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## CANDIDATES FOR U. S. SENATE TO SPEAK HERE

Will Speak Monday Night  
Thomas Tuesday Night  
On May 8 and 9.

The candidates for the United States Senate will address Hall county at the court house here next week.

Clarence Ousley will speak at 8 o'clock on Monday night, May 8. Hon. Cullen Thomas will speak at the same time on Tuesday night, May 9.

These are eloquent speakers and entertainers and it is hoped that the other candidates in this class will probably speak here and will have big audiences.

It is the office to which these men are the highest in the gift of the State and, under present conditions, is perhaps the most important.

The voters owe it to themselves to get all the information possible concerning each candidate and the issues involved. A United States senator serves six years, without the power of re-election, and the power of re-election is no way to correct a mistake in selecting the wrong man until his term has expired.

W. A. ...  
County Judge of Hall

Bridge Contract Let  
The contract to reconstruct the bridge across Parker Creek, on Main street was let last Friday by the Commissioners' Court, Butler Morrison was the successful bidder. The city and city are to share the cost of repair work which will cost approximately \$10,000 including work and material.

FILED TO OUST SHERIFF AT BEAUMONT  
Beaumont, April 26.—A suit to oust Sheriff T. H. Garner for Jefferson County from office because of membership in the Ku Klux Klan was filed today in sixtieth district court.

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The Federation yesterday voted to require a poll tax receipt from every delegate to the 1923 convention. A resolution adopted urging formation of a branch of the Texas nonpartisan political conference in every town and county in the state.

The convention also voted to ask the American Federation of Labor to send a national organizer to West Texas and to ask the Mexican Federation of Labor to organize Mexican workers on this side of the border.

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## FARM BUREAU MEETING ELECTS DELEGATES TO DISTRICT CONVENTION

New District Embracing Entire Panhandle Created When State Is Re-Districted.

At a meeting of the Hall County Farm Bureau, held last Saturday afternoon at the court house, four delegates and alternates, two from each commissioner's precinct, were elected to the district convention to be held here next Saturday afternoon, April 29.

The delegates and alternates are as follows: Precinct 1, C. F. Stout, E. M. Ewing, alternate; Precinct 2, W. E. Murdock, J. T. Dennis alternate; Precinct 3, Jim Grace, J. W. Eddins alternate; Precinct 4, U. F. Coker, P. W. Webster alternate.

Fred Boon was selected as a delegate to represent Hall county at the State meeting to be held in July. This new district, created when the State was recently re-districted, embraces the twenty-six counties of the Panhandle and ten counties immediately south, a total of thirty-six counties.

A director for the district will be elected at the district meeting to be held here next Saturday.

## EDISON, BRYAN AND FORD ARE PLAYED AT PRESBYTERIAN UNION

Chicago, April 21.—Dr. Silas Evans, president of Ripon College, Ripon, Wisconsin, presented his objections to the educational views of some specialists like Henry Ford, Thomas Edison and William Jennings Bryan, at a meeting of the Presbyterian Union last night.

"Henry Ford knows more about automobiles than I do," said Dr. Evans, "but I know more about the history of the United States about which he is trying to instruct this nation."

"William Jennings Bryan, politician, some times a statesman, is beyond his depth when he begins to teach science and evolution."

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## SERVICES OF COUNTY AGENT ARE FREE

Report That Services in Terracing, Poultry Culling Charged for, Without Foundation.

It appears that, for some cause or other, the report is out that in order for the farmers to get the services of the County Agent to assist them in terracing and poultry culling, that they will have to pay extra for these services. We do not know how this report got started, and we wish to state that this report is not true, and at no time has such charges been made, and no such charges would be permitted by the Extension Department and the Commissioners' Court.

It is the duty of the County Agricultural agent to assist the farmers of the county in any way that he can, not only in terracing and poultry work but in any manner he can in the upbuilding of the farm and farm home, also to assist any organization that has for its object the upbuilding of the county in any way. To assist in securing and breeding better live stock selecting better field seeds and improving the farmstead. It is the privilege of any citizen of this county to call on the county agent at any time for any advice that they may need in regard to their farm problems. Such assistance and advice will be gladly rendered and no charges made. We trust that any citizen of this county will feel free to call on the county agent for any assistance that he can render them, we would be pleased to have you call at the office or write him at any time that you like to have his services.

W. A. McINTOSH,  
County Judge of Hall County, Texas.

## Arrested, Charged with Forgery.

C. R. Boland was arrested at Memphis Wednesday evening and brought back to Wellington and lodged in jail on a charge of forgery. He had forged Mr. J. W. Singley's name to an order to the bank to deliver to him two \$500 Liberty Bonds. After securing the bonds he left town and the officers got busy and had him apprehended at Memphis.—Wellington Leader.

## Gross for District Judge.

Judge W. G. Gross, of Childress, announced this week as a candidate for district judge in this district.

Judge Gross is a Panhandle pioneer and has been a prominent attorney in this section for many years.

Jesse R. Killens who is to conduct the annual revival of the Main Street Church of Christ, beginning August 1, has just closed a revival at Yakima, Washington with 414 additions.

## NATIONAL GUARD TO BAR KLANSMEN

Oklahoma City, April 24.—A general order directed specifically against the Ku Klux Klan and declaring that there is no room in the Oklahoma National Guard for any officer or man who owes allegiance to any power, secret organization or society that might become arrayed against the United States or the State of Oklahoma and its laws, was issued here Saturday by Governor J. B. A. Robertson and made public yesterday.

## News Around the County Court House

Court Doings, Official Acts and the Happenings in General About the County Capitol.

## Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been recorded in the clerk's office since last publication:  
Mr. T. L. Stinnett and Miss Eta Baker. Mr. Marvin Dunn and Miss Myrtle Pope. Mr. Robert Jason Mopre and Miss Maggie Boyles. Mr. Dewey Britt and Miss Trudie Miller. Mr. S. W. Morrison and Miss Alta Huckabee.

The criminal docket was taken up in county court this week and several cases disposed of up to today. Next week will be devoted to civil cases.

## CRANE SAYS KLAN ADMITS ITS GUILT

No Defence for Oath Requiring Concealment of Identity, He Says.

Chairman M. M. Crane of the Dallas County Citizens' League said Sunday: "Last week the advocates of the Ku Klux Klan were unusually active. They had two candidates for the United States Senate in the field making speeches, together with some lesser lights. They also imported a man from Georgia, the home of the 'Invisible Emperor.' They did not refer to the case that has been made out against the Ku Klux Klan in Texas. 'The Citizens' League had made the charge that the obligations taken by a klanman when becoming a citizen of the Invisible Empire' was in conflict with the laws of the United States and the State of Texas. To this they pleaded guilty. First by the Dallas klan, en masse, admitting over their own seal that they were not permitted to disclose to the public the names of their fellow-klanmen although that should become necessary in the course of a judicial proceeding either in the State or Federal courts. This was admitted by no less than five of their members when put to the test and each of the five went to jail rather than obey the law of the land."

"One senatorial candidate repeated on last Saturday that he had gotten permission to disclose his membership. 'The Dallas County Citizens' League therefore insisted that by joining the klan and asking that by joining the citizen disabled himself from performing the duties of citizenship in that he put his Ku Klux Klan obligation above the law of the land. They also insisted with emphasis that the obligation disabled a citizen from becoming an officer of either the State or the Nation. To make their confession certain is only necessary to read the printed forms which the Ku Klux Klan ask the applicants to sign before they can become members. 'It reads as follows: 'Application for citizenship in the Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (Incorporated). 'To His Majesty, the imperial wizard, Emperor of the Invisible Empire of the Ku Klux Klan: I, the undersigned, a native-born, true and loyal citizen of the United States of America, being a white male. Gentle person of temperate habits, sound mind and believer in the tenets of the Christian religion, the maintenance of white supremacy and the principles of a 'pure Americanism,' do most respectfully apply for membership in the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan through Klan No. ... Realm of ...

"I guarantee on my honor to conform strictly to all rules and requirements regulating my naturalization and the continuance of my membership and at all times declare strict and loyal obedience to your constitutional authority and laws of the fraternity. If I prove untrue as a klanman I will willingly accept as my portion whatever penalty your authority may impose."

"The required 'kleektoben' accompanies the signed application. 'This application reads very much like an application of any American (Continued on Page 7.)

## TURKEY BUSINESS MEN FAVOR PROPOSED DEAL FOR NEW COURT HOUSE

Communication to Commissioners' Court Through Commercial Club Approves Trade.

It was suggested to the Turkey Commercial Club, by our Commissioner, Mr. S. A. Christian, that we express our views relative to the Commissioners making an exchange of the present courthouse and grounds for a new modern courthouse sufficient to serve the county now and in the future.

After considering the matter very carefully, the Secretary of the Turkey Commercial Club was requested press.

We will state to the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Hall County, Texas to consider the proposed building seriously, and we believe it would be the proper thing to do, provided they could get the proper building, suitable for the needs of the county, now and in the future. Also believe it would be an economical proposition for the entire county.

Respectfully,  
JOHN SHARP,  
Secretary Turkey Commercial Club.

## PRETTY GIRLS IN PANTS MADE BOYS STAMPEDE

Dallas, April 24.—A young co-ed clad in a pair of well tailored khaki knickers, a blue sweater, heavy woolen hose, sport Oxfords and a mannish felt hat, attempted to attend her morning classes today at Southern Methodist University here. A large crowd of boys flocked around her in such a stampede that the young woman was forced to seek refuge in the girls' rest room. The dean of women, Miss Mary B. Murphy, emphatically informed the exponent that she would have to change clothes before she could attend her classes, and the latter left the building amid the applause of the boys.

