so with alfalfa and rye. While alfalfa has been the favorite crop with the growers, it has one drawback which should not be lost sight of. In the first place, the grower is generally unwilling to turn under a crop of alfalfa and destroy the plants. He usually permits the alfalfa to grow in the orchard for several years. While the alfalfa tends to stimulate tree growth during the first two or three years, it soon has a bad effect upon fruit production, and an orchard in bearing should not be left in alfalfa for more than three or four years.

Record of Cow's Yield Is of Much Importance

Pure bred dairy cattle breeders should keep official records on every cow in their herds. These records to a beginner may not seem valuable, but later they will be worth many more dollars than it will cost to get them. Once a pail of milk is used or sent to the market without being weighed the chance for including that milk in any accurate record of a cow's production is gone. The records are not only valuable in singling out the cows that are failing to produce enough to pay their feed bill but they are of exceptional value when it comes time to sell surplus animals, animals that are offspring of the cows on which records are kept. Bulls with known records back of them are the kind

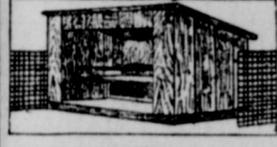
Small Roosting House Suitable for Orchard

Injurious Insects are Picked Up by Busy Fowls.

Fruit and poultry may be grown on the same land at the same time by running chickens in the orchard, writes Herbert A. Shearer in the Los Angeles Times. Hens need some shade and some sunshine and the orchard provides both.

Fruit trees are benefited by the droppings of poultry and the fruit crop is larger because of the added fertilizer. Insects that injure the trees, or the fruit, or both, are picked up by the fowls so the crop is benefited in this way. So far as known there is no objection to the plan except that possibly there may be more work in keeping the hens diligently filling the egg crates. It seems as though the hens like their surroundings and try to enjoy life the same as small boys in a city park on a holiday.

There may be another drawback when fruit is falling because some



hens will fill their crops with fruit and not leave room enough to hold a richer ration to produce eggs.

But orchard men who have tried the fruit-poultry combination seem well satisfied. If they get less eggs, it takes less time to care for the flock, and the orchard does better.

The illustration shows a small roosting house suitable for orchard poultry. Nest boxes are placed on the floor to be easily removed for cleaning and spraying. This is important and should be done once a week. There is no particular size to build this orchard chicken house, but 12 by 10 feet would be a good size for 30 to 50 hens. If the flock is larger, more houses will be needed.

Combination of Grains With Tankage for Hogs

Barley is an efficient feed for hogs when fed with tankage and is almost equal to corn in fattening them for market, say the animal husbandry men at the New York college of agriculture at Ithaca. A recent feeding trial with six lots of eight hogs each showed that barley was more than 90 per cent as efficient as corn in feeding. Barley was found also to produce a good firm quality of pork.

Two lots of hogs were fed corn and tankage, two lots barley and tankage, and two lots corn, barley and tankage. For three of the lots the feed was mixed before being put into the feeder, and in the other three the hogs were given their choice of feed available. The hogs allowed to follow their appetites ate an excessive amount of tankage, but the combinations of corn, barley and tankage gave excellent feeding values.

When barley is cheaper by the hundred than corn, the cost of gain in weight may be kept down by forcing the hogs to eat more barley by mixing it with the corn and tankage. The barley preferably should be medium or coarse-ground, not fine. If it is not ground, it should be rolled or soaked, and if it is soaked, it should be fed only while fresh.

The lot which made the greatest daily gain in weight received a mixed ration of 46 parts corn, 46 pounds barley and 8 parts tankage.

Pasture Is Considered as Cheapest Swine Feed

The cost of gain on a pig until he weighs about 125 pounds determines in a large measure the profit to be made, say the live stock experts. Hog raisers can materially decrease this cost by having sufficient green forage available. Pasture is one of the cheapest hog feeds. As compared to dry-lot feeding, the amount of grain required to produce 100 pounds of pork may be reduced approximately 30 per cent by using good pasture. Blue grass, spring grains, winter wheat and winter rye are excellent pastures, but are short-lived and are of little value during the summer months. Alfalfa and sweet clover make the best summer pasture. Rape is a good summer pasture, and also a good fall pasture to be used in the corn field where hogging down is practiced. Good hog pasture means larger pork profits.

Portable Hog House Is Considered as Sanitary

The portable hoghouse largely solves the problem of keeping hogs in sanitary quarters. When a large number of animals are continuously fed in one building and fed in and around this house all the time, the surroundings are sure to become more or less filthy and unsanitary at certain seasons of the year. But by using the portable houses they can be moved occasionally to a fresh piece of ground and unsanitary conditions avoided. The portable houses can be used on any sized farm, as the number of buildings should be regulated to the size of the herd, so as to avoid any crowding or piling up. For the renter who does not find sufficient shelter on the farm for his herd of swine, the portable house is peculiarly advantageous, since it can be readily moved when he goes to another farm.

Radio Program WBAP THE FORT WORTH, TEXAS STAR-TELEGRAM

(Class B Station.) DAILY FEATURES. 476 Meters.