## AUSTIN KU KLUX DENIED RE-HEARING

Austin, April 26.—The Court of Criminal Appeals today overruled a motion for a re-hearing in the case of J. D. Copeland, Police Commissioner and F. G. Reynolds, clerk of a fraternal order, cited for contempt of court in connection with their alleged refusal to answer questions of the grand jury concerning their membership of others in the Ku Klux Klan.

This final action upon the part of the Court will mean that the men must go to jail and remain there until they answer the questions asked them by the grand jury, it is said.

## False Fire Alarm.

A fire alarm acute by a great volume of black smoke from a trash pile near the Tourist garage brought a big crowd before the source of the smoke was learned.

## FLOOD CAUSES MANY DEATHS AND BIG LOSS AT FORTH WORTH

Deaths Reported To Wednesday Night 62. Stage of River at Dallas 41 Feet.

Flood waters of the Trinity covered vast areas in the vicinity of Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday. Wednesday night the flood was reported receding but more rain was reported.

Rescue parties are working everywhere but only a few of the more than three score missing have so far been found.

The loss of property can not yet be even approximately estimated but will total very large.

A report from Dallas last night says: "The last reading of the gauge on Trinity river tonight showed the water standing at 41 feet 3 inches and rising. That was shortly after 7 o'clock. Latest reports were that the crest of the flood would not be reached until early in the morning. It will be between 42 to 45 feet according to weather bureau reports. Rain has been falling in Dallas and vicinity since early in the evening. Indications are that it will continue throughout the night."

## COTTON CLASSING SERVICE HELP TO COTTON GROWERS

Letters Say Classing Improves Market. Brings Higher Local Grades and Better Prices.

Mr. J. B. Beers, Cotton Classing Specialist Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas co-operating with the U. S. Bureau of Markets is in receipt of a number of letters commending the service in Texas portions of which are reproduced herewith for the information of those interested in this work.

Heretofore cotton brought to Karnes City has classed nothing better than Middling, but this year there has been a good number of Good Middling bales sold in Karnes City. I would like to see the office of Cotton Classer maintained in Karnes City for another year.

I wish to say that I believe that our classer has been the cause of we farmers getting from \$12.50 to \$15.00 per bale more for our cotton and I believe that he has done justice to the work, I am well pleased with his work.

I have taken particular pains to watch the results of having the cotton classed in this county. First, I think it has held the local market up. Second, it has saved a good many dollars to the farmers. Third it has been an education to a good many farmers who have been ignorant and stubborn about having their cotton classed.

I was one of first men of the county to ask for a government classer and heartily endorse the work.

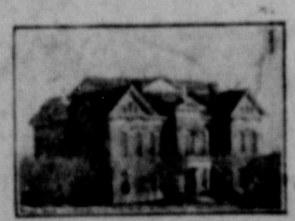
I was in Henderson last Saturday and found by examining some cotton offered for sale, that middling cotton was only bringing 15 3-4 when at the same time middling cotton was selling after classing in Longview for 17 cents. There has been cases where parties offered their cotton on the streets here and were only offered 15 cents and not being satisfied went to the classer and after they were told what they had and what it was worth, went back to the same buyers and sold to them, they raising their own bid to 16 1-2 thereby receiving \$7.50 per bale increase.

Mr. Welch has won the confidence and admiration of all the people of this section and as a result, farmers are bringing cotton to Marshall from adjoining counties to have it properly classed. Mr. Welch has the full confidence of every banker and business man in Marshall and I believe that he is one of the most valuable assets that Marshall has ever had.

All the business men of Marshall continue to feel that this is probably the most valuable asset we have in the county to help our cotton farmers and inspire their confidence in the business element of the town. Heretofore, they have brought in their cotton with no means whatever of knowing either its class or price, and have simply sold it on bids, not knowing at the time whether or not the best bid really meant anywhere near the value of their product. They now have an opportunity, (and I want to say that nine-tenths of the farmers are using it,) of ascertaining intelligently both the grade of the cotton and the value; and instead of going on the market and asking a buyer, "What will you give for my cotton?" he has the courage to say "my cotton is worth so much and I will sell it for that price," and he generally gets his price.

I did not have any cotton classed by the Government Classer until the big rain of September 9th. I had my cotton cut by the buyer; that I had been buying my cotton and when he made the bid I thought it too low, so I drove to the office and had Mr. Webb class the cotton and he sold it to the local buyer for \$11.25 more than I was offered by him. I have had all my cotton classed by him since and feel sure I have made money.—Extension Farm News Service.

The foot and mouth disease is threatening not only the cattle of England but other animals as well. More than 20,000 cattle already have been slaughtered or have died, according to estimates.





"ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW," IS THE SLOGAN OF BLOUSES



THE story of spring blouses repeats the affirmations of its opening chapter, as it develops. We have still to note a preference for simplicity of design in the several styles and the unusual attention commanded by tailored blouses that will serve either for street or sports wear.

greatest demand and are given as long as they are asked for. In every representative display of spring blouses many crepe de chine models are found in all groups, whether "tailored," "costume" or "sports." The pretty costume blouses, as shown here, are made of this exquisite fabric and simply trimmed with beads and for sponsor they look to no less an authority than Paris.

So long as the slogan of most blouse manufacturers is "always something new" we shall have constantly changing expressions of accepted styles. Coherence is given them by the materials and trimmings which are in

POULTRY CACKLES

REDUCE POULTRY FEED BILL

Utilization of Table Scraps and Kitchen Waste is Most Wise and Economical Plan.

Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.

If the chicken flock is to prove an economic success, it must be fed cheaply. All table scraps and kitchen waste should be utilized.

Scraps of meat or leftover vegetables which cannot be utilized in any other way make excellent feed. Many other waste products, such as beet tops, turnip tops, carrot tops, potato parings, onion tops, watermelon and cantaloupe rinds, the outside leaves of cabbages, waste lettuce leaves, and bread and cake crumbs are relished by the hens and can be used to good advantage.

In saving the scraps and waste it is well to separate the portions adapted for feeding to the flock and place these in a receptacle or pull of their own.



Meat Scraps and Waste Vegetables Make Excellent Feed for Chicken Flock.

Decomposed waste material or moldy bread or cake should never be saved to feed to the hens, as it is harmful to them and may cause serious brood trouble. Sloppy materials, such as dishwater, should not be thrown into their pan. It is also useless to put in such things as banana peels or the skins of oranges, as these have little or no food value.

Any sour milk which is not utilized in the house should be given to the chickens. This should be fed separately, however, either by allowing it to clabber on the back of the stove and feeding it in that condition. When the family's table waste is not sufficient for feeding the flock, it is usually possible to get some of the neighbors who keep no hens to save material suitable for feeding. Many people are glad to

POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK IS OBSERVED

May 1 Sees Inaugurated First General Campaign of Kind in Service.

Without the Postal Service, business would languish in a day, and be at a standstill in a week. Public opinion would die of dry rot. Sectional hatred or prejudice only would flourish, and narrow-mindedness thrive.

It is the highest distinctive business in the world and it comes nearer to the innermost interests of a greater number of men and women than any other institution on earth. No private business, however widespread, touches so many lives so often or so sharply; no church reaches into so many souls, flutters so many pulses, has so many human beings dependent on its ministrations.

"Postal Improvement Week" has been set for May 1, by the Postmaster General. This is the first general campaign of its kind in the Postal Service for several decades. Business men and their organizations, large users of the mail, newspapers, motion pictures, advertisers, and the entire organization of 228,000 postal workers are to be enlisted in this country-wide campaign of interest in postal improvements. Your help is vital. Address your letters plainly with pen or typewriter. Give street address. Spell out name of State, don't abbreviate. Put your return address in the upper left hand corner of envelope (not on the back) and always look at your letter before dropping in the mail to see if it is properly addressed. This care in the use of the mails is for your benefit and speeds up the dispatch and delivery of mail matter.

If you have any complaints of poor service make them to your postmaster. He has instructions to investigate them and report to the department.

COURTESY

It sticks in human relations like postage stamps on letters. The POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT expects it to be used by its postmasters and employees in dealing with the public.

Help them in its use beginning with POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK, May 1-6, 1922.

THANK YOU

WITHOUT STREET ADDRESS YOUR MAIL IS DELAYED AT OFFICE OF DELIVERY

The Dead Letter Office has been in existence ever since Ben Franklin started our postal service. Even then people addressed mail to Mr. Ezekiel Sulthens, "Atlantic Coast," and expected Ben to know just where Zekel lived.

Perhaps they had Zekel's address in letters up in the garret, maybe a chest full of 'em, but then it was easier to let Ben hunt Zekel. Today people are addressing letters to John Smith, New York, N. Y., or Chicago, Ill., thinking Uncle Sam can locate him, which is just as incomplete as was Zekel's address of yore. The Postoffice Department asks you to put the number and street in the address. It helps you.

Trinidad Col.

How do you expect the Postal Clerk to know whether you mean Trinidad, California, or Trinidad, Colorado? ALWAYS SPELL OUT THE NAME OF THE STATE IN FULL IN THE ADDRESS.

"MORE BUSINESS IN GOVERNMENT"

This apt phrase was used in President Harding's first message to Congress and applies particularly in postal management where postmasters are being impressed with the fact that they are managers of local branches of the biggest business in the world.

HERE COMES A STRANGER!