9 a. m.—Opening and present cotton grain quotations on the New York, New Orleans and Chicago Markets.

10:57 a. m.—U. S. time ticks.

11 a. m.—Late cotton and grain livestock flashes from the quotations; St. Louis and Kansas City Chicago, St. Department of Agriculture markets by wire. Fruits and vegetable quotations. United States division forecast and Cotton States weather report.

12 noon—Late market quotations.

1 p. m.—Late cotton and grain quotations. Cotton worth cattle market.

3 p. m.—Fort Worth grain. Fort et. Fort Worth cases. Bradstreet's Worth produce market. Saturday afternoon outlook (on review of cotton).

4 p. m.—Financial review of cotton, grain, bonds, stocks, etc., market. Dun's financial outlook (on Saturday afternoons).

5 p. m.—Major League baseball scores and Texas League results as of this hour.

6:30 p. m.—Texas League scores and detailed story of the Fort Worth game.

7:30 p. m.—Final baseball results and 9:30 p. m.—Sport summary report news review. Southwest road report by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce automotive bureau.

Saturday Only. 7 to 7:30 p. m.—Bible class and review of the interdenominational Sunday school lesson by Mrs. W. F. Barnum, leader of the Barnum Bible Class of the First Methodist Church.

Sunday. 11 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.—Complete services of the First Methodist Church, Rev. J. W. Bergin, pastor; Will Foster, organist.

5 p. m.—Major league baseball scores and Texas League as of that hour.

6:30 p. m.—Texas League scores and detailed story of Fort Worth game.

7:30 p. m.—Final sport summary. (Saturday and Sunday night observed as silent and 9:30 period omitted on these nights.)

(Musical programs discontinued Aug 1 to Sept. 17. 7:30 and 9:30

Notice.

Texas Panhandle and Gulf Railroad Company hereby gives notice that on July 20, 1923, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., its application for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity require or will require the construction of a line of railroad from Tucumcari, Quay County, New Mexico, to Seymour, Baylor County, Texas, a distance of approximately 303 miles; also the construction of a line of railroad from Perrin, Jack County, Texas, to the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, a distance of approximately 57 miles. The total length of lines proposed to be constructed is approximately 360 miles. TEXAS PANHANDLE and GULF RAILROAD COMPANY.

The Anti-Saloon League was founded by Dr. Howard H. Russell, at Oberlin, Ohio, in 1893. It does not consider its work finished and "will agitate for real enforcement of the dry law throughout the country."

For every dollar invested in the Arizona campaign for prairie-dog eradication in 1922, there was a fifteen-dollar return in the value of farm products saved from destruction by these pests, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture.

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Local and Personal News

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

Willie Guest returned Monday from California.

C. R. Singer was an Amarillo visitor Sunday.

Miss Bess Moseley left for Dallas Tuesday night.

Bill Cowan of Estelline was a Memphis visitor Friday.

Rea Martin left for the Eastern markets last Friday.

Dr. W. Wilson and wife returned from Houston Tuesday.

R. S. Greene left Wednesday night for the Eastern markets.

J. L. Bain of Clarendon was in Memphis Saturday on business.

Frank Cope of Deep Lake was in Memphis Wednesday on business.

Pete Morton of Quannah is visiting Judge W. Ona Morton here this week.

Mae Murray in "Jazzmania," at Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thorne of Dallas are visiting friends here this week.

Tob Holman of Lelia Lake was in Memphis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mae Murray in "Jazzmania," at Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Robinson are visiting relatives at Vernon week.

T. N. Baker of Deep Lake returned from Mineral Wells Friday of last week.

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Brownie Roberts of Vernon came to Memphis Friday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. T. M. McMurry returned last Friday from a visit with relatives in Dumas.

Mrs. Willie Ben Baldwin went to Clarendon Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

Jack Bumpus and family of Capeville are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neely this week.

S. L. Whaley of Clayton, New Mexico, visited his brother, Rev. Chas. T. Whaley, last week.

Mrs. W. W. Clark and sons, of Waco, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Clark this week.

J. M. Dalton and family left Tuesday morning for an extended visit at Long Beach, California.

Buster Montgomery came in from New Mexico Saturday night for a visit with relatives and friends.

For Rent—Dandy suite of rooms for housekeeping, newly papered, fully furnished, sink, close in. Phone 238.

Seigle and Miss Theina Walker, who have spent a week visiting in Lubbock, returned Tuesday night.

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Mrs. W. B. DeBerry and daughter, Martha, returned Friday from Tena-ha, where they visited relatives and friends.

Fresh potato chips! Buy them from your grocers. Every package guaranteed. Made in Memphis, by the City Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Saddleton of Fort Worth spent several days here with relatives on their return trip from Colorado.

W. S. Gooch and family left Sunday morning for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma City. They will also visit at points in Arkansas, being away some fifteen days.

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Eugene Letts of Clarendon, who was a 1923 graduate of the Pennsylvania Military College, is spending a few days, on his father's ranch near Parnell.

Miss Dolly Clark and Jude Clark of Hereford, have returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby of Parnell. Lewis Clark accompanied them home to spend his vacation.

Miss Dixie Brewer of Arlington has returned home, after spending a month on the ranch with her sister, Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, of Parnell.

Mrs. J. A. Whaley came in last night from Wichita Falls, where she has been since receiving injuries in an automobile accident several weeks ago.

T. B. Brooks and family returned today from a visit with relatives at Floydada.

M. W. Paschal and P. F. Barnett of Lakeview were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross returned Wednesday morning from the Eastern markets, where they purchased a full supply of dry goods.

B. F. Shepard and family and Dr. J. A. Odum and family left Monday morning for Hereford, where they will spend the week fishing.

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The young son of Glen Thompson, who lives near Plaska, was kicked by a mule Sunday afternoon and

received a painful gash on the lip. Being close to the mule saved the lad from being seriously injured.

S. E. Ross and family left Monday for Texline and Clovis, New Mexico, for a visit with relatives. They will also visit at Las Vegas and other points in Northern New Mexico.

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Mrs. O. R. Weaver and children came in last week from Lockney to join her husband who is manager of the Service Filling Station here.

E. M. Dennis and family left last Friday morning for Cook county, where they will visit relatives for some two weeks.

Howard Wren of Wichita Falls came in Monday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wren.

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Prof. Z. A. Cox of Newlin, and Doc Cox and family of Eli left Friday morning for Cook county for a ten days visit with their parents.

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Andrew Jay and family returned Tuesday from Quannah, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Hanna Moore and Ripple Frazier, who have visited with the Greene family the past two weeks, left for their home at Dallas, Sunday night.

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S. B. Foxhall and wife of Jack-boro, have moved here. Mr. Foxhall will engage himself in the cotton buying business.

Junior B. Y. P. U.

Subject: Story of Ruth and Naomi. Introduction—Jewell Ragsdale. Three Widows of Moab.—Emma D. Morgan. Naomi Decides to go Home.—Olive R. Ewen. Ruth's Choice.—Ruth Bancroft. Back in Bethlehem.—Sydney Sale. The First Day at Home.—J. T. White. Gleaning in Boaz's Field.—Eibel L. Ballew. A Happy Ending.—Beatrice White.

REDUCED RATES TO AMARILLO FAIR GIVEN

Reduced rates on round trip tickets to the Amarillo Tri-State Exposition have been granted over the Santa Fe and Fort Worth and Denver City railway lines and it is expected that announcement of reduced rates on the Rock Island will be made soon, according to S. J. Cole, who has been handling traffic matters for the organization.

Special rates of one and one-third fare for round trips have been secured on the Santa Fe lines south to Sweetwater, north to Waynoka, Oklahoma, and west to Carlsbad and Fort Sumner, N. M. The same rate applies on the Fort Worth and Denver City railway from Fort Worth to Texline and it is expected that inter-state points in points in New Mexico will be announced soon.

A TRIBUTE.

A tribute to Warren G. Harding from the heart of the West:

Our land today is bowed in grief,
And well it might be so;
The pilot of our "Ship of State"
Has "crossed the bar," you know.

A stately prince of quiet mien,
A neighbor good and true,
A lover of his fellow-man;
The captain of our crew.

His love was wide, as the world is wide,
His thought the earth did span,
His heart was big enough to touch
The life of every man.

But great as was his kindly soul,
Upon this transient sphere,
He rose to grand, immortal heights,
When death released him here.

We say that he was stricken down,
Amidst affairs of men,
'Tis all too true, but still we know,
He's risen up again.

From President of the greatest State
That mortal man has trod,
He goes as our ambassador
To the council halls of God.

So comrade, friend and statesman, too
From your eternal home,
Lead on! Lead kindly light,
To Christ upon His throne.

Then fare-you-well our captain, true
O, prince among the best!
And hear, if you can, our sobbing heart,
A Tribute from the West.

—HOWARD A. FINCH.

MEMPHIS BOY WINS GOLD PIECE BY NAMING ELEPHANT

In a recent contest launched by the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Larry Thompson, a Memphis boy, won the \$5 gold piece offered. George Clarke, Fort Worth Park Commissioner, upon purchasing a large elephant for Forest Park Zoo, lacking a name for the animal, took this method of getting a name. The name submitted by Larry was "Queen Tut."

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45, S. T. Harrison, superintendent.

Preaching both hours by the pastor, 11:00 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

W. M. U. meets Monday 4:00 p. m., Mrs. Houghton, president.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8:15.

Choir practice Thursday 8:15 p. m., Mrs. Houghton, director.

Sunbeams meet at 2:00 p. m.

Senior and Intermediate Unions meet at 7:00 p. m.

In spite of the very hot weather we are having good crowds at these services. Yet, there is room for improvement.

You are cordially invited to attend services at this church. You will always find a hearty welcome.

—Chas. T. Whaley, Pastor.