Let's make our post office look neat. Mr. Postmaster, Straighten up the rural letter box, Mr. Farmer, Tidy up some, Mr. Rural Carrier. First impressions are lasting. Maybe Mr. Stranger, taking notice of these improvements, will come back, bringing you benefits. Start these with "POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK" May 1-6.

HUMANIZING THE POSTAL SERVICE

"There is no unimportant person or part of our service. It is a total of human units and their co-operation is the key to its success. In its last analysis, postal duties are accommodations performed for our neighbors and friends and should be so regarded, rather than as a hired service performed for an absentee employer." Postmaster General Robert Wark.

FAMED FOR ITS MARASCHINO

Dalmatian Town of Sebenico Really Has Little Right to Other Claims to Honors.

Sebenico vainly boasts of being the Roman colony Sium, where Claudius quartered his veterans, and so styles itself in public inscriptions and Latin documents. But Sium stood farther south, near Salona, at a spot still marked by Roman remains.

It is to be feared that Sebenico had a sadly ignoble origin, says the Manchester Guardian. The name is said to be derived from a word that means the fort from whence bandits watched the sea for ships which they

House Cat Played With Foxes. A Welsh farmer sitting in his garden, was surprised, he says, to see "our large white tomcat playing in the field adjoining with two well-grown fox cubs. They ran after each other in turns, dodging and jumping like children when playing the game of 'touch.' Meanwhile the vixen was lying close by in the grass watching the fun, which continued for quite half an hour. She then retired with the cubs into the wood, and our tomcat strolled back to the house."

Somewhat Odd "Cash Register." In computing the amount of his taxes on soft drinks, a Portland (Me.) druggist uses an old trolley car register. Every time he sells a soda he pulls the cord—as the conductor did when collecting a fare—and at the end of the day all he has to do is read the register to find out just how much he owes Uncle Sam.

Now Believe London is Dead. The Dames are at last convinced that Jack London is dead. A rumor had been widely circulated among them to the effect that the American author was living a secluded life on a South sea island and would not emerge until he had finished a momentous novel. A young Dane returned to Copenhagen the other day, fresh from San Francisco. He said he had faken a walk with Mrs. Jack London, near the London's California home. Coming to a boulder, he leaped over it. Mrs. London said: "Do you know what you have just done?" The Dane confessed his ignorance. "You have jumped over my husband's grave," she said. The Dane apologized for his seeming lack of respect, took the next train for South Brooklyn, and embarked on the Oscar II for the Danish capital, where he related his experiences. Jack London's Danish publisher, Her Martin, said: "I never did quite believe that rumor."—New York Evening Post.

PAINTED BY GREAT ARTISTS

In Olden Days Men of Genius Turned Out Swinging Signs That Were Really Attractive.

The staring signs that have so long offended the eye on the tops of buildings ultimately will be removed simply for the reason of public safety. Boards of fire underwriters object that the structures not only serve to spread the flames, but greatly hinder the fireman's work. One might wish that the mandate included all the encroachments of the signboard, remarks the Kansas City Star.

Man diligently advertised his wares even before the day of the frescoed goat over the Pompeian dairy. But in those old days the desire for custom was tempered by a zest for art.

Advertisement for 111 one-eleven cigarettes. Features an illustration of three men in suits. Text includes 'Three Friendly Gentlemen', 'TURKISH VIRGINIA BURLEY', and '10¢ for FIFTEEN'. Also mentions 'In a new package that fits the pocket—At a price that fits the pocket-book—The same unmatched blend of TURKISH VIRGINIA and BURLEY Tobaccos'.

Advertisement for Hail Insurance. Text includes 'Hail Insurance on growing crops. We are prepared to write it in the HARTFORD. Better be SAFE than SORRY.' and 'DUNBAR & WATSON "The Agency of Service" MEMPHIS Phone 325 TEXAS'.

Large advertisement for an Auction Sale of Jersey Cows. Text includes 'Auction Sale! of Jersey Cows', '40 Head 40 Head', 'MONDAY, MAY 1', 'I will sell at auction 40 head of Jersey Cows, at Memphis, Texas, Southeast corner Square, beginning promptly at 1:30 p. m.', '10 head coming yearling heifers. 10 head coming two-year-old. 20 head of fresh cows with young calves.', 'These cows are from Grayson County and are all out of distant Jersey Bulls.', 'B. H. LITTLE, Owner of Grayson County, Texas'.



Sentiment and the Law

ROBERT WHITCOMB

Law and sentiment are the old story, said Rogers the old lawyer. Somebody had been reading the average jurymen's verdicts in a verdict upon the case alone. "Sentiment is law," Rogers repeated. "It is law in the embryonic state, uncrystallized, and a better law than written law."

Do you remember the Bright trial of the late seventies? Bright, looking round at us, said, there have been many cases since then, and doubtless it is of epoch-making importance. Bright undertook the defense of Bright through sentiment.

That pretty Lorna Bright, the wife of the young man, and secretly she had persuaded me, and the protestations of Howard's lawyer, to undertake so desperate a case. Charles Bright had driven from his home, because he had the life of a musician.

Bright was one of those famous old men who are cordially hated by their neighbors. He had a house at Lanark, Md., to which he had moved after having disposed of the house which he hoped Howard would inherit, at a price of two or three hundred thousands. Among those who hated him most strongly was Jones, a small farmer whose house he had taken when a mortgage.

On the evening of the murder, on Thanksgiving eve, 1875, the servants of the house were aroused by a cry of a shot. They ran to the house and saw their master dead with a bullet wound in his head. Some fifty yards from Howard, a rifle in his hand. He made no resistance and was duly committed for trial.

I said, gentlemen, it was Lorna Bright who insisted that I undertake the defense. She had been in the house at the time of the murder, had known no more than the others, yet she was confident that she was guiltless.

Howard's story was that he had come on Thanksgiving eve, to a reconciliation; that he had an old rifle he had taken with a view of joining his father shooting on the Potomac, a sport which the old man was very partial to, and which he always used a rifle. He was within fifty yards of the house, however, he heard a rifle discharged in the distance and saw his father, who had been standing near the door, fall forward dead.

He was convinced of the young man's innocence by my first interview with him. I assumed that Jones was a guilty man. Jones was at this time living in a cabin about fifteen yards from the site of old Howard's house. There seemed no way in which Jones could be trapped.

At once I had an idea. The house had not yet been buried, though the report was over. It occurred to me that a bullet fired at such a short distance would have had velocity enough to drill a clean hole instead of a jagged hole in the head. I examined the wound and found, not only that the wound was hopelessly torn, so far as entering its size went, but that the bullet, being parallel with the ground or horizontal, it had a downward angle of some 35 degrees.

This discovery sent me wild with excitement. It was easy to deduce from this that the bullet had been fired from a considerable distance. As I had no means of knowing, gentlemen, at all what blank ranges the sight on the rifle is elevated, so that the ball, in its trajectory, takes first an upward then a downward course. In a few weeks, I had here a triangle, one of which measured 35 degrees, the base line, as I surmised, about 100 yards—that is to say, the distance between the murdered man and the cabin. The two other sides, of course, represented the ascending and descending lines of the bullet's trajectory.

From this, I deduced from this, that the rifle had been sighted to 1,150 yards. The district attorney consented to my taking of inspection with me. I asked him that I wanted to look over the ground; on the way I told him of my theory. He ridiculed the idea, together we made our way to the swampy bottom of the dried-up creek. Suddenly we came upon tracks converging toward a single point either bank. I stooped and picked up a few handfuls of earth. At that moment I came upon the barrel.

When we had disinterred it we found that it was sighted to 1,150 yards.

That is all, gentlemen. Jones, surprised, made a complete and dramatic confession, and afterward paid the penalty of his crime. But, as I was a lawyer, sentiment has its proper place, and if sentiment hadn't led me to undertake young Bright's defense, he would have died a shameful death and Lorna Bright would not have been a happy wife for nearly twenty years."

Improvement of the Mind. You need to think the study of the law was unnecessary. You are beginning to change my mind, replied the sollicitous parent. I'd rather have my son's attention on the classics than on some of the jobs in the



IT'S ALL THE SAME

Mr. Pester: Here's an account of a young couple who were married in an airplane. Risky business, that. His Wife: It's no more risky to be married in a modern airplane than it is to be married in a church. Mr. Pester: Who said it was?

I'd Like to Be— I'd like to be the possessor of a mermaid blithe and gay. For mermaids are the only maids who cannot run away.

Doctor (to messenger)—Why didn't you give me that message before? Now it's too late. Messenger Boy—Why? Did the patient die? Doctor—No, he got well again.

Probably a Dry Discourse. Professor (to student)—You disturbed me yesterday by talking out loud during my lecture. Student—Impossible, professor! Impossible! I must have been talking in my sleep, then.

A Mere Nothing! First Film Star—Got anything special on today, Cyrus? Second Ditto—Nope—only a race against death and a leap for life.—London Bystander.

Not on Oath. Miss Oldun—I know that age is beginning to tell on me. Miss Pert—Yes, dear, but you needn't mind so very much. It isn't telling the whole truth.

Speeding Up. "John, did you kill that roach?" "No, he was too speedy for me." "Why, he was just poking around." "But it didn't take him long to change gears."

A Business Failure. Alice—Did Gladys make a successful stenographer? Virginia—No, indeed. She has been at it three years now and is still unmarried.

Justifies Its Existence. Mr. Patunge—Did that correspondence course on "Success in Business" ever help any one to prosperity? Mr. Patinger—Sure! I'm making a pretty good thing out of it.

Village That Floats. In the interior of French Indo-China there is a village whose location is a source of worry to captains of passing steamers. They are never certain where they will find it.