O. B. BURNETT LOSES GRAIN WHEN BIG BARN BURNS AT DUMAS SUNDAY NIGHT

Dumas, August 13.—Damage of possibly \$5,000 to \$6,000 was suffered by O. B. Burnett, when a large barn at his ranch, a mile northwest of Dumas was burned at 11:30 o'clock Sunday night. Cause of the fire is unknown.

Mr. Burnett had about 4,000 bushels of wheat and oats, recently threshed in the barn. About 1,000 bushels of grain were saved. The barn was well built and was considered very valuable.

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Relieved of Army Service

The work of demoting and recharging 1,858 American army officers has been completed by the War Department. The elimination included 23 colonels, 39 lieutenant colonels, 110 majors, 345 captains and 201 first lieutenants from promotion list branches of the army, and 101 officers from the medical corps, 64 from the dental corps and 23 from the veterinary corps, 66 from the medical administration corps and 41 from the chaplain corps.

Murderer Traced by Handkerchief.

Few murderers escape some penalty or other, even the most careful. A strangling mystery two years old has just been solved by means of a handkerchief the murderer stuffed in the mouth of his victim in her apartment in the Rue des Filatiers, Paris. When a robber was arrested recently for holding up a teller of the Bank of France he gave a previous address in the Rue des Filatiers. The handkerchief was then taken all over France and shown to his relatives and friends. Finally, at Carcassonne, his sister unsuspectingly admitted she had embroidered it for him.

Music Class.

I will start a class in piano, September 3, and would be glad to see you and discuss the work which will begin at that time. Call 332.

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Program.

August 17, to August 24.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—

Wm. Fox presents Tom Mix in "Stepping Fast," with the "Leather Pushers."

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—

Metro presents Mae Murray in "Jazzmania."

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—

Goldwyn presents an all-star cast in "His Back Against the Wall."

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27-inch extra smooth grade, good assortment of patterns in checks and plaids. Extra special, per yard 12 1/2c

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Every pair carries a guarantee to be satisfactory or money refunded. Special per pair 10c

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TEXAS

Neighborhood News

Openings of Interest and Personal Mention from Surrounding Communities as Gathered by Democrat Correspondents.

Hulver Hints

Lane and family are at visiting relatives. Mrs. and Mrs. Aulcy Pace and...

Elite Incidents

There isn't much news this week. Most every one is helping put the concrete floor in the church building.

QUEER STUNTS BY WIRELESS

Cause of "Freakishness" in Messages is Being Studied, but Appears Hard to Explain.

There are still many mysteries about wireless, and one of its most striking facts as a science is its freakishness.

The mystery of what are known as "dead" spots is receiving special attention. One of the most troublesome of these spots is to be found over the Red sea, a day out from Aden.

Other localities are known as "screened" zones. In these the presence of iron or other ore in the earth is believed to be the source of the trouble.

Some zones are remarkable for their conductivity. This quality is particularly noticeable in Pacific and Australian waters.

Telephonic Advance.

The marvelous strides being made in the radio world will soon make it possible to talk to Europe by telephone, according to the research engineer of a Newark radio company.

Great Brain!

The examination was in full swing. The papers had been handed out and the candidates were knitting their brows over the questions.

Dobbs was among them and, after reading one of the questions, he smiled and finally took the paper up to the examiner.

"There is a mistake in one of the questions," he said, with a superior air.

"Indeed," was the reply. "I am obliged to you for pointing it out."

"It occurs in No. 9, in which insufficient data are given," went on Dobbs.

"I don't see any error," said the examiner, as he scrutinized the paper.

"Why, sir," cried Dobbs, triumphantly. "It says 'from one milestone to the next,' but it doesn't say the distance between them."

Before Clothing Becomes Paper.

When we have in mind the fact that writing papers are made from our old clothes, we rarely stop to consider that these discarded garments also have buttons, buckles, hooks and eyes, which cannot be made into paper.

MARKET NEWS IS SENT OVER U. S.

Whole Country Now Included in Federal Service.

BY LEASED WIRE AND RADIO

Extension of the market news service of the United States Department of Agriculture, involving the establishment of one of the largest commercial leased telegraph wire and radio telegraph systems in the world, has been announced by the Department of Agriculture.

Additional branch offices for reporting the markets on fruits and vegetables will be opened this month at Denver, Salt Lake City, Portland and Atlanta. Offices are now located at San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Authority for extension of the department's service is contained in the appropriations voted by the last congress providing for an increase of about \$300,000 to carry on the work, making a total approximately of \$7,000,000.

Under present extensions of the service the leased wire system will cover approximately 7,000 miles. The circuit will extend from Boston south to Washington, thence west to San Francisco or Los Angeles.

The leased wire circuits are in operation from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily except Sundays, and through development of code systems are more intensively used than any other leased wire system in existence.

Controlled from Washington.

All traffic is scheduled and controlled by the Washington office and is transmitted simultaneously to all the big market centers. During the night the Washington office receives hundreds of telegrams from railroads reporting the carload movement of perishable commodities over their respective divisions.

Following this information the estimated receipts at live stock markets are dispatched, followed by general reports on live stock, meats and other products, showing supply, demand, wholesale prices and conditions.