Its name is Snok-Trou, and its location is somewhere on the Mekong river. The village consists of 40 or 50 little huts built on rafts and lashed together with rattan ropes. Here dwell about 200 people, whose chief occupation is fishing.

The rear of the village is lashed to half-submerged trees, but the whole town changes its position from time to time, according to the vagaries of the river or the whims of its inhabitants. Steamboats passing up the river will find it at one spot, and on the return journey discover that it has moved elsewhere.

Successful Operations on Hens. "When I was a little girl," writes a lady in British Columbia "I assisted my mother remove poison from the crops of about a dozen chickens. Since I have been married, I have opened a hen's crop to remove an extra large kernel of corn. I make a very small hole in the skin on one side of the middle and then slip the skin over before opening the crop. After removing the offending object let the skin slip back and it is not necessary to sew up the holes. I keep the bird confined a few days and feed on soft foods. Have never had a death from this class of operation."

NOT FOR HIM. "What's that you say?" "I say the first rule of golf is to keep your eye on the ball." "That might go sometimes, but not when you're out with a pretty girl."

An Assistant Desired. "Were you sorry when you learned there wasn't any Santa Claus?" "I'm still sorry about it," answered Senator Sorghum. "Every one of my constituents who wants anything writes and asks me to get it for him."

Goats Furnish Dolls' Hair. The hair on the heads of most of the thousands of dolls exhibited in shop windows is obtained from the Angora goat.



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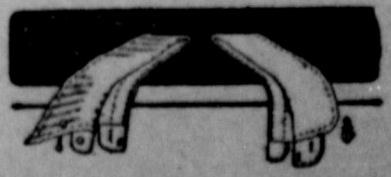


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### Local and Personal News

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

A. B. Reed was in Amarillo on business Sunday.

C. J. Douglass was visiting in Clarendon Sunday.

Judge S. A. Bryant visited Childress Tuesday.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

Rube Prater left Sunday morning for Oklahoma City.

Shake Davis of Amarillo, was a visitor here Sunday.

Hiram Clark is visiting with home-folks at Springtown.

S. H. Lacy was here from Turkey Wednesday.

Horace Millin is here from Turkey attending court.

W. Ona Morton left for Childress Tuesday on business.

J. B. Goodman and Clyde Reed visited Clarendon Sunday.

Bill Pattman of Clarendon was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Vivian O'Rear visited with home-folks Sunday in Wellington.

Bob Beckam was a visitor at Shamrock the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooks visited relatives at Wellington Sunday.

Buddy Guest and Pete Kennedy were Childress visitors Sunday.

Leon Montgomery of Shamrock, is here this week visiting relatives.

Carl Bennett of Clarendon was visiting friends in Memphis Sunday.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

R. D. Sasser visited home-folks in Wellington last Saturday and Sunday.

Rainey Elliott and Duok Moore were visitors in Hedley last week-end.

Malcom Tucker, Neel Bumpus and Tom Ballew were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

Miss Ollie Gee of Estelline has accepted a position as saleslady at the Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson who is visiting in Lakeview, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. M. L. Dorsett is here from Lubbock spending the week-end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coursey visited relatives at Wichita Falls several days last week.

E. E. Lane left Saturday night for Greenback, Tennessee, to visit his father who is very ill.

Jones' "Filling Station" for lunches, Chilli, Hamburgers, Coffee and Smokes. West Side. —12

FOR RENT—House, furnished or unfurnished on tenth street. See A. W. Howard. 43-1.\*

Misses Edith Redding and Gertrude Evans of Pleasant Valley spent week-end here with friends.

I have Sweet Potato and Tomato plants for sale. 43-3-0 E. M. EWEN.

Married Sunday 2, p. m., Robert Jasson Moore and Miss Maggie Baylor, A. D. Rogers officiating.

FOR SALE—Six registered Poland-China pigs, 3-months old. E. L. SPARKS, Memphis. 43-1.\*

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery of Plaskaare visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tichenor this week.—Claude News.

M. N. Cohen of Memphis has been here this week on business and mingling with his many friends.—San Saba News.

George Bass and daughters, Claude and Elsie and Misses Esta McElrath, and Peters were visitors in Newlin Sunday.

Mrs. D. C. Brooks of Wellington, spent last week here with her son and daughter, T. B. Brooks and Mrs. J. M. Lane.

Attorney David Fitzgerald visited Wellington Tuesday on business connected with the district court now in session there.

Buff Orphington Eggs—Breed Buff Orphingtons exclusively. Excellent egg-type breeders that deliver the goods. Eggs \$2 for 15, postpaid. H. GILMORE, Turkey, Texas, 40-3-0

Will Lock and family of Cattamine, Canada, left Thursday night for El Paso, after several days visit with relatives here.

Plants for Sale—Vegetables plants in any quantity, tomatoes, cabbage, beets and sweet potatoes. Write, T. Jones, Clarendon, Texas.

Mrs. W. H. Lock and little granddaughter, Miss Joan Estes, left last Thursday for El Paso where they will make their future home.

If you need second-hand furniture of any kind see our stock and get prices.—Mrs. S. M. Cooper, center block, south side square.

W. H. Lindsey returned home Tuesday morning after attending the Grand Commandery at Dallas. He reports a large attendance.

Andy McKane of Childress, spent the week-end here with his sister, Mrs. W. R. Ragsdale, coming up Friday and remaining until Sunday.

Commissioner Christian came in from Turkey just before noon today. He said that he started early this morning and that it was a good half-day's drive with the roads in their present condition.

FOR SALE—Mamouth Light Brahma eggs, 15 for \$1.50. None better. The chickens for cold weather, legs and feet well-covered with feathers, short combs. Good winter layers. Weigh 8 to 10 pounds. 41-3.\* O. B. PERKINS, Turkey, Texas.

Mrs. B. W. Spraggin of Amarillo, and little daughter, Dorothy Elizabeth, are visiting Mrs. Spraggin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brewer.

We carry the best of everything at reasonable prices, give us a trial and let us prove it.—Tomlinson and Rushing Drug Company.

Mrs. Steverson and little daughter, Dudley Sue, of Childress, returned to their home Friday after several days visit with relatives here.

FOR SALE—Walnut Bedroom Suite, Buffet, Rug, Kitchen cabinet, in perfect condition. Phone 435, or see Jack Brumley.

### The Princess Theatre

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### Program.

WEEK BEGINNING MAY 1, 1922.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Robertson-Cole presents Sessue Hayawaka in "The Vermillion Pencil," with Auburn official "Movie Chat."

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—Realtor present Wanda Hawley in "The Love Charm," with Sunshine Comedy "False Alarm."

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—William Fox presents Charles (Buck) Jones in "Riding with Death," also 13th chapter of "Winners of the West."

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# Memphis Dry Goods Company

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### Neighborhood News

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

##### from Bridle-Bit

Prospects for a good crop look favorable at present. It rained all night last Sunday, and it rained Monday morning.

Mrs. J. W. Harlin received from their son, stating that he has been driving a truck for four months.

The trustees at the house recently, resulted in the appointment of Prof. Buck Bolden as principal for another term.

Wynn, Edgar Marson, and famous singers from Estelline joined the Bridle Bit community for an evening.

Lillian Bird of Quitaque is the mother at Bridle Bit. Her mother at Bridle Bit.

##### Turkey Talk

Twelve-year-old daughter of McGraws died Thursday night.

Willie Inal, who has been visiting here, left Monday for home, accompanied by her little daughter. They will probably be here several weeks there.

Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. J. Light were called to the hospital last week by the illness of Mrs. Young's daughter, Mrs. Blewett, who is seriously ill.

People are rejoicing over the rain. Farmers generally in this section have their land in good condition and this moisture is all that is needed for planting. Conditions are not better for a good crop.

Turkey band continues to improve with practice and admirers say the boys now do as well or better than many bands that have long since disbanded.

Business in Turkey seems particularly good for this season of the year and our business men seem well pleased with conditions.

Work on the new school building is under way now; and by the beginning of next school term it will be ready. It will be a building of pride and will give our community a new inspiration and impetus.

##### Hulver Hints

Mrs. C. J. Williams and Mrs. L. P. Shrum shopped in Memphis Saturday.

Play presented by the school last night was quite a success. Proceeds being \$72.00. They play it at Estelline sometime.

Trudie Miller and Dewey were very quietly married at Memphis Saturday night.

Hicks filled his regular apartment here Sunday. The regular apartment continues to grow smaller.

Myrtle Pope and Dick Dunn were married Sunday. This came as a surprise to their many friends.

Trudie Miller and Miss Maude shopped in Memphis Saturday. The farmers are jubilant over the

recent good rains and will start planting in full swing soon as it clears up. The prospects for a bumper crop this year is fine.

##### Hedley Happenings

It has already been discovered that the Swanson Company is truly a "Wide-awake" concern. Its energies are fast developing Hedley into a place of activity.

The building, recently occupied by Mr. Bell, has been converted into a dining-hall, and the company has taken charge of the upper story of the concrete building next to the Guaranty Bank.

The drilling on the first test-well is progressing nicely, and work will soon begin on the second well. The third well will be located on the Buck Creek block. Rumor has it that a fourth well, and even a fifth well will be drilled in the future.

L. A. Stroud made a business trip to Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. J. R. Adamson went to Childress Thursday in the interest of the Eastern Star Lodge.

The Moore family, of Memphis, moved here recently. We extend a hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boon left Thursday afternoon for Burkburnett.

W. E. Reeves recently made a business trip to Tucumcari, New Mexico.

Mrs. Teddy Smith, of Memphis, recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson.

The Hedley school is progressing nicely. Prof. Richburg, who has accepted the position recently resigned by Prof. M. A. Jackson, is doing splendid work and is giving satisfaction.

Attorney A. S. Moss, of Memphis, was in our city one day last week.

Rev. J. M. Fuller, John Crow, Robert Watkins and other attended the District Conference at Claude last week. The 1923 District Conference will be held at Hedley.

T. T. Harrison, of Memphis, was a Hedley visitor Saturday.

W. B. Moreman, of Clarendon, was in our town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ewen were visiting relatives and friends in Hedley Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Masterson and daughters were in Memphis one day last week.

Mrs. E. M. Ewen and little daughter and Miss Lula Pyle came from Memphis Sunday and were visitors at the J. G. McDougal home.

Faul Pyle, of Newlin, was in Hedley Sunday.

Martin Rainey and his father attended the I. O. O. F. Lodge at Memphis Tuesday night.

Lloyd Munn barbered in Memphis Saturday.

A fine rain fell here Sunday night and Monday morning. The soil is in good condition. The farmers are busy, while the bankers and merchants are smiling confidently.

##### Lakeview Letter

Lakeview and vicinity was visited Monday morning by what is perhaps the biggest rain of the season thus far. While we have had plenty of rain to make a good season, we have heretofore had any hard-rains. This will certainly put crops to growing nicely.

D. H. Davenport was taken ill with appendicitis last Thursday and was

operated on at his home Friday afternoon. He is reported as doing nicely at this writing and his early recovery seems assured.

Sunday school attendance was good Sunday despite the threatening weather. The Methodist pastor not being able to preach to the congregation visited with the Baptist folks, receiving a royal welcome and enjoying two splendid sermons.

The singing at the Baptist church was well attended Sunday afternoon.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached at the Methodist church next Sunday, April 30. The commencement exercises will be Monday night at the school auditorium.

Thomas Adams, Pompey Durrett and Doyle Hall are the members of the graduating class this year. We all join in congratulating these splendid young men.

The Methodist Sunday school enjoyed a fine picnic at Deep Lake last Saturday. Every one seemed to thoroughly enjoy it. One feature of the entertainment was the ball game between the leans and fats.

Several home runs and many other fancy plays featured the game. The Men's Bible Class furnished the beef, bread, coffee, and ball game for the entertainment for the rest of the school.

Mr. Vyman Davenport and family are visiting home-folks here the last few days.

Mr. Fred Frazier and wife returned to Lakeview last week after several weeks absence.

##### Estelline Events

T. D. Gee spent last week in Memphis.

Alvin White went to Oklahoma City last week on business.

Rev. W. B. Hicks attended the District Conference at Crowell this week.

Miss Lillian Berry and Mr. John Russell were quietly married last Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents in Childress. A host of friends wish them happiness and extend to them congratulations.

The children of the Public School went on a picnic last Friday.

Estelline was visited by a splendid rain Saturday night and another Sunday night. Nearly everybody is planting cotton and maize.

Mrs. Jones, of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Miller, last week returning home Monday morning.

##### Methodist Church Notes.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Woman's Missionary Society has its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church.

Everybody is welcome to each and every one of these services.

##### Estelline School News.

Following are two stories written by third grade pupils of the Estelline Public School winning first and second places, respectively.

##### "A Holiday."

On Thursday, the second and third grades planned a picnic for Friday, to celebrate the twenty first. We decorated the truck and put a long flag around it. Each pupil was to bring a certain thing, so that we might have enough to eat.

We went in a truck and there was so many that the truck would not hold us all, so some of us had to ride on the engine and some on the fender. We went to the "62" well on Friday about eleven o'clock. When we got ready to go we got in the truck. We started from the school house. As we started through town, we gave yells, and bought ten pounds of peanuts. On the way out there

we ate peanuts, and gave yells, when we passed anybody.

When we got out there some of us carried water, made lemonade, fixed dinner, and some made swings while some played. When we first got there, we unloaded the truck. After dinner we went up the creek to some green trees and played games, jumped and ran races. Then some went to the bridge and some stayed at the big tree. The girls got the boys caps, and the boys got the girls hats and put them in the tree.

Then we all went back to our things and made lemonade, fried bacon and toasted marshmallows. When we got ready to start home we loaded the truck and when we came to the steep hill the truck would not pull and some of the boys had to get off. Later on the exhaust pipe nearly came off.

When we got to the school house we unloaded the truck and went home.

—By JESSE HOLMES, Third Grade, Estelline School.

##### "A Holiday."

The twenty first of April, the second and third grades, were getting ready to go on a picnic. Everybody was so excited, they forgot all about their lessons. In order to have enough to eat, we passed cards, with writing on them, telling what each should bring.

We did not carry anything to cook, except some meat. We decided to get a truck and some one to drive it. We had not decided where we would go, until the boy that was going to drive asked to get permission to go to "62" well.

They said we could come on their land if we would not slide on the poles on the wind mill.

The first thing we did was to get everything ready to go, we had a large flag drawn around the truck to make it more beautiful.

We had bought some things down town, and when we stopped, we gave yells and sang songs. It did not take us long to get our things, and we were soon off for the "62" well.

On our way we met cars and wagons, and we gave our yells.

We had lots of peanuts to eat on our way out there.

We came to a hill and some of the boys pushed.

When we got there we went down the hill and got our lunch ready, we had all kinds of sandwiches, fruits, lemonade and cake, and other good things. After we ate we went up the creek, some stayed under the trees, some went to the bridge, one boy walked the sides, two boys got in a tree, and a knob broke, the boys got the girls hats, and the girls got the boys caps, and put them in some trees.

We ran races, jumped, and played games. We soon got hungry, and went back to the truck.

The boys saw a snake, and ran it up a tree, after a while we got it down and took it to the truck to scare the girls.

We toasted marshmallows and cooked meat for supper. Then we started off for home, and we found that the exhaust pipe was nearly off, we went on further and found we had a flat tire, we came to steep hill and the engine liked to have stopped. We got up the hill and went on to the school house, and got our books, and went home happy.

DOYCE McINTIRE CLARK, Third Grade, Estelline School.

The town council of Hammonton, New Jersey, has discovered \$2,000 in the town treasury with no evidence as to how it got there. The council is going to hire an auditor to investigate the situation, as the treasurer cannot discover any reason for the surplus.

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 These prices represent from one-fourth to one-half of the regular selling prices.

Ladies' High Heel Pumps, regular \$6.00 to \$10.00 sellers, special to close **95c**  
 20 pieces of toffeta, messalines and other silks that we have been selling at \$1.95 to \$2.45 per yard extra special at **\$1.28**  
 Several pieces of 40-inch georgette crepes our regular \$1.95 seller, special at **95c**

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### AVERAGE FARM HEN EARNS \$25 PER YEAR

Average Farm Has 83 Hens  
From Which Average Sales  
Are \$161 Per Annum.

The average farm flock of chickens in northwest Texas brings in \$2.00 per hen according to 1015 records recently collected by the Ft. W. & D. C. Railway, during its poultry campaign. The average farm has 83 hens and the average sales are \$161.00 per year.

The sales would be larger if more farmers kept standard bred chickens, however the amount of sales per farm from average farm flocks is perhaps more convincing than if the sales were from standard bred chickens, because many would think their scrub flocks would not return anywhere near such large returns as would good chickens. Two-thirds of these sales were from mixed or scrub flocks for 63 per cent of all the farms in northwest Texas have mixed or scrub flocks of chickens. No wonder people do not give their chickens more attention. No one cares much for scrub stock of any kind and they do not expect much from them, yet these farmers report \$161.00 worth of chickens and eggs sold and show \$132.00 of it as profit.

One of the big reasons for so many scrub chickens is because people buy eggs for hatching from people who have mixed flocks or from those who have only scrub chickens. It is hard to believe that people will pay out hard earned money for settings of eggs or for breeding stock from mixed or scrub flocks. It was not previously supposed that anyone would do this or that anyone would have the nerve to sell such stock or eggs but according to their own confessions 16 per cent of the farmers in northwest Texas are actually selling stock or eggs from mixed or scrub flocks. Some state that they have nothing but scrub chickens but sell both breeding stocks and hatching eggs from them. Such a transaction ought to be a misdemeanor punishable by fine for the first offense and a jail sentence for succeeding offenses.

Yet with scrubs everywhere and but little attention given to chickens the average farm hen brings in \$2.00 per year and about \$1.60 is clear profit. If you have only 20 or 30 hens there will not be much profit because it will take nearly that many hens to supply the family needs. But if a good sized farm flock of 125 hens is kept the profits will total up to \$200.00; that with two thirds scrubs. If the flock is standard bred the profits will generally be doubled. All County Agents report much greater interest than ever before in standard bred chickens. This increased interest will bring increased results this winter.—W. B. Oats, Ft. W. & D. C. Agricultural Agent.

### Additional Locals

Married Thursday of last week at the Baptist Pastor's home, Mr. T. F. Stenett and Miss Esta Baker. Monday, Mr. S. W. Morrison and Miss Esta Huchaby, of Hotley.

LOST—Sample case, on Memphis and Newlin road. Case contains order-blanks, price-list and large red envelope addressed to Ernest Goeth, finder please leave at Democrat office.

I make all kinds of pretty waxed flowers suitable for every occasion. Homes, Churches, Social, Clubs and the girls who like little attractive things for their parties, this is something entirely new.