At the close of the day market summaries on all commodities are dispatched for release to more than 2,000 newspapers throughout the country. Special reports are also prepared for radio telephone or telegraph broadcasting stations and transmitted to the offices of distribution.

Consuming centers are also advised as to the supplies of various products.

"How We Can Save Fair

Boosters Visit Memphis Tues.

Boosters of Children Receive Hearty Welcome in Memphis.

Twenty-five enthusiastic boosters, traveling by automobile, decorated their trip through the city on their return trip.

Two apples were blown from a tree floated side by side. The water ripples bobbed about and plopped up and rate.

"Gracious," said one, "how we apples can." "You bet," replied the other. "When it comes to nobody has anything on us."

A duck swam swiftly past. A fish darted like a streak a few inches below them.

But the apples kept on congratulating themselves their swimming.

They never noticed the duck or the fish. They never dreamed that their own violent activity was due to the steamboat that plowed along a mile off shore.

Pretty soon the duck was a mile away, the fish two miles and the steamer five miles. But the apples lay right where the wind had blown them.

A lot of us are like the two apples. We splash up and down in the fuss somebody else has started, and think we are swimming.

No man can do our swimming for us.

Every man has to swim for himself.—Walter J. Berg, in National Printer-Journalist.

Especially will this apply to the small business man, who never advertises. He bobs about in the waves made by the advertiser and manages to exist, but his progress is unnoticeable, his business dull and unprofitable.

Increase your business by advertising in—

The Memphis Democrat

BAND CONTEST

WILL DRAW MANY BANDS TO FAIR

Contest Will Be Held Under New Regulations. Panhandle Convention May Be Organized.

A band contest, which will be a drawing card and a feature of entertainment to hundreds, will be held in Memphis in connection with the Hall County District Fair.

The contest will be managed entirely different to anything that has been held in this section, in-so-far as no cash prizes will be offered.

"In the average band contest, as held in a number of cities in Texas in the past few years, money purses were offered and each band had to go to considerable expense to make the trip and enter the contest.

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the bands will be entertained at Broom's Park, where other conveniences will be provided.

Doesn't Like California.

Members of The Democrat: returned from Southern California Tuesday night, August 9. Two to California this year convince them that Hall county is a white man's county, and hard to beat, even though it has sandstorms and other drawbacks.

If a man appreciates his family it is no place to take them to live. One yard of silk ribbon will make two bathing suits in California. Well, I won't tell half I know, but it is no place.

Your truly, E. D. BROWN.

The farmer girls of Holland wash their faces with whey to improve their complexions.

Gift of the Desert



by **Randall Parrish**

SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I—On the isolated Meager ranch, on the southern border, Deborah Meredith, trained nurse, in attendance on Mrs. Meager, whose husband has recently been killed, victim of an accident. Immediately after the death, Bob Meager, Mrs. Meager's nephew, arrives and takes possession. He insults Deborah and she resolves to leave, but there seems no possibility of her getting away, alone.

CHAPTER II—Meager gloats over Deborah's plight, telling her he has sent for a justice of the peace, who will marry them tomorrow. Horrified, the girl secures a revolver.

CHAPTER III—The justice, Cornelius Garrity, scoundrel and boon friend of Meager, arrives with a party, among them the "Frisco Kid," notorious desperado. The girl locks herself up.

CHAPTER IV—Forced by Bob, Mrs. Meager deposes Deborah from the room. Despite her protests the justice performs the marriage ceremony. Immediately afterward, she escapes and returns to her room.

CHAPTER V—Meager seeks the horse she stuns him with the revolver and rushes to the stables, hoping to secure a horse and escape, anywhere from Meager, if she must fly to the desert. In the stables she finds the "Frisco Kid." Somehow he has a horse, with confidence and she takes the situation, not having a prayer at the wedding.

CHAPTER VI—The "Kid" tells her name is Daniel Kelleen, that he is a friend of Meager, and securing two horses, the pair ride into the desert.

CHAPTER VII—Alone with Kelleen, the girl becomes somewhat apprehensive, but he tells her of his service record, where Deborah had been a nurse, and she puts full faith in him.

required, fortunate enough to discover a small sack in which it could be conveniently transported.

The effort had proven easy and safe so far, and her heart beat hopefully as she emerged from the kitchen, thus equipped. Now if she could only procure a horse, escape actually appeared possible. Doubtless the ranch horses had all been turned loose in the large corral. She had no means of catching these half-broken animals, but it might be that the horses ridden by the party arriving during the evening had been put up in the stable, ready for immediate use. These were weary enough from their desert trip when they arrived, but that was hours ago; they must have been fed and watered since, and, with the rest, would be fairly fit by this time for another journey. They were wiry broncos, able to endure any amount of hardship. It was then she remembered the horse the "Frisco Kid" had been riding. Even in the darkness she had marked the fine, blooded lines of the animal, the far better condition in which he appeared to be. If she could only lay hands on him.