See me at the Star Cafe, prompt service at all times, phone 134. -1-

Patronize this Drug Store some of these almost indispensable articles you have needed for a long time. Why put off buying when you can get them in a guaranteed quality at such prices as we offer. Tomlinson & Rushing Drug Company.

Judge S. A. Bryant was in the city Monday attending to business. The judge has been our representative in the Legislature for the past two terms.—Childress Post.

FOUND—Frog-skin bill fold with some oil shares and other papers. Owner may recover by paying 50 cents for this notice and describing property.

The Memphis jazz orchestra went over to Hollis, Oklahoma, Friday night to play for a dance given at the American Legion hall. Those in the party were, Mr. and Mrs. Jot Foro, Miss Margaret Garrot, Paul James and Frank Foro.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Land of Memphis returned home Saturday after a visit with their son, J. J. Land of this city. While here Mr. Land called to

renew for The Post, saying that he wouldn't know how to get along without it.—Childress Post.

Fair days or stormy days, this drug store is able to take care of your needs in drug store supplies and accessories. Tomlinson & Rushing Drug Company.

It is now fly time, we swat all of them we can before they are born. Our barns and milk houses are screened, and we swat them too—I once visited a dairy where the milk was handled like slop for hogs, I admonished the proprietor that the milk was not fit to drink, he excused himself by saying, we don't drink it, we sell it. We drink our milk as well as sell it. BRADLEY DAIRY.

It is said that the friends of Judge W. G. Goss of this city, are endeavoring to have him enter the race for district judge. If Judge Goss should enter the race he will make the most energetic campaign ever made by any candidate in the district.—Childress Index.

Quannah is now agitating, or rather a promoter is endeavoring to get a railroad built from Quannah to Silvertown, following the Pease River Valley. The proposed line would pass through Tell, but it certainly will have a 'ell of a time in getting there, so say those acquainted with the Pease River brakes.—Childress Index.

### Lakeview I. O. O. F. Meeting.

Meeting held Monday night, April 24, with officers and members to the number of 25 present.

Report of sickness and distress: Brother D. H. Davenport was reported to have been successfully operated upon for appendicitis Friday night, and doing well. Statement that \$17.65 had been paid in distress cases since last meeting.

Bill of \$44.00 allowed for cement bought for use in erecting new Odd Fellow building, and indication that the new structure will soon be underway.

B. J. WOODINGTON, Reporter.

After lying exposed to the weather in the mountains of British Columbia for 10 years, a gold watch was found recently by a mountain climber and restored to its owner, who declares it to be running and keeping perfect time.

### ADVANTAGE IN "AUBURN" HAIR

According to This, It Gives Its Possessor a Distinct Start in Matrimonial Race.

If you are a girl and have red hair, pay no attention to those who nickname you "Carrots." It will not be a sign of their disrespect, but of their jealousy, asserts London Advertiser.

An eminent doctor has just expressed the opinion that the red-haired woman has a distinct advantage over all others in the matrimonial race. Man is attracted by the subtle shades of copper and red in a girl's hair, and this explains why "henna" dye is so popular. The girl who calls you "Carrots" the loudest will be the first to try the effect of "henna" herself.

To complete the conquest, a butter-milk complexion must be added. If you do not possess one naturally, there may be hope for you if you give up flesh food and become a vegetarian, living on fruits, cream, salads, raisins, and honey.

But, remember this—a woman's graces must be natural, or they will not outlive the glamor of courtship. No self-respecting man will like to feel that his love has been captured by dyes and diet. And no self-respecting girl will try this to capture him.

### Subtle Animosity.

"As a friend of our irascible colleague, you ought to persuade him to modify the things that he undertakes to print in the Congressional Record." "But," declared Senator Sorghum, "I'm not at all friendly to him. And for that reason I am in favor of letting him go as far as he likes."

### Spend It Here.

"I see a visitor to New York was arrested the other day because he had \$350 in his pocket," said Church.

"Why on earth did they arrest him, then?"

"He was trying to get out of town with it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

### Totally Obscured.

A certain callow Chicago swimmer had an amazingly large mouth which he contorted into an all-pervading smile when he wished to make a good impression. His sweetie had persuaded him to "ask father" and the youth was determined to show himself to good advantage.

"Mister Jones," he began, stretching his principal feature to the utmost of geniality. "I have come to ask for the hand of your daughter. I—"

"Just a moment, young man," interrupted the old gentleman mildly, "would you mind closing your mouth for a moment till I see who you are?"—American Legion Weekly.

### WAVE OF RELIGIOUS FERTOR

"Revival" Along the East Coast of England Is Most Remarkable of Recent Years.

A religious "revival" has commenced among the fisher people on the east coast, from Grimsby to John o' Groat's, says the Manchester Guardian. It is difficult to say where the revival originated but its effects are most noticeable in the villages on the south of the Moray Firth and the Aberdeenshire coast north of Aberdeen. Observers say the revival is much more extensive than that led in Wales in 1904-5 by Evan Roberts. Prayer meetings, lasting many hours, are held nightly, the mission halls generally being full. The kineams and public houses are in consequence nearly empty, and some of the former have had to close down. Strangers and fellow villagers are systematically stopped in the streets and asked if they have been saved. Even motorists in some villages are held up by the more fervent. One serious aspect of the revival is its effect on the minds of the people. Already six persons, mostly young men and women, have been removed to hospitals and institutions for the insane, and in the event of the revival continuing much longer this number may, it is feared, swell.

### USE BRICK

The best is not too good for you. Use Vitribest brick for paving. Write us. Thurber Brick Co., Ft. Worth, Texas.

Senators and Congressmen were assigned experts by the Treasury Department to help them with their income tax returns.

### Citation By Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon T. J. Woods, Jr., and the unknown heirs of T. J. Woods, Jr., by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hall County, to be held at the Court House in Memphis, Tennessee, on the First Monday in June, A. D. 1922, the same being the 5th day of June, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10 day of April, A. D. 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1162, wherein, in the following described land and premises, situated in the County of Hall and State of Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit: lots 19 and 20 in Block 75 of the town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, as shown by the plat of same, to-wit: that is duly recorded in Vol. 2 "H" at page 574 and 575, Hall County Deed Records.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from her the possession thereof by damage \$500.00.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that heretofore to-wit: on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1890, T. J. Woods, Jr., aforesaid by and through his duly authorized agents and attorneys in fact, J. W. Brice executed and delivered to H. G. Stephens his certain warranty deed in writing conveying to the said H. G. Stephens the fee simple title to the lands herein described above for a consideration of \$100, the receipt of which was duly acknowledged. That said deed was lost and never placed of record. That the said T. J. Woods, Jr., was joined in the execution of said deed by J. C. Montgomery and J. W. Brice. That Plaintiff is the owner of the title to said lots above described through the conveyance duly registered under the said H. G. Stephens.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that she has been the owner of, and in possession of said lots owning and claiming same under deed duly registered and has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said lots using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes thereon for a period of more than 5 years before any action therefor had been commenced by defendants.

Wherefore premises considered, plaintiff prays judgement of the Court, that she be quieted in her title and have judgement declaring her title to be valid and merchantable.

For costs of suit, for relief, general and special in law or in equity as she may show herself 'ustly entitled.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, this, the 19th day of April, A. D. 1922.

S. G. ALEXANDER, Clerk, District Court, Hall County, Texas.

### ELECTION ORDER.

On this the 4th day of April, 1922, the City Council of the City of Memphis, Texas convened in regular session at its regular meeting place in the city hall, the following members thereof being present, to-wit: H. Baldwin the mayor and aldermen, E. P. Thompson, F. N. Foxhall, J. M. McKelvey, S. L. Seago, J. G. Gardner, R. C. Walker and J. F. Bradley, and D. L. C. Kinard, City Secretary, among other proceedings had was the following:

It was moved by Alderman J. F. Bradley and seconded by Alderman

E. P. Thompson that there be submitted to the qualified voters of the said city, who are property taxpayers therein, the proposition for the issuance of the bonds of the said City in the sum of Sixty Five thousand dollars, (\$65,000.00) for the construction and improvement of the roads, bridges and streets of the City of Memphis, Texas, the election to be held on the 9th day of May 1922, the motion carried by the following vote: Aldermen E. P. Thompson, F. N. Foxhall, J. M. McKelvey, S. L. Seago, J. G. Gardner, R. C. Walker and J. F. Bradley voting Aye and none voting No.

Thereupon the following ELECTION ORDER WAS adopted: WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Memphis deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said city for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of Memphis, Texas, that an election be held on the 9th day of May, 1922, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted: "Shall the City Council of the City of Memphis, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Memphis in the sum of Sixty five thousand dollars, (\$65,000.00) payable thirty years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the construction and improvement of the roads, bridges and streets of the City of Memphis, Texas, as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S., 1911, and Chapter 9, Sections 1 to 7 inclusive of the Acts of the 37th Legislature of Texas passed at its regular session and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Memphis and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election to-wit:

H. A. McCanne, Presiding Judge, S. G. Alexander Assisting Judge, and T. M. McMurry and W. P. Watts, Clerks. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S., 1911, and Chapter 9, Sections 1 to 7 inclusive of the Acts of the 37th Legislature of Texas and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said city, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of bonds in the amount of Sixty Five Thousand (\$65,000.00) Dollars, payable thirty years from the date thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, for the construction and improvement of the roads, bridges and streets of the City of Memphis, Texas, and for the levy of a tax on each one hundred dollars' valuation of taxable property in said City sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund to redeem them at their maturity."

All voters opposed to the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of bonds in the amount of Sixty Five Thousand (\$65,000.00) Dollars, payable thirty years from the date thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, for the construction and improvement of the roads, bridges and streets of the City of Memphis, Texas, and for the levy of a tax on each one hundred dollars' valuation of taxable property in said City sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund to redeem them at their maturity."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections. A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Memphis attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of

said election. The Mayor is authorized to cause said notice of election to be posted up at the City and at one public place in each voting place of the City of Memphis for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said City, and which notice published once each week for successive weeks, the date of publication being not less than full days prior to the date of election.

Witness our official signature the 4th day of April, A. D. 1922.

H. BALDWIN, Mayor, City of Memphis, Texas. D. L. C. KINARD, City Secretary, City of Memphis, Texas. (SEAL)

Surveying—Mapping—Real Estate  
**W. A. THOMPSON**  
Office in Court House County Surveyor

**INSURANCE**  
Income Tax Work  
**R. A. BOSTON**  
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June 22, 1922

The Memphis Democrat

Memphis School News

Items of Public Interest and News Items Pertaining to the Public Schools of Memphis.

Editorial Staff.

Editor in Chief: Kennedy; Asst. Editor: Wright; Junior Reporter: Wright; Sophomore Reporter: Wright; Freshman Reporter: Wright; Athletic Reporter: Wright.

Senior Banquet.

Junior-Senior Banquet Tuesday evening at the Cafe, despite the efforts of the weather to prevent it.

Decorated in the High School auditorium by the High School Seventh Grade classes.

Carnival is being planned for future—watch for the details.

Working Contest.

Contests for the Clothing of the Home Economics were finished this week and the following results:

Year: Clara Gillis, 1st; Millie, 2nd; Della Guber, 3rd.

Year: Elizabeth Kennedy, 1st; Miss Moses, 2nd; Frieda O'Neil, 3rd.

Year: highest winners left Wednesday with Miss Ownby for Houston to enter a general exhibit at the State Fair.

Contest has been a very successful one and has been judged both on and off the premises by competent judges.

Wishes to thank the following who have so kindly served as judges in the contest:

Mrs. Sid Wells, Miss Flora Walker, Mrs. Roy McWhorter, Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Miss Edwin, Miss Lucille McCann, Mrs. Miss Rose Cohen, Miss Arnold, Messrs. Rufus Greene, A. Baldwin, Lang and

Honor Roll.

First: Bernice Ray, Pearl Bowerman, Oscar A. G. Alexander, A. R. Evans.

Second: Julia Rowton, Fred Farrell, Carson, Jess Withers, Jane Kilpatrick, Emma Jane Wimberly, Mildred Johnson, Jane Kilpatrick, Emma Jane, Ruby Yarborough, Mena, Francis Katherine Knight, Mary Raseoe, J. W. David Jones, Parks Brumley.

Third: Lena Baine, Inez Lowry, Dorothy Burgett, Champion, Mary Dyer.

Fourth: Vera Neely, Velma Una Vay Bradley, Ivan Albert Hill, Mildred Stout, Lou Love, William McKelvey, Maxine Berry, Lucille Marietta Gibson, Chloe Trebyne Daws, Ruth Bean, Rollic Kelly, Elehard Weldon Massey.

Fifth: Francis Denny, Jess Weldon Munn, Mary Lee Lillie Mae Kinnard, James Inyena Heran, Chalmers Abbie Gorran, Inez Dennis, Elliott, Ida McAble, Bonnie W. R. Fiekas.

Sixth: Pauline Ross, Ida Emma Dorcas Morgan, Gertrude, Clara Alexander, Howard, James Hammond, James Moore, Gladys Jones.

Seventh: Pauline Alexander, Martha Alice Moore, Lon Edward Foxhall, Vesta Al Simpson.

Eighth: Nat Bradley, Edna Oleta Bell Hyder, Mary McNeill, Elizabeth Bryant.

Ninth: Kate Presley, St. Powell, H. B. Bryan, Carolyn Edward Markham, Zeta Olliver Johnson.

Tenth: Charlie Dameron, Bekam, Henry Goodpasture, Madden, Marcelle Brewer.

Eleventh: Mary Nail, Della

Twelfth: Mary Foreman, Ruth

Thirteenth: Autie Antohny.

Fourteenth: Margaret Roach, Lorcher, Alberta Gerlach, Fel-

Church News

First Methodist Church.

The revival closed Sunday night. Rev. Hub De Lave proved himself to be a strong and vigorous preacher of the simple gospel. He has not the faintest compromise with anything wrong in politics, social life, higher criticism, or church life.

The meeting did great good. There were about sixty professions and recantations. But we can't always value a revival by the number converted and taken into the church.

A big Sunday school at 9:45, a. m. Two fine classes of young men's and young ladies.

Preaching at 11, a. m. Reception of numbers and baptism of children. Leagues in the afternoon.

Preaching at 7:45, subject: "The Best Course in Life." A. L. MOORE, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

Now that there has been much visiting in services elsewhere in which, however, God has been greatly honored, let us fall in with our own particular local work, brightening our own corner until the brightness overflows into other corners.

Next Sunday's schedule: 9:55, a. m., Sunday school.—Come to learn, also to impart knowledge. Bring some one with you.

11, a. m., sermon by the pastor.—Theme: "The Harp of Love." 6, p. m., Junior and Intermediate C. E. societies.

7:45, p. m., sermon by the pastor.—Theme: "Two Great Destructions." The pastor reserves from 2 to 5 p. m., for undisturbed study and meditation.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening, 7:45 o'clock.

Keep in mind the revival meeting which is to open in this church on the last Sunday in May. The week following will be preparatory to the coming of Evangelist Lovie P. Law and his singer.

EUGENE B. KUNTZ, D. D., Pastor.

Church of Christ, 7th and Brice.

There will be preaching at the church, next Lord's Day, by the minister.

Bible classes at 10, a. m. Preaching and communion at 11, a. m. Preaching at 8, p. m.

Bible study and prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8, p. m. You are invited to attend these meetings.

C. H. KENNEDY, Minister.

First Baptist Church.

Service at the Baptist Church Sunday, we will begin promptly.

S. S., 9:45, Preaching at 11, by the pastor.

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Panhandle Association will convene with this church Friday morning at 10, a. m. Everybody is invited to these services.

This church will have services every night next week. We are very desirous of the co-operation of all the Christian people of Memphis. Let's pull together for a great meeting, all Christian people are urged to take part.

Come Sunday for a great day. Let's make the first service a great service—pray for the success of the meeting.

CHAS. T. WHALEY, Pastor.

Main Street Church of Christ.

Sunday school 9:45, a. m. The Blues did beat. Reds got a hot box from speeding, but they are in the running now.

Preaching 11, a. m. and 8, p. m., morning subject: "The Empty House." Evening subject: "The Rock Upon Which Jesus Built His Church."

Preaching at Giles 3, p. m. Junior C. E., 3, p. m., Ruth Bean, leader.

Senior C. E., 7:15, p. m., V. B. Rogers, leader.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 8, p. m. A community Sunday school was organized at Giles 16. A Methodist, a Christian, and a non-church members were selected as officers.

A. D. ROGERS, Pastor.

A tusked wild boar ended a football match at Bersancon, Switzerland, when it charged the players in the midst of a game. After running wildly about the field it was shot by a gendarme. The boar weighed 120 pounds and was later served to the players and their guests at a banquet. The game was declared a draw.

There are three distinct parties in the Canadian House for the first time in the history of the Dominion. They are the Progressives, the Conservatives and the Independents.

CRANE SAYS KLAN ADMITS ITS GUILT

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of an American citizen to a foreign Government for naturalization papers. They call it application for 'citizenship' in the Invisible Empire. They address it to His Majesty, the Imperial Wizard, Emperor of the Empire of the Ku Klux Klan, and they promise to conform strictly to all the rules and regulations of their 'naturalization.'

"It will therefore be seen that the Dallas County Citizens' League was talking about an organization in its midst that disqualified its members from holding office under the United States Government or the Texas Government, because they had conflicting commitments. Their confessions are offered as evidence to prove that fact. These confessions are corroborated by this application for membership.

"Having pleaded guilty to the charge, what is their reply? It is that those of us who object to this divided allegiance, to this secret, oath-bound organization controlling the destinies of the country are either Jews or Catholics.

"The fact that this is not correct does not seem to embarrass some of the speakers covering the State last week. The fact that our movement had the open indorsement of Bishop W. N. Ainsworth of the Methodist Church, of Bishop Coadjutor Harry T. Moore of the Episcopal Church and a number of leading Protestant ministers, to say nothing of thousands of Protestant laymen, does not keep them from making that charge.

"But suppose all were Catholics or Jews, or both, if that were possible. Does that make it right for a klansman to take an oath which is practically a conspiracy against the Government, State and Federal, that he will not under any circumstances aid either the Federal courts or the State courts in enforcing the law against any kind of crime, if it involve disclosing who his brother klansmen are?"

"Let us get rid of this oath-bound organization that is defying the law of the land. Then, if there is an-

other one like it, let us get rid of it!

"It is to be noted that, since the Citizens' League has begun its operations, whippings in Dallas County have ceased. Another fact is to be noticed, that while the Ku Klux Klan organization may disclaim responsibility for acts of violence before inflicted, that those who seem to sympathize with them have always been very busy in justifying those acts by saying that the injured party 'got what was coming to him.'

"The Citizens' League, I again repeat, stands for the law; every mem-

ber of it is ready to aid the officers, executive or judicial, in any proper way in its enforcement.

"We will act without masks and without secrecy, being perfectly willing to assume our full share of the responsibility in so doing.