"Frisco Kid" What had ever become of the fellow? She wondered as she slowly made her way down the slope, keeping as far from the bunkhouse as possible. She had neither seen nor heard of him since that first meeting with Meager. Perhaps he was among those drunken dogs in the living room, sleeping off their carousal; yet somehow she did not believe it. Somehow his voice and manner had strangely impressed her as different; he did not belong with that crew. Outlaw, desperado, she knew him to be, a man with a price on his head, yet surely he was no drunken, roving brute. He had not even gone into the house; she was sure of that now, remembering clearly. He had led the horses away, while the other two entered with Meager. Nor had he returned later; not at least while she was at the window, and he was not in attendance at the wedding.

Then the truth suddenly occurred to her—the man was hiding out. He dare not risk drinking, or being shut up in a house. He was a hunted creature, watchful of treachery in every human being. He could trust to no one, not even his companions in crime; there was a reward for him, dead or alive. He would be out yonder in the dark somewhere, alone, he and his horse, waking at the slightest sound. Perhaps he would be the one she needed to fear the most, when the pursuit started. These thoughts flashed swiftly through her mind, almost unconsciously, as she stole forward silently through the shadows. She passed a figure lying in the trail, too drunk even to reach the bunkhouse, but as she crept past the open door she saw no signs of any occupants within. Except for the few line-riders, and that outlaw hiding in some thicket of chaparral, the whole personnel of the ranch were stupefied with liquor, indifferent to any occurrence going on about them.

A bit reckless now, because of this knowledge, the girl ventured through the great open door of the stable, and began groping her way forward searching the stalls. The first was empty, and, as she started to advance toward the second, she came to a sudden pause, with heart leaping into her throat—there had been a sound at her left, a rustling of straw, as though something had made a quick movement. She listened intently, drawing a breath of relief at the succeeding silence. No doubt it was a horse striding, or possibly a rat. Then a wolf snore sternly not three feet away.

"Put up your hands! Who are you? What are you doing in here?"

She obeyed instinctively, too frightened to even speak, dropping the bag to the floor, forgetting completely the revolver buckled about her waist.

A hand reached forward out of the darkness and gripped her upraised arm; she was conscious of the close presence of a man, yet for the instant retained no power of movement.

"Why don't you speak?" said the same voice, impatiently, evidently angered at her silence. "What are you sneaking about in here for? Well, I'll be d-d!" his tone changing. "If I don't believe it's a woman."

"It is a woman," she managed to reply falteringly. "But—but does that make any difference?"

He laughed, a certain relief evidenced in the sound although he did not in any way relax his vigilance. "Well, I confess it might," he admitted, "for you are a most unusual thing for almost anything else. You belong with this outfit!"

"To the Meager ranch, you mean? Yes—that is, I have been employed here. You—you are not a Mexican, are you?"

And what's more, if you want to be square with me, I'll play fair on my side. You believe that?"

"I shall have to; it wouldn't do me any good to lie."

"I reckon not; so let's get it over with; who are you?"

"Deborah Meredith," she explained, rather eagerly. "I—I am a professional nurse; my home is in Chicago. Tom Meager employed me to come out here and take care of his wife. Are you a friend of Bob Meager's?"

The man chuckled, and she knew he had put away the weapon he had held in his hand.

"Well, he's got an idea that I am. We've run about together a bit, I admit; which confession maybe is no recommendation to you."

"No. It is not."

"I thought likely it wouldn't be. So you and Bob are not good friends?"

"I despise and hate him; he is a drunken brute."

"Granted freely; but if you feel that way, why did you remain here on the ranch?"

"Because I have had no chance to get away since his father died. I could not desert my patient, and besides, had no reason to suppose Bob would come back and take possession. He was a fugitive from justice; his father had lost all faith in him, and—and I had reason to believe he had been shut out from all right to this property."

"You had reason to believe? What reason? I am not asking merely from curiosity; I want to understand the entire situation. I already have an idea what this means; you are endeavoring to escape alone?"

"It seemed my only chance," she confessed. "But I am talking with a stranger; perhaps I trust you too much. You are not employed here?"

"No; I just blew in last night."

"What is your name?"

"Daniel Kelleen."

"You are not a cow-puncher surely? You—you have education?"

He laughed good-humoredly. "Nevertheless, I am quite accustomed to cow-punching. Perhaps I've had a trifle more schooling than some of the boys. Now let me have the straight of this affair, and then we'll get busy. Tell it to me from the first."

Deborah stared at the man's dim outline through the darkness. If she could only see the expression of his face, she must trust him blindly, absolutely; he could defend or betray her at his own will. So clear was this situation she scarcely hesitated.

"Yes, I will tell you, Daniel Kelleen," she said gravely. "I must trust someone, and you seem to be the one sent. All I know of you is that you are an American. I am an American also, and a woman. If that does not appeal to you, then nothing else will. I have told you already who I am and how I came here. The remainder of the story is brief. I have had nothing to do with Bob Meager since he returned, immediately after his father's sudden death. There was no opportunity for me to leave the ranch, so I remained in care of Mrs. Meager. Until last evening I never even encountered Bob but once. Then he came unexpectedly into his step-mother's room. He was brutal and insulting to us both. After that I kept out of his way, and he apparently ignored my presence entirely. I did not notice, however, that he was getting rid of all the old employees on the ranch, and replacing them with Mexicans. Evidently he wanted no Americans about him."