"It is scarcely necessary to add his majesty, the Imperial Wizard, Emperor of the Invisible Empire of the Ku Klux Klan, indignantly denies that the Klan was organized to aid the officer in enforcing the law.

"No greater obstruction to the law outside of absolute anarchy could be suggested or created."—Dallas News.

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J. M. NORRIS, farmer, S. 7th St. says: "My back ached with a steady aching pain. Mornings my back was so lame and stiff I had a hard time straightening up. When I stooped over I would get dizzy and my kidneys were in awful condition and at night I had to get up frequently to pass the kidney excretions. I used Kidney Pills and they put me in shape."

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A Tonic For Women

"I was hardly able to drag. I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. F. Ray, of Easley, S. C. "The doctor treated me for about two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my housework and a lot outdoors. . . I can sure recommend Cardui."

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APRIL 27.

Mayor is authorized to issue said notice of election. . . posted up at the City public place in each of the City of Memphis.

of thirty full days of said election. . . of further notice. . . of said election.

our official signature of April, A. D. 1922. . . H. BALDWIN, City of Memphis, Tennessee.

KINARD, Secretary, City of Memphis.

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### Political Announcements

The Democrat is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office indicated, subject to the Democratic primary election to be held in July, 1922.

- Representative, 121 District: S. A. BRYANT, G. E. HAMILTON
- For Judge 56th, Judicial Dist.: M. M. HANKINS, of Quannah, ROBERT COLE, of Crowell, J. V. LEAK, Memphis
- For District Attorney: ARTHUR C. NICHOLSON
- For District Clerk: S. G. ALEXANDER
- For Sheriff: JOE MERRICK, RUX EDDLEMAN, J. Y. SNOW, JOHN ALEXANDER, S. A. (Sid) CHRISTIAN, O. E. SIMMONS
- For County Attorney: W. A. McINTOSH
- For County Judge: A. C. HOFFMAN, T. M. McMURRY
- For County Clerk: HOWARD FINCH, M. O. GOODPASTURE (Miss) EDNA BRYAN, E. E. WALKER (Miss) ROSE HOWARD
- For County Treasurer: J. M. WILBORN
- For Tax-Collector: T. M. (Marvin) DISHEROON
- For County Superintendent: M. E. McNALLY, ELSIE BASS
- For Tax-Assessor: LOUIS WHEAT
- For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 1: W. COMBEST, H. R. BLUM, W. H. GRUNDY; Precinct No. 2: A. R. McMASTER, C. J. NASH, B. J. WOODINGTON, R. B. McMURRY, C. W. ARMSTRONG, T. N. BAKER; Precinct No. 3: FRANK COX, JOHN RUSSELL, MED BARTON, W. A. CALDWELL; Precinct No. 4: U. F. COKER, WALTER LACY; Precinct No. 5: J. WALTER DENNIS, CURTIS CUDD; Precinct No. 6: HUGH HART, J. C. BOWMAN, J. R. COWAN; Precinct No. 7: G. L. WHISENANT, R. N. GILLIS, N. E. BURK; Precinct No. 8: C. P. WASSON, Newlin

The he-masher may dig up wept and unhonored, but, you may bet, that he will never get by unstung.

If the flexible traiff serves the farmers as they have been served by flexible currency they are likely to become inflexibly oposed to anything elastic.

The fellow who never knows when to quit talking should be reminded that too much gas floods the carburetor and stops the machine. Cut down the gas!

The rumor that John Barleycorn was dead, like the story of Mark Tawin's death, seems to have been exaggerated. The rumor may have been due to the demise of so many of John's close associates.

If jazz bands are anything like the funny paragraphs say and the invisible empire is as the papers report, how can the same town contain both?

We gather from the published report of a recent law-and-order meeting in a celebrated city of the Plains, that about the only difference in that burg and Sodom is that there are a "lot" of anti-saloon leaguers in the former town.

If the paving is authorized, and there seems to be no doubt that it will; and a new court house is constructed, which seems quite possible, there will be one of the busiest summers here that has ever been experienced. Come to Memphis!

A hum or a bishop, a deacon or a deadbeat, it makes no difference which you may be; if you violate the law you are a law-breaker. And those who really believe in law-enforcement will condemn you, regardless of who you are, or what your excuse may be.

The paving question is to be voted upon next Thesday week, May 9. Remember the date and get out and vote. There seems to be little division of sentiment regarding the matter, almost every one agreeing that the business section should now be paved; but, regardless of your individual opinions, it is your duty, and privilege, to give them expression at the polls. Let's have out a big vote.

Senator Tom Watson, who made a successful race for the place he now holds on a platform of "Turn Debs out and put Wilson in," may defend himself to his Georgia constituents for having accomplished only half of the program by the quotation "Stone walls do not a prison make." With his last friend, Tumutly, estranged the former president is far more isolated from the world in his half-million dollar mansion than Debs ever was in the Atlanta prison.

Hall county's greatest need is, as suggested by Mr. E. T. Montgomery, in the letter published last week, in more houses upon her farms. More farm houses and less land to the hand would pay both the landlord and the tenant and it would bring to the county more good people and good workers, which is the greatest thing for any country with natural resources that are going to waste for lack of workers.

No licker. A Virginia town is so dry that its postage stamps have to be pinned on.—Washington Star.

The Childress Index, after quoting from the Democrat the account of the organization of the Childress County Farm Labor Union, makes the following comment:

"Editor Dalton of the Democrat, was in town to attend the meeting. Jerry is a strong advocate for the consolidation of farm laborers, organized labor, organized farmers, and all others except the church and the Democratic party. Jerry is going to be an avowed Nonpartisan leader within a few months."

Editor Dalton was not in town to attend the meeting! He did not know of the meeting until after he reached Childress and could not have attended, because he is not a member. This organization confines its membership strictly to farmers who work upon the farm and, therefore, editors are not eligible. We visited the hall where the meeting was held before the meeting and secured data for the article quoted because we recognized it as news which would be of interest to our readers; just as we attended a meeting of the Farm Bureau held in Memphis last Saturday. We have been, for years, and yet are, an advocate of organization by the farmers and have freely lent our assistance in giving publicity to all such organizations, Farmers Union, Farm Labor Union and Farm Bureau. We also believe in, and advocate, the co-operation of the farmers and other organized labor, for the purpose of furthering the interests of themselves, particularly, and for the best interests of the country in general. The editor of this paper is not, nor ever was, a member of a labor union; but is friendly to all because, as he sees it, lack of organization will, in the future, mean practical slavery to the working men and their families. Every interest that preys upon them is thoroughly organized; and "the way to fight the devil is with fire." The church organizations are given space freely by this paper, more than the farm or labor organizations, because there are more of them and they are more active. (However, we see no reason why the Index should have brought in the churches in this connection). By the word "Nonpartisan" we suppose the Index means to indicate the "nonpartisan conference," a conference participated in by certain farm and labor organizations. (Although it probably expected its readers to infer that the Nonpartisan League was meant.) Editor Dalton not being a member, or eligible to membership, in any of the organizations, obviously, can not aspire to the "leadership" the Index mentions. As to the "nonpartisan conference," the following is quoted from an address delivered by George W. Slater, president of the Texas Federation of Labor, at the recent labor meeting at El Paso:

"We don't intend to have a labor political party. All the Texas Nonpartisan political conference intends to do is to recommend support of candidates that are known to be friendly to labor; it does not intend to attempt to compel a union man or woman to vote the way it recommends."

Although the comment above quoted by the Index bears the ear-marks of an attempt to purposely leave an incorrect impression, unfair both to

the organizations mentioned and to the editor of this paper; we have treated the matter as merely an error and have carefully given the facts in order to make the matter clear. Now, in conclusion we will say that if the Index has any sense of fairness, or any intention of acting "half-white," it will reproduce this reply, in its entirety, so that its readers may get the truth.

### 7TH DISTRICT WOMEN TO MEET IN CLARENDON

Plainview, April 24.—Clarendon was selected for the 1923 convention of the seventh district, state Federation of Women's Clubs at the closing session of the 1922 meeting here.

You here get an idea of the power of a comma: A printer set up a poster to advertise an address by a militant suffragette. Her subject was: "Woman: 'Without Her, Man Would Be a Savage.'" The posters read: "Woman, Without Her, Man Would Be a Savage." In this instance the printer insisted that he had the poster right, for he had to leave town to save his scalp.—Anahuac Progress.

### NOTICE.

The Commissioners' Court of Hall County has employed a Traffic Officer to begin work on April 15, 1922 and all Traffic Laws will be enforced beginning with said date. W. J. BRAGG, County Attorney.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Hall county will receive sealed bids on May 11, for the construction of a piling bridge across Parker creek on the Newlin road, just east of the oil mill. Bond will be required and all bids must be filed with the court on or before May 11, 1922.

The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. W. A. McINTOSH, County Judge of Hall County.

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- Coronation March, from "The Prophet".....Meyers
- Overture, "The Contest".....Mus
- Reading, Romance.....White
- Violin solo, Zigeunerveisen (Gypsy Airs).....Sara
- Piano solo, selected.....Miss Beatrice Story
- (a) A Dyspeptic.....An
- (b) Results of Education.....Bro
- Part II
- Overture, "Poet and Peasant".....Sup
- Loin Du Bal.....Gille
- Violin Duet, "La Paloma".....Yrad
- Cornet solo, "Addah", Polka di Concert.....Lo
- The Cushville Hop.....K
- Violin Ensemble, Hope March.....Pap
- Faust, Grand Selection.....Gou

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