"I understand; not his kind."

"So I thought, but with no conception that this change had any reference to me."

"It did have, then?"

"So it seems now. He came upon me suddenly alone last evening. There was no chance for me to get away, and I had to listen to what he said. She dropped her face into her hands, but instantly lifted it again, and went on, her voice strengthening with indignation. Kelleen made no movement.

"He—he was not even decent about what he had to say. I was merely a chattel he had to deal with, a slave to use as he pleased. It doesn't sound true, but it is true, every word."

I tried to explain to the man who came to marry us, but he wouldn't listen. He was just a creature Bob Meager had picked up to serve him."

"Sure! I know him—Garrity; he'd murder his mother for a drink of booze."

"But is he really a judge?"

"He's a justice of the peace down at Nogales."

"Then I was really married? It—it was legal?"

"Damn if I know about that. I think likely the whole outfit would swear you consented. Who were in the gang?"

"Juan Sanchez, a ranch foreman, and a black-faced fellow who came out from Nogales."

"Arvid; they'd swear anything Bob says."

"I've—I've killed him!"

He picked up a saddle from the bed of hay on which he had been resting; found another hanging on a stake driven into a beam, and with both swung carelessly over his shoulder, emerged through the open door into the starlight. Deborah followed closely, a few feet behind, giving lightness to her step. She was no longer alone, unguided; something about the words and actions of the man brought confidence. The situation was plainly no novelty to him; he had been a fugitive before and had learned every trick in the hard school of experience. Whatever had happened, to Bob Meager, it was clearly evident the fellow had not yet recovered consciousness, and it was hardly likely his windows would become aroused until he sounded the alarm. The way of escape still remained open, but no one could tell for how long. Success might hang upon moments. Kelleen's keen eyes searched the deep shadows anxiously, but his lips smiled in satisfaction.

"It's all right," he whispered confidently. "You ride, don't you?"

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to hide then in the rough; but than later.

"You mean alone (together)?"

"That's the way. I don't know more, I reckon with me. I ain't got nothing to say, I'm going to play it safe. I'll bring you in one way or another, feel that you can't do the best thing for yourself is to stay here, and I'm going to take care of you're of a mind to go with me."

"You think I am his partner, that he is really alive?"

"I haven't a doubt of it. I am going to proceed on the one we have, if he recovers from that rap you gave him, he is going to lead us a merry chase."

Every minute of a start we get is better. But I want you to be straight—will you go with me?"

There was an eager earnestness in his voice of which she was fully aware. He was a scoundrel, yet some way this did frighten her. The one vision of Bob Meager, drunk and grasping her arm, dominated all else, and she was carelessly of any lesser danger. This impulsively she thrust out her hand in silent protest.

"You mean yes?"

"I mean yes. I trust you fully, absolutely. I will do exactly as you say."

"It is bound to be some test, young lady," he returned gravely, releasing her hand, and rising to his feet. "But I reckon I won't let you regret it. Nobody ever trusted Dan Kelleen yet and found him a piker. We're partners now; let's go."

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Fair Boosters Visit Memphis Tues.

Boosters of Child Receive Hearty in Memphis.

BAND CONTEST WILL DRAW MANY BANDS TO FAIR

Contest Will Be Held Under New Regulations. Panhandle Convention May Be Organized.

A band contest, which will be a drawing card and a feature of entertainment to hundreds, will be held in Memphis in connection with the Hall County District Fair. Bands from all over the Panhandle-Plains country are expected to enter the contest here.

The contest will be managed entirely different to anything that has been held in this section, in-so-far as no cash prizes will be offered. All expenses will be paid by the fair association, except transportation costs and the bands will compete for honors only, according to information received from Manager G. A. Sager.

"In the average band contest, as held in a number of cities in Texas in the past few years, money purses were offered and each band had to go to considerable expense to make the trip and enter the contest. The bands winning first prize in each class do not barely enough money out of it to pay their expenses, while the bands of a fortunate were out their expenses and got nothing," says Mr. Sager.

The contest will be different, will be no cash prizes offered. Bands competing for the honor, but the fair association will be paid to stand all expenses. Organizations while in our city, competing band will be out transportation here and back. As most of them can come, the contest will be light," he continues.

The bands will be entered at Broom's Park, where the fair is being held. Other conveniences we have our own. All meals will be provided for the bands. I have had to work pretty hard, as this country wasn't built up, and it made it hard for us. I wish I could tell weak women of Cardui—the medicine that helped give me the strength to go on and do my work."



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Local and Personal News

Five Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

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Bess Moseley left for Dallas... owan of Estelline was a Mentor Friday...

Martin left for the Eastern... last Friday...

W. Wilson and wife returned... Houston Tuesday...

Greene left Wednesday night... Eastern markets...

Bain of Clarendon was in... his Saturday on business...

nk Cope of Deep Lake was in... his Wednesday on business...

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Bus... New visit...

For... fully 238.

Seigle and Miss Thelma... who have spent a week...

Board and Room... fully decorated, cool...

Vulcanizing and free crank-case... service. Super Service Filling Station...

Miss Murray... "Jazzmania," Monday and Tuesday...

Mrs. W. B. DeBerry and daughter... returned Friday from...

Fresh potato chips... from your grocer...

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Handing Eggplants With Gloves.

So sensitive is an eggplant that the... mere warmth of bare fingers pressing...

Bolivar Broad Brayings

By Byrie L. Beach

Kind and patient readers, you will... the most of you harmonize that this...

is a rather delicate as well as em... barrassing subject to be discussed in...

the papers, owing to a certainty that... about 99 per cent of us have met...

this wily little animal either at home... or abroad, and the unlucky one per...

cent wont get anywhere if they at... tempt to act innocent by asking...

questions about the peculiar traits... and characteristics of such a well...

met pest as the American Bed Bug, Esq.

The American bed bug is the most... unscrupulous and blood-thirsty ani...

mal with which we have often had... to put up with. He has caused more...

embarrassment and sleepless nights... than the bonds of matrimony. He...

has been responsible for thousands... of hotel proprietors throwing up...

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All will acquiesce that he is ext... remely cowardly owing to the fact...

that he never appears in the open... to make the attack, but does all...

of his dirty work under cover and... in the shadow of darkness. He will...

scamper away back to his bar after... each reconnoiter, to return again...

after snores are resumed. His choi... ce of foods is the raw blood of hu...

man beings.

While not quite as robust as the... well known land terrapin, yet he is...

physically able to put to flight, prize... fighters, highwaymen and gladiators.

I am now reminded of that oft told... story:

An Englishman, a recent arrival... in an American city, was very fond...

of derogating the American product... with the rather bold statement: "O...

that's nothing, we can beat that in... the old country." The hotel prop...

rietor where the Englishman was an... chored, grew tired of the banter...

so he went out and secured a mediu... sized snapping turtle and placed...

same in the bed of the Englishman... When the boasting gentleman retir...

ed for the night, the turtle rently... took him by the toe, causing quite...

a commotion and a call to the prop... rietor for assistance. When the hot...

el keeper reached the room the exci... ted one exclaimed: "My dear man,...

what may we have here?" Answer: "That's... an American bed bug, sir. Can you...

beat that in the old country?"

The associate or relative of the... American bed bug is the modern...

jelly bean or masher. However, the... bed bug, rattle snake and the very...

Devil himself, are all first class... gentlemen when compared with that...

male beast or insect known as the... Jelly Bean or Masher, which vile...

creature possesses enough human... instinct to emulate man in the we...

aring of clothes. It has the counte... nance of the egg-sucking pot hound...

and the conscience of the blue sky... or crooked oil stock peddler, of...

the type recently sent to prison for... a few years when they should have...

been headed or given several very... severe shocks in the electric chair.

The old wolf in the sheep wearing... apparel was never better emulated...

than by this nauseating skunk or... imitation of man, who, with his...

yellow-stained fingers and disapp... eared eye, sneaks about our street...

corners to prey upon the unsuspecti... ng and inexperienced, and whose...

highest ambition is to punch another... hole in his ticket to hell, which...

country is by far too nice a place... for his future abode.

The small town is blessed by reason... of the scarcity of this heinous...

beast.

BOLIVAR BROAD. (Copyright 1923, by Byrie L. Beach)

Nineteen thousand insects are re... quired to make one pound of coch...

neal dye. Only the bodies of the... females are used. They are wing...

less and each one produces over... 1,000 young which spread over the...

plants rapidly.

It is White House etiquette for... the President to be served first...

at dinner. The Japanese are not... affected by the act of Congress...

of 1919, granting naturalization... rights to any persons of foreign...

birth who served in the army or... navy during the World War, Fed...

eral Judge Lowell, of Boston, ruled... recently. He said that it was...

the settled policy of the United... States not to admit any Japanese...

to citizenship.

A. Owsley Stanley, United States... Senator from Kentucky, says: "There...

is not at this hour left a single... 'inestimable privilege' or 'inalien...

able right' mentioned in the Decla... ration of Independence and secured...

by the Constitution which is not... openly invaded or secretly under...

mined by some paternalistic proj... ect or subversive propaganda."

The whaling industry is very prom... ising this season. Whales are re...

ported early and plentiful on the... grounds, the whale oil market is...

on the climb, and the demand for... canned whale meat has become so...

pronounced that the prospective... pack of the British

Columbia whalers is already dispo... sed of. The canned whale meat is...

most-ly distributed from England.

More than 200 species of plants... yield latex from which rubber may...

be obtained.

Emilio Aguinaldo, Jr. the son of... the former Philippine rebel leader...

was graduated from Phillips Andover... Academy recently. He plans to...

enter the Naval Academy at Annapo... lis in the autumn.